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Warships Bombar "Invasion Port"

County Crops, Ranges Are Stimulated By Heavy Rainfall

Inch And Half Registered In The City Limits

Precipitation Is Reported General West Of Big Spring

Most beneficial rain to fall in Midland County in months was recorded last night and today. The precipitation inside the city limits was 1.56 during 24 hours between yesterday and today at noon. The rains were reported to be general from Big Spring to Pecos. Seagraves reported heavy rains last night and Fort Stockton reported rain throughout the night and this morning. Farms and ranches of Midland County were greatly benefited by the rain. Although a temporary halt will have to be called to the gathering of cotton, late feed is expected to be "made" by the moisture. Practically every part of the county reported at least an inch of rain, some spots more. The McClintic, Boone, Fasken and Hodge ranches received one half inch last night. The Charlie McClintic farm northwest of town received an estimated two and one-half inches. Ranchers were optimistic following the rains, declaring they were all needed to start weeds and grass to growing. Stanton reported rain throughout the night with heavier precipitation reported in the northwest part of Martin County. Odessa also had an all-night rain with additional moisture during the morning. Reports indicated the rains did not fall east of Big Spring. Clear, fair weather was reported at Sweetwater. An all-night rain was also reported at Grand Falls and Royalty.

Softer Attitude Toward U. S. By Japanese Induced After Americans Advised To Leave

TOKYO, Oct. 11 (AP)—Washington's advice to Americans to leave the troubled Orient appears to have induced a softer attitude among Japanese toward the United States, an informed source said today. A new tack in public utterances may be taken, it was said, as a result of the failure of a "trial balloon" by Premier Prince Fumimaro Konoye to produce the desired reaction in the United States. Foreign Minister Yosuke Matsuoka's repetition of the declaration that the Japanese-German-Italian pact was not directed against the United States was interpreted as evidence of such a change. Prince Konoye a week ago had invited the United States to cooperate with the Rome-Berlin-Tokyo Axis but declared on the other hand that any United States challenge to Axis division of world leadership would bring a "fight to the finish." Seeking To Lessen Pressure The source analyzing the trend of Japanese utterances said he interpreted the Premier's statement as an attempt to arouse pacifists in the United States to demand a slackening of Washington pressure, lest an armed conflict result. When Washington subsequently advised United States nationals to

leave the Japanese empire, among other places in the Orient, this source said, it destroyed the psychological advantages of any future saber-rattling by the Japanese. Yukihiro Suma, foreign office spokesman, told a press conference today that "responsible people on both sides of the Pacific should be very calm." WASHINGTON, Oct. 11 (AP)—Official concern over the tense Far East situation centered anew today on Shanghai as a potential trouble spot after the slaying there of the city's puppet mayor and a Japanese army officer. One of the chief dangers, as viewed in well-informed but unofficial quarters, was that the incident might occasion new Japanese attempts to take over the entire international settlement. Seeking Servant Officials refrained from comment since the assassination of the Mayor Fu Siao-En occurred within the heavily guarded Japanese stronghold of Hongkew and the killing of the officer just outside. However, it was noted the municipal police of the International settlement had been asked by Japanese authorities to help search for

Fu's personal servant, who was missing from the Mayor's residence after the killing. The servant's home had been in the settlement, at least until 3 weeks ago. Several times in the past Japanese have charged that lawless characters have taken refuge in parts of the settlement not under Japanese control. The possibility that a serious situation might arise in Shanghai over some such incident as Fu's assassination long has been regarded here as one of the dangers in the Far East. The United States has some 1,200 marines stationed in Shanghai and has failed so far to reach an agreement with Japan on division of the former British International settlement sector for patrol purposes. Japan, dissatisfied with the division made by the Shanghai Municipal Council, sought to take over either area. The United States, however, has insisted on patrolling an area in which the more important American interests are located. Disputes have been frequent between American and Japanese forces in Shanghai. One was settled only yesterday with a Japanese apology for the arrest and alleged beating of a sailor from the U. S. cruiser Augusta.

Tenement Dwellers Buried In Shelter



London air raid workers remove the body of a baby killed when a giant German bomb crashed into an emergency air raid shelter in a crowded London area. Thirty-six tenement dwellers were known to have been in the shelter but only five were alive when rescue crews arrived.

British Carry War To Nazis On All Fronts

Germans Admit Raids By RAF Cause Heavy Damage Over Nation

By The Associated Press. British warships bombarded the German-held "invasion" base of Cherbourg on the French coast today, attacking boldly in a thick dawn haze, and set huge fires visible 40 miles away, the London admiralty reported. No damage or casualties were sustained by the sea raiders, the admiralty said, adding: "There was no naval opposition from the enemy although it was known that enemy light forces were at Cherbourg." The admiralty said heavy and light forces engaged in the assault—the first sizeable naval action in the English Channel since the bloody retreat from Dunkerque last night. Nazi quarters minimized the effect of the bombardment, asserting that only a single British cruiser "attempted" to shell the big shipping port and that it was routed by the fire of German coastal batteries which "showered" the cruiser with shells. Create Great Havoc. The Germans acknowledged, however, that RAF bombers striking before dawn created havoc at the great north German port of Hamburg. In the Far East crisis, while Japan officially muffled saber-rattling against the United States, excited rumors circulated in Shanghai that Japan is planning to seize the foreign settlements there on Oct. 18, and that 14,000 Japanese controlled Chinese troops are already massed outside the city. Japanese navy and army spokesmen denied any such intention, but nervousness prevailed there and elsewhere in the Orient. Britain followed the United States' example of "freezing" Rumanian credits amid signs of a break in Anglo-Rumanian relations following the "drang nach osten" (march to the east) infiltration of German troops into the rich Balkan oil kingdom. Almost for the first time in the war, the German people began to get an insight on the two-way effect of the conflict. Accustomed to hear only glowing reports of Nazi smashes against Britain, the German populace today read a DNB summary of British raids during the last two nights disclosing that many had been killed and many more wounded in the Reichland. Bomb Naval Bases. DNB admitted destructive raids on Cologne, Duesseldorf, Leipzig, Magdeburg, Castrup-Rauxel and Essen, and listed 47 houses lit by the bombs. While the Germans minimized damage to military objectives, the British air ministry reported that RAF bombers struck hard blows at warships in the big German naval base at Wilhelmshaven and the great German port of Kiel, over 20 attacked the German-held channel ports of Calais, Boulogne, Le Havre, Brest and Cherbourg. The air ministry said other RAF raiders set huge fires in bomb assaults on oil storage tanks at half a dozen points in Germany, including Cologne and Hanover. German warplanes attacking London for the 36th consecutive night were reported to have dropped 496,000 pounds of bombs on the British capital alone. Other Nazi raiders tripped their bomb racks over 20 provincial areas from the Thames Estuary through the great industrial Midlands to Liverpool, where Hitler's high command reported "big fires" were left raging. The Germans also reported that RAF bombers attacked Amsterdam in Nazi-occupied Holland, killing 18 and wounding 20 in the second heavy assault on the Dutch city this week. More than 50 London districts were hit by bombs in the night-long German raids, and Nazi warplanes sprang a series of alarms as they returned to assault the capital by daylight. Civilians Ready To Register Men Oct. 16 WASHINGTON, Oct. 11 (AP)—A volunteer army of millions of men and women is ready, selective service officials said today, to assist in making a success of next Wednesday's registration of 16,500,000 men for possible military training. Asserting that "all is in readiness for the registration of America's man power," Captain Gareth N. Brauner, acting chief of the draft system's field section, told a press conference that approximately 1,000,000 registrars already have been appointed and instructed in their duties. They will serve in approximately 125,000 registration places,

German Planes In Demonstration Over Towns Of Rumania

BUCHAREST, Oct. 11 (AP)—Tightly packed formations totalling about 150 planes, some bearing German markings and others Rumanian insignia, flew back and forth over Bucharest and the oil towns of Ploesti and Geurgiu today. They swooped low over the British legation in Bucharest, where the staff was speeding its packing up. They patrolled East and West and North and South methodically. At one time 68 planes were over the capital. The display of the German Luftwaffe was made as German official circles charged through their mouths that Turkey had been assigned by Great Britain the task of attacking Rumanian oil wells from the air and that the British Ambassador, Sir Reginald Hoare, was an accomplice to the plan. The newspaper declared the new Rumanian regime under Premier General Ion Antonescu, "knows what enemies are, and backed by the Axis, will be powerful enough to reply." The charge was made while a campaign to make Rumania an outpost of German military strength appeared well under way. More Nazi troops, guns and other war equipment were reported nearing the country by rail and on Danube river barges through Yugoslavia.

Britain, Argentine Reach Agreement On Record Meat Contract

BUNOS AIRES, Oct. 11 (AP)—Argentina and Britain have reached a satisfactory basis for the largest meat contract in the history of the Argentine packing industry—amounting to nearly \$100,000,000 for one year, it was reported authoritatively today. While details of the agreement are not settled, informed sources said negotiators agreed on means and terms of payment and other important factors, clearing the way for final approval of the contracts. Grant Continuance In Will Contest District Judge Cecil C. Collins yesterday continued until the next term of district court the suit seeking to break the will left by the late W. F. Scarborough of Midland. Motion for continuance was made by counsel for Mrs. Hollis Scarborough. Mrs. Scarborough filed suit to declare invalid the will after a deathbed codicil signed by W. F. Scarborough excluded his son, Hollis Scarborough, and heirs from sharing in the estate. W. F. Scarborough died in Kermit as a result of gunshot wounds inflicted by his son. The case was transferred to district court here from Winkler county court.

Taubert Well Is Showing For New Pecos Pool Opener

Northern Pecos County today appeared to have in the making its first producer on the Simpson, middle Ordovician, as Taubert, McKee & Siemonek No. 1 Mrs. V. W. Crockett showed oil-saturated sand in an horizon similar to that in the old Magnolia Petroleum Company and Tex-Mex Petroleum Corporation No. 1-A J. H. McKee, abandoned well a mile and a quarter north which headed high-gravity oil and gas from Simpson sand. After drilling very hard formation for 11 feet, No. 1 Crockett entered the sand at 5,270, and bit literally "dropped" down for eight inches. Operators halted drilling at that depth and circulated, recovering only sand. They went in with core-barrel last evening, but heavy rains in the area thinned out mud in the slush pits, causing an overnight shutdown. This morning they were thickening mud preparatory to coring ahead, and first core was expected to be pulled late today. No. 1 Crockett topped the Simpson at 4,785, datum of minus 2,363 and 27 feet higher than No. 1-A McKee. It is located 660 feet out of the southwest corner of the Crockett tract in section 4 1/2, block 3, H. & T. C. survey. M-Bar Acidized Again Acidized with 3,500 gallons of total depth of 4,335 feet, Phillips Petroleum Company No. 1 M Bar Ranch, "light" wildcat in southern Andrews County, is reported blowing an estimated 4,000,000 cubic feet of dry gas while testing. It had already been shot with 475 quarts of nitro from 4,240 to total depth. The well had made about 3,000,000 feet of dry gas after washing hole with 1,000 gallons of acid, then treating under pressure with 1,500 gallons while bottomed at 4,299 feet. It is four miles west of the Emma pool and the same distance southeast of the West Andrews area. Another "mystery" operation now attracting interest in the district, Amos G. Carter No. 4-D A. L. Wasson, on the Gaines County side of the Wasson field of Yoakum-Gaines, is reported swabbing an unestimated amount of fluid into tanks through 2 1/2-inch tubing. Total depth now is said to be near 6,775 feet, and (See OIL NEWS, page 8)

Chamber Of Commerce Increases Budget To \$10,000 In Successful Campaign; Butler's Team Wins

Midland's Chamber of Commerce was assured a budget of at least \$10,000 for next year by its annual membership drive. John P. Butler's team took the honors in the contest with 58,600 points compared with 44,200 for the team of Daniel H. Griffith. As a result Griffith's team entertained the Butler campaignners at dinner last night in Hotel Scharbauer. Bill Collins, chamber of commerce manager, announced John Mabee's check for \$500, turned in by Butler and Clarence Scharbauer, was the largest check ever paid the chamber of commerce. Butler and Scharbauer were the high point pair in the contest with 24,300. J. E. (Bob) Hill and T. R. Wilson were second with 14,400 points. Next came Allen Watts and George Abell with 13,300, Hamilton McRae and R. C. Conkling with 9,700, and Paul McHargue and Paul Barron with 8,500. High Money Team High money raisers on the actual cash brought in during the two-day campaign were Scharbauer \$144, Conkling and McRae \$130, and Wilson and Hill \$128.50. Butler's team obtained 53 new members and Griffith's 38, for a total of 91.

