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WEST TEXAS: Cloudy, rain in Southeast portion tonight, fair Thursday, colder in south portion tonight.

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Hungary Joins Axis Dictatorships

Turkey Bristles In Declaration Not To Give Up

Two Million Bayonets Will Oppose Thrust Of Aggressors In Balkans

By The Associated Press.

Hungary joined the Berlin-Rome-Tokyo Axis today, giving Adolf Hitler a military corridor stretching 250 miles deeper into southeast Europe — toward Greece, Turkey and the Suez Canal.

Within a few hours after signing of the new pact, sources close to the Turkish government said Turkey would regard passage of German troops through Bulgaria as harmful to Turkish interests.

These sources said Turkey will refuse to approve such a movement of Nazi troops into Southeast Europe, and warned that if Bulgaria herself made any move toward the Mediterranean, Turkey would feel bound to "take measures."

The official Turkish radio has previously announced that "2,000,000 Turkish bayonets" would oppose any Axis thrust in the direction of Turkey.

Others May Follow

Informed quarters in Budapest said that Spain, Rumania and Bulgaria may be next to join the Axis, and that pressure may fall quickly on neutral Yugoslavia.

Authorized Nazi quarters in Berlin have already indicated that a gigantic Axis military operation is in the wind—an attempt to "bottle up" the Mediterranean by synchronized attacks on the Suez Canal in the East and Britain's rock bastion of Gibraltar in the West.

In statistical terms, the entry of Hungary into the Axis-proclaimed "new order" in Europe added 57,530 square miles and a population of about 12,000,000, mostly of Magyar origin. Army experts have estimated Hungary has 500,000 men under arms.

The Turkish press frankly warned its readers that the danger of war was near. The Turkish government prepared blackout regulations.

A curious sidelight of Hungary's entrance into the so-called "coalition of Europe against Britain" was that it was swiftly and officially announced.

By contrast, previous conversations held either by Hitler or his Axis partner, Benito Mussolini, with leaders of Rumania, Bulgaria, France and Russia—presumably for the same purpose—have been attended by strict official silence.

Germany's Foreign Minister Joachim Von Ribbentrop asserted in Vienna today, however, that other powers shortly would join the alliance.

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Britain To Receive Bombers And Sights

WASHINGTON, Nov. 20 (AP).—The army high command today acted to release 46 of the largest United States bombing planes to Great Britain and announced that one of two high-accuracy bombsights developed in this country had already been released for British use.

The bomb sight released is what is known as the Sperry bombsight. General George C. Marshall, army chief of staff, said that a more modern sight—the Norden—was being used by the army and navy now.

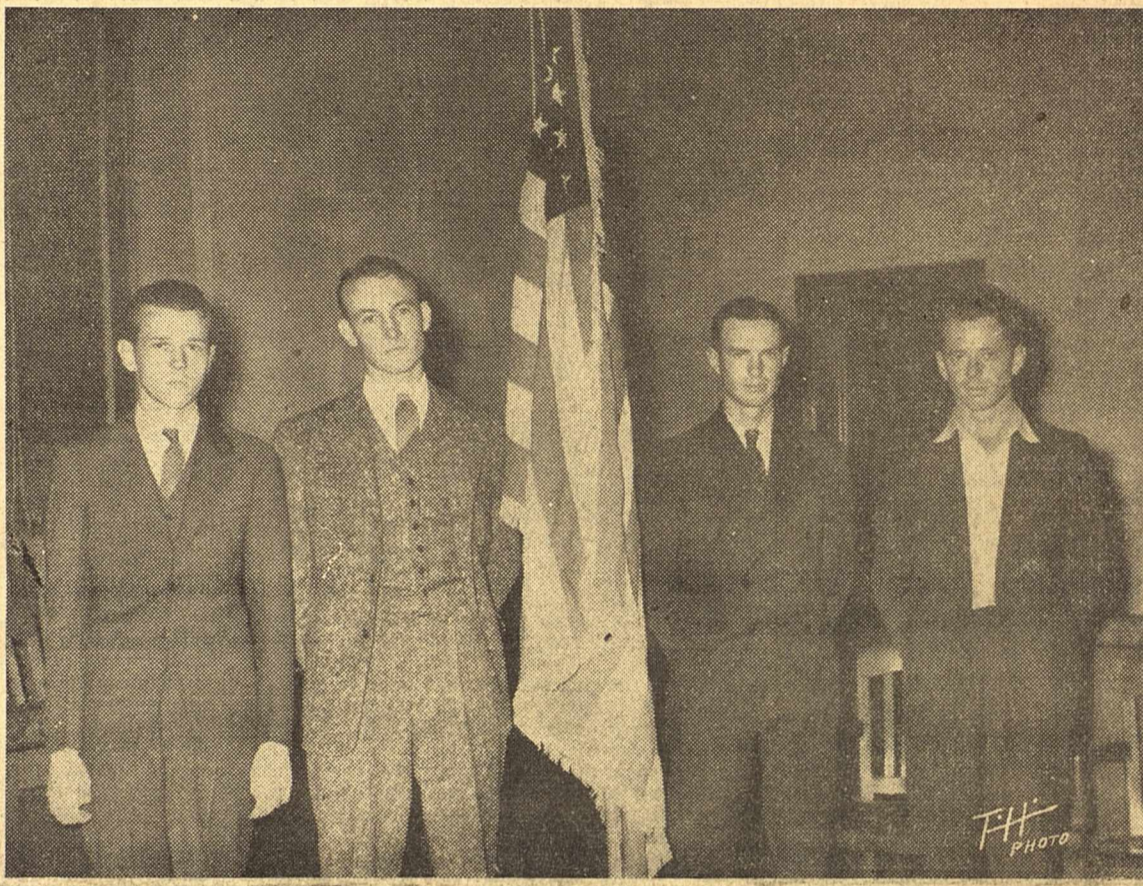
The 46 giant bombers for which release has been or is being planned fall into two categories.

Business Women Start Midland Safety Drive

To make Midland safety conscious, a campaign, sponsored by the Business and Professional Women's Club, was launched here today, Mrs. Frances Carter, club president, announced.

The campaign will include sale of safety stickers. All media through the public will be utilized to correlate the program with a nation-wide safety campaign. Benefits from the sale will be divided between purchases of Christmas baskets and milk for needy persons.

Volunteers Stand By the Flag



By the Colors they will defend, if needed, Midland County's first call volunteers (left to right), William Iley Pratt, Jr., Odell Carr, Maurice King, and Peeler Lawson are shown yesterday at a program in their honor in the district courtroom. The four left by train last night for El Paso.

Gulf Well In Crane Is Completed For Flow Of 5,312 Barrels Per Day

By Frank Gardner Oil Editor.

Large initial production was registered today by Gulf Oil Corporation No. 24 Henderson, in the area linking the Waddell pool with the Jordan in Northeastern Crane County. The well flowed at the rate of 5,312 barrels per day, based upon a six-hour proration gauge. It topped main pay in line at 3,548 feet and is bottomed at 3,550 feet. Successive acid jobs of 2,000 and 3,000 gallons were administered after the well had gauged natural flow of 516 barrels in five hours. Gas volume of 1,225,000 feet gave it a gas-oil ratio of 230-1.

Gulf No. 1-F University, scheduled Orlovician test in Eastern Crane, is drilling at 3,308 feet in chert. On the Ector County side of the Jordan pool, The Texas Company No. 5 Ida McDonald was acidized with 1,000 gallons in oil lime from 3,385 to bottom at 3,700 feet and flowed a rated 1,617.36 barrels per day. Oil is 33.7-gravity and gas-oil ratio 650-1.

Terry Wildcat Logs Marker. First reliable marker, the anhydrite, was topped at 2,450 feet, datum of plus 891, by The Sloan & Zook Company No. 1 W. E. Bailey et al, Southwestern Terry County. Four miles northeast of Wellman. The point is said to have occurred low. This morning the test was drilling ahead at 2,590 feet in anhydrite, red rock and salt.

Southwest of Wellman in Terry, Denver Producing & Refining Co. No. 1 Ima Lewis is re-drilling hole at 1,500 feet. Hole was approximately 10 degrees off vertical at total depth of 2,100 feet in red rock, necessitating a straightening job.

West of Slaughter production in Northwestern Terry, Gulf No. 4 Mallett Land & Cattle Company is coring at 5,123 feet in lime. Lower cores have alternately shown sulphur water and oil staining in scattered zones of porosity.

Plugging to abandon was commenced this morning in Cascade Petroleum Company No. 1 Walker, wildcat failure nine miles east of the Slaughter pool in Southwestern Hickley County. Total depth is 5,100 feet in lime, checked by steel-line and sulphur water zone was entered at 5,078. No oil shows were found before water was struck.

New Mexico Geologist To Address Society Friday

Dr. C. E. Needham, president of the New Mexico School of Mines at Socorro and director of the New Mexico Bureau of Mines, will address the West Texas Geological Society at 8 p. m. Friday in the Crystal Ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer.

America Of Tomorrow To Be Greatest Nation On Earth, Baptist Leader Tells Rotarians And Lions At Joint Meeting

The Rev. John T. Kee, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Odessa, told members of the Lions and Rotary Clubs at their joint Thanksgiving meeting to be thankful they are Americans.

"There is room for only one ism in America—Americanism," he said. "America of tomorrow will be the greatest nation on the face of the earth."

"It will be a great and strong Christian nation, full of opportunities, and the hope of the world because of its religious principles."

"God will end this war as he did the first World War, and America will be the nation which will save the world. Nations which have forgotten God will be brought to their knees."

"I don't believe Germany can ever win a war but it will come close," the 22-year-old preacher told the Lions and Rotarians. "France has fallen. It turned away from religion."

"We are receiving blessings every second of the day and we should be thankful for each. I thank God I'm an American. There is no country in the world like ours. Americans are the only people who are free."

Russell C. Conkling, Lions president, presided at the session, assisted by W. B. Simpson, president of Midland Rotarians.

Taylor White of Odessa, representative-elect to the state legislature, also addressed the joint session.

Dr. L. Waldo Leggett sang two selections, accompanied by Roy De Wolfe. Dancers from Miss Gertrude Low's studio entertained with several numbers. Miss Virginia Breedlove did a military dance. Misses Dorothy Barron, Jo Ann Cole and Mary Ruth Bizzell did tap dance numbers. Miss Ann Vannaman an Indian dance and Miss Marjorie Barron a Spanish dance.

Wendell Williams of the Midland High Bulldogs announced the Andrews-Midland exhibition football game next Wednesday and urged businessmen to buy tickets. The money will be used to send Midland football players to the TCU-EMU game November 30.

ACTRESSES MOTHER DIES

NEW YORK, Nov. 20 (AP).—Mrs. Adrienne Morrison, 52, mother of actresses and Constance and Joan Bennett, was found dead today in her apartment.

YOUR REPORTER-TELEGRAM AT NOON THANKSGIVING DAY

The Reporter-Telegram will publish at noon tomorrow, Thanksgiving Day.

Tells Conclave Peace Possible If Leader Named

Vice-President Turns Down Tuesday Appeal To Take Lewis' Place

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Nov. 20 (AP).—Sidney Hillman called on the Congress of Industrial Organization convention today to "demand" that Philip Murray take the presidency soon to be vacated by John L. Lewis.

Murray, CIO Vice President, had told the convention yesterday that he was not a candidate for the position and did not want it. He asserted at the time that his interest in labor was the "promotion of our ideals, our concepts of true union American objectives."

Hillman, CIO Vice President and National Defense Commissioner, urged that Murray take the presidency to unite the warring factions of the labor movement—the CIO and American Federation of Labor.

Rear For Murray. Hillman virtually nominated Murray for the CIO presidency by declaring "when John L. Lewis steps down, there must be a demand for Philip Murray." There was a roar of approval from the packed hall at the mention of Murray.

Then in a long and stirring speech, Hillman proposed the convention place in its constitution a ban against Communists, similar to that in the constitution of John L. Lewis' mine workers, union which prohibits Communists from holding union membership.

Calls On CIO. He asserted he knew there were "elements" in labor who did not care about the "Democratic processes" and called on the CIO leaders to maintain those "processes" because they were "the life-blood of the labor movement."

"I hope," he asserted, "that out of this convention will come a stronger labor movement, not a weaker one."

Hillman, president of the powerful Amalgamated Clothing Workers' Union, warned the delegates to do nothing they "would regret in the future."

Auto Accident Near Stanton Hurts Three

STANTON, Nov. 20 (Special).—T. W. Blankenship and Hugh Odell, Stanton residents, and J. W. Montgomery, a resident of Connecticut, were injured in an automobile collision three miles west of Stanton last night.

Montgomery, traveling with Fred Schoening, also of Connecticut, was en route to a U. S. navy enlistment station at San Diego.

Montgomery, with both legs fractured, is in a Stanton hospital. Odell suffered a head injury and Schoening bruises.

The accident occurred at 9:30 p. m.

