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## Aviation Anniversary

Those who have come to accept transcontinental air travel in a completely matter-of-fact manner are likely to find it difficult to realize that this particular phase of transportation is just now rounding out 25 years of operation.

Although it seems incredible that such advances could have been made within a quarter century, it is a fact that September 8 marks the 25th anniversary of the first scheduled air operation between the Atlantic and Pacific.

It was at 6:14 a. m. on Sept. 8, 1920, that the first such plane—a DeHaviland with 400 horsepower motors and carrying 400 pounds of mail—took off from Mineola, N. Y., on the first leg of the first such transcontinental journey. Planes carried the mail cargo by day, and trains by night. More than three days later, at 2:25 p. m. on September 11, the mail plane landed at San Francisco. Less than six months later, on Feb. 22, 1921, the first demonstration of day and night flying of the transcontinental mail was made. A flight from San Francisco to New York was completed in 33 hours, 21 minutes.

Those achievements properly excited world-wide wonder at the time. Yet how puny they now seem compared with routine, present-day schedules.

Dozens of giant planes operate on daily transcontinental schedules with clock-like regularity in all except the most forbidding weather. The first transcontinental flight speed average of approximately 90 miles per hour has been boosted to around 200 mph. The aggregate mail loads of a single day often exceed the poundage of the first entire year. The operation has become one of the most exact of sciences. And, of course, transcontinental air passenger travel has become entirely routine.

Nor do any of these represent the ultimate in achievements.

On the contrary, the day may not be far distant when everyone will recognize that commercial aviation of today still was in its infancy. Immediately ahead is the promise of scheduled cross-continent flying in nine to ten hours. And those who are considered conservatives—they are not classed as visionaries—predict that the time is not far distant when that time will be reduced very substantially. When one hears discussions of rocket-plane speeds of 1000, 1500 and 2000 miles per hour, no one knows what the future may hold.

Thus, September 8 represents an important anniversary in the history of the nation's and the world's transportation. From that date, it might properly be said, aviation definitely began to prove itself the sure and swift messenger and servant of mankind.

## Polio Prevention

An experiment which the nation, and the world, is watching eagerly is being conducted in Rockford, Ill. An Army bomber was used there a few days ago to spray some 1,650 pounds of the new war-developed insecticide, known as DDT, in an effort to cope with a poliomyelitis problem with which Rockford is confronted—just as many communities have been confronted in recent years.

Polio still is one of the diseases about which medical science knows relatively little. But there is strong evidence to support the belief that insects—particularly houseflies—are among the worst, if not the worst, carriers of the contagion. So the primary purpose of the spraying experiment was to eliminate insects from Rockford as effectively as possible.

If the experiment is productive of results, it still will leave unanswered many questions in connection with polio. But if it does prove effective as a measure of prevention, it will represent a long stride toward greater security of health. It will be ground gained toward the victory which almost certainly will come sooner or later in the war against polio. It will mean lives saved while the fight for complete conquest continues.

## Premium Paid For First 1945 Cotton

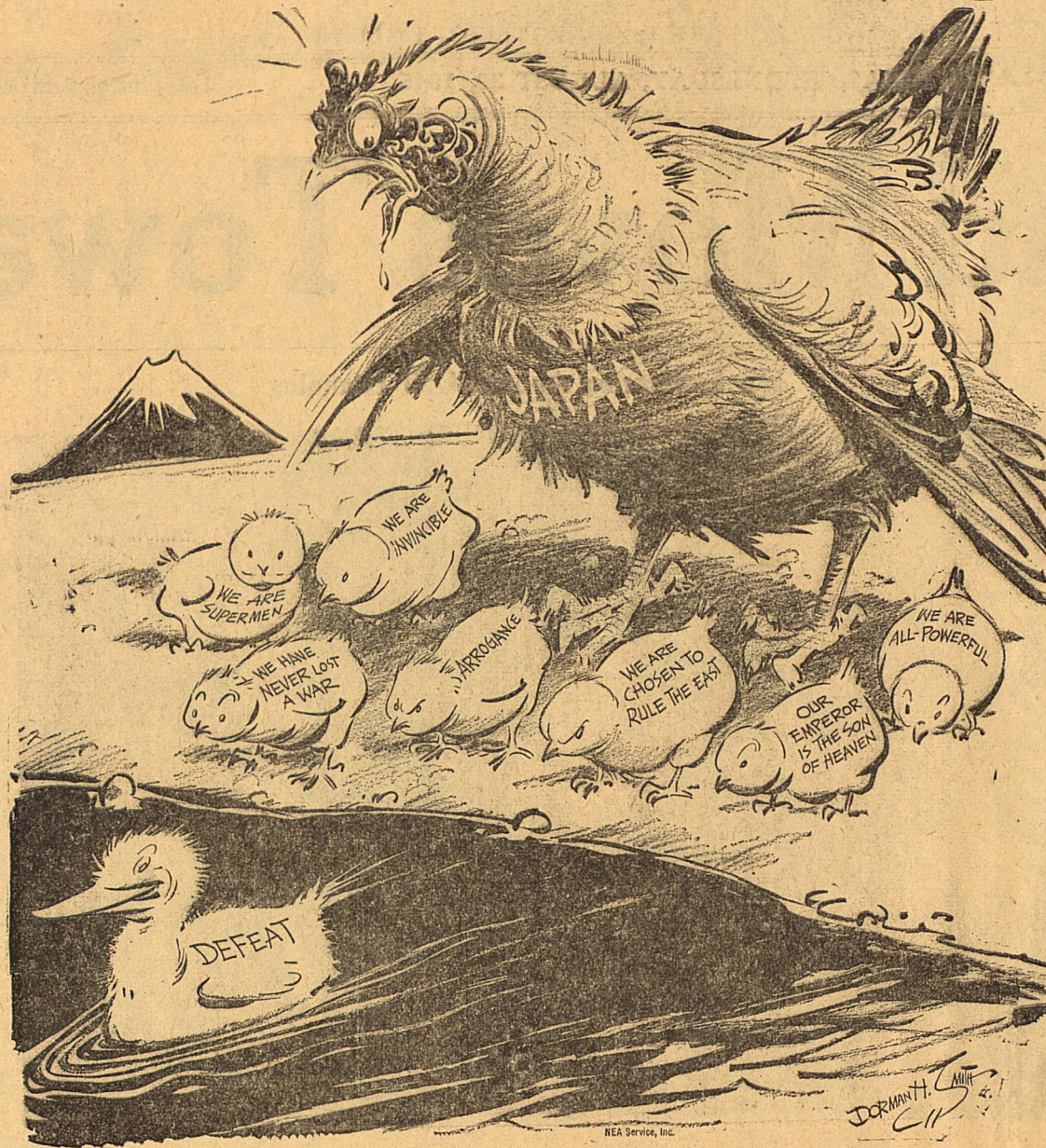
A premium of \$306 has been contributed by Midland business concerns to Oswald H. Raggett for bringing in the first bale of the 1945 cotton crop. The bale was brought in August 18 from his farm nine miles east of Midland.

The first bale of 1944 cotton was brought in September 13 by Delma Ray Blizell.

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## Texas Woman Killed In Mexico Shooting

MEXICO CITY—(AP)—An American woman identified by police as from Texas was killed and another American woman was injured in a shooting near Cuernavaca Monday.

