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WASHINGTON COLUMN

BY PETER EDSON

SAN FRANCISCO.—Anyone who thinks that all of the problems of the world are going to be settled at the United Nations Conference here is destined to disappointment. Yet many people persist in this miscalculation, and all kinds of misconceptions are rife, as shown by questions asked and criticisms offered of the Dumbarton Oaks proposals for a United Nations Organization to maintain peace and security. And this constitutes a threat against the success of the conference. Much of the confusion can be avoided by sticking to one fundamental concept: The most that can be done is to lay the foundations and put up the framework for a house which it is hoped will be occupied by an international organization that in time may start to begin to commence to do some of the things misinformed people believe are going to be done now.

Specifically, delegates from the 46 nations will write a Charter. That's all. This Charter will be like the articles of incorporation for an international big business. The business which the corporation will carry on when it gets going will be the business of preventing future wars. In writing the Charter, the San Francisco Conference will be guided by the rough suggestions drafted at Dumbarton Oaks last fall, but those proposals will be completely rewritten, subtracted from and added to by amendments and revisions.

THIS will be a long and involved process. Many people on the outside may become impatient and lose interest. After the great fanfare of publicity over the opening sessions, the San Francisco Conference will become maddeningly dull. Many lobbyists and leaders for special causes may give it up as a hopeless job and go home, particularly if their expense money runs low. If the war folds in Europe, if things in Washington start popping under President Truman, if domestic issues get hotter than this nebulous international stuff, a lot of the press and radio people will be ordered back where they came from, and a dog watch will be set up to see whether the San Francisco Conference lives or dies.

If at the end of one or two or even three months the San Francisco Conference produces a Charter which does just three things, you can put it down as a success. Those three things are:

- 1. Create an organization which will deal with future threats to world peace and so stop wars by removing their causes before they happen.
2. Make provision for gearing a World Court into this machinery so that when nations do get into arguments they can settle their disputes by international law instead of by force of arms.
3. Establish a formula for international machinery which will see that the dependent, colonial areas of the world are governed with justice, and not exploited or held in subjection.

SPORTS

BY HARRY GRAYSON, NEA Sports Editor

IN the summer of 1925, Melvin Thomas Ott, a 14-year-old high school senior, was catching for a sawmill team which Harry P. Williams, wealthy lumber and aviation magnate, ran for his own amusement at Patterson, La.

Williams, about to sail for Europe, called on his friend, John J. McGraw, then dropped Mel Ott's name toward telling him to report in the New York Giants, which he did at Polo Grounds, Sept. 1. He has been there ever since, goes with the lease.

Thanks to his running start, at 38 Ott is in his 20th season with the New Yorks, which is one of the multiple National League records he holds. He sets a National League mark literally every time he walks, nearly every time he moves in any direction.

Right fielder Ott is one of two immortals transformed by John McGraw. The other was Christy Mathewson, switched from first base to the box.

WHEN Ott's first met McGraw, Little Napoleon asked whether he had ever played the outfield. "When I was a kid," replied the fuzzy-faced recruit from Gretna, La., across the river from New Orleans.

Level-headed, likable Ott, who also performed acceptably at third base, quickly established himself as a manager, brought back to the Giants many fans who deserted them during the incumbency of Christy Mathewson.

Ott is one of the mightiest distinctive hitters. A left-hand thumper, he raises his right foot with the pitch for leverage. White batters hit off the back foot, his right foot if back on the ground when he meets the ball.

No player belted more home runs at opposite times than Ott. He ended the 1932 World Series with one, Fred Schulte of the Senators dropping into the left-center field bleachers at Griffith Stadium and out of sight with the ball in his desperate attempt to get his hands on it.

Ott last year rubbed out two of the immortal Honus Wagner's National League records—for runs scored and extra base hits. The Bomber of the Bayou hangs up a new all-time total every time he walks, makes an extra base hit, adds to his total bases, bats in a run and manufactures a home run.

