

'RED DEVIL' TROOPS RESCUED

Pro-FDR Democrats Protest

AUSTIN — (AP) — Ed Clark of Austin, attorney for the State Democratic Executive Committee, Monday protested to Secretary of State Sidney Latham the possible use of any variation of the term "Democratic" in the filing of the names of presidential elector nominees by any other party than the Democratic party.

He said Latham promised to give the committee a hearing if another party filed with him a slate of electors for certification in a general election ballot column labeled with a descriptive including the term "Democratic" or "Democrat."

Saturday a new party was formed here by a group of anti-Roosevelt Democrats, who announced they would ask Latham late Monday to certify presidential electors named in a closed convention held at a downtown hotel.

A spokesman for the party announced its names, and the names of its electors would not be announced until it filed.

There was considerable speculation, however, that some such names as "Jeffersonian Democrats" or "Regular Democrats" would be used. It was considered likely that if this course were followed, some sort of legal action to block it would be taken.

The State Supreme Court, Saturday directed Latham by a mandamus sought by the State Democratic Executive Committee to print the names of the pro-Roosevelt electors nominated at the September convention, and no others, on the ballot in the Democratic column.

6,500-Foot Test Is To Be Drilled In NW Martin County

By JAMES C. WATSON
Oil Editor

Drilling will start on a 6,500-foot well in the southeast corner of the northwest quarter of Martin County, Sept. 30, according to a notice of intention to drill filed with the Railroad Commission by Amos G. Carter, Fort Worth.

The new exploration will be Carter's No. 1 E. W. Hyatt, and is 8,345.62 feet from the west and 4,417.5 feet from the north lines of the Hyatt lease in league 247, Hartley County School Land survey. The footage is the same from the league lines as from the lease lines.

Contract has been let to M. B. K. Drilling Company, and material for the rotary rig is being assembled on the location. The 6,500-foot depth is due to take the test to the Clear Fork zone of the Permian.

Drillstem Test Failed
Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 1 Federal-Leonard, Southwest Lea County, New Mexico, Ellenburger hunter, in section 12-263-376, cored at 11,940-858 feet. Recovery was two and one-half feet of lime with no oil shows but with an odor of gas.

A drillstem test was tried from 11,810-858 feet. A 4,140-foot water blanket was used. The packer slipped after 20 minutes and no test was secured. However, unofficial sources report there was a small amount of oil and gas-cut drilling mud in the drill pipe when it was pulled out and broken down.

The operator was going in with the bit and it was expected that after conditioning the hole and possibly deepening it a little, that another drillstem test would be tried.

Turner Extension 'Come In'
Humble No. 1-P State, section 9-173-366, south outcrop to the initial producer in the Turner west extension to the South Lovington field in Central Lea County, kicked off, after nine hours of swabbing, to the total depth at 5,100 feet and the well came in and flowed 140 barrels of oil in seven hours.

The fluid was cut seven percent basic sediment. Gas-oil ratio was 587-1.

Stanolind Oil & Gas Company
No. 1-J Midland Farms, section 32, block 41, G&MMB&A survey, T-2-N, in Southeast Andrews County, and about three miles east of the same operator's No. 1-F Midland Farms, an upper Permian discovery of several months ago, has been abandoned and will be plugged on a total depth of 4,876 feet in line.

Slight oil shows were developed—but the principal output was sulfur water.

New U. S. Envoys To Exiles



Stanley K. Hornbeck, above, has been nominated by President Roosevelt as United States ambassador to the Netherlands. He was the State Department's Far Eastern expert until about a year ago when he was made special assistant to the secretary of state.



Arthur Bliss Lane, above, career diplomat, is the new U. S. ambassador to the exiled government of Poland. The move is seen as reaffirmation of United States support for the regime which Russia refuses to recognize.



Richard C. Patterson, Jr., of New York, above, has been named ambassador to the exiled government of Yugoslavia at London. He was U. S. minister to Yugoslavia before the war.



President Roosevelt has nominated Lithgow Osborne, above, of New York, as ambassador to Norway when that country is liberated.

Germans Leaving Po Valley Area

ROME — (AP) — Exploiting their success in smashing through the heart of the Germans' vaunted Gothic Line, American troops of the Fifth Army have punched to within 12 miles of the Bologna-Rimini highway—the Via Aemilia of the ancients, Allied Headquarters announced Monday.

At the southeastern edge of the Po Valley, however, the Eighth Army ran into heavy fighting with Nazi infantry, paratroopers and armored forces desperately holding a line across the entrance to the broad plains to the north.

Although there have been unofficial reports that the Germans have begun evacuating some troops and supplies from the western part of Northern Italy, Eighth Army headquarters declared there were no indications of a retreat.

German Pockets In Finland Are Being Mopped Up
STOCKHOLM — (AP) — A Finnish communiqué announced the Finns had captured Haukipudas and Poutala from the German occupants and that troops still were advancing against the Nazis in Lapland.

Finnish troops, undertaking a task they once regarded as impossible, were reported making slow but steady progress Monday in their efforts to drive the Germans out of Northern Finland and fulfill the terms of an armistice with Russia which this country has received with mingled hope and fear.

A Finnish communiqué Sunday declared the Finns had occupied part of Suomussalmi in Northeastern Finland and were approaching Pudasjärvi after overcoming mines, demolitions and road blocks set up by the retreating Nazis.

High Command Hopeful
(A dispatch from Stockholm Sunday night quoted a Swedish newspaper correspondent as saying the Finnish high command was hopeful of completing the job of ousting the Germans within four weeks without any help from the Russians.)

Meanwhile advance elements of the Soviet armistice commission already are quartered in Helsinki and the Finns are waiting to see what the armistice terms will mean in practice.

The reception tendered American correspondents arriving here—the first to reach Helsinki since the armistice—was very warm.

Americans Pierce Reichswald Twice In New Offensive

LONDON — (AP) — American troops punched Monday into the Reichswald in Germany, adjacent to the Siegfried anchor of Kleve, while British Army forces broke the ring around besieged "Red Devil" paratroopers north of the Rhine at Arnhem and began consolidating their bridgehead for a main push into the Northern Reich.

Supreme Headquarters announced that troops were engaging the Germans in the Reichswald troop concentration area five miles east of the Waal River crossing at Nijmegen and 50 miles northwest of the Krupp armament center of Essen.

The Americans who broke across the German frontier at a new point near Beek, Dutch border village three miles southeast of Nijmegen were going head-on against Kleve, eight miles to the southeast.

At the same time, Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower's communiqué announced that Polish reinforcements from the British Second Army had slipped across the upper branch of the Rhine at Arnhem by night and bolstered the hard-pressed but stout-hearted British airborne division which had fought alone for a week in the middle of counterattacking Germans.

Hodges Rips Counterattack
On down the line, Lt. Gen. Courtney H. Hodges' U. S. First Army ripped a German counterattack to pieces in the area east of Aachen and turned huge 240-mm. (nearly 16-inch) guns on targets only 18 miles from the Rhine.

Lt. Gen. George S. Patton's Third Army slashed close to Baccarat, 28 miles southeast of Nancy and only about 45 miles southwest of Strasbourg on the Rhine. The Germans announced the loss of Epinal on the Moselle, 40 miles below Nancy and about the same distance above (Continued on Page 2)

Huge Allied Armada Bombs Frankfurt In Softening-Up Blast
LONDON — (AP) — More than 1,200 American heavy bombers with strong fighter escort attacked railway yards and other targets Monday at Frankfurt, Coblenz and Ludwigshafen—all in the front line of the German Western defenses.

Frankfurt, Germany's tenth largest city of 547,000, lies on the Main, a tributary of the Rhine, 115 miles east of the Luxembourg town of Diekirch where Americans are locked in heavy battle at the Siegfried Line.

Coblenz, at the confluence of the Rhine and Moselle, lies a bare 50 miles from advanced Allied troops striking from Belgium through the frontier fortifications.

Frequently Bombed
Ludwigshafen, farther down the Rhine, is less than 100 miles from Metz where other Americans are engaged in battle. It is a chemical center and has been bombed frequently.

Tremendous explosions echoed across the channel Monday from Calais, indicating that heavy bombers were battering the surrounded and long passed German garrison there.

The explosions resounded soon after three separate waves of RAF heavy Halifax and Lancaster bombers crossed the Straits. The Germans said the Western Reich was again under attack.

British heavies loosed more than 3,900 tons of bombs on the German industrial cities of Munster and Bochum Saturday night, American and British fighter bombers worked most of Sunday over a wide variety of ground targets in support of armies on the German frontier.

Thunderbolts Called In
French-based U. S. Thunderbolts were called in to help break up a formation of 100 Nazi tanks blocking Lt. Gen. George Patton's Third Army in the Nancy area. Two low level attacks scattered the tanks into woods where they were strafed and bombed.

A 500-ton submarine was sunk at the Skaramanga U-boat pens ten miles north of the Greek port of Piraeus. Two merchant ships were hit.

Most of Sunday's operations in the West were carried out in driving rainstorms. France-based RAF fighters concentrated on rail communications in Holland, destroying at least 13 locomotives and 60 freight cars.

There were a few reports of enemy aircraft operating in packs but none engaged in combat.

Weather
Partly cloudy.

Tragic Tides Of War



For centuries, Dutch farmers have drained and cultivated land protected from the tides by dikes. Now their land has been ruined for years to come, by sea water which completely submerged whole villages when the Germans flooded the lowlands in an effort to stem Allied advances. Fertile soil has become a quagmire, interrupted only by gun emplacements and pillboxes of the Nazis. Harmless looking submerged farmhouses, like the one in the background, conceal German coastal guns.

Nipponese Air Force Crushed

By LEONARD MILLIMAN
Associated Press War Editor

Tokyo radio reported continuing air attacks on the Philippines by seaborne American planes which Admiral Chester W. Nimitz said had smashed Japan's Philippine-based air force and routed the defending fleet from its bases.

A vicious two-day raid centered around Manila, Admiral Nimitz announced Sunday night, destroyed 357 Japanese planes, 40 ships and 6 small craft. Forty-six other ships, 11 small craft and two floating dry-docks were probably sunk or damaged. Ground facilities were "extensively damaged."

"This daring and highly successful strike" last Thursday and Friday, Nimitz said, cost Vice Admiral Marc A. Mitscher's forces 11 planes and 15 airmen.

Tokyo reported the carrier planes were back Sunday, hitting at Cebu, Legaspi and other cities in the Central Philippines.

"Rise as One"
With the islands already under martial law, Lt. Gen. Masaharu Homma, former Japanese commander in the islands, called upon Filipinos "to rise as one to crush American aggressors."

A cruiser of Halsey's forces boldly (Continued on Page 2)

Lions Club Show To Be Given Tuesday At North Ward Elementary

The second in a series of shows, concerning the war sponsored by the Lions Club and the Midland County Civilian Defense Corps, will be given at the North Ward Elementary School at 8 p. m. Tuesday.

The show will feature a War Department release, "The Nazis Strike." The film graphically shows the invasion of Poland and how the Germans captured Norway, the low countries and France.

In addition to the feature film there will be two other War Department releases on the program. The pictures are being sponsored by the Lions Club and the Civilian Defense Corps as Midland's part of a national war education effort, and to give the people of this country a clear idea of what we are fighting for.

Road To Berlin

Western front: 305 miles (from Arnhem).
Russian front: 310 miles (from Warsaw).
Italian front: 575 miles (from south of Bologna).

