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WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy Sunday and Monday with afternoon and evening showers and thunderstorms over south and central portions Sunday. Little change in temperature.

British Defy Blitzkrieg by Germans

BILLION DOLLAR NAVY BILL SIGNED BY FDR

WASHINGTON, July 20 (AP)—Prompt action to begin construction of the greatest fleet in world history was promised by the navy department today after President Roosevelt signed a bill authorizing a 70 per cent, \$4,000,000,000 increase in naval strength.

Schools to Open September 9, Is Board Decision

Opening of the fall term of Midland public schools has been set for September 9, it was announced late in the week, action having been taken by the school board at its last meeting. The announcement was made at this time for convenience of those on vacation trips or planning them, in order to set dates conveniently for return trips.

Communist Unit at Monahan's Alleged in Report by Dies

BEAUMONT, July 20 (AP)—Reports that communist infiltration in Texas was so pronounced that it embraced at least one state college president, and athletic coach and many teachers and students was released today by sources close to the Dies committee.

Democratic Split In Louisiana Sure On Wallace Choice

NEW ORLEANS, July 20 (AP)—The split among Louisiana democrats over Secretary Wallace's nomination for vice president widened into direct action tonight with the announcement of David W. Pipes, Jr., that he was a republican candidate for governor.

FROM DAUGHTER'S BEDSIDE

Addison Wadley who was called to Dallas last week to the bedside of his daughter, Marian, returned late in the week. He reported Miss Wadley improved and that it is expected she will be permitted to return home in a few days.

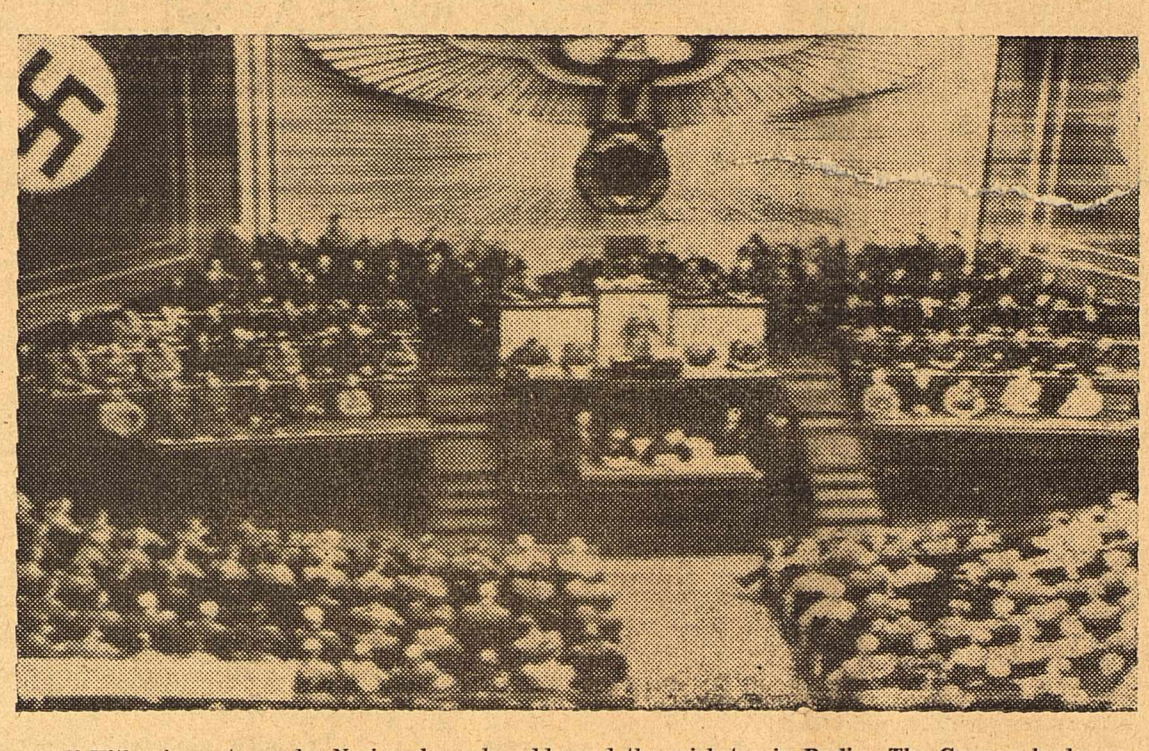
RETRUNTS FROM LUBBOCK

Mrs. A. C. Caswell, who returned from Lubbock hospital Friday, was reported yesterday to be doing well.

INJURED IN FALL

Clarissa Mann, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. W. R. Mann, was admitted to a Midland hospital Friday for medical attention for injuries sustained in a fall from a bicycle.

Hitler Proposes Peace



Adolf Hitler, in center under Nazi eagle, as he addressed the reichstag in Berlin. The German leader appealed to Britain to make peace or perish.

PAN AMERICAN CONFERENCE IN MOST IMPORTANT MEETING YET

HAVANA, July 20 (AP)—The United States delegation became the center of intense activity tonight in informal conversations aimed at formulating proposals on hemisphere defense and economy at the second meeting of American foreign ministers opening here tomorrow.

Garner Packs Office Furnishings and Prepares to Quit the Nation's Capital

WASHINGTON, July 20 (AP)—Vice President Garner packed up his office in the executive mansion today, preparing to leave the capital for his home in Iowa.

West Texas Oil

By FRANK GARDNER. Andrews County. Plug was being drilled yesterday from 9 5/8-inch casing cemented at 2,965 feet in Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Company and Seaboard Oil Corporation No. 1-A Midland Farms Company, southeastern Andrews wildcat northwest of Midland.

Windstorm Halls All-Star Game, 5 Persons Injured

AMARILLO, July 20 (AP)—The West Texas-New Mexico league's all-star game scheduled here tonight was blown and washed away by a high northeast wind and a drenching snow shower.

Ten Landings Are Reported at Airport

Landings of military planes at Midland Municipal Airport totaled 10 for late Friday and Saturday, a checkup at mid-afternoon yesterday showed.

Rape Confession Nets 2-Year Term

ODESSA, July 20 (AP)—District Judge Cecil Collins today sentenced Newton L. Lamar, 62, of Amarillo, to two years in the penitentiary after Lamar pleaded guilty to attempted rape of a nine year old Odessa girl.

Bullitt Reveals How Time Bomb Was Near Fatal

NEW YORK, July 20 (AP)—The trans-Atlantic Dixie Clipper brought home from broken France today United States Ambassador William C. Bullitt, who narrowly escaped death in the bombings which preceded the French collapse.

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EXPECT BRITISH TO OPEN ATTACK

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS. The prelude to the battle of the British Isles apparently was nearing its end last (Saturday) night. Adolf Hitler has presented Germany's last offer—the British must accept Nazi peace terms or face what he says will be destruction.

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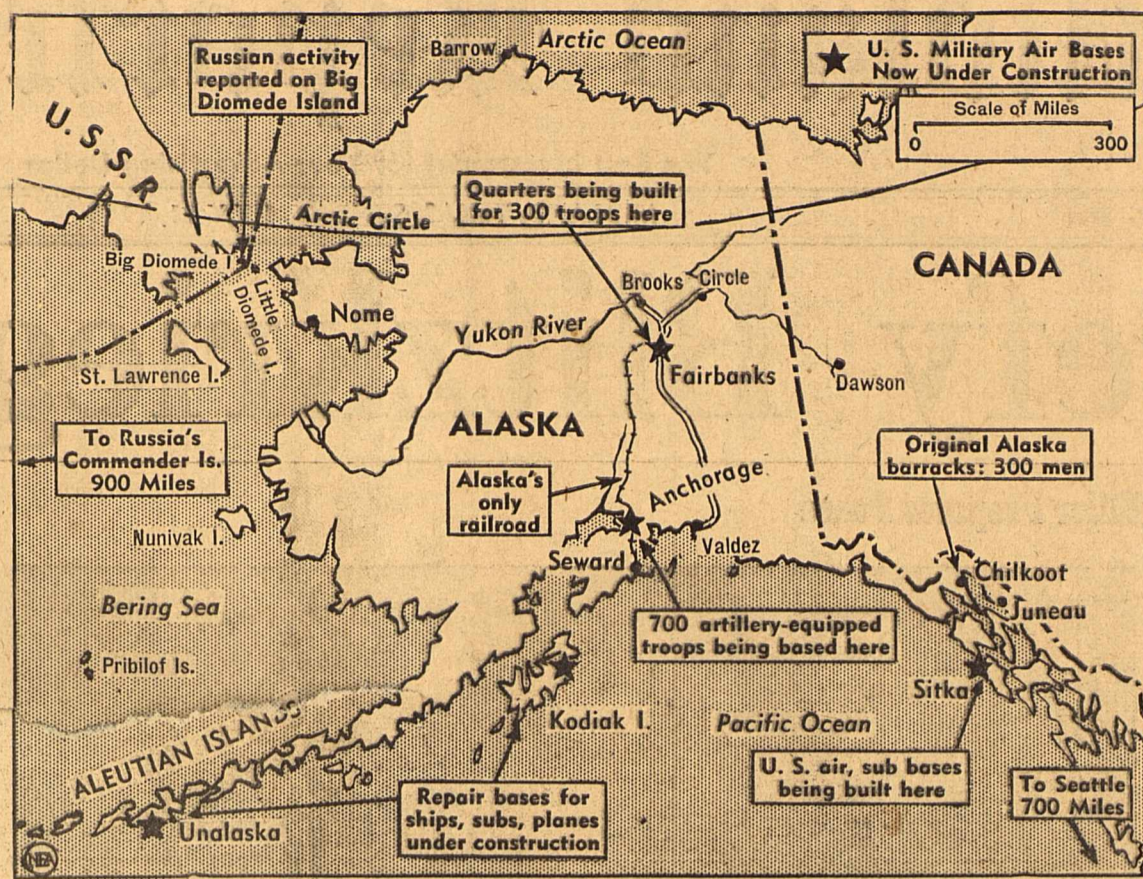
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U. S. RUSHES THE DEFENSE OF ALASKA

This revealing article on today's Alaskan defense problem is a collaboration by Bruce Catton, NEA Service-Reporter-Telegram Washington correspondent, and Sherman Montrose of the NEA San Francisco bureau, who recently flew to Alaska on the first scheduled trip of the new Pan American Airways route.

By BRUCE CATTON and SHERMAN MONTROSE.
 JUNEAU, Alaska.—Two possibilities—a Japanese-Russian agreement and a European development that would require transfer of the bulk of the fleet to the Atlantic—have sent the United States into action to defend Alaska, vast, rich territory so long undefended.

As the Japanese army tries to build up an "incident" over arrest of armed Japanese secret service men by U. S. marines in Shanghai, military experts point out that Alaska is as vital to west coast defense against attack from Asia as is Hawaii. Alas-



The U. S. is beginning to pay some attention to vulnerable Alaska, strengthening defenses there.

gas, oil, copper, tin and other vital and valuable products.

No longer. Developments in Europe and Asia suddenly threw into bold relief Alaska's situation as an air route to the United States.

Siberia is less than an hour by fast bomber, and there new army bases and air posts are being established. A submarine base is being built on Bering Island in the Commander Islands, with German technicians reported supervising this work only a few hundred miles from the American Aleutians.

Activity has been observed in Big Diomedes Island (Russian), which is in sight of Little Diomedes (American).

The Alaskan air bases will be tremendous in size. Not so many planes will be stationed there permanently. But clouds of them can be flown to Alaska in a few hours from Pacific northwest bases. The Alaskan bases must be prepared to handle them, and to do the exploratory and experimental work that goes with flying where the temperature goes to 72 below zero, as it has done at Fairbanks.

ALASKA HAS ONE RAILROAD.

"We need troops and guns, air and navy bases, but above all, roads, airports and planes," says Gov. Ernest Gruening. "In all Alaska there is not one first-class airport. We have no landing fields for large commercial or fighting and bombing planes." All Alaska now has less than 3000 miles of roads, though it is one-fifth as large as the United States, and many of these roads are usable only in summer. Alaska's only operating railroad, from Seward to Fairbanks, about 470 miles, is in no condition to transport heavy guns or armament.

Alaskan defenses are at present inadequate. With all five new bases in operation, and with between 3000 and 10,000 adequately armed and trained troops on hand to guard against parachuters, Alaska would be secure.

The Alaskan air bases have a double value. In any naval action fought in the north Pacific, the support of the American fleet by land-based planes would be invaluable.

SO THEY SAY

Safe and Sane Motoring

(Christian Science Monitor.)

The old joke about the careless motorist trying to bunt the train off the track with his automobile is not a joke after all. About 36 per cent of accidents at highway-railroad grade crossings in 1939 resulted from motor vehicles crashing into the sides of trains, according to a recent report of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

Of the 3,079 grade crossing accidents, 1,096 were thus caused, resulting in 215 fatalities and 1,823 injuries. Many accidents occurred even at crossings protected by gates, watchmen, or signals. In the quest for greater safety, avoidance of sideswiping of trains by motor cars surely is worth trying.

Safety on the highways depends not upon one, but many factors. The Center for Safety Education at New York University has just begun a series of systematic tests on motorists in an effort to discover causes of accidents. Each of twenty-five motorists is to be tested has driven at least 50,000 miles in metropolitan traffic without a reportable mishap in the last five years. This series of tests will be followed by another given to twenty-five accident repeaters in order to compare observations of the "good" and "bad" drivers.

Essential to diminishing automobile accidents is the will to lessen them. Right thinking is necessary to right driving. As a man thinketh, he driveth. Perhaps something like a Golden Rule for motorists might help, such as, "Drive with others on the highway as you would have them drive with you."

Interpreting the War

By DeWitt MacKENZIE
Associated Press Staff Writer

BY KIRKE L. SIMPSON

Amid suspense, deepened by Hitler's surrender-or-die ultimatum to England, the world's attention turns to peaceful events elsewhere of hardly less potential significance.

Another island, serene and beautiful in a new world tropical setting, is the stage for events of a nature which could go even farther to influence world destiny than the immediate fate of England.

In Cuba, the Pan-American conference is gathering in the most important meeting that the new world international family council ever held. Momentous decisions for the Americas and for the world may stem from it.

Down all the years since the beginning of the dream of western hemisphere solidarity to insulate the new world against the wars and ills of the old, there has never been an hour of greater peril—and of greater promise—for that concept.

Ominous echoes of the war in Europe and the chaos that must follow there, from their own meaningful accomplishment for the Havana conference. There is a rising chorus of prediction of winter famine in Europe on a scale never before known.

A winter of want in Europe among the millions trampled by the war, would have world wide repercussions.

Across the Atlantic the new world is a bulging store house of plenty, an alluring objective for an all-conquering Rome-Berlin axis alliance.

The promised axis "new order" in Europe will be built on quick-sands unless its authors can contrive to feed and clothe, not their armies and people alone, but the peoples in nations that have been conquered.

The form that aggression in the Americas takes—whether economic or military, or through "fifth column" machinations—is less immediately important than the certainty that it will come in some form. The Havana conferees can have no serious doubt of that.

Day by day developments of the battle of Britain will have a strong influence on the Havana deliberations.

The strongest card for unity Secretary Hull has to play as representative of the United States at Havana would seem to be this: Despite a red-hot presidential campaign in this country, the rival candidates and party platforms are both pledged to the "total defense" motto, a two-ocean navy and air power to match and supplement it. That makes a collective Pan-American Monroe Doctrine of "one-for-all-and-all-for-one" nearer realization than it ever has been.

8-Point Program For Recovery Is Listed by Willkie

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., July 20 (AP)—Wendell L. Willkie received a comprehensive outline of a new farm program today from Geo. N. Peek, former agricultural adjustment administrator, but the nominee made it plain that Peek's was only one of many suggestions he would consider in drafting the farm section of his acceptance address.

Peek, who left the New Deal administration because of his disagreement with its reciprocal trade policies, read a lengthy memorandum on his views at Willkie's afternoon press conference.

In brief, the former AAA administrator offered this farm program:

1. Secure protection of the American market for the American farmer.
2. An "American price for American commodities" should be insured. Government assistance will be necessary in negotiating for the disposal of surpluses in foreign trade.
3. Development of new uses for farm products.
4. A long range soil conservation program.
5. Farmer-owned and controlled cooperative organizations designed to reduce the price spread between the producer and consumer.
6. Continuation of commodity loans "on a sound basis."
7. Retention of "desirable features" of existing farm legislation.

The stinger of a mosquito weighs six-millionths of an ounce.

British Bomb Smashes Nazi Guns



English censor, passing this picture, said it shows R. A. F. bomb putting out of action new big guns and emplacement cut by Germans in chalk cliff at Calais, France. Presumably Nazi guns were of calibre to shoot across English Channel. Dark edge of photo at top shows where cliff ends, overlooking Straits of Dover, here only 23 miles wide.



Dr. Ernest Gruening, governor of Alaska. "We need troops and guns, air and navy bases, but above all, roads, airports and planes."

Alaska is a short hop for bombing planes from the Asiatic mainland.

Millions are being poured into Alaskan defense. Six hundred men are working on a great airport at Fairbanks that will have 10,000-foot runways, complete base facilities, and quarters for 300 infantry in addition to the air personnel.

More than 700 troops are on their way to Anchorage, where the army's other air base is under construction, with tons of equipment and modern artillery.

The navy is not idle. Seven hundred miles north and west of Seattle lies Sitka, on Baranof Island. Here a navy air and submarine base is being rushed. Another 700 miles west in the Pacific on Kodiak Island a repair base for ships, submarines and planes is well along. And another 700 miles west at Dutch Harbor is another. Nearly \$30,000,000 is being poured into these tasks as fast as it can be spent.

RUSSIANS BUSY CLOSE BY.

Why the hurry? For many years 300 infantry at Chilkoot barracks were regarded as sufficient protection for Alaska's 590,000 square miles of tundra, forests and mountains, with all their riches of gold, timber, furs, silver, lead, coal, platinum, palladium, antimony, tungsten,

Large Crowds Hear Candidates Villify Others, Defend Selves

By The Associated Press

No new issues bobbed up in the gubernatorial campaign last week, but the electorate turned out in great numbers everywhere to hear the six candidates accuse each other or defend themselves.

Indicative of a growing interest in the campaign also was the report from some sections that absentee voting was heavier than in the democratic primary two years ago. Other counties showed fewer advance ballots but it was impossible to draw an accurate conclusion until this phase of the election is concluded Wednesday.

Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel drew big crowds wherever he went in north, east and south Texas last week. The governor, who announced early in the campaign that his duties might prevent an intensive stump

tour, scheduled 28 day and night speeches in West Texas. Jerry Sadler booked 19, and the other candidates concentrated on sectional rallies.

The 18 men sprinting for the one empty chair on the railroad commission were trying desperately to distinguish themselves from the pack. Some of these candidates were trailing the gubernatorial campaigners about the state, taking advantage of even the smallest gathering of voters to put themselves and their problems across.

O'Daniel's campaign was much like his amazing drive of two years ago. This time he was able to call names specifically instead of confine his remarks to a general attack on "professional politicians." Beginning at Greenville Monday night

and throughout the week he vigorously assailed four of the five men running against him, renewed his attack on the game, fish and oyster commission and other Austin boards and bureaus, and everywhere ridiculed statements that his new sound truck cost \$15,000. The governor called for election of a legislature that would "follow the will of the people."

Ernest O. Thompson became the first opponent this year to call O'Daniel a republican. At Terrell he said the governor was "a republican from Kansas, and the only time he ever voted in Texas was for Hoover." At a rally in Austin Thompson said "we've got that Hillbilly on the run" and estimated O'Daniel as the greatest failure "as a governor in the state's history. Everywhere he pounded for taxes on natural resources and attacked O'Daniel as a sales tax advocate.

No less heated was Jerry Sadler's attack on O'Daniel's policies. He cried out against mud-slinging, and offered to withdraw from the race and support O'Daniel if the latter would call a special session of the legislature "and pass a tax on natural resources to pay social security obligations." He plugged for his own tax program as "simple and workable."

James E. Ferguson, campaigning for Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson, told a Houston audience the governor refused to reply to questions about how he proposes to finance social security. He referred to O'Daniel as the "most incompetent" governor in Texas history. He said O'Daniel and not the legislature was responsible for "the old people not getting their pensions."

Harry Hines offered his record as highway commissioner during a heavy week of campaigning that included many a country barbecue and picnic. He told a Leonard farm group that his "practical and economical tax plan" should be "sweet enough music" for the ears of the people, and said this is no time for "entertainment and giggles" in government.

Arlon B. Cyclone Davis stood in (See CANDIDATES, page 6)



have brought home the bacon in this convention but they are about the two most unpopular men in the Democratic party and they have about as much finesse about them as a polar bear would have at barbecue. Ickes and Hopkins can do a good job of rubbing noses into the dirt when they get their opponents down but Farley was too smart for this.

There is hokum at all national conventions. In not one in a hundred is there any or much spontaneous action. Nearly everything is staged for the edification of the sightseers. For the folks back home and for those stupid delegates who don't know any better and who believe everything they see, Wilkie's timing in Philadelphia was a political masterpiece and most of it had been carefully planned and set. The galleries were packed with professional or trained demonstrators and the great surge of telegrams at the last moment was something that was brought up and set off.

But Roosevelt's flop at showman-ship here was that everything he did was so pitifully obvious and even some of his most ardent supporters are astonished and worried. His statement that he "has never had, and has not today, any desire or purpose to continue in the office of President, to be a candidate for the office, or to be nominated by the convention for that office," was the straw that broke the camel's back. From that moment the enthusiasm, which had started to mount into a white heat, began to languish. This was too crude, too childish almost for the major league of politics.

But now that the Democratic nomination is in the bag and out of the way, it is expected that the war will flare up again in Europe. Whether the American people by next November are satisfied with the way Roosevelt has rushed our war preparation, will decide whether it's Roosevelt or Wilkie who will make a President. It is to be hoped that the President doesn't become a war President.



