#### RED CROSS KNITTING SCHOOL WILL OPEN HERE FRIDAY AFTERNOON

A Red Cross Knitting School will be opened in the Home Demon-stration Club room in the Courthouse Friday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Mrs. Sam Lasley will be in charge of giving instructions. She has been working with the Honored On 93rd Birthday

Red Cross Knitting program carried on in Texhoma.

The school will be held from the hours of 1:30 to 4:00 P. M. Every lady who is interested in giving her time for Red Cross knitting is requested to be present and bring her needles and yarn.

No definite information has been received as to when the local Red Cross organization of ladies will receive their material for commencing work but the school is being started to give each lady an opportunity to learn the proper methods of producing the garments which will be distributed by the Red Cross.

Birthday

Mrs. A. M. Gladish was honored Tuesday with a birthday dinner at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Kelley, the occasion being her 93rd birthday. Those present were: Mrs. Gladish, Emmett Gladish and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Kelley.

During the afternoon remembrances were sent to Mrs. Gladish by the Methodist ladies, Mrs. E. F. and a card shower was sent by numerous friends.

Timely Religious

have been levied upon all net income exceeding personal exemptions in addition to the regular normal tax. This reduction in personal exemption will require many thousands in this district to file income tax returns who have never been required to file before. many thousands in this district to different this district this dis district this district this district this district this distric

## \$213.35 Raised In Fight Infantile

Paralysis Campaign
Funds received from the President's Ball in Stratford totalled \$6,000,00 would be needed for that \$6,000,00 would be needed for Society Editor Society E

be the evangelist and states that cars to reach the bedside of the the meeting will be continued indefinitely. She extends a cordial
invitation to all those who wish to

#### Stratford NFLA Will Make Loans

## School Will Be Held In Stratford

The Sherman County Home Demonstration Clubs cooperating with the State Highway Depart-ment will hold a First Aid training school, beginning February 10, at the courthouse, according to infor-mation from Miss Mabel Martin, county home demonstration agent. All who are interested in taking this course should be at the courthouse at 7:30 P. M. and the instructor, J. M. Carter of Dumas, will assign classes. Mr. Carter is District Manager of the State Highway Department and a very capable instructor. capable instructor.

#### CURRENT PROGRAM AT THE ROXY

Tonight, "Go West Young Lady," with Bob Wills, Penny Singleton, and Charles Ruggles

Friday and Saturday, "Blues In The Night," with Priscilla Lane and Lloyd Nolan.

Sunday and Monday, "Maltese Falcon," with Humphrey Bogart and Mary Astor.

Tuesday, "Nurses Secret," with Lee Patric and Regis Toomey. Feb. 11-12, "Flying Cadets,"

with William Gargan.

Topics

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(By J. B. Thompson)
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uary 12-15 with 340 delegates present from 123 Protestant missionary boards responsible for an annual expenditure for over \$20,000,000. The conference approved the relief

the street East of the Courthouse Henderson said, "Clergymen in Saturday to open revival services Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Ruby Barrow of Dalhart will are compelled to depend upon their attend to be present for the services.

ters should not accept this as a mere "concession of religion" but should seek to discharge the grave

BAND REPORT responsibility for service implied.
The nation thus recognizes religion as a vital necessity of our national life.

In behalf of all the band members, I wish to give to Mr. Beene our deepest love. He was not only a "swell" teacher, but he was a

Arthur Ross, Secretary of the Stratford National Farm Loan Association, who attended a meeting of the Federal Land Bank secretaries in Spearman Friday, states that the local organization is again in a position to make loans on nd in Sherman, Dallam, Hartley, and Moore counties. The Stratford N. F. L. A. is a solvent institution.

The current crop of religious books seems to strike a deeper note of reality. The writer's purse forbids a wide reading of them but we read the reviews of most of them, read several each month in a circulating library, and buy a few of the best ones. The most highly advertised and widely discussed one right now has the simple title "Prayer" and was written by the well known and brilliant pastor of the Madison Avenue Presbyterian Church in New York City, Dr.

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guests enjoyed it too. We want to compliment our former director in his school dance orchestra. We enjoyed it a lot. Kansas. She received her education at Panhandle A. & M. at Goodwell, Oklahoma. Her favorite instruments are the clarinet and the coronet. She is partial to classical overtures. This is her first band, so we must work with her. She was in the college band for two years. She also plays the piano and sings. Her major was that has wings.

#### Mrs. Dodson Recovers From Operation

Mrs. C. B. Dodson, who recently underwent a major operation in Northwest Texas hopsital in Ama-rillo, is expected to be brought home this week.

#### Methodist Church

(J. B. Thompson, Pastor) Sunday School 10:00 A. M. At- Ullom, Amelia Ramon, Arlene tendance goal 125. Help us reach Grimes, Dorothy Walsh, Dean Tur-Morning Worship 11:00 A. M. Subject, "Making The Most Of Our GRADE SCHOOL REPORTS

Junior League 6:00 P. M. Youth Fellowship 6:30 P. M. Evening Worship 7:15 P. M.

#### Men 20 To 45 Will Register At Stratford And Texhoma Monday, February 6th

Men in Sherman County between the ages of 20 and 45, who have not previously registered for Selective Service will be registered in Sherman County at the City Hall

#### OIL LEASING STARTS FOR **NEW PLAY**

Oil leasing in Sherman County cook on new life this week with

#### NOTICE!

February 6 to February 12 is official Boy Scout week, making Sunday, February 8, official Boy Scout Sunday, the Thirty-Second birthday of Boy Scouting in America.

The boys and their parents are invited to attend corriece Sunday.

and gas leases and two assignments of leases.
Sylvester A. Sergeant and wife sold Olive M. Childers an oil and gas lease on the southeast 1-4 of section 122, Block 1-C.

J. M. Flater et al sold I. T. And the parents are invited to attend services Sunday morning at the Methodist Church at which time Bro. Thompson states the subject will be, "Making the Most of Our Best." And we cordially invite all Scouts and their parents are invited to attend services Sunday morning at the Methodist Church at which time Bro. Thompson states the subject will be, "Making the Most of Our Best." And we cordially invite all Scouts and their

Mrs. Buford Jones and daughter, Altus, Oklahoma, Mrs. Snow Kerr and son, Watonga, Oklahoma, returned home Tuesday after a week's visit with their sister, Mrs. E. R. Pigg, Mr. Pigg and daughter.

# THE DUSTER

DUSTER	STAFF	FOR	THE	SECOND	SEMESTER	
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cessful.

The father insisted upon the minister The father insisted upon the ministery as a vocation but the son had other ideas. At one time their pastor interceded for Fredric when ne desired to become an actor against his parents' wishes.

On January 17 the Government of Church under construction across the street East of the Courthouse Saturday to open revival services.

The father insisted upon the minister The father insisted upon the minister and of the fact that we have been unable to obtain a sufficient supply of free commodities to enable us to serve meals at the price of 10c and break even, we shall be forced to raise the price of lunches to 15c for single lunches of function across the street East of the Courthouse Saturday to open revival services.

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We feel that the lunchroom is a force of our pupils are not so good in numbers as they were the first semester.

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erate with us in the effort to keep Raymond Keener came to school to

piano and sings. Her major was voice. We, as a band, welcome her and will help her to be an out-

standing director.

Again I want to express our deep regret at Mr. Beene's leaving us and to wish him the best of luck.

We have missed several students this last week because of illness or other reasons. They were Stanley Ullom, Amelia Ramon, Arlene we go

#### children except one were also the term honor roll.

Some of our pupils are not

We feel that the lunchroom is a real asset to the school and we hope that every patron will coop-Green, Mrs. Guthrie, and Mrs.

see our assembly program Friday.
Doris Ann and Dorothy Beall are
very proud of their new sister. Pupils not mentioned in week's third grade Distinguished list were Gene Ross, Mary Nan Da-

vis, and Millie Bennett. Roberta Jean Bird is ill with croupe. She was absent Thursday and Friday and

also We are furnishing the program for P. T. A. this week. Our music students have the highest average in music for the semester.

Jackie Davis went to Dalhart Saturday. Mary Lou Griffitt went to Texhoma

Mrs. Bessie Lee

And John Shaw

Married Lap 24

to Texhoma.

Florence Alexander went to Dal-

hart Saturday to get her eyes test-ed. She will have her glasses within a few days. Almost all of us are learning how

Ruthie and Ruby Brannan went to Dalhart Saturday.

Correction: Alice Lowe, instead Diego. of Alice Weatherly, was on the

sixth grade honor roll.

Marion Engelbrecht, Ferris Heny, Marjorie Grimes, Bobby Wilson, Charlotte Watson, Billy Penrose, Laverne Smith, and Shela Jo Duby are back after having been ill last

#### SPORTS REPORT Twice again Stratford basketball

teams have come out victorious. Friday night we went to Gruver. The boys won by a score of 53-25. My Stanley, your poor hat surely suffers, doesn't it?

Joy May seemingly doesn't like to have a paper wad thrown at her. She just gets up and moves.

We have missed several students time this goes to press, we will have played Dalhart and will be boasting of two more victories, we

This week end, February 6 and 7, we go to Stinnett's invitation tour-nament. Both boys and girls will have strong competition, and in GRADE SCHOOL REPORTS

Four names were left off the first grade honor roll: Shirley Plunk, Butch Bryan, Jackie Kelp, and Wesley Weston. All of these interest of the strong competition, and in order for either of us to come out on top, some of our fans should go along to do some rooting for us. Wouldn't you like to see your teams win?

Senior Endeavor 6:00 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:00 P. M.
Junior Choir Practice Thursday 4:00 P. M. at parsonage.
Women's Council 1st. and 3rd.
Wednesdays 2:30 P. M. at church. Choir practice Wednesday 7:30

#### \$189.12 SENT TO RED CROSS BY SHERMAN COUNTY CHAPTER

ly hankerchiefs and cards, also a large cake bearing 80 candles, honoring her 80th birthday Saturday.

W. G. O'Brien called for Mrs. O'Brien a little early and Mrs. Lafrenz invited him in to share the birthday cake. Mr. O'Brien wanting to be chivalrous, offered her a Yankie Dime. Well, ask Mr. O'Brien about the gift.

Tax Payments

Set New Record

A new record for paymy Valorem taxes has been

#### KERRICK NEWS

(By Homer Mathews)
Seen at the President's Ball in Stratford: L. H. McDaniel looking pleasant—R. T. Elms ditto — Tom James escorting a cute brunette from Dalhart and introducing all his coursing. I. P. Taylor, and from Dalhart and introducing all his cousins! — J. P. Taylor and Frannie — Nita and Hap Taylor, the latter wearing a gardenia. Mrs.

finest young men in the community last week when N. S. "Chink"
James and Earl McDaniel enlisted in the Air Corps. Earl left Tuesday for Lubbock and Newton Thursday for San Angelo. Both returned home this week to await their call

Boise

Leonard Cowden, manager, and R. V. Meacham, salesman of Consumers Cooperatives Associated Wholesale house in Amerilla step-

Inight.

Jim Odom and a Mr. Nelson of Borger, Texas flew up for a short visit Sunday, stopping for dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Strothers near Stratford. Jim very kindly let your reporter fly his plane for a short hop over Kerrick.

Newton and Tom James and Ray

Taylor are the latest to get air-

visited at Texhoma Sunday.

# Married Jan. 24

The fourth grade received a card from Sistie Flores, who is going to school at San Marcos. We were thrilled to hear from her.

Mrs. Bessie Lee of San Pedro, California, and John Shaw, formerly located here with the Soil Home Repainted Conservation Service, were married in Yuma, Arizona January 24, and will make their home in San Diego, week.

T. D. Chisum has the con-California, where the groom is employed as an electric welder with the Consolidated Aircraft Com-

> Robert Lee has been transferred from San Pedro high school to San Diego high school.

### BAPTIST CHURCH

(Fern A. Miller, Pastor)
Sunday School 10:00 A. M., L. P.
Hunter, Superintendent.
Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.
Training Union 6:30 P. M., D. R.
Wilson, Director.

Evening Worship 7:30 P. M.
Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening. The subject for discussion will be "The Holy Spir
Announcements

#### Christian Church (L. B. Chaffin, Minister)

Bible School 10:00 A. M. J. R. Pendleton, Supt.

Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.

Junior Endeavor 6:00 P. M. Mrs.

C. R. Bomer, Sponsor.
Intermediate Endeavor 6:00 P. M.
Mrs. S. J. Calvird, Sponsor.
Senior Endeavor 6:00 P. M.

Choir practice Wednesday 7:30 For County and District Clerk: F. B. MULLINS.

Mrs. Lucy LaFrenz
Honored On 80th
Birthday
Ladies of the Bible Class of the Christian Church and Rev. and Mrs. L. B. Chaffin gave Mrs. Lucy LaFrenz a birthday shower of lovely hankerchiefs and cards, also a large cake bearing 80 candles, hon-Chester Guthrie, Sherman Coun-

A new record for payment of Ad Valorem taxes has been set in Sherman County for many recent years, according to Sheriff J. W. Garoutte, who reported this week that 1,150 ad valorem tax certificates. cates were issued before the January 31 deadline. The highest record in recent previous years was a

this year, according to poll taxes Bill Pemberton dancing with son, Elmer, and being dwarfed by comparison — Robert Murdock and Roberta — Clyde Martin referring to your reporter as "The Editor" — Postmaster Nobles and wife dancing a mean Paul Jones — .

We loaned Uncle Sam two of the finest young men in the community of age. It is sued. There were 516 assessed poll taxes paid, 87 supplemental poll taxes, and 14 exemptions to those becoming of age were issued. Usually the county polls from 40 to 50 votes by those residents who are exempt from paying poll taxes on account of age.

their call.

Mrs. Minnie McDaniel left Saturday for DeRidder, Louisiana, to visit son Fred, who is reported to be ill at the home of his grandparents. Robert Murdock acted as chaffeur.

Saturday I happened to see:

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Crabtree

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Mrs. Minnie McDaniel left Saturday Farm Bureau members are glad that the Bankhead Amendment was included in the Price Control Law that was passed by Congress last week. R. C. Buckles, President of the Sherman County Farm Bureau said, "Much depends on the manner that the law is administered but Saturday I happened to see:

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Crabtree that the law is administered, but Mr. and Mrs. Frank James and daughter going to Stratford.