Police identified the dead woman as Mrs. Molly McClaugherty, who they said was also known as Mrs. Molly McClaugherty Price of San Antonio or Corpus Christi, Texas.

Her companion gave her name to police as Miss Elinor Schuster of Clifton, N. J.

Miss Schuster, in a statement to police, said the shooting occurred as the two women were returning from an automobile excursion to Cuernavaca with two Mexican escorts.

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## Congressional Medal Is Awarded To Dallas Officer Posthumously

SANTA MONICA, CALIF.—(AP)—The Congressional Medal of Honor was presented Mrs. Edwina Dealey, formerly of Dallas, Tuesday, for her husband, Cmdr. Samuel D. Dealey, USN, submarine officer listed as missing. Commander Dealey is the nephew of G. B. Dealey, chairman of the board of the Dallas News.

A citation accompanying the medal lauded Commander Dealey for "conspicuous gallantry at the risk of his life above and beyond the call of duty as commanding officer of the USS Harder during a war patrol in Japanese-controlled waters." The commander is a four-time winner of the Navy Cross.

The citation said that while under attack, the Harder sunk five Japanese destroyers in five short-range torpedo attacks.

## Police Seek Prisoners Who Escaped In Storm

HOUSTON—(AP)—State and local officers were on the lookout Wednesday for 16 Latin-American prisoners who escaped from Harlem State Prison Farm No. 1, near Sugarland, during the hurricane Monday night.

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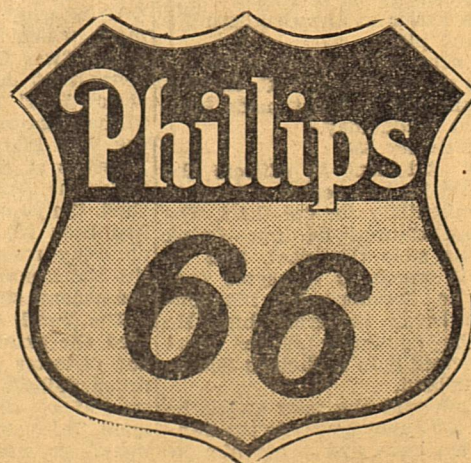
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# Society

## Miss Betty Wendover Awarded Scholarship To New York School

Miss Betty Wendover, Midland County Child Welfare worker, has been awarded a scholarship to the New York School of Social Work, a branch of Columbia University. She was presented this scholarship on the basis of her work at Columbia University several years ago and her work since leaving the university.

Miss Wendover will leave for New York Sept. 17. She will devote her time to the study of psychiatric work which she will apply on her masters degree. A graduate of the University of Texas in Austin, Miss Wendover was connected with the welfare branch in Corpus Christi before coming to Midland in June, 1944.

The welfare worker at Port Arthur, Miss Dorothy Sumner, will arrive here Sept. 22 to replace Miss Wendover.

## MARY FERN BRAY NAMED HONOREE OF BIRTHDAY PARTY

Miss Patsy Warren entertained with a surprise birthday at her parent's apartment in the Crawford Hotel Sunday evening honoring Miss Mary Fern Bray.

Guests for the affair were Misses Eleanor Eastham, Ann Ulmer, Jean Funkhouser, Belva Jo Knight and the honoree.

The hostess was assisted in entertaining by her mother, Mrs. Pat R. Warren.

### MEETING POSTPONED

The meeting of the Friendly Builders Class of the First Methodist Church originally scheduled for Thursday has been postponed to Thursday, Sept. 6. Mrs. Alvin McKee will be hostess for the session.

## Cool For Summer



It's a cinch to get to sleep on even the warmest night when pajamas leave you as bare as these do. There's freedom for tossing in the short legs and sleeveless bodice. And you make a pretty picture, besides, in rainbow striped cotton plisse. The shoulder ruffles add a feminine touch.

## CALL MEETING IS SCHEDULED FOR P-TA COUNCIL

A call meeting of the City P-TA Council has been scheduled for 2 p. m. Friday in the superintendent's office in the high school. All officers of each P-TA unit of the city are urged to attend.

Mrs. Glenn Brunson, president, will preside at this meeting in preparation for the opening of the fall school term.

## Col. E. S. Simpson Returns To Midland; Served Overseas

Lt. Col. and Mrs. E. Seldon Simpson and daughter, Recie, will arrive in Midland Wednesday from Amarillo where they have been visiting in the home of his parents. Mrs. Simpson is the daughter of Maj. and Mrs. Pat R. Warren of this city.

Colonel Simpson recently returned to the states after serving 30 months in the famed Texas 36th Infantry Division which took part in the landing at Salerno and other major battles in the European war.

Seven-eighths of the occupied dwelling units in the United States had electricity or gas lighting in 1944.

## Coming Events

### THURSDAY

Miss Kathryn Hanks will be heard on the Midland County Library broadcast over station KCRS at 4 p. m.

### FRIDAY

Spotters Group Seven under the direction of Mrs. J. P. Cornelius will be in charge of surgical dressings at the Salvation Army USO at 9:30 a. m.

The Ladies Golf Association will meet at 1 p. m. at the Midland Country Club with Mrs. C. W. Chancellor, Mrs. D. R. Dickson and Mrs. W. D. Lane serving as hostesses. Games of progressive bridge will be played during the afternoon.

A call meeting of the City P-TA Council will be held at 2 p. m. in the superintendent's office in the high school.

## MAAF Chaplain Gives Talk At Auxiliary

Chaplain J. L. Russell of Midland Army Air Field was guest speaker at a meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian Church Monday at the church.

In giving his talk on the subject, "Let's Face It Now," Chaplain Russell said: "We need to study the needs of returning service men and women. Also, we should realize the necessity of spiritual preparation for ourselves before we can meet that need."

"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name" was used as the opening song after which a brief business session was directed. Mrs. R. L. Foulkes led in prayer and Mrs. R. F. Peters read Psalms 45.

Refreshments were served at the close of the program by Mrs. M. T. Hartwell and Mrs. W. B. Standefer. Eighteen members were present.

## Volunteers Needed For Canteen Work On Thursdays, Fridays

Mrs. P. H. Liberty has expressed her appreciation for the response on her request for workers at the Red Cross Canteen at the 8th Air Transport Command Station. She said workers are still needed for Thursdays and Fridays.

A large number of ferry pilots visit the canteen each day. Workers at the canteen Sunday served one hundred service men from 3 to 6 p. m.

Coffee import figures show that the United States had a 22.7 per cent greater per capita consumption in 1944 than in 1939.

## Ration Roundup

By The Associated Press

**FATS, MEATS, ETC.**—Book Four red stamps Q2 through U2 good through August 31; V2 through Z2 good through September 30; A1 through E1 good through October 31; F1 through K1 good through November 30; L1 through Q1 become valid September 1, good through December 31.

**SUGAR**—Book Four stamp 36 good through August 31 for five pounds; stamp 38 good September 1 through December 31 for five pounds.

**SHOES**—Book Three airplane stamps 1, 2, 3 and 4 good indefinitely. OPA says no plans to cancel any.

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## Trying to Stretch a Point



The pile of crumpled scratch sheets in background suggests the familiar tussle with income tax, but Coast Guard Photographer's Mate Gilbert J. DeStefano of Brooklyn, N. Y., is just trying to stretch a point here and there to get enough for discharge under Navy system. However, with 37 points, he's still seven shy despite a service record of 24 months and five D-Day landings from Normandy to Iwo Jima and Okinawa.