Reds Close On Latvian Seaport

By DANIEL DE LUCE

MOSCOW — (AP) — The Red Army closed in on the Latvian capital of Riga Monday in the climax to a successful Baltic offensive, while front dispatches telling of a local battle on the Lithuanian frontier of East Prussia heralded a possible large scale invasion on the Junker province.

A narrow land corridor still offered a chance of escape to the German garrison in Riga, but Red columns approaching from the north and east made large gains. (Continued on Page 2)

Ledo Road May Replace China's 'Hot' Burma Road

By DANIEL DE LUCE

SEATTLE — (AP) — "Usability" of China's new life-line, the Ledo Road, was disclosed Monday by the Post-Intelligencer.

The paper said the junction of the vital overland link with existing arteries in China first was learned from a "visiting source close to the Chinese embassy." It was confirmed officially by the U. S. Army Engineers in Washington, D. C.

"Future usefulness of the route as a source of eleventh-hour supplies to beleaguered Chinese armies is contingent upon efforts to stave off mounting Japanese pressure on the Yunnan feeder roads," the paper pointed out.

Jungle Trail
Extending from the Ledo railhead in Eastern India, the road passes through the jungles of Northern Burma and joins roadways of China's Yunnan Province at Trunghka, Burma.

Describing the road as "an amazing feat of construction," the paper continued:

"Scores of bridges, some of concrete and steel, span innumerable rivers and streams in the hot swampland."

"Surfaced by gravel carried in the head-baskets of Indian women, the road is in part a two-lane highway, meandering in places to elevations up to 4,300 feet."

Built by Army engineers under Brig. Gen. Lewis A. Pick, the road, known as "Pick's Pike," was begun in December, 1942, the paper said.

War Bulletins

LONDON — (AP) — The Germans struck at the London area and the Southern Counties with flying bombs twice during Sunday night with the attacks coming in two short bursts—just after dark and again early Monday morning—and caused some casualties. Eleven persons were injured when one bomb exploded on the grounds of a boys' school in the country.

LONDON — (AP) — Formations of RAF bombers, stretching out for miles, droned out toward the French Coast Monday morning as the sun rose over Dover Strait in the wake of a lashing storm.

LONDON — (AP) — Upward of 2,000 American heavy bombers and fighters struck crashing blows Monday at five railyards supplying the Western Front and the big chemical and synthetic oil works at Ludwigshafen.

SHAFF — (AP) — A spokesman for Gen. Eisenhower told the 12,000,000 foreign workers in Germany Monday that "the hour for action has come" and gave them instructions for activities in the last round of the Battle for Germany.

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And God saw the light, that it was good and God divided the light from the darkness.—Genesis 1:4.

Still Eating

All year pessimistic reports of the food situation have blown upon the public in cold gusts of alarm. But now the Department of Agriculture has dispelled them with the comforting assurance that civilian America will go right on eating through the rest of 1944, and probably into 1945.

There was acute labor shortage on the farm and in food processing industries. There was the drought. Then abundance rose up to plague the country. Warehouses were found full of eggs. There was no price ceiling on frozen foods, and no ice for refrigerator cars. And when the cars did move, heavy traffic delayed them. But we're going to eat.

We don't say these fears and alarms were groundless, either. We do not contend that the latest D. of A. estimates give cause for pride to everybody who had anything to do with food raising and distributing this year.

According to these estimates there will be lots of fruit and vegetables (fresh and canned), abundant food grains, plenty of the cheaper grades of meat.

There will be less butter than in the memory of the oldest inhabitant, but on the other hand there should be milk to go around. All this, of course, takes into account the feeding of our soldiers and taking care of lend-lease and other exports. Yes, it's been a good job.

Along with this heartening information the D. of A. has thrown in a chart which is enlightening and intriguing. It shows our eating habits in the vegetable, dried bean and white and sweet potato categories over a period of 34 years. It gives evidence that the efforts of the nutritionists and slim-silhouette advocates have borne fruit—or perhaps carrots—in the last three decades.

Until point rationing temporarily reversed the trend, the humble potato was slowly moving into a class with the mushroom. Our per capita spud consumption dropped from 195 pounds in 1909 to 121 in 1939. And even in point-rationed 1943 it was only 130. On the other hand, we munched 94.5 pounds of leafy, green and yellow vegetables in 1942 and 88.1 last year, as against 69.7 pounds in 1918. (Apparently nobody ate enough fresh forage before then to be worth keeping track of).

Today potato consumption is rising, and that of vegetables has dipped. But it's only a wartime phenomenon which can't last. With peace and plenty the slimming and/or starvation diet will again come into its own and the starchy spud will continue its decline. So revel in the creamy goodness of mashed potatoes and the delectable joys of home fried while it's still patriotic to do so.

Vocal Complications

It may be a gag of Frank Sinatra's press agent, but a communique from Vancouver says the school board is going to investigate The Voice's effect on students and see if it has a "demoralizing" action.

We think we can imagine about what will happen. Students will be scratched with a juke box needle and a blood count taken. Pulse, temperature, respiration and metabolism will be noted before and after exposure to the intimate interpretations of the ingenious baritone. Some scientist will evolve a Sinatra Quotient. Behavior will be watched as closely as blood pressure.

The results of the test will doubtless be varied, from outright belligerence (male) through negative indifference to the flushed countenance and glazed eye and, in extreme cases, mild hysteria.

Then a clinical comparison will undoubtedly be made. The researchers will discover that the symptoms are markedly similar to those which accompany puppy love, hero worship, jitterbugging, and the morinate craving for Sloppy Joe sweaters, ankle socks, charm bracelets, autographed raincoats and the products and society of drug-store soda fountains.

The prognosis probably will be eventual recovery, a convalescence painful to the parent and pleasant for the patient, and no lingering complications.

Notes On Political Honesty

Unfortunately for the voter in this or any other political campaign, there are two kinds of honesty. The first is honesty, the second is political honesty. The observation is not new, but it is again timely.

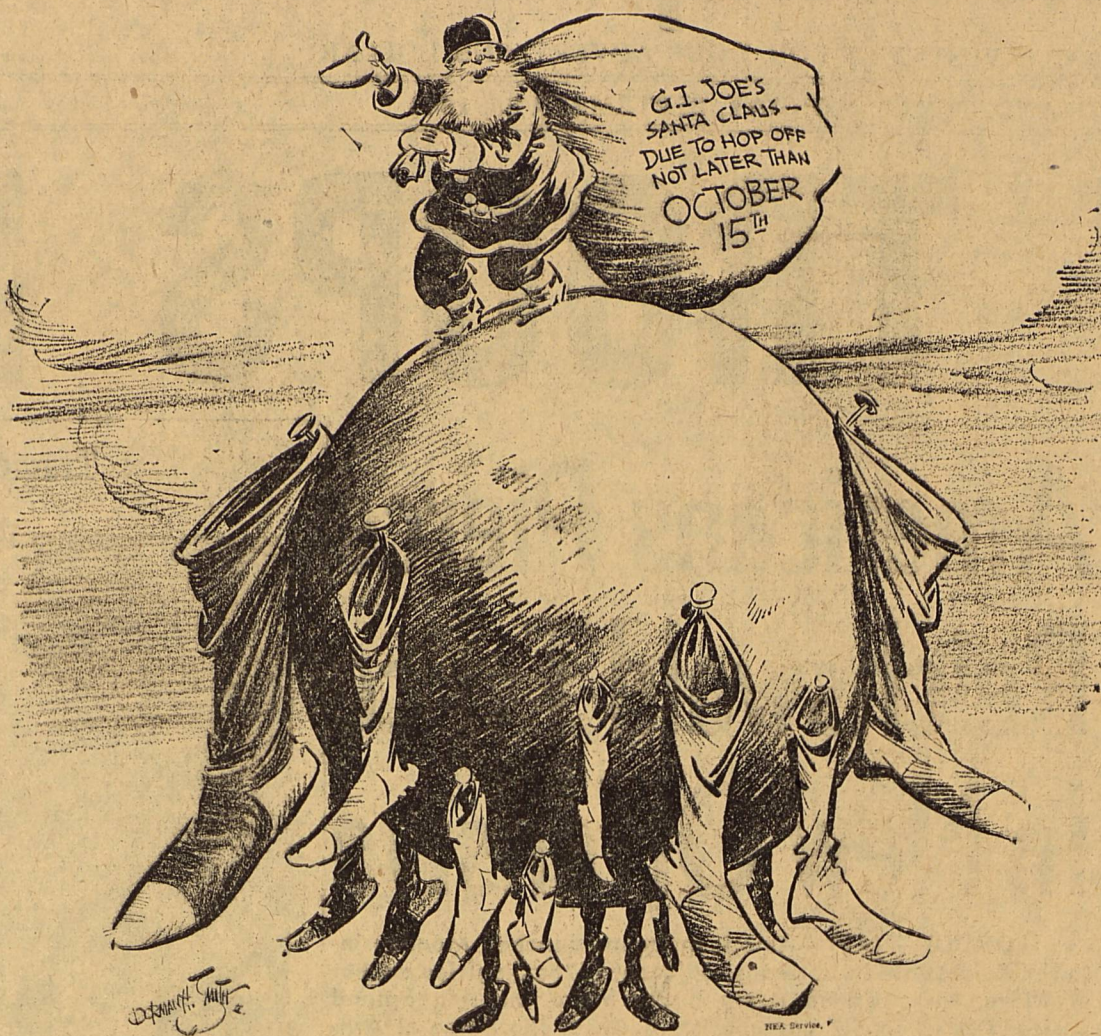
The trick of being just politically honest consists of making statements which are true as far as they go but do not tell the whole truth, or are presented in such a way that they lead to false conclusions or place wrong emphasis on any given set of facts. Under the double standard of political morals this is not considered being dishonest. It is merely considered being politically smart.

For instance, it is politically honest to say that U. S. national income is higher today than it has ever been in American history. Farm income is greater, wages of labor are higher, profits before taxes are bigger. But to imply from these statements that the country is now more prosperous and on a sounder financial basis than it has ever been, with the living standard higher than ever before, is politically dishonest. Higher national income is being attained only by greater government borrowing, by increasing the national debt, by increasing government spending for materials of war. The higher national income argument therefore falls of its own weight.

To make your dream come true—wake up!

Fall hats are on display—the price and some of the hats being felt.

'Tis The Night Before Christmas . . .



Americans -

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The Belfort Gap. Americans already were fighting well east of Epinal. In these two sectors a German at bay was making a desperate stand and Allied gains were being measured in hard-won yards. The German army was throwing in counterattack after counterattack which left the battlefields strewn with reckless losses of tanks and troops. Behind it a German civilian army was digging frantically to create new lines of trenches.

U. S. 'Chutists Fighting

The Americans fighting in the Reichswald, a large forest affording concealment, were paratroopers attached to the British Second Army. There was a possibility that two crossings of the German border actually had taken place here—at Beek and at a point farther south, with British participating in one of them.

The crossing of the quarter-mile-wide Rhine branch at Arnheim was the face of a storm of German shellfire which had compressed the red-bereted paratroopers at one time into a mile-square area just west of Arnheim.

Already Dempsey's patrols had succeeded in ferrying over medical supplies, food and ammunition, raising the morale and fighting power of the "Lost Division" for its eighth day of battle.

Using "Ducks"

The Second Army also was rushing up "ducks"—seagoing trucks ideal for operation in flooded war zones—but it was not known whether any of these had yet succeeded in reaching the south bank. But on most of the front driving fall rains were interfering with the American offensive.