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Home Demonstration Annual Encampment Is Slated for Wednesday and Thursday

Setting of the date and place of the annual encampment and hearing of reports from delegates to the A&M Short Course and from various committee chairmen headlined the meeting of the county home demonstration council at the courthouse Saturday afternoon.

The encampment for county home demonstration club women and 4-H club girls will be held at the North Circle Scharbauer ranch on Wednesday and Thursday of this week, July 24-25.

The recreation committee recommended a program of recreation for the encampment including such entertainment as archery, table games, folk games, and ball games. The recreation chairman of each of the seven clubs in the county will be in charge of one of the forms of entertainment, with each club providing its own equipment.

A menu committee was named including Mrs. B. L. Mason, chairman, Mrs. Herbert King, and Mrs. Earl Fain.

Individuals will bring their own lunches for the Wednesday noon meal. Supper on Wednesday night will be in charge of the 4-H club girls of the county and the Stokes home demonstration club. Three other home demonstration clubs will be in charge of the breakfast Thursday morning, while the remaining three clubs will be responsible for noon-day dinner on Thursday. Individuals will bring their own bedding and eating utensils.

In the reports from Short Course, Mrs. John King reported on business of the State Home Demonstration Association; Mrs. Tyson Midkiff reported on the personnel of the state organization; Mrs. Neal Stanton read Mrs. H. L. Albrecht's report on points in parliamentary procedure applicable to county home demonstration councils; Mrs. C. G. Brunson reported on the land use planning committee; Mrs. Carl Smith reported on the 4-H club girls' Short Course and the high points enjoyed by the Midland girls; and Mrs. Stanton reported on the adult Short Course program. All reports contained references to the county and use planning committee and to the establishment and use of freezer locker plants for meats, fruits, and vegetables.

A committee was appointed to expedite the mass making program to women of the missionary societies of the town and to ask their cooperation in attending the making of mattresses for rural homes and then in contributing one day in directing making of mattresses for town homes. Rural women will direct making of mattresses for rural families.

At the recommendation of Mrs. S. L. Alexander in behalf of the educational expansion committee that the council should immediately deposit in the loan fund enough to bring it to \$100, each club agreed to contribute a sum to the fund.

Report was also made that \$15 each was given by the county commissioners' court and by the chambers of commerce to defray the expenses of the 4-H club girls attending the Short Course.

Mrs. John King, reporting for the expansion committee, pointed out that 37 rural homes and 70 town homes have been reached with the mattress program.

Seventy-three 4-H club members have been given help by club members in such different phases of homemaking as mattress making, foods, bedroom improvement, hog killing, jelly making, food preparation, diet planning, yard improvement, orchard work, and insect and pest control.

Two hundred forty-one different people have been helped in the expansion program.

Reports from the presidents of six of the seven clubs in the county were read.

The year book committee for 1941 and the exhibit committee for 1940 were instructed by the council chairman to make a progress report at the September meeting of the council, relative to plans for another year and for an achievement program. There will be no August meeting of the council unless it is a called session.

Council members present were: Mmes. G. C. Brunson, Roy Tillman, Tyson Midkiff, S. L. Alexander, J. D. Bartlett, Carl Smith, Herbert King, J. E. Wallace, Troy Eliand, G. W. Planton, Dick Midkiff, M. D. Rutherford, B. L. Mason, Earl Fain, Jeff King, John King, and Miss Alpha Lynn, county home demonstration agent.

Visitors were Mrs. Neal Stanton and Mrs. Ward of Prairie Lee club and Mrs. J. L. Hundle of Westside club.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Ulmer were hosts to the Pioneer club with a supper party and evening bridge at their home, 111 North C street, Thursday.

Daisies centered the dining table at the supper hour.

Four tables of bridge formed diversion for the group.

Mrs. O. B. Holt held high score prize for women in the games, while high score for men went to Claude Duffey. Cut prize was won by Mrs. Harry Tolbert.

Present were the following, all club members: Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cowden, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cowden, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Duffey, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Scharbauer, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Tolbert, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Tolbert, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Youngblood, Mrs. O. B. Holt, Mrs. John B. Thomas, and the host and hostess.

M. C. Ulmers Are Hosts to Party For Pioneer Club

Present were the following, all club members: Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cowden, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cowden, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Duffey, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Scharbauer, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Tolbert, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Tolbert, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Youngblood, Mrs. O. B. Holt, Mrs. John B. Thomas, and the host and hostess.

Seven Guests Present Friday At Country Club

Mrs. F. A. Stacy was low medalist for the 18-hole golf matches of the Women's Golf Association, at the Country Club Friday morning. In the putting and pitching contest afterward, Mrs. R. W. Hamilton was winner.

Luncheon was served at the clubhouse at one o'clock and bridge was played afterward. Lucky draw prize in bridge went to Mrs. A. E. Horst.

Hostesses for the day were Mrs. W. G. Henderson and Mrs. R. E. Kinsey.

Present were: Mmes. Jimmie Brooks, R. P. Coats, Barney Great-house, G. E. Hall, R. W. Hamilton, W. B. Harkrider, S. P. Hazlip, W. M. Holmes, A. E. Horst, W. G. Henderson, J. A. Mascho, C. A. Mix, J. P. Ruckman, J. C. Rush, Jimmie Smith, F. A. Stacy, W. P. Thurmon, Frank Johnson, H. S. Forgeron, R. E. Kinsey, Fred Hogan, all members, and seven guests. The guests were: Mmes. Jimmie Burton, Geo. Barham, Walter Jarrett, Joe Hughes, Mrs. A. W. Ashley and Miss Hazel Ashley of Houston, and Mrs. John Perkins.

Hostesses for next Friday will be Mrs. G. E. Hall and Mrs. J. L. Rush.

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Midland Girls in Summer Camp



Pictured above are the West Texas girls including two from Midland who are in Camp Mystic at Hunt, Texas, near Kerrville. Reading from left to right are: Alpha Brown Stacy of Midland, Jane Farr, Rosalie Lemmons, Jane Bryant, Rosemary Hooper, Ann Bryant, Marie Snodgrass, Elma Jean Noble of Mid-

land, Corinne Hall, and Dorothy Bruce.

Elma Jean, daughter of Mrs. Susie G. Noble, is a senior camper and is spending her fourth season at Camp Mystic. This is the first season at the camp for "Brownie" Stacy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Stacy, and she is a junior camper.

"Country School" Bridge Party Novel Courtesy for Club

Mrs. A. M. East entertained for the Escondida club at her home, 511 Holmesley, Friday morning at 10, with a clever "country school" bridge party.

The playing room was decorated to represent a country school, with a bouquet of flowers in a tin can on the table and various other appointments in keeping with the theme.

Talies bore such typical school-ground expressions as "Blanche is a tattletale" and similar sayings.

High score prize in the bridge games went to Mrs. J. C. Cunningham and cut prize to Mrs. S. S. Stinson.

At the luncheon hour, luncheon was served in shoe boxes with sandwiches and all-day suckers carrying out the motif of the school lunch box.

Present were: Mmes. Harry Adams, Cunningham, D. H. Griffith, J. L. Greene, Butler Hurley, E. S. Hitchcock, Stinson, the hostess, and her houseguest, Miss Pauline LaRoe of Kaufman.

Westside Club Entertains Families At Basket Picnic

Westside home demonstration club members entertained their families with a basket picnic at Cloverdale park, Thursday evening.

After the supper, 42 games were played.

Attending were: Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Mead and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Upham and family, Mrs. J. D. Webb and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Tillman and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Fryar and granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Forehan, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Elkin, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Smith and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hundle and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harwell and family, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Alexander and family, Miss Alpha Lynn, Mrs. G. A. Gregory, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Baker.

TO OKLAHOMA CITY.

Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor of Crane and her sister, Miss Doris Lattie Stapleton of Midland, left early Saturday for Oklahoma City. They will return by Hamilton.

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LUBBOCK, TEXAS

University Club To Dance at Hotel On Saturday Night

July dance of the Midland University club will be held in the air-conditioned Crystal ballroom at Hotel Scharbauer, Saturday night, July 27, officials have announced.

Jack Amung and his orchestra, now playing at the Show Boat in Fort Worth, will furnish music for the evening. The orchestra features Sue Jackson as vocalist.

Dancing will be from 10 o'clock until 2 o'clock in the morning.

The affair is informal and invitational as is traditional for the club.

Children's Service League Meets With Mrs. Jack Brown

Despite the absence of several members, the Children's Service League held its regular session Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Jack Brown, 706 W. Storey.

Club hours were devoted to sewing for the organization's welfare work.

Refreshments were served to the group.

Those present, all members, were: Mmes. R. L. Blunden, Fred M. Cassiday, J. W. Christian, Ralph Fitting Jr., L. S. Page, W. T. Schneider, and the hostess.

Clean Skin Is Most Essential to Lovely Complexion

"A clean skin is the most important essential in obtaining a lovely complexion," Miss Alpha Lynn, county home demonstration agent, explained to the members of Stokes home demonstration club meeting in the home of Mrs. J. C. Brooks, Thursday afternoon.

"Daily cleansing of the skin with warm water and a soap that agrees with the individual skin nature, a thorough rinsing with warm water, and a delicate lubrication with a cream that agrees with the particular skin will afford the surface cleansing for the healthy skin," Miss Lynn said. She stated that very cold water or ice is an excellent skin freshener and may be used effectively to close the skin pores after cleansing and before putting on powder and make up.

During the demonstration on grooming Miss Lois Nance, a visitor from Winters, assisted Miss Lynn. Miss Nance set Mrs. Grady Roberts' hair, explaining each step in terms of the daily care of the hair. Miss Lynn manicured Pauline Price's fingernails, and gave Mrs. Barnett Collier a night and daytime care of the skin.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to Mrs. H. A. Parker, Mrs. Barnett Collier, Mrs. Grady Roberts, Mrs. J. T. Price, Miss Pauline Price, Mrs. Roy Tillman of Westside home demonstration club, Miss Lois Nance, Miss Lynn and the hostess. The club adjourned to meet on their next regular date at the home of Mrs. Marvin Bramlett.

Belmont Bible Class Makes 19 Dresses For Red Cross

Belmont Bible class has made a total of 19 dresses for the Red Cross. It was learned with the announcement Friday afternoon that 10 more of the garments had been completed. Announcement was made at the meeting of the class with Mrs. Gladys Holster, 600 North A street.

Mrs. W. L. Sutton opened the meeting with prayer and Mrs. A. B. Stickney offered the closing prayer.

Mrs. Sutton also brought the lesson from the ninth and tenth chapters of Leviticus.

Refreshments were served to: Mmes. C. Shafer, R. Chanslor, Bertie Mitchell, Sutton, W. P. Collins, Stickney, and the hostess.

The class will meet next Friday with Mrs. Chanslor at 605 W. Ohio.

Greasewood Club, Guests Complimented With Barbecue

Greasewood home demonstration club members and families with a large group of invited guests were entertained with a barbecue at the ranch home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Preston, Friday evening.

During the evening, square dances, the schottische, and other old-fashioned dances provided amusement.

More than 100 people, it was estimated, were present for the affair. Out-of-town guests were Mr. Preston's aunt, Mrs. Nellie Holly of Brownwood; his sister, Miss Ollie Preston of Evant, Texas; his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Douglas of Houston; his brother, Tom Preston of Andrews; Mrs. Preston's sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Keihley and their son of Garden City; Mrs. Margaret Brunson and daughter, Bobby Lyn of Amarillo.

B&PW Club Will Have Steak Supper

Business and Professional Women's club will hold its only meeting for July at the home of Mrs. Frances Stallworth, 307 North D street, Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

A regular program will be presented and a new treasurer will be elected.

The recreational aspect of the meeting will be stressed with a grilled steak supper, prepared on the grill in Mrs. Stallworth's attractive back yard, as the high point of the evening. Each club member is requested to bring a small steak for grilling.

All club members are urged to attend.

Will Appear in Studio Recital



Norma Jean Hubbard, pictured above, will be presented by the Watson school of music in a studio recital at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Hubbard, 2001 W. Texas, Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock. Although only nine years old, Norma Jean has won national honors in the National Piano Playing tournament for three years. This year she won the honor with a rating of excellent. For her recital Wednesday, she will play numbers from Bach, Schumann, Paderewski, Bizet, and modern composers. She will announce her own program, telling some facts about each composition played. The recital, which will be invitational, will be combined with a coffee for which Mrs. Hubbard will be hostess.

Coming Events

MONDAY.

Business and Professional Women's club will meet at the home of Mrs. Frances Stallworth, 307 North D, Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock for a program and grilled steak supper. Each member is asked to bring a small steak for grilling. All club members are urged to be present for this, the only meeting of the group in July.

All circles of the Baptist missionary union will meet in the young people's department in the new educational building at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon for mission study. Glenn Walker circle will be in charge.

Women's missionary society of the Methodist church will meet for a short program on the World Outlook Monday afternoon at the church at 3:30 o'clock. After the brief session, the group will visit sick and shut-ins.

Presbyterian auxiliary will meet at the church at 3:15 o'clock Monday afternoon for an inspirational program. Mrs. J. L. Greene will be program leader.

TUESDAY.

Texas Tech club will have a swimming party at 7 o'clock, Tuesday evening at Pagoda Pool. After the swim, a watermelon feast will be held at the park near the pool. All graduates and ex-students of Texas Tech are invited to attend.

Midland county museum in the courthouse will be open Tuesday from 2:30 o'clock until 5 o'clock. The public is invited.

WEDNESDAY.

Dos Reales club will meet with Mrs. H. T. Newsum, 507 N. Peecos, Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Banner Sewing club will meet with Mrs. J. Wymer Smith, 408 S. Lorraine, Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Tell-U club will meet with Mrs. G. D. Fuller at her home on Maiden Lane, Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

THURSDAY.

Midland county museum in the courthouse will be open Thursday afternoon from 2:30 o'clock until 5. The public is invited.

Women's Golf Association will meet for play at the Country Club Friday morning at 8:30 o'clock. Business meeting will be held at noon and luncheon served at one o'clock at the club house. Hostesses will be Mrs. G. E. Hall and Mrs. J. L. Rush.

Belmont Bible class will meet with Mrs. R. Chanslor, 605 W. Ohio, Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

FRIDAY.

Midland county museum in the courthouse will be open Saturday afternoon from 2:30 o'clock until 5. The public is invited.

Midland University club will hold its monthly dance in the air-conditioned Crystal ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer, Saturday night from 10 o'clock until 2 a. m. Jack Amung and his orchestra will play. The dance is informal and invitational.

SATURDAY.

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

SUNDAY.

Midland county museum in the courthouse will be open Sunday afternoon from 2:30 o'clock until 5. The public is invited.

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Ladies Golf Tournament Will Be Held Here on August 1-4

Starting with a mixed foursome match, Wednesday, July 31, and running four days through August 1 through Sunday, August 4, the Ladies' Golf Association of Midland Country Club is going to have an invitation tournament that has never been equalled in Midland.

The Midland women have always been on one of the best tournaments in West Texas, and now with the golf course in by far the best shape it has ever been in, the tournament looks as quite an outstanding affair.

Invitations are being printed and will be sent to all the nearby clubs in this West Texas area, and a record field is expected.

The program follows:

July 31: Mixed foursomes.

August 1: Qualifying day. Long driving contest at 5 o'clock. Barbecue at the club at 7-9.

August 2: Match play. Cocktail hour at 5 o'clock. Putting contest, 8 o'clock.

August 3: Match play. Informal dance.

August 4: Championship finals (36 holes). Four o'clock tea hour. Presentation of prizes.

Following are the officers and members of committees for the tournament:

Mrs. W. P. Thurman, president; Mrs. A. E. Horst, secretary and treasurer; sports committee: Mrs. F. A. Stacey, Mrs. C. A. Mix, Mrs. E. B. Dozier, Mrs. J. L. Rush, Mrs. G. G. Nowell; entertainment committee: Mrs. P. H. Liberty, Mrs. J. W. House, Mrs. R. W. Hamilton, Mrs. G. A. Black.

Mrs. L. A. Absber is in charge of the cocktail hour; Mrs. R. E. Kinsey is in charge of the tea hour.

Friday's Game

MIDLAND

	ABRHP	POA
Moore lf	4	0 0 1 0
Congour lb	3	0 0 10 0
Greer ss	4	0 1 2 3
Sealing rf	4	0 1 0 0
Hale 3b	4	0 1 0 2
Williams cf	3	0 0 1 3
Naranjo 2b	2	0 1 1 1
Engles rf	1	0 0 2 0
Rudes c	3	0 1 6 0
Kanagy p	0	0 0 0 0
Janowski p	1	0 0 0 0
Patrick p	1	0 0 0 1
Lucas p	1	0 0 0 0
	31	0 6 24 10

LUBBOCK

	ABRHP	POA
Niedziela 2	5	2 2 3 5
Drake 1	4	3 1 10 0
Schweda rf	4	3 2 1 0
Hajduk lf	4	3 2 1 0
Watkins cf	5	3 3 2 0
Schlereth 3	5	3 2 2 2
Castino c	5	3 3 4 1
Mahan ss	5	0 0 3 3
Ralsh p	5	3 2 1 1
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Summary: Errors—Greer, Congour, Drake, Hale. Runs batted in Watkins 5, Castino 3, Drake 2, Hajduk 3, Schlereth 3, Schweda 3, Niedziela 3. Two-base hits—Drake, Rudes, Niedziela, Hajduk, Watkins. Three base hits—Hajduk, Schlereth, Schweda. Home runs—Watkins, Williams, Schlereth, Stolen bases—Williams, Schweda. Sacrifices—Niedziela. Double play—Niedziela to Mahan to Drake. Left of bases—Midland 6, Lubbock 4. Bases on balls off Ralsh 2, Kanagy 3, Janowski 2, Patrick 2. Struck out—by Janowski 2, Ralsh 3, Patrick 2, Lucas 1. Hits and runs of Kanagy 1 and 3 in 1/3 inning; Janowski 5 and in 2 1/3, Patrick 10 and in 2 1/3, Lucas 1 and none in 3. Wild pitches—Kanagy, Ralsh. Passed balls—Rudes 2. Losing pitcher—Kanagy. Umpires—Thompson and Ethridge. Time—2:18.

Major League Results Saturday

American

PHILADELPHIA, July 20 (AP)—Pounding four pitchers for 19 hits, the Chicago White Sox set an American league scoring record for the season by defeating the Athletics, 19 to 7, here today.

The victory was the sixth in a row for southpaw Edgar Smith, who tied in the eighth and was replaced by Pete Appleton. Chicago 800 070 004—19 19 1 Philadelphia 021 002 020—7 13 4 Smith Appleton ad Tresh; Caster, Beckman, Heusser, Besse and Brucker, Hayes.

NEW YORK, July 20 (AP)—With the aid of Hank Greenberg's big bat, young Harold Newhouser pitched the Detroit Tigers to a 3 to 1 victory over the Yankees today. Newhouser allowed eight hits and Hank clouted a triple, double and two singles.

Detroit 001 011 000—3 10 0 New York 000 001 000—1 8 1 Newhouser and Sullivan; Ruffing, Sundra and Rosar.

BOSTON, July 20 (AP)—The Cleveland Indians, after dropping six games in a row, came to life against Boston Red Sox pitching today and blasted out a 9 to 6 victory. Ken Keltner and Ray Mack of Cleveland hit homers off the Sox starter, Lefty Grove.

Cleveland 040 000 302—9 13 0 Boston 100 111 020—5 12 4 Harder, Allen and Hemsley; Grove, Johnson and Peacock.

WASHINGTON, July 20 (AP)—The St. Louis Browns took the first of a three-game series from Washington by a score of 4 to 1 today, defeating rookie pitcher Sidney Hudson who had pitched his last six starts. Walter Judnich, St. Louis outfielder, hit a home run.

St. Louis 000 010 210—4 8 1 Washington 100 000 000—1 7 3 Niggling and Susce; Hudson and Ferrell.

Golf Tournament For Juniors Slated In Big Spring

The third annual West Texas Junior golf tournament will be held on the Big Spring municipal golf course on August 7-8-9, it was announced yesterday.

The tournament is open to all boys West Texas under 21 years of age upon payment of the \$1 entrance fee.

Prizes will be awarded to medalist and the winner, runner-up and consolation winners in all flights.

There will be free dormitory facilities for all entries, provided they furnish their own cots and blankets.

Harold Akey, box 612, and H. F. Malone, box 1051, Big Spring, will be in charge of registration.

Bedford, Voorhies Pace Junior Batting

Averages of the Junior League, compiled Saturday, show that Bedford of the Jaycee Colts and Voorhies of the Wadley's were leading the league in hitting, each having got 10 hits in 15 times at the bat for averages of .667. Other hitters in the "big ten" included Perkins with an average of .600, Hill 537, Neathen 474, Kelly 450, Parks 417, Davidson 400, Anderson 385, Roy 357.

Forest of Smith's Bedford and Hale of the Colts and Hall of Wadley's were leading pitchers with one win and no losses each.

Revolta Takes Lead at Half-Way Mark in Chicago Open Tournament

CHICAGO, July 20 (AP)—Curly-haired Johnny Revolta, long one of the finest short-iron artists in the game, demonstrated his wizardry today with a three-under-par 69 performance which gave him a 36-hole total of 136 strokes—and the leadership of the \$5,000 Chicago open golf championship at the half way point.

The 29-year-old professional from Evanston, Ill., who had a fine five under par 67 yesterday, gave a brilliant exhibition of chip and explosion shots in four of his five birdies as he went out in 36, even par, and came home in 33, three under regulation figures.

In second place as the tourney headed for tomorrow's 36-hole final was Ralph Guldahl, two-time winner of the National Open. He came in with a blazing 34-34-68, for a 36-hole total of 137.

The amateur contingent was still in there "pitching." Jim Ferrier, open and amateur champion of Australia, who led the field yesterday with a 66, came in today with a 73 for a 139 total which led the simon-pure entries.

Also in the 1939 bracket was Dick Metz, Chicago professional. In the 141 division were amateurs, Wilford Wehrle and Willie Trunessa, former national Amateur titleholder.

