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**WEATHER**  
WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday, warmer.

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## Smashes Way Back To White House

### Greek Mountain Troops Capture Thousands Of Italians

#### Fighting At Koritza Is Reported First Major Victory During Ten Day Conflict, Supplies Disrupted

London Expects Main Offensive At Any Time Against Little Balkan State As RAF Bombs Naples and Germany's Naval Base At Emden

By The Associated Press.  
Frontier dispatches said Greek mountain fighters today entered the city of Koritza, in Albania, and captured thousands of the 30,000 Italian troops under siege there. The reported seizure—if true—marked the first major victory in the 10-day-old Balkan conflict, and presumably disrupted the Italian supply route for a projected invasion into western Macedonia. Men, Supplies Taken.

A Greek communiqué said many Italian prisoners were taken in the battle of the Koritza Heights, along with artillery, howitzers and machine guns. The Greeks declared their lines were holding firmly on both ends of the 100-mile front, despite the superiority of Italian arms and manpower.

Premier Mussolini's high command reported that Fascist invasion forces had driven off Greek attacks between Lake Presba and Kapestica Pass, in the north, after violent fighting.

Authoritative quarters in London said the Italians had not yet launched their main offensive against Greece, but that the real attack was to be expected at any moment—probably on the Kalamas river front, above Ioannina (Janina), in north-west Greece.

RAF Bombs Naples. British RAF warplanes bombed the Naples area in southern Italy during the night, the Fascist high command disclosed, starting 30 spectacular fires among petroleum tanks there and heavily bombing shipyards at Bremerhaven and Bremen.

RAF night raiders also pounded the German-held forts across the English Channel at Boulogne, Calais, Dunkerque, Antwerp and Flushing.

London itself underwent the longest night air-raid alarm of the war, with "one wolf" Nazi fliers droning overhead from dusk yesterday until the all-clear signal finally sounded at 8:30 a. m.—a foretaste of what may be in store for the bomb-scarred capital in the long winter nights ahead. Next week's English nights will lengthen to approximately 14 hours.

In the wake of Prime Minister Winston Churchill's grave comment yesterday on British shipping losses, indications arose of a possible extension of the German blockade of England.

The fate of a British convoy attacked by a German raider in mid-Atlantic was undetermined, with no further word from the 16,698-ton passenger liner Rangitiki and the freighter Cornish City after their radio distress call yesterday that they were "being gunned" by an enemy ship of the "Admiral Graf Spee" class.

Shipping men said both of Germany's remaining pocket battleships, the Luetzow and Admiral Scheer, have been rumored operating in Atlantic waters.

#### LATEST NEWS FLASHES

**Train Derailed Near Big Spring.**  
BIG SPRING, Nov. 6 (AP).—About 25 cars of an east-bound Texas & Pacific freight train were piled up in a derailment about 15 miles east of here this morning. There was no one injured. Railroad officials said cause of the derailment had not been determined.

**Spectacular Buffalo Fire.**  
BUFFALO, N. Y., Nov. 6 (AP).—Two girls suffered serious burns, at least a half dozen others were injured and two firemen were overcome by smoke as a spectacular fire of undetermined origin destroyed a downtown toy factory today.

**Students Injured In Explosion.**  
OAKLAND, Calif., Nov. 6 (AP).—Between 25 and 30 students of Roosevelt High School were rushed to Alameda County Emergency Hospital today after a chlorine gas explosion in the school's chemistry laboratory.

**Engine Contract To Ford.**  
WASHINGTON, Nov. 6 (AP).—The War Department awarded today a \$122,323,020 contract for aircraft engines to the Ford Motor Company, Dearborn, Mich.

#### Midland Adopts Home-Rule Type City Government

Charter Wins 647 To 392 In Special Election, Attracting Large Vote

Midland probably will have home-rule government by next week. By a vote of 647 to 392, voters adopted the new charter, similar to those of seventy-five per cent of Texas cities with more than 5,000 population. It provides for the mayor-council form of government and gives the council full power to hire and fire city employees.

The total vote of 1,039 in the special election was unusually large for the city. It gave a majority of 255 to the proposal drawn by a commission composed of Ed M. Whitaker, R. C. Crabb, J. W. House, J. R. Martin, Clarence Schabauer, J. V. Stokes, Frank Stubbeman, Addison Wadley, T. Paul Barron, James Fitzgerald Jr., George W. Glass, Joseph H. Mims, M. D. Seif, F. W. Stonehocker and John B. Thomas.

The commission was appointed by the mayor to draft a charter under home-rule provisions and submit it to the citizens for acceptance or rejection.

**Appoint All Employees**  
Under the new charter the mayor and council will appoint city police officers and the city secretary, the only elective municipal officers being the mayor and councilmen.

Mayor M. C. Ulmer and councilmen have announced the city marshal and secretary will be retained in their positions until the end of their elective terms next April.

Ulmer said today the council probably will canvass the election votes at a special meeting Tuesday, after which the home-rule form of government becomes effective.

Expressing satisfaction over the outcome of the election, the mayor said: "We have passed off the shackles of the old form of administration, and the benefits will be something that the citizens will be proud of when they observe the actual workings of home-rule. I was pleased with the way it went."

#### Patillo Wildcat May Open New Shallow Pool In North Pecos County

By Frank Gardner  
Opening of a new shallow pool in Northern Pecos County was indicated today by R. G. "Tex" Patillo No. 1 P. E. O'Neil as it flowed an estimated 25 to 30 barrels of oil per day, natural, through casing.

The well had a showing of oil and gas from 1,007-45 feet and logged pay sand from 1,645-53 feet. It now is testing, bottomed at 1,675 feet in lime, and probably will be given a nitro shot. No. 1 O'Neil originally was projected to the O'Gorician but probably will not be carried to the deep zone because of its favorable shallow showings.

Location is 660 feet from the southeast and southwest lines of section 74, block 10, H. & G. N. survey, about two miles northwest of the Apco deep pool, productive from the Ellenburger, lower Ordovician.

S. D. Patillo No. 1 E. J. Hoffman, wildcat on the West Stockton High of Pecos, had drilled to 1,250 feet in anhydrite and lime.

Drilling depths but no formation markers were reported today from a trio of wildcats now being drilled in Southern Andrews County by Phillips Petroleum Company north-east and southeast of its No. 1 M Bar Ranch, 1,895,000-foot discovery gasser.

Phillips No. 1 University-Andrews, a mile and a quarter northeast of the discovery, is drilling at 1,380 feet in red beds and shells.

The firm's No. 2 M Bar, 4,800 feet southeast of the passer's, is reaching at 1,350 feet. Total depth is 1,604 feet in anhydrite.

A mile farther south, Phillips No. 1-120 M Bar is drilling below 1,015 feet in red rock. Slim-hole portable rotary is being employed.

#### FDR Registers For Ballot



Franklin D. Roosevelt signs the election register in the Hyde Park, N. Y., town hall as millions of fellow American citizens went to the polls to cast their ballots. The President voted at 12:20 p. m. E. S. T., and then retired to his Hyde Park home to await election returns.

#### Midland Voters Set Record In Election

Midland County citizens in a record vote of 2,567 yesterday gave overwhelming support to President Roosevelt and nominees of the Democratic party. The previous high for a general election was in 1936 when 1,607 ballots were cast.

The county endorsed Roosevelt over Wendell L. Willkie by 1,921 to 646; J. E. McDonald over W. N. Corry, the write-in candidate, 1,840 to 571. Earl Browder, on the Communist ticket, polled three votes in the county.

Roosevelt carried all county precincts. McDonald led Corry in all except Precinct three, the Stephenson box.

County totals: For U. S. Senator—Connally 2,476; Shannon 116. Governor—O'Daniel 2,479; Hopkins 118. Lieutenant-governor—Stevenson 2,493; Bennett 103. Attorney-general—Mahn 2,497; Lane 97.

Chief justice of the supreme court—Alexander 2,508; Benckenstein 100. Associate justice, supreme court—Sharp, 2,512; Ingraham 102. Judge court of criminal appeals—Beauchamp 2,509; Nossaman 101. Railroad commissioner—Culberson 2,502; McDowell 96.

State comptroller—Sheppard 2,509; Gust 98. Land commissioner—Giles 2,509; Sweet 99. State treasurer—Lockhart 2,511; Bullington 100.

State superintendent of public instruction—Woods 2,509; Witty 100. Agricultural commissioner—McDonald 1,840; Corry 571. Chief justice, court of civil appeals, 8th supreme judicial district—Price 2,548.

Associate justice, court of civil appeals, 8th district—C. R. Sutton, 2,545. Congressman, 16th district—R. E. Thomson 2,549.

State Senate, 29th district—H. L. Winfield 2,550. District attorney, 70th judicial district—Martelle McDonald 2,554. State representative, 88th district—Taylor White 2,552.

District clerk—Nettye C. Romer, 2,553. County judge—E. H. Barron, 2,555. County clerk—Susie G. Noble, 2,553. Sheriff—Big Ed Darnell, 2,555. Tax assessor-collector—J. H. Fine 2,552.

County attorney—Merritt F. Hines 2,554. County treasurer—Lois Patterson, 2,557. County surveyor—R. E. Estes, 2,555. Constable, Precinct 1—R. D. Lee, 2,553. Justice of peace, Precinct 1, place 1—W. P. Z. German, Jr., 2,352. Justice of peace, Precinct 1, place 1—B. C. Girdley 2,348. Commissioner, Precinct 1—J. C. Roberts 2,354. Commissioner, Precinct 2, J. C. Brooks 79. Commissioner, Precinct 3—Arthur Judkins 53. Commissioner, Precinct 4—J. L. Dillard 57.

#### Willkie Finally Concedes Defeat In Tradition-Breaking Vote And Sends Congratulations To Winner

Democrats Ride Tide Of Triumph In Keeping Control Of House And Senate, And Increase Strength As Republican Hopes Are Shattered

WASHINGTON, Nov. 6 (AP).—Democrats retained control of both houses of Congress in Tuesday's election and, on the basis of incomplete returns, reduced the size of the Republican minority in the House and faced the loss of few seats in the Senate.

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In 36 Senate races, Democrats had elected 20 and Republicans nine. Republicans had picked up three seats they had not formerly held, while one Republican was ousted by a Democrat opponent. This made a net gain of two seats for the minority group.

The Democrats' certain successes, plus their 44 holdover seats, gave them an assured Senate majority of at least 64, compared with their present Senate membership of 69.

Republicans had 15 holdovers, assuring them at least 24 members in the new Senate. They have 24 seats in the present Senate.

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#### Businesses Will Close Armistice

Midland stores, offices, and the public schools will be closed Monday for Armistice Day, the Chamber of Commerce reported this morning.

Federal agencies, county and city governmental offices, and banks, also will observe the national holiday.

"There will be no city mail delivery Monday," Postmaster Allen Tolbert said.

Armistice programs begin tomorrow with ex-service men of Midland meeting in a body at the courthouse to go to the high school for an assembly that will feature an address by Col. John Perkins, representing the American Legion.

Judge Chas. L. Klapproth will speak also. The program is scheduled for 8:30 a. m.

Previously the assembly had been announced for Friday.

**Defense Is Theme**  
The theme of programs in Midland, sponsored by the legion is: "Education for The Common Defense of The Nation."

A special service is scheduled at 11 a. m. Sunday at the First Christian Church with James H. Goodman in charge. Gold star mothers, with mothers and fathers of veterans, are to be guests. The Rev. J. E. Pickering will preach.

Armistice Day, the legion will serve coffee and doughnuts from 6 a. m. to 6:30 at the scout hall, north of the Petroleum Bldg. This is the only scheduled event of the day.

#### Fred Turner, Sr. Condition Grave

The condition of Fred Turner, Sr., Santa Anna, retired ranchman and financier, and father of Fred Turner, Jr. of Midland, was reported grave today with little chance for recovery. He suffered a stroke of paralysis in Santa Anna yesterday.

The son is in Santa Anna with his father.

#### Roosevelt Gets 83 Per Cent Of Votes In Texas

DALLAS, Nov. 6 (AP).—President Roosevelt climbed steadily towards the 1936 vote he received in traditionally Democratic Texas, as in latest returns tabulated by the Texas Election Bureau at 11 a. m. today—his 594,624 votes giving him 83.6 per cent of the total 711,210.

DALLAS, Nov. 6 (AP).—Traditionally Democratic Texas, with its 23 electoral votes, had given President Roosevelt approximately 81 per cent of its 674,992 votes counted at 9 a. m. today by the Texas Election Bureau.

The count stood: Roosevelt, 546,355; Willkie, 128,379.

The President received approximately 86 per cent of the 1936 votes. Returns included 230 counties, with 23 complete.

Some Texas Democrats voiced their disapproval of Commissioner of Agriculture J. E. McDonald's support of Willkie by giving the write-in candidate against him, W. N. Corry, former member of the Texas House of Representatives, a 141,679 vote. But it wasn't strong enough to overcome McDonald's 216,496 total.

**Overwhelms Hopkins.**  
The Republican gubernatorial candidate, George Hopkins of Dallas, was overwhelmed, as expected, by W. Lee O'Daniel, Democratic nominee. The latest count gave O'Daniel 354,339 to Hopkins 14,206.

Willkie, on the basis of the incomplete returns, had carried only six counties—Gillespie, Comal, Guadalupe, Fayette, Lee and Medina, all rather traditionally Republican counties in one southwest Texas cluster inhabited mostly by persons of German and Czech descent.

**TO VISIT SONS**  
Rev. John E. Pickering has gone to Fort Worth to visit his sons, Jimmy and Johnny, who are students in TCU. He will probably return Thursday morning.

#### WHOZIT?



Mr. Whozit shares his hobby with many West-Texas men, for whenever he has a little time away from his business, you'll find him with a fishing pole or a gun in his hand. Otherwise if you want him in a hurry, you'll have to chase him down while he is making his contacts as salesman and distributor for a large oil company.

Born in Crockett, Houston County, he moved to Midland in 1925. At that time he was working for another oil company in the land department. He came here from Louisiana.

In 1932 he took his present position and has been on the go ever since.

After finishing public schools, he attended Texas A. & M. at College Station.

During the World War, he served in the Navy. He is a member of the American Legion and the chamber of commerce.

Mr. Whozit and his associates will appear Friday on The Reporter-Telegram Get-Acquainted page.

#### How Midland County Voted

For President	Pct. 1	Pct. 2	Pct. 3	Pct. 4	Pct. 5	Total
Roosevelt	930	69	48	43	831	1921
Willkie	351	11	5	4	265	646
For Agricultural Commissioner						
McDonald	932	65	16	43	780	1836
Corry	277	14	33	8	237	569



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## The People Have Chosen

Each citizen had the opportunity yesterday to vote his or her conviction and have that vote counted on an equality with that of any other citizen.

It was 151 years ago that Americans first gathered under the same constitution to choose their first president under our system of government. Today it is one of the oldest continuous governments on earth. We have broadened our democracy, decade by decade, since that first election.