Joe W. Taylor making his regular trip to Boise City.

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H. E. Stevens motoring to Dalhart and taking the waste paper accumulated by the 4-H Boys in the interest of Defense.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Boren trucking hogs to Amarillo, thence to Wichita Falls to return a load of horses.

Mrs. Homer Mathews and Mary Taylor thumbing to Amarillo and returning the car which has been in a fender hospital.

Ott Bryan returning his car from an identical place.

Mrs. Mettie James and daughter, Lois, visiting the farm.

Metallowing letter was sent to both Texas Senators:

Hon. Tom Connally

Sr. United States Senator

Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Connally:

Thanks for your vote and support of the Bankhead Amendment to the Price Control Bill. You have expressed the opinion of our Farm Bureau members. We are very anxious to do our part to help win the war, but we are surely due the protection of the Bankhead Amendment in view of the way the law treats labor and industry.

Respectfully yours,

C. R. Hawkins, Secretary

Respectfully yours, C. R. Hawkins, Secretary Sherman County Farm Bureau

The same letter was sent to Hon. W. Lee O'Daniel. Wholesale house in Amarillo stopped by Saturday returning from Campo, Colorado, where they attended a Cooperative Rally Friday commodity below 110% parity as determined by the Secretary of Agriculture. 2. Prohibits any ceiling on any agricultural commodity below 110% parity as determined by the Secretary of Agriculture. 2. Prohibits any ceiling on any agricultural commodity below 110% parity as determined by the Secretary of Agriculture. 2. Prohibits any ceiling on any agricultural commodity below 110% parity as determined by the Secretary of Agriculture. 2. Prohibits any ceiling on any agricultural commodity below 110% parity as determined by the Secretary of Agriculture. 2. Prohibits any ceiling on any agricultural commodity below 110% parity as determined by the Secretary of Agriculture. 2. Prohibits any ceiling on any agricultural commodity below 110% parity as determined by the Secretary of Agriculture. 2. Prohibits any ceiling on any agricultural commodity below 110% parity as determined by the Secretary of Agriculture. 2. Prohibits any ceiling on any agricultural commodity below 110% parity as determined by the Secretary of Agriculture. 2. Prohibits any ceiling on any agricultural commodity below 110% parity as determined by the Secretary parity as determined ket price on October 1, 1941 or De-

No definite information has been Taylor are the latest to get airminded and enroll at the Texhoma Flying Service for instruction.

No definite information issued regarding the payment of 1942 Wheat Parity. A. P. Bralley, Sherman County Agent, reports Sherman County Agent, reports Mr. and Mrs. Woodson Wadley that plans are being made to start measuring the 1942 wheat acreage measuring the 1942 wheat acreage as soon as possible. This check of compliance will be necessary in connection with the wheat marketing quota regardless of the 1942 Wheat Parity Program.

#### Church Of Christ

Bible Study 10:00 A. M. Morning Worship 11:00 A. M. Communion Services 11:45 A. M. Young People's Bible Class 6:30

Evening Services 7:30 P. M. Song Practice Wednesday 7:00 You are cordially invited to come and be with us at each and every

service and always welcome.

(Authorized Political Announcements subject to the Action of the Democratic Primary.)

For County Judge and Ex-Officio Superintendent of Schools: L. P. HUNTER.

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector: J. W. GAROUTTE.

For County Treasurer: Mrs. EVA ULLOM.

For County Commissioner; Precinct No. 4: E. E. HAMILTON. D. J. WHEELER.



INSTALLMENT TWO THE STORY SO FAR: Karen Waterson, San Francisco girl, convinced by her lawyer, John Colt, that she has a claim to the island estate of her grand-father, Garrett Waterson, arrives in Honolulu to attempt to gain control of the property. One evening while she and Colt are dining and discussing plans for pressing her claims, Richard Wayne, or Tonga Dick, as he is known, enters their dining place. He is a member of the Wayne family that has been in control of her grandfather's island, Alakoa, since the old man's disappearance. Inasmuch as Karen believes that Tonga Dick does not know her identity she suggests to Colt that she talk to him and learn what she can. Colt at first opposes the idea but begins to change his mind. Now continue with the story.

"I suppose there isn't any really practical objection," he said; "but isn't this notion just slightly on the silly side? You can hardly expect-' He started to say something more,

but let it pass; then bowed with exasperating courtesy, and walked

When he was gone she sat quietly a little while, trying to relax. Presently she turned her chair a little so that she could look into the shadows where Tonga Dick sat, three tables away, alone in the obscurity of palm shadows. She still could not clearly see his face, but she focussed upon the coal of his cigarette, and waited. She let her eyes rest there almost to the limit of endurance; then smiled faintly, and returned her attention to the dance floor.

Tonga Dick stood up, wound his way to her table. He laid a hand on the back of the chair where John Colt had sat.

"May I?"

"Perhaps, if you wish." Richard Wayne sat down, crossed his knees comfortably, and took his time about lighting a cigarette. Karen waited, determined to make him lead the way; but she watched him curiously, with a sharp interest that was partly caused by his name alone. In the world she knew, you could no more be called Tonga Dick, in acricumass, they was applied by in seriousness, than you could be called Red-Handed Harry, or Terrible Pete. Had she had no other relationship to this man than that of a casual tourist, she still would have stared, just because of the name he

Tonga Dick surveyed her slowly, with grave eyes. "You wanted to

Richard Wayne watched with admiration the perfect serenity of Karen's poise as she turned a little, and coolly met his eye.

She was much more interesting to look at from across a table, he decided, than from across a number of them. Yet he had noticed her in the first moment in which he had stepped upon the lanai. That, of course, was the reason he knew who she was. He had landed but a few hours before, and had no more than shaken hands with his brothers; er. there were no means by which he could have identified Karen Waterson, if he had not noticed her and been interested of his own accord.

From the shadows of his obscure table at the edge of the lanai he had watched her for some time for no other reason than that it gave him pleasure to look at her.

After a little while he had signaled a table captain and asked who the girl was-and had obtained a correct answer.

Knowing who she was, it was odd to be sitting at the same table with her now. This was the girl who had come here from the mainland to lay claim to the island of Alakoa, the little stronghold in the sea which no one but a Wayne had held for more than two decades.

It seemed to him that Karen Waterson did not look the part. He couldn't understand how anyone with a face like that, and eyes like that, could get herself hooked up with a shenanigan that differed from a common swindle only in the boldness of its scope.

"If I hadn't wanted you here," she said, "you'd hardly be here, would you?" "And so?"

"So nothing. I wanted you to come and sit here because I think you look romantic. And I think you might introduce yourself, now.

"My name is Richard Wayne," he "I belong here in the Islands. More specifically, I am connected with a small privately owned island called Alakoa.'

He watched for her reaction, and was fooled again; for no reaction

"That certainly is very interesting," Karen Waterson said. wish I were an Islander." "Perhaps," he suggested, "you

would like to tell me who you are.' "My name," Karen improvised, "is Katie Higgins-something - a white girl from about four miles south of Dubuque. I teach school some place, and I think I would like to get in the movies."

"I should have said," Dick commented, "that you were from San Francisco." She glanced at him sharply, but he added, "Hawaii is a kind of a crossroads; people from every part of the world come through here, sooner or later, so that if you live in the Islands you get to recognize inflections of speech.'

"They raise very good looking girls in San Francisco," Dick said. "It must be a wonderful thing to



He laid a hand on the back of the chair where John Colt had sas. "May I?" "Perhaps, if you wish."

"Only a few, in this part of the Pacific. Niihau is privately owned, and so is Lanai, which is the sixth largest in the group; and the Waynes have had Alakoa for about twenty years.

'How many Waynes are there?" Richard Wayne said to himself, You know cockeyed well, young lady, how many Waynes there are.' But aloud he said, "Four. My un-cle, who is really the owner, my two brothers, and myself."

"It's like owning a little empire of your own, isn't it? I can't think of anything nicer than that."

"A good many people seem to feel that way," Dick said. "That's what makes an island so hard to hold

"You have trouble holding onto

"Oh, yes, indeed. Just now, for example, there is an insufferable little snip of a girl trying to get her claws into Alakoa by due legal proc-

"Interesting," Karen encouraged him. "And just how does she expect

"The Waynes bought Alakoa from her grandfather. Now the girl wishes to prove that the sale was illegal, because, she says, her grand-father was a congenital idiot. She says it runs in the family, and she can prove it."

Karen studied him for a moment with veiled suspicion, but Tonga Dick's face was innocent. "What a remarkable person," Karen said. "What's she like?"

"Well-as I told you, I have had no chance to get acquainted with

"Maybe you'll have a chance lat-

"I'd rather like to, you know." Dick admitted. "I'd like to find out what makes her tick. But I would hardly know how to go about it." "Just a simple Island boy," Karen

"Well, the circumstances are a lit-

tle awkward. I can't just go up to her and say, 'I understand you are the little twerp who is trying to get my island away from me, and what are you doing this evening after the store closes?' Or can I?"

"Well, invite her for a sail on your boat. Show her selected views of the coast line. Show her this island she's after-what did you say the name of it was? Alakoa? Probably she hasn't even seen it. I'll bet she'd be interested."

"And just what," said Dick, 'would be my idea?"

"Get to know her. You said you wanted to find out what the little fright was like. Maybe you'd like

"And then what?" "And then what?" Karen repeated. "Say, wait a minute. Do I have to map out your entire life?"

They grinned at each other; and either one of them would have given a good deal to know what the other was thinking then. "It's a rotten plan," Dick criti-

cized. "Now you've hurt my feelings," Karen said. "Here I practically work up a headache planning a beautiful day for you, and what

credit do I get? You tell me it's rotten. All that effort wasted!" Richard Wayne appeared to brighten. "No, it isn't. It gives me a much better idea. What's the use

of wasting the whole program on a chiseling little frump? No! I'll take you sailing, instead."
"Me? Oh, I'm afraid I couldn't—" "Tomorrow morning," Richard Wayne prompted her, "at something

"Something more like ten," she answered.

#### CHAPTER II

It was nearly midnight when Richard Wayne called upon his brothers. They had been expecting him earlier in the evening, and only an objectionable message he had sent them by phone had kept them waiting for him at an hour strictly outside of their habits.

Wayne and Willard Wayne, sat in a large room which, in spite of its prim order, showed the wear of the humid years. The whole thing manown your own island," Karen said. aged a transplanted New England

"Are many islands privately look; obviously nothing had been owned?"

changed here for a long time.

The two brothers who here awaited Richard Wayne seemed to have been bred and raised by the New England furniture. Both were older than Richard, and when he looked at them he was sometimes happy to remember that they were only his half-brothers, after all.

"It does seem to me, Dick," Ernest Wayne said fretfully, "that you would show a little interest in what is happening here." Ernest, tall and thin, did not look entirely well; he wore gold-rimmed glasses, which did not seem to be strong enough for his purpose, and when kept up late he developed a peaked look.

Dick sighed and sat down. "If I weren't interested I wouldn't be in Honolulu at all," he said. "Now, please try not to get all excited, will you?"

"You don't realize the seriousness of the situation, Dick," Willard said heavily, without heat. "This thing is critical in the extreme—perhaps even desperate. Uncle Jim can't seem to understand that he is not invulnerable. He has delayed, and delayed-"

"As I understand it from your letters," he said now, "the complaint is that when our mutual father bought the island of Alakoa from Garrett Waterson he practically cheated the old boy out of his eye teeth—is that the story?"

"Father was an industrious and intelligent man," Ernest Wayne said with annoyance. "Do you know anything much

about the original swindle? "I object to your tone," Willard Wayne said; and Dick was astonished by the vigor of his brother's resentment. "Garrett Waterson was a disreputable old pirate. He was worst sort—absolutely typical of a certain kind of riffraff which troubled the Islands in the early days. If father saw values in Alakoa that Waterson did not, that certainly was

Waterson's look-out. But now comes this girl, this grasping, piratical little adventuress, intent on seizing not only the whole of Alakoa, but all the development which has cost Uncle Jim the best years of his life, and-"Have you checked the identity of this girl?" Dick interrupted.

"She's Garrett Waterson's granddaughter, all right," Willard said. "Well brought up?"

"The family has no distinction whatever. The girl has been working as a stenographer. Her relationship to the island of Alakoa probably would never have occurred to her as offering any possibilities, if it had not been for this John Colt." "And who is this John Colt?"

"John Colt is thirty-six years old and was born in New York. He is one of the predatory speculators who came to light in the boom days of the late twenties. He acquired a considerable fortune through water developments in California. In 1932 his stock-juggling activities were investigated, but without success.'

"You seem to have snootled around to very good effect," Tonga Dick complimented them.

"And now," Willard concluded, 'Karen Waterson, through her attorneys, and undoubtedly acting on the advice and direction of John Colt is bringing suit, on the complaint that her grandfather's sale of Alakoa was illegal—that Garrett Waterson, at the time of the sale, was mentally incompetent. That shows you the girl's unscrupulous typeshe is willing to discredit her own grandfather-prove him to have been virtually insane—to gain advantage for herself."

"Same old story," Tonga Dick murmured. "But not so easy, in the case of Garrett Waterson, I should think."

Willard Wayne exploded. "I tell you it is easy! Unless we find a way out, it is most certainly going to be done! This is what comes of dealing with irresponsibles of Garrett Waterson's type. Evidence can be brought in to show that Garrett of cordurella, a feminine version of Waterson was not only totally irresponsible, but eccentric in the ex-Richard's two brothers, Ernest treme. I myself am convinced he was more or less deranged. Let me remind you that we've had hundreds of such cases in the Islands-mostly successful!"

(TO BE CONTINUED)

# Smart Midseason Dresses Are Dignified and Simply Styled

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



THERE is a new psychology in the matter of dress. It's a most wholesome one which yields to no frocks is that they are "up to tricks" compromise with feminine charm and flattery, but tends toward greater simplicity, careful selection and an appreciative evaluation of wearing apparel that avoids extravagance. Clothes are made to serve dependably and at the same time graciously, during the stress and strain of the present war period.

It's well-mannered clothes that women are wanting, the sort that won't shriek with glitter and gewgaws, yet will be spirit-lifters in their colorfulness, suavity of line and genuine charm. The winsome little wool dresses now so popular give the answer. Not only do they exploit color but they are styled to a nicety with all sorts of "catchy" details that individualize them and make them of outstanding style importance, not only for immediate wear with fur wraps but also to wear into the summer.