American First Army troops have taken 163,827 prisoners and the U. S. Third Army has captured 92,600, making a total of 276,427 for the U. S. Twelfth Army group since June 6.

New Approach To Touchy Subject

PHILADELPHIA—(AP)—The city transportation company is trying this way to get around a touchy subject. "Fresh paint—believe me."

Nearly one-half of the roses in the U. S. are supplied by east Texas growers.

The farm woodlands of New York state aggregate more than 4,000,000 acres.

Fall Redecorating



First step in the Yanks' job of redecorating Brest after seizing the French port is to remove this swastika banner from former German officers' club.

ODT Relaxes Tank Car Restrictions

DALLAS—(AP)—The Office of Defense Transportation announced Monday the relaxation of restrictions affecting tank cars, in line with changes which are taking place in petroleum transportation.

The regional ODT office said the changes included revocation, effective September 25, of an order which assigned exclusively to eastern petroleum service all tank cars in that service, and that permits for use of the smaller cars in that service no longer were required.

Also, effective Monday, orders were amended so that permits no longer were required for the use of tank cars for distances of over 100 miles, instead of 200 miles as formerly.

Dallasite Found Dead In Street

DALLAS—(AP)—The body of Guy Nabors, 31, who served a term in the penitentiary for the shooting of Eddy Roark, Dallas lawyer, was found in a street in South Dallas early Monday by Patrolman C. R. Hall.

There was a bullet hole in Nabors' head and another in his neck. Hall said he was attracted by two automobiles speeding in the vicinity. The policeman gave chase, but lost track of the cars and returned to make a cruise in the general area, where he spotted Nabors' body sprawled in the street.

Detective Chief Will Fritz said Nabors had been a member of a party visiting Dallas night spots.

Ickes Says Dewey Ardent New Dealer

PITTSBURGH—(AP)—Secretary of Interior Harold G. Ickes, addressing the second annual American Slav Congress rally here, described Republican presidential candidate Thomas E. Dewey as "one of the most ardent New Dealers of them all, if one is to believe his speeches."

In observing the New York governor's recent speech at Los Angeles, in which he upbraided "the New Deal for not being New Dealish enough," Ickes declared to a crowd of 7,000 Sunday.

Mr. Dewey had thrown his diaper into the ring. At Los Angeles on Friday night he threw the sponge after his diaper.

Livestock

FORT WORTH—(AP)—Cattle 7,300; calves 4,800; slow on all classes; prices not fully established; few early sales unchanged from last week's close; common and medium steers and yearlings 8.00-12.65; beef cows 6.75-10.50; canner and cutter cows 4.00-6.50; bulls 6.00-9.00; fat calves 7.50-12.50; cull calves 6.90-7.00.

Hogs 1,700; unchanged; good and choice 180-240 lb. butcher hogs 14.55; heavier hogs 13.80; light butchers 13.75-14.55; sows 13.50-80; stocker pigs 12.00 down.

Sheep 20,000; slow, packers bidding around 50c lower; medium grade spring lambs 11.50; medium to good yearlings 9.00-50; and medium grade ewes 4.25 down; good feeder lambs about steady at 10.00.

Five Year Old Is Ready To Go Overseas

KANSAS CITY—(AP)—Charles Rush, 5, showed up at Kansas City's union station loaded with bundles and wearing an overseas cap. He explained he had figured on an overseas jaunt.

On being questioned, Charles picked a ripe old age, and replied, "Eight years old." Hard-to-please station officials called his 16-year-old sister, who took the wanderer home.

It is the belief in India that all animals are entitled to their share of the earth's substance, with the result that rats and other pests do immense damage. Here we try to eliminate them.

Cotton Prices Soar In Wild Bidding To Adjust To Parity

NEW YORK—(AP)—The cotton futures market soared \$2.50 to \$5 a bale at the opening of the New York cotton exchange Monday as traders and others engaged in a wild scramble to adjust positions to the full parity price level in prospect under the War Food Administration's plan for purchasing the 1944 crop.

Trade and commission houses bid spiritedly for contracts and there was active covering by shorts in meeting the conditions created by the Saturday night announcement of Marvin Jones, WFA administrator, that the government agency would purchase from farmers at a parity price all cotton of the 1944 crop for which a loan schedule had been announced and which may be placed in acceptable storage.

Under rules of the cotton exchange, the maximum fluctuation permitted in any single day is \$5 a bale.

Reds Close -

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The mop-up of Estonia was nearly completed as a large part of Marshal Leonid A. Govorov's Leningrad Army moved southward along the Gulf of Riga.

Capture Paldiski

Soviet naval forces Sunday captured the Baltic seaport of Paldiski on the Estonian west coast.

Gen. Ivan Cherniakhovsky, the only Soviet commander as yet to reach Prussian soil, has been held in static trench warfare over a month by the prolongation of enemy resistance in the Baltic at his flank and rear. His combat patrols have made continual raids into East Prussia, but no permanent foothold has been won inside the Reich.

With his divisions rested and a large number of Red Army air force squadrons concentrated in support of his sector, Cherniakhovsky is known to be ready for a powerful strike at an early moment.

(A Moscow broadcast said Russian troops crossing from Southern Poland through Lupkow Pass into Czechoslovakia had captured Humenne, 25 miles inside the republic.

A Bucharest communique said Russian and Romanian troops crossed the southeastern Hungarian frontier. They were believed to be less than 35 miles from Szeged, Hungary's second city.

The double push was developing into a big pincers movement designed to knock weakening Hungary out of the war. All German and Hungarian troops strung out in Eastern Slovakia and Northern Transylvania were in danger of being trapped.

Moscow newspapers published a statement by 13 German generals and three colonels captured in Romania appealing to the Wehrmacht to revolt against Hitler and make an immediate peace.

Air Corps Exams To Be Given Tuesday

Air Corps mental qualifying examinations will be given at Midland High School Tuesday to 17-year-old boys who wish to apply for air combat training. Capt. J. C. Flint and Lt. George S. Amaon from the Air Corps West Texas recruiting office at Lubbock will give the examinations.

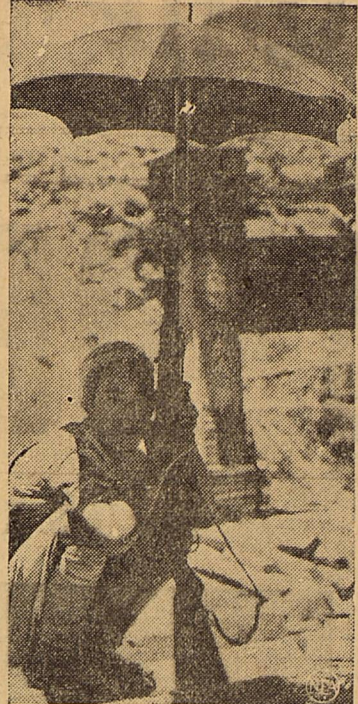
Examinations will be given at the Odessa High School Wednesday. Youth who are 17 can volunteer for the Air Corps Reserve. Those accepted will be inducted into the Air Corps after their eighteenth birthday.

Army Voices Doubt In Major's Death

WACO—(AP)—An autopsy was planned by military authorities Monday in the death of Maj. Francis B. Flanagan of Grafton, W. Va., group commander at Blackland Army Air Field, whose body was found Saturday at his home in Waco by his wife when she returned from a visit to Houston. He had been shot.

Justice of the Peace Walker returned a verdict of suicide, but Army authorities were investigating.

Shady Work



Yankees have no monopoly on ingenuity, as this Chinese soldier proves. Umbrella rigged on his rifle provides shade during his watch as guard near the Hwitung bridge over the Salween river.

Germans -

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dications that the Germans had started any withdrawing movement in the Adriatic sector.

Gen. Mark V. Clark's headquarters proclaimed that "in nine days the Fifth Army has destroyed the line which it took the Germans nine months to build."

"Doughboys driving northeast from Firenzezola seized four heights—Monte La Fine, Della Croce, Monte Cuca and Porarra—thus clearing an access to the Po Valley," an official statement said.

These features are roughly 15 miles from Imola, which is on the Bologna-Rimini rail route.

On the Ligurian coastal sector, Brazilian troops have been "engaging the enemy and have made a small advance, suffering few casualties," an Allied headquarters statement said.

Resistance being encountered indicated the enemy "still follows Marshal Kesselring's orders to fight to the last man and the last bullet," headquarters said.

The Canadian corps advanced steadily despite this opposition and reached Pederer Grande, five miles northwest of Rimini.

'Little Flower' Named To Head Postwar Italy

LONDON—(AP)—The Swiss radio said Monday it was decided at the recent Quebec conference that Mayor Fiorello La Guardia of New York City should have the job of administering liberated Italy.

Denmark's "dirty professions" receive extra soap rations. These professions include bakers, printers, gardeners and actors.

Allies Have Supplied Tito's Army With Arms

ROME—(AP)—The Allied air command, lifting the veil of secrecy from one of its most carefully hidden operations, disclosed Monday that more than 5,000 tons of guns, ammunition and other supplies had been flown during the past two years to Yugoslav partisans and to patriots in other Central and Southern European countries.

In addition to secret landing grounds in Yugoslavia, other fields have been laid out and used for quite some time in Greece, Albania and other countries, the command said, adding that the number of such airports "would astonish the Germans."

The Royal Air Force has been in charge of the gun-supply running, with large numbers of American transport pilots participating.

"Tito's army," the command's report said, "owes much to the gun-supply runners of the RAF who, under the enemy's nose, have taken thousands of tons of supplies by air to the partisans, ranging from anti-tank guns and vehicles to needles and thread, from mules to paper clips."

Cupid Takes Two To One Lead On Discord

There was a boom in romance in Midland last week as 11 marriage licenses were issued at the office of County Clerk Susie G. Noble, almost two a day.

While the 11 couples were obtaining marriage licenses on the first floor of the courthouse, three filed suits for divorce on the third floor and Judge Cecil C. Collings granted three divorces at hearings held in district court.

Cupid had almost a two to one lead for the week.

Cotton

NEW YORK—(AP)—Cotton futures at noon Monday were \$2.50 to \$4.20 a bale higher. Oct. 21-97; Dec. 21-98; March 21-97.

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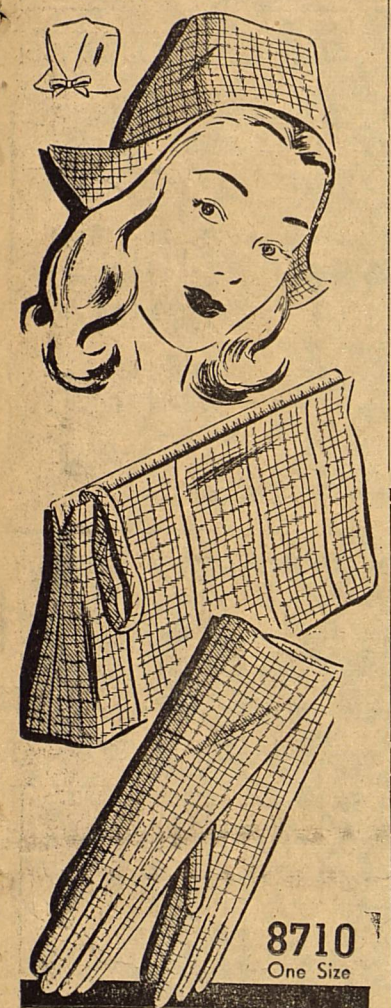
Under the direction of the National Catholic Welfare Conference, St. Ann's Society of St. George's Catholic Church will begin its drive for clothing for the Emergency Collection of Clothing for Liberated Europe, which will take place all over the country this week. The campaign is being held in order to adequately clothe the people in Allied-occupied countries this winter.

