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## LONG-AWAITED ATTACK UPON ENGLAND IS DUE SOON, ITALIANS STATE

The long-awaited attack upon England will begin "within a few days," it was promised today by Benito Mussolini, Rome spokesman.

There were other signs that the climactic moment was coming. Berlin newspaper said that London will be a military objective instead of an open city, because of remarks made by Winston Churchill in an address Sunday, in which he said the city would be defended street-by-street.

There was a customary pre-battle lull in aerial activities today, and Britons were confident of air defenses and were encouraged by the showing Sunday over the English Channel, when 150 German raiders were beaten off and seven were downed in a major air attack.

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## Regians Try Drama In Trailer

PALO ALTO, Cal.—A fresh effort and a new method for keeping drama alive in the United States has been launched here by the Roadrunners Productions, which will take the drama to the people by automobile and trailer.

The company is composed exclusively of graduates of Stanford University who have distinguished themselves in some phase of campus dramatics.

They have formed a cooperative truck company equipped to travel over the country.

Their first tour will be limited to Nevada, Idaho, Utah and California, however.

The Roadrunners' safari will be staged in a rather swank fashion. They have a truck replete with a shower, washroom, bunk beds for the men, members of the troupe, lockers for all the company, a fully equipped light booth for an observation car.

Girl members of the troupe will sit in the trailer, which will also carry the sets, benches for 400 spectators, tents, props and furnishings.

The trailer, in fact, is the theater. When the company arrives in town it is stationed in a park or open place, the benches set for the audience, and the trailer side is dropped to form a stage, about 5 feet deep and 8 feet high, with a 20-foot proscenium.

The company has Mark Reed's play, "My Darling Daughter," ready for production and will begin with it in Palo Alto July 12.

After that the road tour will begin, and the repertory will be changed until it includes "The Christiana," "Night Must Fall," "The Lady," and a variety show featuring together from various Big League Gaieties that have been produced at Stanford University.

The itinerary reads something like a Pony Express route. Following the opening here, the company goes to Globin's at Lake Tahoe; then to Carson City, Nev.; Fallon, Delock and Winnemucca; Twin Falls, Idaho; Betsum and Pocatello; Logan, Utah; Brigham City, Utah; and finally Rock Springs, Wyo.

The Roadrunners hope to obtain sponsor in each city where they appear.

At Carson City, for example, the plans of Foreign Wars have granted 1,000 tickets.

## CISCOAN IS BURIED

Funeral services were conducted at Cisco Sunday afternoon for D. D. Fee, 76, pioneer citizen and business man of Cisco, who died Friday night while enroute to Las Vegas for medical attention.

## THE WEATHER

WEST TEXAS—Fair tonight and Tuesday except scattered showers Wednesday night and north half today.

## Labor Surplus In Corpus Christi Is More Than Normal

CORPUS CHRISTI, Tex.—The large surplus of labor in Corpus Christi has created a serious situation that the Chamber of Commerce, the Council of Community Agencies and other civic bodies are struggling to control. An appeal for assistance was made yesterday to newspapers throughout the state by a committee representing these agencies.

More than 5,000 persons have filed applications for employment since the plans for the naval base were approved, making a total of 5,000 applicants, according to E. L. Rawlins local manager of the Texas State Employment Service through which all workmen are to be hired. All persons to be employed must pass a required physical examination, must be of an employable age and be skilled in the particular work to be done, Rawlins said.

Workmen who wish employment in Corpus Christi should apply at the office of the Texas State Employment Service nearest their homes specifically stating that they wish employment on the naval base. Those who qualify will be called at their homes when they are needed.

Many families are stranded in Corpus Christi because they have not made proper applications through their home offices of the Texas State Employment Service and have come to Corpus Christi before they were needed. The situation is especially bad for those who brought their families with them to the city. The inability of local authorities to provide assistance for these thousands of non-resident and stranded people adds to their distress. In the outskirts of the city many families may now be found camping in their automobiles while they wait for jobs that do not materialize or for funds with which to return to their homes.

For some time to come the labor need will be primarily for able bodied workmen who are skilled in the construction trades. Such workmen should register for employment at home and should not come to Corpus Christi until they are called. Workmen coming to the city should bring with them sufficient funds to support themselves for a reasonable period of time and to return to their homes if necessary.

## Nelson Proves He Named Drive Right

DETROIT.—The nickname "Line Drive" for Lynn Nelson, of the Detroit Tigers pitching staff, has a double meaning these days when the Tigers are aiming for an American League pennant.

The name originally was applied when Nelson was with the Chicago Cubs. A sports writer, commenting on the frequency of line drives off Nelson's pitching, put the term in print. But if Nelson lacked the brilliance as a pitcher, he made up for it with hitting—of the line drive type.

Recently Nelson was sent into a Detroit-New York game as a pinch batter replacing Dick Bartell, the shortstop. There was one man on base and the Yankees had a 4-run lead. Nelson lined one of Steve Scahill's pitches off the right field screen for a home run.

The hero, changed to the goat a minute later, however. Pitching the last inning, Nelson gave up two home runs and a double, netting three runs. The Yanks easily won, and "Line Drive" again lived up to his name—in both meanings of the word.

## Five Are Burned In Car Collision

SAN ANTONIO, July 15.—Five persons were burned to death today after a lumber truck and an automobile collided north of here.

The dead were Tim Walker, 27, John Miller, 14 and W. J. Davis, negro youth, all of Trinity, Ricardo Suarez, 28 and Sam Morina of Sequin.

## MEETING AT CISCO

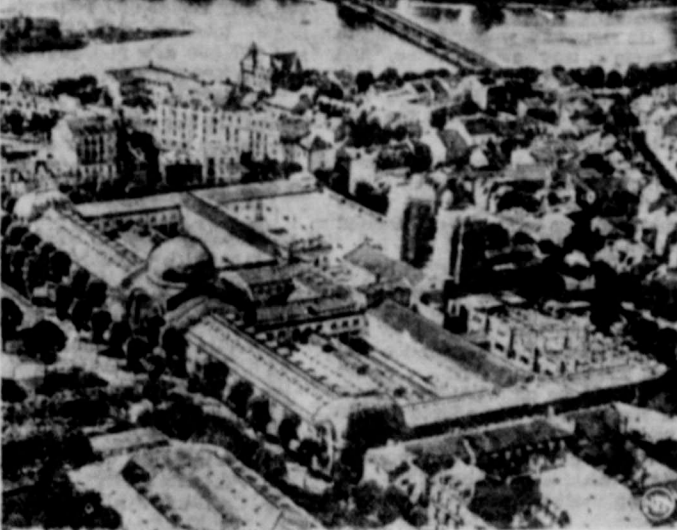
The second annual conference of Texas Christian churches opened at Lake Cisco Friday evening with Clark W. Lambert of Hillsboro as host pastor.

