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Russia May Break With Hitler

Plan Nation-Wide Investigation Election Law Complaints

Jackson Appoints Milligan Special Helper In Inquiry

Senators Reed, Hill Ordered To Chicago On Coercing Report

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15 (AP)—Attorney General Jackson announced today assignment of Maurice M. Milligan, United States Attorney for western Missouri, to conduct a nation-wide investigation of complaints of law violation in connection with the November election.

Milligan, prosecutor in the Kansas City election fraud cases, was made special assistant to the Attorney General on leave of absence from his Missouri post.

The announcement said the investigation would be conducted in every state or city where complaints indicated a "prima facie case of law violation."

"A great number of complaints," Jackson said, "have been filed with the Department of Justice or publicly made by both national political parties and by individual citizens throughout the country, charging wholesale registration irregularities and conspiracies to violate the Hatch Act, the civil rights statutes, the Hatch Act and other federal laws."

Numerous Charges
The charges include receiving contributions and making expenditures in excess of the limits provided in the Hatch Act, padded registration lists, destruction of records, Hatch Act violations of criminal nature, striking off the registration lists and various alleged conspiracies to violate federal statutes."

Chairman Gillette (D-Ia) said the Senate campaign expenditures committee would "cooperate in every way" with Milligan.

Gillette said, however, that the committee's field of investigation was much wider than that of the Department of Justice because the committee was authorized to investigate election abuses, and recommend remedial legislation, even if no law was being violated.

Found No Case
The committee thus far has found no case, Gillette said, in which charges have warranted further investigation and possible prosecution by the Justice Department.

Although it has turned evidence to state authorities in some instances, the Senator said he had arranged today to confer with John Carmody, Federal Works Administrator, about charges that a WPA book-

(See ELECTIONS, page 6)



Chances are if your lights fail to work some night, it's Mr. Whozit you'll call to solve your problem. He has been a utility man as long as he has been in business.

Born in Henrietta, Texas, in the north central part of the state, he went to the old Fort Worth University, and to the University of Texas. He studied civil engineering and sang in the glee club.

He came to Midland from Snyder in 1933 to take his present position. The deal was Snyder's loss and Midland's gain.

A member of the Rotary Club, and a director of the chamber of commerce, you will find him connected with any activity to building Midland. He is chairman of the chamber of commerce industrial committee.

When he is through work for the day, he goes home to participate in one of the most fascinating of all hobbies—that of the "ham" operator. For years he has been interested in amateur radio, and has held his operator's license, W5AMU, for 18 years. A roomful of equipment, and thousands of mutual enthusiasts to contact enable him and his wife to pass hour upon hour conversing with people all over the world.

Look in The Reporter-Telegram get-acquainted page for another picture of Mr. Whozit and his associates.

Yesterday's Mr. Whozit was Charles West.

Dykstra Confirmed As Draft Director

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15 (AP)—The Senate today confirmed unanimously the appointment of Dr. Clarence A. Dykstra as director of selective service.

The chamber immediately notified President Roosevelt of its action in order to hasten the time when the President of the University of Wisconsin may become active head of the draft organization.

Unanimous approval was required because less than a quorum of the Senate was present at a session called only for the purpose of acting on the appointment.

Under the conscription act, Dr. Dykstra will receive \$10,000 a year and may appoint a staff of assistants needed to carry on the big preparedness job.

Registering To Open At 7 A. M. In Five Booths

Arrangements were completed today for registration Wednesday of men in Midland County between the ages of 21-35 at five polling places.

The poll will be opened tomorrow at 7:00 a. m. and will remain open until 9:00 p. m. Approximately 100 local citizens have volunteered to serve as registrars throughout the day.

Mrs. Susie G. Noble county clerk, is chairman of the committees that will handle registration. Volunteers attended a school yesterday afternoon called by the chairman and were instructed in their duties.

Members of the advisory committee named by Chas. C. Klapproth, chairman, will be stationed at each booth to assist conscription-age men in filling out blanks.

Booths will be established in regular voting places of the county. Persons living in precinct 1 north of highway 80 will register in the basement of the court house. Precinct 1 residents living south of the highway will register in the old Presbyterian church on West Wall street. Precinct 2 booth will be at Stokes school. Precinct 3 booth will be at Stephenson and precinct 4 booth at Warfield.

Unofficial estimates place the number of men that will register in the county at 1800. Males between 21 and 36 must register, being subject to heavy fines, imprisonment both for violation. Out-of-town men who happen to be here tomorrow may register and their cards will be sent to their home addresses.

All persons assisting in the work, including draft board members, are volunteer workers and will serve without pay.

Members of the draft board will begin active work early Thursday at drawing cards and numbering them to be sent to the national capital. After cards are drawn and shuffled, they will be numbered and the information sent to draft headquarters.

No person will be numbered higher than 3500 in the nation. Some time soon, probably early in November, a drawing will be made of the numbers in Washington. The first number drawn will automatically call every person in the country bearing that number into immediate service, unless they are exempt.

Midland Citizens Requested By Welfare Group To Assist With Milk Fund Campaign Under Way

Members of the welfare committee of the Chamber of Commerce today urged citizens of Midland to give support to the milk fund drive now being staged in the city to aid needy persons.

Officials declared there were scores of persons in the city needing, not only financial aid, but food and clothing. Many children are unable to attend school because of lack of clothing they said.

Milk bottles have been placed in nine Midland establishments as depositories for offerings. Persons willing to furnish milk for one or more families are requested to call the welfare office, telephone 159.

Below are a few examples of need cited by officials of the committee:

Negro in the last stages of tuberculosis; sent home from the sanitarium eight months ago as hopeless case; lives principally on milk; has wife who earns \$3.50 per week; six children. Needs two quarts per day.

Premature pair of twins; been in hospital intermittently since birth; children of a day laborer; five other children. Live in two-room shack. Need two quarts per day or equivalent in condensed milk.

An old lady; lives in a tent, has an afflicted son. She has tuberculosis and is anemic; needs two quarts a day.

Tubercular family; father is unable to work—has Bright's disease; mother works in WPA sewing room; she and the four children all have tuberculosis; two quarts daily needed.

Tubercular family. Welfare is asking milk for the father who is in the last stages of tuberculosis. Four in family.

Aged man in the last stages of tuberculosis; lives with a relative who is unable to care for his own family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Smith made a trip to San Angelo Sunday.

Millions Of Residents To Police Registering

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15 (AP)—Selective service officials are counting on a volunteer police force of millions throughout the land to make certain that every eligible man of 21 to 36 registers tomorrow in the nation's first peacetime conscription program.

For every young man who goes to an election precinct or school house to register, national selective service headquarters predicted today, there will be at least one relative, friend or employer keeping watch after October 16 to see that no other man has evaded registration.

For that reason, officials here do not anticipate numerous attempts to evade registration or many prosecutions for draft-dodging. They expect the mothers and sweethearts of America, if no one else, to maintain a strict neighborhood vigilance. Some tale-bearing letters already have come to national headquarters.

Throughout the country, the selective service system is organized to give the volunteer police force every opportunity to detect evaders. The 1,000,000-odd draft registrars who stand ready to day to register the 16,404,000 young men of draft age are election officials, school teachers and volunteer workers familiar with the people of their communities.

Each of the 6,500 local boards which will be set up the morning after registration to classify the men for service also are composed of local men.

To Post List
At each board's office, a list of registrants will be posted for the public. A copy will be sent to local newspapers. And every man who registers will be given a certificate to carry with him at all times. That certificate will protect those who have registered; lack of it may embarrass those who have not.

Major Daniel E. Gould of the national headquarters field office, reporting that every state had notified national headquarters of a "100 per cent state of readiness," declared that "there will be not a single hitch" in the registration tomorrow.

Cotton Ginnings In County 1408 Bales

A total of 1408 bales of cotton have been ginned in Midland County today, a survey showed today. Of the three gins in Midland, the Farmers Cooperative is leading with 725 bales. The Midland Cooperative has ginned 359 and the Midland Feed company 324 bales.

Ginning has been considerably slowed the past few days because of rain but is expected to be in full force again before the end of the week.

Midland To Send Cowgirl Sponsor To Fort Worth

The Midland Chamber of Commerce will send a cowgirl sponsor to the first annual All-American Rodeo and Horseshow Nov. 15-25 at Fort Worth, and install a display at the El Paso Tourist Show Oct. 31-Nov. 3.

Directors of the organization at their meeting last night arranged for participation in both exhibitions to advertise Midland.

Bill Collins, manager of the organization, was authorized to arrange a suitable display at the El Paso show which is sponsored by the Associated Southwestern Chambers of Commerce. The display will feature the oil and cattle activities of Midland's trade area.

The directors also endorsed a get-out-the-vote campaign which the Junior Chamber of Commerce proposes to undertake before the general election.

County Judge Elliott Barron, reported on developments of the campaign to complete Midland County's paved road system.

Collins reported the recent membership drive "the most successful in years."

President Schedules Two Political Talks

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15 (AP)—The White House announced today that President Roosevelt would make two "outright political" speeches of a half hour each on October 23 and October 30.

Stephen T. Early, press secretary, said the Democratic national committee had arranged for both addresses and that they probably would be made from the White House.

Tomorrow morning at 7 o'clock (CST) the chief executive will make a seven-minute speech in connection with registration under the conscription act.

TO LUBBOCK

Mrs. H. E. Phillips, W. B. Hunter, Miss Mary Reising, and Bob Baker of Wilson's Dry Goods store, made a trip to Lubbock Sunday.

TO FLY TO DALLAS

Mrs. Erma Mancill proprietor of the Book Stall will leave this afternoon by plane for Dallas where she will purchase Christmas merchandise. She will return Sunday.

Pecos Ordovician Well Stems Gas Flow, Now Runs Electrical Test

Brought under control by circulating 11-pound mud, Taubert, McKee & Siemonei No. 1 Mrs. Virginia W. Crockett, prospective Ordovician pool opener near Imperial in northern Pecos County, this morning was running Halliburton Jeep, an electrical well-logging device. Pending results shown by Jeep, operators tentatively have planned to cement 7-inch o. d. casing in at 5,293 feet in the Shaley Simpson lime. It topped the Simpson at 4,755 feet. Location is in section 4 1/2, block 3, R. & T. C. survey.

R. G. "Tex" Pattillo No. 1 P. E. O'Neil, a couple of miles northwest of the Apco Ordovician pool in northern Pecos, logged showing of gas in lime from 966-81 feet and drilled ahead. Gas was showing through hole full of water. Pattillo stated here yesterday that he will drill with wet hole until through the Yates sand horizon then will pull 8 1/4-inch casing and run a string of 6 5/8-inch pipe preliminary to testing gas.

North Basin Area
Cascade Petroleum Company No. 1 J. M. Walker, southern Hockley County wildcat, about nine miles east of the Slaughter pool, this have been drilling at 1,900 feet in red beds.

New location for Hockley has been staked by Magnolia Petroleum Company at No. 1-F Mallett Land and Cattle Company, 580 feet from the south and west lines of labor 3, league 49, Edwards County school land. It is an east offset to the same firm's No. 2-C Mallett, which now is swabbing rotary mud 2,300 feet from surface after rigging up standard tools at 4,960 feet in lime.

Magnolia No. 1-G Mallett, also in Hockley, is drilling below 4,800 feet (See OIL NEWS, page 6)

Both Sides Rest In Williams Case

State and defense rested this afternoon in the case of J. P. Williams after District Judge Cecil C. Collins had overruled a defense motion asking for an instructed verdict of not guilty.

Williams is charged with embezzling \$5500 in bonds while serving as county attorney of Andrews county in 1936.

Defense attorneys based their plea for an instructed verdict on the grounds that if theft of the bonds actually occurred, the violation was committed in Midland county, where the state alleges Williams disposed of the bonds. A state witness, County Clerk Sam M. Smith, testified he gave Williams the bonds to deposit in a Midland bank. Defense attorneys declared the indictment of Williams was faulty in that it should have been made in Midland county.

District court will recess this afternoon until Thursday since most of the attorneys of the town have been named to the conscription advisory board.

GRAF SPEE' SUNDAY APPEARS

MONTREAL (UP).—The "Graf Spee Special" is being featured at an uptown sandwich shop, in the form of a butterscotch sundae—with variations. "It goes down easy," is the explanation.

