

Hurricane Sweeps Toward Coast

Pink Star Sinking May Open War In Atlantic

Maritime Commission Owned Ship Goes Down Off Iceland As First Incident Since FDR Proclamation

By The Associated Press WASHINGTON—The sea war added another American-owned merchantman to its toll Tuesday, and the capital wondered whether this latest sinking was meant to be an open challenge to President Roosevelt's shoot-on-sight order which barred the "defensive waters" of the United States to all Axis raiders.

The newest victim was the freighter Pink Star, owned by the U. S. Maritime Commission but operating under Panamanian registry. The sinking took on great potential significance, for it was the first such incident reported since Mr. Roosevelt proclaimed the "defensive waters" policy Sept. 11.

The Pink Star went down last Friday, the State Department disclosed Monday night, and she met her end southwest of Iceland in the same waters that witnessed the loss of two other American-owned vessels and the unsuccessful submarine attack on the U. S. destroyer, Greer.

The announcement of the Pink Star's sinking was silent on several details—a fact which caused some speculation. Nothing was said about the fate of the 34 men in her crew, and there was no hint as to how she met her end—by a mine, torpedo, or an aerial bomb or the guns of a surface raider.

Sessa Was First Victim. The location of the ship's sinking, however, was definitely placed some 55 miles south of Iceland on the corridor of sea communications which Mr. Roosevelt specifically has ordered the Navy to keep clear.

The first ship sunk in those waters was the Sessa, American-owned but of Panamanian registry, which was torpedoed and shelled to the bottom Aug. 17, about 300 miles southwest of Iceland, and on Sept. 11 the freighter Montana was torpedoed in the same location. The Montana was American-owned but of Panamanian registry.

Like the Sessa and Montana, the Pink Star was a former Danish vessel. The Pink Star, however, bore a cargo destined for a British port, whereas the other two ships were carrying civilian supplies to Iceland. The ship, a 6,850-tonner, had no American citizens in her crew.

Bandeen Says Texas Areas Are Restored To Equal Commerce

AUSTIN, (AP)—Abandonment by Texas rail carriers of differential freight rates will give to West and South Texas an equal opportunity in commerce and trade, D. A. Bandeen, manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, said here Tuesday.

Bandeen, whose organization was one of several conducting a 15-year campaign for revision of freight rates, said the carriers' decision, announced Monday, meant that all of Texas for the first time was on a parity in freight rates.

With Ed P. Byars of the WTCC, Bandeen will appear Wednesday before the Railroad Commission at a hearing on revision of class rates which Bandeen asserted were not on a parity with those of other states.

Coast Guard Trucks Wait For Hurricane

BEAUMONT, (AP)—Two Coast Guard radio-equipped trucks were in Beaumont Tuesday for emergency duty in connection with the Gulf hurricane.

The trucks carry two-way long and short radio receiving and sending sets, hot and cold water, electric light unit, rafts, air mattresses, pillows, portable cooking units, and cross cut saws for clearing debris. Each has a five-man crew.

Town Hall To Hear Noted Speakers

Season tickets for Town Hall Club may be purchased at the door when the organization opens its lecture year by presenting Capt. Gill Robb Wilson at the high school auditorium, Wednesday evening at 8:00 o'clock.

Other lecturers already contracted for include Will Durant, famous author, and Sir Hubert Wilkins, arctic explorer now in the Far East.

Russians Throw Back Nazis With Bayonets

By The Associated Press Red army troops battling to save Leningrad were reported Tuesday to have stemmed the German onslaught in bitter fighting around Lake Imen, south of the old Czarist capital, and hurled the Nazi invaders back seven miles in fierce bayonet charges elsewhere on the Leningrad front.

Red Star, Soviet army newspaper, said that the Germans lost up to 50,000 killed, wounded and captured in the Lake Imen fighting, and that the Russians had launched successful counter attacks.

By contrast, Nazi front-line dispatches indicated that the Red armies were in desperate straits along the entire front from Leningrad to the Black Sea, and the German high command reported the destruction of 50 Soviet divisions—about 750,000 troops—including 300,000 prisoners captured in the bloody trap 125 miles east of Kiev.

The Russian counter-offensive on the central front was declared to have been halted. Germans Play Hull. On the diplomatic front, the Germans declared bluntly that whatever happened to the United States-owned S. S. Pink Star in the waters near Iceland "was done in accordance with the laws of war" and asserted that Secretary of State Cordell Hull drove America another step nearer war with his comment that the U. S. neutrality act should be changed.

What Mr. Hull actually told newsmen in Washington was that he and President Roosevelt had said the act would be as likely to get the United States into war as to keep it out.

A Berlin spokesman said that no German U-boats or other overseas raider had specifically reported the sinking of the S. S. Pink Star but that messages had been received telling of sinkings out of a big convoy.

Reports Disorderly Retreat. In the Russian campaign, advances reaching London said the Red armies were successfully pressing counter-attacks in a new sector, around Glukhovo, in the northwest Ukraine 140 miles southeast of Gomel.

The fighting here was described as separate from Soviet counter-blows in the Smolensk sector, 230 miles to the northwest, and possibly indicated an attempt to rescue the four battered Red armies trapped 125 miles east of Kiev.

Stefani, official Italian news agency, said in a front-line dispatch that Red troops hurried back from the Dnieper River were fleeing in disorder, without artillery, toward a new defense line on the east flank of the Don River.

