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WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday; scattered showers.

## French Hold Fast in Defense of Paris

### Home Guard



With the British Isles in daily peril of large scale invasion, Great Britain look note of the home front's increased importance by appointing Sir Robert Gordon-Finlayson, above, General Officer Commanding in Chief of British Isles' Western Command. He was one-time head of British troops in Egypt.

### OIL NOTES

By FRANK GARDNER.

**Andrews County.**  
Atlantic Refining Company-Helmreich & Payne, Inc. No. 1 University, southwestern Andrews discovery in the northeast corner of section 11, block 11, University survey, this morning was drilling at 4,465 feet in line, with operators planning to stop at 4,475 and test. On last gauge reported, after acidizing with a total of 14,000 gallons while bottomed at 4,425 feet, the well swabbed 40 barrels of oil in 15 hours through 2 1/2-inch tubing set at 4,417, with packer at 4,284.

**Brewster County.**  
New wildcat location for eastern Brewster has been staked by R. C. McCarter, lease owner, and J. W. Quinn, trustee, at No. 1 S. L. Stumbar, 466 feet out of the northwest corner of the southeast quarter of section 70, block G, M.K.&T.E. survey. It will be a 2,500-foot cable-test well. The well is 25 miles west of Sanderson, which is in Terrell county.

**Cochran County.**  
Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 1 Mallett Land & Cattle Company still is swabbing into pits to clear hole of acid water. Swab was lost in tubing after second treatment of 4,000 gallons of acid, and it was not fished out until 24 hours later. Following first stage of 1,500 gallons the well had swabbed and flowed 70 barrels of clean oil in four hours. Total depth is 5,038 feet in line.

**Crane County.**  
A deep test in western Crane, Gulf Oil Corporation No. 5 M. B. McKnight, is drilling at 6,650 feet in line.

**Crockett County.**  
Continental Oil Company et al No. 4-B J. S. Todd unit, in the Todd deep pool of north central Crockett is awaiting installation of rotary, bottomed at 482 feet in red rock, after drilling to that point with machine and setting 13-inch pipe at 476 feet with 300 sacks.

**Drilling in the Lewis area.** In the Lewis area of western Crockett, the Soma and Shannon No. 1 Noelke Livestock Company, east offset to the discovery, is reported to have flowed 112 barrels of oil in 24 hours through open 2-inch tubing set on bottom at 1,100 feet in sand, with packer at 1,015 feet. Production is natural and originates from oil sand topped at 1,064 feet. The well now is shut in.

**Mile north of the area.** M.&M. Drilling Company No. 1 Bouscaren estate is drilling between 1,350 and 1,400 feet, it was reported today. (See OIL NOTES, page 8)

### POPULATION OF CITY IS REPORTED 9,367

Is Gain of Over 70 Per Cent Since 1930; County Population 11,719 Represents Gain Of 46 Per Cent, Preliminary Report Shows

Preliminary census figures on Midland and Midland county, announced today from the office of Harold M. Fennell, supervisor, showed a population of 9,367 in the city limits and 11,719 in the county. The city population represents a gain of 3,863 over the 1930 figure of 5,484 persons. That of the county is a gain of 3,714 over 1930 when 8,005 noses were counted.

A slight decline is shown in the number of Midland county citizens residing outside the city limits. In 1930 that figure was 2,521, as compared to 2,352 in the preliminary 1940 total.

The percentage of population gain for the city of Midland was 70.8 plus, and for the county was 46.3 plus. Figures for the entire district covered by the Midland office had not been announced today, according to Mr. Fennell, but probably will be made known tomorrow or Friday.

However, announcement was made of the Odessa and Ector county population as follows: Odessa (1940) 9,462 (1930) 2,407; Ector county, (1940) 14,903, (1930) 3,958. The gain in both city and county there is regarded as one of the largest in the state, considering the substantial nature of growth.

Bill Collins, chamber of commerce manager, gave the following statement on factors which contributed to growth of Midland and Midland county during the ten year period: "Perhaps without equal in any other section of the state or nation has been the rapid but permanent growth and development witnessed in the Permian Basin area of West Texas during the past decade, 1930-1940, and Midland, the business headquarters and financial center of the Permian Basin, has kept pace with this rapid expansion—unparalleled increases during the 10-year interim having been registered in population, general business, construction, bank deposits, school enrollment, utility connections, etc."

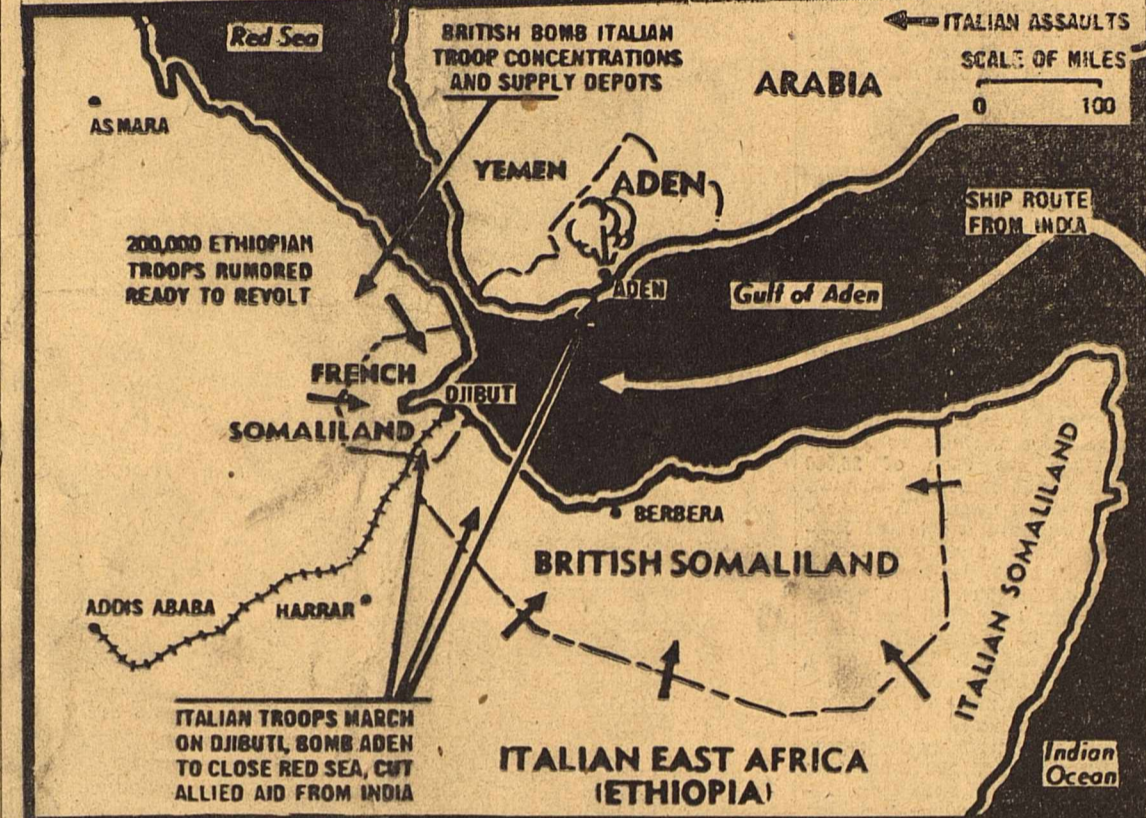
**Oil Is Greatest.**  
"Increased activity in the petroleum industry in this section during the past decade was largely responsible for the rapid growth and development along all lines, livestock and agriculture of course, continuing to play important roles in the development of the city and section."

"Coming out of the so-called depression years in perhaps a healthier condition than did many towns of similar size in the nation, Midland was ready to take full advantage of the opportunities offered when business conditions in general began to improve midway in the 10-year period. Midland's greatest growth and most rapid strides of advancement were registered during the last half of the past decade—1935-1940.

"Due to the depression and to the flush production of the East Texas oil fields, which for a time practically stopped the West Texas oil play, Midland's population of 5,484 in 1930 perhaps divined somewhat between 1930 and 1934, but activity started anew in the latter part of 1934 and since then steady increases have continued along all lines. At the close of the year 1939, population, bank deposits, school enrollment, postal receipts, etc., were at new all-time highs."

"It was in 1934 that the oil industry in West Texas, more or less dormant for a two or three year period, began to arouse itself, and by 1935 the oil industry and other lines of industry were moving at even at faster pace than they were in 1929. The boom was on.

### Today's War Map



Today's war map shows how Italy can strangle the British life-line to India and the East in the Asiatic-African bottleneck. Britain, in an effort to smash Italian interference, sent RAF bombers over Il Duce's air bases in a surprise dawn raid and English dispatches claim that Italy's wings have been seriously injured.

### British Carry Out Air Raids on Italian Airports in East Africa

LONDON, June 12 (AP)—Britain's air force raided the desert airfields in Italian Libya and East African Eritrea Tuesday, backing up with bombs the Allied declarations of readiness to meet Mussolini.

These blows, along with seven Italian raids on the British naval base at Malta, were the first struck in the new theater of war—the Mediterranean and Red Seas.

British announcements said "We caught them napping this time." A prize claimed by the British was the capture in the Red Sea of the 10,000-ton Italian vessel Umbria, loaded with 5,500 tons of bombs intended for use in a total of 1,600 in 1939, while water connections in 1939 from 840 in 1932 to 1,694 in 1939. Telephone connections in 1939 totaled 2,471 as compared to only 920 in 1933.

**Schools Show Growth.**  
"School enrollment by years during the 10-year period is as follows: 1929-1930 1,455; 1931 1,458; 1932 1,302; 1933 1,355; 1934 1,378; 1935 1,576; 1936 1,653; 1937 1,875; 1938 2,124; 1939 2,192."

"The Midland school system, recognized as one of the best in the state of Texas, has kept pace with the development, three new modern buildings having been constructed since 1930. Scholastic rating of the schools has also been increased, Midland high school now having 53 1/2 units of affiliation with the University of Texas."

"Keeping pace with the fast development has been somewhat of a problem for the city government, so far as paving of streets and laying of water and sewer line extensions were concerned but the situation was adequately met and today Midland has some 300 blocks of paved streets and all residential sections have water and sewer connections. And all this development has been carried on without a bond issue."

**Airport Expanded.**  
"Early in 1939 the need of a modern and fully equipped airport became quite apparent and Midland citizens immediately did something about it. Issuance of \$125,000 in bonds for purchase and improvement of Sloan Field was voted and on November 18, 1939, the new Midland Municipal Airport was formally dedicated. With paved runways, spacious hangars, large administration buildings, ample living quarters, radio and telegraph equipment and an unsurpassed lighting system, the Midland Airport is one of the best and most popular in the southwest. An Army airways station is maintained at the Midland port."

"The \$60,000 plant of Midland Fair, Inc., was constructed in 1935, the plant being widely recognized as one of Texas' most outstanding exhibition and entertainment plants. Here the annual Midland Rodeo is (See CENSUS, page 8)

**TO PRESENT PROGRAM.**  
Lieut. Wm. Brewer chapter of the D.A.R. will present a program over KRLE, Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, in line with the commemoration of Flag Day this week. The subject of the program will be "The American Flag—Its Uses and Laws." Mrs. James H. Goodman, registrar of the chapter, will be the speaker.

### NAZIS 12 MILES FROM THE CITY

By ASSOCIATED PRESS.

French poilus fought doggedly in the "last ditch" defense of Paris today—reportedly holding fast on the old World War battlefields of Chateau Thierry and Meau—while the German high command said its armies had smashed within 12 1/2 miles of Paris on the northwest.

### 20,000 Men Said Taken in Battle By Nazi Forces

BERLIN, June 12 (AP)—The German high command announced tonight that French troops surrounded at St. Valery, on the English Channel, had capitulated and more than 20,000 prisoners were taken.

The captives claimed included a French corps general, a British corps general and four French divisional generals. Material taken thus far was described as "incalculable."

The Germans further claimed that Reims and Rouen had been captured, that the rivers Seine and Marne had been crossed on two tanks toward Paris and that German troops stood on the Oise river twelve and a half miles northwest of Paris.

### Family of Judge Escape Unhurt as Home Is Bombed

LUBBOCK, June 12 (AP)—A bomb explosion today damaged the home of District Judge E. L. Pitts. No one was injured.

Judge Pitts Monday fined and sentenced to jail seven defendants charged with contempt of court or enjoining the sale of beer in roadside places.

Officers, who linked the bombing with that several weeks ago of the home of Robert Allen, county attorney, said they had questioned several alleged bootleggers.

### "Cowboys" Mother Dies

Pitcher "Monty" Montgomery of the Midland baseball team left yesterday for Davenport, Iowa, upon receipt of news of the death of his mother there. Montgomery only recently joined the club.

### "Stop Hitler" Movement Being Pushed by President Roosevelt

WASHINGTON, June 12 (AP)—Warmly endorsing an organized "stop Hitler now" movement, President Roosevelt worked Tuesday to rush all possible material help to the Allies, while congress continued its rapid-fire action on the national defense program, now grown to \$5,021,619,622.

The chief executive announced to a press conference that the nation's list of military supplies were being combed to see what might be spared for the beleaguered French and British. At the same time, the senate, by a 67 to 18 vote, approved legislation to permit the government to dispose of surplus world war guns in a way which will make them available to the Allies.

Reporters attending Roosevelt's press conference noticed lying on his desk the full-page advertisement which was inserted in many newspapers today by the "committee to Defend America by Aiding the Allies." It bore a big, black streamer: "Stop Hitler Now."

"We can help—if we will act now," was one of its statements. "We can help by sending planes, guns, munitions, food. We can help to end the fear that American boys will fight and die in another Flanders, closer to home."

### German Submarine Admitted the One That Halted Ship

BERLIN, June 12 (AP)—It was a German submarine which stopped the United States liner Washington yesterday, authorized German sources disclosed today.

It was intimated that the submarine stopped the Washington because Germany had not been informed of a change in the liner's course.

### Ex-Sheriff Here Dies in El Paso

EL PASO, June 12 (UP)—William E. Bradford, 64, for 12 years sheriff of Midland county, died here Sunday. He had lived here for some time.

Bradford is survived by a brother, Carey Bradford in El Paso, and by two sons, William E. Junior of San Antonio and Hassard of California.

### Immediate Work on 2 New Battleships Ordered by Navy

WASHINGTON, June 12 (AP)—The navy announced today that work was ordered started on two 45,000-ton battleships and twenty other warships and auxiliaries last night, within an hour after President Roosevelt signed the navy expansion bill.

Meanwhile 93 airplanes and millions of dollars worth of munitions were being made available to the Allies by the army under the government's "trade-in" plan.

### Shower Tuesday Night Registers Two Tenths

Precipitation from a light shower Tuesday night and a steady drizzle shortly afterward registered .20 of an inch, the gauge showed this morning.

Showers fell over much of the farm and ranch country near Midland but no reports of heavy rain were received. A sandstorm threatened just before the rain but the force of it apparently traveled to the northeast. Higher winds were reported at Big Spring and Stanton.