LATEST NEWS FLASHES

Axis To Align Against U. S.

ROME, Nov. 20 (AP).—Italians said today that, beginning with Hungary's adherence to the three-power Axis pact, Germany, Italy and Japan were lining up a world-wide alliance against "the Anglo-Saxon bloc," embracing the United States.

AFL Speaker Unloads On Publishers.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 20 (AP).—A New Deal spokesman addressing the American Federation of Labor convention here said today the result of the last general election gave American publishers their "greatest shock," and added some publishers are due for a "great awakening."

Ickes Names "Native Fascists."

NEW YORK, Nov. 20 (AP).—Secretary Ickes asserted today that Charles A. Lindbergh, the Rev. Charles E. Coughlin and Merwin K. Hart, president of the New York state economic council, were members of "native Fascist groups" furthering totalitarian nations' objectives in the United States.

Taylor Steps Out



Coach Bud Taylor of the Midland Bulldogs announced his resignation this morning before students of the high school. His decision came on the eve of the traditional Odessa-Midland Thanksgiving game tomorrow.

Oil Men Expect Sixty-Day Order

AUSTIN, Tex., Nov. 20 (AP).—Although uncertain, Texas oil operators today had reason to expect the Railroad Commission to issue a 60-day proration order some time next week.

Upon conclusion of a two-day statewide proration hearing yesterday, Chairman Lon A. Smith and Member Ernest O. Thompson indicated they favored a 60-day order to replace the 90-day schedule expiring Nov. 30.

The hearing ended on a note of uncertainty after Commissioner Jerry Sadler asserted he would "have no part of" the Humble Oil Company's proposal that permissible production in a field be based 50 per cent on acreage and 50 per cent on the number of wells.

Thompson defended proration, which had been attacked by O. W. Killiam, veteran Laredo producer, as "a dam behind which the industry has built."

Taylor Asks Team For Victory In Big Turkey Day Game

Announces His Definite Decision To Bulldogs And Students At Big Football Pep Rally In High School Auditorium

L. W. (Bud) Taylor, Midland High School football coach, today announced he intends to quit his position after tomorrow's game between Odessa and Midland.

In a brief speech, at a pep meeting in the high school auditorium, Taylor asked his team to give him a victory in his last game as Midland High coach.

His announcement came as a surprise to the students. It was brief and to the point. Taylor later said he had made up his mind to quit and that he always had planned to make the first announcement to students who had so loyally supported his teams and to the boys who played so hard to bring victories to Midland High.

He would not elaborate on his plans, except to say he would rather "live in Midland than any place" he knew and for that reason he had purchased a home here. Been Here Five Years.

Taylor, one of the most popular coaches ever to serve Midland high, came here five years ago. Besides coaching he teaches physical education classes at the school.

W. W. Lackey, school superintendent, said he had heard Taylor make similar remarks before. Taylor received his masters degree in 1935 from North Texas Teachers College at Denton, where he played tackle on the football team.

He served as an assistant coach in El Paso before coming to Midland in 1936 as assistant coach. A year later he became head coach of the Bulldogs. The salary is \$2,200 a year.

Assistants to Taylor this year are Earle Clark and Julius Johnson, both serving their first years with Midland High. Strided Matter Thoroughly.

Taylor indicated he came to his decision to quit coaching Midland high after giving the matter thorough study. He was definite in his announcement. However, he added no comment and did not reveal what caused his action.

His contract with Midland High does not expire until September 1942, Lackey said.

Members of his football squad and a number of students in short talks at the rally expressed confidence the Bulldogs would give Taylor another victory tomorrow. They had cheer after cheer for the coach and other speakers at the rally.

Lackey, Bill Collyns, manager of the chamber of commerce, Russell Conkling, president of the Lions Club and member of the school board, and James N. Allison, and members of the high school faculty, coaches and students also addressed the gathering.

The band was on hand with plenty of lively music and cheer leaders led yells which could be heard for blocks.

Committee Will Name Boy Scout Officials Today

Stanley Mote, scout executive of the Buffalo Trails council, tonight will meet with a nominating committee composed of Bill Collyns, R. F. Peters, and Riley Parr to name Midland boy scout officials for 1941.

The meeting will be at Parr's residence. He is commissioner of the council.

Plans for a new troop here were made Monday night when scouts and scouts met. Parr said the new unit would be sponsored by the Presbyterian Church.

At the Monday session, resignation of Buster Howard, scoutmaster of troop 50 who is leaving the city, was accepted. Grady Taylor succeeds Howard.

Registrations for 1941 will be completed Dec. 6, date of the next court of honor here, Parr said. A change of meeting nights here from Monday to Friday was announced.

The new troop gives Midland four active boy scout units.

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Most Businesses And Offices To Close Tomorrow

Midland joins cities of 31 states tomorrow in observance of Thanksgiving complying with proclamations by President Franklin D. Roosevelt and Governor W. Lee O'Daniel.

The schools, banks, postoffice, courthouse, city hall, and most retail stores and offices here will be closed, the chamber of commerce reported.

Schools, after conducting Thanksgiving programs today, were dismissed for tomorrow and Friday.

The postoffice will be closed and no city mail delivery is scheduled, Postmaster Allen Tolbert said.

The annual Odessa-Midland football game will be played here at 2:30 p. m. on Lackey Field. Teachers plan to attend a state teachers convention in Fort Worth over the week-end. Many oil offices will be closed tomorrow for Thanksgiving, employers said.

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The Voices That Shouted 'Peace!'

The tumult and the shouting of the campaign die away, but there is one shout that must echo and re-echo in the President's mind as he sits alone to think of his tremendous third triumph. Yes, presidents sit alone sometimes. In fact, despite the constant impingement of problems and persons, the presidency is a lonely job, and all presidents have felt it keenly.

The shout that cannot die out of the President's mind is the shout of the American people for peace. He cannot forget that the one thing both in his own addresses and those of his opponent that always touched off a roar of spontaneous approval was any passage that gave hope of keeping our great land at peace.

He cannot forget that of around 22,000,000 Americans who voted for the opposing candidate, many, many of them so voted because they thought peace might thus be best preserved. He cannot forget that his own specific pledges of peace, so long as peace is permitted us, were the passages which drew the deepest response.

Neither candidate could honestly have made or kept a pledge that "under no circumstances whatever will the United States go to war." Neither did so. War or peace in the near future is not so much a matter of conscious American decision as of circumstances, and the acts of others. Yet a strong and determined will to peace can do much, and the American people have that will.

The campaign showed equally clear support of American foreign policy as revealed in action. There was no basic difference between parties here, and Mr. Willkie's post-election statement shows clearly this unity. Exactly where this course will lead us, no man can precisely prophesy. The conduct of human affairs is not a mathematical science. But the course has been charted by the pilot and confirmed by passengers and crew.

We stake our chance of peace on strength to defend ourselves. Before the Revolution we were unprepared—yet war came. Before the War of 1812, the same. Before the Mexican War, the same. Before the Spanish-American War, the same. Before the World War, the same. Each time we were unprepared—yet the war came. About the only time the United States faced a great crisis in armed strength was in 1867, when the finest army in the world backed the ultimatum to France to get out of Mexico—and there was no war.

This time we propose to prepare, hoping that this will serve us for peace, since unpreparedness has so often failed to prevent war. The nation is united in determination to gain strength in proportion to its great power. To the death it will defend its soil, its interests, its free way of life.

But it is peace the American people want—to keep peace if they can; to join war only if they must. Those great deep-throated shouts from both sides of the whole campaign reveal it clearly. Above the shouting and exaltation of triumph may be heard clearly the voices that cried "Peace!"

"Kick Me!" Say American Exporters

The fellow who goes around on April Fools' Day with a sign pinned to his coat-tail reading "Kick Me!" is simply an innocent victim. When he finds out about it, he removes the sign.

We hope American exporters to Mexico and Central and South America will prove equally smart when they fully realize the extent to which they have been inviting the same kind of treatment—and providing a nice heavy shoe for the kicker, to boot.

Recent scanning of American trade in Mexico shows that American exporters are actually helping to pay the bill for Nazi penetration in that country.

Like this: An American firm wishing to sell in Mexico turns to a well-established firm as distributor. It does not realize it, but that firm is German, run perhaps by naturalized Germans maintaining that curious dual citizenship which is one of the current German contributions to honesty and candor. The more American goods sold by the German jobber, the more commissions he has to contribute to Nazi work in Mexico—and if he is remotely German, he contributes; the Gestapo or the consul see to that.

Further, advertising money spent in such countries by American firms is often doled out through German-controlled advertising firms or managers, who see to it that only papers favorable to the Axis receive the money, while papers devoted to freedom starve for lack of advertising.

Since this loop-hole in American export policy was revealed as applied to Mexico, it has cropped up in Bolivia and other countries, so it is fair to assume that it is general practice in the countries to the south.

There is no good reason why German firms in those countries should not favor their advertising such papers as are favorable to them, and no reason why they should not "kick back" to the Nazi organization profits made from the sale of Nazi goods.

But it goes against the grain to see commissions paid on the sale of American goods used by Nazi agents to undercut the increasing good-will toward the United States, and to see American advertising appropriations shunted by Nazi agents into Axis-favoring papers while papers devoted to democracy starve.

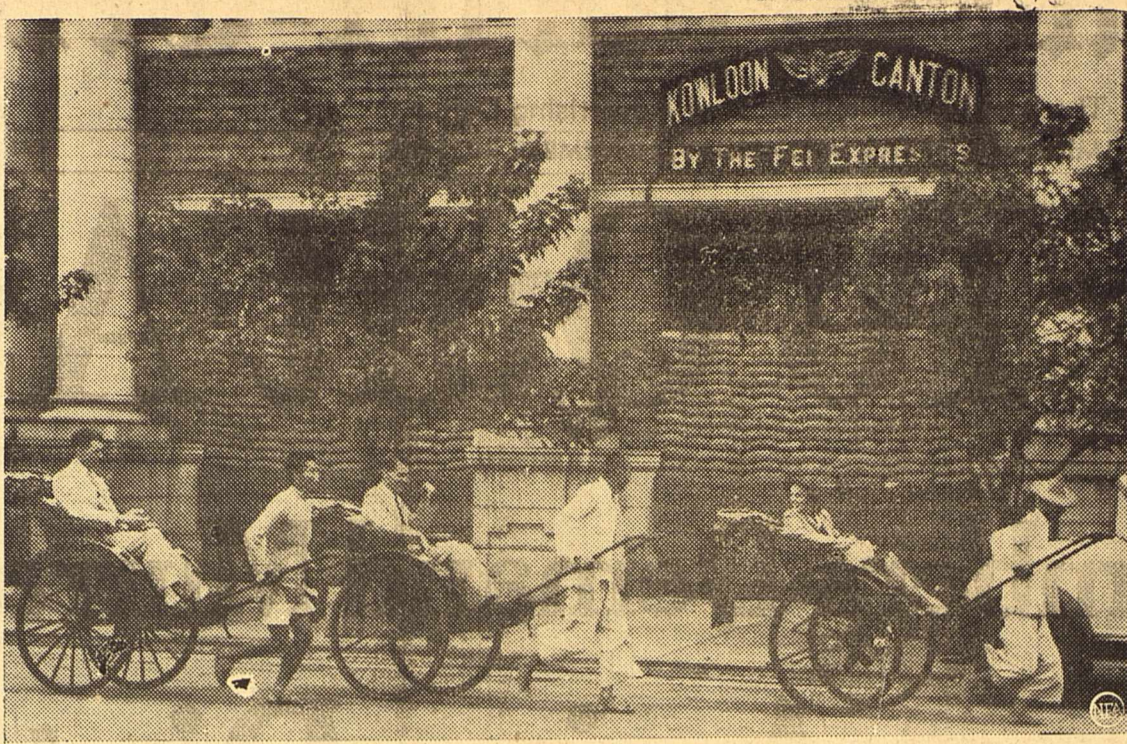
American business is not silly. As soon as it clearly sees the "Kick Me!" sign it has been wearing when it travels south, it is pretty sure to tear it off and see to it that if there is any kicking done it is wearing good stout shoes itself.

A Missouri man tried to shoot his wife because she wouldn't return to him. It didn't help the situation any.

We're still waiting for someone to invent brakes for our car that will stop the car behind us.

Messages from the Netherlands to South Africa say, "It's hell under the Germans." And over the Germans the R. A. F. is spreading some of the same.

American Farewell to Hong Kong



The leisurely tempo of life in the Orient speeds up and ricksha boys move on the double as Americans hasten to wind up their affairs and leave the Orient following advice from the U. S. State Department. Above, Americans hurry past sandbagged Hong Kong store before catching one of three liners sent to bring them home.

Texas Proration Holds Attention

TULSA, Okla., Nov. 20 (AP)—Arguments over proration in Texas held the attention of the oil industry today.

Humble Oil Company suggested at a state-wide hearing yesterday that fields be prorated on a basis per cent on the number of wells, per cent on the number of wells.

