

City Is Defense Housing Area Germans Trap Armies In Ukraine

Source Declares Divisions Regain Blitzkrieg Tempo

Poltava Falls To Nazis As Mohammedans Urged To Rise Against Menace

By The Associated Press German armies sweeping across the Dnieper River 200 miles east of Kiev have captured Poltava, only 80 miles from the big Ukraine industrial center of Kharkov, and other Nazi forces are engaged in annihilating four Russian armies trapped in the central Ukraine, Adolf Hitler's high command said Friday.

Kharkov is the chief industrial city of the Donets River Basin. Nazi dispatches indicated that the resistance of Marshal Semion Budenny's Ukraine forces was crumbling, with German columns regaining the blitz tempo which marked their lightning smashes through Belgium, Holland and France last year.

Amid the desperate plight of the Red defenders, the head of Russia's Mohammedan administration appealed to the world's 235,000,000 Mohammedans to rise "in the name of Islam" against the "devastation of Fascism."

The trapped Red armies, unofficially estimated at 500,000 troops, were reported caught in a steel ring 125 miles east of Kiev. "Their annihilations is now in progress," the German high command said.

3,600,000 Red Losses Simultaneously, grave new threats imperiled Kiev itself and the great northern metropolis of Leningrad. More than 3,600,000 Soviet troops were declared to have been slain or captured in the three-month-old campaign. Half were killed, the Nazi high command said.

On the historic road of three wounded to every one killed in past wars, this would mean that Red Army losses totaled the staggering figure of 9,000,000 men, including some 5,400,000 wounded. German losses were put at 402,865 killed, wounded and missing in the first two months of the war.

Fires in Leningrad In a special bulletin, Hitler's field headquarters said German army groups under Field Marshal Gen. Gerd Von Rundstedt and Field Marshal Gen. Fedor Von Bock, slashing around Kiev in a vast flanking movement had met beyond Desna River to trap the Russians. Finnish military dispatches said huge fires were raging in Leningrad, blazing so fiercely they could be seen with the naked eye in broad daylight from Finnish territory.

Other Nazi reports said Stuka dive bombers had silenced the guns of Kronstadt fortress, powerful island naval base 20 miles from Leningrad, thus paving the way for German warships to steam up the Gulf of Finland and shell the old Czarist capital at close range. A Red Army bulletin acknowledged the Germans had reached one of Kiev's gates, but indicated that the struggle had not yet reached a decisive phase. Bitter fighting raged around the city of 850,000 inhabitants throughout the night, a late Soviet communique said.

German dispatches said other Nazi armies, sweeping eastward beyond the Dnieper River, had pushed close to Kharkov. (See WARFARE, Page 5)

Behind The Headlines

By DeWitt MacKenzie

Hitler's powerful and unrelenting offensives against the Russians on both flanks of the 1,100 mile battle-line are creating a grave threat to the present Red positions. The crucial engagement—having regard to its effect not only on the Russo-German war but on the European conflict as a whole—is in the Ukraine, which will provide a gateway to further tremendous adventures if the Nazi chief can force it.

There certainly is nothing in the strategic set-up of the moment to guarantee that the fiercely resisting Muscovites won't be compelled to make widespread withdrawals to defenses further east. Indeed, the likelihood is that they will unless they have a quick break of luck.

Thus far the Bolshevik high command has pulled back its great, unwieldy front in such soldierly fashion as to keep it intact. But retreats are among the most dangerous operations of war, for once a line gives way there may easily be a debacle, and frequently the situation becomes more critical with each retreatment.

Japan Protests Again. This increasing pressure on the Reds will make the Allies turn their eyes toward Tokyo, where among the momentous problems the Japanese government has been considering undoubtedly is whether Japan shall seize the opportunity to attack Russia.

Thus it is interesting to note that Friday for the second time the Japanese government has protested to the Soviet against floating mines in the Sea of Japan. Here we have a possible basis for war—if Tokyo feels that Russia is hard-pressed enough to warrant such action. The military position in the Russian theatre Friday gives the picture of a front which is flaming with death from end to end.

The great city of Leningrad, Russia's doorway to the Baltic and the Red fleet, is still on its feet but it is bailed in blood and fire. The defenses by troops, and civilian men and women, is an epic.

School Problem Is Studied By Officials

Plans for educating children of Army officers and enlisted men who will be stationed at the Midland Advanced Twin-Engine and Bomber Training Center were discussed in Odessa Friday by representatives of the Midland school district and Federal and state education officials. L. C. Link, head of the school board, and Superintendent George A. Heath conferred with Curtis O. Booher of Washington, and Fred Horn Austin, Booher represents the United States Department of Education and Horn the State Department of Education.

They investigated the increase in students in both Midland and Odessa and made other investigations concerning the school problems. Both cities have applied for federal funds to take care of the expenses of increased enrollment due to the construction of the big Army Air Corps training center. Recommendations concerning the allotments of federal funds for school aid probably will follow the housing program started in the area.

Conditions On Strike Fronts Ease As Kansas City Electricians Work And Sailors Consent To Arbitrate

By The Associated Press A walkout of AFL electricians at Kansas City was ended Friday and striking merchant sailors on the Atlantic and Gulf coasts expressed willingness to arbitrate "on certain conditions." The electricians voted Thursday night to go back to their jobs after the Kansas City Power and Light Company reportedly agreed to reinstate all strikers, including five men accused of sabotage. The strike began virtually without warning before dawn Wednesday, when master switches were thrown at power plants, plunging the city into darkness and interfering with vital services. The strike stemmed from a jurisdictional dispute. Both the AFL and an independent group claimed the right to represent 200 overhead workers and a dozen employees of the steam plant. The striking sailors made their tentative arbitration offer last night after the Maritime Commission had requisitioned three tied-up vessels of the Alcoa line. The commission had warned the ship owners and the strikers Wednesday that the vessels would be taken over under a dispute over war bonuses was arbitrated.

Midland Oil Operator Dies In Automobile Accident Near Jal

National Defense Priorities Rating Is Given Midland

WASHINGTON (AP)—Donald M. Nelson, defense priorities director, granted a defense preference rating Friday for materials to be used in the construction of 300,000 homes to cost less than \$6,000 each. The order, effective September 22, will extend government priority assistance in obtaining materials for 200,000 privately-financed homes and 100,000 to be erected by government agencies. Among designated areas were: Texas—Abilene, Beaumont-Orange-Port Arthur, Brackettville, Brady, Brownwood, Corpus Christi, Cuero, Dallas-Ft. Worth, Denison-Sherman, Dumas, El Paso, Freeport, Galveston, Harlingen, Houston, Lubbock, Midland, Mineral Wells, Palacios, San Angelo, San Antonio, Texas-arkana, Vernon, Victoria, Wichita Falls.

More than 300,000 feet of lumber is being used daily in the construction of the Advanced Twin Engine and Bomber Training Center at Sloan Field, executives of Cagle Brothers and P. M. Reeves and Sons, general contractors, said Friday. Work on the big Army Air Corps program is proceeding on schedule. Asbestos siding now is being installed on many of the new buildings. Work of moving the Atlantic Pipe Line Company's pipeline from the Military Reservation has started, and the Magnolia Pipe Line Company will start removal of its pipeline in a few days. The lines will be moved north of the field.

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Jaycees Plan Membership Drive

Plans for the annual Midland Junior Chamber of Commerce membership campaign next month were outlined by Horace Busby, membership chairman, at the meeting of the Jaycee group at the Crawford Hotel Friday. The campaign will be conducted in the form of a contest, with two sides competing on a point basis. Captains of the two sides were named Friday, with the two leaders, C. Ed Prichard and Curt Inman, choosing their workers. Attendance will count in the contest. Members of the losing side will be hosts to the winners at a dinner at the end of the campaign which will run through October. The individual obtaining the most new members will receive a \$25 Defense Saving Bond. Rules of the contest will be announced later. President Delbert Downing announced land in West Midland had been obtained as a site for the proposed Civic Center building. Reports concerning the Jaycee sponsored "Pigskin Preview" Thursday night, and the Texas Good Roads Association membership campaign were heard.

Germany Announces Capture Of Poltava

BERLIN (AP)—The German high command Friday announced the capture of Poltava. Poltava is a railway town 200 miles east and slightly south of Kiev, and only 50 miles from Kharkov, the principal city of North-eastern Ukraine.

World War Official Says Price Ceiling Is Great Necessity

WASHINGTON (AP)—Bernard M. Baruch, World War head of the war industries board, told Congress Friday legislation which would put a ceiling over the entire price structure was the "greatest single necessity of our present crisis" and would save "twenty per cent or more of all appropriations." Testifying before the House banking committee which is considering the administration's price control bill, Baruch said that while he was strongly in favor of that measure's objectives, he regarded it as "piecemeal."

Car Overtakes On Curve During Rain Killing H. C. Wheeler And Breaking Neck Of M. I. Humphries Of Jal

Unrest Gains As Dictators Kill Civilians

H. C. (Cub) Wheeler, 40, Midland independent oil operator, was killed instantly at 3:30 a. m. Friday two and one-half miles north of Jal, N. M., when an automobile overturned on a curve. Wallace W. Irwin, Midland, vice-president of Culbertson & Irwin, Inc., driver of the car, was slightly injured. M. I. (Major) Humphries of Jal, riding in the automobile, suffered a broken neck and is in a Kermit hospital. Doctors there said his condition was serious but he is expected to recover. Deputy Sheriff Elmer Turner of Jal, who investigated the accident, said it occurred during a misty rain and on a slippery curve. He said a passing motorist brought the victims to Jal. Justice of the Peace Paul Dowden of Eunice, N. M. held an inquest and reported "H. C. Wheeler met accidental death in an automobile accident." The three men were enroute to Jal from Hobbs, N. M. when the accident occurred. The deputy sheriff said Wheeler had head and body injuries. Irwin was driving. Irwin telephoned his wife in Midland Friday morning he was not seriously hurt. Wheeler's body first was taken to a funeral home at Hobbs, but was brought here later Friday in an Ellis ambulance. Live Here Several Years. Funeral services for Wheeler will be held at 2 p. m. Saturday at the First Presbyterian Church and interment will be in a Colorado City cemetery. Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Eleanor Wheeler, Midland; two daughters, Eleanor and Enid Wheeler, Midland; his mother, Mrs. June Wheeler, of Marlow, Okla.; and two sisters, Miss Jessie Wheeler, Marlow, and Mrs. Robert Dent, Riverside, Calif. Wheeler has been engaged in the oil business in the Permian Basin for more than 15 years and had lived here approximately six years. He was a stock holder in the firm of Culbertson & Irwin, Inc. Wheeler was directing the laying of a water line from the Sand Hills of Crane County to the Abel oil field near Imperial at the time of his death.

Declares Senate Would Vote For Neutrality Repeal

WASHINGTON (AP)—A leading opposition strategist conceded Friday that the administration could win senate approval by the margin of a dozen votes—if it sought outright repeal of the neutrality Act in furtherance of its program of aiding Britain. Pointing out that any such proposal was likely to provoke heated and lengthy debate in both houses, this legislator said an informal count of noses indicated senatorial opponents of repeal would muster no more than 37 votes, 12 short of a majority. He declared, however, to speculate on the outcome in the house. Some observers have said that the division of opinion there is sharp and much in doubt, although the action of the American Legion this week in urging outright repeal of the law was expected to have some effect. This evident uncertainty, as well as the prospect of a long argument on all of the aspects of the act, has caused administration leaders to consider seeking only a partial revision of the law to permit the arming of American merchant ships plying in the "defense waters" from which President Roosevelt has ordered the navy to clear Axis farcraft.

Future Farmers Name Jones Head

Eugene Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Jones, was elected president of the Future Farmers of America Club of Midland High School. Other officers of the new organization of the vocational agriculture department include: O. C. Collins, vice president; Kelly Lovell, secretary; R. C. Vest, treasurer; Lewis Wingo, reporter; J. W. Graham, watchdog, and R. E. Roch, historian. Harlan Howell, vocational agriculture teacher, is advisor for the club.

Four Soldiers Face Charges

RANGER (AP)—Four soldiers missing from Camp Wolters after an early-morning break from the guardhouse last Monday faced charges Friday of robbery with firearms, theft of an automobile and robbery and assault. Those charged were Walter Sakatis, 29, of Chicago; Roy M. Rankin, 20, of Tacoma, Wash.; John A. Sinebaugh, 21, of Greenville, Texas; and A. D. McBride of Klondike, Texas. The four men were arrested Thursday near Cross Plains.