Stefani added that Red army prisoners reported the Soviet command was sending reserve units southward from the Moscow area as well as from the Don and Volga zones to bolster a new defense line.

Smashed Moscow Drive. The news agency quoted prisoners as saying that Marshal Semeon Budenny, commander-in-chief of the Ukraine forces, had been relieved by Marshal Semeon Timoshenko, who commanded the central front.

Marshal Timoshenko is credited by the Russians with smashing the main German onslaught toward a predicted 80-mile wind. To the northeast lies 50 miles of shallow, storm-dangerous Matagorda Bay, whose waters have been known to roar across lowlands, whipping out everything in their path as they did at Indianola in one of the Gulf Coast's most destructive hurricanes back in 1875.

A few miles south lies Pass Cavallo, where hurricane-pushed waters must bottleneck in or out of Matagorda Bay from the Gulf of Mexico. But Mrs. Madden's voice betrayed no great concern.

"I don't believe it will be as bad as the blow of 1919 when water came all over the town," she said. "We'll stick it out and see what happens."

Behind The Headlines

By DeWitt MacKenzie

Developments of the last few days certainly must have forced British Premier Churchill and his advisers to give serious consideration to the idea of staging a modified invasion of the continent in the shape of big and thoroughly organized raids.

The government has refused to be stampeded by pressure of the English press into a premature full-dress invasion, because of the terrible risk of an allied catastrophe, and military experts generally have agreed that this represented the course of wisdom. However, the gravity of the Russian position in the Ukraine calls for a major distraction to relieve the Nazi pressure against the Muscovites.

This is especially true since further heavy reverses, strengthening the possibility that Hitler may break into the Caucasus, might easily draw Japan and Bulgaria into the war against the Soviet. Even Turkey might feel compelled to grant Hitler military concessions which would multiply added difficulties.

The danger of an attempt at a general invasion of Western Europe lies in the fact that Britain would have to employ every warship she could lay her hands on. This massing of sea-power would present Hitler's Luftwaffe a never-to-be-forgotten target, and there is small doubt that he would fill the sky with warplanes from the Eastern theater. A great naval disaster might mean the end of the war for Britain.

Heavy raids, however, could be made without such risk—and there's no telling where they might lead. It's always possible that beach-heads might be established on the French coast in sufficient strength to permit of more extensive operations. In any event, the Germans presumably would be compelled to divert warplanes, tanks and perhaps troops from the Eastern theater in order to ensure that the allies didn't develop the raids into a major operation.

More Than 3,000 Work At Field

More than 3,000 persons were working at Sloan Field Tuesday. It was the largest number since construction of the \$5,000,000 Advanced Twin Engine and Bomber Training Center started.

Cage Brothers and P. M. Reeves and Sons had 2,870 workers. Work of grading for the large apron to serve the training center was started and installation of basins in the building area also was underway.

USDA Will Take Air Survey Here

The first aerial survey of Midland County will be started Nov. 1. The Department of Agriculture will take a survey to obtain aerial maps for the AAA office here.

Chamber of commerce officials said it would be the first aerial survey taken of the county.

Cancel Big Spring Circus Performance

Ringling Brothers, Barnum and Bailey Circus Tuesday cancelled an engagement scheduled for Big Spring because of a bridge washout at McNary. The circus will give two performances at Abilene Wednesday.

Dig Big Hole For Gasoline Tanks



Excavation for gasoline tanks at Sloan Field is nearing completion.

Southern Mitchell Test Cores Bleeding Lime In Basal Permian Horizon

By Frank Gardner Oil Editor Southern Mitchell County's proposed deep test, Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 1 L. L. Ellwood estate, attracted interest Tuesday when it cored slightly porous lime bleeding light green oil in formation believed to be Wolfcamp, basal Permian.

First core was pulled from 5,639-41 feet, with recovery of one and one-half feet. The top foot was broken black shale and the bottom six inches lime bleeding oil. Operators went in with pilot bit and made two feet to 5,643 feet while reaming core-hole, logging lime and shale. The test then was cored from 5,645-50 feet, recovering four feet of black shale. It is being cored deeper. Location of the wildcat, scheduled to go to the Ordovician, is 1,980 feet from the northeast and southeast line of section 49, block 16, S. P. survey.

Another Ordovician try, the Plymouth Oil Company No. 1 D. L. Alford et al. in Eastern Upton County, is drilling at 9,247 feet in black shale and lime. It is the deepest test now drilling in the Permian Basin.

Handley Yates High Ray A. Albaugh and Richmond Drilling Company No. 1 J. J. Handley, Northwestern Dawson County Permian test, is running from 25 to 30 feet higher on the Yates markers than the old Albaugh No. 1 John Robinson, depleted producer one and one-quarter miles to the southwest. No. 1 Handley, with elevation of 3,086 feet, topped Yates sand at 3,050 feet and logged first frosted quartz grains at 3,060 feet. Early Tuesday it was drilling ahead past 3,570 feet in shale and anhydrite.

In the Cedar Lake pool of North-eastern Gaines County Stanolind Oil & Gas Company No. 6-A J. B. Rayner has been completed at 4,800 feet for swabbed potential of 750-72 barrels of 33.6-gravity oil per day. It was shot with 790 quarts in pay zone entered at 4,645 feet. Gas-oil ratio is 190-1.