That struggling new nation, shakily recovering from seven long years of war, has today become a vast nation of 130,000,000 people, occupying the most fruitful part of an entire continent whose power and influence are great in the world.

The total vote in yesterday's election was a thundering testimony to all the world that democracy is still vital and strong and unafraid.

It is a thrilling spectacle to see 130,000,000 free people choosing freely the man who will lead them for the next four years. Issues are important. The country faces critical times. Zeal for one's candidate, excitement over the contest, is justifiable, proper, desirable.

But we are all Americans and we are all in this thing together. The choice of the people is our President—the President of all of us—for the next four years.

Let us go forward a united people, toward a democratic goal, our destiny as a free people!

## The Country "Stands Pat"

The people have spoken. Franklin D. Roosevelt is to be President of the United States for the next four years.

The American people, in riding rough-shod over the tradition against third terms for Presidents, have given President Roosevelt a tribute that should at once make him very proud and very humble. Many people have believed honestly that election of Roosevelt would mean the end of American democracy. The responsibility rests all the heavier on Roosevelt to demonstrate quite clearly that these fears were groundless.

There is a task before us—a double task involving maximum military preparedness at the fastest possible pace, and also the rebuilding of a better economic structure on the firmest possible foundation. These are tasks which require a united people for successful completion.

In the past year the average per capita consumption of ice cream was 9.21 quarts. And half of ours melted before we got it home.

It's the old American spirit not to consider a draft capsule as a bitter pill.

Sitting up till daylight would be more fun if it didn't take all night to do it.

Being two-faced never doubled anybody's face value.

Fayetteville, W. Va., man fainted in a taxi. Might be a good idea to keep meters out of sight.

## STATESMAN

**HORIZONTAL**

1, 6 A former governor-general of Canada.

9 Metallic rocks.

10 Piccolo.

12 Diamond.

13 Shoe.

14 Veteran.

15 Very reticent person.

16 Chaos.

17 Bard.

18 Pussy.

19 Fish covering.

22 Chief cities.

27 Overawed.

28 To eat.

29 On the lee.

30 Olive tree.

31 Spinning toy.

32 Derby hat.

34 Kind of dance.

35 Bodies of water.

**Answer to Previous Puzzle**

36 Lobster claw.

40 Maple shrub.

41 Malt drink.

43 More conformable to fact.

44 Encircled.

45 Greedy.

46 Heavy blow.

47 Verbal.

48 Ey.

49 His native land.

50 His military title.

**VERTICAL**

1 Japanese measure.

2 To impel.

3 Court-leet.

4 Distinctive theory.

5 Pears.

6 Ship's spar.

7 Still.

8 Feather palm.

11 Ship.

14 His title as a peer.

15 College girl.

16 To doze.

17 Pretense.

18 Beret.

20 Mountain pass.

21 Reverence.

22 Mug.

23 Dresses' hides.

24 Every.

25 Opposed to stoss.

26 He — in Canada from 1921-1926.

28 Anything steeped.

31 Sailor.

32 Bug.

33 Rowing implement.

34 Earth.

35 Scrawny animal.

37 Pressing tool.

38 Box sleigh.

39 Skin.

40 Ozone.

41 To affirm.

42 Italian coin.

44 Deity.

45 Monkey.

## SERIAL STORY

# GOAL TO GO

BY W. H. PEARS

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YESTERDAY: Bill recalls the accident that injured his father. Buck Mentor hadn't hesitated when he saved the life of a workman, unknown to him, but it left the one-time All-America back an invalid. There was hope that an operation might restore his health, but there was not enough money. Sunday morning the West varsity, angry over the defeat and Landis' announcement that the wrong play had been called, visit Buck. They have a plan to oust Landis, get the job for Buck.

Chapter III  
BUCK MENTOR said, "Go ahead. We're going on a strike," Don Hart blurted.

"We're through with Landis' dirty tricks," Calvert added. "He sent me into the game last night to run off that razzle-dazzle. Now he's ducking the blame. We won't stand for it!"

Buck Mentor, looking from one angry face to the other with grave gray eyes, said nothing.

"We've talked to our folks," Drowsy explained. "They haven't forgotten all the cold, rainy days he sent the squad home with sniffles and sore muscles. They're still pretty mad at Landis."

"And they're dead set on winning the big game against East this year," Hart said. "If we refuse to play for Landis, they'll back us up."

The boys were silent, waiting for Buck to speak. He took a long pull on his pipe.

"You fellows know there's nothing in the world I'd rather do than coach you."

"Attaboy, Buck! Bill knows how you want us to block and tackle. He can help you."

"No, wait, I haven't finished. It's impossible the way you've planned it."

"Why?" Hart demanded.

"You fellows are like soldiers in an army," Buck said slowly. "You can't just quit when something doesn't please you. Not even if you think the general's giving you a dirty deal. That's called desertion. You've got to stick out your jaws and ask for more."

Calvert scuffed his toe on the treadbare carpet. "But, gosh, Buck, we thought..."

Buck's voice was gentle. "Sure, fellow, I know what you thought. It's not easy for me to refuse. I'm just about bursting inside that you fellows want me. But if Landis is really a poor coach he won't last. In the meantime, give him all you've got. Then if he fails he won't have an alibi."

"Gee, Buck, do you really mean that?" Drowsy asked.

"I do, Drowsy."

The boys talked in low tones, then Hart said, "Okay, Buck, what you say goes with us. We'll stick."

"Good stuff, fellows!" As the squad moved slowly toward the door Buck turned to his son. "Bill can you practice with them tomorrow?"

"I usually squeeze in a little time before work, Buck. But why?"

"I'm not sure, Bill, but somehow I feel that seeing you take the same medicine I prescribed for them may help..."

WHEN his last class was over, Bill dashed for the locker room. A sense of excitement gripped him as he put on Buck's worn uniform. The shoulderpads were bulky and obsolete, the jersey faded and torn; but to Bill it was a suit of shining armor.

As he jogged out on the practice field, Landis turned. He was a heavy man with a meat-red face and practically no neck. He barked commands like a drill sergeant, yet never seemed quite sure of himself.

"Working out today, Mentor?"

"If it's okay, Coach."

"Makes no difference to me. You can scrimmage with the scrubs."

Bill went into a huddle. He ran off several routine plays without much gain. The varsity squad was charging in hard and fast. The scrubs were determined but out-classed.

"Too bad you guys can't roll like that under pressure," Landis commented sarcastically.

The boys scowled but remained silent. From the varsity backfield Bullethead Peskin called with a sneer: "Hey, Mentor, why doncha give us some of those too, too wonderful plays of your old man?"

Bill took a threatening step toward Peskin, but Landis cut in sharply. "All right, all right, get going now!"

Still smoldering, Bill called his squad into a huddle. "Let's show Coach what we can do," he begged. "Here's one Buck taught me. It's no razzle-dazzle, but if we get it timed right it may fool 'em. Now listen."

Bill took the pass from center, drove forward. Just before he reached the line he handed the ball to the wingback, who started a sweep around right end. Bill's heel pounded as he blocked out a defensive guard trailing the play.

He wanted desperately to be able to tell Buck that his play had fooled the varsity.

Then he heard Landis whistle shrill and saw the ball carrier sail into the clear. The play had worked!

Hands on hips, Landis glared at Bill. "I suppose you think you're quite a coach, eh, Mentor?"

"No, sir."

"Well, get this straight. You can teach the scrubs all the Buck Mentor plays you want, but no varsity of mine will ever run them. In fact, Mentor, I'd welcome the chance to smear a few All-American plays!"

Bill turned to the scrubs with a grin. "If any of you fellows are interested in Coach's idea, drop around at the house. Buck'll give us a little skull practice. So long."

IT was nearly Bill's quitting time when Bullethead Peskin swaggered into the drug store. Dot Skelton clung to his arm. Bullethead led her to a booth and gestured imperiously for Bill.

"Gimme a hot chocolate, and Dot here wants..."

"Thank you," Dot snapped. "I'll do my own ordering." She curved her full red lips in a teasing smile. "How are you, Bill? Don't you think it'd be nice to say hello to me?"

"Hello," Bill said.

Dot pouted. "Must you always say it like a parrot?"

Bullethead was turning green about the mouth. "Say, Dot, what's the idea of talking to this soda jerk?"

"You hush up, Walton!" she flared. "I like Bill. He's a gentleman, which is more than I can say for some fellows."

"How about a hot fudge sundae?" "Oh, dear, my figure..." She twisted around in an obvious effort to draw Bill's attention to her slim curves. "But if you say I'm

not too plump, Bill, I'll give in."

Bill shot an embarrassed glance at Drowsy Peters, who grinned back impishly over his coke. "You're not too plump," Bill said gruffly.

Dot was coy when he returned with the order: "Bill, why don't you ever come to the dances? Or ask anyone for a date?"

"I work every night," Bill said, and hurried behind the fountain.

Bullethead Peskin bellowed: "Hey Mentor, we want water. And sloop some extra chocolate on Dot's sun dae."

Bill hesitated, red spots of anger coloring his cheeks. It was past his quitting time, but if he ignored the order it might mean his job. For Buck's sake he swallowed his pride and obeyed. Then, without a glance at either Dot or Bullethead, he joined Drowsy.

DROWSY blinked at him like a sleepy kitten. "You ain't smart, Bill."

"Why?"

"Giving Dot the brush-off. She's been trying to bet a tumble out of you for six months."

"So what?" Bill asked, then added, his heart jumping curiously, "I-I got a girl."

"Only this, you dope: J. Conrad Skelton runs the board. Little Dottie runs J. Conrad..."

"You mean I..."

Drowsy was patient. "I mean, Willie, that this Landis don't know which way is up. He won't last. If you're in solid with the Skeltons when the ax falls you can do Buck a lot of good..."

(To Be Continued)

## Lice-Dipping Practice Will Be Demonstrated

A demonstration of the latest methods in dipping to control lice will be held Thursday at the Hadden-Miles ranch near Odessa, the county agent's office reported.

George W. Barnes, animal husbandryman of the extension service, will conduct the demonstration.

## Side Glances



"My wife is giving me a lecture—would you have our boys play louder and drown her out?"

### FORMER MERCHANT DIES

JEFFERSON, Nov. 6 (AP)—R. W. Arnold, 79, former Texarkana merchant, died at his home here yesterday. He had been ill for a short time.

### BAKER DISMISSED

S. C. Baker was dismissed from Western Clinic hospital yesterday.

### PLAN NEW AIRPORTS

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 6 (AP)—American Airlines Inc., recently granted a franchise for operation of aerial passenger and freight service from here to Laredo, Texas, will soon begin construction of four new airports in Mexico and the United States, government aviation officials said today.

## County Declares War On Pests Of Prairie; Drive To Start Soon

Midland County has virtually declared war on prairie dogs as evidenced by an extensive drive planned soon on ranches and farms of the area.

Sponsoring is the Midland County land-use planning committee in cooperation with the county agent's office, and commissioner's court.

Here to direct the poisoning campaign is W. L. Little, formerly of the biological survey and now of the Department of Interior. J. E. Boog-Scott, Jr., is assisting.

Drive Starts Soon  
The drive will begin this week, starting on the Jay Floyd Ranch.

Prairie dogs, long the pest of ranchers and farmers, will be poisoned on key farms and ranches, and then surrounding units will be worked, Little said. Poison grain will be used.

Midland County commissioners will get the poison, to be purchased by individual farm and ranch owners.

Largest "dog-towns" have been plotted on a map at the county agent's office.

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### Recordio, Gift Of PTA, Is Shown At Junior High

A demonstration of the various uses of the recordio which was recently presented to John M. Cowden Junior High School by the school's Parent-Teacher Association high-lighted the regular PTA meeting, Tuesday afternoon.

The machine makes records, may be used as a victrola, and may be used as a radio. It also includes a public address system.

The Junior High choral and glee clubs, under direction of Miss Jesse Scott Price, sang "Home on the Range" and "Taps." These were recorded and immediately played back to the audience.

A demonstration of the public address system was given. Miss Price pointed out how she and the other music teachers, Miss Marjorie Beringer and Miss Frances Farnham, plan to use the recordio in the school.

Attendance yesterday was approximately 75 to 100 people. Attendance prize went to 7-B room of Mr. Freels.

### Coming Events

**THURSDAY.**  
As You Like It Club will meet with Mrs. Jimmie Hoover, 204 E New York, Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Lois Class of the Baptist Church will have an all-day meeting at the church Thursday. A covered dish luncheon will be served at noon.

Colonial Card Club will meet with Mrs. S. M. Vaughan, 404 W Illinois, Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Home Demonstration Club and 4-H Girls' Clubs will conduct an Achievement Day tour, Thursday, gathering at the home of Mrs. Neal Staton on the Prairie Lee road, at 9 o'clock in the morning.

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

Needcraft Club will meet with Mrs. Wallace M. Ford, 1269 W Indiana, Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Friendly Builders Class of the Methodist Church will meet with Mrs. Fred Barber at her home on the Lamesa Road, Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Eva Cowden Class of the Baptist Sunday School will meet for installation of officers and a social at the Baptist Church, Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

**FRIDAY.**  
A dance for Country Club members only will be held at the clubhouse, Friday evening. Joe Buzze's orchestra will play. Tickets may be purchased from members of the Women's Golf Association.

Women's Golf Association will meet Friday morning at 8:30 o'clock at the Country Club for golf. Luncheon will be served at the clubhouse at one o'clock. Mrs. Fred Hogan and Mrs. J. A. Mascho will be hostesses.

Belmont Bible Class will meet with Mrs. J. D. Webb, 107 W Louisiana, Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

**SATURDAY.**  
Treble Clef Juvenile Music Club will meet at the Watson studio, 210 W Ohio, Saturday morning at 9:30 o'clock.

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

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

Interior Decoration Group of AAUW will meet Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. V. B. Stowe, 1065 W Tennessee.

Children's Service League will meet with Mrs. W. T. Schneider, 2000 W Brunson, Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

**Lumberman Elected As Houston's Mayor**  
HOUSTON, Nov. 6 (AP)—Houston had a new mayor today after seven terms under Oscar Holcombe. C. A. (Neal) Pickett, 37, secretary of the Lumberman's Association of Texas, won the office yesterday. Holcombe conceded defeat early last night. The four city commissioners were re-elected. Pickett is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Pickett of Beaumont.

The Hindu laws of Manu condone lies uttered to save one's life or compliment a lady.

### Miss Myra Jo Ray, Leonard Hightower Are Married Here

In quiet ceremony at the First Baptist Church, Monday evening, Miss Myra Jo Ray, daughter of Mrs. V. C. Ray, became the bride of Leonard Elmore Hightower.

The Rev. H. D. Bruce officiated at the ceremony. The bride wore a wine velvet dress and hat and corsage of Tailsman roses.

Present for the wedding were the bride's mother, her brother, Earl Ray, and J. B. Kennedy. After the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Hightower left on a wedding trip to Eastland, home of his parents.

