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RANGER, TEXAS, WEDNESDAY EVENING, JULY 23, 1941

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A Man, a Horse and a Dog



Gen. George C. Marshall, Army chief of staff, relaxes from heavy duties with a horseback ride over Fort Myer, Va., reservation on his favorite mount, Prepare. Pet pup follows.

Quaint Epitaphs of Past Gathered; Collector Prizes 4-Volume Record

By CORRINE HARDESTY
United Press Staff Correspondent
CHICAGO—Grave humor is what interests William Bethel, who for 15 years has collected eccentric epitaphs all over the world.
Bethel, a thin, sallow man of 54, became interested in gravestone inscriptions while touring historical cemeteries. His collection of epitaphs and photographs, gathered in thousands of miles of travel and with the help of correspondents, fills four ponderous volumes which have been sought by several libraries.
"Because styles in epitaphs have grown so conservative," Bethel said, "and because ancient cemeteries are being destroyed by war or neglect, presently collections like mine will be the only record of this colorful form of writing."
Moral Put Forward
In old English cemeteries many epitaphs tried to teach a lesson or point a moral, Bethel said. The gravestone of a drunkard in Darnton, England, has this on it: "Oh the liquor he did love but never will not more
For what he loved has turned his foe.
For on the 17 of January, 1741, that fatal day
The debt he owed he than did pay.
In Hildenboro, Kent, England, is a stone saying: "In sorrowful memory of the lady from Fickley who gave a dance in the old barn and never paid the bill."
The sad plight of John Jones, buried in 1796 in Holis, N. H., is recorded on his tombstone: "In youth he was a scholar bright, In learning he took great delight, He was a major's only son; It was by love he was undone."
Among the briefs in Bethel's collection are:
"He meant well, tried a little, failed much," on a grave in Lakewood, N. J.
"Gone to see for myself," on the grave of an atheist in Rowe, Va.
"Talked to death by friends," Boulder, Ill.
"Dr. John Gardner's last and best bedroom," in Bunhillfield, England.
"School is out. Teacher has gone home," Elkhart, Ind.
"I have expected this, but not so soon," in Nashua, N. H.
Supercondensations Attempted
"The desire to put a whole life's history into six or eight lines on a tombstone flourished for many years," Bethel said. "A good example is a tombstone in Winterbourne, England, 1829, which says
"30 years I was a maid, 13

months a wife, one hour I was a mother and then I lost my life."
High political feeling of 1865 is reflected in the epitaph of Elisha Bowman, Henryville, Ind., which reads: "He believed that nothing but the success of the Democratic party would ever save this union."
Among Bethel's "queer ones" is a tombstone in Solon, O., with the brief but bewildering statement: "Born May 8, 1863. Died Feb. 3, 1861."
Errors by Stonecutters
Bethel explained that tombstones recording lives of prodigious length are usually the work of jokesters who add a figure or the unwitting mistakes of stonecutters. Bethel has photographs of tombstones depicting persons who "lived" several hundred years.
Bethel regards as his oddest discovery the grave of Nancy Martin who died at sea in 1857 and who is buried in a cask of wine in Wilmington, N. C. Her father, a sea captain, brought back her body preserved in the barrel of wine and buried her in it, chair, wine, cask and all.
A choice example of the popular practice of connecting a man's gravestone and his life work is found in Delphos, O., where a log cutter's grave is marked with a huge stone log with the inscription: "He sawed logs for 40 years, but he won't saw this one."
A railroad worker's gravestone bears the line: "Papa, did you wind your watch?"
Huge Grave Found
The largest grave Bethel photographed is in Stamford, England, where Daniel Lambert's headstone records that Daniel had a leg measurement of 3 feet, 1 inch; body measurement, 9 feet, 4 inches; weight, 52 stone (740 pounds), and that 112 feet of elm were required to make his coffin.
The most frequently encountered verse, Bethel said, dating from the 14th century, is some variation of:
Stranger, stop and read,
As you are now so once was I,
As I am now so shall you be,
Prepare for death and follow me.
In an English cemetery Bethel found a grave where a wag had added:
To follow you I'll not consent,
Until I know which way you went.
Although Bethel's collection numbers more than 5,000 strange epitaphs, he plans to continue collecting. He hasn't found one he wants for himself.

Peanuts, Popcorn, Defense Stamps!



From now on the whistle on Steve Vassilakos' peanuts and popcorn wagon will toll for national defense (without salt). Steve, veteran White House vendor for 30 years, purchases Defense Savings Stamps from Charlotte Weikinger at the Treasury house to add to his circus stock.

