

JAP WARSHIPS ARE BLASTED



First Embarkation Picture

Through these portals pass the best damn soldiers in the world

Troops destined for service in the Pacific area pass through a portal leading to a ship underneath a sign announcing what they already know and have proved. This scene at San Francisco is the first time in this war that the press has been permitted to inspect and photograph an embarkation.

Ticonderoga Casualties Totalled 337 When Hit By Jap Suicide Planes

WASHINGTON—(P)—The aircraft carrier Ticonderoga suffered 337 casualties and terrific damage when struck by two Japanese suicide planes near Formosa last January 21.

Disclosing this Thursday, the Navy said casualties included 144 killed or missing.

M & H I Cowden Testing Shows In Devonian

By JAMES C. WATSON, Oil Editor... Magnolia Petroleum Company and Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 1 Cowden, in section 7, block A-55, psi survey, Southwest Andrews County wildcat, was bolted at 7,735 feet in dolomite, remaining hole preparatory to running a drill-stem test.

Munitions Blast Rocks Halifax; 13 Casualties

HALIFAX, N. S.—(P)—Canadian Navy munitions set-off by a jelly stick exploded in the Halifax area with four huge explosions and a series of lesser discharges which ended after dawn Thursday.

Midland Ordinance For Bus Operation Passes First Reading

The first reading of a franchise granting the Midland Bus Corporation the right to operate here was passed unanimously Wednesday afternoon by the City Council at its regular meeting.

Truman Urges Speed-Up Of Pacific War

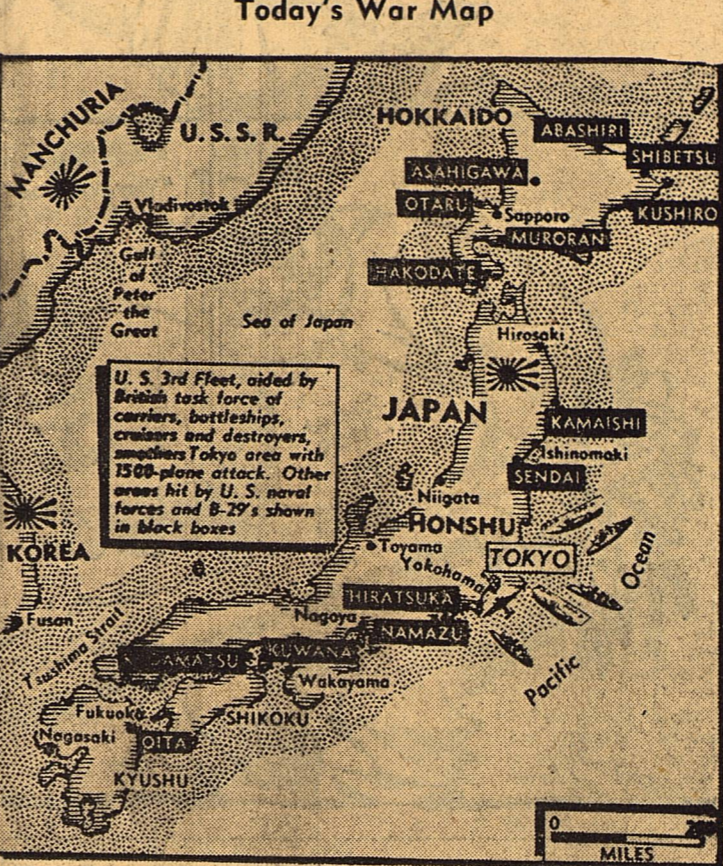
POTSDAM—(P)—President Truman was believed emphasizing to his Russian and British allies Thursday the necessity of winning a quick victory in the Pacific in order to speed the reconstruction of Europe and allow the world economy the benefit of global peace.

President Seizes Sinclair Rubber Company's Plant

WASHINGTON—(P)—President Truman Thursday directed Petroleum Administrator Ickes to take over and operate the Sinclair Rubber Company plant at Houston, Texas, where workers have voted to strike.

War Bulletins

CHUNGKING—(AP)—In a new outbreak of fighting along the Indo-China frontier, Japanese and puppet Indo-Chinese troops who launched attacks against three points inside China have been driven back across the border, the Chinese High Command reported Thursday.



U. S. 3rd Fleet, with British task force, smothered Tokyo area with 1500 plane attack. Other areas hit by U. S. Naval and B-29 forces are shown in black boxes.

JayCeos Plan To Get Voters Out For Bond Election

Arrangements were completed Thursday for carrying out the election eve "Get Out The Vote" campaign of the Midland Junior Chamber of Commerce for the city's \$400,000 bond election Saturday for water and sewer improvements.

Woman Convicted For Slaying Of Husband

MONTGOMERY, ALA.—(P)—Mrs. Frances Brown, 40, and Gene Johnson, 42, accused of slaying the former's husband by setting fire to his clothing, were convicted of murder and given life prison terms by a jury Wednesday night.

Professor Resigns

KINGSVILLE, TEXAS—(P)—The resignation of Paul M. Eberhardt, director of publicity and instructor in journalism at A&T College since last September, has been announced by Dr. E. M. Jones, president of the college.

Rankin Wants Stimson Fired

WASHINGTON—(P)—Rep. Rankin (D-Miss) told the House Thursday Secretary of War Henry Stimson and two of his key aides should be removed from office.

Major Attack On Tokyo Area Goes Into Third Day

Bombarding American warships Thursday carried the air-sea attack on the Tokyo area into the third consecutive day, shelling outer approaches to the Japanese capital within sight of the imperial palace.

Agreements For Paving Should Be Signed Now

Citizens were reminded Thursday by Mayor A. N. Hendrickson that when they sign an agreement to participate in the city's paving and drainage improvement program the estimated cost to the property owner of \$4.25 per lineal foot is only an estimate, and if paving costs are lower the property owner will pay only his portion of the actual costs.

Government Operates Sinclair Plant

HOUSTON—(P)—The United States government took over operation of the Sinclair Rubber Plant at 7 a. m. Thursday.

East Texas Oil Well Is Running Wild

TYLER—(P)—An oil well near Quitman, running wild and spraying the countryside with oil, was expected to be brought under control Thursday.

U. S. Will Aid In Supervising Election

WASHINGTON—(P)—Assurance that the United States will insist on equal participation in any big power supervision of the proposed elections in Poland was received by Senator Vandenberg (R-Mich) Thursday from the State Department.