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Latest News Flashes

German Swastika Flies Over Kiev BERLIN (AP)—German forces have entered Kiev and raised the Swastika flag over the citadel of the long-besieged Ukrainian capital, Soviet Russia's third largest city, the German high command reported Friday night. Legislature Adjourns; Bill Becomes Law AUSTIN (AP)—The special session of the Legislature ended at 12:30 p. m. Friday and minutes later Governor Coke R. Stevenson signed the road bond bill. Winfield To Preside Over Senate AUSTIN (AP)—Shortly before adjourning the special session of the Legislature, the Senate Friday elected Senator H. L. Winfield of Fort Stockton as president pro tempore ad interim until the next session.

Midland Is Placed Under Title Six Of National Housing Act As Defense City By Order Of President Roosevelt

Expect Action To Stimulate Construction Of Scores Of Houses For Army Officers And Men Assigned To Duty At Big Training Center President Roosevelt has designated Midland a National Defense housing area under Title Six of the National Housing Act. This step in the national emergency is expected to stimulate immediately the construction of scores of homes to house Army Air Corps officers and enlisted men who will be stationed here at Sloan Field, the \$5,000,000 Advanced Twin Engine and Bombarrier Training Center, now under construction. Telegrams from Congressman R. E. Thomason and from the office of Senator W. Lee O'Daniel brought the news to Midland.

The message from Thomason said: "Pleased to inform that defense housing coordinator has just informed me Midland has been designated a defense area under Title Six of the National Housing Act." The message from O'Daniel's secretary said President Roosevelt made the designation of Midland. Under the designation, loans up to 90 percent on dwellings, which cost \$4,000 or less, may be obtained for either rent houses or those occupied by their owners. "Elected to inform that defense housing coordinator has just informed me Midland has been designated a defense area under Title Six of the National Housing Act." The message from O'Daniel's secretary said President Roosevelt made the designation of Midland. Under the designation, loans up to 90 percent on dwellings, which cost \$4,000 or less, may be obtained for either rent houses or those occupied by their owners.

East-Edge Well In Foster Pool Making Big Flow

Record flow for the Foster pool of Ector County is being made by Broderick & Calvert, Inc. No. 6 Mrs. Vina Bagley, on the east edge of the pool. Flowing a solid 4-inch stream of oil through swedge-nipple from 2-inch outlet of casing head, it tanked 3,275 barrels of oil the first 12 hours of testing and continued the gauge. The well made 280 barrels the twelfth hour. Operators are moving in and connecting to nine additional 500-barrel tanks to assure adequate storage for the full 24-hour period. Oil men attribute No. 6 Bagley's unexpectedly large flow to cavernous porosity or a crevice. It is not far from dry holes and is pronounced by geologists to be on the "ragged edge" of the Central Basin platform. The well, located 1,650 feet from the north, 330 from the east line of section 17, block 42, township 2 south, T&P survey, is only 600 feet south of the firm's No. 5 Bagley, a 781-barrel pumper. No. 6 Bagley is bottomed at 4,356 feet in lime and was shot with 325 quarts of nitro from 4,235 to 4,352 feet. It had made only small heads before shooting and suddenly blew in while cleaning out after the shot. Lots Of 7-Inch Set. String of 7-inch casing has been cemented at 8,338 feet with 1,000 sacks in Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 20 State-Walton, deep test in Northern Winkler County. Total depth is 8,341 feet in shale and lime believed to be Silurian. The wildcard is standing while cement sets. A projected 11,000-foot Ordovician test in Northeastern Ward County, Shell Oil Company, Inc. No. 1 Sealy-Smith Foundation, is drilled. (See OIL NEWS, Page Three)

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New Legion Commander Waves Greeting After Election

Lynn Stambaugh of Fargo, North Dakota, newly elected American Legion national commander, greets convention delegates in Milwaukee following his election to succeed Milo J. Warner. (NEA Telephoto.)



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### BETTER SEEK WISDOM AND FOLLOW IT:

The man that wandereth out of the way of understanding, shall rest in the assembly of the dead.—  
Proverbs 21:16.

## Who Forces People, Antagonizes Them

One of the strangest twists of the human character is the overpowering desire, once we have gotten something that we consider good, to force it on others whether they consider it good or not.

Surely if Nazism had been good in Germany, the rest of the world would have seen its virtues eventually, and adopted them. If Fascism had been good in Italy, sooner or later the world would have recognized whatever was good in it, and adopted those good features. If Communism had been good in Russia, surely the striking example of its successes would have impressed the world to the point of emulating them.

But no. None of these countries was content to build in its own way and produce a society whose success would be evident to the world. Each had to launch into a campaign, before its own house had been set half-way in order, to convert the rest of the world by argument, by intrigue, by plotting, and finally by force of arms. It is this meddlesome, intolerable spirit of interference abroad which has been the ruin of all three.

Twice in the memory of living men, Germany has deliberately thrown away the sympathetic respect of the world and an honorable position before it. Between 1900 and 1914, Germany led the world in many fields. Students flocked to her universities, her ships sailed the seven seas, her commercial and cultural position was widely admired. And then, at one sweep, she threw it all away by resort to war. In hope of attaining suddenly, at one warlike stroke, the supremacy she was gradually attaining anyway, she gambled all and lost all. Similarly, the Weimar Republic of the Twenties had the sympathy of the world, and was making progress toward one day regaining the lost German prestige. And then, in 1933, all that was again thrown away for a policy of getting it all at once, by war, instead of slowly, by laborious degrees, the hard way.

Russia had immense sympathy in the United States when it first threw off the Czar's shackles. Had it been able to mind its own business, build its own socialistic society, which would have been fine enough to draw attention and emulation, it might have gotten somewhere. But instead it strewed around the world agitators who insisted on pretending that every country in the world was Czarist Russia, and in trying to duplicate in each the more horrible phases of the Russian class conflict. The result was the only possible result: the creation of vast antipathies.

Example, not force, is the only real and permanent means of conversion. Let him who has a truth so demonstrate and manifest that truth that others will be drawn to it.

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## Some Soldiers Lose Vote

The United States operates on the theory of a citizen army. Ever since the Minute Men dropped their scythes in the fields and rushed off to Concord with their long rifles, and came home eight years later to resume civilian life, we have assumed that our soldiers are still primarily citizens.

A half-dozen state legislatures modified their statutes governing soldier voting this year, the Council of State Governments reports. But there are still seven states which entirely lack any legal provision for the votes of their soldiers.

As all regulations of the suffrage are state regulations, any soldiers who feel deprived of their rights must look to their state capitols rather than to Washington. Surely if military service becomes a more or less permanent institution, it will be necessary to survey carefully these regulations, lest in gaining an army we lose citizens.

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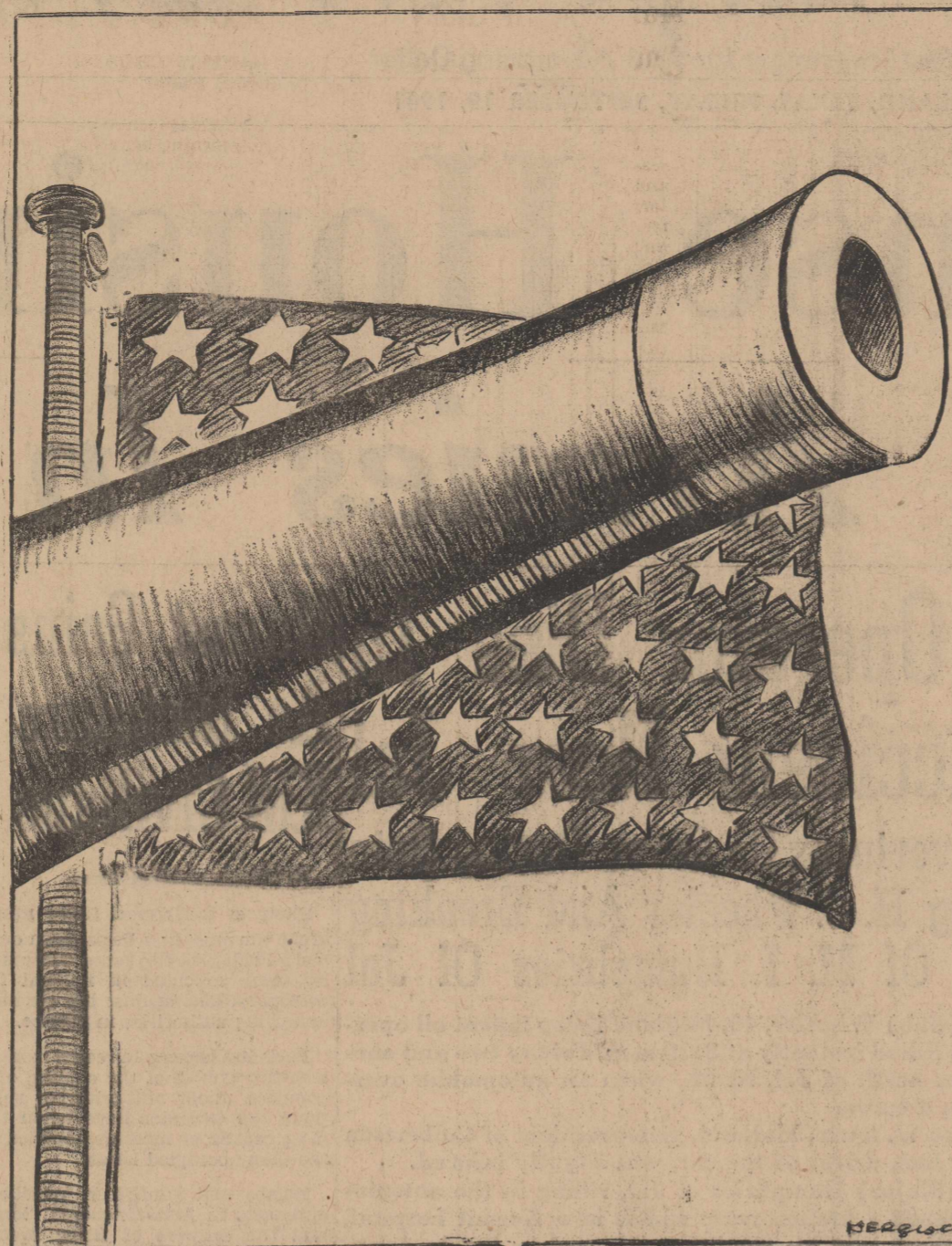
Uncle Sam will see it that Hitler's song of success hits a sour note when he reaches the high sea.

With nights getting longer, look at the bright side! More raiding over there—more reading over here.

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## The Next Speaker On Freedom Of The Seas



## Grants Priority Repair Work Aid

DALLAS (Special)—One of the greatest priority control aids needed by southwestern industries has been provided by the new and streamlined plan to grant priority assistance for emergency repair work in certain essential industries, according to J. B. Crockett, district priorities manager of Dallas.

The new repair work plan represents an effort by the division of priorities, OPM, to keep American defense industries and certain essential industries running at full speed, and to prevent any break in the increasing tempo of defense production.

Set up along simple lines, the plan provides machinery under which priority status for repair work in 20 industrial classifications can be obtained easily, so that the firms and agencies in these classifications may obtain repair parts promptly.

Industries authorized to use the rating, which comes under a defense heading, include carriers; plants engaged in producing chemicals by chemical processing of raw materials; coke converting; plants manufacturing explosives; farm machinery and equipment; plants for food processing and storing; highway maintenance and equipment; plants producing lumber, metals and alloy manufacturers; mines and quarries.

Petroleum production; newspapers, radio, including commercial broadcasting and communication but excluding home receiving sets; industrial and academic research laboratories; rubber and rubber products; ship and ship repair yards, but not those devoted to the exclusive production of pleasure craft, and telephone and telegraph communication.

This priority may be used also by educational institutions, hospitals, clinics, sanatoria and by federal, state, county and municipal services.

## Wildcats Play Hobbs At Home

WINK (Special)—Wiser and with pointers picked up in a recent lively scrimmage with the Class AA Midland high Bulldogs, the Wink Wildcats take on Hobbs, N. M., at 8:30 p. m. here Saturday night.

Hobbs was recognized state champion of New Mexico last season and has another good ball club. Wink has been forced to build from the ground up this season.

Superintendent Johnson of Wink said the game was slated Saturday night to permit more fans of the area to attend.

## Buffaloes Win 34-0 From Oklahoma City

CANYON (AP)—Paced by Ben Collins, the West Texas College Buffaloes drubbed the Oklahoma City University Goldbugs 34 to 0 Thursday night by a rashing attack that bewildered their opponents.

Collins, fourth highest scorer in the nation last year, slashed through the OCU defense time and again for large gains. A pass, an interception, two long runs and two shorter ones enabled the Buffaloes to score.

The OCU passing attack was led by Harris, who also did most of the running.

## Walker Started Army Career 30 Years Ago

LAKE CHARLES, La. (AP)—Brigadier General Fred L. Walker, who has just assumed command of the 36th Division and wears a distinguished service cross for "extraordinary heroism" in the World War, 30 years ago began his army career in Texas.