## Picture of a Man 'At Work'



Approximately 15,000 New York garment makers instituted a new kind of strike when they reported for work as usual, went to their respective places, and then—just didn't work. Some started pinching games, some discussed war news, and some just took a snooze, like the cutter seen above. Stoppage was result of dispute between the International Ladies Garment Workers Union and employer associations.

## Provisional Capital of France



Word came from the provisional capital of France at Vichy, above, that the present parliamentary government would be replaced by a dictatorial regime, adding France to the list of European totalitarian states.

## U. S. Defense Seen As Dependent On Farm Conditions

NEW YORK.—Putting the farm buildings of America into first class condition—an operation which would require at least five billion dollars—is one of the most important defense needs of this country, said C. E. Stedham, vice president in charge of sales, Certain-teed Products Corporation, in an interview today.

To assure an adequate food supply in an emergency, it is a necessity to have farm buildings durable and useful, Mr. Stedham pointed out. Especially in the light of war conditions we need every farm to be well equipped and productive.

"It is a real obstacle to our national welfare to have makeshift, run-down farm buildings. Nothing is more certain to handicap the country's farms," he said.

"Short-lived buildings mean that they soon become incapable of furnishing protection for livestock and crops."

The obligation of supplying necessary repair materials rests firmly upon the building industry, Mr. Stedham said. Manufacturers must see to it that increased demand and war construction are not allowed to lift building material prices so high that farm rehabilitation will be slowed down.

## Biggest Man Ever To Live Is Dead

MAISTEE, Mich., July 15.—Robert Wardlow, 22, of Alton, Ill., reputed to be the tallest man who ever lived, died today of a leg infection with which he had been suffering since July 4.

Wardlow was more than eight feet, 10 inches tall and weighed 491 pounds.

Doctors stated that the infection was caused by leg braces that he wore to sustain his great weight.

## Hohartz Is Holding Community Revival

Rev. A. D. Rogers will conduct services at a community meeting, to be held at Hohartz Camp, it was announced here today.

Four services will be held Sunday, with a basket lunch being spread at the noon hour.

The public is invited to attend these services, which begin each evening at 8 o'clock.

## Recruiting Quota For Marines Stays Open This Month

FORT WORTH.—The recruiting quota for the U. S. Marine Corps remains unlimited for July. Since the start of this recruiting drive, men have been pouring in the District Office at Dallas steadily.

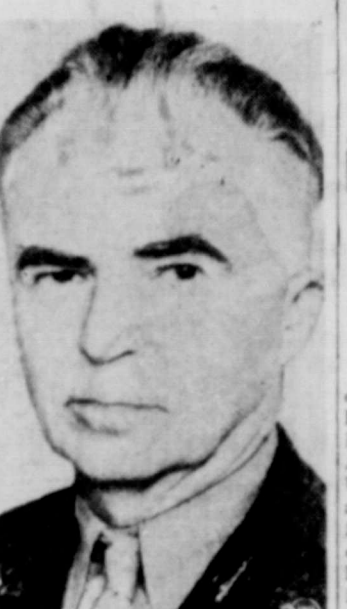
In order that young men residing long distances from Dallas may apply for enlistment without traveling far, four additional stations have been opened in Texas. These stations are located at Austin, Fort Worth, Houston and San Antonio.

It is expected that the additional 900 men authorized for the Marines will be reached in record time, bringing the total strength of the Marine Corps to 34,000 men. After this figure has been reached, recruiting activities will no doubt fall off again and only a few men will be accepted each month.

Many young men, having just finished school, are taking advantage of the opportunities offered by the Marine Corps Institute, which offers more than one hundred and seventy courses, free to members of the Marines. These courses cover many subjects taught in our larger colleges and the high school course is comparable with that of any high school in America.

Young men desiring information regarding the Marine Corps, may see their local postmaster, write or call in person at any one of the Marine Recruiting Stations at Dallas, Austin, Fort Worth, Houston or San Antonio.

## Calls Japanese Charges "A Lie"



"It's a lie," was the terse comment of Col. De Witt Peck, above, on charges by Japanese that marines under his command mistreated 15 Japanese plain clothesmen they arrested in the Shanghai International Settlement.

## Thomas L. Blanton To Speak in Ranger Wednesday, July 17

Word was received in Ranger today that Thomas L. Blanton, former congressman from the 17th congressional district of Texas, would speak in Ranger Wednesday evening, July 17.

Judge Blanton has invited all his friends and supporters and the public in general to be present at 8:30 on Wednesday to hear him discuss the issues in the campaign.

## Marine Recruiters To Visit Abilene And Brownwood

A recruiting party of the Marines will visit the Post Office in Brownwood, July 22nd and 23rd and in Abilene, July 24th and 25th. The recruiting office will be open daily from 8:30 a. m. to 5:00 p. m., to accept men for enlistment.

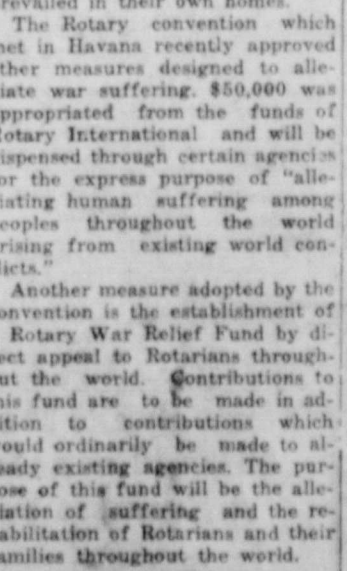
Those eligible for enlistment are between the ages of 18 and 30 years, single, white, with no dependents, have completed grammar school, and are physically sound.

## Miners Are Trapped After An Explosion

PORTAGE, Pa., July 15.—Fifty-two men were believed to be trapped today in an explosion at the Sonman Company coal mine. Eighteen of the miners were reported to have been rescued.