Five times in 1944 Ott slammed two home runs in a game, so the lifetime high times for doubling up homers became 48. He equaled a couple of single-game records already credited to him by drawing five homers and scoring six runs, April 30, 1944. He holds the record for most years of 30 home runs or more—eight. He equaled the record for most times hit by pitcher in a game—three, against the Pirates, Sept. 15, 1938.

Ott holds the record for an outfielder participating in the most double plays in a campaign—12 in 1929.

And Mel Ott is still going strong. Long may he wave that bat.

THE TWO EXTREMES

News from - -

CAMP WOLTERS

Camp Wolters, Texas—"I Am An American Day" was observed at this Infantry Replacement Training Center last Sunday in cooperation with members of the Mineral Wells and Weatherford chapters of the Daughters of the American Revolution. Principle speaker was Major John M. Walter, Information and Education Officer here. Lt. Henry T. Morris, Public Relations Officer, presided at the ceremony, in which Mayor John C. Miller of Mineral Wells also took part. Newly naturalized soldiers, and soldiers who reached their 21st birthday during the past year, were honored at the ceremony.

In view of the critical tin shortage all civilian and military personnel living off post were asked this week by Capt. V. J. Earhart, New Orleans, Camp Salvage Officer, to bring their salvaged cans to Camp to be added to the regular Wolters salvage. For this purpose 55 gallon containers will be placed near salvage paper sheds located at the Laundry, in front of the Area 6 Service Club, and across from Camp Headquarters.

Eight weeks ago a book was checked out of the Camp Library, and a studious soldier, Pfc. Charles H. Stroud, signed his name to the card.

He started to read the book on March 24. The book was due two weeks later on April 7. When it didn't come in on that date, the Camp Librarian, Josephine Leach, did not worry, but decided to give Stroud a little longer to finish the book.

Twelve notices have been sent out to Pvt. Stroud to return the book and more are probably on the way.

The name of the book? Oh, yes—"The Art of Rapid Reading."

"Safety First" is the slogan that must be practiced as well as preached, according to the Safety Council at Wolters, which, since its founding last September, has done much to cut down the accident rate in camp.

The Safety Council, whose function it is to work with the Camp Safety Director, Capt. Carl W. Powell, is composed of representatives appointed by the Post Engineers, Director of Personnel, Director of Supply, Camp Quartermaster, Camp Transportation Officer, Post Exchange Office, IRT, Internal Security Branch and POW Camp.

First Lieutenant Hannah W. Jewett, Grand Rapids, Mich., recently arrived at Camp Wolters to take over her duties as acting assistant commanding officer of the WAC Detachment here. Lt. Jewett came here from Fort Worth where she was engaged in recruiting for the Corps.

In the Sporting Spotlight at Camp, the news of a four hour per week program of organized athletics was announced. This new program was organized to continue to maintain a high state of mental and physical fitness of all Army Service Forces personnel in Camp.

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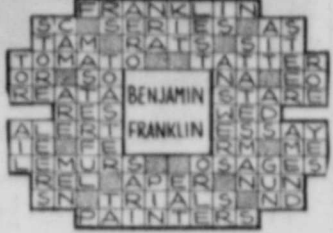
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Crossword Puzzle

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1,7 Pictured former foreign minister of Brazil
4 Cutting tool
13 Inability to read correctly
14 Idea
15 Pedal digit
16 Put
19 Cooking utensil
20 Tiller of ship
22 Enough (poet.)
23 Tardy
24 Exclamation
26 Toward
27 Rock
30 Indian coin
34 Rouse
35 Bedeck
36 Prodded
37 Granted
38 Right side (ab.)
39 Till sale (ab.)
40 Infant
43 Speck
47 Slant
51 Winglike part
52 Great river of his country
54 Very (Scot.)
55 Crystalline compound
7 Member of gun crew
9 Confer
0 Capital of his country is Rio de

Answer to Previous Puzzle



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NEWS FROM Carbon

Carbon, May 21 - Rev. H. M. Uary will receive his A. B. degree from Howard Payne College. Brownwood, when commencement exercises are held Tuesday evening. He has volunteered for service as a chaplain with the United States Armed forces following his graduation. Relatives visiting he and Mrs. Uary and attending commencement are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Uary; Sisters, Mmes. T. S. Horton and Loyd Davis, and W. E. Fallington, all of Dallas.

