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British Teach Offense Is Best Defense



British troops at home are being given vigorous exercises as well as learning fundamentals of defensive warfare on the theory that aggressiveness is the key to proper defense. Here, an anti-tank tank is ready to go into action after "Tommy's" had hauled it up a cliff-side during recent preparatory exercises in England. (NEA Telephoto)

NAZIS CLAIM BRITISH IN FULL RETREAT

London Admits That Balkan Situation Is Serious

Germans reported today that British forces in Greece were in full retreat and predicted the surrender of Greece within three days. The nazis claimed to have driven 100 miles into Greek territory. Athens denied that the Germans had advanced this distance, but admitted that the allied forces had fallen back 50 miles.

London said the situation was serious and that the allied forces were split and fighting on several fronts. What probably is the decisive battle of the campaign was raging around Larisa, about 35 miles south of Mount Olympus.

There were rumors that Yugoslavia had sued for armistice, but no confirmation was available. A German commentary, Dienst aus Deutschland, hinted the Balkan hostilities may soon be ended, with what it called the withdrawal of British forces.

Dienst said remnants of the Serbian army are surrounded by German and Italian forces with surrender "a matter of time." Nazid Break Through.

The German army, increasing its pressure on the Greek-British front line, broke through an important mountain pass 50 miles inside Greece at Statista, Greeks admitted last night.

The nazis, said the Greek spokesman, had "reached the western outlet," of the pass—presumably had gone through it in some force—and thus apparently they had got beyond a 6,000-foot high mountain range into relatively open country to the south.

The allied right, so far as could be learned, was substantially still intact.

Nazi advances on the right-center, across the Aliakmon river north of Serbia, which lies 65 miles into Greek territory, were claimed in Berlin, but this thrust appeared of relatively minor present importance, for it apparently had not carried the Germans forward to the point where the main British defense zone had been formed.

Generally the Germans spoke in retreat, the British for their part claimed that there had been no activity in their sector save for several lunges by Nazi mechanized forces, all of which had been beaten back.

The German thrust to Statista was accomplished after earlier occupation of the pass of Vlachos-Klissura, which is some 20 miles to the north, and followed the announced Nazi capture of the towns of Kozane and Ptolemais.

The Italians leaped into a new activity against the Greeks with dual thrusts. One offensive was from Corizza southeast to a junction with the German columns above Statista; the other, was pointed at Argirocastro in southwest Albania, and the apparent intention was to recapture the whole of Albania from the Greeks.

The official German version of the situation was that "the remnants" of the Yugoslav army were entrapped and in hopeless case, and that among new prisoners was the commander of the Serbian south army.

German Troops Enter Zareb



From a streetcar and curb, crowds hail German motorcycle troops entering Zareb, northern Yugoslavian city which becomes capital of the Independent Croat state after being recognized by Adolf Hitler. This picture was radioed from Berlin after being passed by German censors.

College Seniors to Make Tour Over Week-End

The senior class of Cisco Junior college, accompanied by sponsors Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Stamey, will start on senior tour Thursday afternoon. The students expect to be gone over the week-end.

Carlsbad caverns is their destination and on the return trip the students will visit Mexico and McDonald observatory.

The seniors have been planning this trip for a month, not only for pleasure but also as an educational-trip. To obtain funds, they have sold candy and soda water at the college and helped to sponsor the donkey basketball game between the high school and college players.

Those planning to go are Nelda Wood, Elizabeth Bailey, La Verne Dill, Royell Tucker, R. D. Donham, Margaret Holland, Gladys Hoffman, Jim Bob Edwards, Gladys French and Nadeene Huestis.

Navy Calls For Reserve Mechanics

DALLAS, April 16 (Sp.)—Navy recruiting officials here today issued a call for diesel engine men, hospital men, cable operators and graduates of aviation ground crew schools.

King Lobo 8th Is Chosen By Student Body

King Lobo VIII to be crowned in elaborate coronation ceremonies at Chesley Field on the night of Friday, May 2, was chosen by secret ballot of the high school student body in chapel this afternoon.

A spectacular highlight of the coronation will be a pageant-musical, depicting the past 100 years of Texas history, by 1000 Cisco school children, under the direction of Miss Vernelle Stinson, public school music teacher.