## Decorative Anne Bullitt at Shore

While William C. Bullitt, U. S. ambassador to France, grapples with wartime problems, his daughter, Anne, relaxes at Atlantic City, N. J. She is pictured strolling the boardwalk there.



## Road Projects for Dam Are Approved

AUSTIN, July 15.—The State Highway Commission today ordered \$70,000 worth of WPA projects across the Brazos River at Possum Kingdom Dam and also approved a \$46,000 project for an all-weather topping on temporary routes on highways 16 and 254 in the same vicinity.

## THIRD TERM BOOM IS GROWING AS NATIONAL CONVENTION STARTED

### Military Funeral For Member of Guard Planned

A full military funeral will be conducted this afternoon from the Killingsworth Funeral Chapel, Ranger, for Sgt. Clarence Gordon Aaron, first sergeant in Company U, 142nd Infantry, Texas National Guard, who died in Ranger, Sunday. The services will be conducted at the chapel by W. Wallace Layton, minister of the Ranger Church of Christ, assisted by Rev. A. G. Pool, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene. Interment will be in Evergreen cemetery.

All members of the Ranger National Guard unit, and all ex-service men and Legionnaires have been urged to attend the services. Members of the guard who can attend will be dressed in full uniform, and a firing squad will fire a salute at the graveside.

The deceased was born in Thurber, July 13, 1914, and had been a resident of Ranger for the past 14 years. He was a member of the Evansville, Ill. Baptist church.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Clarence Aaron of Ranger; one daughter, Dixie Darline Aaron; his mother, Mrs. Dora Aaron, Ranger; five brothers, Charley Aaron, Evansville, Ill., Dee Aaron, Crane; Carl Aaron, New London; Lawrence Aaron and Richard Aaron, Ranger. Other relatives include Gladys Hesson, Breckenridge; Mamie Foster and Naomi Foster, Breckenridge.

### Secretary of SMU Assumes Duties

DALLAS, Texas.—Dr. Harmon Lowman took office this week as executive secretary of Southern Methodist University, Dr. Eugene B. Hawk, administrative vice-president announced.

"The program which Dr. Lowman will direct and which will take him on tours throughout the state seeks to bring about a closer relationship between the university and members of its constituency," Dr. Hawk said. "This work will bring him in contact with alumni, parents, religious groups, and friends of the university."

"Dr. Lowman's program will also attempt to integrate the relationship between students on the campus and their home life as well as to increase the individual attention given students by the university."

Dr. Lowman is a native Texan and holds his M.A. degree from Texas University and his Ph. D. from Chicago University.

### Must Transfer All Scholastics Before August 1

Transfer of scholastics must be made before August 1st, states T. C. Williams, Eastland county school superintendent.

Mr. Williams also states that any children lawfully enrolled in any district, common or independent, may, by order of the county school superintendent, be transferred to the enrollment of any other district in the same county.

The county superintendent also points out that parents desiring to transfer their children should come to his office on the second floor of the Eastland county courthouse with a written request during the time allotted to transfers. All transfer applications should be filed not later than July 25th.

### Singing Meet Is Well Attended

The Eastland county singing convention, which met Sunday and Saturday night before at Mangum, will meet there again in October.

The convention was attended by a large crowd of listeners and there were a large number of good singers including the Stampe Carr quartet from Wichita Falls and the Hamm quartet from Brownwood.

At the next regular meeting, which will be the second Sunday and Saturday before in October, new officers for the convention will be elected.

### Delayed Reports of Damage by Bombs Released in France

VICHY, France, July 15.—The newspaper Le Temps reported yesterday that the German air raid on Rennes, France, on June 17, before France capitulated, had caused 4,200 deaths among the 100,000 population.

The newspaper also reported that much of the city was devastated when four munition trains in the station were struck by bombs and exploded.

### Meet To Discuss Sewing Projects Gets Underway

A number of representatives from the 21 counties comprising the 7th W.P.A. district of Texas were on hand for the meeting at the courthouse this morning for the purpose of discussing ways means for continuing the W.P.A. sewing room projects in District No. 7, and others were expected.

Invited to attend the meeting were W.P.A. officials, county judges and county commissioners, city mayors and city officials of the 21 counties making up the district.

Eastland county commissioner Henry Davenport of Ranger called the meeting to order and presided over its deliberations.

Col. Karl E. Wallace, district manager for W.P.A. district No. 7, with headquarters in Fort Worth, was one of those appearing in a talk to the meeting this morning.

The meeting was just getting underway at 12:00 o'clock today and the proceedings were to be continued and finished this afternoon.



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Military Victory Is Not the End

Stumbling down her Golgotha, France treads the path of humiliation and defeat.

Hitler is master of the European continent from Russia to the Atlantic. While he does not directly control all of it, there is no one who can oppose his will.

Quite aside from his task of beating Britain, by no means yet accomplished, this man now bears a crushing weight upon his shoulders.

Five years ago, to a Reichstag assembled to hear him launch the German arms program whose fruits now ripen, Hitler spoke these words:

"In no future war will the European national states be able to achieve—apart from the temporary weakening of their opponents—more than petty adjustment of national frontiers, of no consequence in comparison with the sacrifices made... no war would be likely essentially to alter the distress in Europe. It would probably increase it..."

Useless now to discuss the relationships between these terrible words and what followed. The question is, was Hitler right on May 21, 1935, or is he right in June, 1940?

Was his statement then a mere effort (successful) to belaud the issue before confused European diplomats? Or was it a moment of clear-sighted vision obscured later by the rush and pressure of events which seized control of the men who launched them?

We cannot know.

We know that Hitler has met and beaten Generals Gamelin, Weyand, and Petain. Perhaps he has yet to meet General ant, General Hunger, General Disease, General Rejuvenation, and General Revolution.

No, military victories, no matter how sweeping, settle nothing, solve nothing, build nothing, end nothing. It may be Hitler still faces the crucial clash in the long series of "My Battles."

Experts Are Found Behind Nature In Their Camouflage

By United Press ALAMO GOIKEDO, N. M.—Experts in war camouflage could learn a lesson from the mice, lizards and even the burros of New Mexico, in the opinion of Dr. Frank Blair of the University of Michigan.

