## New Thousands Light On Isle Of Crete

Behind The Headlines


## LATEST NEWS FLASHES

## Rivers On Rise After Big Rains



VICHY, May 21-(AP)-Diplomatic sources said today
they had been informed that German military equipment High Water Threatens Spillway At Lubbock Dam LUBBOCK, May 21-(AP) - Water pouring 18 inche
over the spillway of the dam at Upper Buffalo Lake nea
Lubbock today caused concern for the structure, but ap parently there was no danger to life if it should give way.
Orders U. S. To Withdraw Representatives From Paris
VICHY, France, May 21-(AP)-United States and
other members. of the foreign diplomatic corps received
word today from their respective embassies and legations
in Berlin that they would have to withdraw their repre-
sentatives from Paris by June 10. Rio Grande Brings Increased Dangers To New Mexico
ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., May 21- (AP) - The Rio
Grande battered down weakened barriers today and built
up increasingly critical flood threats over a 150-mile stretch
of river north and south of Albuquerque.

Legionnaires Talk Plans For Memorial
Day And Convention

Bureau Reports
 Rains And Clouds In Midland Area

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Map Of New German Attack

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Senate Overrides Governor's Veto

O'Daniel Candidate For U. S. Senate Seat


Higher Prices For Crude Oil Helps Petroleum Industry But War Use Of Tankers Is Transportation Problem

Ground School For
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Shipyard Machinists Refuse Return To Job


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France, Au Revoir!

## see you again!

Painful the words a that somehow out of the wreck of France something migh have been salvaged for freedom. Painful the words to
those who have felt and who still feel that the French people are good, and clean, and wholesome.
Nearly a year ago, France suffered the humiliation
of military defeat. With more than a million of her sons of military defeat. With more than a million of her sons ed her to continue the war in Africa, or in the Near East, would have been to expect much. There were some who had learned
died slowly.
France chose. No vote was possible in the confusion of surrender. Whether the French people ever were, or
are now, back of Petain, or Darlan, or Laval, no one knows. There is room for the gravest doubt.

Nevertheless the Petains, and Darlans and the Lavals
are in charge of France. They have personally elected (no one compelled them personally) to play ball with
Hitler. Aside from actions, which might have been forced on them by circumstances, they have given lip service t Tunisia and Syria to the German invader; they have chose to ride a surfboard on the "wave of the future," on which
one may expect the remainder of the French navy to be one may expect the rema.
launched at any moment.

For the moment, the Frenchmen of Fascist mold o mind are in the saddle, For the moment, they are France. ment the memory of Frenchmen who fought so gallantly for freedom, our own as well as theirs. We must forget,
for the moment, that "Liberty, Fraternity and Equality" for the moment, that 'Liberty, Fraternity and Equality'
were born in France. We must not speculate, for the mo ment, that perhaps momen frenchmen stil lov at the disposal of the Totalitarian Revolution. That is the fact, and that is the only fact in
to France that bears on the situation today.

To all who love France, who love the French people, who love the freedom which found so fine a flowering
in France, it is painful to say this. But it is the nasty truth. All that can be said today by the most ardent lover of all things French is, "France, au Revoir!"
Farewell, until we see you again, in yo firm and ardent once more for freedom!

Doubt it not, that day will come!
Science Scores A Whale Of A Sensation
Science, proclaims a breathless newspaper article,
has at last affirmed that a whale really could have swallowed Jonah.
It seems that a Dr. Eugene Maximilian Karl Geiling,
professor of pharmacology, having little to professor of pharmacology, having little to do one dull
day, crawled through the gullet of a (dead) whale. He day, crawled through the gullet of
found it slimy, but definitely roomy.
If this unpalatable feat had been performed by Jo about the Jonah-capacity of whales. But it wouldn't have
justified that delectable justified that delectable headline, "Science says-" Anyway, it's nice to think that in these days, which
are grim and getting grimmer by the clock, somebody has the time and inclination to go crawling into whales gullets.

Upon All Of Us
From the Soldier's Handbook, small pocket introduc
to military life issued by the Wap Department:
"The American people of their own will, and through the men they have elected to represent them in Congress, have determined that the free institu-
tions of this country will continue to exist. They have declared that, if necessary, we will defend our right to live in our own American way and continue to enjoy the benefits and privileges which are granted to
the citizens of no other nation. It is upon you, and the citizens of no other nation. It is upon you, and
the many thousands of your comrades now in the military service, that our country has placed its confident faith that this defense will succeed should it ever be challenged."
Yes. And it is also upon you, there at the lathe, yo
swinging the hammer in the shipyard, you swinging the hammer in the shipyard, you on the assem
bly line, you at the desk, that our country has also place its faith and its future. Every American, soldier and civilian, bears his share of the responsibility for defending freedom which the times have imposed upon us.
The spring fever some people are kicking about i
the same case they had all winter.
Chinese used umbrellas 3000 years ago, so borrowing
must be an old, old custom.
Germany passed up its customary May Day celebra they have something to ceiebrate


Washington Lookers-On Do Lots Of Dallas Benefactor Second Guessing But President. Is Dies In California Awaiting Proper Time For Decision


Changes In WPA Law May Bring Out Opposition


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County Clerk Gets Names. Of Notaries A supplementary list of Midland
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College Recognizes Two Women Students Miss Doris La Rue Stapleton,
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Eighth District President Speaks At Luncheon Closing 1940-41 Season For Twentieth Century Study Club

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