The court of King Lobo VIII made up of nobility from Cisco and surrounding schools. Dukes and duchesses from the three lower classes of high school have been announced as follows: Junior, Naidine Johnson and Raymond Thomas; sophomore, Glenn Doggett and Dorothy Jean Anderson, and freshman, Paul Moseley and Catherine Johnson.

Attend Christian Convention Tuesday

Among the Ciscoans who attended Tuesday sessions of the state convention of Christian churches at Breckenridge yesterday were the Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Ward, Mr. and Mrs. George Grosskopf, Rev. J. R. Stockard, Mrs. James Flournoy, Mrs. F. E. Shockley, Mrs. J. F. Benedict, Mrs. W. R. Winston, Mrs. John Elkins, Mrs. J. A. Ward, Mrs. Edward Lee, Mrs. Rex Moore, Mrs. L. C. Moore, Mrs. L. D. Wilson, Mrs. Howard D Spain, Mrs. Sam Kimmell, Mrs. George Atkins, Mrs. W. C. Hogue, Mrs. Roy Fonville, Mrs. J. S. Mabley, Mrs. H. H. Tompkins, Mrs. C. R. West, Mrs. J. A. Tune, Mrs. J. T. McKissick, and Misses Alice Bacon, Ethel Mae Wilson and Mary Elizabeth Wright.

Cisco Homemakers to San Antonio Rally

The Homemaking department of Cisco high school is planning to send representatives to the state homemaking rally in San Antonio from April 30 to May 3. Miss Billie Bishop of the Homemaking department said that there will be representatives from first, second and third year classes, and a club delegate.

C. C. Clifton With Humble 30 Years

C. C. Clifton, superintendent of the New Orleans district of the Humble Oil and Refining company, formerly of Cisco, has been presented with the company emblem signifying 30 years service with the company.

Spring Carnival Is Planned by Juniors

At a recent meeting of the junior class of Cisco Junior college, a committee was appointed to work out the plans for a spring carnival.

Booths and other types of entertainment will be provided and proceeds will be used to finance the junior-senior banquet. The public will be invited to attend.

The committee consists of Helen June Ferry, Thelma Gibson, Troy Caraway, L. M. Yarbrough and Melba Wood.

WARWICK NEW SECRETARY OF CISCO COFC

Accepts Position to Assume Duties on May First

P. R. Warwick was elected secretary of the Cisco chamber of commerce at the meeting of the board last night. Mr. Warwick, who will assume his duties on May 1, will succeed Joe A. Clark, who resigned April 1 to enter private business. He formerly held the post for one year.

During the period between now and active assumption of his duties, Mr. Warwick will devote some of his time to the secretaryship both to become better acquainted with his duties and to assist in programs which the chamber has under way at this time.

Nick Miller was named chairman of a group to welcome a delegation of Dublin business men who were to arrive by special bus this afternoon to advertise the annual World's Championship rodeo at Dublin. The group will be here for about 30 minutes.

Information sought by the newly organized Southwest Feeder Airlines, Inc., who are planning a system of subsidiary airlines to transport mail, express and passengers from smaller points to larger commercial aviation centers, was directed to be furnished the new company. A letter from Tom Hardin, president of the Southwest system was read to the board.

Reports on the airport project here were made by H. H. Monk of the airport committee and further improvement of the new field, developed on land recently purchased from Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wilson, was discussed. Plans to seek a government grant to develop the port for commercial rating are being carried out at this time, the board was told.

Suppt. R. N. Chuck of the Cisco schools, who is also a member of the board, reported on the success of the schools in securing first class rating for the Cisco Junior college. The college has been approved for this rating by the Texas Association of Colleges.

Two hundred dollars was set aside for prizes and expenses incident to the annual livestock show next year. This action was taken early in order to allow T. G. Caudle, agricultural secretary of the board, and the livestock committee to make their plans on a definite basis.

Vice President Dick Lauderdale of the board presided at the meeting.

Ex-Ciscoan Praised for Work at Ft. Bliss

Charles Fleming, chief steward for the post exchange at Fort Bliss, is warmly commended for his efficiency in supervising the buying and selling of merchandise at the army post in a recent story in the El Paso Times. Mr. Fleming, formerly a Cisco resident and resident of M. H. Fleming of this city, selects and buys every item of merchandise sold the soldiers through the exchanges at Fort Bliss.

