

Hungary Says Slavs Ask Peace

Stevenson Forecasts O'Daniel Bill Passage

State Official Confers With Governor On Long Disputed Revenue Plan
BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
AUSTIN, April 15.—Governor W. Lee O'Daniel and Lieut.-Gov. Coke Stevenson conferred today on the status of the former's legislative program and later Stevenson said he believed the legislature would enact a tax bill which would meet the governor's ideas of state requirements.

Behind The Headlines

(Editors Note: In the absence of DeWitt MacKenzie's daily column, the following by Devon Francis of the Associated Press is transmitted as a substitute).
In a war which has produced as many surprises as the one in progress in Europe, generalizations involve more than the usual amount of risk, but it may be safe to conclude at this juncture that German air power has fallen somewhat short of expectations in the Balkans.

Coal Field Gun Battle Is Fatal To Four Persons

Dead Includes Officials Of Kentucky Firm; CIO Workers Had Walked Out
By The Associated Press
MIDDLESBORO, Ky., April 15.—Four men were killed, eight others were in hospitals and an estimated 15 to 20 received medical treatment early today after gunfire in this southeast Kentucky soft coal field.

Columnist's Wife Charged In Ex-Dancer's Death



Mrs. Juanita Barr, wife of Eddie Barr, newspaper columnist, was charged with murder in connection with the slaying of Mrs. Blanche Woodall who was found slain in her apartment in Dallas.

Rome Fails To Confirm Report But Hitler's Blitzkrieg Splits Allied Defense In Greece And Takes City

Yugoslavia Says Axis Armies Encircle Last Of Serbs And British Deny Imperial Forces Are Retreating To Make Swift Water Flight
BUDAPEST, Hungary, April 15.—(AP)—Official quarters said today that Yugoslavia had asked for an armistice.
By The Associated Press
Adolf Hitler's blitzkrieg invaders have cracked the point of the V-shaped allied defense line in Greece, captured the key town of Phlorina in a drive from Bitoli Pass, and forced the British and Greeks to retire to a deeper front in the center, it was acknowledged in Athens today.

Gulf 3-A Tub Is Gauged At 9,500 Barrels Per Day

By Frank Gardner
The record well of the Sand Hills Ordovician pool in Western Crane County was seen in Gulf Oil Corporation No. 3-A J. B. Tubb et al, southwest edge test, when it rated 24-hour potential of 9,500.37 barrels of 36.4-gravity oil and 203 barrels of water.

Midland Gets Rain And Hail

A spring rain and hail storm sent a heavy downpour on Midland and its area last night.
Approximately an inch of rain fell here and hail also fell on some sections of the area.
The rain, whipped by a strong wind, flooded the downtown sector of the city and filled gutters.

Oil Representatives To Inspect Methods

NEW ORLEANS, April 15.—(AP)—Representatives of the nation's oil production, who held a one-day session here yesterday at which time Louisiana entered the Oil Compact Commission for trial, took to the field today for an inspection of Southern Louisiana production methods.

Institutions Bill To Representatives

AUSTIN, April 15.—(AP)—Sliced approximately \$2,000,000 below Senate recommendations, a bill appropriating \$14,345,729 for state eleemosynary institutions for the next biennium was received today by the House of Representatives.

Yugoslavs Dispersed

At the same time the German radio announces that Yugoslav troop transports and concentrations have been dispersed and badly smashed by German bombers.

Court Votes To Re-Hire Young

The commissioners' court of Midland County approved monthly accounts, a progress report of home demonstration work, and canvassed returns of the rural school trustees election in a monthly meeting.

Midland Women Learn Of Uncle's Death

Mrs. Margaret Campbell and Mrs. H. H. Hays have been informed of the death of an uncle, A. N. Broxson, in Josephine, Texas, Saturday night. Funeral services were to be held at Josephine, Monday afternoon.

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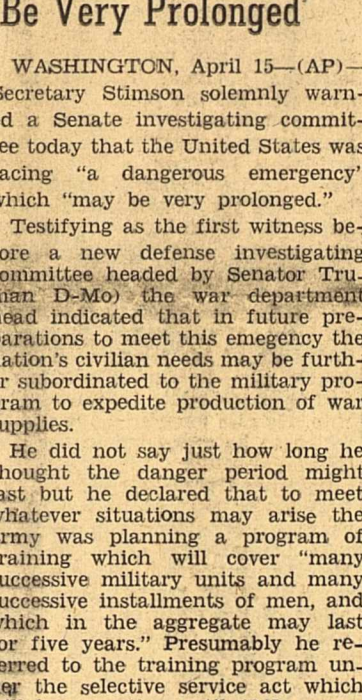
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British Repulse Tobruk Attacks

CAIRO, Egypt, April 15.—(AP)—The British middle east command announced today that 200 Germans were taken prisoner, more than 100 Axis soldiers killed and 15 of their tanks destroyed in a repulsed attack yesterday on Tobruk, Libyan port 80 miles from the Egyptian border.

Permian Convention Goes To Big Spring

LUBBOCK, Tex., April 15.—(AP)—Big Spring was selected as next year's convention site of the Permian Basin Association at the closing sessions of that organization yesterday.

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NEWS AT A GLANCE

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FEWER SHIP REPORTS
LONDON, April 15.—(AP)—The British announced today would issue totals of merchant shipping losses monthly in the future, instead of each week.

HANGS BY THREAD

AUSTIN, April 15.—(AP)—A bill appropriating \$650,000 for 21 Texas junior colleges for the biennium beginning Aug. 31, 1941, today hung to a thread of life as an effort was made to gain House consideration on a minority report.

Soldiers Will Turn On Lights Tonight

The spirit of soldiers of the Provisional Searchlight Battalion was not dampened by last night's rain and hail storm and the unit prepared today to practice this evening if weather permits.

U. S. To Reject Italian Protest

WASHINGTON, April 15.—(AP)—Italy's latest protest against seizure of 25 of her ships in American ports was expected today to meet with prompt and unqualified rejection.

Judge Christian Has Cerebral Hemorrhage

AUSTIN, April 15.—(AP)—Judge George E. Christian of the Texas Court of Civil Appeals today suffered a cerebral hemorrhage during a conference of the court and was rushed from the capitol to a hospital.

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A BIBLE THOUGHT FOR THE DAY
UTTER FAITH AND DEVOTION NEED NO YARD STICK: Therefore we conclude that a man is justified by faith without the deeds of the law.
—Romans 3:28.

We Meant What We Said

"We owe it, therefore, to candor . . . to declare that we should consider any attempt on their part to extend their system to any portion of this hemisphere as dangerous to our peace and safety."
No, that is not President F. D. Roosevelt speaking of Greenland in 1941. That is President James Monroe speaking of the whole Western Hemisphere in 1823.

Experience of the past two years has amply proved that the only way to assure safety in these matters is to move first. The British hesitated to violate the neutrality of Belgium and Holland and Scandinavia.

Denmark need not worry about permanent seizure of the island. The United States does not want it. Whenever a free Denmark is in a position to govern Greenland again, unmenaced by force, the United States will restore it.

Europe and all the lands in it may be merely a set of prizes to be raked in by the strongest, like chips in a poker game. But the lands of the Western Hemisphere are not prizes to be fought over in this way.

Vandenberg Predicts Increased Taxation
WASHINGTON, April 15.—(AP)—Citing comparative revenue figures for Great Britain, Canada and Australia, Senator Vandenberg (R-Mich) told the Senate today that it was time the American people faced the "grim reality" that heavily increased taxation was in order.

Leaders Convene At Morning Meeting
Reports were heard and a meeting held for the Girl Scout study group at the Presbyterian Church this morning.

Oil News . . .
Last two cores, from 6,980-80 and from 6,960-94 feet, showed full recovery of hard lime and shale.

Major Ditton Is Town Hall Speaker
"The New Treaty Bases and the Growing British-American Axis" will be the subject discussed by Major Thomas A. B. Ditton in a Town Hall lecture at 8 p.m. Thursday evening in the high school auditorium.

Stocks Come Back But Toller During Closing
NEW YORK, April 15.—(AP)—Stocks came back after an early slight relapse in today's market but enough selling cropped up at the tail-end of the session to make for irregular trends at the close.

Congratulations to:
Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Countiss Jr. on the birth of a daughter, Monday. The baby has been named Sandra Sue.

LEAVES HOSPITAL
Mrs. James E. Dunn, Jr., was able to go home yesterday from Ryan Hospital.

Duel



Score Victories In Softball Tilts

The Latin-American girls won over the North Side girls in softball and the Mustangs defeated North Side boys and the Mexican boys in a doubleheader in recreation playground activity.

36th Division Padre Made Outstanding Record As Chaplain

By J. B. Krueger
CAMP BOWIE, Brownwood, Tex., April 15.—(AP)—The fighting 36th had its Father Duffy and the famous 36th has its "Padre" Chataignon, a storied priest who faced death in one big war and is ready to do it again if he be.