Humble's suggestion, which brought from Railroad Commissioner Jerry Sadler the assertion that "I'll have no part in subscribing to a formula," had been prefaced earlier by a letter from the company's president, H. C. Wiess, to "those from which we purchase oil."

The letter, which was introduced into the record of the hearing by Sadler, asserted that "there are two practices in particular which have a disturbing influence upon the industry and are undermining its stability."

"The first," said Wiess' letter, "is the constant changing of state and field allowances and production above and below market demand, resulting in sudden additions to stocks and violent drafts on stocks, so that neither the producer, nor the purchaser, nor the refiner can plan his business intelligently or anticipate what is coming next. . . ."

"The second," said Wiess' letter, "is the variation which occurs in the production of individual fields." The commission was expected to issue its proration order next week.

In the refined market, the seasonal products found good demand. Gasoline stocks moved upward about 200,000 barrels for the week, and gasoline production also was up slightly.

Fort Worth Cowboys Hold Off For Money

FORT WORTH, Nov. 20 (AP)—The All-American Rodeo was at a standstill today while cowboys who came here to compete awaited efforts of the management to raise funds guaranteeing purses the rest of the week.

The cowboys refused to go on last night when they were told money for the second day pay-off was not available.

The cowboy ultimatum was delivered yesterday by Tom Hogan, the Tulsa, Okla., bulldogger who serves as representative of the Cowboy Turtles' Association at the show here.

T. E. Robertson of Mountain Home, Ark., the rodeo producer, was still hopeful of a settlement with the cowboys until show time last night.

When show time came, the audience sat in the Will Rogers Memorial Coliseum for an hour while Robertson pleaded with the cowboys to put on "a free show."

Finally at 9:15, the horse show classes were put on and at 9:30 the announcer broke in with the statement that there would be "no rodeo tonight, but there positively will be tomorrow night and every night through Sunday."

Frying Pan Brand Of Scarborough Found In Unused Lubbock Shed

A collection of well known branding irons, recently discovered in an unused shed in Lubbock and presented to the Texas Tech museum, included the "Frying Pan" brand of W. F. Scarborough, Midland.

This brand was registered in 1867 in Motley County by Bill Scarborough, and in Winkler, Loving, and Andrews counties, and Lea County, New Mexico, in 1909 and 1912.

From 1918 to 1925 the Scarborough ranch ran eight to 10,000 head of cattle on 200,000 acres. The ranch now contains 160,000 acres.

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Siam Wants Some of Indo-China, Too



As Japan steadily increases pressure on French Indo-China, Thailand (Siam) puts in its claim for part of Cambodia, former Siamese territory in Indo-China. Above, in Bangkok, "Thai Blood" workers demonstrate, saying they'll fight for the territory.

FORMER TEACHER TO SPEAK

J. H. Williams of Sweetwater, former teacher of Midland's Junior High School, will be guest speaker at the meeting of the High School PTA at the high school auditorium Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. He will discuss "The Increasing Responsibility of the School Due to Modern Social Trends."

IS ADMITTED.

Mrs. Bertha Kenney was admitted to Ryan's Hospital Tuesday for medical attention. Both Canadian railways, the National and Pacific, offer annual trophies for the best trout caught in the waters of Lake Nipigon, Ontario.



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SERIAL STORY

DUDE COLLEGE

BY OREN ARNOLD

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YESTERDAY: Andre receives his orders to follow Ronnie, get the new bomb sight which Bailey owns. He is to work with an agent who will be identified by a crutch. He arrives in Pueblo, sees a beautiful girl drive up. A professor, Dr. York, calls her Senorita Montoya. As she alights from the car, Andre sees that she walks with a crutch.

RONNIE GOES HUNTING

Chapter IV.
For a long moment Ronica Bailey concentrated on the whole in her cabin window.

It was a bullet hole, unmistakably. Anyway, she had seen the sudden little spurts of flame from the men's guns. Five guns fired at her by five men she had found walking across the rocky cactus-studded desert.

"What ever!" she murmured at to herself, subconsciously handling her controls to lift the powerful monoplane out of range.

Once more she looked downward. The five men had stopped shooting but they had begun to run like so many excited insects. She studied the landscape carefully, with glasses and without. Nowhere was there house, road, windmill, any human sign save those five men.

She fumbled in a side pocket of her cabin and pulled out her own expensive pearl-handled pistol, gift from her dad. She could shoot it and shoot accurately, too, for she had a target range in her basement at home. On the other hand— "That's foolish," she told herself now. "Whyever should I fight back at them?"

She reholstered the gun and accelerated her motor into a smooth, powerful crescendo that lifted her skyward. Then she leveled off, made a big curve and streaked like a phantom rabbit for home. The ship responded to her slightest touch, moved with astonishing speed and ease; that was why she loved it.

But the wind still fingering at her through the bullet hole served to heighten her indignation, too. Who would dare shoot at a Bailey? Or, for that matter, who would dare shoot at any airplane in the United States of America? This country wasn't at war! This country clung to freedom; and nobody, official or otherwise, had a right to shoot at a pleasure plane.

It did not occur to Ronica to be offended because the five men had shot at a girl. She didn't think of herself as a girl, she thought of herself as a citizen, an individual. And—the more she thought the angrier she became.

In no time at all the earth-carpet rolled under her to reveal a new pattern including the little town of Pueblo and its college, and eight miles to one side she could spot her father's new ranch. She shifted her direction, still roaring, gunned her ship downward, and edged off just enough to land easily on the broad mesa her father had caused to be marked as a private landing field. Her mechanic sensed trouble before she touched earth and he came running.

"What happened, Miss Ronica?"

he demanded.
"The ship's fine, Barton. But—where's daddy?"

"In the porch hammock. He's still saddle sore." She went to him and told him what had occurred. Mr. Bailey refused to get excited.

"Probably hunters, and you scared of their game," he suggested. "Why don't you get a book and relax, daughter? Or study up on your—"

"Oh, daddy, I can keep up with my studies at night! You wouldn't even care if—if Indians tried to scalp me! Would you, now?"

"I'd feel sorry for the Indians. Wait—where are—?"

"I'm driving to Pueblo."

"Better report it to the sheriff," he called, "just in case."

There wasn't any sheriff in Pueblo, she found. Not even a deputy. But there was a constable and a branch office at the United States Immigration and Naturalization Service. The constable sent her to the latter place, where she met Inspector Sheridan Starr.

"No doubt about it, Miss Bailey," Officer Starr said, earnestly. "They were aliens slipping in from Mexico. Now from your description of the country I think I can go right out there and—"

"I couldn't see any sign of a road," she declared.

"No. But I can drive to The Tanks, where we keep a few saddle horses. Faithful old Mexican in charge. Then I can ride horseback and maybe pick up the men's trail. Thanks again. I'll shove right off."

He started to his car, and when he had settled behind the steering wheel Ronica Bailey was beside him.

"Hey," he began, surprised, "you can't go alone. What I meant was—"

"Hush," she smiled at him. "I wouldn't miss it."

They argued briefly, and the man lost. Men always lost arguments with Ronica Bailey. The big officer, duly married and a father of two little boys, was distinctly ill at ease with a college girl until Ronica just but-talked him.

"Lordy, Miss! Mr. Starr said, eventually. "I didn't know dude girls come like you. You—fact is, you remind me a lot of my wife. She's got spunk, too. But see here—you have to mind me when we get to the horses."

"Oh, of course, Mr. Starr."

The ride out was almost an hour, and Ronica had ample chance then to get acquainted with the country from a man who really knew it. Sheridan Starr was a big-shouldered, big-hatted, big-hearted officer who had known long service on the Border Patrol, and he seemed to be intimate with every nook and cranny of this Southwestern arid land. He told Ronica a lot about her college. His conversation was rich with the lore of the region, spiced with adventure and interests quite foreign to her New York background.

At The Tanks he strapped a rifle and holster on his saddle, filled his pistol cartridge belt, and again bade Ronica goodbye.

"I'm no back by nightfall!" said he. "You take the car and go home, then send a man back to help me."

But he hadn't ridden out of sight until Ronica had a second horse under saddle—she wheeled the old Mexican man there—and was trailing Officer Starr. She realized he would never tolerate her close to him now, for here at hand was the country where she had been shot at by the five aliens. She marvelled that he expected to make an arrest alone, wherefore she had to follow him and see whatever was to be seen. She kept just out of sight. "Daddy will skin me for this," she told herself, and admitted that he ought to.

She pulled up when she saw Starr dismount behind mesquite brush, then crept to a ridge to peer over from a prone position. His rifle remained on his horse, but all at once she saw him unholster a pistol. She knew he had spotted the five men!

He circled briefly, then went out of sight. Ronica crept up to the ridge herself. She saw nothing at first, and she just lay there nursing a sense of excitement and guilt, wondering what her faculty adviser, Dr. Woodrow Wesley York, would have advised her to do. Poor Wesley York; he could be human, she'd bet, if given a chance. She would have to see that he—

"ALTO!" From somewhere off came that shout. Starr's voice.

"Atol! Manos arriba! Los federales aqui!" He was yelling orders, and instantly she heard the answer—a shot!

"Oh!" gasped Ronica Bailey, moving to where she could see the five aliens. "Oh! I don't even have a—!" She stared spellbound now. The shooting had increased. Officer Starr was just one man against five, and all around her New Mexico loomed broad and bare and ominous.

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 3. Failure of substitute to report to umpire.
 4. Violation of kick-off formation.
 5. Failure to maintain proper alignment of offensive team before ball is snapped. Also backfield man illegally in motion.
 6. Offside by either team, or encroachment on neutral zone.
 7. Attempt to draw opponents offside.
 8. Taking more than two steps with ball after signalling for fair catch.
 9. Illegal use of hands and arms by defensive players.
 10. Flying block or flying tackle.
 11. Running into kicker.
 12. Crawling by the runner.
- LOSS OF 15 YARDS:**
13. Team not ready to play at scheduled time.
 14. Substitute communicating with teammates before ball is put in play.
 15. Illegal substitution (player also suspended from game).
 16. Failure to stop at least one second on shift play.
 17. Forward pass by member of team which did not put ball in play.
 18. Forward pass touched by ineligible player.
 19. Intentional grounding of forward pass.
 20. Interference by member of passing team with defensive player eligible for pass.
 21. Interference with fair catch or tackling player before ball is caught.
 22. Illegal use of hands and arms by offensive players.
 23. Defensive player striking opponent above shoulders.
 24. Roughing the kicker.
 25. Piling up, hurdling, clipping.
 26. Tackling player out of bounds.
 27. Coaching from sidelines.
 28. Illegal interference with defense by passing team.
- OTHER PENALTIES:**
29. Striking, kneeing, or kicking opponent—half the distance to goal and disqualification of offending player.
 30. Foul within one-yard line—half the distance to goal.
 31. Interference by defensive team on forward pass—1st down for passing team at spot of foul.
 32. Flagrant roughing of kicker—disqualification, plus 15 yards.
 33. Flagrant unsportsmanlike conduct—disqualification, plus 15 yards.

MIDLAND

No.	Player	Pos.	Wt.	Exp.
1	B. Eidson*	B	155	4
2	J. T. Robison	T	160	0
3	I. Fitzgerald	B	100	0
4	T. Watson	T	160	0
5	B. Hall	G	145	1
6	J. M. White*	B	160	3
7	J. W. Leftwich	G	140	0
8	I. Hall	B	135	1
9	G. Bigham	B	150	1
10	R. Sidwell	G	120	0
11	E. G. Foster*	G	135	1
12	J. Ward*	G	140	1
13	J. Conkling	C	150	0
14	M. Bratton*	E	165	2
15	W. Williams*	B	170	3
16	J. A. Davidson	E	145	0
17	M. Buffington	T	190	1
19	F. King	B	150	0
20	O. Kelly*	B	145	1
21	H. Rehders*	C	160	2
22	W. Lester*	E	155	1
23	G. Green	E	135	0
24	S. Cocke*	T	165	1
25	B. Mayfield	T	140	0
26	A. W. Jones	E	155	0
28	H. Norman	G	130	0
29	C. Hines	B	145	0
30	E. Corbett	C	150	0
65	N. Beauchamp	U	65	0

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10	Hogan, B	QB	150
12	Bewley, L.	HB	160
13	Coates, J.	C	160
15	Halbrook, H. J.	T	180
16	McKelvy, O.	E	165
17	Slay, R. D.	T	155
20	Anderson, B. J.	G	145
22	Christean, F.	HB	165
24	Thomas, E.	G	165
30	Rhoades, J.	G	160
37	Meadows, R.	FB	150
38	Cook, K.	G	155
39	Henderson, D.	E	155
14	McCracken, J.	FB	165
21	Lewis, W. G.	HB	140
23	Evans, K.	E	185
25	Wright, R.	T	200
27	Everest, A.	C	160
28	Clay, J.	T	165
29	Pharries, J.	HB	140
31	Cowsar, J.	T	180
32	Fly, DeWitt	B	130
33	Evans, R.	T	185
40	Scott, J.	C	150

*Starting lineup.