Mrs. J. M. Hampton of Dallas is visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Cressley and other friends here.

Mrs. Luther Reese has returned from San Antonio where she visited her daughter, Miss Elaine Reese.

Mrs. M. C. Boone is visiting her children; Mrs. Dorothy Huett and Irvin Boone in Big Spring. Irvin is home on furlough from his base in San Diego.

Mr. and Mrs. Trimble Boyett and Miss Elinor Sue Boyett of Dallas spent Sunday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Boyett.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Stubbfield Friday were Mrs. Stubbfield's niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Gilbert and daughters, Lavonne and friend, Miss Gladys Hallenback.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Lewis and son of Baird visited relatives and friends here Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Adrian Bryant of Rucker, visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bryant, Monday.

Pvt. Earl Tom of Camp Wol-

ters, accompanied by a friend spent Sunday here with relatives.

Sam Walker left Monday for Dallas for induction into the armed forces.

Mrs. E. F. Lovett had as guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Battles and family of New London; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Camp and family, Mrs. Pearl Phillips and daughters and Mrs. Mamie Townsend of Fort Worth.

Mrs. D. N. Taylor and Pal Taylor of Seminole visited Mrs. Maurice Taylor, this week.

Mrs. Mayes of Fort Worth is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Fannie Bridges. They visited in Gorman Tuesday.



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## SOCIETY

### REBEKAH LODGE MEET HELD ON TUESDAY

The Ranger Rebekah Lodge met in regular session at the I. O. O. F. hall Tuesday evening at 8:00 o'clock with the past noble grand, Mrs. Eva Stallings, presiding. In the regular business meeting 16 members answered roll call and routine business was transacted. A proclamation by the Grand Sire, D. D. Monroe, was read designating the second Tuesday in June as Oddfellow and Rebekah memorial day. It was announced at the meeting that a joint meeting of the Odd fellows and Rebekahs will be held next Tuesday night when an open house will be sponsored. Mrs. Shipman and Mrs. Lee gave a report on their trip to Camp Bowie last Thursday when they represented the lodge at the council meeting. Mrs. Lucille Williams was presented with a past noble grand certificate and pin.

### VICTORY CLASS HAS DINNER ON SUNDAY

The Victory Class of the First Baptist church under the leadership of Mrs. E. V. Robinson were entertained with a dinner at the Chicken Inn on Sunday. Those attending and all of whom are wives of service men were, Meses. Polly Blackwell, June Dunwoody, Margarette Asterburn, Crystal Pitts, Marjorie Houghton, Mary Jane Hale, Ellen Bobbs, Ellen Rains, Mildred Fern Kribbs, and Clara Faye Asterburn.

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### SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS TO MEET THURSDAY

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### PERSONALS

Deaton Hale who recently underwent surgery at the West Texas Hospital is reported to be in a satisfactory condition.

P. K. Neal is a surgical patient in the West Texas Hospital.

Mrs. Steve Nowak of Strawn is a surgical patient in the West Texas Hospital.

Mrs. N. E. Richardson who has been a medical patient in the West Texas Hospital has been removed to her home.

Mrs. O. E. Hyles of Gordon who has been a medical patient in the West Texas Hospital has been removed to her home.

J. F. Warren has returned to his home in Electra after a brief visit. Mr. and Mrs. Warren formerly made their home in Odessa and were active in church activities in Ranger.

### Legislature--

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are hereby abolished.

Sec. 2. Any cases pending upon the docket of said court shall be transferred by the clerk to the docket of said court shall be transferred by the clerk to the docket of the District Court for the 91st Judicial District. The Judge of the District Court of the 88th Judicial District shall have authority and power after the abolition of his court to approve any and all statements of fact, bills of exceptions, or make any other order necessary in cases tried in said court and appealed.