Tom Mix's Body Returned To California



The body of Tom Mix, 60-year-old hero of western films, is returned by plane to California. The actor met death near Florence, Ariz., when his auto overturned. Mrs. Mix flew to Tucson and returned with the body of her husband.

Special Election On \$250,000 Road Bond Proposal Will Be Held In Midland County November 14

Midland County commissioners today called a special election November 14 on the proposal to vote \$250,000 in bonds to complete the county's paved highway system.

A petition asking the election was filed last month and contained more than 70 names. No one has appeared before the commissioners in opposition to the proposal, which has the endorsement of the Midland Chamber of Commerce.

No Tax Increase
Its highway committee worked out details of the plan, guaranteeing taxpayers that the program will not increase taxes.

The work will be done by the state and federal governments and the Texas and Pacific railway, which will construct an underpass under its tracks in Midland.

The program calls for paving the road south from Midland to the Upham county line and north to the Martin county line—a total of 31 miles of designated state highway.

Plans call for completion of the work within 12 months.

State Department, Oumansky Continue Talks In Capital

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15 (AP).—Definite progress toward more friendly relations between the United States and Soviet Russia—which may play an important role in far-reaching political questions of the future—is being made in almost daily discussions between Constantine Oumansky, the Soviet ambassador, and state department officials.

Authoritative sources disclosed today that during their recently resumed conversations, Summer Welles, undersecretary of state, and Ambassador Oumansky reached agreement on several basic principles involved which have provided a formula for settlement of some of the irritating questions which have created tension between the two nations.

Settling Questions
The Soviet Ambassador, it was learned, is now discussing settlement of specific questions with chiefs and experts of interested government divisions, and as quickly as they are disposed of the Welles-Oumansky conversations will be resumed, presumably along broader lines.

Informed officials emphasized that the Welles-Oumansky talks have not involved discussions of the rumored Japanese-Russian non-aggression pact, American interests in the Far East, or other subjects of political character. They have been confined to economic and commercial questions, designed to improve day-to-day relations, regardless of political considerations of the future.

Absentee Balloting Starts In County

Absentee voting for the general election and for the city charter change election, both scheduled for November 5, started in the county today.

Persons desiring to cast absentee votes in the general election may procure the ballots from the office of the county clerk. Qualified voters in the city of Midland desiring to cast absentee ballots on the charter change election are to procure them from the city hall.

Separate voting places will be held election day.

Soviet Troops Advance Into River Area, Reuters States, While Tass Declares German Notice Not Given

Far Eastern Non-Aggression Agreement Between Japan And Neighbor Reported In Offing By Diplomatic Representatives

By The Associated Press.
A sharp split in Berlin-Moscow "mutual information" contact was indicated today as Russia sped the massing of Red army troops on the frontier of Rumania, now overrun with German soldiers.

Without confirmation elsewhere, Reuters (British news agency) said in a dispatch from Bucharest that Soviet troops have already advanced into the Danube delta of Rumania.

If true, Russia would appear to be challenging Germany's self-elected guardianship of Rumania. "The reports suggest that Russia is answering the German occupation of Rumania by moves to gain control of the entire Danube delta,"

Coincidentally, diplomatic quarters in London reported that a Far Eastern non-aggression pact between Japan and Russia may be signed within the next few days.

Feels Out Russia
Japan has made several cautious "feelers" in this direction since entering into a triple alliance with Germany and Italy.

By signing a mutual hands-off pledge with Japan, Russia might be protecting her back door against Japanese assault while mobilizing for conflict with Germany in Western Europe.

Other unconfirmed reports from guard of miwetoainetoi-f- Ahlb Italian-controlled Albania said the vanguard of between 20,000 and 30,000 German troops had arrived at Durazzo, Albanian port on the Adriatic sea.

The Soviet government, through its official news agency, disclosed that it had not received what it regarded as satisfactory advance notice of Germany's plan to send troops into the rich Balkan oil kingdom in southeast Europe.

Soviet Not Informed.
The news agency, Tass, officially denied a report published in a newspaper in German-controlled Denmark that "the Soviet government was timely informed that German troops would be sent into Rumania and that the Kremlin was informed of the aims and numbers of troops sent to Rumania."

This was the first open intimation of a possible schism between Germany and Russia, although foreign observers long have said that ultimately their professed friendship would dissolve and they would fight the "real battle of Europe."

Berlin In Denial.
The Soviet government's statement was in direct contrast to an assertion by informed Berlin spokesmen, who declared on Oct. 10 that powers friendly to the Rome-Berlin Axis had been notified German troops had arrived in Rumania and that others were to follow.

Russia's belated disclosure was all the more surprising in view of the Kremlin's extreme reticence on matters of this nature.

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Greathouse Will Head Red Cross Roll Call Drive

Appointment of B. R. Greathouse Midland store owner, as 1940 Roll Midland drug store owner, as 1940 Roll Call chairman and announcement here that the Midland County Chapter led all organizations in the state last year in percentage of memberships to population signalled preparations of plans yesterday for the annual Red Cross national campaign for funds, Nov. 11 to 25, inclusive.

Greathouse, named by Mrs. J. A. Haley, chapter head and chairman of the executive committee, will direct the work supervised last year by Ralph H. Geisler.

The executive committee and service chairman will meet today, probably after 3:00 p. m., to consider quota of the chapter, which includes both Midland and Andrews counties, and campaign procedure. This year's goal is expected to be an increase over that of 1939. C. E. Heaton, field representative from St. Louis said yesterday. The 1939 goal was 1,100.

A quota increase will be necessary because of greater demands on Red Cross home defense services, Heaton explained. Those services include nurses' aid corps, first aid, home hygiene and care of sick, high-way emergency first aid stations, and those otherwise identified with the home.

The Midland chapter membership last year, leading Texas chapters for the second straight year, was 1,301, or a percentage of 14.88. The rating was based on total population figures of Midland and Andrews counties for the 1930 census. It was the chapter's highest in five years. Membership for the city of Midland was 21,95 per cent.

Compared with a state average of 3.0 per cent, Howard County ranked sixth with 9.30, and Ector County 32nd with 6.33.

Amarillo Cattleman Dies

AMARILLO, Tex., Oct. 15 (AP).—Joe Sneed, 64, prominent cattleman and chairman of the directorate for Texas Tech at Lubbock, died suddenly at his home here today. He had been ill but a few hours.

Not Applying Pressure

BERLIN, Oct. 15 (AP).—The well-informed German news service Dienst Aus Deutschland, which is close to the foreign office, says Germany is not putting economic pressure on Yugoslavia.

Nazi Equipment To Galati

BUCHAREST, Oct. 15 (AP).—Three hundred German army tanks and several squadrons of Nazi fighter and bombing planes were reported to have arrived today at Galati, Rumania's important Danube river harbor, opposite the Russian frontier.

Proration Policy Criticized

DALLAS, Oct. 15 (AP).—The Texas Railroad Commission's proration policy was sharply criticized by D. G. Gray, executive vice-president of the North Texas Oil and Gas Association at the Sixth annual meeting of the National Stripper Well Association here today.

Ajax Gets Busy Again

New heroic exploits by the British cruiser Ajax, which helped chase the German pocket battleship Graf Spee to her doom in a 14-hour running gun battle off the coast of South America last Dec. 13, were reported tonight by the London admiralty. The admiralty said the cruiser sank two Italian destroyers and crippled a third in two sea battles during a wide sweep through the Mediterranean by the British fleet.

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Shall We Feed Europe?

Americans have the biggest hearts in all the world. Any kind of Europe that has ever endured suffering of any kind, from war or famine, knows that to be a fact. And that's why the problem America faces today is one of the toughest it ever had to decide: Shall Americans help feed European victims of Nazi aggression this winter?

Under ordinary circumstances, the answer would be easy. It would be a thunderous YES, punctuated by the clink of coins, gladly given. Under the usual conditions, boatloads of food and clothing and medical supplies would already be on their way. But these are not ordinary times. War still rages. The fallen nations are still fallen. And for the first time in American history, citizens are arguing over whether charity might not turn out eventually to be a slap in Uncle Sam's face.

The need is unmistakably there. Some folks contend that this alone is sufficient reason for helping. But should the United States ask the British to relax their blockade of the continent and obtain a solemn promise from Berlin that food shipments to France and Belgium and the Netherlands and other conquered territories will not be appropriated by the Nazis?

Opponents scoff. Promises! Has Hitler ever been known to keep his solemn pledge? And even if he meant to keep this one, does it seem likely that he would waver unwaveringly the feeding of the conquered while the German people, the conquerors, subsist on insufficient rations?

No matter, say those who favor aid to Europe. Unless Americans display humanitarianism, they point out, this country will sink into moral prestige. The act of feeding Europe cannot directly influence the conduct of the war, they maintain.

Oh, can't it? ask the opponents. Suppose there is no food this winter. Hungry people become desperate. And desperate people revolt. Let Hitler feed them. Even meager rations of food among Europe's vanquished will keep them in a state of beaten lethargy.

Americans can never completely close their hearts. Even those who most violently resist the idea of relieving Europe's suffering must wince when they think of the hardships among innocent civilians. They take their stand not because they are ruthless and barbarous but because they believe that aloofness to suffering now will work toward the ultimate preservation of liberty.

It's a difficult decision to make. Whatever conclusion we reach, it will take years before anyone can determine whether it was the right one.

Adolf and Benito pat Franco on the back and tell him to take over Gibraltar. "It's all yours—help yourself."

Interior of Guatemala still uses the Maya calendar of 18 months to the year. Those of us who have to dodge the installment man only 12 times yearly should feel fortunate.

Real name of Buffalo Bill was Giovanni Tambini, says Italian press, which pretty soon, now, will reveal the buffalo was imported, too.

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ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE
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SERIAL STORY
NEW YORK JUNGLE
BY WRAY WADE SEVERN

YESTERDAY: Hugh and Sidney find an open window in the drawing room. They also find Adam's suite ransacked and a mass of charred paper in the grate. Pat remembers her peep-hole discovers them safe in a secret hiding place. Sidney realizes the parole too all remain together until police arrive has been broken.

A STORY FOR POLICE
Chapter VII

AGAIN they settled down in the library, in moody silence. Finally Gundrum, who had been standing by the fireplace, studying one troubled face after another, said: "Obvious truth is obvious truth. We must all admit as soon as the police arrive, we'll be on the defensive."

"No doubt about that," Sidney agreed. "Had we remained together it would have been better, but that was too much to hope for."

"At all events, we didn't," Craig continued. "Now there are certain facts upon which we must all agree, which we must have been shot either during the confusion after the lights went out, or while we were upstairs. Agreed?"

"Agreed," Hugh answered for the rest. "I sat next to Pat all the time. Nella interrupted, her mild eyes suddenly fixed on me."

"I am merely stating the obvious—for a purpose, Miss Langdon," Gundrum said. "Forgive me for mentioning it, but you, as well as Pat, are Langdon's heir."

Pat flashed a quick flame of anger at her former fiancé. He smiled back at her, reassuringly. "Other motives for the crime will occur to the police. I, for instance, cannot deny my former engagement to Pat, nor can Miss Hemphfield wipe out all that has been printed and widely known about the attentions Langdon had long shown her."

SIDNEY stirred in protest, but Gundrum held up a silencing hand. "Don't forget that I have a purpose in what I am saying," he reminded the lawyer.

"Langdon's desk was ransacked, his room left in disorder. If we can prove robbery and not a more personal motive for the crime, suspicion will be diverted from us."

"Right you are, Craig," Pat agreed eagerly. "But how can we link murder and robbery unless we can prove something valuable is missing?"

"It requires little imagination to suspect robbery when a window is open and a desk rifled," Sidney added. "But how can one blame an outsider for the murder when every bit of evidence points to someone within the Jungle? Not that I am accusing anyone. I was there myself."

"All that has occurred to me," Gundrum told them. "But imagine, for a moment, that a thief was after something that Langdon carried on his person, say the map of diamond mine in Africa. He had just returned from there."

"I never heard of such a mine," Nella put in. "But it could be true."

"Of course, it could be true," Gundrum warned to his theory. It did not offer greatly from that. Hugh had deduced while he and Sidney had searched the fire.