Butler's team raised \$1,325 and Griffith's \$375.50 for a total of \$1,700.50. The budget increase to date is \$1,954.50 and a number of companies whose headquarters are outside Midland will report their subscriptions in a day or two. Letters have been sent to each. Of the budget increase Griffith's group accounted for \$469 and Butler's \$1,385.50. Thank Workers Both team captains thanked their workers and also expressed their gratitude to business and professional men who cooperated in the campaign. "It was an easy drive," Butler said. "There wasn't much selling to do. The citizens are sold on Midland and the work of the chamber of commerce." "Neither side loses," Griffith said. "One side may have gotten more points but we all win because the job was done. We all thought more of the good we were doing for the chamber of commerce than we did about who would pay for the dinner." Collins said the drive was the most successful in the history of the organization. He believes a goal of \$2,500 increase in the budget, which was \$8,000 this year, will be reached when all reports are completed.

Whether Columbus Or Eiriksson-- Nation Still Here

By Eddy Gilmore WASHINGTON, Oct. 11 (AP)—Anniversary No. 447 comes up tomorrow for the red letter day in the life of Christopher Columbus, but as far as the precincts of the Senate are concerned—Leif Eiriksson still gets credit for the discovery job by a couple of centuries. Outside the gilded door of the Senate chamber hangs an ornate oil painting which proclaims dogmatically to solons and sightseers alike: "Leif Eiriksson discovers America A. D. 1000." It gives capitol visitors a start because one of the first things they see outside before they enter the building is a statue of Columbus. Christopher's statue doesn't give his historic date because the sculptor apparently reasoned that everyone knew he discovered America in 1492. However, it's none the less impressive—until you see the Eiriksson painting. For all the bewilderment caused, the statue-picture situation satisfies the two "discoverer" schools at the capitol. "You see who's inside, don't you?" asked Rep. Knute Hill (D-Wash.), leader of the Eiriksson men, "we're happy." Reports Rep. Marcantonio (AL-NY): "Eiriksson may be inside but after all, Eiriksson's off in the Senate wing, of the building, while Columbus is right out on the steps by the front door." Both are correct. Columbus, however, has been standing before the capitol steps for decades, while Eiriksson didn't achieve his spot until four years ago. De Ezell received scalp incisions while Don Ezell received minor bruises and cuts. Both were treated at the hospital here. Two Slightly Hurt In Accident Near Stanton STANTON, Oct. 11 (Special)—Don and Dec Ezell, Wink, freshmen students at Texas Christian University, were slightly injured late Thursday afternoon when the car in which they were riding collided with another four miles west of here. The boys, twin sons of Mrs. H. L. Little of Wink, were enroute back to Fort Worth after a visit home. De Ezell received scalp lacerations while Don Ezell received minor bruises and cuts. Both were treated at the hospital here. President To Control Sale Of War Supplies WASHINGTON, Oct. 11 (AP)—President Roosevelt has signed into law legislation giving him authority to take over war materials and supplies which have been sold, but not delivered, to a foreign power. Under this authority, the government could repossess 100 airplanes originally consigned to Sweden and large supplies of machine tools now lying on the docks at East Coast seaports for shipment to European countries.

LATEST NEWS FLASHES

German-Russian Conversations Slated. BERLIN, Oct. 11 (AP)—The authoritative commentary Dienst Aus Deutschland asserted today that new German-Russian conversations would be held soon at Moscow and took occasion to deny that there was any conflict between Soviet interests and the recent pact of Germany, Italy and Japan.

Nazis Impose "Serfdom" On Norwegians. WASHINGTON, Oct. 11 (AP)—The Norwegian legation said today it had heard from Oslo that the "Nazi rulers of Norway" have imposed a state of serfdom, including a rule that "no farmer may from now on go to the city without special permission from the authorities."

Greeks Cancel Mission To Berlin. ATHENS, Greece, Oct. 11 (AP)—The visit of a Greek military mission to Berlin was canceled today at the last moment and no explanation was given as Greece watched developments in southeastern Europe anxiously.

Declares French Food Situation "Critical." VICHY, France, Oct. 11 (AP)—The food situation in France is approaching a "critical point" unless supplementary shipments can be received from abroad, Agriculture Minister Pierre Caziot told the nation in a radio broadcast today.

Americans Leave Tokyo. TOKYO, Oct. 12 (Saturday) (AP)—The Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Russia, sailing today for Vancouver, B. C., will carry the first Americans to depart since the United States state department's withdrawal advice of Tuesday.

Answering Conscription Questions-- Odds Of Better Than 20 To 1 Are Facing Persons Who Register On October 16 For Service In Army (Editor's note: This is the second of a series of four stories giving information on the operation of the United States first peacetime draft law. The third story will appear in The Reporter-Telegram Sunday and the fourth, Monday.) registration cards will be sent to the county clerk, who will distribute them to local selective service boards, located one to a county or one to each 30,000 population. Board Posts Numbers The local boards, each of which will have more than 5,000 cards, will shuffle them thoroughly and number them serially. Those serial numbers will be forwarded to Washington. A copy of the numbers will be posted outside the board's office. Anybody may see them. In Washington, a list of serial numbers will be made up long enough to cover the maximum length of any local board's list. Each number will be enclosed in a non-transparent, blue-lined capsule. All the capsules will be placed in a big bowl and stirred with a ladle. Some high official will be blindfolded to draw the first number. Other numbers will be drawn until all have been picked. The process is expected to take about eight hours. Numbers To Be Published As they are drawn, the numbers will be rushed to newspapers and radio audiences. From the drawing a master list will be made up to (See DRAFT, page 6)

Boy Admits Tossing Baby Into River To "Stop Its Crying"

KALAMAZOO, Mich., Oct. 11 (AP)—Sheriff's Deputies dragged the body of 3-year-old Ronald Hibbard after Sheriff Charles Struble said a 12-year-old playmate told of throwing the child into the water because "he wouldn't stop crying." The drowning followed a game of "cops and robbers" yesterday. Sheriff Struble said that Richard Terrell, 12, after first insisting that Ronald fell into the river, finally told his story: "When Ronald took off his coveralls and refused to put them back on again, I hit him with a stick and he began to cry. He wouldn't stop crying and I was afraid he would tell that I hit him, so I picked him up and threw him in the river."

WHOZIT?



Mr. Whozit was born in San Angelo few enough years ago to be in the registration Oct. 16, but in those few years, he built an important place for himself in West Texas. He came to Midland from McCamey in 1935 where he worked for the Humble Oil and Refining Co. and wrote sports stories for the McCamey Weekly News on the side. While writing for this paper, he was active in founding the Permian Basin Baseball League and presided over that group for three years. For two years he was vice-president of the West Texas-New Mexico League. Today he makes a business of his affable personality and his winning smile. He is more than just interested in the civic prosperity of Midland. He is a member of the Lions Club, and is past president of both the Midland and McCamey Lions. He has membership in the U. S. Highway 80 Association of West Texas. Since resigning from Humble four years ago, his civic-mindedness has provided his job and chances are when anyone in this city talks about "Bill," it is Mr. Whozit they are referring to. You will see more of "Bill" Whozit and his office associate on the Get-Acquainted page of The Reporter-Telegram. Yesterday's Mr. Whozit: T. J. Inman.

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Education--a Defense Industry

American schools are not hiding their heads in the sand. They know what's up. They understand what war means—how dependent they are on adequate national defense for the continuation of free education.

To help give the public a clearer concept of the importance of the schools in any preparedness program, the National Education Association will devote its 20th observance of American Education Week to the theme, "Education for the Common Defense." Programs throughout the country will begin on Sunday, Nov. 10, with emphasis on spiritual life. Each day will be devoted to a different phase of education in relation to defense, until Saturday of that week, when economic security will be stressed.

The schools have already recognized two fundamental ways in which they can bolster up national defense. The first and immediate is to provide the special training required for those actively engaged in defense work, both in industry and in the military. The other is to inculcate more strongly in the mind of the impressionable student the value of a democracy too often taken for granted.

One moment of reflection will convince anyone what a tremendous weapon the schools can become. Hitler knew. Remember, the youngsters who were in German elementary schools only seven short years ago are now in the Hitlerian army or in civilian life—stalwart supporters of the Nazi cause.

The minds of the little fellows who trudge off to their classrooms every day are completely in the hands of the forces administering education. Every other educational power in the world cannot compete with the teacher, especially during a youngster's earliest years of schooling.

This is when the toddler gets his introduction to democracy. This is when he learns to live democratically, even before he knows what the word means.

Most schools will co-operate extensively with the National Education Association in marking 1940's American Education Week. It will be a good time to remind the public, upon whose support education depends, that the schools are a vital defense industry.

Some sacrifices may have to be made. But it should also be remembered that the teaching of democracy is as important as democracy itself. Without the influence of American schools, it would be much more difficult to combat the teachings of alien ideologies.

The War Department, overlooking nothing, is checking into the coffin manufacturing situation, indicating things are going from bad to worse.

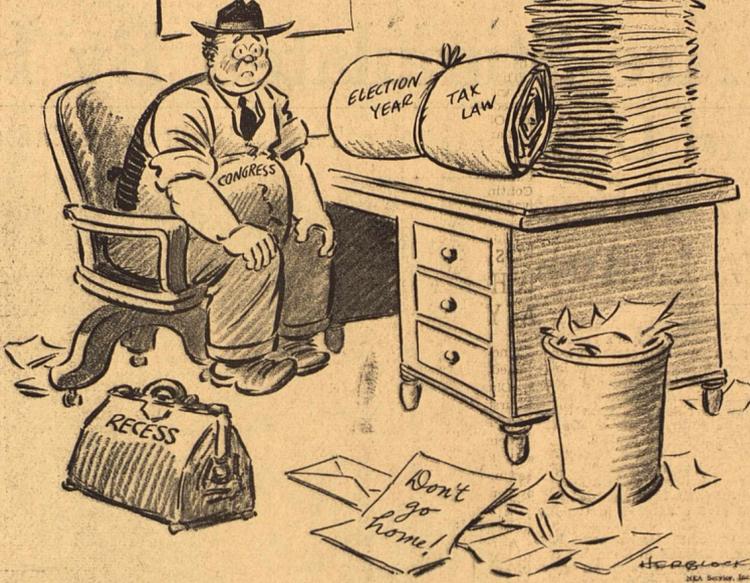
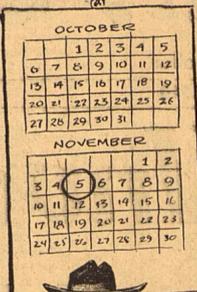
So great was the traffic on opening day that it took an hour and a half to cover a mile on Pennsylvania's "dream" highway. For a while, the dream was a nightmare for motorists.