2:30 TOMORROW 2:30

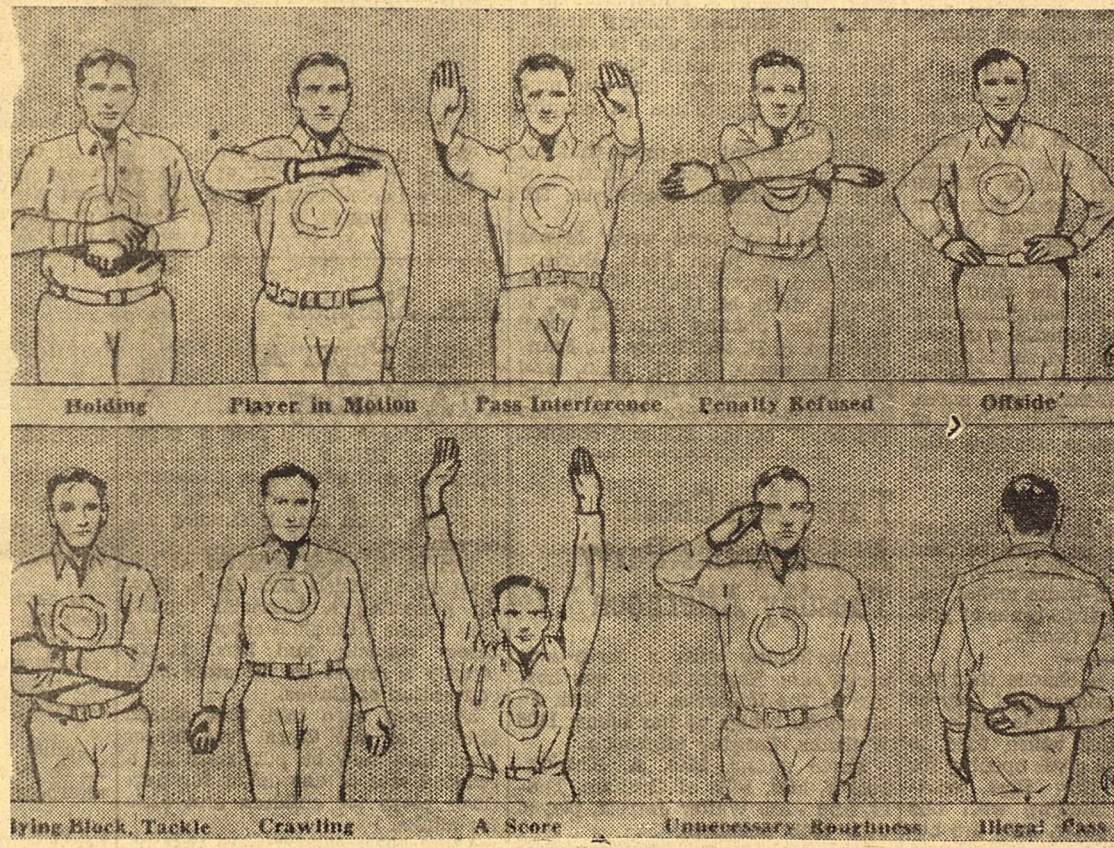
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Midland 19	Ysleta 0	Midland 7	San Angelo 6
Midland 24	Wink 6	Midland 14	Sweetwater 7
Midland 7	El Paso 12	Midland 7	Breckenridge 6
Midland 0	Big Spring 6	Midland 7	Abilene 6
	Midland 6	Lamesa 6	

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Mrs. Murray Fasken, Recent Bride And Newcomer To Midland, Is Complimented At Thanksgiving Coffee At Andrew Fasken Home Tuesday Morning

Honoring her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Murray Fasken, the former Miss Celeste Morrison of San Antonio, Mrs. Andrew Fasken entertained with a Thanksgiving coffee at her home, 1511 W. Missouri, Tuesday morning from 9:30 o'clock until 11:30 o'clock. Miss Helen Fasken was cohostess with her mother.

Mrs. Cole Honored At Shower And Tea Given By Four

A quartet of hostesses, Mrs. S. P. Hall, Mrs. J. A. McClurg, Mrs. H. S. Collings, and Mrs. Ellis Conner, entertained at the Hall home, 1004 W. Tennessee, with a Russian tea from 4 o'clock to 5, Tuesday afternoon, honoring Mrs. W. N. Cole.

Beta Sigma Phi Holds Study Program

"Awareness of Blessings" was the subject of study at the meeting of Beta Sigma Phi at the home of Mrs. S. R. McKinney, Tuesday evening. Roll call was answered with "Small Things in My Everyday Life That Give Me Happiness."

Three Are Guests At Edelweiss Party Tuesday Afternoon

Entertaining with a three-table party, Mrs. Hayden Miles was hostess to the Edelweiss Club with an afternoon bridge at her home, 1106 W. Texas, Tuesday afternoon.

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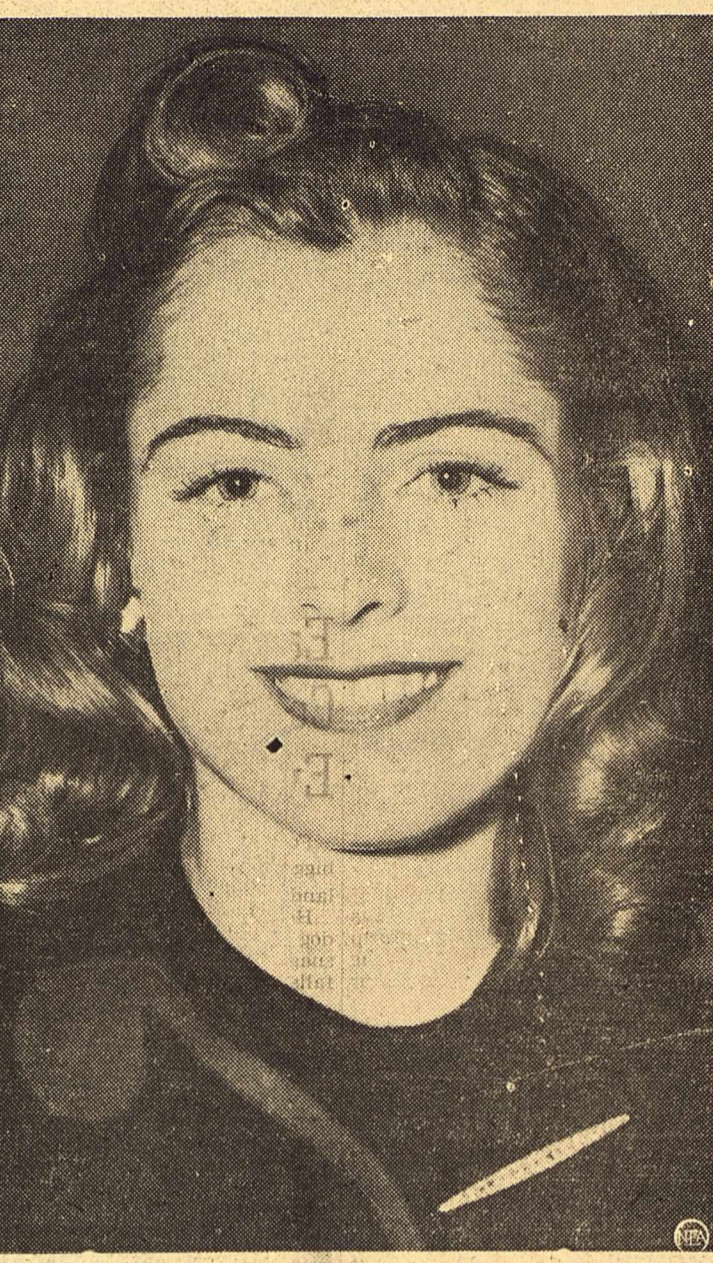
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Society She's Glamor Queen of the Debs



Well, it seems to be settled at last. If you were wondering who's going to be the 1940-41 season's "most glamorous debutante," it's Mary Lee Abbott, above. In a recent New York contest, a noted beauty expert, a popular illustrator and a society photographer gave her the title.

Mrs. Simpson Reads Paper At PTA Meeting

Mrs. Ray Simpson read a paper on "The Effect of Well-Founded Parental Attitudes upon Children" at the meeting of North Ward PTA at North Ward school, Tuesday afternoon.

Ambassador Predicts No Dictators In 2040

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 20 (AP)—U. S. Ambassador Josephus Daniels predicted today "there will be not a King or Queen or Emperor" holding power "by right of inheritance or life tenure" in 2040, nor any dictator seizing power by force or holding it by denial of the popular will.

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Mrs. L. C. Link And Mrs. J. L. McGrew Entertain With Shower Tea Tuesday Afternoon In Courtesy To Miss Ruth Pratt, Bride-Elect Of Roy Johnson

Continuing the series of courtesies complimenting Miss Ruth Pratt whose marriage to Roy Johnson will take place here on November 30, Mrs. L. C. Link and Mrs. J. L. McGrew were hostesses for a shower tea at the home of Mrs. Link, 1411 W. Texas, Tuesday afternoon from 4 o'clock until 6:30.

Young People's Group Has Dinner Tuesday Evening

The inter-denominational game night group of young people had a Thanksgiving dinner at the First Presbyterian Church, Tuesday evening, previous to the weekly game period.

THE CURTAIN CALL

News of the Civic Theatre The Women From "The Women" Let Us Present—June (Mrs. F. B.) Kingon as Maggie, the Haines cook who succeeds Ingrid. Completely disillusioned and less sentimental than her co-worker, June, Maggie knows all the answers concerning the conjugal relations of her employers.

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If backache and leg pains are making you miserable, don't just complain and do nothing about them. Nature may be warning you that your kidneys need attention. The kidneys are Nature's chief way of taking excess acids and poisonous waste out of the blood. They help most people pass about 3 pints of urine a day.

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Midland-Odesa Football Battle Tomorrow Is Natural; Officials Predict Crowd At More Than 5000

Midland and Odesa, formidable eleven, regardless of the District 3-A.A. standings are ready and willing for tomorrow's rival clash at 2:30 p. m.

Sports Roundup

By Eddie Brietz LOUISVILLE, Ky., Nov. 20 (AP)—Nothing official yet, ladies and gentlemen, but here is the bowl line-up to date—Stanford vs Texas Aggies at Pasadena; Boston College vs Tennessee at New Orleans. (Now you just wait and see.)

The All-American The Augustana College (S. D.) nominates for its All-America: Kant of Fordham, Ize of Brown, Heel of Oxford, Bowl of Rice, Swamps of Georgia, Bell of St. Mary's, Bunch of Tufts, Shake of Reapaun, Opportunity of Knox, Oodes of Duke and Tubal of Colgate.

Today's Guest Star Bob French, Toledo Blade: "While the guessing is good, we would like to hazard the prediction that the next Easter College to deemphasize football will be Cornell."

Southwest Teams In Stretch Drive

Pounding in the stretch, with the Texas Aggies plotting strategy for Texas University's Longhorns, the Southwest Conference this week brings together arch-rivals Rice and Texas Christian, and SMU and Baylor.

Conference Standings table with columns: Team, W, L, T, Pct, Pts, Ovs. Includes teams like A. & M., Texas, S. M. U., Rice, Baylor, T. C. U., Arkansas.

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Last Week's Results table with columns: Team, W, L, T, Pct, Pts, Ovs. Includes Texas 21, TCU 14, at Fort Worth; A&M 25, Rice 0, at College Station.

Leading Conference Scorers table with columns: Player, Team, Pts, Yds, Pct, Pat, Fg, Tp. Includes Kimbrough, A&M; Johnson, SMU; Brumley, Rice; Conaster, A&M; Layden, Texas; Witt, Baylor.

Aggies No. 39 Fires Up For One More Run Through Steer Range

COLLEGE STATION, Nov. 20 (AP)—Old No. 39 has one more official "run" to make.

On Thanksgiving Day (the old fashioned one, Nov. 28) the big exhibition game between the Aggie football team and all-America fullback of the Texas Aggies—rattles the rails for the last time in Southwest Conference play.

Ending Great Career. The big man, a hulking giant who has been floored only once in three years play, will be shutting down an amazing career.

Statistics who dug around for the football biography of this handsome, 22 year old West Texan who holds a Cadet captaincy at A. & M. and is thinking more of regular duty in the army upon graduation than service as a professional footballer at a fabulous salary, came up with figures that make the ordinary man shudder.

In 26 varsity football games, 19 of them the past two seasons and only spotted service in the other seven, this man has carried the ball 377 times.

By his famed butting, diving, plunging and shouldering he has gained 1,523 yards—for an average of 4.2 yards per carry!

Furthermore, he has scored 23 touchdowns for 138 points, twice leading the Southwest Conference point makers.