Announces Tests By U. S. Civil Service

The U. S. Civil Service Commission today announced examinations for several positions. Positions with closing dates for applications are: social worker, May 14; assistant curator, U. S. National Museum, May 14; regional agent and special agent in trade and industrial education, applications will be received until further notice; inspector of coal, December 31, 1941.

Fighter Patrols Drive Back German Warplanes

A SOUTH COAST TOWN, ENGLAND, April 15.—(AP)—Formations of German Messerschmitt 109S were driven back toward France several times by RAF fighter patrols today as air activity of the English Channel reached a bigger scale than had been seen in this area for some time.

Junior High Students Practice On Operetta

Junior high students are working on an operetta, which will feature the closing school exercises. Eighty students will participate. A "gypsy" theme will be used.

Many Legislators Of Texas Think O'Daniel Wants Senator's Seat

AUSTIN, April 15.—(AP)—While the capital today awaited Governor W. Lee O'Daniel's choice of an interim successor to the late U. S. Senator Morris Sheppard and call of a special election, a number of state legislators were of the opinion the governor himself might campaign for the post.

Director Lauds Board Members

State headquarters of selective service complimented work and records of the Midland County draft board and its employees after an inspection here.

Today Is Deadline For Truck Permits

Today is the last day to register trucks, the Midland County tax assessor-collector's office announced. The tax office has received bulletins and literature regarding the registration of trucks under the new weight load limit law.

Family Reunion At Home Of Mrs. Bruce

A family reunion was held at the home of Mrs. Flora Bruce, 802 S. Connell street, Sunday with seven children and 14 grand-children present. It was the first time all children of the hostess had been together in 20 years.

Two Communities To Stage Land Meetings

Two community land use planning meetings are scheduled this week. One at Stokes Thursday night, and the other at Cotton Flat Friday night.

United States Crude Is Up 116,000 Barrels

TULSA, Okla., April 15.—(AP)—Daily crude production in the United States increased 116,630 barrels to 3,627,455 for the week ended April 12. The Oil and Gas Journal said today.

Hold Farm Youth After Father Is Fatally Shot

CANTON, Texas, April 15.—(AP)—James Edward Swain, 13, was held today, County Attorney Trustet Hubbard said, on the charge of shooting his father to death at their farm home in the Cooked Creek community north of here.

Two Negroes Arrested After Wild Car Ride

Officers arrested Evelyn Washington, negro, and Dorsey Smith, negro, in connection with a wild automobile ride, in which the two drove through a service station here and almost struck a workman.

Annual Wildflower Show To Be Saturday, Sunday
The annual wildflower show, sponsored by the state highway department for 11 counties of district 6, will be held in Midland Saturday and Sunday at the North Ward school auditorium.

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Stretches Ducat Into Big Project

PHILADELPHIA, April 15.—(AP)—A \$250 investment in the Irish Sweestakes by a negro family on relief made possible the opening today of a \$150,000 slum clearance project, first of its kind to be privately financed in this country.

Recreation Room Is Pleasant Place—Thanks To Citizens

Generosity of Midland citizens and their interest in the soldiers of the Provisional Searchlight Battalion stationed here is evident in the furnishings of the soldiers' recreation room at 210 W. Texas.

Use of a piano has been contributed by Sanders Furniture Shop, a radio by Cox Appliance Co., and a living room suite and two floor lamps by Barrow Furniture.

Flowers were placed in the room through courtesy of the Midland Garden Club and Vestal's Flowers. Game tables and card tables, dominoes, checkers, Chinese checkers, magazines, and writing supplies have been employed in turning the room into a home-like pleasant gathering place where the soldiers may lounge, enjoy music, write letters or play games during their leisure hours.

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Crane Residents To Vote On County Park

CRANE, April 15.—(Special)—To determine whether Crane County wants a park, the commissioners' court yesterday called an election for May 24.

Flasher Of Life From Our People

By The Associated Press
WHITE PLAINS, N. Y.—William Thomas, 19, received a suspended sentence when he explained why he stole a \$50 typewriter from a community center.

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SOCIETY

Mrs. K. S. Blackford Is Honored By Bridgette Club

Mrs. K. S. Blackford was honored when Bridgette Club entertained at luncheon and bridge games. She is moving soon to Lubbock.

The luncheon was held at the Crawford Hotel. Blue candles in yellow holders lighted the table which was centered with cornflowers and yellow and purple blossoms.

After the luncheon, the group went to the home of Mrs. Lamar Lunt, 1107 W. Indiana, for bridge games.

Mrs. Blackford was presented with a parting gift from the club. High score in the afternoon's play was held by Mrs. A. H. Riley and second high by Mrs. W. B. Stowe.

Present were: The honoree, Mesdames Fred Cassidy, S. O. Cooper, Chas. Duffy, A. E. Horsi, Lamar Lunt, A. H. Riley, and Stowe.

Many Wildflowers May Be Seen Near Here

In response to many inquiries from wildflower lovers the Pecos District Office of the Highway Department issues the following bulletin on drives in the vicinity of Midland:

Wild verbena, buttercup, fiddle neck, tansy aster, copper mallow, huische daisy, bladder pod, galliardia and other wild flowers are now in bloom along and adjacent to U. S. Highway 80 west and east of Midland, and State Highway 158 northwest of Midland.

Because of the fine fall and winter rains there are more wild flowers this year than usual.

It is suggested that if a short trip is desired that one go west on U. S. Highway 80, or northwest on State Highway 158 for 10 or 15 miles.

If a longer trip is desired go to Odessa over U. S. Highway 80, then north of Odessa over State Highway 51 to State Highway 158, then back to Midland over State Highway 158. This trip is 53 miles in length.

And Then!
Dear Betty, I'd like to see you sooner but am suffering from a strain in my neck.

...he went to
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Four Methodist Groups Have Social; Fifth Circle Studies

Four circles of the Methodist WSCS, Belle Bennett, Mary Scharbauer, Laura Haygood, and Winnie Prothro, met at the church educational building, Monday afternoon, for a social. Belle Bennett Circle was in charge of the program and Mary Scharbauer Circle was hostess for the refreshment hour.

The program was on the year-book. Mrs. S. H. Hudkins presented "Educational Trends at Home," bringing out such interesting facts as that one American out of every four is in school or college and that three and a third percent of the nation's adults are college graduates.

Mrs. Frank Prothro discussed "Education Trends Abroad." A roundtable discussion conducted by Mrs. W. E. Chapman, assisted by Mrs. Prothro and Mrs. Hudkins, followed the talks.

Announcement was made of the caravan from McMurry College, Abilene, which will be in Midland July 12-18.

Present were 40 members and two guests. Members were: Mmes. Fred Fromhold, J. E. Custer, Roy McKee, J. F. Nixon, J. L. Tidwell, D. W. Young, W. A. Black, W. B. Hunter, Mollie McCormick, Sam Preston, E. V. Guffey, Geo. P. Bradbury, Jimmie Lott, Ellis Conner, J. M. Prothro, W. C. Hinds, R. P. Simpson, L. F. Joplin, Everett Klebold, E. B. Patterson, Ray Gwyn, J. A. Anderson, J. A. Ferguson, Geo. Vanaman, Chapman, B. F. Haag, A. L. Ward, A. D. Minney, Hudkins, Tom Hurt, J. L. Barber Sr., J. C. Miles, L. T. Fowler, Jesse Lee Barber, Jr., Phil Scharbauer, H. M. Reagle, C. C. Thomas, Oliver Haag, C. P. Wilson, and Douglas Nix.

Viola Holt Circle.
Continuing study of a three-year course on the Bible, Viola Holt Circle met at the educational building.

Mrs. Mayme Stokes was leader for the study on Genesis, chapters 16-21.

A short business session was conducted by the circle chairman, Mrs. Geo. Glass.

Present were: Mmes. Fred Cowden, M. C. Ulmer, Nolen, Stokes, R. B. Cowden, Wallace Irwin, Glass.

Scarlet Coat For Spring



(From R. H. Macy, New York.)
Fresh as spring and very 1941 is the scarlet coat. This one, of flaming red corduroy, is cut on swagger lines, has narrow revers and slashed pockets. The model wears it casually across the shoulders of a navy and white print dress.

THE CURTAIN CALL

News of the Civic Theatre

Who's Who in "Margin for Error"

Cast as Otto B. Horst, "the American Fuehrer" and chief flag-waver (the Swastika flag, of course) and speech-maker of the Bund organization portrayed in Miss Boothie's play, Civic Theatre audiences will applaud the appearance once again of J. A. Deffeyes, who has become an established favorite with Midland playgoers. Deffeyes has to his credit a list of important roles in the company's past productions, his most recent success being that of the cockney bartender in "The Bishop Misbehaves."