## Red Cross --

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Matagorda, Jamnson and Wharton counties were reported to be from 80 to 100 per cent ruined by the powerful winds and torrential rains.

In Matagorda County, E. L. McDonald, Bay City banker and P. P. Terry, Bay City stockman and farmer, said 85 per cent of the rice crop and all of the unpicked cotton were lost.

The total crop damage, they said, would amount to almost \$4,000,000. In addition, there was \$500,000 property damage in Bay City and other Matagorda County towns.

In Wharton County, Sheriff T. W. Lane stated the damage to rice, cotton, cattle and property would run probably to the \$5,000,000 mark. Rice and cotton fields in the county were battered by the winds and soaked by a 12-inch rainfall.

Practically every building in Palacios was damaged by the hurricane. City power was off and telephone lines were down. Property damage in the exposed coastal community was estimated at more than \$150,000.

### Port Aransas Hit Hard

Port Aransas, on the tip of Mustang Island in the Corpus Christi area, suffered huge damage from wind and tide when the storm struck in all its fury. Every building in the famed fishing resort was destroyed or damaged. The wind velocity was measured at 135 miles per hour and then the weather bureau gauge broke. Red Cross workers were attempting to get supplies to the island town.

The damage in Calhoun County was estimated at a million dollars and at \$250,000 in Port Lavaca. The cotton crop was ruined, bayfront industries and buildings were totally wrecked and every house in town was damaged. Red Cross workers have arrived and the American Public Safety Patrol and Army helpers from Aloe and Foster Field were aiding. Highway 35 into town was still closed Tuesday night.

Citizens were looking among the debris for an iron cross said to have been brought to that area by LaSalle from France. For many years the cross had been on the front of the Episcopal Church there. Tuesday night the city still was without water, power or communications.

At Galveston and Houston, cities which drew gales and torrential rains from the storm's fringe, the

## Success Of Initial Contact With Jap People Important

By DeWITT MACKENZIE

The world is fortunate in that the American forces which are occupying Japan are seasoned veterans who, from Supreme Commander MacArthur down to the ranks, have learned much of Japanese mentality by hard experience.

Our success in reforming the Japs and making good global citizens of them depends heavily on the initial contact between these still medieval people and the first foreign troops ever to set foot on the mikado's domains as conquerors. It's a great adventure into the unknown, for while Japanese officers were "polite as pie" to the American airborne spearhead of occupation Tuesday yet nobody—not even the harassed Tokyo government—knows how the people of Nippon as a whole will respond to the policing of their homeland.

### Real Change Through Education

Thus far it appears that the Japanese military and the government realize full well their country is beaten into impotence. That's the very excellent state in which we want it for a starter—but while this is an essential step in the reformation of Japan, the real change will come through education and not through manhandling. That's why the relationship established in the early days of the occupation is so vital.

Certainly the qualifications of our high command leave nothing to be desired. MacArthur has had a long and varied experience in the Orient. Lt. Gen. Robert Eichelberger, commander of the U. S. Eighth Army which will occupy the Tokyo area, is a Far Eastern specialist and has had close contact with the Japanese for nearly a generation. We may be sure that the lesser officers have been selected with extreme care.

Netherlands Guiana was transferred by the English to the Dutch in 1667 as an exchange for New York.

## Decision On U Of T Next Land Sale Will Be Made In September

The board of lease of University of Texas Lands will decide at its meeting in September whether or not an auction lease sale of mineral rights on university lands will be held during the fall of 1945.

Oil operators who would like to have certain tracts of land offered at such a sale are asked to mail their requests to Berte R. Haigh, geologist in charge of the Midland offices of University Lands, at P. O. Box 1663, Midland, in time for him to receive them by September 22.

### TAYLORS HAVE GUEST

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Taylor have as their guest Ray Henckel of Ballinger. He was discharged from the Army recently after having been a prisoner of the Germans for two years.

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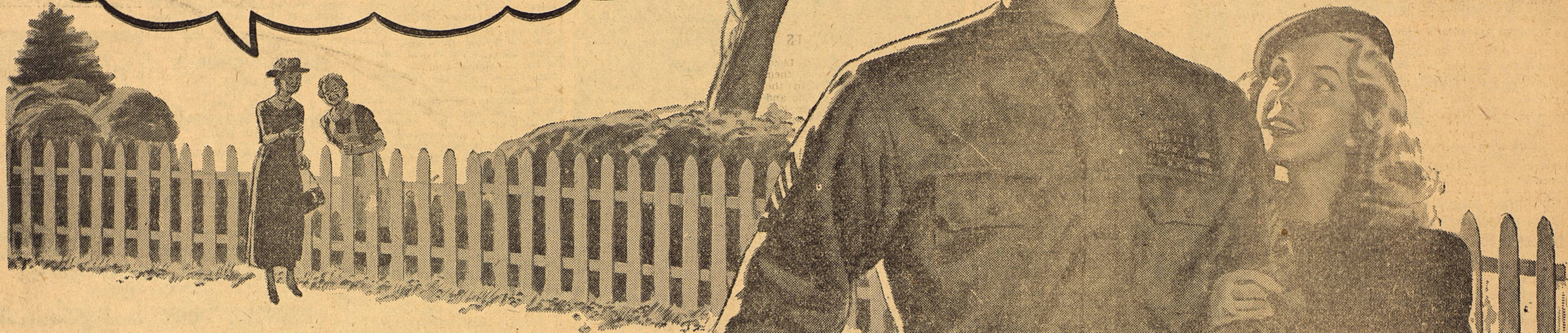
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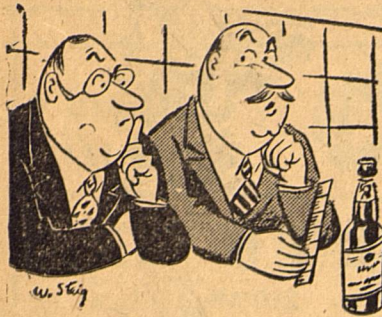
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Government --

(Continued from Page One) thinks a further cut in the work-week, perhaps to 36 hours, is probably necessary to assure full employment in the years ahead.

Other developments from Congress: There were loud protests against continuing the draft.

A House committee has approved a bill to abolish the three-man surplus property board and to put one man in charge of the task of selling billions of dollars worth of unwanted government goods and property.

Now for the news outside of Congress: Home — Builders are aroused over a proposal under consideration for the government to control prices of new home construction. The National Association of Home Builders has asked its members to shower President Truman with protests.

Corporations—The Securities and Exchange Commission said corporations have ample funds for the task of reconversion and expansion. The S.E.C. estimated about 47 billion dollars in available corporate wealth, after allowing for taxes and other debts.

More goods for you—The WPB has started a survey of all the major manufacturing industries to find out when their peacetime products will be available in quantity. Film for snapshots—There should be a good deal of it by October 1.

Cameras—A pretty good supply of simple ones by Christmas. Complicated ones later. Typewriters — Over 120,000 expected to be produced by January 1. But commercial firms have ordered them in advance. You may have to wait.

Butter—Starting Sunday it will take only 12 ration points to get a pound. Now it takes 16. Leather—WPB removed restrictions on using leather in a number of things like luggage, belts, and wallets. WPB said there's enough leather now to increase shoe production "substantially and rapidly."