OFFICERS ARE CALLED TO AID DEFENSE PLAN

AUSTIN, Texas—Law enforcement officers throughout Texas were called upon today to join in a statewide mobilization for national defense.
A complete inventory of police personnel and equipment is being made in every political subdivision, it was announced by Col. Homer Garrison, Jr., State Police director and chairman of police mobilization for the Texas National Defense Committee.
Sheriffs, chiefs of police, city marshals and constables were asked in letters from Garrison to report their personnel strength, transportation and communication facilities, special equipment such as arms, gas guns and masks, portable light generators, horses, boats and airplanes and jail capacities.
This information will make it possible for police authorities to "cope with any situation that might arise," Garrison said. "The state will be divided into 14 districts, and should a planned disaster or other emergency arise, additional qualified law enforcement officers would be asked to go to the affected area to assist the local officers."
That, he pointed out, will be merely an extension of the age-long practice of officers helping each other.
"Co-operation is strictly on a voluntary basis," Garrison said, "and no department is compelled to carry out the various phases of this plan."
Colonel Garrison also revealed that a comprehensive survey is being made of all Texas defense projects and industries essential to national defense, and the plans are being drawn for their protection against sabotage.

SITUATION IS SERIOUS SAYS HOUSE LEADER

WASHINGTON, July 23.—Chairman Andrew J. May, Democrat, Kentucky, of the House Military Affairs Committee, said today after hearing secret testimony of Chief of Staff Gen. George C. Marshall, that the international situation was "more serious than the general public understands, and is rapidly getting more so."
May said that the committee would approve Gen. Marshall's request for congressional proclamation of a national emergency in order to keep national guardsmen and selectees in service longer than one year.
Marshall said that this was necessary to prevent the army from "disintegrating."
Other members of the committee were convinced of the seriousness of the international situation and will exert all pressure to secure passage of the emergency legislation.
Rev. Ted Fix who was on the ill-fated Egyptian ship the Zam-Zam will be in Eastland Thursday night and will speak at the First Presbyterian Church. Mr. Fix was among a number of other missionaries who were on the Zam-Zam when it was sunk by the Germans. They were taken prisoners but later released. Mr. Fix was accompanied by his wife and small daughters. They were under appointment of the African Inland Mission and were on their way to the mission field.
The pastor of the Eastland Church, the Rev. Clarence C. Elrod, has known Mr. Fix for some time and is glad that the opportunity is afforded the people of this section to hear this interesting speaker and to learn of the thrilling incidents related to his recent experiences.

Voyages Is Off On Eyesight Drill Is A Dangerous Trip

By United Press
SEATTLE, Wash.—Wars and rumors of war over the "civilized" parts of the earth have not quieted the wanderlust of Dwight Long, who at 27 was the youngest man ever to circle the globe in command of a ship.
In his 32-foot ketch, the Idle Hour, he has embarked on the Pacific once more in quest of adventure. This time he carries a moving picture camera and hopes to obtain colored movies of his cruise.
Long was barely 21 when he set out from Seattle in 1934. Six years later he returned to port after a 50,000-mile voyage. His route took him through the South Seas, the Indian Ocean, the Red Sea and across the Atlantic Ocean.
The Idle Hour encountered several mishaps on its first globe-girdling voyage. It was damaged in a New England hurricane, earlier in the voyage the ship lost both masts in a New Zealand storm, and was becalmed for weeks in mid-Pacific. A Tahitian boy, Timi, joined Long but died on the voyage.
Even as the Idle Hour neared its home port it missed disaster narrowly. A headwind sent the tiny ketch far off its course beyond Catalina Island and San Francisco, and Long and two "hitch-hiking" companions came within an inch of being washed overboard.
Long was reported "missing" many times during the voyage, but he always bobbed up safely.
Three thousand Seattle residents turned out to greet the Idle Hour on its return. At the time, Long said:
"I'll always wonder how we made it."
But after less than a year at home and on lecture tours, the young mariner has the wanderlust once more.
"If you've got it, you can't fight it," he said. "War or no war, I've got to take another crack at Davy Jones."