Honolulu Oil Corporation No. 1-13 L. H. Wright, wildcat in Eastern Yoakum County, has passed 3,250 feet in anhydrite and shale. Trinity Drilling Company No. 1 Dan Auld, Western Lynn County wildcat, is shut down for orders at 5,202 feet in lime. It probably will be abandoned at that point. Stealy line showed no error in rotary measurement.

More Oily Sand In Jones Oil-stained Simpson, middle Ordovician, sand was drilled from 5,905-21 feet by Continental Oil Company No. 1 E. B. Jones et al. Southwestern Crane Company deep test. Coring was started at 5,921 feet, with an 18-foot core due to be logged. The well previously had logged oil sand from 5,730-50 feet, showing both oil and gas on drill-stem test from 5,703-83 feet.

In the Abell Simpson pool farther south in Northern Pecos County, Phillips Petroleum Company No. 1 Cronk is preparing to gun-perforate 5 1/2-inch casing opposite saturated Simpson sand from 5,106-30 feet. Total depth is 5,147 feet in shale and lime and casing is cemented at 5,142 feet with 350 sacks. The well is high structurally, having already been in the Tulip Creek when it topped the Simpson at 4,835 feet, datum of minus 2,443.

On preliminary gauge through one-half inch choke on 2-inch tubing Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 2 State-Silverman flowed 121 barrels of oil the first hour. 67 the second, 83 the third, 102 the fourth and 70 the fifth. Total depth is 5,467 feet in Simpson sand.

Second Spencer Producer On the basis of short flows, large natural production is indicated for Stanolind Oil & Gas Company No. 1 Standard Oil Company of Texas.

Seamen's Strike Keeps Over Score Of Vessels Idle By The Associated Press. A seamen's strike kept more than a score of ships needed for defense and lease-lend aid riding at anchor Tuesday and AFL machinists reported a strike vote was being taken at a big West Coast bomber plant.

The Maritime Commission offered to sponsor conferences at Washington in an effort to end a dispute over war bonuses on various sea trade routes—and brought in reply an appeal by the New York unit of the Seafarers International Union (AFL) to President Roosevelt to investigate the commission's "anti-labor activities."

Flood Waters Of Hondo River Inundate Sections Of Roswell

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M. (AP)—Flood waters of the Hondo River slowly inundated a large part of the Pecos Valley city of Roswell Tuesday but the threat of a major flood appeared to have been dissipated by gradually clearing weather in valley watersheds.

Meanwhile, Eastern New Mexico worked to bring order to disrupted highways and utilities in the wake of three days torrential rains which poured tons of water down rivers and draws the 400-mile length of the state.

Carlsbad Is Vigilant. It was estimated some 200 city blocks were under water in Roswell by mid-morning, with the swollen Hondo showing a slow rise but with the flood crest due to pass by mid-day.

Weather bureau observers reported the water a foot deep at the Roswell postoffice. A flood crest on the Pecos, moving slowly down river from Alamogordo Dam, neared Roswell during the morning and was due to pass the city and reach Carlsbad late Wednesday or early Thursday.

Carlsbad, 80 miles downriver, posted "air raid wardens" from its recent blackout mobilization to watch for signs of flood waters moving down the Pecos from Roswell.

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The 11-day-old strike spread to three more vessels in the Atlantic and Gulf last night and Secretary-Treasurer John Hawk of the STU said 23 ships were idle.

Mumps Patients Here Will Be Quarantined Dr. Seth Kellam, director of the Midland-Ector counties health unit, announced Tuesday Midland homes, where cases of mumps were found, would be quarantined.

"Enough cases of mumps have been reported that we are taking precautions to stop an epidemic before it starts," the doctor said. "Turning the quarantining a protection, 'not an embarrassment,'" Kellam said the homes would be identified by flags.

Students who have been exposed to mumps will be under strict observation. Several cases of mumps were found this week, Kellam said.

Latest News Flashes

Urges Rejection Of Red Aid Prohibitions WASHINGTON (AP)—Informed members said Edward R. Stettinius, administrator of the lend-lease program, urged a House appropriations subcommittee considering the \$5,985,000,000 lend-lease appropriation bill Tuesday to reject any prohibitions which would bar aid to Russia.

Germans Shoot Three Terrorists In Lille VICHY, Unoccupied France (AP)—Germans in Lille announced they shot three Communist terrorists Tuesday morning for bombings and incendiarism in the prohibited northern frontier zone.

Weather Bureau Reports Storm Will Hit Soon

Expects Palacios And Port Lavaca Will Bear Brunt Of 90-Mile Wind

NEW ORLEANS (AP)—The U. S. Weather Bureau said in a special bulletin at 12:30 p. m. Tuesday the gulf storm, approaching the Texas coast near Matagorda, had caused tides of seven to eight feet and was buffeting the coast cities with winds reaching hurricane force (75 miles per hour or more) at Port O'Connor.

By The Associated Press

PORT O'CONNOR—Winds reaching hurricane force and high tides spreading destruction through the town sent several score residents fleeing to safety at Port Lavaca Tuesday as a dangerous tropical storm approached the Texas coast.

Northward 65 miles at Freeport, where important national defense industries are located, the wind blew 70 to 75 miles an hour and a seven foot tide backed water into lowlands.

The United States Weather Bureau at New Orleans predicted the center of the storm—with winds of 90 miles an hour—would pass inland in the vicinity of Matagorda, Tex., a community of approximately 1,250 persons. Most of them had fled to safety.

