

Germany Captures Isle's Capital FDR May Clear Up Convoy Question Today

Secretary Says President Will Hold Press Conference To Explain Remarks Made In Momentous Talk To Nation

Chief Executive Proclaims State Of Unlimited National Emergency And Warns Hitler America Will Fight Any Attack In Western Hemisphere

By The Associated Press WASHINGTON, May 28—(AP)—President Roosevelt will hold a special press conference late this afternoon at which he is expected to clear up the question of convoys.

Stephen Early, Presidential secretary, was advised by reporters that the Chief Executive's speech last night in which he committed the United States unreservedly to a policy of active resistance to all German efforts to gain control of the seas left some confusion around the convoy issue. Early replied:

"I think he will clear that up this afternoon and I would rather he would do it."

In his momentous radio address to the world last night the Chief Executive did not speak specifically of American naval escorts for British-American ships. But he did say that the American patrol system was expanding and that all necessary additional steps would be taken to guarantee the arrival of American-made war supplies in England.

Early later had explained that he thought Mr. Roosevelt meant the patrol would be made better and more efficient and more ships would be added to it.

Probably, he indicated, Mr. Roosevelt will feel inclined to dispel doubt about what may be done, if anything, about revision of the neutrality law.

States Patrols Help Now To a question whether the President's plea that all citizens put defense first meant that time-for-debate was over, Early replied by declaring that certainly free speech would continue.

Mr. Roosevelt, proclaiming a state of unlimited emergency promised the nation last night a dynamic defense against attack, or threat of attack.

He told the world, in the face of Berlin warnings, of the administration's determination to deliver the goods to Britain, utilizing the present patrols which "are helping now" and "all additional measures x x x (which) are being devised by our military and naval technicians."

He gave advance notice that occupation of Dagar, the Azores or the Cape Verde Islands by Axis forces would constitute a direct danger to the safety and freedom of the Hemisphere.

"We in the Americas," he declared, "will decide for ourselves whether and when, and where, our American interests are attacked or our security threatened."

"We are placing our armed forces in strategic military position. We will not hesitate to use our armed forces to repel attack."

World Hears Speech Addressing himself particularly to capital and labor, he asserted no disputes of any sort must interfere with arms production. The government henceforth would exert all its powers to end production stoppages.

"Articles of defense must have the undisputed right of way in every industrial plant in the country."

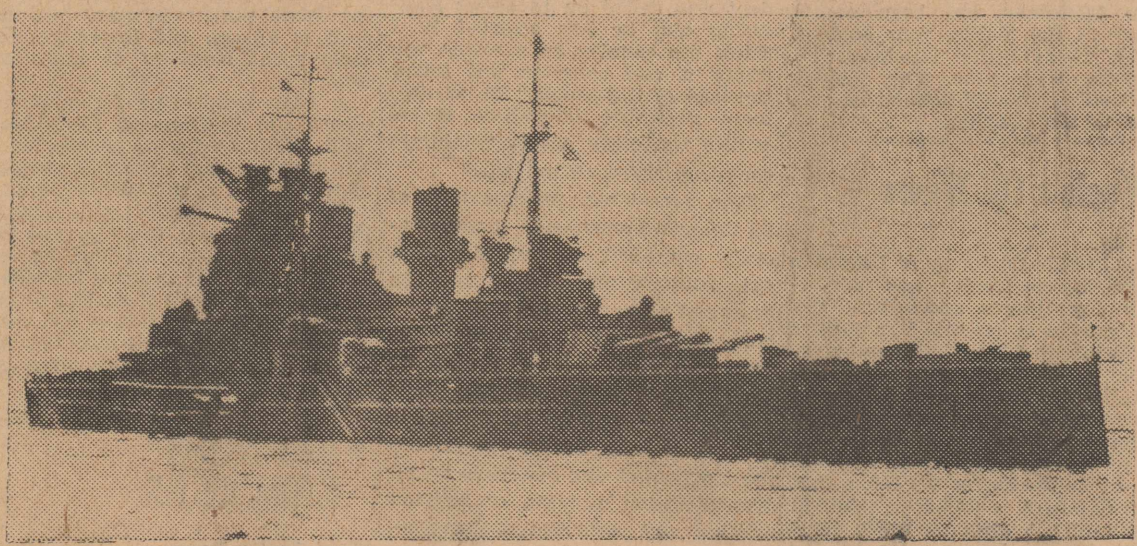
This was the fireside chat for which the nation and most of the world had awaited eagerly for days. The radio carried it to the four corners of the globe in the languages of many peoples—Spanish, Portuguese, French, Italian, German, Arabic, Dutch, Czech, Slovak, Greek, Serb-Croat, Norwegian, Rumanian and Bulgarian.

Even before the president faced the cluster of microphones in the east room at the White House, the complete text of his address was being sent to Berlin and to Tokyo by Axis powers newsmen.

Foreign reaction was slow, particularly official quarters. Sleepless British people followed the broadcast with close attention, however, and the typical man-in-the-street comment was: "He's with us all the way . . . It means we're going to lick Hitler even sooner than we expected."

Prime Minister W. L. MacKenzie King of Canada saw "a clear declaration by the president that the United States has not only decided to assist but is determined to maintain the freedom of the seas. x x x Germany will have to draw her own conclusions as to what may be involved by any at-

These Guns Helped Finish The Bismarck's Career



The mighty 15-inch guns of the Prince of Wales (above) joined others in writing "finis" to the raiding career of Germany's crack new battleship, Bismarck, after torpedo planes had rendered her helpless with numerous hits. (NEA Telephoto.)

More Clerks For Post Office Soon

WASHINGTON, May 28—(Special)—Congressman R. E. Thomason (D-Texas) today announced the Post Office Department will authorize two additional regular clerks for the Midland Post Office, effective July 1.

Contracts For Two Pipelines

NEW YORK, May 28—(AP.)—Award of contracts for the construction of two gigantic pipelines to supply all the deep south with gasoline and natural gas—probably before the end of the year—was announced today by Ford, Bacon & Davis, Inc., construction engineers.

The natural gas distributing system will run from the Monroe Field, Louisiana, through the steel industrial area of Birmingham, Ala., and serve Atlanta and much of Eastern Georgia. It will be a hookup of existing facilities and will cost between \$7,000,000 and \$8,000,000.

Expect Pecos River Flood Peak Thursday

PECOS, May 28—(AP)—Flood waters were flowing two and a quarter feet above the flood gates at Red Bluff Dam today on the flooded Pecos River as additional rains fell yesterday above the dam in New Mexico.

LATEST NEWS FLASHES

British Air Unit Bombs French Tunisia Town VICHY, Unoccupied France, May 28—(AP)—A British air unit bombed the town of Sfax, in French Tunisia, this morning, an official French announcement said.

Pepper Cancels Tour; Will Return to Capital DALLAS, May 28—(AP)—Senator Claude Pepper of Florida said today he had cancelled a 10-day speaking tour in the midwest to return immediately to Washington.

Warship And Planes Search For Nazi Cruiser LONDON, May 28—(AP)—Fifty to 100 British warships and a swarm of planes searched a vast Atlantic hunting ground today for the 10,000-ton German cruiser Prinz Eugen, in hope of a clean sweep of the Bismarck squadron.

Germany Sinks British Submarine Usk LONDON, May 28—(AP)—Loss of the submarine Usk was announced by the Admiralty tonight.

Heads British Fleet



The above photo is of Admiral J. C. Tovey, commander-in-chief of the British home fleet and possibly present at the sinking of the Bismarck. (NEA Telephoto.)

Informal Talks Enjoyed By Lions

Informal talks by Ensign W. M. (Bill) Holmes, formerly of Midland and now in active U. S. Navy service, and the Rev. Hubert Hopper, assistant pastor of the Highland Park Presbyterian Church in Dallas, were heard by Midland Lions at their meeting in Hotel Scharbauer today.

Holmes, former member of the Midland club, was transferred recently from Corpus Christi to Norman, Okla., where he will serve as instructor of naval science and tactics at the University of Oklahoma.

He discussed procedure in enlisting as aviation cadets in the navy and told of training given cadets.

McHargue Presides Mr. Hopper was introduced by Frank Shubbeman, and Holmes by Paul McHargue, who presided in the absence of President R. C. Conkling.

Mrs. Frank Savage, accompanied at the piano by Roy DeWolfe, sang two numbers. Plans for a ladies night meeting at Courtney high school next Wednesday night were made, and Delbert Downing was named chairman of the arrangements and attendance committee. The luncheon will be cancelled next Wednesday.

Behind The Headlines

By DeWitt MacKenzie President Roosevelt has taken a seven-league stride toward solving the two most urgent needs—and they are dangerously pressing needs—of Britain and her Allies in their present critical positions—production and transportation of sinews of war.

This move has come without a moment to spare if the Allies are to be sustained. The European conflict has reached a crisis where the outcome is as finely balanced as an egg on the edge of a knife. A major defeat for either side might start a debacle.

We may say the vital question of transportation of essential supplies is fairly well solved, for in the face of repeated Axis threats the president says "all additional measures necessary to deliver the goods will be taken." It must be assumed that it is within the power of the United States to insure delivery of the goods.

There was finality in Mr. Roosevelt's "it will be done." That means business. If the Axis attempts to carry out its declaration to drive our aid from the seas, it also may mean war. We should have our heads buried in the sand if we did not recognize that possibility.

Britain Needs More Aid. The outcome of the war, as the president indicated, is pivoting on domination of the oceans. He pinned the point down with this: "If the Axis powers fail to gain control of the seas, they are certainly defeated."

So much for the question of transportation, without which all our efforts at production would avail nothing in the way of aid for the Allies. There still remains the matter of production which the chief executive also has taken in hand.

From the standpoint of the Allies, quickening of speed in our manufacture is of the utmost importance. Britain is not getting what she needs to meet the assault of the most powerful war machine the world has known.

Two requirements which are a matter of life or death to her are warplanes and mechanical equipment, such as tanks. Lack of those two arms has defeated her on land, and daily the evidence increases that the Nazi air fleet is a grave challenge to the British Navy, which thus far has retained domination of the sea, apart from the submarine campaign along the Atlantic lanes.

If the British lose the battle of Crete—and their position today is reported as serious—it will be due to their lack of air power, upon which the Nazis have depended almost exclusively.

Dean T. U. Taylor Dies In Austin

AUSTIN, May 28—(AP)—T. U. Taylor, retired dean of the school of engineering of the University of Texas, died here today after long illness. He was 84 years old.

He was known to thousands of university students and former students as "the grand old man."

Connected with the university teaching staff for more than half a century he retired about four years ago.

British Try To Escape By Sea From Island But Nazi Dive-Bombers Rain Down Explosives, Taking Large Toll

Nazi Communique States Resistance Is Smashed And London Spokesman Says Situation Serious; Italy Convoys Supplies And Soldiers To Isle

By The Associated Press Adolf Hitler's aerial invaders captured the capital city of Crete today, the German high command announced, and Nazi dive-bombers have frustrated a British attempt to escape by sea.

The German communique declared British resistance on the 160-mile-long island was smashed, with allied defenders suffering heavy losses as they retreated.

* The communique said dive-bombing Stukas had thwarted a British attempt to retreat by sea with the destruction of four ships totalling 5,400 tons and the damaging of two others in Suda Bay, site of a big British naval base.

Army-Navy Request For Funds May Pass Thirty-One Billions

WASHINGTON, May 28—(AP)—President Roosevelt's request to Congress for an additional \$3,319,000,000 for army and navy planes may boost cash defense expenditures beyond \$31,000,000,000 in this and the next fiscal year, informed legislators said today.

These persons said probably more than half the money he sought would be spent in stepping up plane production over the \$5,100,000,000 cash outlay level scheduled by the Office of Production Management for the period ending July 1, 1942.

The other half would go to pay orders already placed and for deliveries after that date.

Swiftly after Speaker Rayburn received Mr. Roosevelt's letter of request yesterday, the House military appropriations committee announced it would reopen hearings today on the war department supply bill already standing in excess of \$6,300,000,000.

Fire Destroys Big Farm Home

Johnny Glasscock and James Starks, dairy employees, narrowly escaped serious burns in a fire last night which destroyed the H. H. Hines farm home, two miles southwest of Midland.

Neighbors saw the blaze and awakened Glasscock and Starks, who were asleep in the large house. Glasscock suffered a cut hand in escaping.

Luther Tidwell, Midland fire chief said the house was one of the oldest in the vicinity. He was married in it in 1916.

The fire attracted hundreds of motorists and a traffic congestion resulted. Cause of the fire was not determined. Hines was not at home when the blaze started. His wife and child are visiting in Louisiana. He is a brother of Merritt Hines, county attorney. No estimate of the damage was available.

Court Will Try Criminal Cases

Seventieth District Court will take up the criminal docket for the May term tomorrow.

Judge Cecil C. Collins set the following criminal cases: C. W. Wreyford, charged with burglary, May 29; Ray Prince and Avery Barrett, charged with attempted burglary, May 29; Robert Walker, charged with forgery, June 2; E. M. Anderson, charged with felony theft, June 2; Willard and M. J. Lewis, charged with robbery by assault, June 2; and Willie Presland, charged with murder, June 4.