Other showers have been reported near Midland during the two or three previous days.

### ARE DISCHARGED

Mrs. Irwin Myrick and baby were discharged from a Midland hospital today.

**O-43-A LANDS**  
Flown by Lieut. Badgett, an O-43-A United States army plane, landed at Midland Municipal Airport today. He came from Duncan Field, San Antonio, with El Paso as his destination.



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The Town Quack

are having formal opening of their handsome \$150,000 court house. Many Midland citizens are joining those from other parts of West Texas and New Mexico in making the occasion a good time for all.

In Italy they have raised taxes to "as much as 100 per cent." There is some consolation in anything. At least those taxes can't be raised again.

Those census figures finally came out. Both Midland and Odessa, whose citizens have been engaging in some friendly rivalry in advance of the reports, fell a little short of their claims, but not so short after all. Most towns had fewer citizens than were expected, so it was not so bad for Midland to have 9,367 after reporting for some time a population of from 10,000 to 11,000. Those really were rather conservative chamber of commerce figures. Odessa got credit for 95 more citizens than Midland, but also was handicapped by the fact that so many of their citizens live in oil camps outside the city limits. All in all, the populations of Midland and Odessa represent an important part of Texas and of the great southwest. And it isn't just a case of how many people, but of what kind they are. The people of the Midland and Odessa areas are tip-top, aggressive and civic minded.

Gene Howe, publisher of the Amarillo News-Globe, who has been in Washington for some time to "feel the pulse of the world," writes:

Political writers in the East say there is little doubt but that Roosevelt will be elected for a third term. They say, however, that if it were not for the war the next President would be Willkie. They declare he is a strong man, a real leader who has developed out of the times, and as a campaigner he has everything but his record of being a multi-millionaire utility owner. They say if he is as shrewd as they think he is, he will see to it that he isn't nominated; that he will gladly let Mr. Dewey or Mr. Taft or Mr. Vandenberg have it, to be snowed under worse than poor Mr. Landon. Against either of the last three they say even Maine and Vermont will go for Roosevelt; he will break another world's record by being the only President to carry all of the states at any one election.

And the same goes for those of Andrews and the other surrounding towns. Over at Andrews today they

CATTON'S WASHINGTON COLUMN

BY BRUCE CATTON Reporter-Telegram Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON—Unless the United States soon prepares and puts into operation a broad-gauge program for new world defense and economic cooperation the republic of Cuba will presently be wholly dominated by Fascist-Nazi interests bitterly opposed to everything the United States stands for.

This, at any rate, is the warning given by a distinguished Cuban scientist who is now visiting in

Washington. Since he is about to return to Cuba, he asked that his name not be used. He is, however, a man of standing who is in an excellent position to know what he is talking about.

His size-up of the Cuban picture which has been brought to the attention of government officials here—is of interest not only because of Cuba's nearness to the United States, but also because, to a certain extent, what is going on in Cuba is symptomatic of many other Latin-American nations.

SPANISH FAMILIES PRO-FASCIST

ACCORDING to this source, then, here is the picture:

All of the old conservative, Spaniard-descendant families in Cuba are deeply Fascist and anti-



THE new young husband who wants to be a good provider will also want to guard the health of his bride! HE will see the wisdom and economy of using our excellent LAUNDRY service—to keep his wife youthful always.

Midland Steam Laundry Phone 90

Unheralded But Tough French Navy Is Now Ready to Blast Mussolini's Fleet

BY MILTON BRONNER NEA Service Staff Correspondent

LONDON.—With Mussolini taking Italy into the war, there is a big rod in pickle for him, and its name is the French navy.

So much is printed about the strength of the British navy and the French army that the ordinary reader is likely to forget that the French also have a formidable navy. In fact, it is fourth in the world, exceeded only by the American, British, and Japanese fleets.

On paper the fleets of France and Italy seem nearly equal: 8 French battleships against 6 Italian; 7 heavy French cruisers against 7, 12 French light cruisers against 15; 63 French destroyers against 62; 80 French submarines against 87.

FRENCH EMPHASIZE SPEED, GUN POWER

BUT there is something more to it than mere numbers. There is the matter of speed and gun power. Two of the finest vessels afloat are in the French navy—the battleships Dunkerque and Strasbourg. They were completed in 1937 and 1938, respectively, and were the French answer to the much-vaunted Nazi pocket battleships. They were created to outrun and outgun those celebrated ships. They are each of 26,500 tons and mount eight 13-inch guns and 16 5.1-inch guns. Their turbine engines have a total of 100,000 horsepower and propel the vessels at 30 knots per hour.

Moreover, the French have just added a new battleship to their forces—the Richelieu—and before the end of the year hope to add her sister vessel, the Jean Bart.

Next year two more of the same class, the Clemenceau and the Gascogne, will probably be ready. These vessels are 35,000 tons each. They will be armed with eight 15-inch guns and 16 six-inch guns.

M. Campinchi, French minister of marine, has said that the number of vessels completing or under construction is well over 100, including two 18,000-ton aircraft carriers, three 8,000-ton cruisers, 29 destroyers and torpedo boats and 23 submarines.

The new French destroyers already in service are among the most formidable ever built. They all approach 3,000 tons and carry eight 5.5-inch guns. One of them recently attained a speed of 45 knots per hour, the highest ever reached by a boat of this class.

20-MILE RANGE FOR BIG GUNS

THE French have always been famous for their artillery. The 13-

American in spirit. Their link with the overseas dictatorships is principally through the Spanish Phalange and General Franco; the Phalange itself is very strong in Cuba.

General Batista, the boss-man in Cuba, wants to solidify his own personal power and does not bother much about any ideologies. A few years ago he was playing ball with the Fascist groups; when the U. S. State Department frowned he swung more to the left, and today draws support both from liberals and conservatives. In the end, he is likely to string along with whatever side looks like the winner, be it American democracy or European totalitarianism.

But if there is a strong anti-democratic, pro-Fascist bias among the conservative and wealthy classes, among the masses there is a liberal tradition dating back to the long struggle for independence which is still a power. This tradition could be made dominant, and Cuba could be cemented solidly into the new world democratic bloc—if the right stimulus came from Washington.

MILITARY MISSION FIRST STEP

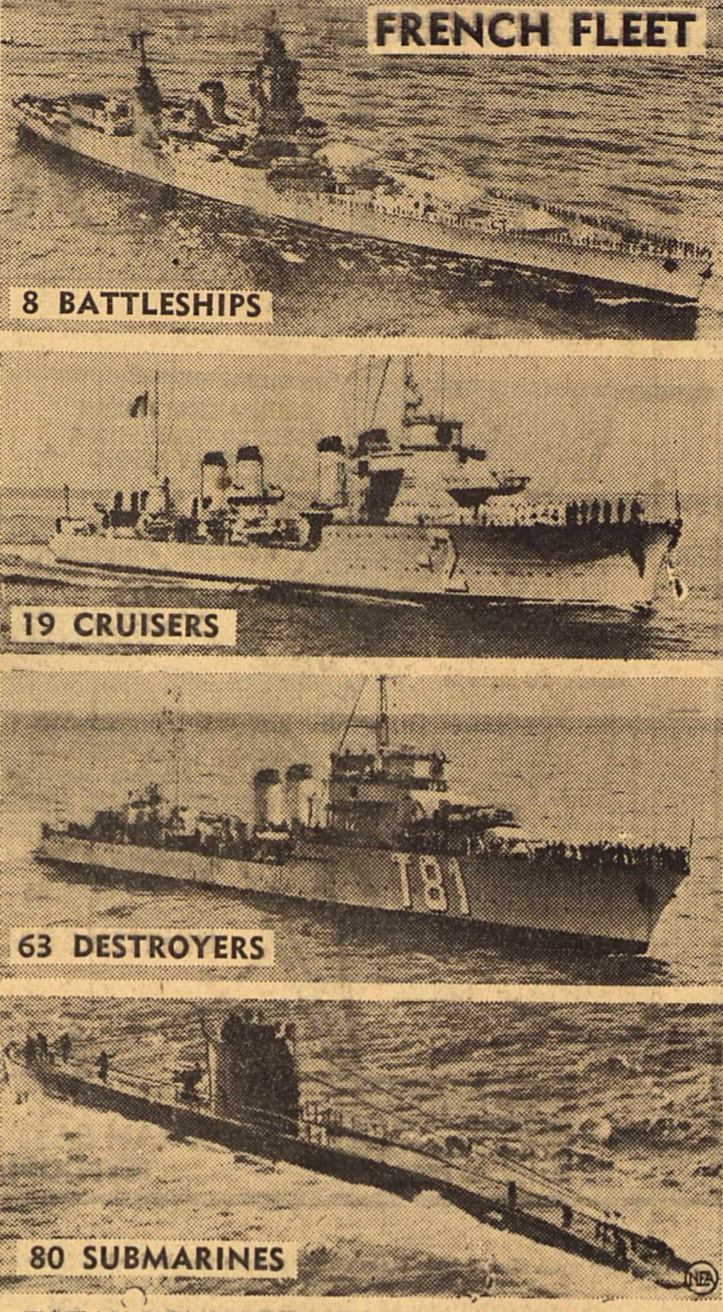
WHAT should that stimulus be? According to this Cuban, it should begin with the dispatch of a high-power U. S. military and naval mission to Cuba to reorganize the Cuban defense system. Immediate following this there should be an economic mission to reorganize the country's economy. By tying both moves in together, he believes, overwhelming popular support could be gained—particularly if at the same time Batista could be persuaded to clean house politically, throw a few grafters and extremists in jail, and demonstrate to all Cubans that politics were to be honest henceforth.

"This would be intervention, of course," says the Cuban scientist. "But it would be intervention in the interests of the people of Cuba, and they would recognize it as such. It would be an intervention of democratic diplomacy instead of 'dollar diplomacy.'

"If something of this sort is not done soon, Cuba will drift into the Fascist camp."

LEAD THE CLASSIFIEDS

Advertisement for A. & L. Housing & Lumber Co. featuring a \$5.00 Per Month New Fence and 'Always at Your Service' slogan.



TOTAL TONNAGE: 810,758

Like the British navy, the French has already done an enormous amount of war work. It has escorted the transport of many army divisions from the African empire without the loss of a single French soldier. Also French soldiers have been sent from the mother country to various strategic points in the French empire. French war vessels have shared with the British in the job of guarding British troopships across the English Channel.

SERIAL STORY AN EYE FOR A GAL

BY HARRY HARRISON KROLL

YESTERDAY: Rossy discovers that his father transferred the land to the Hoggs to protect it in case he lost a lawsuit with the Tollivars. Steve claimed it after the fatal ball game. Back at school, Rossy finds Coach Hurd waiting for him. "This is the biggest thing in your life, McAfee."

CHAPTER IX

ROSSY McAfee followed Coach Hurd to the gym, and they went to the office. The coach was excited and smiling.

"Yes, sir, break of a lifetime in a way. You never heard of Ike Hill?"

"Ike Hill? You mean the baseball scout? Sure I've heard of Ike Hill."

"Mighty few young ball players itching for the big time that haven't. Well, I've worked out our scheduled games for the spring. We open with Southern College April 15. That's not so long from now, when you think of it—"

"But Ike Hill?"

"I'm coming to that. We're playing Southern on our own diamond, and Hill is stopping on his way to New York to see the game."

"You're going to pitch and you're going to show Ike Hill what you've got, that's what I mean!"

"Good granny!" Rossy murmured. His heart jumped and then stood still.

"And if you show the stuff that's in you, you are headed straight for the big top, McAfee. Nothing can stop you. Only," he added, his voice thick with meaning, "you have got to show your stuff."

"But—but—" Rossy gulped.

"It's true I haven't seen you in action enough to make any final pronouncement on your pitching—your weak points, your strong ones. But I've been watching you pretty close, and Dr. Tollivar, who knows good stuff when he sees it, has been observing. We've got our heads together, and coming from two entirely different directions we have reached the same conclusion. Your chief fault is you go up in the air."

"You fly off the handle. You

Advertisement for Nash cars with the headline 'WHY GO ON Just Wishing?' and 'MAKE A CHANGE FOR THE BETTER BUY NASH'. Includes an image of a Nash car and text describing its features like 'The Weather Eye and Fourth Speed Forward are optional equipment, at slight extra cost'.

Sometimes Rossy felt a nameless hate for the president, and at other times he had a pathetic hunger to love Dr. Tollivar. But he never could get his nerve up to do either one or the other completely. Toward the close of that week Rossy saw Cousin Steve Hogg's new car parked over at the girls' cottage. Rossy's eyes stood out of his head. "So the dirty thief has hold off enough of my timber to blow himself to a car! Now he's carting Hannah around!" And Hannah went driving with him, too! Anyway, something was happening to Hannah. At the Barnwarmin' the following Saturday night she was just about the biggest thing around the gymnasium. The boys gave her the grand rush. For a little she would actually have been elected queen of the event. When she had first entered college, she was so awkward that every time she lifted her foot she sat down on something, and every time she opened her mouth she put her foot in it. Had she been made of the same kind of stuff Rossy was, the laughter at her expense would have run her out of college, or caused her to kill somebody. Neither had happened to Hannah. Something in her taught her how to take it. She turned their barbs of ridicule, and shot it right back into them, so that, instead of succumbing to it, she actually became the life of the campus. Now she was gadding around with any boy she wanted, talked mountain lingo in a way that would have made her a scream on radio, and she was the sensation of the year. SOMETIMES it almost made Rossy jealous. "How about a date, huh?" he asked her once. "No dates for you, lank boy!" she told him. "Why, I wouldn't be ketching with my head in a bucket alongside of you, you big mess of homespun chittlings!" "There was a bunch of students within earshot, and they got it, and roared with laughter. Someone said, "Son that's one time when you fanned out, eh?" Childhood Eye Strain Bar to U. S. Air Corps DENVER (U.P.)—If you want to be a U. S. Army Air Corps pilot, guard your eyes from injury and strain from childhood. Maj. M. J. Eastgraves of the army medical corps gave that advice to applicants who were rejected in physical examinations here. With speeds of military planes now at the 400-mile-per-hour mark, he explained, no applicants can be accepted but those with perfect vision. "Medical examiners can't take a chance any more," he said. "With the maze of instruments he faces and the high speeds with which he operates, a pilot must have vision that will meet every emergency." Depth perception is the most common fault, causing disqualification of about 210 of every 1,000 applicants, he said. gvt Laundry Miscos On Turban BERKLEY, Cal. (U.P.)—Charan Singh, a Sikh student at the University of California, and who lives at the International House there, sent his turban to the laundry to be cleaned. It came back, stretched out full length, neatly starched and marked "curtain." restored—something like that? But the accident to your paw caused the other family to hold on to the land. "Well, it might be hard to prove. I suppose your mother made a real effort to repossess the property. Still, I might be able to help you somehow." "I've heard of that valley up there a lot—Hell-in-Damnation. I wouldn't mind making a visit up there." His voice trailed off again. "Tell you what, McAfee. Just keep quiet for a while. Perhaps we can work out something. We'll go up there now pretty soon. Say the weekend of the opening ball game between Lincoln and Southern. I'll be free about then. By looking over the ground, we might work something definite out. How about that?" Rossy nodded, feeling that Dr. Tollivar knew the ground and what he would look for. (To Be Continued)

Advertisement for RPM Motor Oil featuring a cartoon character and the headline 'LASTS TERRIBLE LONG'. Includes text: 'QUESTION "Does 'RPM' last as long as Eastern oils?" ANSWER Yes—sir! And you don't need a million-dollar laboratory to prove it. Your own car will prove "RPM" equals or outlasts them all—regardless of what they cost or where they come from. It's tops! STANDARD OIL COMPANY OF TEXAS AMERICA'S PREMIER MOTOR OIL'.