Eyesight Drill Is Easy On Muscles

By United Press
DENVER.—Dr. C. C. Reid, Denver, believes that many cases of sub-normal eyesight result from failure of optic muscles to focus automatically.
To help relieve such muscular failure, he has worked out a series of 16 eye exercises, which follow:
1—Close both eyes tightly, then more tightly. Open and repeat six times.
2—Open eyes wide, then wider. Close and repeat six times.
3—Lift eyebrows high, relax, and repeat six times.
4—Close one eye tightly, then more tightly. Repeat alternately with each eye three to five times.
5—Rest all facial muscles with eyes closed for a few minutes.
6—Place three fingers of each hand on forehead over eyes and rub vigorously up and down 10 times.
7—Place fingers on temples and rub as before.
8—Place fingers firmly on cheek bones and revolve 10 times.
9—Pick up skin all around eyes, with fingers as if pinching.
10—Close right eye. Face forward and without moving head look at small object (tack, pin or spot) with left eye as far to right as it can be seen.
11—Close left eye. Look as far as possible to left with right eye.
12—Face forward and without moving head look with both eyes alternately at objects located as at 10 and 11 o'clock, winking eyes between each focus.
13—Cover each eye with palm of hand without touching eyeball, but excluding all light when eyes are opened; then close eyes and rest them with head supported by hands and elbows resting on table until all color disappears and total blackness is registered. Hold this position until eyes feel rested.
14—Look at dot on card 13 inches from eyes with first right, then left, then both eyes.
15—Look across room at dot or small object on white background with each eye, then with both eyes.
16—Repeat exercises 14 and 15 several times, then rest eyes by "seeing black" as in 13.

County Clerk Has Issued Marriage License To These

Six couples are granted license to marry by County Clerk R. V. Galloway as follows:
Dewey H. McNairy and Miss Nannie Mae Hill, Mineral Wells; Wesley Clemer and Miss Mary Lois Jones, Cisco, Star Rt. Winfred Jack Stephens and Norma Jean Hadley.
Fred L. Barr and Mrs. Willie Barr, Brownwood.
Amodar Gonzales and Maria Chappa, Hawley.
Loren W. Hayes, Calvin, Okla., and Miss Helen Lester, Olden.

THE WEATHER

WEST TEXAS: Fair to partly cloudy tonight and Thursday.

Marine Recruiting Sergeant In Ranger

Sgt. C. B. Ried of Abilene is in Ranger today, and will remain through Thursday to interview applicants for enlistment in the United States Marine Corps. He will be stationed at the Ranger Post Office throughout the day.
Those accepted for enlistment will be furnished transportation to Dallas, where final examinations will be given, after which they will be sent to San Diego, Calif., if they meet all requirements.
In the Marine Corps are 17 schools, offering 173 different courses, which are open to recruits and a total of 173 courses may be taken by correspondence.
Sgt. Ried will be at the Ranger Post Office Thursday from 8 a. m. until 5 p. m., where he will be glad to interview any applicants for enlistment.

Army's Accent on Youth



Maj. Gen. Frank M. Andrews



Maj. Gen. J. L. Devers

In a big Army shift that moves young men into key defense positions, Maj. Gen. Frank M. Andrews becomes head of the Caribbean defense command and Maj. Gen. J. L. Devers takes command of the rapidly expanding U. S. armored force.

NAZIS, REDS TRADE BLOWS ALONG FRONT

Germany and Russia traded heavy blows today, including another Nazi air smash at Moscow as Japan appeared to be on the verge of moving into French Indo China.
Discrepancy of the German and Russian accounts of military developments continued with agreement on only one point—that extremely heavy fighting was going on along the entire front from the Finnish front to the north of Leningrad to the Southern Ukraine.
German accounts claimed that Moscow suffered additional heavy damage in another big air attack last night, and reported that Soviet counter attacks and efforts to break out of encirclements had been beaten back. Germany claimed her forces continued to sweep forward on all fronts to develop further encirclements.
Russian accounts said that the attack upon Moscow was light and that no military objectives had been hit, though it was admitted that several dozen persons were killed or wounded. The Germans were said to have lost 15 of the 150 planes participating in the attack upon the Russian capital.
The rising Far East crisis was nearing a climax which brought new developments including predictions of a British move to come tomorrow or the next day and the assertion that the United States and Britain are preparing economic counter measures against Japan.

College Girls Are Hit By A British Curb Upon Clothes

By United Press
KESWICK, Eng.—Roedean, a famous girls' school, is so hard hit by the rationing of clothes that the old girls have been asked to send back their old school clothes if they still have them, so that today's girls may wear them.
Mrs. E. M. Tanner, headmistress of Roedean, now situated at Keswick, said:
"Clothes rationing hits girls badly. We have special clothes at Roedean which are distinctive. It is difficult now to get clothes made to our special design. But we will manage it somehow."
Most people in Britain have found that clothes rationing is going to cause them all sorts of difficulties.
The only people who don't think so are the members of the London Passenger Transport Board.
They refuse to let the girl conductors of the buses work without stockings.
"Bare legs on buses are unseemly," they say.

Laborers' Demands Retard Building In Fort Worth Sector

FORT WORTH, July 23.—A city-wide strike today threatened to halt construction of all non-defense building here as the building trades council endorsed demands of the common laborer's union of the American Federation of Labor for wage increases ranging from 10 cents to 15 cents an hour.

Darrell Tully Is Playing Golf At Commerce, Texas.