GOES TO CALIFORNIA Fred Wyoff has gone to Long Beach, Calif., to visit his daughter, Mrs. Horace Smith. Mrs. Wyoff, who now is in California on a visit will return to Midland with her husband.

Honolulu --

(Continued From Page One) southeast offset to same company's No. 1-D University, discovery for Devonian production to open the Three-Bar field in South Andrews County, was coring below 7,130 feet in the Wichita-Albany zone of the lower Permian.

The Three-Bar discovery found Devonian pay around 8,300 feet. Some Indications Condor Petroleum Company No. 1 Cox, Southwest Gaines County wildcat, was coring below 5,048 feet in the San Andres-Permian. A core at 5,020-36 feet, recovered 12 feet of lime with light oil stains and scattered porosity, and another core at 5,036-48 feet, recovered eight feet of the same sort of lime.

Neville G. Penrose, Inc., No. 1 Federal-Penrose, Ellenburger discovery in section 9-22s-37e, in the Eunice area of East Lea County, was to perforate and test at 8,060-8,100 feet.

Flowed 35 BOPI On last test reported from perforated section at 8,100-40 feet, the well flowed at rate of 35 barrels of gravity oil per hour through a 2 3/4-inch tubing choke. During 29 hours of testing through chokes ranging from 16/64 to 32/64, the discovery flowed a total of 853 barrels of oil.

Lion Oil Company No. 1 Eaton, West-Central Pecos County prospector in section 542, block 13, H&GN survey, about two and one-quarter miles southwest of the Fort Stockton field, had progressed below 2,392 feet in dolomite and some observers think it should encounter the Fort Stockton field's Yates sand and lime pay in the next 100 feet.

About Flat Continental Oil Company No. 1 May, in section 10, block 7, EL survey, in Northeast Lynn County, topped the San Andres lime at 3,605 feet on an elevation of 3,045 feet. Some geologists say that point puts the project about flat with the nearest points of geological control, and does not definitely indicate a structure as yet. It is waiting on cement on pipe set at 3,548 feet.

Phillips Petroleum Company No. 1-E TXL in northwest corner of section 39, block 45, TP survey, F-1-S, and about one and three-quarter miles southeast of closest production in the TXL-Devonian field, in West Ector County, is to plug and abandon on total depth of 3,074 feet in lime, on account of trouble, and will skid a short distance and start another hole.

John I. and P. D. Moore No. 1 Half-Bivens, Crockett County exploration to 7,500 feet, in section 65, block 1, H&GN survey, was coring from 3,077 feet, in unreported formation.

Reports in informed circles is that Cities Service Oil Company has worked out a deal to drill an Ellenburger wildcat in Central Ector County, west of the Harper field. Those sources reveal that Cities Service is to take a one-half interest in 1,280 acres of leases in sections 20, 21 and 29, in block 44, TP survey, T-2-S, in return for drilling the well. The leases are

Beginner Students Will Register At School They Attend

Registration of school age children who have not attended Midland schools before will start Thursday at the North Elementary, South Elementary and Junior High schools. The registration includes beginners.

The beginners were reminded by school officials to bring their birth certificates with them when they enroll. Each student should register at the school which he plans to attend. Students whose names start with A through M will register Thursday, and the remainder will register Friday.

Registration hours are from 9 a. m. until noon, and from 1 until 4 p. m.

Lions Entertained By Musical Numbers

Members of the Midland Lions Club were entertained at their meeting Wednesday noon in the Scharbauer Hotel with electric and steel guitar music played by Kay and Rena Kaiser of the Byers Brothers Shows. They played six numbers.

Major Little, 20-year-old midget, was introduced. Cotton Ellis of the shows acted as master of ceremonies for the musical program. J. H. Biggs was program chairman for the day.

J. S. Noland announced the club will stage a carnival the last week of September for the benefit of the organization's charity fund. Announces Calf Roping James L. Daugherty reminded the Lions of the city's annual championship calf roping Labor Day and urged them to attend. T. E. Neely said the tickets for the calf roping will be on sale at the Chamber of Commerce Friday and Monday morning. He urged the Lions to obtain tickets early to avoid the congestion around the ticket booths.

Carl Peay called the Lions' attention to the fact the campaign to obtain funds for the American Cancer Society will end Friday and urged them to make contributions. Frank Monroe presided.

MacArthur --

(Continued From Page One) to bring "such trifles as occasional 'hol-mee'." Marines were told to inspect the wrecked battleship Nagato to make sure her guns weren't operable. The harbor is so littered with battered hulks that Associated Press Correspondent Al Dopping commented "the Japanese are not going to need any American scrap metal for a long time to come."

Among three newly surrendered Japanese submarines was a double-lock plane-carrying undersea craft manned by a crew of 190, more than double the average American sub crew.

Fire Does Damage To Rural Residence Fire Tuesday afternoon partially destroyed the home of Floyd Maxwell and damaged the contents. The home is outside the southwest city limits. Firemen said the fire started in the ceiling. The firemen were able to save the lower part of the house by connecting fire hose with a nearby water trough.

Owned by L. H. Wentz, who is understood will retain the other half interest in the acreage. Definite location for the wildcat has not been revealed.

Scooter Owners Seek Licenses

Midland's youthful motor scooter owners were crowding the tax collector's office at the courthouse Wednesday morning to meet the highway patrolman who is in Midland each Wednesday to take applications for drivers licenses. The scooters were noticeably absent from the city's streets Tuesday afternoon at a meeting of the scooter owners Monday when they were cautioned to obtain drivers licenses if they are eligible.

Livestock

FORT WORTH —(AP)—(USDA)—Cattle 4,000; calves 2,500; moderately active, fully steady; medium and good slaughter steers and yearlings 11.50-14.50; common 9.00-11.25; few good beef cows 11.25-12.00; medium 9.25-11.00; good and choice slaughter calves 12.00-75; medium 10.25-11.50; common 8.25-10.00; good and choice stocker calves, yearlings and steers 11.25-12.75; medium stockers 10.00-11.00; inferior and common 8.00-9.50.

Hogs 100, steady; good and choice barrows and gilts of all weights 14.55; sows 13.80; pigs scarce. Sheep 5,000; active; spring lambs strong; sheep fully 25 higher; medium and good spring lambs 11.00-12.00; cull and common 6.00-10.50; common and good aged ewes 3.00-5.75; cull and common 3.75-4.75.

Cotton

NEW YORK —(AP)—Cotton futures prices at noon Wednesday were 20 to 50 cents a bale lower. Oct. 22.54, Dec. 22.55, March 22.54.

Youths Have Fling In Forest Hills Tourney

FOREST HILLS, N. Y.—(AP)—Youth had its annual fling in the opening round of the National Tennis Championships Tuesday and in the opinion of some qualified experts, two or three of the youngsters may stick around after Wednesday to contend with such established stars as Sgt. Frankie Parker, Bill Talbert and Pancho Segura.

The top trio of youngsters includes Air Cadet Bob Falkenburg of Hollywood, Calif., sixth in the 1944 national rankings and eighth seeded player of the 1945 championships; Herbert Flam of Beverly Hills, Calif., successor to Falkenburg as National Junior Champion; and Herbert Buddy Behrens of Fort Lauderdale, Fla., winner of the boys' championship for the past two years.

Temperature Hits 96 Degrees Here

Summer was back in Midland Tuesday when the mercury climbed to a maximum temperature of 96 degrees for the day from 5 until 7 p. m. Wednesday's minimum temperature of 68 degrees was registered from 5 until 7 p. m.