Possible Antagonism In France Increases Uncle Sam's Interest

WASHINGTON, Nov. 20 (AP).—Relations between the United States and France apparently entered a new phase today, coincident with increasing reports that Marshal Henri Petain was showing a disposition to go slow in collaborating with the Axis powers.

The week-end gets off to a rousing start tomorrow with the Amharillo-Lubbock joust at Lubbock. A game termed "the first battle for the state title"—and the clash of two Southern powers, Corpus Christi and Robstown.

Robstown and Corpus Christi will be battling for the North zone championship of District 16, the winner to meet the South zone titlist next week.

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Bullpups Start Curtain Battle Of 1940 Season

Planning to utilize an offensive shot in the arm, Midland's last week against Odesa, Midland's junior high Bullpups started the "curtain" fall for 1940 this afternoon at Lackey Field.

The kickoff at 3 p. m. sent the Pups clashing against Big Spring's junior Steers. Midland holds an early season 7-6 win over the invaders.

Yesterday the Puppies held a short practice session and went to the showers after hearing instructions from Coaches Freels and Hargraves.

Four Titles In Schoolboy Race Will Be Decided

By Harold V. Ratliff Associated Press Staff A maximum of 30 teams will remain in the battle for the Texas schoolboy football championship when the firing ceases on this, the semi-final week in the struggle for District titles.

At least four pennants will have been determined. Two of them already having been nailed down, Greenville coming through in District 6 and Jeff Davis in the Houston District.

The maximum of 30 teams is arrived at by progress of figuring in the running any club retaining a mathematical chance until every doubt has been removed.

The four pennants that will have been decided involve districts in which champions already have been crowned or on which the schedule will be finished with the issue to be definitely settled this week and no chance existing for a tie. Four other districts can determine champions unless there are startling reversals.

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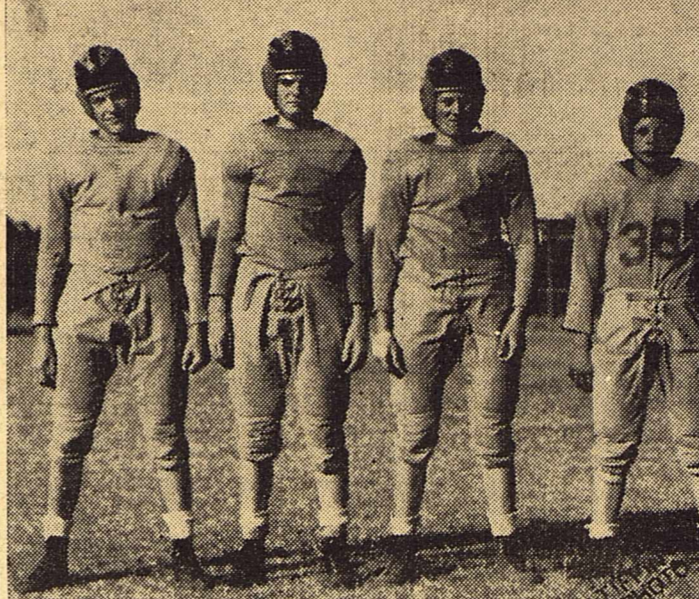
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Bulldogging Steers Today



Above (left to right) are Billy Richardson, Jack Noyes, Charles Kelly, and Billy Stickney, backfield men on Coach L. M. Freels' Midland Junior High Bulldog eleven scheduled to close the 1940 season this afternoon against the Big Spring junior Steers. Richardson and Stickney are wingbacks, Noyes quarter, and Kelly fullback.

Earle Clark, Bulldogs' Assistant Coach and Ex-Frog Star, Will Be Eying Passes And Blocks Tomorrow

Found! The man who will get the biggest kick out of passes that Midland completes against Odesa.

He is Earle Clark, assistant Bulldog mentor, who was quite a pass snagger himself not many football falls ago.

Clark may smile in satisfaction, too, at the blocking of his charges. For on the great Frog squad of 1938, it was Clark that led the interference. Sports scribes called him vicious.

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A powerful runner in his own right, Clark was used principally by Coach Dutey Meyer for a blocker.

But Earle was one of Davey's favorite pass catchers. Many of the night's fine pegs settled in Clark's fingers.

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Highlights From the Week's Oil News

West Texas: A new oil field and a new gas field have been opened in southern Andrews County during recent weeks and at present the play has spread into northern Ector County with four wildcats active in the area.

West Central Texas: Discovery of a new field in Shackelford County, indications of a new discovery in Callahan County, and field extension in Jones County featured a busy week in the West Central area.

North Texas: Several of North Texas' more recent field discoveries were given extensions during the week and to keep the play active, wildcats were staked throughout the western part of the Fort Worth basin.

East Texas: The Hawkins area of Wood County was given a new test, the first since the yet unopened discovery first showed oil several weeks ago. The new test is about 3 1/2 miles south of the Manziel 1 Morrison.

Southwest Texas: Galveston Bay receives third field as production opened on Fishers Reef prospect, offshore from Chambers County.

South Texas: Cook Mountain sand in Weser area, Goliad County, shows evidence of oil production. New producing area opened east of Orange Grove and new sand opened in Ber Bolk field, Jim Wells County.

Louisiana Gulf Coast: New sand open first crude production in La Pice field, St. James Parish. Lake Salvador field, St. Charles Parish, extended by new sand discovery.

Nebraska: Ohio Oil Co. entered the Falls City basin play in a big way by buying oil wells in the Fall City pool and leases on 65,000 acres from Pawnee Royalty Co., discoverer of the pool.

Kansas: The East Roxbury pool opener in McPherson County was completed for 495 bbl. daily. A wildcat was started in Potawatamie County, scheduled to go to 4,000 ft.

Oklahoma: Wildcat exploration, already represented by 66 outposts in 30 counties, was extended as several tests in widely separated areas were started. A Greater Seminole discovery was being tested in Wilcox sand.

Illinois: An old Devonian producer in the Salem field is to be deepened to the Trenton. Effingham and Perry counties may soon have their first pool.

California: As wells are drilled lower on the structure at Paloma they obtain better results. One is now drilling which, it is hoped, will miss the gas cap.

COMPLETIONS IN ALL FIELDS. (Week Ended November 16, 1940)

Table showing oil and gas completions by state and region for the week ended Nov 16, 1940. Columns include Oil, Gas, Dry Total, 1940 total, 1939 total.

Table showing active oil operations by state and region. Columns include Active operations, Oil completions, Initial prod., Total No. oil wells, Daily av. prod.

Table showing total oil and gas completions for the United States and previous weeks. Columns include Total United States, Total previous week, Week ended Nov. 18, 1939.

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Cornell-Indians Game Was One In Millions, Decision On Last Play

NEW YORK, Nov. 20 (AP)—Anxious that revision of the Cornell-Dartmouth score should not establish a precedent which could become "harmful to the sport, its players and its officials," Commissioner Ash Bushnell of the Eastern Intercollegiate Football Association emphasized today the unique circumstances under which the "fifth-down" mixup at Hanover occurred.

Bushnell pointed out that only when an official reverses his decision on the last play of the game is it possible to accept such a reversal and permit it to change the score.

"In any sport such as football," his statement read in part, "where the game unfolds in a consecutive series of inter-related and interdependent plays, it is manifestly impossible to alter any one of these plays without affecting and perhaps altering every one of them which follow x x x thus the Dartmouth-Cornell game provided the one case in a million in which change could be made without establishing a dangerous precedent, for in it the error which proved decisive came on a scoring play which also was the very last play of the final period."

MAYOR TO WICHITA FALLS

Mayor M. C. Ulmer went to Wichita Falls today to attend a meeting of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce's executive committee.

Form



War-Wounded Return From German Prisons

GENEVA, Nov. 20 (AP)—On the stuffed plush seats of second-class railway coaches, a melancholy caravan of France's war-wounded passed through Geneva today, bound from German prison hospitals to their conquered homeland.

There were 600 of them, the legless, the armless, the sightless and the sick, but they lifted a thin hail, "Vive La France!" and again, "Vive La Suisse!" as Swiss relief organizations fed and comforted them.

It was the fifth trainload of wounded and sick French soldiers released by the Germans to be routed home through Switzerland in the care of the Red Cross and the Swiss army. Four thousand men now have returned to France, but thousands more remain to be repatriated.

R. M. BARRONS TO SPEND HOLIDAYS IN DALLAS

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Barron, and daughters, Mary and Dorothy, will spend the Thanksgiving holidays in Dallas.

Red Killer To Pilot Indianapolis Next Year

INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 20 (AP)—Wade (Red) Killefer, who piloted the Indianapolis American Association club from 1933 to 1937, will be back in the Indians' managerial post next season.

His appointment was announced last night coincident with the recall of manager Jewel Ens to be head coach of the Cincinnati Reds, National League and world champions.

NOTED NEWSPAPERMAN HERE. Dick Williams, noted newspaper writer, is visiting in Midland, while en route from the West Coast back to New York. While here he is renewing acquaintance with Joe Seymour, Midland attorney. The two men met when Williams was a staff reporter on the Clearwater Press but had not seen each other in thirteen years when they met recently in El Paso.

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Son Begs To Compete, Turns In Best Shot

Sonny Harkins, 10, who begged his dad to let him shoot, provided the best feat at Midland's turkey shoot yesterday, getting his bird on the first shot.

H. S. Glenn, director, said that young Harkins' shot was through the turkey's head in the box, one of the most difficult.

Five Midland sportsmen got turkeys yesterday. The shoot continues through Nov. 27.

A pair of rats will produce 68 offspring in a single year.

Women Bowling Team Stages Exhibition

Midland citizens last night had an opportunity to see in a bowling exhibition a women's team that recently competed in state contests at Dallas.

Among 100 entries there, Mrs. B. W. Stevens, Mrs. Bill Davidson, Mrs. Colin Crabb, Mrs. Gordon Bird, and Mrs. Charles Edwards, fared well in fast company.

Mrs. Edwards and Mrs. Bird placed in the money in doubles.

COMMISSION RECOMMENDS ABANDONMENT OF LINES WASHINGTON, Nov. 20 (AP)—An Interstate Commerce Commission examiner recommended today that the Texas Electric Railway Company be authorized to abandon its 52-mile line from Dallas to Corsicana, Texas.

Poor readers—Many children are poor readers, and most poor readers have eyes which are unable to sense words rapidly. Dr. W. L. Sutton, Ophthalmologist, Hotel Scharbauer Bldg. (Adv.)

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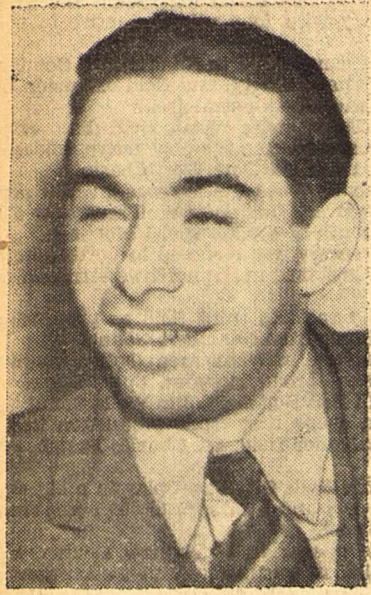
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Advertisement for City Cleaners, offering suits and plain dresses cleaned and pressed for 29c, located at 106 N. Loraine.

Advertisement for Scharbauer Coffee Shop, offering bridge luncheons, banquets, and special parties.

Quizzed By Dies



Heinrich Peter Fassbender, Nazi Gestapo agent, as he was questioned by Chairman Martin Dies at Chicago. Dies said the German agent had been active in the United States for a year.

Little Satisfaction Over Trade Balance

WASHINGTON, Nov. 20 (AP)—America's favorable foreign trade balance reached almost \$1,400,000,000 for the first year of the European war—the highest peak since 1921—but commerce department analysts evinced little satisfaction today over the record.

Interest Growing In Baptist Revival

Increasing interest in the Missionary Baptist revival now being conducted at the tent on S. Main street was reported today.

Traffic Deaths Reach High Mark In October

AUSTIN, Nov. 20 (AP)—State Police today marked up 190 traffic deaths against October, the highest monthly toll of the current year and the largest number of October fatalities on record.

OWNER OF SENATORS REACHES 71st BIRTHDAY

WASHINGTON, Nov. 20 (AP)—Clark (the old fox) Griffith—who is almost as much a part of the capital as the Washington Monument—was 71 today.

Road Bond Election Votes Are Unchanged

Midland County commissioners announced yesterday the official canvass of votes cast in the road bond election as 287 for, 24 against.

Vertrees Shoot Pair Of Deer On Hunting Trip

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Vertrees returned to Midland last night after a successful hunting trip in the Apache Mountains north of Kent in Culbertson County.

Courtney School To Dismiss Today

COURTNEY, Nov. 20 (AP)—Courtney school will be dismissed this afternoon for the Thanksgiving holidays. Most of the teachers have plans to be away during the vacation.

McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

Advertisement for a card game or tournament, listing various cards and a dealer.

By Wm. E. McKenney America's Card Authority

Tournament players throughout the nation were shocked recently at the sudden death of C. F. (Friday) Waltman of Reading, Pa. "Friday" was one of my national tournament directors, and was also secretary of the Keystone Bridge Association.

Waltman sat West. His partners opening lead was won in dummy with the king of diamonds, and declarer cashed the ace and king of hearts and ruffed a heart.

He returned a heart and you can see what happened. Although declarer was out of hearts in both his own hand and dummy, so was East.

Waltman ruffed the ace of diamonds with the queen of spades, and at this point made his smart defensive play.

Occasionally he had an opportunity to enter into competition himself and when he did, he was on his toes. Just recently at the Eastern Pennsylvania Tournament at Reading everyone was talking about his fine defensive play on today's hand.

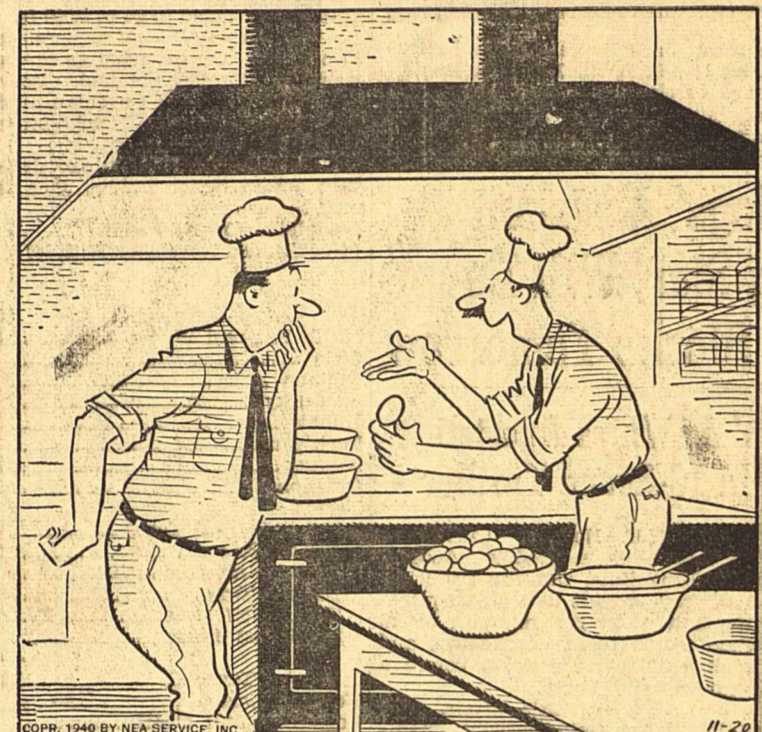
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Funny Business



"For two-minute eggs, sing one stanza of the 'Star-Spangled Banner'—for four-minute eggs, sing two stanzas."

Side Glances

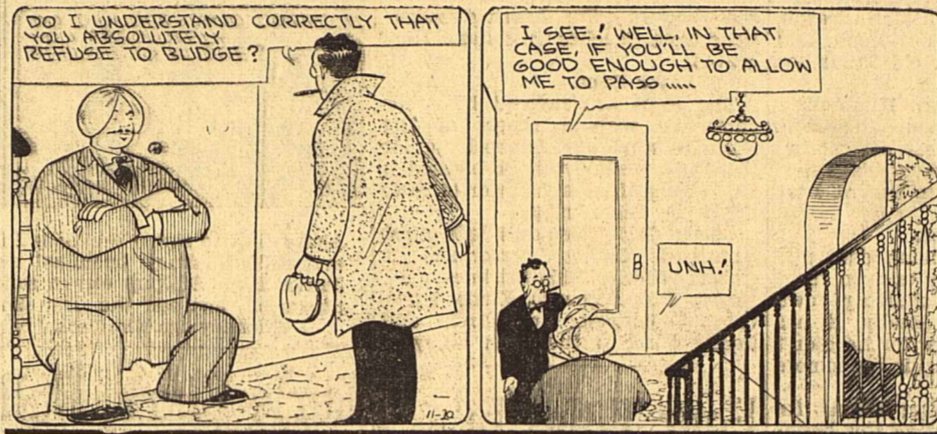


"I thought that would wake him up—now bring on that expensive gown I was looking at yesterday afternoon."

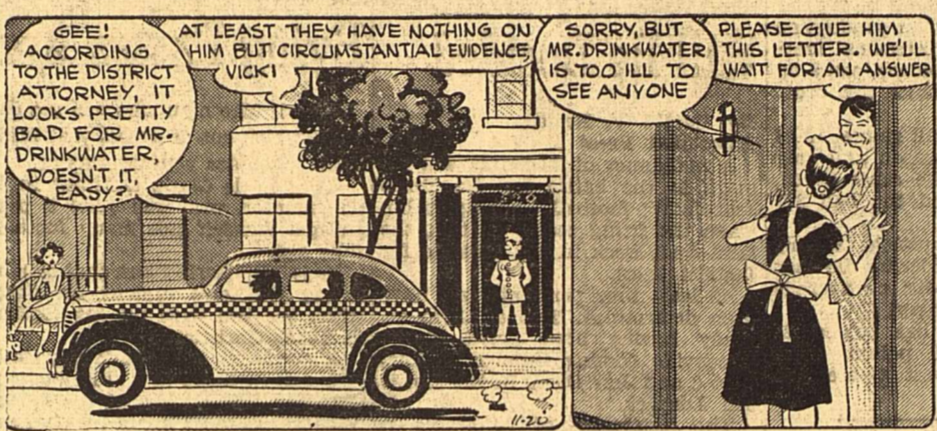
THIS CURIOUS WORLD

Advertisement for 'Cat Spanker' and 'Lake Itasca' with various text and illustrations.

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



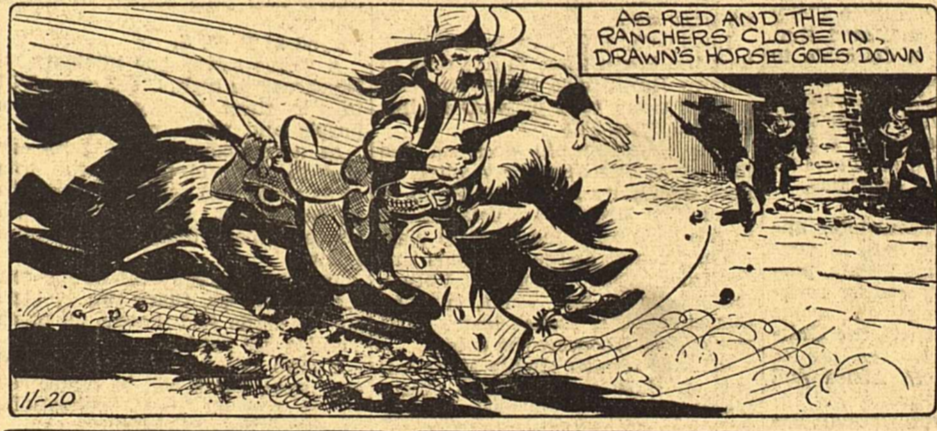
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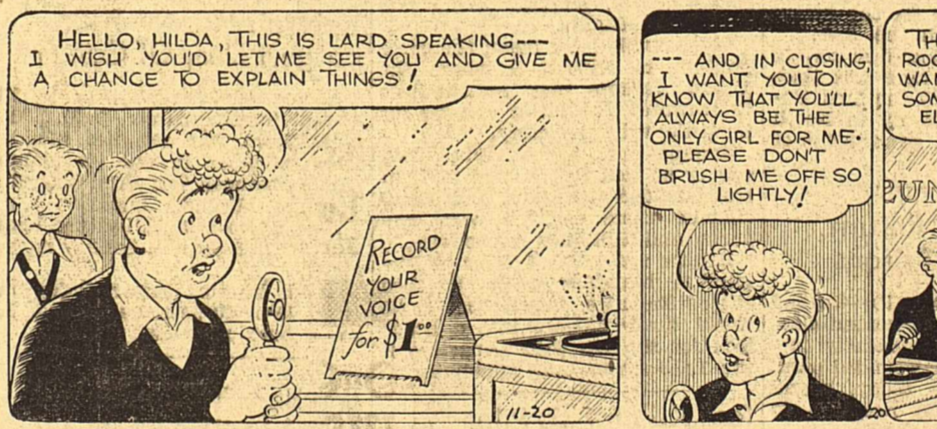
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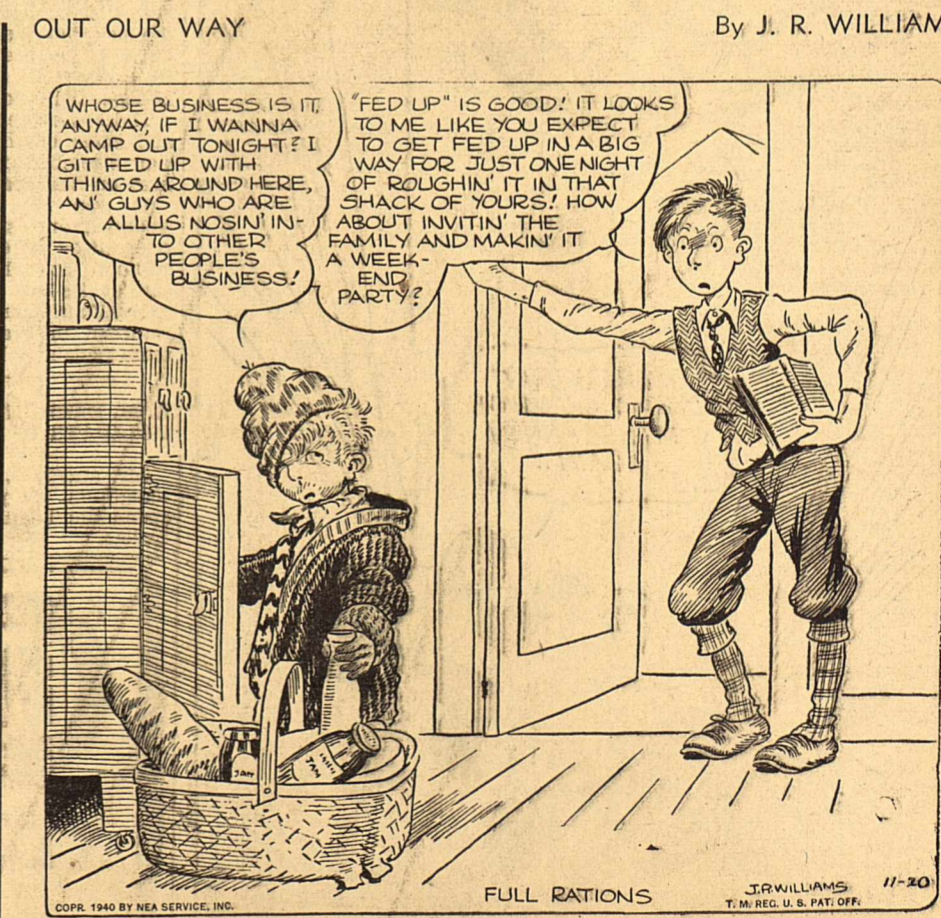
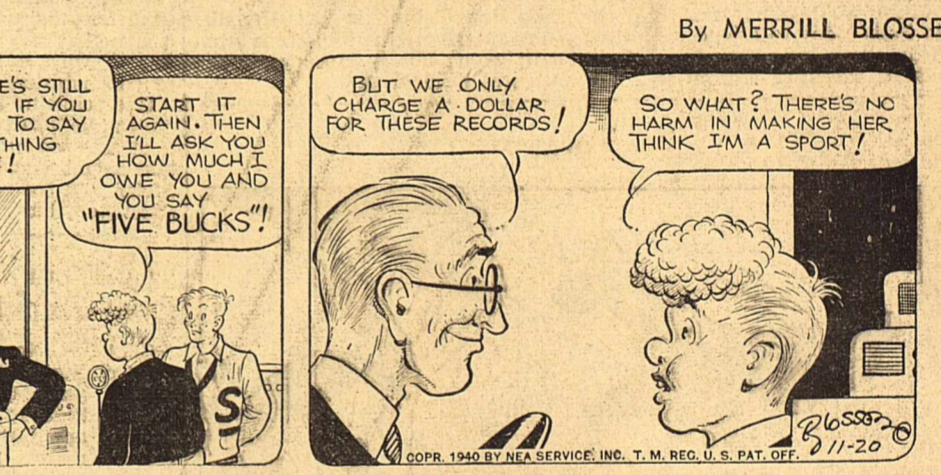
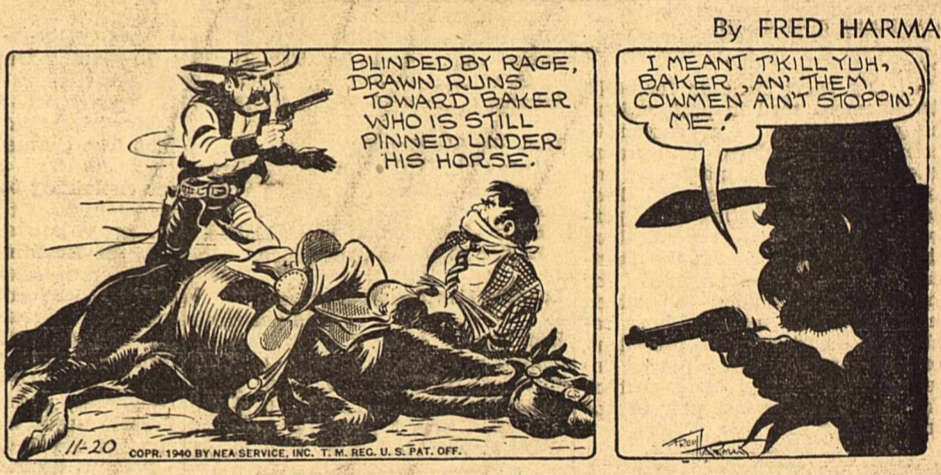
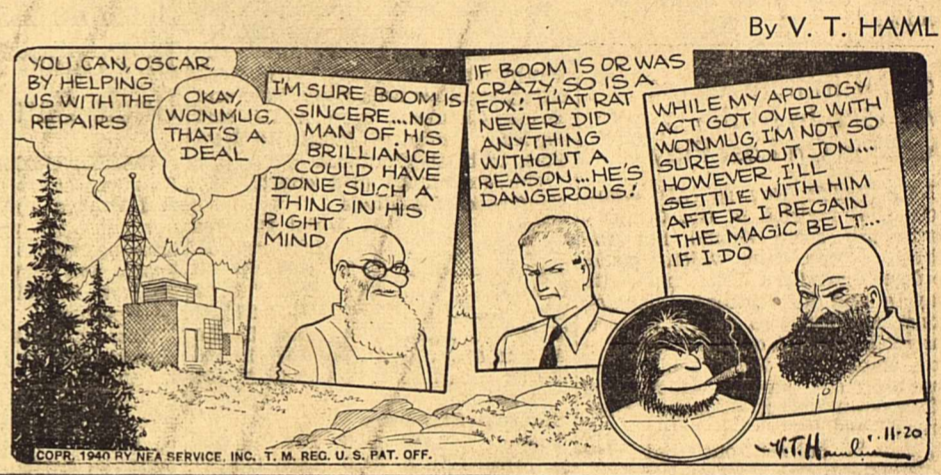
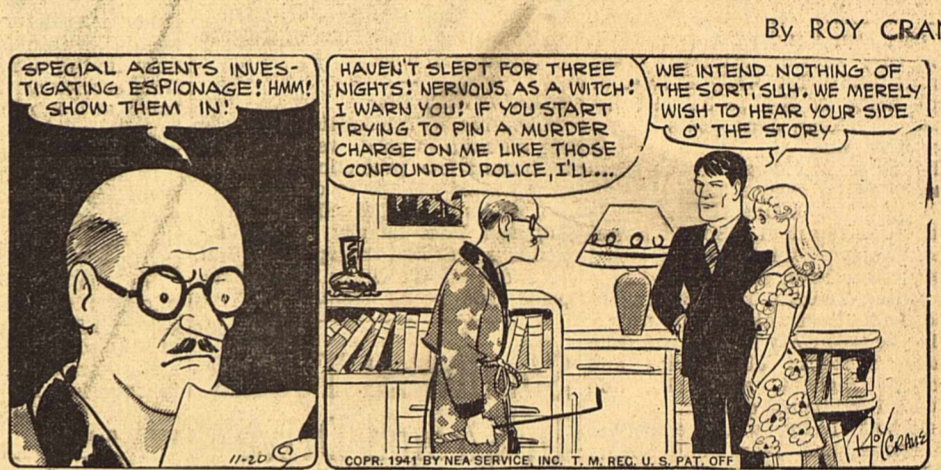
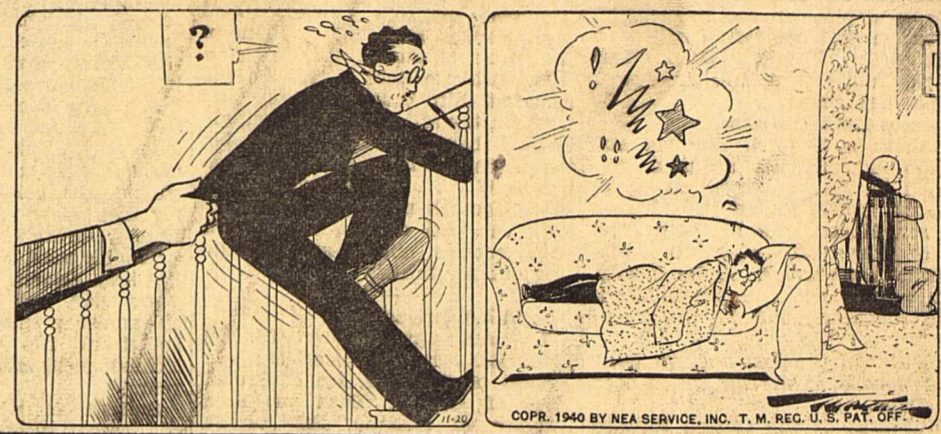
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0—Wanted