Walker had been assistant to the commander of Second Division until last week when he was appointed commander of Texas' 36th, the post from which Maj. Gen. Claude V. Birkhead had been relieved because of age.

Walker retains rank of brigadier general, although division commanders invariably are major generals. Promotion to the higher grade was expected to follow.

Walker began his military career in 1911 in San Antonio when, after graduation from Ohio State College, he became a second lieutenant with the 13th infantry at Fort Sam Houston.

## Crane Band Boosters Will Take In Fathers

CRANE (Special)—Both fathers and mothers of band students will be included in Band Booster Clubs this year. D. M. Holcomb has been elected president.

S. G. Barnard was named vice-president, and Mrs. A. M. Murrell re-elected secretary-treasurer. The club will meet once a month. The executive committee soon will name chairmen of committees.

Present at the meeting this week were: Messrs. and Mrs. S. G. Walker, C. R. Stonecipher, D. W. Hunsaker, W. B. Gunn, S. G. Barnard, I. D. Holt, C. F. Reddick, W. J. Mathes, and Mrs. H. W. Fralley, A. V. Patterson, B. C. Weir, Murrell, and Jacques Nonce, band director.

## Life Insurance Man Returns To Midland

Police F. Schafnitt, a resident in Midland and Odessa several years, and representative of the Columbus Mutual Life Insurance Company, Columbus, Ohio, in Waco has been promoted to general agent for that company.

The Columbus Mutual is an old line legal reserve life insurance company. Schafnitt will have offices in Midland and Odessa.

## Crane Volunteers Use Nights For Activities

CRANE (Special)—Under their new program, the Crane volunteer fire department has practice, business and entertainment nights during the month for the 20-member organization.

The second Monday night is for business, first and third for practice, and fourth for diversion.

Membership of the department includes: Chief Rex Glass; assistant chief, A. N. Wright; secretary, R. S. Worley; secretary, Edwin Wright, and D. P. Stell, R. E. Westberry, Jr., Cecil Bridges, Fred Field, Jim Travis, J. L. Mason, Leon Neelley, F. P. McClendon, Alton Evans, W. C. Baldwin, Dave Cattenden, L. A. Paillo, Coy Pope, C. L. Joiner, and Bob Evans.

## Uses New Treatment Against Screw Worms

CRANE (Special)—County Agent H. L. Adkins has reported that W. D. Swift in the south part of the county has stopped death of sheep from screw worms by using new formula "62" treatment, developed by the Texas Experiment Station.

Swift had been losing from 2 to 5 sheep a day.

On the ranches of J. C. Liles, W. D. Swift, McElroy and K. P. Looney, spreader dams have been built.

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## President Turns Down Military Industry Plans

By Lloyd Lebras.

WASHINGTON. (AP)—President Roosevelt, informed quarters reported Friday, has rejected proposals that would have placed a greater degree of control over defense industry in military, instead of civilian hands.

Refusing recommendations designed to extend the Army's authority, Mr. Roosevelt took action to insure that the civilian-dominated governmental agencies, administer measures affecting the supply of raw materials, priorities, production and export control.

The President's decision was the major development to date in what was described as a long and spirited behind-the-scenes battle for control of defense production and regulation of export trade.

### Perkins Placed In Charge

Disclosure of the conflict followed the President's executive order of Sept. 15 which transferred the export control administration to the economic defense board headed by Vice-President Wallace.

By that order the President not only transferred the hitherto separate, Army-controlled export control administration to the vice-president's board, but reduced it to a subordinate division which will be headed by a civilian, Milo Perkins, former head of the Commodity Credit Corporation.

At the same time Brig. Gen. Russell L. Maxwell, who has acted as administrator of export control since the office was organized July 2, 1940, was relieved of that assignment and ordered back to duty in the War Department.

## Humble To Sponsor Southwest Battles

Weekly radio broadcasts of Southwest Conference football games will be sponsored again this year by the Humble Oil & Refining Company, it has been announced.

The Humble staff of play-by-play announcers will be headed again this season by Kern Tips of Houston. In addition, there will be a number of other top-flight sports announcers; Cy Leland, of Fort Worth; Hal Thompson of Dallas; Ves Box of Dallas, and Dan Riss, formerly of Dallas, now of WLW, Cincinnati, and others.

The schedule will include all conference games, and many others against outstanding non-conference opponents.

## Golfers Predict 275 Will Win Hurst Meet

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Golf's big name players—amateur as well as professional—set out Friday in quest of prize money or glory in the inaugural \$7,500 Henry Hurst invitation tournament with the consensus of opinion that a score of 275 would win the top \$1,200 award.

The prediction that five-under-par golf for the 72 holes of play would take first money came from Fred Corcoran, Professional Golfers Association tournament chairman. Such stars as Byron Nelson, Ed "Porky" Oliver, Ben Hogan and George Fazio agreed.

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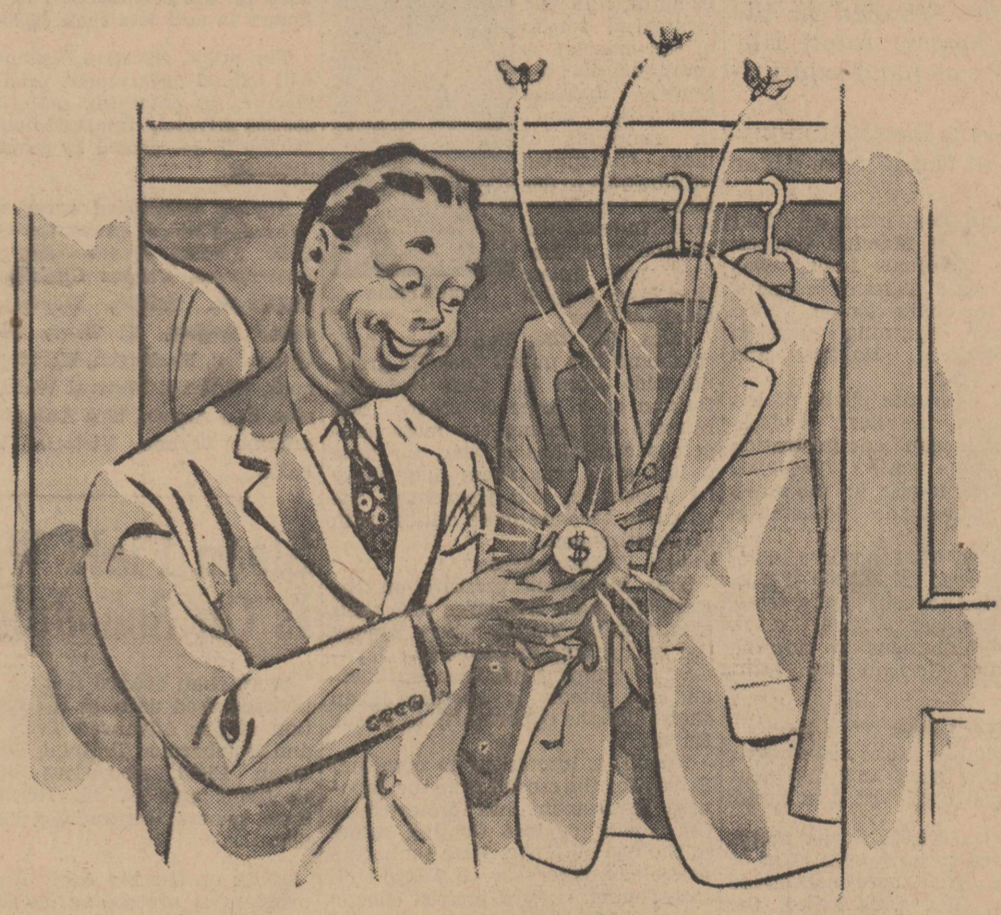
1. Was Little Orvie a gangster, mischievous child, a fox terrier or a dwarf, and who wrote about him?  
2. What famous Finn went sailing down the Mississippi on a raft?  
3. Who was Sime Silverman and what book was recently written about his life?

4. In what books do we meet the cowardly lion and the sleepy door-mouse?  
5. What authors created the characters of Jim Hawkins and Jimmy Valentine?

Answers On Classified Page

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# SOCIETY

## Party At Ranch Opens Year For Thursday Club

An all-day meeting at the ranch home of Mrs. Harvey Conger near Goldsmith inaugurated the new season for the Thursday Club.

Horseback riding occupied some of the members during the morning, and at noon luncheon was served with doves as the featured dish.

Three tables of bridge were played in the afternoon with high score going to Mrs. W. A. Yeager, and second high to Mrs. Frank Lewis.

Mrs. Paul Oles and Mrs. Lewis were guests.

Members present were: Mesdames Overton Black, John Cornwall, Harris Eastham, R. W. Hamilton, H. A. Hemphill, Robert Muldrow, R. W. Pattenon, William Y. Penn, Johnson Phillips, Yeager, and the hostess.

## Mrs. Wallace Ford Hostess To Meeting Of Needlecraft

Roses and dahlias decorated the party room when Mrs. Wallace Ford entertained the Needlecraft Club in her apartment at the Crawford Hotel, Thursday afternoon.

Various types of sewing and handwork and a foursome of bridge occupied the group until tea time when an ice course was served.

Present were two guests, Mrs. M. L. Wyatt and Mrs. J. W. Wilwer, and the following members: Mmes. J. O. Vance, John C. Dunagan, B. C. Girdley, H. H. Watson, H. G. Bedford, Geo. Phillips, J. K. Wright, and the hostess.

Next week the club will meet with Mrs. Addison Wadley.

## Midland Women Go To PTA Meeting

Mrs. L. G. Byerley and Mrs. Ernest Sidwell Friday attended a board meeting of the sixth district PTA at San Angelo.

Mrs. Byerley, district president, was to direct the day's program which opened at 10 o'clock at the Cactus Hotel.

Luncheon was to be served at the hotel and Friday afternoon was to be devoted to a "school of information" by Mrs. James B. Day of Rotan, state vice-president.

## McCamey Teachers Honored At Social

MCCAMEY. (Special)—A joint meeting of the High School and Lone Star PTA's, teachers of the McCamey School systems were entertained on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, with a social in the gym of the grade school.

Mrs. B. W. Ervin, president of the Lone Star PTA, presided during the program.

The invocation was given by Rev. C. G. Forrester, followed by a band concert with Kenneth O. Vaughn, band director, directing.

Mrs. Robert L. Jackson presented a solo, after which Superintendent Howard E. Stoker introduced the faculty and presented the attendance award.

Refreshments were served during the social hour.

## Personals

Mrs. H. S. Bailey of War, Va., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Wallace Ford at the Crawford Hotel. Mrs. Bailey accompanied Mr. Ford to Midland on his return from a trip to Ohio.

Mrs. D. R. Carter will go to Abilene, Friday afternoon, accompanied by her daughters, Mary Frances and Margibeth. They will return Saturday and Mrs. E. P. Hurd will return with them as a weekend guest to meet her husband who has been on the west coast. Mrs. Hurd is educational director for the Banner Creameries.

Mrs. D. B. Snider is recovering from a severe illness. She is at her home here.

The Rev. W. C. Hinds is assisting in a meeting at Seagraves, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh West have returned from a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Audie Francis, on their ranch near Seminole. Former-Sheriff Francis and Mrs. Francis were in Midland Friday.

Mrs. Georgia West of near Eldorado, Ark., left Midland Friday morning after a visit with her son, Hugh West, and Mrs. West.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Cohee of Los Angeles, Calif., and Mrs. W. A. Smith of Tucson, are here as guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Glenn.

G. Pink Robertson of Lafayette, La., who is visiting his mother, Mrs. Ruby Robertson, at Stanton, and Mrs. Robertson, and Mrs. John Marshall and daughter, Miss Ruby Jo, of Loraine, are spending the day in Midland with Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Robertson and family.

Miss Jane McGee, Forestburg, spent Thursday night in Midland visiting friends.

## "Back To School" Motif Featured In Lorado Club Party

A "back to school" theme was carried out in party appointments by Mrs. Joe De Mars when she was hostess to the Lorado Sewing Club with a social at her home, 411 S Colorado, Thursday afternoon.

Tallies for the bunco games were little slates. High score was held by Mrs. Wymer Smith.

Refreshments were served in paper bags to which were attached paper dolls of the type cut out by school children.

Members present were: Mmes. Dennis Murphy, Dell Skelton, S. V. Tekell, Smith, Jessie Strong, and the hostess, Mrs. Gene Stott, who will become a member as a guest.

Next meeting will be October 2 with Mrs. Wymer Smith, 606 S Big Spring. This will be a regular sewing session.

## PTA's Will Honor New Faculty Members At Reception

The Midland City Council of PTA's met in North Ward auditorium Thursday morning, with representatives present from the PTA's of the four schools.