Thus far there had been no reports of lives lost. Waterfront cottages all along the coast from Cameron Parish, La., to Port Aransas, Tex., were smashed and some small boats lost. There was considerable damage at Port O'Connor, but little visible at Freeport.

Matagorda felt the force of the tropical hurricane, reeling under an 80-mile an hour wind. The tide was rising rapidly and the hurricane center was approaching the little town swiftly.

Freeport also felt winds of hurricane force and a north wind at Port O'Connor hit a 55-to-65 mile-per-hour velocity. The bureau said gale winds were in prospect for inland cities in Brazoria, Wharton, Matagorda, Jackson, Calhoun and Victoria counties late today and tonight, with heavy rains attendant.

The bureau predicted the furious blast with its attendant masses of high tides would pass inland between here and Freeport, Tex., Tuesday night, if the present somewhat slow forward movement of the disturbance continued.

The new warning stepped up precautionary activity along the Texas-Louisiana coast, where dangerous gales were expected to blow throughout the day from Port Aransas, Tex., to Cameron Parish, La.

At mid-morning tide waters spreading into Port O'Connor covered two blocks and there was some waterfront damage from the waves. The State Highway Department had two trucks in readiness to help evacuate the remaining 100 citizens if the danger became more acute.

Port Lavaca and Palacios, the two largest towns in the area now are regarded as most likely to bear the brunt of the big blow, were boarded up tightly with heavy pine planks nailed over windows. Business continued as usual, but everybody kept an eye on the weather.

Boatmen at Port Aransas had hauled their fishing craft up onto the sand dunes of Mustang Island, and only 100 of approximately 500 residents remained. Ferry service to the mainland via Harbor Island. The section around Matagorda

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Buy Defense Bonds and Stamps

A Deal With Japan?

Obviously, some kind of negotiations are being carried on with Japan. For some reason, the tradition has grown up that such negotiations can't be carried on in daylight, so we must guess as to what they may be.

Japan seems ready to "liquidate the Chinese incident." That is a nice way of saying that in four years she has her belly full of war with a united China, and would like to saw off and be content with only part of the swag. Something like this might be in the wind:

Suppose Japan quit the Axis and the United States recognized the conquest of Manchuria? This buffer country, which has always been more of a Russo-Japanese problem than a Sino-Japanese problem, was conquered in 1931 and set up as an "independent" stooge Japanese "empire" in 1933. At that time the southern China governments had no real control over it; China was unable to unite in its defense.

The United States has already promised China to waive all rights of extra-territoriality in China proper, and there is a rumor that the United States court at Shanghai, which has dispensed American justice to Americans in that area for 35 years, is about to be closed. That is all right. But it is all right only if Japan should clear out of China completely, forfeiting all similar extra-territorial rights.

French Indo-China is another matter. Here Japan has simply picked up the fruit that fell from the rotten tree of France. Indo-China is too close to the Philippines for the United States to be indifferent to its fate. It is hard to see how we could agree to its transfer to Japanese control, though there is no reason to take a stand for Vichy, either.

But what of China? Is the United States going to put itself in the position of the British and French selling Czechoslovakia down the river without its consent? That mistake must not be made again. It would be immoral, indecent, and unwise to boot, to make any deal with Japan which ignored China. We have extended pledges of aid to China, and the one thing that must not be lost is the value of our pledged word. The word of too many countries today is at a discount. We must not allow that to happen to our own.

Whatever dealings are going on today with Japan (and we can only guess at them) there must be no deal arranged without the knowledge of China, or without its express consent. A "new world" based on disregard of and betrayal of pledges will never be any better than the world of the past 20 years.

Western girls' college teaches gunnery. It doesn't, however, come under the head of domestic science.

A senator says increasing taxes eventually may take some of the butter off our bread. Hope they leave us enough dough to make a roll.

Sometimes where you're going is more important than how you stand.

The New York man who managed to walk 80 miles in one day must have crossed the street only at intersections.

C & R Executive Studies Plans



Felix Reeves of Case Brothers and F. M. Reeves and Sons is one of the busiest men at Sloan Field where his company is constructing the \$5,000,000 Advanced Twin Engine and Bombardier Training Center.

Ward Fair Will Offer Prizes Of More Than \$300

MONAHANS. (Special) — Prizes totaling over \$300 will be offered at the Ward County Fair to be held in Monahans Oct. 24 and 25, committees in charge of the event announced. Premium lists and classifications were announced this week.

Classifications include the following: Poultry: White Leghorns, Brown Leghorns, Barred Plymouth Rocks, White Minorcas, Rhode Island Reds, White Plymouth Rocks, and ducks, geese, and pigeons. Any other breeds entered will be grouped and one award will be made for the best.

Registered Herefords: Three classifications for both bulls and cows, with a champion of each of two groups to be chosen.

Hogs: Any breed gilts, barrows, and boars under 200 pounds.

Milk goats: Two classifications each for does and bucks, all breeds shown in same class.

Cotton: Best stalks of short and long staple cotton, and best sample of short and long staple line, all entries from 1941 crops.

Alfalfa: Best bale of alfalfa, and best sample of southwestern common alfalfa.

Feed grain crops: Best bundles of hegarl, maize, African millet, cane and other varieties.