COMMERCE, Texas, July 23.—Darrell Tully, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Tully of Eastland, has entered the Commerce City golf tournament starting this week. Tully is a member of the faculty of East Texas State and is a past student and football star.
Competition in the tournament will begin this week and Tully is expected to go into play in the finals.

ROSE PAYS CHURCH RENT

PHILADELPHIA — Red roses pay the rent of three churches in Pennsylvania. In colorful ceremonies each June, the Trinity Memorial Episcopal church in Ambler, The Tulpehocken Trinity Reformed church in Richland and the Zion Lutheran church in Manheim pay their yearly rental by giving a single red rose each to relatives of the donors of the land or the church buildings.

ese And Vichy An Agreement

WASHINGTON, July 23.—The embassy announced today that it had received a report agreement reached between the Vichy government and the French Indo Chinese government.

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The More Horrible Thing

It is nearly 80 years, now, since American homes have crumbled beneath the juggernaut of war, since American blood shed in battle has stained American soil.

True, since 1864 the United States has had two wars, one fought in Cuba and at sea, the other in France and on the sea. Those who fought in them can testify to their terrors and their ugly horror.

Yet war in the midst of one's homeland and in the peaceful streets and lanes of daily life is more horrible still. The tumbling flood of European dispatches for the past two years—nay, for the past 10 years, has numbed our consciousness of what war means today.

There has been no lack of accurate and flavorful reporting of today's war. Yet sometimes a more personal word comes that lights up a little sector of the vast war scene with a blinding flash like lightning.

Here is one, just received from a young Englishman. Too young for the World War, he was mild and idealistic, and felt that even Munich was justified in the hope of avoiding the holocaust that brooded over Europe and in his own gentle soul. But in the hour of peril at Dunkirk, he volunteered just the same, and was doing patrol work in a small craft in English waters. "We've had our share of mining, bombing and machine gunning," he writes, "and we've answered back as best we could whatever opportunity was offered."

"Last August I was glad to be actively hitting back because a random bomb ripped my lovely mother to shreds. My father was hurt, and I was recalled from sea to cope with the situation (in 72 hours).

"I found her hand, and some pieces, and these we buried in a sack. I was glad to get back to sea. Perhaps it was merciful it was quick, and she sorrowed too deeply with the sorrowful. Another year of anxiety (to be followed, probably, by another similar year) would have broken her.

"I do not believe that, even granted successful initial invasion, Hitler could ever conquer this country. He cannot win without invading and conquering this country. If he cannot thus win, then he must lose and be finally washed up, for we shall never let up."

How many millions of people, gentle without hate in their hearts, have been thus converted into people who will never let up?

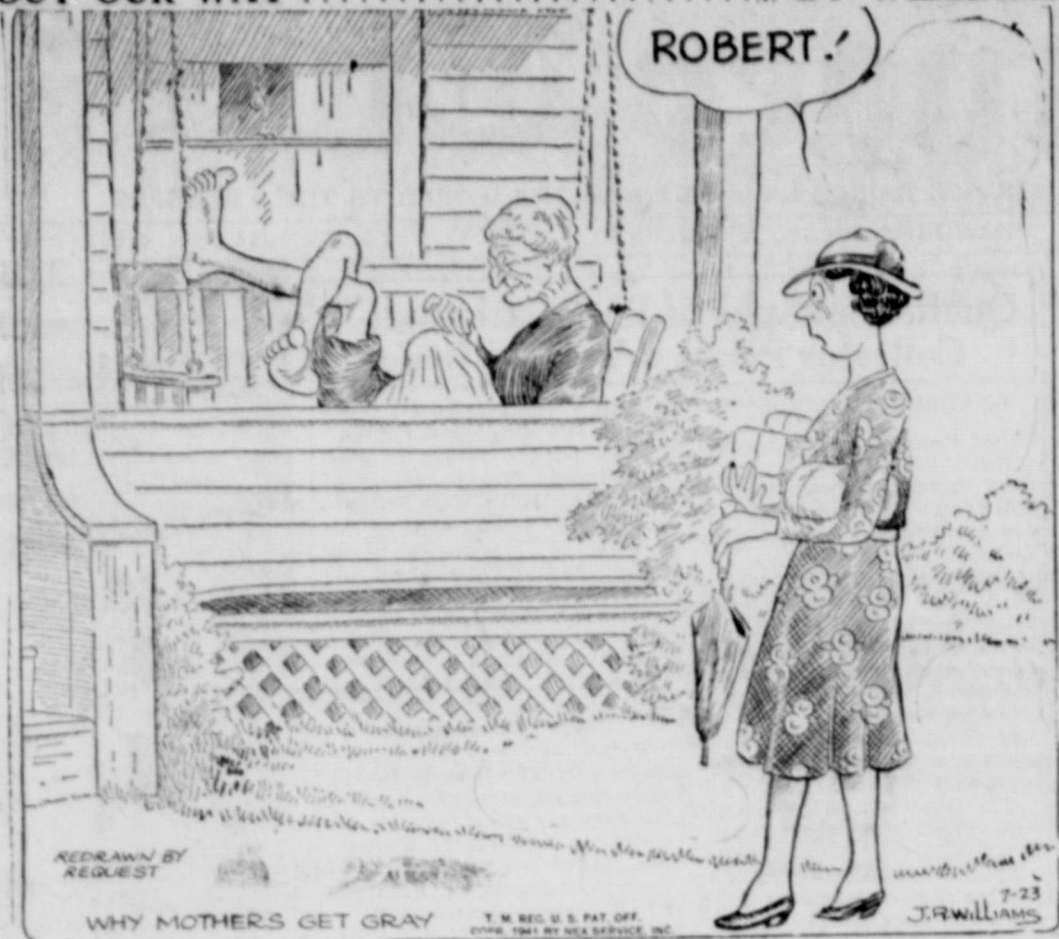
Enough, one trusts. For in Warsaw, Rotterdam, Coventry, Athens and Minsk, millions have seen and felt what the writer of that letter has seen and felt. Yet they know that there is a thing more horrible even than those they have seen—the prospect of living on their knees to the most ruthless, brutal regime ever to menace the modern world.