Monetary Compact Approval Expected

WASHINGTON—(P)—American participation in a world monetary compact named Congressional approval Thursday.

Weather

Partly cloudy Thursday afternoon. Clear Thursday night and until about noon Friday. Not much change in temperature.

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They that be slain with the sword are better than they that be slain with hunger: for these pine away, stricken through for want of the fruits of the field.—Lamentations 4:9.

Let's Get Acquainted

The first meeting of American and Russian soldiers in Germany may have been an important landmark on the road to world peace. Before then they had been separated not only by the enemy, but by a veil of suspicion, misconception, confusion and spoon-fed propaganda.

Suddenly the enemy was gone and the veil was torn aside. Two groups of ordinary, unpretentious, frank and well-intentioned young men greeted one another with grins, handshakes and a slap on the back.

There have been many such meetings since then. And the preponderant evidence is that the American doughfoot considers his Russian counterpart an OK guy. GI Ivan's opinion isn't on record, at least over here. But it wouldn't be surprising if the good impressions were mutual.

The Russian soldier has grown up with a distorted impression of America and her citizens. He has heard with stories of villainous landlords and employers, of starved and exploited workers, of a thousand and one evils of capitalism, until it must have surprised him to find Americans looking, not like a combination of Uncle Tom and one of Dostoevski's more doleful characters, but hale, hearty and happy.

As for the Yank, he has developed a curious, all-embracing definition of the word "Russia." Russia has meant vast territories, a way of life, Marshal Stalin, the Comintern, the Red Army, revolution and liquidation, or occasionally devious, secretive, one-sided foreign policy, depending on the speaker and the context. He too must have been surprised to run into a delegation of hale, hearty, happy citizens of the U. S. S. R.

It would certainly be well if more ordinary, unofficial Americans and Russians could share these soldiers' experience. It wouldn't settle the world's problems, but it would help. We wouldn't have to like communism, and they wouldn't have to embrace capitalism. But both we and they might learn better to distinguish between persons and policies.

Many of our soldiers have said that the Russian soldier is more like an American than any of their other Allied comrades at arms. If that is so, then perhaps the Russian shares the American's democratic fondness for judging a man at his face value, regardless of origin or background.

There has been too much economic accusation and rebuttal between the United States and Russia, too much deliberately planted suspicion, too little effort at genuine understanding. But the realistic fact remains that these countries are the dominant world powers. They must live in friendship if they are to survive, and peace is to endure. International friendship requires acquaintance and understanding between peoples as well as heads of government. So perhaps a wise bit of postwar planning would be for both America and Russia to give some thought to the development of so prosaic a thing as the "tourist trade" between their peoples.

We suspect that the optimist who writes the seed catalogs and cook books also has a hand in railroad time tables.

If people would stop to think, they'd never think to stop buying War Bonds.

An old mountaineer once told us he had been shaving himself with a straight-edge "for nigh on to five years, and I ain't cut myself neither time."

There are two kinds of women: Those who keep their love letters; and those whose love letters keep them.

After a woman has had the last word she is just dying to know what her husband is thinking about.

Over a million musical instruments have been sent to our boys overseas. We'll sure hear about it when all of them are brought back home.

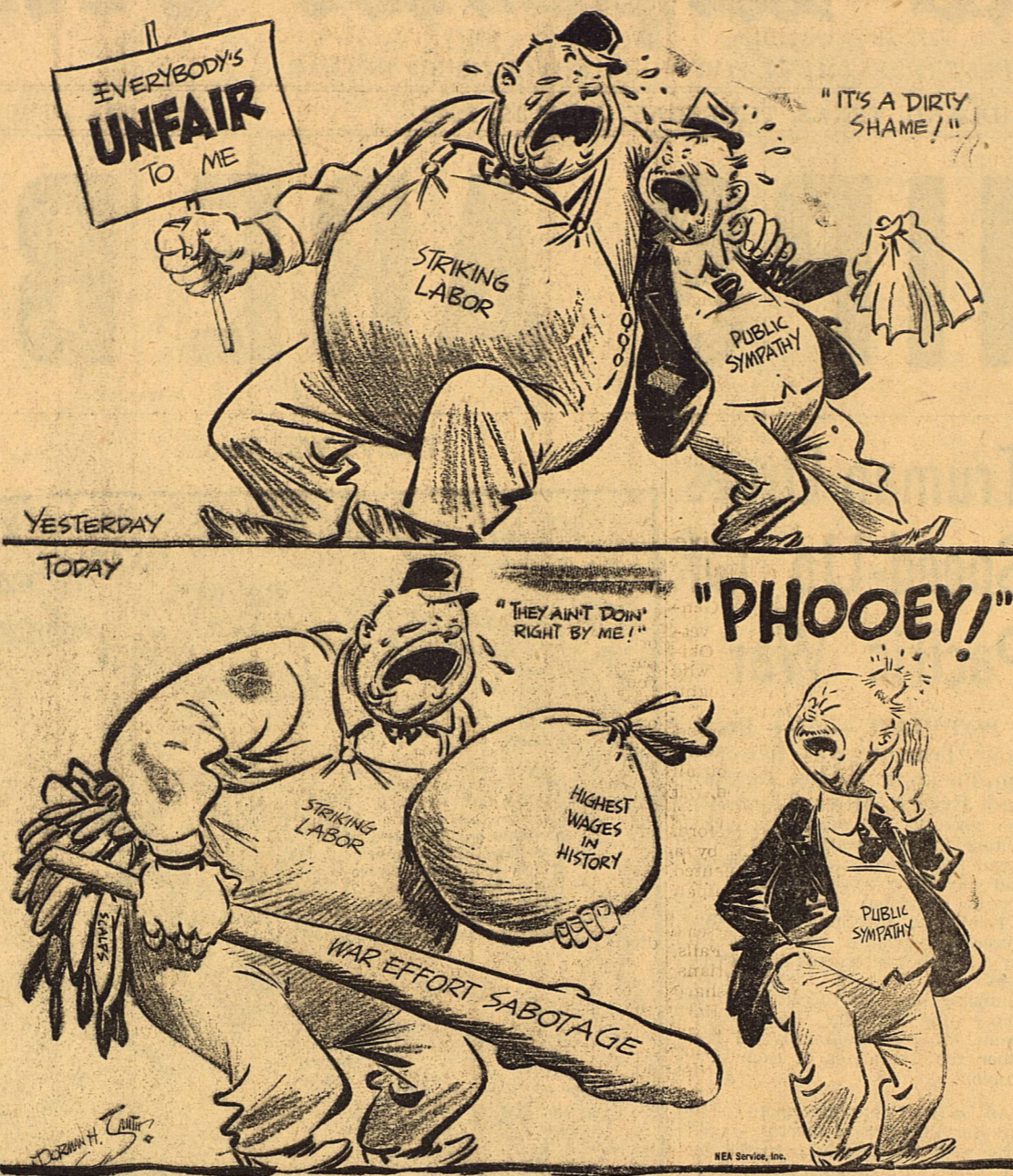
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Our Changing World



August Allowable Schedule Announced

AUSTIN —(AP)— Production of crude oil in Texas will average 2,195,012 barrels daily beginning Aug. 1.