The bride is well known in Midland where she was reared. Member of a family long resident here, she is a graduate of Midland High School. She attended Texas State College for Women and the University of Texas, receiving her degree at the latter school, with a major in journalism.

Mr. Hightower has been in Midland about one year. He is an engineer with the Railroad Commission here.

### Public Invited To Hear Lecture By Mrs. Ranson

Nancy Richey Ranson of Dallas who will be presented by the City-County Federation in a lecture in the Crystal Ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer tonight at 8 o'clock, is expected to arrive in Midland late this afternoon from Mineral Wells.

All men and women of Midland who are interested in hearing of conditions in the Scandinavian countries just prior to the outbreak of the war in 1939, are invited to hear Mrs. Ranson who spent five months in these countries in the summer of last year. She will display a collection of souvenirs from her travels.

Mrs. Ranson is widely known as a successful newspaperwoman, foreign correspondent, travel writer, and poet.

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By Wm. E. McKenney  
America's Card Authority

ON our Canadian trip we went from Montreal to Quebec. I was interested in seeing as much as possible of this old historical city, so we engaged the services of Sid Trumble as a guide. He had written a little book entitled "Do You Know Quebec?" so we thought he was qualified to show us the city, and he was.

When he learned that I was a bridge writer, however, and that it was my column he followed in the Quebec Chronicle-Telegraph, he asked me almost as many bridge questions as I asked him about Quebec. He promptly answered my question about an interesting cathedral and immediately added, "If you held so-and-so, what would you bid?"

I gave him today's hand, which I had seen played in a recent tournament, showing him only the dummy and the South cards and the bidding as given here. He lost no time in pointing out the right play.

He suggested winning the opening lead with the ace of clubs, then after some thought said: "The only chance to defeat the contract is to find my partner with the ace and ten of diamonds." So he promptly pushed out the jack of diamonds.

All West can do is to let it ride around to the queen. North, of course, will not win the trick with the ace.

Now when the declarer gets in, after picking up trumps, he will take the spade finesse. South wins and leads another diamond, North cashes the ace and ten-spot and sets the contract.

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### Beta Sigma Phi Meets At Home Of Miss Roberts

Beta Sigma Phi sorority met at the home of Miss Maedele Roberts, 206 W Ohio, for a program, Tuesday evening, on "Personality and Relationship."

"Personal Relationship" was discussed by Mrs. Riley S. Parr. Miss Ruth Pratt, chapter president, spoke on "The Integrated Self."

"Religion—a Cure for Unhappiness" was the subject of a talk by Miss Norene Kirby and "Religion Is a Highway of Happiness" was the title of a discussion by the hostess.

Roll call was answered by each member telling "Qualities of Beta Sigma Phi Girls Which Attract and Cause Me to Like Them"—the qualities describing some girl in the group.

Mrs. T. J. Potter was presented with a blessed event gift in the form of a baby's cup bearing the crest of Beta Sigma Phi.

Present were: Mrs. Buford Bain, Miss Pratt, Mrs. Johnny Sherrod, Mrs. Potter, Miss Alma Heard, Miss Kirby, Miss Buryline McCollum, Mrs. Parr, Mrs. M. D. Johnson Jr., Mrs. S. R. McKinney Jr., Miss Marguerite Bivens, and the hostess.

### FEMININE FANCIES

By Kathleen Eiland

Our loitering about the perfume counters has netted us this much clear profit: A whiff of an enchantingly sweet new cologne. The fragrance is called (shrewdly capitalizing on the present interest in aviation, we suspect) by the title "Tailspin." It comes in cologne and perfume.

Our sympathy is with the writer on a newspaper in a neighboring town who complained that just as she was getting all properly enthusiastic over such fall accompaniments as football and chrysanthemums, people had to start in on Christmas. We felt somewhat the same way when we glimpsed our first array of Christmas candles.

They are, however, worth some attention for themselves. Red and green fir trees (or maybe they're pines) molded from wax prove to be unique candles. So do scarlet poinsettia blossoms to float in shallow bowls of water, brilliant with color and flame.

Well, at the present writing, it looks as though we'd lost our presidential vote. That being, of course, one of the privileges of the American citizen.

Nancy Richey Ranson, who is to speak at an open meeting of the City-County Federation tonight at Hotel Scharbauer, was in the Scandinavian countries on the eve of the outbreak of war last year. Her message should be one that Midland men, as well as women, would like to hear. The lecture is open to the public.

### Eighteen Present At Meeting Of Women's Council

Plans for a Woman's Day program on the first Sunday in December were made at the meeting of the Women's Council of the First Christian Church, Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Glenn Brunson was in charge of the program, with Mrs. John E. Pickering bringing the devotional on "Giving More Abundant Life."

Discussing "Other Migrant Groups," Mrs. Chas. Brown told of "Youth Adrift" and Mrs. J. K. Graves of "The Refugees."

Opening prayer was offered by Mrs. Geo. Ratliff. A social hour followed the benediction.

Present were 18 Council members including: Mmes. Brown, Graves, Brunson, Joe Norman, Ivan Hood, Mickey, Jones, G. H. Butler, L. E. Pemberton, Chas. Sherwood, Ratliff, G. B. Randolph Jr., Pickering, S. W. Estes, Harris, W. E. Shipp, Al Boring, and Miss Josephine Guly.

### OKLAHOMA ELECTS REPUBLICAN LEGISLATOR

OKLAHOMA CITY, Nov. 6 (AP)—Oklahoma backed President Roosevelt's bid for a third term with its 11 electoral votes yesterday but broke a precedent of eight years by electing one Republican Congressman.

Ross Rizley, Guymon Republican, unsated Rep. Phil Ferguson, Democratic incumbent, in the eighth district.

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### Paris Fashion Notes: From Manhattan!

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Mainbocher, American-born designer who had a place of foremost importance in the French couture, showed this evening gown of flame taffeta at the opening of his New York salon. The dress is trimmed with bands of gold gallowen braid. Mainbocher, who made clothes for the Duchess of Windsor and other prominent women in Paris, had at his New York opening such well known society leaders as Mrs. Harold Talbot, Doris Duke Cromwell, Mrs. Vincent Astor and Mrs. John Jacob Astor.

### Study Club Continues Work On Course

Mrs. W. T. Walsh was in charge of the meeting of St. Thomas Study Club at the Catholic parish hall, Monday afternoon.

Study was continued on the course, "The Liturgical Year." Present were: Mmes. Allen Tolbert, C. C. Duffey, Sarah Dorsey, Jas. F. Sirdevan, O. K. Baker, Cecil Yaden, Chas. Duffy, and Ben Dansey.

Because of the Armistice Day holiday next Monday, next meeting of the group will be held November 18.

### OIL WORKERS SUE

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 6 (AP)—The federal labor board reported today that 575 workers recently dismissed by the government oil administration had filed suits to have their jobs restored to them.

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### D. A. R. Discusses Business At Session Tuesday Afternoon

Discussion of future plans and business featured the meeting of the D.A.R. at the home of Mrs. John Perkins, 1909 Brunson, Tuesday afternoon, with Mrs. J. D. Robinson and Mrs. James H. Goodman as cotestesses.

Projects for the year were discussed and cooperation with the American Legion on Armistice Day activities at the high school. The chapter plans at that time to offer a five dollar prize for the best essay on Thomas Jefferson and a two dollar prize at Stanton for a similar essay.

Mrs. Ben Smith was in charge of the program, presenting a paper on interesting facts about Columbus' first voyage.

Plans were discussed for the coffee with which Mrs. Jack Wilkinson, vice regent, will honor the state D.A.R. regent, Mrs. E. S. Lammers, and her secretary, Thursday morning.

Mrs. Jimmie Brooks, daughter of Mrs. Perkins and a guest of the chapter, sang two selections.

Mrs. Earl Powell of Stanton, chapter regent, presided. At the tea hour, Mrs. Powell and Mrs. Wilkinson presided at the flower-decorated refreshment table.

Present were Mrs. Brooks and the following D.A.R. members: Mmes. H. C. Wheeler, Eric Payne, Goodman, Robinson, Smith, Wilkinson, Perkins, Frank Ekin, Powell, J. P. Butler, Geo. Burton, L. W. Leggett.

### Mrs. J. R. Martin Entertains With Afternoon Bridge

Autumn colors were chosen for party appointments when Mrs. J. R. Martin complimented the Edelweiss Club and a group of guests with a bridge party at her home, 2001 W Indiana, Tuesday afternoon.

Four tables were appointed for the games in which high score for guest went to Mrs. J. P. Ruckman, high score for club to Mrs. Hayden Miles, and second high to Mrs. John Dublin.

Guests were: Mmes. Hugh Corrigan, L. G. Mackey, J. M. Armstrong, P. F. Bridgewater, Wallace Irwin, Ruckman, Don Davis, Ross Williams.

Members present were: Mmes. James N. Allison Ellis Cowden, John Dublin, Hayden Miles, Tom Nance, Hal C. Peck, A. P. Shirey, J. M. Speed Sr., and the hostess.

A refreshment course was served at tea time.

needlework and at tea time a refreshment plate was served. Members present were: Mmes. J. Wyner Smith, S. V. Tekell, J. A. Andrews, Dell Skelton, and the hostess.

Next Tuesday the club will meet with Mrs. Skelton, 408 S Lorraine.

### Mrs. S. B. Carden Is Hostess To Sewing Club

Miss Zelah Gravette was the only visitor at the meeting of the Lorado Sewing Club with Mrs. S. B. Carden, 214 W Washington, Tuesday afternoon.

The meeting was devoted to

### Willkie's Sister Former Schoolmate Of Mrs. Hal Peck

So you don't believe the world is a small place? Ask Mrs. Hal Peck about that—especially since the interesting episode concerning her acquaintance with Charlotte Willkie (of the Elwood, Ind., Willkies).

Here's how it came about: While visiting her niece, Mrs. Eugene Russell, here recently, Mrs. F. B. Jones of Lexington, Kentucky, was a guest in Mrs. Peck's home. Discussing Kentucky girls who attended the Colonial School at Washington, D. C., where Mrs. Peck was a student, the two referred to a scrapbook of school days. Among other names, that of Charlotte E. Willkie, Elwood, Ind., was noted.

The name instantly awakened a train of memories in Mrs. Peck's mind. "Wonder if she could be related to Wendell? Why, it was Charlotte who was in love with 'Paul'—who got me my first date at Annapolis—a blind date with Midshipman Meade of New York."

Vivacious Mrs. Peck forthwith wrote to the former Elwood, Indiana, girl, recalling their days at Colonial School where Mrs. Peck as Sweetie Jones of Amarillo was voted the "most original girl" and the "peppiest girl."

Reply to her communication came in the form of an airmail letter from the New York headquarters of the Associated Willkie Clubs. Surprise No. 2 in this episode was the discovery that the writer, director of the Associated Willkie Clubs of America, was none other than Bill Pfeiffer, an old friend of Mrs. Peck's from Amarillo.

Charlotte E. Willkie of Colonial School Days was indeed the sister of Wendell Willkie. She is now married to a naval officer, Paul Pihl, and lives abroad. Said Pfeiffer in his letter: "Charlotte Willkie may well make two bids for fame—

The first and most important being that she was in school with Sweetie Jones and incidentally, that her brother will be the next president of the United States." The latter prediction, early returns indicate, will not be fulfilled for at least four more years.

Maybe the world IS pretty small, after all.

### DISMISSED FROM CLINIC

Mrs. Gordon Hickman and infant daughter were dismissed from Western Clinic hospital yesterday.

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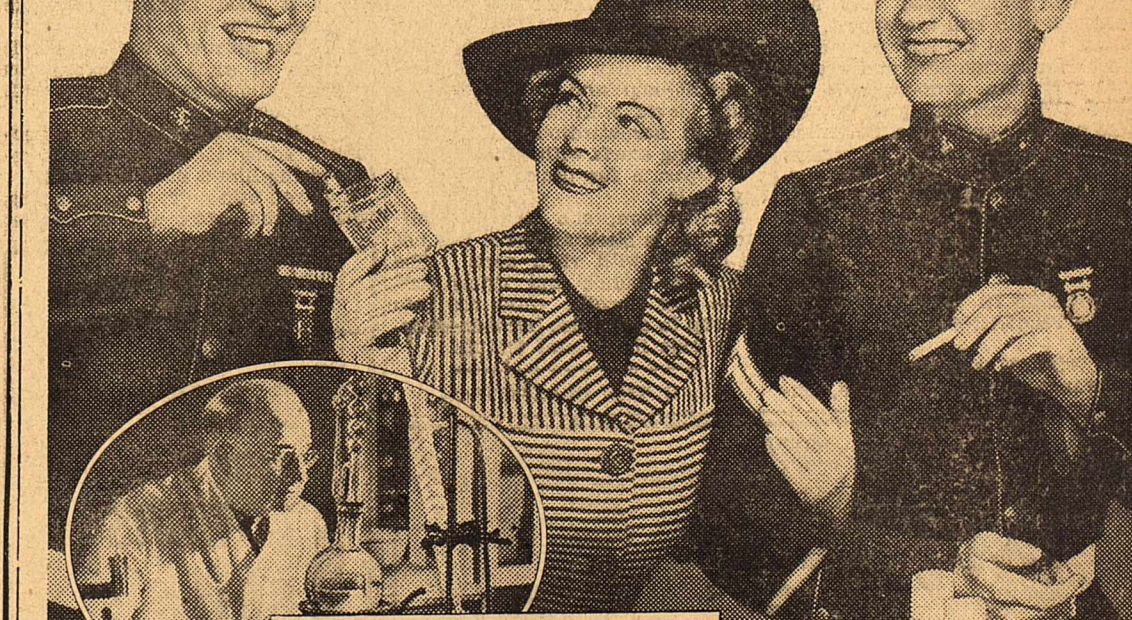
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Highlights From the Week's Oil News

(From The Oil & Gas Journal.)

West Texas: Pecos County had a new flush Ordovician field when Taubert-McKee-Siemoneit Drilling Co. 1 Crockett flowed at the rate of 50 to 100 bbl. of oil hourly from a new and deeper section of saturation in the Simpson line.

West Central Texas: Three recently discovered areas in northeastern Jones County are undergoing steady development. Two of the areas produce from the Palo Pinto lime while one is a shallow Flippen sand field.

North Texas: The exploratory play was extended deeper into the Fort Worth basin and nearer the city of Fort Worth.

Eastern Texas: Wood County's promised Woodbine sand discovery well was swabbing heavy oil and some water at the close of the week after plugging back 5 ft. from the total depth.

Louisiana Gulf Coast: Deep test on South Lake Charles prospect, Calcasieu Parish, tries to blow out. New sands opened at Bayou Blue and Stella fields.

La-Ark-Tex: Deep gas shows indicate additional pays in the Lisbon and Haynesville fields. Olla is defined on the west edge.

Southwest Texas: Jim Wells County sector of Frio-Vicksburg trend in limelight as preparations were made to test probable pool opener east of Orange Grove, and another wildcat in Magnolia City tries to blow out.