"Eleven years of untiring effort, during which his keen knowledge of values, coupled with exceptional buying and selling ability and his intensive study of human nature, has earned him the reputation he now enjoys, that of being second to none of the chief stewards in the employment of the war department," says the Times.

Weather

EAST TEXAS: Cloudy with showers in east and central portions Wednesday. Thursday, cloudy with showers in east portion. Fresh to occasionally strong southeast and south winds on the coast.

WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy Wednesday and Thursday with afternoon showers over the south portion. Little change in temperature.

Mexican City Said to Waste Earthquake

MEXICO CITY, April 16 (Sp.)—The city of Colima was reported to waste Tuesday night with the result of a large casualty list and the south half of Mexico today had inflicted damage valued at \$1,000,000 in fires and destruction here in the capital.

Reports, coming from the Colima state military garrison, it was feared numerous victims were dead in the ruins.

Dispatches from the Pacific coast reported that there were reports of the blacked-out city and the efforts of local firemen to hold them in check, the district press office said.

The quake knocked out telephone and telegraphic communication. The fire here razed an entire block before it was brought under control.

Colimans, Mexico's second largest city, also reported feeling of dual shock, and Oaxaca, east of the capital, felt a tremor.

A tiny mountain mining community was shaken and reported all principal thoroughfares were cracked and some buildings were expected to collapse.

LIONS CLUB NOMINATES NEW OFFICERS

O. L. Stamey was nominated for president of the Cisco Lions club in the report of the club's nominating committee at today's luncheon in the Laguna hotel. Jack Anderson, chairman of the committee, presented the report.

Other nominations for the election two weeks hence, are: N. C. Huston, first vice president; R. W. McCauley, second vice president; Bruce Younger, secretary; Carlos Turner, lion tamer; Droel Looney, tail twister; J. T. Eggen, treasurer; Stanley Webb, song leader; H. R. Garrett and Charles Sandler, directors, and Miss Betty Slicker, club sweetheart.

The club was entertained by the public speaking class of Cisco high school, taught by Miss Elizabeth Daniels, with a program of pantomimes.

Charles Sandler reported that the annual Easter egg hunt, sponsored by the club, was one of the most successful ever held, with hundreds of children taking part in the hunt at the Cisco parks Sunday afternoon. There were plenty of eggs and the cost of arranging the Easter outing was less, Mr. Sandler told the club.

Ted Twister Looney, who is extremely enthusiastic for the business of assessing fines upon members for real or fancied infractions of club rules, was himself in trouble at today's luncheon.

Club members accused Looney of having buried some of the prize eggs at the hunt Sunday afternoon and having bargained with three high school youths to split the prizes with him. When he refused to plead guilty, his accusers produced the three alleged co-conspirators as witnesses, declared him guilty and voted that he be fined. He appealed for a week in which to think the matter over, which was granted.

Funeral for Ranger Man at 4 Today

RANGER, April 16 (Sp.)—Funeral services for G. R. Getts, who died in Ranger Tuesday morning, will be held at 4 p. m. Wednesday at the Killingsworth chapel. The Rev. H. B. Johnson, pastor of the First Christian church of Ranger, and the Rev. Clarence C. Elrod, pastor of the First Presbyterian churches of Eastland and Ranger, will be in charge of the services.

Burial will be in Evergreen cemetery, following the services at the chapel. Active pallbearers will be Charles Bobo, Hauford Bobo, William Bourdeau, Calvin Brown, Max Obr and R. S. Balch.

Miss Alice Spencer returned today to Texas university in Austin after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Spencer. Her mother took her back to school.

Citizens Are Thanked For Clean-up Aid

"Cisco is cleaner than at any time since I have been with the city," Street Supt. Joe Clements told the Cisco Daily Press today as the current clean-up campaign drew to a close. Trucks of the city have been employed several days in hauling away the trash that accumulated during the drive.

"We are certainly grateful to the people for their cooperation," Mr. Clements said. "They have responded in a fine manner and the results show themselves in the clean and attractive condition of the residential areas."