Sec. 3. All processes and writs heretofore issued out of the District Court of said 88th Judicial District and returnable in said court are hereby made returnable to the District Court of the 91st Judicial

### She Said 'Yes'



Screen tough guy Humphrey Bogart, 46, and 20-year-old Lauren ("The Look") Bacall, his leading woman in two recent pictures, will be married soon on the farm of sister Louis Brunfield, near Mansfield, O. Their confirmation of oft-reported wedding plans followed the divorce granted Bogart's third wife, the former Mayo Method. The Bogart-Bacall screen clinch above is from their picture "To Have and Have Not."

District, and all bonds executed and recognizances entered in District Court of the 88th Judicial District shall bond the parties for their appearances as to fulfill the obligations of such bonds and recognizances in the District Court of the 91st Judicial District; all processes heretofore returned, as well as all bonds and recognizances heretofore taken in the District Court for the 88th Judicial District shall be valid and made returnable to the next ensuing term of the 91st Judicial District; and the obligees in all appearance bonds and recognizances taken in and for the District Court of the 88th Judicial District, and well as all witnesses summoned to appear before the District Court for the 88th Judicial District, shall be re-

quired to appear at the next term of the District Court of the 91st Judicial District. Sec. 4. The fact that there are so many District Courts serving Eastland County, and the further fact that the Commissioners Court of said county is of the definite opinion that Eastland county does not now need two District Courts, and has so advised, create an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the Constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in each House be suspended, and said rule, in hereby suspended, and this Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

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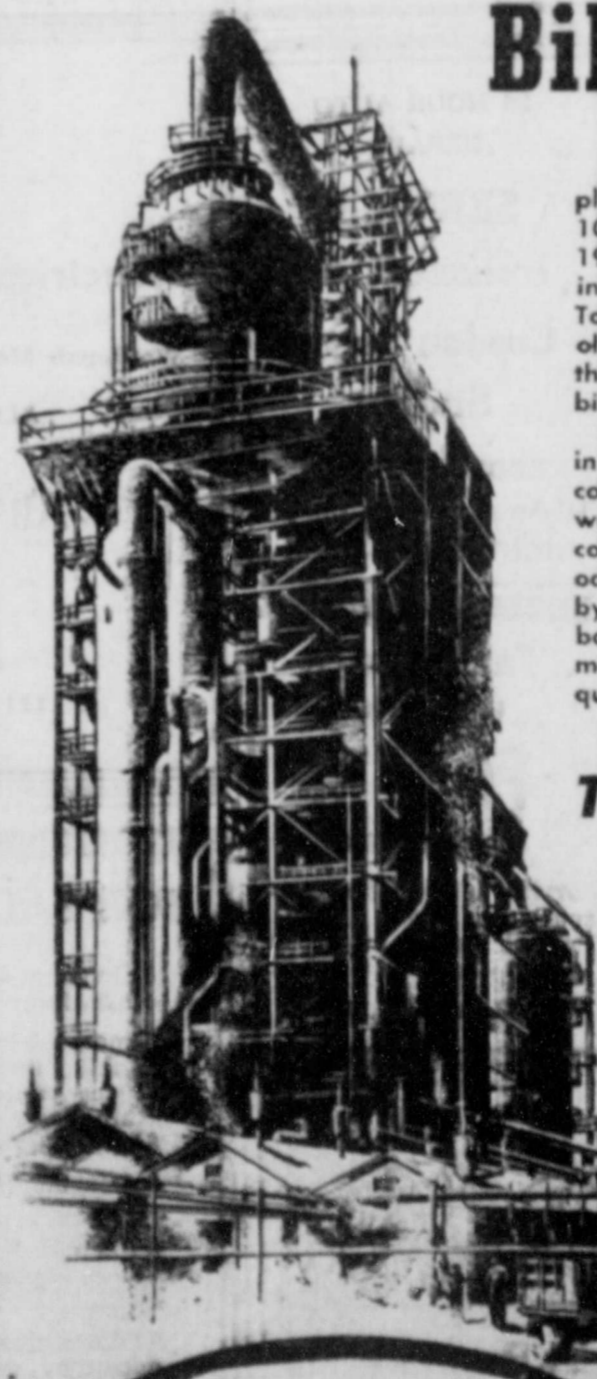


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