Texas Gulf Coast: Production opened from new sands in the Lolita and West Ranch fields, Jackson County, and crude production discovered in 6,900-ft. pay at Ogburn field, Harris County.

Kansas: The Kraft pool in Barton County, Blue Hill pool in Ellis County and Hall-Gurney field in Russell County were extended. Eleven new wildcats and outpost wells were started.

Nebraska: Extension of the Falls City pool, Richardson County, nearly 1/2 mile southwestward was indicated. Limitation of the Hunton pay was indicated at another outpost 1/2 mile south of nearest production.

Oklahoma: A southeast extension well in the Bryan County sector of the Cumberland pool was estimated good for 100 bbl. daily. Three larger producers were completed in the Marshall County part of the pool.

Illinois: Nine feet of saturated Cypress sand gives Perry County its first good chance for production. The test is drilling ahead to the Belmont.

Michigan: With good gas wells being brought in in Osceola and Muskegon counties weekly, Michigan's gas reserves are receiving a very welcome boost.

California: Rio Bravo is defined on the northeast flank. Paloma gets a good well and an outpost is staked to try to find oil outside the gas-cap area.

Completions In All Fields.

(Week Ended Nov. 2, 1940.)

Table with columns: State, Oil, Gas, Dry, Total, 1940 tot. comp. to date, 1939 tot. comp. to date. Lists completions for various states including N.Y., Pa., W. Va., Ohio, Indiana, Kentucky, Illinois, Michigan, Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas, Louisiana, Arkansas, Montana, Wyoming, Colorado, New Mexico, California, and Miscellaneous.

Summary of Outstanding Fields. Table with columns: State, Active operations, Oil completions, Initial prod., Total No. oil wells, Daily av. prod. Lists outstanding fields for Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas, La-Ark-Tex, Michigan, Illinois, and New Mexico.

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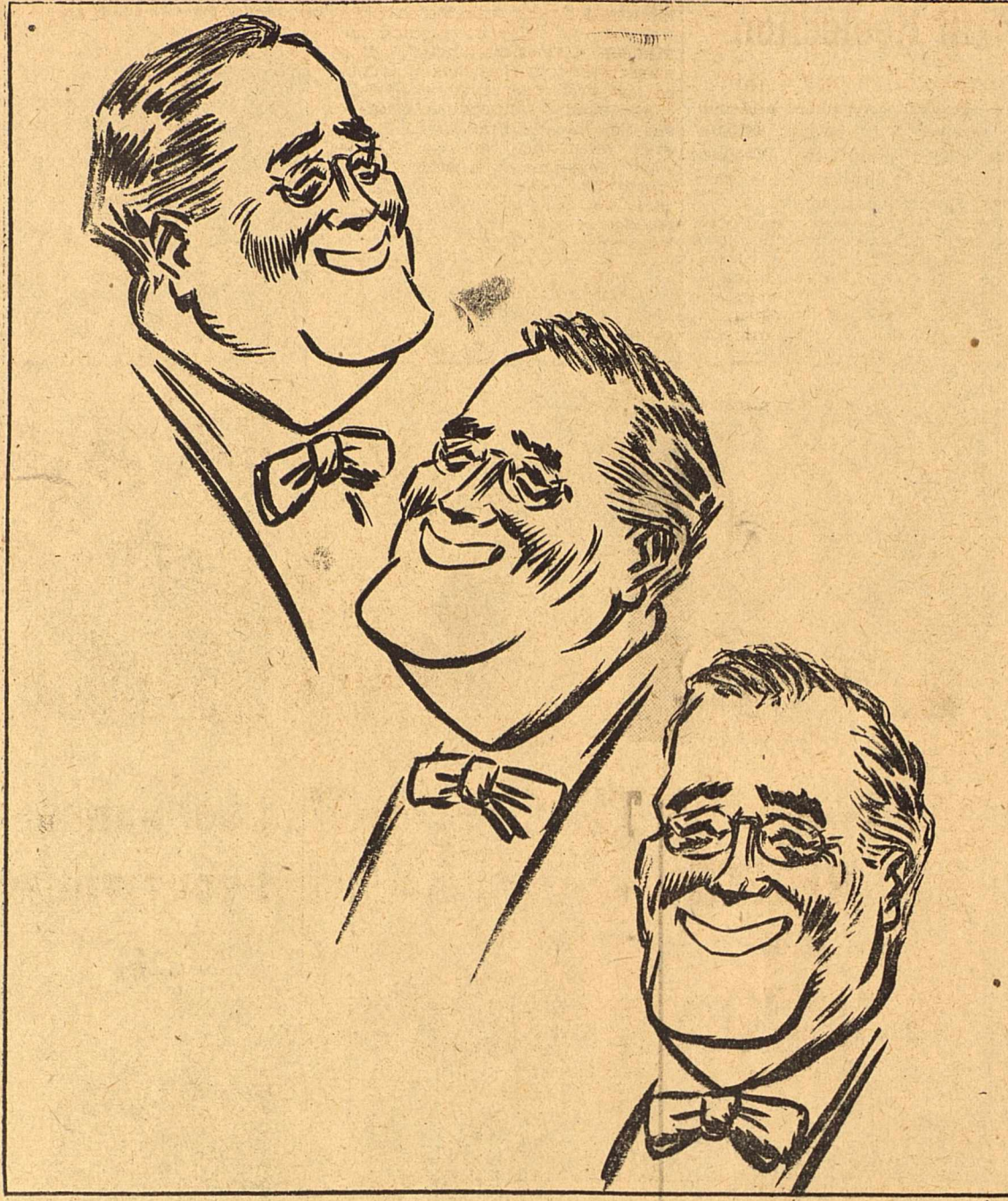
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One, Two, Three



Crete—Strategic Pawn of War



Speeding to Greece's aid after the Italian invasion, Great Britain was reported to have occupied the island of Crete, which is strategically important, lying between Greece and Egypt, near the Italian-held Dodecanese Islands. Above is view of Cretan city of Neopolis.

Texas Oil Slash Subdues Tension, Nullifies Excess

AUSTIN, Nov. 6 (AP)—Mounting tension over increasing oil stocks eased off somewhat today in the wake of a production slash of more than 120,000 barrels daily in Texas, biggest producer among the states.

Action of the Texas Railroad Commission in restoring nine production shutdown days in November for all except three dozen fields and marginal wells resulted in curtailing the state's output to an estimated 50,000 barrels daily under the U. S. Bureau of Mines demand forecast of 1,291,000.

The total cut practically nullified an estimated 125,000-barrel daily excess yield over the nation. Other states' yield, with the possible exception of California's, were close to or below the Federal Bureau's marketing estimates.

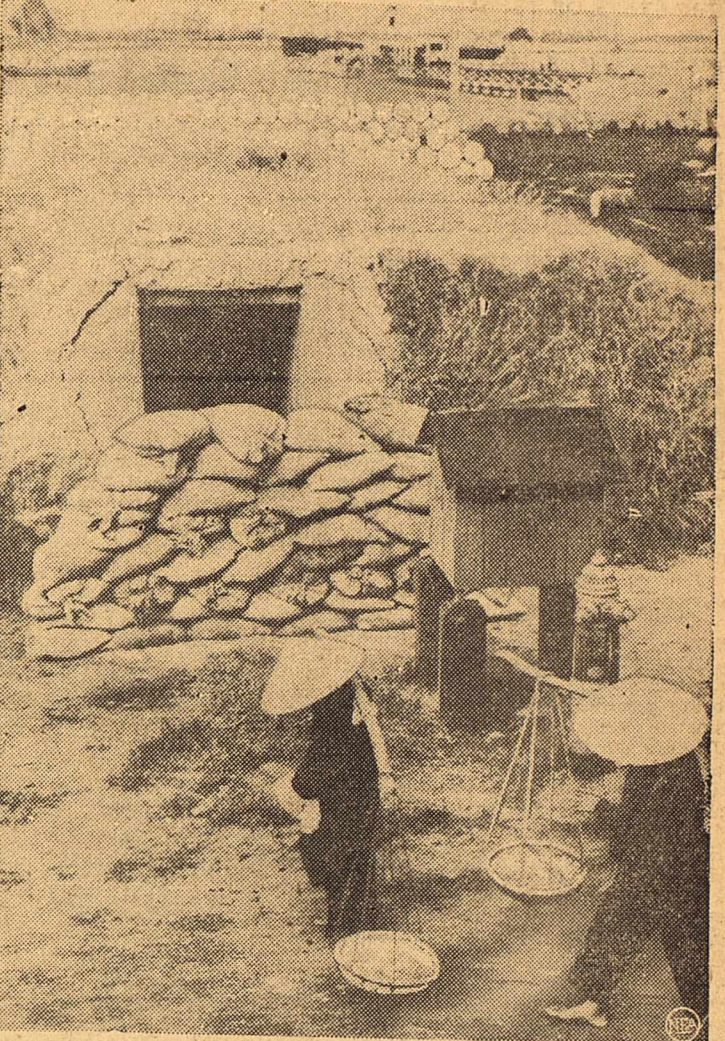
Crude oil stocks, at last reports, stood at nearly 230,000,000 barrels or almost 15 per cent higher than last year at this time. Gasoline stocks were approximately 73,000,000 barrels, or more than eight per cent, over those of a comparable period in 1939.

The Texas commission order slashing production re-established the close-ins previously decreed in a 90-day schedule expiring Nov. 30. Many fields had been granted exemptions.

Signaled by Commissioners Ernest O. Thompson and Jerry Sadler, the order stated that "an emergency exists because of the imminence of waste due to the production of oil in excess of market demand."

Numerous operators had requested and were permitted to skip the non-production days on proof of a firm demand for the crude existed.

East and West DO Meet



Some of the strange contrasts born of world conflict appear in the photo above, showing waterfront at HapHong, French Indo-China. In foreground, bare-footed, straw-hatted natives carry baskets of rice in the ancient Oriental manner. Behind them, right, is a very modern water hydrant. Behind that a French-built air raid shelter. Above the shelter can be seen rows of American gasoline and oil drums. Dock in background belongs to nearby Standard Oil distillery.

We, the Women

By Ruth Millett. IF YOU want to embarrass a husband out in public, there are a number of sure-fire ways.

Call him by the silly pet name that makes him purr when there's no one else around.

Brag about how good he is in helping you with the dishes.

"YOU NEED A HAIRCUT, DEAR"

TELL another woman, in his presence, how little you paid for the dress you have on.

Straighten his necktie.

Cling tightly to his arm when he happens to be looking at another girl.

Talk about the children when he's in a good-fellow, life-of-the-party mood.

Take the "we old folks" line when he is under the influence of a winning alma mater football team to the extent of whooping it up like an undergraduate.

Tell an anecdote about your courtship days, preferably describe your husband's proposal.

Point out that he needs a haircut.

Amuse the crowd by telling how your husband got stung on the last

deal he made.

IT'S EASY TO GET THE HANG OF IT

TAKE over in a restaurant, giving instructions to the waiter instead of keeping still and letting your husband take charge.

Get the floor and hold forth on any subject.

Talk about some subject on which you know nothing—and make your ignorance very obvious to those listening. Or, easier still, just mispronounce a word.

It's easy once you get the hang of it. Why, with a little practice you can embarrass a man anywhere, before either his friends or his enemies.

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Fall Clothes Look Masculine But the Wearer Shouldn't

By Alicia Hart, NEA Service Staff Writer

A LOOK of femininity is something to strive for in this season of slim, straight, practically untrimmed dresses and suits. Severe, plain clothes demand a feminine coiffure, satiny smooth skin, meticulously made up, trimly shod feet and accessories with real eye appeal.

It's a mistake for any woman to let her skin become hard and weather-beaten from over-exposure to late fall breezes on golf course, bridge paths or open road. Softening night creams, protective day creams and hand lotions must be used regularly by the fall golfer, riding addict or motorist. Otherwise she'll look a fright in street costumes as well as evening clothes.

DRAB GARB IS NEVER FEMININE

NO WOMAN who cares about her appearance chooses flat-heeled, sensible shoes, a severe blouse and a practical but uninteresting hat to wear with her new tailored suit.

She knows how to pick shoes that are comfortable but which really flatter her feet and ankles. She wears gossamer sheer stockings.

If the hat she wears with the tailored suit is very plain, then the blouse definitely is not. She doesn't load herself down with jewelry, but she knows the value of one well-chosen clip or a bright pin or a handsome bracelet.

GET CONTRASTS INTO YOUR OUTFIT

SHE likes spectacular hats with simple wool day dresses. She likes a bright clip and spic and span white gloves with the little black dress in her wardrobe. She likes interesting scarfs with sweater suits, and separate fur pieces with plain day coats.

Furthermore, she likes a coiffure that is sleek and chic but not set-looking with rigid curls. She keeps her hands and wrists soft, white and smooth. And she uses makeup to dramatize her skin—never to hide its natural texture.

READ THE CLASSIFIEDS

MIND Your MANNERS

T M Rea U S Pat Or

Test your knowledge of correct social usage by answering the following questions, then checking against the authoritative answers below:

1. Is it good manners to keep books from the public library overtime as long as you wish, since you pay a fine for each day?

2. Is it good manners to make marginal notes in a library book?

3. If you borrow a book and it is damaged in some way before you return it, should you replace it with a new book?

4. Is it necessary to know a person's reading tastes quite well before giving him a book as a gift?

5. If you own a great many books, what is the safest way of keeping

them from straying?

What would you do if—

You are reading a newspaper that other members of the family have not yet read—

(a) Read the headlines aloud?

(b) Read the paper without constant comment?

Answers

1. No. For the fine doesn't help those who are on the waiting list for the book.

2. No.

3. Yes.

4. Yes. Unless you have heard him say he wants to read a certain book.

5. Aside from not lending them (which wouldn't be very polite) you can write your name in all your books, and keep a list of the books borrowed.

Best "What Would You Do" solution—(b). If there is an important news story, it's only natural to comment on it. But don't comment on everything you read.