In the current presentation Mr. Deffeyes is expected to give a sincere and entertaining characterization of the German-American Bund leader, who, like most lusty propaganda-shouters, is more vociferous than intelligent. Particularly amusing constituents of Herr Horst's make-up reveal themselves when the German consul suggests the leader as a possible martyr for their cause followed by Horst's frightened and confused response that, after all, he is an "American" hailing from Milwaukee, and in the second, "who-done-it" scene where the little Fuehrer keeps assuring the investigators that he has established his alibi.

Watch for "Who's Who in 'Margin for Error'."

FEMININE FANCIES

By Kathleen Eiland

A lover of wildflowers scarcely need do more than step from his own doorway to feast his eyes in Midland now. Vacant lots, ordinarily uninspiring expanses of sand, weeds, and blowing paper, have taken on magic in sheets of spring blossoms. The big white, delicate blossoms that we used to call buttercups but which some say are day lilies are lifting their heads by thousands. The sweet-scented tall weed (or is it wild mustard?) We're hazy on our knowledge of native floral) is lighting up open spaces in the countryside with its yellow brilliance and making the air drowsily fragrant these warm days.

Of course these are only a few of the dozens of species now blooming. They merely happen to have caught our eye most.

If one has a car, the logical thing is to drive leisurely along some highway and look, look, look. By the way, the highway department has obligingly listed some of the drives where most wildflowers may now be seen. (If the editor is not of differing mind from ours it will be in today's paper. Be sure to read it.)

The wildflower shower, sponsored by the highway department, looms on the calendar in the near future. It will be held in Midland and citizens should find it worth going to see.

With the parade of Easter bonnets a thing of the past, Midland women can now settle down to the problem of selecting an all-summer wardrobe.

We applaud those two-piece suits of seersucker from the standpoint of their durability, their good looks, and their ease of laundering (anything to avoid ironing, we say). Ditto for cable nets, 1941 version, because of their distinctive style; light-colored shoes for their gay newness and chic; and wide-brimmed hats for their little-girl look when worn on the back of the head.

There is no lack of beautiful clothes. What is lacking, in too many cases, is the budget suited to them. But then, there's always a fly in the ointment of living.

Training Course Sponsored This Week

Calvary Baptist Church is sponsoring a training union study course this week. Sessions will be held at 7:30 o'clock each evening through Friday.

Monday night's session was omitted on account of rain.

Rev. Fred McPherson, Calvary Baptist pastor, will teach the BAU manual; Mrs. McPherson the BYPU manual; Mrs. Walter Smith the intermediate manual; Irma Tunnell the junior manual; and Mrs. F. D. Spratt is in charge of the story hour.

The public is invited.

Study And Sewing For Red Cross Occupy Circles

Mrs. John E. Pickering taught the lesson on "Women as Callers in the Church" at the meeting of Priscilla Circle with Mrs. B. L. Hoffer, 1110 W. Missouri, Monday afternoon.

Mrs. L. A. Arrington brought the devotional and Mrs. Roy Jones presided at the business session.

During the social hour following the study, a refreshment plate was served, with Mrs. R. W. Graham assisting the hostess.

Present were: Miss Josephine Guly, Mmes. D. B. Snider, Roy Jones, Pickering, Arrington, Graham, and the hostess.

Rijnhart Circle.
Mrs. S. E. Mickey, 608 W. Louisiana, was hostess to the Rijnhart Circle and Mrs. L. B. Pemberton was in charge of the business session.

Mrs. Geo. Ratliff taught the last lesson from "Miracles of the Bible."

A social hour followed the program.

Present were: Mmes. G. W. Brennenman, Ratliff, Pemberton, Glenn Brunson, two guests, Mrs. Ernest Mickey and Mrs. Snyder, and the hostess.

Junior Matrons Circle.
Junior Matrons met at the home of Mrs. R. A. Estes, 917 N. Baird, and spent the afternoon in sewing layettes for the Red Cross.

A business session was held, and a social hour followed the sewing. Present were: Mmes. I. E. Hood, Herrington, G. B. Randolph Jr., Chas. Sherwood, John Casselman, and the hostess.

Coming Events

WEDNESDAY

Banner Sewing Club will meet Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Vinton Newberry, 306 N. Baird.

Children's Service League will have a special meeting at the home of Mrs. W. T. Schneider, 2000 W. Brunson, Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock to discuss plans for a benefit bridge.

Woman's Wednesday Club will meet with Mrs. Andrew Fasken, 1511 W. Missouri, Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Justamere Club will meet with Mrs. C. G. Murray, 609 W. Michigan, Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Tejas del Oeste will meet with Mrs. W. G. Epley, 1501 W. Kentucky, Wednesday afternoon at 1:45 o'clock for a dessert-bridge.

Bluebonnet Club will meet with Mrs. S. T. Cole hostess Wednesday at the usual hour.

Tachies Club will meet with Mrs. J. H. Herd and Mrs. C. M. Linehan hostesses for a bridge-luncheon at the Crawford Hotel, Wednesday.

Alpha Club will meet with Mrs. Roy Downey, 1210 W. Indiana, Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Play Readers Club will have a business meeting with Miss Eloise Norman hostess at the home of Mrs. P. O. Sill, 120 S. Big Spring, Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Red Cross knitting instructions will be given by Mrs. Lloyd Edwards at the children's library in the courthouse, Wednesday morning from 9:30 o'clock until 11:30 o'clock.

Modern Study Club will meet with Mrs. A. H. Riley, 608 W. Cuthbert, Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Junior Woman's Wednesday Club will meet with Mrs. Allen Cowden, On W. Illinois, Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Robyn Junior Music Club will meet at the Watson studio, 210 W. Ohio, Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Home Arts Club will meet with Mrs. Marvin English, 507 N. San Angelo, Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

International Relations group of AAUW will meet at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday evening at the home of Miss Maria Spencer, 502 W. Storey.

Spiritual life groups of the Methodist WSCS will meet Wednesday as follows: Mrs. Moore's group with Mrs. E. V. Guffey, 512 W. Kansas, Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock; Mrs. H. M. Reagle's group with Mrs. Jess Barber Sr., 311 N. Baird, Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock; Mrs. J. L. Tidwell's group with Mrs. J. A. Andrews at 9 o'clock; Mrs. Fannie Barrett's group with Mrs. L. T. Fowler, 111 W. Ohio, at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon; and Mrs. J. C. Ratliff's group with Mrs. Oliver Haag, 1008 W. Louisiana, at 10 o'clock.

THURSDAY
Needlecraft Club will meet with Mrs. Addison Wadley, 1801 W. Holliday, Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

As You Like It Club will meet with Mrs. J. Wray Campbell, 1306

W Ohio, Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Colonial Card Club will meet with Mrs. Rea Sindorf, 801 North D street, Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Lucky Thirteen Club will meet with Mrs. W. N. Cole, 700 N. Marientfeld, Thursday at 12 o'clock for luncheon and to sew for the Red Cross.

Thursday Nite Bridge Club will meet with Mrs. L. H. Tiffin, 308 W. Indiana, Thursday evening at 8:00 o'clock.

FRIDAY
City-County Federation will meet Friday morning at 10 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. Howard Hodge, 1301 W. Missouri.

Friday Knitting Club will meet with Mrs. Clyde Cowden, 111 North D street, Friday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock.

Junior High School P. T. A. will sponsor its annual Amateur Hour at the high school auditorium, Friday evening at 8 o'clock. The public is invited. Tickets are on sale.

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

Red Cross knitting instructions will be given by Mrs. Frank Lewis from 9:30 o'clock until 11:30 o'clock Friday morning in the children's library at the courthouse.

Jollitee Club will meet with Mrs. Marvin English, 507 N. San Angelo, Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

SATURDAY
Tribble 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 Saturday morning at 10 o'clock.

Midland Shell Club will hold its regular spring dance in the Crystal ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer, Saturday night from 10 until 2. Music will be supplied by Leon Hester.

Presbyterian Auxiliary Holds Circle Meetings

New officers were elected at the meeting of the Rebecca Circle of the Presbyterian Auxiliary at the home of Mrs. J. W. Bradberry, 1204 W. College, Monday morning. Mrs. John B. Mills, circle chairman and hostess for the day, presided.

Elected were: Co-chairman, Mrs. Sol Bunnell; secretary and reporter, Mrs. Mal Schraub; treasurer, Mrs. W. H. Allen.

The new yearbooks were issued and reviewed by Mrs. A. P. Shirey. Present were: One visitor, Mrs. V. D. Morris of Goldsmith; four new members, Mmes. Herbert Moore, Harold Berg, D. H. Smith, Joe Dobson; regular members, Mmes. Bunnell, Fred Kotyza, H. E. Bahr, Shirey, Schraub, and the hostesses.

Next meeting will be with Mrs. Bahr, 311 North G Street.