The W. P. Thurmon, Jr., case will be tried tomorrow. The grand jury recessed yesterday to reconvene June 11.

Oil Industry Leaders Seek Hint Whether Price Control Coming

It became necessary, would have to be accompanied by price control.

But in the middle west and crude producing areas, still higher prices for crude are predicted. The producers point out that they are facing continued higher costs of production and exploration.

The question of adequate supplies of crude oil and gasoline for the east is a complex one. There are some oil men who believe existing facilities can be pooled and used to bridge the gap left by diversion of Gulf Coast tankers to England long enough to permit new pipe lines to be laid.

Consumption figures for that section of the United States are higher, however, than expected so far this year, and as a result some executives take a gloomy view of the situation.

Traffic Cop. Are your feet killing you? Last year 12,300 pedestrians walked to their death.

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A BIBLE THOUGHT FOR THE DAY
TRIBULATIONS OF TODAY WILL BE FORTGOTTEN IN THE JOY OF TOMORROW: The former things shall not be remembered, nor come into mind.—Isaiah 67:17.

Award Medals To Members Midland High School Band

Medals for outstanding achievement in band work and for placing in state and national contests were awarded members of the Midland high band at the final concert of the school year.

Receiving medals for merit in last year's contests were: Marjorie Hall, Joe Haygood, Roy Long, Jack Hurt and Ken Williams. These medals arrived too late for presentation last year. Bill Ferguson and Frank Arrington, now college students, will receive medals, when they return from school.

Medals for merit in state contests went to: Frank Troseth (two), Ken Williams, Cletis Hines, Foster Hendrick, Deane Anderson (two), Joe Haygood (two), Betty McDonald (two), Colleen Oates (two), Marjorie Hall (two), Helen Connor (two), Betty Ward, Mary Frances Carter, Edna Earl Lineberry, and Johnny Bizzell.

Medals for national rankings were awarded: Troseth, Bizzell, Lineberry, Deane Anderson (two), Haygood (two), McDonald (two), Peggie Anderson, Hall (two), and Connor (two).

Woman Confesses Murder Of Lover

BOSTON, May 28—(AP)—Trial of Mrs. Ruth Steadman, 26, for the strangling of her married lover Robert Emery, 26, ended abruptly today when she pleaded guilty to manslaughter.

She was immediately sentenced by Judge Vincent Brogna to serve 15 years in the women's reformatory at Sherborn.

The attractive young former Pittsburgh matron, mother of a year-old girl, had pleaded innocent at the outset of her trial to a charge of murder in the first degree, the penalty for which is death in the electric chair.

She had taken the stand only late yesterday to tell of her association with Emery, father of two children, who was found strangled in her apartment last January 21.

MCCAMEY BOY HONORED

Charles Dameron, sophomore from McCamey, has been named editor of the Yucca, year book of North Texas State Teachers College for next year. The school's publications council named the student to the position.

Roosevelt . . .

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tempt by force to frustrate delivery from America of munitions and food to Britain.

Reaction is varied. In Washington congressional opinion divided into two main schools. Supporters of the administration's foreign policy applauded the speech as "superb . . . excellent . . . courageous . . . a ringing call."

Opposition legislators called it a "speech to promote war hysteria . . . A typical Rooseveltian speech that took 45 minutes to say nothing that we already did not know . . . disturbing . . . an executive declaration of a war policy."

On the other hand, Senator Green (D-RI) of the Foreign Relations Committee said "I think the president was called on to assert leadership and he has asserted it. I think the country as a whole will follow the lead of the people." He accordingly suggested immediate repeal of the neutrality act to "maintain American rights on the seas."

The president's proclamation of an unlimited emergency, it was generally conceded, clothed him with extraordinary powers that may be exercised as events warrant. By issuing additional proclamations, it was pointed out, he can close or commandeer radio stations, take over power houses needed for munitions production, demand preference for troops and war materials on all transportation systems, or suspend trading and securities exchanges—to name only a few possible uses of power.

Europe Not An End. Legal circles, however, believed the president already had authority to do these things under the present "unlimited" emergency. They were inclined to regard the "unlimited emergency" proclamation primarily as an instrument to hammer home the full gravity of the country's present position.

Throughout the address, Mr. Roosevelt reiterated his conviction that hemisphere security was in jeopardy because of the Nazi plans for world domination.

"Adolf Hitler," he said at the very outset, "never considered the domination of Europe as an end in itself. European conquest was but a step toward ultimate goal in all the other continents. It is unmistakably apparent to all of us that, unless the advance of Hitlerism is forcibly checked now, the western hemisphere will be within range of the Nazi weapons of destruction."

Mr. Roosevelt noted that the Germans were in a position now to occupy Spain, Portugal, Dakar, and the island outposts of the new world—the Azores and Cape Verde Islands.

"The war is approaching the brink of the western hemisphere itself. It is coming very close to home."

Mr. Roosevelt gave quiet emphasis to his next sentence: "Control or occupation by Nazi forces of any of the islands of the Atlantic would jeopardize the immediate safety of portions of North and South America, and of the island possessions of the United States and therefore of the ultimate safety of the continental United States itself."

The president formulated the national policy of the United States today in these words: "First, we shall actively resist wherever necessary and with all our resources, every attempt by Hitler to extend the Nazi domination to the Western Hemisphere, or to threaten it."

"We shall actively resist his every attempt to gain control of the seas. We insist upon the vital importance of keeping Hitlerism away from any point in the world which could be used and would be used as a base of attack against the Americas."

"Second, from the point of view of strict naval and military necessity, we shall give every possible assistance to Britain and all who, with Britain are resisting Hitlerism or its equivalent with force of arms."

WPA OFFICE AUTHORIZES WORK ON FORTY-SEVEN JOBS

SAN ANTONIO, May 28—(AP)—Authorization to begin work on 14 WPA projects, involving expenditures of \$202,466 in work projects administration funds and \$237,354 supplied by local governmental agencies, has been given Texas district managers, Stearns S. Tucker, deputy state administrator, announced today.

Texas Lawmakers Place Many New Laws Into Books

AUSTIN, May 28—(AP)—Obscured by strife over more significant matters, an abundance of major legislation vital to Texans in all walks of life was written into the law books by the general session now nearing an end.

New statutes of state-wide importance included slashing unemployment compensation taxes, boosting the truck load limit, prohibiting force and violence in strikes, abolishing voluminous sales of liquor in dry areas and eliminating penalties on delinquent taxes.

Texas' 181 lawmakers also labored over and approved laws establishing a defense guard to replace the National Guard now on active duty, adopting stricter drivers' license regulations, abolishing the bat and whipping in state prisons, exempting privately-owned trucks from the motor carrier act, extending Texas' borders 27 miles into the Gulf of Mexico and increasing the state speed limit to 60 miles an hour.

A near-decade-long fight to increase the 7,000-pound truck load limit culminated with passage of a bill boosting the allowable weight of trucks and load to 38,000 pounds. Extension of Texas' participation in the Interstate Oil Compact to Sept. 1, 1943, permitting use of sweet natural gas in some instances in the manufacture of carbon black, simplifying organization of soil conservation districts and authority to condemn land for airports went on the statute books.

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CRANIUM CRACKERS

What Is So Rare
June is the month of brides and graduations, but has other claims to fame. Have a rare time with these questions about the days of our sixth month.

1. If the first day of June falls on Sunday, on what day does the last come?
2. What holiday, observed in some states, falls on June 14?
3. Which birthday is celebrated as Memorial Day in some southern states, and on what date in June does it fall?
4. What Sunday in June is usually observed as Father's Day?
5. Who wrote the words, "What is so rare as a day in June?"

Answers on Classified Page

Nazis Reduce Air Force In Northwestern Europe

LONDON, May 28—(AP)—The Germans recently have reduced their air forces in Northwestern Europe appreciably, sending large numbers of dive bombers and fighter planes through the Balkans to Greece and the Middle East. Informed British sources said today.

It was added that Iraq is one place in the Middle East where it is believed British have superiority in the air.

Winant Leaves England For Talk With President

LONDON, May 28—(AP)—United States Ambassador John G. Winant left England today enroute to Washington to see President Roosevelt. He expects to return here within two weeks.

Before leaving London early this morning Winant said it had been generally expected that he would return to the United States and report to the President.

Draft Board Office To Observe Holiday

The Midland County draft board headquarters of selective service will be closed Friday in observance of Memorial Day.

State headquarters notified the Midland office to observe the holiday.

Dionne Quintuplets Celebrate Birthday

CALLANDER, Ont., May 28—(AP)—Canada's five little sweethearts, the vivacious Dionne quintuplets, celebrated today their seventh birthday anniversary.

Yvonne, Annette, Cecile, Emilie and Marie had a mammoth cake to share with members of their immediate family.

Dr. Allen Roy DaFoe, who brought the five girls into the world at a little farmhouse near this Northern Ontario town, was recovering at a Toronto hospital from an operation and thus was forced to miss the celebration.

The girls' program for the day included a pontifical mass celebration by Bishop Leo Nelligan of Pembroke; the presentation of a \$17,500 ambulance, bought by them to the Ontario Red Cross society, and a broadcast before retiring in the evening.

Lawmakers Want Major Crop Program Permanent

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Investigators Will Probe Inmate Death

AUSTIN, May 28—(AP)—Continuing an investigation of state eleemosynary institutions, a House committee today prepared to inquire into the recent death of an inmate of the San Antonio State Hospital.

The committee last night voted to order an autopsy after Rep. M. A. Bundy of Wichita Falls, chairman, read testimony asserted taken by the state board of control from the deceased inmate's wife.

Bundy was authorized also to take immediate steps toward an investigation.

SAN ANTONIO, May 28—(AP)—Dr. W. J. Johnson, Supt. of the San Antonio State Hospital, today denied that the wife of a recently deceased inmate of the hospital had been prohibited by hospital authorities from viewing the body of her husband.

OWL HOOTS AT FISHERMAN BUT IS HOOKED IN TREE

INDEPENDENCE, Mo., May 28—(AP)—Barber Claude K. Y. Eskew went fishing—and pulled out an owl. Eskew was waiting for the fish to bite. Behind him sounded a derisive hoot. So, just for fun, he cast a plug toward a hollow tree.

Out flew the owl, still hooting, but hooked by a wing.

Three More Initials To Learn: OCD

It will be a long time before the initials OCD are quite as familiar to Americans as the initials ARP are to Britain. We hope they may never be. Yet it is time to learn them, and to know them as well as circumstances dictate.

OCD is the Office of Civilian Defense headed by Mayor La Guardia of New York. It is roughly to the United States what the now-famous ARP (Air Raids Precaution) is to Britain. It is the organization which will set up the means by which civilians defend themselves and their cities against air raids.

There is nothing hysterical about setting up these techniques in time of peace. They are as much a part of national defense as the training of an army. Modern war attacks civilians and cities as viciously as it attacks armies. If the civilian is unprepared to resist, an army, even a good one, may be suddenly left without the back-bone support which it must have to function.

Certainly one of the factors which brought about the capitulation at Munich was the defenseless state of London. People who were in London at that time can tell of the conditions: No anti-aircraft guns; no air-raid shelters; no adequate evacuation arrangements for women and children; no proper fire-fighting setup; nothing to prevent the city becoming an immediate shambles under a quick raid. This must have been one of the thoughts in Chamberlain's mind when he flew to Munich.

We have Warsaw, Rotterdam, Coventry and London before us. Their lessons are written for all to read. Mayor La Guardia begins with the estimate that "it is 95 per cent probable at this time that we will never get into action. But the country cannot take a chance on that 5 per cent."

That is the thought behind the organizations which La Guardia is now setting up. Big cities, vulnerable to air attack, will be tackled first, others later. Most cities will be entirely unaffected, at least at first.

It took months of preparation, for instance, to stage Seattle's first 15-minute blackout. Should an emergency confront the country, it might come suddenly. Then it is too late to improvise.

With the experience of Europe before us, it should be possible to lay the groundwork of effective civil defense without disrupting at all the normal life of communities. That, we take it, is the aim of the OCD, to lay a basis for civilian defense, a phase of all-out defense that is 100 per cent defensive in nature, and as important a part of national defense as the armed forces themselves.

Buy Defense Bonds

The boss has one advantage when he is too lazy to work. He can sit back and think he is thinking.

Highlights From the Week's Oil News

(From The Oil and Gas Journal)

Completions reported during the past week were 37 above those of the preceding period. However, there were 32 fewer oil wells which were nearly balanced by 23 more gas wells. There were 144 dry holes abandoned as against the previous low record of 163.

The outstanding development of the week was the completion of a good Devonian producer in the Louden, Illinois, pool. The first well to find oil in this pay started off with about 35 bbl. an hour and 25 per cent water. The latest reports indicate that oil production has dropped to about one-quarter of this amount while the proportion of water has increased to 40 per cent. The first well to reach the Devonian, but the second to find oil started off with 80 bbl. an hour and less than 1 per cent water through 5/8-in. choke. The two wells are in the north half of the field which appears to limit potential Devonian production materially as the smaller well is south of the Whisenand & Trenchard producer.