"We hope that they will continue to cooperate with the city in keeping Cisco clean from here on by arranging to have the shrub and tree cuttings which accumulate in trimming shrubbery about their homes, hauled away themselves. It will be impossible for the city trucks to haul away this extra trash because they will be employed every available moment on the WPA street projects that we are carrying on. By cooperating with the department in such a way the citizens will help us keep city work projects going and at the same time keep the city constantly clean and attractive."

Rising Star Will Dedicate Building

Cisco business men have received an invitation to attend the ceremonies at Rising Star Thursday evening dedicating the large new market building which has recently been completed.

Rep. W. R. "Bill" Chambers of Brown county will dedicate the structure with a speech. There will be a concert by a band from the 36th division at Camp Bowie.

Armed Protection For Ships Pledged

WASHINGTON, April 16 (Sp.)—President Roosevelt indicated Tuesday that American merchant ships carrying war supplies through the newly-opened Red sea route to Egypt have armed protection.

He was asked at a press conference whether it was the policy of this government to protect its ships wherever they go, so long as they stay out of the combat zones defined in the neutrality act. He replied that was the law.

He did not say to what law he referred, but other officials expressed belief he meant international law which, they said, provided the freedom of the seas. Although the president refrained from going into details about methods of protecting ships, naval

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When Human Beings Are Junk

THERE is always apt to be a trace of tragedy in an auction room. Things are being sold for what they will bring, things that somebody prized once, and worked and planned to possess, and which no one else will ever, perhaps, prize so much.

Most tragic of auctions, however, was held the other day at Staten Island, New York. The United States sold a warehouse full of pitiful household objects sent here by people who had hoped to get out of Europe, who never made it.

Some of the boxes had been piling up for two years or more. Storage charges unpaid, taking up room that had to be found for new boxes. Egg beaters and rolling pins, pieces of silver, things valuable and worthless, useful and pitifully useless. But the people who sent them were unable to follow. So their belongings became junk, sold for storage charges and to make space.

That is sad enough. But what of the human hearts that beat so high with hope when those boxes and packages were sent

to America? They are junk, too, human junk, rotting and wasting away for lack of means to come to the land where they might have a chance of freedom and hope.

THOUSANDS are standing on the piers at Lisbon, waiting for the ship that does not come. Other thousands are in France and Germany and Austria, in every land where the Nazi boots have trod, condemned as human junk to rot in ghettos or concentration camps, or simply to wait without help or hope.

As they have fled from country to country in an effort to keep ahead of the Nazi legions, time after those legions have caught up with them, subjecting certain ones to summary punishment, others merely to abandonment in that vast human junk yard which Adolf Hitler has made of half of Europe.

BUT ships to Lisbon, last "escape-hatch" of Europe, are few and far between. Even those who have run the whole gauntlet, and arrived at Lisbon with all proper credentials, have no assurance of flight to the New World. And any day the hob-nailed boots may come tramping into Portugal.

Surely it must be possible to do something to reclaim this human junk. They are people, men and women and children who live and breathe and feel and think (God help them) and who perhaps have not ceased entirely to hope.

A way was found to put to use the goods they sent before them. Can not the New World find a way to use their lives as well?

A Louisiana couple married in a plane 2000 feet up—and came down to earth quicker than most couples.

A town is merely a grin gone haywire.

Regardless of what happens to prices, the cost of living remains the same with some people—all they make.

With all fair in love and war, we hope the Greeks continue to enjoy a crush on the Italians.

Little boys who won't tell the truth are likely to become fishermen or golfers.

In some cities autos are almost as thick during the rush hours as the heads of some of the drivers.

Under scoring It

MODERN BATTLES ARE WON WITH MODERN MACHINERY



Workers Should Carry Social Security Cards

ABILENE, April 16—In a statement issued today by W. O. King, manager of the Abilene Social Security board field office, it was pointed out that as a result of the nation-wide labor recruitment campaign being carried on by state employment security agencies, thousands of men may be called upon to leave their places of residence to take employment in defense plants in various parts of the country. In such cases, King said, these workers should have their social security account numbers in their possession.

"It is also important that when a worker leaves home to take a job in some distant city or town he should leave a copy of his social security account number with his wife or some other member of his family where it may be readily secured in case the worker should lose or misplace the number he had in his possession. By doing this he may be able to save time by writing or telegraphing back home for his number."