The scientist said he had decided after three months of painstaking scrutiny into the family life of reptiles and small animals in the Alamogordo area that men who try to hide battleships and other war implements with well-placed

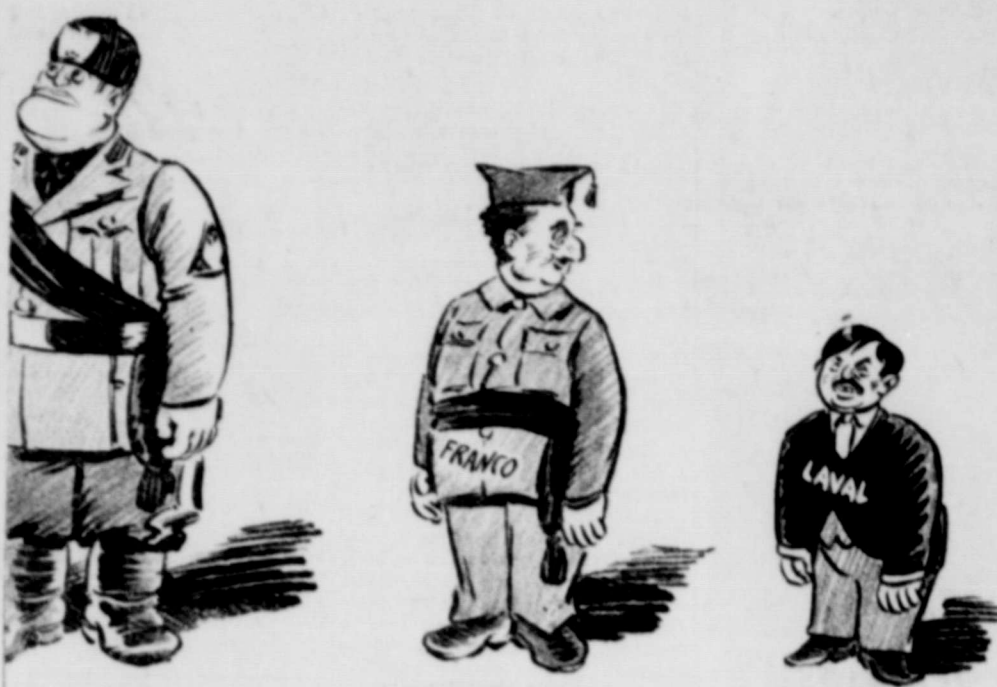
paint are strictly amateurs compared with nature.

Dr. Blair sought in his three-month study to determine the part the range habits of brown pocket mice in New Mexico played in producing protective coloration—which causes a brown mouse to turn white in the white sands of the New Mexico desert; black in the lava beds of the nearby Malpais; and red in the red sands near Alamogordo.

The scientist discovered that even lizards in the three areas turn partly white, black or red after a short stay.

He spent some time investigating assertions of ranchers that white burros—commonly called "Rocky Mountain canaries"—could be found on the white desert sands, but eventually decided that age and not camouflage was responsible.

'Hello There, Little Man'



SERIAL STORY PEACE--SHE'S WONDERFUL BY ISABEL WAITT

YESTERDAY: Carole explains how Ogden tried to hide the stolen \$500 in Peace's corppopper, but when she found it away from him. After Carole finds the money she is afraid Ogden will return. They catch the train and Henry sees publicity for Carole in the advertisement.

CHAPTER XII NEVER in all their lives would they forget the reception the passengers gave them.

Conquering heroes, all three, according to a couple of newspapermen who had boarded the train.

Rhoda threw her arms around Denny's neck and kissed him before everybody. It was, he realized with mixed feelings, the warmest kiss she'd ever bestowed upon him. "Oh, darling—you've found her! I've been nearly crazy." She even kissed Peace.

Mrs. King's heady eyes stared at the money in the corppopper. When the gold cigared case came into view she cried, "Something like that man was a villain. I'm intuitive, that way. If only I'd trust my intuitions, I'd never have listened to his oily proposition." She nearly smothered Peace with her gratitude. "Your Auntie King will buy you a whole aquarium, so she will."

Mrs. King tucked a \$20 bill into Peace's hand. "Get your Uncle Denny to buy a nice little truck tank with this, dear." She beamed when a camera clicked in her direction, and held up the corppopper full of greenbacks.

Rhoda cut up Peace's chicken for her, and even ordered a lettuce leaf for the turtles.

"I like you now, Aunt Rhoda," Peace said between bites. "You wouldn't throw Darby and Joan off the train any more, would you?"

"You better believe I wouldn't, honey." Rhoda's laughter was a shade lower than hysteria. "When you've finished your supper, Auntie Rhoda wants to put you to bed."

Mrs. King regaled the newsmen until they left the train at Flagstaff to wire the story to the world. Carole excused herself and retired to what had been Ogden's drawing room.

Denny didn't take any chances of the Warrens reading the morning headlines first. There had been no time at Winslow, but now he sent a reassuring telegram: "Having lovely time. Wish you were here. All well, Dennis."

RHODA sat down beside him, after tucking Peace in. To his surprise she reached over and took his hand in hers. "She fell asleep before she touched the pillow, poor little tot." Rhoda could be so sweet! "Only one more night."

Denny. Sure nothing more can happen. And tomorrow we'll hand her safely over to her grandmother. My, what a relief!"

And tomorrow Carole would be gone, too. He'd never see her again, except on the screen. After 1 o'clock tomorrow, when they arrived in Los Angeles, it wasn't possible! Yet what could he do or say, with his fiancée, that very minute, clinging to him trustfully?

Astonishingly, Rhoda spoke for him. "Do you think I'm blind, my dear? The way you look at her. The way she looks at you. Why do you suppose she risked her life? For the kiddie? Don't make me laugh! She's wild about you, that girl."

"Don't be ridiculous! Carole's a big star. She wouldn't look at me." He didn't realize how his voice shook.

Rhoda withdrew her hand. "Why don't you ask her? I'm releasing you, Denny. No, not on account of her exactly. But I've been thinking it over. Bertrand was right. I should wait till I'm absolutely sure. Then, too, you know how I love luxury, and with Aunt Tilly's money—well, don't you see? I'd regret losing a fortune, as what sensible girl wouldn't. This way, we'll both be—well skip it. I was just thinking Carole probably has scads."

Denny was listening to a stranger, while his heart thumped madly with joy. Rhoda was all right, but how could he ever have made himself believe he wanted her for his wife! Not that he'd have a chance with Carole, but he'd risk a chance at a chance. He'd call her bluff about losing the bet on the credit for the rescue, and make her pay with the trip to Catalina. "Do you really think she—she looked at me the way you said?"