AIRPLANE BUILDERS. Texas men needed badly to work in California's largest airplane factory. 10 to 13 weeks training before factory placement. Starting wage 50¢ per hour and up. Part tuition while training, balance after employment. Write for details Anderson Airplane School, Los Angeles, SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE, BOX 975, BIG SPRING, TEXAS. (214-6)

1—Lost & Found

LOST: Diamond set from man's ring, in Scharbauer lobby or near the hotel. Reward offered for return to Scharbauer Cattle Co. office. (219-3)

2—For Sale

ONE midget Shetland pony, 3 years old, and shop-made saddle. B. G. Busbee, Seminole, Texas. (216-6)

REMINGTON 12-gauge shotgun; good condition. Phone 1193-W or 1460. (216-3)

FOR SALE: All the light fixtures just removed to make way for fluorescent lighting; 15 drops, shades and bulbs at a saving of 75% to anyone interested. Wadley's. (216-3)

FOR SALE or trade: 320-acre farm; 270 acres cultivation; 5 miles northeast Midland. V. H. Wyatt. (217-6)

FLASH photos; 3 for 10¢; enlargements; bring the children. 206 East Wall St. (217-6)

CLOSE-OUT prices on used radios to make room for new Xmas merchandise; \$5.00 up. Household Supply, phone 735. (218-3)

PIANO SALE; new, used and repossessed pianos; large selection; discounts up to 35%; easy terms; priced from \$29.50 up; **THIS WEEK ONLY.** Collins Piano Company, 108 West Missouri. (218-3)

SMALL 1939 Frigidaire and Magic Chef cook stove; priced to sell. Call 1442. (219-6)

FOR SALE: Pigs; Bud Gilt; electric Frigidaire; oil cook stove; F-12 tractor; 3-row lister for F-20; one way 8-disc plow; hammer mill; all good shape; exchange for feed, chickens, calves, lumber. Johnnie Graham, Rt. 1, 5 miles southwest Midland. (219-1)

3—Furnished Apts.

NICE furnished apartment; couple only; Electrolux refrigerator. 508 South Main. (218-2)

TWO room furnished apartment; private bath. Phone 853-J, 306 North Carrizo. (219-3)

6—Unfurnished Houses

SEVEN rooms; two baths; double garage; 1805 West Wall. Mims & Crane, phone 24 or 366. (214-6)

SIX room frame; good condition; desirable location. Phone 114. (219-6)

FIVE rooms and bath unfurnished house; 701 N. Colorado. Phone 294. (219-1)

7—Houses for Sale

IMMEDIATE possession; new five room home; 105 Riddlee Drive; just 5 blocks north of elementary ward school; \$366 cash, balance \$26 monthly; open 4 to 6 p. m. today; Barney Grafa, 203 Thomas Bldg., phone 106. (216-3)

SIX room brick; immediate possession; large rooms; 2 baths; double garage; 100 ft. paved front; \$850 cash, balance \$51.00 monthly; located 716 W. Kansas; shown by appointment only. Barney Grafa, 203 Thomas Bldg., phone 106 or 423. (216-3)

FOR SALE: Three room house with bath; \$1400.00. 1804 West Missouri. (218-6)

Call 80 for Taxi

10-a—Room and Board

ROOM and board at Taylor Lodge (formerly Rountree's); hotel service with home environment; excellent meals. 107 South Peccos. Phone 278. 12-1-40

MRS. Alexander's rooming house; close in. One block west of Petroleum Bldg. (216-6)

12—Situations Wanted

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15—Loans

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 102 W. Third Odessa, Texas (12-14-40)

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16—Miscellaneous

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 111 West Wall—Ph. 1440 or 70

MIMS & CRANE
 General Insurance Loans
 Real Estate—Abstracts of Title
 205 West Wall—Phone 24

W. B. HARKRIDER
 Insurance Service
 308 Thomas Bldg. Ph. 18, Res. 229

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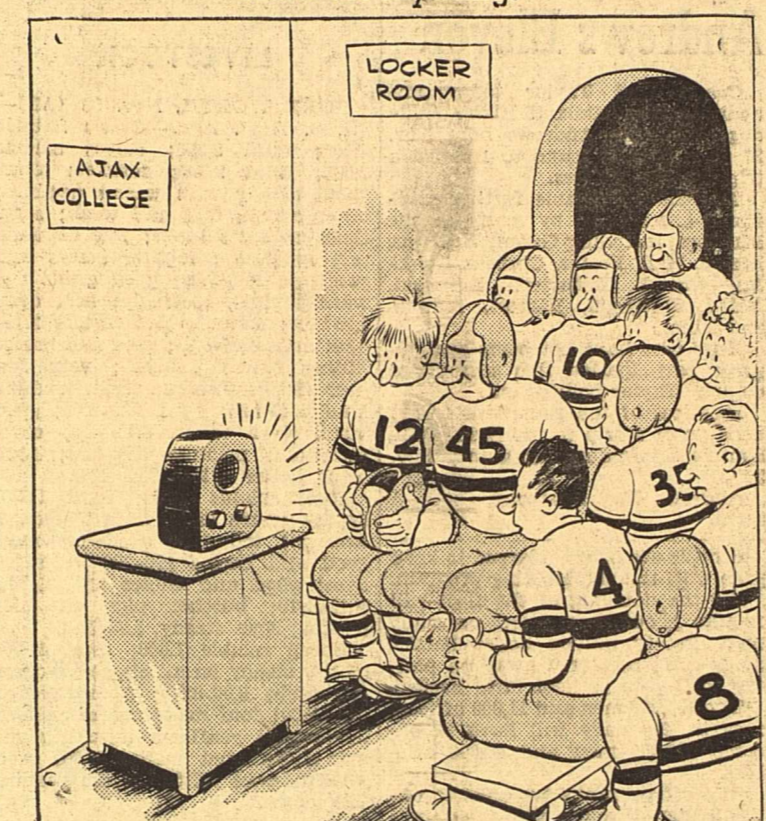
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Sinclair At Texas Oil Hearing



Making a surprise appearance at the Texas Railroad Commission's oil hearing at Austin, was Harry Sinclair, right, head of a powerful group of oil companies, and his organization's general counsel, Patrick Hurley.

AAA REPRESENTATIVES LEAVE FOR MEETING

Representatives from Midland County to a district AAA meeting in Big Spring left this morning. The group will return tomorrow.

FROM FORT WORTH

Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Penn and Mr. and Mrs. Cooper Hyde returned Monday from Fort Worth.

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Council Postpones Regular Meeting

A regular meeting of the Midland city council scheduled at 4:30 p. m. today has been cancelled, the city secretary's office reported. Absence of Mayor M. C. Ulmer, out of the city, prompted postponement.

No immediate business faced the council, which recently voted to meet each third Wednesday in the month.

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THE REPORTER-TELEGRAM

Warfare . . .

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Queen City Struck

As Axis diplomats signed Hungary into a more or less puppet partnership, Britons read in their morning newspapers of still another devastating smash by German night raiders against the industrial midlands—a nine-hour assault on the "queen" city of Birmingham and 13 other cities and towns.

Hitler's high command said 500 Nazi planes stormed the midland belt with more than 1000,000 pounds of bombs, setting "far-visible conflagrations and explosions even more extensive than during the raid over Coventry."

The Nazi raiders, roaring across the channel from bases in Holland, Belgium and France, dive-bombed Birmingham at a rate of more than

one-a-minute.

Dead To Grave

This morning Birmingham presented a fire-blackened picture of ruin, while in nearby Coventry the bodies of 172 of 300 victims killed in last Thursday's town-smashing assault were buried in a common grave.