"Say the thief, failing to find what he was looking for in Langdon's desk, came downstairs. He would not know the guns on the rack were loaded. He intended to hold us up. He saw the door was closed and it was his step that Nella heard in the hall. Say he was at the door when she spoke and to protect himself, he locked it instantly."

Had it been opened he would have been detected before he could cover us all, as he might have done had he entered the room unseen, Pat had added.

"Exactly," Gundrum went on. "Langdon's odd behavior—and that he did behave oddly no one of us could well deny—may have been due to a fear that this map might be stolen from him. In the confusion, after Hugh had shot the lock, the thief could have entered the room and have hidden under cover of darkness. In the terrific play of lightning, he could have seen Langdon, fired, rifled Adam's pocket. Although it may seem improbable, it's entirely possible that he used the storm to cover his movements, and his escaped upstairs and left the house by the open window in the drawing room."

"Your explanation is no more impossible than any other theory or the facts, if it is not fact," Sidney admitted. But remained on guard near the door just to prevent the supposed thief from entering. While it was dark and I couldn't see, except in the flashes of lightning, I'm positive no one did enter the Jungle."

"I am trying to save us all from intolerable scandal," Braitwood, Gundrum replied. "Miss Hemphfield's career is at stake. You are in line for a judgeship, I understand. I myself, as a teacher in a university, certainly will not benefit by being accused of murder, or even by being suspected of it. As for the others, isn't it unthinkable that they should be subject to such suspicion?"

"I couldn't endure having people suspect that I had killed my uncle," Nella began to weep again. "No, my position would not be pleasant," Sidney admitted, thoughtfully. "Neither would Hugh's, though he is less dependent on public opinion than the rest of us. Considering our former relationships, the personnel of the house party is odd in itself." He glanced at Pat.

"How did you and Adam happen to invite us, Mrs. Langdon?"

Lindbergh Declares US Heading Into War

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15 (AP)—Charging the responsibility to the country's "leaders," Col. Charles A. Lindbergh declared last night that the people of the United States "have been led to debt and weakness, and now we are being led toward war."

The noted aviator in a broadcast address said he was making a "plea for American independence" because it had never been more in jeopardy.

The entire future of America and our own system of life hangs on the action we take and the judgment we show," he said. "It does not depend upon the outcome of the war in Europe, but upon men, regardless of their party, who will lead us to strength and peace, rather than to weakness and to war."

Jaycee Members Hear Draft Board Speaker

City Judge C. C. Keith, member of the Midland County draft board, was the principal speaker at the regular Junior Chamber of Commerce luncheon today, explaining registration and draft law regulations.

Most of the time was devoted by the speaker to answering questions. He explained how each person would be called up after registration and numbering by local boards.

President Curt Inman announced committee members for a "get out the vote" campaign that will be sponsored by the organization prior to the general election on November 5. The city charter vote will also be held on the same date.

Members voted to change the regular meeting date from Tuesday to Friday; then delayed until the next meeting date, October 25, a vote on meeting once each week instead of once each two weeks.

Visitors present were Verne Brooks and Chas. Sines, Fort Worth; Max Slaughter, Tolar, Ralph Hart, Odessa; C. E. Heath, Red Cross district representative.

Public Records

John Evan Price et ux to L. Louis Beville, Lot 1, E/2 Lot 2, blk 82, West End Addition.

Ed L. Downing, Ford coupe. Lee Drilling Co., Oldsmobile coupe. C. L. Richardson, Buick sedan. Osage Drilling Co., Chevrolet coupe.

H. J. Phillips, Buick sedan. T. F. Lineberry, Buick sedan. P. D. Lardner, Chevrolet sedan.

Police Badges to Fish

SAN PEDRO, Cal. (UP)—Local fishermen will not be surprised if, among their catch, they find a few who are wearing police badges. Three thousand five hundred deputy badges—obsolete or tarnished beyond repair—were dumped overboard 10 miles out to sea by the sheriff's coast patrol.

Boast of 25 Years Fulfilled

KENDALLVILLE, Ind. (UP)—Twenty-five years ago, Mrs. E. J. Herrick, living two and three-quarter miles from Kendallville, told friends she would walk to town when she was 80. Mrs. Herrick has kept her word, covering the distance in 45 minutes.

Fossil 3 1/2 Million Years Old

MAUCH CHUNK, Pa. (UP)—An 8-inch fossilized reptile embedded in red shale was unearthed here in a road excavation. Smithsonian Institution is interested in the ancient specimen considered to be 3,500,000 years old and of the Paleozoic period.

Minister Dies

WICHITA FALLS, Texas, Oct. 15 (AP)—Dr. C. A. Spragins, 73, widely known Methodist pastor and district superintendent, died at his home here early today.

Large Percentage Of House Members Seeking Reelection

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15 (AP)—A total of 399 of the 430 members now in the House have won the privilege of running again in the November 5 elections. This is the largest percentage of incumbents renominated in years.

Two more sitting members—Reps. Overton Brooks and Newt V. Mills—had a chance today to boost the total to 401. They faced run-off Democratic primary races in Louisiana to complete the roster of House nominees from the 48 states.

A survey showed that of the 433 contestants thus far, 255 Democrats have been renominated, along with 160 Republicans, 2 Progressives, 1 American Labor and 1 Farmer-Labor members.

Nineteen Declined
Only 19 members are not seeking re-election, 14 Democrats and 5 Republicans. This is also a small ratio, as were the primary casualties among incumbents only seven Democrats and 2 Republicans. There are 5 vacancies and by election time there will be 6, as Rep. Lindsay C. Warren (D-NC) is expected to resign to become comptroller general of the United States.

The present lineup in the House is 259 Democrats, 167 Republicans, 2 Progressives, 1 American Labor, and 1 Farmer-Labor. There are 435 seats in the House, but 3 Republicans and 2 Democratic vacancies exist at present.

Deported American Is Wondering "Why"

LAREDO, Texas, Oct. 15 (AP)—Marlowe Merrick, 46, an American construction engineer, was at a hotel here today awaiting an investigation of his deportation by Mexican authorities.

The American Consul General at Mexico City was checking the proceedings which forced the engineer to leave Mexico last Friday for a reason Merrick says he does not know.

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 Winifred Rhoades
WHEN Bertha D. was told that she had syphilis it was a terrible shock. "I went to pieces entirely," she said. "I was afraid they would think me a common woman."

She was largely ignorant about such matters when the infection was discovered through a blood test made after a motor accident, and did not know it could be picked up by chance contact. She wondered if the husband whom

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she had trusted completely had been unfaithful to her. When a test of his blood showed him to be free from disease she decided (having now become somewhat informed) that the dread infection must have been acquired from some customer whom she happened to touch, in just the right way, during her years of work as a hairdresser. Then, with determination, she went ahead with the necessary treatments.

Three years after this she discovered a swelling in her breast, feared cancer, but had such dread of surgery that for two months she did nothing about it. But once more the mood of wholesome determination asserted itself.

"If I let this go probably I won't be able to be cured," she said. The operation was performed on Christmas Eve. This was another painful experience.

After the operation she asked the surgeon to tell her plainly the precise condition. "I am like that," she says. "I want to face things squarely and know just what the facts are."

The desire to face things squarely, and the determination which drives her on to conquer one difficulty after another, are bringing a new vigor into Bertha D.'s life. A life has involved struggle for her from the beginning. Five months after the death of her father she was born into the hardship and toil that poverty entails. She can remember taking surreptitious sips of milk when sent to the store for the pint or half-pint which was all her mother could afford, so great was her hunger for the needed food.

She always tired quickly. Sometimes she would feel so irked with life that she wished she might die. Yet she will stand up to life and to be well is carrying her forward with a new access of strength. Her cheerfulness is infectious. Her talk is inspiring. Her bearing gives courage to those who see her.

Dejerine, the eminent French psychotherapist, emphasizes the point that if the sufferer from so-called nervous symptoms wishes to be well he must bend all his will and energy to the purpose of getting well. The principle applies also when there is definite organic disease.

Robert Louis Stevenson wrote once in a letter that for 14 years he had not had a day of real health; he had wakened sick and gone to bed weary. Yet he had worked on unflinchingly, writing in bed and out of bed, writing when torn by coughing, writing in the midst of hemorrhages, writing when his head swam from weakness.

But, said Stevenson in his fine way at the end of the passage, ill or well is a trifle so long as one keeps up the battle. That is an inspiring thought to store up in the mind and live with.

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Baptist Circles Meet For Study And Business

Plans for packing a box for orphans next week were discussed at the business session of the Kara Scarborough Circle of the Baptist W.M.U. Monday afternoon, at the church. Mrs. A. T. Donnelly presided at the business meeting.

The group then joined the Martha Holloway Circle for a Bible study taught by Mrs. Fred Wycoff. The lesson was taken from Chronicles.

Members present were: Mmes. Bill Epley, A. W. Wyatt, J. Howard Hodge, Donnelly, F. H. Lanham, and B. C. Girdley.

Martha Holloway Circle

Reports from the benevolent and other committees were heard at the meeting of Martha Holloway Circle at the church.

Mrs. D. W. Brunson presided. Present were one new member, Mrs. R. O. Beville, and the following other members: Mmes. H. D. Bruce, Brunson, Fred Wycoff, Ella Youngblood, Geo. Grant, C. E. Strawn.

The group joined with the Kara Scarborough Circle in Bible study. Annie Barron Circle

Annie Barron Circle also met at the church for a business session presided over by Mrs. Billie Gilbert, before joining with Glenn Walker Circle for Bible study.

The benevolence chairman made reports. Present were: Mmes. R. Chanslor, E. A. Wall, E. W. Cowden, Clements, Herbert King, Gilbert.

Glenn Walker Circle Mrs. J. Webb Miller, as chairman, presided at the business session of the Glenn Walker Circle.

Present were: Mmes. W. B. Preston, Clarence Hale, N. W. Bigham, R. O. Collins, O. R. Phillips, S. L. Alexander, John Hix, H. S. Collings.

Mrs. Geo. Grant taught the lesson at the meeting of the group with the Annie Barron Circle. The lesson was taken from II Kings and I Chronicles.

Plans were made for the state mission week of prayer. The meetings will be held all day Tuesday, with a covered dish luncheon at noon, instead of being held on afternoons only during the week.

Auxiliary Opens Series Of Programs At Monday Meeting

First of a series of six programs on "Christian Ideals" was presented by Mrs. C. C. Keith at the meeting of the Episcopal Auxiliary at the home of Mrs. John P. Butler, 1603 Holloway, Monday afternoon.

The general convention special prayer was read by Mrs. B. K. Buffington.

Mrs. Eugenie Russell was appointed chairman of the supply box of St. Mathew's Orphanage.

Closing prayer was offered by Mrs. Buffington.

A tea hour, with Mrs. Don C. Sivalls, Auxiliary president, pouring for the group, followed the program.

Present were a guest, Mrs. Jones, and the following members: Mmes. J. N. Allison, T. G. Brown, Buffington, Cary Butcher, Chappell Davis, M. F. Ford, Keith, Geo. Kidd, G. A. Lee, F. E. Lewis, Russell, Sivalls, O. D. Vertrees, J. D. Wolsley, Reese Cleveland, and the hostess.

The Auxiliary will meet next Monday at the home of Mrs. Geo. Burton, 707 North D street.

St. Thomas Study Club Opens Series Of Lessons

St. Thomas Study Club held its initial meeting of the new season at the Catholic parish hall, Monday afternoon at 9:30 o'clock, with Mrs. W. T. Walsh as leader.

The study course is "The Liturgical Year." Taking part on the program were: Mmes. Cecil Yaden, James Sirdevan, Allen Tolbert, James Chapple, Walsh.

Others present included: Mmes. Sarah Dorsey, E. S. Griffith, Ralph Geisler, Claude Duffey, Charles Duffey, Ben Dansby, J. Alfred Tom, D. E. Baker.

SLEEPING BEAUTY FOUND IN CLIPPER CABIN

NEW YORK, Oct. 15 (AP)—Surprised American Airways officials discovered a sleeping beauty—and her swain—dozing in berths of a LaGuardia field marine terminal.

Awakened, the couple explained they had driven from Boston to see the world's fair, but couldn't find rooms. A helpful cop suggested the easy chairs at the terminal, but when they saw the berths they chose them instead.

Forty per cent of Texas' butter and 20 per cent of its cheese are manufactured in the West Texas area.