Jim Foulis, Chicago, and Al Huske, Kalb, Ill., were in the 142 bracket, with a Chicago professional Bob McDonald and Ben Hogan of New York, at 143. Among the equalizers of par of 144 were Ed Oliver, Harry Cooper and Gene Sarazen.

Lawson Little, who had a 73 yesterday, pitched par today for a 145 total. Sam Snead could do no

FEMININE FANCIES

By Kathleen Eiland

If we were going to choose the most auspicious time for writing a column of comment, that is a column that should have sense, humor, and reader-appeal, we'd never choose the tag-end of a day, especially Saturday. Having arrived at that point of time, however, with no column written, we'll have to make the best of things.

We read a curious thing the other day—that is that odors are actually said to have weight. And here, for all the misguided years of life, we had thought it only a manner of speaking to mention a "heavy" perfume or a "light" fragrance! Well, there's nothing like living and learning. And considering the number of things we have yet to learn, we could exist upon this earth quite probably for a hundred years.

We are glad to see that fall is returning to favor and is being stressed in first arrivals among fall

better than a 75 today for a 36 hole total of 148. This put him well within the group of some 75 players who qualified for the finals but far away from a reasonable chance of copping the first prize money of \$1,500.

clothes. There's something rich and dignified and spirit-supporting about fall, in addition to the durability which makes it appeal to the practical.

A black faille jacket over a one-piece black faille dress with black lace yoke-top is something to catch one's breath over.

Here's a hint for the girl who likes evening clothes that are up-to-the-minute—or thirty seconds ahead: Choose a velvet and wool evening costume. A checked skirt of the wool and a jacket top of velvet.

Satin—the heavy lustrous black satin—is ace high, too, in a luxurious evening gown with strategically-applied shirring.

But why even talk about new fall clothes? After all, there are two months of hot weather yet, good for our cotton and thin dresses. For which, surveying our financial standing, we give thanks.

At Your Library

New books just received: "Mr. Marlow Stops for Brandy," by John Bentley (mystery).

"Quietly My Captain Waits," by Evelyn Eaton: A historical romance of the French in early Canada, and of the historical role played by a gallant woman, Madame Louise de Preneuse. In Quebec, she had gone through an unhappy love affair with a young ensign in the French navy Pierre had sailed for France and Louise had married, but without love—and now, seven years later, they both realized they still love each other. With this initial situation, Evelyn Eaton writes of the loves and adventures of this glamorous woman, and deftly draws a vivid and unforgettable picture of colonial life in a vital epoch of our history.

"There Is Always Love," by Emille Loring: The action centers around a society jewel robbery in which a charming young secretary and the two rivals for her love play an important and surprising role. Romance, excitement and a happy ending.

"The Heart Is a Lonely Hunter," by Carson McCullers: Four people in a small southern mill town find in a mute the answer to the riddles of their lives: tomboy Mike Kelly, growing up with a genius for music; Jake Blount, ranting among half-truths; the disillusioned negro dresser, Dr. Copeland; and observing, soft-spoken Biff Brannon. The lives of these four interweave; each gropes for a solution to his problems; and each feels that an answer has been found by this quiet, tolerant man.

"The March of the Barbarians," by Harold Lamb: "The early history of the nomads of the steppes of Asia, followed by the story of Genghis Khan and the rules of his descendants. Told with color and dramatic effect."

"Incredible Era," by Samuel Hopkins Adams: The life and times of

"Rose Galbraith," by Grace Livingston Hill: Her mother's sudden death left Rose alone to make the long trip to Scotland to visit her relatives and she was totally unprepared for her aunt's coldness and the intrigue that surrounded her at Stirling Castle. But Rose, courageous and spirited, after exciting adventures eventually won her way to serenity and fulfillment.

"A Southerner Discovers New England," by Jonathan Daniels: "In the same leisurely manner that he observed the south and recorded what he found in 'A Southerner Discovers the South' (also in the library), the author now visits New England and tells of its people and industries. It is humane reporting, with an appreciation of an unhappy economic situation, combined with candor about New England complacency." (Booklist.)

"Cattle Kings of Texas," by C. L. Douglas: Here is the story of the early cattle kings told in a style as pungent as 'sweaty leather, as informal as a chuck wagon supper, and as real as these 'old time cowmen and beef barons themselves."

"Richard Halliburton," his story of his life's adventures as told in letters to his mother and father.

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Warren Gamaliel Harding. "A sincere study of the personal tragedy of Warren G. Harding and the strange causes behind it. More than that, it takes the reader back to the exciting days of the early twenties—days which are already a fantastic memory."

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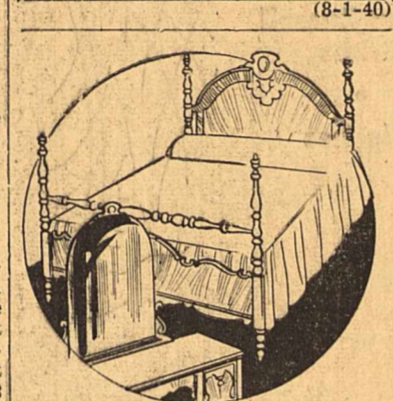
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 (Re-election)

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NORMAN L. WOODY
ED DARNELL (Big Ed)
A. R. (Slim) GREEN

For County Attorney:
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 (Re-election)
JOSEPH H. MIMS
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 (Re-election)
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LOIS PATTERSON
 (Re-election)
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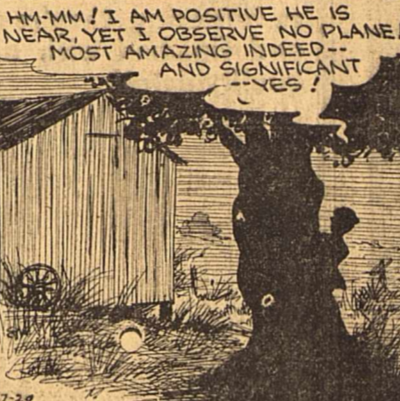
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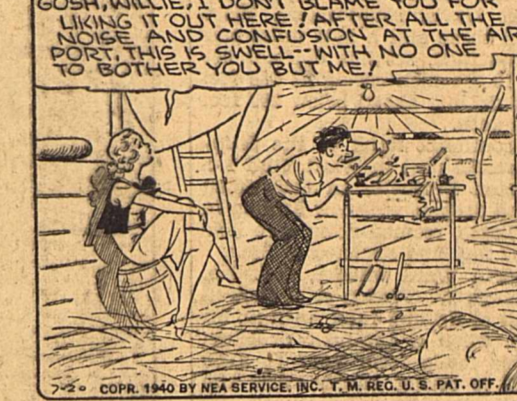
BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



HM-HM! I AM POSITIVE HE IS NEAR, YET I OBSERVE NO PLANE! MOST AMAZING INDEED-- AND SIGNIFICANT VOICES--



AH-HH, I DETECT VOICES--

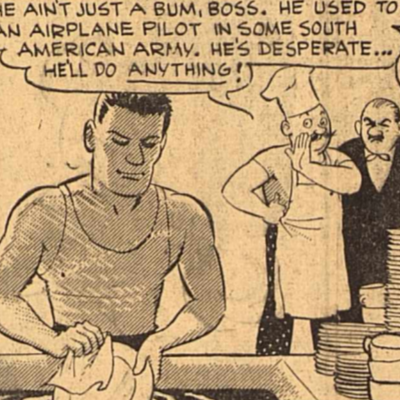


GOSH, WILLIE, I DON'T BLAME YOU FOR LICKING IT OUT HERE, AFTER ALL THE NOISE AND CONFUSION AT THE AIR-PORT, THIS IS SWEET-- WITH NO ONE TO BOTHER YOU BUT ME!



By EDGAR MARTIN

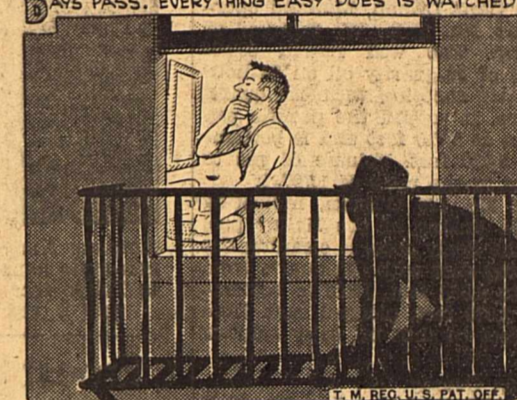
WASH TUBBS



HE AIN'T JUST A BUM, BOSS. HE USED TO BE AN AIRPLANE PILOT IN SOME SOUTH AMERICAN ARMY. HE'S DESPERATE... HELL DO ANYTHING!



THAT NEW DISHWASHER HAS POSSIBILITIES, K-4. MEBBE YOU BETTER DO A LITTLE INVESTIGATING



AYS PASS. EVERYTHING EASY DOES IS WATCHED



HE LOOKS OKAY, BOSS. HE TALKS TO NOBODY, MAKES NO PHONE CALLS, SETS NO MAIL, AND SENDS NONE

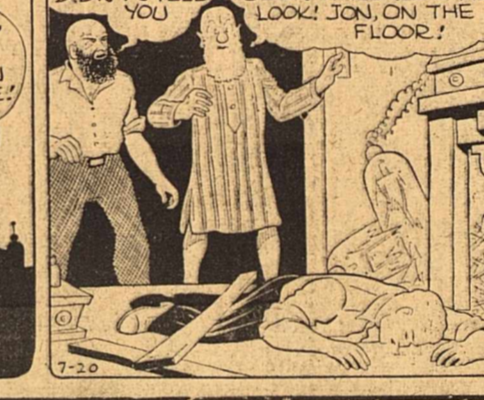
KEEP SHADOWING HIM. WE CAN'T TEK CHANCES ON HIM BEING A G-MAN!

By ROY CRANE

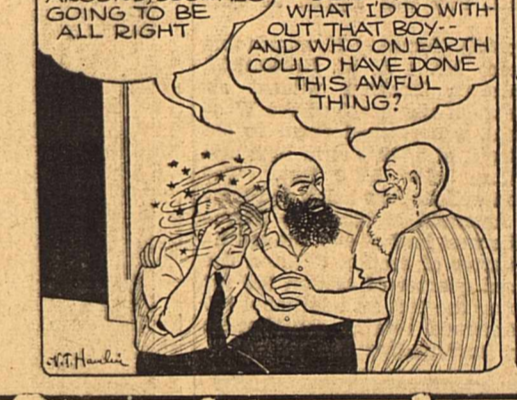
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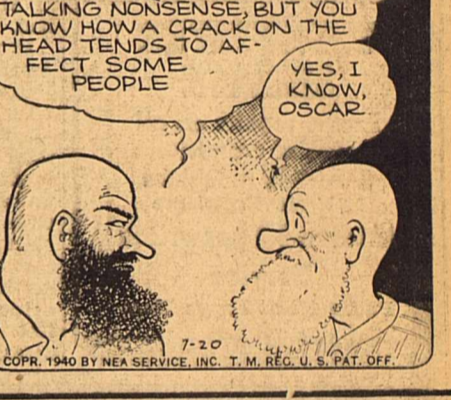
HELP! WOW! OH, DOC! YEEOW!



THERE! SEE? DIDN'T I TELL YOU



MY TIME MACHINE! IT'S BEEN WICKED-- AND LOOK! JON ON THE FLOOR!



TH' LAD IS COMING AROUND DOC. HE'S GOING TO BE ALL RIGHT

OH, THANK HEAVEN! I DON'T KNOW WHAT I'D DO WITH OUT THAT BOY-- AND WHO ON EARTH COULD HAVE DONE THIS AWFUL THING?

WE MAY NEVER KNOW-- OF COURSE THE BOY WILL PROBABLY START TALKING NONSENSE, BUT YOU KNOW HOW A CRACK ON THE HEAD TENDS TO AFFECT SOME PEOPLE

YES, I KNOW, OSCAR.

By V. T. HAMLIN

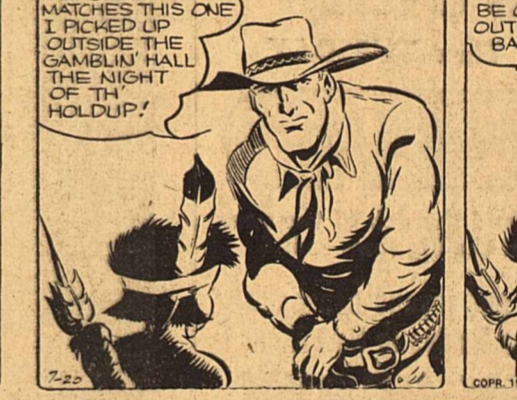
RED RYDER



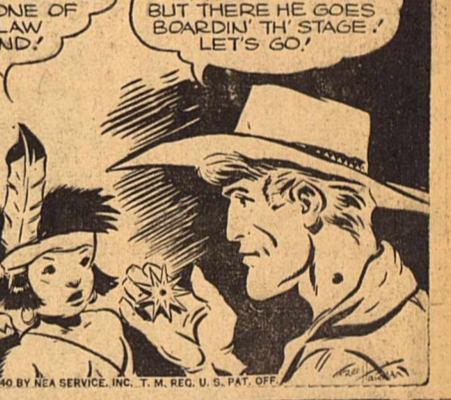
LOOKUM, RED RYDER! THAT WAX'S SPUR ROWER MISSING!



SH-H-H, LITTLE BEAVER!



I'LL SEE IF IT MATCHES THIS ONE I PICKED UP OUTSIDE THE GAMBLIN' HALL THE NIGHT OF THE HOLDUP!



THEN HIM MUST BE ONE OF OUTLAW BAND!

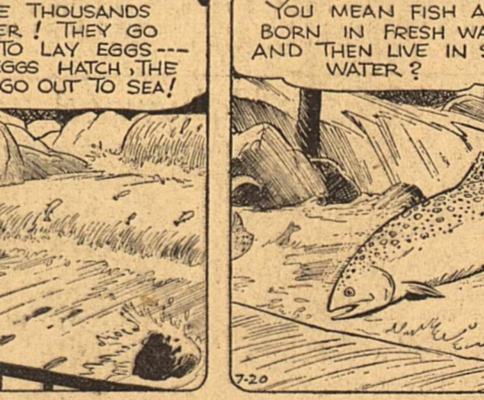
I FIGGER TH' SAME-- BUT THERE HE GOES BOARDIN' TH' STAGE! LET'S GO!

By FRED HARMAN

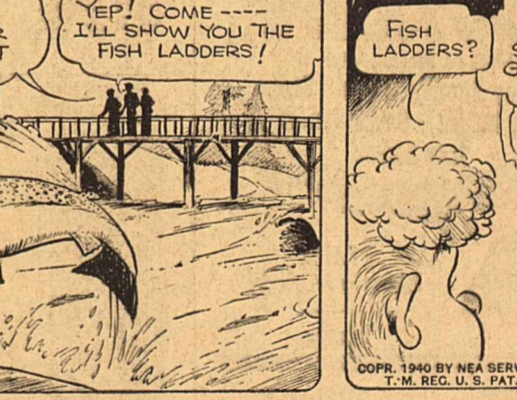
FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



SALMON! HOLY SMOKE! DOZENS OF 'EM!



THERE! I'LL BE THOUSANDS OF 'EM LATER! THEY GO UPSTREAM TO LAY EGGS-- WHEN THE EGGS HATCH, THE BABY FISH GO OUT TO SEA!



YOU MEAN FISH ARE BORN IN FRESH WATER AND THEN LIVE IN SALT WATER?



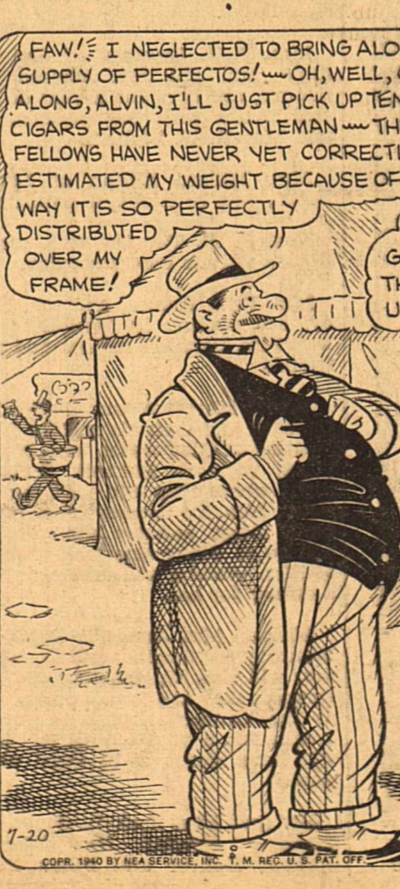
YEP! COME --- I'LL SHOW YOU THE FISH LADDERS!

FISH LADDERS? YEP! THEY WERE BUILT SO THE SALMON COULD GET UP THE STREAM EASIER!

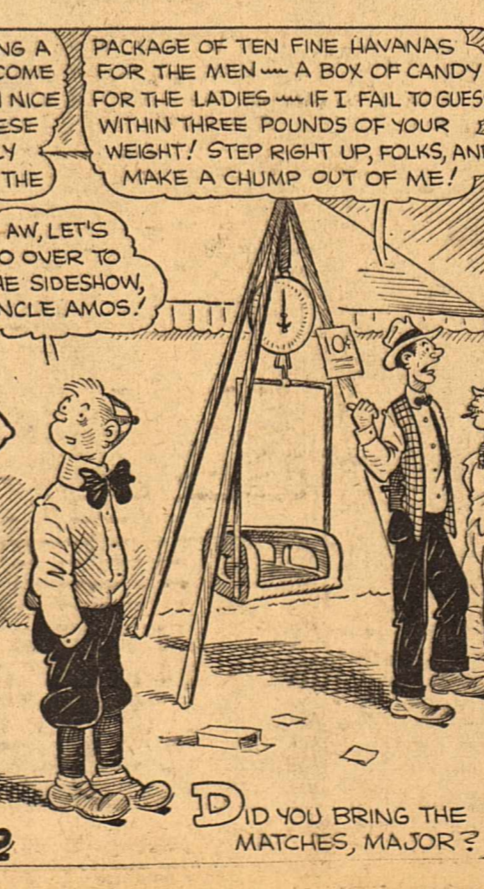
LISTEN, MISTER, WE MAY LOOK LIKE HICKS, BUT YOU CAN'T MAKE US BELIEVE ANYBODY COULD TRAIN A SALMON TO CLIMB A LADDER!

By MERRILL BLOSSER

OUR BOARDING HOUSE



FAW! I NEGLECTED TO BRING ALONG A SUPPLY OF PERFECTOS! OH, WELL, COME ALONG, ALVIN, I'LL JUST PICK UP TEN NICE CIGARS FROM THIS GENTLEMAN-- THESE FELLOWS HAVE NEVER YET CORRECTLY ESTIMATED MY WEIGHT BECAUSE OF THE WAY IT IS SO PERFECTLY DISTRIBUTED OVER MY FRAME!



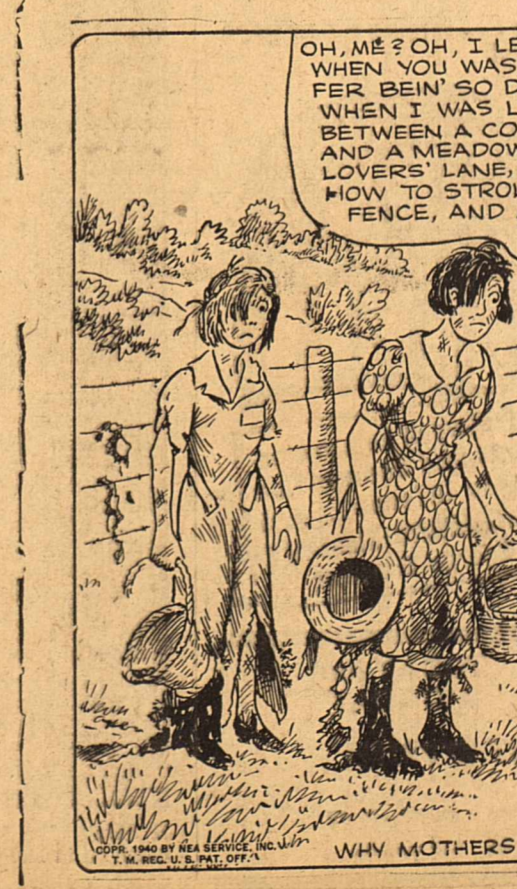
PACKAGE OF TEN FINE HAVANAS FOR THE MEN-- A BOX OF CANDY FOR THE LADIES-- IF I FAIL TO GUESS WITHIN THREE POUNDS OF YOUR WEIGHT! STEP RIGHT UP, FOLKS, AND MAKE A CHUMP OUT OF ME!

AW, LET'S GO OVER TO THE SIDESHOW, UNCLE AMOS.

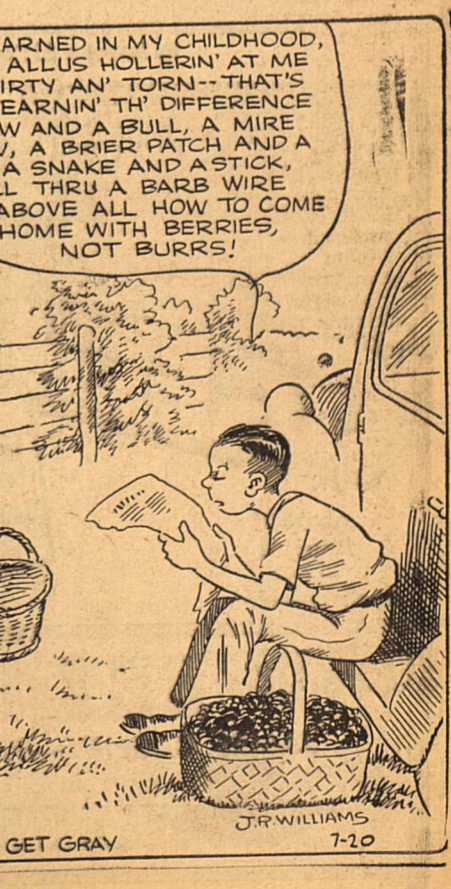
DID YOU BRING THE MATCHES, MAJOR?