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# Hearts Bleed Longest

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THE STORY: Brock Kittridge, hero flyer, is coming home to Hildreth, Thayer, the girl he had known for 10 days on his last leave and then married, nervously awaits his return. She recalls their hasty courtship, the short honeymoon, then Brock's insistence she live in his mother's home until he comes back. She is aware of Mrs. Kittridge's coolness towards her, grateful for the friendship of Brock's Aunt Hildreth.

III  
MRS. KITTRIDGE tied the soft bow at her neck for the third time, her hands unsteady. Brock was coming home. If only she might be going alone to meet him; if only. . . . There would be so many people, kindly friendly people; and there would be Thayer, so cool, so poised. She must not break down. She felt she could not bear it, somehow, if Thayer should see her cry.

She turned from the mirror to look at the many pictures of her son which adorned her room. She loved them all; they had been her solace these long months. But her gaze dwelt longest on that of a small boy lying on his stomach kicking his heels in the air. "Oh, Brock," she whispered, tears gathering in spite of her. "I'll make it up to you. I'll make it all right."

This picture here, the one in uniform—she had been looking at the just-delivered print the very day Brock had come into the room and told her he was going to marry Thayer Wayne. She remembered how the unbelievable shock of it had gone through her, how she had said at last, "But Moya, Brock; what about Moya?" "Moya knows, Mom." Such finality in his voice.

She had fought for time. "But to rush so, son; if it's—it's real this girl will wait for you." He shook his head. "You don't understand, Mom." She stared at him, seeing him suddenly a stranger. Made so by a girl he'd known 10 days, the wrong girl.

Corinne Kittridge had known

a color Brock liked and she'd chosen painstakingly, giving much thought to the rich brown accessories and topcoat. In her room she had thought I look nice. Now she wondered. Moya in powder blue and white lambskin looked like spring itself.

"Are you driving, Thayer?" asked Mrs. Kittridge as they went to the car. "Thayer's so wonderful," she remarked to Moya. "She'd have even gone to work today."

Thayer made no answer but concentrated on her driving. When they reached the airport her heart sank. There were so many people. Oh, why. . . .

She parked the car and they got out to wait. Her throat felt dry, her stomach queer. Every time she turned her head she caught watching glances. Mrs. Kittridge was nodding and bowing, and holding tightly to Moya's arm.

A voice said in Thayer's ear, "I like the way you look, child," and she felt Hildreth's quick hard grip.

Then there came a faint humming, growing incredibly in the space of seconds to a great roar as the plane appeared against the April sky. Near, swooping down, rushing toward them, stopping—and Thayer's heartbeat stopping with it.

People getting off. Then Uncle Judson and the stewardess, pausing, reaching up to help someone. A man awkwardly handling a pair of crutches, a man in a captain's uniform with his right leg off above the knee. A cheer, gathering force, and Mrs. Kittridge crying, "Brock, Brock, my boy!"

They were swept toward him, his mother had her arms about him, all but unbalancing him. She was saying his name over and over and Thayer saw his face, white, thin, tense. A man's face bearing no resemblance to the laughing boy she'd kissed goodby. Then the desperate searching of his glance encountered hers. She felt tears acid behind her lids and torture in her throat. She was beside him, her arms reaching up to him, her face raised to his kiss. She felt his lips tremble. He said, "Thayer. . ." just a whisper.

(To Be Continued)

# McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

By WILLIAM E. MCKENNEY  
America's Card Authority

Here is a hand sent to me by a reader in Asheville, N. C., who does not wish to have his name appear. I found the point explaining in the hand very interesting.

Looking at the hand, it would appear that declarer has only a losing spade, a losing diamond and a losing club. West might just proceed to take out the trumps, take the spade finesse while he is in dummy, and before he knows it he will have lost the contract.

After ruffing a club, West's first play should be the queen of spades. If North refuses to cover, declarer has no problem; but if North wins with the king and leads a club, this must be ruffed and the diamond king led. South should refuse to win this trick, hoping that a diamond will be continued, which he will win and lead a diamond back for North to ruff.

At this point declarer should proceed to pick up the trumps, being careful to save the three spades in dummy, which are good.

♠ K 10 8  
♥ 9 8 4 2  
♦ 10 7  
♣ 10 8 7 2

♠ A Q 3  
♥ A Q J 10  
♦ 6 5  
♣ K Q J

♠ J 6 4 2  
♥ K 3  
♦ 8 6 3 2  
♣ Q 5 3

Dealer

♠ 9 7 5  
♥ 7  
♦ A 9 5 4  
♣ A K J 9 6

Rubber—Both vul.

South West North East  
1 ♠ Double Pass 1 ♠  
Pass 3 ♣ Pass 4 ♣  
Opening—♠ 2, 29

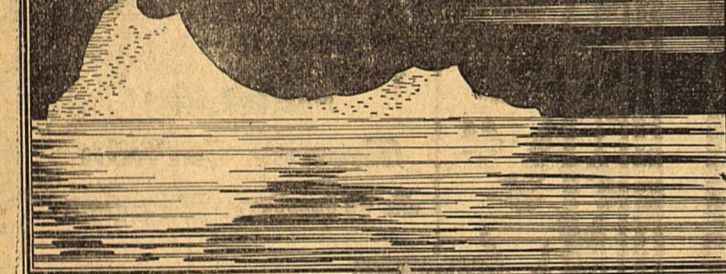
## Texas To Spend \$50,000 Improving State Parks

AUSTIN—(AP)—The State Parks Board plans to spend approximately \$50,000 during the next six months as the first step in its postwar improvements program.

Included was an item of \$10,000 for purchase of heavy equipment to improve roads. Most state park development has been at a standstill since the start of the war.

Rattlesnakes add from two to three "rattles" annually, and sometimes as many as four.

## THIS CURIOUS WORLD



**Kwik-Korner**

This state is considered the geographical center of the North American Continent.

Yours, Private Elmer.

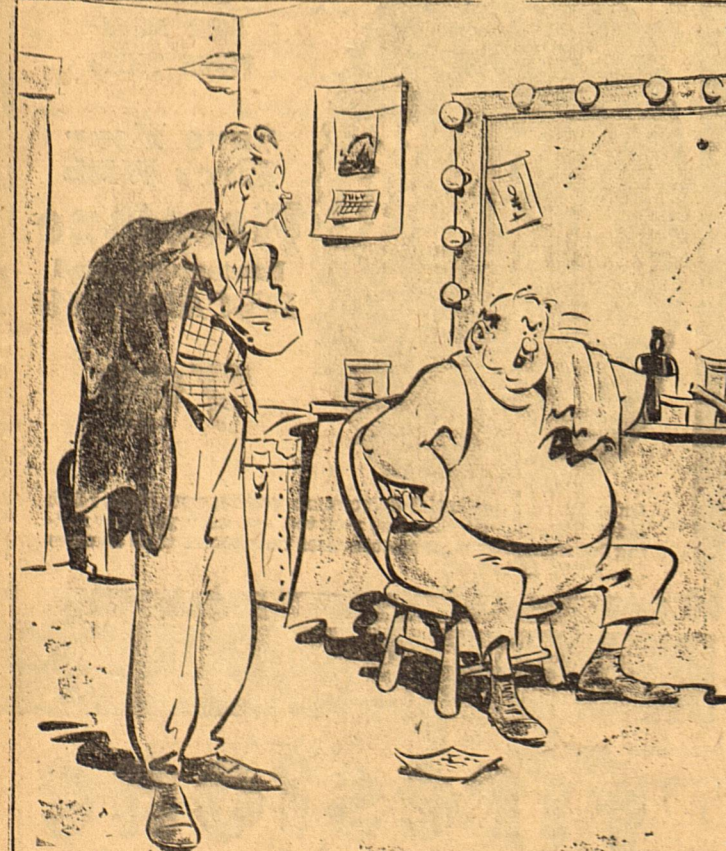
**DRONE HORNETS, LIKE DRONE BEES, CANNOT STING!**

WHERE'S ELMER?