Since these countries have all suffered from the war for several years, and since most of their industries have been demolished, it is essential that the American people contribute as much as possible to keep them warm throughout the winter months. All types of clean, usable garments and bedding are needed.

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Star Club Entertains Husbands At Annual Barbecue Supper

The Star Club of the Order of the Eastern Star held its annual barbecue for husbands and wives Saturday night at the home of Mrs. Joe Dobson, Magnolia Tank Farm. Mr. Dobson did the honors at the barbecue pit.

Following the supper, forty-two was played. Those attending the barbecue were: Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Sherwood O'Neal, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wayne Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Skipper, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Floyd, Mrs. Vinny Stephenson, Mrs. M. L. Wyatt, Mrs. Nellie Crumley and Mrs. Leo Baldridge.

Mrs. Nellie Feeler was a guest at the supper.

The next meeting of the club will be held at 1 p. m. Oct. 3 at the home of Mrs. L. C. Stephenson, 317 S. Big Spring. Dessert will be served and Red Cross sewing will be done.

Girl Scouts Hope To Build 'Little House' Soon After War

At the Girl Scouts' Council meeting last week, it was decided that the organization would start working on a "little house" project which would be completed after the war.

A Girl Scout "little house" is a small clubhouse where the Scouts meet for all activities. It is usually supplied with outdoor cooking facilities, to enable the members to carry out the traditional "campfire" theme of all Scout organizations.

It is the hope of the Scouts that such a house can be erected in Midland shortly after the war. Mayor Hendrickson has promised them a site on or near the City Park, and Scout leaders are seeking the cooperation of Midland citizens in this drive. No money will be solicited, however, until after the war, although a certain amount will be set aside in the Scout budget for this purpose.

The Scouts will sponsor a fat-collecting drive some time next month. Full details will be announced later. The organization is desperately in need of Scout leaders. Anyone who has had experience in this type of work, or who would be interested in learning it, is urged to contact the district chairman, Mrs. Steven Leach, 2106 W. Kentucky.

Christian Endeavor Society Holds Meeting At Christian Church

The Christian Endeavor Society of the First Christian Church met Sunday night in the church hall.

Patsy Lou Arrington, in charge of the program on "Popularity," was assisted by: Dorothy Butler, Dorothy Sue Wright, Betty and Eloise Pickering, Arthur Rounds, Bernal Pemberton and the Rev. John E. Pickering.

Following the program, Arthur Rounds, president of the society, led the business meeting.

Other members present were: Gordon Reigle, Van Cummings, Joe Tom and Edwin Hood, and Bill Price.

Lou Elyn Ferguson And Helen Sue Thompson Play For Music Club Meeting

Helen Sue Thompson, four years old, and Lou Elyn Ferguson, five years old, were featured on the program of the Treble Clef Juvenile Music Club's regular meeting, held Saturday at the Watson School of Music.

Lou Elyn's selections, which were played entirely from memory, were: "Wee Wee March," "Yankee Doodle," "The Dancing Bear," and "Onward Christian Soldiers." Helen Sue, who also played from memory, played, "Jingle Bells," "Sail Away," "Carry Me Back To Old Virginia," and "America."

Shirley Winter, a member of the Robyn Club, who was a guest at the meeting, played "The Rosary."

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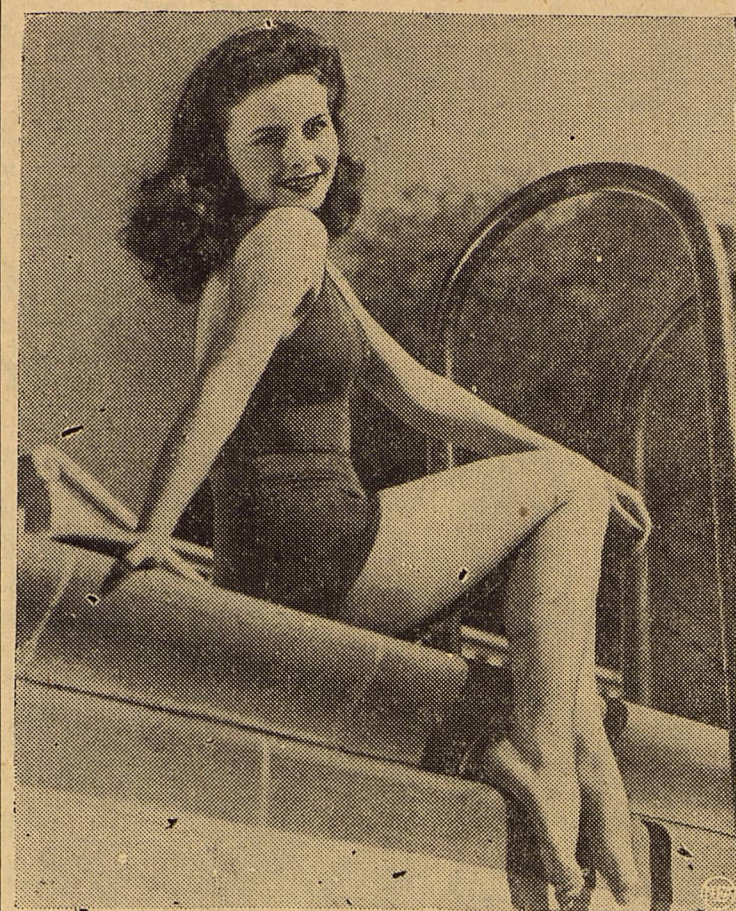
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JEANNE CRAIN: Swimming helped her to stardom

By ALICIA HART, NEA Staff Writer

Excelling in a sport, especially one that men like, will give you an advantage over girls who are duds at games.

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Sgt. James E. Smith Holds Private Showing Of Films Of India

T/Sgt. James E. Smith entertained friends and relatives with a private showing of his technical films of scenes of India. In his film, Sergeant Smith, who returned recently from 30 months of foreign service, showed India as seen through the eyes of an American soldier in the China-India-Burma theater of war.

J. H. Fine and George Glass assisted with the showing of the films.

The guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Romer, Mr. and Mrs. George Glass, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hambleton and Glenda, Mr. and Mrs. Roy McKee, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Gray, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Girdley Sr., Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Woods, Sgt. and Mrs. Asmusson, Sgt. and Mrs. Edwin Utz, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Smith and Frances, Carl and Wanda, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Minear and Peggy.

Mmes. Newnie Ellis, Elizabeth Aytes, Frank Smith and daughter, Bertha Johnson, J. H. Elder, R. A. Berg, Raynee Carroll, E. K. White, George Armstrong, Ruth Burns and Waverle, "Spec" Locklar, Laura Smith Self, Velma Smith;

Misses Dortha Johnson, Ith Etridge, Aileen Maxwell, Holly Pett, Artamysie McMullan, Betty Jean Wilson, Janet Forbes, Eddie Jean Darnell, Tommie Darnell and A. Alexander.

Sgt. And Mrs. Mayhew Return From Furlough

S/Sgt. and Mrs. Bob Mayhew, 604 N. Carrizo, returned Sunday after spending several days visiting Sergeant Mayhew's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mayhew, and family in Milford, Illinois.

Before returning to Midland, Sergeant and Mrs. Mayhew visited Mrs. Mayhew's sister, Mrs. Norman Goins, in Stillwater, Okla. Kathleen Gail, 2-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Goins, accompanied them to Midland, where she will spend two weeks visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Pattison, 407 W. Illinois.

Sergeant Mayhew is a member of the MAAF band.

Hold Revival Meeting At Holiness Mission

Revival services are being held at 8:15 p. m. daily this week at the Holiness Mission at South Terrell and East Penn. Mrs. Betty Payne Collier of Odessa is conducting the services with the Rev. Roy C. Jones assisting.

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Red Cross Appoints New Chairman For Service Committees

New committee chairmen for the services of the Red Cross were appointed at the Midland Chapter's regular monthly meeting Thursday. Chairman Paul F. Osborne, who presided over the meeting, announced that the financial condition of the chapter will enable it to carry out, and to further, its winter activities.

Mrs. Kenneth W. Jameson, general field representative for the American National Red Cross, and Mrs. Waunita Hutchesson, general field representative, were introduced at the meeting.

The new list of committee chairmen is as follows: The Rev. Hubert H. Hopper, home service; Mrs. Vina Lee Vance, home service secretary; R. L. Miller, disaster and relief preparedness; Mrs. J. M. Haygood, home nursing; Mrs. Fred Fuhrman, first aid; A. N. Griffith, life saving; Mrs. B. K. Bulfinch, Junior Red Cross; Mrs. L. G. Lewis, camp and hospital; Mrs. Ralph Barron, voluntary special services; Mrs. J. T. Walker, sewing; Mrs. Odis Ligon, knitting; Mrs. Ross Williams, surgical dressing; Mrs. J. E. Hill, gray ladies; Mrs. C. G. Cooper, canteen; Mrs. Howard Watkins, army and navy activities; Mrs. William Y. Penn, prisoner of war; Mrs. Harvey Sloan, nurse's aid; and Mrs. A. J. Cooper, public information.

Junior Q.V.V. Club Elects Pat Flanigan As New President

The Junior Q.V.V. held its first meeting of the school year Wednesday afternoon at the home of Monta Jo Glass. Election of officers was held at the meeting, with the following results:

Pat Flanigan, president; Florence Larsh, vice-president; Monta Jo Glass, secretary; Dorothy King, treasurer; Mary Moran, reporter; Catherine McDonald, sergeant-at-arms; and Doris Denton, historian. Members of the Senior Q.V.V. were present to help the group make plans for its year's activities.

After the business meeting, doughnuts and "cokes" were served.

Present at the meeting were: Monta Jo Glass, Dorothy Jean King, Pat Flanigan, Maydel Midkiff, Mary Moran, Florence Larsh, Catherine McDonald, Doris Denton, and Loyce Midkiff.

Mrs. L. R. Logsdon Receives Souvenirs From Husband Overseas

Mrs. L. R. Logsdon, 611 N. Carrizo, received two gifts, a canteen taken from a dead Jap, and a white wool blanket, from her husband, Seaman 2/c Logsdon, who is stationed in New Guinea. The blanket was hand-painted by Logsdon mate, J. W. Appleton, of Abilene. This is the first word Mrs. Logsdon has had of her husband in several weeks.

Returns To Post

Sgt. Donald Parrott left Monday for Las Vegas, Nevada, after spending his furlough visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Parrott, 310 S. Pecos. Sergeant Parrott is stationed at a gunnery school in Las Vegas.

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Coming Events

TUESDAY

Red Cross surgical dressing room in the courthouse will be open from 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

Hostesses for the Junior Canteen will be: 4 to 6 p. m., Mrs. Charles Vertrees; 7 to 9 p. m., Mrs. S. J. Lones.

Spotters Group II will meet at 2:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. E. G. Hyland, 510 S. Colorado.

The Twentieth Century Study Club will meet at 3 p. m. in the home of Mrs. G. B. Rush, 1110 W. Indiana.

The Arts and Craft Study Club of the AAUW will meet at 8 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Leonard Thomas, 1607 W. Texas.

The High School PTA will meet at the high school at 8 p. m.