"Why don't you ask her?" Rhoda repeated. "As for me, I'm going to hop off at Williams and catch whatever connection there is for the Canyon. You don't mind, do you, Denny? Now that we've had our little understanding, I always did want to see the sunrise in the Grand Canyon."

"But Rhoda—"

CAROLE kept to her drawing-room all the next morning. Denny passed the closed door so often he was embarrassed when he met Mrs. King doing the same thing. That lady had set the grapevine agog with the latest news. No, there had been no quarrel. Miss Lowell had decided to see the Canyon. He had to take Peace to Los Angeles. Her grandmother was expecting to meet her. Mrs. King nodded with a slight

smile. Then she winked. "Happy landing!"

He stopped a waiter carrying in Carole's tray at noontime, and bribed him with a generous bill. "Breakfast, Miss? But first, will you marry me?" He set the tray on a chair.

Carole turned from the mirror where she'd been adjusting a belt to the sea-green costume which matched her eyes. "Why, Denny! Wh—a-t did you say?"

"Oh, darling!" He caught her in his arms, trying to say everything at once. How he'd known the minute he saw her. How he couldn't offer her very much just yet, but that some day... And she could go on with her career, if she wished. He adored her in pictures, but more in real life.

Carole pushed him gently away. "And what about Rhoda?"

Explanations tumbled over each other. Aunt Tilly Rhoda hadn't even been quite sure she loved him. Then Bertrand had come between them. "She—she told me to ask you," Denny added. "Funny, I recognized you at once, though you were traveling—well sort of incognito, without a maid or anything; not even a drawing-room. But you couldn't fool me!"

"Couldn't I? Suppose I told you that is how I always travel. I'm not Carole Love, Denny. I double for her. The fans often mistake me. They get a thrill and it's part of my job. I didn't pretend to you—just let it ride. The real Miss Love will get all the publicity. I must phone her right away. Are you awfully disappointed? My name is Janet—Janet Browne."

"Your name's going to be—Dennis!" He kissed her. Janet would always be Carole to him.

BUT when the limited eased into Los Angeles, an hour later, and Denny and Carole turned Peace over to her grandmother, he felt a tug at his heart strings. Without Peace, he would have made the blunder of his life, and never, never changed brides. It was like a fairy story.

"Was she a good girl?" asked Grandma Warren, hopefully. "No trouble at all!" Denny grinned, tucking the corppopper under Peace's arm.

"Me left I in the desert, didn't you?" she smiled back, waving goodbye.

Carole put her namesake wise, while Denny wired the Warrens. Then they headed for La Jolla. Miss Lowell got the credit, but I'll win the bet," she teased him. "Catalina will be marvelous for a honeymoon."

(The End)

Texas Banks Made 804,000 Loans In A Business Year

NEW YORK.—Twenty-two per cent of the 68 commercial banks in Texas made more than 804,000 loans totaling over \$1,018,000,000 to business firms and individuals throughout the state during the year 1939, according to the second semi-annual survey of bank lending activity of the American Bankers Association made public today.

The survey, which was participated in by 191 banks or 22 per cent of the 840 commercial banks of the state, showed a definite expansion of bank credit in the field of new loans. The number of new loans made between July 31 and December 31 was 6,341 greater or 3 per cent greater, and the dollar volume of new loans made during this period was \$46,005,394 or 23 per cent greater than reported by an equivalent number of banks for the previous six months.

The 191 banks reported that during 1939 they made: 493,783 new loans totaling \$452,865,850; 305,492 renewals of loans totaling \$552,230,101, and 5,178 mortgage loans totaling \$13,716,556.

ROYAL CROWN COLA advertisement featuring a man drinking a bottle and a bottle of the product. Text includes 'SURE IS A LOT MORE COLA FOR 5c IN ROYAL CROWN' and 'NOT ONE BUT TWO FULL GLASSES 5c'.

Salt Beds Hold Gigantic Reservoir LANSING, Mich.—Conservation department officials estimated that Michigan, the nation's leading salt-producing area, has 32,000 square miles of salt under its southern peninsula—enough to supply the world for 1,000,000 years.

Collide in Battle of Champions featuring two photos of boxers. Text includes 'Nehi Bottling Company EASTLAND' and 'Salt Beds Hold Gigantic Reservoir'.

ALLEY OOP comic strip panels. Dialogue includes 'YOU MEAN YOU'RE THE ONLY SURVIVOR... THAT BRONSON, ALLEY OOP AND OOLA ARE DEAD?' and 'IT WAS HORRIBLE! WOHMUG, I TELL YOU YOU'VE GOT TO SMASH THE TIME-MACHINE!'.

RED RYDER comic strip panels. Dialogue includes 'I RECKON WE'D BEST LEAVE OUR HORSES JUST OVER TH NEXT HILL AN GO AHEAD ON FOOT!' and 'YES, RED RYDER! THEN WE MAKE SURPRISE ON HOODED OUTLAWS IN THEIR CABIN!'.

AMERICAN ARTIST puzzle section. Includes a crossword puzzle grid and a list of clues for words like 'Sextets', 'Meral', 'Bom', 'Membranous', etc.



SERIAL STORY FLYING CO-ED

BY MARY KINNAVEY MOORE

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CHAPTER I ANNE NORRIS pulled her leather flying helmet down over her long bobbed, golden-red hair. Above the roar of the "revving up" motor and the whirling prop, she raised her voice to call to a dark-eyed girl standing near the hangar door.



Illustrated by Carol Johnson.

Watching Tony's roadster, Anne walked across the field, forgetting flying, her uncle's ultimatum, and the whirling propeller. The first warning of her danger came with Georgette's scream: "Anne!!! The prop!!!"

we should have a gorgeous flying reserve. The other man nodded toward Anne and Georgette. "But it seems you have all the luck, Dick. The red-haired girl is THE Anne Norris. With thousands of

student pilots in the country, you would draw the lumber one glamor girl."

"Capt. Dick Douglas scowled. "You can call it luck if you want to, Bob. I don't."

"Bob Davis grinned. "Beautiful debutante learns to fly," he said, as if quoting newspaper headlines. "What's more, beautiful debutante is the niece of Arnold Dwight, head of Dwight Aircraft. And you say it isn't luck."