Ruth Circle.
Mrs. L. C. Link was elected vice-chairman, Mrs. Butler Hurley secretary-reporter, and Mrs. Jack Hawkins treasurer at the organization meeting of Ruth Circle at the home of Mrs. Hurley, 1410 W. Indiana. Mrs. D. M. Secor, circle chairman, was in charge of the program.

Mrs. A. Knickerbocker was made chairman of the telephone committee and Mrs. J. M. Caldwell devotional chairman.

A social hour closed the meeting with refreshments served to: Mesdames Secor, Hawkins, C. S. Longcope, C. A. McClintic, R. L. Miller, Caldwell, Link, Knickerbocker, and the hostesses.

CLASS WILL HAVE APRON, FOOD SALE
Loyal Berean Class of the First Christian Church will have an apron and food sale at Safeway Stores Friday, opening at 8:30 a. m.

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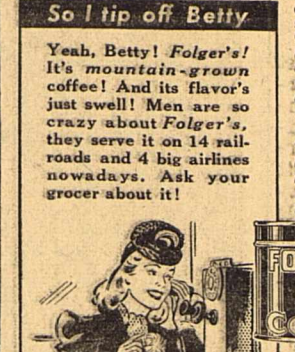
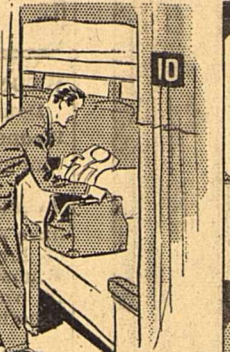
SAN ANGELO, April 15—(AP)—An investigation of two air crashes which took the lives of two flying cadets and an instructor was underway today at the Air Corps Basic Flying School at San Angelo.

Lieut. E. B. Burns, 22, Ecu, Miss., instructor at the flying school, and Cadet F. E. Pogue, 25, Duluth, Minn., were killed at 2:15 p. m. yesterday when their plane plunged to earth from a low altitude and burst into flames 15 miles south of here.

A few hours before, Cadet Raymond L. Stephenson, 22, Sweetwater, died instantly when the training plane he was flying alone crashed on a ranch 25 miles east of San Angelo.

Heard About the Traveling Salesman and the Girl in Lower Ten?

Fresh guy, says I to myself when I see his bags in my berth. But he turns out to be Bill Sturgis who married my old pal, Betty... and he invites me to dinner.



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Mrs. B. W. Stevens is ill at her home, 1109 W Indiana.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE with MAJOR PEOPLE

I HEAR THE MAJOR HAS SIGNED YOU WITH BUZZ-SAW BLOTT! THAT'S LIKE TOSSEING A MAN IN WITH A SIMOON! BLOTT HAS BLASTED SO MANY BLOKES INTO THE PRESS ROW THE REPORTERS WON'T RISK TAKING THEIR TYPE-WRITERS!

GET A LOAD OF WHAT JOE GREWSOM WRITES: "BUZZ-SAW BLOTT HAS NINE PUSHOVERS IN PROSPECT! HE SHOULD GO OVER THESE CHUMPS QUICKER THAN A BARBER WITH A FULL HOUSE ON SATURDAY NIGHT!"

PSHAW, ROSCOE! PAY NO HEED TO SUCH BABBLE! WE WILL CONFOUND BLOTT WITH HIS OWN OVERCONFIDENCE!

BURKE IS THINKING UP AN ANSWER FOR THEM.

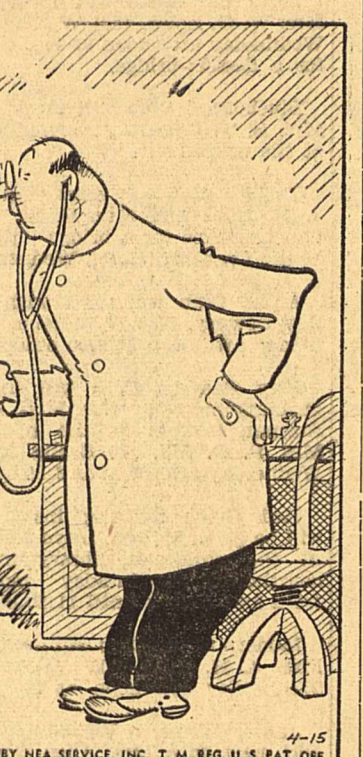
OUT OUR WAY

OH-OH-OH! GROAN! THERE'S A HOUSE FER RENT ALMOST SEES IT... OH-OH! SHE LIVES SO FAR NOW THAT SHE CAN'T USE ALL TH' STUFF IN OUR HOME AN' USE ME FER A BUTLER ER YOU FER A MAID! BUT IF SHE SEES THAT FER RENT SIGN -- OH -- HOH-OH!

WOULD YOU BE KIND ENOUGH TO GO TO THE STORE FOR ME?

WHY MOTHERS GET GRAY

Funny Business



In winning the Eastern team-of-four championship, Oswald Jacoby won his first major event in the past year and a half. Judging from Jacoby's enthusiasm when he wins a trophy, you would think it was the first one he had ever won. Looking over the trophy, I was surprised to note that Charles Lochridge of New York, one of Jacoby's teammates, will have his name engraved on it for the fifth time.

Lochridge's style of play is a little difficult for some partners to handle, but it is equally difficult for his opponents. His tricky bidding and fine play on today's hand helped his teammates win their match.

If South had not bid spades, West would probably have opened the suit, and could have set the contract. South won the club opening and led the ten of hearts, won by the queen. Then a club return forced out South's remaining stopper.

The nine of hearts was led and overtaken with the jack when West played low. Dummy led a diamond, and the finesse of the jack won. Then the hearts were cashed, and a second diamond finesse picked up the king. Thus Lochridge won 11 tricks.

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

...BOOTS... I'M SORRY I HAVEN'T BEEN AROUND MUCH LATELY... BUT YOU SEE...

WHY IF YOU WANT TO PAINT MISS PHILIP'S PICTURE...

BUT I DON'T WANT TO! THE ONLY REASON...

REALLY I DON'T SEE WHY YOU SHOULD FEEL CALLED UPON TO EXPLAIN...

OH JEFF!

By EDGAR MARTIN

Russian Palace Will Be Highest Building

MOSCOW.—(UP)—The Palace of the Soviets, now being built as a monument to Lenin, will be the tallest structure in the world when it is completed.

Work is proceeding briskly, reports Tass, the Soviet news agency. The foundation of the main building, consisting of two great ferro-concrete concentric rings, has been laid. Steel work is going forward.

The palace was designed by V. Gelfreich, B. Iofan and V. Shchuko. The architectural work is being carried on by Gelfreich and Iofan since the death of Shchuko. Its site is on the left bank of the Moscow river.

In an interview with Tass correspondent, Chief Architect Iofan said:

"We conceive the Palace of Soviets as a monument to the genius of Lenin. It will be an immense edifice, 1,365 feet high, crowned by a statue of Lenin 328 feet high.

Side Glances



"Now, I'm never going to get married—it would be too much of a disappointment to the other women I know."

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KRLH PROGRAMS

- TUESDAY.
- 6:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., MBS
 - 6:15—Here's Morgan, MBS
 - 6:30—Peggy and the Boys, MBS
 - 6:45—News, TSN
 - 7:00—Wythe Williams, MBS
 - 7:15—Selective Service, MBS
 - 7:30—Neil Jordan, MBS
 - 8:00—David Cheskin's Orch., MBS
 - 8:15—From Mexico City, MBS
 - 8:25—Musical Interlude, MBS
 - 8:30—Morton Gould's Orch., MBS
 - 9:00—Raymond Gram Swing, MBS
 - 9:15—Half and Half, MBS
 - 9:45—Symphonic Concert, MBS
 - 10:00—News, TSN
 - 10:15—Pabst Sport Cast, TSN
 - 10:30—The Den Orch., TSN
 - 10:45—Orrin Tucker's Orch., MBS
 - 11:00—Sign Off.
- WEDNESDAY
- 6:30—Dawn Parade
 - 7:30—News, TSN
 - 7:45—Desert Drifters, TSN
 - 8:00—News, TSN
 - 8:05—Rainbow Trio
 - 8:20—Standard Male Chorus
 - 8:45—What's Doing Around Midland
 - 9:00—Crystal Sings, MBS
 - 9:15—John Agnew, MBS
 - 9:30—Voice of Romance, TSN
 - 9:45—Easy Aces, TSN
 - 10:00—Neighbors, TSN
 - 10:15—Our Gal Sunday, TSN
 - 10:30—Love Songs of Today, TSN
 - 10:45—Recorded BBC News, MBS
 - 11:00—News, TSN
 - 11:05—Conservation of Vision, KBST
 - 11:20—Meet the Band
 - 11:30—Wayne West, Sports, MBS
 - 11:45—Man on the Street
 - 12:00—News and Market Reports, TSN
 - 12:15—Luncheon Melodies
 - 12:30—Frankie Carlo, Piano
 - 12:45—Organ Melodies, TSN
 - 1:00—Cedric Foster, MBS
 - 1:15—Gail North, TSN
 - 1:30—We Are Always Young, MBS
 - 1:45—Edith Adam's Future, MBS
 - 2:00—Helen Holden, MBS
 - 2:15—I'll Find My Way, MBS
 - 2:30—B. Nichol's Hawaiians, MBS
 - 2:55—Musical Interlude
 - 3:00—News Market Reports, TSN
 - 3:15—Health Program
 - 3:30—The Johnson Family, MBS
 - 3:45—Your Sissy Friend, TSN
 - 4:00—Roy DeVoife, Pianist
 - 4:15—Shafter Parker, MBS
 - 4:30—Today's Hit Tunes
 - 5:00—Rough Riders
 - 5:30—Recorded Athens News, MBS
 - 5:45—Lest We Forget

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson

FOUR MEN IN THE U.S., KNOWN AS FEDERAL TEA EXAMINERS, EACH WITH AN ACUTELY DEVELOPED SENSE OF TASTE AND SMELL, ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR TESTING ALL THE TEA CONSUMED ANNUALLY IN EIGHT OUT OF TEN AMERICAN HOMES.