The Civic Music Club will meet at 8 p. m. at the North Elementary School. All members are urged to attend, as important business will be discussed.

Beta Sigma Phi sorority will hold a call meeting at 5:30 p. m., on the Mezzanine of the Scharbauer Hotel.

WEDNESDAY

The Red Cross workroom in Old Heidelberg Inn will be open from 9 a. m. to 12 noon and from 1:30 to 5 p. m.

Red Cross surgical dressing room in the courthouse will be open from 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

Hostesses for the Junior Canteen will be: 4 to 6 p. m., Mrs. Clark Steinberger; 7 to 9 p. m., Mrs. J. D. McClure.

The Progressive Study Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Carroll Mitchell, 1406 W. College, at 3 p. m.

Spotters Bowling Class will meet at the Plamor Palace at 1 p. m. Experts and beginners alike are invited.

The Word Study Club of the AAUW will meet at 8 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Ernest Sidwell, 1907 W. Indiana.

The Fine Arts Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Tom C. Bobo, 101 North G Street at 3:30 p. m.

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Hostesses for the Junior Canteen will be: 4 to 6 p. m., Mrs. Henry Shaw; 7 to 9 p. m., Mrs. F. E. Lewis.

Midland Country Club will hold Ladies Day Thursday. All members are urged to attend the meeting.

The Ladies Golf Association meeting which will take place at 11 a. m.

Midland County Library program over KRLH from 4 to 4:15 p. m. will present a panel discussion on "Problems of Childhood Behavior," led by Mrs. Charles Shaw, Mrs. T. S. Jones, Mrs. Alan Leeper and Mrs. F. R. Schneek will participate.

The International Relations Study Club of the AAUW will meet at 8:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Ralph Troseth, 1005 W. Texas.

FRIDAY

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Red Cross surgical dressing room in the courthouse will be open from 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

Spotters will meet in the USO from 9:30 a. m. to 12 noon to make surgical dressings for the MAAF Post Hospital.

Hostesses for the Junior Canteen will be: 4 to 6 p. m., Mrs. Al Cowden; 8 to 10:30 p. m., Mrs. C. C. Tull.

Belmont Bible Class will meet at the Scharbauer Educational Building of the First Methodist Church at 3 p. m.

The Lucky Thirteen Club will meet at 8 p. m. in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Collings, 511 W. Louisiana.

SATURDAY

The Treble Clef Juvenile Music Club will meet at 11 a. m.

The children's story hour will be

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Hostesses for the Junior Canteen will be: 3:30 to 6 p. m., Mrs. Jack Goodard; 8 to 11 p. m., Mrs. Clyde Cowden.

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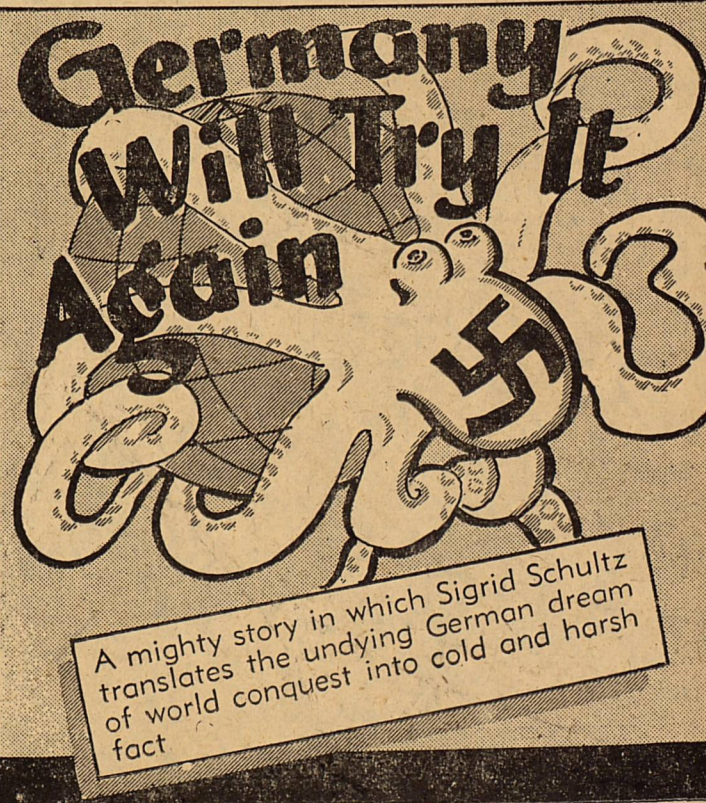
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GERMANY WILL TRY IT AGAIN

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As an American newspaper correspondent in Berlin from 1919 to 1941, Sigrid Schultz saw at first hand the events that led from World War I to World War II. And she saw the behind-the-scenes preparation for the coming "war-in-peace" that she warns may culminate in World War III. This is the story of Germany's plans to win the peace, plans that even now are being put into effect.

LONG before the Second World War could be finished, when in fact it had only really begun, another war was launched in Berlin. It was not declared, nor would it ever be, for this was a secret war, a war within a war. The men and women who fight it are both soldiers and civilians. They take their orders from military and civilian leaders of daring and vision, with wide knowledge of human beings and the world, and an utter contempt for anything that does not serve their common cause—German world supremacy. These leaders include military experts, heads of industry and business, scientists, artists, influential clergymen, women, professors, and key men in foreign countries. They wear no distinguishing uniform, use no label buttons or mystic handclaps for identification, but they are inseparably bound together by their community of purpose. As members die, or become useless, new members are added. It is an efficient body. It should be, for it has been working together to perfect its strategy since August, 1918, when General Ludendorff gathered the original conspirators together to save the German army.

Since then its membership has quietly directed the creation of world-encompassing political and financial structures. It knows that the lethal power of the new weapons is confirming the rest of the world in a horrified determination to outlaw war. It plans to exploit our hunger after peace for its own ends.

THE new secret war dates from October of 1940. I was then correspondent in chief for Central Europe of a big morning paper of my native Chicago, and the Berlin commentator for an American broadcasting system. I had many old friends and confidential contacts among the German underground. As soon as the secret orders were issued, they saw to it that I was quietly informed. During that period, one of my most trusted informants arrived many hours late for my appointment. He had that evening survived his third Gestapo-contrived automobile accident within a week.

He told me of the summons sent out by Heinrich Himmler, chief of the Gestapo, to every agent who had worked in Austria, Czechoslovakia, Holland, Denmark, and France. From them the most successful were to be trained for new campaigns in new countries. Added to this information came other details, each fitting neatly into the jigsaw. I learned of the school in Garmisch-Parten-



Nazi propaganda found in an American bookstore in June, 1942, six months after the United States had declared war on Germany. This is the sort of weapon with which the Germans will continue to fight when they go underground for the coming "war-in-peace."

kirchen, which specialized in training agents for Africa. Aside from these there were the law professors, who had their orders to examine the old Chinese penal codes, to prepare a "scientific work to be used as a propaganda tool in Asia." Trusted Berlin lawyers, called into conference with Himmler, were requested to develop cases and business connections for good alibis in traveling to still neutral countries; they were promised special plane transportation to Spain and South America. If they could find plausible excuses, they would be sent to Mexico and the United States.

Insurance companies, moving firms, travel agencies, and artists' bureaus, which had already been useful in Southeastern Europe, worked out detailed reports on their practical experience. These were submitted in turn to propaganda experts in the liaison staff of Rudolf Hess, and to the foreign-service staff of Heinrich Himmler. Field Marshal von Brauchitsch ordered his military espionage service to get ready to "branch out beyond the countries assigned to them," and to "report on political and economic possibilities." Great rivalry spurred on the three groups to write the report which would win Hitler's approval. There was no doubt about the importance of these various memoranda—they were to guide picked experts in the kind of warfare in which the Germans excel: war-in-peace.

IN the preceding June, the British had incredibly snatched their trapped armies off the bloody beach of Dunkerque. The unexpected rescue disconcerted the Germans. But not as much as what followed.

For weeks the strategy officers of the German High Command, the air and navy experts of the general staff, conferred on French soil along the Channel, plotting

their course: their next invasion should give them England, the giant aircraft carrier from which Germany's planes would complete her conquest of the world. While they were polishing up their new blitz, British planes dared the long flight from London to Berlin to bomb the German capital.

In the dense fog of a dark September night, fully manned barges of a trial German invasion fleet set out from France, destination England. Nearly all of them went up in flames.

The evacuation from Dunkerque, the bombing of Berlin, the loss of their preliminary invasion force—three blows in succession at the army, the air force, the navy—gave pause to the German High Command.

The generals suddenly remembered that other day, in 1914, when the Kaiser's troops were turned back from the gates of Paris by the battle of the Marne. At the time, ranking generals had warned the Imperial High Command that Germany could not hope to win. And that war had been lost. Might not this one, too, be lost?

Then make ready, far in advance. Prepare for the battles-in-peace before the open war can fail. Prepare for "all eventualities," so that in victory or in seeming defeat Germany will win the object of her repeated aggressions.

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(To Be Continued)

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By WILLIAM E. MCKENNEY America's Card Authority
The national amateur team-of-four championship was restricted this year to players with 19 Master points or less. The winners were Sigmund Freisinger of Cliffside Park, N. J., Mr. and Mrs. Richard Adams of New York and E. L. Saqui of Elira, N. Y.

Freisinger is well known in New York bridge circles, as he plays in most of the local contests. Today's hand helped his team to win. The opening lead was won in

dummy with the king of diamonds.

Freisinger (North) took two rounds of trumps and led a club. West won with the ace and returned a club, as the opening lead had shown that a diamond return would be fatal. A small heart and small diamond were discarded on the two good clubs. Freisinger now cashed the ace of hearts and continued with three more rounds of trumps. West was squeezed. He could not retain the high heart and also a guard to the diamond queen.

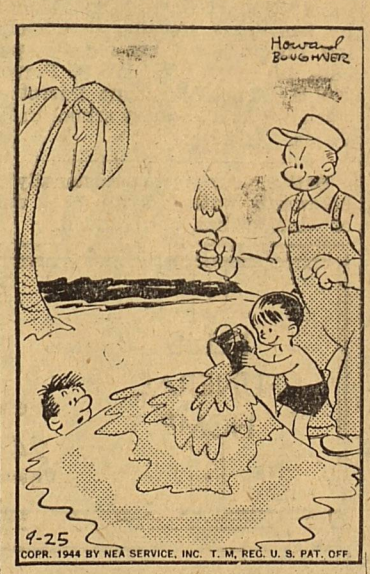
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Shoveling Overripe Cabbage Unpleasant Job For Soldiers

By HAL BOYLE
WITH U. S. TROOPS IN FRANCE—(AP)—Everybody in the American Army is pleased with the supplies taken in captured German dumps except the "Cabbage Kids." That is the name one detail gave themselves after being assigned to remove a couple of tons of cabbage left behind by the retreating Nazi army from the Paris area. It was a warm, sunny afternoon and the strong, overripe cabbage made its presence widely known as the soldiers shoveled it into a truck. No Souvenirs The driver of the "Red Ball Special" said he had already carried away one truckload and was becoming the fact that it was not a load of Luger pistols so he could have stocked up on souvenirs. "But you can't mail your friends a boxful of German cabbage," he said, leaning against a tire and holding his nose. "The next time the Jerries move out I hope they take their cabbage

with them—or make sauerkraut out of it," said a private. Pvt. Solon Gray, of Flint, Mich., just shoveled away in silence as two "cabbage removal" squad sergeants looked on from a safe distance.