A Railroad Commission proration order fixed daily average allowable at 2,347,606 barrels of crude but engineers calculate that actual production will be 6.50 per cent less than allowable, or 2,195,012 barrels. This is 5,012 barrels a day more than certified by the Petroleum Administration for War.

Total production in Texas, including 165,759 barrels of distillates and natural gasoline, will average 2,360,771 barrels daily beginning Aug. 1, or 4,771 more than certified by PAW for production of all petroleum liquids.

The August proration pattern includes 26 general producing days and 25 for the East Texas field.

Advertise or be forgotten

Mother Arrested For Axe Slaying Of Son

NEW YORK —(AP)— Six-year-old Philip Monje was hacked to death in his cot early Thursday and Detective Walter Shea said the boy's mother, Jousie, 35, confessed she killed him with an older boy's Scout axe.

Take Off Ugly Fat With This Home Recipe

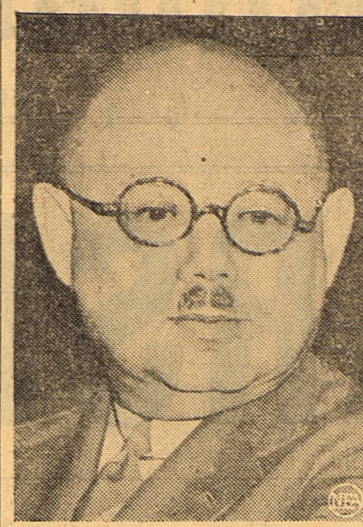
Here is an inexpensive home recipe for taking off ungrainly weight and help bring back alluring curves and graceful slenderness. Just get from any druggist, four ounces of liquid Barcol Concentrate. Add enough grapefruit juice to make a pint. Then just take two tablespoonsful twice a day. Wonderful results may be obtained quickly. Now you may slim down your figure and lose pounds of ugly fat without back breaking exercise or starvation diet. It's easy to make and easy to take. Contains nothing harmful. If the very first bottle doesn't show you the simple, easy way to lose bulky weight and help regain slender, more graceful curves, return the empty bottle and get your money back.

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Knows Answers



Leo Pasvolsky, above, State Department specialist, is known to official Washington as the man who knows all the answers about the United Nations Charter. Russian-born but a naturalized American citizen for 34 years, his part was of major importance in drafting the world document adopted in San Francisco.

Only 50 Scouts Can Attend Camp From Midland This Year

Attendance of Midland district Boy Scouts at the Philmont Scout Camp next week will be limited to 50 boys, Scout Executive W. A. Martin announced Thursday. The attendance must be limited because of the transportation problem, Martin explained.

The Scouts will leave the Boy Scout Hall at 8 a. m. Sunday for the camp near Cimarron, N. M. This will be the last year for Scouts from this council to attend the camp. After this year the camp will be used only by senior Scouts 15 years old and over.

MRS. HOBBY IS ILL

NEW YORK —(AP)— Mrs. Overta Culp Hobby, who recently retired as commander of the Women's Army Corps, is ill at Doctors Hospital, the institution said Thursday. The nature of her illness was not disclosed.

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The Third Fleet's daring sweep into the South China Sea. A minute after noon on January 21, a single engine Japanese plane, evidently a "Zeke," came out of the sun and through a cloud bank to crash through the flight deck. The bomb exploded between the gallery deck and the hangar deck which was packed with aircraft being refueled and rearmed. Main girders in the vicinity of the explosion were twisted by blast and heat. The fire, fed by gasoline, spread swiftly to the wardroom passage and the staterooms.

While all this was in progress, the crippled ship was hit again. Overhead, her planes had shot down five of the enemy, and her anti-aircraft gunners had accounted for three more. But through the curtain of AA fire the second kamikaze, although hit, crashed his plane and bomb load into the ship's superstructure. One of his two bombs exploded just outside the island, and the other just inboard of the island, ripping holes in the flight deck and starting more fires.

Among those caught in the second attack were Commander Burch, who was wounded seriously, and Commodore Kiefer, wounded in 63 separate places.

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U. L. Beadle Dies Of Paralysis Stroke

U. L. Beadle, aged former school custodian, died at a Midland hospital at 9 a. m. Thursday morning from a stroke suffered Wednesday. He lived alone in a one-room house at the rear of Ida's Cafe. Mrs. Ida Banks heard him groaning and called officers. Chief of Police Jack Ellington and Sheriff Ed Darnell found Beadle in a serious condition with his left side paralyzed. The two officers took him to the hospital.

Negro Tries Praying As Aid Against OPA

MIAMI, FLA. —(AP)— Charles E. Johnson, negro filling station operator, decided a little fervent praying would be best protection against OPA charges of gasoline rationing violation. After he had been arraigned before OPA Hearing Commissioner Travis Williams, he clasped his hands and began to invoke Divine intervention.

BUY WAR BONDS

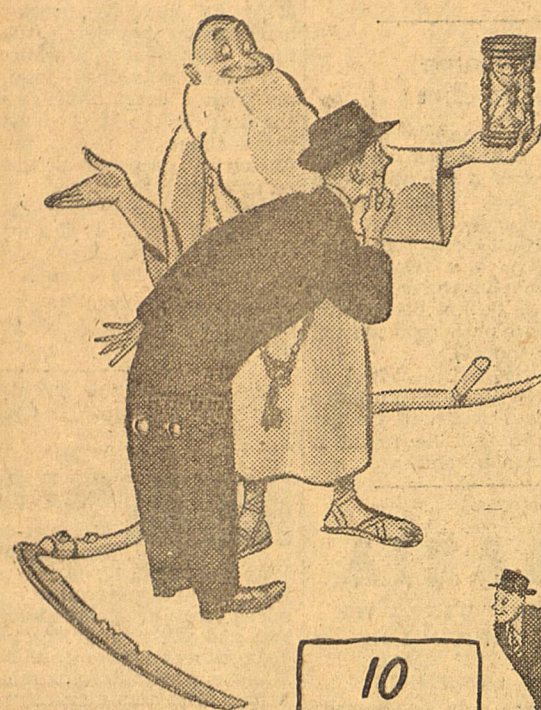
CAN'T KEEP GRANDMA IN HER CHAIR

She's as lively as a Youngster— Now her Backache is better. Many sufferers relieve nagging backache quickly, once they discover that the real cause of their trouble may be tired kidneys. The kidneys are Nature's chief way of taking the excess acids and waste out of the blood. They help most people pass about 3 pints a day.