There comes the tale of the sophomore who refused to join in the cheer to hold that line, because holding carried a 15-yard penalty.

Paradox of the bowling alley, it seems, is that it is not so quiet because you can hear the pins drop.

England shakes up its cabinet, something the Nazi air force has been doing for weeks without getting the same result.

"This Isn't the Way Things Used To Be"



YOUR NERVES

This is one of a series of special articles revealing typical cases of nervous and mental disorders and their treatment through thought control as carried out by the author and his associates at the Boston Dispensary, famous charitable health clinic.

By Winfred Rhoades

WHEN you feel sick it may be because of some process that is going on in your body. On the other hand, it may be because of some process that is going on in your mind. If the process that makes you feel sick is in your mind what good does it do to pour drugs in your stomach?

Treating your system with drugs may have a palliative effect, or perhaps a sedative effect, and may make you feel more comfortable for the time being; but if it is the symptom alone that is treated you are not made well. When unpleasant conditions return your old symptoms are likely to return or others develop. It is the source of the disorder that is in primary need of treatment.

When it is suggested that the source of the disorder is the thoughts and emotions a great many people take fright. "Do you mean that I'm losing my mind?" they ask. No, not that at all. No such thing is meant. What is meant is that the mind is being used in some way that produces a disastrous effect upon the body.

Perhaps you are worrying about some situation in which you have become involved, perhaps you are brooding over what seems to you like gross injustice, perhaps you are filled with resentment and anger, perhaps you are fretting about money, perhaps you are permitting fear to dominate your thoughts. Something of that kind.

You are letting your problem go round and round in your head all day and all night like a squirrel in its wheel—and getting nowhere as the squirrel in its wheel gets nowhere.

Mr. A was only 22, was well-built, and was physically strong, but he had developed such fear about his heart that he was afraid

to go alone into the street, brought his sister for escort when he came to the clinic, and had worked himself into such a state of nervous excitability that on mornings when he was to make the clinic trip he developed vomiting attacks.

Although a physician of exceptional ability, a specialist in heart conditions, had assured him that his heart was sound, he was passing his days in fear sitting around the house or putting in the back yard, feeling himself un-

FLASHES OF LIFE

By The Associated Press.

COULDN'T FOOL HIM.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Oct. 11.—A recruit advised Fort Jackson army officers his half-brother was his nearest relative.

"Your father and mother aren't living?" asked an officer.

"Yes, sir," he replied, "but my half-brother lives only two doors from me."

CITY PAYS—AND PAYS.

YORKVILLE, O., Oct. 11.—Finding that interments of dead dogs rose to 135 last year, the city council has decided to stop donating a dollar for such burials.

Youngsters received most of the money, and the city fathers were inclined to believe that obsequies for the same dog were staged more than once.

COCKNEY HUMOR?

LONDON, Oct. 11.—Cockney humor continues to make light of traffic troubles born of war bombing.

A bus detouring around craters circled a London square twice as the driver sought a way out. As it passed the same spot a third time, the conductor called out:

"Keep yer seats, we're going round here all day. No extra charge."

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SERIAL STORY

NEW YORK JUNGLE

BY WRAY WADE SEVERN

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YESTERDAY: Hugh shoots the lock on the door as the storm crashes about them. Rushing upstairs, the men find all doors and windows locked, find no evidence of an intruder. There is a scream from the Jungle. When candles are brought, Braitwood sees Adam, leaning oddly against the lioness. Marta Hempfield is at his feet. Near her hand is Adam's gun.

DEATH IN THE JUNGLE

Chapter IV

ADAM LANGDON'S hands hung stiffly forward, his feet extended toward the floor like a figure hung on a gibbet. A small red spot stained the bosom of his shirt. The gaping rigidity in his face told the rest. So might some dreadful scarecrow have appeared to a passing farmer on a moonless night in a fingering ray of lantern light.

Langdon's buttoned coat had caught over the lioness' head and the scimitar, fastened to the beast's neck, had penetrated beneath his shoulder, both helping to him in crazy erectness. All this Braitwood saw in a glance.

"Is it a double murder?" Craig Gundrum asked.

"Murder! Not that!" Hugh groaned.

The word had an eerie sound in that dark room. Yet it was no stranger there. The shadowy beasts crowding the darkness had all known violent deaths. The weapons on wall and rack had drunk deep from the wild, free life of jungle and veldt; the ancient blunderbusses and obsolete daggers had been employed to grim purpose more than once.

But the six persons in the room reacted to it in oddly different ways. It sponged the blond vigor from Hugh Langdon's powerful face; Nella had refused to uncover her eyes and face the horror that had been her uncle a few short moments before.

At the table, Patricia Langdon had frozen in her seat, apparently unable to utter a sound. Togi trembled perceptibly. Gundrum's eyes were brilliant with excitement. Braitwood was shocked, but calm.

Sidney had dropped to his knees beside Marta. It was only afterwards, when he tried to reconstruct the scene, that he recalled hearing Gundrum whispering to Pat Langdon.

MARTA was alive. Her pulse however faint, her breathing, told Sidney that. She stirred slightly as he bent over her.

"Marta has only fainted," said Hugh, who had joined them. "I thought at first it might be murder and suicide."

Between them they carried Marta to the window seat. Sidney brought liquor from the table and forced it through her bloodless lips, while Hugh and Togi began a search of the Jungle for traces of the murderer. It seemed impossible he could have passed them on the stairway and made his escape through the floor above, but there was no other exit.

Marta stirred. Her eyelids fluttered and then she had caught the lawyer's hand in a desperate grip.

"Adam is dead, Sidney," she whispered. "I felt his face."

"Do you know who killed my husband, Miss Hempfield?" Pat Langdon had crossed to them. All the strength of her young will lay behind the question.

"No, I do not know who killed

Adam, Mrs. Langdon," Marta muttered, "but I know he is dead." "Please do not question Miss Hempfield. She is too weak to talk," Sidney said, sternly. "Marta, you are not to discuss this with anyone."

HE was certain Langdon had not shot himself. No powder burns framed the red spot on his shirt front.

And above all others, Marta had a motive for murder. She had been found lying at Adam's feet, all but grasping the weapon with which he had armed himself. She had admitted she knew he was dead. Alert in her defense, the lawyer realized the need for caution.

"Sorry," Pat turned toward the lioness and its dreadful burden. Sidney followed.

"Nothing must be touched," he cautioned them. "We must wait for the police."

"Do we need to call the police?" Nella questioned plaintively. "Can't you all see how this happened? Uncle Adam was standing on the lioness' block. I don't know why, but he must have been. Like the floor, it's highly waxed and slippery. He slipped forward. His coat caught and jerked him back against the scimitar. It's like a razor. Naturally his gun fell from his hand. There—there it is."

She pointed to the old-fashioned weapon on the floor and burst into a fit of hysterical weeping.

"I differ." Instantly Gundrum had lifted the back of Adam's coat. "The scimitar hasn't penetrated deeply," he said with relief. "It could not have caused death. You shouldn't like to believe that may carelessness had been responsible for a tragedy, but there is no doubt about the block being slippery."

"In cases of violent death, no matter what the cause, the police must be summoned, Nella," Sidney said gently.

"HOW extraordinary to have them in on one's first house party after marriage," Pat breathed. "Nella, you had better go up to your room and lie down." She was calm, apparently emotionless. How can she be so cold, Sidney thought, with Adam so

until the police come," he said, again the formal attorney. "You understand that we shall all be searched for the weapon that killed Adam?"

"Weapon?" Nella sobbed stubbornly.

"Adam was shot," Sidney said. "There is a bullet hole in his shirt front, Nella. The rest of us noticed it."

"The police will not have far to look. Miss Hempfield all but had the gun in her hand," Pat put in quickly.

"A ballistic expert will have to determine whether or not a bullet from that gun killed Adam, Mrs.

Langdon," Sidney reminded her. "We don't know yet who handled it."

"You knelt beside Miss Hempfield, Mr. Braitwood. Could you by any chance, have wiped off her fingerprints?"

"Not by the remotest chance," Sidney replied, evenly.

"I come in with Mr. Braitwood. He no do," Togi interrupted excitedly. "Mr. Hugh, he no wipe off, I see both."

"Let's get upstairs into the light," suggested. "The thieves, if any, will have left the house long ago after all this commotion. I need a drink."

Led by Hugh, and with Sidney supporting Marta, they walked from the room of death.

(To Be Continued)

Najera To Continue As Envoy To U. S.

MEXICO CITY, Oct. 11 (AP)—Political circles speculated today that Dr. Francisco Castillo Najera, Mexican ambassador to the United States, might hold the same post, or some other of equal or greater importance in the administration of President-elect Manuel Avila Camacho.

The ambassador, who headed for Mexico City last night for a visit, was understood to have a conference arranged with Avila Camacho within the next few days.

As in the United States, appointed diplomats hand in their resignations with the expiration of the term of the president who named them.

In an interview recently, the president-elect hinted that Castillo Najera might stay in government service after he becomes president Dec. 1.

He mentioned the Washington ambassador as a man who had done a good job.

General Rodrigo Quevedo, long-time friend of the president-elect, is mentioned often as a possible choice for secretary of war. He is now military zone commander at Torreón; formerly was governor of Chihuahua.

Javier Rojo Gomez, governor of Hidalgo, General Anselmo Macias, governor of Sonora, Wenceslao Labra, governor of Mexico State, Dr. Bernardo Manero, treasurer of Avila Camacho's campaign, General Miguel Acosta, Ezekial Padilla, former senator and Jose Angel Cenicero, associate of ex-President Emilio Portes Gil, are among others mentioned in political circles as possible selections for key posts in the Avila Camacho administration.

Public Records

Marriage licenses issued: Oriant Willard Runnels and Ethel Orain Stephens.

W. C. Mitchell, Jr., and Ruth Lusk.

Glenn Hilbert Zellars and Melba Glenn Henington.

New cars registered: Katherine Haney, Ford coupe. Frank M. Sylvester, Plymouth coupe.

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To feel bad, frown, pout, let your feet drag, shoulders sag.

to go alone into the street, brought his sister for escort when he came to the clinic, and had worked himself into such a state of nervous excitability that on mornings when he was to make the clinic trip he developed vomiting attacks.

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Interesting Indian Lore Is Presented By Mrs. Newcomb

Mrs. Franc Johnson Newcomb, of Albuquerque, New Mexico, author and authority on Navajo Indians was presented by the Junior High PTA in an open lecture at the Junior High School auditorium, Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Subject of Mrs. Newcomb's talk was "Occultism as Practiced Among Navajo Medicine Men."

She presented interesting highlights of her experiences among the Indians such as her attendance at a night-long "devil chasing chant," designed to aid a little girl suffering from infantile paralysis. The chant, performed at three different altars, was given at night because it had been forbidden by missionaries.

About 30 years' preparation goes into the medicine man's work for his calling, she said, pointing out, too, that the lore is handed down only by word of mouth. The canny medicine man never teaches all he knows to any one man for fear he himself would no longer be indispensable.

Mrs. Newcomb also made, during her lecture, one of the famed Navajo sandpaintings, using colored sands in the design. Indian rugs, a medicine man's bag, a rain rattle and other interesting articles connected with Indian life were on display.