The increased number of gas wells this week marks a definite trend as the search for new supplies of gas is being vigorously pushed in the eastern industrial areas. There are large areas of known shale-gas reserves in Kentucky and the Oriskany area of West Virginia and Southwest Pennsylvania is providing much encouragement to local operators.

OHIO: That the old Clinton area is not finished by any means was indicated when Industrial Gas Corp. brought in an 11,000,000-cu. ft. gas well near Zanesville. This is the largest producer from the Clinton sand in many years.

EASTERN KENTUCKY: The gas play is producing results and 13 completions have a total initial yield of nearly 5,000,000-cu. ft. The wells are scattered through four eastern counties. Many of these small gas wells are in shale pay which holds up for many years.

EAST TEXAS: Activity set off by the Hawkins discovery was almost equaled with a new pool opened in Rusk County, another showing in Anderson County and eight new wildcats starting at scattered points over the East Central Texas basin.

OKLAHOMA: Wildcats showed for small pool operators in Cleveland, Hughes and Okfuskee counties and gas-distillate production was being developed by Ramsey Petroleum Corp. on the Centrahoma structure in Coal County. Second well at the Tecumseh Lake pool was working to shut off water.

WEST VIRGINIA: Columbian Carbon Co. completed a large gas well on the J. R. Swezey farm in the Ravenswood district, Jackson County, which extends the Sandyston district 1 1/2 miles southeast and opens an extensive area. Off-set locations have already been made.

NORTH CENTRAL TEXAS: Clay County's second deep Mississippian lime pay was opened. This time it was in the Antelope area in the southeastern part of the county. About 20 miles southwest of Shell Oil Co., Inc., Mississippian lime discovery near the town of Henrietta. Development was also under way at the new conglomerate discovery in Montague County and the Mississippian lime discovery in Young County.

Completions In All Fields (Week ended May 24, 1941)

	Oil	Gas	Dry	Total	1941 tot. to date	1940 tot. comp. to date
N. Y., Pa., and W. Va.	104	18	5	127	2,946	1,951
Ohio	6	12	10	28	331	491
Indiana	0	6	16	180	134	
Kentucky	2	12	6	20	254	179
Illinois	51	0	21	72	1,231	1,289
Michigan	6	0	14	20	341	486
Kansas	12	4	10	26	702	596
Oklahoma	24	4	14	42	577	679
Nebraska	1	0	1	2	33	1
Missouri, Iowa	0	1	2	3	9	11
Texas:						
North Central Texas	27	0	22	49	1,035	1,288
West Texas	44	0	0	44	774	874
East Texas	14	2	7	23	459	268
Texas Panhandle	10	1	0	11	198	245
Texas Gulf Coast	5	1	5	11	413	522
Southwest Texas	22	4	10	36	709	840
Total Texas	122	8	44	174	3,588	4,037
North Louisiana	7	0	4	11	224	234
Louisiana Gulf Coast	16	1	5	22	326	421
Total Louisiana	23	1	9	33	550	655
Arkansas	1	0	0	1	59	73
Mississippi and Southeast	3	0	0	3	94	77
Montana	3	0	0	3	39	63
Wyoming	2	0	0	2	53	62
Colorado, Utah	3	0	0	3	17	6
New Mexico	2	1	1	4	109	318
California	14	0	1	15	400	450
Total United States	389	62	144	595	10,913	11,558
Total previous week	421	34	103	558		
Week ended May 25, 1940	407	34	101	542		

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SOCIETY

Junior-Senior Prom Is Tonight

The annual Junior-Senior prom will be held in the Crystal ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer, tonight from 9 o'clock until 1.

The dance tonight will be the second of its kind to be sponsored by the high school upperclassmen.

Senior colors of red and white and Junior colors of blue and white will be used in decorations. Lights will be covered with cylinders on which the words "Juniors" and "Seniors" will be stenciled, "Juniors" in blue on white and "Seniors" in red on white.

Streamers of red, white, and blue will be draped overhead and a large sign, "Juniors" will be placed at one end of the ballroom and the sign, "Seniors," at the other.

Dessert-Bridge Is Courtesy For Tuesday Bridge Club

Mrs. W. T. Schneider was the only club guest when Mrs. R. L. Blunden complimented the Tuesday Bridge Club with a dessert-bridge at 1:30 o'clock, yesterday afternoon, at her home, 2011 W. Brunson.

Roses and larkspurs were seasonal floral appointments in the party rooms.

Two tables were laid for the bridge games in which high prize went to Mrs. Harold Adkison, second high to Mrs. J. Harvey Herd, and cut to Mrs. Blunden.

Members present were: Mmes. Adkison, O. R. Champion, R. S. Dewey, Herd, Tom Parker, M. F. Turner, and the hostess.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Champion.

Lorado Sewing Club Meets For Luncheon At Murphy Home

Mrs. Dennis Murphy entertained the Lorado Sewing Club with a covered dish luncheon, at her home, 308 W. Florida, Tuesday.

The morning hour was spent in sewing. Forty-two was played in the afternoon, with Mrs. J. A. Andrews winning high score.

Mrs. Wendell Smith was honored with a kitchen shower for her new home.

The club will meet once a month for a social during the summer months.

Guests present were Mrs. J. D. Stroud, Harris, J. A. Kavan, Members attending were: Mmes. S. V. Tekell, Joe De Mars, Andrews, Harry E. Barney, Jesse Strong, Wendell Smith, Dell Skelton, J. Wymer Smith, and the hostess.

Evangel Class Has Kidnap Breakfast At Leggett Home

Evangel Class of the First Baptist Church had a kidnap breakfast at the home of Mrs. L. Waldo Leggett, 901 W. Storey, Tuesday morning.

A 9 o'clock the guests began arriving. They had been "snatched" from their homes in the costumes which they happened to be wearing at the moment.

They were greeted at the door by Mrs. Leggett, Mrs. Kenton S. Boone, and Mrs. R. Chanslor, and ushered into the dining room, which was gaily decorated with sweetpeas and carnations. Here breakfast was served.

Afterward a style show was held with Mrs. C. G. Murray winning the prize for being the best model.

Present were: Mmes. H. E. Barney, I. O. Sturkie, Delaney, Pearl Blair, A. Clements, J. R. Custer, W. G. Epley, J. F. Garber, Fred Girdley, John Godwin, O. J. Hubbard, W. H. Hall, B. M. Hays, J. P. Inman, Herbert King, Boone, Murray, Leonard Proctor, Nettie Ray, C. A. Travelstead, W. R. Upham, Austin Flint, J. A. Wright, S. M. Erskine, Joseph Mims, Chanslor, and Leggett.



THURSDAY

Colonial Card Club will meet with Mrs. J. M. Speed, Sr., 301 North F street, Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

As You Like It Club will meet with Mrs. Reece Tarver, 607 West Michigan, Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

FRIDAY

Women's Golf Association will have its weekly luncheon at the Country Club, Friday at one o'clock. Mrs. E. M. Miller and Mrs. Jimmie Smith will be hostesses.

Belmont Bible Class will meet with Mrs. S. L. Alexander, 202 South A street, Friday afternoon at four o'clock.

SATURDAY

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

Treble Clef Juvenile Music Club will have a rehearsal program in its meeting at the Watson Studio, 210 W. Ohio, Saturday morning at 9:30 o'clock.

Plumbing gets its name from the Latin word "plumbum," which means lead.

Trousseau Treasure



THIS lovely summer dress of white eyelet batiste is trimmed at neckline and hemline with organdy ruffles. Narrow shoulder straps and bodice bow with streamers are of black velvet. This would be a perfect gown for the summer bride to include in her trousseau.

Luncheon Farewell Courtesy For Two At Gilmore Home

Mrs. W. H. Ground who is moving to Jackson, Mississippi, and Mrs. Curtis Gilmore who is leaving Midland soon to live at Denver, Colorado, were complimented by Mrs. W. H. Gilmore with a one o'clock luncheon, Tuesday, at her home, 511 North D street.

Coroopsis roses, and larkspur decorated the party rooms.

Luncheon was served informally to sixteen guests including: The two honorees, Mmes. Geo. Abell, Chas. Brown, Tom Brown, P. C. Cummings, Clifford Keith, M. T. Hartwell, John Skinner, F. R. Schenck, Reese Cleveland, H. E. McRae, J. G. McMillan, Overton Black, Jack Bedford, and Ralph Pitting.

The hostess presented the two honor guests with small gifts for their traveling bags.

Mrs. W. J. Coleman Complimented By Altruists At Shower

Mrs. W. J. Coleman, who is leaving Midland soon to make her home at Bonham, was honored by the Altruists with a miscellaneous shower in a social meeting of the group at the home of Mrs. Hugh C. Walker, 403 W. Storey, Tuesday evening.

Miss Marguerite Bivens made the presentation.

The honoree showed a blue print of her home at Bonham and the evening was spent informally.

Present were: The honoree, Miss Bivens, Miss Maedele Roberts, Mrs. Clint Creech, Mrs. Sherwood O'Neal, Mrs. John B. Mills, and the hostess.

Sending gifts were: Mrs. S. P. Park, Miss Pauline Schatz, Mrs. Tom Potter, Mrs. Hollis Roberts, and J. H. Fine.

Mrs. Butcher Is Hostess To Tuesday Luncheon Club

Spring flowers formed the party decor when Mrs. Cary P. Butcher, 904 W. Tennessee, was hostess at luncheon and bridge, yesterday, for the Tuesday Luncheon Club and a group of guests.

A luncheon course was served at one o'clock, after which the afternoon was devoted to bridge.

Guests were Mrs. J. D. Hunter, Mrs. H. A. Hemphill, Mrs. Fred Wright and Mrs. Robert Muldrow.

Members present were: Mmes. A. B. Cather, John Cornwall, David S. Gogins, R. W. Hamilton, R. C. Tucker, and the hostess.

Gulf Sewing Club Plans For Picnic

Plans for a picnic to be held soon were made by members of the Gulf Sewing Club meeting at the home of Mrs. Henry Howlett at the Gulf Tank Farm, Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Sewing was also diversion for the group.

A refreshment course was served to: Mmes. Frank Nixon, N. W. Locklar, Joe Howze, John B. Mills, Bill Measures, C. D. Birdsong, W. E. Hogsett, and the hostess.

Next time the club will meet with Mrs. Joe Howze.

Delphian Chapter Closes Year With Program Meeting

Sixteen members attended the final meeting of Delphian at the home of Mrs. Chas. L. Klapproth, 1011 W. Texas, Tuesday morning at 9:15 o'clock.

Mrs. Joe Norman led the program on John Dos Passos, social satirist.

Taking parts were: Mrs. W. E. Chapman who discussed the proletarian point of view in literary criticism; Mrs. C. M. Linehan who applied the Marxian theory of art and literature; Mrs. Geo. R. Grant who told of the wellsprings of American literature; Mrs. K. W. Haley who discussed whether or not the Marxian view of life is over-simplified; Mrs. Ralph Troseth who told of the industrial literature of the early Twentieth Century; Mrs. Klapproth who discussed whether moderns are humanists or proletarian critics; and Mrs. O. F. Hedrick and Mrs. S. H. Hudkins who discussed John Dos Passos—his life and writings and the value of the record he is leaving behind him.

Mrs. Klapproth called the attention of the group to the strict enforcement of traffic rules and asked cooperation in following them.

The second and fourth Tuesdays of each month, at 9:15 o'clock in the morning were again set as meeting dates for the chapter next year.

Mrs. Grant, retiring president, presided and closed the meeting by thanking chapter members for their cooperation during the year.

Mrs. C. Peck responded, expressing appreciation to Mrs. Grant for her leadership.

Mrs. G. M. Linehan is president of the chapter for next year.

Present were: Mmes. Chapman, H. W. Deax, Grant, Hedrick, Hudkins, B. L. Hoffer, Klapproth, Linehan, A. E. Lynch, Peck, W. L. Simmons, Troseth, Norman, Leif Olson, K. W. Haley, and H. T. Newsum.

Next meeting of the chapter will be in September.

Episcopal Choir Has Steak Fry

The choir of Trinity Episcopal Church had a steak fry at Cloverdale Park, Tuesday evening. Steak and all the accompaniments were served.

About twenty-two were present.

Dos Mesas Club Has Dessert-Bridge At J. F. Sirdevan Home

Entertaining with a dessert-bridge at 1:30 o'clock, Mrs. James F. Sirdevan, 504 N. Marienfeld, was hostess to the Dos Mesas Club, Tuesday afternoon.

Spring flowers were party decorations.

In two tables of bridge played, first prize went to Mrs. L. W. Winston, second to Mrs. Raymond Monkross, and bingo to Mrs. Walter Cremin.

Club guests were Mrs. Chas. Duffy and Mrs. Lamar Lunt.

Members present were: Mmes. Winston, Monkross, Cremin, H. W. Anderson, F. R. Wallace, and the hostess.

Next meeting of the club will be with Mrs. Anderson.