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Hinds Cream Honey & Almond \$1.00 Size 59¢
Shampoo DRENE—With Hair Conditioner— 3 Oz. 49¢
Shampoo MAR-O-OIL \$1.00 Size 69¢
Shave Cream NOXEMA 10 Oz. Size 69¢
Burma Shave 16 Oz. Size 79¢
BOYER NO BRUSH SHAVE 79¢
PHILLIPS MILK OF MAGNESIA 35¢
NYAL MILK OF MAGNESIA 29¢
NUJOL HEAVY MINERAL OIL 89¢
Tate Lax Reg. \$1.00 Value 89¢
Kotex Regular Box 22¢
Sal Hepatica Reg. 60c 49¢
St. 37 Antiseptic 12 Oz. Size 89¢
Pepto Bismal Reg. \$1 Value 50¢
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and read this!



It's funny how *time* can fool you...
Looking backward, ten years doesn't seem so long.
But looking *ahead*—ten years seems like an eternity. And that's the reason why many people never save money...

Looking backward, they wish—oh, how they wish!—they'd started saving ten years ago. Looking ahead, ten years of sav-

ing seems like such a long, tiresome program that they *never get started.*

Look at this!

Suppose you had been able to start just ten years ago to put only \$3.75 each week in United States Government "Series E" Bonds.

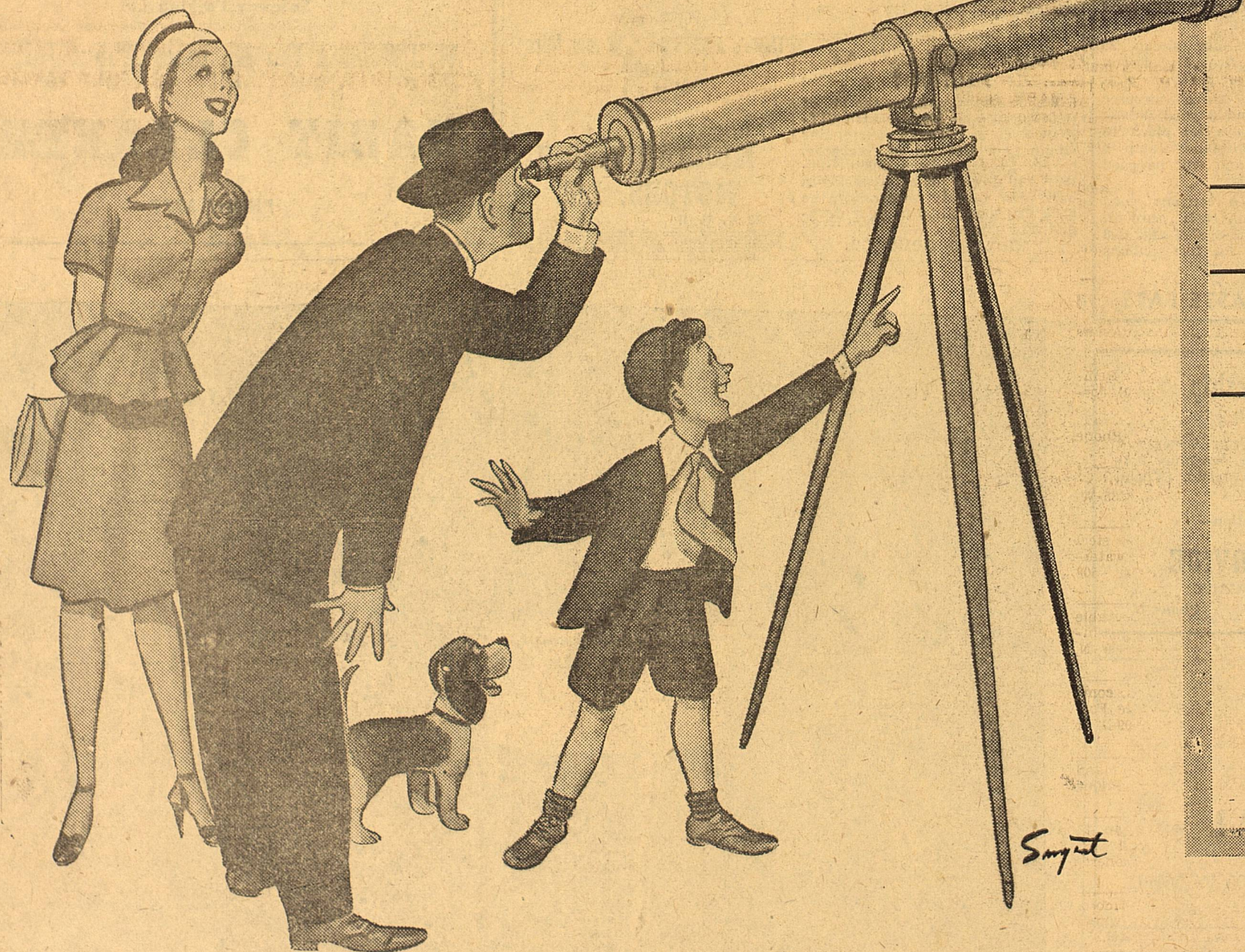
Today—right now!—your Bonds would be worth \$2,163.45. A tidy sum!

Well—why not start a savings program like that? Why not make the next ten years *work* for you—the ten years that seem so long *now*, but that will seem so short, come 1955?

There's a War Bond Timetable on this page. It shows how regular savings of certain weekly sums accumulate—principal and interest.

Set your goal. Then keep on buying *and holding* War Bonds until you reach your objective.

Some day you'll say, "It was the smartest thing I ever did!"