BELGIAN HARES ARE RABBITS, AND COTTONTAIL RABBITS ARE HARES.

ANSWER: Bees and silkworms.

NEXT: What did Daniel Boone wear on his head?

WASH TUBES

AN AVIATOR CRASHED AT SEA. THEY'RE RESCUING HIM.

OH, HOW THRILLING! I JUST ADORE RESCUES!

TO THE EMERGENCY ROOM BOYS!

SOON AS THEY LEAVE, NELLIE, CLOSE AND BOLT THE DOOR.

WELL, YOUNG MAN, THIS IS SENIOR CASTRO.

DELIGHTED! WE WATCH FROM THE PORT HOLE. YOU WERE MAGNEEFICENT!

By ROY CRANE

ALLEY OOP

PIRATES, YOU'LL HAVE TO TAKE MY WORD FOR IT... WE'RE CLEARING OUT RIGHT NOW!

EH? HEH! I'D LIKE TO STICK AROUND AN' SEE JUST HOW TOUGH THEY ARE!

NO... THEY'RE BOUND TO SEE OUR FOOTPRINTS ON THE BEACH AND COME LOOKING FOR US.

DANG IT, DOC, HAVEN'T WE GONE FAR ENOUGH?

... WE CAN'T GO TOO FAR TO... GOOD HEAVENS, WHAT'S THAT?

YEAH! BOOOO! BOOOO! BOOOO!

By V. T. HAMLIN

RED RYDER

YEAH, RYDER, IT MUSTA BEEN TH' FOX THAT TRIED TO KILL YOU! IT'S NO SECRET YOU'RE LOOKIN' FOR HIM!

YEAH, DECKER, I AM TO FIND HIM!

WELL, GOOD LUCK TO YOU! I GOTTA BE GOIN'. DROP IN THE CABOOSE ANY TIME!

I NEVER SAW HIM SO FRIENDLY BEFORE, RED!

Hmm... HE KINDA TOOK TH' WIND OUTA MY TALK! I EXPECTED A FIGHT WITH HIM!

ME STILL THINKUM HIM BAD OUTLAW CALLED FOX!

WELL, ADIOS, CHARLENE! I'M BOARDIN' TH' GOLD STAGE... FIGURE ME AN' TH' FOX... OR DECKER... MAY MEET UP AGAIN BEFORE TH' DAY IS OVER!

By FRED HARMAN

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

THIS IS INDEED A PLEASURE! I HARDLY EXPECTED SUCH A PLEASANT SURPRISE!

YOU DEVASTATE ME, STRANGER! WHAT DID YOU EXPECT--A MONA LIZARD?

OH, I SAY-- THAT'S RICH! I FIND YOUR AMERICAN EXPRESSIONS QUITE REFRESHING!

SELWYN COMES FROM A PLACE CALLED DRIPPING-- ON-- THE VERANDA!

OR WAS IT TRIPPING-- ON-- THE KIMONO?

BUT HE'S NO DRIP, ARE YOU, SELWYN?

I SINCERELY HOPE NOT! I SHALL TRY EARLY-- ESTY-- TO MEASURE UP ADEQUATELY!

LIKE HIM?

HE'S TOO, TOO PERFECTLY! BUT I CAN HARDLY UNDERSTAND A WORD HE SAYS-- EVERY TIME HE SPEAKS, I JUST ABOUT SWOON!

By MERRILL BLOSSER

Classified

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FURTHER: information will be given readily by calling 7 or 2.

Personal 3

PHONE 1672 for morning delivery of San Antonio Times, Abilene Reporter, El Paso Times, El Paso Herald-Post, Fort Worth Press, Grubb News Agency, 322 South Big Spring. (4-21-41)

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY WANTED

WANTED to buy or invest in live going business in or near Midland. Box 111, Reporter-Telegram. (31-3)

Lost and Found 7

LOST: Young Irish Setter; answers to "Lady"; reward. C. A. Mix, 1001 W. Storey, phone 814. (32-3)

Situations Wanted 10

EXPERT carpenter work; estimates cheerfully given. Phone 859-J or 111. (5-2-41)

RENTALS

Room and Board 11

ALEXANDER'S dining room; one block west Petroleum Building, 121 North Big Spring. (30-6)

TAYLOR Lodge; rooms with lavatories; baths with tub and shower; meals optional. 107 South Pecos, phone 278. (21-12)

Bedrooms 12

CHEERFUL bedroom in brick home; adjoining bath. Phone 1046 or 714 West Storey. (21-1f)

BEDROOM; southeast; private entrance; adjoining bath; garage. Phone 1031, 510 W. Watson. (31-2)

LARGE well furnished bedroom; private home; close-in; 522 W. Missouri. Phone 1259-W. (28-6)

NICELY furnished front bedroom; private bath and entrance; very reasonable. Phone 1276. (32-1)

EXTRA large nicely furnished bedroom; adjoining bath; private entrance with garage; 1604 West College. Phone 24 or 366. (30-3)

LARGE garage room with bath; men preferred. 910 North Louisiana. (30-3)

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Bedrooms 12

NICE bedroom for girls; two blocks from Petroleum Building; 217 W. Tennessee. Phone 271. (31-2)

SOUTHWEST bedroom; private entrance; adjoining bath. Phone 1500 or 472-W, 403 West Storey. (30-6)

NICELY furnished southeast front bedroom. Adjoining bath; reasonable. Phone 480-W. (31-2)

Furnished Apartments 14

NICE clean rooms and apartments; reasonable; close in. 321 South Baird. Phone 1098-W. (5-1f)

FURNISHED apartment; close in. Inquire at 407 W. Missouri. (31-3)

LARGE four room apartment. Well furnished and garage. 311 North Marienfeld. (31-4)

NICE four room duplex; bath. 411 N. Marienfeld; apply 407 N. Marienfeld. (31-3)

TWO-ROOM garage; large porch; bills paid; Frigidaire; \$20. 1010 West Illinois. (32-6)

Phone 555 Yellow Cab Company

Houses 16

FOR RENT: Five-room two-story house. Phone 1062 or 1074. (29-1f)

FOR RENT: Small furnished house; \$15 month; 1309 West College. Apply 1908 West Wall after 6 o'clock. (30-6)

Furnished Houses 17

SMALL furnished house; utilities paid. 1306 South Loraine, telephone 1614. (30-3)

FOR SALE

BUTANE Gas; phone 420; Box 1381 Midland. Garden City Butane Gas Co. (293-24)

REAL ESTATE

Houses for Sale 61

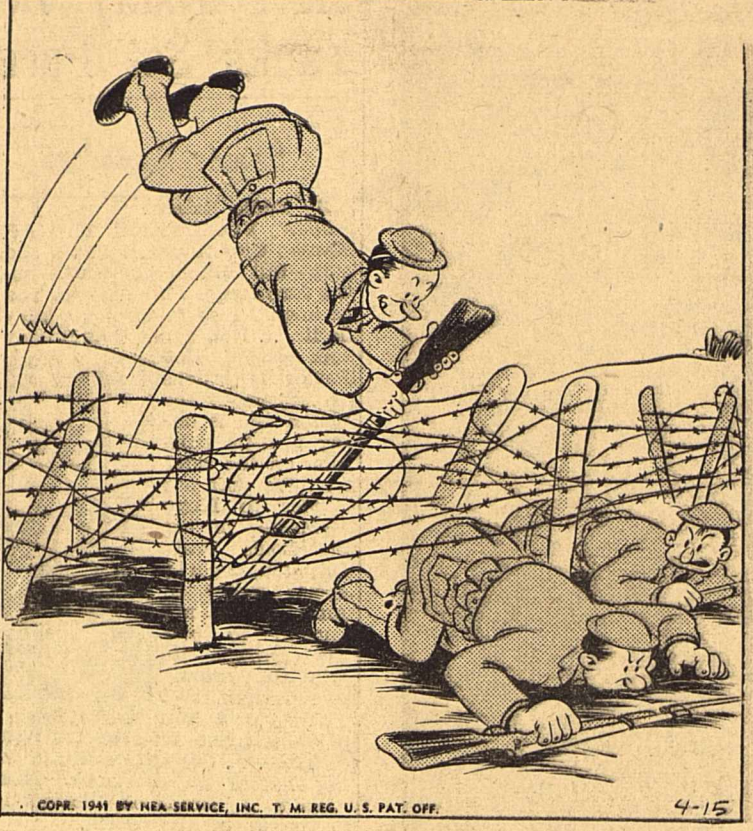
RIDGLEA

MIDLAND'S newest and most sensibly restricted addition; facing onto Country Club golf course; 5 houses being completed and 4 more to begin construction this month; see these home sites today, choose the one you like, then see your contractor; 10% down will buy your lot and build your home.