By J. R. WILLIAMS

OUT OUR WAY



OH, ME? OH, I LEARNED IN MY CHILDHOOD, WHEN YOU WAS ALLUS HOLLERIN' AT ME FER BEIN' SO DIRTY AN' TORN-- THAT'S WHEN I WAS LEARNIN' TH' DIFFERENCE BETWEEN A COW AND A BULL, A MIRE AND A MEADOW, A BRIER PATCH AND A LOVERS' LANE, A SNAKE AND A STICK, HOW TO STROLL THRU A BARB WIRE FENCE, AND ABOVE ALL HOW TO COME HOME WITH BERRIES, NOT BURRS!



WHY MOTHERS GET GRAY

By J. R. WILLIAMS

Oil News--

(Continued from page one)

3,568 feet for natural potential of 757 barrels per day. Oil tested 35.6-gravity, and gas was in the ratio of 857-1. The well entered pay lime at 3,511 feet.

Barnsdall Oil Company No. 12 R. W. Smith, North Cowden pool well, was shot with 310 quarts of nitro in pay horizon from 4,060 to 4,210 feet, bottom of the hole, and flowed 850.15 barrels of 34.5-gravity crude on 24-hour Railroad Commission gauge. Gas-oil ratio figured 753-1.

Gaines County Continental Oil Company No. 4-50 A. L. Wasson, in the Gaines sector of the Wasson field, which lies chiefly in Yoakum county, was gauged at potential of 1,258.56 barrels a day after acidizing lime from 4,880 to 5,040 feet, total depth, with 6,000 gallons. Oil is 33.9-gravity, gas-oil ratio 572-1.

A short west outpost to the south edge of the Seminole field, central Gaines, Magnolia Petroleum Company and Atlantic Refining Company No. 3-221 Havemyer & Lemmy is drilling at 5,142 feet in lime.

Glasscock County Moore Brothers of Midland No. 1 H. S. Currie, wildcat in the south part of the county, showed oil in samples from 2,820-30 feet, but no oil was present in 18 feet of lime recovered by coring from 2,830-48 feet. The test is drilling ahead below 2,850 feet in lime.

Hockley County Magnolia No. 1-B Mallett Land & Cattle Company, in extreme southwestern Hockley, is preparing to run 5 1/2-inch casing at 4,955 feet in lime. It is a "link" test between the Duggan pool of Cochran and the Slaughter field of Hockley.

Pecos County Taubert, McKee and Siemoneit No. 1 Mrs. Virginia W. Crockett, scheduled Ordovician test in the McKee area of northern Pecos, was scheduled to spud at noon yesterday. It is in section 4 1/2, block 3, H. & T. C. survey.

Plymouth Oil Company No. 1 Richard Levy et al, also an Ordovician test, recovered 10 feet of lime showing a little oil staining and sulphur water in core from 5,800-18 feet. Next core, from 5,818-34, returned seven feet of lime showing mostly sulphur water, with a little oil present. Drilling ahead with rockbit from 5,834 feet was slated.

Flames Leap High

A California scientist states that flames leap outward from the surface of the sun at the rate of 20,000 miles a minute, and sometimes reach a height of 500,000 miles.

The test is in the southwest corner of section 104, block 8, H. & G. N. survey.

Ward County Texaco No. 4-E State (University), in the Estes pool of Ward, was shot with 253 quarts in pay zone from 2,620-80 feet, total depth, and flowed 35.2-gravity oil at the rate of 728.85 barrels daily, with gas-oil ratio of 372-1.

Sinclair-Prairie Oil Company No. 1 Wirt Davis, southeastern Ward wildcat three and a half miles east of Grandfalls, set but did not cement 10 3/4-inch casing at 182 feet and is drilling ahead below 290 feet in red beds.

On southeast flank of the Shipley Permian pool in Ward, Gulf No. 5 Wristen Brothers, an Ordovician test and deepest well now drilling in West Texas, reamed-down core hole to 8,597 feet and resumed drilling.

A north Ward wildcat, Gulf No. 141 George W. O'Brien et al showed 120 feet of drilling fluid, with no oil or gas, when a one-hour drillstem test was made from 2,697 to 2,968 feet. It is coring ahead below the latter depth.

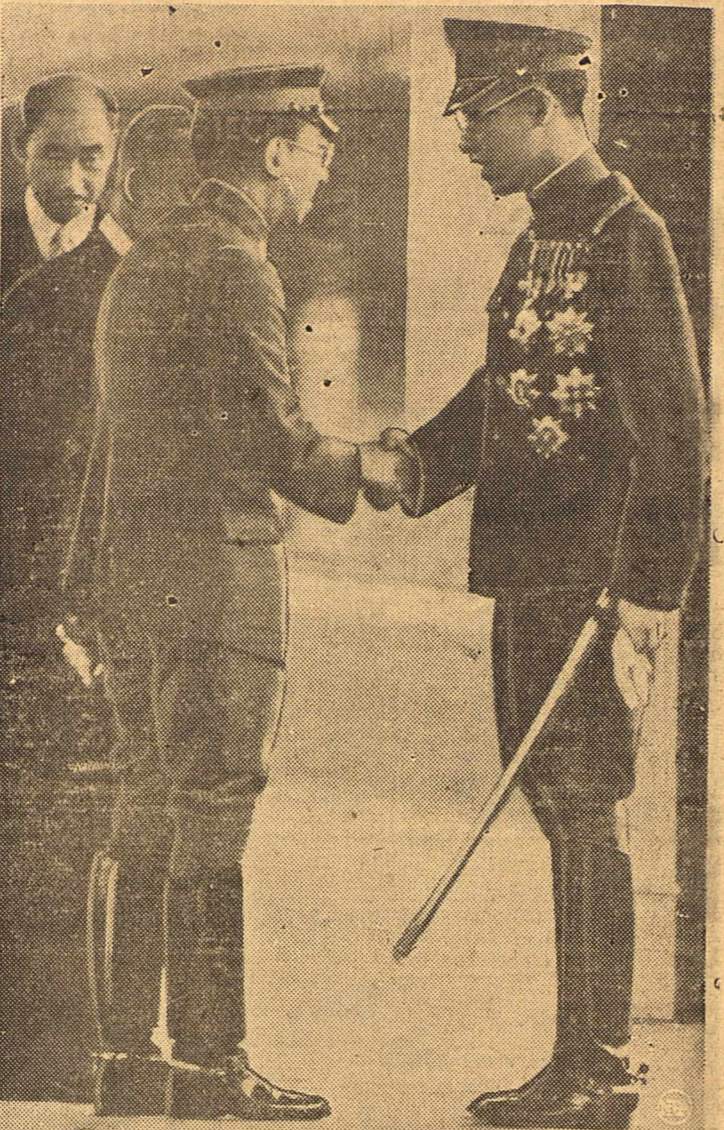
Winkler County Large producer for the Emperor Deep pool has been completed by C. V. "Cap" Lyman, Midland operator, at No. 2 E. W. Cowden of Midland. The well flowed 333.06 barrels of 32-gravity oil on 24-hour test after shooting with 450 quarts of nitro. It topped the prolific pay horizon at 2,710 feet and is bottomed at 3,020 feet. Volume of gas to oil was in the ratio of 1,797-1.

Gulf No. 136 O'Brien, indicating possible linking of the Halley pool with the Sealy area, is clearing out following shot with 680 quarts from 2,729 to 2,969 feet. Hole is bottomed at 2,970 feet, plugged back from 3,187 feet to shut off salty sulphur water.

Yoakum County Shell Oil Company, Inc. No. 12-E George Baumgart, in the Wasson field, was acidized with 10,000 gallons at 5,169 feet and established daily potential of 1,189 barrels of 33.2-gravity oil, with gas in the ratio of 718-1. Pay was topped at 4,898 feet.

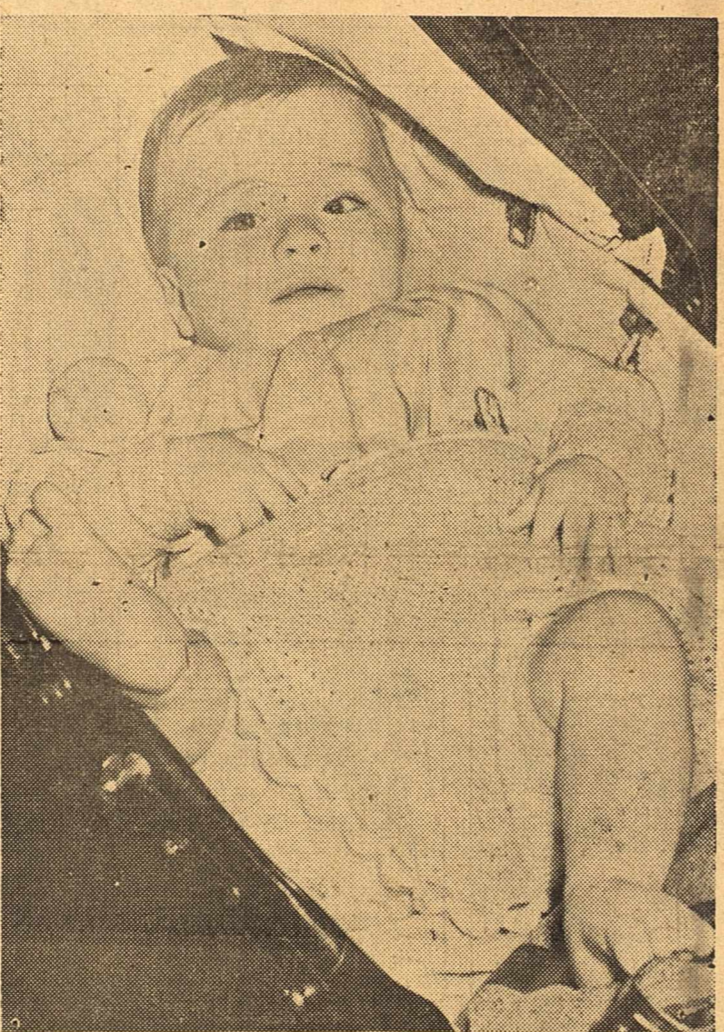
Plymouth (formerly Plymouth and Amerada) No. 1 A. M. Brownfield, southeastern Yoakum wildcat six miles east of northeast of the Wasson field, was reamed down to old total depth of 5,769 feet in lime and is drilling below 5,819 feet. The well and wells now below to Plymouth, Amerada assigned to Plymouth the west half of and the southeast quarter of section 620 and the northeast quarter of section 625 for deepening the test an additional 500 feet. Amerada retains considerable acreage surrounding the wildcat.

East Meets East in Western Fashion



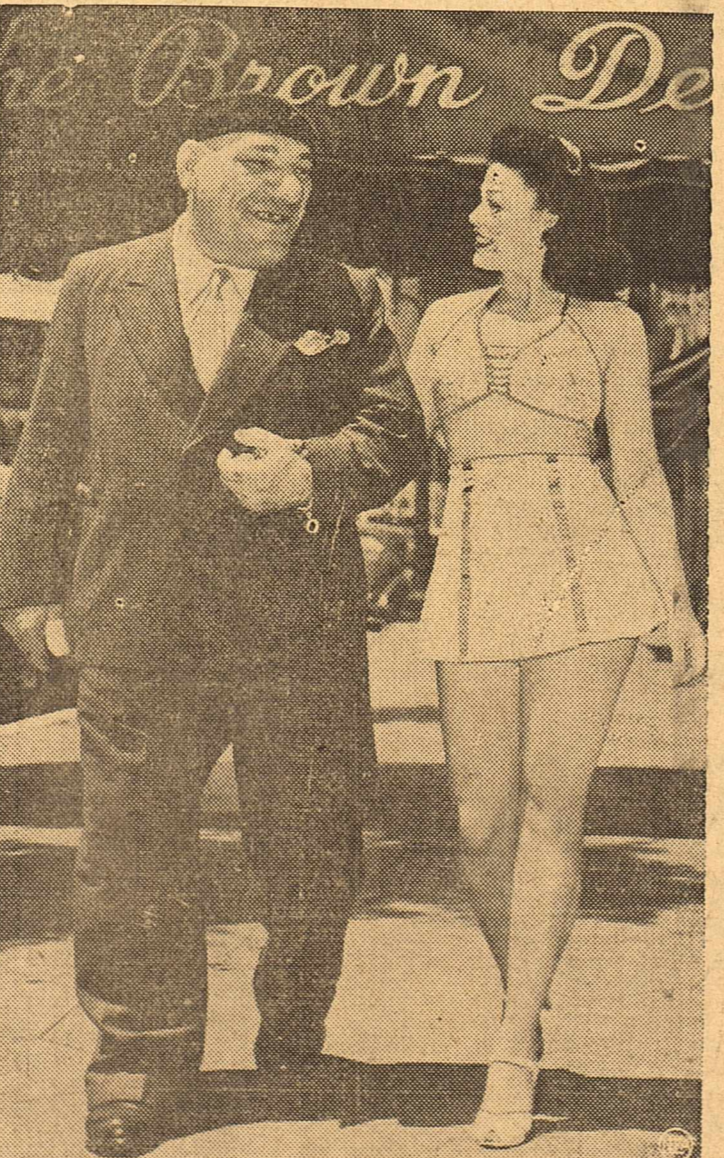
Emperor Kang Teh of Manchukuo, right, was greeted with a European-style handshake by Emperor Hirohito of Japan as he arrived in Tokyo recently. Kang Teh, former Manchurian "boy emperor," took part in celebration of Japanese empire's 2600th anniversary.

Ernest Simpson, Jr., Arrives in U. S.



Ernest Simpson, Jr., 10-months-old son of Ernest Simpson, former husband of the Duchess of Windsor, seemed entirely unconcerned over his 3000-mile voyage from England when he recently arrived in New York with other refugees. His parents stayed in England, so young Ernest will live with his aunt.

The Angel Goes Hollywood



It didn't take Maurice Tillet—"The Angel" of wrestling—long to catch on in Hollywood. He's doing Vine Street with Starlet Suzanne Ridgway.

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Personals

Mrs. W. G. Henderson and baby left Saturday morning for Colorado on a vacation trip. They accompanied her mother, Mrs. A. W. Ashley, and sister, Miss Hazel Ashley of Houston, who had been visiting in the Henderson home for several days en route to the mountain state.

Miss Pauline LaRoe of Kauffman is the houseguest of Mrs. A. M. East. Mrs. East plans to accompany her guest home the latter part of this week and then go on to Ennis to visit her mother.

Miss Clara Gore of Oklahoma City is the houseguest of her sister, Mrs. Hugh Eley. She will be here about two weeks.

Hilda Vogel is back from Camp Carrizo, near Ruidoso, N. M. Her aunt, Mrs. Fred Fuhrman, brought her back from camp. Mrs. Fuhrman is back from a vacation trip to Cloudford, N. M.

Alfred Vogel has returned from the University of Texas where he attended school the first part of the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Wallace have as their houseguests her sisters, Mrs. R. C. Leary and Mrs. Frank Howarth of San Antonio. The visitors plan to be here for a week or two.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hughes left Saturday for a trip to Dallas and East Texas.

Mrs. F. E. Swenson of San Antonio and children, Edward and Sandra, are here for a visit of several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Bigham.

Mrs. Millard Eldson of Loving, N. M., was in Midland Saturday.

Mrs. J. H. Reeves was among Odessa visitors here yesterday.

Mrs. Ruth Ramsel and son, Buddy, are visiting in Winters today with Mrs. Ramsel's mother and with friends.

Misses Margaret and Gladys McCormick and their sister, Mrs. Loree Walters of Gladewater, who is their guest, went to Lubbock Saturday night where they will visit another sister, Mrs. Ed Massey at a family party today. Monday night the trio will go to Big Spring where friends of Mrs. Walters will entertain with a dinner for her.

Mr. and Mrs. James T. Smith left Saturday for Seminole, Okla., where they will visit his grandparents. Afterward, they will join Bill Landreth at the Landreth Lodge near Fort Worth for a vacation there. They will have about a 10 days' vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack L. Jones left Saturday evening for Colorado Springs, Denver and Pike's Peak. They plan to be gone about ten days.

Texans Must Wait For Announcement Of Ad Valorem Rate

AUSTIN, July 20 (AP)—Texans will have to wait a few days—perhaps after the democratic primary election—to learn what the new state ad valorem tax rate will be. State law requires counties to certify their assessed valuations to the comptroller by July 15 and the automatic tax board, composed of the governor, comptroller and treasurer, to meet five days after the certifications are received and set the rate. However, 11 counties have so far failed to submit certificates and the board members are out of the city campaigning for re-election.

The current rate is 77 cents per \$100 assessed valuation, 36 cents for schools, 35 cents for general fund and one cent for Confederate pension fund. On the basis of incomplete returns this year's increase in valuations is approximately \$12,000,000 making a total of \$3,500,000,000.

Town Hall Committee Chairmen Announced

John Casselman will be chairman of the membership committee of Town Hall for the 1940-41 season. It was announced Saturday. W. T. Schneider will be chairman of the speakers' committee, and John P. Butler will head the reception committee.

The yearly membership campaign of the Midland club will be held during August and announcements concerning it will be made soon. The lecture season for the group will open on Sept. 26, when Hawthorne Daniel will address the members. He is scheduled to speak on "Britain's Move to Canada and What It Means to American Business."

Denver City Man Is Electrocuted by Shock

DENVER CITY, Yoakum County, July 20 (AP)—Gus E. Bowles, 24, was shocked to death this morning when he caught an extension cord at a Denver City ice house. The cord carried only 110 volts, but Bowles, dock worker, was standing in water.

Despite artificial respiration, Bowles was dead when dislodged from the wire. Funeral rites will be Sunday afternoon at Pecos, where his parents reside.

Jones Endorsed for Agriculture Chief

TAYLOR, July 20 (AP)—The District Cooperative Gainers Association here today endorsed Rep. Marvin Jines (D-Tex) for secretary of agriculture if Secretary Wallace, democratic vice presidential candidate resigns or is elected.

Curtailment in Okla. Production Urged by Official

TULSA, July 20 (AP)—Curtailment of crude oil runs to refiners was urged today by the Oklahoma Stripper Well Association to meet the situation created by a four to 28-cent price reduction for north and Central Texas crude. Members of the association said such curtailment might forestall a general shutdown recommendation by the Interstate Oil Compact Commission.

The association executive committee, at a called meeting, agreed that the crude schedule reduction was "not justified." A resolution was sent to Gov. L. C. Phillips of Oklahoma, asking that he communicate with all compact members on the subject of a joint recommendation of curtailment of production to market demands. Phillips is chairman of the Compact Commission.

Defense Program Will Create 2 Million Jobs

WASHINGTON, July 20 (AP)—The CIO estimated today that 2,500,000 unemployed would find jobs in the next 12 months as a result of the rearmament program. Actual defense expenditures in this period, the organization's economic outlook said, are expected to be \$6,400,000,000. Estimating the number of unemployed at 10,748,000, it said an annual arms expenditure of fifteen to twenty billions would be required to employ all of them.

MEXICO FOR CONFERENCE

MEXICO CITY, July 20 (AP)—Mexican labor leader Vicente Lombardo Toledano, as president of the confederation of Latin American Workers (CTAL), today messaged the Havana conference of foreign ministers to take measures to strengthen the western hemisphere for its "historic task" of defending world democracy.

Bookplates on Exhibit

PHILADELPHIA, (UP)—Three hundred book plates, valued at more than \$1,000,000, have been placed on exhibit at the Print Club.

Contributed by 10 sponsors, the pieces range in size from the commonplace nameplate to the elaborate family coat-of-arms. Probably the most valuable plate in the exhibition is one made by Paul Revere for Epes Sargent, a New Englander. Revere made only four plates, of which Sargent's was one.

Americans spend \$700,000,000 annually for drugs and medicines, according to estimates.

To Leave Monday On Trip East

Mrs. Tommie Smith and mother, Mrs. J. R. Smith, will leave Monday on a trip of about three weeks to the East and South. They will go first to Mineral Wells where they will be joined by their sister and daughter, Mrs. Walter De Vere Ladd, and Mr. Ladd. The quartet will go to Vicksburg, Miss., to visit Mr. Ladd's sister, and from there to North Carolina and South Carolina to visit relatives of Mrs. Smith who is making her first trip "back home" in 35 years. From the Carolinas they will go on to Washington, D. C., with possibly a trip farther north to New York before their return.

Refusal--

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mar and Wenzendorf were set afire; the Wilhelmshaven docks were bombed and the main rail line south of Recklinghausen, manufacturing and mining town in Westphalia, was cut.

Shore batteries as well as guns of British warships took part in the fight over the channel. The bombers attempted unsuccessfully to put the warships out of action to break their barrage. At one time it was estimated nearly 100 planes were in the air. The British, in their tabulations of the month's casualties, placed the number of planes lost by the Germans at 130 with 40 to 50 others so badly damaged it was unlikely that they would be able to reach home.

Candidates--

(Continued from page 2)
an Uncle Sam costume on the steps of the state capitol and charged that the governor attempted to intimidate the legislature. He said the state's natural resources were being "stolen right out from under the people's feet."

Following are the detailed itineraries of the candidates:
ODaniel—Monday: Lampasas 1 p. m., Goldthwaite 2:45 p. m., Brownwood 8 p. m.; Tuesday: Cisco 10:30 a. m., Breckenridge 1 p. m., Gorman 3 p. m., Olney 3:45 p. m., Archer City 4:30 p. m., Wichita Falls 8 p. m.; Wednesday: Vernon 9:30 a. m., Quanah 10:30 a. m., Childress 11:30 a. m., Memphis 1 p. m., Clarendon 3 p. m., Claude 3:45 p. m., Amarillo 8 p. m.; Thursday: Canyon, 9 a. m., Happy 10 a. m., Tulia 10:30 a. m., Plainview 1 p. m., Hale Center 2 p. m., Lubbock 8 p. m., Friday: Slaton 9 a. m., Post 9:30 a. m., Snyder 10:45 a. m., Sweetwater 1 p. m., Merkel 2:30 p. m., Abilene 9 p. m.
SADLER—Monday: Gonzales 9:30 a. m., Cuero 11:30 a. m., Victoria 2 p. m., Refugio 4 p. m., Corpus Christi 8 p. m., Tuesday: Port Lavaca 10 a. m., Bay City 2 p. m., Wharton 4 p. m., Houston 8 p. m.