British bombers carried out a night attack on Berlin, the London air ministry reported, and the Germans acknowledged two raids on their capital but asserted that "each time, only one plane succeeded in flying over the city and dropping a number of incendiary and explosive bombs."

Liverpool was attacked three times overnight, and widespread other targets were hit by the German raiders, but London was said to have had little damage and few casualties.

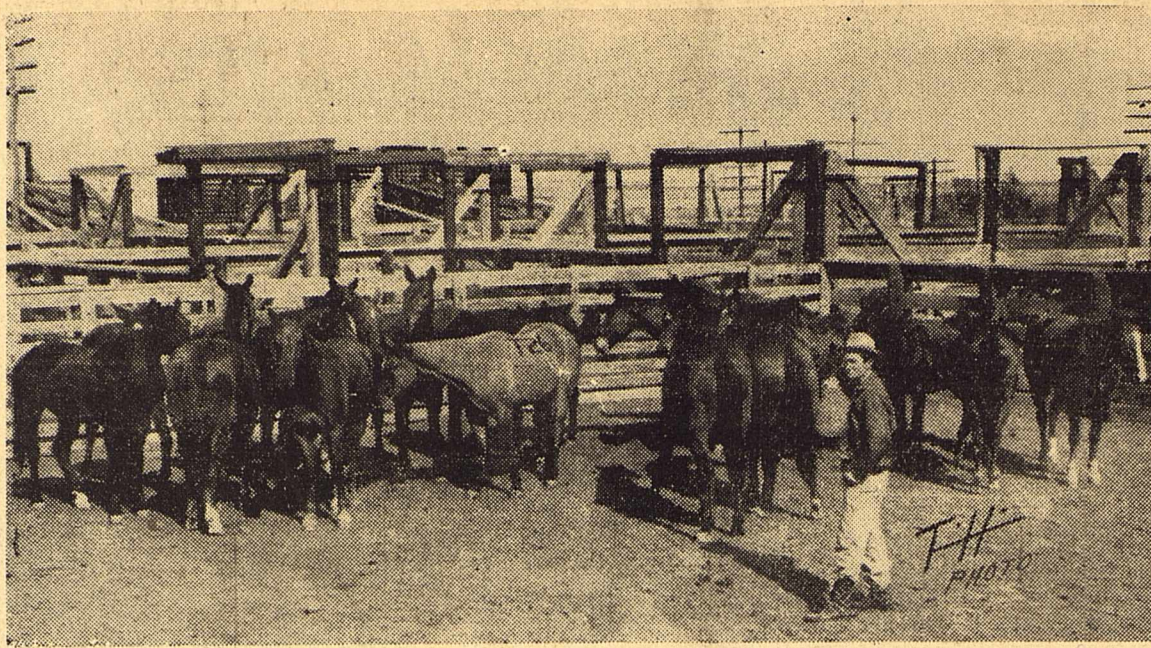
Agriculture Leader Visits Valley View

J. L. Matthews, extension service assistant in agricultural planning, attended a community meeting in Valley View community.

Community meetings are being held in each sector of the county to elect members to the land-use planning board of the county.

Good attendance is reported at meetings conducted. Recreation features are stressed at the meetings, Miss Alpha Lynn, home demonstration agent, said.

Midland Stock To Fort Reno



With the government stamp of approval and corralled and ready for shipping, these 22 head of Midland County horses were loaded yesterday and sent to a government re-mount station at Fort Reno, Okla. Fred Petree, Scharbauer Cattle Company cowboy, stands in the foreground. The stock was bought by Jay Floyd, rancher, from J. O. Noble, Scharbauer Cattle Co., Foy Proctor, Roy Parks, Billy Bryant, Bud Young, and Ralph Geisler.

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American Sailor Is Land Lubber; Best From Inland

(EDITOR'S NOTE: In doubting the size of its navy, the United States is increasing the personnel by three times. Here, in the third of a series of six daily stories on the navy, are revealed many little known and interesting facts about the men who compose our first line of defense. Tomorrow: Navy's guns carry threat to all within eighteen miles.)

By W. B. Ragsdale.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 20 (AP).—The American sailor is a land-lubber at heart.

His background is not the wave-washed coastal cities, but the uplands of the south and middle west, the rolling prairies and the high Rockies.

For these are the regions that furnish the best physical specimens, have the lowest percentage of rejected applicants. Such stations as Des Moines and Dallas are among the navy's most important recruiting points.

Take a look at the average sailor in the United States navy. He's well worth looking at. In these long years since the continental Congress bought six merchantmen and made them men-of-war in 1775, he has built up an enviable record.

Average is 19.

The average American sailor is 19 1/2 years old; 5 feet 3 1/2 inches tall; weighs between 145 and 146 pounds, and has had three years of high school. He is a volunteer, every stitch of him.

To enlist, he must have been either native born or fully naturalized, between 17 and 25 years old, at least 64 inches tall, without dependents and unmarried. He had to furnish a list of employers and teachers, to have proper consent if under 21, and be clear of any police or juvenile court record.

From top to bottom, the navy, in addition to being an every ready fighting machine, is a widely diversified and highly practical university, a place where men learn by doing, and study that they may do more.

Midland To Play Andrews Eleven

Coach Bud Taylor today announced that Midland High's Bulldogs will play Andrews here Nov. 27 in a benefit game to finance a trip for the players.

The tilt will enable further grid-iron participation by many of the Bulldogs, including Green, Williams, Lester, Hall, Foster, Corbett, Conklin, Watson, Robertson, Leftwich, Ward, Davidson, Parrett, Sidwell, and Hines.

Boys who have not completed 10-game participation this season are eligible, Taylor pointed out.

Finances of the game will defray expense of a trip to the SMU-TCU Southwest Conference, game, Nov. 28.

Andrews has a strong Class A team.

Schools are being enlarged to keep pace with the shipbuilding program.

For the doubling of the fleet will require about three times as many men. Eighty million dollar battleships can't be stored away on pantry shelves to be kept until needed.

The 165,000 men and 11,000 officers now in the navy will have to become 460,000 men and 40,000 officers.

The officer ranks are open to enlisted men through the naval preparatory schools which train 100 men each year to join the men the Congressmen send to the naval academy at Annapolis.

Marines Are Part.

With the navy, a part of it, but with such valorous traditions of its own that it is usually thought of as a wholly separate organization is the Marine Corps. Marines do guard duty on every battleship or cruiser, handle anti-aircraft and broadside guns in battle, provide landing crews.

The corps now has 37,500 men at its three stations at Quantico, Va., Parris Island, S. C., San Diego, Calif., or on duty at the hot and dangerous spots around the world; at Shanghai and in North China; at naval station in the Hawaiian Islands, Guam, the Canal Zone and Guantanamo Bay, Cuba; and in small detachments guarding the billion dollars worth of property the navy has in its dozens of establishments.

Today's Markets

LIVESTOCK

PORT WORTH, Nov. 20 (AP)—(U. S. Dept. Agr.)—Cattle Salable 2,100; total 2,300; calves salable 2,000; total 2,200; market: Cows about steady with week's declines; other classes dull and weak; some clean-up sales lower; few common and medium slaughter steers and yearlings 5.50-8.50; good grade upward to 9.50, sparingly; beef cows 4.00-6.00; canners and cutters 2.75-4.00; bulls 4.25-5.75; good and choice killing calves 7.50-8.50; very few over 8.00; common and medium kind 5.25-7.25; culls 4.25-5.00; good stock steer calves 8.75-9.50; common and medium 5.50-8.25; good stock heifer calves 7.75-8.50.

Hogs salable 1,500; total 1,600; mostly 10-15c lower than Tuesday's average; top 6.15, paid for most good and choice 150-200 lbs averages; good and choice 150-180 lbs 5.40-6.10; butcher pigs 4.75-5.25; packing sows steady, 5.25-5.75.

Sheep salable 1,600; total 2,000; mostly steady on all classes; woolled fat lambs 8.00-8.50; woolled yearlings 7.50; four decks summer shorn lambs and yearlings unsold; summer shorn aged wethers 4.00; good woolled ewes 3.75; feeder lambs 7.25 down.

Wool

BOSTON, Nov. 20 (AP)—(U. S. Dept. Agr.)—Inquiries for Domestic wools were more numerous today in the Boston market following the announcement of the government's intention to purchase further large quantities of wool for defense purposes. Quotations on fine and medium domestic wools: Sales of graded three eighths blood combing territory wools were closed at 87-90 cents, scoured basis, and quarter blood combing territory wools moved at 82-85 cents, scoured basis.

Stocks

NEW YORK, Nov. 20 (AP).—Closing price of the fifteen most active stocks today:

US Steel	68 1/8
Int. Pap. & Pow	26 1/2
Anacondi	26 1/2
Republic Steel	22
Curtiss Wright	9 1/4
Gen Elec	33 7/8
US Rubber	24 3/8
Gen Motors	49 5/8
Parr. Plot	9 1/8
Int. Pap. & Pow Pf	67 1/2
NY Central	14 1/2
Boeing Airp	18 1/2
Cons Edis	23 1/2
Am Rad Std San	7 1/8

Cotton

NEW YORK, Nov. 20 (AP).—Cotton futures closed today 13 to 19 points lower.

LOGAN-WALTER BILL MAY GET CHANCE

WASHINGTON, Nov. 20 (AP).—The decisive House defeat of an attempt at adjournment gave the controversial Logan-Walter bill today its long-deferred chance for prompt Senate consideration.

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Stock Leaders Tumble With Late News Of War

NEW YORK, Nov. 20 (AP).—Stock market leaders tumbled 1 to 4 points or so in today's session as a somewhat more bearish tinge to the war news inspired traders to lighten commitments pending tomorrow's holiday when principal financial exchanges will recess.

Steels, motors, aircrafts and pivotal industrial slipped their moorings at the start and sporadic recovery attempts were too feeble to get anywhere in particular.

Transfers for the full proceedings were around 850,000 shares.

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The War Today

By Fred Vanderschmidt

The "new order" which Hitler is painstakingly constructing in South-eastern Europe opens up an entirely new phase in the science of subjugation.

Hungary, induced today with a thunder of drums into the Berlin-Rome-Tokyo alliance, becomes the model. The other stepping stones in Germany's pathway to the near East: Rumania, Bulgaria—and, most important, Turkey—are expected to get successively in step. Greece, because she resisted Italy, may simply be crushed.

The alliance itself and its "one for all and all for one" terms are largely window dressing, in so far as Hitler's real design is concerned.

German Method

The real importance of the method is this: Germany believes she has found a way to get these small nations to pull together their own weight in the Nazi war to annihilate England by making into protectorates, and avoiding altogether the expense, ruin and drain of invasion, military occupation and maintenance.

Vast Nazi armies eat their heads off from Norway's rocky northern tip to the beaches of Brittany. German boots stamp on the cobblestones from Warsaw to Brest. There are beaten, desperate people to be watched, fed, imprisoned.

But in the southeast, on his way to Syria, Palestine and Suez, Hitler means to avoid all that. The states that join his alliance not only will pledge their loyalty politically and economic and military cooperation with the Axis in return for military protection; they will provide money, food, supplies and even men, and keep themselves in strict order. They will have little chance to conceal anything from their overlords, for the terms of the Berlin-Rome-Tokyo alliance provide for "joint" technical commissions to

implement the treaty.

Hungary A Model

Hungary is important, of course, largely as a model. However, there has been indications that something like this was really needed, from the German standpoint, in Hungary—for example, the recent troublesome coal strikes and their internal political repercussions, something that scarcely could occur in a truly totalitarian state.

Now it is up to Rumania, Bulgaria and Turkey, probably in that order.

Rumania has no choice at all. Bulgaria has very little. Turkey is the real nut to crack; with her British alliance her possession of the land bridge to the near East, her clutch on the Dardanelles. But the Nazis are counting on the passive influence of Russia and the overwhelming weight of the "new order" to the north to bring Turkey smartly into parge formation.

Yugoslavia, for the moment, is left for Italy to handle.

In Western Europe, Spain may be expected to join the alliance when Hitler gives the signal, and thereupon to pay part of the price of a German assault on Gibraltar.

As for the other original alliance partners, Italy and Japan, what do they get?

Mussolini, it would seem, gets rescued from Greece, and little else. Japan wins the psychological effect of the alliance on the United States—for what it is worth.

Now Is Turkey Talking Time, But Chicken Tale Wins Share Of Interest

Thanksgiving is the time to talk turkey, but here's a good chicken angle.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mitchell, who live three miles from Midland, decided to drive here and eat sandwiches last night.

Now the Mitchells are proud of their game chickens.

Imagine their feelings when at the drive-in cafe, a car-hop informed them that they were carrying a chicken, and therefore might not need the chicken salad sandwiches ordered.

One of the prize game flock, very much alive, was wedged between the cars' light and grill.

The chicken went squawking into the night and Mitchell, fearful of conclusions, did not follow.

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