ANSWER: In North Dakota, just west of Devil's Lake.

NEXT: Around the earth in 15 minutes.

## CARNIVAL



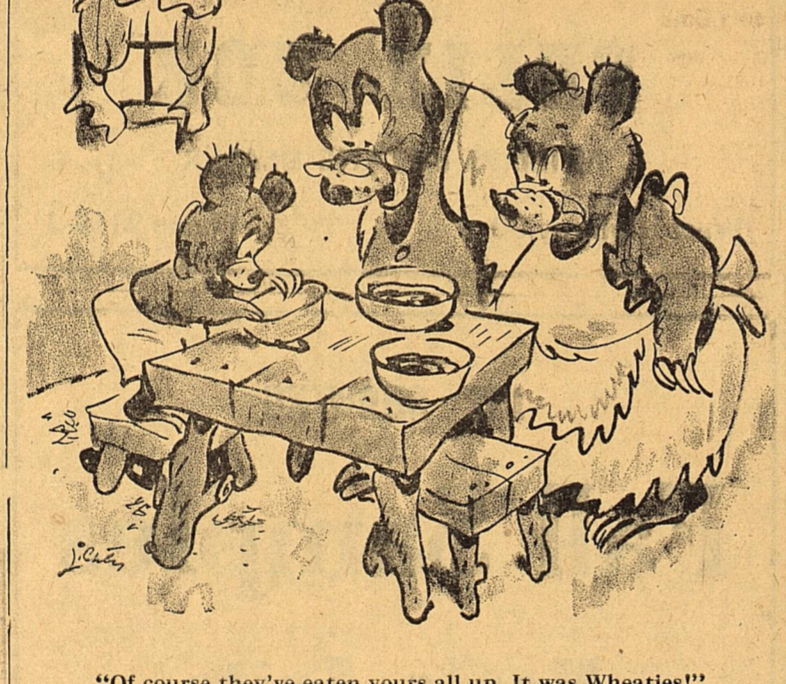
"Of course I can go through a cigaret line as often as I like—I'm not known as Broadway's man-of-a-thousand-faces for nothing!"

## Navy Blimp Observers Make Life Hot For Tuna

TILLAMOOK, ORE.—(AP)—Schools of tuna have only a sucker's chance since the war put flying fishermen over the Pacific.

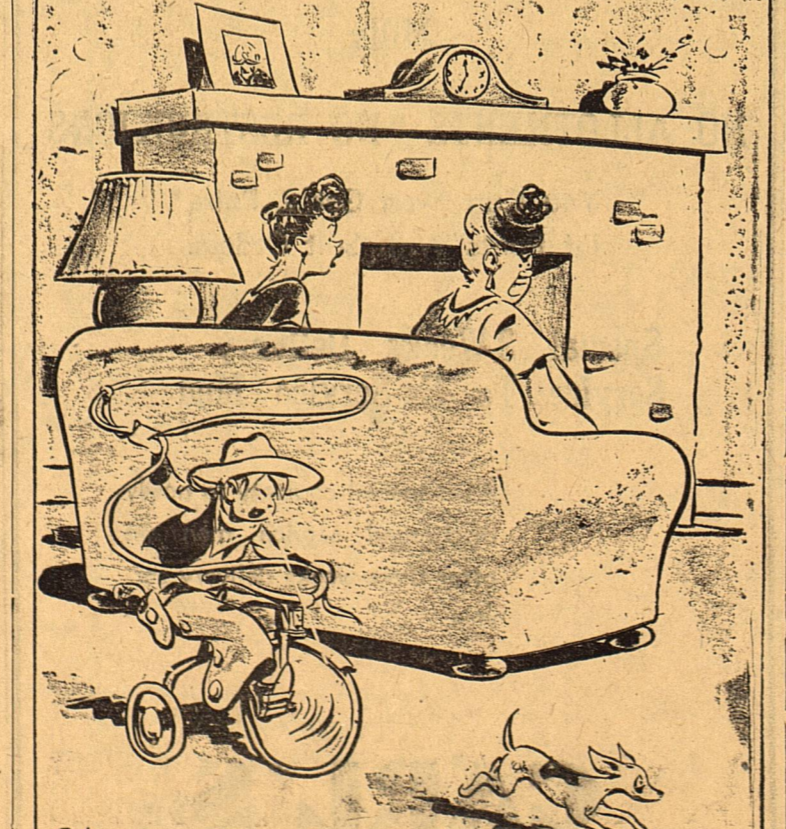
Crews of Coast Guard blimps patrolling offshore waters for enemy subs and distressed vessels also devote their aerial watch to spotting tuna. When a school is located, the blimp radios to regular stations at Astoria, Ore., or Aberdeen, Wash., where the signal is relayed to commercial fleets at sea.