Principal A. L. Gilbreth of Junior High School introduced the speaker to the audience of approximately 125 persons.

Following the address, a reception and social hour was held. The refreshment table was lighted by pink tapers in crystal candelabra and decorated with pink flowers. Pink and white were featured on the refreshment plates.

The lecture and reception were arranged by the PTA as a courtesy to Junior High teachers but was open to the public.

Robert Holt Is Honoree At Party On Eighth Birthday

Honoring her son, Robert Holt, on his eighth birthday anniversary, Mrs. O. E. Holt entertained with a party at her home, 101 North B street, Thursday afternoon from 4 o'clock until 6.

A fishing game and other indoor games were played. At the refreshment hour, the two-tiered birthday cake, bearing the inscription "Happy Birthday, Robert," was lighted by candles.

The invitation list included: The honoree, Graham Mackey, Watson LaForce, Johnny Russell, Tommy Sloan, Jereen Jowell, Mary Helen Winston, Sara Lew Link, Arliss Ann Klebold, Dwayne Abell, George Holt Glass, Gene Yeager, Roy Kinsey, Diana Buffington, Bob Studdert, Earl Chapman, Jume Hazlip, Allen Nelson, Jo Ann Wyche, Mary Fay Ingham, Toya Chappin, Lois Black, Paul Dale Smith, Rosalynn Leggett, Monta Jo Glass, Elizabeth Ann Cowden, and the honoree's sister, Dorothy Fay Holt, assisted Mrs. Holt in the games.

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Cornelius Pupils Appear In First Program Of Season

First program of the season to be presented by piano pupils of Mrs. Lee Cornelius was given Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock when a group of younger and intermediate pupils appeared in a recital at the studio, 706 W. Ohio.

The following numbers were presented: "The Little Dutch Clock"—Mildred O'Connell; "All About a Frog" and "The Busy Mill Wheel"—Toya Chappin; "An Old Lilac Tree"—Sue Johnson.

"My Wooden Shoe"—Janice Jones; "Oriental Song"—Frances Gibbins; "Arabesque"—Jo Ann Chapman; "En Vateau"—Ann Cleveland; "Air d' Ballet"—Dorothy Jean Harrison.

"Slavish Dance"—Helen Crabb; "Barcarolle"—Kathryn Taylor Duet; "Evening"—Toya Chappin and Mrs. Cornelius; "Nobody Knows the Trouble I've Seen"—Eugenia Holmes; "Manzanillo"—Virginia Dunagan; "Prelude"—Sharon Lee Cornelius.

Another group of pupils will be presented in recital in the near future.

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More Than 52 Babies Entered In Rebekah Program

Proud mothers went to Wadley's department store Thursday to register their babies in the "Better Babies" program being conducted by the Rebekah Lodge of Midland. More than 52 babies were entered on the first day and registrations will continue through Saturday.

The event is to terminate in a colorful pageant on November 4, when three little kings and queens will be selected from the babies registered. Those chosen will receive silver loving cups.

On October 26 at the High School auditorium there will be a baby beauty revue and a Miss and Master of Midland will be selected and presented with a loving cup. Each child entered will receive a thorough physical examination and a health certificate. There is no charge in any way to the parents for entering their babies.

The first baby registered Thursday was Lois Ruth Truex.

Party Thursday Is Compliment To Alex Oates

In celebration of his ninth birthday anniversary which is today, Alex Oates was complimented with a party Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock given by his mother, Mrs. N. G. Oates, at their home, 610 N. Main.

Outdoor games were played, with football occupying most of the time. At the refreshment hour, a salad plate and red soda pop were served. Present were: The honoree, Dorothy Jean Roderick, Arliss Ann Klebold, Billie Frances Prothro, Sara Lew Link, Betty Jean Meriwether, Frank Allen Roberson, Paul Dale Smith, Jimmie FitzGerald, Jimmie Barber, John Edward Greene, Glenn Ray Kinsey, Neil Adams, Jerry Webb.

Carolyn Oates assisted the hostess in entertaining.

Eight-Year-Old Is Honoree At Party Thursday

Mary Ann Fuller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Fuller, was honored by her mother with a birthday party at their home, 108 E. Maiden Lane, Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Mary Ann is eight years old. The party was a surprise to the small honoree.

A treasure hunt was held with all guests receiving an all-day sucker for "treasure" except Mary Ann who received her gifts at the end of the hunt.

Pink candles lighted the decorated birthday cake. Punch and cake were served.

Present were: The honoree, Patsy and Leon Cline, Sue Johnson, Lydia Mae Ragsdale, Eddie Juan Darnell, Verne Britton, Shirley Harrison, Ralph Wayne Arnett, Ed and William Weyman, Beverley Kay Bevil, Mickey Musgrove, Geraldine Fuller, and Mrs. O. L. Bevil, Mrs. Ray Bevil, and the hostess.

Philathea Club Joins List Of Social Groups

Newest of Midland's social groups is the Philathea Club which held its organization meeting at the home of Mrs. C. O. Fredregill, 806 S. Pecos, Wednesday afternoon.

In the business meeting, the following officers were chosen: President, Mrs. Paul Bouldin; vice president, Miss Ruth Wilson; secretary and reporter, Mrs. C. O. Fredregill; treasurer, Mrs. M. Harris; social chairman, Mrs. Jack Wright.

Future plans were discussed. The club will meet each Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Sessions will be devoted to sewing, games, book discussions, or whatever entertainment the members wish.

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Society

The Prince And Princess



The ragged lad, afterwards found to be Prince Guidon (Phillip Pine) plays for the little Princess (Lynn Kenton). A scene from the Clare Tree Major production of the Maeterlinck play "Seven Wishes," which will be presented at the high school auditorium, Monday evening of next week.

Mrs. O. E. Reed Named Head Of Firemenette Club

Mrs. O. E. Reed was elected president of Firemenette Club, organization of wives of Midland firemen, at the initial meeting of the group at the home of Mrs. J. T. Walker, Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. G. D. Fuller was chosen vice president; Mrs. Fred Klatt, secretary; and Mrs. T. A. Cole, reporter.

The club will meet on the second Wednesday of each month. Mrs. J. L. Tidwell, wife of the fire chief, presided.

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Sending gifts were: Mesdames J. T. Baker, Jimmy Walker, Newell Beauchamp, Inez Choate.

Churchmen Propose Increased Budget

KANSAS CITY, Oct. 11 (AP)—A three-year budget of \$2,212,000—ten per cent higher than that of the past triennial—was proposed today at a joint session of the Houses of Bishops and Deputies of the Protestant Episcopal Church convention.

Chief increase would be \$117,000 to finance missionary work, particularly in India, now sponsored by the war-weakened mother church of England.

Other increases were asked for domestic church work, especially youth activities.

Showing At Yucca



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Miss Ruth Lusk Becomes Bride Of W. C. Mitchell, Jr.

Miss Ruth Lusk, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Lusk of Big Spring, and W. C. Mitchell Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Mitchell Sr., of Amarillo, were married quietly at 10 o'clock this morning in the office of the First Presbyterian Church.

The room was decorated with zinnias and chrysanthemums for the ceremony which was read by the Rev. W. J. Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. French were the only attendants.

The bride wore a black tailored suit with a corsage of gardenias. Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell left immediately after the ceremony for a short honeymoon trip to San Antonio, Dallas, and Fort Worth. They will make their home here after their return next Wednesday.

The bride is a graduate of Big Spring High School and is employed in the offices of the Devonian Oil Company. She has lived in Midland three years.

Mr. Mitchell is a graduate of Amarillo High School and Amarillo Junior College. He is a scout for Continental Oil Company and has lived here two years.

Members occupied the club hours with knitting or whatever type of sewing they desired, accompanied by general conversation.

At the tea hour, Mrs. Cecil Aycock joined the group.

A refreshment plate was served to Mesdames McCumber, Aycock, J. Wray Campbell, Jimmie Hoover, James Adamson, Frank Curtis, Joe Roberson, and the hostess.

Next Thursday the club will meet with Mrs. Adamson.

Twelve-ite Club Meets Thursday With Mrs. Fulk

Dahlias, roses, and marigolds were featured in floral appointments for the bridge-luncheon with which Mrs. Frank Fulk complimented the group at the home of Mrs. J. T. Walker, Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. G. D. Fuller was chosen vice president; Mrs. Fred Klatt, secretary; and Mrs. T. A. Cole, reporter.

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Banner Sewing Club Meets At Home Of Mrs. John Godwin

Banner Sewing Club met with Mrs. John Godwin, 910 S. Pecos, Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Sewing and discussion of plans for a night party soon occupied the group until tea time.

A refreshment course was served to Mesdames Claude Brown, Herman Reynolds, Wymer Smith, Paul Cole, Jared Leroy Huckabay, W. L. Gaines, S. V. Tekell, Harris, H. L. Holcomb, and the hostess.

IN NEW YORK
Mrs. Charlotte Carter, of the Scharbauer Hotel, who is in New York City on an extended business trip, is expected to return the latter part of next week. While in New York she has been a guest at the Hotel Commodore.

Men Are Here Because World Has Need Of Genius

By R. A. Weaver
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The first recorded utterance of Jesus was, "Wist ye not that I must be about my Father's business?" His last acknowledgment to God was, "Father I have finished the work Thou gavest me to do." The two declarations throw light upon the life of Jesus as one who looked upon life as a mission, a calling, and a task to perform. It throws around life a glamor and importance that is often lost sight of by the teeming millions who forget the high calling of being. As a man, Jesus had the benefits necessary to the abundant life today—background, heredity, and environment counted in His life the same as it does in your life and in mine. Jesus was very human on the physical side, and He walked the long dusty road the same as you and I, and His early training and parental care added to His royal career. Today parents may overlook the vital elements of early influences in the life of the child. As the twig is bent, so will the tree grow. Any boy who learns to take delight in pulling the legs off of flies; stamping on insects; shooting birds to see them die; and having fun in cruel treatment of dumb animals, will have a very hard struggle to later become a benefactor in a cruel world. Parents can hardly expect their children to become apostles of peace if their toys are fire arms and iron soldiers. The early instincts remain throughout life and are the most persistent of all.

The Affairs of God
Every person born into the world is here because the creative genius of man is necessary. Every person has a task, a mission, a calling. The Father rules the world and the universe under the principle of conservation of energy, and no person is out of the picture or unimportant. The affairs of God do not consist only in the ministry, but include the working out of all ideas in the mind of God. To be about the affairs of God means to be in the moving of His omnipotent plan that all people and all things result and manifest the Divine creative will.

It is through man's labor, research and discoveries that God's benefits are brought to light. Thomas A. Edison, toiling through the night that mankind might be blessed with light—Burbank, with unceasing labor and patience finding the laws of life that bring into being more and better food—Stehmetz, learning more about the miracle of electricity that it might be harnessed for man's use—the Wright brothers who pioneered aerial navigation that man might take the wings of a bird—All the great surgeons and physicians; the sculptors, the artists, the musicians; the poets, the philosophers—all these no doubt were always about their Father's business; for who can gainsay the fact that they were contributing to the world the benefits from God?

It is not only in religion that we may learn about the Creator, and become imbued with His Spirit to do the job that is ours in this little span of life. The contributions of those who gave to the world the truth that is found in physics, astronomy, geology, chemistry, medicine, psychology, philosophy are a part of the Divine revelation for the benefit of mankind.