Study Of Migrants Is Continued By Methodist Women

Problems dealing with migrants and the ways and means which the church has of reaching these people were discussed by Mrs. Fred Fromhold, chairman, and Mrs. J. L. Tidwell, study leader, at the meeting of Mary Scharbauer Circle of the Methodist W.S.C. at the home of Mrs. Bill Wyche, 401 N Carrizo, Monday.

The circle voted to give a quart of milk a day to a needy family suggested by the Midland Chamber of Commerce.

Plans were made for the Halloween Carnival of the Circle.

Refreshments were served to: Mmes. Tidwell, Tom Hurt, Roy McKee, C. C. Watson, L. C. Stephenson, J. M. Flanagan, B. F. Haag, Velma Stewart, Gladys Holster, Fromhold, R. E. Throckmorton, O. F. Hedrick, Mollie McCormick, R. C. Harkins, E. J. Hall, and the hostess.

Belle Bennett Circle Belle Bennett Circle met with Mrs. W. E. Chapman, 510 N Martenfeld, with 16 members and two visitors.

In the brief business session, the Circle decided to furnish the necessary milk for an under-nourished baby of some needy family. The decision followed a brief visit by Mrs. O. L. Crooks in which she discussed the milk fund campaign of the welfare committee of the chamber of commerce.

The group also decided that refreshments will not be served at the meetings unless the hostess so wishes.

The circle chairman, Mrs. D. W. Young, presided and Mrs. M. J. Allen brought the devotional from the thirteenth chapter of First Corinthians.

Mrs. Chapman taught the study on migrants.

Present were: Mmes. Allen, J. A. Andrews, W. A. Black, J. L. Barber Sr., E. V. Guffey, John Ficke, S. H. Hudkins, Ray Gwyn, H. M. McRee, W. F. Prothro, Rea Sindorf, Geo. Vannaman, D. W. Young, Mrs. R. P. Simpson, auxiliary president, who was a visitor, and the hostess, Winnie Prothro Circle

"The Church and Other Agencies Sharing Responsibility of the Migrants" was the subject of the lesson taught by Mrs. A. J. Bedford at the meeting of Winnie Prothro Circle at the home of Mrs. Hugh Walker, 403 Storey, Mrs. M. M. Fulton was cohostess.

Mrs. O. L. Crooks presented the call for help for the milk fund.

Parts were assigned and discussed for the program which will be in charge of the Winnie Prothro Circle next Monday when all circles meet together.

The next regular meeting of the Circle will be with Mrs. Leland Davison with Mrs. Ross Carr in charge of the program.

Twenty-one members were present, including two new members, Mrs. J. A. Jorgensen and Mrs. J. C. Williamson.

Others present were: Mmes. Phil Yeckel, Lester Short, James Flanagan, Burl Sel, S. B. Roach, Jules Goodwin, S. P. Hazlip, Howard McReynolds, Jr., Ernest Nance, Robert Nolan, Oliver Haag, Bedford, Clarence Chase, Jesse Lee Barber Jr., Davison, P. A. Nelson, D. A. Pass, and the hostess.

Laura Haygood Circle The third chapter in "Shifting Populations" was studied by the Laura Haygood Circle meeting with Mrs. Geo. D. McCormick, 217 West Tennessee.

The chapter dealt with "The Church and Other Agencies for Sharing Responsibility of the Migrants." The fact that Texas is establishing several camps for migrants was brought out, along with data concerning the expense of living in these.

Mrs. W. C. Hinds offered the opening prayer and Mrs. N. A. Moore read the scripture, Luke 9:57-58.

Mrs. Stacy Allen requested that members save books, magazines, and papers, especially those in Spanish, for the Mexicans.

The circle voted to cooperate with the welfare drive of the chamber of commerce by supplying milk for a needy family. Mrs. N. A. Moore, Mrs. J. C. Miles, and Mrs. C. R. Fitch were named on the planning committee.

Present were a visitor, Miss McCormick, and the following members: Mmes. Stacy Allen, G. P. Bradbury, O. L. Crooks, Terry Elkin, Fitch, A. L. Gilbreth, John Hamilton, Hinds, Moore, J. M. Prothro, G. D. Taylor, H. C. Watson, and the hostess.

THIRD SUPPER WEDNESDAY The third in a series of fellowship suppers sponsored by the First Presbyterian Church will be held at the Church Wednesday evening at 6:30 o'clock, with the Ruth Circle of the Auxiliary serving as hostess. All Presbyterian families are invited to attend. Those planning to be present are asked to bring a cake or slaw or, if there are children in the family, to bring milk.

Society

Midland Couple Married Quietly At Presbyterian Manse

Of interest to Midland friends of the young couple is the wedding of Miss Mary Lou Lenney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lenney, and Bill Cook, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Cook, which took place Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the Presbyterian manse, 906 W Missouri.

The Rev. W. J. Coleman, Presbyterian minister, read the single ring ceremony.

Mrs. J. C. Roberts Jr., sister of the bridegroom, was the only attendant.

The bride wore a gray suit with black accessories.

Mr. and Mrs. Cook are at home at 810 S Pecos.

Mrs. Cook, who is a senior in Midland High School will continue her school work.

The bridegroom, who also attended school here, is associated with his father in the cattle trucking business.

Couple Returns From Honeymoon To Make Home In Odessa

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee (Bob) Williams have returned from a honeymoon trip to make their home at Odessa. Mr. Williams, manager of the Household Supply Company at Midland and Odessa, and the former Miss Elaine Smith were married October 5 at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Collins Smith, in Austin.

Only members of the immediate families and a few close friends were present for the double ring ceremony which was read by Dr. W. S. Raines, head of the Bible department of the University of Texas.

Mrs. Williams, who taught in the Odessa public schools last year, is a graduate of the University of Texas and of Federal School of Commercial Art.

Mr. Williams who formerly lived here, is the son of Mrs. Linnie Williams of Melrose, New Mexico. He is a graduate of West Texas State Teachers College at Canyon.

OFFICIALS MEET WITH LEGION POST MEMBERS

City and county officials met with members of the American Legion last night at a special meeting of Woods W. Lynch post. Details of the meeting, at which several important matters were discussed, were not revealed.

Christian Council Groups Conduct Study And Business

Rijnhardt Circle was the name chosen by members of Women's Council of the Christian Church living north of Illinois street in their meeting at the home of Mrs. Frank Williamson, 911 Tennessee, Monday afternoon.

The text, "Miracles of the Bible," was chosen as the study material. Mrs. Geo. Ratliff was elected study leader with Mrs. Glenn Brunson as assistant.

Mrs. Williamson, Circle chairman, presided at the business session.

Mrs. Frank Elkin offered the opening prayer and presented the devotional for the day, dealing with migratory workers and their challenge to the church.

Mrs. Ratliff offered the closing prayer.

Refreshments were served during the social hour to: Mmes. Ella Ragdale, G. H. Butler, Brunson, H. G. Bedford, Ratliff, Joe Norman, Elkin, S. W. Estes, J. H. Goodman, L. B. Pemberton, S. E. Mickey, and the hostess.

Southside Circle Mrs. D. B. Snider was hostess to the Southside group of the Christian Women's Council at her home, 204 South A street, with Mrs. B. W. Stevens, president, presiding.

The meeting opened with singing of a hymn by the group and with prayer by Mrs. John E. Pickering.

During the business meeting the following committee appointments were made: Calling committee, Mrs. R. L. York and Mrs. L. A. Arrington; hospitality committee, Mrs. Martin and Miss Josephine Guly; educational committee, Mrs. R. B. Wolford.

Mrs. Stevens presented the devotional.

Mrs. Pickering brought the lesson on "Shifting Populations." Mrs. W. H. Penix of Mineral Wells, a guest, told of Council work in Wichita Falls and Mineral Wells.

Present were: Mrs. Arrington, Miss Guly, Mmes. Frank Ingham, J. R. Jones, A. B. Johnson, J. A. Mead, Martin, Pickering, J. V. Stokes Sr., Wolford, York, and the hostess.

Junior Matrons Circle Clothes which had been donated for welfare work were sorted and mended as a feature of the meeting of the Junior Matrons Circle at the home of Mrs. Curtis Gilmore, 715 W Cuthbert. Plans were also discussed.

A social hour followed the work period.

Present were a visitor, Mrs. S. P. Hall, and the following members: Mmes. Al Boring, J. Wray Campbell, John Crump, F. C. Cummings, R. Z. Dallas, Wilburn Page, T. J. Pettey, G. B. Randolph, B. M. Reecer, E. H. Shaw, Charles Sherwood, and the hostess.

Presbyterian Auxiliary Meets In Circle Sessions

Mrs. Fred Turner presented the program on "What Are Our Greatest Home Mission Needs?" at the meeting of the Ruth Circle of the Presbyterian Auxiliary at the home of Mrs. Clifton Trees, 510 Holmsley, Monday afternoon.

Mrs. W. H. Gilmore brought the devotional on "Patience."

Mrs. W. G. Whitehouse, presiding in the absence of Mrs. Frank Stubbeman, offered the opening prayer.

Refreshments were served at the close of the program and business session to: Mmes. Dick Jones, Turner, Pattison, E. R. Osburn, Hollis Roberts, Geo. Abell, J. L. Greene, Gilmore, Whitehouse, L. C. Link, and the hostess.

Rachel Circle An open discussion on plans for the year including a membership drive and the church supper series now being given, featured the meeting of Rachel Circle at the home of Mrs. B. L. Hoffer 1110 W Missouri with Mrs. J. G. Harper cohostess.

Mrs. C. A. McClintic was in charge of the devotional.

Mrs. Butler Hurley, auxiliary president, was a guest.

A social hour followed the business discussion, with refreshments served.

Members present were: Mmes. K. S. Ferguson, T. R. Wilson, Mary Lou Anderson, Ernest Sidwell, W. P. Knight, McClintic, J. M. Hawkins, and the hostesses.

Dorcas Circle A devotional on "Patience, the Fruit of the Spirit," was presented by Mrs. John Perkins, who presided at the meeting of the Dorcas Circle with Mrs. N. A. Lancaster, 1705 W Indiana.

Mrs. Perkins also led the discussion of the lesson on home missions.

A social hour followed the study.

Miss Ada D. Pearce, who spent last year in research work at Concord, New Hampshire, discussed the situation in the East and Mrs. Andrew Fasken, who recently returned from Canada, told of what Canadian women are doing and other interesting facts concerned with the war.

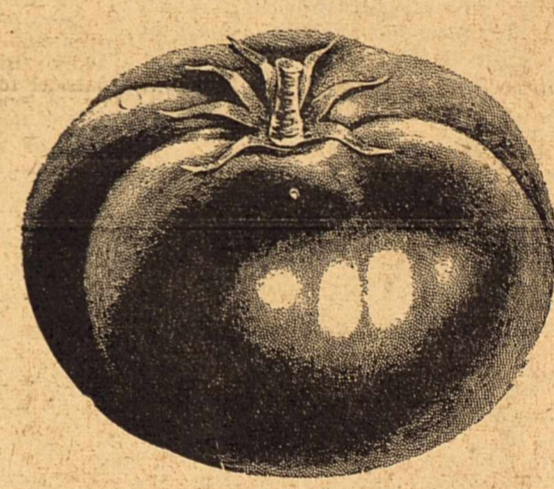
Miss Pearce was a new member and Mrs. J. E. Dickinson a visitor. Others present were: Mmes. Harry Adams, J. M. Armstrong, J. C. Cunningham, John Elliott, Andrew Fasken, C. O. Fredregill, Ora Holzgraf, John Perkins, Eugene Pipkin, D. M. Secor, and the hostess.

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By Bill Boni
 NEW YORK, Oct. 15 (AP)—The Cornell football team, which has rolled up 79 points in its first two games, rolled up 1,369 points today to take first place in the first Associated Press gridiron ranking poll of the 1940 season.

The polished and powerful Ithacans, operating with 10 of last year's regulars and almost all of last year's reserves, drew 90 votes for No. 1 team out of a total of 156 ballots. That gave them a 381-point margin over Texas A&M, the team which topped the final poll in 1939 and so far, with line-busting John Kimbrough working as well as ever, has won all its games.

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Aggies Second
 The Aggies with 25 first-place nominations and 1,015 points, barely nosed out Michigan and Tommy Harmon, with 26 and 1,004. The next four teams also were given front rank on various ballots. Northwestern, upset conqueror of Ohio State, got only one of these, but had sufficient supplementary support for 893 points and fourth place.