"Arnold Dwight is a swell guy," Dick said tersely, "I'd give my left arm to work for him. But as far as I'm concerned, that niece is just another spoiled darling looking for a new thrill—or more likely, for a new way to make the headlines. His eyes were like blue ice. "Talk about movie stars craving publicity. They aren't in it with these society debs. Well, I'll show her there's more to flying than having your picture taken in a helmet."

"Her black-haired girl friend isn't so bad."

"Georgette Parker?" Dick's blue eyes softened. "She's entirely different. I used to room with her brother at Randolph Field. He's one of the best friends I have. And his sister's cut from the same cloth."

For a few minutes, the two men stood discussing details of the CAA program of flight training and its part in the life of Midland University.

"The University authorities here are giving us every help possible," Dick said. "Professors in many departments are giving hours and hours outside of regular class work to student instruction. It's pretty encouraging."

"These preliminary familiarization flights should help you to dispel a lot of old flying lore," Davis suggested.

"Yes, it does," Douglas agreed. "A good many of these students have flown on passenger air lines and developed their own theories of flight..."

ANNE NORRIS and Georgette Parker were still in earnest conversation. Level-headed, seri-

ous Georgette had been Anne's roommate ever since they had started to Midland. When she finished a fashionable preparatory school, Anne's uncle and guardian had decided that co-educational

Midland would be better for Anne than the exclusive finishing school that they had at first considered. Anne's honest friendliness and impulsive, affectionate nature had made her a favorite among the girls, while her charm and spirit and golden red-haired beauty made her one of the most popular girls on campus.

When Georgette enrolled for the student flying course she begged Anne to join her. For a time, Anne would not agree, but finally she signed for the course.

Today was to be her first instruction in the air, but her mind was far from aviation. Her eyes were watching the highway for Tony Scott's flashing, bright blue roadster.

She was impatient with Georgette, as with all others who were objecting to Tony. It was true that his father was a rich man; money was questionable, and that many of Tony's companions were far from desirable.

But Tony was so different from any of the men she had ever known in her life. He did exciting, daring things, and she liked him. That was enough for her.

"If you see Tony, ask him to wait for me," she called to Georgette, walking away before the other girl could answer.

Absorbed in conversation, Dick and Bob failed to notice the red-haired girl had left her companion. They didn't notice, either, a long, high-powered, bright blue roadster roaring down the highway toward the airport. Anne saw it, however.

Watching it, and its driver, as she walked absentmindedly out into the field, she forgot the flying lesson ahead of her, forgot her uncle's ultimatum about Tony Scott, forgot Georgette—forgot, too, the whirling prop of the plane that had been warming up for her first flight.

The first warning of her danger came when suddenly Georgette screamed: "Anne—Anne—the prop!"

(To Be Continued)

Blanton's Back



Cy Blanton

Sent home with a bad arm last season and then shuffled off to Syracuse, Cy Blanton regained form that gave him lowest earned run average in National League in 1935, and is now the Phillies' chief pitching dependence.

Sand Bass Given A Clean Bill By Expert Fishermen

By United Press FORT WORTH, Tex.—Fishing experts in this area have come to the defense of the sand bass, a fighting favorite of anglers that has been accused of destroying other fish life in North Texas lakes.

The sand bass, which combines some of the better qualities both of the black bass and of crappie, has appeared in substantial numbers recently at Lake Dallas, Eagle Mountain Lake, Lake Bridgeport and other fishing spots of North Texas. The handsome white fish, more game than a crappie, multiplies rapidly.

Some fishermen have declared, however, that the sand bass has an appetite for smaller fish, particularly crappie, and that if allowed to go unchallenged may ruin other fishing. One fisherman related that he caught a large sand bass that had swallowed a seven-inch crappie.

But the weatherbeaten gents who operate fishing camps and fish almost every day say that the sand bass—sometimes known as white bass—has no habit worse

Freckles and His Friends—By Blosser



NAME: ZULA LASHLEY! OCCUPATION: SCHOOL GIRL! PRESENT ADDRESS: ALASKA! ULTIMATE DESTINATION: KOODAK ISLAND! ANYTHING ELSE?



RED RYDER

than these of his cousins, the lamented crappie and the large-mouthed black bass. Both of these latter varieties have no aversion of a meal of smaller fish, and minnows are the favorite bait of all three.

A. L. Carlton, operator of the Federal fish hatchery at Lake Worth, said that even the small black bass in the hatchery eat their brothers if there is a shortage of other food.

"It is a question of food," said Carlton. "I can't see how the sand bass could materially reduce the crappie population of any lake. I believe they've been fished out."

Thomas J. Benton, operator of

Stealing Tools Gets Youth Seven Years

By United Press FORT WORTH, Texas—Because 19-year-old Willie Winslow Ford stole a wrench and a saw worth less than five dollars he must serve seven years in prison.

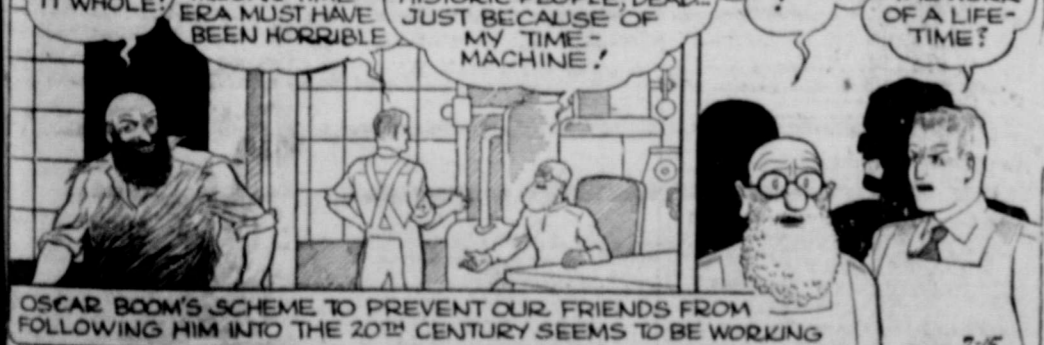
He pleaded guilty to burglarizing the chemical house in the railroad yards here and taking the wrench and saw. The judge sentenced him to two years. He must also serve a five year suspended sentence handed down two years ago in Hood county, again for burglary.