The accompanying group picture eloquently tells the story of quality, materials of distinction and flattering color. The first of this trio, that shown to the left in the above illustration, is a clever sports dress for the teen-age girl. It is in chocolate colored wool panelled with brownstitched beige. Simple tailored princess lines enhance this model, together with an easy grace achieved by the full-gored effect below the hipline.

The dress to the right in the picture above stresses the new 1942 classic simplicity to a nicety. It exploits the sleek-fitting long-torso lines now so popular with college girls and the junior set. One of the

If you're headed resort-ward,

plenty of lightweight sports things

should be in your trunks. Here is

one of the new loafer coats (the

name reveals its purpose) to wear

when you loll around on the veran-

da or beaches or wherever the spirit

moves you. These jackets are made

cordurex, the popular velvety-ribbed

men's wear fabric. If you are a

husband-and-wife combination, his

windbreaker and slacks should be

made of the finest lightest cordurex

in order to interpret fashion at its

smartest.

frocks is that they are "up to tricks" in the way of ingenious detail. In this instance it is the lacing at each side of the long-torso bodice that is eye-catching. Self material is laced around gold hooks. This model comes in delectable pastels or in lush colors.

Centered in the group above is a perfect "date" dress for the girl who must wear her "special occasion" dress all day in the office.
This gown of leaf green crepe has a
striking triple - tiered peplum, a
smartly curved yoke and the somewhat full, straight sleeve favored this season.

Too sweet for words are the dainty little afternoon dresses of light wool or rayon crepe in exquisite pastels. They are fashioned with cunning self-fabric trimming. One has three rows of tiny ruching applied to a medium flare skirt line, three huge hand painted wood buttons and matching ruching about a clever yokeline. Made of China pink crepe it is the ideal answer to the demand for something dressy but not too

The fuss made by the younger set over white date dresses continues. White jersey seems to be the outstanding material for these dresses. Now that color is so important, many of these jerseys are made gay and bright with embroidered flowers and motifs done in multi-colored yarns. Some of the most attractive white jersey frocks are highlighted with effective trapunto quilted design. Others are made festive with gilt buttons and girdles.
(Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

#### Ribbed Jacket Save Stockings to

Help Student Work Women throughout the states are being asked to join a unique campaign to save old, worn-out silk or

nylon hose (no rayon), to help send American girls and boys through college. For every thousand pairs of old hose contributed one girl or boy is enabled to attend college for 12 months. A curtailment of silk has forced

many in the student body of Athens college in Alabama to stay home this year. They had been earning their way working in the college's hosiery mills. The stockings sent in will be re-

conditioned and "backwound," the process done under government supervision.

#### For Blackout

Some of the stores are featuring blackout accessories, such as bags done in plaid fiber to wear over the shoulder. They have five pockets, and it is advised that they be kept stocked with emergency requirements—flashlight, sweater, and other useful items. You can even get shoes that have tiny flashlight attachments.

#### Floating Suit

For those who cannot swim it should be good news that a floating swim suit has been devised that is non-sinkable, its patented feature being the lining of a spongy substance that floats. You can get these novel, practical suits in fitted or in dressmaker styles.

#### Brunch Coat

A fad that is growing into a pronounced movement is the brunch coat. It's as practical to wear as the usual smock, but is more formal and can be found in a greater variety of styles.

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## That Nagging Backache

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#### Resolve to Punish Axis Criminals



View of the scene in the conference chamber in London when representatives of nine Allied nations whose territories have been occupied by the Axis met to adopt and sign a resolution calling for punishment of Axis criminals after the war. Left to right, at the far side of the table, are China's Wang King; Anthony Biddle, U. S. ambassador to governments-in-exile; and British Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden. There is no identification for the other conferees.

## Meet for Hemisphere Solidarity



Foreign minister Oswaldo Aranha, of Brazil, president of the hemisphere conference at Rio de Janeiro, sits at the head of the table, right, during preliminary session at the foreign office of Brazil. In gray suit is Sumner Welles, head of the U. S. delegation. Next to Welles, holding his glasses, is Roriguez-Alves, secretary of the conference.

## They Felt 'Rattlesnake's' Sting



Crew members of the U. S. tanker Malay, shelled and torpedoed off North Carolina coast by a U-boat, stand around a hole in the deck caused by the only torpedo loosed by the attacker. Photo was made after the Malay limped into Norfolk, Va. Second Cook Adams Hay suffered fatal burns. Four others of crew of 33 were lost.

### Blow, Blow, Thou Winter Wind



With the new winter combat clothing issued by the quartermaster corps, these boys of the fourth armored division are ready for really cold weather. Their new duds include wool-lined combat helmet, alpaca- son into the mysteries of hitting lined parka, olive drab all-wool mufflers and gloves, and wool-lined jacket and trousers. The boys here are riding a "jeep."

#### Rubber—Goodspeed



From the alkaline deserts of the West, America can harvest half a billion pounds of natural rubber to offset the Jap grab at Indies, claims Dr. T. Harper Goodspeed, University of California scientist. He is shown here with "rabbit bush," the new rubber plant, which may reach life-saving status in this war.

#### Goes to Bat for U.S.



William L. Batt, chairman of the new requirements committee created by Donald Nelson, war production czar, to allocate raw materials for war and civilian defense.

## Talks for Indies



Lieut. Gov. Gen. Hubertus Van Mook of Netherlands East Indies, shown at Netherlands club, New York. He described the Netherlands East Indies as a barrier to Axis aspirations in the Pacific, and called them a bridge for the Allied forces between Australia and India. He said their loss would lessen the United Nations' chances of winning the

## 'Chip Off Old Block'



Joe DiMaggio, star outfielder of the New York Yankees, initiates his technique. With a tutor like dad

# IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL

## Lesson for February 8

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#### A BUSY SABBATH IN **CAPERNAUM**

LESSON TEXT—Mark 1:21-34. GOLDEN TEXT—I was in the Spirit on the Lord's day.—Revelation 1:10.

The Sabbath of the Jew and the Lord's Day (Sunday) of the Christian were both intended to be days of rest. The ordinary activities of life were to cease and one was to be free to worship and to rest. The manner in which a man uses this God-given day of rest is a remarkably accurate indicator of his spiritual condition.

We have before us the account of very busy Sabbath day which our Lord spent in Capernaum, the city in which most of His mighty works were done, but which ignored Him and His teaching to its own destruction (see Matt. 11:23, 24). As we look at our Lord's activity on that day we learn what we may do with our Sundays to make them bear fruit for eternity. We find Him in three

#### I. In the Church (vv. 21-28).

The Sabbath day found our Lord with His people in the synagogue, their place of worship. The service of worship was probably formal and lacking in spiritual vitality, but none-the-less He was there. What have we to say if we miss the opportunity for fellowship and service which church attendance brings

Observe that because He was there He (as a distinguished religious teacher) was called upon to teach the people. He taught them in the serene consciousness of His divine authority, and the people were delighted and astonished at His message. We may not serve exactly as He did, but if we present ourselves in God's house on His day we will find the way opening for us to share in the worship.

Jesus not only spoke, but He per-formed a miracle. Certain it is that we could not do what He did, but we can be ready to give ourselves in service as well as in worship, or in speaking. There is much work to be done in the church, and God's people should be ready and willing to do it.

### II. In the Home (vv. 29-31).

From the synagogue Christ went into the home. How appropriate! We too should go from the church to the home, always bringing with us the strength and blessing of the worship service.

nd Bible teacher said the thing she most loved in her father was that he did not give out the "cream" of his Christianity in his meetings and bring home the "skim milk." Too often we fail to bring into the home the power and beauty of the service in the church. We who have been very sweet and spiritual in the church should not come home to be sour and crabbed.

Jesus brought a blessing into Peter's home, miraculously healing farm products, with wheat at a top his mother-in-law of a great fever, of \$2.97 a bushel in 1917 and other setting her free to serve. Here again we cannot do what He did, but we can, in His name, bring power and blessing into our homes.

### III. In the City (vv. 32-34).

From the home the ministry of Jesus reached out to the entire city. As the strict laws forbidding travel on the Jewish Sabbath were set aside by the coming of sundown, not only the city but the entire countryside brought their sick and needy

The scene staggers the imagination as one attempts to conceive of this coming together of troubled humanity for the Master's touch. Mark tells us that He healed many; Matthew, that He healed all, and Luke, the physician, is emphatic in saying that He healed every one of

We may learn from this incident that our Christian faith, which has been developed and strengthened by our time of worship and service in the church, should not only reflect itself in the home, but should reach out into the life of the community in which we live. The primary interest of the Christian in his city or the place of his residence should be spiritual, a desire to bring to bear upon the people of the community the power of the gospel.

There is, however, a secondary responsibility which is of much importance and that is the extending of Christian influence into every phase of school, social, political, and business life. It is said that when D. L. Moody came into a barber shop the entire course of the conversation changed. The Christian should have an influence on problems of social welfare, the work of the public schools, the proper conduct of business in the community, and surely upon its political life. It America would vote according to his professed convictions we could put the saloons out of business in a Joe Jr. can't help but be colossal. single election. Why not do it?

U. S. LABOR AND

#### CLOSED SHOP

LAST SPRING, W. O. Hart, editor of the Orange (Calif.) Daily News, under a heading "The Fifth Freedom," wrote and printed an editorial which has attracted nationwide interest and has been reprinted from the Pacific to the Atlantic seaboard.

In that editorial, Hart demanded for American workers the right to employment without the payment of tribute to labor racketeers; the right to join or not to join a union, as they chose. He insisted the right to work was the basic right of all freedoms, that without it all other rights were valueless.

The "closed shop" principle, for which labor racketeers are contending, is a violation of the constitutional privilege of the more than 50 million American workers now employed, of which only about onefourth are members of unions. Labor racketeers would say to the other three-fourths that they could not work to support themselves and their families without paying tribute -such amount of tribute as the racketeers may levy.

We have been suffering from minority rule. Congress has listened to these organized blocs in the matter of legislation. Congress has failed to realize they are but minorities and do not represent a majority of the American people. Congress will find a majority of the American people will vote out of office any group of senators or representatives who attempt to impose upon them any law that deprives the worker of "Bill" Hart's "fifth freedom"-the right to work without the payment of tribute to union racket-

#### ADDING 'GADGETS' TO GOVERNMENT

SINCE 1913 they have added many new gadgets to automobiles that have made of them better machines which are more easily operated, more pleasant to ride in, and the improved cars sell at a much lower price than those made in 1913. Automobiles are a product of private enterprise.

Since 1913 many new gadgets have been added to the national government. New departments, new bureaus, new commissions have been added, but the machine is not more easily operated and it does not provide any additional pleasures for us average Americans. But govern-ment does sell at a much higher price. In 1913 the national government cost for each man, woman and child in the nation the modest sum of \$7.17, or a total of \$692,000,000 for all of us. By 1939 the new gadgets brought the cost for each of us up to \$69.76, a total of \$9,142,000,000 for The daughter of a great preacher all of us. In 1939 we were not paying ior any war preparations, as we are

> The cost has been multiplied up to 10 times what it was in 1913. If congress really wants to reduce the cost of civil activities of government, it should study that old 1913 model which we, the people, liked.

#### FARM PRICES IN WAR TIME

THE WORLD WAR I price of items proportionately high, harmed more farmers than it helped. Such prices encouraged them to buy land at exorbitant values and the mortgage holders closed them out when neither principal nor interest could be paid as prices dropped to normal, or below, after the close of

the war. In this war America does not have the problem of feeding the greater part of Europe, as it did from 1914 to 1919. Now our one customer is England. But war does make a difference. Top price of wheat in 1939 was 721/4 cents. In 1941, top price was \$1.28%-not enough to encourage high land values.

#### CHANGE IN ATTITUDE OF BRITISH

IN 1918, in company with Sir Eveyn Wrench, then a major in the British army, I walked down the Strand in London. Just in front of us, walking in the same direction, was a distinguished member of the British house of lords. Coming towards us, and towards his lordship were four British tommies, arm in arm. As they approached, his lordship stepped off the sidewalk to

let them pass.
"That," I said to Major Wrench,
"typifies the England of the future. The common man of England has found that he 'rates.' He will no longer make way for the nobility. He has defended England and he knows it."

The recent visit to this country of Jenny Lee, the Joan of Arc of the Welsh miners, reminded me of that incident. As an aftermath of the present war, she is demanding for the English working classes such opportunities as the American workman has always enjoyed—the chance to advance and a standard of living that is commensurate with his value is said that if every Christian in to the nation. She and her followers will get much of what they are demanding. The dominance of English nobility is passing. Being an earl or a lord will soon be rather meaningless.

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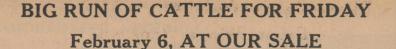
Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Wheeler were visitors in Tulia, Texas Wednesday and Thursday.

J. W. Norvell, M. D. Stratford, Texas

Mrs. J. E. Crabtree and Mrs. Lewis Dubuque and daughter, Amarillo, visited with Judge and Mrs. J. W. Elliott last Thursday. Master Elliott Crabtree, who had been visiting his grandparents, returned with them.

Eugene Farris and Cleo Etheridge, Burnett, Texas, returned Wednesday after a visit with relatives, S. J. Farris taking them as

ar as Amarillo. Raymon Albert, son of Mr. and



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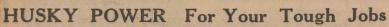


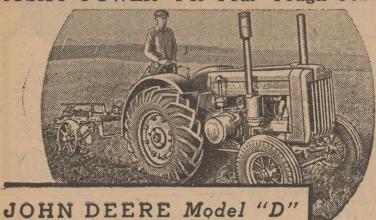
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in here. frs. Arthur Ross transacted business in Dalhart Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Lyon and

Mrs. Burk Green were visitors last week. Miss Marijo Brown, Spearman, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brown. Mr. and Mrs. A. L. King, Lloyd King, Randolph McAdams, and

Don Riffe motored to Dalhart Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Baskin are the parents of a 7 pound 13 ounce daughter born February 2 in Northwest Texas hospital in Ama-

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pickens spent the week end with her parents,

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Ellison.
Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Hunter motored to Dalhart Tuesday afternoon.
Mrs. B. F. Garst and daughter,
Cyvilla, of Guymon, Oklahoma,
were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack
Dettle last Thursday.
Mrs. R. C. Buckles will be hostess
to the Embroidery Club Thursday.

to the Embroidery Club Thursday, February 12, at 2:30 P. M. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mitchell and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Diehl were in Amarillo on business Monday. Mrs. Devo OQuin, who has been in Dalhart with her mother, is here

for a short visit. Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Golden and family who have been here some time with a threshing crew, left Wednesday for their home in Ok-

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The common hou

The members voted to have one

ter, Herbert Folsom, Guy Sweny, Eugene Hudson, and Arrell Cum-mings, members, and Mrs. T. F. Baskin, Mrs. Ted Reynolds, Misses rooms Mabel Martin, Flora Sweny, visitors and the hostess.