It was explained by King that any field office of the Social Security board will take a worker's application for a duplicate social security account number when it has been lost, but extreme care should be taken by all workers to preserve and safeguard them by keeping duplicate records of their own account numbers.

"The Social Security board uses account numbers for identifying old-age survivors' insurance accounts and all wages received in covered employment are cred-

ited to them. Old-age and survivors insurance benefits, when they become payable, are based on the worker's wages as credited to his social security account number," King stated.

4 States, 7 Cities Win Top Honors In Safety Contest

CHICAGO, April 16.—Four states and seven cities which won top honors in the National Traffic Safety contest saved the lives of 650 of their citizens in 1940 through effective accident prevention programs.

This was revealed today by figures of the National Safety Council, which conducts the contest and will present the winners with victory plaques at an Award Dinner in Washington, D. C., April 21.

The four states — Connecticut, Oklahoma, Minnesota and Oregon — had a composite mileage death rate 24 per cent below the national average. This represents a saving of 550 lives on the basis of the national rate.

The seven cities — Washington, Dallas, Kansas City, Chattanooga, Lawrence, O., Watertown, N. Y., and La Grange, Ill. — cut their combined death rate 46 per cent below the national average, for a saving of 100 lives.

These states and cities won first place in their divisions of the contest. In addition, Connecticut received the national grand award for states and Kansas City and Dallas tied for the grand award among cities.

All 48 states and 1271 cities participated in the 1940 contest, the council announced.

Governors and mayors of the winning states and cities will attend the award dinner to accept the victory plaques. U. S. Senator Harold H. Burton of Ohio will speak.

During Senator Burton's administration as mayor of Cleveland that city gained nation-wide recognition for its success in reducing traffic accidents. It won first place among largest cities in the National Traffic Safety contest in 1939 and tied for first place in 1938.

Col. John Stilwell, president of the National Safety Council, preside at the dinner and present the awards.

The council announced that in addition to the awards to winning states and cities, it has been a special award to Edward Robinson for his contribution to traffic safety in 1940 through "Big Tower" radio broadcasts.

Mr. Robinson will accept the award on his broadcast April 17 at which time he will present other dramatic traffic safety spots.

Hula Honey



Cutest trick of Nassau... hula-hula by little Lynde... Bahamas, grass skirt and... Tyke's from Greensboro, Ga.

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CCC Selectees May Report to Nearest Board

Members of the Civilian Conservation Corps who have been placed in Class I for selective service training prior to their enrollment and assignment to a CCC Camp, will be permitted to report to the local selective service board nearest their camp for physical examination. General J. W. Page, state director of selective service, announced today.

Director Page also pointed out that a recent war department ruling enables CCC enrollees to report for these selective service examinations without loss of CCC pay and also permits their status in the CCC should they be rejected at an army induction station, he said.

"If a CCC selectee for military training was classified and placed in Class I by his local selective service board prior to enrollment in the CCC, but had not received notification to report for physical examination until after he had been assigned to a CCC camp, upon receipt of such notice he may report to his local board for permission to report to the local board nearest his CCC camp for the required examination. Also, the war department has ruled that CCC enrollees who have been placed for selective service training and discharged from the CCC are subsequently rejected at the army induction station, they may be reinstated in the CCC camp from which they were discharged upon application made within 15 days of the date of his rejection. If he does not wish to return to the CCC, he may apply in person to the commander of the CCC company from which he was discharged, who will give him the authorized transportation to his home."

All the states collected taxes in 1940 amounting to \$4,171,000,000, according to the census. Of this amount, \$1,647,000,000 was raised from sales taxes, employed by 25 states; \$844,000,000 was employment compensation taxes; \$344,000,000 represented taxes on specific businesses; \$338,000,000 consisted of motor vehicle and drivers' license taxes; \$285,000,000 from state income taxes; \$262,000,000 from property taxes; \$118,000,000 from inheritance, estate and gift taxes; and \$108,000,000 from miscellaneous taxes.

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Half a Nose IS PLENTY HERE

But if you want to come out the big winner on your Spring change of engine oil, you want to go clean past those old favorites, *Drain and Refill*.