BARNEY GRAFA
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Phone 555 Yellow Cab Company

Hold Everything!



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Houses For Sale 61

Immediate Possession

PRACTICALLY new 5-room frame home; North D Street; large lot; double garage; only \$350 cash; balance like rent; also 5-room frame; one block north of elementary ward; only \$300 cash; balance less than rent. See

BARNEY GRAFA
 203 Thomas Bldg. — Phone 106 (30-3)

Farms for Sale 63

FOR SALE: 1-2 section land; 3 miles southwest of Midland. Oswald Philipp, Route 1. (31-3)

Ranches for Sale 64

FROM one to nineteen section ranch; 2 section well improved net wire fence; bargain. Pearl Boone, phone 1276. (32-1)

Real Estate Wanted 67

WANTED: Five or six room house near grade school. Address Box 110, The Reporter Telegram. L. P. McCasland. (27-1f)

Legal Notices 68

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that the Commissioners' Court of Midland County will receive competitive bids up to 10 A. M. on Monday, April 28th, at the Court House in Midland, Texas, on one or more full Diesel Crawler Type Tractors of not less than 80 draw bar horse power, to weigh not less than 24,000 pounds. Tractors to be equipped with double drum winch.

The court reserves the right to reject any and all bids. (April 15-22)

Nazi Chief Recognizes Yugoslav's Croatia

BERLIN, April 15—(AP)—Adolf Hitler formally recognized the new independent state of Croatia today in a telegram to Ante Pavelic, veteran Croat leader.

It was announced that Croat and Axis representatives would meet to discuss mutual problems, including the designation of boundaries.

Stocks

NEW YORK, April 15—(AP)—Closing prices of the fifteen most active stocks today:

Warner Bros. Pict	3 1/2
United Corp	3/4
Aviation Corp	3
US Steel	51 1/2
South Pac	9 5/8
Pullman	26 3/4
Am Rad & Std San	6 1/8
Gen Elec	40
Republic Stl	17 1/2
Anacosta	22 7/8
Param Pict	11 1/2
Int Pap & P	12 5/8
Chrysler	59 1/8
Atchison T & Sf	24 1/2

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SERIAL STORY

LOVE POWER

BY OREN ARNOLD

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YESTERDAY: Dr. Robert Hale, young scientist, and his assistant, Leana Sorni, stand in awe of the modern miracle they have performed. Hurdled, they look their laboratory, plan to place a guard over their secret. Meantime, Dr. Hale has advertised for a secretary. At his office he finds Carolyn Tyler, beautiful, charming, salary is no item, but he warns her of the secrecy, the danger that must surround her work. She is not afraid. "But this," Dr. Hale continues, "is something that will revolutionize civilization!"

CHAPTER II

"THIS can be your desk. It's by a window. . . . Your typewriter needs a new ribbon. . . . Your notebook can rest on the desk arm, thus. . . . I can lower your chair, you are not as tall as I. . . . If I walk about as I dictate, don't be distracted, please. . . . You must weigh about 120 pounds, don't you, Miss Tyler?"

It was Carolyn's first chance to get in an answer. He had been speaking in a monotone, getting her settled with meticulous attention to details.

"Only 118," she corrected. Then added, half amused, "Must I pass a physical test, too?"

"Oh, no! I—was just noting how becoming your street dress is. I am sensitive to all sorts of phenomena. It is unimportant at the moment. Immediately, we must hire a guard. Men, with guns. I have no idea where to get them!"



"Listen, Ken—" Carolyn spoke earnestly. "Stop whatever you're doing. Buy rifles, pistols. And get a dozen trusted men to use them."

Carolyn looked her surprise. She noted that he was gazing off now, frowning. Something inside her told her to take the initiative; here, maybe, was her chance to make good with him at once! An exceptional job with exceptional pay, the advertisement had said. Well, it meant she had to use her head, no doubt.

"I'll get them," she volunteered blindly. "How many men, Dr. Hale? And what salaries? And where—?"

"Oh, why, any salary necessary. You must understand that money is no object here now, Miss Tyler! We are amply financed. We have something of transcendent importance. All former requisites, all of human thinking, must be reorganized so as to—"

"Goodness! Then, no doubt, we can buy the necessary guns. What kind? And how many?"

"Why, a dozen men at least. On all sides of the main laboratory yonder to see that absolutely no one even approaches the place night or day."

"When?"

"It is extremely important, Miss Tyler!"

"Ken!" she greeted a tall young man. "You—you brought them?"

He nodded. "Nearly \$700 worth. And C. O. D., if I may be so bold as to—"

Dr. Hale didn't even hesitate. He just wrote a check and gave it to Ken Palmer. Together the three went outside. Twelve men were waiting, mostly young men of excellent physiques.

"Happens the police department keeps a waiting list," Ken Palmer explained. "Up to 100 applicants for jobs on the force. Men who have passed rather rigid tests already. I was able to get a dozen in a hurry. I'd do anything Carolyn asked, Dr. Hale! I hope you treat her right out here."

"Hush, Ken! And thank you ever so much!"

They stationed the guard at Dr. Hale's direction. It took half an hour more. Soon after 6 o'clock, though, Carolyn and Robert Hale were back in his office at dictation again, which surprised her.

Things had moved with incredible swiftness since she nervously came out here at 3 o'clock, one hour ahead of her appointment. She had no idea what to expect next. A sense of excitement, too vague to understand but too emphatic to ignore, charged the air around this great laboratory and office here on the outskirts of town. Curiosity in Carolyn was at the steaming point, too, so that she had some difficulty maintaining a business-like poise.

At 7 p. m. Dr. Hale was droning on, using more and more scientific terms in his dictation. Her fingers were growing tired. Then all at once he surprised her again.

"Who is this Mr. Palmer?" he asked.

"Ken?" she looked up and smiled. "Oh, Ken's just a boy in love with me."

Dr. Robert Hale, scientist, slowly frowned. "Astonishing."

"Astonishing that a boy should be in love with me?"

"No, no! I meant, it is astonishing how your—you eyes distract one. The, uh, pigmentation is—"

He paused, awkwardly.

Carolyn squelched a quick little smile of amusement, tucked in her lower lip. Her distinguished employer was more than a scientist, she realized; he could be intensely interesting. And human. (To Be Continued)

SALVATION ARMY LEADER

HORIZONTAL

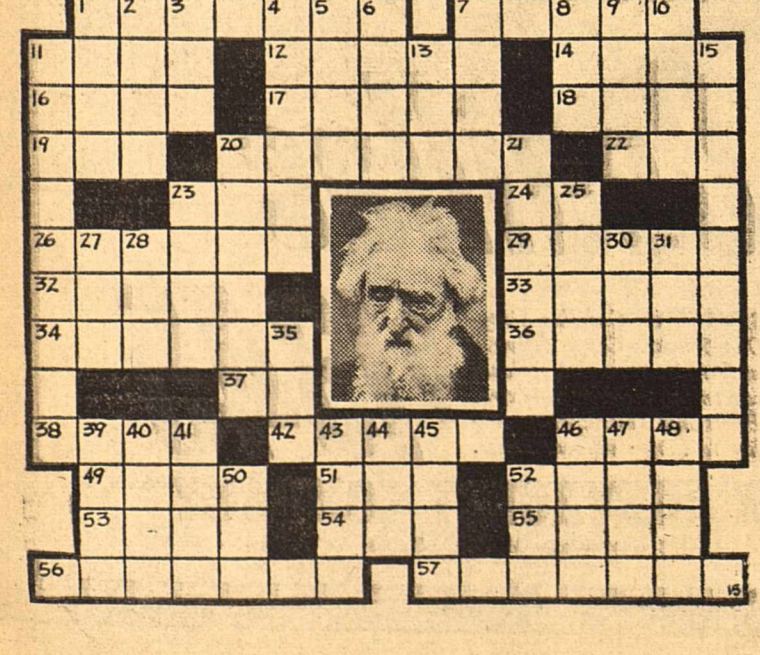
1, 7 Pictured Salvation Army head.
 11 Signal system.
 12 Bird.
 14 Lion's home.
 16 Booty.
 17 Pertaining to love.
 18 To plunge into water.
 19 Measure of length.
 20 His organization title.
 22 Commanded.
 23 Stout.
 24 Electric unit.
 26 Green vegetation.
 29 To make amends.
 32 To submit.
 33 Flightless birds.
 34 Melted.
 36 Pitchers.
 37 Ancient god.
 38 Wood demons.