Fifth went to Tennessee, matched with Alabama in the game of the week, 7 first-place votes and 772 points; sixth to Notre Dame, 5 and 753, and seventh to Minnesota, 2 and 630.

The first ten was completed by Boston College, so far unbeaten and ranked in its second year under Frank Leahy, 449; Pennsylvania, which wrote a new, if unpleasant, chapter into Yale football history with that 50-7 triumph last Saturday, 534; and Stanford, which under Clark Shaughnessy, in his first year away from Chicago is the only all-winning Pacific Coast team, 267.

Boston Has Breather
 Of these leaders, only BC has an easy assignment Saturday, against Idaho.

Cornell's rating will rise or fall upon its showing against Syracuse, which snapped back to life against New York U. last week end. Texas A&M plays Texas Christian in the Southwest Conference, where every game is a battle; Northwestern takes on Wisconsin and its fine fullback, George Paskvan; Tennessee, as mentioned, meets Alabama; Notre Dame faces always-sublimely stubborn Carnegie Tech; Minnesota must watch out for a boomerang in playing Ohio State; Penn. goes against Princeton, beaten but not to be underestimated, and Stanford meets Washington State in a game that may be decisive in the Coast Conference race.

Second Ten Rankings
 The second ten teams in the ranking, with total vote points:
 11. Fordham, 195; 12. Clemson, 160; 13. Mississippi, 134; 14. Texas, 99; 15. Ohio State, 92; 16. Washington, 72; 17. Southern California, 34; 18. Oregon State, 32; 19. Washington State, 23; 20. Iowa, 22.

Also ran: Alabama, 17 points; Nebraska, 16; Georgetown and South Carolina, 15 each; Rice and North Carolina, 12 each; Duquesne 8; Holy Cross and Navy, 6 each; Virginia and Michigan State, 2 each; Villanova 1.

End Man



Ed Cifers, 200-pound right end, is one of nine Tennessee seniors who will start against Alabama in battle for Dixie football championship in Birmingham, Oct. 19.

Sports Roundup

By Eddie Brietz
 NEW YORK, Oct. 15 (AP)—Here's the tip-off on how that Minnesota powerhouse is doing—Bennie Bierman didn't bother to scout Ohio State-Northwestern... Jack Dempsey takes the stump for FDR this week, teeing off in northern New York... Not one of the five Philly experts voting in the A. P. National Poll this week ranked Penn higher than fourth.

Revised Version
 Telled not in mournful numbers, life is but an empty dream; The other guys can have the sugar—Penn and Cornell take the cream.

Rose Bowl Dept.
 Stanford is as good as long shot for the Rose Bowl as any... Seems every time they change coaches they wind up in the Bowl... Pop Warner took over in 1924 and played Notre Dame next New Year's day... When Tiny Thornhill took charge he wound up his first year in Pasadena... (Also the next two)... What do you say, Mr. Shaughnessy?

Today's Guest Star
 Jack Singer, N. Y. Journal-American: "The score was too close for comfort, but Notre Dame gallantly won another one for Layden and Warner Brothers."

How about Bo Johnson, Alfred U's back, who scored on his own kick off? He booted the opening kick-off against Hofstra College, picked the ball out of the air on the Hofstra 20 after it had been fumbled, then raced to a touchdown untouched...

Optimism Plus
 The Clemson College coaching staff just signed up for a college pension plan that starts paying dividends at age of 70... The coaches' contracts run for five years... And we used to think a coach was optimistic when he bought a house on the campus.

Big Pardon Dept.
 While we were weeping all over ourselves that poor Jimmy Nelson wouldn't do any more ball lugging for Alabama this season because of a bum shoulder, all the guy was doing was intercepting a Howard pass and reeling off an 88-yard gallop... It must have been another Jimmy Nelson.

BO STILL HAS HOPES
 BLOOMINGTON, Ind., Oct. 15 (AP)—Bo McMillin of Indiana, one of the most accomplished weepers in college coaching ranks, is putting a cheerful note into his remarks after the Hoosiers have suffered two straight losses—but it's not very cheerful. Says McMillin, "I still believe we're going to win a game."

PLAN CONCEIVED FOR MEXICAN RAILWAYS
 MEXICO CITY, Oct. 15 (AP)—Officials of the Railroad Workers' Union reported that at a closed session yesterday an extraordinary convention approved almost unanimously a plan for reorganizing Mexico's deficit-burdened national railways.

A special committee delivered the plan to President Cardenas... The chief executive, union leaders said, would make details of the program public after he had an opportunity to study them.

Bulldogs Return To Heavy Drills For Breckenridge

Back to hard work went the Midland Bulldogs yesterday, well battered after the bruising battle played Friday in a rough and tough Sweetwater game. Practically every boy on the Bulldog first team suffered a hurt in the game.

Most serious injuries were listed by Windell Williams and Mike Buffington, two mainstays of the team. Lester, Coker and two or three of the others also were on the ailing list. Buffington has a stubborn charley-horse that is not responding to treatment like it should. Williams had ribs torn loose, and was well bruised. Both will probably start the game here Friday night against the Breckenridge Buckaroos but will not be in top form.

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Coaches and players alike realize they have a chance to cop their district championship and are determined to be ready. And it is a tough row ahead of the team—Big Spring, Abilene, Lamesa and Odessa being met in that order. Two of the games will be played at home, two away.

Assistant Coach Julius Johnson of the Bulldogs scouted Breckenridge in its loss to Stephenville Friday night and brought back a doleful story regarding chances of the Bulldogs. Johnson called Breckenridge the best defensive club he has seen in high school this year with a line that averages 175 pounds. Although the Bucks dropped a 7-26 decision to Stephenville, the powerful Breckenridge line actually threw the winners for losses on running plays. The few times the Stephenville backs could gain did not make up for the number of times they were thrown for losses, he said. Failure of the backfield to protect on Stephenville passes, four of them going for touchdowns, cost the game.

In Edgar Cain, 186-pound half-back, the Bucks have a boy that is highly boomed for all-state. Gill does all the passing, punting and kicking to the ball carrying. His kicks this year have average around 45 yards. Hugh Wragg, 160-pound center, is the number one man in the powerful Buckaroo line.

The Bulldogs realize the importance of winning this game for their reputation "down the way" and will be shooting for another victory. If they win this one it should help their stock considerably since they will be giving away between 10 and 15 pounds per player. But that will be nothing new to the boys since they have been outweighed in every game played to date except against Ysleta.

Officials of Odessa high school today announced the Odessa-Abilene game, scheduled Friday night, had been moved up to 2:30 p. m. in order for Midland and Odessa fans to see games in both towns that day and night. The Midland-Breckenridge game will start at 8:30 p. m.

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Medalist To Meet Fort Worth Golfer

FORT WORTH, Oct. 15 (AP)—Elizabeth Hicks of Pasadena, Calif., whose blazing 72-4wo under feminine par, brought her medalist honors of Texas Women's Open, met Mrs. P. K. French of Fort Worth in the opening round of match play today.

She finished in an apparent tie with Mrs. Helen Hicks Harb of Long Island, N. Y., but the latter called a two-stroke penalty on herself after checking the rule book, thus ending in a tie with Mrs. Geo. Zaharis of Los Angeles for second place.

Mrs. Harb played Mrs. B. E. Godfrey of Fort Worth today with Mrs. Zaharis meeting Mrs. David S. Veitch of Kansas City.

Mrs. French had a 94, Mrs. Godfrey a 93 and Mrs. Veitch a 93.

Other first round pairings included:

Mrs. Ernest Blanton, Enid, Okla., vs Mrs. Van Zandt Smith, Fort Worth.

Miss Marion Hollis, Santa Cruz, Calif., vs Mrs. Ray Fellows, Tulsa.

Helen Detweiler, Washington, D. C., vs Mrs. Virginia Ratledge, Gladesville.

Miss Nell Moody, Sherman, vs Miss Aurora Olagarey, Mexico City.

Ivy League Colleges Spurn Big Football

NEW YORK, Oct. 15 (AP)—The "Ivy League" colleges, led by Yale, seem ready to stick to their amateur status in football, no matter what becomes of the sport in general.

Declaring "big time football doesn't increase the educational status of any institution," Ogden D. Miller, the Yale athletic council chairman, set off a blast at a football writers' luncheon here yesterday. Most Eastern college representatives shrugged off the touchy subject with "no comment."

But from "Ivy League" leaders came enough carefully-chosen words to show the "cradle of American football" is pretty tired of ballyhoo, imported players, high-powered, inter-sectional games and all the attendant headaches.

COURTNEY PLAYS WESTBROOK

COURTNEY, Oct. 15 (Special).—The Courtney high school Eagles, defending district 12 six-man champions, will meet the Westbrook football team in a conference game on the Colorado City field next Saturday night at 8:00. The two teams met in the bi-district play-off last season and the Westbrook boys emerged the winner.

The Eagles topped the Coachbook team on Lackey Field in Midland last Friday night by the score of 13 to 12.

TELLER CONVEYS ADVICE, BUT IT BOOMERANGS

ELKHART, Ind., Oct. 15 (AP)—"Prof." Harry Best, self-styled "knower of the unknown," advised a client to "act promptly on your first impression in business affairs" and predicted the client soon would get a promotion.

Whereupon Thomas J. Danforth acted with dispatch and produced a policeman's badge from under his coat. Best, alias Clark J. Somers, paid a fine and costs of \$20 for fortune telling.

Danforth awaits the promotion.

MINERS SAVED

DUNCAN, Ariz., Oct. 15 (AP)—Four miners trapped underground at the Hardy mine, 12 miles west of here, were brought to the surface unharmed early today.

The shaft collapsed and imprisoned them for four hours.

Stabbed Griddler Near Death



V. D. Basey, 20-year-old substitute guard on University of Texas football team, who is near death in a Dallas hospital after pneumonia developed in his right lung. The student, whose home is in Austin, and who saw service in the Texas-Oklahoma game, was stabbed during a fight shortly after the game.

Illini Dislike Comparison With Galloping Ghost

By Tom Siler
 CHAMPAIGN, Ill., Oct. 15 (AP)—The football faithful of the University of Illinois are getting just a bit weary of all this talk about "another Red Grange."

They'd like it understood for once and all that there was only one "No. 77" and that there will never be another.

Michigan's swivel-hipped Tommy Harmon, who meets the Illini Saturday at Ann Arbor, is the latest to be tagged "another Grange" and the Illinois backers who saw the original gallop through weak and strong opposition 15 years ago don't like it a bit.

But the Illinois coaches doubtless are ticked to death by all these comparisons. An inspired Illinois eleven handed Michigan a stinging defeat last season, Bob Zuppke's boys smearing Harmon all over the field with frenzied zeal. That was their answer to the comparisons to their immortal grid hero.

Credit To Writers
 The inspiration for that brilliant afternoon's work came from the sports writers, Doug Mills, backfield coach under Zuppke recently revealed.

"The sports writers set up a better defense against Harmon and Michigan than we ever could have," Mills told a luncheon group in Chicago. "They kept writing that Harmon was going to avenge those field days Grange used to have at Michigan's expense."

"That was just like waving a red flag at a bull. Illinois people don't want any comparisons with Grange made at all. So the boys read the newspapers and that was about all they needed to do to be ready for Harmon and his mates."

Story May Change
 Possibly it will be a different story this year, even though Illinois, after its two games already played, appears considerably stronger than in 1925.

Michigan naturally will be favored to win this one on its home grounds and Harmon himself figures to do much better than he did against the Illini last fall.

California, Michigan State and Harvard gave up 10 touchdowns to this driving, slashing-power runner. If he sticks anywhere near his pace Saturday it will again take all the defensive finesse and

Southwest Conference Teams To Prepare For Week On Home Grids, Injuries Not Factor At Present

By The Associated Press
 Southwest Conference football teams do little traveling this week, so they can, for once, observe a full training schedule.

There were few injuries of note in the ranks of the seven squads as they drove for three inter-sectional games with two conference tilts.

Rain dampened Arkansas' workout yesterday and the Razorbacks contented themselves with studying University of Texas plays via motion pictures. The Porkers meet the Longhorns at Little Rock Saturday.