ATTENDS ANOUNCEMENT PARTY FOR NICE

Mrs. C. M. Chase of Midland was in the receiving line at a tea given in Dallas last Saturday announcing the engagement of Miss Mary Frances McEachin to Lindley Carter Kimmer. Mrs. Chase is a sister of the bride-elect who is to be feted at a long series of parties before her marriage, June 17.

One species of African cobra spits venomous spray a considerable distance.

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Labor Field Studies Declaration Of FDR

By The Associated Press

A plain-spoken declaration by the President of the United States took precedence today over all other developments in the field of labor relations.

"... this government is determined to use all of its powers . . . to prevent interference with the production of materials essential to our nation's security."

He insisted the nation must utilize its every available resource. He stipulated that the government would play no favorites.

The conciliation and mediation machinery set up by the government "must be used promptly," he declared, "and without stoppage of work. Collective bargaining will be retained, but the American people expect that impartial recommendations of our government conciliation and mediation services will be followed by both capital and labor."

At the other end of Washington's Pennsylvania Avenue, Rep. Vinson (D-Ga.) announced he was stripping away from his bill to minimize defense labor disputes everything except a provision for a compulsory 30-day cooling off period before a walkout might be started.

Numerous relatives attend birthday of Mrs. B. F. Stanley.

Today is a gala day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Stanley, residents of Midland 34 years, for seven children of the couple, and numerous grandchildren and great-grandchildren who are here to celebrate Mrs. Stanley's 84th birthday yesterday.

Fifty-four were present for a noon-day dinner at the Stanley home, 301 N. Big Spring street. A decorated birthday cake had 84 candles.

Mrs. Stanley, who has lived at the same location on Big Spring street 34 years, was the recipient of numerous gifts.

Children present today are: A. M. Stanley, Mrs. E. P. Whitson and Mrs. E. J. Voliva of Midland; Mrs. T. J. Nance and Mrs. H. M. Johnson of El Paso; Ben Stanley of Midland, and A. W. Stanley of Joshua, Texas. All daughters-in-law and all except two sons-in-law were present and a number of the 30 grandchildren and 22 great-grandchildren of the couple.

Burns In Collision Are Fatal For Cadet

SAN ANTONIO, May 28—(AP)—Burns suffered by Flying Cadet Jack O. Glaze of Ponca City, Okla., in a collision of two planes at Kelly Field, proved fatal last night.

Minor injuries were suffered by Oscar Johnson of Vincennes, Ind., pilot of the other plane.

James R. James, Jr., returned to his home from Ryan Hospital today.

Mrs. B. W. Floyd, a medical patient in Ryan Hospital, returned home today.

James Adamson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Adamson, was dismissed yesterday from Ryan Hospital.

Birthday Party Honors Crane Boy

CRANE, May 28—(Special)—Donnie Tomlinson celebrated his sixth birthday, Monday, with a party at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Tomlinson. Pictures were made of the guests and Donnie.

Refreshments were served and balloons were favors.

Attending were: Nona Faye Browne, Jim and John Boren, Mary Ann Carter, Martha Cook, Barbara Cooper, Ross Hugh Dickson, Iva Jean Dickson, Dorothy Fisher, Mary Jo Hale, Teddy Hamlin, Venona Hamlet, Gene Hester, Fay Dean Hankins, Marjorie Hodnett, Deanna Horn, Rita Lee Martin, Bobby McGriff, Francis Louise Reynolds, Bobby Robinson, Joe Rowell, Dwayne Warren, Wynelle Webb, and Donnie and Darrell Tomlinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Geisler and sons have returned from a business trip to Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Smoak of Farmington, N. M., have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hamlin and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hamlin here.

Mrs. John E. Adams and little daughter, Mary Ann, arrived here last night to join Mr. Adams who has been transferred back to Midland from New Orleans. They are at home for the present at the Crawford Hotel. En route here Mrs. Adams visited her parents in Houston and Mr. and Mrs. North Millican at San Saba.

Mrs. Fred Dent of Wright Field, Dayton, Ohio, is here visiting her mother, Mrs. J. D. Robinson.

John C. Burnside, San Angelo, WPA district supervisor, is a visitor here today.

Daniel B. Greene, scout for Magnolia Petroleum Company, has left for Dallas where he will attend the annual convention of the National Oil Scouts and Landmen's Association.

Herd Midkiff went home yesterday from Western Clinic Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Craig and family of San Francisco are guests of Dr. and Mrs. J. O. Shannon of Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Horst of Sanger, Tex., will arrive in Midland today for a visit with their daughter, Miss Dorothy Horst. They will be here several days.

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FEMININE FANCIES

By Kathleen Eiland

Cable net and felt combine to make the newest thing in hats. Sometimes the net is alternated with the felt in strips around the brim. Sometimes it is used for an airy crown. But either way the effect is high style plus a cool look that is especially appealing.

The net forms a direct pick-up for the dark cable net dresses that are forging to the front now that spring days are beginning to settle into the heat of summer.

We wouldn't be surprised, by the way, to see inserts of stout, specially-made cable net in shoes before the summer's over. Why not? Not nearly so unbelievable as the plastic "glass" shoes that we've come to accept without any cracks (no pun intended) about Cinderella and her adventures.

Wonder why it is so hard to get flowers planted? Every time we see gorgeous beds of bloom in some citizen's yard we go home all enthusiastic about having a garden of our own.

But there's always something to prevent our getting at the job of making one. It has rained too much and the ground is too wet to work in. Or it has been dry so long that it is too dry to plant anything. Or we simply have to do something else this evening, so tomorrow we'll start spading up the beds and planting things. And tomorrow, as usual, never comes. At least not till a month or two later.

Ho hum! Well, probably a working girl was never supposed to be a gardener on the side, and at least other people always have flowers we can admire.

Honors Daughter On Fifth Birthday

CRANE, May 28—(Special)—Mrs. Dave Crittenden entertained with a party honoring her daughter, Norma, on her fifth birthday Tuesday afternoon from 2 to 5 p.m. at her home.

Games of poison penny, potato race, and cut paper strip enlivened the afternoon.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

Favors were red, white and blue hair bows for the girls and toy cars for the boys.

Guests attending were: Patricia and Barbara Brown, Margie Sue and Fannie Ruth Caldwell, Doyleene and La Verne Breedlove, Eva Mae Miller, Evie Vines, Pattie Sue Whittenburg, Sue Harold, Jaquita Anderson, Janie Thompson, Jeanette Price, Clarence Walton, Darrell Lee, David Lee, David Price, Rita Lee Martin, Dona Faye Creasy and Martha Cook.

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By William E. McKenney
 America's Card Authority

Myron Fuchs, who was a member of this year's Vanderbilt Cup championship team, won his first master points in a game when he was first in the Eastern Pairs. His next major championship came the following year in the Easterns when he won the Team-of-Four. The Vanderbilt Cup victory, however, is his first national championship and places him high among the list of national masters, and he now has 224 points to his credit.

Fuchs plays a strong, steady game. Here is a hand which helped him and his teammates win one of the matches in the Vanderbilt.

On the opening lead, the queen of clubs won the jack. Now the average player would probably lay down the queen of diamonds and expect to run the suit.

But Fuchs was more careful.

He saw that he could afford to lose one diamond trick, provided that he did not lose the trick to West, so that his remaining club stopper could be led through. He went over to dummy with a spade to lead a low diamond, on which he played the eight.

When this safety play turned out to pick up the guarded jack, Fuchs was able to lay down ten top tricks, making an overtrick in a doubled contract.

Librarian Recognizes Paraphrasing Of Titles

ALBANY, N. Y. —(UP)—A good librarian recognizes immediately that a reader who calls for "The Song Rings for Everybody," really wants Ernest Hemingway's "For Whom the Bell Tolls."

But that is an easy request in the opinion of State Librarian R. W. Vall. Could you give the answer if somebody wanted to know "How Can I Become a Werewolf?"

In his experience the book "To Have and to Hold" has been described as "When You Get It, Keep It."

He says that every librarian knows that "O Boy, O Boy" is only another name for "My Son, My Son!"

Some of the tough questions for which he had to ransack his million volumes, were: "What was the color of Washington's horse at the battle of Monmouth?" "How do the South American Indians shrink the heads of their captives?" "Can one prove my Aryan ancestry for me?"

LEAVES FOR AUSTIN

Mrs. Agnes Carney will leave Saturday for Austin where she will attend commencement exercises of the University of Texas. Her niece, Miss Ruth Minter, will graduate. Mrs. Carney will go from Austin to Fort Worth for a visit with relatives.

KRLH PROGRAMS

- WEDNESDAY
- 6:00—Mystery Hall, MBS
 - 6:30—South American Way
 - 7:00—News, TSN
 - 7:15—From London, MBS
 - 7:25—Musical Interlude, MBS
 - 7:30—Mayor La Guardia, MBS
 - 8:00—Raymond Gram Swing, MBS
 - 8:15—Musical Newsy
 - 8:30—Harold Stokes Presents, MBS
 - 8:40—Rainbow Trio
 - 9:15—Carl Hoff's Orch., MBS
 - 9:30—The Lone Ranger, MBS
 - 9:45—News, TSN
 - 10:15—Pabst Sports Cast, TSN
 - 10:30—Recorded BBC News, MBS
 - 10:35—Bobby Byrne's Orch., MBS
 - 11:00—Sign Off
- THURSDAY
- 6:30—Dawn Parade
 - 7:30—News, TSN
 - 7:45—Texas Jim Lewis
 - 8:00—News, TSN
 - 8:05—Musical Interlude
 - 8:15—John Agnew, Organist, MBS
 - 8:30—Singing Strings, MBS
 - 8:45—What's Doing Around Midland
 - 9:00—B. S. Bercoviel, MBS
 - 9:15—Melody Strings, 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—Meet the Band
 - 11:00—News, TSN
 - 11:05—Conservation of Vision, KBSPT
 - 11:10—Musical Interlude
 - 11:15—Edith Adams' Future, MBS
 - 11:30—Helen Holden, Gov't. Girl, MBS
 - 11:45—Man on the Street
 - 12:00—News & Market Reports, TSN
 - 2:15—Jack Berch & Gang
 - 2:30—Luncheon Melodies
 - 3:00—AP News Bulletin, MBS
 - 3:05—Art Mooney's Orch., MBS
 - 3:15—George Fisher, MBS
 - 3:30—Uncle Ned & Tex, Wragg, MBS
 - 3:45—Niverboat Shufflers, MBS
 - 4:00—UP News Bulletins, MBS
 - 4:15—Sharter Parker & Circus, MBS
 - 4:30—Henry Cincione's Orch., MBS
 - 4:45—The Johnson Family, MBS
 - 5:00—Three For Tea, MBS
 - 5:15—News & Market Reports, TSN
 - 5:30—Black & White, Piano Team
 - 5:45—John Sturgess, Baritone, MBS
 - 6:00—Freddie Martin's Orch., MBS
 - 6:15—AP News Bulletin, MBS
 - 6:30—To be Announced, MBS
 - 6:45—Today's Hit Times
 - 7:00—Pulton Lewis, Jr., MBS
 - 7:15—Here's Morgan, MBS
 - 7:30—High School Program
 - 8:45—Sport Cast

MUSTANG BOYS' CLUB COLUMN

Mackey Motors softball team defeated the Mustang boys last evening by a comfortable margin. The last four runs made by the Mustangs in the last inning were donations. The Brones would rather beat Mackey Motors than go fishing, and that is saying a lot. There will be a game next week with a group of boys from Odessa. A game is scheduled Saturday with a crack boys' team from Big Spring at Big Spring.

This afternoon—swimming sports at Pagoda Swimming pool. Next week club swimming hours will be Wednesday and Friday mornings and continue this way the rest of

the summer—9:00 to 12:00.

This has been another good week in the number of new members enrolled. We are glad we don't have to buy new shoes for our big family. Watch this column for the interesting summer program.

Just to keep you "ship-shape," do you know that—

First line Navy battleships are named after states.

Cruisers are named after cities.

Destroyers are named after outstanding naval officers.

Submarines are named after fish.

Tugs, minesweepers and mine-layers are named after birds.

Tankers, repair ships etc. (auxiliaries) are named after characters in mythology.

Hospital ships have significant names such as "U. S. S. Mercy," "U. S. S. Relief."

Do you know that there are no admirals in the United States Navy? Tell you later.

MINISTER GETS DEGREE AFTER 72-YEAR WAIT

NEWTON, Mass.—(UP)—It took the Rev. Thomas E. Babb, 100-year-old Congregational minister, 72 years to get his theological degree.

The oldest living graduate of Amherst College was graduated from the Andover-Newton Theological School in 1868 before degrees were granted.

So the class of 1940 honored the retired pastor of the Holden Congregational church by giving him a Bachelor of Sacred Theology degree on a diploma of the type first used by the school in 1898.

We acknowledge the token of appreciation from Homer Epley.

—NUFF SED.

Blitz Brings Changes To Women's Fashions But None In Preening

LONDON—(UP)—The blitz has brought changes to the world of feminine fashions just as it has to every other phase of life in Britain today.

Even with the war raging around them, however, British women are still taking as much trouble over their appearance as they have ever done. Fashions have changed to meet changed conditions.