Answers to Previous Puzzle

15 Remedied.
 20 Male goose.
 21 His daughter was also a member of the Salvation Army.
 23 Hat material.
 25 To pack away.
 27 Stream.
 28 Snaky fish.
 30 Poem.
 31 Neither.
 35 Part of a lock.
 39 Too.
 40 Balsam.
 41 Early.
 43 Teller of untruths.
 44 Circle part.
 45 To surfeit.
 46 Entrance room.
 47 Toilet box.
 48 Brinks.
 50 Cot.
 52 Titmouse.

VERTICAL

1 Sheep's coat.
 2 Ehny.
 3 To permit.
 4 Small islands.
 5 Soon.
 6 Mud.
 7 Arabian jasmine.
 8 Ancient.
 9 Coat end.
 10 Bees' home.
 11 He was a—
 12 He was—
 13 Nominal value



Answers To Cranium Crackers

Questions on page 2

1. An 1,800-pound tuna, caught by rod and reel in 1934 off Nova Scotia, holds the record. By any method, a whale shark weighing 26,594 pounds, caught in 1912 off Florida. A 115-ton blue whale (sea mammal) was caught in the Antarctic in 1927.

2. More fish (1 1/4 billion pounds) are caught annually in California than in any other state. Massachusetts, with 537 million pounds, is runner up.

3. The wall-eyed pike is of the perch family. The northern pike and pickerel are of the pike family.

4. The Dolly Varden is a bull trout.

5. The O'Shaughnessy is a strong type of hook Julianna Berners is credited with writing the first fishing book, in 1496.

Postpone Meeting Of C. Of C. Committee

Postponement of the scheduled meeting tonight of sub-committee chairmen charged with the staging of the city-wide clean-up campaign the first week in May was announced this morning by Miss Elma F. Graves, chairman of the city beautification committee of the Midland Chamber of Commerce. The meeting will perhaps be held later in the week.

First National Bank Buys Two Paintings

Two pictures from the collection shown here last week by Dr. Carlton Palmer were purchased by the First National Bank.

One is a colorful painting of Taos Canyon in New Mexico, by Fremont Ellis, bright with autumn gold and blue. The other shows a pack train led by a palomino horse, painted by Paul Salisbury.

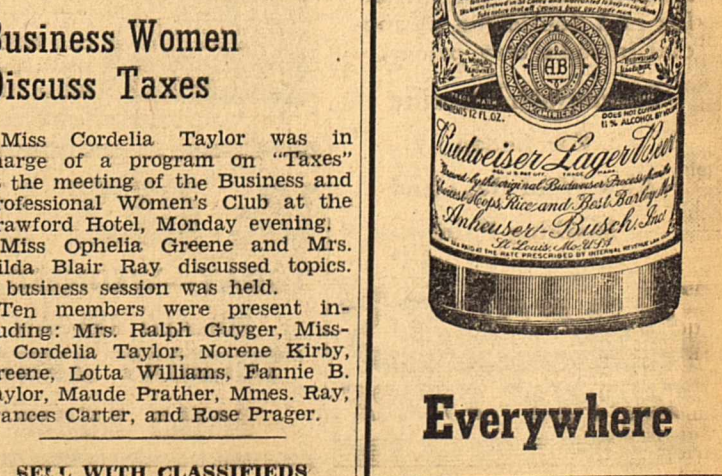
The bank now has nine fine oil paintings.

Business Women Discuss Taxes

Miss Cordelia Taylor was in charge of a program on "Taxes" at the meeting of the Business and Professional Women's Club at the Crawford Hotel, Monday evening.

Miss Ophelia Greene and Mrs. Hilda Blair Ray discussed topics. A business session was held.

Ten members were present including: Mrs. Ralph Guyer, Misses Cordelia Taylor, Norene Kirby, Greene, Lotta Williams, Fannie B. Taylor, Maude Prather, Mmes. Ray, Frances Carter, and Rose Prager.



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Freels Will Take Five Tracksters To Regional Meet

Coach L. M. Freels will take a five-man track and field team to the regional meet at Marfa Saturday. He worked the team yesterday with emphasis on the sprint relay four. Other tracksters worked on special events.
Despite a wet track and field the team will be hard at work today as it prepares for the regional.
Freels has not determined which four sprinters will dash the 440-yard event—Midland's best bet for state honors. Three are certain. They are Windell Williams, J. M. White, and Cletas Hines. The fourth will be Ken Williams or Ivan Hall.
With Williams entered in debate at the region, Hall appears the likely choice. He also is working out with the football team in spring training.
At the regional joust, Hines will run the 100 and 200 and the sprint relay. Windell Williams will put the shot and do a lap on the 440-relay; and White will run the low hurdles and the relay.

Great Young Trojan Track Team Defeats Golden Bears Stars

LOS ANGELES, April 15—(AP)—Dean Cromwell rolled out the old Trojan horse, unloosed a bunch of promising sophomores against a surprised California track team, and walked off with a 74-57 victory.
"A rather good performance," he admitted and then, in an unguarded minute let slip:
"They might work up into a very good team. Certainly, they'll improve. If they (those sophomores) do well we might have a championship team."
Secretly, though the wily coach who has given Southern California six straight National Collegiate A. A. championships already was looking for a spot in his trophy case for the 1941 silverware.
The Trojans walloped California's best team in eight years and gave Cromwell his 17th consecutive duel victory over the Bears.

Semi-Pro Baseball Play To Begin July 8

WICHITA, Kan., April 15 (Special)—Dates of the 48 state championship semi-pro baseball tournaments will be during a one-month period, starting as early as July 8, to qualify teams in the seventh annual National Championship event here August 15 to 27.
District tournaments in each of the states will be held for a three-day period, July 4, 5, and 6, which includes a holiday and Sunday date.
District and state commissions to supervise these tournaments will be announced from a list of applicants by the National Semi-Pro Baseball Congress before May 1.
Jim Payne of Midland already has been selected as a commissioner of West Texas. He is trying to arrange a tournament there for the dates announced—July 4-5-6.

SOONERS TO PLAY TEXAS IN SECOND CONTEST TODAY

AUSTIN, April 15—(AP)—Oklahoma University meets the University of Texas baseball team today in the second of a two-game series. Texas won the first contest yesterday 12-3.

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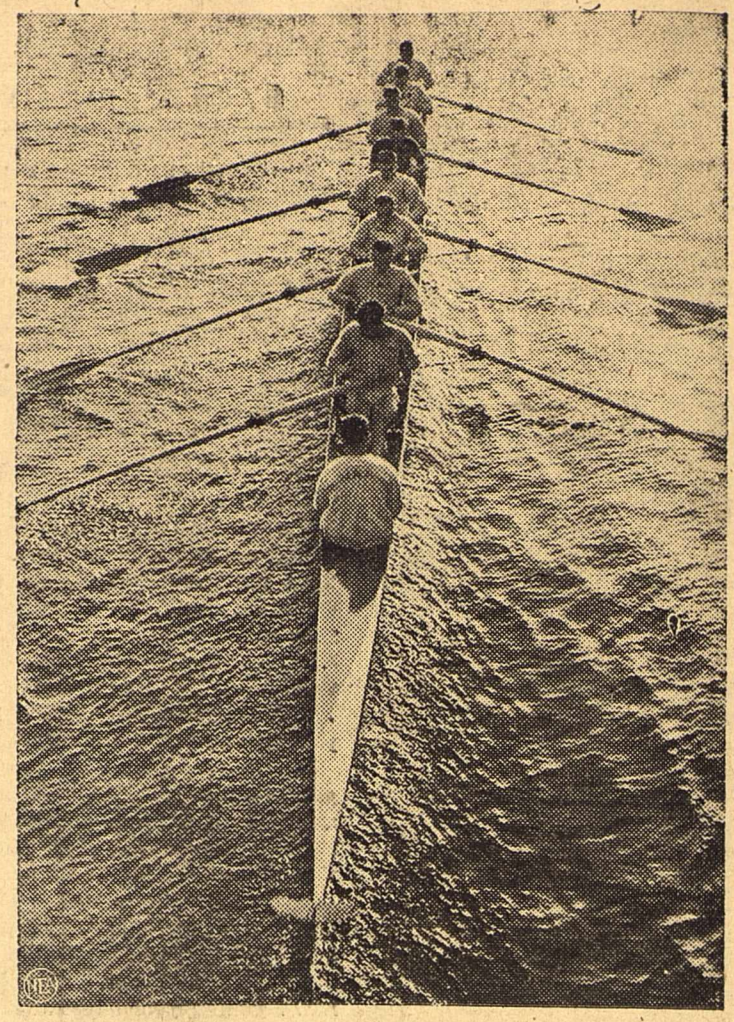
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Promising Gridster Gets Appendicitis; Hall Takes Tailback