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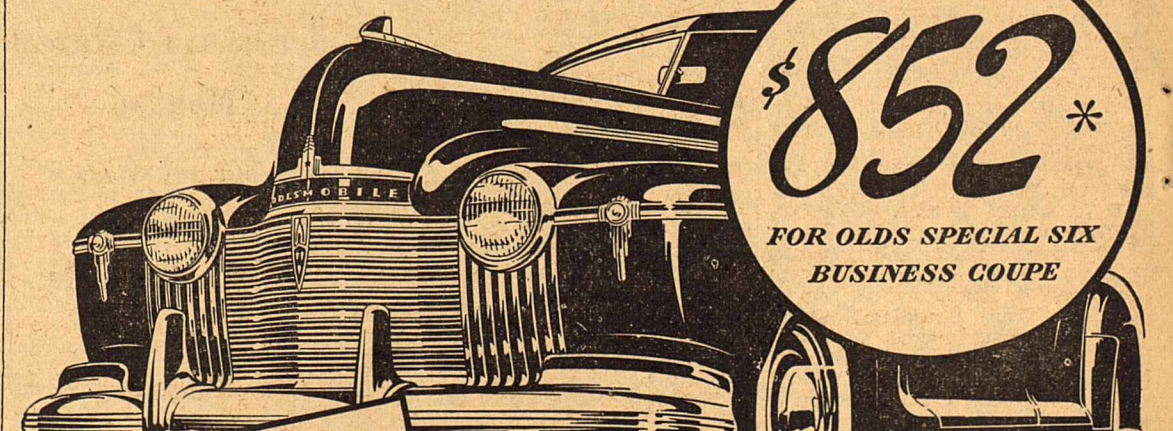
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ELECTION COUNTY OF MIDLAND, THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Resident Property Tax-paying Voters of Midland County, Texas:

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held on the 14th day of November, 1940, within Midland County, Texas, to determine if said County shall issue bonds and if ad valorem tax shall be levied in payment thereof, in obedience to an election order entered by the Commissioners Court on the 14th day of October, 1940, which is as follows:

On this, the 14th day of October, 1940, the Commissioners Court of Midland County, Texas, convened in regular session at the Regular Term thereof, at the regular meeting place in the Courthouse at Midland, Texas, with the following members of the Court, to wit:

- E. H. Barron, County Judge, J. C. Roberts, Commissioner Precinct No. 1, J. C. Brooks, Commissioner, Precinct No. 2, Tyson Midkiff, Commissioner Precinct No. 3, J. L. Dillard, Commissioner Precinct No. 4.

being present, came on to be considered the petition of Jno. B. Thomas and 69 other persons, praying that an election be ordered to determine whether or not bonds shall be issued by said Midland County, Texas, in the sum of Two Hundred and Fifty Thousand (\$250,000.00) Dollars, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed three (3%) per cent per annum, and maturing at such times as may be fixed by the Commissioners Court, serially or otherwise, not to exceed thirty (30) years from date thereof, for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof, from Upton County line north through Midland to the Martin County line approximately 31 miles; and for the construction of an underpass under T & P Railroad at Crossing; and whether or not an ad valorem tax shall be levied on all taxable property within said County for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof at maturity.

And it appearing to the Court that said petition is signed by more than fifty of the resident property tax-paying voters of said Midland County, Texas, who own taxable property within said County and who have duly rendered the same for taxation; and

It further appearing that the amount of bonds to be issued will not exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of said Midland County.

IT IS THEREFORE CONSIDERED AND ORDERED by the Court that an election be held in said County on the 14th day of November, 1940, which is not less than thirty (30) days from the date of this order, to determine whether or not the bonds of said County shall be issued in the amount of Two Hundred and Fifty Thousand (\$250,000.00) Dollars, for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating macadamized, graveled or paved roads, or in aid thereof, from Upton County line north through Midland to the Martin County line approximately 31 miles; and for the construction of an underpass under T & P Railroad at Crossing; bearing interest at a rate not to exceed three (3%) per cent per annum, maturing at such times as may be fixed by the Commissioners Court, serially or otherwise, not to exceed thirty (30) years from date thereof; and whether or not an ad valorem tax shall be levied upon all property in said County subject to taxation for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof at maturity.

The said election shall be held under the provisions of Chapter 3, Title 22, Revised Statutes, 1925. All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and of this County and who are resident property taxpayers in this County, who own taxable property within said County and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, shall be entitled to vote at said election, and all voters desiring to support the proposition to issue said bonds shall have written or printed on their ballot the words:

"FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS AND THE LEVYING OF AD VALOREM TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF."

And those opposed shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"AGAINST THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS AND THE LEVYING OF AD VALOREM TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF."

The voting places and presiding officers of said election shall be respectively as follows:

At the Court House Building, in Midland, Voting Precinct No. 1, with Mrs. Harry Tolbert as Presiding Officer.

At the Stokes School Building, in Midland, Voting Precinct No. 2, with A. B. Collier as Presiding Officer.

At the Stephenson School Building, in Midland, Voting Precinct No. 3, with Jay Floyd as Presiding Officer.

At the Warfield School Building, in Midland, Voting Precinct No. 4, with W. M. Stewart as Presiding Officer.

At 321 West Wall Street, in Midland, Voting Precinct No. 5, with Holt Jowell as Presiding Officer.

Tragic Refugee



A war refugee who wept with grief upon landing safely in the United States was Mrs. Monica Linya, daughter of Thomas Mann, famed anti-Nazi German author. Pictured on arrival at New York, she said she and her husband, Jenio Linya, sailed together on the ill-fated City of Benares. He was killed when refugee ship was torpedoed.

Blue Star



BRIGHT navy velveteen makes screen star Jane Withers' attractive coat, with its nicely squared shoulders and flared skirt. White saddle stitching trims the pockets and button-holes. A navy velveteen pilbox, blue handbag and blue oxfords complete the all-blue outfit.

Gas House District Names Ex-Amarilloan

NEW YORK, Nov. 6 (AP) — A country lawyer from Texas, a Republican from that iron-bound Democratic state, has been elected Representative from another Democratic stronghold—the 16th Congressional district in New York's lower East Side—sometimes called the "Gas House District."

He is William T. Pfeiffer, 41-year-old lawyer from Amarillo, Tex., who came to New York only 21 months ago to specialize in oil and gas litigation. This will be his first public office—and was his first candidacy.

Pfeiffer defeated Rep. James Fay, ardent New Dealer who went to the House two years ago after beating John J. O'Connor, long-time Congressman, in the Democratic primary.

Texas has more farms than any other state in the Union.

Sarah Bernhardt was born a Jewess, but was converted to the Catholic faith.

Notice of said election shall be given by publication of a copy of this order in The Reporter-Telegram, a newspaper published in Midland County, Texas, for three consecutive weeks before the date of said election, and in addition there to there shall be posted copies of this order at four public places in the County, one of which shall be at the Courthouse door, for three weeks prior to said election.

The County Clerk is hereby directed to cause said notices to be published and posted as hereinabove directed, and further orders are reserved until the returns of said elec-

tion are made by the duly authorized election officers and received by this Court.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND, with the seal of the Commissioners Court affixed, this 14th day of October, 1940.

Feeding School Planned Nov. 1

Dairy experts of the extension service from Texas A&M College will conduct a dairy feeding school in Midland Nov. 13, it was announced today.

Sponsoring the school is the dairy sub-committee of the Midland County land-use planning committee, composed of L. A. Brunson, R. O. Brooks, C. H. O'Neal.

E. R. Eudaly, extension service dairyman, and G. G. Gipson, assistant dairyman, will conduct the school. Farmers and ranchers of this area will attend.

J. D. Pruitt, district extension agent, indicated that he will attend.

Four-H Club Members Make Advancement In Midland County Plan

Four-H club activities among Midland County's youth are making steady advancement, V. G. Young county agent, said.

In accordance with a recent plan of Young, experts are working with different groups as follows: Pig feeding demonstrations, J. C. Franklin; beef cattle, M. W. Whitmore; field-crop demonstration, J. C. Brooks; dairy, Sherwood O'Neal and Calvin Holcomb.

Regular monthly meeting for clubs are held, and members separate into groups for demonstration and discussion, according to interests of the boys, Young explained. Young met yesterday with boys at Prairie Lee community. Four new members, Carl Ray Harris, Troy, Jack and Bill Livingston, were reported.

Fourteen calves are on feed in prospects, Young said. Calves are showing good gains.

ODESSA AUTO VICTIM SERVICES AT TULIA

ODESSA, Nov. 6 (AP)—Clifford Cordelia Kell, 36, of Odessa, died yesterday of injuries received in a three-car collision north of Odessa Sunday in which seven persons were hurt.

All the other were expected to recover.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow at Tulia, Tex., from where Kell had moved here recently to go into business.

Mexico Pleased With Reelection

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 6 (AP) — The Mexican government and public received with obvious satisfaction today the news that President Roosevelt's re-election for a third term appeared assured.

Government officials asserted the President's continuation in office would augur well for a "just and mutual" solution of outstanding issues between the two countries and the rapid evolution of a program for joint military and economic de-

fense of the Western Hemisphere.

The official attitude was that continuance of the Washington administration was desirable so there would be no delay in reaching the Mexican-American understanding which President Cardenas announced last week was being negotiated.

Ambassador Josephus Daniels, one-time boss of Franklin D. Roosevelt when the two were in the navy department together, said: "There has never been any doubt that the American people would register a vote of confidence in Mr. Roosevelt."

Lumber for 150 five-room houses can be furnished by one giant Sequoia tree.

More Texas Interest In Garner, Write-in

DALLAS, Nov. 6 (AP) — Texas Democratic voters stayed within their traces yesterday, many of them to the extent of scratching the name of their own nominees who supported the Republican Presidential candidate.

Down in the Mesquite country at Uvalde, Vice President John N. Garner abstained from voting, without comment.

So cut-and-dried were the contests for Congressional seats that the Texas Election Bureau did not attempt to gather returns in in-

stances where members of the Texas delegation were opposed. As expected, W. Lee O'Daniel was officially elected governor.

Lead Not Threatened

President Roosevelt's overwhelming majority over Wendell L. Willkie was never threatened as the bureau tabulated returns.

Its 1:30 a. m. (CST) tabulation, from 224 counties of 254, including 20 complete, gave Roosevelt 504,433, Willkie 118,198.

J. E. McDonald, Commissioner of Agriculture and foe of New Deal farm policies whose support of Willkie provoked a strenuous statewide write-in campaign against him, led W. N. Corry 197,337 votes to 123,405 at the 1:30 a. m. tabulation.

OKLAHOMA DEFEATS ATTEMPT AT REPEAL

OKLAHOMA CITY, Nov. 6 (AP) — Oklahoma remained in the dry column by yesterday's vote on the initiated proposal to repeal constitutional prohibition.

With 2663 of 3613 precincts tabulated, unofficial returns gave opponents of repeal a 55,000 lead over its backers. The vote was 259,246 against and 204,147 for.

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Advertisement for Dairyland Milk featuring a baby's face and the text 'You Will Find Dairyland Milk To have a true milk flavor because we buy and use only Grade A milk.'

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Large advertisement for Penney's J. C. Penney Company, Incorporated, Midland, Texas.



### Taylor's Eleven Bears Down For Tornado Battle

"They might beat us! Then, again they might not."

That's what Coach Bud Taylor said yesterday after his Midland Bulldogs had completed another intensive drill with their sights set on the Lamesa target Friday night.

Taylor didn't have to coax a rousing practice melee out of the lads yesterday as they bore down in a two-hour session of dummy and regular scrimmage.

**Regulars On Defense**

First, the Bulldogs drilled on their own formations and then went into an hour's scrimmage against Tornado formations with the regulars getting defensive work. Offensive plays were liberally applied in the closing half-hour.

Rehders, injured in the Abilene tilt, definitely will not be able to play against Lamesa, Coach Taylor said. But all other "hands" are on "deck," he added, including Williams of the running and kicking department.

Runners in District 3-AA Midland is the only top-flight eleven in action until Monday when Big Spring and Sweetwater unlimber their big guns on Armistice Day.

### All-America Guard Candidates Plenty

NEW YORK, Nov. 6 (AP)—Maybe it's just a case of double vision, but every time a fellow spots one potential all-America football guard this year, another one springs to sight at the same spot.

Not often, if ever, in the past have there been such guard combinations as Bob Sufrih and Ed Molinski of Tennessee; Warren Alfson and Ed Schwartzkopf of Nebraska; Lou Conti and Howard Dunbar of Cornell; Ernest Mills and Nicky Ardillo of Auburn. You might add Duke's pair of Alex Winterson and Mike Karmazin, for the Durham outfit has been moving along ever since these two tackles were installed as regular guards.

Molinski, an all-America last year, played last week against Louisiana State, but most observers agreed that Sufrih, back in 1936 sophomore form, was the outstanding lineman on the field.

**Roberts Comes Back**

Marshall Foot Roberts, Texas A. & M.'s leading guard candidate, was trapped twice in the early stages of the Arkansas game, but more than made up for those lapses with a bang-up performance the rest of the way. He played 55 minutes and recovered two Razorback fumbles.

Among other leading linemen who attracted attention last week were: Centers: Nelson, Baylor. Tackles: Harman, Rice; Pannell, Texas A. & M.; Eason, Oklahoma; Wiener, Kansas State. Ends: Roach, Texas Christian; Reese, Baylor; Britt and Hickey, Arkansas; Henderson and Sterling, Texas A. & M. Guards: Bianchi, Southern Methodist.

### Old Mose Simms Up To Trickery Again

OKLAHOMA CITY, Nov. 6 (AP)—Maybe you don't know Coach Ossie Doenges but you will, for he's about to go down in gridiron annals as the originator of 12-man—or there's the coach there in the huddle—football.

Yes sir, come Saturday at San Antonio, Tex., Coach Ossie of the Oklahoma City University Goldbugs and Coach Mose Simms of St. Mary's colorful Rattlers will hop from the bench and unambushed—call signals in the huddle.

You might know Old Mose would be in for something like that, for Mose would rather get some honest free advertising for his football team than win a game—well almost—any day.

**Swirl Stunt**

"Sure, we'll do it," bellowed Mose from the other end of the telephone, "it sounds like a swell stunt."

Earlier this season, Doenges said he had a perfectly good football team—the Goldbugs had only lost two or three games at the time—but they always called the right plays at the wrong time, or vice versa.

Still, the rules were pretty strict about the coaches getting off the bench. But why wouldn't it be all right to get the other coach to agree. There wouldn't be any unfair advantage then, would there?

We'll step into the huddle, step back out after the boys get the signal, and we won't be eligible for passes, or even fumbles, Ossie explained. The coaches can't play. They just do the thinking.

### Lou Little Has More Fear For Wisconsin

NEW YORK, Nov. 6 (AP)—It isn't that Lou Little, Columbia coach, doesn't think highly of the Cornell team that beat his Lions, 27-0, but he wants his team to be prepared for Wisconsin this week.

"You're in for a tougher afternoon this week, in all probability, than you had at Ithaca last Saturday," Little warned. He based his statement on the fact that Wisconsin is the heaviest team Columbia has encountered, and that it uses the Notre Dame style of attack, something the Lions haven't faced since 1933.

### PITTMAN RETURNED

RENO, Nev., Nov. 6 (AP)—Senator Key Pittman, chairman of the foreign relations committee, was returned to the United States Senate today. Campaign managers for Samuel Platt, Republican candidate for the office, conceded Pittman's election today by a plurality of about 6,000 votes.

### Andrews Plays With Shirt-tail Of Boys But Keep On Going

ANDREWS, Nov. 6 (AP)—When Bob Anthony called the boys out for football practice at Andrews high school eleven showed up.

Well, that was enough to play a game wasn't it?

You see, Anthony had long been accustomed to iron man feats in sports.