Coach D. X. Bible raked his University of Texas boys over the coals for defensive weaknesses showed against Oklahoma.

No Hurts For Frogs
 The Texas Christian Horned Frogs, who play the Texas Aggies at College Station, found no new in-

juries to worry about. However, Ray Stanley and Co-Captain Logan Ware may not be able to play Saturday due to previous hurts.

The Aggies, who beat UCLA in California last week, were due to return home today.

Rice's Owls were in tip-top shape after their conquest of Louisiana State. They play Tulane at New Orleans Saturday.

Rex Gandy, tackle, was out with an injury as the Baylor Bears worked for their battle with Villanova at San Antonio Saturday night.

Coach Matly Bell of Southern Methodist lamented the fact that the game with Pittsburgh hadn't longer to go. He told his Mustangs they would have won it instead of getting a tie.

BOWLING

HONOLULU OIL

Players	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot
Grant	118	151	201	500
Turner	167	136	123	416
Cassidy	132	117	161	410
Chambers	125	136	122	383
Schneider	179	145	133	517
Team average	751	721	893	2375
Handicap				732

AMERADA OIL

Players	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot
Low	174	139	115	428
Parker	146	129	134	409
Mauldin	134	132	135	399
McFarland	134	164	143	441
Day	137	155	134	426
Handicap				210
Team average	786	733	718	2237
Handicap				696

MACKAY MOTOR CO.

Players	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot
Clements	129	124	130	383
Purvis	112	122	124	358
Joyce	139	159	174	472
Barney	125	154	125	404
Hall	167	161	120	448
Handicap				656
Team average	667	701	720	2088
Handicap				696

BANNER CREAMERY

Players	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot
Huckaby	110	111	130	351
Gaines	149	160	122	431
Wright	161	169	144	474
Holcomb	161	110	126	397
Cole	157	121	101	379
Handicap				642
Team average	793	698	737	2238
Handicap				642

STANDARD OIL

Players	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot
Hodson	130	131	125	386
Bronson	153	138	122	413
Knox	34	149	113	396
Curran	189	152	136	477
Liehan	144	150	158	452
Handicap				210
Team average	770	770	790	2330
Handicap				706

A. & L. HOUSING CO.

Players	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot
Arrington	143	172	145	460
Curran	137	151	136	424
Hoekendorf	148	171	130	449
Dunnam	155	145	121	421
Langford	208	179	137	524
Handicap				201
Team average	841	848	749	2438
Handicap				796

SHELL OIL CO., INC.

Players	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot
Kinney	148	151	138	437
Boring	127	146	128	401
Allen	157	155	133	445
Reals	132	153	127	412
Roripough	144	125	146	415
Handicap				210
Team average	708	740	672	2120
Handicap				696

WADLEY'S DEPT. STORE

Players	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot
Evyan	125	104	121	350
Phillipus	90	118	100	308
Aycock	129	133	121	383
Douglass	123	146	81	350
Wilson	104	123	125	352
Handicap				342
Team average	685	738	662	2085
Handicap				590

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OHIO STATE PRACTICES ON FUNDAMENTALS

COLUMBUS, O., Oct. 15 (AP)—Maybe this explains why Ohio State lost that game to Northwestern last week. Chalked on the bulletin board now is this order: "Every man must hit both the blocking and tackling dummies at least four times before every practice." Maybe the Bucks have progressed beyond fundamentals, but at most colleges blocking and tackling drills take place during practice.

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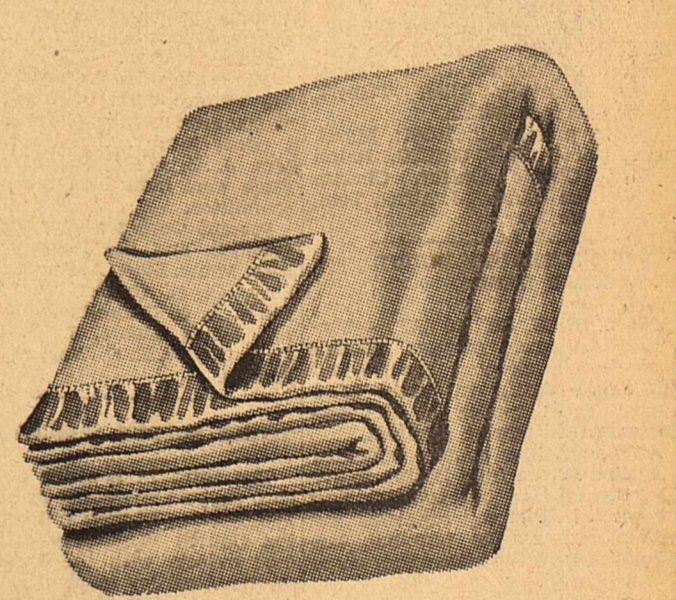
We, the subscribers, have this day entered into a limited partnership, agreeably to the provision of the Revised Statutes, Title 105, relating to limited partnership, and do hereby certify that the name of the firm under which said partnership is to be conducted is Jerry Norris & Company; that the general nature of the business to be transacted is that of public accounting; and the same will be transacted in the City of Midland, Texas and surrounding territory; that the name of the general partner of the firm is Jerry Norris, of Midland County, Texas, and the name of the special partner is Rodney B. Horton, of the City of Abilene, County of Bernalillo, New Mexico; that the capital contributed by the said Rodney B. Horton, special partner, is (None) in cash. That the period at which partnership is to commence is the 2nd day of September, 1940, and that it will terminate on the 31st day of August, 1941.

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 (Signed) Rodney B. Horton
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TO BE AGGETTES

Misses Louise McClain and Lucille McHargue of Midland, students at John Tarleton College, Stephenville, have been elected to membership in the Aggette Club at the school. The organization includes athletic, social, and social service activities.

Today's Markets

Livestock

FORT WORTH, Oct. 15 (AP) (U. S. Dept. Agr.)—Cattle salable 3,000; calves 2,600; common and medium beef steers and yearlings 5.50-8.25; about 15 loads southern grass fat steers unsold; two loads fed steers 8.50; few good yearlings 9.00-9.50; butcher and beef cows 4.00-6.00; few cows above 6.00; bulls 4.25-5.75; good and choice killing calves 7.50-8.25; few heavies to 8.75; common and medium 5.00-7.00; good and choice stock steer calves 8.50-9.50; few heavies 9.60; and odd lightweights to 10.00; two loads stock heifer calves 8.50.

Hogs salable 1,800; top 6.45; good and choice 1.90-3.00 lbs. 6.35-6.45; good and choice 150-185 lbs. 5.50-6.30.

Sheep salable 1,700; all classes steady; fat lambs 7.00-8.00; shorn yearlings 6.00; shorn 2-year-old wethers 5.00; shorn fed wethers 3.50 down; breeding ewes 3.75; and feeder lambs 6.50 down.

Wool

BOSTON, Oct. 15 (AP) (U. S. Dept. Agr.)—Fine western wools were quite active in Boston today and prices were very firm. Original bag, fine territory wools were bringing \$1.02-\$1.05, scoured basis, while shorn to average French combing was selling at 98-\$1.05, scoured basis. Twelve months Texas wools were moved at \$1-\$1.05, scoured basis. Graded combing bright fleece wools were selling at 41-43 cents, in the grease for fine Delaine and at 44-45 cents for three-eighths and one-quarter blood grades.

Cotton

NEW YORK, Oct. 15 (AP)—Cotton futures closed 2-5 higher.

Stocks

NEW YORK, Oct. 15 (AP)—Sales, closing price and net change of the 15 most active stocks today:
 US Stl 16,300 6 1/2 plus 1
 Para Pict 16,200 7 3/4 plus 1/2
 Gen Mtrs 12,100 49 1/2
 NY Central 11,400 14 1/2
 Anaconda 8,100 23 1/4 up 5/8
 Cons Edis 8,200 25 5/8 up 5/8
 Crucible Stl 8,200 40 3/4 up 3 1/2
 Pathe Film 7,400 11 3/8 up 1/2
 Chrysler 6,800 80 3/4 up 2
 Pullman 6,400 24 3/4 up 1/4
 Repub Stl 6,400 18 1/4 up 1/2
 Gen Elec 5,900 34 1/2 up 3/4
 Youngst S & T 5,700 35 1/2 up 1
 Nor Am Co 5,400 19 7/8 up 7/8
 Beth Stl 4,900 81 1/8 up 1

Stocks Regain Lost Ground At Closing

By Victor Eubank
NEW YORK, Oct. 15 (AP)—Leading stocks backed away fractions to more than a point at one time in today's market, but many regained the lost ground in the final hour and tacked on gains. While minus signs were plentiful at the close, trends were no more than irregular. Specialties, including amusements, were up throughout. Utilities did well. Transfers were around 500,000 shares.

Aged Hermit Of Big Bend Country Dies; Lived In Tin Shack

ALPINE, Oct. 15 (AP)—They buried Bob Cat Carter, the hermit of Persimmon Gap today. Carter, who said he had been in the Big Bend country "since they started putting bark on the bushes," died peacefully yesterday at a Brewster County home for indigents. For more than a score of years the tall wanderer of Big Bend had been a familiar sight at his wayside post near the entrance of the park—his dwelling a meager tin shack. Acquaintances said Bob Cat "just went out." Six months ago the weakened condition of the old man was such that he no longer could roam the hills and ranches brought him to Alpine where he was given a home and medical attention. The death certificate gave his age as 85 but old timers declared he was older. Bob Cat, whose name was given on the certificate as Henry wasn't sure about his age. His hope was that some day he could concoct a famous and powerful poison from the herbs and plants of the Big Bend. He tramped countless miles over wastes and hills and mountains in the search of these herbs. County case workers were able to find out little concerning his family or his former home.

First Play Of Series Presented Last Night

Sponsored by the North Ward PTA, the first of this year's series of Clare Tree Major Children's Theatre plays was presented at the High School Auditorium, Monday evening before an audience of several hundred children and adults. This year's initial production was "Seven Wishes," a new play by Maurice Maeterlinck, with the plot of a fairy story sugar-coating a moral good for both children and adults.

ALL-AMERICAN FAIR

MEXICO CITY, Oct. 15 (AP)—Miguel Aleman, Campaign Manager for President-elect General Manuel Avila Camacho, today launched a project for holding an All-American fair in Mexico City in connection with Avila Camacho's inauguration December 1. No decision has been reached.

Sixty-Two Present At Baptist Conference

Sixty-two women, representing Baptist Churches at Big Spring, Odessa, Stanton, Coahoma, Porsan and Midland, today are attending an associational-wide conference of primary Sunday School teachers at the First Baptist Church here.

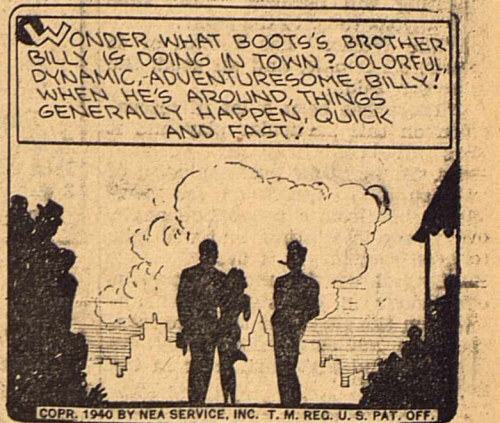
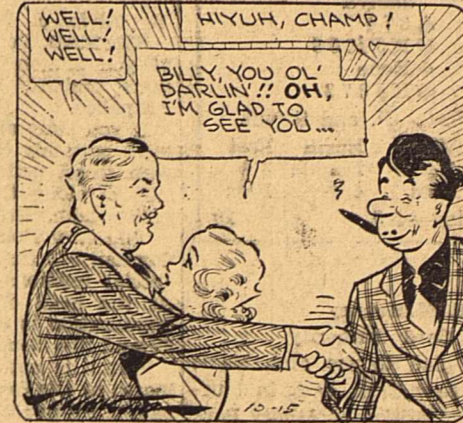
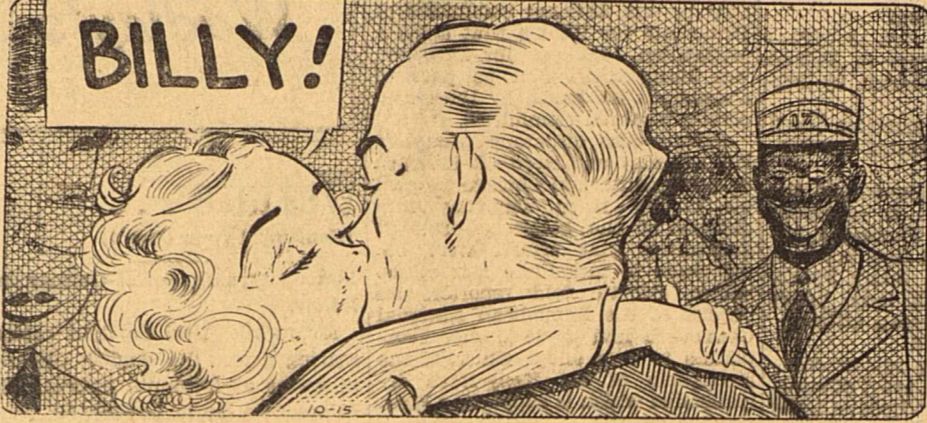
Mrs. O. E. Parris of Dallas is conducting the all-day session. Mrs. W. B. Preston of the Midland church is presiding.