Midland high grid coaches fear the loss of Billy Richards, backfield candidate for the 1941 eleven. Richards turned up with appendicitis and was lost for good.
Richards, up from junior high, had been doing a lot of passing, punting and signal calling in spring drills.
With Richards out, tailback duties fall on Ivan Hall lettered backfielder. His backfield mates likely will be Leonard Shepherd at left half; Charles Kelly at fullback; and Robert Wheeler at the right wing. Battling the first four are Jack Noyes, also a center, Tisdale, and Graybeal.
The line looks like it will be composed of Davidson and Lester, end; E. G. Foster, center; Cooke and Leftwich, tackles; and Lee and Ramsey, guards. Other forward candidates include: Bird, Marshall, Whitmore, Watson, and Estes. Any seven could form the starting line, Coach Earle Clark said.
Workouts are scheduled this week. A game with the '41 seniors will conclude four weeks spring training period.

Houston Netter Beats Atlantan

HOUSTON, April 15—(AP)—The field in the River Oaks Tennis tournament was reduced to 34 today, the starting list of 104 contestants being whittled on the opening day about as expected, with one exception.
The exception was Russell Bobbitt of Atlanta, a Georgia Tech student, who fell unexpectedly yesterday before Glenn Hewitt of Houston, who has been quietly perfecting his shots while attending East Texas Teachers College at Commerce. Young Hewitt lost the first set 6-3, but took the next two sets, 6-4, 6-3, to eliminate the favored Atlantan.
Ed Linnank Kovacs, the Californian who will do almost anything for a laugh so long as it doesn't interfere with winning tennis matches, clowning his way to a 6-0, 6-4 win over Moe Brown of Austin.

Thomson Picks Best Shots From Players

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., April 15—(AP)—Jimmy Thomson, driving golf star here for a benefit match, selected today what he termed the ideal golfer.
"I would take Horton Smith for putting, Johnny Revolta for chipping, Ben Hogan's short pitches, Henry Picard's No. 7 irons, Jimmy Demark's No. 5 irons, Byron Nelson's No. 2 irons, Lawson Little's spoon.
Thomson modestly neglected to name a driver.

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Dr. Kellam Speaks To North Ward School PTA
Dr. Seth Kellam, Midland city-county health director, spoke to the North Ward school PTA this afternoon on the subject "The School's Responsibility In Child Health."

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Sports Roundup

By Eddie Brietz
NEW YORK, April 15—(AP)—Kansas City thinks it has a short-stop Bill Hitchcock—who'll make the fans on stationery labeled "That'll be mighty nice going if the kid can do it..." How about that Broadway talk about Bob
Pastor is jealous of stablemate Abe Simon and is doing a little paning on the side?
We dot our powder to Lloyd McMaster of the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, only sports writer in America game enough to pick the Browns to win the American League rag.
There'll be a hall Eddie Brietz of fame niche reserved for him if he hits... Joe Gould still is writing letters on stationery labeled "James J. Braddock, heavyweight champion of the world."
One Minute Interview
Fritz Crisler: "Tommy Harmon isn't the best football player I ever coached... He's the best I ever had—I didn't have to coach him."
Caught On The Fly
Max Baer is heeded for the movie again... Zeke Bonura, blasting the pill and hustling, is the hit of the Minneapolis camp... Biggest change in the latest call-over of Derby prices was the dropping of Robert Morris from 200 to 30.
Here's had news—Henry Armstrong is talking about a comeback. Somebody head him off right quick... Leesburg, Fla., didn't invite the St. Paul club next year because the Saints didn't leave the Leesburg club enough ball players... Blue Pair, one of the likeliest of the Derby candidates, may be sold for \$35,000 in time to go to the post in the colors of his new owner... Four stars to Ernie Lanigan's new International League white book.
Today's Guest Star
R. G. Lynch, Milwaukee Journal: "Now Max Baer and Tony Galento can be relegated to oblivion... There never was much excuse for Galento's presence in the upper flight of heavyweights... He who called everybody else a bum was the biggest sum of all... Baer will linger in this observer's memory as the man who might have licked Louis but licked himself instead."
Rounding 'Em Up
Bernie Bierman, Minnesota coach was a flop in the A. B. C.—321 for three games... Not all of the Phillies are forgotten men. Their club-house boy will appear on "We the People" tonight... Uncle Charlie Moran, the old National League umpire, is living the life of Riley on his stock farm near Horse Cave, Ky... And Gil Doble, the gloomy football coach, lives in semi-retirement not far from the Boston College campus where he last coached... Don't look now, but for the second consecutive year the Longwood Bowl Tennis tournament is apt to be called off.

Missions Bow To Sports 10 To 5 In Second Game

By The Associated Press
Coming through in the clutch, the Shreveport Sports managed to maintain a perfect record in the newly started Texas League baseball race by winning their second straight game from the San Antonio Missions by a score of 10 to 5 at Shreveport, yesterday.
San Antonio got the jump with three runs on three hits in the first inning, but the Sports took advantage of every break thereafter to forge ahead and put the game on ice. Neither starting pitcher—Gordon Stalder of the Missions and Roland Van Slate of Shreveport—was able to last through the first inning. Al Brookhert went in for Van Slate and stayed the route, but Burk, who took up Stalder's burden, retired in the second in favor of Ben Kneupper.
Playing at Beaumont, Houston, the defending champion and highly regarded to repeat, dropped a 5-4 decision to the Exporters, who owed much to the canny relief hurling of Clarence Gann.
Rebels And Cats Split
The temporarily footloose Dallas Rebels, whose home field is undergoing repairs, split their series with the Fort Worth Cats, winning 3-1 with two runs in the tenth inning. Sal Gliatto twirled a mastery game for the Rebels, allowing only four hits.
The Tulsa-Oklahoma City game, to have been played on the latter's

Armstrong To Talk Comeback Prospects

NEW YORK, April 15—(AP)—Henry Armstrong, former featherweight, lightweight and welterweight champion, is due here today to discuss with his manager, Eddie Mead, and Promoter Mike Jacobs the possibility of his staging a comeback.
In a telephone conversation with Mead, Armstrong said he would like to meet Lightweight Champion Lew Jenkins, and that he feels he is in condition to return to the ring. Jenkins is anxious for another shot at the man who knocked him out last summer, and Jacobs indicated he might stage the bout if convinced that no harm would come to Armstrong.
ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., April 15 (AP)—Take a well-balanced crop of rookies, mix well with five veterans and add several measures of that old Jimmy Zinn ginger, season well in a California training camp—and what have you got?
A team that will win the Arizona-Texas League pennant hands down—at least that's the opinion of Albuquerque Cardinal fans as the squad moved to Tucson, Ariz., for a pair of workouts before opening the season at El Paso, Texas, on Thursday.
grounds, was rained out.
Today's Games:
Dallas vs. Ft. Worth at Waco.
Tulsa at Oklahoma City (Night).
Houston at Beaumont.
San Antonio at Shreveport.

Observers Favor Goldthwaite To Win Texas Meet

By William T. Rives
GALVESTON, April 15—(AP)—Just five matches short of her fourth state title, Mrs. Frank Goldthwaite of Fort Worth engaged Mrs. A. E. Darby of Corpus Christi today in the first round of the Texas Women's Gold Association Tournament.
Retention of her championship would mean a tie with Betty Jameson of San Antonio, national and former state champion who is not contending here, in the number of titles won.
Betty and Mrs. Goldthwaite have been clashing on the links for five years now and their duels occupy the spotlight. Although Betty chose to read about the tourney rather than play, it is doubtful if she would have bettered Mrs. Goldthwaite's performance yesterday in the qualifying round.
The comely mother of two children bore down with a 39-35-74, one over par, to win medalist honors. She carved this score over the flat, short Country Club course through a whistling wind which ruined the effort of most of the field.
The only contestant to challenge her was Kay Pearson of Houston, chunky former tennis star with a great competitive spirit. Kay moved around in 38-39-77, compared to the par 37-36-73.
BUSINESS VISITOR.
Raymond Lamb, geologist, formerly of Midland and now of Hobbs, N. M., was a business visitor here yesterday.

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