When he was at McMurry College, Abilene, the coach would put him with the ten worst players on the squad and he'd beat the first string.

That first game was against Eunice, N. M. Andrews won 6-0.

Two days before the second game Bill Pinnell, regular end, was thrown by a horse and injured so badly he couldn't play.

**Few More Out**

But by that time a few new boys had come out for the team so E. W. Williamson, a 135-pounder, was called up on. Williamson had never played before but he delivered in a big way.

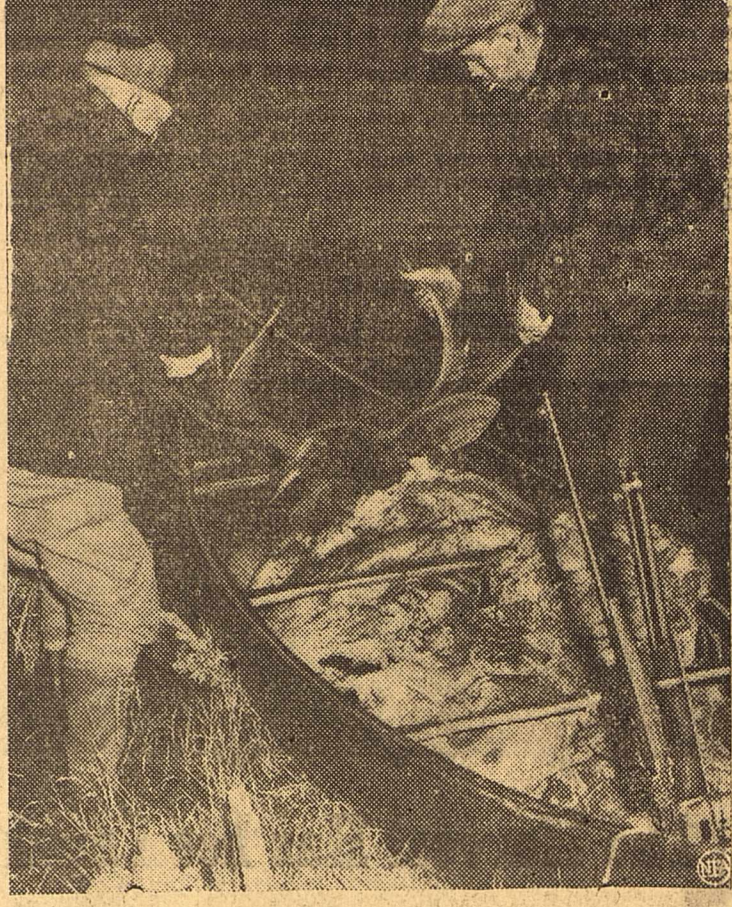
Andrews won 27-0.

At the present time there are 15 out for the squad but only one of them can be used as a substitute without loss of strength to the starting eleven.

But lack of reserves hasn't been much of a handicap. The team is undefeated and until last week had not been scored on.

There are 56 boys in the school, but most of them are in the band that plays the music that puts the pen into the football men.

### How to Get a Moose Into a Canoe



I. B. Baker, left, of Norwich, O., and guide bring out of Martin river district first moose of season to be registered at office of Ontario minister of game and fisheries. Canoe load of steaks and chops, with exception of few cooked for guides, goes to charitable institutions.

### Sixth-Placed Lamesa Might Dislodge Team

STANTON, Nov. 6 (Special)—The Stanton Buffaloes stake their chances of a district football championship Friday night on a game with the Eagles in Seagraves in their final contest of the season. The battle begins at 8 p. m.

If Stanton wins, a tie with Seminole will be the reward.

Seminole has a game with Seagraves Thanksgiving at Seminole. Seagraves dropped one encounter to the Indians, 26 to 8, and Seminole is favored to win again. Seminole is tied with Stanton at the top.

### No Lewis Comment On Election Of President

WASHINGTON, Nov. 6 (AP)—John L. Lewis watched silently today the mounting roll of Roosevelt votes which sounded the call he had set for himself to exit as president of the CIO.

Lewis, who sharply criticized the Roosevelt administration two weeks ago, and called for the election of Wendell Willkie, appeared in a cheerful mood as he met newspapermen at his office.

Lewis staked his CIO leadership on a Roosevelt defeat when he issued his call to followers two weeks ago for a Willkie triumph. Closest associates said no one would be able to dissuade the veteran labor leader from carrying through with his avowed intention to quit as CIO head.

### LARGE PLANE ORDER

OKLAHOMA CITY, Nov. 6 (AP)—Braniff Airways, Inc., announced it has placed a \$750,000 order with the Douglas Aircraft Company for six 21-passenger ships for delivery in May, 1941.

### Jinxed the Debs

This is Jinx Falkenberg, beautiful model. What did she do? Well, she not only appeared mysteriously as a guest at the East's most difficult-to-crash debutante party, the Tuxedo Park, N. Y., Autumn Ball, but—though no deb herself—she is reliably reported to have been belle of the ball. Socialites' tongues are still wagging about it all.

### NOT TO RUBBERNECK

MILWAUKEE, Nov. 6 (AP)—Only three members of the Marquette squad, which plays Manhattan at New York Saturday, have seen the big town, and none has been there since he was in knee pants. Nevertheless, Coach Paddy Discoli says: "This is no rubberneck trip. Our boys will see plenty of sights when Manhattan goes into action."

### UNINTERCEPTED RECORD OF MCAFEE IS BROKEN

DURHAM, N. C., Nov. 6 (AP)—Wes McAfee no longer has his perfect record of never having a pass intercepted, but Duke football fans say he ought to be credited with a record anyway. When Steve Lach jumped for a pass in the Georgia Tech game last Saturday and deflected it into the hands of Johnny Gosch, Tech halfback, it was the first interception of a McAfee pass in three years. Wes had thrown 78 and completed 39 of them.

### Natural Grid Feud Between Star Backs Is Weekend Feature

By Felix R. McKnight

DALLAS, Nov. 6 (AP)—Fullbacks John Alec Kimbrough and Preston Johnston, a couple of grand football players from the West Texas prairies, close down their feud here Saturday in the classic Texas Aggie-Southern Methodist game.

Down in the muck of the Aggies' Kyle Field it started last season—Kimbrough sloshing around with his tractor drives and Johnston stunning the Cadets with incredible kicking of a soggy ball.

Now they are back again, with Johnston a little anxious to take up some unfinished business. Southern Methodist lost that game last year to the unbeaten Aggie machine, 2-6, but it couldn't be traced to Johnston.

**Returns After Injury**

Midway of the third period Johnston went down in the mud, rain splattering a deep cut on his chin. They took him out—out behind the great concrete stadium and temporarily patched him up with several stitches. Soon he was back in the game, his face masked.

Johnston's great kicking—the kicking that gave him a prodigious 92-yard boot against Pitt's Panthers a few weeks ago for one of the longest on record—kept the Aggies off balance.

Through unbeaten surges of both teams this season these two lads have stood out. Johnston beat U. C. L. A. in last minutes with a field goal, 9-6; Johnston kicked 92 yards against Pitt; Johnston raced 92 yards for the clincher against Auburn; Johnston blasted Texas last week, was the difference in 21-13 triumph.

**Murderous Attacks**

Kimbrough blew over for the winning score against UCLA; Kimbrough led murderous attacks against Tulsa and Texas A&T; Kimbrough drowned Arkansas with line busting and dazzling runbacks of pass interceptions.

Measured by the statistical yardstick over the season to date, here is the data on the two boys:

Carried Gained	Lost	Av.	
Kimbrough .98	339	31	3.1
Johnston .62	281	15	4.29

The Aggies have played six games, the Methodists only five, but Kimbrough has carried the ball 36 more times.

### Johnson Loses Tight Duel, Doesn't Whiff

BALTIMORE, Nov. 6 (AP)—Walter P. Johnson, baseball's "big train," failed to crack the "big league" in politics yesterday, but he didn't strike out.

Johnson, running on the Republican ticket for the House of Representatives, lost to Rep. William D. Byron after the tightest ballot pitching duel in Maryland's election.

### Greenberg Gets Baseball Award

CHICAGO, Nov. 6 (AP)—It was a happy day for all concerned when the Detroit master minds finally decided to shift Hank Greenberg, with his consent, from first base to the outfield.

Big Henry said the move suited him if it would help the team, and it did help the Tigers emerge as a surprise American League flag winner without hurting the Tiger slugger at all.

Greenberg's splendid year at the plate and acceptable work in the outfield moved the Baseball Writers Association of America to vote him the "most valuable player" of the year, the same honor he received in 1935.

**Slugging Was Good**

Hank blasted 41 home runs and knocked in 150 runs, leading the league in both respects, his late season slugging winning many important games for the club in the feverish pennant battle.

Bob Feller's 27 mound victories for Cleveland brought him second place with 222 points. Greenberg got 292 points. Joe DiMaggio of New York, the 1939 winner, dropped to third with 151 points. Buck Newson, Detroit pitcher, and Lou Boudreau, Cleveland shortstop, ranked next in order with 120 and 119 points. Jimmy Fox, Boston, only a three-time winner of the "most valuable" designation, ranked sixth with 110 points.

### PATROLMAN SHOOT PAINTER IN FLIGHT

TULSA, Okla., Nov. 6 (AP)—A house painter who attempted, police said, to lure a 12-year-old girl into his automobile was shot and killed by Patrolman Arthur L. Selby today as he fled from a pre-arranged trap.

The painter was identified as Leroy Egan, 33, father of five children. Police records showed he had been arrested twice before in sex cases.

### PRINCE ALBERT PUTS THE SPOT-LIGHT ON 'MAKIN'S' SMOKE-JOY. P.A. ROLLS EASY, FAST. THERE'S NO DRIBBLING OR SIFTING OUT. NATURALLY I GET 70 TRIM, FIRM SMOKES IN EVERY TIN — AND THEY ALL DRAW EASY AND STAY LIT!

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### Viking Sails



Minnesota has George Franck and other fine backs, but Bruce Smith, above—running, passing and blocking—is regarded by opponents as key man of Vikings' offense.

### Church Asks Lumber For Needy Families

Is there any lumber, new or used, lying uselessly in the garage, yard, or corral?

If so, here's a use for it: A Midland church organization is asking citizens to donate lumber for two welfare projects. One is that of a sick man whose home needs a ceiling. The other is that of a family of a husband (unable to work for nearly a year), wife, child, and husband's father, living in a little room. Material is sought to add another room to the little home.

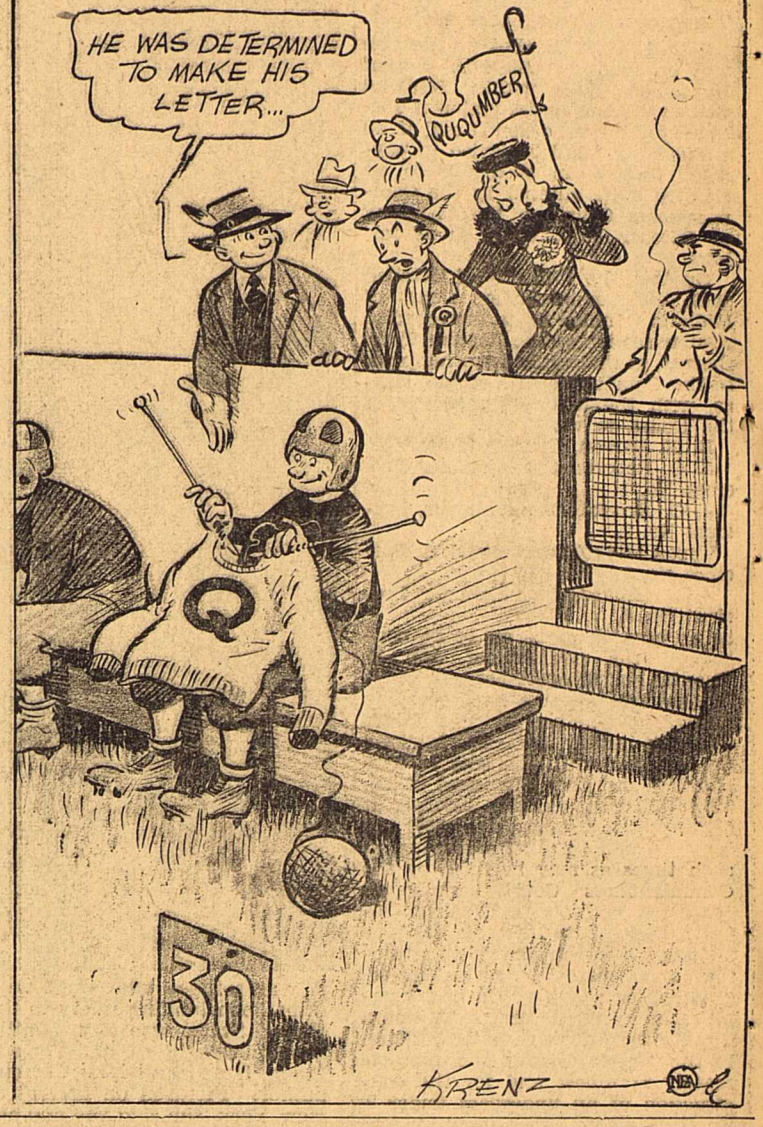
Any citizen who will donate lumber for these causes is asked to telephone 1627J or 1174W.

All the insects in the world today would outweigh all the mammals, according to some scientists.