Thy, like the man who can never forget what he buried in a sack in England, will never let up.

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Star Ball Plar puzzle grid with clues for horizontal and vertical words. Includes a small portrait of a man.

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Effort To Increase Peach Consumption Is To Be Launched
The United States Department of Agriculture in this effort to increase the home-consumption of fresh peaches and make the best possible use of our abundant peach crop.

Advertisement for Chesterfield cigarettes. Features a woman playing a violin and a pack of cigarettes. Text includes 'for Vacation pleasure It's Chesterfield' and 'Chesterfields are different from other cigarettes'.

SERIAL STORY MURDER IN CONVOY

By A. W. O'BRIEN
YESTERDAY, Miley and Rollins go back to Greg's cabin where Miley insists on making more questions about Greg's activities the night of the murder. He also inquires about Greg's interest in Joan Davaar. Greg contains himself until Miley makes an unpleasant insinuation about him and Joan, and then he attacks Miley.

London Studies A Rebuilding Plan

LONDON.—The City of London, reputed in legend to be paved with gold, may pass into public ownership.

That old legend sometimes has proved true. Land-grabbers, speculators, adventurers of all kinds in the City's history have profited by the turnover of land.

Because of the speculation in valuable sites Sir Christopher Wren's great plan to remodel the City of London after it had been destroyed in the great fire of 1666 was abandoned.

Land owners claimed the right to build again on the plot they occupied. Speculators sold land at exorbitant prices, and the new owners insisted on building there, contrary to Wren's plans.

Now, the City of London has another chance. German bombs have destroyed so much that large-scale rebuilding will be necessary after the war.

And the city corporation is determined that the interests of the owners shall not interfere with its plan. They are planning a new London, wide, straight thoroughfares, wide enough to take all the traffic.

They will be lined with trees. New buildings will rise on the other side of them. The new city is considering a plan to buy all the land on which the city stands—672 acres of it.

The first great reconstruction scheme after the war will be near St. Paul's around Newgate Street and the square. Other areas will be rebuilt later in sections.

But all the work will be carried out according to a single comprehensive plan which will rid the City of its dingy alleys and twist-ways and make it instead a modern world capital.

The Royal Institution of British Architects urges that a London planning board should be set up to consider rebuilding plans for the entire metropolitan area. Among plans the institute approves is to build a railway line around London—so that motor cars would not enter the city area.

Four-Year-Old Boy Leaves For Navy But Doesn't Get In

By United Press
BURLINGAME, Cal., July 19.—Four-year-old Allen Van Bergen is a candidate for the navy—years hence.

He toddled into a barber shop yesterday and charged a crew haircut. He went next door to a confectionery and charged a dish of ice cream. Then he walked 12 blocks to a railroad station and boarded the Del Monte limited.

The conductor spied him before the train pulled out. "And who are you traveling with?" the conductor asked.

"I'm with myself."
"How about a ticket?" the conductor pursued.

"Don't need one," Allen answered. "I'm only four."