ALLEY OOP

By Hamlin



WHEW! ACCORDING TO BOOM'S STORY, HIS EXPERIENCES BACK IN THE TROJAN TIME-ERA MUST HAVE BEEN HORRIBLE



OSCAR BOOM'S SCHEME TO PREVENT OUR FRIENDS FROM FOLLOWING HIM INTO THE 20th CENTURY SEEMS TO BE WORKING



BUT THINK OF THE THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS WORTH OF EQUIPMENT, NO, DOC, NOT THAT WAY... NOT WHEN WE CAN ACHIEVE THE SAME END SIMPLY BY DISMANTLING IT... AND THEN, ANOTHER THING...



...THERE'S SOMETHING ABOUT BOOM'S YARN THAT'S FISHY... HE'S TOO ANXIOUS TO HAVE US DESTROY THE MACHINE!



WHAT WILL YOU BE DOING ALONG ABOUT 8:30 TONIGHT?



HELLO, DADDY... THIS IS FRECKLES MCGOOSEY!



HELLO, FRECKLES—GLAD TO MEET YOU! I'VE HEARD ALL ABOUT YOUR FISTS—MR. KRITTS TOLD ME!

By Harman



GUNS BLAZE AS RED RYDER AND THE INDIAN CHIEF'S SON COME FACE TO FACE WITH THE HOODED OUTLAWS THEY WERE PLANNING TO SURPRISE



WE'RE OUT-NUMBERED BUT MEBBE WE CAN SCARE 'EM OFF!



INDIAN VILLAGE NOT FAR AWAY? MEBBE WE CAN BRINGUM HELP!



# Society Personals

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Sanders of Cleburne visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pleas E. Moore Sunday. Their daughter, Mildred, remained for a continued visit.

Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Jackson and daughters who are in Rochester, Minn., while Dr. Jackson is taking post graduate work at the Mayo Clinic, have written friends of the

**"My Skin Was Full of Pimples and Blemishes"** says Verna S.: "Since using Adlerika the pimples are gone. My skin is smooth and glows with health." Adlerika helps wash BOTH bowels, and relieves temporary constipation that often aggravates bad complexion.  
**OIL CITY PHARMACY**

fine vacation they are having and advising that they expect to return to Ranger sometime during the coming week-end.

Word was received in Ranger today that Mr. and Mrs. D. Joseph and family had arrived in California and are making their headquarters in Hollywood.

Miss Elsie Hummel who has been studying at John Tarleton College has completed her work and is now at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hummel.

Miss Genie Lowe Bartrug has returned from Stephenville where she has been studying at John Tarleton College.

Mrs. W. J. Van Bibber left today for a visit with relatives in Stamford.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hummel of Grand Rapids, Ohio and Mr.

## Commercial State Bank Adds a New Employee To Staff

Due to the increase in business at the Commercial State Bank of Ranger another employe has been added to the staff, it was announced today.

Wilson Gest, who has been with the Paramount Hotel for the past year, and attending Ranger Junior College, has become a regular employe of the bank.

## Legion Will Elect Officers Thursday

M. M. Dutton, post commander of the Carl Barnes Post, has urged that all Legionnaires attend the regular weekly meeting of the post, to be held Thursday night, as officers for the coming year are to be elected at that time.

Notices of the meeting have been sent to every Legionnaire in the Ranger post, urging their presence, and a big attendance is expected.

Refreshments are to be served at the conclusion of the meeting.

**TO MAKE TWO GUILTS** Officers of the Young School P. T. A. announced today that they had secured two quilts, which they are to quilt Tuesday. All members have been urged to be present at the school at 1:30 to aid with the work.

Portugal makes plans to celebrate eight centuries of independence. Better hurry, boys, if you want to make than even 800.

and Mrs. Ted Hummel of Lorain, Ohio, have returned to their homes after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hummel.

Garvin D. Chastain is transacting business in Dallas.

Mrs. Homer Hodges and Mrs. P. J. O'Donnell have returned from a brief visit in Mineral Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Montgomery of Houston are visiting in Ranger.

Mrs. Phillip H. Pitzer of Mannington, W. Va., arrived this afternoon for a visit in the home of her brother, J. R. McLaughlin.

Miss Billie Marie Davenport has returned from a three week visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Davenport in Longview.

Miss Lorene Harrell has returned from Austin where she attended the summer session of the University of Texas.

Virgil Perry who has been attending the University of Texas for the past semester arrived Saturday to join Mrs. Perry who is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Crawley.

## Freckles and His Friends—By Blosser



## Polka Dot Slacks for Beach Wear



Red and white polka dot slacks, a flashing white shirt and a scarlet jacket are combined to make a perfect weekend costume for beach or country. The outfit was featured in a recent "Accent on Glamor" fashion show.

## Newspaper Ads Bring Mounting Sales of Won-Up

EDINBURG, Tex.—An unprecedented success in a new industry has come to the five-cent grapefruit drink, Won-Up, through a widespread newspaper advertising campaign. G. O. McDaniel, vice president in charge of sales for the Engelman Gardens Association said in a statement issued here today.

"Newspapers have been used more than any other medium in the publicizing of Won-Up and we give the papers full and due credit for the phenomenal success the product has had," Mr. McDaniel said.

The story of the tremendous increase in sales of the drink is the story of a happy combination of advertising and the creation of a new industry.

The Engelman Gardens Association has a tract of 11,000 acres near Edinburg; 500 acres are in bearing grapefruit groves. The entry into the five-cent drink field

## Political Announcements

This newspaper is authorized to publish the following announcements of candidates for public offices, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries:

**For Congress, 17th District:** OTIS (OAT) MILLER of Jones County  
THOS. L. BLANTON  
C. L. (CLYDE) GARRETT  
Re-election.  
SAM RUSSELL

**For Representative 107th District:** OMAR BURKETT

**For Assessor-Collector:** CLYDE S. KARKALITS

**For County Clerk:** R. V. (RIP) GALLOWAY  
WALTER GRAY

**For Sheriff:** LOSS WOODS  
WALTER EVANS  
W. J. (PETE) PETERS

**For Criminal District Attorney:** EARL CONNER, JR.

**For County Judge:** W. S. ADAMSON  
R. L. RUST  
C. S. ELDRIDGE

**For County Treasurer:** GARLAND BRANTON

**For District Clerk:** JOHN WHITE

**For Commissioner Precinct No. 1:** HENRY V. DAVENPORT  
L. J. LAMBERT  
JOE TOW

**Justice of the Peace, Precinct 2:** J. N. McFATTER  
R. H. (BOB) HANSFORD

## NOTICE! COLON TROUBLE

Such as Constipation, Gas, Appendicitis or Inflammation of any kind is the direct source of Rheumatism, Heart Trouble and many other troubles. We are making Special Study and treatment for these conditions. We have a full time Special Technician for this work, and the latest and best equipment.