The Job of Living
Man's potential accomplishments are unlimited, and the fields of labor will never be over-run. All things are yet in a state of becoming, including man, and the young man who can by persistent study, work and application convert his potentialities into a creative force that brings light into a shadowy world, deserves rank among the benefactors of history. How to think, act and deport ourselves in a changing world—how to adjust ourselves to life—how to live in order to be in the moving of the harmonious laws of the universe—these are the problems of life; and Jesus came to give the answer. Jesus set the example, and His answers have been tried and proved. As a boy he recognized the opportunities, accepted the responsibility of living, and took up

The War Today

By DeWitt MacKenzie
The projected Axis offensive against Britain in the Mediterranean theater may be expected to develop quickly into a titanic struggle for control of this strategic area—a control for one of the foundation stones of the British empire.

Numerous small nations which now are non-belligerent are likely to be drawn in. Into this vast operation Hitler and Mussolini are bound to throw every ounce of power which they can muster.

This battle of the Mediterranean, as I see it, will break fresh military ground in that it will in its essence be a conflict between air-ships and warships—between the combined Axis air fleets and the British navy.

Why? Because England rules the waves. Her domination of the waters of the Mediterranean is so complete at this moment that Italy can't even move troops or supplies to any great extent to her African possessions.

The Axis must depend on its air-power, which is much greater than that of Britain, to counter this great naval strength.

The big offensive will give us a more complete test of the relative effectiveness of these two fighting arms when employed against each other.

We have seen that the German armada, which some experts expected would be able to plow England under in a few days, and smash the naval battle line, hasn't been able to achieve this. It would appear that in order to subdue England, the air-attack must be supplemented by an invasion with infantry. The air hasn't been able to do it alone. Neither has the air been able to drive the British fleet to cover.

But this doesn't prove the big point of relative strength because the resistance of the Royal Air Force has been a major factor.

There are many signs that the Axis may try to drive down through the Balkans in an effort to clamp a great pair of pincers on the British by attacking them from the east as well as the west.

The extent of such operations will, to my mind, depend on Russia's attitude. The Muscovites with small doubt are fuming over this Axis invasion of the Balkans, since it not only is inimical to Russian interests in that region but establishes a direct military threat against the Soviet.

It seems to me that the well-nigh inevitable war between Russia and Germany is a mighty sight nearer.

Church News

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
W. C. Hinds, Pastor
9:45 a.m.—Church school.
11:00 a.m.—Morning worship service at Ritz Theatre. Sermon by the pastor on "A Discovery of Self."

6:30 p.m. Intermediate and Senior Leagues meet in the old annex of the Baptist Church.
7:30 p.m. Methodists will be guests of the Presbyterian Church for the evening service. The Rev. W. C. Hinds will preach.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
H. D. Bruce, Pastor
9:45 a.m.—Sunday school.
10:55 a.m. Preaching service.
Dr. C. E. Hereford of Lubbock will preach his closing message in the series of meetings.

6:15 p.m. Training union.
7:30 p.m. Preaching service. Sermon by the pastor on "The Victorious Christ."
7:30 p.m. Monday—Men's Brotherhood meeting.
9:30 a.m. Tuesday—Associational wide primary Sunday School teachers' conference in primary assembly room with Mrs. O. E. Parris of Dallas director. Covered dish luncheon at noon.
7:45 p.m. Wednesday—Prayer meeting. Three deacons to be ordained.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
John E. Pickering, Minister
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 Christian Ministry."
5:30 p.m. Junior Endeavor
7:30 p.m. Senior Endeavor
7:30 p.m. Evening worship. Sermon by the Rev. C. A. Johnson of Odessa.
3:30 p.m. Monday. Circle meetings.
7:30 p.m.—Wednesday. Choir practice.
7:30 p.m. Thursday. Prayer service.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
W. J. Coleman, Minister in Charge
9:45 a.m.—Church school.
11:00 a.m.—Morning worship. Sermon by the minister on the subject "Is It Worth While?"
6:30 p.m. Juniors, Pioneers and Kingdom Highway groups meet.
7:30 p.m. Evening service. Methodists will be guests and the Rev. W. C. Hinds, Methodist pastor, will preach on "The Most Durable Power."

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Chas. B. Hedges, Pastor
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GOSPEL HALL
500 S. Lynn
J. D. Jackson, Pastor
10:00 a.m.—Bible study.
11:00 a.m.—Preaching service.
8:15 p.m.—Preaching service.
7:45 p.m.—Preaching service.
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7:30 p.m. Thursday—Gospel singing.

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH
T. H. Graalmann, Pastor
Services at 2:30 o'clock every second and fourth Sunday afternoon at the Midland Seventh-Day Adventist church, West Pennsylvania and Loraine streets.

TRINITY CHURCH
(Protestant Episcopal)
10:00 a.m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a.m. Lay Readers service.

MEN'S CLASS
Meets at 9:45 a.m. Sunday in the Crystal ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer. It is non-denominational.
Teachers—Marvin Ulmer and W. I. Pratt.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
(South Side)
Corner of S. Colorado and California streets.
Services at 10:30 a.m. and 8:15 p.m.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
510 S. Baird
John Wharton, Pastor
10:00 a.m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a.m.—Church service. Sermon by the pastor.
8:00 p.m.—Church service. Sermon by the pastor.
8:00 p.m. Wednesday—Prayer meeting.
9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Thursday—Women's missionary council meeting.
8:00 p.m. Friday—Young People's service.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH
W. Pennsylvania and Loraine Lee Carter, Pastor
Saturday services—
10:00 a.m.—Sabbath school.
10:00 a.m.—Preaching.
8:00 p.m. Wednesday—Prayer meeting.
NAOMI CLASS
Naomi class for women (inter-denominational) meets at 9:45 a.m. in private dining room, Hotel Scharbauer.

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

BULLDOGS OFF TO SWEETWATER FOR CONFERENCE GAME TONIGHT

Mustangs Rated Favorites Over Light Midlanders

The Midland high school Bulldogs, seeking their second conference game of the season, left early this morning for Sweetwater, where they will meet the Sweetwater high school Mustangs tonight at eight o'clock.

Reports from Sweetwater this morning at 10 o'clock said no rain had fallen there and chances of rain falling were considered negligible.

The Midland team will go into the game the underdog, mainly because of playing on a foreign field. The record of the Bulldogs is better than that of the Mustangs but the Midland team admittedly has not played competition as tough as that met by the Mustangs. Head Coach Bud Taylor had the Bulldogs working on new offensive plays and defensive plays designed to halt the Mustangs throughout the past week.

Mustangs are confident of being able to stop the lighter Midland boys and give the Mustangs their first bid for the pennant again this year. The Sweetwater team won the district championship last year and more than a few fans have picked Lawrence Priddy's boys to repeat.

A special train bearing 300 Midland fans left at four o'clock this afternoon for Sweetwater. After arrival of the train in Sweetwater members of the Midland high school band and pep squad are scheduled to parade through the streets of the town. Arrival back home is scheduled at one a. m. for the train. The Mustangs use a double-wing formation with a couple of speed backs, Hudkins and Flanagan, doing most of the carrying. After dropping the first two games of the season the Mustangs came through with an impressive 19-0 victory over Mineral Wells last year.

Georgia Tech Coach Explains How Team To Beat Notre Dame

ATLANTA, Oct. 11 (AP)—Coach William A. Alexander of Georgia Tech has distributed a "manhours" rating system under which he figures the Yellowjackets shade Notre Dame by one percentage point in advance hope for their game in South Bend Saturday.

Explaining his system, Alexander said: "Time missed from practice by injured players, 490 man-hours. Total man hours for squad, 2,672. Per cent. 18. "Since the cripples watched practice, can still see and learn, the coefficient in this case is 1/2 and therefore the true per cent of loss is nine. Notre Dame lost 10 per cent from a perfect rating when Pacific scored."



YOUR CHOICE SOONER or LATER

Barker Picks Ohio State To Defeat NW; Mustangs Over Pitt

By Herb Barker
NEW YORK, Oct. 11 (AP)—Playing the weekly game of football blind man bluff:

Notre Dame-Georgia Tech: The Engineers take a fast, tricky squad to South Bend. There's real danger for the Irish here but the vote goes to Notre Dame.

Harvard-Michigan: Since Harvard apparently is out to eclipse his brilliant 1939 record, there's no possible choice but Michigan.

Fordham-Tulane: If Boyle and Groves, the first-string guards can play, Tulane's Green Wave might roll as it was supposed to before the season started. The latest word is they won't be in shape, so... Fordham.

Pitt-Southern Methodist: Pitt looked good against Missouri last week but this is a Mustang of another color, Michigan.

Illinois-Southern California: The Trojans haven't been exactly a ball of fire so far but a sheer guess, Southern California.

North Carolina-Texas Christian: That Wake Forest defeat may not have meant anything except that North Carolina met an exception. But so, evidently, is Texas Christian which gets the nod here.

Duquesne-South Carolina: Looks like more trouble for South Carolina. Duquesne.

Villanova-Florida: Taking Villanova.

UCLA-Texas Aggies: UCLA has dropped two 9-0 games so far and doesn't figure to win against last year's No. 1 ranking outfit. The Aggies.

Northwestern-Ohio State: It's a gamble at best and the indicator spins and points to Ohio State.

Army-Cornell: This ballot for Cornell expresses doubt that Army is equipped to do more than keep the score within reasonable bounds.

Stanford-Santa Clara: Clark Shaughnessy has done an amazing job at Stanford but the nod goes to Santa Clara.

Clemson-Wake Forest: Wake Forest gets a shaky ballot on the basis of its defeat of North Carolina.

Texas-Oklahoma: The Longhorns are really dangerous while Oklahoma seems to have fallen off a bit. Texas.

Arkansas-Baylor: The coin spins and says Baylor.

Rice-Louisiana State: One doubtful, blinking vote for Rice.

California-Washington State: California seems to have rebounded from the Michigan debacle. Still, Washington State.

Oregon-Washington: Must take Washington.

Boston College-Temple: The Eagles have the stuff. Boston College.

Penn-Yale: Ditto Penn but this one might be close.

Princeton-Navy: Close probably but Dave Allerdice's passing might prove the winning margin. Princeton.

Dartmouth-Columbia: It's in a timid mood that this vote is cast for Columbia.

Brown-Colgate: Taking Colgate.

COURTNEY TEAM FAVORED OVER COAHOMA SIX-MAN CLUB TONIGHT IN BATTLE ON LACKEY FIELD

Midland football fans are in for a real treat tonight when the Courtney and Coahoma six-man football teams clash on Lackey field at eight o'clock. General admission is 25 cents, student admission 10 cents.

The Courtney team annually has one of the strongest six-man teams in the state and is now tied up with Westbrook for the lead in the West Texas district. The charges of Coach Robnett have won three games and dropped a 29-42 decision to Garden City in an upset win.

The Coahoma team has won only one of three games but is reported to be improving fast. The Coahoma boys rate as the underdog team in tonight's game but are not conceding defeat until the game is over.

Coach Robnett has an entirely new backfield from his second place team of 1938 but the team has shown a lot of power in games played to date. The three victories have been scored over Fagan, Sterling City and Water Valley.

The Courtney Eagles are led by a 135-pound back named Owen Kelly, who does most of the passing, punting and ball carrying.

The game here tonight is the first of three that will be played on the Midland gridiron. The Courtney team will meet the Carmer team here October 26 and the Garden City team here Nov. 15.

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Some 35,000, maybe more, will crowd into the Cotton Bowl in Dallas to see the annual scrap between Texas and Oklahoma. The Texans, a potent bunch that has accounted for 739 yards in games against Colorado and Indiana, will have more than Jack Crain to toss at the Oklahomans. They have a well-rounded offense—459 yards by rushing and 280 yards by passing so far.