Jersey cattle: Bulls, six months to one year and one year to two years, and bulls over two years; heifers six months to one year and one year to two years; females two years to four years and four years and up, grand champions to be selected from each of the three divisions.

Clothing and household articles: Lunch cloths, dresser socks, pillow cases, pieced quilts, appliqued quilts, crocheted, knit and candlewick bedspreads, table cloths, feather, wool or cotton comforts, knitted or crocheted Afghans, quilt protectors, mattress protectors, window curtains and window draperies, six classifications of rugs. Exhibits in this classification for girls 10 to 16 years of age include wash dresses, dish towels, aprons, pajamas and hand-painted pictures.

Canned foods: Almost all foods and vegetables, to be exhibited in classifications of quart jars and pint jars; home-made lard, canned meats, and homemade laundry or toilet soap.

Baked goods: One loaf of white bread, dozen whole wheat or grain gems, dozen cookies, dozen doughnuts, angel food cake, devil food cake, and layer cake. Classification for girls 10 to 16 years of age will include the same classes.

Educational exhibit: Articles from other countries, heirlooms, antiques, and articles of exceptional value.

Agricultural (gardening): Watermelon, pumpkins, cantaloupes, squashes, cushaws, onions, potatoes, peppers, cabbages, tomatoes, grapes.

Home demonstration club exhibits: Complete exhibit of 20 jar canning display, children's clothing exhibit, and choice of two from the following list: Living room improvement, sack articles, rugs, soaps.

Four-H Club girls' exhibit: Bed spreads, pillow cases, dresser sets or scarfs, mattress protector, pillow protector, mattress cover, quilt protector, window treatment, novelties, any kind of canned food.

Amateur photo contest: Best four prints of any subject, prints to be at least 5x7 inches. Pictures must be taken by exhibitor.

Selectees Of Martin Get Army's Discharge

STANTON Special—Two selectees from Martin County to report at Fort Bliss, Sept. 29, are James Rogers Towery and William Alexander Gibson.

The Martin County draft board has been called upon to furnish six selectees for October.

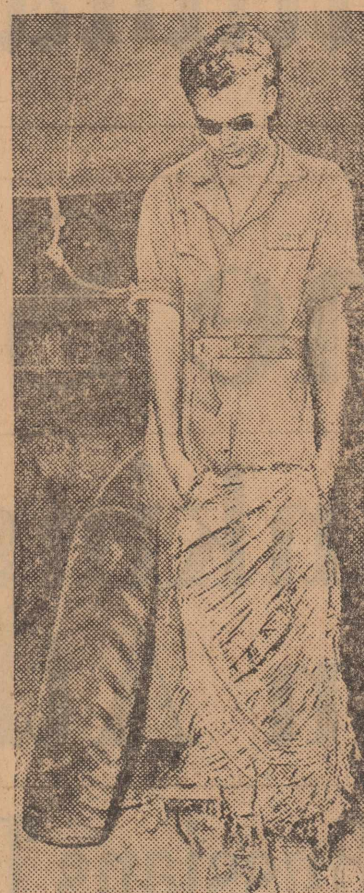
The first Martin County soldier dismissed from the service because of the 28-age amendment, arrived here. He is Charley Hensel Bryson who now is residing in Midland. Bryson was the second volunteer from Martin. There are other Martin soldiers in line for discharge because of the amendment but they are on maneuvers in Louisiana.

Stocks

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

Aviation Corp	4
Warner Bros Pict	5 1/2
Cons Edis	17 1/8
General Motors	41 3/4
Stand Oil NJ	42 5/8
Curtiss Wright	10
Secony Vac	9 5/8
Columbia G & E	2 5/8
Chrysler	50
Cons Aircraft	40
Hudson Bay M & S	20 1/2
Int Tel & Tel	2 7/8
Nat Dairy Prod	16 1/4
Etile RR CT WI	5 3/4
Libby Men & L	5 3/4

Tired Tire



Here's what happens when you run an Army truck 20 miles on a flat tire. Tire at left had same wear except for that flat business.

Williams Rites Held At Church

Funeral services for J. Knox Williams, 68, retired rancher who died at his home here Sunday, were held at 2:30 p. m. Monday at the First Methodist Church with the Rev. W. C. Hinds officiating. Interment was in Fairview Cemetery.

Mr. Williams had lived in Midland 11 years. He is survived by his widow, four daughters, and one son.

AMBASSADOR TO MEXICO WILL TALK WITH FDR

MEXICO CITY (AP) — United States Ambassador Josephus Daniels plans to leave for a month's vacation in the United States Tuesday night accompanied by Mrs. Daniels.

The ambassador will go by train from here directly to Washington where he expects to confer with President Roosevelt and state department officials on Mexico-United States relations.

Although the population density of the United States is twice that of the outlying territories of the country, the density of the Virgin Islands is eight times as great as that of continental United States. Alaska is the sparsest of the nation's territories, with about one person in each ten square miles according to census records.

•Cranium Crackers

Poetic Puzzlers.

First lines of famous poems often remain long in our memories. The second lines are not quite as easy to recall. Can you give the second line, name the poem and its author for the following?

1. Blessings on thee, little man. Hence, loathed melancholy.
2. Gm, my love is like a red, red rose.
3. Gm, my love is like a red, red rose.
4. A thing of beauty is a joy forever.
5. Have you heard of the wonderful one-hoss shay?

Answers On Classified Page.