### KRLH PROGRAMS

- TODAY**
- 6:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., MBS
  - 6:15—Here's Morning, MBS
  - 6:30—Sports Spotlights, TSN
  - 6:45—News, TSN
  - 7:00—To be announced
  - 7:15—Hymns at Twilight, TSN
  - 7:30—Twilight Serenade, TSN
  - 7:45—London, Berlin, Rome, MBS
  - 8:00—Songs of Billy Davis, TSN
  - 8:15—Statewide Cotton prog., TSN
  - 8:30—The Five Wise Guys, TSN
  - 8:45—Raymond of Grandis, MBS
  - 9:15—Selective Service, MBS
  - 9:30—"The War in the Air", MBS
  - 9:45—The Lone Ranger, MBS
  - 10:00—News, TSN
  - 10:15—"Adventure in Rhythm", MBS
  - 10:45—"The Den Orchestra", TSN
- TOMORROW**
- 6:45—Morning Tunes
  - 7:30—News, TSN
  - 7:45—Desert Drifters, TSN
  - 8:00—News, TSN
  - 8:05—Piano Moods, TSN
  - 8:15—Rhythm Wranglers, TSN
  - 8:30—Keep Fit to Music, MBS
  - 8:45—Crystal Spring Ramblers, TSN
  - 9:00—Melodies, TSN
  - 9:15—Morning Melodies, TSN
  - 9:30—Backstage Wife, TSN
  - 9:45—Day Aces, TSN
  - 10:00—Neighbors, TSN
  - 10:15—Our Gal Sunday, TSN
  - 10:30—Songs of Carol Leighton, TSN
  - 10:45—The Sweetest Song ever sung, TSN
  - 11:00—News, TSN
  - 11:05—Conservation of vision, KBST
  - 11:15—Buddy Cole's orch.
  - 11:30—Eleven Thirty, Inc., TSN
  - 11:45—Man on the Street
  - 12:00—News & Market Reports, TSN
  - 12:15—Singin' Sam
  - 12:30—Don Allen's orch.
  - 12:45—Thursday Serenade, MBS
  - 1:00—Cedric Foster, MBS
  - 1:15—Mark Love and piano, MBS
  - 1:30—Afternoon Concerts
  - 1:45—Ted Fio Rito's orch., TSN
  - 2:00—Johnny Duffy, organist, MBS
  - 2:15—Song Treasury, MBS
  - 2:30—Women World Wide, MBS
  - 2:45—Here's Looking at you, MBS
  - 3:00—News & Market Reports, TSN
  - 3:15—Bennie Krueger's orch., MBS
  - 3:30—Paris Jr. College prog., TSN
  - 3:45—"The Johnson Family", MBS
  - 4:00—National Defense Series, TSN
  - 4:15—Crime & Death, TSN
  - 4:30—Odessa Jr. C. of C.
  - 4:45—Virginia Nelson, pianist
  - 5:00—AP News Bulletins, MBS
  - 5:05—Paul Pendarvis' orch., MBS
  - 5:15—Campus Notes, MBS
  - 5:30—Samet Reeves, TSN
  - 5:45—American Family Robinson

### Homemade



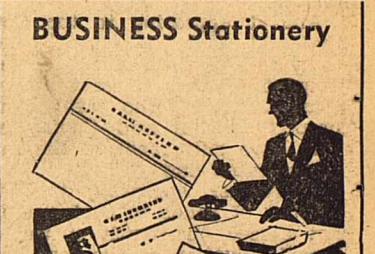
### \$40,000 Cotton Parity Payments Are Received

Cotton parity payments totaling \$40,505.34 have been received by Midland County farmers to-date, the AAA office here reported today.

Payment for 375 farms has been received. Payment is yet to be made to operators of 18 farms.

Last checks were received Nov. 5.

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**WANTED:** Used tractor moldboard, single or double gang plow. Johnnie T. Graham, R. 1, Midland. (207-1)

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**LOST:** One small alligator; 1 1/2 feet long. Call George McEntire, Jr. (207-3)

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**TWO** good used showcases. Call 1359, Midland Small Animal Hospital. (207-3)

## 2-a—For Trade

**TRADE** good ranch for city income property. Mrs. Pearl Boone, phone 1276. (205-3)

## 3—Furnished Apartments

**TWO** room duplex; innerspring mattress; electric refrigerator; utilities paid. 201 East Dakota. (207-3)

**NICE** 3-room brick apartment; private bath. Call Barney Grafia, phone 106. (204-3)

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**TWO** rooms; Frigidaire; innerspring mattress; close in; couple only. 110 W. Michigan. (206-6)

**THREE** rooms; bills paid. 202 South Big Spring. (207-3)

## 4—Unfurnished Apts.

**SOUTH** unfurnished apartment; 2 large rooms; \$16.00 month; bills paid. 910 South Pecos. (205-3)

## 5—Furnished Houses

**FURNISHED** small house in yard; bills paid; \$30.00 per month. Phone 1614, 1306 South Loraine. (206-3)

## 6—Unfurnished Houses

**SIX** room brick available Nov. 17; 809 W. Michigan. Apply Silver Grill. (207-4)

## 7—Houses for Sale

**FIVE** room frame, two acres land; water well; orchard. Box 869, Midland. (205-6)

**FIVE** room house; 900 North Big Spring. Call 1278. (206-3)

## 9—Automobiles

**GOOD** Ford V-8 coupe for sale. 204 East Wall. (205-3)

## 10—Bedrooms

**BEDROOM:** private entrance; connecting bath. 305 North Pecos, phone 556. (207-2)

## 10-a—Room & Board

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**ONE** block west Petroleum Bldg. Mrs. Alexander's Dining Room, 121 North Big Spring. (205-6)

## 11—Employment

**WANTED:** White girl; care for children; general housework; salary, room and board. 1900 West Kentucky. (206-3)

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**HOUSEWORK** or practical nursing; white lady; references. Write Box 18 or phone 689, Odessa. (205-3)

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## Greek Minister Watches for News



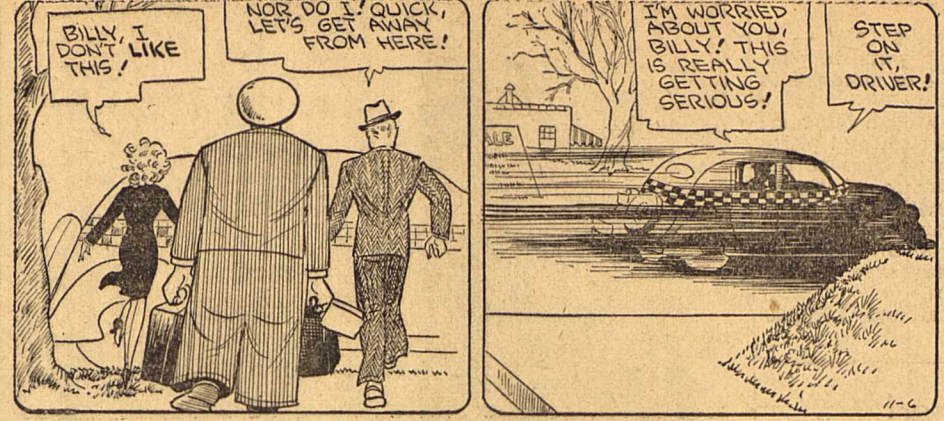
One vitally interested reader of war news from Greece is Cimon P. Diamantopoulos, Greek Minister to the U. S. He's pictured in Washington, reading sheaf of cablegrams from Athens.

## Repair Program Is Under Way Downtown

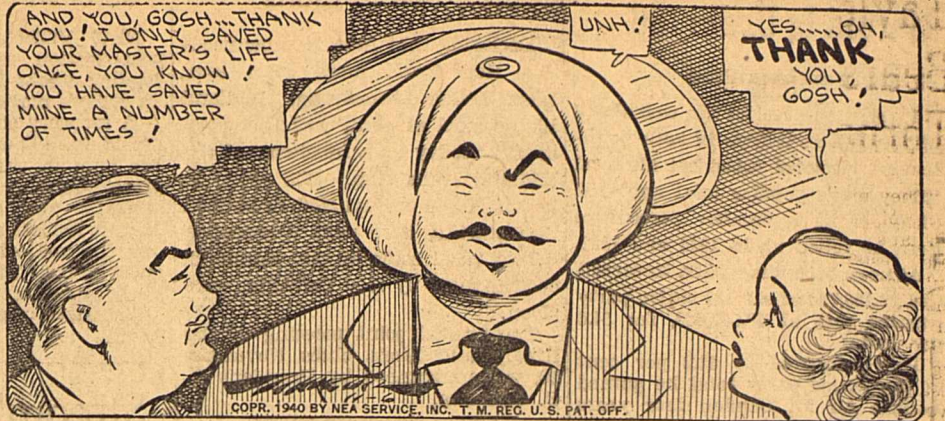
An extensive repair and maintenance program for the city of Midland in the second week of operation in the downtown area, includes repairing curbs, patching pavements, and reducing safety hazards in general. City Engineer L. A. Roderhiser reported today.  
 Workers are repairing curbing and gutters on West Texas Avenue. Two new blocks of paving opened today on F street between Wall and Illinois streets, Roderhiser said. Approximate cost of the repair project now in operation is \$1200 to \$1500.

Weasels turn white in winter to match the snow. Where no snow falls, their color remains unchanged.

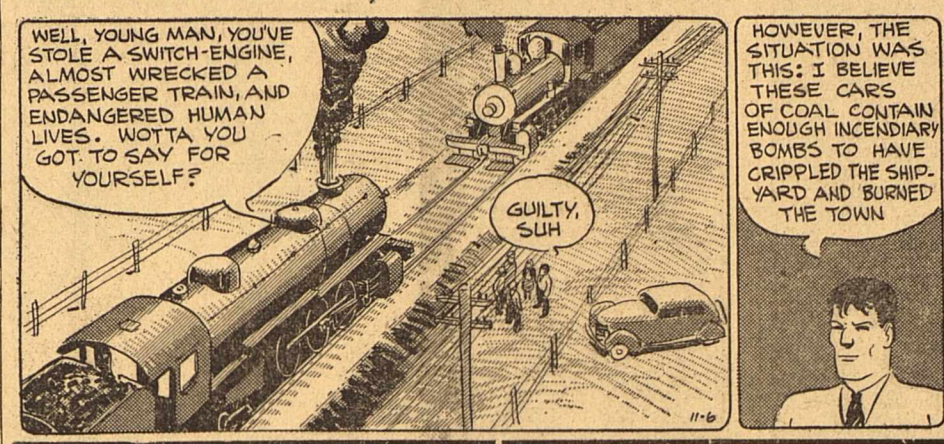
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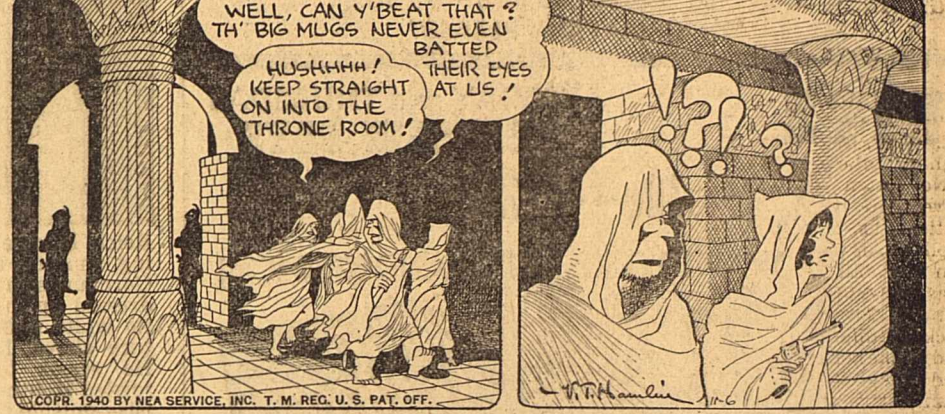
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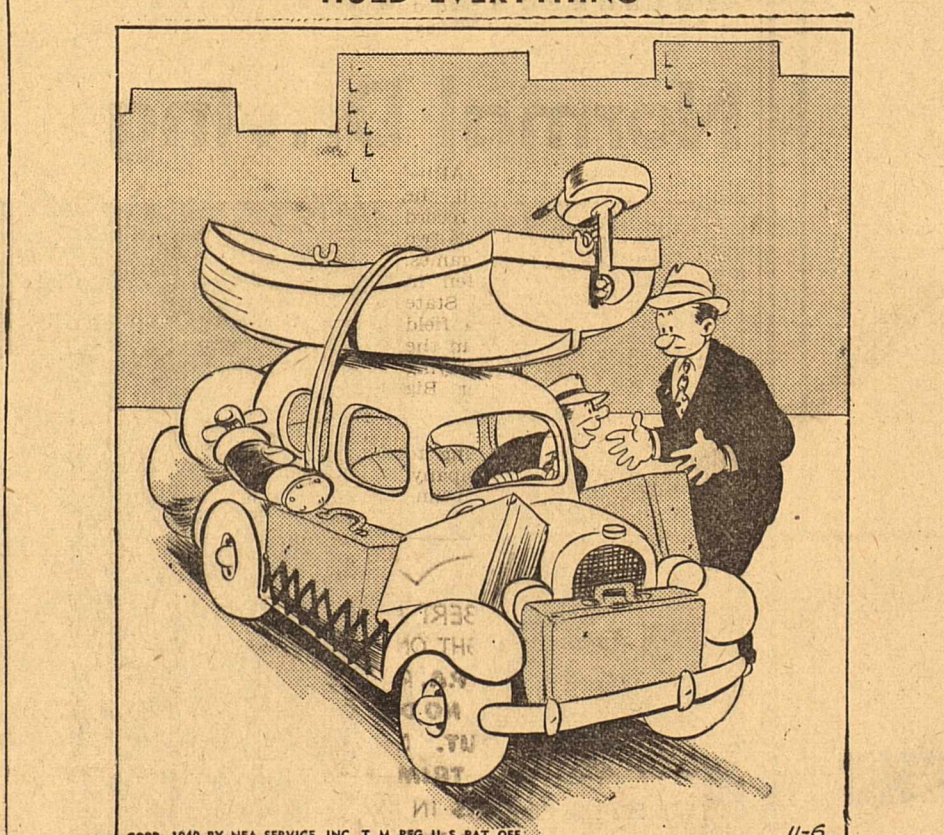
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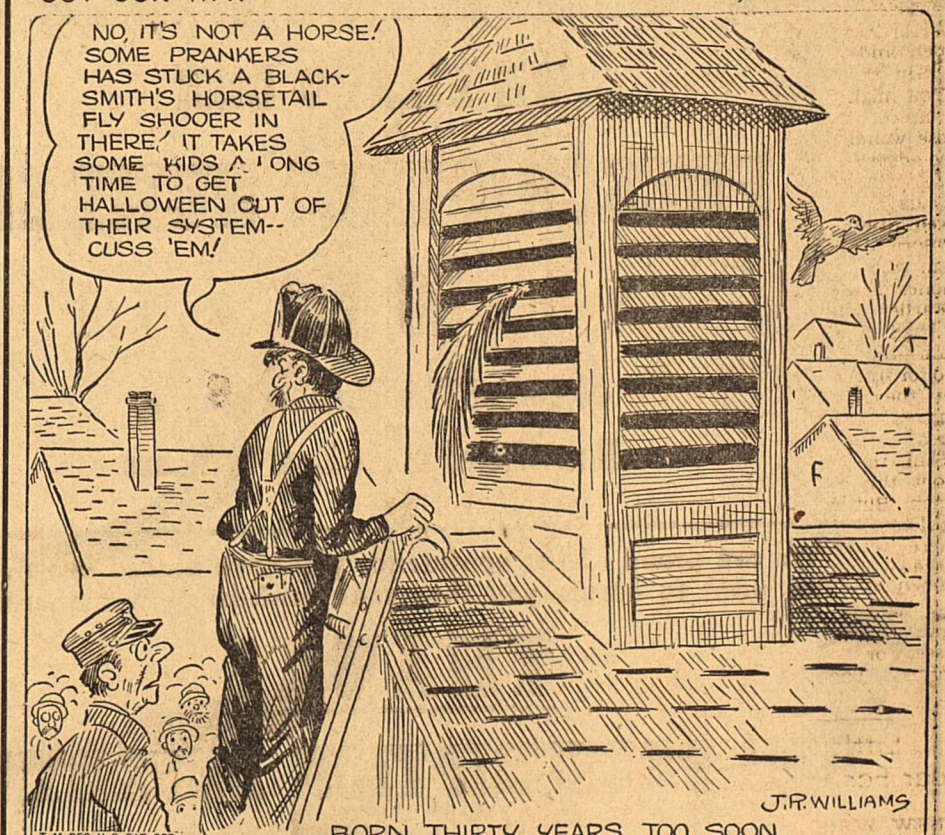
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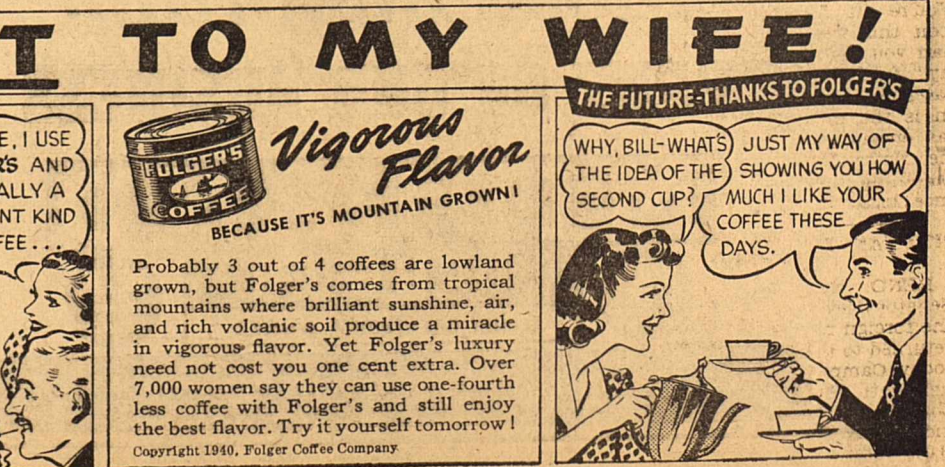
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### Roosevelt's Popular Margin Is Under '36

By The Associated Press

President Roosevelt ran well ahead of Wendell L. Willkie in both popular and electoral votes, but his final share of the popular total appeared likely to be a smaller percentage than he rolled up in 1936 and 1932.