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Aggies Over UCLA, Mustangs To Defeat Pittsburgh--McKnight

By Felix R. McKnight
DALLAS, Oct. 11 (AP)—Misfortune has reared up to dull the biggest weekend of the season for Southwest Conference teams, but they still go out favored to knock off some of football's giants.

The Texas Aggies, setting down in Los Angeles tomorrow to convince the Pacific slope folk they made a sizeable error when they didn't ask them out for last year's day Rose Bowl game, plow into UCLA with John Kimbrough, the carburetor of the club, ailing.

Big John, the all-America full-back, left by plane from Dallas for the Coast after a hospital wrestle of three days with a sore throat and a bruised leg. He wasn't expected to play too much against the club that has dropped two 6-9 decisions—to SMU and Santa Clara.

But the Aggies are well equipped with a passing game, one that has netted 365 yards in two games, and will try that against the Uclans—Also well equipped with a dusty boy named Jackie Robinson who can run the legs off most football players. The vote still goes to the Aggies.

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Junior High Grid Game Postponed To October 19

The scheduled Midland-San Angelo junior high school football game scheduled here tomorrow afternoon has been postponed until Saturday, October 19.

The postponement was made at the request of San Angelo officials. Coach L. M. Freels of the local team welcomed the opportunity, having four members of his first string out with injuries. All are expected to be able to start in another week.

Admission charges of 25 and 15 cents will be made at the game. All profits will go into the sweater fund of the local school.

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Junior High School News

Written By Students of John M. Cowden Junior High School

Compiled by Students of 8C "ALL QUIET ON THE WESTERN FRONT"

No, this is not a report from a news-correspondent in Europe. It is our own 8C reporter bringing you last-minute news of Midland Junior High School. The enemy in this case is the noise in the halls. I am pleased to report that this enemy has been practically annihilated. Following last Tuesday's "blitzkrieg," made by Mr. Gilbreth and the other teachers, we observe an unprecedented calm in the halls, on the stairways, and around the fountains. If every boy and girl will cooperate, I'm sure Junior High will be the most orderly school in the Midland system.

A POEM—WINTER IS COMING

Winter is coming with the passing of days; You can tell it is coming in a good many ways, By the green leaves falling, And winds that are calling, Winter is coming with ice in the air. Most all of the winter will be filled with snow, And skating and sleighing we shall go.

8C CLASS NEWS

In geography we are working on our outline maps of Texas, and are studying the unit in our textbooks about Texas. We have been painting flowers and fruit with water colors, in art class. We especially enjoy water-color painting. In history class we have a distinction list for the ones who make A's and B's. This week's list included: Dorothy Lynch, Tommie Jean Newcome, Jean McCracken, Frederick Dougherty, Gloria Fredregill, Billy Richards, and Gerald Wyatt.

WHO'S WHO IN 8C

Our class doesn't possess a circus. 50 High Grid Games Scheduled Tonight

By The Associated Press
Fifty games today and tonight bring the fight for the Texas school-boy football championship into all but two of the sixteen districts. More than 20 conference games dot the schedule and at least ten of the state's 30 undefeated teams are likely to tumble tonight and tomorrow night.

Two games were played last night. Fort Worth Pops beating Riverside 14-0 (North) 21-12 in district 7 conference tilt and Austin (Houston) downing Milby (Houston) 20-0 in district 13.

In assembly Friday, we had a special pep meeting. Mr. Gilbreth called all the Junior High football players to the stage. After each play, or had introduced himself, Mr. Hargrave, one of our coaches, made a short talk about football. The program ended with several rousing yells, led by our cheer leaders. Mr. Lackey and Mrs. Douglas, High School music teacher, visited the assembly this last week. It was the fourth and fifth grades' meeting Thursday. Mr. Lackey made a speech, and Mrs. Douglas sang "God Bless America."

In about three weeks we are going to have a test to see who will be in the Midland Junior Band. We have been practicing "Flying Colors," "Daily Dozen," "America," and "America the Beautiful." Already we have players for the following instruments: nine clarinets, three drums, three trombones, one E-flat saxophone, two bell-front altos, four cornets, one baritone, and one flute.

In the Junior High Pep Squad we have about one hundred and fifty girls. Our suits are solid white, and we wear yellow or purple scarfs around our necks. We attended the game Friday night, October 4. Camilla Jane Crawford, Frances Hill, and Jo Nell Binyon are the yell leaders.

Good News for Piles Sufferers

The McCleary Clinic, E300 Elms Blvd., Excelsior Springs, Mo., is putting out an up-to-the-minute 116-page book on Piles (Hemorrhoids), Fistula, related ailments and colon disorders. You can have a copy of this book by asking for it on a postcard sent to the above address. No charge. It may save you much suffering and money. Write today for a FREE copy. (Adv.)

Sports Roundup

By Eddie Brietz
NEW YORK, Oct. 11 (AP)—Two football teams that ought to come back tomorrow are Nebraska over Indiana and Tulane over Fordham. From Miami, Mike Jacobs is trying to cook up a Tony Galento-Arturo Godoy fight for the Garden and he may be the saints preserve us if he makes it. La Marbie, the tennis queen, takes up football air-casting tonight. She'll go on here and try to pick tomorrow's winners. Tomorrow night she'll be back to compare her selections with the actual scores.

Today's Guest Star
James C. Doyle, Cleveland Plain Dealer.

"Did the Redlegs hold that Tiger? Boy, the Redlegs goaled that Tiger."

Notes of The Rah Rah-ers
Durned if Michigan's Tom Harmon ain't getting more space around here than the eastern mail tofers. Every footballer has his own way of warming up before a game, but Don Greenwood of Missouri U. takes the cake by walking around the field on his hands. Family cooperation may be making that Mississippi U. team click this year. Two sets of brothers are seeing active service and a half-dozen other guys are following in the footsteps of older brothers. Paul Milosevich, Illinois halfback, throws and bats in baseball and shoots in basket ball with his right hand, but punts 50 yards with his left foot.

What It Takes
Out in Texas, says W. Lloyd Lewis is the fans judge an all-America player by a guy who can play 60 minutes against "Jarring John" Kimbrough and walk from the field unassisted.

Pacific Lutheran College has two very good guards who are quite inappropriately named Lawrence Jungok (pronounced Junk) and Don Sloppy (pronounced Sloppy) and Wallace Wade is not as alling as you'd think after the Duke defeat since his son sold headache powders last summer.

Omigosh
If you don't believe last week's Ohio State's 17-14 win over Purdue was close, just read the opening paragraph of the Columbus Citizen's football extra:

"A fast and shifty Purdue eleven held Ohio State's Buckeyes to a tie in the opening Western Conference game for both teams this afternoon."

Knudsen Admits Some Progress Made Upon Rearmament Program

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11 (AP)—William S. Knudsen, the defense commission production chief who is sparing of his superlatives, reports to the nation that "some progress" has been made in its rearmament program.

Saying that inspection tours of defense industries had "reassured me a great deal," and that he expected "no specific difficulties to interfere" with the program, Knudsen last night mentioned the following evidence of "some progress":

A total of \$8,000,000,000 in contracts signed; Plans for placing an additional \$4,000,000,000 in orders by the end of November; Aircraft production of 950 planes and 1,600 engines monthly, with double that output expected next year "perhaps."

Knudsen, in his report, dwelt on the production problems which had to be met before mass manufacture of defense equipment was possible. He paid tribute to the "marvelous response from the people in all walks and stations of life," and said that "with this spirit x x x we cannot fail to get the results which in times past have always found impossible."

Zupke Hoping For Victory Over USC

CHAMPAIGN, Ill., Oct. 11 (AP)—Robert Carl Zupke, who works in football and oil, may unveil one of his famed surprise masterpieces Saturday afternoon.

The "Rembrandt of Old Champaign," whose works of art on canvas are almost as widely known as his works of art on the gridiron, will send his Illinois football team against Southern California's Trojans. Illinois will be the underdog. And Illinois has been routed in its last two games with the West Coast eleven.

All of which may set the stage for another of the upsets for which the wily "Zup" long has been famed. Zupke wants to win this one. The puckish little mentor growled pessimistically today: "We hope to make a better showing than we did last year." (The score then was USC 26; Illinois 0.)

On the other hand, Zupke's players feel confident they can take the measure of a team which has played ties with Washington State and Oregon State in its first starts.

Illinois chances for victory, aside from the psychological keying up, may ride largely on the shoulders of wide Jimmy Eastbrook, who can run and pass. Against Bradley, Illinois completed 15 of 28 aerials last Saturday and won 31 to 0.

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KILGORE, Oct. 11 (AP)—The Kilgore Junior College Rangers have played 19 games without defeat. The latest test was last night when the Rangers defeated John Tarleton College 24-6.



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NICE bedroom; adjoining bath; private entrance; garage; paved street. 406 North C. (183-1)

GARAGE bedroom; private entrance; private bath. 1306 West Texas. (184-3)

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PRACTICAL nurse, 10 years' experience, wants employment caring for mother and baby; references. Mrs. Willis Balze, 801 East Kentucky. (182-3)

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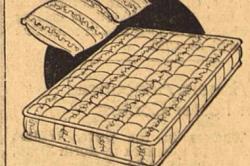
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Today's Markets
Livestock
 FORT WORTH, Oct. 11 (AP) (U. S. Dept. Agr.)—Cattle salable 1,300; calves 800; load 1032 lb. steers 9.75; five loads steers 8.85; and load 7.50; odd lots beef steers and yearlings 5.50-9.00; medium and good cows 4.75-6.00; bulls 4.25-5.75; slaughter calves mostly 5.50-8.00; few higher; good and choice stock calves scarce; others slow; short load yearling stock steers 9.00.
 Hogs salable 800; good and choice 190-280 lbs. 6.10-5.20; good and choice 150-180 lbs. 5.40-5.05.
 Sheep salable 800; fat lambs 7.00-8.00; yearlings 7.00 down to 5.50; 2-year-old wethers up to 5.75; aged wethers 4.25 down; woolled ewes 3.25 down; feeders scarce.

Wool
 BOSTON, Oct. 11 (AP) (U. S. Dept. Agr.)—The wool market in Boston was excited today by reports of new government orders for large quantities of wool goods. These goods require fine 60S half blood wool. This news stimulated advances in asking prices on the fine and half-blood domestic wools. Good French combing length fine territory wool in original bags was sold at \$1, scoured basis, by a few houses.

Cotton
 NEW YORK, Oct. 11 (AP).—Cotton futures closed 3-5 lower.

Rallying Moments Listed On Market
 By Victor Eubank
 NEW YORK, Oct. 11 (AP).—The stock market had its brisk rallying moments today but, as in recent weeks, tended to lose confidence as the proceedings drew to a close.
 A buying flurry in steels gave leaders a brief swing after mid-day. Then there was a reversion and early gains running to a point or more for active favorites were cut or cancelled in many instances.
 Transfers approximated 400,000 shares.
 Bolstering sentiment somewhat, brokers said, was the continuance of cheering business developments, a little better feeling in broadrooms toward the political situation, and further waning of nervousness over American-Japanese relations.
 On the other hand, there was a disposition to keep commitments light as a precaution against war upsets in Europe and elsewhere over the lengthy week-end. Market will be closed tomorrow for Columbus Day.
 Among rising shares most of the time were U. S. Steel, Bethlehem, Chrysler, General Motors, American Airline, Sperry, Montgomery Ward, Anaconda, Kennecott, Westinghouse, Eastman Kodak, U. S. Gypsum, American Woolen Preferred, Great Northern and Texas Corp.