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Officers Convene To Hear Criticisms Of First Week's Games

WITH THIRD ARMY. (AP) — A thousand officers, who have directed the greatest peacetime force of American soldiers ever placed in the field, were summoned Tuesday to Camp Polk to hear the man who has headed the training program of the new Army explain what was wrong in the first week's war games between the Second and the Third Armies.

The lecturer was Lieut.-General Lesley J. McNair, chief of the army general headquarters staff, who wastes few words. Through the year he has visited camp after camp, checking the instruction of the million-odd men who have been enlisted or inducted into national service.

The War Department has frankly said that the status of most field officers would depend on their records in the fall maneuvers. Already scores have resigned because of the prospect of reclassification and others have been reshuffled to jobs that do not involve field leadership or tactical ability.

States Aid Native Americans To Get Birth Certificates

CHICAGO (UP)—Efforts are being made by many states to provide satisfactory, yet quick methods by which native-born Americans may obtain birth certificates.

Approximately 60,000,000 Americans lack proof of their birth, according to the Council of State Governments. Of increased importance as a result of rulings that defense industry employers hire only native-born Americans for certain types of work, records are being sought by many persons who lack such proof.

One reason for the mass failure to have certificates, the council said, is that before 1900 only two states—Maine and New Hampshire—provided by law for official registration of births.

The Navy and Commerce department has proposed that states without provisions accept certain information as proof of birth. Such information includes affidavits by relatives and supporting statements by doctors or hospital authorities.

Ten Years' Suffering Effectively Relieved

"For ten years I suffered with constipation and indigestion," states Mr. C. C. Griffin of 930 West Second Street, Fort Worth, Texas. "I had a



dull, lazy feeling, headaches, spots before my eyes. I had no appetite. I suffered with gas, belching, bloating, severe heartburn and muscular aches.

"Since taking Hoyt's Compound, my bowels are becoming regular. I no longer suffer the dull, lazy feeling, dizzy spells and headaches. All gas, belching and bloating are disappearing, and I can eat anything."

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Formal Dinner Opens Year For Music Club

Approximately 50 Members And Guests Present For Affair

Appropriately stressing a musical theme and club colors of yellow and white in decorations, the Civic Music Club opened its 1941-42 season with a formal dinner in the Methodist educational building, Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock. About 50 were present including members, their husbands and wives and other guests.

Guest artists from Odessa presented the musical program for the evening.

Yellow candles glowed in crystal and silver holders on the long T-shaped table. Treble clef cutouts, sprinkled with gold and silver and banked at the base with small yellow and white chrysanthemums, were the central motif in table decor.

Musical notes, rests, flats, and sharps, cut from black were scattered the length of the table.

The program favors bore a design of clefs, the treble clef for women and the bass clef for men.

Corsages of yellow and white chrysanthemums were presented to all those taking part on the program.

The evening's program opened with the Musical Federation Collect read by Mrs. F. C. Cummings, retiring president. She also gave greetings and presented the incoming president, Mrs. J. R. Brooks Jr.

Mrs. Brooks in turn presented the following officers for the year: First vice president, Mrs. C. M. Linehan; second vice president, Mrs. W. Lloyd Haseltine; recording secretary, Mrs. Joseph Mims; corresponding secretary, Mrs. W. B. Robinson; treasurer, Mrs. B. W. Stevens; historian-reporter, Mrs. Cummings; librarian, Mrs. Edmond S. Hitchcock. The choir director, Mrs. De Lo Douglas, was unable to be present.

Mrs. Tom Parker, second president of the club, presented a resume of the history of the organization from 1937 to date.

Mrs. R. M. Turpin discussed "The Inspiration of Music."

Mrs. Brooks introduced Mrs. Paul Moss, president of the Odessa Music Club, who presented guests from Odessa in the following program: "Joy and Sorrow" (Trio Delli)—Mrs. Willie Baty Martin, violinist, accompanied by Miss Marjorie Sue Killion.

"Verdure Clad" from "The Creation" (Joseph Haydn)—Mrs. Haden Barrow, vocalist, accompanied by Mrs. A. E. Harroun.

"Medley of Stephen Foster Tunes"—Original arrangement played by Miss Killion pianist.

Attending were: Mrs. R. M. Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Bucher, Mrs. John Cassel-

Methodist WSCS Meets In Quarterly Business Session

Forty members attended the quarterly business meeting of the Methodist WSCS in the educational building, Monday afternoon.

"Hope, Love, and Power" was the three-fold topic discussed by Mrs. S. H. Hudkins, chairman of the spiritual life group.

Mrs. B. F. Haag presided. Opening prayer was by Mrs. J. M. Prothro and closing prayer by Mrs. M. J. Allen.

Holding Institute, the school for Mexican boys and girls at Laredo, was discussed by Mrs. Earl Chapman. A supply box will be sent there in October.

Present were: Mmes. W. A. Black, Allen, E. J. Voliva, Haag, W. C. Hinds, J. M. Prothro, J. L. Barber Sr., Dave Tidmore, E. B. Patterson, Chapman, J. A. Andrews, Tom Hurt, Otis Ligon, Douglas Nix, Tea Sindsor, L. F. Joplin, J. L. Barber Jr., Sam Preston, H. A. Ferguson, Bob Baker, C. R. Fitch, Fred Fromhold, Mollie McCormick, Mary Snodgrass, Hudkins, W. F. Prothro, Geo. Vannaman, S. P. Hazlip, D. A. Pass, A. H. Flaherty, C. P. Wilson, W. W. Smith, Hugh Walker, H. M. Reigle, Ira Cole, J. C. Miles, W. B. Hunter, Florence Evans, C. H. Shepard, and Ray Gwyn.