**OUTSTANDING DOLLAR DAY VALUES FROM THE PIECE GOODS SECTION**

Here are a number of items priced special for June Dollar Days that should prove of interest. Remember, this is all regular stock and every yard is positively the best of its kind that money could buy.



**39¢ A. B. C. GALLANT SWISS 25¢**

Every yard of A. B. C. Gallant Swiss is guaranteed in every way and at no time before has this store ever offered this wonderful fast color summer sheer at this price. The yard 25¢ or **\$1.00** FOUR YARDS for.

**A. B. C. BUTYCORD 20¢**

Another outstanding value for June Dollar Days is this regular 29¢ value in A. B. C. summer sheer. It's priced so attractively and the quality is so wonderful that you will be interested in this, we are sure, at 20¢ the yard or **\$1.00** FIVE YARDS for.

**48¢ A. B. C. SWISSES AND TISSUE 35¢**

All the wanted colors and color combinations, stripes, dots, checks, in the regular 48¢ values in A. B. C. imported dotted swisses and tissue swisses, priced special for June Dollar Days at 35¢ the yard **\$1.00** or THREE YARDS for.

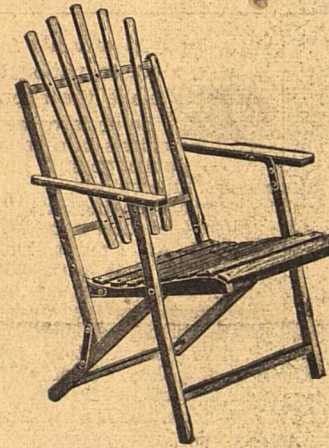
**39¢ POWDER PUFF MUSLINS 33 1/3¢**

28 pieces of this finest of all summer sheer powder puff muslins, priced for June Dollar Days at 35¢ the yard or **\$1.00** THREE yards.

**80-SQUARE PERCALES 10¢**

One lot of genuine 80-square prints, yard wide, guaranteed fast color; the yard 10¢ or **\$1.00** TEN yards.

**WHILE THEY LAST!**



**10 DOZEN FOLDING CHAIRS \$1.00**

For June Dollar Days, we offer ten dozen more of this super value in these hardwood folding chairs of which we have sold more than 1200. Without question, this is the biggest dollar's worth any store ever offered and is typical of the values at Wadley's Dollar Days at, **\$1.00** EACH.

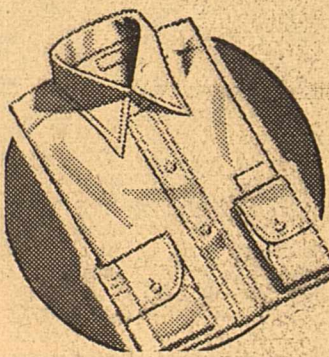
**\$2.25 Dorothy Gray Hot Weather Cologne \$1.00**

This is the regular \$2.00 size in Dorothy Gray Hot Weather Cologne and a regular 25¢ atomizer top that we offer special for June Dollar Days at, Cologne and Atomizer **\$1.00**

**50¢ KAYSER PANTIES 35¢**

25 dozen regular 50¢ values in Kayser's briefs and panties, in three or four different styles, in tea rose and white, sizes 4 to 7, priced special for June Dollar Days at 35¢ each or THREE **\$1.00** for.

**Men's Department Specials**



**MEN'S SHIRTS \$1.00**

One table of men's dress and sport shirts, regular \$1.39 to \$1.69 values, that we offer in all sizes, every one fast color and carries the maker's label and guarantee. **\$1.00** CHOICE.

**\$1.00 and 85¢ BOYS' SPORT SHIRTS 69¢**

One lot of boys' fast color sport shirts, regular 85¢ and \$1.00 values, all sizes, priced for June Dollar Days at 69¢ or **\$2.00** THREE SHIRTS for.

**SUMMER ANKLETS & SOX 20¢**

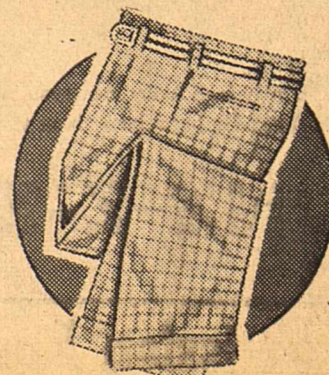
Thirty dozen summer Essex anklets and sox, these are discontinued patterns of the regular 35¢ and 50¢ Interwovens and there are sizes from 10 to 12; light colors, both regular sox and short sox, priced special at 20¢ the pair or FIVE **\$1.00** PAIRS.

**ONE LOT DOLLAR TIES 69¢**

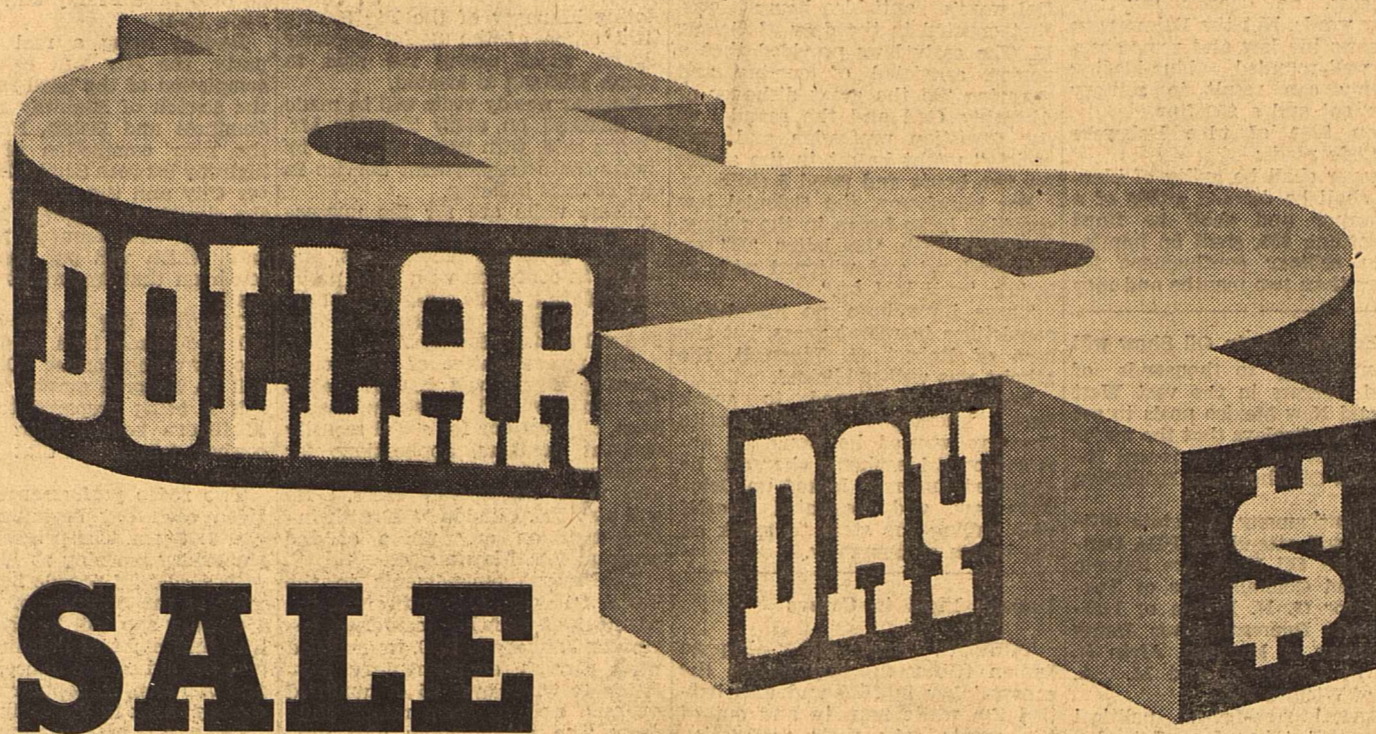
Just for June Dollar Days we have gone through our neckwear stock and selected about ten or twelve dozen regular \$1.00 values in Arrow ties, Botany ties and Cheney ties that we are pricing special and want you to see. These at 69¢ each or THREE regular **\$1.00** ties for **\$2.00**

**ONE LOT MEN'S TROUSERS \$1.69**

We have gone through the entire stock and selected one lot of men's wash trousers, slacks, etc., regular values from \$2.95 to as much as \$5.00 the pair. Be sure to see if your size is in this lot, as they are real values at \$1.69 the pair or THREE **\$5.00** PAIRS.



**WADLEY'S JUNE**



**THURSDAY ... FRIDAY ... SATURDAY  
JUNE 13TH, 14TH, 15TH**

**Our last Big Dollar Day Event Until Fall. Be here and save!**

**50¢ LINEN LACE CHAIR SETS 35¢**

Hand-made linen lace, 3-piece chair sets; regular 50¢ values, priced special for June Dollar Days at 35¢ the set or THREE sets, (9 pieces) **\$1.00** for.

**CHENILLE BATH SETS \$1.00**

One of the nicest assortments of regular \$1.39 values in chenille bathroom sets, consisting of bath mat and seat cover, that we have ever shown. Floral and solid color. THE SET **\$1.00**

**MEN'S BEACH SANDALS 19¢ Pair**

Men's woven grass beach or bathing sandals are in demand right now and here is a splendid value at 19¢ the pair, 3 pairs for 50¢ or **\$1.00** SIX PAIRS.

**50¢ MILO TISSUE 39¢**

Again we offer this outstanding value in the large size multi-colored packages of Milo, the finest of cleansing tissue, a regular 50¢ value at 39¢ the package or THREE Packages **\$1.00** for.

**17x17 KNITTED DISH CLOTH 3 for 10¢**

Note the splendid size, the first quality and attractive bright colors in this regular 5¢ dish rag and for June Dollar Days you buy these at 3 for 10¢ or THIRTY **\$1.00** for.

**80x105 KRINKLE BED SPREADS 50¢**

Fast colors; this is a very splendid value in a utility bed spread, large size 80x105 in rose, blue, green and gold, at 50¢ each or TWO **\$1.00** for.

**DUTCHART PICNIC COVERS 50¢**

Two sizes in this bright attractive fast color table cover, size 51x51 and size 51x68, made in Holland, regular 85¢ and \$1.00 values, priced to close for June Dollar Days at 50¢ each or **\$1.00** TWO for.

**30 DOZEN No. 245X SHEER HOSE 69¢ Pr.**



Another of our regular Dollar Day features is this outstanding value in this sheerest of beautiful two-thread hose. Regular \$1.25 values—these slight irregulars are so near perfects as to make any imperfections hard to find. Many customers buy these half dozen pairs at a time when they are available. A splendid assortment of colors and sizes from 8 1/2 to 10 1/2 in wanted shades at 69¢ the pair or **\$2.00** 3 Pairs for.

**EXTRA LENGTH SILK STOCKINGS 69¢**

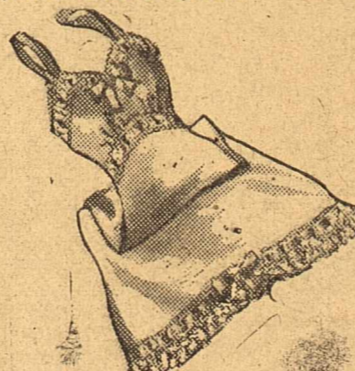
Here are about five dozen regular \$1.15 and \$1.25 values in Arterraft and Vanity Fair stockings in talls that we are offering to close out on account of colors, etc. If you need a tall or extra length stocking, don't fail to see these. Sizes 9 1/2, 10 and 10 1/2, all first quality. A June Dollar Day close-out at 69¢ the pair or THREE **\$2.00** PAIRS for.

**50 DOZEN PHOENIX SOX 12 1/2¢**

Another lot of 50 dozen of this outstanding value in children's sox and anklets. Slight irregulars of the regular 25¢ and 35¢ Phoenix sox; sizes 6 to 10. Here-fore this item has sold out the first day as the values are so very outstanding in nice quality attractive styles. 2 pairs for 25¢ or **\$1.00** EIGHT PAIRS for.

**\$1.95 AND \$2.95 SLIPS \$1.00**

One lot of regular \$1.95 and \$2.35 values in Bar-bizon and Miss New Yorker slips and petti-coats in white, tea rose and dark colors; sizes 32 to 44; some of these slightly soiled; every one a real bargain. About 36 slips and petti-coats in this lot to go at—**\$1.00** CHOICE.



**LOVABLE BRASSIERS 50¢**

Sizes 32 to 44 in half a dozen wanted styles; a regular Dollar Day feature, in both white and tea rose. 50¢ ea., **\$1.00** TWO for.

**KIDDIES' PINAFORES 25¢**

Every one fast color and attractively made; sizes 1 to 6 years; a real Dollar Day value at 25¢ each or FOUR **\$1.00** for.

**Kleinerts SPORTIME GIRDLE \$1.00**

A play-time girdle that lets you play; just enough control; soft, odorless, can be washed and patted dry in a moment; with pneumatic edges that will not cut. Your size is here and for just—**\$1.00** EACH.

**WOMEN'S SHOES \$1.00 Pair**

150 pairs of odds and ends of \$3.95 to \$6.75 pumps, straps and ties in colors of black, brown, gray, white and combinations offered for June Dollar Days in sizes 3 1/2 to 9, **\$1.00** at, the pair.

**\$12.50 PURE DOWN PILLOWS \$7.00**

A few pairs of this outstanding value from last Dollar Days and if you are interested in a wonderful, pure down pillow at a very special price, see these regular \$12.50 values that you may buy as long as there is any of these left, at \$3.50 ea. **\$7.00** or PAIR.

**ENAMELED STEEL WASTE BASKETS 35¢**

A very splendid item for the bedroom, the kitchen or hall is this white enameled all steel waste basket at 35¢ each or **\$1.00** THREE for.

**ENAMELED GARBAGE PAILS 69¢**

An attractive white enameled foot-lift garbage pail with inside galvanized lift out pail; a very splendid item at 69¢ each or THREE **\$2.00** for.