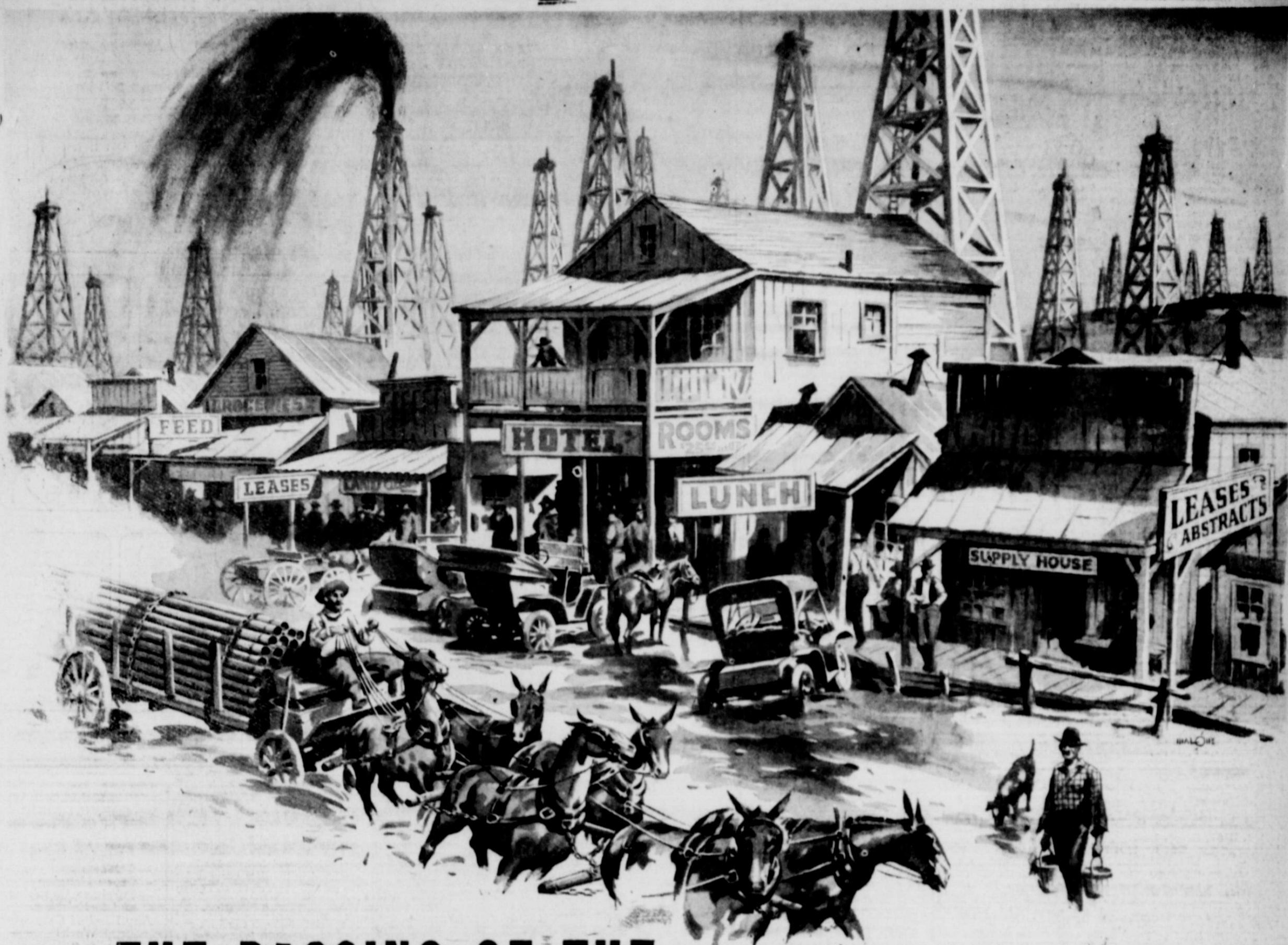
To his mother, Mrs. Kenneth Bergen, hastily summoned from her post as clerk of the Burlingame draft board, he confessed he had planned to join the navy at New York.

"Later, son, later," she said.

COCA COLA



Johnny Vander Meer is either good or bad. Vander Meer struck out 11 Boston Braves to increase big National League lead in that department and here he threw a fourth shutout and eighth straight victory. But Cincinnati's double-play hit, no-run hero of 1938 has been belted out regularly, too, and four-hit performance left him below 500.