The group decided to entertain for new faculty members and their wives with a reception at the North Ward auditorium, Tuesday, September 30.

The following committees were appointed: Entertainment, Mrs. Alma Thomas, and Mrs. J. Webb Miller; decorations, Mrs. Frank Aldrich, chairman, Mrs. Geo. Abel, and Mrs. L. C. Link; refreshment, Mrs. William Y. Penn, Mrs. Simmons, Mrs. W. Earl Chapman, Mrs. Glenn Brunson, and Mrs. C. R. Fitch; dishes and table, Mrs. James L. Daugherty, Mrs. Joe Black, and Mrs. Paul Schlosser.

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## Veinte Cinco Club Has Chili Supper At Midkiff Home

Members of the Veinte Cinco Club met with Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Midkiff, 1100 W Kentucky, Wednesday evening for a chili supper.

Present were: Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Nance, Mrs. John W. Rhoden, Jr., Mrs. Madison Crabb, Mrs. Alvon Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Patterson, a visitor, Mrs. Lige Midkiff, and the host and hostess.

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## Oil News . . .

(Continued from page 1)

ing past 5,200 feet in lime. Last reports from Continental Oil Company No. 1 Evan B. Jones et al., one-mile south outpost to the Sand Hills Ordovician pool of Western Crane County, stated it was drilling at 5,885 feet in formation described at Tulip Creek sand of the Simpson, middle Ordovician. It had not yet reached the Ellenburger, lower Ordovician, which is the producing formation of the Sand Hills pool.

Amerada Petroleum Corporation No. 1-C J. S. Todd estate, three and one-half miles west of the Todd Pennsylvania pool in Crockett County, is drilling at 7,081 feet in Ellenburger dolomite. Top of the Ellenburger has not been reported.

In Eastera Upton, Plymouth Oil Company No. 1 Alford has passed 9,093 feet in black shale and lime. Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 1 Ellwood, Southern Mitchell County deep test, is drilling at 5-346 feet in shale of the Wolfcamp, basal Permian.

George P. Livermore, Inc. No. 1 J. E. Rice, deep Permian test in Northern Lynn County, is drilling unchanged at 6,423 feet in Clear Fork lime.

In Northwestern Dawson, Ray A. Albaugh No. 1 J. J. Handley is drilling below 1,600 feet in red beds.

Honolulu Oil Corporation No. 1-13 L. H. Wright, Eastern Yoakum County wildcat, will drill plug Friday night from 8 5/8-inch casing cemented at 290 feet with 100 sacks. Total depth is 265 feet in red beds. Celler and pits are being dug at Lukins & Hall No. 1 Jones, scheduled 7,200-foot test in extreme Northwestern Gaines County.

## For Rainy Days



One of the best between-class pals is this cravenetted cotton gabardine raincoat. Just like the raincoats being worn at men's colleges, this coat is one of the smartest being shown for the 1941-42 college season.

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## Ruth Class Elects Officers For New Quarter At Meeting

Officers for the new quarter were elected by the Ruth Class of Calvary Baptist Church in a meeting at the home of Mrs. Rea Heath, 100 E Florida, Thursday.

Miss La Verne Spratt was elected president. Other officers chosen were: Vice-president, Miss Pauline Robinson; secretary, Miss Lola Jones; assistant secretary-treasurer, Geneva Thomson; group captain No. 1, Voncell Morris; group captain No. 2, Mrs. Harrell Hipps; social chairman, Miss Moselle Brooks; reporter, Mrs. Tom Hale.

Mrs. Rea Heath was elected teacher of the class following resignation of the former teacher.

Miss Spratt brought the devotional and prayer was offered by Mrs. Heath.

After the business session, refreshments were served to a visitor, Mrs. Fred McPherson, and the following: Misses Spratt, Jones, Morris, Robinson, Brooks, Thomson, and the hostess.

## Davis Twins To Be At Singing

Special attraction at the Christian Revival Singing to be held Sunday at the Fundamental Baptist Church will be the Davis twins, Doyle and Darrell, from Houston. Darrell Davis will be the speaker for the day.

The Davis twins are radio singers and evangelists having traveled for more than five years and having sung over large stations.

The public is invited to attend the singing which is undenominational.

## Senior Class Elects Officers

Officers of the senior class at Midland High School were elected this week as follows: President, Gerald Nobles; vice-president, Frances Eller; secretary, Elma Jean Noble; treasurer, Allen Wemple; reporter, Betty Kimbrough; sergeant-at-arms, Gene Estes.

## CRANE STUDENT MADE A&M CADET OFFICER

CRANE. (Special). — Raymond Brannan, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Brannan, has been made second in command of Company B at Texas A&M. He was promoted to a cadet first lieutenant.

## Wool

BOSTON (AP)—The Commercial Bulletin will say Saturday: "The added strength generated in the wool market last week has carried over into the present week with a fairly good volume of business being done."

"Buying was continued in the west at the same price levels established a week ago, although in rather less volume."

"Foreign markets are steady, with comparatively little business reported. Rumors that the United States will take over about half the South African clip lack confirmation."

"The manufacturing position has been rendered a bit tighter by the request of the government for bids on some nine million yards of military cloth and a million blankets."

"Mohair is not appreciably changed here but fall hair is being taken in Texas at up to 60 cents for adult and 80 cents for kid."

BOSTON. (AP. U. S. Dept. Agr.)—The volume of trade in wool on the Boston market Friday was inclined to slacken. A moderate amount of wool was selling but the rate of turnover was slower than last week or the middle of the current week. Asking prices generally were being maintained despite the hesitancy and resistance on the part of buyers to recent advances. Graded French combing length fine territory wools were quoted steady at \$1.02 to \$1.07 scoured basis. Combing three-eighths and quarter-blood bright fleeces wools were quoted mostly at 48 to 51 cents in the grease.

## Power Of God In Man Hope Of Glory And Heaven's Gate

By R. A. Weaver

15:2 And I saw as it were a sea of glass mingled with fire; and them that came off victorious from the beast, and from his image, and from the number of his name, standing by the sea of glass, having harps of God.

3 And they sing the song of Moses the servant of God, and the song of the Lamb, saying, Great and marvellous are thy works.

O Lord God, the Almighty; righteous and true are thy ways, thou King of the ages.—Revelations.

Yourself is your big asset. What your attainments will be depend upon your potentialities. If you can begin at your beginnings, and are forth the living waters from the rock in a dry and thirsty land. Peter, when he was called to the high office as head of the church, left behind his fishing nets, which were his humble tools; yet he laid these aside to don the cloth of the highest office of his day. John the Baptist came as the harbinger of the great and mighty dispensation, yet his earthly possessions consisted of a leathern girdle and a cloak of camel's hair. John Bunyan's soul travelled through all the mighty vistas of life while his body pined away in Bedford prison, and produced the world's greatest exposition of life in a book that will remain with us until time shall be no more. Milton's life of night, when his sightless eyes could no longer perceive the rising sun, set free the voice of his spirit and left to posterity his matchless verse. Fanny Crosby found on a bed of sickness the melody of the skies and translated it into song that today stirs the hearts of all who lift up their vision to higher things. Lincoln had only a pile of pine knots, gathered from the woods nearby, yet with those he lighted the fires that yet burn upon America as the beacon light contending for liberty and justice.

The Sufficiency of God.

So, after all, it does not depend upon the outside trappings and roundings to achieve that which the soul demands. The ability to "wake to ecstasy the living lyre" or wield the hands that "empire might have swayed" depends upon that inner self which holds the balance of power in heaven and in earth; and continues on into that bourn where wrongs are made right, and crowns are substituted for crosses, and songs burst forth in gladness from hearts once heavy from sorrow. Were it permissible to add to one verse of the Psalmist, one might reasonably cause it to be read thus: "The heavens declare the glory of God, and the firmament showeth His Handiwork, and in man He expresseth Himself." What if the night is studded with innumerable constellations, whose multitude is greater than the sands of the sea, are you not of more value than all of these? Is not your importance in the scheme of things incomparable to the glory of Orion or of Taurus?

The Image Of God

That glory which is manifest by the firmament, and that handiwork which is revealed in the heavens, cannot match those indomitable forces planted within man by the Creator. For these are in the image of God. Every man, high or low, has within himself the magic of all the gods that have played upon the fancy of mankind since first the dawn of reason lighted the fires of his brain. And that magic is today as potent and miraculous as it was in the day of Moses and Abraham and Jacob. It is that which causes men to come off victorious from the beast, and from his image, and from the number of his name. It is that which gives power to the sons of men to overcome the trials and tribulations of this world, and to gather with those dressed in white robes singing the songs of Moses and the

# Church News

## FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

H. D. Bruce, Pastor.

9:45 a.m. Sunday school

10:55 a.m. Morning worship. Sermon by the pastor on "Life's Choices."

6:45 p.m. Training union.

8:00 p.m. Evening worship. Sermon by the pastor on "Building or Bungling—Which?"

3:30 p.m. Monday. WMU meeting.

7:00 p.m. Wednesday. Teachers' meeting.

8:00 p.m. Wednesday. Prayer meeting.

8:00 p.m. Thursday. Choir practice.

## FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

W. C. Hinds Pastor.

9:45 a.m. Sunday school

11:00 a.m. Morning worship. Address by Supt. Murray H. Fly of Odessa.

6:30 p.m. Junior, Intermediate, and Senior Leagues meet.

7:30 p.m. Evening worship. Sermon by Dr. Glenn Flinn of Dallas.

3:30 p.m. Monday. W.S.C. meet.

7:30 p.m. Wednesday. Choir practice.

## CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

1005 S. Main

Fred McPherson, Pastor

10:00 a.m. Sunday school

11:00 a.m. Morning worship. Sermon.

7:00 p.m. Training Union

8:00 p.m. Evening service. Sermon

3:30 p.m. Monday. WMU meeting

7:00 p.m. Wednesday. Teachers' meeting.

8:00 p.m. Wednesday. Prayer meeting.

2:30 p.m. Friday. Sunbeam Band meets at annex.

4:00 p.m. Friday. Junior G.A.'s

4:00 p.m. Friday. Intermediate G.A.'s meet at church.

4:00 p.m. Saturday. R.A.'s meet at church

## MEN'S CLASS

Teachers—Marvin Ulmer and W. I. Pratt.

Meets at 9:45 a.m. Sunday in the Crystal ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer. It is non-denominational.

## GOSPEL HALL

500 S. Loraine

J. D. Jackson, Pastor

7:00 a.m.—Bible study.

11:00 a.m.—Preaching service.

7:45 p.m.—Preaching service.

7:45 p.m.—Tuesday. Young people meeting.

2:30 p.m. Wednesday—W.M.B. meeting.

7:45 p.m. Thursday—Preaching services.

## ASSEMBLY OF GOD

310 S. Baird

John Wharton, Pastor

10:00 a.m.—Sunday school.

11:00 a.m.—Church service. Sermon by the pastor.

8:00 p.m.—Church service. Sermon by the pastor.

8:00 p.m. Wednesday—Prayer meeting.

9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Thursday—Women's missionary council meeting.

8:00 p.m. Friday—Young People's service.

## SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

W. Pennsylvania and Loraine

Lee Carter, Pastor

Saturday services—

10:00 a.m.—Sabbath school.

11:00 a.m.—Preaching.

8:00 p.m. Wednesday—Prayer meeting.

## HOLINESS TABERNACLE

(Pentecostal)

O. W. Roberts, Pastor

10:00 a.m.—Sunday school.

11:00 a.m.—Preaching service.

## ST. GEORGE CHURCH

(Roman Catholic)

Father John J. O'Connell, Pastor

7:30 a.m. Holy communion.

8:00 a.m. Low mass (Spanish)

10:00 a.m. Low mass.

Benediction after 8 and 10 o'clock masses.

## FUNDAMENTAL BAPTIST CHURCH

502 E Illinois

Chas. B. Hedges, Pastor.

10:00 a.m. Sunday school

11:00 a.m. Preaching service

8:00 p.m. Preaching service

8:00 p.m. Tuesday. Prayer meeting

7:30 p.m. Thursday. Gospel singing

## GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH

R. L. Kasper, Pastor.

Sunday school at 1:45 p.m. and church services at 2:30 p.m. every second and fourth Sunday afternoon at Trinity Episcopal Church, 1410 Illinois.

## CHURCH OF CHRIST

C. C. Morgan, Minister

500 North A Street

Lord's Day services:

10:00 a.m. Bible study

10:50 a.m. Morning worship

7:15 p.m. Young People's Bible class

8:15 p.m. Evening worship

8:15 p.m. Wednesday. Midweek Bible study and song practice

## CHURCH OF CHRIST

(South Side)

710 S. Colorado St.

Bill Gipson, Evangelist.