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Refreshments were served to spoke to members of the Stratford Refreshments were served to Mesdames Oma Ellison, E. W. Carter, Herbert Folsom, Guy Sweny, Tropics of the Stratford Home Demonstration Club when it regular session in the club met in regular session in the club

> Flies and moths may be controlled more or less, Mrs. Haile continued, with some expense and work. Mrs. Emil Blanck spoke on rat control.

The club will meet at 11:00 A. M. daylight saving time on February 10 for an all day session. Bring a covered dish for the luncheon. The co-hostesses, Mrs. E. Hill and Mrs. Lena Keenan, served dainty refreshments to the following members: Mesdames J. G.

Cummings, L. B. Haile, Sam Lasley, A. Folsom, E. Blanck, J. B. Willey and J. Knight.

#### **Board Meeting** February 6

R. C. Buckles, Chairman of the USDA War Board, has called a meeting of the Board for February 6, 7:30 P. M. The purpose of the meeting is to collect requested information regarding machinery repairs and new machinery for the farmers of the county.

The farm machinery dealers in

Stratford are urged to each have a representative at the meeting.

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Brown Ross

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board officials have praised the cooperation of machinery dealers and farmers of Sherman County with the Defense Program.

#### Tire And Tube Certificates Issued

Persons to whom certificates were issued by the Sherman County Tire Rationing Board for week ending January 31 are as fol-

Luther Browder, 5 obsolete tires and tubes.

J. W. Garoutte, 2 passenger car

Lowe & Billington, 1 truck tir.e Joe Bugner, 2 truck tubes. Lyall Murdock, 2 tractor tires and 2 tubes.

Walter Pratt, 1 tractor tire.
W. W. Steel, 2 tractor tires.
W. T. Crabtree, 1 obsolete tire.
B. B. Carter, 2 plow tires and 2 Raymond R. McWhirter, 1 passenger car tire and 1 tube.

B. M. Galliday, 2 truck tires and

Improvement Association

Looking For Seed The Sherman County Improve-ment Association's Pure Seed Committee is at work collecting information on the kind, amount and price of good seed for sale in the county. Eugene Hudson, Chair-man of the Committee, urges everyone having good barley, oats or grain sorghum seed for sale, to re-port it to the County Agent's of-fice, which has been asked to serve as a clearing house for information

regarding good seed.

A. P. Bralley, County Agent, reports that he has had several inquiries asking where spring wheat seed could be bought. The Pure

information on certified seeds and for experimental plantings of soy beans and hybrid corn.

# Honor Roll

During the current week Defense Savings Stamps were issued to:
Frankie Louise Adduddell, Paul Leroy Adduddell, Herman Layake,
Bud Parvin, Gene Ross.
Sale of Defense Savings Bonds

have been reported to: Carl Lee Hoeffliger, Lois Virginia James, Mrs. Mollie Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Judd, Melvin Phillips, Howard and Fred Lee Green, Mr. and Mrs. Moody Gee. Dr. J. W. Norvell, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Boswell, M. L. Keener, Joe E. Engelbrecht, W. C Belcher, Ralph Harding, Joe Newton Crabtree, Montie Jean Walters, Marion Durr, Mrs. Cassie P. Shoun, W. A. Sloan, E. J. Gladish.

Nina Louise Cowdrey is recovering from an attack of the flu.

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By Edward C. Wayne

A.E.F. Takes Over Northern Ireland Base As U. S. and British Form Supply Pool; Jap Convoy Blasted in Macassar Strait; Hawaii Report Blames U.S. Commanders

(EDITOR'S NOTE—When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst and not necessarily of this newspaper.)

(Released by Western Newspaper Union.)



Justice Owen J. Roberts is shown (left) talking to newsmen after laying before President Roosevelt the report on the Pearl Harbor attack.

Made public in its entirety by the President, the report fixed responsibility
on Adm. Husband E. Kimmel and Lieut. Gen. Walter C. Short for "dereliction of duty." Justice Roberts was chairman of the commission of six that visited Hawaii.

GUILTY:

preme court.

tion or censorship.

face of a war threat.

Verdict on Hawaii

The stunning news that an ad-

miral and a lieutenant general, the

naval and military commanders re-

sponsible for the defense of Hawaii,

had showed such a lack of compe-

tence that they had failed even to

talk over with each other deliberate

war warnings handed them by their

superior officers on November 24

and 27, in ample time to have cir-

cumvented the Japanese surprise

attack fell sickeningly on American

The immediate removal of both Adm. Husband E. Kimmel and Lieut. Gen. Walter C. Short from

their commands after the Pearl Har-

bor debacle was fully justified by the investigating commission head-

ed by Justice Roberts of the Su-

The report had been utterly frank,

comprehensive, and left little un-

said. President Roosevelt, to whom

it was handed, ordered that it be

given to the public without altera-

The words that condemned the

manders had shown a lack of inter-

est in performing their duty-that

they had failed to talk over with

each other the measures that each

was taking for the defense in the

The army man had "assumed"

that the navy man was sending out

enemy might be. The navy man as-

Demands for court martials to

sponsible for the Pearl Harbor dis-

aster were heard from members of

competents" holding responsible po-

asserted that the commission's con-

clusions pointed to a pressing need

for a supercommand with control

over the operations of both armed

That the battle of Luzon had

reached critical final stages was apparent. General MacArthur report-

ed that not only were his troops

being subjected to an all-out Jap-

anese land attack by forces of at

but that Japanese warships in Subic

bay were able to fire their guns into

Constant Japanese reinforcements

were being landed in Subic bay on

MacArthur's left flank, where the

heaviest Japanese attacks were be-

ing launched, and he reported that

the numerical odds were rising con-

the battle of the Philippines was a

losing fight from the start, placed

and brave resistance of the Amer-

America's first foodstuff rationing

came from the office of Leon Hen-

derson-sugar. After controversial

statements about supplies, and after

set at about one pound per person

per week, as against a normal con-

sumption of about a pound and a

The shortage, said Henderson,

would be about a third. He said

ican-Filipino army,

**ECONOMICS:** 

sitions in the war effort.

Critical Stage

his positions.

#### OVER THERE: New A.E.F. in Erin

When Uncle Sam landed an infantry force of several thousand men at an undisclosed port in Northern Ireland, it marked the first arrival of American troops in a European port since World War No. 1. Commanded by Maj. Gen. Russell P. Hartle, the Yank army of brawny, clean-limbed farm lads from the Middle West proceeded to camps prepared months before.

Few doubted that this detachment was but the advance guard of many more to come. It was believed, too, that the base they occupied might be the springboard from which an invasion of Hitler's Europe would be made.

This view was voiced in the address of welcome by Sir Archibald Sinclair, British air secretary, who

"This is a coming portent for Mr. Hitler, nor will its significance be lost on General Tojo.

"From here, assuredly you will sally forth with us to carry the war to the enemy's territory and free oppressed peoples of Europe You are the vanguard of American

## SUPPLY COMMAND:

U. S.-British Pool

The creation of a supreme allied supply command that will speed and co-ordinate the production and flow of vital munitions and supplies to the fighting fronts was seen in the announcement by President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Winston Churchill that the United States and Great Britain will pool all munitions, shipping and war materials to "further co-ordination of the United Nation's war effort."

Three joint boards have been set up to merge the combined war resources of the two nations and make them partners in vital fields of supply in addition to joint military and naval commands. These new agencies will include a combined war materials board, munitions assignment board and combined shipping adjustment board.

Board members, it was announced, will confer with representatives of the Soviet Union, China and such others of the 26 United Nations as necessary "to attain common purposes."

#### SHIPS:

Japan Losing Them

The British, Dutch and American bombers and ships of war were not formally coming to grips with large bodies of Japanese naval ships, but they were whittling away at them, and Japan's losses were assuming important proportions.

A count of Japanese ships reported sent to the bottom in the first seven weeks of the war totaled 100, not counting those damaged and

This, it was pointed out, has been an average of better than two a day, despite the fact that when the war started Japan had the jump on the other nations by virtue of the surprise, and that opening successes had weakened the allied hitting

A continuation of this rate, observers said, would cost Japan more than 700 vessels of all types, and that no navy in the world, except the United States, could stand replacing such losses.

Latest exploit was an attack by air and sea forces of the United Nations against Jap war ships and troop convoys in the Straits of Macassar. Reported as the greatest demonstration of combined Allied might since the war's beginning, this force was revealed to have sunk or damaged at least 26 measures would be taken to recover Japanese ships in a running battle. sugar from hoarders.

## Aid for Aussies



Australian Minister Richard G. Casey, arriving at the White House to confer with President Roosevelt on plans to aid Australia in its battle against Japan. Japanese advance troops have already occupied key island outposts of the Commonwealth.

#### PAN-AMERICA: Half-Loaf Won?

What had first looked like a halfloaf victory for American diplomacy at the Pan-American conference at Rio de Janeiro, was gradually assuming the proportions of a larger

Most of the South American and Central American countries had gone to Rio intent on a solid-front breach with the Axis. Some already had broken relations, some had declared a state of war

But Argentina and Chile had remained adamant. Whether that meant simply long coastlines to worry about, or Axis leanings, or economic hopings made little differ-

Enormous pressure was brought to bear, but they would not go 'whole hog' along with the rest. Finally, in true diplomatic management, our conferees managed to pull out the plum of a resolution which committed all nations to a breach of relations, but allowed any individual to do so at a time he might

Uruguay and Peru were the first to sever relations, followed by Paraguay and Bolivia. The lineup following the breakup of the conference was "At War": United States, Canada, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Nicaragua, Panama and Salvador.

"Broken Relation": Colombia commanders were "dereliction of duty." But the astounding revelations were twofold-that the com- maintained any form of normal intercourse, namely, Chile, Ecuador Brazil and Argentina. It was regarded as certain that the first three would soon sever relations and that the fourth, Argentina, would eventually take this step.

## AUSTRALIA:

Readies for Defense

offshore patrols to find where the Despite the heroic fight on land sumed that the army airforce was on the alert. Neither actually was. before Singapore, and the strenuous efforts being made to gain air supremacy and control of the long Malayan coasts, most commentators mete out punishment to those reand observers actually believed the "island city of apathy" would eventually be besieged from the maincongress. Demands were likewise made for the expulsion of any "inland, and might well be lost.

This intensified the belief in Australia and in many American quar-Many senators and representatives ters that the real battle of the South Pacific would center on the east coast of Australia.

Some trained observers, among them W. W. Chaplin, who had made a year's close study of the East Indies and Australia, including Singapore, publicly expressed the belief that Java and Sumatra constituted a "Maginot line" of defense in the East Indies, and that Japan was intent, in taking the Philippines, Singapore and Borneo on so surrounding and going behind that line that they might attempt to duplicate Germany's similar feat against France.

#### least ten to one superior strength, | SQUADRON: Wiped Out

Despite the attacks by Japanese and Thailanders in the rear of the main Malaya battle for Singapore upon the British-American-Chinese defenders of Burma "the modern roads to Mandalay" had reported a two-day "bag" of 32 Japanese bomb-ers, believed to be an entire squad-

Commentators, while declaring While military secrecy covered the development of the land action, thousands of Burmese, wild with dethe highest importance on the long light, watched the American and British fighters in mad dog-fights overhead at mid-day,

## MISCELLANY:

New York: A Berlin worker's sloconsiderable buying up of sugar by gan, smuggled out of the Reich, was broadcast: panicky housewives, a ration was "We're winning ourselves to death."

Batavia: The Dutch army airmen, in an attack on a convoy in Macassar strait claimed that they struck a large transport carrying troops, which turned completely over and rolled about, keel upward.



OS ANGELES.-For some time ahead, outside of two such physical and mental conditioning games as football and boxing, where body contact is vital, the main demand on the country will be for playing games above spectator games.

The two leaders here are golf and bowling. Basketball is also a play-

ing game on the major side, but it also carries a major spectator following, which neither golf nor bowling needs. The bowling call

on the playing side now runs away with

all the others. Experts tell me we have 20,000,000 bowlers of one degree or another now actively engaged at target work down the alleys. This far overshadows golf in numbers. But golf still has the call in the matter of

between the ages of 8 and 80. Bowling today is by all odds the most popular sport in the United States. It is a game that costs far less than golf, that requires as much skill, but which still misses the sun and wind and rain and the longer leg hike. We are not trying to compare the two, since they are totally different. They are both great

open country and five miles of hik-

ing for some 3,000,000 club swingers

Neither has the toughening, fiber-making aspect of football and boxing, in which you have to take and give a physical beating to get anywhere. But not everybody can play football or box. And almost everybody can play golf or bowl.

#### About Bowling

The astonishing feature about bowling popularity is that it happens to be a difficult game to write about. It lacks the thrills of football, boxing, tennis and other sports. I mean for the reader. It lacks the diagnosing qualities of golf.

But it is one of the simplest of all games for the player, especially on the equipment side. And it happens to carry just as much entertainment as any game one can think about in a hurry

A game must have amazing qualities to round up from 15,000,000 to 20,000,000 players without the ballyhoo so many other games get. If you have never bowled or if you haven't bowled for many years, give it a try and you'll be converted.

#### About Golf

Golf has always been—and always must be—a game for the player. Many have asked me why big golf championships don't draw with other sports. In golf it is the spectator who takes the beating, not the player. Although, in a big tournament, the player takes his share.

How often would you draw big crowds in football, racing, baseball or any other game if the spectator had to gallop five or six miles over cross - country territory, jump ditches, climb fences, wade through a morass, fight through briar patches, be a broken-field runner and a blocking back to see every other shot played?