"Well, shoveling rotten cabbage may seem rough to you guys," said Beale, "but I had to spend more than 32 months in Iceland. I used to say I would shovel anything—even German cabbage—rather than be in Iceland."

Engineers Operate Ferries Another unusual job for soldiers was performed by Army engineers who built three ferries and operated a passenger service for troops and vehicles across the Loire. All bridges had been knocked out by Allied planes or blown up by French Maquis to trap German forces in Southern France. Ferry vehicles were made by putting pieces of treadway bridging across six assault boats lashed together. They were powered by small outboard motors whose efficiency

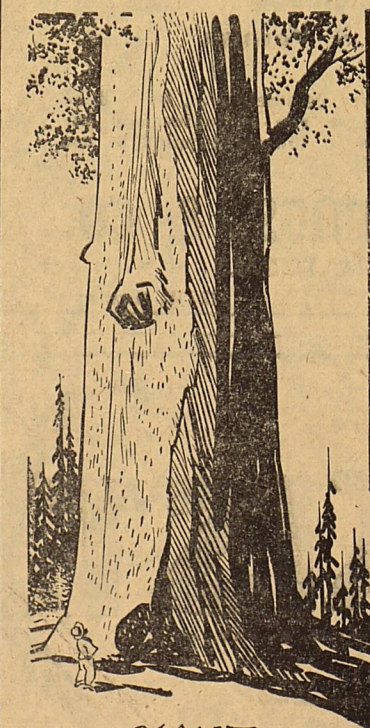
amazed French farmers. They couldn't see how such a little putt-putt gadget could work so well. The ferries were promptly named the "42nd St.," "Brooklyn" and "Hoboken."

"We can take a ton and one-half ambulance across," said Cpl. Michael Suprock, of St. Clair, Pa. Their most "distinguished" passenger was Major Gen. Erich Elster, who surrendered the last 20,000 enemy troops south of the Loire. But his 20,000 troops walked across a bridge which had been repaired and put into service soon after.

Brest is one of the best ports in France, and is closest to the United States.

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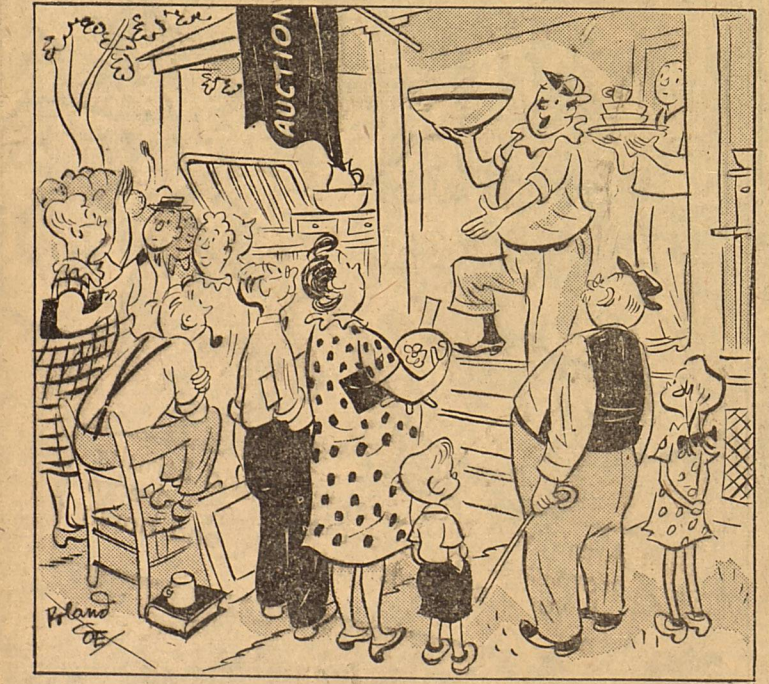
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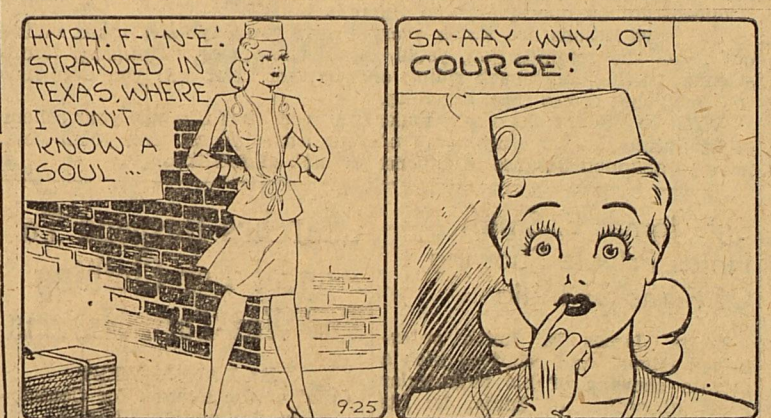
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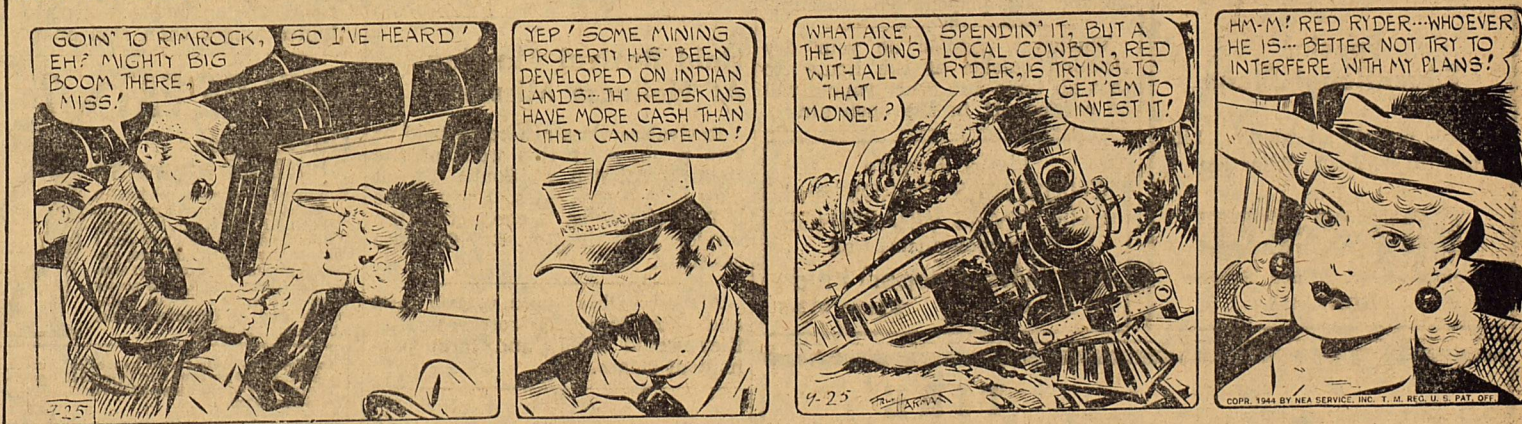
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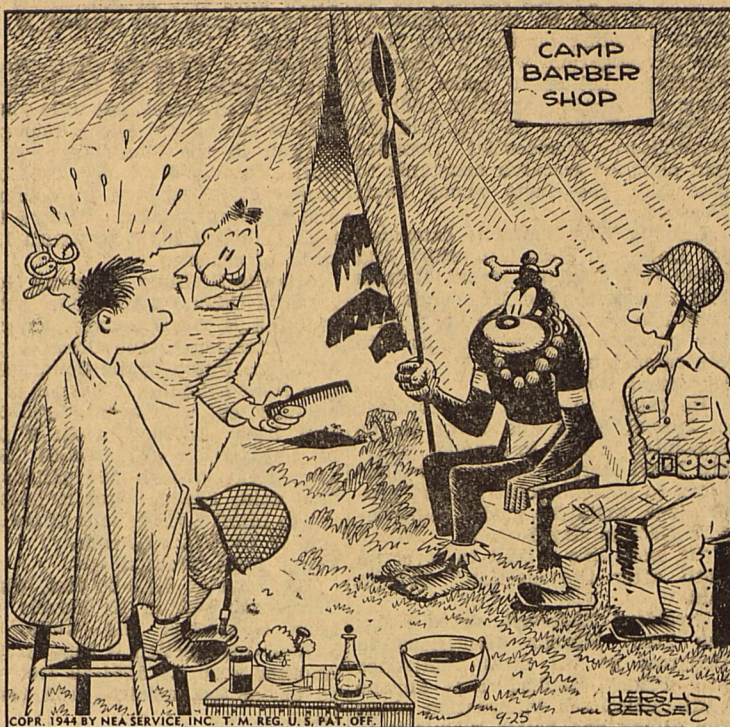
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Germany's Position Becoming Precarious

By J. M. ROBERTS JR.

Berlin reports that the Nazis expect an early resumption of the U. S. Third Army's drive for the Rhine. If Hitler's high command is as smart as we think it is, it expects a whole lot more than that. Whether through the fortuitous workings of Allied planning or through the coincidence of growing German weakness and our successful drives for position, the Reich is now pocketed within an almost continuous series of fronts which promise to blaze into climatic action simultaneously.

While the Russians have been pressing their Baltic and Balkan campaigns, cleaning up German forces which to a considerable extent are already out of the war, they undoubtedly have been massing strength for the Eastern front pay-off — the cutting off of East Prussia and a renewal of the drive toward Krakow, 35 miles ahead and 40 miles from German Silesia.

In the West the Allies have had just about enough time to solidify their gains and reorganize their supply. Many rear echelons which were in England until a few days ago are now in France. German forces in Western Holland are reported retreating en masse through the gap north of Arnhem, whose capture will probably signal the big push.

If renewed drives for the Rhine, East Prussia and Silesia do develop simultaneously, all the old favorite terms for describing broad military action will be out of date. It won't be a pincer movement, for you don't "pincer" with sledgehammers. It will be more like the great, multiple-ton presses of America's war industry, turning out the material which will be rolling toward Berlin from both sides.

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SIDE GLANCES



"Remember, no more drawing pictures on the walls or cutting initials in the woodwork—Daddy has bought this house so we're not renting any more!"

Parents Rule Again In German Households

By HAL BOYLE

WITH AMERICAN TROOPS IN GERMANY —(AP)—"Hitler Brats," teen-age boys and girls who belonged to various German youth organizations, are coming again under parental control in American-occupied German districts.

Father or mother can now apply a switch to the backside of little Fritz or Brumhild without worrying whether these juvenile political monsters will tell the Nazis that their parents listened to British radio broadcasts late at night.

As a result of the propaganda handed out by the Nazi party in recent years many children gained a twisted loyalty to the Hitler regime which in many cases made them actual spies in their own homes against their relatives and neighbors.

Tattling to Nazi officials by these seemingly innocent children is believed to have cost the lives of some Pro-allied Germans and the imprisonment and property confiscation of others.

Saw Leaders Cringe
"But these 13 to 16 years-old German boys and girls now have become scared since their country is invaded and they have seen Nazi chiefs whom they had been taught to follow cringe in fear," said one American major dealing with the problems of how to handle German refugee groups. "Their fanaticism has disappeared. Their day of glory is over and that they will do as they are told at home."

Some of these "teen age tyrants" who ruled homes capriciously because of the hold they had on terror-bound parents as a result of threats to inform on them decided now of their own volition they want "to be good."

"I was a member of the Hitler youth movement," said one tow-head youngster, "but now I am glad I can be a Boy Scout again."