Services:

Sunday: 10:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

Thursday: 7:30 p.m.

## TRINITY CHURCH

(Protestant Episcopal)

R. J. Snell, Minister in Charge.

11:00 a.m. Morning prayer and sermon by B. K. Buffington, lay reader.

## FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

John E. Pickering, Pastor.

9:45 a.m. Bible school

10:50 a.m. Preparation for the Lord's Supper

11:00 a.m. Morning worship. Sermon by the pastor on "Why We Need a Revival?"

7:30 p.m. Worship service. Message by the pastor on "Looking Ahead for Jesus"

3:30 p.m. Monday. Circle meetings.

7:30 p.m. Tuesday. Teachers meeting.

7:30 p.m. Wednesday. Choir practice.

## FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

9:45 a.m. Sunday school

11:00 a.m. Morning worship. Sermon by the Rev. Ben H. Moore

6:30 p.m. Young people and Juniors meet.

8:00 a.m. Loyalty service conducted by men and women of the church. Theme: "Loyalty to Christ and His Church."

## NAOMI CLASS

Naomi class for women (inter-denominational) meets at 9:45 a.m. in the private dining room of Hotel Scharbauer.

## CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES

"Matter" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, September 21.

The Golden Text is: "Love not the world, neither the things that are in the world" (1 John 2:15).

## Velveteen Elegance



Long sleeved velveteen evening dresses will be fashion leaders at college dances this year, the National Cotton Council reports. This cotton velveteen has flowing full skirt and renaissance bodice trimmed around the neck and shoulder-line with curly-cue cord details.

CRANE GIRLS NAME PEP MAJOR

CRANE. (Special)—Naming Letta Mae Brandon pep major, the girls' high school pep squad completed their organization this week.

Assisting yell leaders are Pola Jean Murrell, and Beverly Thomas. Flag bearers include: June Armstrong, Ann Boyd, and Betty Joe Musick.

Other members are: Jo Veda Henderson, Mildred Gobie, Floy Whitwell, Cleo Henderson, Mary Miller, Maurine Fulton, Florence Cagle, Jackie Miller, Velma Williams, Doris Hayter, Joyce Sloan, Faye Griffin, Joy Lou Grimes, Mary Louise Shackelford, Juana Nell Birmingham, Myrna L. McCully, and Erline Ham.

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# McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

By William E. McKenney  
America's Card Authority.

The amateur events of the American Contract Bridge League are probably misnamed. They should be termed non-Master events, because any player holding 10 or more Master Points is barred from the amateur contests.

But the possession of 10 Master Points does not make a player a professional. Interest in the ama-

David Horan	AK 864	2	AQ 872	AK 3
AK 103	J 2	AK 753	AK 104	10 963
J 986	W	4	AK 105	QJ 105
K 5	E	984		
762	S			
	D			
	Dealer			
Duplicate—None vul.				
South	West	North	East	
1♥	Pass	1♠	Pass	
2♥	Pass	3♦	Pass	
3♠	Pass	4N.T.	Pass	
5♥	Pass	6♣	Pass	
Opening—♠ Q. 19				

teur games is always keen. I sometimes think it might be a good idea to transfer some of the Masters over to the amateur games and let them see how well some of the hands are bid and played by the non-Masters.

The President's Pair event at Asbury Park this year, for which the winners were awarded special trophies donated by Col. Robert J. Gill of Baltimore, Md., president of the league, was won by Judge A. D. Delmar of Englewood, N. J., and David Horan of Radburn, N. J. In second place were Jacob Berson of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Milton Tropp of Newark, N. J.

One of the interesting hands played in the President's Pairs is shown today. Several pairs reached six spades but only Horan (North) made the contract. The club lead was won by the ace, and a heart lead put dummy in to lead a diamond. The queen was finessed and won. This finesse, strangely enough, was taken by all the slam bidders—and turned out to be unnecessary.

Horan continued by ruffing a low diamond, ruffing a low heart, then another diamond ruff, dropping the king. Another low heart was led from dummy for North to ruff. Horan now decided further ruffing would lead to disaster.

So he cashed the king and ace of trumps, leaving himself with none and West with the queen. Dummy cashed the heart king, and as Horan had hoped, the hand with the last trump also had the last heart. That let dummy continue with the fifth heart and North discarded his last two small cards. North held the diamond ace and the club king at the end, and West made only his long trump.

### FIVE BROTHERS ARE CASUALTIES

SYDNEY, Australia. (UP)—Five Australian brothers, all privates in the A.I.F., reached a climax when they were all "reported missing" in the same casualty list. They fought together in Libya and Greece.



- FRIDAY
- 6:00—Double or Nothing, MBS
  - 6:30—Alvino Rey's Orch.
  - 7:00—News, TSN
  - 7:45—Exhibit of Messerschmidt's MBS
  - 8:00—Anson Week's Orch.
  - 8:00—Robinson vs. Chapiro, MBS
  - 9:00—Art Jarrett's Orch., MBS
  - 9:30—The Lone Ranger, MBS
  - 10:00—News
  - 10:15—Xavier Cugat's Orch., MBS
  - 10:30—BBC News, MBS
  - 10:35—Lawrence Walk's Orch., MBS
  - 10:45—Dick Jurgens' Orch., MBS
  - 11:00—Clyde McCoy's Orch., MBS
  - 11:15—Ernie Hecker's Orch., MBS
  - 11:30—Jimmy Joy's Orch., MBS
  - 12:00—Sign Off

- SATURDAY
- 6:00—Musical Roundup
  - 6:30—Dawn Parade
  - 7:30—News, TSN
  - 7:45—Diana Gayle, Songs
  - 8:00—News, TSN
  - 8:05—Rainbow Trio
  - 8:30—Rainbow House, MBS
  - 8:45—What's Doing Around Midland
  - 9:00—AP News Bulletin, MBS
  - 9:05—John Agnew, MBS
  - 9:15—Shields, Tenor & Orch., MBS
  - 9:30—U. S. Army Band, MBS
  - 10:00—Nat'l. Defense Exposition MBS
  - 10:15—Sonny James' Orch., MBS
  - 1:30—Harry Bluestone's Orch.
  - 10:45—To be Announced, MBS
  - 11:00—News, TSN
  - 11:30—Frank Forrest, MBS
  - 11:45—Man on the Street
  - 12:00—Luncheon Melodies
  - 12:30—News & Market Reports
  - 12:45—Leighton Noble's Orch., MBS
  - 1:00—From Kentucky Mountains MBS
  - 1:30—Blue Barron's Orch., MBS
  - 2:00—AP News Bulletin, MBS
  - 2:05—Prelude to Stardom, MBS
  - 2:30—Dance Orch., MBS
  - 2:45—UP News Bulletin, MBS
  - 3:00—Mc Van Der Veer, MBS
  - 3:15—To be Announced, MBS
  - 3:30—I Hear America Sings, MBS
  - 4:00—To be Announced, MBS
  - 4:30—Freddie Martin's Orch., MBS
  - 4:55—Around the Ring, MBS
  - 5:00—To be Announced, MBS
  - 5:30—Confidentially Yours, MBS
  - 5:45—Today's Hit Times
  - 6:00—The Great Hostess, MBS
  - 6:30—Hawaii Calls, MBS
  - 7:00—Accordian Aces
  - 7:15—Talk, James Farley, MBS
  - 7:30—America Preferred, MBS
  - 8:00—Chicagoand Musical MBS
  - 9:00—Rev. J. H. Hurtz, MBS
  - 9:15—News, TSN
  - 9:30—California Melodies, MBS
  - 10:00—Popular Records
  - 10:15—Benny Goodman's Orch., MBS
  - 10:30—BBC News, MBS
  - 10:35—Griff Williams' Orch., MBS
  - 11:00—Freddie Martin's Orch., MBS
  - 11:30—Teddy Powell's Orch., MBS
  - 11:45—Pancho & His Orch., MBS
  - 12:00—Sign Off

## Financing Education Brings Most Worries

CHAMPAIGN, Ill. (UP)—Family financial worries are greatest between the 25th and 30th year of married life when sons and daughters enroll in college, according to a University of Illinois survey.

The College of Agriculture, after examining the home accounts of 473 farm families, found numerous expenditures were added during that period.

Son and daughter continue to need money from home. Clothing and food expenses stay at a high level. Long time borrowings made when father was young come due. And youthful demands for a more attractive home require major housing improvements.

## Syracuse Grid Coach Has Fingers Crossed

SYRACUSE, N. Y. (UP)—Big, broad-shouldered Ossie Solem is keeping his fingers crossed these days as he drills a veteran Syracuse University football team for a tough eight-game schedule with only one breather.

He well remembers last year when a series of injuries wrecked what started out to be one of the best eleven in his four-year reign here. In the early weeks of the 1940 campaign, Solem lost his ace ball-carrier, a first-string blocking back and three regular linemen. Syracuse never recovered and suffered overwhelming defeats at the hands of Northwestern, Cornell

## TASMANIAN PINE INTO MATCHES

MELBOURNE, Australia. (UP)—The war has opened a new and immense market for Tasmanian pine. With the cessation of imports of match sticks from Norway, Tasmanian pine is being used as a substitute. In the last three months, 100,000 feet have been converted.

and Georgetown, while dropping a 7-6 decision to its traditional up-state New York rival, Colgate.

Solem, seeking to avoid a reputation this fall, placed particular emphasis on conditioning to insure his squad reaching tip-top shape by the opening game with Clarkson Tech, Sept. 26.

## Earn \$520,000 For Farm Work

SAN LUIS BORISPO, Cal. (UP)—California farm boys and girls earned \$520,000 in home farm enterprises conducted as part of their school work and in Future Farmers of America activities in 1940, J. A. McPhee, chief of the State Bureau of Agriculture Education, reported here.

Dairy enterprises led the vocational work in total income, with 2,080 projects returning \$143,940 to the youthful operators. The report by McPhee showed Future Farmers of America members in

the state owned 5,593 head of dairy stock.

Livestock projects aside from dairy work returned \$129,086. The livestock projects included 2,500 swine, 550 sheep, 550 beef cattle, and 68 horses. Those participating owned 27,960 animals.

Poultry work, involving 260,857 birds in 1,867 projects, returned \$71,677; feed crop work produced \$61,830; truck crops, \$36,287; orchard work, \$16,526; vineyards, \$21,454; fruits and berries, \$24,094; and miscellaneous projects in landscaping, nursery stock, rabbits, milk goats and unclassified fields the remainder.

Annual production of brown sugar is worth \$20,000,000 according to the Bureau of the Census, with 473,000-600 pounds of brown sugar refined.

## Converts Old Unit Into Anti-Aircraft Battery

CAMP STEWART, Ga. (UP)—One of the nation's oldest military units, the Georgia Hussars, has been converted into an anti-aircraft battery here.

With a history of seven battle wars and innumerable skirmishes behind them, the Hussars date back to Feb. 13, 1736, when Gen. James Edward Oglethorpe founder of Georgia, commissioned Hugh McKay as captain.

There are no McKays on the roster today, but descendants of many of the Colonial families of the Georgia coast and islands are training for war on the same soil their ancestors defended against Indians, Spaniards, British and Yankees.

## AMATEUR'S OBSERVATORY IN ST. LOUIS TO BE MOVED

ST. LOUIS. (UP)—St. Louis lost its amateur observatory, owned by J. Wesley Simpson, who started his hobby in 1932.

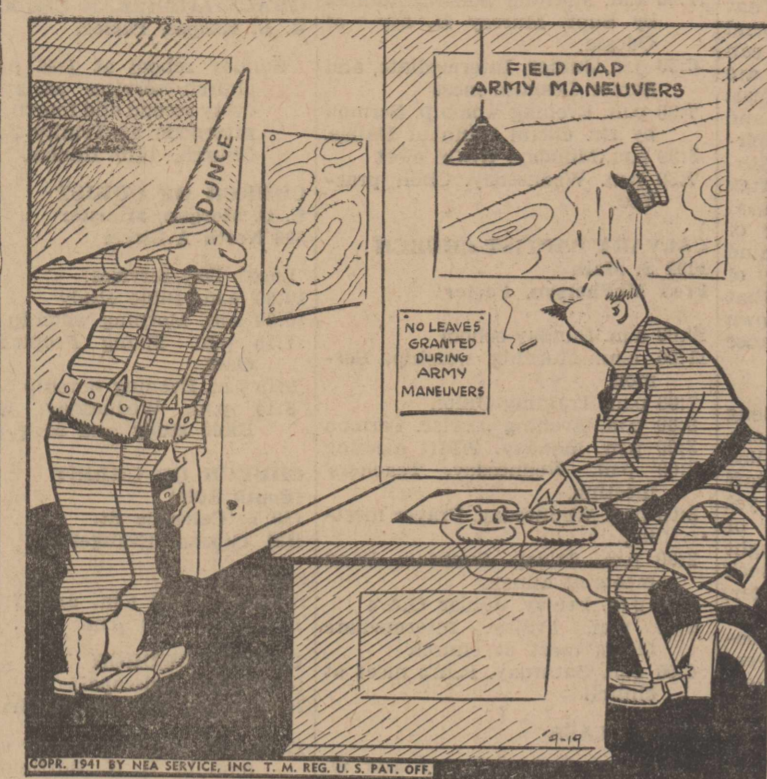
Simpson's observatory was set with a small homemade telescope mounted on a step ladder. Gradually it increased through donations and his own work until it is supposed to be the largest of amateur observatories in the United States.