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REAL ESTATE HOME OWNERS' and BUILDERS' PAGE

Permits Climb Last Week To \$630,820 for the Year

Building permits for the city of Midland, somewhat small for two or three weeks, took a spurt for the better last week and added \$14,500 to the year's mark, bringing it to \$630,820, records of City Building Inspector W. F. Prothro showed.

The recent permits were for residence properties with the exception of two, those being for rebuilding downtown business houses.

Housing agencies indicated that rent properties still are scarce, with much demand for the better class of houses and apartments, both furnished and unfurnished. The usual summer slackening in rent property failed to appear this year, indicating that with the beginning

of the next school term, the shortage may be still more acute.

Building material dealers and contractors, meanwhile, have reported much interest in building of residences, with prospects for an active campaign the remainder of the year.

Last week's permits follow:

Mrs. Carrie Crofton, 124 East Wall, remodel garage, \$1,000.

Fred Wemple, remodeling and repairs on brick building, 124 West Wall, \$4,000.

Mrs. Sallie T. Orson, 410 West Illinois, rock veneer dwelling \$3,000.

Roy Stockard, 2005 West Missouri, brick veneer dwelling, \$6,500.

Case Studies Show Value of Land Planning

The study of thousands of cases has established the conclusion that only those subdivisions located with correct reference to city growth and population trends, business and industrial centers, and other facilities are profitable ventures of benefit to both buyers and sellers of homes, according to a report of the Land Planning Division of the Federal Housing Administration.

The growing realization on the part of developers of the importance of correct land planning is shown by the fact that more demands were made in 1939 for the services of the FHA's Land Planning Division than in any previous year since it was established.

Popularity of Iron Work Is Increasing

Ornamental iron work has increased in popularity within the past few years to such an extent that the classical porch grilles once associated closely with New Orleans and Mobile, are now found on homes in each of the 48 states.

Many of the beautiful designs have been resurrected from the past and produced by modern methods for the low-cost home.

Iron railings and other ornamental iron work may be added to existing homes, with the work being financed under the Modernization Credit Plan of the Federal Housing Administration.

Home Payments Not Allowed to Be Burdensome

Enthusiasm cannot compensate for monthly income under the Insured Mortgage System of the Federal Housing Administration, as it was frequently allowed to do under older forms of mortgage lending, FHA officials say.

In rating the risk involved in a mortgage loan submitted for insurance, the FHA ascertains the portion of monthly income that must be absorbed by mortgage payments. If this figure is found to be too burdensome, the loan is rejected.

As Administrator Stewart McDonald once put it, "The FHA seeks to encourage home ownership, but at the same time it seeks to encourage only such mortgage loans as will result in debt-free home ownership."

Mate's License, Her Aim at 68

PORTLAND, Ore. (UP)—Mrs. Mary P. Converse, 68, grandmother of 20, is the "fourth mate" of the steamer F. J. Luckenbach, which docked recently in Portland to unload freight from Boston, New York and Philadelphia.

The spunky, hardy widow denied that she had any official duties on the ship and admitted she was studying navigation and had passed her examination for fourth mate. She explained that she had loved the sea and had the full approval of her children to ship on the freighter.

"My grandchildren know and approve of the things I am doing," she said. "They love the sea just as much as I do and why shouldn't they? We are Boston people, you know."

Mrs. Converse, now a resident of Denver, boarded the F. J. Luckenbach at New York, June 2, and plans to leave it to enroll in a technical institute for further study in her favorite subject—navigation. She expects to go to Alaska on a boat later.

"I try to take a long cruise once a year," she said. "A few years ago I went to Africa on a freighter which had three deck officers, so they dubbed me 'fourth mate.'"

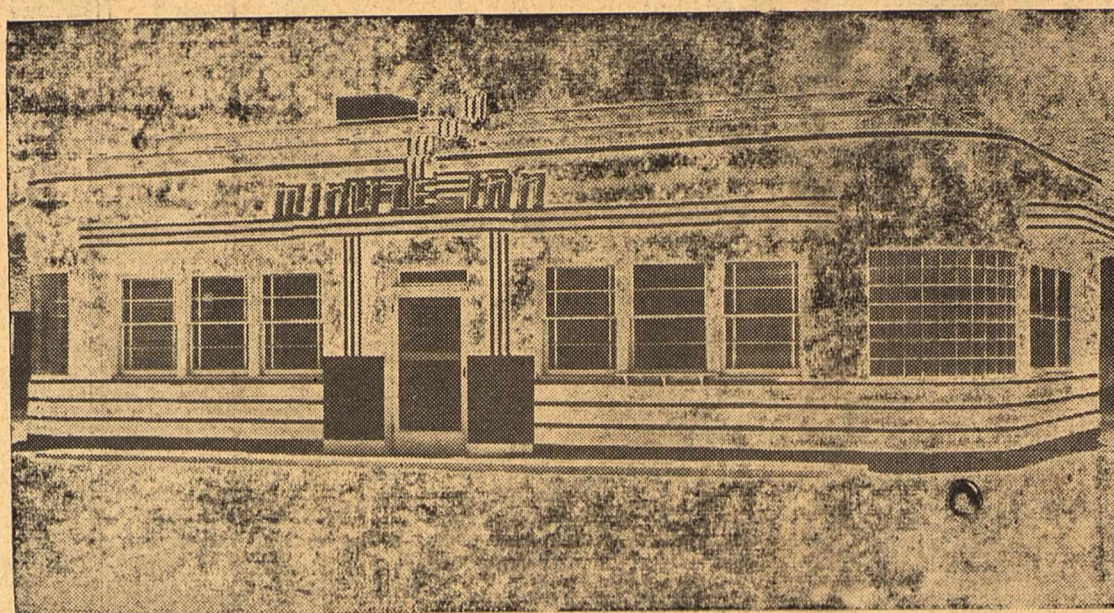
The title stays with her. She actually pays her passage on the freighter, like any passenger. She insisted she was not trying to tell the captain how to run the ship.

Mrs. Converse's husband was a man of comfortable means and until his death he sailed the seven seas in his yacht, accompanied by his wife. After his death, Mrs. Converse continued to be interested in the sea and took to navigation as a hobby that has carried her to the far corners of the globe.

Pulitzer Prizes

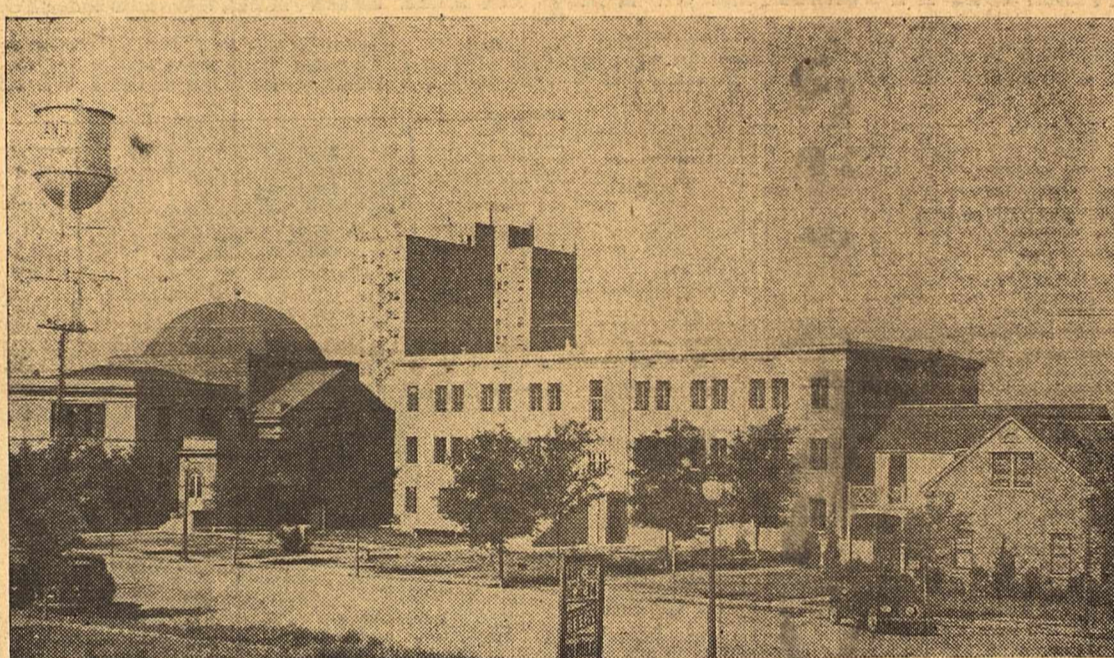
Joseph Pulitzer left a bequest where by the advisory board of the school of journalism at Columbia University awards a prize in journalism and letters annually. These are the Pulitzer prizes.

Minute Inn to Occupy New Home Tuesday



Opening of the Minute Inn, operated by Charlie Houpt, in its new modernistic drive-in building, has been announced for Tuesday, marking completion of the new edifice at Wall and Pecos streets. Houpt has operated the business for six years in a frame structure just west of the new building but will move it off of the property since completing the new brick, tile, concrete and glass building. Most modern features of drive-in eating houses are incorporated in the Minute Inn's new home, with attractive new fixtures bought especially for the structure. Details of the Minute Inn's opening appear elsewhere in this paper.

Harmonizing Buildings of Baptist Church



With occupancy today of the new three-story educational building, just completed at a cost of approximately \$40,000 the First Baptist Church has on its North Main street site an imposing array of harmonizing structures. Shown here are the church auditorium at left, educational building in center and the parsonage, or pastor's home, at right. The church also owns property west of the buildings, fronting 200 feet on North Loraine street. Brick, color effects and architecture of the three structures, although built at different times, are blended or harmonized. First Sunday school services and training union services in the new educational building are being held today.

American Economy System Founded on the Spirit of Free Enterprise, Declares Lumberman's Magazine in Editorial

(From Gulf Coast Lumberman)

Here is a letter from a wise and widely-known lumber manufacturer to another lumberman in answer to a question about the future of the lumber market. There is so much of our wisdom expressed in these observations, that we felt it entirely appropriate to use in our regular market space this issue:

Of course, a wise man would not attempt to answer your question about the future, for there are so many things to take into consideration and no one person can possibly know all of the things that are happening to affect the future, but I am going to "stick my neck out" and make a little observation.

Regardless of the outcome of the war in Europe, our country has embarked—and rightfully so—upon a program of armament which all of us hope will be for defense. You might say that we are beginning from the ground up to build an impregnable defense against the insane rulers of countries whose ideas of government differ so much from ours. This defense program in itself will be sufficient to start money circulating and no one person can possibly know all of the things that are happening to affect the future, but I am going to "stick my neck out" and make a little observation.

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like to contemplate.

Basing my observations to a certain extent on the allies winning the war in addition to our own defense program, I know that our country is to be the base of supplies for the allied armies and there is every reason to believe that it will tax our resources and factories to capacity—this country must and will make every effort to see that eventually Germany and her gangster allies will be defeated, for otherwise we can have no peace on this earth.

It is my further observation that no country can go in debt as ours has and will, without there being a certain amount of inflation, and I will not be surprised that the inflation should be heavy in spite of the powers of control which our Federal government would attempt to use. Inflation, of course, puts a higher value on everything except money, and the faster the money circulates the more of it will be required to buy any given unit of commodities. Regardless of the depression we have been going through for many years, the desire to own a home is still uppermost in the minds of our people and when the money starts circulating, which it will in the very near future, people will start endeavoring to satisfy this desire for a home to call their own. Then, too, rent property is now considered a good investment and with increased employment there will be greater demand for apartment and rent houses with a consequent higher rental, and there is plenty of money waiting for investment in good revenue-producing rental properties. The defense program itself is going to require a great deal of lumber for various purposes too numerous to mention, which will simply add to the demand for lumber for homes. Also a lot of people will make needed repairs and additions to the homes already owned. Statistically speaking—and sometimes statistics mean something—the lumber business is in a strong position and there is no surplus of

lumber at the mills, yards or concentration points and a slight increase in demand would cause a scramble for the available stock, and the law of supply and demand still operates.

In thinking back over the things I have said in this letter, it occurs to me that I may have a lot of things to take back, but my conscientious opinion is as I have expressed it and I would like to leave this thought with you—that it is my earnest conviction that in a very short while we will be wondering how lumber could have been as cheap as it is today.

De Luxe Life Of Cell No. 6 Goes Too Far

EL PASO, Tex. (UP)—Variety is the spice of life, and life in a jail cell gets mighty monotonous. That seems to have been the philosophy of inmates in Cell No. 6 of the El Paso city jail and they set out to do something about it.

Keepers of the jail were astounded when for a period of several days the guests of Cell No. 6 frequently requested all reading material available.

The sudden increase in interest

Public Records

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F. F. Elkin trustee to K. F. Campbell, lots 1, 2 and 3 block 44, West end.

K. F. Campbell and wife to W. W. Waddill, lot 3 block 44, West End.

John B. Thomas to Wayne H. Keener and wife, lots 1, 2 and 3 block 156, Southern Addn.

Chas. Gibbs to J. J. Bailey, north one-third of the west one-half block 16, Homestead Addn.

Houston Hill and wife to Kenneth Dodson, lot 2 block 47, West End.

Henry W. Batie and wife to Motor Finance Co. all of the east 140 feet of block 12, Moody's Addn.

L. R. Robertson and wife to Ronald K. DeFord, lot 3, block 12, High School Addn.

Wm. Cameron and Co. Inc., to G. W. Brennenman, lot 23 in block 2, Richardson's North Abilene St. Addn.

John Emery Adams and wife to Ellis O. Conner, lot 6 and the west 10 feet of lot 5, block 48, West End Addn.

A. & L. Housing and Lumber Co. to Delbert D. Downing, the west 3/8th of lot 3 and the east 3/4s of lot 4, block 46, West End.

B. G. Graft and wife to City of Midland, all of lots Nos. 1, 2 and 3 and the east 14 feet of lot 4, block 5, Elmwood Addn.

A. & L. Housing and Lumber Co. to Edwin B. Ferrell, lot 8 block 46, West End.

Livestock Market

FORT WORTH, July 20 (AP)—(U. S. Dept. Agr.)—Cattle: top mature beef steers 10.00; yearling steers and heifers 10.25; top cows 6.75, practical top bulls 6.00; extreme top calves 9.75.

Hogs: Top 6.55, paid for most good and choice 1.75-2.70 lb. packing sows steady at 5.50 down.

Sheep: Early week's top spring lambs 7.75, closing bulk medium to good spring lambs 6.75-7.25; yearlings mostly 5.50-6.25, top 6.50; aged wethers 3.50-3.85, spring feeder lambs 5.50-6.25.

Market Muddles Through Light Day

NEW YORK, July 20 (AP)—The stock market muddled through another lacadaemonic session today and finished the week with an irregularly lower trend.

The Associated Press average of 60 stocks was off .1 of a point, but on the week showed a net advance of .2. Transfers of 111,220 shares compared with 124,030 last Saturday, touching a low mark for a two-hour stretch since June 18, 1938. The week's aggregate of 1,634,720 shares bettered that of the preceding week by around 100,000 shares.

Among stocks under water at the close were Bethlehem Steel, Youngstown Sheet, General Motors, Chrysler, U. S. Rubber, Montgomery Ward, United Aircraft, American Telephone, Westinghouse, Union Carbide, Pennsylvania and Loft.

Emerging with modest improvement were U. S. Steel, Woolworth, Du Pont, Kennecott, North American Chesapeake & Ohio, Standard Oil of N. J. and General Electric.

Bonds and commodities emulated stocks. Lower by fractions in the curb were Cities Service, Glen Alden Coal, and Niagara Hudson Power. Dealings here amounted to approximately 23,000 shares against 34,000 a week ago.

In literature would not have been so noticeable had not the inmates also begun to complain of a shortage of bread.

An unscheduled visit to the cell by an official in the middle of the night solved the problem. The members of No. 6 had been saving extra bread and keeping the one-gallon cans in which their coffee was served. In the wee hours they kindled small fires, using the accumulated papers and magazines as fuel. One tin can was flattened for use as a grill.

Toast and coffee!

A shift in the personnel of Cell No. 6 began soon after the discovery.

In type designing, the modern trend has been toward streamlining, simplicity, and more white space.

Appeal Is Relative Term But Its Factors Are Known

Appeal in a home is an element sought by all builders and home buyers, but what constitutes appeal and how it is measured are questions which most builders find hard to answer.

Because appeal is purely relative, it must be measured by the attitude of the income group or social class which makes up the market for properties near the location under consideration, in the belief of Federal Housing Administration officials. By this reasoning it is possible for a neighborhood in a low-price range to possess as high an appeal for a prospective market as a high price neighborhood. Appeal, it is said, is measured by a comparison between competing areas of the same price range where the market is made up of the same income groups.

Ingredients of Appeal.

Some of the factors affecting appeal in a home are known to be natural physical charm and beauty of surroundings, geographical position, location, appearance of the street layout, harmonious character of the buildings, social attractiveness of the environment, and freedom from nuisances.

The market for high-priced properties may prefer certain distinctive characteristics such as rolling topography, good landscaping, wooded lots, and the presence of brooks, most of which are attributes lower-priced locations cannot claim. Inexpensive homes in inexpensive neighborhoods may possess physical charm, nevertheless deriving such appeal from

well-kept homes, attractive and neat grounds, and harmonious streets.

Broad vistas, pleasing views and climatic advantages resulting from geographical position are factors which tend to attract people to a location, regardless of what its price range may be. This appeal will be lessened, however, if the approach is through an unsightly area.

Street Plan an Influence.

Attractive street layouts which are suitable to the character of the homes and which preserve the natural charm of the land are elements of appeal. Federal Housing Administration officials declare that areas so laid out have a tendency to remain desirable to present owners and to command the continued interest of prospective buyers.

The appeal of a location is said to be strengthened if the buildings in the neighborhood are attractive as a group and harmonize with each other and with their physical surroundings.

Since families enjoy social relationships with other families whose education, abilities, mode of living, and racial characteristics are similar to their own, satisfaction and contentment result from association with persons of similar social attributes. Appeal is therefore sometimes attributable to social influences.

Billboards, service stations, offensive noises and odors, unsightly properties, and stables are examples of elements which may adversely affect appeal.

FHA Protection

Establishment by the Federal Housing Administration of minimum construction standards and requirements for small homes has given the individual home buyer protective features that he has never heretofore enjoyed, according to FHA officials.

For the first time in housing history, the average small home builder or buyer is guarded against "jerry-building," adverse neighborhood influences, danger of over-buying, and the evils of burdensome financing.

Consider Location In Planning Rooms

The influence of geographic location can have considerable effect on a home and should be considered when planning room exposures, according to FHA officials.

In localities where winters are long and severe, a compact plan and low ceilings are said to be desirable to permit ease of heating with economy. In such locations full advantage of the radiant heat of the sun is desirable in as many rooms as possible, as well as some form of protection from cold winds.

In a warm climate the opposite is required and less compact plans are needed in order to take advantage of prevailing breezes and to secure cross and through ventilation in as many rooms as possible. In this case protection from the heat of the sun is needed, and the most desirable rooms are those which are cool and shaded.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Q. We plan to build a dining alcove in the kitchen. What is the least amount of space that can be used and still allow for a convenient alcove?

A. It depends on whether the table and chairs are to be portable or built in. In the former type dining alcove, the minimum desirable size is 7 feet 6 inches square. In the second type, an area 4 feet 6 inches by 5 feet will suffice. Funds for such alterations may be obtained from qualified lending institutions under FHA's Modernization Credit Plan.

Earliest Election Date

The earliest elections held in America probably were those of the delegates to the Virginia assembly in 1619, but the earliest date mentioned in records was that of the election of John Winthrop as governor of Massachusetts in 1631.

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Absentee Voting for Primary Slows Down

Absentee voting, after a strong start, had slowed to the smallest number to have been cast in several years, a report by County Clerk Susie C. Noble showed Saturday. Only 129 ballots for the July 27 primary had been cast at that time. Wednesday, three days before the

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election, is the last day in which the voters may cast absentee ballots, it was pointed out. Those expecting to be absent from the city next Saturday were urged to secure bal-

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I saw the work of the Triple A Where hundreds labor every day. I saw efficient engineers In training there for bright careers. I saw the soldier, scholar, statesman, Preparing well for better salesman. Two blades of grass instead of one Result from training there begun.

A personnel of staff and stem That thoughtful men will not condemn, Efficient, yet of humankind, Who render service they can find; A school, in fact, that meets a need, In useful training takes the lead, Contacts the people where they are And lifts them up both near and far.

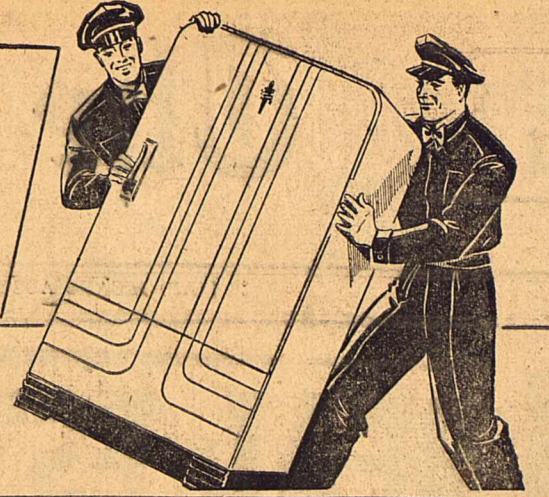
I saw the Aggies on the field A royal battle there to wield. I heard cadets, ten thousand strong, Swell out the welkin with their song. I saw the campus, felt the spell That comes to all who there may dwell. I marvel not that such a place Makes loyal spirit grow apace.