Unexpected Club Entertained With Dance At Hall

Unexpected Club held its bi-weekly party Monday evening in the form of a dance in St. George parish hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee English and Mrs. Flint were guests.

Mrs. Forrest Hunter resigned as sponsor and Mrs. Flint was elected to take her place.

The committee in charge of the party included Jimmie Holder, Leslie Young, and Miss Aimee Falcon.

Present, besides those named, were: Mr. and Mrs. Russell Willis, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Williams, Miss Jeanette Thornton, Miss Wilma Ruth Holman, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Dub Middleton, Tanner Laine, Miss Lou Annice Reeves, John Davis, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Nobel, Miss Louise Whitson, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Brenneman, Mr. and Mrs. Rabun Lam, Miss Brittle Neill, and Miss Earlene Cox.

The committee in charge of the next party will be John Davis, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Golladay, and Mrs. Chas. Roark.

MRS. PECK TO SESSION IN AUSTIN, FORT WORTH

Mrs. Hal C. Peck will leave Wednesday to attend a state board meeting of the Texas League of Women Voters in Austin, Thursday and Friday.

She will return by way of Fort Worth where on Saturday and Sunday she will attend meetings of the Democratic committee concerned with the government institute.

Lucky Thirteen Club will meet with Mrs. L. P. Joplin, 902 West Louisiana, Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Husbands will be guests.

There will be a meeting at the high school, Thursday evening to discuss a hot school lunch project in Martin and Midland counties.

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Needle and Thimble Club will meet with Mrs. John Picke, 602 N. Pecos, Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Belmont Bible Class will meet with Mrs. T. O. Midkiff S. Marienfeld, Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Jollitee Club will meet with Mrs. Homer Ingham on the Rankin Highway, Friday afternoon at the usual hour.

Red Cross sewing room in the Old Heidelberg Inn will be open Friday morning from 9 o'clock until 12. The public is invited.

Children's Service League will meet with Mrs. W. T. Schneider, 2000 W. Brunson, Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Women's Golf Association will have its weekly luncheon at the Country Club, Friday at one o'clock. Reservations should be made with Mrs. Paul Oles, phone 392, or Mrs. E. A. Cubertson, phone 331, hostesses.

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SOCIETY

Mrs. Wesley Williams Jr. Honored At Gift Tea For Which Two Are Hostesses At Mrs. Ragsdale's Home



MINUT CLUB will have its annual meeting for the election of new directors on the mezzanine of Hotel Scharbauer, Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock.

Spiritual life group of the Methodist WSCS will meet with Mrs. Jess Barber Sr., 311 N. Baird, Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock.

Town Hall Club will present Capt. Gill Robb Wilson in its opening lecture of the year Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at the high school auditorium. Season tickets may be purchased at the door.

Dos Reales Club will meet with Mrs. J. A. Jorgensen, 402 Holmsley, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

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Justamere Club will meet Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. C. J. McVey, 502 North D Street.

Veinte Cinco Club will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Patterson hosts at 1005 Country Club Drive, Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Fine Arts Club will meet with Mrs. Elliott Barron, 507 N. Loraine, Wednesday morning at 9:30 o'clock.

THURSDAY. Needlecraft Club will meet with Mrs. Addison Wadley, 1801 West Holloway, Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Red Cross sewing room in the Old Heidelberg Inn will be open Thursday morning from 9 o'clock until 12. The public is invited.

A Catholic parish party will be held at St. George Church hall Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

Westside Home Demonstration Club will meet with Mrs. H. L. Albrecht, 1910 W. Indiana, Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock for a book review. Mrs. J. Howard Hodge will review "How Green Is My Valley" by Richard Llewellyn. Valley View Club members will be guests.

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Rainbow Asters Set Decorative Theme For Courtesy

Honoring Mrs. Wesley W. Williams Jr. until her marriage here Saturday, Miss Mable Davis and Mrs. Darrell G. Welch entertained with a gift tea at the home of Mrs. J. T. Ragsdale, 405 N. Colorado, Monday afternoon from 3 o'clock until 6.

Rainbow asters in silver bowls set the color scheme in decorations both on the tea table and throughout the reception rooms.

Miss Davis, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Welch, and Mrs. Ragsdale were in the receiving line.

Mrs. Richard Cauble presided at the white bride's book which was decorated with the figure of a bride. The register table was laid with lace and a silver bowl of daisies formed the floral arrangement.

Gifts were opened by the bride and inspected by the guests.

The tea table was appointed in silver and crystal. A lace cloth was used and at one end of the table was the punch bowl presided over by Miss Lydia Mae Ragsdale and at the other was the tea service with Miss Marian Locklar pouring.