Out with your messy Winter oil, of course—today—before a bearing or something's half shot. And then best old-type oil changes by changing to OIL-PLATED engine—the far-reaching modern Spring change you get with *CONOCO GERM PROCESSED OIL*.

This patented oil includes a rare man-made extra substance that sets up a strong "power of attraction," which OIL-PLATES a sheet of lasting lubricant direct to engine parts. Close-knit OIL-PLATING can't drain completely dry... not all night at a standstill... not all day at double-quick... never while you're using *Germ Processed Oil*. Hence no bonedry starting, nor fine-fitting parts rubbing dry at speed.

That's how an OIL-PLATED engine gets a real chance to keep its fine fit... and to keep going extra miles per quart. Get your correct *Germ Processed Oil* for Spring. Your Mileage Merchant knows. Go now to his *CONOCO* OIL-PLATES YOUR ENGINE.

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OUT OUR WAY By Williams

WHY THERE'S SUGAR WAITING FOR US—HOW UNUSUAL! WE CAN GO RIGHT HOME WITHOUT HUNTING HIM OR GETTING HIM OUT OF JAIL!

WAIT, WES, HE HAIN'T A-WAITIN' TO GO HOME—HE'S A-WAITIN' FER THE OTHER HALF O' TH' MONEY HE ASKED ME TO KEEP FER HIM!

YES, WAIT, WES— WE GOT TO THINK OUT SOMETHIN' WE GOT TO GIT HOME AN' WE CAN'T WAIT TILL HE SPENDS TH' SECOND SECTION!

THE SECOND WIND

RED RYDER By Fred Harman

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SERIAL STORY

LOVE POWER

BY OREN ARNOLD

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YESTERDAY, Dr. Robert Hale, young scientist, and his assistant, Leana Sormi, stand in awe of the modern miracle they have performed. Hurriedly, they lock their laboratory, plan to place a guard over their secret. Meantime, Dr. Hale has advertised for a secretary. At his office he finds Carolyn Tyler, beautiful, charming, salary is no item, but he warns her of the secrecy, the danger that must surround her work. She is not afraid. "But this," Dr. Hale continues, "is something that will revolutionize civilization!"

CHAPTER II

"THIS can be your desk. It's by a window. . . . Your typewriter needs a new ribbon. . . . Your notebook can rest on the desk arm, this. . . . I can lower your chair, you are not as tall as I. . . . If I walk about as I dictate, don't be distracted, please. . . . You must weigh about 120 pounds, don't you, Miss Tyler?" It was Carolyn's first chance to



Illustrated by Ed Gunder
"Listen, Ken—" Carolyn spoke earnestly. "Stop whatever you're doing. Buy rifles, pistols. And get a dozen trusted men to use them."

D. Hines, University Hall, Detroit. "Dear Dr. Hines: Miss Sormi and I hasten to report that the experiment was a complete success. Of course, I shall withhold details until adequate tests can be run. Anything but absolute secrecy would be devastating now. Also there has been on time to prepare the necessary shields. It happened only this afternoon. Measure of the radiation is impossible today, but lead plates can be arranged within a week. In any event there is grave danger at this stage, as you will realize. I have taken, so that if anything should happen to me before I can have detailed reports made out, then—"

Carolyn's eyes narrowed. She stole a quick glance at him, then had to keep her pencil flying. Fortunately, she was an expert at secretarial work. Two years with an energetic banker had helped. Dr. Hale was gripping both corners of his desk now, looking straight ahead and talking. He ended this letter and went instantly into a rather technical report, referring often to his own notes as he dictated.

ABOUT 4 he paused to dismiss politely the other girl who had come hoping for a job. Carolyn felt a definite sympathy for them. At 5:20 she and Dr. Hale were interrupted again by a knock at the office door. Carolyn answered, glad for another moment of rest.

"Ken!" she greeted a tall young man. "You—you brought them?" He nodded. "Nearly \$700 worth. And C. O. D., if I may be so bold as to—"

Dr. Hale didn't even hesitate. He just wrote a check and gave it to Ken Palmer. Together the three went outside. Twelve men of excellent physiques.