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BOOMTOWN

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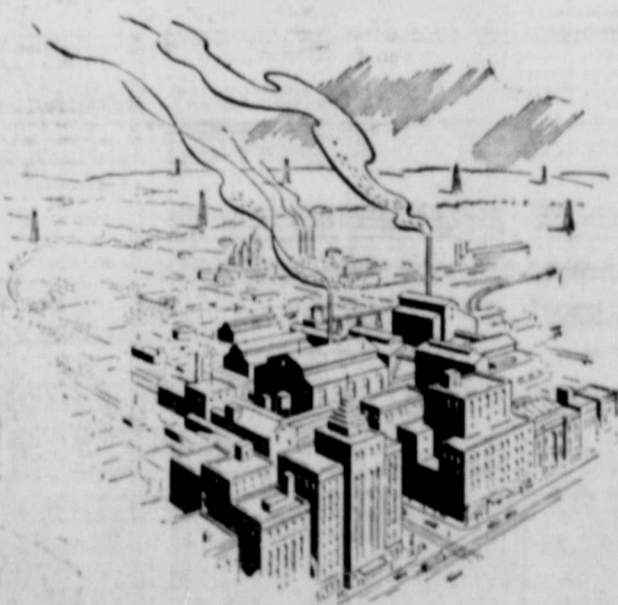
In the early days, as long as oil flowed, the boomtowns flourished. But soon the wells failed and the booms collapsed, carrying with them the income and security of those who had depended on them.

Today, through a sound program of conserving oil and gas, hundreds of Texas communities are enjoying a permanent type of petroleum development. Furthermore, because of conservation we

have the largest oil reserves in the world, one of our greatest assets for National Defense.

Oil now builds stable communities. It provides assured tax revenues and greater ultimate tax returns than were ever possible in boomtown days. And every citizen benefits from the income which oil creates.

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Society Notes

J.O.Y. Union To Meet
Members of the J.O.Y. Union of the Baptist Training Union of the First Baptist Church will assemble this evening at 8:15 o'clock at the church for mid-week prayer services after which the monthly business meeting will be held. Each member is especially urged to attend.

Intermediate Party Postponed
The party for the Intermediate department of the First Methodist church Sunday School which was

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FOR SALE: This week, 11 head Jersey and Hereford cattle, 90 days good pasturage. Plenty water, all included with cattle.—MRS. L. B. McMINN, Oden.

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CONTRACT ON RODEO IS LET BY COMMITTEE

A contract for the 1941 Labor Day Rodeo was made today between the Ranger Rodeo Committee and George Glascock, who staged Ranger's most successful rodeo last year. Because there was not time enough this year to build a permanent rodeo and show grounds the rodeo will be held at the old softball field, and plans are to go forward for a new rodeo field in time for next year.

It was decided at the meeting to have a sponsor's contest, with the rodeo committee furnishing the prize for this event, while all other rodeo events will be handled exclusively by Glascock, with the cooperation of the committee.

It was also decided that two parades will be held, one on Saturday morning, Aug. 30 and the other on Monday morning, Sept. 1. The rodeo performances will begin on Saturday afternoon and will be ended Monday night.

Plans for the annual motorcades are also to be taken up, and everything done to make the rodeo the best this year that has ever been held.

Glascock has the best rodeo stock that can be found in this part of the country, stock that has been used in previous rodeos, and which has furnished plenty of competition.

A committee composed of L. W. Meador, Sig Faircloth, V. V. Cooper, Jr., and Fire Chief G. A. Murphy was named to negotiate a contract under terms similar to those in the 1940 contract with Glascock. Because he has worked with the rodeo committee so well in the past it was decided that Glascock would also be offered the option on the show to be staged in the new arena when it is completed.

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Singing Class At Second Baptist To Meet On Friday

A large crowd attended the opening session of the singing class held Friday night at the Second Baptist church here.

Willie Williams had charge of the program. Singers were present representing Eastland, Olden, Breckenridge, and Strawn together with a large group of local singers. During a short business meeting Pirtle Robinson was elected president of the class, while Williams was chosen vice president.

The singing will have its second meeting Friday night at 8 o'clock with J. J. Belknap of Breckenridge in charge of the program. Everyone is invited to be present and enjoy the fellowship and singing. Many singers, including several quartets, have been asked to come.

Free Bingo Games Scheduled Friday

The WPA Recreation department is to sponsor another free bingo party at the Municipal Park Friday evening to which everyone is invited, it was announced here today.

The bingo games will be played at the pavilion south of the swimming pool, where there is plenty of room for all to participate.

Prizes will be awarded to the winners and will consist of articles made by the WPA crafts school, which is conducted at Corral Community Center.

Play will begin promptly at 8:30, with anyone who wishes to play eligible to compete.

Just a Bit Personal...

Miss Daisy Woods is spending the week in Dallas as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Jacoby.

Miss Zo Arrington of Rotan is the guest of Mrs. Lee Stuart.

James Weldon Hicklin who recently underwent an appendectomy at the City County hospital has been removed to his home.

Frank Hicklin received word this morning of the death of his brother-in-law, R. D. Brown, at Cameron.