Two kinds of clothes are not bought as they once were. They are the afternoon dress in which a woman formerly played bridge and the grand evening dresses, exceedingly décollete. Bridge is played in

the evenings as the days are occupied with war work, and women wear dinner gowns. The afternoon dress has disappeared.

The famous tailoring houses of London are busy making the more elegant little suits. They are crowded and have a list of appointments for fittings that begins in the early morning and lasts until the house closes.

Men's Material Copied.

The material of the suits has veered from the tweeds that women have always bought in England to fine versions of men's suiting, exactly the same as the wool merchants supply to Savile Row for men's suits, but in half their weight and as well in feminine colorings. What colors? Gray, to lead with, often combined with a biscuit brown. Or gray with a fine overchecking of brilliant red, green and yellow.

The line of the suits? They are for the most part single-breasted with a rather longer opening and are closely fitted at the waist in accentuated curves. Emphasized pockets help in that accentuation of the feminine, small waist and the rounded neckline. Skirts are slim, fullness lying rather to the front. Pockets are slits for the fingers, no more. Both jackets and skirts feature yokes, which are put in with much fine, intricate seam-work of brilliant red, green and yellow.

Course Recalls Jones' Triumphs

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn.—(UP)—Selection of the Interlachen Country club as the site of the 1942 National Golf tournament recalls Bobby Jones' important victory there in 1930.

That was the year Jones accomplished one of golf's greatest triumphs. He captured four major championships—the British Open and amateur titles and the United States Open and amateur crowns.

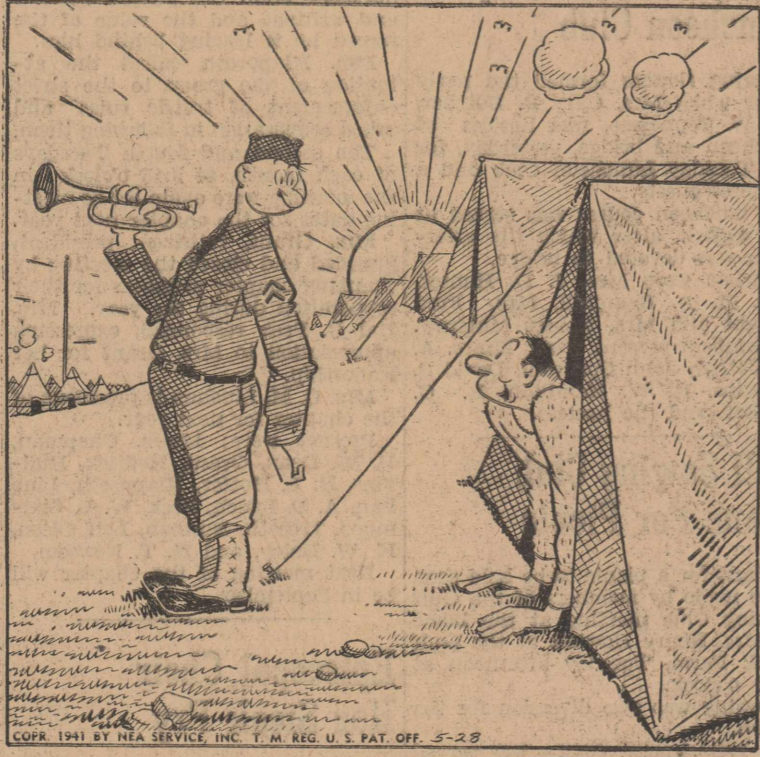
It was at Interlachen that he annexed the National Open—the third of the four championships.

When Jones teed off at Interlachen on July 10, 1930, he had just returned from his English triumphs. As a matter of fact the tournament was held later than usual that year to allow him time to get back from Britain.

Jones shot a 71—two under par—the first of the four championships.

He then posted a 73, a spectacular 69, and a 75 for a total of 287 which was one under the open's record low of 286 made by Chick Evans in 1916.

Funny Business



"What's doing now, bugler?"

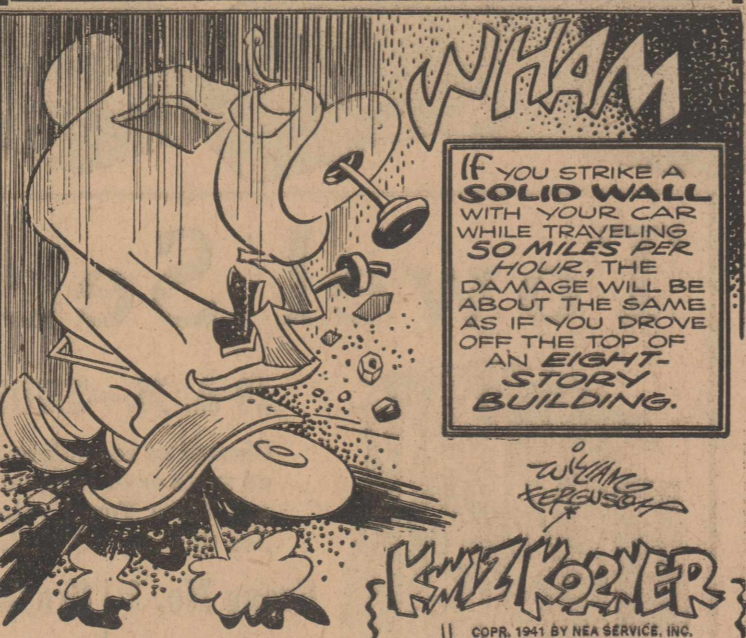
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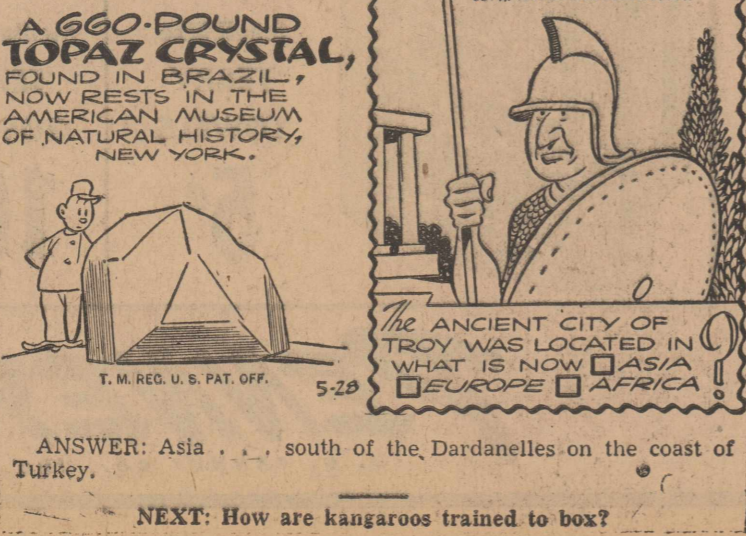
"I'm sorry, it was all my fault—I was trying to remember if I had turned off the gas under my string beans!"

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



IF YOU STRIKE A SOLID WALL WITH YOUR CAR WHILE TRAVELING 50 MILES PER HOUR, THE DAMAGE WILL BE ABOUT THE SAME AS IF YOU DROVE OFF THE TOP OF AN EIGHT-STORY BUILDING.



A 660-POUND TOPAZ CRYSTAL, FOUND IN BRAZIL, NOW RESTS IN THE AMERICAN MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY, NEW YORK.