**69¢ MISSES' PAJAMAS 39¢**

One lot of fast color misses' pajamas, made of Fruit of the Loom prints, in sizes 8, 10, 12 and 14 year sizes, two piece, priced special for June Dollar Days at 39¢ the suit or Three **\$1.00** Suits for.

**CLOSE-OUT LACE PANELS 50¢**

All regular \$1.00 and up in values; only two or three of a kind, but real values if you can use them. 45-inch to 54 inches wide, full 2 1/2 yards long, priced to close at 50¢ each or TWO **\$1.00** for.

**79¢ TOPPER PRINTS 50¢**

About eight pieces of A. B. C. Topper prints, one of the most wonderful non crush dress fabrics A. B. C. has ever produced, regular 79¢ value, the yard 50¢ or **\$1.00** TWO yards.

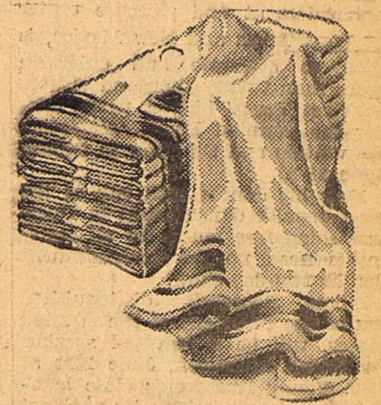
**17x34 CANNON HUCK TOWELS 10¢**

A splendid quality Cannon all white huck towel, regular 15¢ value, priced special for June Dollar Days at 10¢ each or TEN **\$1.00** for.

**Bountiful Towel Bargains**

**18x36 Cannon Double TOWELS 10¢**

One of the best values you have ever bought in this Cannon double terry bath towel; plain white; for June Dollar Days we offer them at 10¢ each or **\$1.00** TEN for.



**ROMAN STRIPED WASH RAGS 5¢**

Without question, this is the best value in a low-priced wash rag you could ever find. A regular 3 for 25¢ value, size 12x12 inches, in bright roman stripes. A June Dollar Day special at 5¢ each or **\$1.00** TWENTY for.

**CANNON 22x44 BATH TOWELS 20¢**

A regular 35¢ value in a great big double-thread colored border Cannon towel that June Dollar Days bring to you at a real bargain. 20¢ each or **\$1.00** FIVE BIG CANNON TOWELS for.

**38x72 CANNON BEACH TOWELS \$1.00**

Values to as much as \$1.48 in this lot of those big beautiful, colorful beach towels. More than a yard wide and two yards long. A real value at, **\$1.00** EACH.

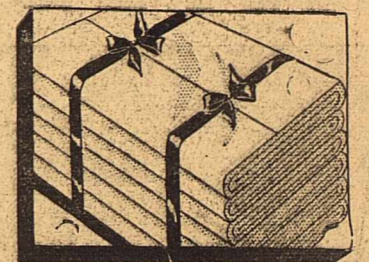
**14x26 COSMETIC OR SHAVING TOWEL 5¢**

During past Dollar Days we have sold hundreds of dozens of this small, light weight utility towel and again for June Dollar Days you may buy this outstanding value at 5¢ each or **\$1.00** TWENTY TOWELS for.

**CANNON WASH RAGS—DOZEN 50¢**

A splendid Dollar Day item—we offer you 50 dozen of this Cannon wash rag, packed 12 to the bundle in assorted colors, just the right size and weight, and a very splendid value at 12 for 50¢ or **\$1.00** TWO DOZEN for.

**CERTIFIED VALUES!**



**81x99 PLOVER SHEETS 69¢**

For the first time in several months we are fortunate in being able to offer this outstanding value in a standard quality 64 count hemmed sheet. Remember, this is Garza quality and every sheet is guaranteed in every way. Note the extra length and keep in mind that these are real quality sheets at 69¢ each or **\$2.00** THREE SHEETS for.

**42x36 PLOVER PILLOW CASES 17¢**

This is the same Garza quality as in the sheets above and is a real Dollar Day value at 17¢ each, three for 50¢ or **\$1.00** SIX CASES for.

**HEMSTITCHED COLORED CASES 25¢**

A splendid quality percale finish in a regular 43x36 size in hemstitched pillow cases, regular 35¢ values in blue, rose, peach, green and orchid. 25¢ each or FOUR **\$1.00** for.

**90x108 CANNON SHEETS \$1.00**

Regular \$1.48 value in this largest size sheet, size 90x109, in Cannon first quality, priced special for June Dollar Days at, **\$1.00** EACH.

**CANNON PERCALE CASES 25¢**

Regular 35¢ value in second selections of Cannon Cavalier percale pillow cases, only about three dozen of these left, in size 42x38 1/2, priced special at 25¢ each or FOUR PERCALE **\$1.00** CASES for.

**HOPE BLEACHED DOMESTIC 10¢**

Hope has stood for best quality for 50 years and it is very seldom that this item has ever been offered at 10¢ the yard, but for June Dollar Days we feature this at 10¢ the yard or **\$1.00** TEN YARDS for.

**ONE LOT SUMMER HATS \$1.00**

Here is one lot of summer hats, regularly priced at \$1.95 to as much as \$3.95 that we have selected for June Dollar Days that we offer you, **\$1.00** CHOICE.



**ONE LOT DRESSES \$1.00**

Another special June Dollar Day value in the ready-to-wear department is this lot of about thirty dresses, regularly priced at \$1.95 to as much as \$5.95 that we offer to close out. Be sure to see what this lot consists of; you may find something worth—**\$1.00** while—CHOICE.

**MANY ITEMS NOT ADVERTISED**

There are many items priced special for June Dollar Days that we are unable to advertise for the want of space. Dollar Day windows will be shown Monday. Dollar Days will begin Thursday morning, the 13th, at 8 o'clock.



**Wadley's**

A Better Department Store  
Midland, Texas





### More Than 20,000 Visitors Are Expected at Convention of PBA

ODESSA, June 12. — Odessa, the entertainment and pleasure center of West Texas and New Mexico, is ready to celebrate and entertain more than twenty thousand visitors at West Texas' biggest party during the Permian Basin Association Convention and Oil Show in Odessa June 21-22.

Four big dances with two of the most popular dance bands in Texas furnishing free music for all registrants head up the entertainment for the two-day show.

Elliott Roosevelt, distinguished son of the President of the United States, will be a featured speaker on Friday afternoon, June 21st at 2:30. Young Roosevelt's close association and connection with national and international affairs and personalities cause him to be one of the outstanding speakers of the southwest.

A full-spread western style barbecue will be served on Saturday afternoon from five to seven o'clock by the popular Odessa Chuck Waggon Gang, directed by John Marks prominent Odessa trucking contractor. The barbecue will be free to all persons wearing a one dollar registration badge.

The gigantic parade featuring monstrous oilfield equipment will feature the program of entertainment for Saturday, June 22. The Odessa Senior High School Band, official band of the Permian Basin Association and also official band of the West Texas chamber of commerce will be host to thirty other outstanding area bands which will

add color and enthusiasm to the parade. Special permits from local and state officials have been necessary to present this parade the most complete picture of the petroleum industry ever scheduled in the southwest. Traffic signal lights are being raised to permit this graphic portrayal of trucks, rigs, engines, pulling and swabbing units, casing pullers, pipe line crews and hundreds of oilfield gangs and workers.

Odessa is already set to stage the most stupendous celebration in Texas as this year. This is demonstrated by the more than two thousand advance registrations sold within Odessa two weeks before date for the convention. This two thousand advance registration sets a record for any convention held in this area and shows the tremendous interest and enthusiasm that the host city has for the approaching meeting. The success of the Permian Basin Convention and Oil Show is assured far in advance of its opening.

The Oil Show and Exhibition that is being supported by more than 50 of the largest oil field supply and equipment companies of the United States will attract thousands to the display. M. L. Adkinson, production superintendent of Phillips Petroleum Company, reports that all available display space within the exhibits building was taken up by oil companies within five days after the opening of the space. The grounds surrounding the exhibit hall likewise will be filled with displays too large and bulky for inside showing.

### It's 2 Months, \$50 for Blasphemy If Delaware Cares to Prosecute

WILMINGTON, Del. (UP) — When misfortune befalls the legal-wise residents of Delaware, he counts 10, takes a deep breath, and exclaims in effect: "Oh, mercy me! Isn't that just too exasperating?"

At least, he doesn't say the naughty words. Not the Delawarean who knows his law and remembers that well-rounded, blue-blazing blasphemy can result in solitary confinement and a \$50 fine.

Section 5250 of the Delaware Penal Code reads: "Whoever shall be guilty of blasphemy shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be fined not exceeding \$50, shall be imprisoned in solitary confinement for not more than two months and may

in the discretion of the court be held to surety of the peace and good behavior for one year after his discharge from prison."

That is the modern version of Delaware's anti-blasphemy laws, first enacted in the days of George II. The early laws provided that a person convicted of cursing and swearing "to the great dishonor of Almighty God and the scandal of our Christian profession and, civil society" might be set in the stocks for two hours and fined 5 shillings.

For blasphemy, the Colonial law provided three hours in the pillory, branding with the letter "B" on the forehead and whipped with 39 lashes, "well laid on."

There have been no blasphemy convictions in recent years, but the case of Robert G. Ingersoll, the atheist was well-publicized. Ingersoll threatened to speak here, whereupon Chief Justice Comegys warned he would be arrested on a blasphemy charge if he appeared. Ingersoll looked up Delaware law, and contented himself with calling the state "a speck on the bosom of humanity."

### Indians Yield to Census

TUCSON, Ariz. (UP) — Papago Indian tribesmen, who fought the census-taker in 1930 and also battled the white man in and out of the courts over their reservation boundaries, finally have submitted to the census enumerator and will be included in the 1940 count.

### Itinerant Service Establishment to Be Placed in City

Midland has been selected by the Social Security Board as one of the points where itinerant service will be established, it was announced heretoday by Robert M. Mayne, Acting Manager of the Big Spring field office of the Social Security Board, which serves the area in which Midland is located.

Regular weekly visits will be made to Midland on every Tuesday Mr. Mayne said, with space provided by Texas State Employment Service in the Thomas building.

These visits are for the purpose of contacting employers and employees, potential beneficiaries, and others in connection with their problems relating to the old-age and survivors insurance provisions of the Federal Social Security Act.

The representative of the Social Security Board will handle claims for old-age and survivors insurance, applications for social security account numbers, applications for employer identification numbers, and wage discrepancy cases. He will also be available to furnish information on any phase of the program, Mr. Mayne said.

The recent amendments to the Social Security Act authorized the payment of monthly insurance, beginning January 1, 1940, to qualified wage earners, supplementary payments to wives over 65 of qualified workers, and to their minor children. The amendments also provide survivors insurance to aged widows, widows with minor children in their care, and wholly depend-

### Seminole Is Ready For Celebration Friday, Saturday

SEMINOLE, June 12. — The spirit of the old west reaches a high pitch here as the oil men, cowmen, farmers and business men unite in preparation for the big Third of a Century Celebration and Rodeo to be held here Friday and Saturday, June 14-15.

Besides being a real birthday party, the city will celebrate the completion of the hard surfacing of the stretch of Highway 15 between Seminole and Hobbs, New Mexico, the near completion of the new highway between Seminole and Denver City and the double coating of the stretch of Highway 15 between Seminole and Lamesa, now under way which will put the finishing touch on that important stretch of road.

The first day of the celebration will be featured by a big free barbecue, at which former "Old Timers" will be honored guests. The fatted calf is being prepared to the tune of fifteen beeves, with the usual cowboy trimmings that goes with them.

Two rodeo performances will be given each day beginning at 2:30 and 8:30 p.m. The program will begin Friday morning at 10:00 o'clock with a colorful parade in which the spirit of the Seminole of a third of a century ago will be carried out. The first night of dancing will feature the old square dance, the waltz and two step, so popular among the cowboys back in the early days.

The city is making preparation to entertain 10,000 visitors.

### GREAT INVENTOR

**HORIZONTAL**

- Great inventor of modern times.
- His title.
- Assumed name.
- Chamber.
- Bear constellation.
- Small hotel.
- Peruvian Indian.
- To marry.
- Custom.
- Soda ash.
- Within.
- Duplicate.
- Mass of floating ice.
- Preposition.
- Golf cry.
- Exploit.
- Greek letter.
- To rectify.
- Dregs.
- Scotch Highlander.
- Bird.
- To follow.
- Intrepid.

**Answer to Previous Puzzle**

ALICE MARBLE  
ADONIS DEEL  
WREN DEALT  
IDANT ABALM  
M LEAD RIGO  
BR DRAMATIST MT  
LID TRADERS LAR  
EVER TREND BITE  
DECADES DELETES  
ORATOR OF PINERS  
NIGHT DIAB PURRY  
SINGLES DOUBLES

**VERTICAL**

- Mother.
- Foreigner.
- Peel.
- Food container.
- Bone.
- Sarcasm.
- Witicism.
- Form of "be."
- To shiver.
- Liquid measure.
- Separated.
- South America (abbr.).
- Hops kiln.
- To contend.
- Scheme.
- He invented telegraphy.
- Term.
- Sound of pity.
- His native land.
- Nose.
- Crystal gazer.
- Shade plant.
- Dread.
- Spike of corn.
- Matrimonial.
- Bumpkin.
- African tribe.
- Street.
- To temper.
- Dogma.
- Feather.
- Bench.
- Form of "be."
- Pertaining to air.
- To regret.
- Dry.
- Musical note.

### De Kruif Prods Health Chiefs

SAN FRANCISCO (UP) — Tuberculosis can be virtually eradicated within a generation, according to Dr. Paul DeKruif, originator and operator of the "Detroit plan" for tubercular control, and author of "Microbe Hunters" and other best sellers.

In what he declared to be his first public address, Dr. DeKruif appeared before the San Francisco Tuberculosis Association, and urged the city to wipe out tuberculosis and urged it to battle the white plague on the basis of cold cash.

He declared that by spending \$100,000 annually on the system which he has inaugurated and operated at Detroit for the past five years, the city could save more than \$3,000,000 annually.

"But this money probably won't be appropriated," he asserted, "because the San Francisco Board of Supervisors wants to stay in office and won't raise the tax rate."

He declared that Detroit by an

expenditure of \$500,000 since 1935 has recorded a saving of \$1,500,000 in its care of tubercular patients.

"Your tuberculosis experts here tell me they have reduced the death rate by half, but there is still enough tuberculosis in San Francisco to cost the taxpayers \$3,000,000 a year. Half the patients in your county hospital are there with tuberculosis and you can save all that by spending a little money now."

"But I don't know," he added, "if any supervisor will dare to spend \$1 to save \$30—we won't talk about saving lives—in order to make tuberculosis only an evil memory in 10 years."

"The answer to tuberculosis," he said, "is merely to use modern scientific methods in a city-wide dragnet to find early cases. Find them early and you can cure them in half the time."