Austin, Texas
July 9, 1940

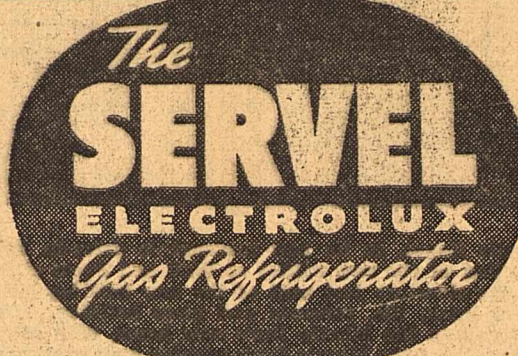
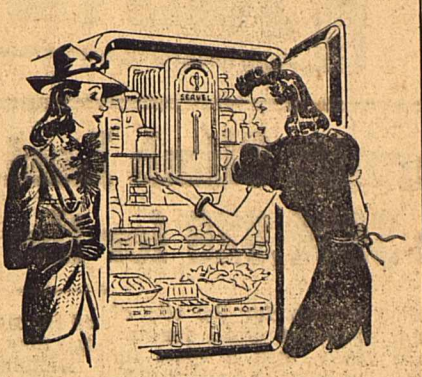
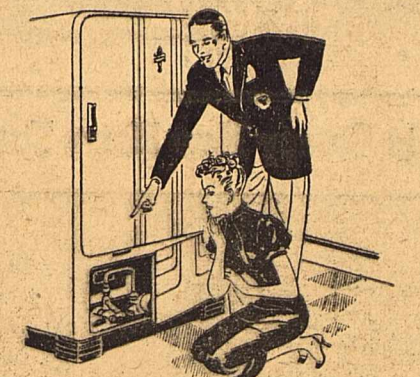


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With Oil Production or Play in All But Three Counties, Texas Petroleum Industry Ready to Meet Any Demands of Defense Program

DALLAS, July 20—All but three of Texas' 254 counties now have oil or gas activity, E. L. Smith of Dallas, president of the Texas, Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association, reported today after a Statewide survey just completed by association statisticians.

Reflecting the readiness of the Texas petroleum industry to meet any demands of the U. S. armed forces, a total of 158 counties out of the State's 254 now produce oil or gas or both, Mr. Smith said. An additional 93 have land under lease for oil and gas exploration, making a total of 251 out of 254 with oil or gas activity. Only Mason, Llano and Rockwall counties are not included.

"Twenty-four additional Texas counties were opened for oil or gas production within the past 18 months," Mr. Smith said. "There are now over 900 separate oil and gas fields in Texas in contract with around 20 in 1917-18 when Texas oilmen were called upon to furnish fuel for the army and navy."

"Although the number of wells then is not recorded, it certainly was fewer than the 15,450 producers first reported in 1922. Now Texas has 93,690 producing wells scattered over the state. Production of all Texas oil wells in 1917 was 90,000 barrels a day. Today the state is producing around 1,300,000 barrels a day under the most rigid restrictions and could be opened up to produce several times this amount if necessary arose."

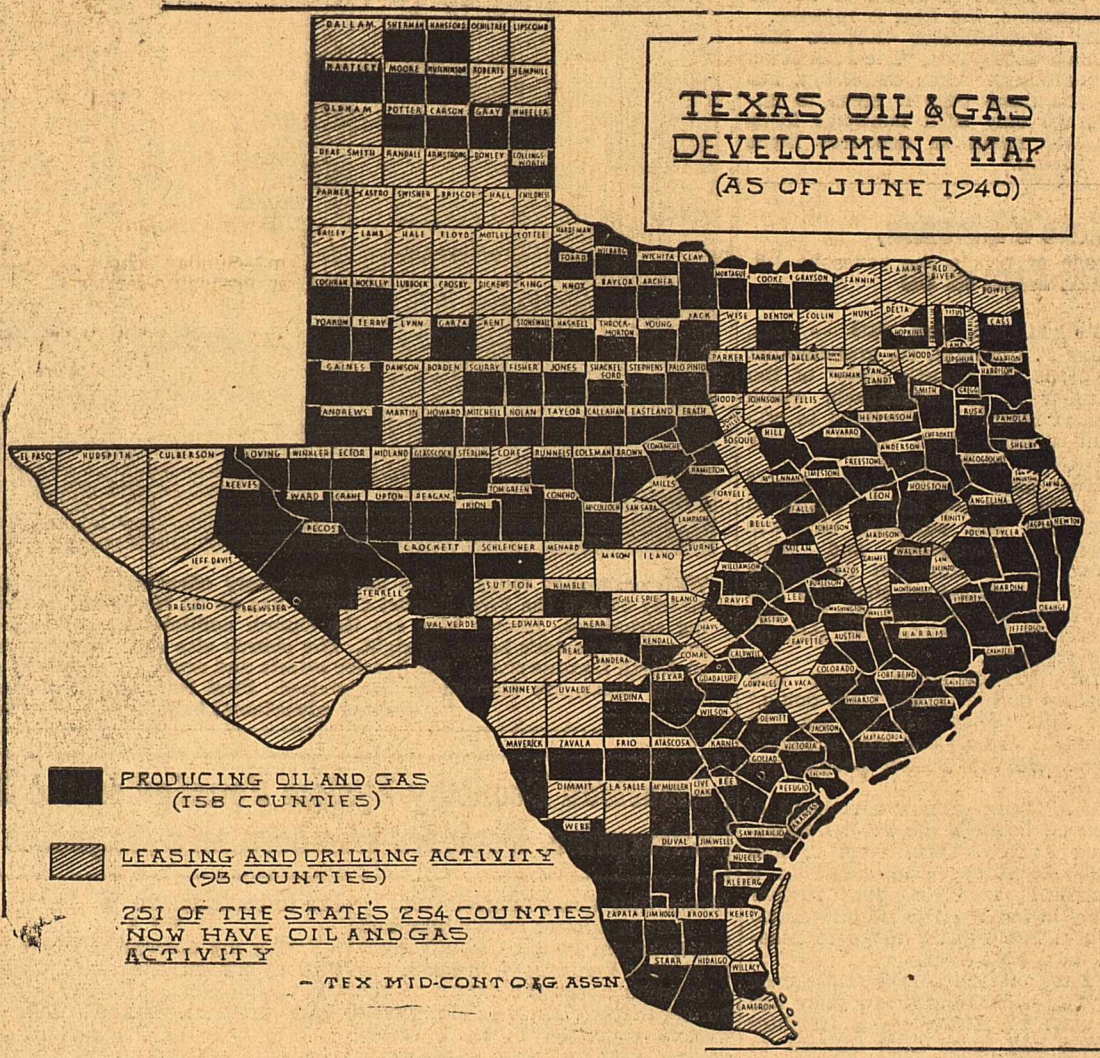
During World War days, Texas contributed only 6 per cent of the oil produced in the United States. Last year, despite closely curtailed output, this state produced 38 per cent. In 1922, first year oil reserves were estimated, Texas was credited with only 732,000,000 barrels in known reserves. Now Texas has 9,768,000,000 (billions), or over half of all proven unproduced petroleum resources of the nation. Last year the State produced around 435,000,000 barrels, but new reserves discovered amount to 805,000,000.

"All this expansion has been effected by the Texas oilman himself at his own risk and expense," Mr. Smith said. "The widespread and costly campaign of exploration covering the entire state has resulted in opening nearly one thousand oil and gas fields in Texas and discovery of sixteen billion barrels of petroleum reserves, of which nearly ten billion are yet to be produced. And this has been done in the face of deeper and more expensive drilling, higher wages, higher costs for materials and vastly increased taxes. Texas oilmen not only pay five times as high taxes as they did in 1918, but yet the price of oil now is half of what it was then while the average production per well is only a small fraction of what of the old gusher days. As for refining, Texas now has 141 plants with a daily capacity of 1,286,000 barrels, or nearly one-third of the nation's total. The Texas oil industry is ready to meet any national emergency."

Widow at Grave Seized As Slayer of Husband

CARLSLE, Eng. (UP)—Led weeping from the grave of her husband, Mrs. Olive Wardle of Dacre Lane, Carlisle, was arrested at the cemetery gates and charged with his murder.

The man, James Wardle, had been found dead in bed with head injuries. Following the inquest a post-mortem was ordered, and the man's widow was arrested and charged.



Another Cent Is Dropped by Wheat

CHICAGO, July 20 (AP)—Wheat lost a cent and other gains followed with fractional declines today in a market dominated by quiet selling based on reports of scattered rains over the grain belt.

Hedging pressure, though light, and some selling of July contracts also depressed wheat. Prices finished at or near the lows of the day, 1/2-1 1/8 cents lower than yesterday, July 17/8, Sept. 74 1/8-74. The July price was 1/2 cent above the season's low.

Corn closed 1/4-3/4 down, July 62 3/4, Sept. 60-59 7/8; oats unchanged to 3/4 off; rye 5/8-3/4 down and lard 2-5 lower.

The first deliveries of the month on July wheat contracts will be made Monday. Notices were posted of intention to deliver 115,000 bushels. Trading in July grain contracts will not be permitted after Tuesday and as of the close Friday options involving 5,630,000 bushels of wheat, 1,572,000 corn, 704,000 oats and 46,000 rye remained to be settled by the end of the month. Premiums are quoted for cash wheat: Corn and oats over July figures. No. 1

Production Credit Men Hold Group Meeting

Secretary and directors of the Midland Production Credit Association met with officials of the Stamford, Sweetwater and Coleman associations in a group session Thursday and Friday at the Wooten Hotel, Abilene. Progress of the organizations and plans for future operations were discussed. The district meetings are held annually.

From Midland Directors Staton Brunson, Jim Thornton and Leonard Proctor, and Secretary Lewis Thomas attended.

hard wheat sold up to 76, No. 1 yellow corn up to 65 3/4 and No. 1 white oats at 33 1/4. Spot wheat prices, however, were 11 1/2 cents lower while oats dropped 3/4 to 2 cents.



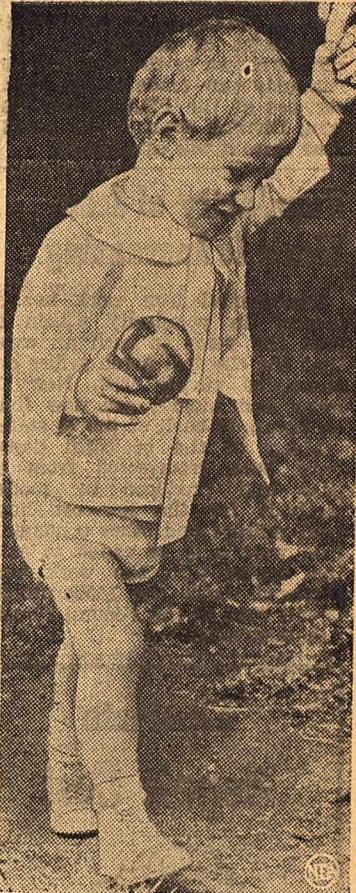
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Prince Without A Country



Happily unaware that he is a royal refugee without a country is 15-month-old Prince Alexander, pictured clutching his nurse's hand during an outing in London. Son of former Albanian sovereigns King Zog and Queen Geraldine, he was born four days before his mother fled the Italian invasion of Albania.

Denton, Miss Griffith graduated from Midland high school in 1939 and is an accomplished pianist.

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Bones Found on Will Terry Ranch Near Hobbs May Trace Back to Indians Inhabiting Texas-New Mexico Line Area 900 Years Ago

HOBBS, N. M.—Possibility that bones found on the Will N. Terry ranch south of Hobbs last month could be those of Indians which inhabited this region about 900 years ago has been voiced by Dr. R. M. F. Burnet, noted Carlsbad archaeologist.

Although the bones from the six skeletons which were accidentally found by Terry when he was riding the range, were not seen by Burnet, he made an extensive study of pottery fragments located in the vicinity of the graves and of matates and other articles found with the bones, when he visited in Hobbs Sunday.

Burnet took the pottery pieces back to Carlsbad to study them more thoroughly. He said they were sandstone material, and were similar, although not exactly like, the El Paso pottery. Most ancient fragments found were rough, but one piece was glazed.

The bones were taken to Santa Fe by an archaeologist who visited Hobbs last week, and it will probably be several months before a report can be obtained as to what age they represent.

Since the burial ground, believed to be one of the largest so far discovered in this county, was found, there have been many predictions by local amateurs as to what age of people the bones belonged. Stories of mass murders, famines, wrecked wagon trains, Indians burying, and others have been rampant, although at the present time there has been no definite inkling of proof as to what kind of people they were, or how long the bodies had been buried.

Pictures of the skeletons, five large and one small, possibly that of a woman or young man, were shown to the archaeologist during a visit to the Terry ranch. The color of the bones, as described by the visitor, would also indicate that they were more than likely Indians, he believed.

Burnet said that contrary to popular belief many Indian burials were in mass form as was the case of the bones found at Terry's. He told of an important find at Carlsbad more than a year ago, where there were seven grown people and two children in one grave.

The archaeologist also exploded the theory which has been reported here since the discovery that Indians always have good teeth. Many of the bones found in the southwest show that Indians of several centuries ago sometimes had very bad teeth, Burnet said. Often children had lost all but one or two of their permanent teeth, he continued. Teeth which remained in the jaws of the skeletons found here were in fairly good condition, but those which had come loose from the bone were mostly decayed, indicating, according to Burnet, that the teeth were already dead before the bodies were buried.

Numerous flint scrapers, used by Indians to make arrowheads, were found in the vicinity where the six skeletons were located, and Burnet described the sand "blowouts" in that region as "ideal" spots for Indian findings.

However, cattle which have roamed these plains for the past 100 years have destroyed much valuable information, and amateurs who remove pottery pieces, bones, and other materials from the burying ground also make difficult the task of learning the age of the inhabitants, Dr. Burnet said.

Dr. Burnet said probably much valuable historic information, and many relics could be found in Lea county, which is virtually unexplored for such material.

That the grounds where the six skeletons were dug up is practically inaccessible was learned by Dr. Burnet, and the party, including his wife, who made the trip with him Sunday. Far back in the deep sand between here and Eunice, it is impossible to get a car near the graves, and walking is a task. The graves are on Terry's pasture land, and he does not allow visitors in that section.

Dr. Burnet is doing work for the University of Nebraska archaeology department this summer, and plans to make further research in this county. He has done work with the Smithsonian Institute and with many universities throughout the country, and has many valuable historic pieces with those bodies as well as in the museum in Carlsbad.

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9:45 a.m. Bible school.
10:50 a.m. Preparation for the Lord's Supper.
11:00 a.m. Morning worship. Sermon by the pastor on the subject: "I Will Declare What He Has Done for My Soul."
8:00 p.m. Union worship service of the Presbyterians and Christians at the Presbyterian church with Rev. John E. Pickering preaching.

7:30 p.m. Wednesday. Choir practice.
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8:00 p.m. Union evening service of Presbyterians and Christians at Presbyterian church with Rev. John E. Pickering, Christian pastor preaching.

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W. C. Hinds, Pastor.
9:45 a.m. Church school.
11:00 a.m.—Morning worship. The pastor will bring a sermon on the theme, "Christian Security."
7:00 p.m.—Intermediate and Senior Leagues meet.
8:00 p.m.—Evening worship. Sermon by the pastor on "The Wall of Defense."
7:30 p.m. Wednesday—Prayer meeting.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.
H. D. Bruce, Pastor.
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School with opening assembly of the entire Sunday school in the church auditorium. The Sunday school will use the new building.
10:55 a.m.—Worship service. This will be a thanksgiving service and the pastor will preach on the subject, "What Hath God Wrought."
6:45 p.m.—Training union opening assembly in the church auditorium. The unions will use the new building for the first time.
8:00 p.m.—Worship service. The pastor will bring a sermon on "The Abundant Life." A baptismal service will immediately follow the sermon.
From Monday through Friday evenings, from 7:30 to 9:15 o'clock, the training unions will be in study courses, three courses being offered.
8:15 p.m. Wednesday — Prayer meeting.

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11:00 a.m.—Preaching service.
2:00 p.m.—Radio program over KRLH.
8:00 p.m.—Preaching service.
8:00 p.m.—Wednesday — Prayer meeting. The public is invited.

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH.
T. H. Graulman, Pastor.
Services will be held every second and fourth Sunday at the Midland Seventh-Day Adventist church, West Pennsylvania and Loraine streets, at 2:30 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

MEN'S CLASS.
The Men's class meets every Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock in the Crystal ballroom of the Hotel Scharbauer. It is a non-denominational class and every man who does not attend services elsewhere is cordially invited to attend.
The teachers are Marvin Ulmer and W. I. Pratt. There is a singing service of fifteen minutes prior to the speaking.

Wheat's Future Worries Canada
REGINA, Sask. (UP).—The whole future of Canada's wheat industry hangs in the balance because of Germany's drive in Europe, J. G. Taggart, minister of agriculture for Saskatchewan, believes.

Complete Nazi domination of Europe if effected, and followed by application of the German theory of self-sufficiency might force abandonment of more than 10,000,000 acres of low grade wheat land through the west to sheep ranching, the minister said.

Taggart stressed his views were not based on fact, but upon some of the possible outcomes of the European struggle.

Canada already has lost potential export markets for 35,000,000 bushels of wheat on the basis of 1939-1940 exports because of overseas events. In all Europe now, there is just one market—that for Great Britain and Eire which last year drew about 92,000,000 bushels.

Entire reorientation of the Dominion's wheat industry would be necessary if a complete German victory were to ensue in Europe.

"As far as we are concerned, it would seem to me western Canada would have to abandon something like 10,000,000 acres of our least productive land and probably, de-

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES
"Life is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, July 21.

The Golden Text is: "This is life eternal, that they might know the only true God, and Jesus Christ, whom thou hast sent" (John 17:3). Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Blessed are they that do his commandments, that they may have right to the tree of life, and may enter in through the gates into the city" (Revelation 22:14).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from Christian textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Undisturbed amid the jarring testimony of the material senses, Science still enthroned, is unfolding to mortals the immutable, harmonious, divine principle,—is unfolding life and the universe, ever present and eternal." (page 306).

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Lord's Day services at 10:30 a. m. and 8:15 p. m.

TRINITY CHURCH.
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Oliver C. Cox, Minister in Charge.
Sunday School.
11:00 a.m. Lay readers' service.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
510 South Baird.
John Wharton, Pastor.

10:00 a. m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a. m.—Church service. Sermon by the pastor.
7:30 p. m.—Church service. Sermon by pastor.
7:30 p. m. Tuesday—Young people's service.
7:30 p. m. Friday—Prayer meeting.

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH
West Pennsylvania and Loraine

Lee Carter, Pastor.
Saturday Services—
Sabbath School, 10 a. m.
Preaching, 11 a. m.
8:00 p. m. Wednesday. Prayer meeting.

NAOMI CLASS.
The Naomi (inter-denominational) class for women will meet at 9:45 o'clock in the private dining room of the Hotel Scharbauer.

HOLINESS TABERNACLE (Pentecostal)
O. W. Roberts, Pastor.
10:00 a. m. Sunday school.
11:00 a. m. Preaching service.

ST. GEORGE CHURCH (Roman Catholic)
Father John J. O'Connell, Pastor.
8:00 a. m. Early morning mass for Spanish speaking people.
10:00 a.m. Mass and benediction for English speaking people.
7:30 p.m. each Monday. Perpetua novena service.

GOSPEL HALL.
500 S. Loraine St.
J. D. Jackson, Pastor.
10:00 a.m. Bible study.
11:00 a.m. Preaching service.
8:15 p.m. Preaching service.

vote it to sheep ranching," he said. "The reason I suggest this is that wool and mutton are the only important livestock products of which there is a deficiency at present in Canada. A development of that kind would mean the depopulation of some areas and complete readjustment of our local government organizations, such as municipalities, schools, telephone companies and road services," Taggart forecast.

Evening worship, 8:00 p. m.
Wednesday—
Mid-week Bible study and song drill, 8:00 p. m.
Saturday—
Every one invited to these services.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
West Tennessee and North "A" Sts
C. C. Morgan, Minister.
Program For The Week.
Lord's Day Bible study, 10:00 a.m.
Sermon and Lord's Supper, 10:50 a.m.
Radio sermon, KRLH 2:45 to 3:00 p.m.
Young People's Bible class, 7:00 p.m.
Evening worship, 8:00 p. m.

Wheat's Future Worries Canada
REGINA, Sask. (UP).—The whole future of Canada's wheat industry hangs in the balance because of Germany's drive in Europe, J. G. Taggart, minister of agriculture for Saskatchewan, believes.

Complete Nazi domination of Europe if effected, and followed by application of the German theory of self-sufficiency might force abandonment of more than 10,000,000 acres of low grade wheat land through the west to sheep ranching, the minister said.

Taggart stressed his views were not based on fact, but upon some of the possible outcomes of the European struggle.

Canada already has lost potential export markets for 35,000,000 bushels of wheat on the basis of 1939-1940 exports because of overseas events. In all Europe now, there is just one market—that for Great Britain and Eire which last year drew about 92,000,000 bushels.

Entire reorientation of the Dominion's wheat industry would be necessary if a complete German victory were to ensue in Europe.