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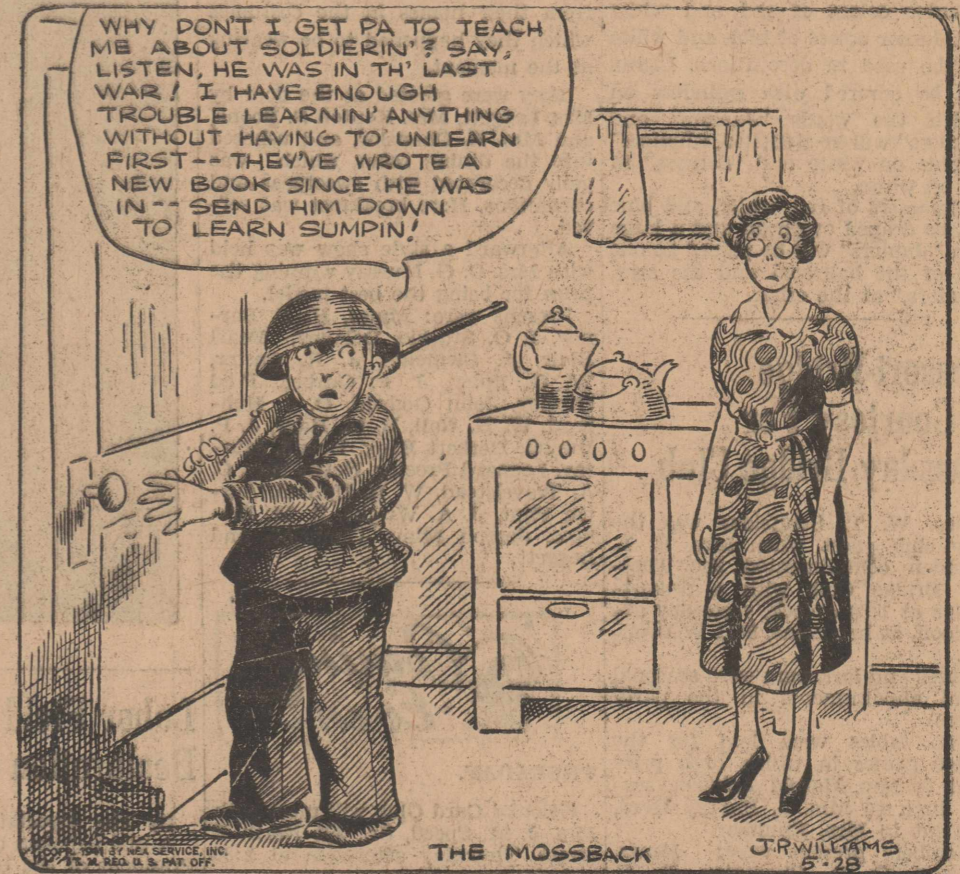
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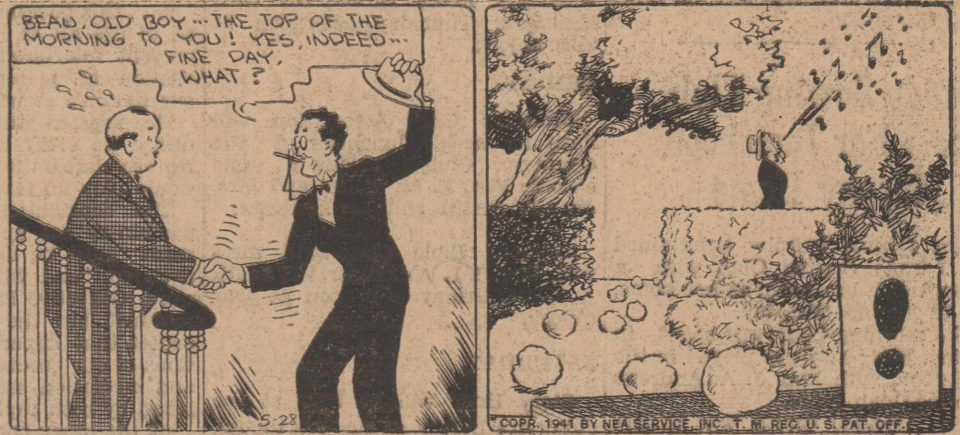
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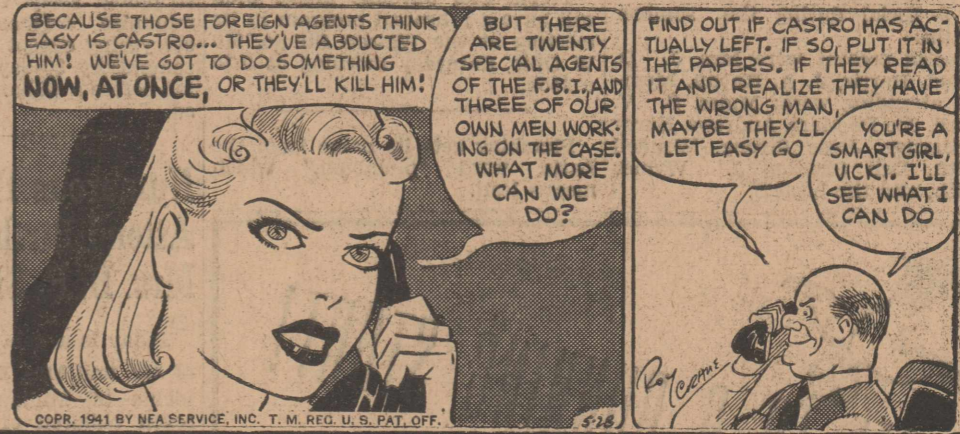
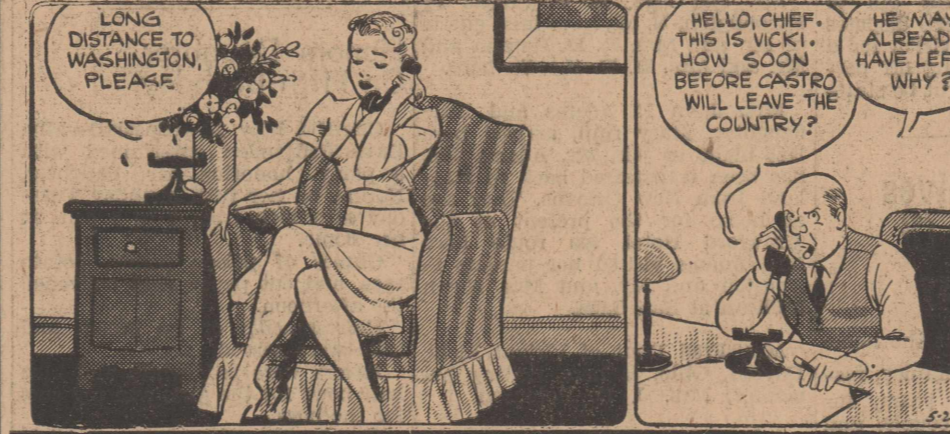
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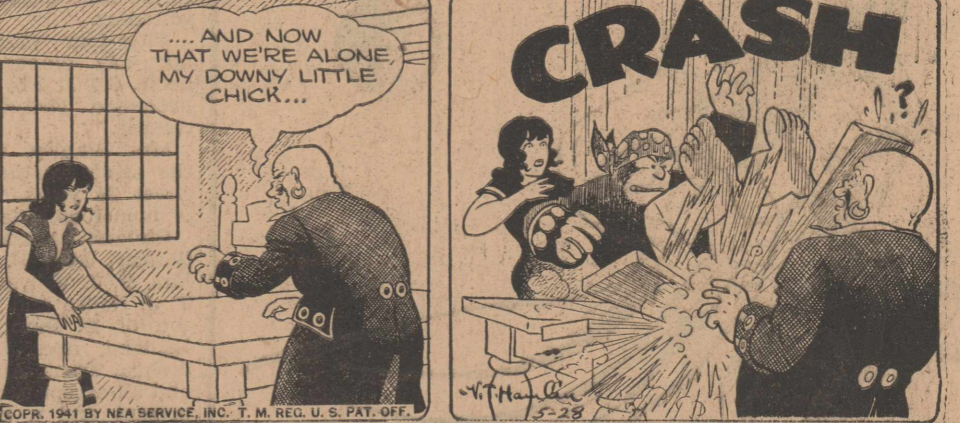
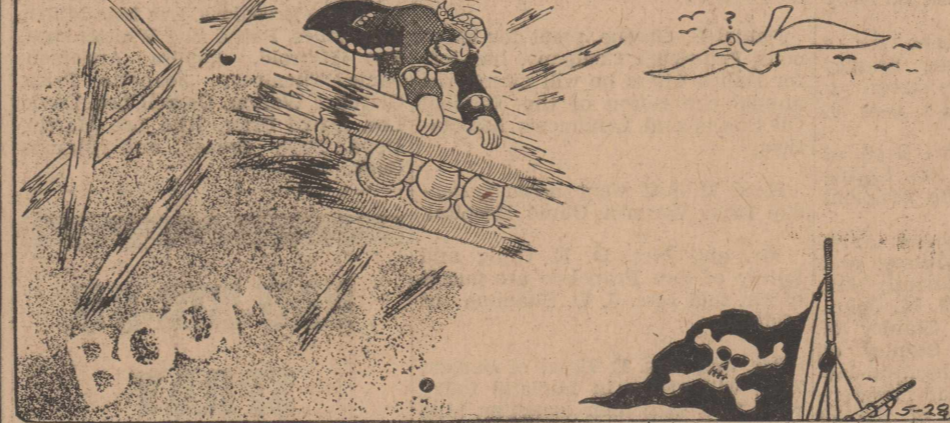
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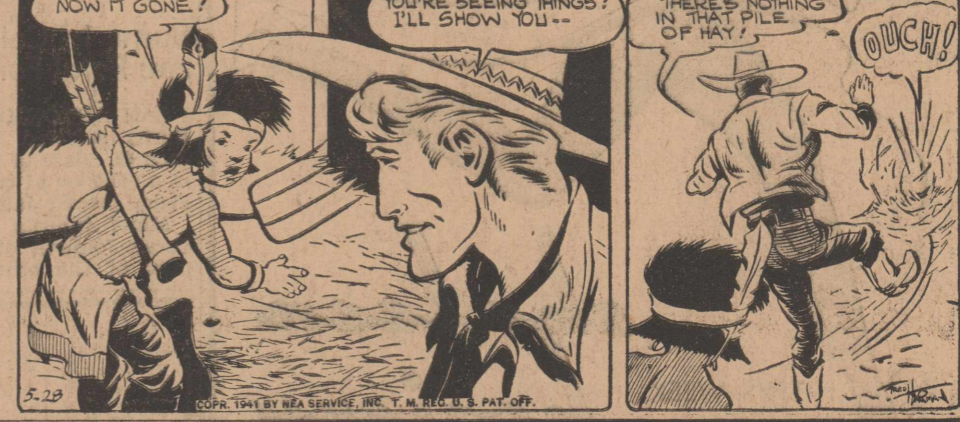
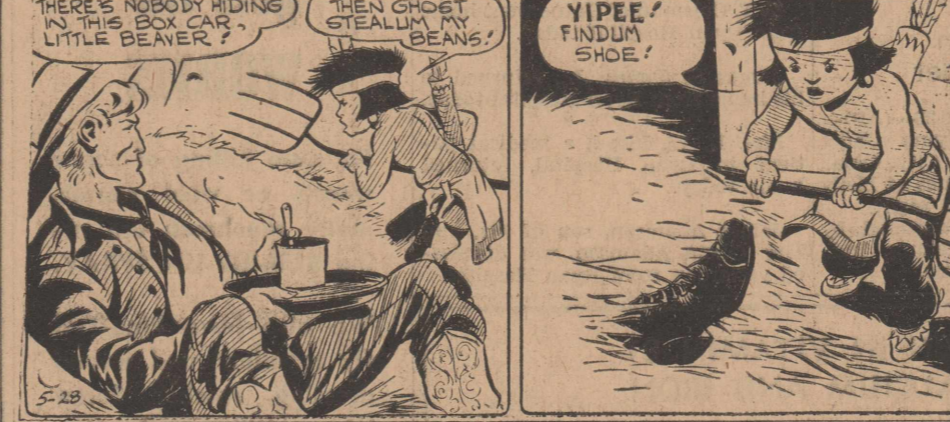
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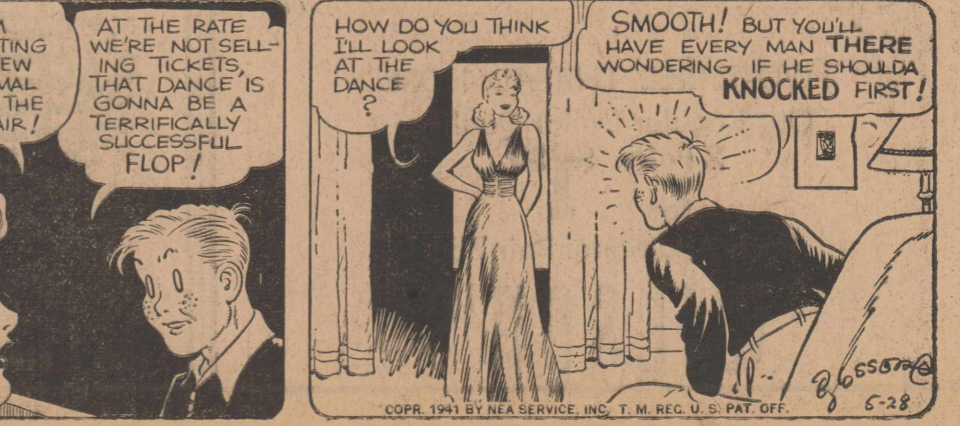
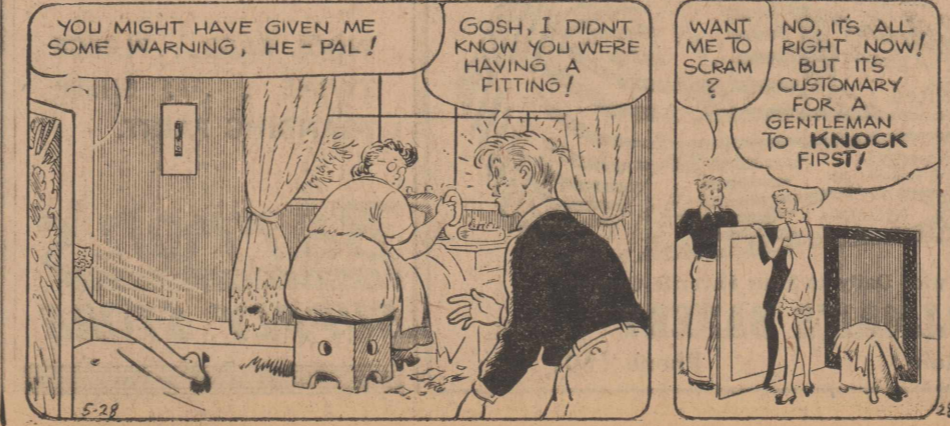
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THREE rooms; private bath; electric refrigerator; inner-spring mattress; utilities paid; close in; couple only. Upham, phone 1499-J-1. (68-1)

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TWO and three rooms; Frigidaire; private bath and garage. Spaulding Apartments, 1204 North Main. (69-6)

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Houses 16
 UNFURNISHED four room house; bath and garage. Phone 294. (68-1)

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Refrigerators and Service 28
 USED Frigidaire—See Bill Green Household Supply Co. Phone 735. (14-7)

Pets 35
 FULL blooded Spitz dog to give away for good home. Call 164. (69-1)

BUSINESS SERVICE
Mattress Renovating 47
 MATTRESS work; new and used furniture; storage. City Mattress Factory, 115 South Main, phone 1646. (6-18)

REAL ESTATE
Houses For Sale 61
 TRAILER house real cheap. See Shelton at Midland Glass and Paint Store, 105 S. Main. (67-3)

A BARGAIN in house to be moved; modern; 3 rooms and bath; 14x36; will deliver for \$485 cash. Box 503, phone 26, McCamey, Texas. (68-1)

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Good-Will Trippers To Advertise Lamesa Show

Good-will trippers, boosting the annual Lamesa Rodeo, will be in Midland June 5 at 2:10 p. m. Performers will present entertainment numbers. Lamesa's show is June 10-11.

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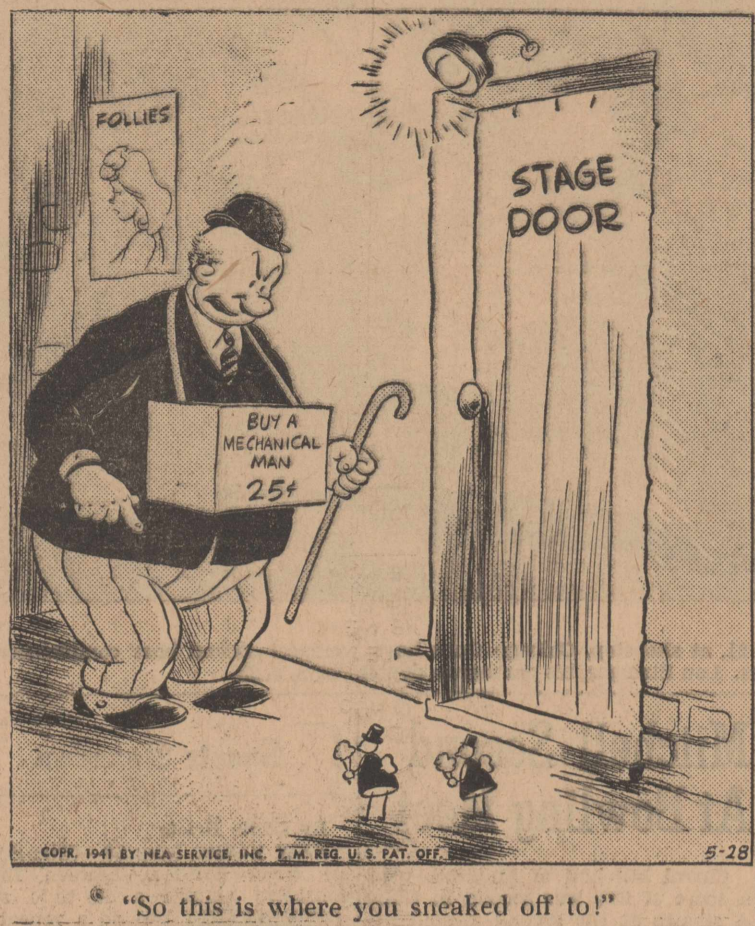
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Today's Markets LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH, May 28—(AP)—(U. S. Dept. Agr.)—Cattle, salable 1,900; calves, salable 700; common and medium slaughter steers and yearlings 7.00-9.00, good and choice kind 9.25-10.50; most cows 5.75-7.00; bulls 5.50-7.35; good and choice killing calves 9.00-10.50, choice vealers 11.00 and above, common and medium calves 7.25-8.75.