Simpson is moving to Miami, with his observatory.

## SCOTLAND YARD NEEDS DRIVERS

LONDON. (UP)—Scotland Yard faced with a shortage of police drivers, has appealed for women help. Britain's premier detective force promises to supply its workers with smart uniforms.

## Funny Business



"We've just been captured by the opposing army and the Colonel sends his compliments, sir!"

## Side Glances



"I think I'll major in chemistry. The prof. is young, single and has wavy, blond hair!"

## OUR BOARDING HOUSE



NOT TO MENTION A FEW MORE GRAY HAIRS =

## OUT OUR WAY



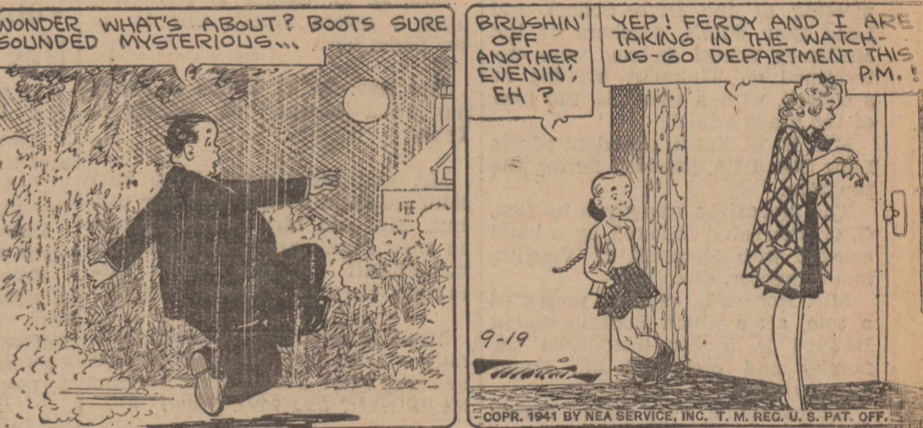
THE EXTRA SHIFT

## BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



WILL I COME OVER ?? WILL I ? YOU JUST LOOK OUT TH' WINDOW AN' YOU'LL SEE...

## By EDGAR MARTIN



## WASH TUBBS



ALLEY OOP

## By ROY CRANE



FOOZY! MY STARS... THE POOR CHAP IS CAUGHT IN MID-STRIKE... ARRESTED MOTION!

LOOK OUT, EVERYONE... WHEN I CUT THE POWER, HE'LL RESUME THE ACTION... HE'LL COME OUT OF THAT RECEPTION CHAMBER LIKE HE'D BEEN SHOT OUT OF A GUN!

## THIS CURIOUS WORLD



NEXT: America's first automobile race.

## RED RYDEI'



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



## By FRED HARMAN



By MERRILL BLOSSER



# Classified

## REPORTER-TELEGRAM WANT ADS GET RESULTS

**RATES AND INFORMATION**

**RATES:**  
 2c a word a day.  
 4c a word two days.  
 6c a word three days.  
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 1 day 25c.  
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CASH must accompany all orders for classified ads, with a specified number of days for each to be inserted.

CLASSIFIEDS will be accepted until 12 noon on week days and 6 p. m., Saturday, for Sunday issues.

PROPER classifications of advertisements will be done in the office of The Reporter-Telegram.

ERRORS appearing in classified ads will be corrected without charge by notice given immediately after the first insertion.

FURTHER information will be given gladly by calling 7 or 8.

**Personal** 3

**AUTHORIZED** Hoover Electric Cleaner Sales and Service. We repair all makes cleaners. Phone 1800. J. B. Golden, Midland Hardware & Furniture. (130-26)

**ROUNTREE** Cafe; family style meals, 50¢; plate lunches, 35¢; cabins; trailer house park. 4 miles west Midland Airport. (10-10)

**MADAM** Russell; past, present, future; business affairs; readings daily. 204 East Wall. (167-5)

**Travel Bureau** 5

**MIDLAND TRAVEL BUREAU;** across from El Campo on Highway 80. If driving or riding, call 2086, share expenses. (10-11)

**Lost and Found** 7

**LOST:** Certificate of title to Studebaker Champion auto. Return to J. W. McMillan, 917 Pet. Bldg.; reward. (165-3)

**Help Wanted** 9

**WANT** several boys who will work to sell Reporter-Telegram on streets, business section; work from 4 p. m. to 6 p. m. Apply Circulation Dept., Reporter-Telegram. (135-ft)

**SALESMAN:** \$75 salary against commission with old established firm; give age, experience and references. P. O. Box 751. (165-3)

**WANTED:** Two or three experienced newspaper solicitors; we have one of the best propositions ever offered to canvassers in this territory; must be willing to work hard from six to eight hours every day; prefer man or woman with car who can be out of city at least five days per week; can make enough to take care of all expenses. Apply to Circulation Manager, The Reporter-Telegram, Midland, Texas. (154-ft)

**Situations Wanted** 10

**HIGH** school girl wants office work in afternoons. Write 180, Reporter-Telegram. (166-3)

**RENTALS**

**Bedrooms** 12

**TWO** garage bedrooms; connecting bath; private entrance. 907 West Michigan, phone 495. (143-ft)

**LARGE** bedroom; private bath and private entrance. 810 West Kansas. (163-6)

**BEDROOM;** adjoining bath. 900 W. Storey. (166-3)

**ONE** bedroom. 205 East Ohio, phone 253. (166-3)

**SOUTHWEST** bedroom; private entrance; adjoining bath. 403 West Storey, phone 472-W or 1500. (166-6)

**SOUTH** bedroom; adjoining bath; for one or two gentlemen. 406 North Loraine, phone 1635. (166-3)

**EXTRA** large bedroom; private entrance; adjoining bath; with garage; 1604 College, Phone 24 or 366. (167-3)

**FOR SALE**

**Miscellaneous** 23

**PAINTS,** wallpaper and picture framing. Rio Grande Paint Store. (9-20)

**DRAPERIES,** slipcovers, bed spreads expertly made. Ruth Smith, phone 1646, 115 South Main. (9-20)

**BUSINESS SERVICE**

**Mattress Renovating** 47

**MATTRESS** work; new and used furniture; furniture storage. City Mattress Factory, 115 South Main, phone 1646. (9-18)

**REAL ESTATE**

**Houses for Sale** 61

**4-ROOM COTTAGE**

711 North Baird; ready to move into; nice arrangement; weather striped; priced at \$1,975.00; \$500.00 down, balance less than rent. SPARKS & BARRON. Tel. 79 First Natl. Bank Bldg. (165-3)

**USE THE CLASSIFIEDS TO BUY, SELL OR TRADE**

**Farms for Sale** 63

**20 ACRE** farm; adjoins airport on east; houses well and tank for sale. See Pete Turner, Attorney, Crawford Hotel, phone 1074. (157-ft)

**Ranches for Sale** 64

**SIX** section ranch with windmills pumping water on same; located in the southeast corner of Reeves County. For particulars write or contact Mrs. W. A. Poer, Pecos, Texas. (9-19)

**Business Property for Sale** 65

**\$10,000.00** HOTEL; can be moved or wrecked; building and furniture all for \$3,300.00. Call or write Wheat Hotel, Mentone, Texas. (164-6)

**Legal Notices** 68

**VENDORS LIEN NOTES FOR SALE IN MIDLAND COUNTY**

The federal Court instructs me to offer for sale at par plus accrued interest, no discounts, 2 Vendor's lien notes, one for \$833.95 and one for \$1040.64, as October 1st, 1941, amounting approximately to \$1874.59, and bearing 7% interest per annum.

1. Abstracts are brought down to date showing title to notes and liens in the Receiver. No further expense will be incurred by the Receiver.

2. Notes must be sold as a group, not individually.

3. Full description of notes and security will be furnished upon request, to individuals or institutions, with references, showing financial responsibility.

4. If interested, write, with references, or come to see me at once. H. C. Glenn, Receiver Third Floor Farmers State Bank Temple, Texas

**Answers To Cranium Crackers**

Questions On Page Two.

1. Little Orvie was a mischievous child in the Booth Tarkington stories.

2. Huckleberry Finn went rafting on the Mississippi in the Mark Twain books.

3. Sime Silverman was founder of Variety, stage and screen magazine. "Lord Broadway" by Dayton Stoddard, is a biography of Silverman.

4. The cowardly lion was in Frank Baum's "Wizard of Oz"; the door-mouse was in Lewis Carroll's "Alice in Wonderland".

5. Jim Hawkins was in "Treasure Island," by Robert Louis Stevenson. O. Henry wrote about Jimmy Valentine.



"I'll go over to that house—maybe I can scare up another player."

### Warfare . . .

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**Will Maintain Army**

New pressure was reported, too, on the long-sieged Black Sea port of Odessa, where the Germans said they dropped more than 220,000 pounds of bombs in a single night attack.

Authoritative London quarters, acknowledging that the loss of coal and oil fields, steel plants and other war industries in the Ukraine had dealt a sore blow to the Russians, declaring nevertheless that the U. S. S. R. could maintain a large army in the field even if the Germans overran the Donets industrial basin and took Khar'kov.

Alternative sources of supply, it was said, would prevent a Russian collapse.

On the northern front, Finnish army observers less than 10 miles from Kronstadt said thick smoke enveloped the island's batteries before they ceased firing.

Adolf Hitler's newspaper, Voelkischer Beobachter, said the guns of Kronstadt, emplaced about a 23-foot ship channel between Leningrad's harbor and deep waters of the Gulf of Finland to the west, had been blasted out of action by a coordinated attack by German dive-bombers and land batteries arrayed along the south shore of Kronstadt Bay.

Midland in Texas.

Under the regular FHA provisions only owner-occupants could obtain 90 per cent mortgage insurance, but FHA officials said that this also would be extended to builders in the designated areas. The builder would be permitted to sell or rent and under certain conditions to sell to the ultimate purchaser on any terms he chose without requiring the purchaser to make the customary 10 per cent down payment.

**Housing . . .**

(Continued from page 1)

**Hamilton Child Craft BABY CRIBS**

Genuine Birch \$12.50 to \$17.50

**Taylor Made Innerspring MATTRESSES**

\$14.50 to \$29.50

**MAGEE ROOM RITE CARPETS INLAID LINOLEUM**

**WESTERN FURNITURE CO.**

J. C. Pogue—Frank Flournoy  
201 SO. MAIN PHONE 451

**FOR SALE**

**5-ROOM F. H. A. HOUSES**

Under Construction

\$400 Cash \$26 Per Month

WHY PAY RENT?

**A. & L. Housing & Lumber Co.**

"Always at Your Service" PHONE 949

**TIFFIN PHOTO**

By Appointment—Anywhere—Any Time

### Favored New Style



Junior girls will be delighted with this pattern for the basque frock which follows a silhouette which is one of the season's favorites. The bodice is long, tapering to a low, snugly fitted waistline, the skirt is gathered, full and flaring. The deep neckline is perfect for colorful choker necklaces or a pair of bright clips. This soft, feminine style is ideal for wool challis or flowered printed rayons of the new season.

Pattern No. 8997 is in sizes 11 to 19. Size 13 takes 5 yards 36-inch material without nap. A detailed sew chart which comes with the pattern gives full directions for cutting and completing the frock.

For this attractive pattern, send 15c in coin, your name, address, pattern number and size to The Reporter-Telegram, Today's Pattern Service, 211 West Wacker Drive, Chicago.

The Fall Fashion Book shows a complete variety of children's fashions for fall and winter. Get your copy at once.

Pattern 15c, pattern book 15c, one pattern and pattern book ordered together 25c.

### SERIAL STORY

## BRIDE FROM THE SKY

BY HELEN WELSHIMER

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**THE STORY:** Angered by newspaper stories romantically linking aviator Sandy Ammerman with heiress Peg Gordan, Judy Allen decides her love for Sandy, who has courted her persistently, is just infatuation. Determining to put him out of her mind, she agrees to marry Philip Rogers, attorney for the magazine of which she is an associate editor. Philip can give her the peace, comfort, and security Sandy cannot offer unless he can interest her in a parachute he has invented. Judy is also upset by the duplicity of her secretary, Sara Fuller, who signed her own name to one of Judy's stories in Judy's absence.