**Critical of Officials.**  
Dr. De Kruif is outspoken against public officials from county, city, state to national ones for failure to make the appropriations now which he declares would eradicate tuberculosis in a generation.

"The public doesn't know a rap about tuberculosis," he declared, "and won't convince the politicians. With the success he has already attained at Detroit, Dr. DeKruif is hopeful that eventually a nationwide campaign against tubercular death can be aroused by the people themselves demanding it."

"Even the doctors are behind such a policy—middle-of-the-road members of the American Medical Association realize the need for it," he said.

**BRIGHT BASKETBALLER.**  
CLEMSON, S. C. — Bob Moorman, Clemson basketball captain, has made the scholastic honor roll for the fourth straight year.

## THE REPORTER-TELEGRAM

# UNITED PRESS NEWS MAP



Here is a map of Paris prepared by the United Press showing the points of interest best known to American newspaper readers. It locates the city's various sections; its famous boulevards; its historic structures, including the Notre Dame Cathedral, the Eiffel Tower, the Arc de Triomphe and the Louvre, which contains one of the world's greatest collections of art masterpieces.

**HENRY DEAR IS EATING CROW**  
since I got him a MILE-DIAL...FREE

"Just like a man—with his superior air—he'd keep telling me any gasoline is the same as any other. But I argued there couldn't be much to lose, as long as they give you the Conoco Mile-Dial perfectly free.

"They certainly wouldn't tease you to take a thing that strictly counts up the mileage from their own gasoline, unless they're awfully sure of themselves. So I steered to the first Conoco station and in half a second the Mile-Dial was on the dash. Looks smart. Free, too.

"The total mileage on your speedometer goes on the Mile-Dial, so you know the start of your test. And you know the amount of your gasoline, by starting with just a full tank of Bronz-z-z. Then going along buying your 10 gallons more, or maybe 8, or 15 let's say, your Mile-Dial keeps count.

"Let's look. I'm up to 53 gallons. And... wait a second... it's 928 miles since starting this test of Conoco Bronz-z-z. Now watch this flip of the Mile-Dial. There!—it says better than 17½ miles from a gallon of Bronz-z, with a car this big. And do I hear any pool-pool?"

"Even Henry won't say it's just luck any more, after all the different driving tests he's kept doing with this Mile-Dial... Luck?... It's just bad luck using mixed breeds of gasoline when Conoco Bronz-z-z is game to let you dial its true mileage. A smaller car like yours might even beat 17½."

"If you're a consumer that wants 36 inches in a yard, and real facts on everything, you certainly want the true count of mileage from your open-face Conoco Mile-Dial..."

Get your own certified Mile-Dial today at Your Mileage Merchant's Conoco station... FREE. There's a heavy demand—go now. Continental Oil Company

TRUCK OWNERS who lack fancy cost-systems find Conoco's Mile-Dial the best thing yet.

**CONOCO CONOCO BRONZ-Z-Z GASOLINE**

**SAM WARREN, Conoco Commission Agent**  
PHONE 31



# Miss Eddy Gene Cole and Tolbert Bell Wed in Evening Ceremony

## Service at Christian Church Followed by Home Reception

Climaxing a series of pre-wedding festivities was the marriage of Miss Eddy Gene Cole, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Williamson, and Tolbert Bell, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Bell of El Paso, which took place at the First Christian church here, Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The wedding was one of the important social affairs of the season.

Background for the altar before which the couple stood to recite the wedding vows was a screen of greenery, flanked by seven-branched candelabra bearing tall white tapers. Tall baskets and floor vases filled with white gladioli, snapdragons, and baby's breath carried out a white-and-green theme in decorations. The couple knelt on a white satin cushion.

Rev. John E. Pickering, pastor of the First Christian church, officiated at the single ring ceremony.

The bride, who was given in marriage by Mr. Williamson, wore a wedding gown of shimmering white satin, made with long pointed sleeves, a sweetheart neckline, and a train. A pointed girde of seed pearls defined the high waistline. A full veil was bound to her head with clusters of white blossoms. She carried a bouquet of white gladioli in cascade effect, with a shower of white satin ribbon over a heavy maline bow.

The four bridesmaids, Misses Virginia Street of Dallas, Donna Downey, Mary Sue Cowden, and Eula Ann Tolbert, were gowned in aqua marquette over matching taffeta with floor-length bouffant skirts and short puffed sleeves. All wore white gloves and carried bouquets of Picardy gladioli, tied with ribbon in matching peach tone.

Jean Ann Watts, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Watts, acted as trainbearer. She wore a long dress of pink marquette, styled similar to those of the bridesmaids.

Donald Johnson of El Paso served the bridegroom as best man. Groomsmen were Jack Harden of El Paso, Buster Cole, brother of the bride, and E. B. Rountree.

The nuptial music was presented by Mrs. Ellis Cowden at the piano. Previous to the entry of the wedding party, she presented a medley of old-fashioned songs. For the processional, she played Lohengrin's bridal march and for the recessional Mendelssohn's wedding march. During the ceremony, she played Schubert's "Serenade."



MRS. TOLBERT BELL

Mrs. Foy Proctor sang "At Dawning," accompanied by Mrs. Cowden.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, 911 W. Tennessee, for out-of-town guests and relatives and close friends of the couple.

Baskets of white gladioli, snapdragons, baby's breath and fern decorated the entertainment rooms.

Mrs. Williamson greeted guests at the door. In the receiving line were the bride and groom and the bridesmaids.

The dining table, which was spread with a cutwork cloth, was centered by a huge two-tiered wedding cake, decorated in white and green. The cake was banked with baby's breath and fern and topped by two figures of a wedding couple emerging from a church. Four white tapers in tall silver candelabra lighted the table.

Mrs. E. C. Adams of Odessa served the cake after it had been cut, by the bride and Miss Walter Fay Cowden of Midland presided at the punch bowl.

Assisting in the dining room were Misses Fredia Fae Turner, Barbara Jean Harper, Julianan Cowden, Jessa Lynn Tuttle, and Jeanne Davis.

After the reception, Mr. and Mrs. Bell left by automobile for a short wedding trip to an unannounced destination, following which they will be at home in El Paso. For traveling, the bride wore a black jacket dress with all-white accessories. The groom's gift to her was a heart-shaped watch.

Granddaughter of H. E. Cummins of Midland, Mrs. Bell is a member of a pioneer ranch family widely known in this area. She was reared in Midland and graduated from Midland high school in May of this year. Active in social and other affairs during her school years, she has been honored as Midland's representative at numerous events over West Texas. She won the prize cup at McCamey and also has represented her home town in competitions here and at Colorado City, Sweetwater, Big Spring, and in the Sun Carnival at El Paso. She was complimented at a series of parties here preceding the wedding.

Mr. Bell was born in Midland but moved to El Paso when a small child and has been reared in that city. He is a graduate of Austin high school there and is employed with the Popular Dry Goods company.

Out-of-town guests here for the wedding included: Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Bell of El Paso; Donald Johnson and Jack Harden of El Paso; Miss Virginia Street of Dallas, and Mrs. E. C. Adams and daughter Billye Ruth, of Odessa.

## Men of Wedding Party, Guests Are Fed at Luncheon

Tolbert Bell, his attendants at his wedding to Miss Eddy Gene Cole here last night, and a few other men were entertained by the bridegroom-elect's father, C. K. Bell of El Paso, with a luncheon in the Blue Room of Hotel Scharbauer Tuesday.

Covers were laid for: The honor guest, Donald Johnson and Jack Harden of El Paso, Frank Williamson, Buster Cole, E. B. Rountree, Allen Tolbert, Harry Tolbert, and Vann Mitchell of Midland, and the host.

The affair concluded the round of entertainments which preceded the wedding of the Midland girl and El Paso man at the First Christian church Tuesday evening.

## TO NEW YORK

Dr. and Mrs. Tom C. Bobo and daughter, Betty Lou, have gone to New York where he will attend the American Medical Association convention.

## FEMININE FANCIES

By Kathleen Eiland

In the midst of the hullabaloo about war, it is well to remember that THE UNITED STATES IS NOT AT WAR. This fact should be borne in mind, we believe, when officials, whether of high or low position, make public utterances. To let emotion run away with cold, considered reasoning does not help to keep the country at peace.

West Texas weather can promise more rain and send less, and promise less rain and send more—than any country we know of. Just now, we're wishing it would send a little more—considerably more, in fact.

Straw bags and straw bonnets are nice finishing touches for the play time costume. And speaking of such, the play dresses this year are the most intriguing we've ever seen, what with their demure little skirts to be worn with shorts and blouse.

Our definition of "lack of security," that phrase so potent in modern life, is now all bound up with how it feels to have to work in an office where extensive remodeling is going on. It is not so bad for a day or two, but eventually one tires of the smell of wet plaster and the sight of bricks, buckets, boards, and the general paraphernalia of construction.

## WHO'S WHO in "ORPHAN NELL"

By GLADYS SIRDEVAN

Orphan Nell, the heroine of the play soon to be presented in Midland is in real life Miss Margaret Murray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Murray of Midland. She is a 1940 graduate of Midland high school, having moved here from Fort Worth three years ago. While in Fort Worth, Miss Murray took part in the high school dramatic and glee club activities and had private lessons in voice. It is a dream of Margaret's to do greater things in voice.

Her talent gives much color to the heroine's part in "Orphan Nell" with such dramatic songs of the nineties as "My Mother Was a Lady," "Curse of An Aching Heart," "Bird in a Gilded Cage," and "The Elopement."

In character, Margaret is Orphan Nell who lives with her foster parents on a homestead that is about to be lost to the Squire because of an overdue mortgage. Nell's part in the payment of the debt, her secret love for her girlhood friend, Jack Noble, the ure of the city life, the flattering words of the villain all weave a web of sadness and gloom around the lives of the poor but honest country family of those melodramatic days. Nell's part in the climax of the story brings tears and laughter to an audience waiting for that ending of "Crime will be found out and Justice will triumph."

## Two Are Hostesses Tuesday at Social For Altruists

Altruists met with Mrs. J. R. Custer, 1703 W. Kentucky, Tuesday evening for a bridge party, with Miss Maedele Roberts as cohostess.

The house was decorated with Shasta daisies and American Beauty roses.

Two tables of bridge were played with high score going to Mrs. Fred Hallman and bingo prize to Miss Marguerite Bivens.

A salad plate was served to: Miss Bivens, Mmes. Sherwood O'Neal, Olin Fryar, Clint Creech, Fred Hallman, L. V. Bowers, L. H. Tiffin, B. W. Reecer, and the hostesses.

## "Washables" Will Keep You Well-Groomed

BY ALICIA HART NEA SERVICE Staff Writer

THE woman who has plenty of washable costumes and accessories in her wardrobe finds it a fairly simple matter to stay neatly groomed and fresh looking during hot summer months.

Frosty white collars and cuffs of easy-to-laundry organdy, lawn, pique or linen will make a navy sheer and a conservative black and white print do the work of six dresses. White gloves always add a neat and tidy note to any outfit.

## EVEN COATS COME IN WASHABLE FABRICS

GINGHAM and noncrushable linen dresses and suits come neatly tailored for city streets as well as full and casually cut for country and suburbs. The girl who owns a couple of these need never find herself with nothing clean to put on.

Even smart little coats are available in washable materials. A natural linen box jacket is chic over sheers and prints as well as cotton dresses. Pinwale, cotton corduroy in fade-proof shades is used to fashion full, three-quarter and hip-length coats that may be worn over everything, from morning cottons to summer evening gowns. Many are as simple to wash as your children's corduroy snow suits.

## WASH SWEATERS AND GLOVES YOURSELF

WHEN washing a sweater, remember to place the soiled garment flat on a towel and to make an outline of it with pins or a pencil. After it has been squeezed in soapy water and rinsed thoroughly, roll it in a towel and press out as much water as possible. Then place it on the first towel and pat and pull it gently until it fits perfectly within the outline. When dry, it will be exactly the size it was before washing.

Wash your gloves on your hands, rinse them carefully, then blow into them and hang them over a bar, away from heat. Just before suede gloves are completely dry, rub them gently to assure softness and flexibility when thoroughly dry.

up, and soldiers and prisoners searched the country for lumber to build coffins.

**First Burial Temporary.** Identification and burial of the dead was conducted during the war by the graves registration service of the quartermaster corps. The burial parties followed advancing troops and immediately after an offensive graves were hastily dug. They necessarily were shallow.

Every doughboy carried two identification tags, one of which was buried with the body. The other was attached to a temporary cross. Difficulties arose later, however. Hundreds of men overseas had the same names. Also before going to the front lines the soldiers often scratched the names of their organization from the tags to keep the information from the enemy.

## We, the Women

BY RUTH MILLETT

TODAY a good many wives are smart about sharing their husband's enthusiasms. But there are plenty who make the mistake of turning up their noses at a man's hobbies and interests.

And that is the most stupid blunder a wife of any age can make.

## FOSTER HIS HOBBY

IT is only natural for anyone—a man or woman—who suddenly develops a new interest to want to share his enthusiasm and newly acquired knowledge.

Most men turn first to their wives. If the wife is encouraging, that's fine. If she is enthusiastic enough to take up the hobby, sport, or study herself—that is even better.

But if she acts superior when her husband reaches out for a new field, she is not only wasting a good opportunity to grow closer to him, but actually is driving him from his home for real companionship.

The group that most frequently makes this mistake is made up of middle-aged women. For years they haven't had much time for hobbies. Bringing up a family was too heavy a load.

Their husbands, through those years, haven't had much leisure time either. Supporting a family, giving them "advantages," was a full-time job that didn't leave much energy for new enthusiasms.

## SHARE HIS DESIRE FOR FULLER LIFE

BUT at middle-age, the load is lifted from both husband and wife. The man, having his job licked, has plenty of time to think about other things. He finds that there is more to living than working, eating and sleeping. He decides to become a good golfer, to learn something about music, or to set up the cellar workshop he has always dreamed of.

The wife doesn't actually begrudge the time he spends with his new "love"—but she doesn't take it seriously. He can't really talk to her about it.

She shouldn't whimper if he finds someone (and it will probably be a woman) who shares his interest in this new activity. The wife asked for it, by refusing to play herself.

Special truck taxes during 1939 totaled \$430,000,000, exclusive of general taxes, such as income, property and retail sales levies.

## WAKE UP YOUR LIVER BILE—

Without Calomel—And You'll Jump Out of Bed in the Morning Rarin' to Go

The liver should pour out two pints of liquid bile into your bowels daily. If this bile is not flowing freely, your food may not digest. It may just decay in the bowels. Gas bloats up your stomach. You get constipated. You feel sour, aunk and the world looks punk.

It takes those good, old Carter's Little Liver Pills to get these two pints of bile flowing freely to make you feel "up and up." Amazing in making bile flow freely. Ask for Carter's Little Liver Pills by name. 10¢ and 25¢. Stubbornly refuse anything else.