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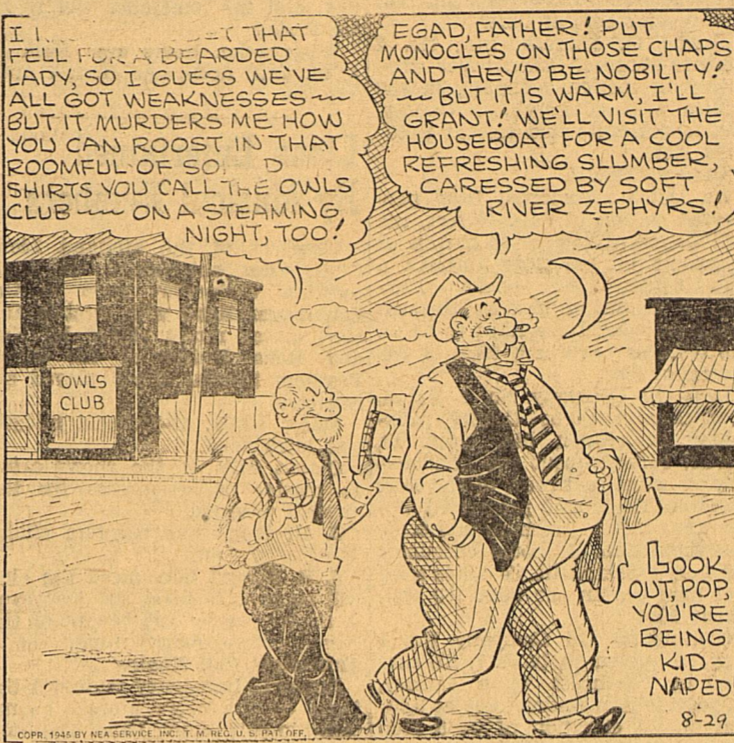
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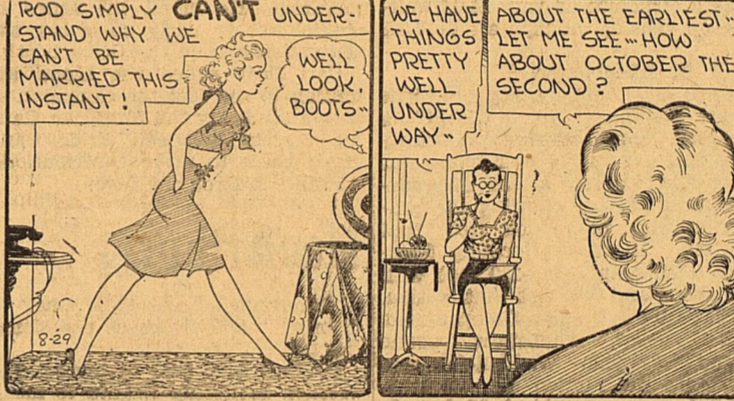
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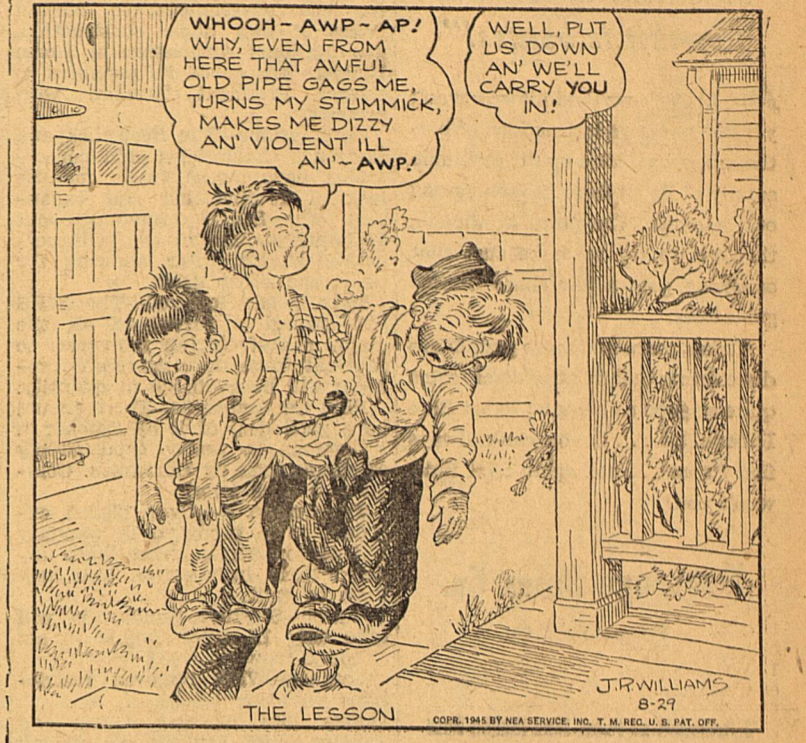
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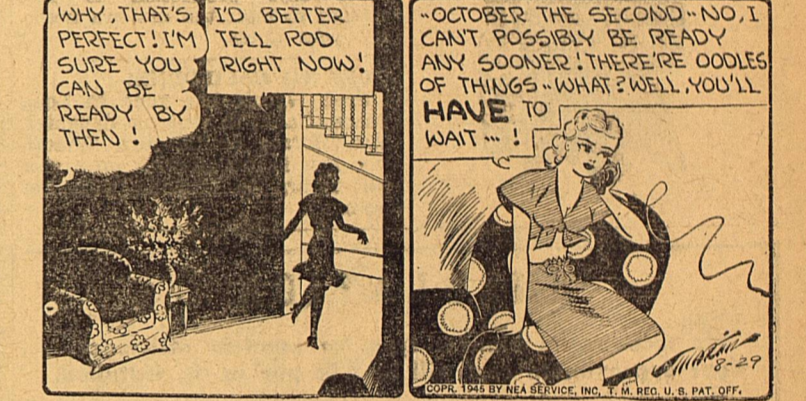
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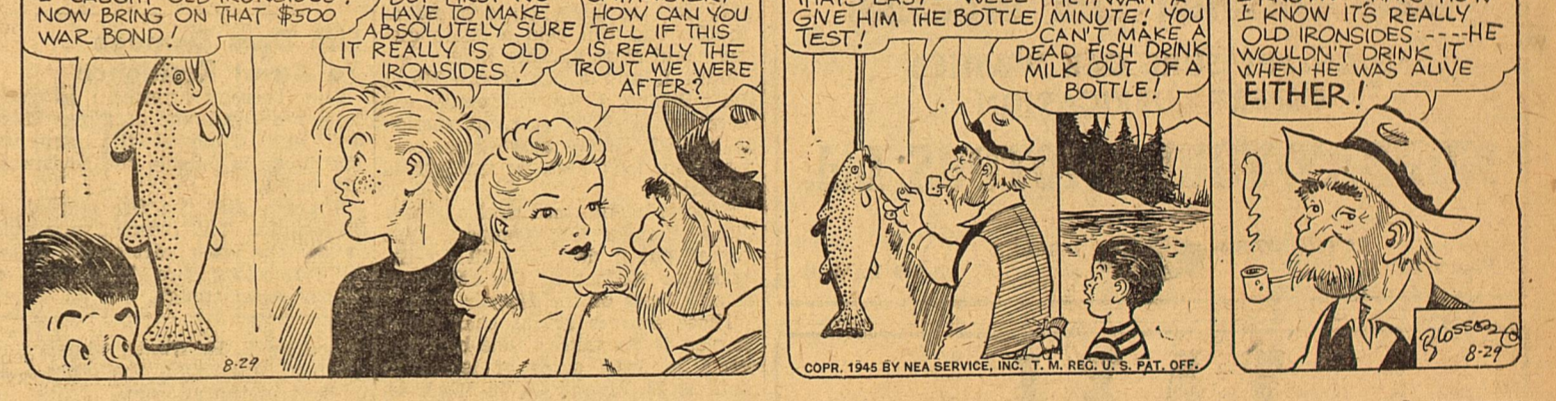


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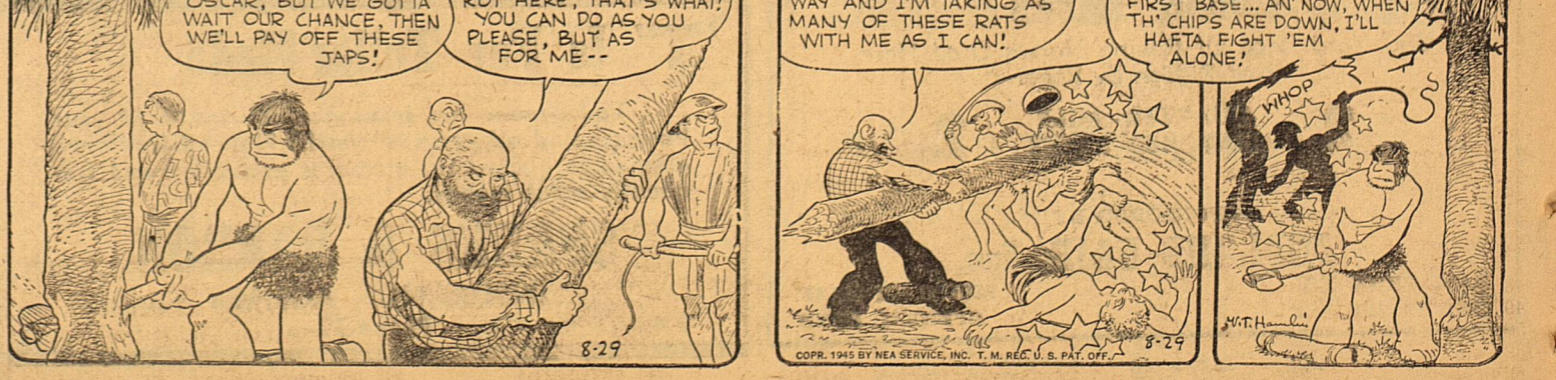
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### SPORTS ROUNDUP