This is what happens when you pay \$75 for a \$100 Series E Bond

After 2 years it's worth.....	\$76.50
After 4 years it's worth.....	\$80.00
After 6 years it's worth.....	\$84.00
After 8 years it's worth.....	\$92.00
In 10 years it's worth.....	\$100.00

And—if you save regularly each week this is what will happen :

WAR BOND TIMETABLE

Weekly Savings	SAVINGS AND INTEREST ACCUMULATED		
	In 1 Year	In 5 Years	In 10 Years
\$3.75	\$195.00	\$1,004.20	\$2,163.45
6.25	325.00	1,674.16	3,607.54
7.50	390.00	2,009.02	4,329.02
9.38	487.76	2,513.42	5,416.97
12.50	650.00	3,348.95	7,217.20
15.00	780.00	4,018.67	8,660.42
18.75	975.00	5,024.24	10,828.74

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- THOMAS BUILDING
- W. W. VIRTUE STORE
- WEST TEXAS OFFICE SUPPLY
- WEST TEXAS REPRODUCTION CO.
- WILSON'S
- YUCCA, RITZ, REX THEATERS

ATC Grid Team Will Play Games In Texas

DALLAS—(P)—The Air Transport Command of Nashville, Tenn., will play two football games in Texas this fall in the Army Air Forces League...

Remember?



It could happen during the wartime player shortage that this gent should appear in the Boston Red Sox lineup...

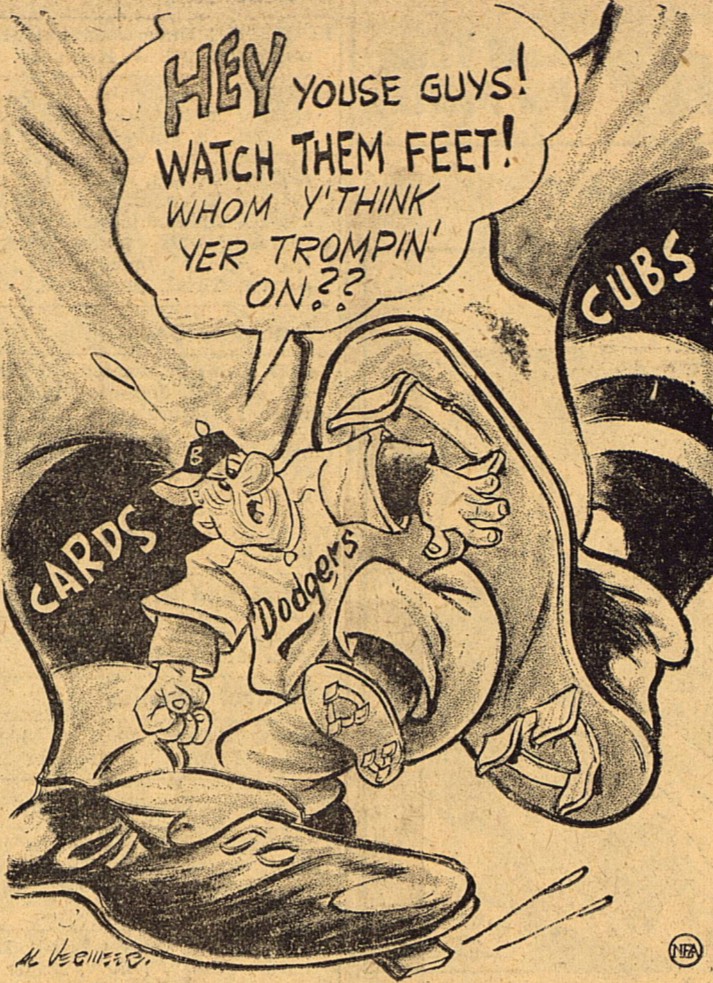
McCamey Will Have Two Racing Events

MCCAMEY—Horse racing programs will be held here Saturday and Sunday with the races starting at 3 p. m. each day...

Nats' Pennant Boom Collapses As Tigers Win

By JACK HAND Associated Press Sports Writer Washington's pennant boom collapsed like a house of cards Thursday as the Senators picked themselves up off the floor...

Traffic Is Getting Heavy



Florida Schoolboy Signed By Phillies

BRADENTON, Fla.—(P)—Lewis West, star Bradenton High School pitcher, has signed with the Philadelphia Phillies...

Sports Roundup

By Hugh S. Fullerton Jr.

NEW YORK—(P)—That Texas League vs. Judge Bramham argument about when inactive leagues can start signing players looks, from this distance, like the makings of another good minor league row...

Standings

Table showing American League and National League standings with columns for Teams, Won, Lost, Pct., and Games Behind.

WEDNESDAY'S RESULTS

American League: Detroit 6-5, Washington 4-0, Boston 6, Chicago 2, Cleveland 2, Philadelphia 2 (tie) called, rain.

National League: St. Louis 7-4, Philadelphia 3-5, Chicago 5-5, Brooklyn 0-9, New York 6-4, Pittsburgh 3-3. Only games scheduled.

Railroads Request Reconsideration Of Freight Rate Case

CHICAGO—(P)—The Western Railroads announced Thursday they had filed a petition with the Interstate Commerce Commission at Washington asking reconsideration of a recent class rate decision.

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(Continued from Page 1) in dolomite, to look for another break.

A drillstem test was taken Wednesday at 8,070-8,118 feet. Tool was open one hour and 20 minutes. There was some gas. Recovery was 12 stands of heavily oil and gas cut drilling mud...

Humble No. 1 Penrose, in section 13-22S-37E, possible discovery for Clear Fork-Permian production in the Skelly-Penrose shallow field in Southeast Lea County...

Buchanan Will Test Humble No. 1 Buchanan, East Midland County prospector in Baldridge survey No. 32-692, ten miles southeast of Midland...

Presidio Oil Company No. 1 Conring, Presidio County wildcat in section 102, block 4, H&TC survey, had reached 4,500 feet...

Informed sources reveal that the project is still in a volcanic ash formation.

Russell Pool Output Shell Oil Company No. 2 G. M. Cox, is a 1,900-foot extension effort on east side of the Russell Clear Fork-Permian pool...

Location is 660 feet from north and east lines of section 452, block G, CCSD&RGNG survey, and 1,900 feet northeast of the same operator No. 1 Cox, now in process of completion...

Another in Martin The Texas Company has completed another oil well in the South-west Martin County sector of the Mabee field...