SUBMARINE TRAINING SLATED
 WASHINGTON, Oct. 11 (AP).—Some 50 or 60 officers and men soon will begin a training cruise aboard the submarine Squalus, which sunk in May, 1939, when it bore the name of Squalus, with the loss of 26 lives. The ship has been refitted, given a new name and placed under the command of Lieut. Commander Morton C. Mumma, Jr. It will be accompanied on the training cruise by the submarine Thresher, a new ship.

Light Sales Reported From Texas Cattle Sales

A light sale was reported from the Texas Cattle Sales, at their auction held yesterday. Out of town buyers were C. E. Barker, W. W. Bramlett, R. L. Henson, C. E. Hiltson, and Gerald Poe, all of Stanton, A. Lallese of Pecos, Dillard Motley of Junction, and H. B. Secret of Rankin. Sales were: 40 calves, \$4.50 to 7.00; 22 cows around \$3.50. Two bulls, one hog, and one horse were also auctioned.

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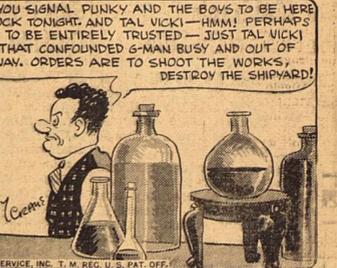
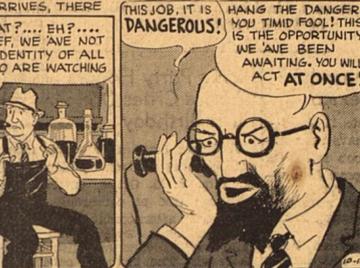
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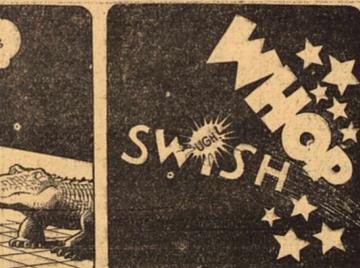
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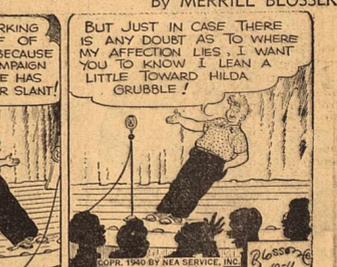
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Roosevelt And Willkie Seeking Votes In The New England States

By The Associated Press.
As President Roosevelt traveled through Pennsylvania today on the eighth of his recent defense inspection tours, his political opponent, Wendell L. Willkie, took his intensive speaking campaign into Massachusetts.

Willkie set out on his itinerary through the Bay State fresh from a speech in Providence, R. I., last night in which he said that rejection of the present administration might make government "our only master."

He asserted that "New Deal officials" believe this country has quit growing and have based their whole program on that theory.

"If the men who preach this doctrine are given the third term they seek," he said, "they may yet succeed in making that theory come true."

"Then, with no one else to work for, the state would be our only master, and the permanent unemployed would be in concentration camps."

The President's trip will take him to a number of cities in Pennsylvania and Ohio for visits to defense industries and public housing projects. At Dayton, he will broadcast a "one for all, all for one" defense

message to the Nation and the entire Western Hemisphere Saturday night.

Meanwhile, with less than four weeks remaining until election, both major parties pushed plans for a tremendous oratorical drive by dozens of senators, governors, representatives and other political leaders.

The Democratic National Committee announced Mr. Roosevelt would address the Nation in a broadcast on election eve, probably from his home in Hyde Park.

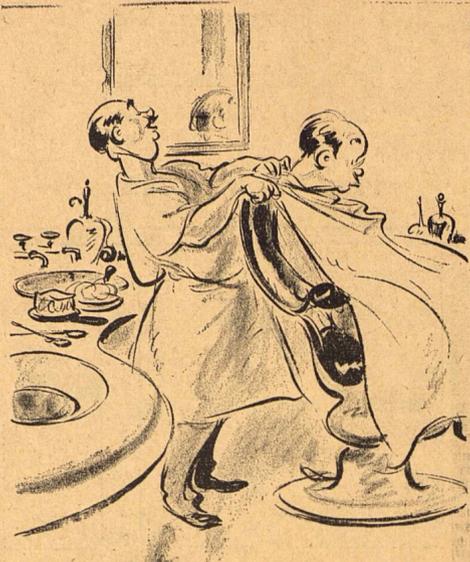
At Kingston, N. Y., last night, District Attorney Thomas E. Dewey of New York City denounced what he termed the New Deal's belief in "government by an indispensable man."

Statements supplemented the speeches.

William M. Hutcheson, president of the Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners, issued one at Washington in support of Willkie, declaring the Republican nominee was fighting forces which would deprive "the common man" of his Democratic rights.

Secretary Ickes asserted in another that a "political blitzkrieg" backed by "big money" was about to start in Willkie's behalf.

Side Glances



"Let's see, where were we last haircut—was I for Willkie or Roosevelt?"

Patron Tickets For Children's Plays Now On Sale

Patron tickets for the Clare Tree Major series of Children's Theatre plays are now on sale. These tickets will give children who otherwise would be unable to attend a chance to see the plays.

In order for all under-privileged children of the town to see at least one of the plays, at least 50 patron tickets must be sold, officials of North Ward PTA, which is sponsoring the play series, have announced.

The committee in charge of the patron tickets is composed of Mrs. O. J. Hubbard, Mrs. Geo. Glass, Mrs. Overton Black, and Mrs. R. W. Patteson.

Opening play of the series will be "Seven Wishes" by Maurice Maeterlinck, which will be presented at the high school auditorium, Monday evening.

Chinese Soldiers Of Jap Puppet Massed Outside Shanghai

By The Associated Press.
SHANGHAI, Oct. 11. — Despite Japanese denials, usually well-informed sources insisted tonight that 14,000 Chinese soldiers of the Japanese-dominated Nanking government were concentrated outside Shanghai while rumor had it that Japan plans to take over the International settlement or the French concession Oct. 18.

The puppet regime's troops were said to have been moved yesterday to new positions between Shanghai and the Wusong forts, at the mouth of the Yangtze river, about 12 miles from the city.

Rumors of impending forceful action against the foreign areas in this otherwise Japanese-controlled city was linked with the impending reopening Oct. 17 by Britain of the Burma Road to supplies for the central Chinese government.

Japanese authorities sought to stem the excited rumors circulating since the United States State Department suggested Tuesday that Americans leave the Orient.

The excitement was accentuated by the assassination early this morning of Fu Siao-En, and energetic Japanese attempts to find the cleaver-wielding assassin.

Also denied were rumors that "the Japanese are building concentration camps in which we intend to intern foreigners."

An army spokesman refused to comment on Mayor Fu's death beyond saying that investigation thus far had not determined whether the motive was political or personal.

Other reliable Japanese sources, however, said that Fu, one of the closest guarded men in the Orient, was hacked to death with a meat knife by a servant who stole in and out of the Mayor's bedroom in Hongkew, without arousing Madame Fu or two Japanese and two Russian bodyguards in adjoining rooms.

Texas Ranges Remain In Good Condition

AUSTIN, Oct. 11 (AP)—Texas ranges were in fairly good shape in September, cattle were in good condition and sheep were in unusually good flesh, the U. S. Agricultural Marketing Service reported today.

The service said range conditions declined more than average last month but most districts had a good supply of range feeds.

In fine shape in all districts, cattle were expected to go into the winter in better than average flesh. Sales and shipments of feeder cattle were heavier last month, the demand was still good but the supply was limited.

Feeder lambs were moving out at heavier weights than last year.

"Honorable Amends" Made For Arrest

By The Associated Press.
BUCHARST, Oct. 11 (AP)—United States Minister Franklin Gunther said today that Premier General Ion Antonescu had made "honorable amends" for the arrest Sept. 25 of H. L. Freeman, Saratoga Springs, N. Y., oil man.

Gunther's formal statement said General Antonescu had given assurance no more Americans would be involved in such matters. The incident is considered closed, the statement added.

Place Guards Around Refineries Of Mexico

MEXICO CITY, Oct. 11 (AP)—Federal secret police have been assigned to guard Mexico's refineries and oil fields against possible sabotage or slow-down by employees opposing the government's efforts to reorganize that money-losing industry, it was learned today.

Informed quarters asserted, however, that the move was merely precautionary.

The petroleum workers' union is in a closed-doors session here, studying President Cardenas' plans for enforcing widespread economies to liquidate the industry's deficit of 68,000,000 pesos (nominally \$13,000,000).

The union has not yet decided whether to cooperate, it is reported.

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Picnic Party Honors Charles Crites On Fifth Birthday

To honor Charles Crites on his fifth birthday anniversary his mother, Mrs. B. L. Crites, entertained with a picnic at Cloverdale Park, Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Refreshments were served and candy and balloons were distributed as favors. The birthday cake was white with red candles.

The group sang "Happy Birthday." Gifts were opened and the guests played in the Park.

Present were: The honoree, Sue Polson, Charles Edward Langford, Charles Fredregill, Jackie Lee Kinsey, Eddie Crites, Mrs. James Quigley who assisted the hostess, and Mrs. Crites.

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read as the following example:

Serial number 135 is ordered number 1.

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And so on down the list. Serial and order numbers will be the same for every one of the 6,500 local board areas.

Any man who has taken the trouble to learn his serial number can learn almost immediately his order number. Those who receive low order numbers will be the first to be called to service, unless deferred for family, employment or other reasons. Men will be called to service strictly in the order of the lottery numbers.

Those who miss their numbers in the newspapers or on the radio will find the master list posted outside the board's office within five to seven days after the lottery.

Those who receive low order numbers—within the first 200—should begin planning to leave home in 20 to 30 days in case of an army call, unless they have a reasonable belief they will be deferred.

No Mail Notification

No one will be informed of his order number by mail. The first letter every man receives from his local board will contain a questionnaire to be used in determining his availability for service.

Failure to receive the questionnaire is no excuse for not answering it. Mailing dates will be posted outside the board offices, and it is every man's obligation to see that he receives his form.

Questionnaires will be mailed in the order of the lottery numbers at the rate of about 50 a day in the beginning. If you don't receive yours, telephone or visit your local board.

Contest Opens Sunday

Intermediate young people's group of the First Presbyterian Church will open a contest Sunday, with the boys competing against the girls.

Max Allen is captain of the boys' team and Jimmie Katherine Kendrick of the girls' team. The losing side will entertain the winners at the close of the contest.

Women Voters League To Meet

An organization meeting of the National League of Women Voters will be held at the home of Mrs. John J. Redfern Jr., 308 South N street, Saturday afternoon at three o'clock. All women interested are invited to attend. The organization is for the "critical education of women through active participation in government." It is open to all women who support the Democratic form of government and is non-partisan.

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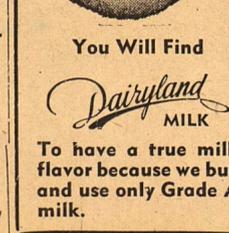
Wanda Fain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fain, was dismissed Thursday from a Midland hospital where she had been treated for injuries received in a fall from a moving car. Miss Corinne Pate was also dismissed from the same institution.

PIE SUPPER POSTPONED

The pie supper slated to be held at Valley View schoolhouse tonight has been postponed.

TURKS DEFY AXIS

ANKARA, Turkey, Oct. 11 (AP)—The Turkish radio declared tonight that if Germany's moves in Rumania foreshadowed an Axis advance through the Balkans, across Turkey and Syria to Egypt "this road is guarded by 2,000,000 bayonets."