A golf spectator has to be an athlete, in training, willing to take a hard beating, to see most of the shots played in a championship by some leading star who is drawing

If golf had the same accommodations for the spectator that other games have, it would be on a par with any game played in the way of admissions. It is the only game I know where the spectator gets a harder workout than the player

## The Range of Games

This happens to be the greatest sporting country in the history of a cock-eyed world. But with war conditions as they are there must be certain readjustments.

For the youth of the country I still insist there must be a maximum of body contact games-especially football and boxing. Baseball is also a great game. So are track and field and basketball. Also tennis. Also golf. They help to make legs. They add to physical stamina. They are strictly worth while. This is especially true of golf and bowling for those who have bumped into the march of the years.

But for high school and college play there should be a big increase on the side of football and boxing.

I am not referring to championships, to big spectacles, to money-making enterprises. I am taking into consideration the major values of give and take in the way of discipline, punishment, hardihood, stamina-rugged qualities of manhood.

This doesn't mean there should be any falling off, aside from all the needs of war, on the part of the older men participating in sport. To help win an all-out war an entire country must be physically ready. This means participation in the sport or game that is best suited for the individual.



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Washington, D. C. UTILITY SENSATIONS

The hard-hitting Truman committee hasn't got around to the matter yet, but some hot sensations are in store when the committee digs into the dollar-a-year-man handling of the power phases of the war production program.

For years one of the hottest issues in Washington has been the power lobby. It has been repeatedly investigated, and several years ago, after fierce legislative battles, the federal power and holding company laws were enacted to curb the lobby.

The Truman committee has confidential information that today this lobby is more powerfully entrenched in the capital than ever before.

For months, it has been operating directly inside the government, formulating and running the power policy of the OPM, which was until last week the key war production

The OPM power division is not only manned with utility officials, but they are still on the payrolls of private power companies. In other words, while presumably working

for the government, they are actually paid employees of the utilities.

After being deluged with complaints that the utility-ruled OPM power division was secretly aiding independent rural power co-ops, the house appropriations committee questioned J. A. Krug, head of the division, on these charges.

Krug defended his staff, but the committee, unconvinced, ordered him to submit a detailed report on his dollar-a-year assistants, including the amount of salaries they are drawing from utility companies while working for the government.

Two months have elapsed since Krug promised to produce this important information and so far he has not done so.

All the committee has received was a cagey letter from John Lord O'Brian, former corporation attorney who is OPM general counsel, giving a list of the power division's personnel, but has nothing about their private salaries. However, the little information O'Brian did disclose speaks volumes.

It shows that no less than 18 key officials in Krug's division are dol-lar-a-year and "WOC" (without compensation) men, who are still on private utility payrolls.

Note: Appropriation committee members estimate that the total pay these men draw from power companies is more than \$250,000 a year. War Production Chief Donald Nelson has privately indicated he will houseclean Krug's unit.

BAD FILMS FOR GOOD

NEIGHBORS Young Nelson Rockefeller, who on the whole has done a good job for Pan - American cultural relations, has bogged down badly on films for our Pan-American neighbors. His Museum of Modern Art, which was supposed to do this, has been labor-ing for nine months at a cost of I did the cooking and we were all \$15,000 per month to the government—and finally has brought forth

Rockefeller and Jock Whitney are getting a large dose of criticism about this because they personally are interested in the Museum and have permitted an amateur group to run the show-into the ground.

Without benefit of competitive bidding or any system of checks and balances, amateur after amateur in the Museum has tackled the job of deciding what kind of films should be sent to Latin-America. Here is a cross section of the results so far:

"Better Dresses Fifth Floor," "A Child Went Forth," "The City," and "Power and The Land"-all utterly unsuited and without objective for South America.

Some reasonably good commercial films have been donated, such as "U. S. Steel," "Greyhound Bus," "General Electric Excursions in Science," and "The American Can Company's Silver Millions." Also Hollywood has handed over a group of pictures, such as "Eyes of the Navy," "Soldiers of the Sky," "The Battle," which are the best pictures that have gone to South America.

Meanwhile the amateurs continue to chatter and muddle over uplifting the films for our Good Neighborsall at the expense of Uncle Sam.

MERRY-GO-ROUND

Navy Secretary Knox has a bust of Theodore Roosevelt on his desk. Bakers in the army quartermaster corps are experimenting with 'tomato bread," made by adding tomato juice or canned tomatoes (rich in vitamins) to the baking dough. • New York air raid wardens are complaining that every order they receive is countermanded five minutes after it is given.

■ E. B. Craney, Montana radio man who is a close friend of Senator Wheeler, recently promoted, financed and successfully completed a Red Cross relief drive netting over \$60,-000 in 24 hours.

Rep. William S. Hill of Colorado tried to drum up trade for pinto bean growers during his recent visit to Britain. He took with him a large bag of the beans and distributed them among British officials. hoped they might include pintos in lend-lease orders," Hill grins, "but the British still prefer their white

# Kathleen Norris Says:

This Gentlewoman Should Wed Chauffeur

(Bell Syndicate-WNU Service.)



My father for several years has had a chauffeur named Tony Benito. He is a simple man who has a wonderful mother and family. Tony and I love each other. My mother would be crushed if she knew this.

By KATHLEEN NORRIS

ERE is a letter from a young girl that might make some mother thoughtful. Linda sends me her picture with her letter, and it is the picture of a sweet, sensible, pretty creature. She makes no complaint; she only wants some advice. But I think she has been badly treated, and that it is the fault of a selfish father and mother.

"When I was quite little, mother and dad made much of me; I felt that they loved me," writes Linda. "But when I was 10 another man appeared in the family, was there continually, taking mother to lunch or dinner or dancing; I didn't like him very much, and neither did dad. Soon mother explained to me that dad was going away; it made me feel strange and lonely, but of course I was only a child, and when mother married the man I will call Van she explained to me that it only meant that I had two homes now and three persons to love me instead of two.

"For a year dad and I and my very happy. But then dad married, and although Elise was kind to me and gave me presents, she talked about my mother's treatment of my father, said she had been cruel to him and worried me so that I was really ill. Mother was expecting a baby then and could not have me so I went to a hospital and from there for years to boarding-school.

"My father has always been careless about money, and every quarter I would have to write and remind him to pay my bills, which I think accounts for the fact that I am pretty shy to this day. I hoped to be with my mother in vacations, but instead they arranged for me to

go to camp every year. Inherited Money.

"Please don't think I am com-plaining," the letter goes on, "but I loved my parents and my home and I used to feel very lonely. My father was divorced again last year; and as I pleaded to be able to be with him and make a home for him he agreed. At 18 I came into some money my grandmother left me; that meant that he and I need have no money troubles. I came home Christmas a year ago and for a few weeks I was completely happy, going downtown independently, having my own car, and feeling free. But my father has changed, is rarely at home, and so I see little of

"But my mother was very much annoyed at this arrangement; she said that having sacrificed me all these years for my education she felt that I should be with her, and help out with the family finances. My little half-brother was a strong, beautiful baby, but he got infantile paralysis, and will always need

'Van, my stepfather, is not much of a success in business, and my mother misses the luxuries to which she had been accustomed. Altogether she is in a nervous state, and yet she cannot get another divorce because she would get no alimony

this time. Love Comes to Linda. "Now here is my question: My father for several years has had a chauffeur named Tony Benito; he eral times. They have a restaurant | was denied.

FOR PARENTS ONLY

Kathleen Norris' advice, this time, is for the parents instead of their erring and wayward children. Here is a case where an apparently blameless child has been denied the love and security she needs by the selfishness of her parents. Unwanted when she was growing up, she is now claimed by both parents for the sake of the money she inherited from her grandmother. But she is in love with her father's chauffeur and wants to marry him. And, surprising as it may be to some, Kathleen Norris advises her to do just that. She may be embarrassed by Tony's limitations, and she will not have the luxuries she has always known, but she will have love and a family bound together by simple good-heartedness. Her parents, divorced for many years, cannot even offer her a home, and in return for the nothing they can give her, they would probably expect to claim all her time, attention—and money.

which the father, daughters and another son manage.

"They are uneducated people, I suppose, talking very little English, and living a very natural home life, with babies, dogs, old grandparents, plenty of good food and good wine, and plenty of love.

"Tony and I love each other. We are happy together. My father probably would want to kill him if he knew this, and I know my mother would be crushed.

"If we married I would take what money I have and invest it in a garage, which Tony has long wanted to buy. We could go along for a few years comfortably on what was left, until he began to make money. We both want children, for all the Benitos love them, and I could never be happy without them.

"Shall I refuse Tony and ask Dad to let him go, join my mother and become a nurse to my little halfbrother, whom I would come to adore, I know, or make this marriage? Please help me.'

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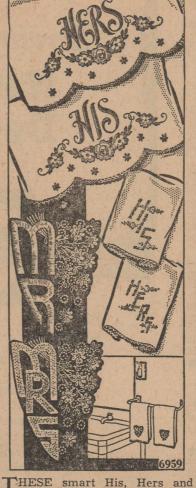
Now, you parents who submit loving sensitive small girls to the miseries of your own marital failures and the wretchedness of partings and changes among those who seem to them faultless, what do you think of the father and mother who shoved Linda about without any consideration for her loving little heart, her child's love of stability and security, and her child's confidence in her own family?

Now that she is no longer a responsibility and a bother they want her. Now that she is an heiress both father and mother could use her money. And now she has sought companionship and love in strange places and is likely to go out of their lives forever.

My advice to her is to marry Tony. She will be many times embarrassed by his limitations; she may have to apologize for him and for her family

But she will have love; a real mother and real sisters and brothers, amusement, distraction, companionship, and probably adoration from her husband. She will have children; good strong children born is a simple man who has a wonder- of peasant stock, and she will build ful mother and family. He was a home around them, and have the married, widowed 10 years ago. I picnics and trips and birthdays and have been to his mother's home sev- mothering that her own childhood

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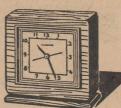
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Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Cummings and family, Dalhart, came Sunday morning and were joined by Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mullins, E. F. Spurlock, and Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Cummings. They spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Spurlock in the Spurlock community.

Mrs. F. A. Judd, Mrs. W. F. Wig-

Mrs. F. A. Judd, Mrs. W. F. Wig-inton, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Judd and Miss Mae Gay were Amarillo vis-

Mrs. R. B. Puckett was a business visitor in Dalhart Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Combee daughters, Amarillo, and W. Chambers of Clarksville, Arkansas

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#### THE DUSTER

(Continued from Page 1) JUNIOR REPORT

The Junior Class is sponsoring a program presented by Stuttering Sam and his musical comedy on February the fifth.

By the time you read this, sponsor, Mr. Beene, will be gone to join Uncle Sam's large family. We have really enjoyed having Mr. Beene, and we hope we haven't caused him too much trouble. Well he's in the army now! Good-bye and good luck!

The Boys' District Tournament will soon be here; and we hope there will be just loads and loads of people that are starved (al-most)! You see the junior class is going to manage the lunch room (if we don't, the P. T. A. will), so please come in and sample our We are going to have some

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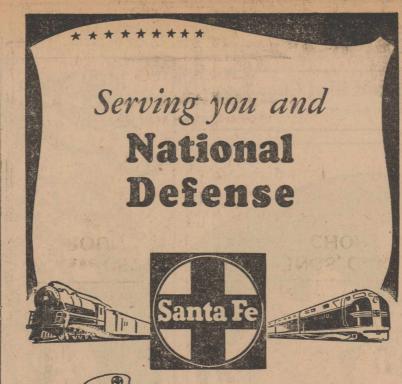
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SENIORS' DIARY Monday, January 26, we started off with a gloom that lasted all day. N. W. caused fifteen girls to have heart failure by not wearing his tie. Pat came to school with For inside information, see Mary

a mustache and side-burns, which Frances Taylor, Mary Hood, made Stenia's heart go scratchscratch. By eleven o'clock we all
ended up in bed, weeping over such
hard assignments for Tuesday.

Maxine White; Dickie-Kathryn

Grendel, the dragon. Evidenlty Quote: "Miss Thomas thinks those girls are too interested in that it's pretty serious for Mr. marriage laws. Mary Elizabeth Beene to have to leave!" No, Miss says it's quite thrilling. At noon Thomas!

Wednesday, January 28— We all rose in high spirits to welcome our visitors for the band concert. At noon we started an ordeal that lasted four hours. Then all we patriotic seniors attended the concert that night.

Thursday, January 22

Howard Kieser from Dalhart was seen courtin' Margaret Gibbons.

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Thursday, January 23— Seen at the ball were Marcella-Tommie; Selma-Jack; Ernestine-Pat; and Dean-Dickie. Everyone had fun. Friday, January 30— I think we seniors enjoyed the President's birthday even more than he did from the looks of all the hangov-

Maybe I had better skip Satur-<del>፟ቝቑኇዿዿዿዿዿዿዿዿዿዿዿዿዿዿዿዿዿዿዿዿዿዿዿ</del><del>ቜ</del>

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ing cadet. Of course, no names are and in need of a haircut mentioned. Some people might get the wrong idea. (Note to Duster Editor: Copy omitted for lack of space is being Marcile was seen in Gruver with heldover for your use at your apa man who is said to be tall, dark, proval)

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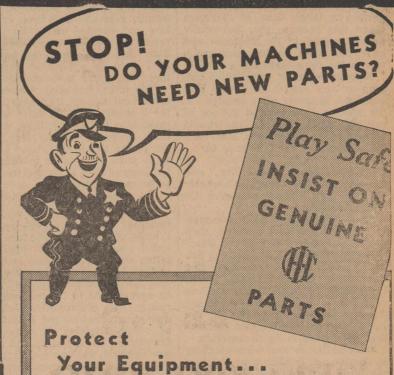
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THE STORY SO FAR: Karen Waterson, San Francisco girl, convinced by her lawyer, John Colt, that she has a claim to the island estate of her grandfather, Garrett Waterson, arrives in Honolulu to attempt to gain control of the property. One evening while she and Colt are dining and discussing plans for pressing her claims, Richard Wayne, or ronga Dick, as he is known, enters their dining place. He is a member of the Wayne family that has been in control of her grandfather's island, Alakoa, since the old man's disappearance. Inasmuch as Karen believes that Tonga Dick does not know her identity she suggests to Colt that she talk to him and learn what she can. Colt at first opposes the idea but begins to change his mind. Now continue with the story.