Since the Nazis seem to be falling into disrepute in their own country because of their failure to win the war, some American officers feel that even if the party goes underground it no longer can count on the fanatical enthusiasm and loyalty of the younger generation now growing up in Germany.

"Youth admires success—and the Nazi leaders now are failures," said one officer.

First Butyl Rubber Produced In Texas

HOUSTON—On September 9, the first Butyl rubber produced in Texas came from the finishing mills of the government's new Butyl rubber plant at Baytown, according to a story to appear in the current issue of the Bee, official refinery publication of the Humble Oil & Refining Company.

The new plant, known as Plancor 1082, is staffed and operated by the Humble Oil & Refining Company, and was constructed by Stone and Webster Engineering Corporation for Defense Plants Corporation.

The Butyl plant involves processes of recent development and produces synthetic rubber from a feed stock originating in Humble's two giant catalytic crackers at the Baytown refinery.

The new plant has been in partial operation since last February, and when the shake-down period is over it is expected to operate at a capacity of 30,000 long tons per year of finished Butyl rubber.

Williams Receives Ensign Commission

Dale D. Williams of Midland has been commissioned an ensign in the United States Naval Reserve after graduation from the Midshipmen's School at Northwestern University, Chicago. He will be assigned to the fleet as deck officer.

SCHOOL CUSTODIAN KILLED

HENDERSON — (AP) — Solon S. Smith, 66, custodian at Gaston schools, Joinerville, was killed Sunday when he came in contact with a live power line near the school property.

More than 84 per cent of Bulgaria's 6,000,000 people are of the Greek-Orthodox religion.

Bishop James Stoney Announces Topic

"What Can A Man Believe?" will be the topic of Bishop James Stoney of New Mexico Tuesday evening when he opens a preaching and teaching mission in Trinity Episcopal Church.

Services will be conducted in the church by the bishop at 3 p. m., Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday and at 11 a. m., Sunday. Holy Communion services will be conducted by Bishop Stoney at 10:15 a. m., Tuesday and Friday.

Bishop Stoney, an all-Southern football star when a student at the University of the South, Sewanee, has been bishop of New Mexico since 1942.

FRANK D. PAULLUS DIES

DALLAS — (AP) — Funeral services were to be held Monday for Frank D. Paullus, 68, active in Masonic and Shrine circles for 30 years and a building contractor engineer, who died Saturday.

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Detroit Grabs Four Straight From Red Sox

By JOE REICHLER
Associated Press Sports Writer

It is no longer a question of who will stop the Detroit Tigers—but how can they lose?

The American League leaders Sunday made it four straight over the Boston Red Sox, 9 to 5, to cling to their one-game edge over the St. Louis Browns with only seven games left to play against the second division Philadelphia Athletics and Washington Senators.

A rousing three-run ninth inning rally kept the Browns in the running with an uphill 3 to 2 triumph over the A's, but the New York Yankees were all but mathematically eliminated by falling before Mel Harder of Cleveland, 4 to 1.

As the campaign starts its final week everything favors the Tigers. They have won 24 and lost 13 to the A's and Senators, while the Browns, who must battle the Yanks and Red Sox in their last seven games, have won only 19 and lost 19 to their first division foes.

Newhouses Wins No. 27

"Hurricane" Harold Newhouse chalked up his twenty-seventh victory of the season as the Tigers humbled the Sox before 48,702 at Briggs Stadium for the Tigers' ninth triumph in their last ten starts and 22 of their last 27.

In coming from behind to nip the A's, the Browns chalked up their fifth in a row behind Jack Kramer's effective twirling for his sixteenth victory of the year. Mark Christman, doubled home the tying runs in the ninth, then scored the winning tally on an error.

The Chicago White Sox extended their winning streak to six straight by sweeping a twin bill from the Senators, 9-3 and 2-0. Thornton Lee, pitching his first game since he fractured his wrist July 9, won the opener. Ed Lopat blanked the Nats with six hits in the nightcap.

Cardinals Set New Mark

St. Louis' champion Cardinals became the first National League team to win over 100 games for three successive years when they took two from the Philadelphia Phillies, 4-3 in 16 innings and 1-0 in nine frames. Whitey Kurowski's homer gave Mort Cooper his twenty-second triumph in the opener. Ted Wilks won his seventeenth against three defeats in the finale.

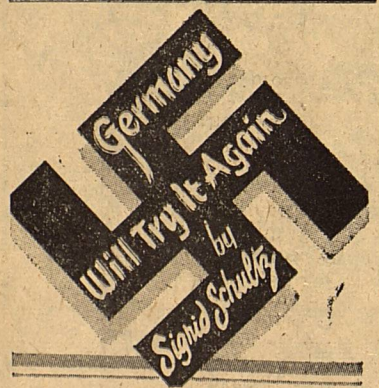
The Pittsburgh Pirates broke even with the New York Giants in 10 innings, 3-2, after Bill Voiselle had beaten them 5-4 for his twenty-first victory in the opener. The Chicago Cubs and Brooklyn Dodgers also divided, the Cubs winning 4-3 on Bill Nicholson's thirty-third homer, after Curt Davis racked up his tenth game for the Dodgers in the opener, 10-3. Cincinnati took two close ones from Boston, 2-1 and 1-0 on good pitching by Harry Gumbert and Arnold Carter.

Manager Mel Ott of the Giants suspended First Baseman Phil Weintraub for the balance of the season for lack of hustle and "improper attitude" during Saturday's game.

GOP Treasurer Notes Anti-FDR Sentiment

NEW ORLEANS—(P)—Republican national treasurer Houett Ross Todd, Louisville, Ky., said here Sunday that he has noted a "tremendous anti-fourth term sentiment in several Southern states he has visited."

Todd said his trip here was to "raise money, not to get votes." He left for Texas Sunday night.



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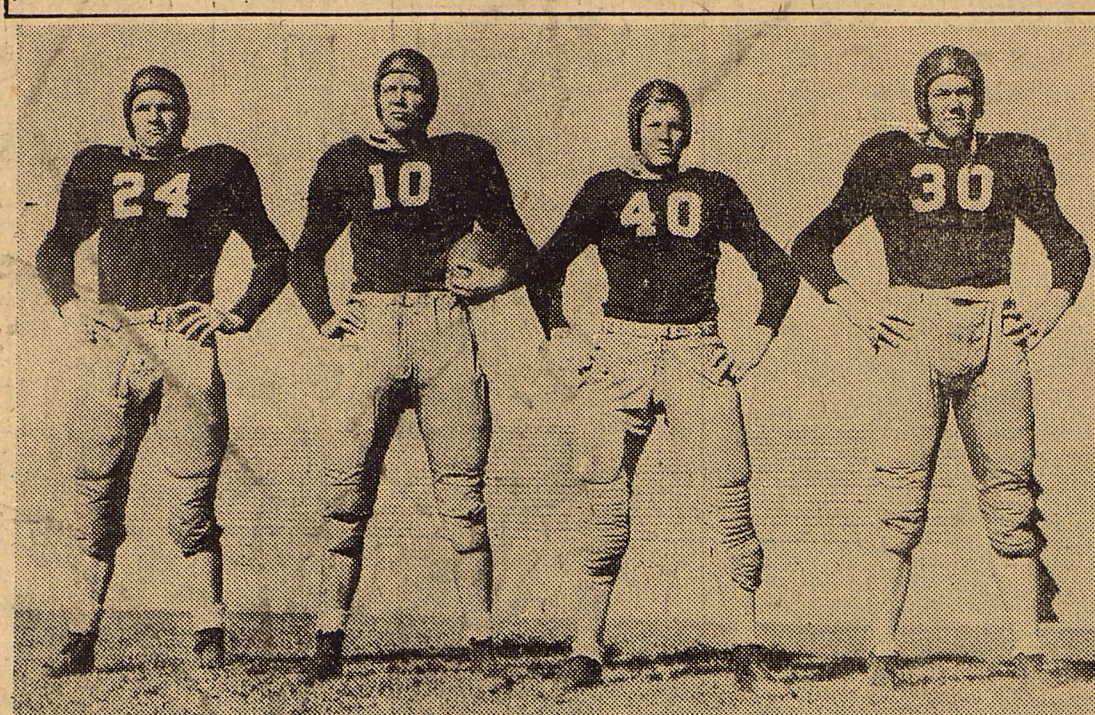
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Sports ★ ★ Roundup

By Hugh S. Fullerton Jr.

NEW YORK—(P)—The baseball season is almost over, but baseball men can put in a busy winter trying to guess when the war will end. It will have a lot to do with their planning. . . . Late in August a bulletin from minor league headquarters cautioned the inactive clubs against a too-hasty resumption because of a doubtful player supply and War Manpower regulations that might make it hard to get even those players who aren't in service. . . . Two weeks later another notice pointed out that players and other employees might be coming back from the war during the off season and baseball clubs should be ready to find work for them. . . . Boss W. G. Brancham of the minors says: "I have never seen the like of interest in baseball that exists now." . . . But it's another question when and how that interest is to be applied.

Understandable Error
Shortly after he arrived at Camp Shelby, Miss. Ex-Cardinal Alpha Brazle got into a ball game and made a clean steal of third base. Then he looked around and found the sack already had one occupant. . . . T/Sgt. William G. Flournoy, who reported this incident, explains that it must have been hard for Al to see one GI against a background of other GIs, but, he adds, "The promising young players now in the Army will learn a lot from the big leaguers. But I wonder what it will be."

Packers Spoil Chicago's Debut

CHICAGO—(P)—The champion Chicago Bears have been left at the post in the 1944 National Football League race.

Their debut was spoiled Sunday at Green Bay, Wis., when the Packers rallied for their second league victory with a rousing 42-28 decision before 24,000 fans.

In the only other loop fray, the Cleveland Rams celebrated their return to competition after a year's hiatus with an eye-lash 30-28 triumph over the Pittsburgh-Chicago combine.

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Rice, Texas And SMU Are Favorites In Southwest Area

By The Associated Press

Randolph Field has three teams and the coach isn't sure which is the best—and that's what Rice Institute faces Saturday night when the Owls get down to business in the Southwest Conference football campaign.

It's the feature battle of the weekend and it will show what the conference can expect from its tests with the mighty Ramblers. Randolph Field plays Rice, Texas and Southern Methodist, the three outfits most quarters think will make up the first division in the conference race.

Withing with the Randolph-Rice game for top ratings will be the Texas-Southwestern struggle at Austin. Texas will be making its start and seeing if it will have a running game this season, something Coach D. X. Bible has been worrying about since the 1943 campaign ended.

Other Games On Schedule
Southwestern is not as strong as last fall when the Pirates handed Texas its only defeat.

Other games this week send Arkansas to Oklahoma City Friday night to meet Oklahoma A&M, while Saturday finds Texas Christian entertaining South Plains Army Air Field, Southern Methodist engaging North Texas Agricultural College at Dallas and Texas A&M meeting Texas Tech under the lights at San Antonio.

Four of the six conference teams made auspicious starts last week. Arkansas and Texas Christian registered grateful intersectional triumphs, the Razorbacks edging out a good Missouri team 7-6 and Texas Christian scoring in the final minutes to beat Kansas 7-0.

Rice and Texas A&M remained unknown in strength when they found Galveston Air Field and Bryan Air Field soft pickings. The Owls raced over Galveston AAF 57-0, one of the highest scores a Rice outfit ever ran up, while the Aggies were walloping Bryan AAF 39-0.