NEW YORK—(P)—Distance may lend enchantment—but not to a guy who has to ride a great distance in a bus between night baseball

#### Simmons Star As Ruth Nine Wins Boys Game

NEW YORK—(P)—Sixteen-year-old Curtis Simmons, of Egypt, Pa., early Wednesday was honored as the All-American boy of the annual Esquire All-American Boys baseball game at the Polo Grounds. Simmons helped Babe Ruth's East team gain a 5 to 4 triumph over Ty Cobb's West outfit before 23,827 fans Tuesday night. He pitched the first four innings, then was shifted to the outfield for the last five. His triple in the ninth started a three-run rally that won the game.

#### Dallas Yank Falls For Sonja Henie—2,000 Feet

DALLAS—(P)—Second Lt. Wooster Morgan of Dallas fell for Sonja Henie. In fact, he fell about 2,000 feet. The movie actress participated in a parachute demonstration, Morgan writes his folks, and acted as jumpmaster. When she said jump, he jumped.

games. . . That's the theory being followed by Arthur Ehlers, newly-appointed minor league promotion director. . . As president of one of the "bus leagues"—the Interstate—Ehlers has a good idea of the importance of distance and he hopes to bring about a number of realignments when he gets around to re-organizing disbanded leagues and starting new ones.

**Looking Way Ahead**  
Once things are started again in all sections, Ehlers has some rather ambitious promotional plans. But he wants to work slowly to be sure that there are enough players to go around and that leagues don't spring up just to die down again. . . He already has sounded out the "farm" directors of various major and big minor clubs about a meeting at which they'll outline their needs and eventually he hopes to provide aid and incidental intelligence for small club business managers to help them operate their clubs successfully.

**Headline Headliner**  
No explanation needed for this line by Ben Greenstein of The Wilmington, Del., Journal. "As Feller throws so goes the pennant in the American League."

**One-Minute Sports Page**  
Spud Chandler, who has picked up a good many extra pounds as athletic director at Moore General Hospital at Swannanoa, N. C., is running around the mountains trying to shed it so he can report to the Yanks before long in pitching condition. . . The Philly Eagles plan to fly to and from Buffalo for their September 8 exhibition and the Green Bay Packers are dickering with the same outfit—National Skyway Freight Corp. Naturally, you wouldn't expect passenger planes to transport that much beef on the hoof.

### Fast One!



#### St. Louis' Dream Of Another Town Series Vanishes

By JACK HAND  
Associated Press Sports Writer  
St. Louis dreams of another Sportsman's Park World Series appeared faded Wednesday with the winning streaks of the Cardinals and Browns broken while the Chicago Cubs and Detroit Tigers resumed their winning ways.

Failure of Billy Southworth's Red Birds to beat the second division Cubs is haunting the defending world champs in their desperate stretch drive to overtake the front-running Bruins from Chicago. After six straight wins the champs were halted by Cincinnati Tuesday night, 3-2, by the slender margin of Eddie Miller's eighth inning home run off reliever Red Barrett, trying unsuccessfully to become the National's first 20-game winner.

Southworth gambled on rookie Glen Gardner from Rochester to beat Cincinnati, perhaps hoping to conserve talent for the weekend series with Chicago. Cubs Oblige Grimm  
Grimm celebrated his 46th birthday in happy fashion by trimming Pittsburgh, 6-3, with the help of Peanuts Lowrey's three-run homer off Fritz Ostermueller. Hank Borowy, the fellow who doesn't win in late summer according to Larry MacPhail, registered his fifth victory against two losses for the Cubs. By the combination of events Chicago's lead was stretched to 3 1/2 games.

Brooklyn took a firmer grasp on third place by a 7-1 romp over the Phillies with Les Webber going to the relief of Art Herring who gave way to a shoulder ailment after two innings.

As the New York Giants and Boston were not scheduled, the Dodgers now hold third spot by two full games.

**Detroit Cools Browns, 10-1**  
Hal Newhouser cooled off the Browns in the American League feature, 10-1, allowing only four hits on his way to his twenty-first victory. The lean Detroit lefthander struck out nine and coasted home with the help of some heavy home run thumping by Roy Cullenbine, Hank Greenberg and Bobby Maier. Bobby Feller's second start for Cleveland lacked some of the dash of his first appearance but the fireball merchant had little trouble handuffing Chicago, 8-2. The ex-sailor walked seven and struck out six White Sox.

The New York Yankees continued to come on, running their new string to five by whipping Boston, 9-7. Walt Duhon earned his fifth decision over the Red Sox with some late-inning help from milkman Jim Turner. Despite their fourth place standing, the Yanks only six games back of Detroit with a long home schedule ahead, are in a fair strategic position.

Washington stuck on the tail light of the Tigers, 1 1/2 lengths behind, on a 6-5 edge over Philadelphia, made possible by Rick Ferrell's ninth inning homer, his first of the season.

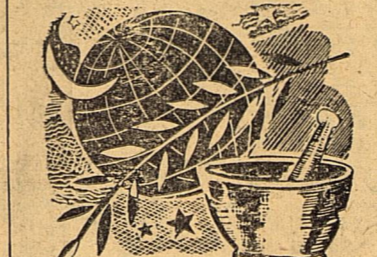
### Standings

National League		
Teams	W	L Pct.
Chicago	75	43 .636
St. Louis	73	48 .603
Brooklyn	67	53 .558
New York	67	57 .540
Pittsburgh	65	61 .516
Easton	56	67 .455
Cincinnati	48	72 .400
Philadelphia	36	88 .285

American League		
Teams	W	L Pct.
Detroit	69	51 .575
Washington	68	53 .562
St. Louis	64	56 .533
New York	61	55 .526
Cleveland	62	57 .521
Chicago	65	61 .498
Boston	57	64 .471
Philadelphia	36	80 .310

**TUESDAY'S RESULTS**  
National League  
Cincinnati 3, St. Louis 2.  
Chicago 6, Pittsburgh 3.  
Brooklyn 7, Philadelphia 1.  
Only games scheduled.  
American League  
Detroit 10, St. Louis 1.  
Cleveland 8, Chicago 2.  
New York 8, Boston 7.  
Washington 6, Philadelphia 5.



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#### Huge Crowd To Attend All-Star Tilt Thursday

CHICAGO—(P)—Soldier Field, the huge stadium on Chicago's lake front, isn't big enough to accommodate all the fans who want to see the All-Star football game Thursday night.

Arch Ward, sports editor of the Chicago Tribune, sponsor of the grid classic, said Wednesday if accommodations were available, the crowd would number more than 135,000. Ward said the ticket demand for the year's clash exceeds any previous All-Star event. Some 30,000 are expected.

Christopher Wren was the architect for London's famous St. Paul's Cathedral which still stands amid the ruins of the blitz.

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