"I suppose there isn't any really practical objection," he said; "but isn't this notion just slightly on the silly side? You can hardly expect-"

He started to say something more, but let it pass; then bowed with exasperating courtesy, and walked

When he was gone she sat quietly a little while, trying to relax. Presently she turned her chair a little so that she could look into the shadows where Tonga Dick sat, three tables away, alone in the obscurity of palm shadows. She still could not clearly see his face, but she focussed upon the coal of his cigarette, and waited. She let her eyes rest there almost to the limit of endurance; then smiled faintly, and returned her attention to the dance floor.

Tonga Dick stood up, wound his way to her table. He laid a hand on the back of the chair where John Colt had sat.

"May I?"

"Perhaps, if you wish."
Richard Wayne sat down, crossed his knees comfortably, and took his time about lighting a cigarette. Karen waited, determined to make him lead the way; but she watched him curiously, with a sharp interest that was partly caused by his name alone. In the world she knew, you could no more be called Tonga Dick, in seriousness, than you could be called Red-Handed Harry, or Terrible Pete. Had she had no other relationship to this man than that of a casual tourist, she still would have stared, just because of the name he was called.

Tonga Dick surveyed her slowly, with grave eyes. "You wanted to

Richard Wayne watched with admiration the perfect serenity of Karen's poise as she turned a little, and coolly met his eye.

She was much more interesting to look at from across a table, he decided, than from across a number of them. Yet he had noticed her in the first moment in which he had stepped upon the lanai. That, of course, was the reason he knew who she was. He had landed but a few hours before, and had no more than shaken hands with his brothers; there were no means by which he could have identified Karen Waterson, if he had not noticed her and been interested of his own accord.

From the shadows of his obscure table at the edge of the lanai he had watched her for some time for no other reason than that it gave him pleasure to look at her.

After a little while he had signaled a table captain and asked who the girl was-and had obtained a correct answer.

Knowing who she was, it was odd to be sitting at the same table with her now. This was the girl who had come here from the mainland to lay claim to the island of Alakoa, the little stronghold in the sea which no one but a Wayne had held for more than two decades.

It seemed to him that Karen Waterson did not look the part. He couldn't understand how anyone with a face like that, and eyes like that, could get herself hooked up with a shenanigan that differed from a common swindle only in the boldness of its scope.

"If I hadn't wanted you here," she said, "you'd hardly be here, would you?" "And so?"

"So nothing. I wanted you to come and sit here because I think you look romantic. And I think you might introduce yourself, now.'

"My name is Richard Wayne," he said. "I belong here in the Islands. More specifically, I am connected with a small privately owned island called Alakoa.

He watched for her reaction, and was fooled again; for no reaction

"That certainly is very interesting," Karen Waterson said. wish I were an Islander."

"Perhaps," he suggested, "you would like to tell me who you are.' "My name," Karen improvised, "is Katie Higgins-something - a white girl from about four miles south of Dubuque. I teach school some place, and I think I would like

to get in the movies." "I should have said." Dick commented, "that you were from San Francisco." She glanced at him sharply, but he added, "Hawaii is a kind of a crossroads; people from every part of the world come

through here, sooner or later, so that if you live in the Islands you get to recognize inflections of speech.'

"They raise very good looking girls in San Francisco," Dick said. "It must be a wonderful thing to own your own island," Karen said.



He laid a hand on the back of the chair where John Colt had sat. 'May I?" "Perhaps, if you wish."

"Only a few, in this part of the Pacific. Niihau is privately owned, and so is Lanai, which is the sixth largest in the group; and the Waynes have had Alakoa for about twenty years.

"How many Waynes are there?" Richard Wayne said to himself, 'You know cockeyed well, young lady, how many Waynes there are." But aloud he said, "Four. My uncle, who is really the owner, my two brothers, and myself."

"It's like owning a little empire of your own, isn't it? I can't think of anything nicer than that."

"A good many people seem to feel that way," Dick said. "That's what makes an island so hard to hold

"You have trouble holding onto

"Oh, yes, indeed. Just now, for example, there is an insufferable little snip of a girl trying to get her claws into Alakoa by due legal proc-

"Interesting," Karen encouraged him. "And just how does she expect to do that?"

"The Waynes bought Alakoa from her grandfather. Now the girl wishes to prove that the sale was illegal, because, she says, her grand-father was a congenital idiot. She says it runs in the family, and she can prove it."

Karen studied him for a moment with veiled suspicion, but Tonga Dick's face was innocent. "What a remarkable person," Karen said. 'What's she like?"

"Well-as I told you, I have had no chance to get acquainted with

"Maybe you'll have a chance lat-

"I'd rather like to, you know," Dick admitted. "I'd like to find out what makes her tick. But I would hardly know how to go about it." "Just a simple Island boy," Karen

"Well, the circumstances are a little awkward. I can't just go up to her and say, 'I understand you are the little twerp who is trying to get my island away from me, and what are you doing this evening after the store closes?' Or can I?"

"Well, invite her for a sail on your boat. Show her selected views of the coast line. Show her this island she's after-what did you say the name of it was? Alakoa? Probably she hasn't even seen it. I'll bet she'd be interested."

"And just what," said Dick, 'would be my idea?"

'Get to know her. You said you wanted to find out what the little fright was like. Maybe you'd like "And then what?"

"And then what?" Karen repeat-"Say, wait a minute. Do I have to map out your entire life?"

They grinned at each other; and either one of them would have given a good deal to know what the other was thinking then. "It's a rotten plan," Dick criti-

cized.

"Now you've hurt my feelings,"
Karen said. "Here I practically
work up a headache planning a

beautiful day for you, and what credit do I get? You tell me it's rotten. All that effort wasted!"

Richard Wayne appeared to brighten. "No, it isn't. It gives me a much better idea. What's the use of wasting the whole program on a chiseling little frump? No! I'll take you sailing, instead."
"Me? Oh, I'm afraid I couldn't—"

"Tomorrow morning," Richard Wayne prompted her, "at something "Something more like ten," she

## CHAPTER II

It was nearly midnight when Richard Wayne called upon his brothers. They had been expecting him earlier in the evening, and only an objectionable message he had sent them by phone had kept them waiting for him at an hour strictly out-

side of their habits.

Richard's two brothers, Ernest
Wayne and Willard Wayne, sat in a large room which, in spite of its prim order, showed the wear of the humid years. The whole thing managed a transplanted New England

"Are many islands privately look; obviously nothing had been owned?"

The two brothers who here awaited Richard Wayne seemed to have been bred and raised by the New England furniture. Both were older than Richard, and when he looked at them he was sometimes happy to remember that they were only his half-brothers, after all.

"It does seem to me, Dick," Fr-nest Wayne said fretfully, "that you would show a little interest in what is happening here." Ernest, tall and thin, did not look entirely well; he wore gold-rimmed glasses, which did not seem to be strong enough for his purpose, and when kept up late he developed a peaked look.

Dick sighed and sat down. "If I weren't interested I wouldn't be in Honolulu at all," he said. "Now, please try not to get all excited, will you?"

"You don't realize the seriousness of the situation, Dick," Willard said heavily, without heat. "This thing is critical in the extreme—perhaps even desperate. Uncle Jim can't seem to understand that he is not invulnerable. He has delayed, and delayed-"

"As I understand it from your letters," he said now, "the complaint is that when our mutual father bought the island of Alakoa from Garrett Waterson he practically cheated the old boy out of his eye teeth—is that the story?"

"Father was an industrious and intelligent man," Ernest Wayne said with annoyance. "Do you know anything much

about the original swindle?" "I object to your tone," Willard Wayne said; and Dick was astonished by the vigor of his brother's resentment. "Garrett Waterson was a disreputable old pirate. He was a waster and a speculator of the worst sort-absolutely typical of a certain kind of riffraff which troubled the Islands in the early days. If father saw values in Alakoa that Waterson did not, that certainly was Waterson's look-out. But now comes this girl, this grasping, piratical little adventuress, intent on seizing not only the whole of Alakoa, but all the development which has cost Uncle Jim the best years of his life, and-

"Have you checked the identity of this girl?" Dick interrupted. "She's Garrett Waterson's granddaughter, all right," Willard said.

"Well brought up?" "The family has no distinction whatever. The girl has been working as a stenographer. Her relationship to the island of Alakoa probably would never have occurred to her as offering any possibilities, if it had not been for this John Colt." "And who is this John Colt?"

"John Colt is thirty-six years old and was born in New York. He is one of the predatory speculators who came to light in the boom days of the late twenties. He acquired a considerable fortune through water developments in California. In 1932 his stock-juggling activities were investigated, but without success."

"You seem to have snootled around to very good effect," Tonga Dick complimented them.

"And now," Willard concluded, 'Karen Waterson, through her attorneys, and undoubtedly acting on the advice and direction of John Colt is bringing suit, on the complaint that her grandfather's sale of Alakoa was illegal-that Garrett Waterson, at the time of the sale. "Tas mentally incompetent. That shows you the girl's unscrupulous typeshe is willing to discredit her own grandfather-prove him to have been virtually insane—to gain advantage for herself."

"Same old story," Tonga Dick murmured. "But not so easy, in the case of Garrett Waterson, I should think."

Willard Wayne exploded. "I tell you it is easy! Unless we find a one of the new loafer coats (the way out, it is most certainly going to be done! This is what comes of dealing with irresponsibles of Garrett Waterson's type. Evidence can | moves you. These jackets are made be brought in to show that Garrett Waterson was not only totally irre- cordurex, the popular velvety-ribbed sponsible, but eccentric in the extreme. I myself am convinced he was more or less deranged. Let me remind you that we've had hundreds of such cases in the Islands-mostly successful!"

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By CHERIE NICHOLAS



THERE is a new psychology in persuasive arguments in favor of the matter of dress. It's a most the attractive colorful daytime wool wholesome one which yields to no compromise with feminine charm and flattery, but tends toward greater simplicity, careful selection and an appreciative evaluation of wearing apparel that avoids extravagance. Clothes are made to serve dependably and at the same time graciously, during the stress and strain of the present war period.

It's well-mannered clothes that women are wanting, the sort that won't shriek with glitter and gewgaws, yet will be spirit-lifters in their colorfulness, suavity of line and genuine charm. The winsome little wool dresses now so popular give the answer. Not only do they exploit color but they are styled to a nicety with all sorts of "catchy" details that individualize them and make them of outstanding style importance, not only for immediate wear with fur wraps but also to wear into the summer.

The accompanying group picture eloquently tells the story of quality, materials of distinction and flattering color. The first of this trio, that shown to the left in the above illustration, is a clever sports dress for the teen-age girl. It is in chocolate colored wool panelled with brownstitched beige. Simple tailored princess lines enhance this model, together with an easy grace achieved by the full-gored effect below the hipline.

The dress to the right in the pic ture above stresses the new 1942 classic simplicity to a nicety. It exploits the sleek-fitting long-torso lines now so popular with college girls and the junior set. One of the

Ribbed Jacket

If you're headed resort-ward,

plenty of lightweight sports things

should be in your trunks. Here is

name reveals its purpose) to wear

when you loll around on the veran-

da or beaches or wherever the spirit

of cordurella, a feminine version of

men's wear fabric. If you are a

husband-and-wife combination, his

windbreaker and slacks should be

made of the finest lightest cordurex

in order to interpret fashion at its

smartest.

frocks is that they are "up to tricks" in the way of ingenious detail. In this instance it is the lacing at each side of the long-torso bodice that is eye-catching. Self material is laced around gold hooks. This model comes in delectable pastels or in

Centered in the group above is a perfect "date" dress for the girl who must wear her "special occasion" dress all day in the office. This gown of leaf green crepe has a striking triple - tiered peplum, a smartly curved yoke and the somewhat full, straight sleeve favored this season. Too sweet for words are the dainty

little afternoon dresses of light wool or rayon crepe in exquisite pastels. They are fashioned with cunning self-fabric trimming. One has three rows of tiny ruching applied to a medium flare skirt line, three huge hand painted wood buttons and matching ruching about a clever yokeline. Made of China pink crepe it is the ideal answer to the demand for something dressy but not too

The fuss made by the younger set over white date dresses continues. White jersey seems to be the outstanding material for these dresses. Now that color is so important, many of these jerseys are made gay and bright with embroidered flowers and motifs done in multi-colored yarns. Some of the most attractive white jersey frocks are highlighted with effective trapunto quilted design. Others are made festive with gilt buttons and girdles.
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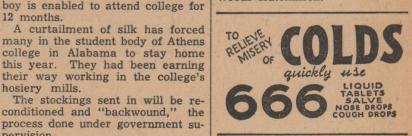
Helpful Cripples New York city has an organization, founded and operated by cripples, whose chief purpose is to find jobs for cripples. It also finances the purchase of artificial limbs, braces, crutches, clothing and other necessities for those needing them to begin work.

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Liking One's Duty The secret of happiness is not

in doing what one likes, but in liking what one has to do.-James M.

# That Nagging Backache

May Warn of Disordered Kidney Action

Modern life with its hurry and worry, irregular habits, improper eating and drinking—its risk of exposure and infection—throws heavy strain on the work of the kidneys. They are apt to become over-taxed and fail to filter excess acid and other impurities from the life-giving blood.

blood.

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urination.
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#### Resolve to Punish Axis Criminals



View of the scene in the conference chamber in London when repre sentatives of nine Allied nations whose territories have been occupied by the Axis met to adopt and sign a resolution calling for punishment of Axis criminals after the war. Left to right, at the far side of the table, are China's Wang King; Anthony Biddle, U. S. ambassador to governments-in-exile; and British Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden. There is no identification for the other conferees.

## Meet for Hemisphere Solidarity



Foreign minister Oswaldo Aranha, of Brazil, president of the hemisphere conference at Rio de Janeiro, sits at the head of the table, right, during preliminary session at the foreign office of Brazil. In gray suit is Sumner Welles, head of the U. S. delegation. Next to Welles, holding his glasses, is Roriguez-Alves, secretary of the conference.

## They Felt 'Rattlesnake's' Sting



Crew members of the U.S. tanker Malay, shelled and torpedoed off North Carolina coast by a U-boat, stand around a hole in the deck caused by the only torpedo loosed by the attacker. Photo was made after the Malay limped into Norfolk, Va. Second Cook Adams Hay suffered fatal burns. Four others of crew of 33 were lost.