### OFF FOR THE WEDDING

**CHAPTER XII**

PHILIP's news was simple enough. It stated that promotion on the forthcoming magazine had been sent out that day. Much of the space was given to the article which carried Sara's signature.

"Never mind," Judy answered. "She's worried enough about it. If the laurels fit, let her keep them."

"That aunt of hers would kick her off the staff in 20 seconds if she knew that her niece was double-crossing you," the attorney's voice said. "I'll guarantee it won't happen again."

"Let's skip it," Judy said, never suspecting that less than one month later she would wish she had taken the matter straight to the editor-in-chief. "I'll not be away again. It's a lot of anxiety over—"

"Over property rights! Anyway, I'll be giving special attention to yours in a few more weeks."

He would be a pillar, a good-looking pillar, against which to lean.

"I sent out our announcements today," she said. Just as she might have said, "I ate breakfast," or "I broke my wrist watch."

There was no need to explain that Sandy had come to her office to make peace, since neither her home telephone nor doorbell answered to him. No need to tell of the young aviator's refusal to believe of her engagement. "You want Philip Rogers as much as I want a nice, quiet life," he had said. "Never fear, you're my girl."

Nor was there time to explain that Sandy had calmly taken her to task because she had not used pictures of Peg in an earlier layout.

"This is a business matter, Judy," he had said. "We'll discuss our romance tomorrow—to-night—whenever you say. But why did you pick seven others for the pictures and omit Peg?"

"How does she know I did it? And even so, I merely figured on

a good layout." Her eyes were snapping with fire. "Why didn't you lead her in time? It's old stuff now—good for the morgue. You've known her since mudpie days!"

"Listen, Judy, just because you sit at a desk and dole out picture space or the fashion horseshoe doesn't mean you can't make a mistake. You're not omnipotent, my jelly puff, and the girl needs a break to recapture her crown. I'm for her. And I've merely met her casually before. Now I know her."

Judy ended the conversation there. Two columnists had said practically the same thing. One had suggested an engagement and had hinted at a broken-hearted career girl.

**DIMLY** now she heard Philip's glad acknowledgment of the announcement. Heard herself explaining that she had permission to leave for her week's vacation any time she chose. She drew pictures of hearts on her writing pad and twined them together as she continued the conversation. Unconsciously she wrote her name on one, Sandy's on the other.

It would be strange to spend seven carefree days with Philip, Phil, who, for all his rugged strength, probably wore pale green pajamas, gold-embroidered in his monogram.

The office staff was enthusiastic when it heard of the approaching marriage. Judy was presented with the editorial force and enough hats and frocks and suits by wholesale houses and designers who liked her to make her either to the Bahamas or Iceland.

Only Sara seemed displeased. "Is it because you're holding my job for me?" Judy asked the managing editor, Miss Barnard. "Does Sara object?"

Miss Barnard's hair was maturely white and her face unlined and lovely. She laughed until the white curls bobbed.

"Darling, never give up your job! You don't know when you'll need it. Philip likes you as a careerist. He can speak of you as a personality outside your home. Inside the walls just smile and agree. Oh, yes, never forget to tell him he's wonderful, child. In time he'll believe it. Never forget a man likes a pillow waiting for his head when the world trips him up."

Judy spoke slowly, her eyes laughing uncertainly. "You mean if I'm a yes person he'll never take his secretary to dinner? To lunch, yes, if he has to talk business, but to dinner, never!"

She and Phil were to occupy his apartment when the honeymoon was over. It was a man's apartment, attested to by the great brown chairs and divans, the fireplace that held two mammoth logs, the brass and copper that made the lamp-holders and the candle-holders, the brass service trays large as table tops, that were arranged along the walls.

Judy had not asked herself if she would be happy there. It was enough to know that she would be safe, protected, not answering vagabond calls to go to eat or see a show, long after midnight, or better still, wondering why the calls didn't come.

She and Phil were half-way down the stairs when the bell began to chime. She looked at Phil questioningly, hopefully.

(To Be Continued)

UNTIL half an hour before train time the night she left for her home and her wedding at Belmont, N. Y., Judy waited for Sandy to call.

Finally she told Phil she was strangely empty. Her books, lamps, vases, rugs, the gay china and colorful linens were packed and stored in the old house's basement, waiting for her need of them. The furniture would be moved out, too, tomorrow when the packers returned. That would be sold.

For one nostalgic moment, she wished she might keep the deep chair in which Sandy had sat so many times, freight on his face, long legs crossed.

Sandy had not called to wish her luck and say goodbye. Maybe two whose paths had run so close together for so long could never quite know separate paths again.

Sandy didn't care. And why should he? She had refused him and he had shown definite preference for another girl even before that time. When there was an ending to anything in life it was best to walk swiftly and never look behind.

Phil was watching her. Meeting his eyes she recalled that he, too, had lounged in the chair. Perhaps he thought the memories were entirely his.

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### Markets

**Cotton**

NEW YORK (AP)—Cotton futures closed Friday 24 to 32 points lower.

**LIVESTOCK**

FORT WORTH (AP, U. S. Dept. Agr.)—Cattle 1,400; calves 1,500; market slow, most classes steady to weak; bulk beef steers and yearlings 9.00-10.75, better kind scarce, common lots down to 7.00; beef cows 6.25-7.75, canners and cutters 4.00-6.00; bulls 6.00-7.75; common to good slaughter calves 7.25-10.25.

Hogs 8.00; market steady to 10c higher; top 11.90; good and choice 10.00-11.90 with most sales 11.80 and up.

Sheep 3.100; all classes steady; medium to good spring lambs 9.00-10.75, yearlings 9.50 down; feeder lambs 8.00-9.00.

**Stocks**

NEW YORK (AP)—Closing price of the fifteen most active stocks Friday:

Aviation Corp	4 1/4
Curtiss Wright	9 3/4
Soco-Vac	9 1/2
Gillette	4
Int Tel & Tel	2 7/8
General Motors	40 1/2
Consol Oil	6 1/8
U S Rubber	26 5/8
Pathe Film	14 1/8
Warner Bros Pic	5 1/2
Pan Amer Airways	17 3/8
Woolworth	31 1/4
Int Paper & P	18 3/8
Consol Air	48 1/2
U S Steel	57

### Stock Market Leaders Go Into Slow Decline

NEW YORK (AP) — Maybe it was sun spots. Maybe it was the war, taxes, price controls, business or just general contrariness. Anyway, most stock market leaders Friday went into a slow decline.

Losses of fractions to a point or so predominated at the close.

### RURAL ENGLAND USES BARTER

CROYDON, Eng. (UP) — Rural England has come to life again. At least, the barter system of that period has returned to Croydon, Surrey. Vouchers are given in exchange for garden produce and can purchase any article up to the value of the vegetables.

### Navy Suspends Dividends For Data Retrievers

WASHINGTON (UP) — The navy has served notice to all retrievers of its "bottle papers" that it is in no position to pay them for their efforts or even settle their financial difficulties.

The bottle papers, issued by the maritime security division of the navy's hydrographic office, are used to chart the currents of the seven seas.

Briefly, this is how they are used. A ship's captain marks down the location of his vessel and the date. He inserts the paper in a bottle, seals it tight and throws it overboard. Weeks or months later someone finds the bottle washed ashore.

The finder notes the date and location where he found it and forwards the paper to the hydrographic office here.

**Facts Are Assembled.**

"By this method," said William G. Watt, chief of the division, "we are able to chart the currents on large maps and determine their intensity and direction."

The "paper" indicates clearly that the navy department has no funds available to recompense the retrievers, although it usually sends them one of its current charts as a reward for their trouble.

"However, natives of the countries where most of the papers are found, such as Ireland and the Bahamas, think America is rich," bemoans Watt, "and they often write tear-jerking letters lamenting their misfortunes and begging for some remuneration."

**Think America Rich.**

One letter from an Irishman in county Mayo wrote: "Poor man with 12 kids in poor circumstances . . . in trouble with landlord about rent . . . hoping you will help me out of my difficulty."

Another, from a resident of one of the Bahamas, was even more pathetic. His knowledge of English was sketchy, but he managed to write: "After wonderful hurricane (Sept. 17, 1926) my house is gon and all my close and wife close we leave starving and naked do please be baging you all for god sake send us some old close and a few daller to get something to eat. Close to wave pance size lenth 40, waist 33

### Third Army Forces Threaten To Trap Hundreds Of Tanks

By The Associated Press

The vaunted mechanized might of Lieut.-General Ben Lear's Second Army was held impotent Friday by two giant encircling claws of Third Army forces that threatened to rip through the invaders' wedge of steel and trap hundreds of tanks, guns and soldiers in the Louisiana war game.

General Lear's forces Thursday sprung a mighty armored offensive deep into the unprotected flank of the larger Third Army. The drive, supported by clouds of bombers and pursuit ships, carried 75 miles southward near Deridder, La., between main Third Army defense lines.

But before darkness descended over the battlefields of the nation's greatest war maneuvers, the tide had turned. Before dawn Thursday, seventy-five miles to the east of the still rolling Second Army, Lieut. General Walter Krueger massed defending troops. His keen-eyed airmen spotted the long caravans of the invaders and dropped flares, heralding the Third Army's "big push."

**Staff Evacuates Position**

The first cavalry division of the Third Army cut a path northward along the Texas border, threatening the invaders' rear. At the same time, Third Army infantry divisions struck out northward toward Monroeville, La., aiming at complete encirclement of the Second Army's armored units.

As darkness approached, infantry and artillery surged northward along the Red River to within 15 miles of Natchitoches, La., General Lear's mobile headquarters. Quickly his staff evacuated the place and fled to a secret new location.

### Service Board Puts Harmon In Top Class

GARY, Ind. (AP)—Tom Harmon, top grade football player, is in the same class in the draft.

A Selective Service board placed the former Michigan all-American halfback in Class I Thursday night, making him subject to immediate physical examination to determine if he is ready for service at once.

### RECEIVES WORD BROTHER IS ILL AT LOMETA

GRANE, (Special)—Mrs. P. D. Bester received word of the critical illness of her brother, O. W. Nance, Lometa, Thursday afternoon. Her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Murtishaw, accompanied her to his bedside.

### VISIT SLOAN FIELD

T. R. Jacobson and J. R. Simpson of the U. S. Army district engineer's office at Galveston were business visitors at Sloan Field Friday.

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# One Thousand Fans Attend Grid Preview

## Reiser Is Cinch For Many Honors

PITTSBURGH (AP)—The next nine harrowing days will decide whether the Brooklyn Dodgers will wear the National League crown but there's a lad in the midst today who already seems a shoo-in for a bunch of individual honors.

He's two-gun Pete Reiser, who may end his first full season as a major leaguer wearing the triple-plated crown of batting champion, outstanding rookie and most valuable player to his team. And to this record might be added the title of "personality champ" for this unassuming kid. The extra honor is not due to high-powered assets such as a glib tongue and a glad hand but rather to Pete's consummate modesty over his astonishing deeds.

Reiser looks like the fresh-faced youngster next door but he hits baseballs like a demon and currently ranks among the greatest clutch hitters in the game for his habit of inserting his base knocks when the fighting Flatbushers most need 'em.

## Football Fans Meet At Lackey Field To View Bulldog Squad

By Tanner Laine

Approximately 1,000 persons attended the Midland Junior Chamber of Commerce's first annual "Biggin Preview" Thursday night at the high school stadium.

It was a get-acquainted program featuring the Midland high school Bulldogs, coaches, faculty members, majorettes, and the high school band.

Clint Dunagan was master of ceremonies. He introduced Delbert Downing, president of the Jaycees, who made the opening talk.

Supt. George A. Heath introduced G. B. Rush, business manager of athletics at Midland high, Frank Monroe, principal, and new faculty members.

Head Coach Earle Clark presented the coaches, Lwood Dow, assistant high coach; L. M. Freels, junior high mentor; and Dewey Johnson and Earl Killough, junior high assistants.

## Steele Explains Rules

Clark also introduced members of the football team including Wilford Lester, Jimmy Watson, Junior Bird, Buddy Davidson, Hershel Parks, Bill Chancellor, Mal Kidwell, Ben Sevier, Gene Estes, Red Roy, John Guy McMillan, Cliff Gillan, Jerry Hudson, Bill Tilson, Marshall Whitmore, Pete Lee, J. W. Leftwich, Bobby Welsh, L. C. Hobbs, Bill Wallace, Jack Noyes, Jack Taylor, Ivan Hall, E. G. Foster, Robert Wheeler, Charlie Kelly, Keith Graham, Bill Richards, Tom Tisdale, and Dick Lee.