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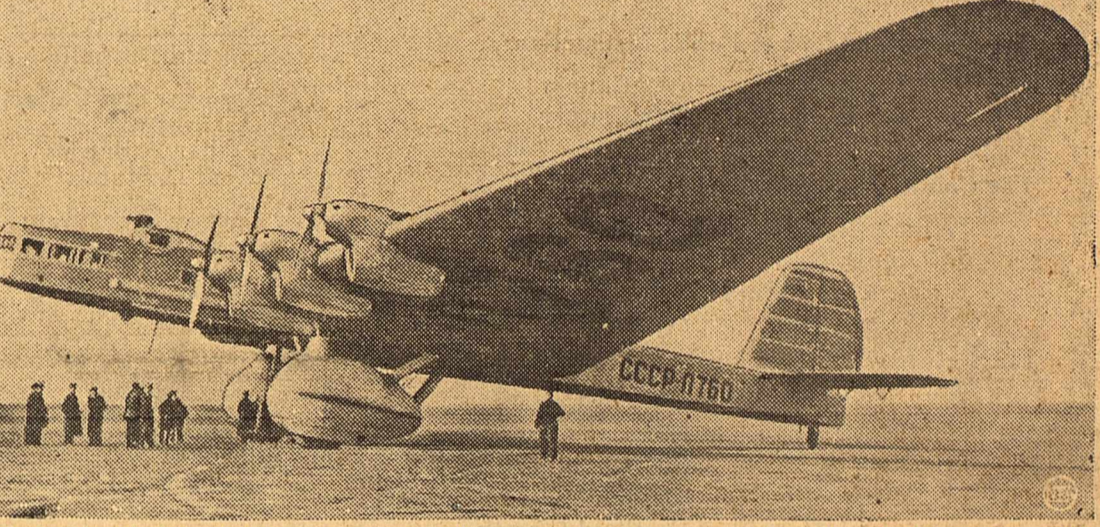
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Some kinds of bacteria have such astonishing vitality that they have been kept at a temperature of 338 degrees F. below zero for six months and yet lived.

Mrs. H. Koonce of Thackerville, Okla., is here visiting her daughter Miss Marie Koonce, and other relatives. She will be here until July 25 before leaving for home.

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Answer to Previous Puzzle

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Looking Toward a Fighting Campaign

Perched atop a desk in his Washington office, Republican National Committee chairman Joseph W. Martin, Jr., forecast a fighting campaign. The Representative from Massachusetts said he was certain Democrats would nominate President Roosevelt for a third term.

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A. P. Belcher of Erath County
Guy B. Fisher of San Augustine County

For Congress 16th Congressional District:

R. E. Thomason, El Paso County

For Governor:

W. Lee O'Daniel of Tarrant County
Harry Hines of Wichita County
Jerry Sadler of Gregg County
Miriam A. Ferguson of Travis County
R. P. Condron of Cameron County
Albert L. Derden of Falls County
Ernest O. Thompson of Potter County
Arlon B. Cyclone Davis of Dallas County

For Lieutenant-Governor:

Coke R. Stevenson of Kimble County
Charles Lavergne Somerville of Dallas County
Alton M. Mead of Tom Green County

For Comptroller of Public Accounts:

Clifford E. Butler of Harris County
Geo. H. Sheppard of Nolan County

For State Treasurer:

Harry McKee of Travis County
Charley Lockhart of Travis County

For Commissioner of the General Land Office:

Bascom Giles of Travis County

For Attorney General:

Gerald C. Mann of Dallas County

For Superintendent of Public Instruction:

S. R. LeMay of Henderson County
L. A. Woods of McLennan County

For Commissioner of Agriculture:

William N. Corry of Tarrant County
J. E. McDonald of Ellis County
W. W. King of Sabine County

For Railroad Commissioner:

Bryan Patterson of Jim Wells County
Olan R. Van Zandt of Grayson County
Eugene T. Smith of Travis County
Errol Holt of Dallas County
Wm. H. McDonald of Eastland County
Walton D. Hood of Travis County
Charlie Langford, Jr., of Galveston County
Clyde E. Smith of Tyler County
Olin Culberson of Jackson County
John Paul Jones of Rusk County
Pierce Brooks of Dallas County
Baker Saulsbury of Potter County
Ross Hardin of Limestone County
John Pundt of Dallas County
John D. Copeland, Jr., of Travis County
Bailey Sheppard of Gregg County
C. A. Everts of Dallas County
Larry Mills of Dallas County
O. O. Terrell of Brazoria County

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 2:

J. C. Brooks

For Committeeman, Precinct No. 2:

J. M. King

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:

Arthur Judkins
Donald Hutt
G. T. Crawford

For Committeeman, Precinct No. 3:

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:

J. L. Dillard
J. O. Nobles, Jr.

For Committeeman, Precinct No. 4:

A. G. Bohannon

For Chief Justice of the Supreme Court:

James P. Alexander of McLennan County
Tuck Chapin of Bexar County
John O. Douglas of Harris County
Richard B. Humphrey of Dallas County
H. S. Lattimore of Tarrant County
Gordon Griffin of Hidalgo County

For Associate Justice Supreme Court:

John H. Sharp of Ellis County
Wm. Richard Watkins of Tarrant County

For Judge of the Court of Criminal Appeals:

Tom L. Beauchamp of Smith County
George E. Christian of Burnet County

For Chief Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals

8th Supreme Judicial District of Texas:
P. R. Price of El Paso County

For Associate Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals

8th Supreme Judicial District:
A. T. Folsom of Winkler County
Samuel K. Wasaff of El Paso County
C. R. Sutton of Presidio County

For State Senator of 29th Senatorial District:

H. L. Winfield of Pecos County

For Representative 88th District:

James H. Goodman of Midland County
Taylor White of Ector County
Murray J. Howze of Ward County

For District Attorney:

Martelle McDonald of Howard County

For County Judge:

E. H. Barron

For County Attorney:

Joseph H. Mims
Merritt F. Hines

For Clerk of District Court:

Nettye C. Romer

For County Clerk:

Susie G. Noble

For Sheriff:

A. B. (Slim) Stickney
A. R. (Slim) Green
Norman L. Woody
Big Ed Darnell

For Assessor and Collector of Taxes:

J. H. Fine
Fisher Pollard
Neal D. Staton

For County Treasurer:

Lois Patterson

For County Surveyor:

Robt. E. Estes

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:

J. C. Roberts
Arch M. Stanley
Bennie Bizzell
J. T. Jenkins

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1, Place No. 1:

B. C. Girdley

For Constable, Precinct No. 1:

W. H. Wesson
R. D. Lee

For County Chairman Democratic Executive Committee:

Fred Wemple

For Committeeman, Voting Precinct No. 1:

Mike Connor

For Committeeman, Voting Precinct No. 5:

Jno. P. Butler

Cattlemen to Go Down Line With Government on Conservation Work

SAN ANGELO, July 20 (AP).—Texas cattlemen and those in other parts of the nation are to go down the line with the United States in working out a long range livestock program that will assist in bringing unity to the western hemisphere. Jay Taylor, Amarillo, told a staff member of The San Angelo Standard Times in Amarillo this afternoon.

"A changing world calls for readjustment of our ideas and thoughts," the ranching leader declared, "and today we face a condition entirely different from anything America has ever confronted. This, the livestock people realize as do other peoples of South and North America.

Mr. Taylor said the cattle industry desires to aid in a program of hemisphere solidarity but in the past the cattlemen have felt they had been left in the dark as to the real intentions of the state department and administration.

"What we want is a chance to sit down with officials from both North and South America and talk things over," Taylor said. "We want to know what they have in mind. We can't believe anything could be gained for this nation or this hemisphere by any such action that would ruin the livestock industry in the United States."

At the Havana conference problems are to be brought up that cattlemen have spent many hours working on and much consideration and thought.

Livestock organizations have passed many resolutions asking that no frozen meats from South America be imported to this country because of the ever-present menace of the foot and mouth disease. Taylor said that every cattleman knows that should an outbreak of this disease come to America, his entire herd would be annihilated once it got a foothold. Taylor recalled that President

Roosevelt discussed the disease menace with western cattlemen in Fort Worth a few years back.

"President Roosevelt promised us then, and he has kept his word, that there would not be anything done about this matter until we were given a chance to be heard. Every cattlemen in the west should appreciate Mr. Roosevelt's position in this matter. He has kept faith with us."

Charters, Awards Presented at Scout Court of Honor

Badges, awards and three troop charters were presented to Midland Boy Scouts and scouters at a court of honor held Friday evening at Crier park. The Rev. J. E. Pickering, court of honor chairman for Midland, presided. Principal address was by S. A. Mate, executive of the Buffalo Trails council, Sweetwater.

Grady Taylor presented second class badges to Bob Stevens, Bill Ward, William McReynolds and Sanford Coleman, the first two from troop 53 and the latter two from troop 54. Ralph Vertrees, only boy in line for first class badge, was out of the city.

Merit badges were presented by T. Paul Barron as follows: to Jack Noyes, troop 52, for cooking, personal health, public health, pioneering, camping and public health; to Foster Hedrick, troop 52, for cooking, pioneering, camping and public health; to Charles Barron, troop 54, for personal health; to Preston Dickson, troop 54, for public health; to Burvin Hines, troop 54, for handicraft and public health; to Marvin Prager, troop 54, for personal health. Star scout badge was presented to Jack Noyes by Riley Parr, Midland

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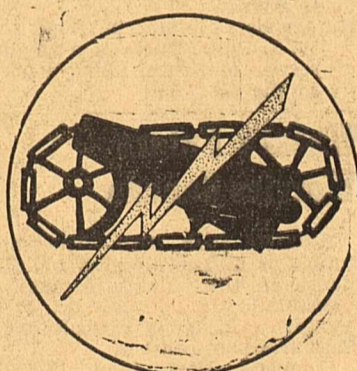
Australian soldiers flocking to their London headquarters raised eyebrows at the ambiguous announcements on the building, a theatre turned over to the Australian Expeditionary Force. Electric sign advertises the play formerly housed there.

British Admiral Held as Pro-Nazi



Britain's drive against potential Fifth Columnists caused the arrest of retired Admiral Sir Barry Domville, above, and his wife, Admiral Domville, former head of Naval Intelligence, had close German ties, having twice been Adolf Hitler's guest. He headed The Link, British organization to promote Anglo-Nazi friendship.

Blitzkrieg Symbol Not New to U. S.



Lightning, symbol of blitzkrieg, is not new to U. S. Army, whose armored field force uses this six-year-old insignia. Black tracks stand for mechanization, cannon indicates fire power. Across them cuts red fork of lightning, symbolizing swift powers of destruction.

Horses for Army May Be Listed at County Agent Office

Horse breeders or owners having animals which they desire to sell to the United States army may report them to the office of County Agent V. G. Young, second floor of the court house, and he will send a list to officers at remount headquarters, he announced late in the week. Major Marion I. Voorhes, officer in charge of the southern remount area, with headquarters at Fort Worth, will make a buying trip as soon as definite information is received as to the animals available, he has advised.

All pack mules are to be bought by August 1 and all cavalry horses by September 15, it was announced. Specifications follow:
HORSES — Cavalry and heavy cavalry (light draft).
(a) Kind—Rugged, good middled, straight legged Half-Breeds which travel right.
(b) Height—15/0 to 15/3 hands; 16/0 hands if mature.
(c) Weight—From 1000 pounds to 1275 pounds, according to height.
(d) Age—4 to 8 years old.
(e) Sex—Geldings.
(f) Price—Average \$165.00. A good 15-hand horse will bring less than

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Continued Losses in Cotton Listed

NEW YORK, July 20 (AP).—A steady trickle of hedging sales wore away prices in the cotton futures market today. Final losses of 1 to 5 points put the list at the low for the week.

Selling was encouraged by a lower trend at Bombay and a less unfavorable view of crop weather conditions. Hedging was said to be against both foreign and domestic growths.

Principal support came in the trade buying on the way down. While spasmodic activity developed, dealers reported turnover subnormal.

No export Friday; season so far 6,386,603 bales. Port receipts 966; port stocks 2,476,642.

A Long, Long Way

If we could leave the earth, traveling into space as far in one second as light travels in an entire year, we would have to continue for 16 years to reach the distance already penetrated by modern telescopes.

Gordon Birds Are on Western Canada Trip

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Bird and daughter are spending a vacation in western Canada and attended last week the Calgary Stampede, one of the world's greatest rodeos. They also visited Jasper Lake, Lake Louise and Banff and were greatly impressed with the ice fields and high mountains, they wrote friends here. They expect to return home soon. Mr. Bird is with the Hydril Company.

Large Hides

Some of the cattle hides used to make upholstery leather are more than 70 feet square. Markets of the world are combed to select large, perfect hides for this industry.

One in Five

The physical requirements of the United States army flying service are passed by only one out of every five American college men examined by army flight surgeons.

No Protection Needed

Polar bears and penguins are found at opposite ends of the earth, so penguins need no protection from the bears, nor need the bears are of the north polar region, penguins of the south polar region.

Valuable Sun Glasses

Probably the most expensive sun glasses ever made are a \$2000 pair in New York City, which are set with small diamonds around the rims and two-carat square-cut diamonds in the center.

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Refugees in Central France Get Their Daily Bread



"Relieving the suffering of French refugees" says the German caption supplied with this picture. Photo shows loaves being handed out to refugees passing through a French city.

Your Part in Paying for National Defense Program May Be Seen in Changed Regulations for 1940 Income Tax Returns

Editor's Note: The following treatise on the 1940 income tax regulations was given as an address Thursday noon to the Midland Rotary club by Daniel H. Griffith, Midland accountant, and is printed herewith for its public interest, with permission of the speaker.

"First of all, I want to say that I esteem it a signal honor and a genuine pleasure to be a guest of so distinguished and so splendid a group as you who make up the Rotary organization here in Midland. I feel especially honored that I have the privilege of presenting to your worthy organization and its honorable guests some of the basic material changes effected by the recently enacted Revenue Act of 1940.

"Before entering into what, of necessity, must be a brief discussion of the changes effected and their effect upon taxpayers, generally, I wish to prefix my remarks with a condensed summary of the history of Internal Revenue Legislation. It is believed that these historical notes may afford a sort of background for our further thought and study of the present-day Federal Income Tax set-up.

"The first Internal Revenue Law was enacted on March 3, 1791. This law imposed a tax on distilled spirits and stills. It was followed by legislation imposing taxes upon carriages, retail dealers in wines and foreign spirituous liquors, snuff, refined sugar, property sold at auc-

tion, legal instruments, real estate, and slaves. All of these taxes and the offices created for their enforcement were abolished in 1802. During the period in which these taxes were operative internal revenue receipts amounted to the very small sum of \$6,758,764.26. Comparison of these receipts with the receipts for the Fiscal Year 1938, amounting to \$5,658,765,314.00, discloses that at the present time the Internal Revenue Service collects more than twice as much from internal revenue taxes in one day as the original organization collected during the entire ten-year period.

"Internal Revenue Taxes on various items were again imposed in 1813 following the war of 1812. All of these taxes were repealed, however, by the Act of December 23, 1817 after they had yielded \$25,833,449.43 for the five-year period. "For a period of 43 years—1818 to 1861—no internal revenue taxes were imposed.

"On July 6, 1861, an Act was passed imposing a tax on incomes and real property. No income tax was collected under this act, and all tax on real property collected under the act was returned to the State under authority of the Act of March 24, 1891.

"The Act of July 1, 1862 is largely the basis of our present system of internal revenue taxation. It contained the first law under which any income tax was collected. It also created the office of Commissioner of Internal Revenue. Under it, practically everything which Congress thought was susceptible of yielding revenue was taxed. The three things which for a long time remained the backbone of the internal revenue system—spirits, tobacco, and beer—received the particular attention of the lawmakers.

"The internal revenue laws were first codified in the Revised Statutes of 1873, title XXXV, which was made absolute law. A perfected edition of the Revised Statutes was prepared in 1878 but was only prima facie law. The internal revenue laws

were again codified in title 26 of the United States Code which was enacted as prima facie law in 1924.

"The internal revenue laws of the United States were consolidated and codified by Internal Revenue Code approved February 10, 1939 (Public No. 1-76th Congress). The Internal Revenue Code contains all of the law of a general and permanent nature relating exclusively to internal revenue in force on January 2, 1939. Prior laws are superseded by the Code which is "the law" of the land.

"It is noted that remarks made thus far related to Internal Revenue Laws generally, and not to Income Tax Laws in particular. We shall now pass on to the subject of Federal Income Taxation as it is operative at the present time.

"I stated a while ago that the Internal Revenue Code is "the law." It follows, therefore, that the function of Revenue Acts enacted from time to time is to amend the Code. This is true in respect of the Revenue Act of 1940.

"The Revenue Act of 1940 is divided into four titles, I to IV, inclusively.

"The purpose of the Revenue Act of 1940 is to provide for the expense of national defense by raising revenue and issuing bonds, and to provide methods for paying such bonds. Its purpose is accomplished entirely by amending the Internal Revenue Code.

"Title I provides for increased permanent income taxes and lower personal statutory exemptions. "Title II provides for defense "super taxes" for five years, and for an additional four-year extension of the excise taxes as increased (from 1941 to 1945).

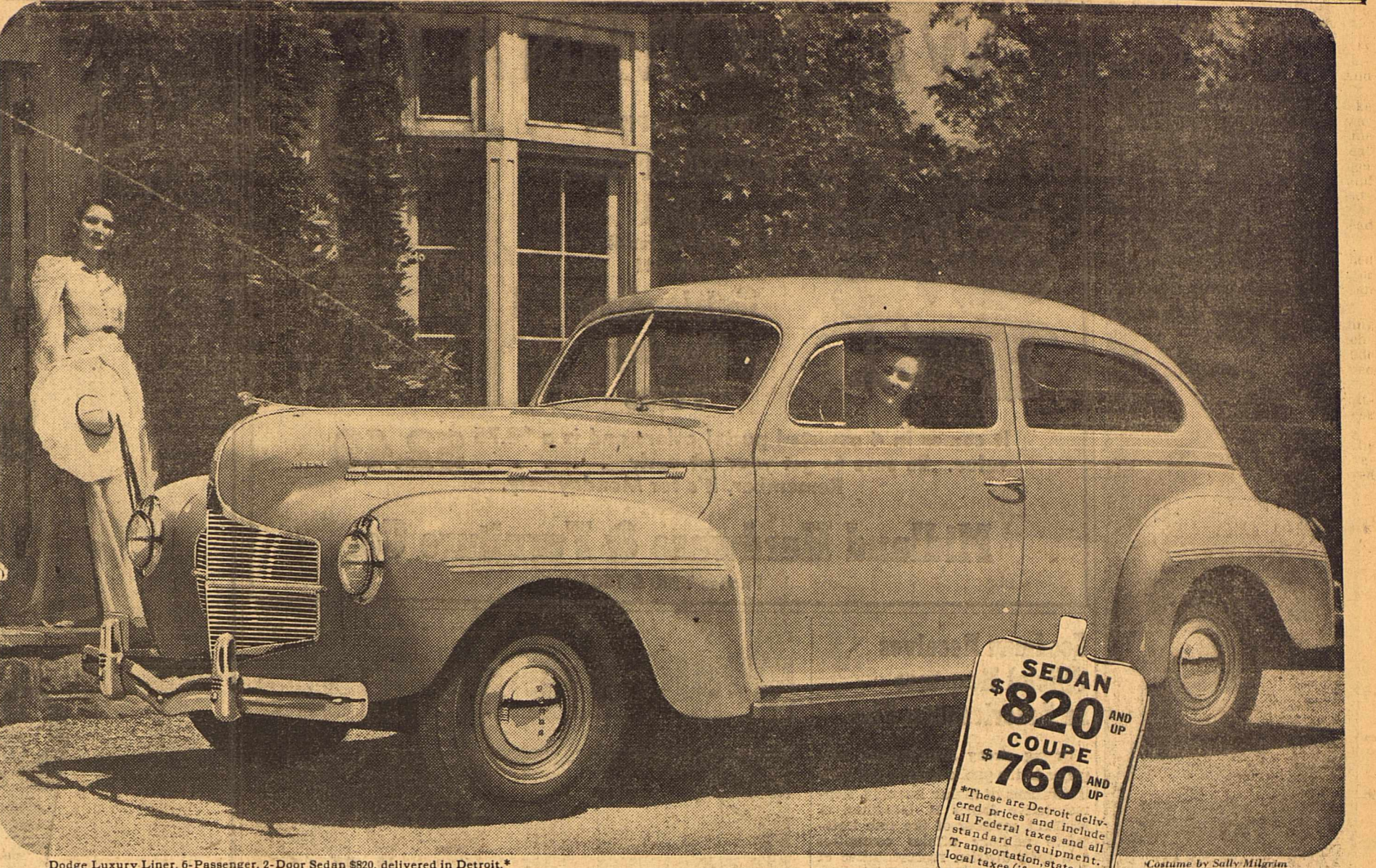
"Title III provides for the setting aside of the five-year defense taxes, and other taxes applicable, for the purpose of retiring any obligations issued under the authority of the Second Liberty Loan Act, as amended, and for the amendment of the Second Liberty Loan Act to authorize the issuance of not to exceed \$4,000,000,000 (billion) in obligations for the purpose of national defense.

"Title IV contains an amendment to the Public Salary Tax Act of 1939.

"Title I of the Act provides for the lowering of statutory exemption in the case of single individuals, or married individuals not living with husband or wife, from \$1,000.00 to \$800.00, and the lowering of exemption of married persons or heads of families, from \$2,500.00 to \$2,000.00. Exemption for non-resident alien individuals is also reduced from \$1,000.00 to \$800.00. Estates get an exemption of \$800.00 under the new title while the exemption of \$100.00 for trusts remains unchanged.

"Credits for dependents remain the same, being \$400.00 for each dependent person. Earned income provisions were not changed in the Act.