"Happens the police department keeps a waiting list," Ken Palmer explained. "Up to 100 applicants for jobs of the force. Men who

have passed rather rigid tests already. I was able to get a dozen in a hurry. I'd do anything Carolyn asked, Dr. Hale. I hope you treat her right out here."

"Hush, Ken! And thank you ever so much!" They stationed the guard at Dr. Hale's direction. It took half an hour more. Soon after 6 o'clock, though, Carolyn and Robert Hale were back in his office at dictation again, which surprised her.

Things had moved with incredible swiftness since she nervously came out here at 3 o'clock, one hour ahead of her appointment. She had no idea what to expect next. A sense of excitement, too vague to understand but too emphatic to ignore, charged the air around this great laboratory and office here on the outskirts of town. Curiously in Carolyn was at the steaming point, too, so that she had some difficulty maintaining a business-like pose.

At 7 p. m. Dr. Hale was dropping on, using more and more scientific terms in his dictation. Her fingers were growing tired. Then all at once he surprised her again. "Who is this Mr. Palmer?" he asked.

"Ken?" she looked up and smiled. "Oh, Ken's just a boy in love with me."

Dr. Robert Hale, scientist, slowly frowned. "Astonishing. . . . Astonishing that a boy should be in love with me?"

"No, no! I meant, it is astonishing how your—your eyes distract me. The, uh, pigmentation is—"

Carolyn squelched a quick little smile of amusement, tucked in her lower lip. Her distinguished employer was more than a scientist, she realized; he could be intensely interesting. And human.

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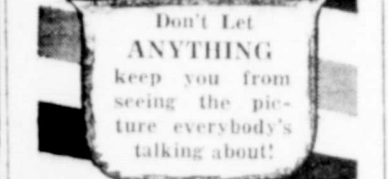
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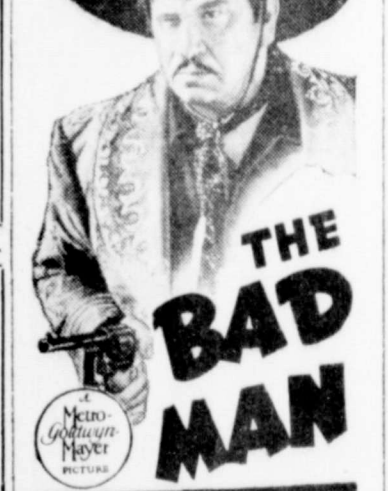
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Methodist WSCS Has Meeting At Church Tuesday

The Women's Society of Christian Servants of the Methodist Church met at the church Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The meeting was presided over by a prayer led by Mrs. T. M. Moore. Mrs. White then presided over the business session.

Mrs. J. E. Burnett brought the social program with the 1948 Program and following through with the closing prayer.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. J. H. Burnett, A. B. Campbell, A. A. Croswater, E. C. Moore, J. M. Moore, Burton Thomas, E. D. Jones, G. G. Lewis, Joe Warren, L. A. Harrison, A. D. Eason, J. Y. Howell and the women, Mrs. L. A. White.

Circle Meets with Mrs. L. A. White

Mrs. L. A. White was hostess to the Elizabeth Tracy circle of the First Baptist Missionary Society Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The meeting was presided over by a prayer led by Mrs. T. M. Moore. Mrs. White then presided over the business session.

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PERSONALS

Mrs. Gertrude Dixon of Stephenville is visiting in the O. G. Lovers home.

Mrs. Nancy Mason and Mrs. Elizabeth Nages returned Tuesday to Fort Worth and Denton after spending several days here.

Armed Protection--

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The motorcycle squad recently organized by the Dallas Police Department will consist of 150 motorcycles. They will be assigned to patrol the city streets, and will be used to guard the person and property of the public.

Advertising is not an expense—it is the life blood of any business.

Legal Notice

The City of Cisco will receive sealed bids for the garbage contract for its fiscal year 1941 at the City Secretary's office up to 12:00 p. m., April 20th, 1941. The city reserves the right to reject any and all bids. 197-3618.

Ad Restores Watch Lost on Street

While attending the theater Monday night Mrs. Gayle Moore lost a valuable wrist watch. She missed the watch after she and her husband had returned home, and when a search of the street and the theater failed to reveal its whereabouts, she inserted a classified ad in the Cisco Daily Press. The advertisement appeared Tuesday afternoon. Tuesday night the watch was returned to her.