Hogs, salable 1,400; top 9.00; good and choice 1.80-2.90 lb 8.90-9.00; good and choice 150-175 lb 8.25-8.50; pigs mostly 8.00 down; packing sows mostly 7.75 down.

Sheep, salable 9,500; bulk spring lambs 8.00-9.00; most medium and good clipped lambs 7.00-8.00; good and choice grades 8.25-8.50; aged wethers 4.50 down; clipped feeder lambs 6.00-5.00.

Wool

BOSTON, May 28—(AP)—(U. S. Dept. Agr.)—Domestic wools were very quiet today in the Boston market and demand has slackened on the finer grades of foreign greasy combing wools. A few scattered sales of limited volume were closed on combing three-eighths and one-quarter blood bright fleece-wools at 46 to 47 cents, in the grease, but it was difficult to secure a maximum price on this range. Fine territory wools were quoted firmly at \$1 to \$1.03, scored basis despite a very limited outlet.

Stocks

NEW YORK, May 28—(AP)—Closing prices of the fifteen most active stocks today:

Int Pap & Pow	14 1/2
Consol Air	25 5/8
Anacosta	26
Curtis Wright	8-1/4
Stand Oil N J	37 1/4
South Pac	11 1/8
Columbia G & E	2 1/2
Penn R R	24
Gen Elec	28 1/2
Lockheed Arc	22 5/8
U S Steel	52 3/4
Stand Oil Cal	21 1/2
Unit Air	40 1/8
Boeing Airp	14
Radio	3 5/8

Cotton

NEW YORK, May 29—(AP)—Futures closed today 2 points lower to 6 points higher.

Every baby elephant is covered with soft hair, resembling down, at birth.



BUDWEISER BEER

Everywhere

SERIAL STORY

THREE TO MAKE READY

BY W. H. PEARS

CHAPTER XV
"YOU'RE trying to frighten me," Kilo accused.

"Oh, Kilo, I'm trying to make you see things straight! Chris was leaving school when he was arrested. He couldn't stand having everyone think he slugged Tony. I tried to help him, but I couldn't. He needs someone else, Kilo. He needs you!"

WHEN ENEMIES UNITE

"Why... do you tell me all this when you love him yourself?"

"I—I don't know," Paula said, her hazel eyes clouding. "I'm all mixed up about things. I only know I had to tell you."

From the left Tony called, "They're almost here."

Kilo seemed not to hear. Her green eyes, filled with tears, were fixed upon Paula.

"You're so decent," she said slowly.

"So are you, Kilo," Paula said. "And now's your chance to prove it."

"Paula, I—I didn't mean to get Chris in trouble. It was just that I was jealous. I was willing to do anything to keep him away from you..."

Roosevelt's Stand May End Strike

WASHINGTON, May 28—(AP)—Harry S. Hook, AFL union business agent, testified under sharp questioning today that if President Roosevelt demanded it he would recommend that striking machinists go back to work in the San Francisco Bay ship yards.

Hook appeared before the Senate defense investigating committee after Senator Connally (D-Tex) had asserted that the government was going to step in if production were not resumed.

When the witness said the machinists union would not be willing to resume work for \$1.12 an hour, he said he never wanted to see me again.

Paula shook the girl's shoulders. "Kilo, listen! Chris doesn't hate you. He loves you. But if you don't stop this fight he will hate you. I know Chris. Under that hard crust he's full of ideals. This is your last chance to make him

respect you."

"But how..." Kilo seemed bewildered.

"Come out and face the boys," Paula replied. "Tell them you're willing to let Van Horn settle things."

Kilo said dully, "All right, I'll go."

From the left Tony yelled, "Paula, stay inside. I'm going out and—"

But Paula and Kilo paid no heed. As they moved out the door Kilo said to one of the League boys, "Don't let Tony Beale out and don't let anyone in."

OUTSIDE the jet sky was steel-pointed with stars. In the dark silence Paula took a deep breath of cool night air and tried to quiet her pounding heart.

"Who's there?" Hal Bascomb called sharply.

A flashlight beam lanced out at them, pinned Kilo in its light. Under the silver-blond hair her face was cut clear and cameo-sharp. A low gasp of admiration escaped Paula at the other girl's loveliness.

"We're holding a meeting here," Kilo replied. "What do you want?"

"Quit stalling," Bill Jenks growled. "If you're going to run this League bunch out of Cardman, get started."

"Is that you, Bill Jenks?" Kilo called. "I want to talk to you."

A figure detached itself from the group. "What is it, Miss Sherwood?"

"Tell them to go back," Kilo said imperiously.

"Sure, sure, I will," Jenks chuckled.

Kilo beckoned him closer. Only Paula could hear her words: "Bill, the whole thing is off. I've changed my mind."

Jenks sucked in his breath. "Say, you're kidding, aren't you?"

"I'm serious, Bill. There mustn't be a fight here."

"Well, I'll be..." Jenks exclaimed, then, "Sorry, Miss Sherwood. I've got my orders from the boss. It's too late now."

THE crowd of boys surged forward. Kilo reached out and caught Paula's hand. They stood there, two girls who a few hours ago had been enemies, facing Bascomb with a single purpose.

"Don't go in there until you've heard what I have to say," Kilo begged. "Everything that happened has been my fault. You can't beat up my friends for something I did."

"We're not going to beat them up," Bascomb said. "Not unless they fight back. We're just going

to see that they don't throw any more stink bombs around Cardman. Or slug guys from behind."

"Wait!" Kilo cried. "Tony Beale wasn't slugged."

"Of course not! He tripped on a pin and—"

"He did trip! I was there. I know. One of the boys stood by the French doors with the stench bomb. I was behind some bushes. He was supposed to wait until I gave him the signal, but he got excited and threw it too soon. I started to run away just as Tony came out of the house. He fell over me and struck his head on the sidewalk."

"How about Chris Wentrich's scarf?" someone asked.

"I—I borrowed it," Kilo explained. "Chris was not near the party that night."

"Tell them the rest," Paula whispered.

Kilo said, "Bill Jenks, you'll lose your job for this." Then, to Bascomb, "You think he's your friend, Hal, but Big Barney Sherwood is paying him to start trouble."

"What do you say to that, Jenks?" Bascomb asked.

Jenks snorted. "Think I'd be talking like this to my boss's niece? Use the old noggin, fellow!"

"Please, Hal, listen to her," Paula said. "Kilo's telling the truth. Go back and let Dr. Van Horn settle this. If the League's willing to trust him, you ought to be."

"Say, look," Jenks said in disgust. "If you guys are too yellow to tackle this League bunch I'll go in and clean 'em out myself."

AN angry murmur went up at Paula's words. Jenks had already chosen the sharpest weapon at hand by accusing them of cowardice. The murmur broke into shouts.

"Come on!"

"Let's go!"

Bascomb and another fellow caught the two girls and lifted them out of the way. They made a rush for the barn door only to find it blocked by bales of hay.

Paula clutched Kilo's arm. "Look, over toward the road! It's a car. Maybe Dr. Lud's bringing help."

The fraternity boys were circling the barn. They found another door and threw their weight against it, but it was solidly held from within.

"Do you think it could be?" Kilo asked breathlessly.

Over the splintering of wood Paula said, "They can't make it..."

(To Be Continued)

Services For Turner Conducted At Church

Funeral services for John E. Turner, 54, Midland County roads superintendent who died here Monday, were held at 2:30 p. m. today at the First Baptist Church, and interment made in Fairview Cemetery.

The Rev. H. D. Bruce officiated services, assisted by the Rev. W. C. Hinds. County officials served as honorary pall bearers. Midland lodge No. 384 of I.O.O.F. also participated.

Turner was superintendent of county roads since 1928.

Germany Promises Rejection To Talk

BERLIN, May 28—(AP)—Late today the German press had not revealed to its public that President Roosevelt had made an important speech last night, but the authoritative news service, Dienst Aus Deutschland, said the address without doubt would receive "a decisive rejection" from Germany.

This news service is not issued for home consumption.

Appoint Curt Inman Midland USO Leader

Curt Inman today was appointed Midland County chairman of the United Service Organization by E. B. Germany of Dallas, state chairman. O. J. Allen of El Paso is district chairman.

The organization will raise funds, provide recreation, and handle welfare work in connection with the national defense program.

Thomason Requests Aid For Pecos Area

WASHINGTON, May 28—(AP)—Representative Thomason (D-Tex) asked Army Engineers today to investigate current floods on the Pecos River in West Texas to determine what protective measures should be taken to prevent future inundation of farm lands.

More than 7,000 acres of cultivated lands already have been flooded in the Red Bluff reservoir area, and the river is still rising, according to word received by Thomason from W. G. Burkholder, secretary of the Ward County Irrigation District No. 1.

Midland Cops Play Boys For Afternoon

Midland cops were "boys" for an afternoon yesterday and played baseball with the junior high safety patrol at a picnic at Cloverdale.

Chief L. P. McCasland and Frank Manning transported the boys to the outing in police cars.

Sponsoring the event to reward the school patrol for its year's safety work was the Midland Safety Council, business firms, and individuals.

Twenty-four youths attended.

Declaration Sends Some Stocks Upward

NEW YORK, May 28—(AP)—Aircraft, rail and farm implement shares moved upward out of the ruck of an otherwise irregular market today under the impetus of President Roosevelt's declaration of national policy.

The asserted improvements came late in the day after strikingly meagre dealings, giving the whole list a firm undertone. Transactions totaled about 350,000 shares.

The dearth of any real action was obviously due to reluctance on the part of operators to engage in large-scale trading until they were able to summarize the ramifications of the state of unlimited emergency.

House Bill Would Bar Communists From Ballot

AUSTIN, May 28—(AP)—A house-approved bill reaching the senate today would bar Nazi, Fascist and Communist party columns from Texas election ballots.

The proposal was passed without discussion by the lower chamber. Joining in a guessing game, the governor, in a radio talk, asserted it appeared the legislature might adjourn June 3. The house has not agreed on a quitting date.

Bill Holmes To Teach At O. U.

Ensign and Mrs. W. M. (Bill) Holmes are visiting in Midland for the remainder of the week. Transferred from Pensacola, Fla., to Corpus Christi, the former Midland man has now been transferred to Norman, Okla., where he will serve as instructor of naval science and tactics at the University of Oklahoma.

The couple formerly lived here where he was associated with the Humble Company.

Answers To Cranium Crackers

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- If the first day in June is Sunday, as it is this year, the last day is Monday, there being 30 days; four full weeks and two days over.
- Flag Day is June 14.
- June 3, birthday of Jefferson Davis, is observed as a holiday in southern states.
- Father's Day is usually observed on the third Sunday in June.
- James Russell Lowell wrote "What is so rare as a day in June?" in his "Vision of Sir Launfal."

PRIMA DONNA

HORIZONTAL

1 Present-day diva.

7 She has also starred as a in talks.

11 To appear.

12 Stove.

14 Elguy.

16 Destitute of hair.

17 Slave.

20 Prestige.

21 Want.

22 To guide.

23 Word used with con.

24 Ill.

25 At that time.

26 "Did right."

27 Outer coating of seeds.

28 Burden, person.

29 Form of "a."

30 To classify.

31 Long pole.

32 Thus.

33 Insulated.

35 Public walk.

36 Class of birds.

37 Irish fuel.

38 To bow.

ANSWERS TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE

15 Line.

16 Rear.

18 Musical note.

19 She is a native of

21 To careen.

22 Diffident.

24 Irrational.

25 Dumping ground.

27 Garden implements.

28 Booty.

29 To assist.

30 Hurried.

31 Cereal food.

32 South America (abbr.).

34 Eludes.

35 Hidden.

37 Enamel.

38 Arabian military commander.

40 To bathe.

42 Wine vessel.

43 Pastry.

45 Exists.

46 Transposed (abbr.).

VERTICAL

2 Extensive barren plain.

3 Aesthetic philosophy.

39 To merit.

40 Musical note.

41 Liliaceous tree.

42 Amidst.

43 Logger's boot.

44 She is a tiny or person.

47 To grub up trees.

48 Long grass.

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Aging King Carl Remembers How To Win Own Ball Game--Singles Home Jorges In Ninth To Defeat Braves

Martin Leads Frisco In Coast Loop Race; Bunts Pitchers Wild

By Hugh S. Fullerton
Associated Press Sports Writer

Among the many things Carl Hubbell must have learned in his many years of major league pitching is that the best way to win a ball game is to do it yourself.

Even back in the days when he was pitching the New York Giants to National League pennants, "old squarepants" was the guy who seldom could get a run or two to work on. Now, in the twilight of his career, Hub is finding that the trouble persists, but he still manages to win his share.

Hubbell took personal charge last night of the Giants' first home game under the floodlights, conquering the Boston Braves, 2 to 1, although his team could get him only seven hits.

The Braves loaded the bases in the eighth on two hits and an error but a double-play saved Hubbell and he repaid that kindness in the ninth by singling home Bill Jorges with the winning run.