He Scored An Ace Before leaving on his recent tour to Alaska, Joe Louis, who has become the most enthusiastic golfer you ever saw, bought a new driver...

One-Minute Sports Page Johnny Sisk, the old Marquette and Chicago Bears halfback, has had three consecutive years been the nation's leading salesman for a large insurance company...

Cox Will Return To United States WITH 13TH ARMORED DIVISION IN ASSEMBLY AREA COMMAND—Pic. Edward A. Cox, brother of Frank and Preston Cox of Midland, now is being processed in preparation for his return to the United States from France...

Operator released official report on the drillstem test at 10,410-460 feet, reported Wednesday, from unofficial sources. The verified version started that chart showed tool was open 35 minutes. A 1,500-foot water blanket was used. The blanket was recovered. There was no flow, no mud, and no shows of oil or gas, or of sulphur.

In The Joins Stanolind Oil & Gas Company and Shell No. 1 Waddell, Ellenburger exploration in section 8, block B-7, ps1 survey, northwest of the proven area in the Wheeler-Ellenburger pool, in East Winkler County, had penetrated below 10,633 feet in the John Basal Simpson.

The Texas Company No. 1 Eaves, East-Central Lea County, New Mexico, project in section 26-16S-38E, 14 miles north of Hobbs, had completed machinery repairs and was making hole past 9,243 feet in lime and chert.

Livestock FORT WORTH—(P)—Cattle 2,000; calves 800; steady; common to medium loads of good fed steers were held above the 15.00 level at 10:30 o'clock; beef cows 8.50-12.25; good and choice fat calves 13.00-14.00; common to medium butcher calves 10.00-12.75; good stocker calves and yearlings 12.50-14.00; replacement cows 6.50-9.50.

Hogs 200, at culling; butcher hogs 1.55; packing sows 13.80; stocker pigs 14.75-15.00. Sheep 5,000; steady; good and choice spring lambs averaging 73 b. 14.00; common and medium spring lambs 10.00-13.00; good 90 b. shorn yearlings 13.00; common and medium yearlings 9.50-12.00; good and choice shorn ewes and aged wethers 7.50-8.00 with common and medium grades of aged sheep 6.00-7.00 and culls 5.00-7.5; good goats 6.00.

Temperature Hits 92 Degrees Here After three straight days of 90 degree maximum temperature, the mercury shot above that mark to hit 92 degrees at 5:30 p. m. Wednesday and remain there until 7 p. m. The night brought relief from the heat as the mercury fell to a minimum Thursday of 69 degrees at 8 a. m.

Gurkha Troops Shelled By Japanese Artillery CAICUTTA—(P)—Gurkha troops who occupied Laya Railway Station 26 miles northeast of Pegu have been shelled by Japanese artillery massed in the lower Sittang River bend area for what Allied officers said might be the show-down battle for that area, Southeast Asia Command Headquarters announced Thursday.

Advertisement for DOBBS hats. Features a large image of a woman wearing a hat. Text includes 'HATTERS TO THE AMERICAN FAMILY', 'Whipaway \$10.95', and 'Dunlop's'.

Civic Spirit Of Midland Praised By Judge Russell

District Judge Henry Russell of Pecos praised Midland's civic spirit in an address to Rotarians at their meeting Thursday noon in Hotel Scharbauer.

Midland has never quit building and Midland has never quit trying," the judge, a former citizen here, declared. "Its civic spirit has never been equalled. It is a true spirit and it always will be maintained. Midland is still driving on."

Criticizes Bureaucrats and government by decree, Judge Russell said Americans will have freedom as long as the right to trial by jury in state courts is preserved. He said federal courts and bureaus are wiping out the jurisdiction of state courts and called on every citizen to preserve state courts, to give his best efforts to jury duty and to keep his confidence in the state courts.

More realistic commentators said the Japanese felt so insecure they were hoarding their money. They called on the government to give real leadership to the people and complained about aircraft production bottlenecks.

Despite these signs of Japanese weakness, Washington dispatches reported U. S. military leaders are planning on a war lasting until late in 1946 and do not count on peace overtures. Americans plan on campaigns in China but Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek reiterated his forces could handle the job.

The Big Three meeting in Berlin may result in Russian entrance in the Pacific War. This would relieve Americans of fighting on the continent.

China's armies are not yet ready or equipped for a grand scale offensive. Most of their victories have been merely taking advantage of Japanese withdrawals.

Australians advanced on both northern coasts of Borneo, penetrating 30 miles inland from the main oil fields on the west. They were supported by light U. S. 7th fleet units in the Balikpapan area on the east.

The Navy Department in Washington disclosed 1,322 fighting ships have been added to the United States' two-ocean fleet in the last five years. This increased to around 1,500 the number of warships in the U. S. Navy.

From Washington also came official word that 1,500,000 Japanese have been killed or taken prisoner by American and British forces and 500,000 others have been cut off or by-passed on Pacific islands.

Nevertheless, Japan still has 5,000,000 to 10,000,000 men, including the emperor's best troops, to defend their homeland.

Cotton NEW YORK—(P)—Cotton prices Thursday noon were 15 cents a bale lower to 5 1/2 high. Oct. 22, 94, Dec. 23, 00, and March 22, 98.

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Advertisement for RITZ LAST DAY The Family Theatre. RAY MILLAND in 'MINISTRY OF FEAR' with MARJORIE CARL and CARL REYNOLDS ESMOND.

Advertisement for REX TODAY FRIDAY Where The Big Pictures Return. JOHN HODIAK ANN BAXTER SUNDAY DINNER FOR A SOLDIER.

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10c WATER BOTTLE
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Choice of colors. (Limit 1 box) **12¢**

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Kiss and Tell

By F. HUGH HERBERT

THE STORY: After the Archer family goes to the movies, Raymond and Mildred come home. Raymond says she has to see Corliss even if her mother did forbid it. While Raymond is talking to Louise the door bell rings. It is Lenny, Corliss' brother, home unexpectedly on leave. He and Mildred are evidently in love and do their best to get rid of Raymond.

ARCHER PORCH CLOSE SHOT—LENNY AND MILDRED

They wait a second, cautiously and then, satisfied that they are alone, they finally run into each other's arms.

MILDRED: (rapturously) Lenny! Oh, Lenny! How marvelous!

LENNY: (his arms still around her) Hello, sweet. Miss me?

MILDRED: (babbling excitedly) Darling, I didn't think you'd be home for days!

They kiss again. They're obviously very much in love.