"Surtax rates in many intermediate brackets were revised upward. The brackets from \$4,000.00 to \$6,000.00 of surtax net income remains unchanged while in all the brackets from \$6,000.00 to \$100,000.00 the rates have been changed so that the surtax on \$100,000.00 or surtax net income is now \$36,780.00, an increase of \$6,780.00 over what it was under the 1939 Act. Rates on brackets in excess of \$100,000.00 remain unchanged, as that the surtax on all



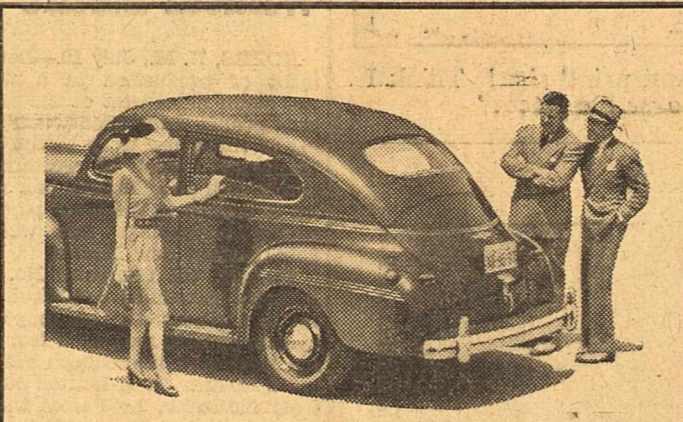
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surtax net incomes in excess of \$100,000.00 amounts to \$6,780.00 more under the new Act than under prior law.

"No change in Normal Tax Rates is provided for in the Act.

"Changes in the corporate tax structure provided for in the Revenue Act of 1939 and effective for taxable years beginning after December 31, 1939 will not go into effect as they have been superseded by the new rates in the Revenue Act of 1940, which are in effect for years beginning after December 31, 1939. All tax rates in the 1939 Act affecting corporations have been increased 1 percent in the 1940 Act except surtax on improper accumulations and on personal holding companies). The 18 per cent general rate on corporations with normal tax net incomes in excess of \$25,000.00 has been increased to 19 per cent. The alternative tax in case of corporations with normal tax net incomes of slightly in excess of \$25,000.00 is \$3,775.00 plus 33 per cent of the excess over \$25,000.00. This alternative computation is to be made only when its application results in less tax than if computation were made on a straight 19 per cent rate.

"Upon net incomes of not more than \$25,000.00, the basic rates in each bracket are increased by 1 per cent over the inoperative rates in the 1939 Act. A schedule of the

new basic rates follows:

Normal-tax net incomes not in excess of \$5,000 ... 13-1/2%
More than \$5,000 and not more than \$20,000 ... 15%
More than \$20,000 ... 17%

"For the year ended June 30, 1940 and for the next four successive years ending June 30, the Capital Stock Rate tax shall be \$1.10 per \$1,000.00 of declared value instead of \$1.00. No other changes were made in the Capital Stock Tax.

"All of the foregoing changes except those in respect of the Capital Stock Tax provisions are effective with taxable years beginning after December 31, 1939, and no expiration dates have been provided for.

"Title II of the act provides a superimposed defense tax of 10 per cent upon these increased taxes. The defense tax is not computed upon the Taxable Net Income but upon the final tax figure. There is a limitation in respect of the defense tax. The act provides that in no case shall the effect of the defense tax be to increase the tax computed without regard for it by more than 10 per cent of the amount by which the Net Income exceeds such tax. Other defense tax provisions are incorporated in the title but time will not permit of their discussion at this time. The defense "super-

tax" as discussed herein is effective taxable years beginning after December 31, 1939 and before January 1, 1945.

"The most pronounced change made, and the one which is of most concern to more persons, relates to Return Requirements. Under the Revenue Act of 1940, a single individual, or a married person not living with husband or wife, who has a GROSS income of \$800.00 or more must file a return. Married persons having a GROSS income of \$2,000.00 or more must file a return. Section 7 (a) (B) of the act further provides that if a man and his wife have a combined GROSS income of \$2,000.00 for the taxable year a return must be filed. Some authorities have estimated that these new Return Requirements will affect approximately 9,000,000 persons.

"In closing I might add that the basic Estate Tax Rates and the basic Gift Tax rates remain unchanged. The superimposed defense tax is, of course, effective with respect to taxes in connection with them.

"For the benefit of those who may entertain doubt that the Income Tax laws are constitutional, I add the statement that altho the present system of income taxation is an outgrowth of the Corporation Excise Tax Act of 1909, all Federal Income Tax Legislation as we now have it was enacted in pursuance

of the Sixteenth Amendment to the Constitution, which was ratified on February 25, 1913. Its constitutionality has been consistently upheld, and any thought that it may be unconstitutional should be discarded."

Narcotic Seizure Is Made by Agents

SAN FRANCISCO, July 20 (AP)—U. S. customs agents seized seventeen pounds, three ounces of narcotics aboard a Japanese freighter here today, and arrested a Japanese, while the state narcotics chief hinted the case would have international ramifications and involve contraband worth more than \$1,000,000 when it was "cleaned up."

Paul E. Madden, chief of the California narcotics enforcement division, said the narcotic seizure today was the largest "in a long, long time," and that the lot taken would be valued "wholesale" at \$31,000, and probably would bring well above \$200,000 in illegal street sales.

Madden said the Japanese was seized by customs agents in the engine room of the Nanman Maru, which docked here from the Orient, via Los Angeles, late yesterday.

Rattler "Dies," Bites Keeper And Is Dead

FORT WORTH (UP)—Harry Jackson, keeper of the reptiles, finally was bitten by a snake. And it took a "dead" snake to do it.

The reptile "died" in the snake pit at the zoo and Jackson was about to skin it. Suddenly it came to life, bit the keeper and "died" again. Jackson slashed his finger where the snake had struck and went to a hospital for further treatment.

"Never trust a rattlesnake, dead or alive," he said.

This particular snake was named Hitler because it had been dictator ever since it was brought from San Antonio. Hitler had such a commanding disposition that a woman, watching him for an hour one day made a remark to Jackson as she turned to leave the snake show. "Betha \$5," she said, "that rattlesnake bites you before the week goes by."

Jackson wished he had called the bet when Hitler died, but later revoked his wish when Hitler proved deadly even in death.

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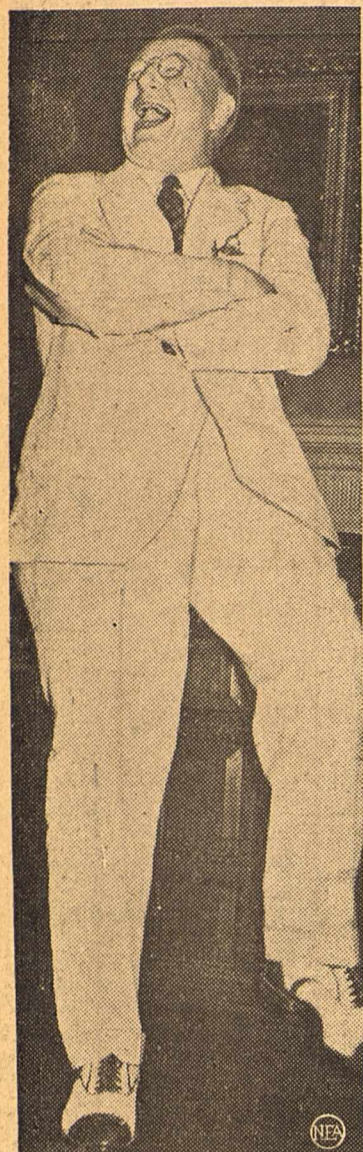
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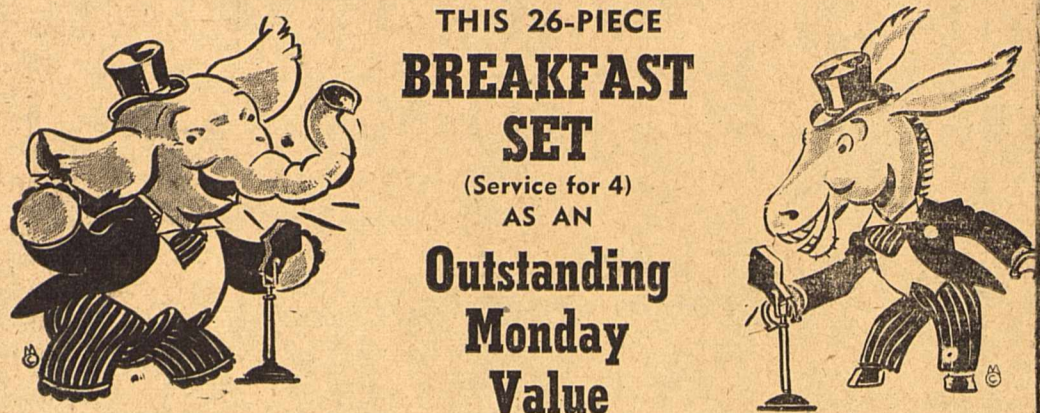
Whatever it was that someone said to Secretary of the Navy Frank Knox at a recent press conference in Washington, it must have been good to produce the hearty laugh pictured above.

Vermont Strawberries Run 22 to the Quart

BURLINGTON, Vt. (U.P.) — Vermont farmers fear that the common strawberry may become a problem. Recently, Conrow Chamberlain of Jericho arrived at market with a regulation berry basket that was filled by 25 strawberries grown on his farm. The same day C. W. Young of St. Albans Bay disclosed that strawberries in his patch were running 22 to the quart.

Food to Ammunition
"Dumbo," a favorite dish in Liberia, Africa, becomes so hard if not eaten immediately that leftover portions are used by the natives as ammunition in their muzzle-loading guns.

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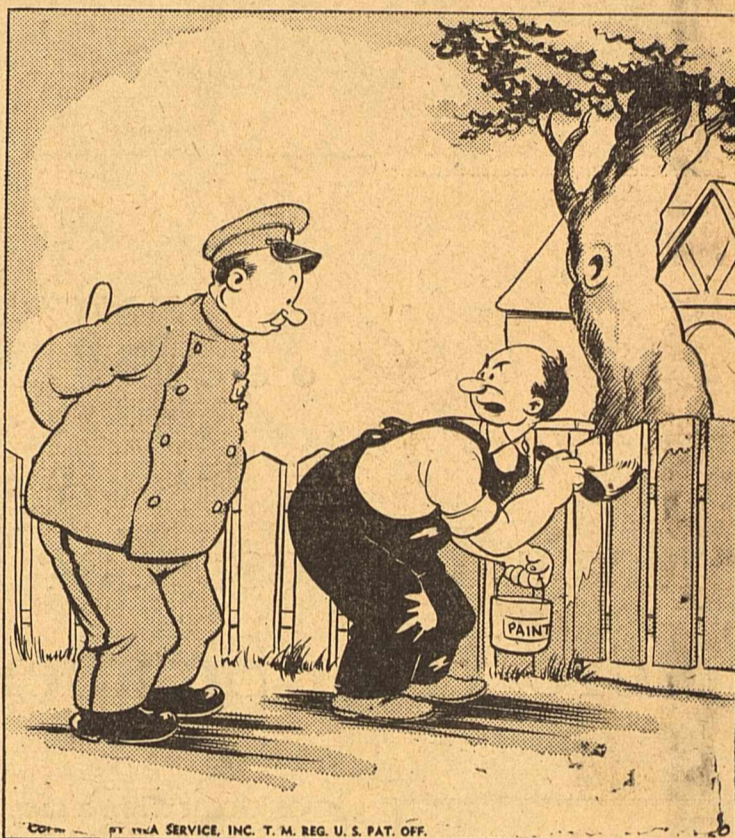
Goodman Receives Official Response In Americanism Plan

Urging strong Americanism programs in the public schools and state institutions of higher learning, Representative James H. Goodman of Midland, member of the 46th legislative military affairs committee and fifth division representative of the American Legion child welfare committee, has received responses from the state board of education and from Congressman Martin Dies.

Senator J. G. Strong, chairman of the education board, said "it behooves all of us to lend all aid to this (Dies) committee in order that full facts may be obtained, and these subversive activities curtailed and eliminated. The State Board of Education desires to cooperate fully in this connection, and I am happy to state that the board has already taken cognizance of the situation and will no doubt look favorably on the adoption of text-books with the primary purpose of teaching the fundamentals of American Democracy."

Martin Dies, of the special committee on un-American activities of United States congress, wrote Goodman expressing thanks for "your suggestion that copies of our hearing dealing with the penetration of subversive activities into our educational system be forwarded to the state board of education of Texas. Accordingly I shall instruct the secretary of the committee to forward copies of these hearings to the board from time to time as they develop."

Hold Everything



"No, I'm not gonna put up a 'wet paint' sign! Think I want finger prints all over the place?"

Death Follows the Rising Sun in China



That "other war" is still going on, although it is Europe's tragedy that captures the headlines. Japan's daily toll of death and destruction in China is illustrated by the unusual action photo, above. The scene is Ichang, important city in central China. Nipponese infantrymen are seen following close behind an artillery barrage, one of whose shells explodes in the background.

Camps to Trail Cotton Pickers

PHOENIX, ARIZ. (U.P.) — The Farm Security Administration is constructing several "mobile camps on wheels" to care for the vast army of migrant cotton pickers in Arizona who leave the government's three permanent "model" communities almost overnight at grapevine reports of "good pick-

ing" in distant parts of the state. The government originally built the three "model" labor camps in Arizona—one near Yuma, one at Coldwater, and one at Eleven-Mile Corner in Pinal county—at a cost of more than \$1,000,000 with expectations that the migrants would remain in them. Sanitary facilities, steel shelters with concrete platforms, community center buildings, clinics, electric lights, pure water, laundries, grass, trees and other conveniences all were provided. **Call Quickly Answered**

But the migrants were content to stay in these supervised camps

just as long as there was work available in the vicinity. When a report would come in "there's good picking in Pinal county where they're paying good" inhabitants of the Coldwater and Yuma camps would pick up overnight and leave in their battered "jalopies" to track down the rumor.

Almost, always, a few days or weeks later, the evicted pickers, whose places in the camps had been taken by other families just entering the state, would return.

Construction of the mobile units was supervised by C. R. DeHoff, agent in charge of migratory farm labor projects of the FSA, who estimated each one of the five units would cost the government between \$800 and \$1,000 over and above daily operating expenses. Each unit will be manned by a camp manager and a registered nurse.

Camps Have Clinic
Included in the equipment to be carried by the new traveling units are a small Diesel plant to furnish light; hot and cold shower plant; clinic; manager's office and tent platforms. Equipment will be car-

ried on trucks and trailers and assembled on land as close to the scene of picking operations as possible. DeHoff estimated that one mobile unit set up on a 10-acre tract of land could care for approximately 200 families.

"We think we can cut down the large influx of extra labor that becomes a county, state and federal relief problem at the end of each cotton-picking season by aiding these people in moving from district to district and obtaining the extra labor needed possible from California, rather than advertising in Texas and Oklahoma as the labor units have done in the past," he said.

Poison Removed

In its natural state, the root of the bitter cassava is poisonous. Long ago, South American Indians learned how to render the root harmless, and cassava bread has been a staple food of the Brazilian jungles for years. Today, tapioca is made from the root.

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Southeast New Mexico Developments Featured by New Wildcat Strike West of Artesia Pool in Eddy County

HOBBES, N. M., July 20.—Development of production in a wildcat test seven miles west of the old Artesia pool in Eddy county and starting of three new wells in the active Maljamar pool of western Lea county with an additional pair scheduled to deepen to the lower pay, were among happenings this week in Southeastern New Mexico. Ventura Oil Company No. 1 H. L. Lowe, scheduled 6,000-foot wildcat in northeastern Lea, topped anhydrite at 2,190 feet, 1,673 feet above sea level, and is drilling ahead below 2,200 feet. It is located 660 feet from the south, 1,980 from the east line of section 26-13s-37e. Eddy's new strike west of the Artesia pool is Martin Yates Jr., et al No. 1 E. L. McCall, on the north edge of Lake McMillan. The well drilled oil sand from 1,022 to 1,032 feet, the total depth and bailed 30 barrels of oil per day on natural production test. It then was shot with 60 quarts from 1,017 to 1,032 feet but bridged after shot. When bridge was knocked out, the well made three heads over the mast. Cleaning out of shot debris still is in progress, and estimates of yield average around 75 barrels a day. No. 1 McCall is 330 feet from the south, 990 from the west line of section 24-18-26e.

Resumes Drilling

Four miles southeast of Lake McMillan, Beddingfield & Walker No. 1 State, 330 feet out of the southeast corner of section 10-20s-27e, is shut down at 188 feet in red rock and sand awaiting 10-inch casing. After a long shutdown period, Trojan Oil Company No. 1 Grant permit, Eddy wildcat in section 33-20s-26e, resumed drilling and had reached depth of 620 feet in lime at the last reports.

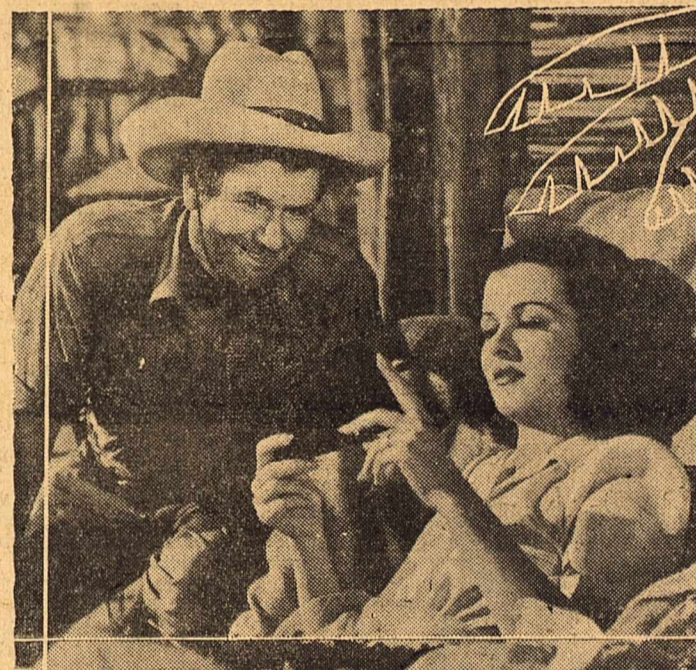
In the Halfway pool of western Lea, Sam Weiner et al No. 1 State, 2,310 feet from the north and east lines of section 16-20s-32e, was completed at 2,559 feet in lime for natural production of seven to eight barrels an hour on pump. Main pay was found in lime from 2,537 to 2,553 feet.

To Lower Pay

Operations have already been commenced on the trio of tests staked this week in the Maljamar pool. Barney Cockburn No. 18-B Baish, 1,990 feet from the south, 660 from the west line of section 27-17s-32e, has set surface pipe, while the same owner's No. 19-B Baish, 660 feet out of the northeast corner of section 28-17s-32e, is rigging up rotary. Carper Drilling Company No. 1-N Simon, 660 feet from the north, 1,980 from the west line of section 29-17s-32e, is drilling below 70 feet with company machine.

Cockburn will deepen No. 9-B Baish 1,980 feet from the north and 600 feet from the west line of section 27-17s-32e, to the lower pay of the Maljamar pool. It already is producing from the upper pay. Spudner is being rigged up to deepen R. W. Fair No. 2-B Baish, old well 1,980 feet from the north, 660 from the east line of section 27-17s-32e. Three producers were completed during the week in Lea's Vacuum

Ritz Today Through Tuesday



George Bancroft and Joan Bennett are co-starred with Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., in Universal's latest triumph, "Green Hell."

"Tank Farming" Makes Garden Of Wake Isle

SAN FRANCISCO, (U.P.) — Tiny mid-Pacific Wake Island, coral outpost for Pan-American Clippers, has been transformed into a garden haven capable of providing sufficient vegetables for 50 persons or more, according to Torrey Lyons, who has just returned from there. The transformation of a barren coral reef into a vegetable garden has been made possible, Lyons explained, by the adoption of the system of growing crops in tanks. The water in these receptacles is supplied with the necessary minerals for growth.

Lyons, a resident of Stockton, Cal., and a 1938 graduate of the University of California, is in Cooper area of Lea, Cubertson & Irwin, Inc. of Midland No. 1 J. A. Cooper is drilling past 3,536 feet in lime. It showed 180 feet of oil and 2,700,000 cubic feet of gas when 27-minute drillstem test was made from 3,449 to 3,503 feet.

Guilf Oil Corporation No. 1 Amanda E. Drinkard, deep test in the Skelly area of Lea, is standing after cementing back to 3,820 feet from total depth of 4,500 feet in lime with 162 sacks of cement. Test will be made of upper zones which show of some oil. Two steel-line measurements were reported from the well, depth at 4,483 feet being corrected to 4,489 feet and that at 4,502 being corrected to 4,494 feet. The well had 3,250 feet of fluid in the hole, mostly water, at total depth. Located 1,980 feet from the south and east lines of section 25-22s-37e No. 1 Drinkard failed in its objective, the Hobbs lime horizon. In the northeast part of the

All Set to Train National Guard



Major General John F. Williams, chief of the War Department National Guard Bureau, will supervise training of four American Guards divisions which President Roosevelt will call out if Congress enacts enabling legislation.

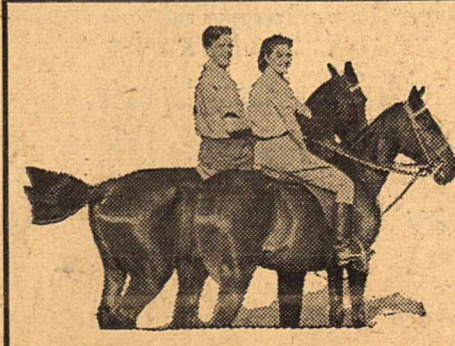
charge of the soilless gardens of Wake Island. While there is not enough soil on the island to grow any kind of food plant or tree, "tank farming" has solved the problem of growing needed vegetables for the 30 inhabitants of the island, most of whom are employees of the Pan-American Airways.

The farm is being enlarged by the installation of two additional tanks, 75 feet long, 3 feet wide and 9 inches deep.

Crops to date have consisted largely of tomatoes and beans but other vegetables, Lyons said, are to be added as fast as the tank farm increases in size. The plants grow profusely, he said, and the vegetables have a particularly fine flavor.

The necessary plant nutrients to place in the tanks are taken to the island by the supply steamers of the Pan-American Airways. The present program provides not only for growing sufficient vegetables for the regular inhabitants of the island but eventually to increase the amount necessary to supply the needs of all passengers who stop there overnight on the weekly flights of the Clippers.

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