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**\$1.98 to \$4.95**

• Pumps  
• Sandals  
• Sport Oxfords  
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Meet the Manager J. M. STEWART

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WE ARE WEDGE HEADQUARTERS  
**\$1.98 and up**

**Coming Events**

**THURSDAY.** Friendship club will meet with Mrs. A. E. Dixon, 210 East Kentucky, Thursday afternoon with a birthday party for Mrs. W. C. Moore.

**FRIDAY.** Needlecraft club will meet with Mrs. John Dunagan, 1904 W Wall street, Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

**FRIDAY.** Belmont Bible class will meet with Mrs. Gladys Hositer, 600 North A street, Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The lesson will be taken from the first seven chapters of Leviticus.

**FRIDAY.** Women's Golf Association will meet at the Country Club Friday morning at the usual hour for golf. A business meeting will be held at 12 o'clock and at one o'clock luncheon will be served. Hostesses will be Mrs. R. T. Mobley, Mrs. Stanley Moore, Mrs. Frank Johnson, and Mrs. J. M. Kenderdine.

**FRIDAY.** Junior G.A.'s will meet Friday with Mrs. R. O. Walker for a covered dish luncheon.

**SATURDAY.** Story Hour will be held in the children's library at the courthouse Saturday morning at 10 o'clock.

Approximately \$200 is the average value of all the automobiles on American highways.

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# COWBOYS WILL MEET THE PAMPA OILERS HERE TONIGHT AT 8:30

## Tuesday Night Game Is Called Because of Rain

Rained out in their scheduled game last night, the Midland Cowboys and the Pampa Oilers will meet tonight at 8:30, weather permitting. Last night's game never got started. The Cowboys were taking infield practice when the rain started coming down and beat a hasty retreat to the umpires' announced the game was off.

The line-ups tonight will be the same as were scheduled last night, with Engle pitching for Midland and Hallborough for Pampa. Engle is a newcomer to the Midland team, having been with El Paso since the season started. Hallough is one of the better hurlers of the league, consistently tough for all clubs. Tonight's game will be the only one played between the two, the rained out game to be made up the next time the Pampa club comes here.

The Borger Gassers, pushing the Cowboys for fourth place in the league standings, are here for the next three nights after tonight.

## Mack Declares Gambling War At Shibe Park

PHILADELPHIA (U.P.)—Private detectives, hired by Connie Mack, president-manager of the Philadelphia Athletics, have been taking motion pictures of gamblers' activities in Shibe Park.

According to officials, the gamblers developed a system of making advance bets, and then hedging them. This procedure required their presence inside the park, however, where they were not welcome.

The detective revealed that their pictures show the activities of gamblers from the time they enter the park until they leave to settle outside. The evidence will be submitted to suspects, who will be listed as "common gamblers" and barred from the park forever if they admit betting.

If there are denials, the detectives said they are prepared to take the cases before a jury.

## Rose-Colored Glasses Soothing to Pheasants

FORT WORTH (Tex. U.P.)—The world is very beautiful for Dr. J. M. Lyle's ring-necked pheasants.

They look through rose-colored glasses. Dr. Lyle made the glasses for his pheasants in a move to cut down homicides among the fowl.

Colored glasses prevent the birds from "seeing red" or anything blood-colored. A spot of red, the doctor explained, has always been the signal for a knock-down drag-out fight in the animal kingdom.



BLATZ BEER.				
Players	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.
Boring	136	114	172	422
Jones	157	137	131	425
Cramer	151	127	126	404
Chambers	154	133	134	421
Blind	147	147	147	441
Handicap				32
	764	658	723	2145
Team average				704

SCHARBAUER HOTEL BARBER SHOP.				
Players	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.
Kieser	177	146	167	490
Jones	93	77	76	246
Cowden	152	147	168	467
Mitchell	183	182	185	550
Mobley	148			148
Eaves		120		120
Payne			145	145
	753	672	741	2166
Team average				722

MUEHLEBACH BEER.				
Players	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.
Liddell	222	170	142	534
Arrington	183	180	143	486
Mallonee	135	134	165	434
Haupt	128	128	146	402
Davidson	187	179	167	533
	835	791	763	2389
Team average				796

TOTS GULF SERVICE.				
Players	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.
Hallman	201	184	170	555
Langford	181	202	183	566
Girdley	147	146	232	525
Watlington	155	125	182	462
Forrest	170	165	236	571
	854	822	1003	2679
Team average				893

MARTIN LINEN SUPPLY.				
Players	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.
Cronman	200	183	201	584
Mallonee	176	184	180	540
Stevens	169	157	166	492
Richie	121	180	149	450
Edwards	176	148	223	547
	842	852	919	2613
Team average				871

PIGGY WIGGLY.				
Players	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.
Barnett (blind)	156	156	156	468
Darnell	190	178	150	518
French	146	138	130	414
Swift (blind)	151	151	151	453
Cole	198	157	158	513
Handicap				78
	867	806	771	2444
Team average				739

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Amarillo	34	19	624	
Pampa	30	19	612	
Lamesa	26	23	531	
Midland	24	26	480	
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Five authorities from Latin-American countries have been "imported" to teach in the University of Texas summer Institute of Latin-American Studies—to be succeeded by a permanent Latin-American Institute in September.				

## Scouts Eye Campuses as Collegians Prove They Can Catch on Quickly in the Majors

BY JERRY BRONDFIELD  
NEA Service Staff Correspondent

CHICAGO—Time was when major league ball clubs regarded the colleges as a very negligible source of talent but scouts today are taking a good look—and a second look—at the campus heroes.



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## 5-ROOM BRICK HOUSE

Furnished or unfurnished  
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 Phone 1306-J (81-3)

FIVE room frame; 4 rooms furnished. 104 East Maiden Lane, phone 117 or 1664-R. (81-3)

MALL modern stucco; electric refrigerator; gas, water paid. 310 West Florida, phone 247. (82-1)

## Unfurnished Houses

NINE room unfurnished house north of Country Club. Phone 1622. (81-3)

## Houses for Sale

WO room house for sale. 512 West New Jersey. (81-3)

## 0—Bedrooms

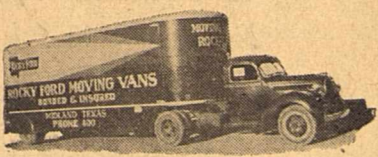
SOUTHEAST bedroom; new home in Elmwood; paved street. Phone 966-W. (82-3)

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ROOM and board at Rountree's; meals are carefully planned and bountifully served. 107 South Pecos, phone 278. (7-1-40)

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## College Tries Men's Co-Op

MADISON, Wis. (UP)—The 35 national fraternities at the University of Wisconsin viewed with disfavor this year an extensive low-cost men's dormitory program sponsored by university officials, some of whom predict the downfall of the fraternity system on the campus.

Already completed are a series of modern housing units along the shore of Lake Mendota providing approximately 500 rooms at \$300 a year with board, and 200 at \$270. Fraternities on the campus charge \$374 to \$477 and complain of financial difficulties at that rate.

The \$270 dormitories are known as "guinea pig" halls because they represent a cooperative experiment under which costs are lowered by having the resident students share in the work of cleaning, making beds, waxing floors, packing up laundry, and other janitor work.

Expansion Is Urged  
 College officials say the plan has been successful this year and some favor the construction of additional cooperative dormitories.

"The new men's dorms can't help but make terrific competition for the fraternities and it's no use to cover the fact up," according to Scott H. Goodnight, dean of men in charge of fraternities.

With a pessimistic opinion of the outlook for fraternities due to their "lack of foresight" and their "bullheadedness," the dean remarks:

"Fraternities are on the way down. They have a hard struggle ahead of them. Some have died already and others probably will follow."

Fraternities Get Advice  
 The one hope Goodnight holds out for the "self-preservation" of fraternities at Wisconsin is that they must each take on graduate house counselors to do work similar to that of the dormitory house fellow which checks scholarship, gives social guidance, corrects table manners, encourages activity participation, and gives other mature advice to students.

Also among the objectors to the low-cost dormitory movement are the owners of more than 100 private rooming houses in Madison valued at exceeding \$4,000,000 and assessed annually property taxes in excess of \$112,000.

Their legal representative has pointed out that the dormitories were built with 45 per cent Federal money, have no taxes to pay, receive their heat and light from the university's central power station, require their residents to eat at the dormitories, and make them sign full-year contracts.

## Cleanup Urged In Vieux Carre

NEW ORLEANS (UP)—The amusement spots of the Vieux Carre (French Quarter)—vivid memories in the minds of hundreds of thousands who have visited New Orleans—under fire again.

Calling attention to "immoral, obnoxious and disgusting conditions" in the historic Old Quarter, a group of civic leaders and residents of the section have formally asked Mayor Robert S. Maestri for restriction governing activities of barrooms and women in the quaint district.

The French Quarter, original "square" of business and residential buildings on the east bank of the Mississippi river which was nucleus for this city, is a mixture of small restaurants, saloons and night clubs; disorderly houses; three or more internationally famous eating establishments; curio and antique shops; "Bohemian" small apartments in remodeled old homes of masonry; and a smaller section of homes inhabited mostly by families of foreign blood.

Moving in an effort to make the Quarter more an area for homes and small, quiet businesses, the group asks that women be prohibited from working in barrooms that householders be given power to prevent saloons being established near their homes, and that issuance of liquor permits be watched more closely.

The group has written Mayor Maestri that there are now 134 bars—52 of them "alleged night clubs"—in 66 square blocks of the Quarter. A check made last February showed 71 bars in nine squares, it was charged. The group prefaced its complaint:

"Because of the absolute lack of law enforcement, conditions in the Vieux Carre have become a stench in the nostrils of decent people, a financial disaster to property holders and lead to the wanton corruption of children and youths."

"This condition is being brought out in published books and spread over the length and breadth of America."

Property owners and householders for some years have waged an unsuccessful fight to "tone down" the French Quarter—where bright lights continue to draw their patrons from dark until dawn, as they have for a century past.

Caboose Becomes "Dog House."  
 ST. ALBANS, Vt. (UP)—Train and engine crews on the Central Vermont-Canadian National railways have a "slangage" all their own. A freight engine or coal car is a "battleship." If you are in the cupola of a caboose, you are in the "dog house" of a "clown wagon."

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## Art Awards Go To 3 Athletes

AUSTIN (UP)—Athletes are becoming artists.

A star football end, a boxing sailor and a former three-letter high school athlete have been named winners of the first University of Texas arts scholarship.

George Buffington of Navasota, Tex., who spent two years as a sailor on an oil tanker and who now fights in Golden Gloves tournaments, will get one of the Harriet F. Batts scholarships in the

college of fine arts.

"If they hadn't opened the college of fine arts this year, I probably would have been an engineer," Buffington said. He transferred from the college of arts and sciences to enter the school of fine arts.

"Anyhow, it proves one thing," Buffington said. "Artists aren't sissies."

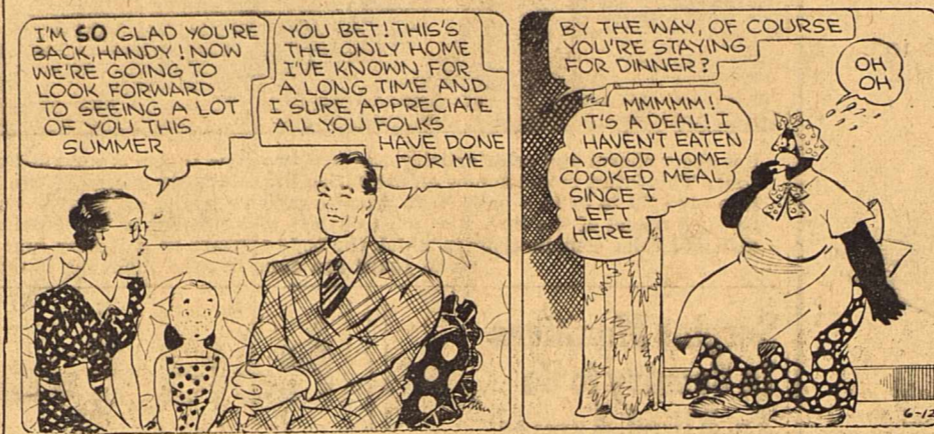
Luther Bookout, Jr., of Santa Rosa, an award winner, was an all-around athlete in high school. His name was known at that time throughout South Texas, but not for his athletic prowess. He said he had abandoned varsity athletics for intra-mural games. He formerly drew sports cartoons for the Brownsville Herald.

Joe Schwarting, former all-state grid end at Waco high school, has made the dormitory for athletes where he stays oil portrait conscious.

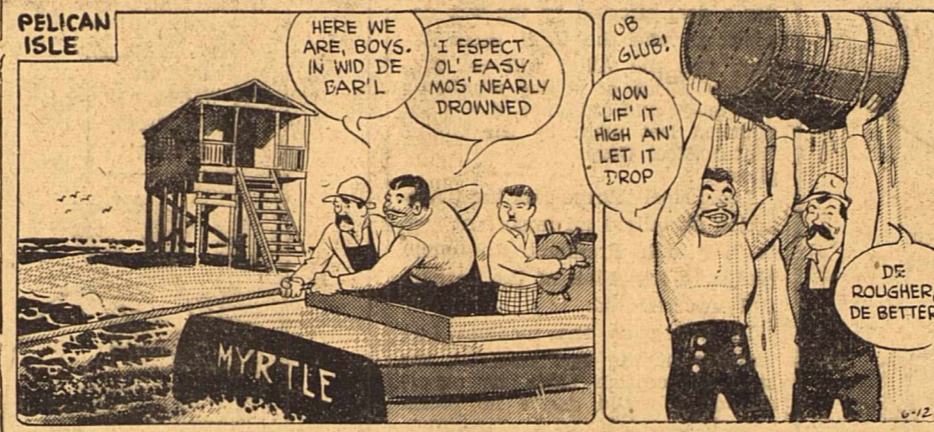
"I'd rather go in for this kind of work than athletics, when I get out of college," Schwarting said. "I think you will find that lots of athletic coaches, however, do painting or drawing on the side."

The winning examples of the work of the three award winners show essential qualities of great art. Ward Lockwood, chairman of the art department, said.