MILDRED: Look at me—in this old rag. Why didn't Raymond say you were here? He strangle that child! Where's Corliss?

LENNY: They all went to a show. Missed 'em by a couple of minutes.

He starts to kiss her again.

MILDRED: (cautiously) Let's go into the garden, huh?

LENNY: Good idea.

Hand in hand, they hurry through the screen door into the garden.

INT. KITCHEN

Louise is bustling around fixing a snack for Lenny. Raymond is at the keyhole of the door leading to the porch. He turns away, bored.

RAYMOND: They've gone out into the garden. Probably to neck. I think necking's dumb.

LOUISE: (amused) You'll think differently when you're a little older.

Raymond blandly helps himself to some of the cookies being prepared by Louise.

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Butane Dealers May Write Own Insurance

AUSTIN —(P)— Unless insurance companies are willing to underwrite butane risks at the present manual rates, butane dealers will form their own casualty insurance company, said William J. Lawson, executive secretary of the Texas Butane Dealers Association.

He said capital stock and preliminary operating expenses, approximately \$105,000 will be subscribed by butane dealers themselves since they "have no hesitancy in backing their opinion with necessary funds."

TALLEST NATIVE BIRD

The tallest native American bird is the sandhill crane, which attains a height equal to that of an average man when it is standing erect.

McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

By WILLIAM E. MCKENNEY
America's Card Authority

I CERTAINLY enjoyed seeing Gen. Mark W. Clark during his recent visit to New York, and he reaffirmed the fact to me that when things settled down he would be glad to visit one of our Victory Tournaments to help raise funds for war orphans' scholarships.

He told me he managed to get in a bridge game with Major-General Gruenther, his chief of staff, just before he returned to this country. He said: "Gruenther is a good bridge player, but he doubles too often—he doubled me the other night at six and I made even and

EXT. GARDEN CLOSE SHOT MILDRED AND LENNY

She has evidently agreed to marry him, and they are both ecstatically happy.

LENNY: (confidential whisper) I'll pick you up at the crack of dawn and we'll be across the state line and married before breakfast. (brief pause) Okay?

MILDRED: (happily) Sold.

They go into a final clinch.

(To Be Continued)

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GIs Wait On Cliffs To Pick Off Die-Hard Japs In North Okinawa

Promoted

WITH 27TH DIVISION, OKINAWA—(P)—Troops of this U. S. Tenth Army Division are cleaning up the wild mountain country of Northern Okinawa, where die-hard Japanese continue to lurk and frightened Okinawans still hide.

It's a change for the men, under Maj. Gen. George W. Griner of Chapel Hill, N. C., from the thunderous battle on Southern Okinawa. "Our job is just to wait," explained Sgt. George Knesky of Buffalo, N. Y. "We just wait here on this cliff, overlooking the trail you climbed, and if any Jap soldier comes out we let him have it."

The cliff post was part of a blocking line through the wilderness across the entire width of the island—a military version of an immense police dragnet.

With Knesky were Cpls. John Hout of Monette, Ark., Murray Hamrick of San Saba, Texas, and George Werner of Evansville, Ind.

Mop Up Starts

The mopping up sweep started May 17, when the Southern Battle was still raging in full fury.

Another part of the operation is carried out by patrols, driving Japanese into the blocking line and setting up ambushes. Sgt. Adolph Beitel of Red Lodge, Mont., was leading a five-man patrol.

"I heard a gun click in the brush nearby," he said. "I ducked off the trail and a Jap only ten feet away fired twice but missed. I fired into the brush and the Jap jumped and ran smack into another patrol coming up the trail."

Pfc. Emerson Barrett of Pontiac, Mich., took a pistol away from a Japanese soldier which was so small that "if I shot anybody with it, it would probably just make them awfully mad."

CIRCUS STATISTICS

During 1944 Ringling Brothers Circus elephants drank 431,000 gallons of water, the big top traveled 8,846 miles on 80 double-length steel railroad cars, and the animals ate 13,744 bushels of oats.

Muslims observe a month of fasting each year, during which they do not eat, drink or smoke between sunrise and sunset.

Seabee Outfit Has Share Of Characters On Okinawa Island

By VERN HAUGLAND

YELLOW BEACH THREE, OKINAWA—(P)—There's a Seabee outfit here with more than its share of "characters," including the first mayor of Winfield, N. J., and "Bruno," the Human Pin cushion.

"Bruno" is Cousin James H. Upton, a Wisconsin native and former millwright who has served with Seabee stevedore gangs on Guadalcanal and Okinawa. He was a star attraction in freak shows at the Chicago and New York World Fairs.

"When we want to play darts, we just use Bruno," said his friend, Navy Lt. Edward Mackin, 38, of Elmhurst, Long Island, N. Y.

"We paint a neocolor target on his back, and then he lets us stand off and toss darts into it. He bleeds a little now and then because he's out of training, but when he's in condition he doesn't bleed a bit."

"He eats double-edge razor blades, chews glass bulbs, and every now and then wins a bottle of whiskey by offering to eat the bottle's neck. Self-Hypnosis

"He also will let us sew buttons onto his skin, anywhere on his body except his eyes."

"Doctors say he does it all by rigid self-hypnosis. Funny thing, though—when he shaves he cuts himself and bleeds as easily as you or I."

When Winfield, N. J. (population 2,100) was incorporated as a town of defense workers in 1941, James "Tommy" Thompson was selected its first mayor.

Upon setting up camp near Okinawa's Yontan Airfield, Thompson dug a little bomb shelter and put up a sign, "Winfield Community Foxhole—Through These Sandbagged Portals Dive The Fastest Democrats In The World."

HOLD EVERYTHING

7-19

So you're a mind-reader, huh? Well, don't start marching till I give the order!"

BUY WAR BONDS

THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson

ALMOST A MILLION OIL WELLS HAVE BEEN DRILLED IN THE UNITED STATES... WITH OVER 200,000 OF THEM DRY HOLES!

Quiz Komer

WHICH ONE OF THESE ISLANDS IS NOT TOUCHED BY THE EQUATOR? SUMATRA, BORNEO, JAVA?

ANSWER: Java, which lies south of it. Sumatra and Borneo are bisected by the equator.

NEXT: Drinking secrets.

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YOUR BOND WILL BUY A BOMB

"How soon will I get the bomb?"

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OUT OUR WAY —By J. R. WILLIAMS

SHALL I GO HOME AND GET A FRYING PAN?