**Chiropractic Service**  
DR. E. R. GREEN  
209 Main Street

was the outgrowth of overproduction of citrus fruit—a serious problem which has proved to be a boon.

The new industry provides an entirely new outlet for the juice of grapefruit since Won-Up goes into channels which are not in competition with fresh fruit or shelf life cans.

Today carloads of the sparkling juice go out from Engelman Gardens to a territory covering the entire southwest.

During the first six months of this year Won-Up sales climbed to seven times the volume reached in the first six months of 1939, according to Mr. McDaniel.

Estimates for the second six-month period indicate that sales of the popular nickel drink will double those of the period just ended.

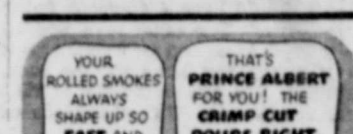
**FLIER BAGS SIX WOLVES**  
By United Press  
FOREST LAKE, Minn.—When it comes to hunting wolves, Lionel Hopkins will take an airplane any day. Swooping down low over fields and brushland, Hopkins shot six wolves.

Certain deep-sea fish carry their own lanterns for illumination, say scientists. The Nazis are expected to promise oil deliveries by September.

## MEET UP WITH FAST-ROLLED, MILDER "MAKIN'S" SMOKES

YOUR ROLLED SMOKES ALWAYS SHAPE UP SO FAST AND NEAT

THAT'S PRINCE ALBERT FOR YOU! THE CRIMP CUT POURS RIGHT, HANDLES EASIER



ME FOR THESE PLUMP RA. SMOKES—THIS EXTRA-MILD SMOKING, TOO

RIPS TASTE, AROMA, SPEED-ROLLING—YES, SIR, PRINCE ALBERT FOR "MAKIN'S" PLEASURE!



70 fine roll-your-own cigarettes in every handy pocket tin of Prince Albert



**PRINCE ALBERT**  
THE NATIONAL JOY SMOKE

## VACATION NEEDS

SAVE on Camping and Touring supplies for that Vacation Trip Such as—

- Army Type Cots
- Camp Stools
- Thermic Jugs
- Fishing Equipment
- DAVIS TIRES and GOOD PENN MOTOR OIL
- Auto Radios
- Seat Covers
- Auto Accessories
- Auto Polish and Cleaner

These items represent QUALITY Merchandise and You are assured of GUARANTEE of SATISFACTION with every purchase



**S. O. Montgomery**  
Ranger Phone 300

## POWELL'S GROCERY STORE



is prepared to serve you with foods that will tempt the palates of the entire family and at prices that thrifty housewives will appreciate.

**A. H. POWELL GROCERY & MARKET**  
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**FEED CANS**  
**BINDER TWINE**  
**SALT**  
**A. J. RATLIFF**  
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**Transfer and Storage**  
—For MOVING  
**CONTRACT OPERATOR**  
**T. & P. TRANSPORT**  
Phone 635

**NOTICE!**  
I have purchased the Roy Carlisle Barber Shop at 304 Main St., and I extend to my many Friends and Customers a Cordial invitation to pay me a visit.  
**Walter Coffman**

**FLATS FIXED FREE**  
Here on any heavy duty Brunswick Tire bought here for first six months after purchase. If you are planning on buying a new tire or a set of tires come by and see what a heavy duty tire you can get in exchange for your old tire for such a little more than these cheap tires cost you. Also Used Tires and Tubes 50c up. Most all sizes on hand at all times. Garage and Radio work done here by Sawyers. Cars greased 50c.  
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115 South Commerce Street TEXAS

YOUR HOME WILL BE ... **26% to 40% COOLER**  
  
... with Attractive  
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**FREE ESTIMATES**  
Phone 230-J  
**NORMAN DENNIS**

**CLASSIFIED**  
0—LODGE NOTICES  
Ranger Masonic Lodge No. 738 A. F. & A. M. will confer the Entered Apprentice Degree Tuesday night at 8 o'clock at the Masonic Hall. All members urged to attend. Visitors welcome.  
**ODELL COLE, W. M.**  
**R. C. STEDHAM, Sec.**  
7—SPECIAL NOTICES  
FOUND—Tension wheel off hay press. Call at Times office.  
WANTED to buy your surplus Oats, Wheat, Barley.—A. J. RATLIFF.  
11—APARTMENTS FOR RENT  
FURNISHED Apartment; bills paid.—MRS. REEVES, 621 Pershing St.  
UNFURNISHED Apartment.—414 Pine.  
19—FOR SALE  
Two miles east of Brockbridge at the intersection of highway 80 and 67 known as Kiper's Corner: Store, garage, service station and apartments, also modern five room house on 6 1/2 acres of land. For quick sale will give stock and fixtures, no trade.  
FOR SALE: Peas and green beans for canning. Call 237-W.  
BURBANK and Goose Plums.—W. W. Mitchell.  
ICE COLD WATERMELONS, Cantaloupes.—Trader's Grocery & Market.  
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FOR SALE—Several used automobiles. Bargains. W. F. Creager.  
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**Notice!**  
**PENNEY'S BARGAIN DAYS**  
**WILL CONTINUE THROUGH SATURDAY, JULY 20TH**  
**SHOP PENNEY'S! COMPARE!**  
**J. C. PENNEY CO.**

## New Rush On By Old Sourdoughs For A War Ore

LOS ANGELES.—The European war has started prospectors in California on a new rush, but this time it is for vital war metals. Cecil Thorington, Mono county sheriff, reports a tungsten strike that he believes is the mother lode from whose outcroppings alone have already been extracted hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of ore.

Minah, Nev., one prospector has located an abandoned mercury claim and is said to have netted several thousand dollars in the past few months.

Another report from Coso Hot Spring indicates the finding of so much mercury in the water that prospectors have been trying to engineer a new pipeline for water outlet, to enable getting to the ore, not gold.

## Listen, Mister!

There is a difference in hair cuts. A good one is a cut that suits the shape of your head and helps the hair lie neatly in place. Get your next one here and note the difference.

**GHOLSON BARBER SHOP.**