Another night encounter also wound up in the last half of the ninth, with the league-leading St. Louis Cardinals pulling out a 3 to 2 decision over the Chicago Cubs. Johnny Mize was called upon for pinch-hitting duty with the bases full and rapped a single off Jake Mooty to decide the game.

Yankees Stagger In

That victory kept the Cards 2 1/2 games ahead of the Brooklyn Dodgers, who earned an easy 6-0 decision over the Phillies in the National League's only afternoon contest.

The Philadelphia Athletics, currently the "hottest" American League team, had to share some of the day's honors in the junior circuit with Detroit, which knocked off the league-leading Cleveland Indians, 9-6. The A's took a 5-2 trimming from the Boston Red Sox in the first game of a doubleheader but came back behind the three-hit hurling of Young Phil Marchildon to win the second, 11-1.

Bruce Campbell, former Indian who had beaten his old mates Monday, did the same trick again for Detroit, clouting two home runs to drive in four tallies.

Chicago's second-place White Sox remains four games behind the Tribe when Bob Muncie's six-hit pitching and Joe Grace's hitting carried the St. Louis Browns to a 5-2 triumph.

The New York Yankees staggered to a 10-8 decision over Washington after Red Ruffing had blown up in the sixth and lost a good part of a nine-run lead. Joe DiMaggio's homer and three singles topped the Yanks' attack.

FIELD OF 100 GOLFERS IN SOUTHWESTERN MEET

EL PASO, May 28—(AP)—A field of about 100, studded with several ex-champions and defending titlist Vern "Spec" Stewart of Roswell, entered qualifying play today in the 27th annual Southwestern Golf Tournament.

We hope you don't find it necessary to REPLANT

But if you do, we have good seed at nominal prices.

- Recleaned Hegari, 100 lbs. \$2.50
- Dwarf Milo, one year from certified...\$2.50
- Red Top Cane, treated for smut...\$2.50
- Sudan, 100 lbs...\$3.00
- June Corn, white, bushel...\$2.75
- Seeded Ribbon Cane, 100 lbs...\$3.00

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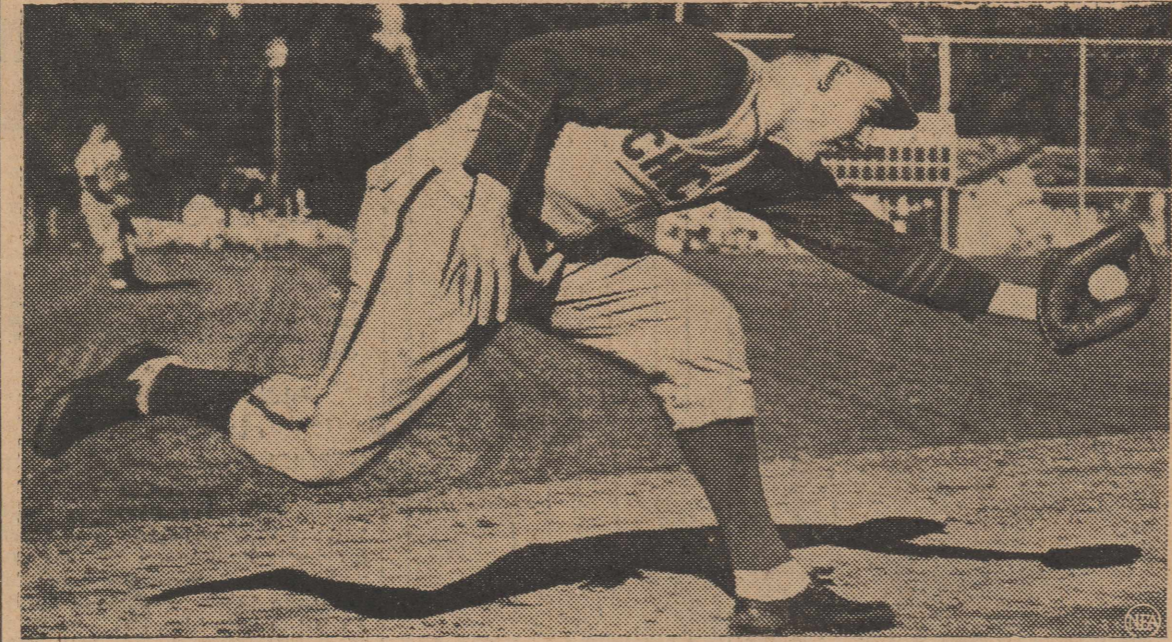
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BARGAIN DAYS

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"South of Suez"

Gives Cubs Youngest Second Base Combination



With Bob Sturgeon (above), not yet 21, at shoptop, Chicago Cubs have youngest second base combination in major leagues. Lou Stringer, his partner in double plays, is 23.

Baseball

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

American League.
St. Louis 5, Chicago 2
Detroit 9, Cleveland 6
Philadelphia 2-11, Boston 5-1
New York 10, Washington 8.

National League
New York 2, Boston 1
Brooklyn 6, Philadelphia 0
St. Louis 3, Chicago 2.
Only games.

Texas League
Dallas 5, Oklahoma City 1
Fort Worth 3, Tulsa 1
Shreveport at Houston, rain
Beaumont and San Antonio (not reported).

West Texas-New Mexico League.
Lamesa 6, Lubbock 5
Pampa 7-1, Clovis 2-8.
Borger 13, Amarillo 7
Big Spring 9, Wichita Falls 0

STANDINGS

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Cleveland	28	14	.667
Chicago	21	15	.583
New York	21	18	.538
Detroit	20	19	.513
Boston	17	17	.500
Philadelphia	18	20	.474
Washington	15	25	.375
St. Louis	12	23	.343

National League

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	28	9	.757
Brooklyn	27	12	.692
New York	19	14	.576
Cincinnati	17	20	.459
Chicago	16	19	.457
Pittsburgh	12	20	.375
Boston	12	21	.364
Philadelphia	10	25	.286

Texas League

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Houston	29	11	.725
Oklahoma City	21	18	.538
Shreveport	19	19	.500
Fort Worth	18	23	.436
Dallas	18	22	.450
Beaumont	17	21	.447
San Antonio	17	23	.426
Tulsa	17	22	.436

West Texas-New Mexico League

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Big Spring	23	6	.793
Borger	20	9	.688
Lamesa	17	14	.548
Pampa	13	16	.448
Wichita Falls	14	18	.436
Lubbock	11	16	.407
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Clovis	9	21	.300

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New York at Washington, N
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St. Louis at Chicago.

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Mitchell Second At Bowling Meet

Carroll Mitchell of Midland, with a score of 632, was second in Class A singles at the second annual invitational bowling tourney at Wichita Falls.

E. B. Dozier and Harry Hoekendorf were seventh in Class A doubles, scoring 1,154.

Brother of Wichita Falls with 640 won the A singles event. Bert Clark and Bob Wolf, Wichita Falls, won doubles with 1,249.

The Wichita event was held on three successive week-ends. Midland bowled there the week-end before last. The entry list included outstanding bowlers of the state.

Hollywood Pro Defeats Budge

CHICAGO, May 28—(AP)—A persistent rival and the law of averages finally caught up with J. Donald Budge.

The California redhead has been breezing through all comers, amateur and pro, for a long time. His victims frequently included 26-year-old John Faunce, Hollywood professional.

Faunce always lost his Budge match until yesterday.

Budge caught his rival in a red-hot streak and was knocked out of the National Professional Championship tourney in straight sets, 6-4, 6-1, 6-3.

His defeat left the title battle wide open. Big Bill Tilden swung back into action today against Keith Gledhill of Los Angeles in quest of a semi-final berth and Fred Perry of Beverly Hills, Calif., engaged Joe Nogrady of Dallas.

Rebels Receive Good Hurling As Nitcholas Defeats Indians, 5-1

By The Associated Press

It's difficult to make a prophecy about the erratic Dallas Rebels, but if their pitchers deliver as well as they have for the last few games they might yet be in the upper bracket of the Texas League.

Otto Nicholas turned in a neat five-hit job last night at Oklahoma City to give the Rebs a 5-1 win—the second in a row—over the second-place Indians.

By the strategic placing of eight hits, the Fort Worth Cats scored two runs in the first and another in the second to take a 3-1 decision from the Tulsa Oilers.

The only other scheduled game, Shreveport at Houston, was rained out.

The Rebels collected nine hits—Heinz Becker and Bubba Floyd contributing two each—and knocked Walter Brown and Pete Mallory off the mound in drubbing Oklahoma City.

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Three years ago Hostak proved champions sometimes do come back. He lost the title in 1938 to Solly Krieger of Brooklyn when he broke both hands. Later he regained the crown only to lose it to Zale.

Sports Roundup

By Eddie Brietz
NEW YORK, May 28—(The Special News Service)—Lawson Little considers himself a 15 to 1 shot to do a repeat in the National Open . . . Army life hasn't dimmed Hank Greenberg's famous batting eye—a homer and a double in a camp softball game the other day . . . Note to Ed Lewis, Corpus Christi, Texas, and several dozen others; the Louis-Baer fight pay-off was on the seventh round.

Today's Guest Star

Francis E. Stan, Washington Star: "We have freshly viewed a new stack of the Louis-Buddy Baer fight films and everybody who said there was no 'hum-of-the-month' for May was wrong . . . The bum was Referee Arthur Donovan and on a bigger scale than we first supposed."

For Crying Out Loud

Ben Hogan, who has finished in the money in 48 consecutive tournaments, is moaning he is in the worst slump of his career! . . . Billy Conn arrives tomorrow to begin training for Louis at Long Beach, N. J., now that brother Buddy is stealing the spotlight, Max Baer is going back into the fillums to try to recapture a spot of same. Beg pardon; the Mutual System not Columbia, will take over the Mike Jacobs fight broadcasts next month.

Prescription Dept.

We have a simple remedy To cure the Dodgers' ills, Just let them finish out their string Against the lowly Phils.

Rounding 'Em Up

Coach Jimmy Hitchcock of Auburn isn't superstitious—he awarded 13 baseball letters . . . So you'd like to own a ball club, huh? Well, the Charlotte Hornets of the Piedmont loop already have spent \$1,200 for baseballs this season and are running out again . . . Muddy Ruel, White Sox coach, advises youngsters not to learn to throw the knuckle ball—it tightens the muscles in the forearm.

One Minute Interview

The eminent elbow, Mr. Lefty Grove, who is trying to make it 300 victories for his major league career, says: "The last hundred games are the hardest and I don't mean maybe."

Technical O. K.

The scorekeeper of a negro ball game, down in Birmingham, turned in his box score . . . Included in the summary was: Time of game—4:30 p. m.

RAISES OIL ALLOWABLES

OKLAHOMA CITY, May 28—(AP)—The state corporation commission increased today the Oklahoma oil production allowable for June 5,000 barrels to 415,000 barrels a day.

Rattlesnake Bites Shell Oil Employee

O. K. Baker, Midland, of the legal department of Shell Oil Company, Inc., was bitten by a rattlesnake at Seymour his office was informed today.

Reports were incomplete. It was believed, however, Baker had been bitten four times.

DENIES WOMAN PENSION FOR AGE MINIMUM PROOF
DES MOINES, Ia., May 28—(AP)—A county welfare board recommended denial of a blind pension to a woman applicant who had no documentary proof that she was more than 18 years old, the minimum age requirement.

The state board of social welfare, however, suggested that the proof might be waived.

The woman, it seems, has five grand children.

Goldthwaite And Mann Will Play In Houston Meet

By William T. Rives

HOUSTON, May 28—(AP)—Two former Curtis Cup players took attention away from the champion today as they squared off in the second round of the Women's Trans-Mississippi Golf Tournament.

Mrs. Russell Mann of Omaha, Neb., former finalist in the tourney and Mrs. Frank Goldthwaite, attractive mother of two children, met in the outstanding attraction.

Betty Jameson of San Antonio, defending champion, figured to have relatively an easy time with Miss Marie Levi of Dallas.

Mrs. Mann was a slim choice in her match with the Fort Worth matron. She has played well despite her unfamiliarity with the River Oaks links, and yesterday swamped Mrs. M. W. Morgan of Baytown, Texas, 8 and 6.

Jameson Wins 9 and 8.

In the opening round, Mrs. Goldthwaite eliminated Mrs. J. R. Somerville of Columbia, Mo., 6 and 5, but her medal score was several shots away from Mrs. Mann's.

Miss Jameson smothered Mrs. F. M. Hight of Houston, 9 and 8, shooting but one stroke over par.

Two other close matches were scheduled today. Miss Ellamae Williams, Chicago coat model, and Miss Kay Pearson, Texas champion, bumped together in a tilt calculated to go possibly the full 18 holes.

Miss Phyllis Otto, the 16-year-old stylist from Atlantic, Ia., met Elinor Jones of Albuquerque, perennial ruler of women's golf in New Mexico.

Maverick Loses In Mayor's Race

SAN ANTONIO, May 28—(AP)—The tempestuous political career of Maury Maverick, known as a New Deal stalwart when he was in Congress, received another setback today when he failed of reelection as San Antonio's mayor.

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