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Standings

American League			
Teams—	W.	L.	Pct.
Detroit	84	63	.571
St. Louis	83	64	.565
New York	79	67	.541
Boston	74	73	.503
Cleveland	70	77	.476
Chicago	69	77	.473
Philadelphia	67	80	.456
Washington	61	86	.415

National League			
Teams—	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	101	46	.687
Pittsburgh	87	59	.596
Cincinnati	84	62	.575
Chicago	70	75	.483
New York	64	82	.433
Boston	60	86	.411
Brooklyn	60	87	.409
Philadelphia	58	87	.400

SUNDAY'S RESULTS

American League
Detroit 9, Boston 5.
St. Louis 3, Philadelphia 2.
Cleveland 4, New York 1.
Chicago 9-2, Washington 3-0.

National League
St. Louis 4-1, Philadelphia 3-0.
New York 5-2, Pittsburgh 4-3.
Brooklyn 10-3, Chicago 3-4.
Cincinnati 2-1, Boston 1-0.

Football Results

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

North Carolina Pre-Flight 27, Cherry Point Marines 14.
Camp Lee (Va.) 47, Indiantown Gap (Pa.) Military Reservation 0.
Keesler Field (Miss.) 41, Algiers Naval Station 0.
Fort Knox 13, Bowman Field (Ky.) 6.
Fort Monroe 7, Richmond Army Air Base 6.
Alameda (Calif.) Coast Guard 7, Fleet City Blue Jackets 7 (tie).
Nevada 20, Tonopah Army Air Field 0.

★ From The Press Box

By JACK LIVELY

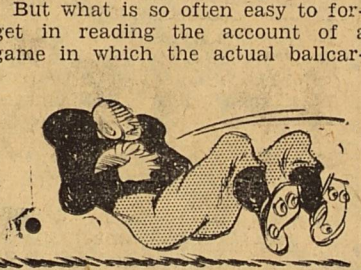
The Midland Bulldogs did a mighty fine job Friday night at Pampa when they harvested the Harvesters to the tune of 18 to 13.

The score itself does not reflect the true picture.

What the several thousands spectators at the Midland-Pampa game did not realize was the fact, that for six men on the Midland team, this was their first game. The way that these men organized themselves after a few minutes of play would do credit to any team and this corner wants to extend its congratulations to each player and to the generalship of Coach Gene McCollum.

Scoring Men
As we expected Bill Richards with his fine passing and general good playing accounted for much of the Bulldog success. End Bobby Hyatt, we understand, handled the play beautifully with which he tallied the third score of the initial game.

But what is so often easy to forget in reading the account of a game in which the actual ballcar-



riers are the one that we hear about, is that that ball could not gain a yard without the complete co-operation of a good strong line.

The Bulldog line held and held in the Pampa game and made impressive advances on the offensive as the 205 yards gained in rushing, compared with Pampa's 175 yards gained, reveals. The most important part of any football eleven is a line that the backfield can rely upon.

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Only 47 Grid Teams Have Clean Slates

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF
Associated Press Sports Editor

Conference warfare blazes in five of the sixteen districts of Texas schoolboy football this week but feature battles still are those that match sectional strength.

Vernon at Amarillo, Breckenridge at Wichita Falls, Denison at San Angelo, Sherman at North Side (Fort Worth), Marshall at Waco and Greenville at Tyler are the top games of the third week of the campaign.

The first breath of autumn finds teams falling like the leaves and Monday 60 per cent of the starting field has plunged into defeat. Just 47 schools boast unbeaten, untied records.

Plenty of Upsets
There were plenty of upsets last week, the chief one being the downfall of San Angelo, defending state champion, at the hands of Lubbock. The Westerners won 7-6.

Amarillo was impressive Saturday night in its 12-0 decision over Abilene.

The Denison-San Angelo game was billed weeks ago as a top battle of the year but lost some of its glamor when San Angelo lost to Lubbock and Denison was beaten out by Waxahachie 14-13.

Dewey Reported Gathering Pearl Harbor Data

WASHINGTON — (P) — Gov. Thomas E. Dewey was reported by one of his backers Monday to be gathering data on the administration's handling on the Pearl Harbor investigation with a view to deciding whether to make it the topic of a major campaign address.

Senator Bridges (R-NH) said the Republican presidential nominee had assigned research assistants to assemble "the facts about Pearl Harbor."

Leaving Washington to campaign for Dewey in New Hampshire and other New England states, Bridges told reporters "The Democrats are scared to death that the Pearl Harbor question will be brought into the campaign by Dewey."

Expressed Doubt
He expressed doubt that findings of special Army and Navy boards appointed in July to conduct separate Pearl Harbor inquiries, preliminary to possible court martial proceedings, would be made public before election day Nov. 7.

"It looks like a stall to cover up until after the election," Bridges said.

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Prather And Melancon Go Into Semi-Finals

The Midland Country Club handicapped golf tourney goes into the semi-finals this week with Dick Prather matched with Lt. William Melancon, and Roy Minear matched with C. H. Shepard.

Melancon defeated O. C. Harper 3 and 2 Sunday to win his place in the semi-finals while Dick Prather bested Lt. George C. Schwalje 1 up in 19 holes.

The championship will be determined Sunday when the winners in the semi-finals will play.

Mrs. Payne Whitney Dies In New York

NEW YORK—(P)—The first lady of the American turf, fabulously wealthy Mrs. Payne Whitney, 68, died Sunday.

She was the daughter of John Hay, secretary of state in the cabinets of President McKinley and Theodore Roosevelt. Her husband, Francis Payne Whitney, left an estate valued at \$250,000,000 at his death in May, 1927.

As head of Greentree Stables, she was the owner of two Kentucky Derby winners and a number of state and steeplechase champions. Twenty Grand carried her cherry and black silks to victory in the Louisville classic in 1931, and Shut-out triumphed for her in the 1942 race.

Conduct Last Rites For Carter Porter

Last rites were to be held at 3 p. m. Monday at the Ellis Funeral Chapel for Carter Porter, 40, who died Saturday, with Roy Jones conducting the services with burial in Fairview Cemetery.

Surviving are two sons, Cecil and Mack Porter of Midland, and eight brothers, two of whom live in Midland, John P. Porter and C. R. Porter.

BRUNSON IN ABILENE

Linton Brunson left Sunday for Abilene to be with his mother, Mrs. D. W. Brunson, who is seriously ill in a hospital there. His daughter, Mrs. Jack Merrell of Abilene, underwent an operation Monday.

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in Southwest Andrews, had progressed past 8,200 feet and was drilling ahead in line and chert.

Champlin Refining Company No. 1-B University, section 5, block 11, University, was continuing to dig below 8,435 feet in line. Most observers believe the section is the Shurman.

Shell Oil Company, Inc., No. 4 Sealy-Smith, section 39, block Z, G&MMB&A survey, one mile southeast of the closest Ellenburger production in the Monahans pool in Northeast Ward County, was bottomed at 10,202 feet in dolomite, and was waiting after setting 5 1/2-inch casing at 10,195 feet with 1,000 sacks of cement.

Atlantic Refining Company No. 1 Cordova-Union (TAR Co.), section 47, block 34, H&TC survey, a north-east extension to the Crossett pool along the Upton-Crane County line, had flowed around 12 barrels of oil an hour, cut with about three percent basic sediment, from a perforated section at 5,370-53 feet, after treating with 500 gallons of mud acid. The operator is preparing to inject 1,000 gallons of regular acid in the same horizon.

Lower Zone Blocked Off
The zone at 5,400-20 feet, which flowed for around 10 barrels per hour, is blocked off while the 5,370-93-foot section is being tested. Another zone at 5,354-70 feet will be perforated, acidized and tested later.

Humble No. 1 Doss, section 9, block A-24, psi survey, South-Central Gaines County wildcat, is waiting after setting 7-inch casing at 7,235.32 feet with 500 sacks of cement on a plugged-back total depth of 7,250 feet. When the plug is cored the operator will test the lower Permian formation.

Northern Ordinance, Inc., No. 1 Clayton & Johnson, section 32, block 31, TP survey, T-4-N, South-Central Borden County exploration, was digging in chert below 9,434 feet.

Northern Ordinance, Inc., No. 1 Spalding, Northwest Howard County prospector, in section 7, block 33, TP, T-2-N, had a slight show of gas in a core at 6,720-40 feet and was said to be going ahead.

Flood Was Flooded
Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 1 State-Flood, section 12, block 3, H&TC survey, South Crane County lower Ordovician exploration, reached 6,181 feet in line and ran a drillstem test.

With packer at 6,084 feet, and using a 5/8-inch bottom-hole choke, the tool was open for one hour. It flowed sulphur water in 45 minutes. Then a Schlumberger survey was run. Likely the operator will mark this one off the list soon.

Humble No. 1 Parrott, section 3, EL survey, in East-Central Upton County, was still on a bottom of 7,399 feet in shale, and was waiting after cementing a cavity.

Gulf Oil Corporation No. 6-E Mc Knight, section 20, block B-17, psi survey, Ellenburger prospector in West Crane County, was digging past 6,190 feet in line.

Magnolia No. 22 Foster, section 17, block 29, TP survey, T-1-S, in West Mitchell County, had reached 7,034 feet in black shale and lime, and was going ahead.

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Autumn Weather Hits In Midland Section

Autumn finally got around to Midland Sunday as the temperature halted at 75 degrees at 3:30 p. m. and held there until 7 p. m. Sunday's maximum temperature was only 15 degrees more than its minimum of 60 degrees. The 75 degree maximum was well under Saturday's maximum of 90 degrees from 3 to 6 p. m.

Monday morning was cool with the thermometer registering 54 degrees from 6 to 8:30 a. m., when the mercury began rising again.

Plenty Of Flowers For Registered Bulls

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M. — (P) — Blooded bulls at the New Mexico State Fair feel just like "Ferdinand," the bull who liked to whiff the flowers. All about their barns are gaily colored beds of petunias.

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This War's Veteran Will Have Benefits That Other Vets Could Not Dream Of In Past Wars

By JAMES MARLOW
WASHINGTON — (P) — When Johnny comes marching home from this war he will not be like the returning veterans of other American wars—a Johnny-come-lately. For the veterans of this war—able and disabled—the government has done more faster than for the fighters of any previous war.

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And there are pensions for his

Scouters Will Plan Circus; Winter Camp

Plans for a Boy Scout circus and a winter camp will be discussed at a meeting of scout leaders to be held at 8 p. m. Monday at the private dining room of the Scharbauer Hotel, J. V. Niedermayer, scout executive, said Monday.

In addition to discussing plans for the circus and winter camp the scout leaders outline preparations for making a manpower survey in Midland.

Repair Of Traffic Lights Awaits Parts

Four out of seven of Midland's traffic lights are working on a part-time basis as members of the police department manage to keep the traffic bells ringing by temporary repairs.

Police will be unable to repair the lights east of Loraine until a new automatic switch arrives.

The automatic switch for the traffic lights was put out of order by the heavy rain which fell recently.

Overseas Veteran Is Visiting Mother Here

T/Sgt. and Mrs. James E. Smith of Brownfield are visiting his mother, Mrs. Velma Smith, and other relatives in Midland.

Sgt. Smith has just returned from two and a half years overseas, serving with the AAF in the China-India-Burma theater of operations. He was department head of the sheet metal department of the largest depot in India, and was in the first convoy to India after Pearl Harbor. He went to India across the Atlantic and returned across the Pacific.

He will report soon at Lincoln, Neb., for reassignment.

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