## Blow, Blow, Thou Winter Wind



With the new winter combat clothing issued by the quartermaster corps, these boys of the fourth armored division are ready for really cold weather. Their new duds include wool-lined combat helmet, alpacalined parka, olive drab all-wool mufflers and gloves, and wool-lined jacket and trousers. The boys here are riding a "jeep."

#### Rubber—Goodspeed



From the alkaline deserts of the West, America can harvest half a billion pounds of natural rubber to offset the Jap grab at Indies, claims Dr. T. Harper Goodspeed, University of California scientist. He is shown here with "rabbit bush," the new rubber plant, which may reach life-saving status in this war.

#### Goes to Bat for U.S.



William L. Batt, chairman of the new requirements committee created by Donald Nelson, war production czar, to allocate raw materials for war and civilian defense.

## Talks for Indies



Lieut. Gov. Gen. Hubertus Van Mook of Netherlands East Indies, shown at Netherlands club, New York. He described the Netherlands East Indies as a barrier to Axis aspirations in the Pacific, and called them a bridge for the Allied forces between Australia and India. He said their loss would lessen the United Nations' chances of winning the

## 'Chip Off Old Block'



Joe DiMaggio, star outfielder of the New York Yankees, initiates his son into the mysteries of hitting technique. With a tutor like dad Joe Jr. can't help but be colossal.

## IMPROVED' UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL CUNDAY

## Lesson for February 8

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#### A BUSY SABBATH IN CAPERNAUM

LESSON TEXT—Mark 1:21-34. GOLDEN TEXT—I was in the Spirit on the Lord's day.—Revelation 1:10.

The Sabbath of the Jew and the Lord's Day (Sunday) of the Christian were both intended to be days of rest. The ordinary activities of life were to cease and one was to be free to worship and to rest. The manner in which a man uses this God-given day of rest is a remarkably accurate indicator of his spiritual condition.

We have before us the account of very busy Sabbath day which our Lord spent in Capernaum, the city in which most of His mighty works were done, but which ignored Him and His teaching to its own destruction (see Matt. 11:23, 24). As we look at our Lord's activity on that day we learn what we may do with our Sundays to make them bear fruit for eternity. We find Him in three

opportunity for fellowship and service which church attendance brings

Observe that because He was there He (as a distinguished religious teacher) was called upon to teach the people. He taught them in the serene consciousness of His divine authority, and the people were delighted and astonished at His message. We may not serve exactly as He did, but if we present ourselves in God's house on His day we will find the way opening for us to share in the worship.

Jesus not only spoke, but He performed a miracle. Certain it is that we could not do what He did, but we can be ready to give ourselves in service as well as in worship, or in speaking. There is much work to be done in the church, and God's people should be ready and willing to do it.

## II. In the Home (vv. 29-31).

From the synagogue Christ went into the home. How appropriate! We too should go from the church to the home, always bringing with is the strength and diessing of the worship service. The daughter of a great preacher

and Bible teacher said the thing she most loved in her father was that he did not give out the "cream" of his Christianity in his meetings and bring home the "skim milk." Too often we fail to bring into the home the power and beauty of the service in the church. We who have been very sweet and spiritual in the church should not come home to be sour and crabbed.

Jesus brought a blessing into Peter's home, miraculously healing his mother-in-law of a great fever, setting her free to serve. Here again we cannot do what He did, but we can, in His name, bring power and blessing into our homes.

## III. In the City (vv. 32-34).

From the home the ministry of Jesus reached out to the entire city. As the strict laws forbidding travel the Jewish Sabbath were set aside by the coming of sundown, not only the city but the entire countryside brought their sick and needy

The scene staggers the imagination as one attempts to conceive of this coming together of troubled humanity for the Master's touch. Mark tells us that He healed many; Matthew, that He healed all, and Luke, the physician, is emphatic in saying that He healed every one of

We may learn from this incident that our Christian faith, which has been developed and strengthened by our time of worship and service in the church, should not only reflect itself in the home, but should reach out into the life of the community in which we live. The primary interest of the Christian in his city or the place of his residence should be spiritual, a desire to bring to bear upon the people of the community the power of the gospel.

There is, however, a secondary responsibility which is of much importance and that is the extending of Christian influence into every phase of school, social, political and business life. It is said that when D. L. Moody came into a barber shop the entire course of the conversation changed. The Christian should have an influence on problems of social welfare, the work of the public schools, the proper conduct of business in the community, and surely upon its political life. It is said that if every Christian in America would vote according to his professed convictions we could put the saloons out of business in a single election. Why not do it?

# PATTERSON

U. S. LABOR AND CLOSED SHOP

LAST SPRING, W. O. Hart, editor of the Orange (Calif.) Daily News, under a heading "The Fifth Freedom," wrote and printed an editorial which has attracted nationwide interest and has been reprintwide interest and has been reprint-ed from the Pacific to the Atlantic seaboard.

In that editorial, Hart demanded for American workers the right to employment without the payment of tribute to labor racketeers; the right to join or not to join a union, as they chose. He insisted the right to work was the basic right of all freedoms, that without it all other rights were valueless.

The "closed shop" principle, for which labor racketeers are contending, is a violation of the constitutional privilege of the more than 50 million American workers now employed, of which only about onefourth are members of unions. Labor racketeers would say to the other three-fourths that they could not work to support themselves and their families without paying tribute -such amount of tribute as the racketeers may levy.

We have been suffering from minority rule. Congress has listened I. In the Church (vv. 21-28).

The Sabbath day found our Lord with His people in the synagogue, their place of worship. The service of worship was probably formal and lacking in spiritual vitality, but none-the-less He was there. What have we to say if we miss the opportunity of the sale of the synagogue, their place of worship was probably formal and lacking in spiritual vitality, but none-the-less He was there. upon them any law that deprives the worker of "Bill" Hart's "fifth freedom"-the right to work without the payment of tribute to union racket-

#### ADDING 'GADGETS' TO GOVERNMENT

SINCE 1913 they have added many new gadgets to automobiles that have made of them better machines which are more easily operated, more pleasant to ride in, and the improved cars sell at a much lower price than those made in 1913. Automobiles are a product of private enterprise.

Since 1913 many new gadgets have been added to the national government. New departments, new bureaus, new commissions have been added, but the machine is not more easily operated and it does not provide any additional pleasures for us average Americans. But government does sell at a much higher price. In 1913 the national government cost for each man, woman and child in the nation the modest sum of \$7.17, or a total of \$692,000,000 for all of us. By 1939 the new gadgets brought the cost for each of us up to \$69.76, a total of \$9,142,000,000 for all of us. In 1939 we were not paying for any war preparations, as we are

The cost has been multiplied up to 10 times what it was in 1913. congress really wants to reduce the cost of civil activities of government, it should study that old 1913 model which we, the people, liked.

#### FARM PRICES IN WAR TIME

the war.

THE WORLD WAR I price of farm products, with wheat at a top of \$2.97 a bushel in 1917 and other items proportionately high, harmed more farmers than it helped. Such prices encouraged them to buy land at exorbitant values and the mortgage holders closed them out when neither principal nor interest could be paid as prices dropped to normal, or below, after the close of

In this war America does not have the problem of feeding the greater part of Europe, as it did from 1914 to 1919. Now our one customer is England. But war does make a difference. Top price of wheat in 1939 was 724 cents. In 1941, top price was \$1.28%-not enough to encourage high land values.

## CHANGE IN ATTITUDE

OF BRITISH IN 1918, in company with Sir Eveyn Wrench, then a major in the British army, I walked down the Strand in London. Just in front of us, walking in the same direction, was a distinguished member of the British house of lords. Coming towards us, and towards his lordship were four British tommies, arm in arm. As they approached, his lordship stepped off the sidewalk to let them pass.
"That," I said to Major Wrench,

"typifies the England of the future. The common man of England has found that he 'rates.' He will no longer make way for the nobility. He has defended England and he

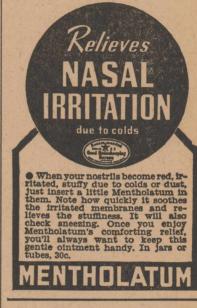
The recent visit to this country of Jenny Lee, the Joan of Arc of the Welsh miners, reminded me of that incident. As an aftermath of the present war, she is demanding for the English working classes such opportunities as the American workman has always enjoyed—the chance to advance and a standard of living that is commensurate with his value to the nation. She and her followers will get much of what they are demanding. 'The dominance of English nobility is passing. Being an earl or a lord will soon be rather meaningless.

Ice Shortage in Alaska Alaska, famous for its glaciers and long called "Uncle Sam's Icebox," sometimes has local ice shortages, a recent one in the town of Anchorage boosting the price to \$80 a ton.

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feast.—Herbert.

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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

By Edward C. Wayne

A.E.F. Takes Over Northern Ireland Base As U. S. and British Form Supply Pool; Jap Convoy Blasted in Macassar Strait; Hawaii Report Blames U.S. Commanders

(EDITOR'S NOTE—When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst and not necessarily of this newspaper.) (Released by Western Newspaper Union.)



Justice Owen J. Roberts is shown (left) talking to newsmen after laying before President Roosevelt the report on the Pearl Harbor attack. Made public in its entirety by the President, the report fixed responsibility on Adm. Husband E. Kimmel and Lieut. Gen. Walter C. Short for "dereliction of duty." Justice Roberts was chairman of the commission of six that visited Hawaii.

GUILTY:

preme court.

tion or censorship.

face of a war threat.

Verdict on Hawaii

The stunning news that an ad-

miral and a lieutenant general, the

naval and military commanders re-

sponsible for the defense of Hawaii,

had showed such a lack of compe-

tence that they had failed even to

talk over with each other deliberate

war warnings handed them by their

superior officers on November 24

and 27, in ample time to have cir-

cumvented the Japanese surprise

attack fell sickeningly on American

The immediate removal of both Adm. Husband E. Kimmel and Lieut. Gen. Walter C. Short from

their commands after the Pearl Har-

bor debacle was fully justified by

The report had been utterly frank,

The words that condemned the

tions were twofold-that the com-

manders had shown a lack of inter-

est in performing their duty—that

they had failed to talk over with

each other the measures that each

was taking for the defense in the

The army man had "assumed"

that the navy man was sending out

enemy might be. The navy man as-

sumed that the army airforce was

on the alert. Neither actually was.

mete out punishment to those re-

sponsible for the Pearl Harbor dis-

aster were heard from members of

competents" holding responsible po-

Many senators and representatives

asserted that the commission's con-

clusions pointed to a pressing need

for a supercommand with control

That the battle of Luzon had

reached critical final stages was ap-

parent. General MacArthur report-

ed that not only were his troops

being subjected to an all-out Jap-

anese land attack by forces of at

least ten to one superior strength,

but that Japanese warships in Subic

bay were able to fire their guns into

Constant Japanese reinforcements

the battle of the Philippines was a

losing fight from the start, placed

the highest importance on the long

and brave resistance of the Amer-

per week, as against a normal con-

sumption of about a pound and a

The shortage, said Henderson,

would be about a third. He said

ican-Filipino army, I

**ECONOMICS:** 

sitions in the war effort.

Critical Stage

his positions.

Demands for court martials to

comprehensive, and left little un-

#### OVER THERE: New A.E.F. in Erin

When Uncle Sam landed an infantry force of several thousand men at an undisclosed port in Northern Ireland, it marked the first arrival of American troops in a European port since World War No. 1. Com-

manded by Maj. Gen. Russell P. Hartle, the Yank army of brawny, clean-limbed farm lads from the Middle West proceeded to camps prepared months before.

Few doubted that this detachment was but the advance guard of many more to come. It was believed, too, that the base they occupied might be the springboard from which an invasion of Hitler's Europe would

This view was voiced in the address of welcome by Sir Archibald Sinclair, British air secretary, who

"This is a coming portent for Mr. Hitler, nor will its significance be

lost on General Tojo. "From here, assuredly you will sally forth with us to carry the war to the enemy's territory and free oppressed peoples of Europe . . . You are the vanguard of American

## **SUPPLY COMMAND:**

## U. S.-British Pool

The creation of a supreme allied supply command that will speed and co-ordinate the production and flow of vital munitions and supplies to the fighting fronts was seen in the announcement by President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Winston Churchill that the United States and Great Britain will pool all munitions, shipping and war materials "further co-ordination of the United Nation's war effort."

Three joint boards have been set up to merge the combined war resources of the two nations and make them partners in vital fields of supply in addition to joint military and naval commands. These new agencies will include a combined war materials board, munitions assignment board and combined shipping adjustment board.

Board members, it was announced, will confer with representatives of the Soviet Union, China and such others of the 26 United Nations as necessary "to attain common purposes."

## SHIPS:

## Japan Losing Them

The British, Dutch and American bombers and ships of war were not formally coming to grips with large bodies of Japanese naval ships, but they were whittling away at them, and Japan's losses were assuming important proportions.

A count of Japanese ships report-

ed sent to the bottom in the first seven weeks of the war totaled 100, not counting those damaged and probably sunk.

This, it was pointed out, has been an average of better than two a day, despite the fact that when the war started Japan had the jump on the other nations by virtue of the surprise, and that opening successes had weakened the allied hitting

A continuation of this rate, observers said, would cost Japan more than 700 vessels of all types, and that no navy in the world, except the United States, could stand replacing such losses.

Latest exploit was an attack by air and sea forces of the United Nations against Jap war ships and troop convoys in the Straits of Macassar. Reported as the greatest demonstration of combined Allied might since the war's beginning, this force was revealed to have sunk or damaged at least 26 | measures would be taken to recover Japanese ships in a running battle. sugar from hoarders.

## Aid for Aussies



Australian Minister Richard G Casey, arriving at the White House to confer with President Roosevelt on plans to aid Australia in its battle against Japan. Japanese advance troops have already occupied key island outposts of the Commonwealth.

## PAN-AMERICA:

Half-Loaf Won?

What had first looked like a halfloaf victory for American diplomacy at the Pan-American conference at Rio de Janeiro, was gradually assuming the proportions of a larger

Most of the South American and Central American countries had gone to Rio intent on a solid-front breach with the Axis. Some already had broken relations, some had declared a state of war.