The band, under the direction of M. A. Armstrong, was presented. Majorettes Mary Frances Carter and Margaret Ann West, captains, and Ann Vannaman, Belva Jo Knight, Glenna Jones, and Betty Lou Ward, also performed.

Thad Steele, a Southwest Conference Football Association official, explained new rules.

A spirited 20-minute pass offensive by the football team ended the program, closing with the National Anthem.

The preview was broadcast by KRLH. Introduction and talks were by Dunagan public address system.

## Bulldogs Need Cars For Big Spring Tilt

Coaches Earle Clark and Lwood Dow need automobiles to carry the Midland Bulldogs to the Big Spring-Austin high, El Paso, game in Big Spring Friday night.

Coach Clark can be notified at the high school.

# Teams Will Play Ten Contests In Basin Districts

The Permian Basin grid menu for Friday and Saturday lists 10 games on District 3-AA and 7-A fronts. One tilt, the Wink-Hobbs, N. M., game is Saturday night. The others are slated Friday night.

In the major circuit (3-AA), Sweetwater journeys to Brownwood to engage Lack Turner's team. Big Spring's Steers, defending district champs, play host to Austin high of El Paso in a night tilt at 8 p. m. Lamesa faces invading San Antonio Thomas Eidson at 8 p. m., and San Angelo Bobcats are at home to another San Antonio team-Tech, at 8 p. m. Colorado City takes on the Monahans Green Wave there in a nocturnal fracas and the Abilene Eagles hope to beat Plainview at home for Coach Vernon Hilliard. Midland and Odessa are idle.

Friday night games in 7-A follow: Crane in Kermit; Ysleta in Pecos; Stanton in Fort Stockton; and Iraan in McCamey.

Wink waits until 8:30 p. m. Saturday to battle Hobbs at Wink.

# Industrial League Will Open Season

Midland's industrial league opened the winter bowling season Thursday night to joint the city and engineer-workmen leagues already playing.

The engineer-workmen league, composed of men of the Advanced Twin-Engine and Bombardier Training Center, will bowl Friday night.

Industrial bowling league results Thursday night follow:

HONOLULU OIL

Players	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot
Grant	191	142	158	491
Thomas	151	171	202	524
Gosselty	135	151	135	421
Chambers	146	172	157	475
Duffield	131	160	159	450
755 806 811 2372				

SHELL OIL NO. 1

Players	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot
Baker	145	156	144	445
Kimrey	164	201	145	510
Roripough	150	135	150	435
Brewer	171	156	183	510
Shores	157	144	212	513
787 792 814 2393				

MACKEY MOTORS

Players	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot
Clement	153	136	163	452
Gosselty	135	151	135	421
Phillips	173	151	187	511
Nalley	146	139	156	441
Hall	176	139	154	469
826 761 823 2410				

A. & L.

Players	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot
Arrington	158	140	135	433
Weaver	172	137	145	454
Sims	133	99	146	378
Duman	207	145	211	563
Hoekendorf	173	178	148	499
823 699 787 2309				

TEXACO

Players	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot
Jenkins	141	133	112	386
Keinold	132	96	115	343
Givler	132	113	113	358
Gronman	140	178	218	536
667 682 702 2051				

SHELL OIL NO. 2

Players	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot
Samples	166	141	139	446
Statham	132	135	146	413
E. M.	145	147	139	431
Boring	141	146	184	471
Beals	171	139	168	478
756 708 767 2331				

MIDLAND HARDWARE

Players	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot
Watson	55	90	81	226
Golden	114	144	123	381
Hicks	114	93	96	303
Bizzell	168	155	162	485
Natice	106	150	113	369
547 636 576 1759				

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Players	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot
Robinson	127	120	105	352
Hinkle	168	137	133	438
Hery	114	139	104	357
Black	195	171	145	511
762 717 624 2103				

# Freshman Gridder



Herb Redders, center of the 1940 Midland Bulldogs, is a grid candidate for the freshman football team at Texas A&M. He was among 80 players reporting for the team.

# Rebels Win Fifth Contest And Near Texas Loop Title

DALLAS (AP)—The Tulsa Oilers will make a stand Friday night on their home grounds in an attempt to hold off the surprising Dallas Rebels, who hold a margin of three games to two in the Texas League final playoff as a result of a gar-rison finish that gave them a 5 to 4 victory Thursday night.

The Rebels came from behind to knock the score at four-all in the eighth inning and then went on to score the winning run in the tenth inning when a wild pitch forced a man in—which might be termed poetic justice. The night before Dallas dropped a game to the Tulsa, 1 to 0, when Sal Glatto hit a batter with three Oilers on base.

Pitch Strikes Cronin. Manager Wally Dashiell of the Rebels will try to end the series at Tulsa by sending in Gordon Maltzberger to do the mound work. Julian Tubb probably will oppose him.

In the crucial tenth, Dutch Becker of Dallas doubled to left field. Paul Easterling sacrificed Becker to third. Peaches Davis, who went in for Emil Kush, the starting Oiler pitcher, walked Nick Gregory and George Jansco. With the count two and two on Bill Cronin, one of Davis' pitches struck Cronin in the back, and Becker was credited with the winning tally.

Otto Nicholas, who relieved Joe Demoran, held the Oilers in the last three innings with a cool brand of hurling.

# Dodgers Blow Up In Fight With Ump And Lose 6 To 5 Contest But Cards Fail Again And Bow To Boston Club

By Judson Bailey  
Associated Press Sports Writer

If the Brooklyn Dodgers don't win the National League baseball championship maybe they will go after Joe Louis' heavyweight boxing crown.

They took their mind off baseball long enough Thursday to lose a crucial game to the Pittsburgh Pirates, 6-5, and they also lost their preliminary venture into the heavyweight class to Umpire George Magerkurth, a man mountain weighing about 225 pounds and 6 feet 4 inches tall.

But the fates which protect little children—and the Dodgers—saw them through their hours of travail once again by bringing the Boston Braves a 4-1 victory over the St. Louis Cards. This kept Brooklyn in front by one game with the standings:

W	L	Gtp	
Brooklyn	93	52	9
St. Louis	91	52	10

The rumput at Pittsburgh was one of those wild sideshows for which the delirious Dodgers have become famous.

The game was tense all the way, with the Pirates hopping on Fred Fitzsimmons, their old nemesis, for four runs in the fourth, and Johnny Lanning holding the Dodgers to two singles through seven scoreless innings.

Durocher rushed between the two, shoved Casey out of the way and stormed at Magerkurth in language that left Cleveland to a 6-1 triumph over the Boston Red Sox. Jeff Heath hit a three-run homer in the first.

The Washington Senators repulsed the St. Louis Browns, 9-8.

# School Students Will Attend Free

For the first time in the history of the Midland school system, all students from the fifth grade up will be admitted free to football games this season.

High school students will sit in Section G and will form a yelling section. Junior high students also will have a special section.

School officials announced the plan Thursday.

# Mighty Mites Grow Up But Mentor Yells Football Critics Are Unkind As One Pre-Season Favorite Loses

By The Associated Press

It required ten years for them to do it, but the Masonic Home Mighty Mites finally reached the size of an average high school football team. So the experts promptly made them favorites to win the state championship.

# Woody Brings Back Medals And Record From Perry Matches

STANTON (Special)—The marksman world knows there is a Stanton, Texas.

For Jesse N. Woody of Stanton, one of Texas' crack pistol and rifle shooters, set a record in the civilian pistol match at Camp Perry, O. recently. He scored 284 out of possible 300, which included: 10 shots slow fire, 50 yards; 10 timed shots; 10 rapid fire, at 50 yards.

Woody won fourth place in the 45-caliber rapid fire with a score of 188 out of 200; second place in 38-caliber police course; fifth place in 38-caliber slow fire; and first place in 22-caliber slow fire at 50 yards, 191 out of a possible 200.

Woody's score in the 22-caliber slow fire tied the Camp Perry record set by Emmet E. Jones, Los Angeles, in 1939.

The Stanton marksman has 200 medals and trophies won in shooting matches in Texas, Louisiana, and Florida.

# Baseball

RESULTS YESTERDAY

American League

Cleveland 6, Boston 1
Washington 3, St. Louis 5

National League

Chicago 7, New York 1
Pittsburgh 6, Brooklyn 5
Cincinnati 5-9, Philadelphia 0-2
Boston 4, St. Louis 1

STANDINGS

American League

Team	W.	L.	Pct
New York	97	49	.664
Boston	79	67	.541
Chicago	73	74	.497
Cleveland	71	75	.486
Detroit	71	75	.486
St. Louis	65	79	.451
Washington	62	84	.424
Philadelphia	62	84	.425

National League

Team	W.	L.	Pct
Brooklyn	93	52	.641
St. Louis	91	52	.636
Cincinnati	81	64	.559
Pittsburgh	79	65	.549
Chicago	67	78	.462
New York	64	76	.457
Boston	60	85	.410
Philadelphia	40	102	.282

# Sports Roundup

By Hugh S. Fullerton, Jr.  
NEW YORK (The Special News Service)—Friday's Brooklyn "thunnn" song: "Casey barked with a runner on third, and the bums played on."

As soon as that ruckus in Pittsburgh Thursday calmed down a bit, Sport Editor John McDonald of the Dodgers phoned a report to Boss Larry MacPhail. At this end of the line, Larry was overheard demanding: "You called long distance to tell me Magerkurth is a blanked thus and so? I knew that all the time."

The Dodgers just couldn't wait to get back to the eastern half of the league. They took a special train to Philadelphia to spend an off day.

Today's Guest Star  
Jack Sniger, New York Journal-American: "Bill Terry notified the press that Burgess Whitehead, who is suffering from a torn ligament in his shoulder, would remain with the Giants in the capacity of a pinch runner. Terry apparently is working on the mistaken theory that the Giants are going to get a runner on base."

Odds, And Some Ends  
Note for the future book: Bernie Bierman's son is playing some swell prep school football and likely will be seen a Gopher uniform before very many seasons. . . . And Charlie Backman, Jr., eldest son of the Michigan State coach, is a six-foot-three end on the East Lansing high school team. . . . Correction: Harry Todd's brother Tom says our report that Harry was ready to quit competitive golf was all wrong. . . . Harry and Tom will be in business together, all right, but Harry will get time off to make all the major tournaments. . . . Lou Nova has received an invitation from Secretary of War Henry L. Stimson and Secretary of the Navy Frank Knox to take part in a special broadcast for service men next Monday. . . . Steve Casey, the Grunter, is due to team up with Jerry Shea in a sculling match against his Brother Tom and Jim O'Brien Sunday on the Old Timers day program on the Charles River at Boston. The West Texas Teachers' College basketball team won't have to worry about the draft. All the players are taller than the army maximum of six feet-four.

Short Short Story  
When Ted Williams was at the dinner in honor of Uncle Jim O'Leary at Boston the other night, he heard the 80-year-old baseball writer say to Will Harridge, "Hello Bill" Williams laughed and remarked: "I guess you have to reach your 80th birthday before you can say 'Hello Bill' to the president of the American League."

Football Fricassee  
Latest complaint from the south is that since the Southeastern Conference appointed Mike Conner to enforce the subsidy rules, Southern Conference teams are grabbing off their best prospects. Southern Methodist and Dartmouth aren't the teams picked to lead their leagues, but latest advice is that if you catch the coaches in both camps off guard you may see some large smiles. . . .

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**McCamey And Iraan Renew Close Rivalry On Badger Gridiron**

McCAMEY (Special)—Coach "Squib" Carruthers and Assistant Coach Carl Coleman have been tuning up the McCamey Badgers to meet the Iraan Braves on Badger Field Friday night.

Although the game will not have any bearing on the district standings of either team, an Iraan-McCamey grid encounter always has been one of the major football games in this section of the Permian Basin.

The Badgers, fresh from an 18 to 15 victory over the Grandfalls Cowboys last Friday, will have their hands full with the Braves.

In 1936, here, the Braves scored the Badgers out 7 to 6 on a fluke play, but the Badgers were crowned district champs. The next year in Iraan, the Badgers turned back the Braves, 13 to 7. In 1938, the two teams battled four quarters to a scoreless tie, and did not meet again until 1940, when in Iraan, the Badgers scored 13 points to shut-out the Braves.

**Morgan And Huffman Will Toss Fast Club At Abilene Gridders**

LUBBOCK (Special)—One of the fastest football clubs in the Southwest will waste into a difficult 10-game schedule here Saturday night when the speedy Texas Tech Red Raiders go against the Abilene Christian College Wildcats at 8 p. m.

Coaches Dell Morgan and Berl Huffman will send seven seniors and four juniors into Texas Tech's starting line-up, giving the Red Raiders practically the same crew that won nine, lost one and tied one game last season.

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