Mrs. E. H. Jenkins and Mrs. B. S. Lemma are visiting in Corpus Christi.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Alworth and children, Anne and Lance, of Crowley, La., are spending their vacation with Mr. Alworth's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Alworth.

Mrs. G. B. McElroy and sons of Wichita Falls are the guests of Mrs. McElroy's mother, Mrs. W. E. Herwick.

W. E. Herwick is vacationing in Oklahoma.

San Angelo Flight Students Land Here

Basic training units from San Angelo, flying training planes, made a routine stop at the Ranger Airport this afternoon, as part of their flight instruction.

The committee of which the two men are members is functioning under the joint Army-Navy committee on welfare and recreation, and there is a whole-hearted ambition on the part of the membership to be of real service in the field of athletics to the armed forces.

Texas U. Coach Named On Staff To Aid Athletics

NEW ORLEANS, La.—Captain T. A. Thomson, Jr., Acting Commandant of the Eighth Naval District, today was informed of the appointment of two Eighth District sports luminaries—Dana X. Bible of the University of Texas at Austin and Dr. Wilbur C. Smith of Tulane University at New Orleans—as members of a joint Army-Navy subcommittee on athletics.

Dr. Smith has been head football coach and athletic director at the University of Texas since 1927, when he went to Austin after gaining national recognition in the college football picture with his University of Nebraska Cornhusker eleven. He is a member of the National Football Rules, Committee and is a past president of the American Football Coaches Association.

Dr. Wilbur C. Smith has been athletic director at Tulane University since 1922 and has been a member of the faculty at the New Orleans school since 1916.

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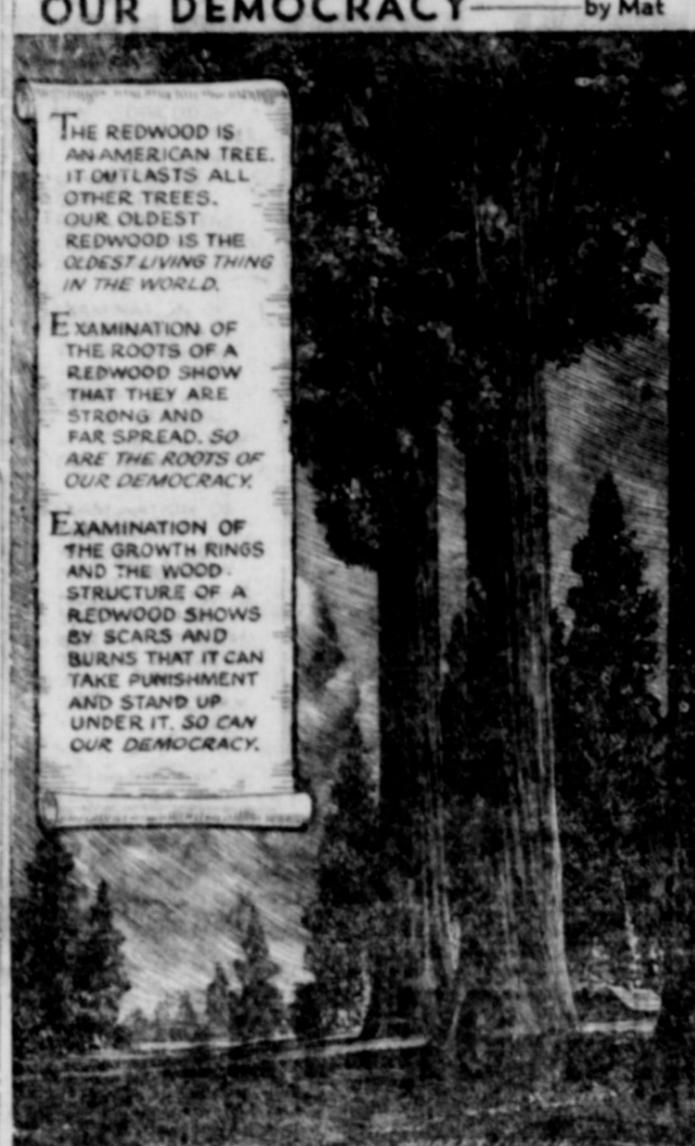
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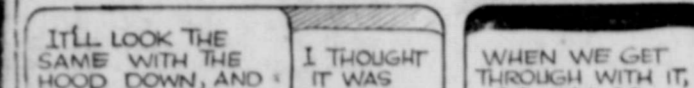
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Slate Pit Workers In Quarry 70 Years

By United Press

PEN ARGYL, Pa.—Eighty-year-old Edward Jackson has been employed in the slate quarries for the past 70 years and is still going strong.

Jackson says that no other man in the slate belt can equal his record. At present he is employed as a blockmaker at the Jackson Bangor Slate Company where he works beside men 30 years younger.

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