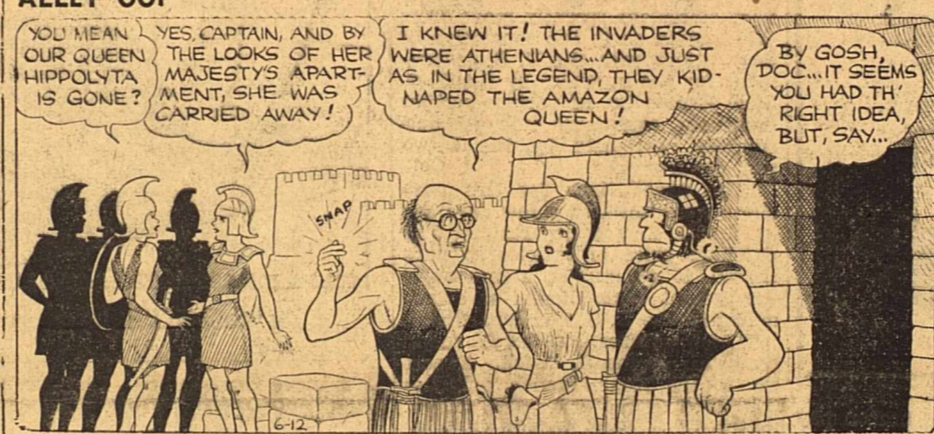
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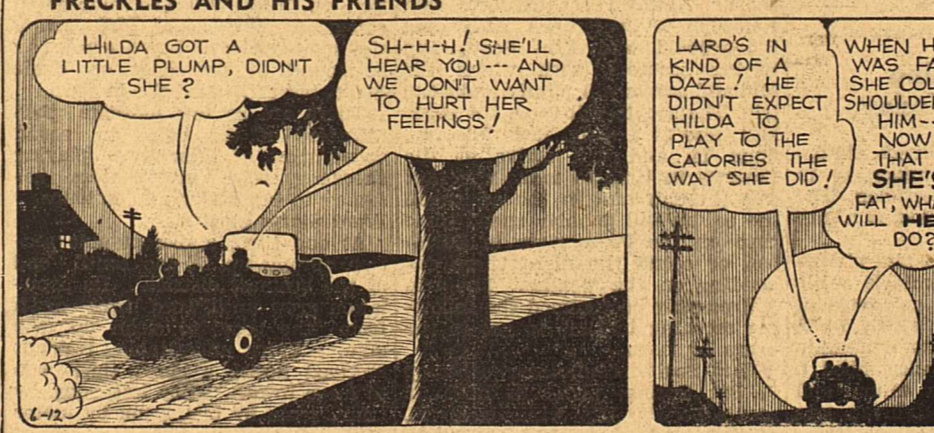
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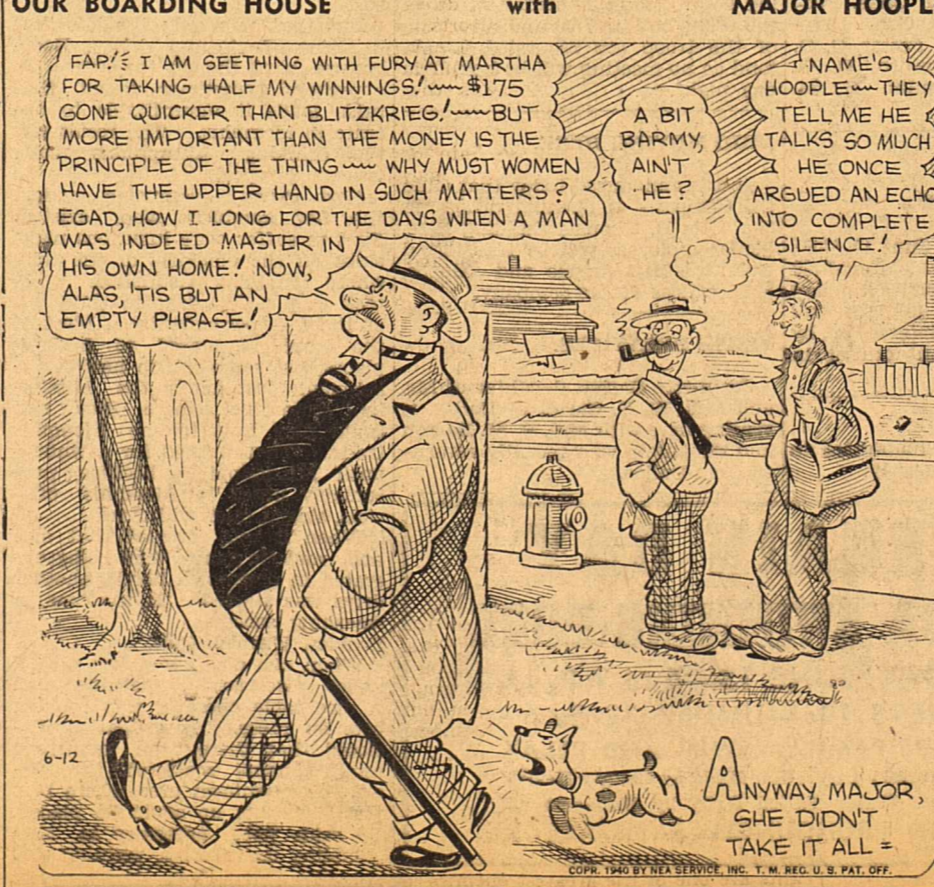
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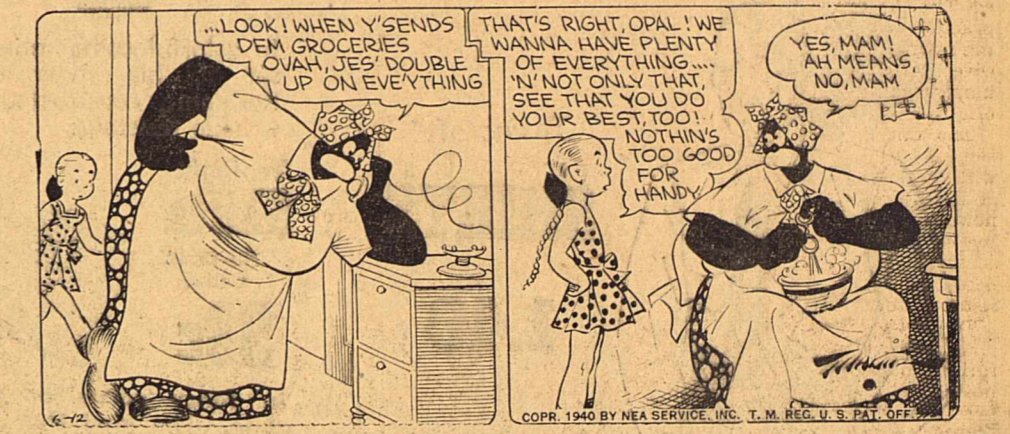
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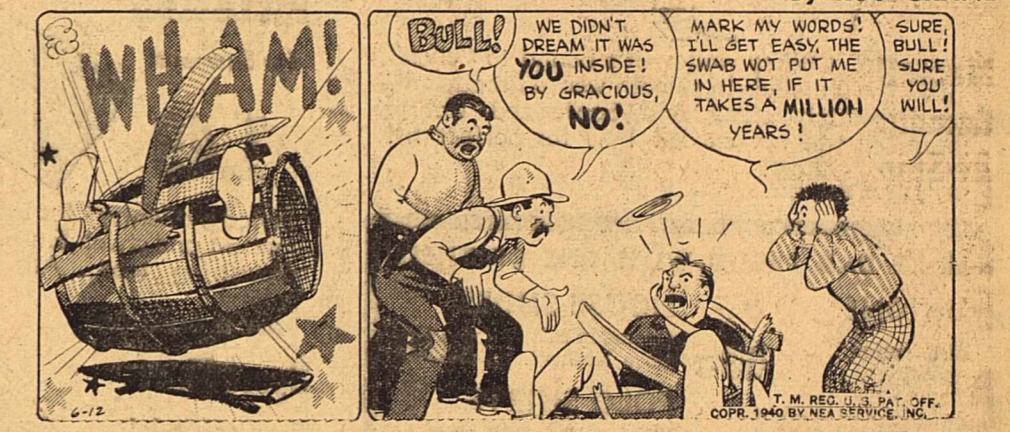
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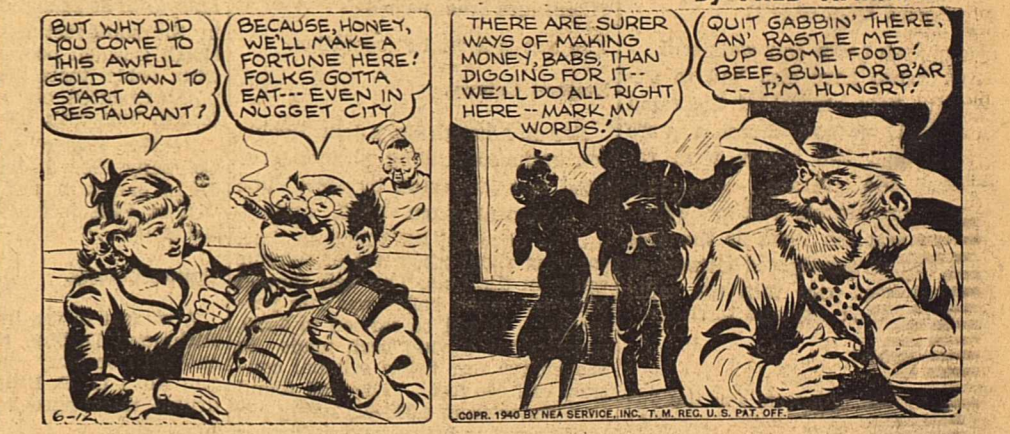
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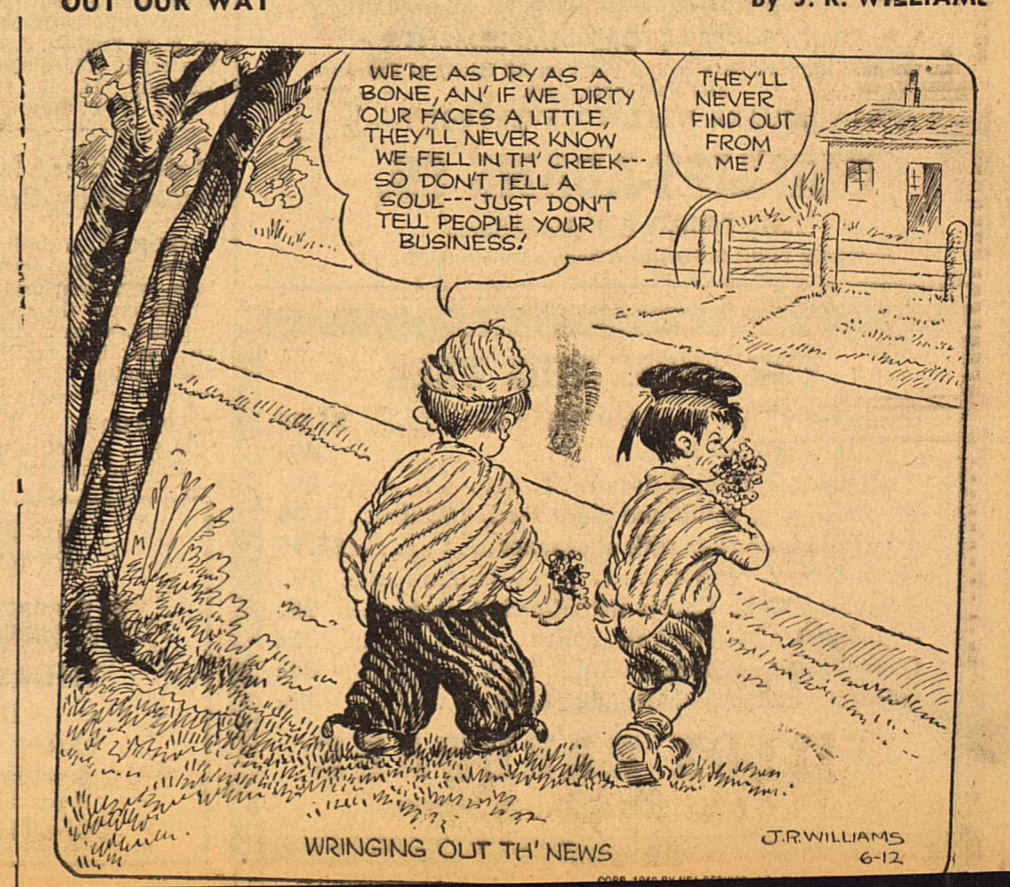
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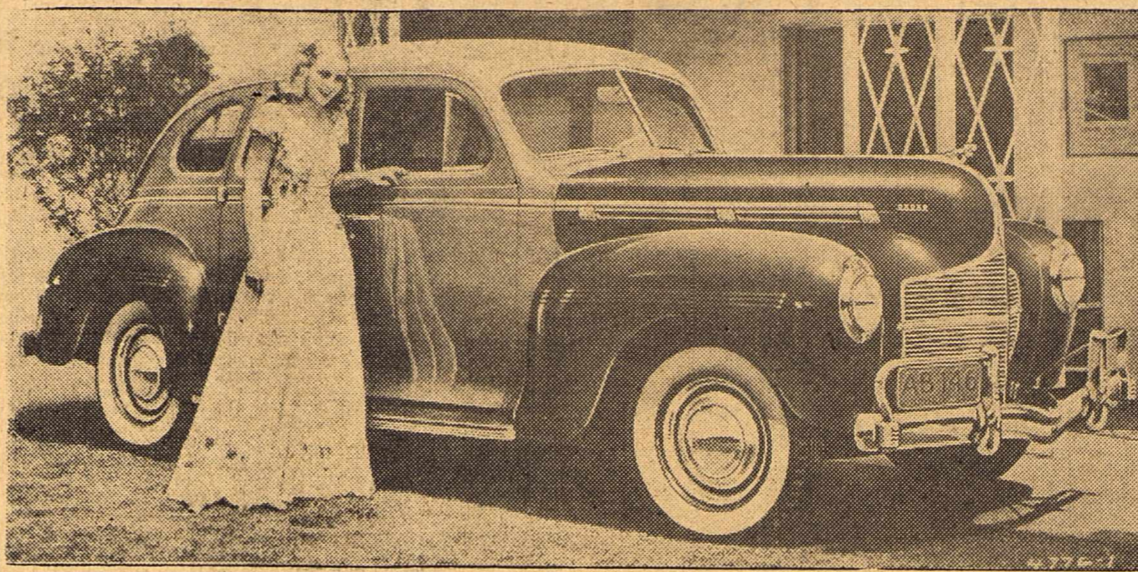
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**New Two-Tone Dodge Shown by Mackey Motor Co.**



For sheer charm and color artistry, the new two-tone Dodge is regarded as an achievement a year ahead of time. This latest model is now on exhibition in the display rooms of the Mackey Motor Co., Dodge dealers, who are said to be in a position to promise early deliveries on what is unquestionably the most attractively finished model of the line. The most obvious of a number of novel details is the exterior finish featuring different color combinations in which the body appears in a lighter hue while radiator, hood, fenders and stone guard are done in a harmonizing darker shade.

**Surplus Munitions In Country to Go To Allied Armies**

NEW YORK, June 12 (AP)—Under a deal effected by the war department and the U. S. Steel Export Co., the Allies will get \$37,600,000 worth of surplus munitions, equipment and ordnance, it was announced last night by the United States Steel Corp. plestol.

Local steel sources said the transaction signalized an important step in line with President Roosevelt's pledge to the Allies of the nation's full material aid.