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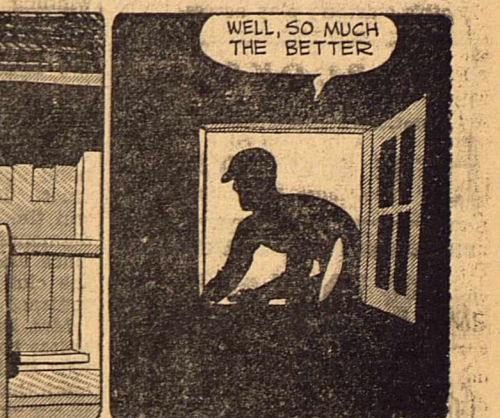
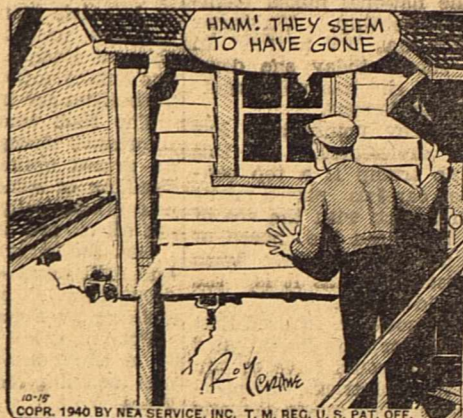
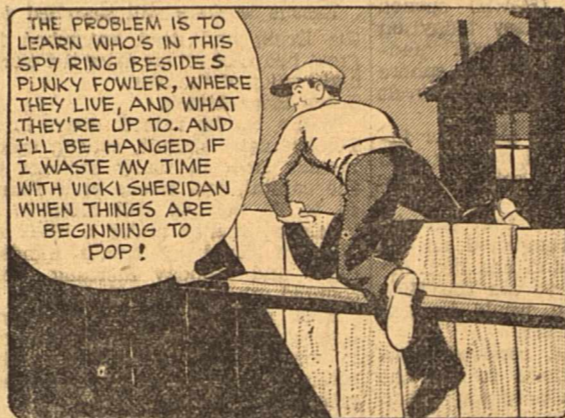
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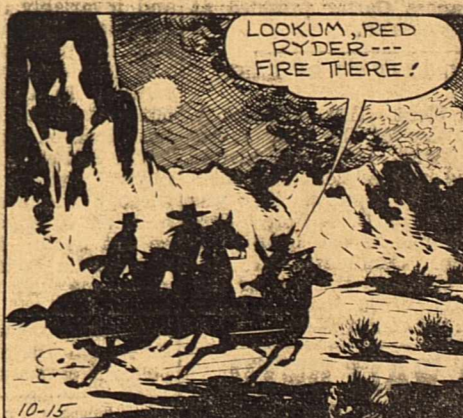
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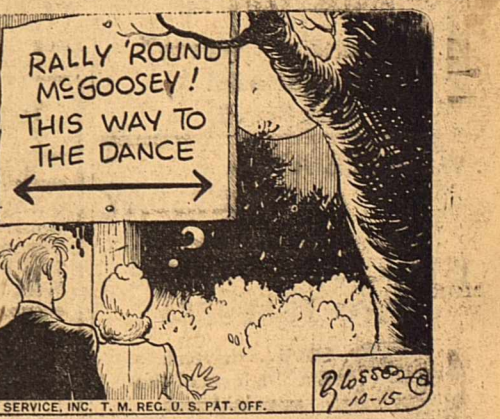
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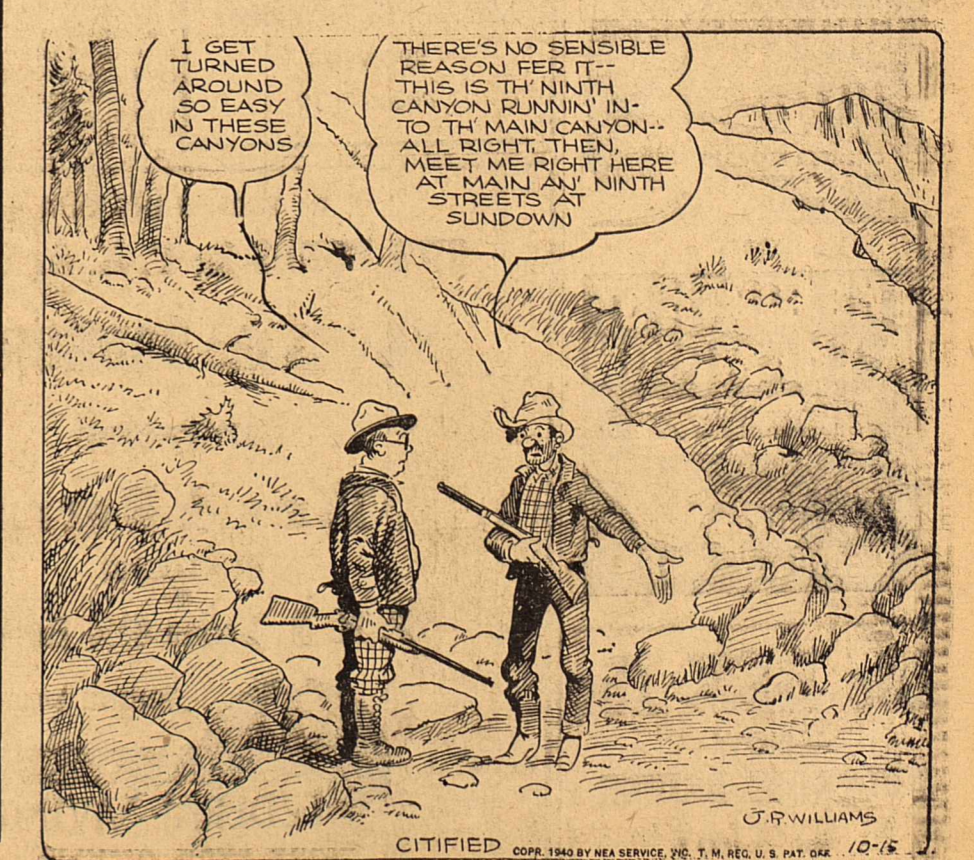
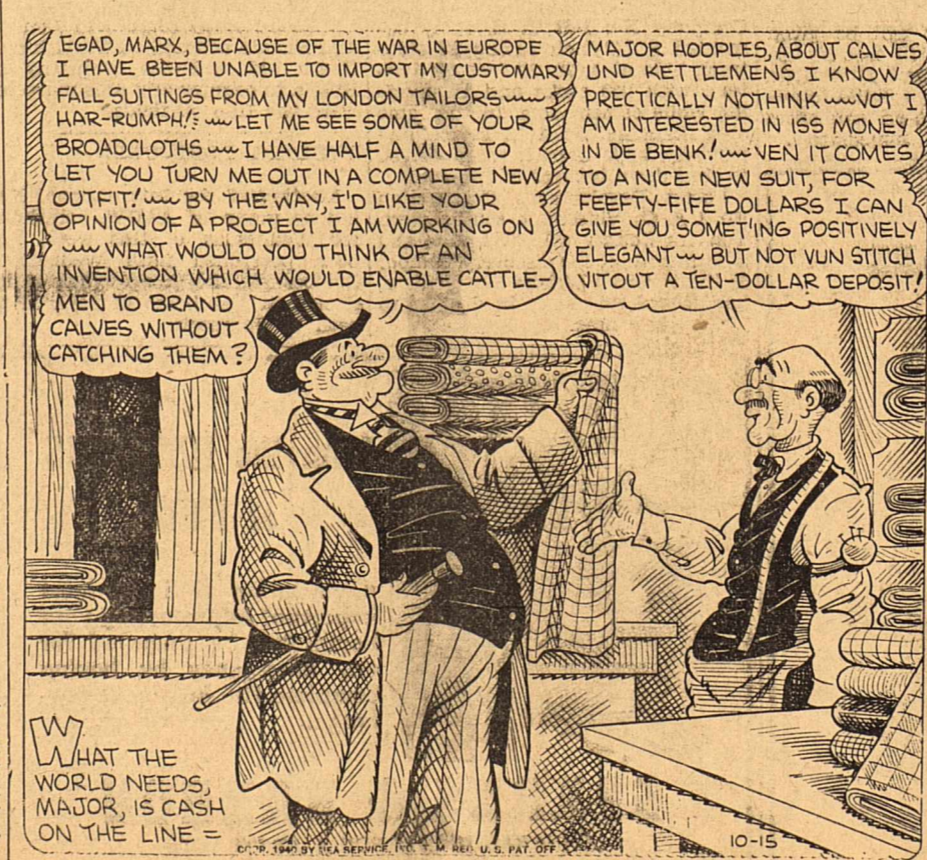
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OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. WILLIAMS



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Tryouts For Roles In "The Women" Open Wednesday

Mrs. Wilmer B. Stowe, director of the Midland Civic Theatre, today set the date for tryouts for "The Women" by Clare Booth. Casting will begin Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock in the old Thorpe Paint Store building at 103 South Main.

McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

Bridge game results including scores for Potts, AQ8, AQ96, K10864, 10, KJ109, 2, 742, 5, A542, 65, 3, AQJ9, 732, AQ96, Sheern, 874, KJ1085, None, KJ873, Duplicate-N, and S. vul. South West North East Pass 1 Double 3 Pass 3 Pass 4 Pass 5.

By Wm. E. McKenney

America's Card Authority I WAS glad to see Mrs. Marie Black, of New York, back in tournament competition at Asbury Park this year. She has not played for several years and made a strong comeback as a member of the team winning the national mixed team-of-four championship.

Poland Policed By Own Citizens, Newsman Learns

(EDITORS NOTE: In German-conquered Poland, Alvin J. Steinkopf, member of the Associated Press staff in Berlin, visited Warsaw and the small surrounding area now called the "General Government of Poland," he is the only non-German correspondent who has made this trip.)

By Alvin J. Steinkopf KRAKAU, Poland, Oct. 15 (AP)—If you snatch a purse in Poland you'll probably be arrested by Polish police.

If you start an insurrection you'll most certainly be arrested by German secret police. It is along these lines that the police administration is organized in the New Poland. There are few German officers—and they are with special missions—but many Polish.

Poland is not being run or dominated by the German army of occupation. I drove for hundreds of miles without seeing a German soldier or sentry or policeman on duty.

The Nazi army is here—and in impressive strength. The thought of an armed uprising—if any Pole is thinking of something so desperate as fanatical futility. The guns are all on one side.

But the army is in its barracks and drill fields—occupied with our occupation "as one officer put it. Policing To Poles

Elections . . .

(Continued from page 1) let, "Millions for Defense," has been included in a speaker's kit furnished by the Democratic National Committee.

The Senate Campaign Expenditures Committee speeded up investigations under way in the nine states in an effort to clear its docket of political complaints before the November election.

Chairman Gillette (D-Iowa) arranged to confer either today or tomorrow with John Carmody, Federal Works Administrator, in connection with a complaint from New York City by the national committee of Democrats for Willkie that a WPA publication, "Millions for Defense," was being distributed as part of a speaker's kit issued by the Democratic National Committee.