WELL, FIRST YOU BETTER CUT THE HEAD OFF THAT FISH, AND THE TAIL AND THE FINS AND THE SCALES AND GET THE INSIDES OUT— AND SAVE YOURSELF A TRIP!

THE TOTAL LOSS

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES —By EDGAR MARTIN

I CAN'T BLAME HER! HOW COULD SHE KNOW I'VE BEEN COUNTING THE DAYS TILL I COULD COME TO HER?

NOW IT'S TOO LATE! I JUST CAN'T TAKE IT, I GUESS.

WELL, THERE IT IS. IT'S BACK TO THE RANCH FOR ME.

JUST HOLD ON NOW MY FINE YOUNG BUCKO...

—By MERRILL BLOSSER

WHAT'S EATING YOU TWO SAD SAMS?

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AND NOW HILDA'S GETTING FAN MAIL, SO ITS MY TURN TO DROWN MY SORROWS!

INCLUDE ME IN—I WANT TO GO DOWN FOR THE THIRD TIME!

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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS —By LESLIE TURNER

THE WESTERN PACIFIC IS BLANKETED BY THE VOICE OF A MYSTERIOUS WOMAN, RISING SUNSHINE, OF THE TOKIO RADIO....

...AND YESTERDAY OUR BRAVE KAMIKAZE PLANES SENT THE CRUISER HACKENSACK TO PAVE JONES' LOCKER!

HEY, FELLOWS! WE'VE BEEN SUNK AGAIN!

"YOU AMERICANS ARE SOFT! YOU HAVE THE MACHINES, BUT LACK THE HEART TO WIN THIS WAR..."

WE'LL SHOW THOSE JAP DOGS WHO'S YELLOW!

...DOUGHBOYS WHO SURRENDER TO THE JAPANESE GET GOOD GRUB AND FINE TREATMENT...

AT FIRST, SOME OF HER LISTENERS GROW ANGRY.

AT LEAST SHE GIVES OUR BOYS SOME GOOD LAUGHS!

SHE SPEAKS WITH AN ACCENT, AND HER SLANG IS CONVINCING

EXACTLY! SOUNDS LIKE SOME ONE WHO'D LIVED IN THE STATES

—By FRED HARMAN

MOOOOO...

SOUNDS LIKE CATTLE, BUT I CAN'T FIGURE HOW THEY GET UP THERE!

FAR AS I KNOW, THIS CLIFF IS STRAIGHT UP ON ALL SIDES!

MAYBE BADLAND'S EVIL SPIRIT ME SPOOK-SCARED!

6:00 AM!

RED RYDER —By V. T. HAMLIN

THIS IS TH' PALACE, ALL RIGHT—BUT GOSH! NOW I'M SO CONFUSED I DON'T KNOW WHAT I'M HERE FOR!

LESSEE—I'M MASQUERADING AS ADVISER TO TH' EMPEROR!

OH, YEH, SURE! GOTTA PROMOTE OOOO! AN' BOOM AN' BRONSON OUTA JAIL!

AH, YOUR HIGHNESS, BEHOLD THE MAN OF WISDOM!

HM—PH! IT'S TIME HE SHOWED UP!

IF THIS TAKES MORE BRAINS THAN I GOT, I STILL HAVE MY AX!

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Sanders Furniture Makes Large Gift

Soon citizens of Midland who go to the city's Pagoda Park for a swim, games or for a picnic will not have to worry about cold drinking water.

Velvin Predicts Much Building Here

Midland probably is in for a building boom following the war, J. C. Velvin, owner of the Velvin Lumber Company, predicted.

26 Black Eyes Enough

CHICAGO—(AP)—Mrs. Edna Vegetahn told Circuit Judge Harry M. Fisher that in the three years she has been married her husband, Otto, has given her 26 black eyes.

Psst! Wanna Buy A Sub?

NEW YORK—(AP)—The Australian Commonwealth Disposals Commission offers purchasers a couple of Dutch submarines, says the Australian News and Information Bureau.

Keeps Midland Clean



Despite labor shortages and an unusually large demand for laundry service, the Midland Steam Laundry is giving citizens the best possible service under present conditions.

Minute Inn Keeps Good Refrigeration

Eating establishments must take far more care with their foods in summer months than at any other time of the year as a protection for their customers, Jack Petosky, owner of the Minute Inn, said.

Heroine



"Pauline, of the French Resistance," above, emerges from the Underground and is disclosed as a former New York and Philadelphia socialite. She is Mme. Jacques Allez, formerly Mary Astor Paul of Philadelphia.

Baker Oil Company Increases Use Of Cosden Petroleum Products

Since R. B. Baker became the official distributor in Midland County February 1 for Cosden petroleum products many car, truck and tractor owners are using Cosden products who never used them before.

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B And B Parkway Food Store Offers Shoppers Conveniences

With shortages of food items increasing, customers of the B and B Parkway Food Store at 801 West Wall Street especially appreciate the generous display space and shelving in the store which permits them to determine at a glance which items are available.

By JAMES MARLOW. WASHINGTON—(AP)—Congress has been busy mending some financial fences, including its own. The House members gave themselves an extra \$2,500 for expenses.

And—Congress is playing with the idea, suggested by President Truman, of raising the members salaries from \$10,000 to \$11,500. Postal workers generally will receive an increase of \$300 to \$400 a year.

Because 15 percent is an average figure, some will receive more, some less. For example: A \$1,440 clerk will get \$1,704, or a raise of \$264. That's an increase of 18 percent. A \$4,100 government worker will get \$4,630, that's an increase of \$530, or a 12 percent raise.

By request of President Truman most government agencies have reduced their working week from 48 hours to 44, starting July 1. Workers in those agencies now will get only half the overtime they had been getting, 4 hours instead of 8 a week.

Eventually, they'll be reduced to a straight 40-hour week without overtime. Then see what happens. The clerk whose salary was \$1,440, by working 8 hours overtime a week 52 weeks, was able to boost his total salary to \$1,752.

Now he has received a flat salary increase of \$264. That gives him—adding the \$264 to the \$1,440 a flat salary of \$1,704 without overtime, or \$48 a year less than when he had overtime.

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Man Congratulates Cop After Receiving Ticket

MIAMI, FLA.—(AP)—Police Traffic Officer A. B. Rossman was writing out a citation for an automobile parked within inches of a fire plug when the owner appeared. "I'm glad you're writing me a ticket," the owner said. "It shows you're on your toes."

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