But Argentina and Chile had remained adamant. Whether that meant simply long coastlines to worry about, or Axis leanings, or economic hopings made little differ-

Enormous pressure was brought to bear, but they would not go 'whole hog' along with the rest. Finally, in true diplomatic management, our conferees managed to pull out the plum of a resolution which committed all nations to a breach of relations, but allowed any individual to do so at a time he might select.

the investigating commission head-ed by Justice Roberts of the Su-Uruguay and Peru were the first to sever relations, followed by Paraguay and Bolivia. The lineup following the breakup of the conference was "At War": United States, Canada, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominisaid. President Roosevelt, to whom can Republic, Guatemala, Haiti, it was handed, ordered that it be given to the public without altera-Honduras, Nicaragua, Panama and Salvador.

"Broken Relation": Colombia, commanders were "dereliction of Mexico, Peru, Uruguay, Venezuela, duty." But the astounding revelamaintained any form of normal intercourse, namely, Chile, Ecuador, Brazil and Argentina. It was regarded as certain that the first three would soon sever relations and that the fourth, Argentina, would eventually take this step.

## AUSTRALIA:

#### Readies for Defense offshore patrols to find where the

Despite the heroic fight on land before Singapore, and the strenuous efforts being made to gain air supremacy and control of the long Malayan coasts, most commentators and observers actually believed the "island city of apathy" would eventually be besieged from the maincongress. Demands were likewise land, and might well be lost. made for the expulsion of any "in-

This intensified the belief in Australia and in many American quarters that the real battle of the South Pacific would center on the east coast of Australia.

Some trained observers, among them W. W. Chaplin, who had made over the operations of both armed a year's close study of the East Indies and Australia, including Singapore, publicly expressed the belief that Java and Sumatra constituted a "Maginot line" of defense in the East Indies, and that Japan was intent, in taking the Philippines, Singapore and Borneo on so surrounding and going behind that line that they might attempt to duplicate Germany's similar feat against France.

## SOUADRON:

## Wiped Out

Despite the attacks by Japanese and Thailanders in the rear of the were being landed in Subic bay on MacArthur's left flank, where the main Malaya battle for Singapore upon the British-American-Chinese heaviest Japanese attacks were being launched, and he reported that defenders of Burma "the modern roads to Mandalay" had reported a two-day "bag" of 32 Japanese bombthe numerical odds were rising coners, believed to be an entire squad-Commentators, while declaring

While military secrecy covered the development of the land action, thousands of Burmese, wild with delight, watched the American and British fighters in mad dog-fights overhead at mid-day,

#### America's first foodstuff rationing HSCELLANY: came from the office of Leon Hen-

derson-sugar. After controversial statements about supplies, and after New York: A Berlin worker's sloconsiderable buying up of sugar by gan, smuggled out of the Reich, was panicky housewives, a ration was "We're winning ourbroadcast: set at about one pound per person selves to death."

Batavia: The Dutch army airmen, in an attack on a convoy in Macassar strait claimed that they struck a large transport carrying troops, which turned completely over and rolled about, keel upward.

OS ANGELES.-For some time Lahead, outside of two such physical and mental conditioning games as football and boxing, where body contact is vital, the main demand on the country will be for playing games above spectator games.

The two leaders here are golf and bowling. Basketball is also a play-

ing game on the major side, but it also carries a major spectator following, golf which neither nor bowling needs. The bowling call

on the playing side now runs away with all the others. Experts tell me we have 20,000,000 bowlers of one de-

gree or another now actively engaged at target work down the alleys. This far overshadows golf in numbers. But golf still has the call in the matter of open country and five miles of hiking for some 3,000,000 club swingers between the ages of 8 and 80.

Bowling today is by all odds the most popular sport in the United States. It is a game that costs far less than golf, that requires as much skill, but which still misses the sun and wind and rain and the longer leg hike. We are not trying to compare the two, since they are totally different. They are both great

Neither has the toughening, fiber-Neither has the toughening, fiber-making aspect of football and boxing, in which you have to take and give a physical beating to get anywhere. But not everybody can play football or box. And almost everybody can play golf or bowl.

#### About Bowling

The astonishing feature about bowling popularity is that it happens to be a difficult game to write about. It lacks the thrills of football, boxing, tennis and other sports. I mean for the reader. It lacks the diagnosing qualities of golf.

But it is one of the simplest of all games for the player, especially on the equipment side. And it happens to carry just as much entertainment as any game one can think about in

A game must have amazing qualities to round up from 15,000,000 to 20,000,000 players without the ballyhoo so many other games get. If you have never bowled or if you haven't bowled for many years, give it a try and you'll be converted.

## About Golf

Golf has always been-and always must be-a game for the player. Many have asked me why big golf championships don't draw with other sports. In golf it is the spectator who takes the beating, not the player. Although, in a big tournament, the player takes his share.

How often would you draw big crowds in football, racing, baseball or any other game if the spectator had to gallop five or six miles over cross - country territory, jump ditches, climb fences, wade through a morass, fight through briar patches, be a broken-field runner and a blocking back to see every other shot played?

A golf spectator has to be an athlete, in training, willing to take a hard beating, to see most of the shots played in a championship by some leading star who is drawing the crowds.

If golf had the same accommodations for the spectator that other games have, it would be on a par with any game played in the way of admissions. It is the only game I know where the spectator gets a harder workout than the player

## The Range of Games

This happens to be the greatest sporting country in the history of a cock-eyed world. But with war conditions as they are there must be certain readjustments.

For the youth of the country I still insist there must be a maximum of body contact games-especially football and boxing. Baseball is also a great game. So are track and field and basketball. Also tennis. Also golf. They help to make legs. They add to physical stamina. They are strictly worth while. This is especially true of golf and bowling for those who have bumped into the march of the years.

But for high school and college play there should be a big increase on the side of football and boxing.

I am not referring to championships, to big spectacles, to moneymaking enterprises. I am taking into consideration the major values of give and take in the way of discipline, punishment, hardihood, stamina-rugged qualities of manhood.

This doesn't mean there should be any falling off, aside from all the needs of war, on the part of the older men participating in sport. To help win an all-out war an entire country must be physically ready. This means participation in the sport or game that is best suited for the individual.



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Washington, D. C. UTILITY SENSATIONS

The hard-hitting Truman committee hasn't got around to the matter yet, but some hot sensations are in store when the committee digs into the dollar-a-year-man handling of the power phases of the war

production program.

For years one of the hottest issues in Washington has been the power lobby. It has been repeatedly investigated, and several years ago, after fierce legislative battles, the federal power and holding company laws were enacted to curb the lobby.

The Truman committee has confidential information that today this lobby is more powerfully entrenched in the capital than ever before.

For months, it has been operating directly inside the government, formulating and running the power policy of the OPM, which was until last week the key war production

The OPM power division is not only manned with utility officials, but they are still on the payrolls of private power companies. In other words, while presumably working for the government, they are actually paid employees of the utilities.

After being deluged with com-plaints that the utility-ruled OPM power division was secretly aiding independent rural power co-ops, the house appropriations committee questioned J. A. Krug, head of the division, on these charges.

Krug defended his staff, but the committee, unconvinced, ordered him to submit a detailed report on his dollar-a-year assistants, including the amount of salaries they are drawing from utility companies while working for the government.

Two months have elapsed since Krug promised to produce this important information and so far he has not done so.

All the committee has received was a cagey letter from John Lord O'Brian, former corporation attorney who is OPM general counsel, giving a list of the power division's personnel, but has nothing about their private salaries. However, the little information O'Brian did disclose speaks volumes.

It shows that no less than 18 key officials in Krug's division are dol-lar-a-year and "WOC" (without compensation) men, who are still on private utility payrolls.

Note: Appropriation committee members estimate that the total pay these men draw from power companies is more than \$250,000 a year. War Production Chief Donald Nelson has privately indicated he will houseclean Krug's unit.

### BAD FILMS FOR GOOD

NEIGHBORS Young Nelson Rockefeller, who on the whole has done a good job for Pan - American cultural relations, has bogged down badly on films for our Pan-American neighbors. His Museum of Modern Art, which was supposed to do this, has been laboring for nine months at a cost of \$15,000 per month to the government—and finally has brought forth

Rockefeller and Jock Whitney are getting a large dose of criticism about this because they personally are interested in the Museum and have permitted an amateur group to run the show—into the ground.

Without benefit of competitive bidding or any system of checks and balances, amateur after amateur in the Museum has tackled the job of deciding what kind of films should be sent to Latin-America. Here is a cross section of the results so far:

"Better Dresses Fifth Floor," "A Child Went Forth," "The City," and "Power and The Land"-all utterly unsuited and without objective for South America.

Some reasonably good commercial films have been donated, such as "U. S. Steel," "Greyhound Bus," 'General Electric Excursions in Science," and "The American Can Company's Silver Millions." Also Hollywood has handed over a group of pictures, such as "Eyes of the Navy," "Soldiers of the Sky," "The Battle," which are the best pictures that have gone to South America.

Meanwhile the amateurs continue to chatter and muddle over uplifting the films for our Good Neighborsall at the expense of Uncle Sam.

### MERRY-GO-ROUND

Navy Secretary Knox has a bust of Theodore Roosevelt on his desk. Bakers in the army quartermaster corps are experimenting with "tomato bread," made by adding tomato juice or canned tomatoes (rich in vitamins) to the baking dough. New York air raid wardens are complaining that every order they receive is countermanded five minutes after it is given.

■ E. B. Craney, Montana radio man who is a close friend of Senator Wheeler, recently promoted, financed and successfully completed a Red Cross relief drive netting over \$60,-000 in 24 hours.

Rep. William S. Hill of Colorado tried to drum up trade for pinto bean growers during his recent visit to Britain. He took with him a large bag of the beans and distributed them among British officials. "I hoped they might include pintos in lend-lease orders," Hill grins, "but the British still prefer their white

# Kathleen Norris Says:

This Gentlewoman Should Wed Chauffeur

(Bell Syndicate\_WNII Service.)



My father for several years has had a chauffeur named Tony Benito. He is a simple man who has a wonderful mother and family. Tony and I love each other. My mother would be crushed if she knew this.

By KATHLEEN NORRIS

ERE is a letter from a young girl that might make some mother thoughtful. Linda sends me her picture with her letter, and it is the picture of a sweet, sensible, pretty creature. She makes no complaint; she only wants some advice. But I think she has been badly treated, and that it is the fault of a selfish father and mother.

"When I was quite little, mother and dad made much of me; I felt that they loved me,' writes Linda. "But when I was 10 another man appeared in the family, was there continually, taking mother to lunch or dinner or dancing; I didn't like him very much, and neither did dad. Soon mother explained to me that dad was going away; it made me feel strange and lonely, but of course I was only a child, and when mother married the man I will call Van she explained to me that it only meant that I had two homes now and three persons to love me instead of two.

"For a year dad and I and my nurse lived together. Mammy and I did the cooking and we were all very happy. But then dad married, and although Elise was kind to me and gave me presents, she talked about my mother's treatment of my father, said she had been cruel to him and worried me so that I was really ill. Mother was expecting a baby then and could not have me so I went to a hospital and from

there for years to boarding-school. "My father has always been careless about money, and every quarter I would have to write and remind him to pay my bills, which I think accounts for the fact that I am pretty shy to this day. I hoped to be with my mother in vacations, but instead they arranged for me to

go to camp every year. Inherited Money.

"Please don't think I am complaining," the letter goes on, "but l loved my parents and my home and I used to feel very lonely. My father was divorced again last year; and as I pleaded to be able to be with him and make a home for him he agreed. At 18 I came into some money my grandmother left me; that meant that he and I need have no money troubles. I came home Christmas a year ago and for a few weeks I was completely happy, going downtown independently, having my own car, and feeling free. But my father has changed, is rarely at home, and so I see little of

"But my mother was very much annoyed at this arrangement; she said that having sacrificed me all these years for my education she felt that I should be with her, and help out with the family finances. My little half-brother was a strong, beautiful baby, but he got infantile paralysis, and will always need

"Van, my stepfather, is not much of a success in business, and my mother misses the luxuries to which she had been accustomed. Altogether she is in a nervous state, and yet she cannot get another divorce because she would get no alimony

this time. Love Comes to Linda. "Now here is my question: My father for several years has had a chauffeur named Tony Benito; he is a simple man who has a wonderful mother and family. He was a home around them, and have the married, widowed 10 years ago. I picnics and trips and birthdays and have been to his mother's home sev- mothering that her own childhood eral times. They have a restaurant | was denied.

FOR PARENTS ONLY

Kathleen Norris' advice, this time, is for the parents instead of their erring and wayward children. Here is a case where an apparently blameless child has been denied the love and security she needs by the selfishness of her parents. Unwanted when she was growing up, she is now claimed by both parents for the sake of the money she inherited from her grandmother. But she is in love with her father's chauffeur and wants to marry him. And, surprising as it may be to some, Kathleen Norris advises her to do just that. She may be embarrassed by Tony's limitations, and she will not have the luxuries she has always known, but she will have love and a family bound together by simple good-heartedness. Her parents, divorced for many years, cannot even offer her a home, and in return for the nothing they can give her, they would probably expect to claim all her time, attention—and money.

which the father, daughters and another son manage.

"They are uneducated people, I suppose, talking very little English, and living a very natural home life, with babies, dogs, old grandparents, plenty of good food and good wine, and plenty of love.

"Tony and I love each other. We are happy together. My father probably would want to kill him if he knew this, and I know my mother would be crushed.

"If we married I would take what money I have and invest it in a garage, which Tony has long wanted to buy. We could go along for a few years comfortably on what was left, until he began to make money. We both want children, for all the Benitos love them, and I could never be happy without them.

"Shall I refuse Tony and ask Dad to let him go, join my mother and become a nurse to my little halfbrother, whom I would come to adore, I know, or make this marriage? Please help me."

Parents Want Her Now.

Now, you parents who submit loving sensitive small girls to the miseries of your own marital failures and the wretchedness of partings and changes among those who seem to them faultless, what do you think of the father and mother who shoved Linda about without any consideration for her loving little heart, her child's love of stability and security, and her child's confidence in her own

Now that she is no longer a responsibility and a bother they want her. Now that she is an heiress both father and mother could use her money. And now she has sought companionship and love in strange places and is likely to go out of their lives forever.

My advice to her is to marry Tony. She will be many times embarrassed by his limitations; she may have to apologize for him and for her family.

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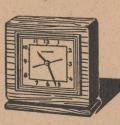
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