Gillette also dispatched Senators Hill (D-Ala.) and Reed (R-Kan.) as subcommittees to Chicago to open an inquiry there Thursday into charges of the better government association that efforts were being made to intimidate and coerce voters. Gillette told reporters an official of the Republican National Committee had made similar complaints to him about Chicago, the stronghold of the Kelly-Nash organization which is supporting President Roosevelt.

New Jersey Probe Another investigating committee consisting of Senators Adams (D-Colo.) and Tobey (R-NH) opened hearings in New Jersey today on charges of registration roll "padding" in Jersey City, political sphere of Mayor Frank Hague, a Roosevelt supporter.

This subcommittee also was instructed, Gillette said, to look into charges of improper voting in Republican South Jersey.

Gillette announced that investigators who had completed an inquiry in Missouri and had been ordered to Chicago to aid the Hill-Reed subcommittee would be sent back to Missouri later.

He said he had received complaints alleged efforts to use the AAA machinery in Nordway County, Mo., for political purposes and for local officials soliciting donations of \$40 per township from farmers to support the Roosevelt ticket.

To Fire AAA Agents Turning to Iowa, Gillette revealed that after the committee requested an investigation in that state, the agriculture department had ordered the discharge of an AAA field agent there who was accused of soliciting funds for the Democratic party and of conducting a political poll while on duty.

Committee investigators who have been in New Mexico looking into complaints of alleged "vote juggling" in the primaries have been ordered back to Washington to report.

A report likewise was expected soon on a subcommittee's investigation of "padding" of election rolls in Delaware.

Investigators have been urged, Gillette said, to speed up their inquiries into reports of illegal registration in Philadelphia and charges that some voters there had been threatened with physical violence because they declined to change their party affiliations.

The committee chairman said he expected to receive during the day details of charges concerning alleged illegal voting in the West Virginia primary election.

Oil News . . .

(Continued From Page One) in anhydrite and lime.

Magnolia No. 2-A Mallett, in Cochran County offsetting to the southeast a north extension well in the Duggan pool, swabbed and flowed 8 to 10 barrels of oil hourly after initial acid treatment with 1,500 gallons at 4,989 feet in lime. It has been re-treated with 3,000 gallons and is swabbing to clean out.

West of the Duggan, Atlantic and Rhodes No. 1 Dean is drilling past 1,890 feet in red rock.

According to company reports, Phillips Petroleum Company No. 1 M Bar Ranch, southern Andrews County wildcat, showed no oil or water after acidizing with 3,000 then with 5,000 gallons while bottomed at 4,335 feet in lime. However, unconfirmed reports credit it with blowing an estimated 4,000,000 cubic feet of gas daily. The test, which has been drilled "tight," is four miles west of the Emma pool and about the same distance southeast of the West Andrews area.

At Cedar Lake in northeastern Gaines County, Stanolind Oil & Gas Company No. 1-B T. S. Bailey cemented 5 1/2-inch casing in side-track hole at 4,420, 20 feet off bottom, with 250 sacks and is standing while cement sets. In the same area Stanolind No. 1 G. T. Hall had partially built derrick when forced to sit down because of rain.

Forest Development Corporation No. 1 A. C. Whisenant, southeastern Yoakum County wildcat a mile and a half north of the discovery pumper of the two-well Waples Platter area, had logged no shows in drilling to 5,158-feet in lime.

ATTENTION! Junior High

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Warfare . . .

(Continued from page 1) ters concerning Soviet-German relations.

Meanwhile, Nazi daylight raiders roaring across the English Channel in waves at five-minute intervals attempted to storm London six times up to early afternoon.

Each time, the British said, they were driven off. Rescue workers still searched for the living and dead entombed in great heaps of rubble after the worst night raids of the war.

Seven-Hour Attack. While bombs rained down in a 7-hour night assault, setting spectacular fires in many sections of the city, one rescue crew found 40 to 50 persons still alive in a basement shelter under a block of flats shattered by bombs Sunday night and Monday morning. Uncounted others were killed.

Nazi airmen reported "shooting flames" were visible from Hyde Park, in the east end of London, to the India docks in the slum-infested east end.

Metropolitan newspapers carried these typical headlines: "London's worst terror raid."

"Fiercest night raid of the war." "Firemen had scarcely brought a network of fires under control before the Germans, dropping a new type of combination fire-and-explosive bomb, renewed the attack in successive waves."

Hitler's Answer. The intensified daylight assault was apparently Adolf Hitler's answer to a double-barreled night attack by RAF bombers over Berlin, which underwent two alarms with a reported toll of one killed, 12 wounded.

Nazi authorities said a number of dwellings and a hospital were damaged in the German capital, but that a furious concentration of anti-aircraft fire brought down three RAF raiders in flames "en route to Berlin" and drove off others before they could reach the capital.

The British air ministry said the RAF "effectively bombed" several "important military objectives" in Berlin and set great fires at the German-held port of Le Havre, on the French coast.

Other targets of the British bombing squadrons, the air ministry said, included oil depots at Stettin, Bohlen, Botha, Magdeburg and Meisburg; the big north German shipping port of Hamburg and railway lines; and industrial areas in the Reichland.

Shells Across Strait. Early this afternoon, British long-range guns posted on the Dover coast opened fire, hurling shells across the 22-mile-wide Strait of Dover.

Nazis angrily charged that apartment houses were the principal targets of RAF raiders in Berlin, and they acknowledged that many Berlin residents were being removed from the bombed areas today—either because their homes had been destroyed or because of danger from unexploded bombs.

In southeast Europe—heralded scene of the next major conflagration—Britain was reported heavily strengthening her defense in Egypt.

Queen Mary Conveyed. Dispatches from Rome said the British liner Queen Mary, which left New York several months ago presumably en route to Australia, was reportedly conveyed through the Mediterranean with 15,000 British soldiers aboard. The liner Mauretania was also reported in the convoy as a troop transport.

The official Soviet news agency, Tass, meanwhile described as a "fantastic invention" reports that Russia, Britain, Turkey, Greece and Yugoslavia were negotiating on the question of Germany's latest military move in the southeast.

Well-informed sources in London said Britain counted on Turkish and Greek aid and the sympathy of Russia to counter any Axis move toward the Iraq oil fields.

MEETING POSTPONED Meeting of the International Relations group of AAUW, scheduled for Wednesday of this week, has been postponed until Wednesday, October 23. The group will hold its session at the home of Mrs. Kenneth S. Ferguson.

Willkie Attacks Inefficiency Of US Army Housing

By The Associated Press

Wendell L. Willkie pressed his intensive campaign for New York State today with renewed criticism of defense program progress. Charging "startling and disturbing" delay in army housing construction, he declared that it was not right "to induct our boys" into the service until they can be housed healthfully.

As the Republican nominee continued his heavy schedule of speeches, supporters of President Roosevelt criticized the program Willkie has advocated, asserting that it was at variance with the voting record of Republicans in Congress.

Willkie said in a speech prepared from a forenoon rally at Rochester, N. Y., that there has been "pitiful inefficiency" in housing the expanded army. He quoted acting draft director Lewis B. Hershey as predicting it would take a year to meet the requirements of 400,000 men.

Would Rehouse U. S. "We have a multitude of carpenters, plumbers, tinsmiths, painters and other tradesmen—enough to rehouse America," he said, "but they must be put to work."

The charge that Willkie was out of step with his party was made by Rep. McCormack of Massachusetts, Democratic House Leader. In a statement issued by the National Committee of Independent Voters for Roosevelt and Wallace, McCormack said:

"The voters can tell better what kind of an administration they would get from a Republican President and a Republican Congress by looking at the record than by listening to what a candidate for office promises them when he is campaigning for their votes."

Makes Comparison "The record shows that Republicans in the House have voted consistently against some of the most vital defense legislation, against farm parity, and for wrecking the National Labor Relations Board. Their votes make Willkie's words mere empty, campaign promises, which he can't fulfill."

Paul V. McNutt, Federal Security Administrator, voiced similar criticism in a speech in Sioux City, Ia., last night.

"There is no one so naive," he said, "as to think that a party which has fought bitterly for seven and a half years every step of progress that had been made toward revitalizing our government, will suddenly support the very things they have opposed merely because their candidate has made a few speeches."

Norman Thomas, Socialist Party candidate for the Presidency, said in a speech at Springfield, Ill., yesterday that the United States may become involved in war soon "under circumstances that I believe, will not be carefully thought out, even by the administration."

THURSDAY As You Like It Club will meet with Mrs. James Adamson, 706 S. Lorraine, Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Midland County Museum in the courthouse will be open to the public Thursday afternoon from 2:30 o'clock until 5.

City County Federation will meet in the Crystal Ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer, Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Needcraft Club will meet with Mrs. H. G. Bedford, Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, at her home, 611 N. Marientel.

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

Women's Golf Association will meet for play at the Country Club, Friday morning at 8:30 o'clock. Luncheon will be served at one o'clock with Mrs. R. W. Hamilton and Mrs. J. P. Ruckman as hostesses.

SATURDAY Story Hour will be held in the children's library at the courthouse.

The mercury dropped to 42 degrees in Midland last night, the lowest mark of the season. However, bright sunshine had raised the temperature to 61 degrees by 10:30 a.m.

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Coming Events WEDNESDAY Trump-it Club will meet with Mrs. C. C. Keith, 206 N. Marientel, Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock. Play Readers will meet with Mrs. William Y. Penn, 806 W. Storey, Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Mrs. Fred Wilcox will read "There Shall Be No Night."

FEMININE FANCIES By Kathleen Eiland There's a certain exhibit at the World's Fair in New York that should bring cheers from fathers of prospective brides. It shows a trousseau which costs only ten dollars! Yes, we said ten. The trousseau to be made by the bride-to-be consists of wedding gown with veil (it doubles for evening gown minus veil and jacket); panties and bra; sports dress and coat, the dress turning into an afternoon frock by addition of an apron; a play suit and bathing suit with jersey panties. We can't refrain from thinking that the designers were unusually fortunate in getting low-cost material or such a minimum price could not have been attained, even though the sewing was done at home. But the clever doubling of the usefulness of the dresses by leaving off or adding some accessory is something that any girl, whether bride or not, might well profit by.

More power to the trousseau-planners if they can make weddings a more joyful and less expensive event in the lives of families. Warm-looking and infinitely attractive is a sleeping outfit of softest, fluffiest knit which is designed in two-piece style, with trousers and hooded jacket. A drawstring holds the hood in place and drawstrings at the ankles mean added snugness on cold nights. The suit we liked was brilliant scarlet but we're informed that the same design comes in more ladylike pinks and blues.

Note to those who want to send a wee but practical gift to a girl away at school: Small wooden clothes pins that come packed in a neat little bag are just right for securing hose and suchlike small articles which must be rinsed out and hung to dry in room or sleeping porch. Trable Clef Juvenile Music Club will meet at the Watson studio 210 W. Ohio, Saturday morning at 9:30 o'clock. Midland County Museum in the courthouse will be open to the public Saturday afternoon from 2:30 o'clock until 5. Intermediate League of the Methodist Church will have a sunrise breakfast, Saturday morning at 6:30 o'clock. Members will meet at the old annex of the Baptist Church.

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Business Women Hear Charter Explained

The proposed city charter was explained by Mrs. Hilda Blair Ray, Midland attorney, at a meeting of the Business and Professional Women's Club at Hotel Scharbauer, Monday evening. The speaker contrasted the government of Midland as it would be under the terms of the charter with the government as it now is but did not advocate or condemn the new charter.

Twenty-one members of the B. & P. W. Club and several members of AAUW, as guests, were present.

Mrs. Frances Carter presided at the business session.

SQUIRREL TEST TO BE EASY. BUTTE, Mont. (UP)—Charles A. Joy, supervisor of the Deer Lodge National Forest, has been invited to join the new Ancient and Honorable Order of Squirrels that was organized by the U. S. Forest Service. He thinks he can qualify for membership. Candidates are required to climb to the top of any one of the 10,000 lookout forest stations in the country.

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The seniority standing of any employees on leave of absence will be unaffected and his former job will be restored to him, if he returns to the company within forty days after his leave of absence expires. Galloway stated also that any employee who resigns from the company to enlist in any of the regular armed forces for a period longer than a year will be given special consideration in case he applies for re-employment afterwards. The announced policy applies to approximately 30,000 Shell employees and goes into effect immediately.

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