It had been found on the street in front of the Del Rio cafe by Elbert Rains, city employee, who saw the advertisement and promptly carried the article to Mrs. Moore. He received a liberal reward.

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STAMP NEWS



No philatelic items have been announced for Pan American Day, April 14, because 15 of the 22 republican issued 1948 commemoratives honoring the 90th anniversary of the founding of the Union. The Pan American Union, however, has issued a set of 24 "Know the Americas" poster stamps, presenting scenic views and points of interest in the American republics. Many of the subjects have already appeared in postal issues.

April also marks the 21st anniversary of the dedication of the Pan American Union building at Washington, D. C., pictured on the poster stamp above. Construction of this building, headquarters of the International Bureau of American Republics, was made possible by Andrew Carnegie's gift of \$10,000.

The Union was created at the close of the first Pan American Conference in 1890 as the permanent organization of the conference. The Union promotes peace, commerce and friendship among American republics by fostering trade, mental, spiritual and cultural relations.

Latest addition to its numerous activities is a philatelic agency to make new stamp issues of Latin America easily available to collectors.

'Plain Stupid' Says Plain Bill



With fist slamming, OPM Director William S. Knudsen calls jurisdictional labor strikes "just plain stupid" at hearing before House Military Affairs Committee.

Dancer Killed In Shooting



Mrs. Blanche Woodall, 27, estranged wife of Fight Promoter Bonnie Woodall and a sister-in-law of Dickie Griffin, former fighter and promoter, was found slain in her apartment in Dallas, Texas. Mrs. Juanita Barr was charged in connection with the slaying of the beautiful former night club dancer. (NEA Photo)

Over 2,000 NYA Students Get Jobs

AUSTIN, April 16 (SPC)—During the past three months 2,018 boys and girls have left National Youth administration projects in Texas for jobs in private industry, according to J. C. Kelliam, state NYA administrator. The NYA jobs left open by those youth going into private employment are...

Justice Christian of Appeals Court Dies

AUSTIN, April 16 (P)—Judge George E. Christian, 53-year-old commissioner of the state court of criminal appeals, died at 7 p. m. Tuesday night in a hospital, where he had been taken after suffering a cerebral hemorrhage during a court conference yesterday morning.

Judge Christian had been rushed to the hospital from the capital after he had complained of a headache while in the court consultation room with other court members, including Judges Tom Graves, Tom L. Beauchamp, F. L. Hawkins and C. G. Krueger.

Assisted to the office of Judge Graves, he lay down while a doctor and ambulance was summoned. Dr. Joe T. Gilbert said shortly thereafter his condition was "serious."

Judge Christian was serving a six-year term as a member of the commission which would have expired in June, 1941. He was an unsuccessful candidate for the court against Judge Beauchamp last summer.

Cancer and other malignant tumors claim nearly 134,000 victims annually, according to the latest census figures. Nearly 72,000 of these cases are cancers of the digestive organs.

In the middle ages fans were used in churches to keep flies from the consecrated elements.

being killed from waiting lists of other boys and girls who are unemployed, between the ages of 16 and 24, inclusive; out-of-school, and who need the work experience provided on NYA projects.

Kelliam said the jobs which these young people obtained ranged from helper in the metal and mechanical trades to power machine operator.

On NYA Work Experience Projects in Texas 23,889 boys and girls now are receiving work experience in the fundamentals of manual skills.

Columnist's Wife Charged in Death



Mrs. Juanita Barr, wife of Eddie Barr, newspaper columnist, was charged with murder in connection with the slaying of Mrs. Blanche Woodall who was found slain in her apartment in Dallas, Texas. Mrs. Barr was released on \$25,000 bond. The above photo shows Mr. and Mrs. Barr in the kitchen of their home at a recent party. (NEA Photo)

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Ranger Girl Wins Second in Contest

RANGER, April 16 (Sp)—Miss Jane Matthews of Ranger, who won the district division and state oratorical contests of the American Legion, and competed in the four-state contest held at Amarillo, won second place in that event, losing only to Jack Teeling of Denver, Colorado, a three-time contestant.

FDR Hints--

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