At noon Wednesday, Mr. Roosevelt had 22,198,790 of a total major party popular vote of 40,649,938, for 54.6 per cent.

This compared to 62.2 per cent of the major party total he gained against Alf M. Landon four years ago, and his 59.1 per cent lead over Herbert Hoover in 1932.

### High School Student Speaks Before Lions

Declaring that America now needs the Red Cross more than ever, Miss Helen Armstrong, Midland high school student, was the guest speaker today at a luncheon of the Midland Lions club. She spoke in behalf of the annual Red Cross Roll Call starting here next Wednesday.

Two vocal solos by Joe Ramfield, accompanied by Roy DeWolfe, were given.

The annual joint meeting of the Rotary and Lions clubs November 20, was announced by President R. C. Conkling.

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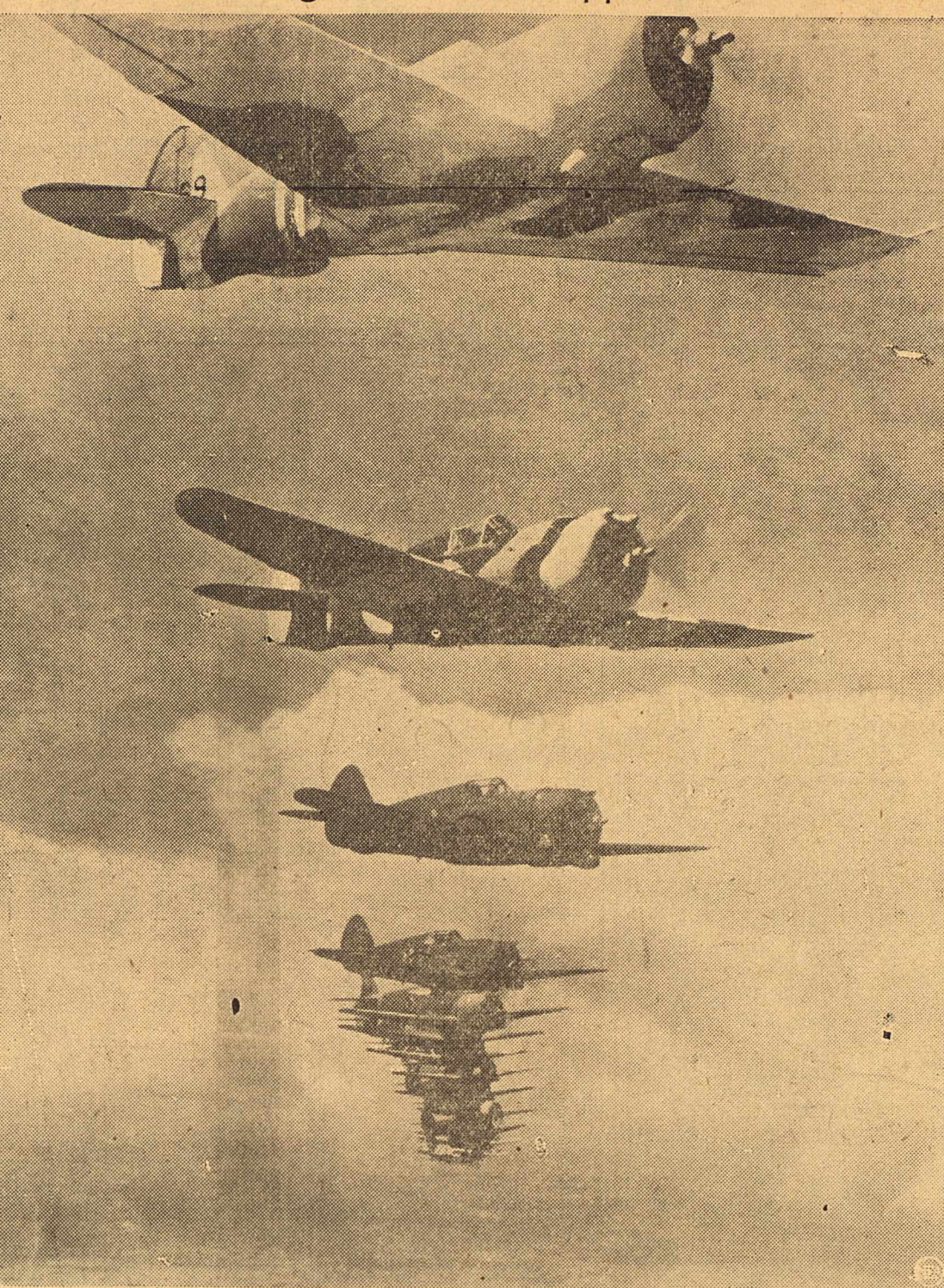
### Stocks Down 1 To 4 Points In Unloading

NEW YORK, Nov. 6 (AP)—A post-election selling wave toppled leading stocks 1 to 4 or more points in today's market.

A recovery shift after a fast start failed to follow through and prices hit lows in the latter part of the proceedings. A number of steels, aircrafts and specialties managed to post modest advances at one time but the majority of these turned down later. Utilities were among the weakest sections.

Transfers were around 1,300,000 shares.

### War-Painted Wings Over the Philippines



American wings with their war paint on soar protectively over the Philippine Islands as the U. S. Army orders aviation units in the Islands to be prepared for any eventuality. The squadron of fast combat planes pictured above is on duty at Camp Nichols, near Manila, and reinforcements have been ordered from the United States.

### Streamlined



Reich Marshal Hermann Goering, supreme commander of the German army and air force, dressed up in one of his favorite white uniforms for the picture above, his latest portrait. He seems to have lost the jowled stoutness which cartoonists—outside Germany—delighted in exaggerating.

CONDITION SAME

Billie Rene Spaulding, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vern Holdaway, who is in a Abilene hospital suffering from injuries sustained in a car wreck Sunday, was reported today to be "about the same." She sustained a neck injury which is considered serious but not dangerous, her family reported, although she will probably be in the hospital for sometime.

### KILGORE MAYOR HERE.

Roy Laird, mayor of Kilgore and business man, is a business visitor in Midland today. Laird is a large royalty owner in the East Texas field.

### SOLDIER WITH BROKEN BACK TO EL PASO

Hollis Schoenberger, injured here in an accident several weeks ago, was taken by plane to an El Paso hospital yesterday.

Schoenberger, a soldier, has a broken back.

### Funeral Services Held For Tindle Child Wednesday

Funeral services for Laverne Jeanne Tindle, 18-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Tindle, of Midland, who was injured fatally yesterday when two automobiles collided at intersection of North Pecos and Louisiana streets, were held this afternoon at Ellis Funeral Home.

The child suffered a fractured skull. The death was Midland's first automobile fatality of 1940.

Janice Tindle, 13-year-old sister was injured slightly in the accident which occurred as Mrs. Homer Tindle was driving Janice to school.

Wilma Pace, high school student and daughter of R. G. Pace was driving the other car. With her were two girl companions.

Officers are investigating the accident.

The Rev. H. D. Bruce and the Rev. Dewey Jackson officiated at the funeral. Pall bearers are Dan Kinsey, J. W. Williams, Sam Adams, and Delaney Warf.

Burial was in Midland Cemetery.

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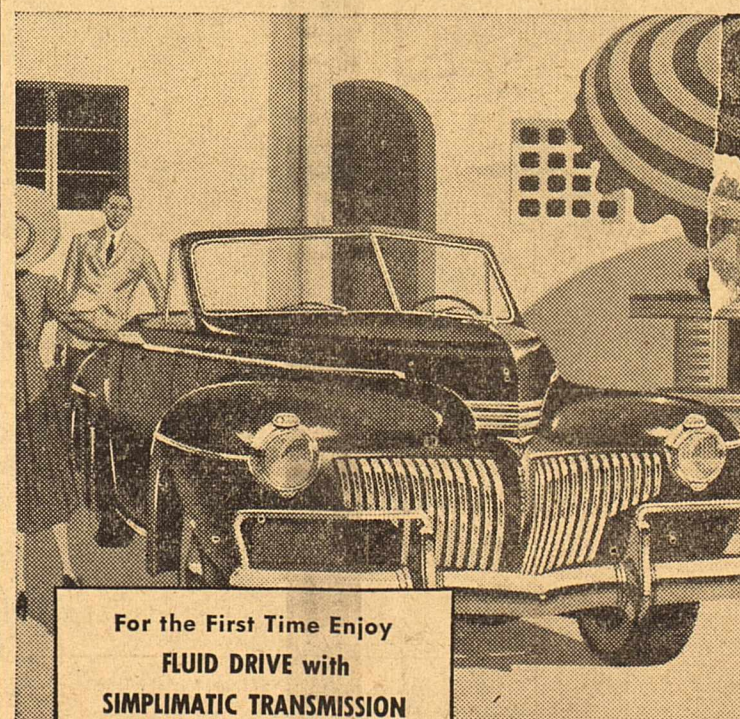
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### Today's Markets

#### LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH, Nov. 6 (AP)—(U. S. Dept. Agr.)—Cattle salable 2,400; calves 1,700; most common and medium slaughter steers and yearlings 6.00-8.75, including about two loads steers at 7.25, and two loads 8.00; load yearlings 9.25; small lot 9.50; odd head to 10.00, and few head 9.1 lb steers 10.50; beef cows 4.50-6.50; bulls 4.25-6.00; good and choice killing calves 7.50-8.75; some 500 lb fed calves to 9.25; common and medium grades 5.50-7.25; choice stockers scarce; good steer calves 9.00-10.00; and heifer calves 8.00-9.00.

Sheep salable 2,600; medium and good fat lambs 7.50-8.25; fall shorn yearling 6.40-6.50; fall shorn 2-year-old wethers 5.50; feeder lambs 7.00 down.

#### Wool

BOSTON, Nov. 6 (AP) (U. S. Dept. Agr.)—There was a little demand for the finer grades of territory wools in the Boston market today. Fine original bag territory wool running largely good French combing length are at \$1.03 to \$1.05, scoured basis and lots running average three-fourth French combing length were at \$1 to \$1.02 scoured basis. Medium and low grades of domestic wools received very little demand but quotations were being firmly maintained.

#### Cotton

NEW YORK, Nov. 6 (AP).—Cotton futures closed today 3 to 11 points higher.

#### HEAVY COURT DOCKET

A heavy docket is reported in 70th District court in session at Big Spring. Judge Cecil C. Collings is presiding. A four-weeks term will be held.

### Election—

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for years." The full extent of the President's victory could not be measured finally in advance of a more complete tabulation of the votes of several states.

Has 468 Electors. Nevertheless, at 9:45 a. m. C. S. T. it appeared that his election had been accomplished with 468 of the country's 531 electoral votes. The number required for election is 266. Indications were that his popular plurality would prove considerably less than the margin of more than 10,000,000 by which he was elected in 1936.

In addition to a substantial lead in New York, the President held the advantage in Pennsylvania, Ohio, Missouri, Minnesota, New Jersey, California, and Illinois, among others. Willkie was leading in nine states: Colorado, Iowa, Indiana, Kansas, Maine, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, and Vermont. The nine have 63 electoral votes.

Willkie May Get Post. Reports persisted that due to the present emphasis on a need for national unity in the face of foreign developments Mr. Roosevelt might ask his vanquished foe to assume a post of importance in connection with the defense program.

Certain it was that in many minds Willkie's defeat had hardly diminished his stature. The energy of his campaign commanded widespread admiration not only among his own followers but among his opponents, too.

As a result he is in excellent position to help members of Congress shape Republican policy in the four years to come, during which period he will be his party's titular leader.

### Oil News . . .

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tary to drilling ahead from 4,780 feet in line.

Frank J. Downey of Midland No. 1 Henry James, Gaines County "rank wildcat" nine miles west of the south end of the Seminole pool, is drilling below 4,700 feet in hard lime. Top of solid lime has not yet been reported.

Eastern Crane Producer Gulf Oil Corporation No. 34 Wad-dell, in the Wad-dell pool of North-eastern Crane County, flowed 245 barrels of oil through tubing in 10 1/2 hours after acidizing pay lime from 3,530-32 feet, total depth, with 5,000 gallons. It still is testing. Before treatment with acid the well had balled only 10 gallons of oil hourly.

A scheduled 9,000-foot test in Eastern Crane, Gulf No. 1-F University, is drilling at 7,896 feet.

### FDR THANKS WILKIE FOR CONGRATULATIONS

HYDE PARK, Nov. 6 (AP)—Franklin D. Roosevelt, choice of his countrymen to be their President for a third term, accepted with "sincere thanks" today a message from Wendell L. Willkie congratulating him on his re-election.

"Please accept my sincere thanks for your message of congratulations," Mr. Roosevelt replied. "I greatly appreciate the assurance of your good wishes for health and happiness which I heartily reciprocate.

### ARE PROMOTED

Bobby Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Martin, and Tommy Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Wilson, have received promotions at Schreiner Institute where they are students. Both have been advanced to the position of corporal.

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