In acting as the medium for transfer of the war material, the steel corporation said its export subsidiary would derive no profit.

A statement issued by the corporation said: "The United States Steel Corp. last night confirmed the preliminary statement recently made from Washington as to the conclusion of negotiations with the U. S. government for the purchase by the U. S. Steel Export Co. of various surplus munitions, equipment and ordnance supplies now held by the U. S. war department."

"The negotiations for this purchase were initiated a few days ago by the U. S. war department. The purchase price of articles so purchased is \$37,000,000, representing the present value thereof as determined by the U. S. war department. These articles are being resold forthwith by the U. S. Steel Export Co. to the Anglo-French purchasing board at the exact cost thereof to the U. S. Steel Export Co."

It is expected, the statement added, that part or all of the purchase price to be paid by the Steel Export company to the federal government will be "through the subsequent delivery to the U. S. war department of new munitions and ordnance supplies of a character needed for the national defense program."

Detailed information as to the types of ordnance and munitions involved in the deal was not available here. Sources close to the steel corporation said, however, that some large field guns and shells probably were included.

**Scouts Assured of Trip to Caverns**

Boy scouts of troop 54 are now assured of a trip through the Carlsbad Caverns while enroute to camp, Buster Howard, scoutmaster, said following a conference with Carl Bloomfield and Earl Scott, Big Spring scouts, with whom the Midland scouts will jointly make the trip. The scouts will leave the scout hall here at 4 a. m. next Tuesday, June 18, and will arrive at the Caverns in time to make the first trip through and in the afternoon the scouts will possibly spend some time on the Pecos river in Carlsbad and the night there depending on the weather. The trip will possibly be resumed the following morning in time to get to the camp by noon.

Earl Scott, scoutmaster of troop 3, Big Spring, plans to have 15 scouts on the trip while troop 54, Midland, will have 30 or more scouts.

Troop 54 will have the last meeting before camp Thursday night at the scout hall at 7:30 and all scouts of the troop are requested to attend as no meeting will be held Friday night.

**OHIO MOVING HERE.**

It was announced today that Ohio Oil Company is opening offices in the John B. Thomas Building here. Some employees will be transferred from the San Angelo and Hobbs, N.M. offices of the company.

**VISIT'S RELATIVES.**

Jeannette Carter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Carter of Dallas, is visiting here with Mrs. R. M. Barron and daughters who recently returned from Dallas.

**Oil Notes---**

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staged each Labor Day week-end. "Churches have also had to expand to keep abreast of the rapid growth. Three new churches were erected and two others were remodeled and enlarged. Numerous other improvements were made during the past ten years as the progressive and far-sighted citizens of Midland kept pace with the rapid growth of their city and territory.

**Future Bright.** "As to the prospects for the future, there is little doubt but that the growth and development will continue for several years to come and that still greater gains will be recorded in the 1950 census.

"Considered as one of the greatest if not the greatest proven oil reserves in the world, the Permian Basin, with many more fields yet likely to be discovered and with deeper pay horizons yet developed in only a very few fields, is in its early stage of productive life and will doubtless remain as one of the world's greatest oil fields for many years to come. Present wells will perhaps be producing from ten to thirty years from today.

"With improved methods in live-stock production and with additional land each year being put into cultivation, Midland will doubtless also continue to prosper from its livestock-agricultural interests.

"It is likely that the growth and development of Midland and of West Texas is just now getting underway. Midland and its citizens are ready and waiting to take full advantage of all opportunities offered."

**Census---**

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The test is a "tight" operation. Dawson County.

Ray A. Albaugh No. 2 John Robinson resumed drilling yesterday at 5,056 feet, corrected by steel line measurement from 5,059, and is drilling ahead at 5,073 feet in lime, carrying about 2,500 feet of sulphur water in the hole. The well showed some gas when bailer was run yesterday. It will be carried to 5,250, negotiations having been made to deepen 200 feet below original contract of 5,050 feet. The well found first water from 4,983-91, filling 125 feet in seven hours, and it logged increases from 5,000 to 5,056 feet, filling 2,000 feet in 48 hours.

**Ector County.** Oil Well Drilling Company No. 1 Paul Moss, indicating one-half mile plus 990 feet east extension of the southernmost part of the Foster pool, is standing with 5 1/2-inch casing cemented at 3,949 feet with 150 sacks. It is bottomed at 4,225

feet in lime and drilled broken pay from 4,135 to 4,223 feet. Ray R. Rhodes and Joe D. Tompkins, both of Midland, No. 1-C TXL, in the southeast extension of the North Cowden pool, is drilling plug with cable tools from 5 1/2-inch pipe cemented on bottom at 4,010 feet in lime with 100 sacks.

In the Foster pool, A.&M. Oil Company No. 6 Johnson pumped 381.10 barrels a day upon completion at 4,288 feet after a shot with 490 quarts.

**Gaines County.** A wildcat in southwestern Gaines, Richmond Drilling Company, Maschio Oil Company and W. F. Hanagan No. 1 G. R. Brumley et al, had drilled unchanged to 4,349 feet in hard lime.

Magnolia and Atlantic No. 6-265 H.&J. in the Seminole pool, rated daily natural potential of 637.92 barrels at 5,292 feet.

**Murder Trial Being Heard in Court Today**

The trial of A. L. Sullivan, charged with murder, got underway in district court this afternoon. The morning was spent in picking a jury for the case.

Sullivan was arrested and charged with operating a vehicle while intoxicated following an accident several weeks ago in which L. J. Scroggs, Midland county dairyman, was injured. Scroggs succumbed a few days later to his injury and on a new complaint Sullivan was charged with murder in performance of a felony.

Jury members selected this morning were Neal J. Gingham, Chas. Ferguson, J. D. Chambers, G. C. Driver, E. E. English, J. C. Foster, C. O. Fredregill, Chas. Galbraith, B. G. Hallman, H. H. Hamlin, B. M. Hayes, W. F. Hejl.

**Italian Liner Is Scuttled by Crew**

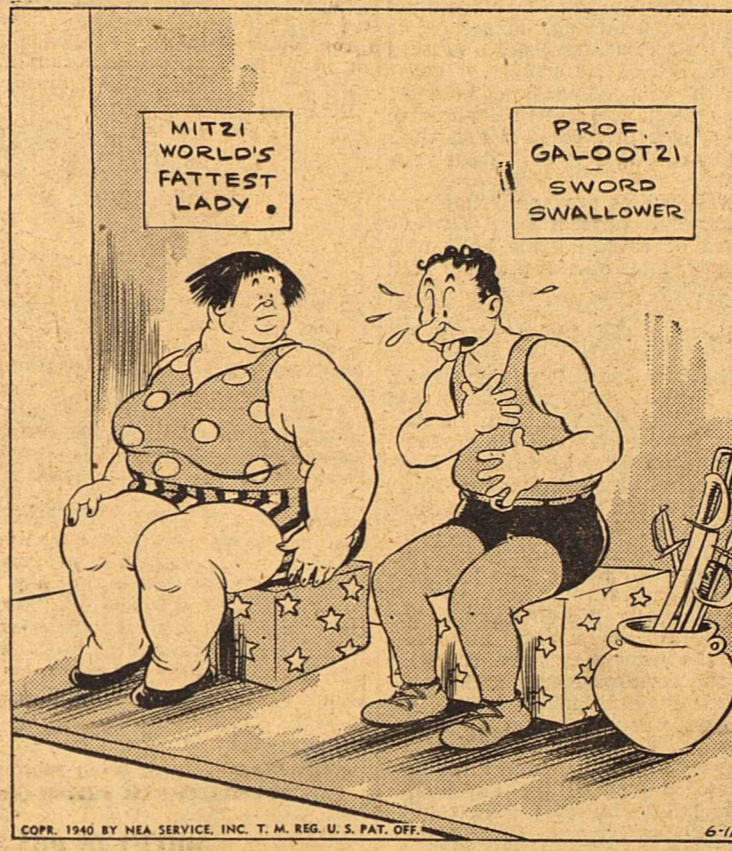
SYDNEY, Australia, June 12 (AP)—The Italian liner Romolo, of 9780 tons, was fired and scuttled today by the crew, the navy ministry announced, when it was intercepted by an Australian merchant cruiser in mid-Pacific.

**IS PATIENT.**

Mrs. J. A. Catlin was admitted to a Midland hospital Tuesday.

**BARGAIN DAY**  
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**Swift Purges Keep Memphis Free of Crime**

BY JAMES W. CAMPBELL, United Press Staff Correspondent.

MEMPHIS, Tenn. (UP)—This boss-directed city of 300,000 never has had an underworld of any size or repute. Today it has none at all. Even the tin horn gamblers have been run out of town.

Not since 1901—when "Red Snapper" Ed Crump rose to power in Tennessee—has Memphis been troubled for any length of time by lawlessness.

Roady, reckless Beale Street is still rowdy and reckless but everything that does occur on this famous negro avenue is within the law. Repeal of the dry law eliminated the bootleggers. Police, under the direction of Chief Will Lee, eliminated everything else illegal. Not even a slot machine or a bingo game can be found—not only on Beale Street but anywhere else in town.

There are so few murders that members of the homicide squad spend most of their time playing checkers, with investigators assigned to burglaries and holdups.

**Word Starts Exodus.** At one time, a disreputable section sprang up in the south end of the business district. Its population grew until word came down from "the boss" to clean up the area. Every undesirable resident received notice a short time ago to leave town. They left, some by train, some by bus, some by motor car.

Others walked or begged rides to other cities. Highways leading from Memphis were crowded. But that was only the latest of a series of cleanup drives. Bootleggers, hard though they were to apprehend sometimes, found that raids made it unprofitable to operate in Memphis. The result was that drinking, not only on highways but in Memphis, really welcomed repeal.

Next came a campaign against the few gamblers who existed. First to suffer were luxurious night clubs on the outskirts of the city where gambling flourished. It took only a few days to close all of them—permanently. Most of the gamblers moved to faraway places, but some set up new establishments just across the Mississippi state line where they still could play host to the Memphis trade. That worked for a while—until Mississippi authorities, presumably urged by Memphis officials, staged raids with axes.

When it was revealed that dice and roulette games were being operated in downtown hotels, another drive was started. It too, was a smashing success.

Bookies, Warned, Quit. When one dice game was raided, police discovered something else. A dice table operator was booking bets on races. Investigation disclosed that there were numerous establishments scattered throughout the downtown area where bets from 50 cents up could be placed. No raids were necessary to stop gambling on races. A warning was

**To Tell President Of Flanders Fight**



Count Rene de Chambrun, who took part in the battle of Flanders and escaped to England, will go to Washington as Assistant Military Attache of the French Embassy. He is a nephew of the late Nicholas Longworth, Speaker of the House, and a descendant of Lafayette, whose hereditary American citizenship he inherited.

all that was necessary. Finally, Memphians who wanted to gamble could find no device other than pinball machines. By the time police had chopped up a few of these and confiscated other as well as imposing a few stiff fines, gambling on pinball machines was wiped out.

Not even for the annual Cotton Carnival this year did Memphis lift the ban. Operators of concessions on the midway were notified that there would be no gambling whatsoever—no weight-guessing for prizes, no dart-throwing, no chuck-o-luck, no fortune-telling, no wheels-of-chance, no penny-toss. The law was obeyed.

The public has advanced many reasons for the clamping down and keeping down—of the lid. Some say Shelby county political machine headed by Crump does not want to be a target for opponent politicians. Others say the graying political leader wants to be remembered as the man who bossed a clean town.

**Wilkenfeld Named Tailtwister by the Lions Club Members**

Pecos Wilkenfeld was elected tailtwister of the Lions club at the regular luncheon held today at noon. The election was a bitterly contested one with rival managers "cussing" and discussing their candidates during the two minutes allotted to each.

Six candidates were in the race and results of the election showed none received a majority. Wilkenfeld was high on the count, and Thad Steele second. Curt Inman, Steele's campaign manager, then asked withdrawal of his candidate's name and moved that the election be given Wilkenfeld. Other managers assented.

In the final run-off were Jack Kelly, Steele, Wilkenfeld, Bud Taylor and Lester Short. Butler Hurley's name was withdrawn by his manager Dr. J. B. Thomas early in the session. George Philippus spoke for Kelly, E. O. Smith for Wilkenfeld, Curt Inman for Thad Steele and Bud Taylor spoke for himself. Taylor accomplished his own elimination by promising to raise "fines" from ten cents to 25.

Mayor M. C. Ulmer gave a short talk concerning his recent trip to Washington in an effort to put through the airport deal here, in which the field would be expanded through army service. He told members present that he was unable to say definitely whether or not the field would be accepted but said he expected to be notified of a decision within the next few days.

**GOING TO COLORADO**

Mr. and Mrs. George Glass and children, Monta Jo and George Holt, will leave tomorrow for an extended vacation at Tmepuc, Colo., where they have a summer cabin.

**BACK FROM SHREVEPORT**

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. McClintic returned last night from a visit in Shreveport, La., and other points east.

**HERE FROM ODESSA**

A. B. Knickerbocker of Odessa, accompanied by his brother, H. C. Knickerbocker of San Antonio, was a business visitor here this morning.

**UNDERGOES APPENDECTOMY.**

Mrs. Charline Wilkes underwent an appendectomy in a Midland hospital Tuesday. She is reported doing well.

**LEAVE HOSPITAL.**

Mrs. O. C. Fuller has returned to her home from a Midland hospital. Thomas O'Neil of Chadron, Neb., was discharged from the hospital, going to the home of friends, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Adams.

**TO RECEIVE DEGREE**

John Patrick Cusack of Midland, Texas, will receive the degree of Bachelor of Arts from Vanderbilt University on June 12. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cusack of Midland.

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**New Manager for Popular Store Here**

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Stewart have moved here from Big Spring and he is now in charge of the shoe department of the Popular store. The store has been remodeled and the shoe department has been leased to the Dieter-Stewart shoe company of Big Spring and other Texas towns. Stewart is an experienced shoe man.

**Four Swiss Killed By British Bombs**

BERNE, June 12 (AP)—Switzerland announced today examination of aerial bombs which killed four persons and wounded many others around Lake Lemman this morning showed them to be of British origin. It was pointed out that if the bombers were British, the navigators may have thought they were in the region of northern Italy.

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Decorated 15-pc. Breakfast China Set . . . . .	\$1.95
5-pc. Mixing Bowl Set . . . . .	49c
Good Clothes Pins, 3 dozen . . . . .	20c
Vigoro—Lawn, shrub and plant food, 100 lbs. . . . .	\$4.00
Eclipse Lawnmower with sharpener . . . . .	\$5.95
Grass Shears, each . . . . .	27c
Decorated Cake Covers with Carrier, each . . . . .	98c
Cyanogas Poison for Ants, can . . . . .	35c
Quart Fruit Jars, dozen . . . . .	85c
Oiled Dust Mop with Handle, each . . . . .	19c

**WILCOX HARDWARE**  
WEST OF SCHARBAUER HOTEL