You Will Find Dairyland MILK To have a true milk flavor because we buy and use only Grade A milk.

British Block All Rumanian Credits To Halt Germans

LONDON, Oct. 11 (AP)—The British government has blocked all Rumanian credits in this country, it was learned today.

This was parallel with the action taken yesterday by the United States in freezing Rumania credits in that country.

It was not known whether Rumanian ships in British ports were included in the seizure order which, presumably, was made because of German troops entering Rumania and because of the arrest and alleged mistreatment of Britons there.

Information on the Rumanian situation which "cannot be regarded as satisfactory" has been received from Sir Reginald Hoare, British Minister to Bucharest authoritative sources said.

A spokesman refused to comment on the possibility of a rupture in relations with Rumania but sections of the London press demanded that the British Minister to Bucharest be recalled.

Informed sources which previously had refused to comment on the German penetration of Rumania said today "there can be little doubt as to the fact that armed Germans with a certain amount of equipment are in Rumania."

Civic Theatre Lists Patron Members

Following is the list of citizens who have subscribed to patron membership in Midland's Civic Theatre up to date:

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Blakeney, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Casselman, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Corrigan, Mrs. Elliott Cowden, Elliott F. Cowden, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Dick Cowden, Mr. and Mrs. Joe L. Crump, Mr. and Mrs. H. Elder, Fine Arts Club, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fuhrman, Mrs. John Haley, Mr. and Mrs. J. Howard Hodge, Mrs. O. R. Jeffers, Mrs. N. A. Lancaster, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lowe, Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Penn, Col. and Mrs. John Perkins, D. H. Roettger, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ryan, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Scharbauer, W. J. Sparks, Dr. and Mrs. John B. Thomas, J. D. Tompkins, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Turner, Jr., Mrs. Paula Vogel, Mr. and Mrs. Addison Wadley.

Memberships this year have been reduced in price.

Midland Listed As "Famous Oil Town"

Opening a series of features on "Famous Oil Towns of the United States," is an article on Midland appearing in the October issue of The Independent Monthly, publication of the Petroleum Association of America.

Two photographs, one of the town's skyline, the other of Hotel Scharbauer, illustrate the story which stresses the fact that Midland is an exception to the rule that a town which is center of producing operations usually has an oil field close at hand.

A brief history of the growth of the city from 1896 when first oil activity began to the present time is given along with statistics of the industry, including the fact that the annual payroll from oil exceeds \$1,250,000.

Watson To Speak To Texas Tech Club

Wendell Watson, secretary of the Alumni and Ex-students' Association of Texas Technological College will speak at a meeting of Texas Tech Club in the private dining room of Hotel Scharbauer, Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock. "Mule" Dowell also a well-known figure at the college, will also be a guest speaker. All ex-students of the Lubbock school are urged to attend the meeting as well as anyone connected with the college.

RETURN INDICTMENT.

The District Court grand jury yesterday returned an indictment against Wiley Powell, charged with burglary, and adjourned until Oct. 21. Trial of Powell is set for Oct. 16.

ASK AXIS INTERVENTION

BUDAPEST, Oct. 11 (AP)—The official Hungarian News Agency announced today that Hungary has asked Axis intervention to settle differences with Rumania over complaints of both countries that their minorities are being mistreated.

CONVICT COMMUNIST CHIEF

OKLAHOMA CITY, Oct. 11 (AP)—Robert Wood, Harvard-educated state secretary of the Communist party was convicted of criminal syndicalism in district court today. The jury assessed a \$5,000 fine and fixed penalty at 10 years imprisonment.

SIGHT FOR MEN IS A BRAIN PROCESS

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Our Ad in Thursday's Issue Listed—

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Oil News . . .

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the well has been acidized with 1,000 gallons at that point. It is rumored that it showed salt water while swabbing through 2 1/2-inch tubing prior to acid treatment. No. 4-D Wasson had indicated a new, deep pay for the Wasson field, second largest in area in Texas, when it flowed by heads an estimated 60 to 72 barrels of green oil daily after acidizing with 4,500 gallons in four stages at total depth of 6,610 feet. Packer was set on tubing at 6,274 feet. However, Carter apparently was unsatisfied with the performance of the well from zone at 6,274 to 6,610, believed to correspond to the Tubb pay horizon found 2,000 feet in the Permian lime in western Crane County, and announced that he would deepen No. 4-D Wasson to 9,000 feet, presumably in search of Ordovician production. The well is in section 50, block AX, public school land.

Forest Development Corporation No. 1 A. C. Whisenant, southeastern Yoakum County wildcat, is drilling unchanged at 4,923 feet in solid lime entered at 4,790.

Winners Announced In Poster Contest

Winners in the poster contest sponsored this week by North Ward, South Ward, and Junior High Schools by North Ward PTA as a prelude to presentation Monday night of the first in a series of children's plays, have been announced as follows:

North Ward School
First grade, Peggy Lavelle Reed.
Second grade, Mary Ann Fuller.
Fourth grade, Barbara Ann York.
Fifth grade, Marilyn Boynton.

South Ward
First grade, Dorothy Nell Hightower.
Second grade, James Elledge.
Fourth grade, Wilma Fay Gidley.

Junior High School
Fifth grade, Betty Stultz.
Sixth grade, Evelyn Mickey.
Seventh grade, Robert Walker.
Eighth grade, June Bettison.

Each of the winners will receive a ticket to the play, "Seven Wishes" to be presented Monday evening in the high school auditorium.

Light Earthquake Hit Los Angeles

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 11 (AP)—An earthquake which proved more frightening than damaging shook metropolitan Los Angeles at 9:57 o'clock last night.

Telephones were out of service for half an hour in Manhattan Beach, where goods fell from shelves in some stores.

Movie goers fled theaters in Hollywood, Santa Monica and Redondo Beach.

TO BROADCAST STORY

The story of "Seven Wishes," the play by Maurice Maeterlinck which is to be presented at the high school auditorium Monday evening by a cast of the Clare Tree Major Children's Theatre of New York, will be broadcast over station KRLH Saturday morning from 9:15 o'clock until 9:30. The play is under auspices of North Ward PTA.

LAND ATTACKS FAIL

ROME, Oct. 11 (AP)—Two British land attacks on Italian positions in Eritrea and Kenya colony, launched in one case with mechanized equipment and supported in the other by aircraft, were reported today thrown back with undetermined losses.

SENATE ADJOURNS FOR THE WEEK-END

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11 (AP)—The Senate used only six minutes today to meet and agree to recess until noon Monday.

With about a score present, Majority Leader Barkley won agreement to the week-end recess without objection. On Monday, Barkley said, he will move to recess until Thursday and on that date to the following Monday.

Barkley has asked that this same pattern be followed until November 18.

RECAPTURE CONVICTS

PURCELL, Okla., Oct. 11 (AP)—Two convicts who escaped from the county jail here were captured today near Troutdale.

The men, Jack Leaser and Roy Douglas, fled Wednesday after tearing down the door of their cell and overpowering the janitor, Curtis Smith.

WOMEN VOTERS LEAGUE TO MEET

An organization meeting of the National League of Women Voters will be held at the home of Mrs. John J. Redfern Jr., 308 South N street, Saturday afternoon at three o'clock. All women interested are invited to attend. The organization is for the "critical education of women through active participation in government." It is open to all women who support the Democratic form of government and is non-partisan.

ARE DISMISSED

Wanda Fain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fain, was dismissed Thursday from a Midland hospital where she had been treated for injuries received in a fall from a moving car. Miss Corinne Pate was also dismissed from the same institution.

PIE SUPPER POSTPONED

The pie supper slated to be held at Valley View schoolhouse tonight has been postponed.

TURKS DEFY AXIS

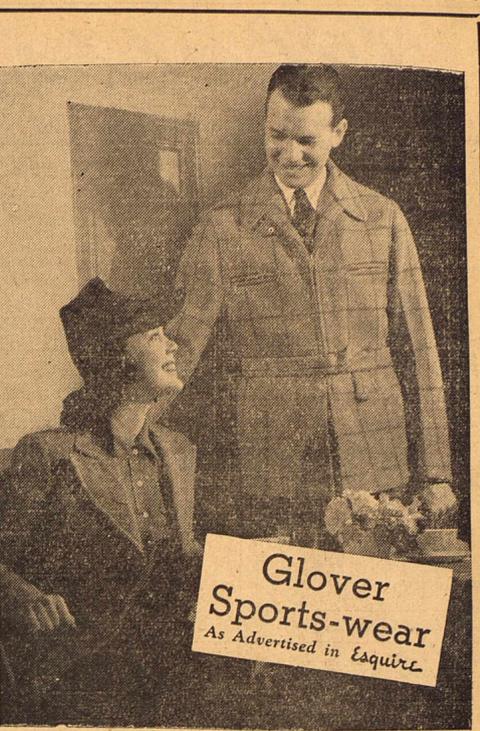
ANKARA, Turkey, Oct. 11 (AP)—The Turkish radio declared tonight that if Germany's moves in Rumania foreshadowed an Axis advance through the Balkans, across Turkey and Syria to Egypt "this road is guarded by 2,000,000 bayonets."

RETURN INDICTMENT.

The District Court grand jury yesterday returned an indictment against Wiley Powell, charged with burglary, and adjourned until Oct. 21. Trial of Powell is set for Oct. 16.

ASK AXIS INTERVENTION

BUDAPEST, Oct. 11 (AP)—The official Hungarian News Agency announced today that Hungary has asked Axis intervention to settle differences with Rumania over complaints of both countries that their minorities are being mistreated.



"SIR JACK"

The brilliantly styled Fingertip by Glover steps forth with interesting variations this season. Exclusive new weaves in the famous Western Range Woolens . . . smart new colors (such as the new blue gray) as well as the popular camel. A beautifully tailored coat at a popular price.

\$10.00
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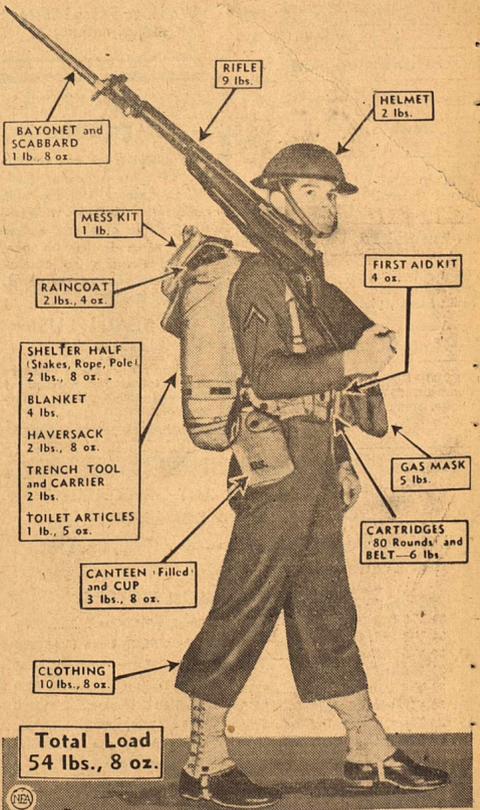
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READ THE CLASSIFIEDS

You Can Skip This One, General!



Total Load 54 lbs., 8 oz.

Attention, future draftees. Photo above gives you a preview of the 14 pounds, 8 ounces of regulation army equipment you'll be lugging for a year if your number is called. That's not all, either, for Private First Class Harold L. Cambell, of Copper Hill, Tenn., is pictured above without the seven-pound overcoat that's part of regulation winter wear.