Invitations were issued to: The honoree, Misses Doris Alkire, Claudine Adamson, Lillian Anderson, Kleob, Mrs. Ruth Baker, Misses Jo Ann Barber, Ann Booker, Bessie Mae Cook, Mrs. Jack Cox, Misses Mary Frank Cox, Colleen Doss, Jo Ann Dozier, Mrs. Pete Flanagan, Mrs. Clara Gabbert, Misses Phyllis Higley, Dorothy Hines, Jane Ewin, Joy Jackson, Boerke Kidwell, Mrs. Billy King, Misses Mamie Lusk, Lonell Mayfield, Dorothy Mauldin,

Mrs. Ruth McClure, Miss Winnie Lee McCormick, Mrs. Bill McCumber, Misses Resse Moffett, Mae Moffett, Olive Moffett, Mrs. Ruby Moran, Mrs. Earl Pace, Mrs. Charles Patterson, Misses Venoy Parr, Polly Pierce, Mary Reising, Mahdeen Reising, Mrs. Clint Sparks, Mrs. Dixie Roberts, Miss Laverne Spratt, Mrs. Helen Stewart, Miss Lovina Thompson, Mrs. Van Turner, Mrs. Sally Watlington, Misses Virgie Webb, Opal Whately, Lucy Willis, Ethelyn Wilson, Frieda Wyson, Mae Raney, Mrs. H. G. Rain.

Mmes. D. Holster, J. L. Tidwell, Miss Louise Whitson, Mrs. Fred Jones, Miss Yvonne Clemens, Mrs. D. L. Swain, Mrs. Pete Turner, Mrs. De Wit Carr, Miss Edith Pearl Beaty, Mrs. Frank Westermann, Mrs. S. E. Mickey, Mrs. E. F. Mickey, Mrs. Leona Ferguson, Mrs. L. P. Joplin, Miss Marian Locklar, Mrs. John Locklar, Mrs. T. O. Midkiff, Mrs. Hudson Hanks, Mrs. Richard Cauble, Mrs. R. L. Mouring, Mrs. Ellen Sledge, Mrs. Charlie Richardson, Mrs. Shine Shelton, Mrs. Agnes Whitson, Mrs. J. R. Norris, and Mrs. C. P. Wilson.

SUGAR SAVING PUZZLES ISLE OF MAN SOLDIER

DOUGLAS, Isle of Man (UP) — Here's a new kind of puzzle. A soldier was sent to the Isle of Man for guard duty at an internment camp.

There was plenty of sugar and he decided to take Lord Woolton's advice and store it for jam-making.

Now, he has a big store of sugar ready to make jam for the winter. But he has received orders to return to England.

He can't take the sugar with him; the food office won't permit that. He cannot sell it; he hasn't a license to trade. He can't destroy it; if he does, he will be prosecuted for wasting food. He can't give it away; that would be letting another person obtain food without coupons — a criminal offense. And it can't eat it; there's too much.

And then!

She went to

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High School PTA Opens Year With Program Meeting

Supt. Geo. Heath Is Speaker For Evening Session

Presenting Supt. Geo. A. Heath as the program speaker the High School PTA opened its year's activities in a meeting at the high school, Monday evening.

Speaking on "The Democratic Citizen," Mr. Heath said the challenge of the present and the future generation is the preservation of democratic principles. The foremost educators realize that the bulwark of our way of life lies in the teaching and practice of democratic principles in our schools, he explained and declared that it is the intention of our own school administration to emphasize this by teaching and re-teaching the concepts upon which the founders of this nation built and in which we believe.

Mrs. Glenn Brunson, PTA president, presided and introduced Principal Frank Monroe who in turn introduced the teachers.

Mrs. Ralph Troseth and Jo Ann Proctor presented musical numbers and Mrs. De Lo Douglas led in group singing of patriotic selections.

The first year foods class, under direction of Miss Iva Butler, served a refreshment plate, each plate having a radiance rose as favor.

Approximately 75 parents and teachers were present.

Parts were taken by Mrs. Robert Cox, Mrs. Bill Epley, and Mrs. F. H. Lanham.

Mrs. R. O. Collins was elected president during the business session and Mrs. J. Howard Hodge secretary-treasurer.

It was voted to re-district the town and have neighborhood circles in the WMU.

A social hour followed:

Present were: From Annie Barron Circle, Mmes. D. G. Cagle, H. S. Collings, Herbert King, Billy Gilbert, O. L. McNew, W. D. Anderson, and little Patricia Ann Gilbert, visitor; from Kara Scarborough Circle, Mmes. Hodge, J. K. Wright, Lanham, O. J. Hubbard, Bill Epley, C. A. Travelstead, T. K. Price, R. O. Collins, S. L. Alexander, John Hix, Robert Cox, O. R. Phillips, W. B. Preston, J. Webb Miller, Ben Black, J. O. Nobles; from Martha Holloway Circle, Mmes. H. D. Bruce, S. C. Dougherty, O. L. Beville, Brooks Pemberton, and D. W. Brunson.

Women Voters To Hear Miss Kirlin

Miss Florence Kirlin of the National League of Women Voters will be honor guest and guest speaker at a meeting of the Midland League of Women Voters, Monday, September 29, at Hotel Scharbauer.

The meeting will be in the form of a luncheon in the Blue Room. All members are urged to attend and others interested are invited.

Reservations should be made with Mrs. Hilda Blair Ray, phone 1107.

Mrs. F. C. Cummings brought the devotional.

Present were thirteen members including: Mmes. Al Boring, John R. Crump, R. A. Estes, W. R. Coleman, Cummings, R. Z. Dallas, H. E. Harrington, E. R. Henderson, Chas. Sherwood, H. A. Hill, Buster Howard, Ivan Hood, and the hostess.

Mrs. Collins Is Elected Head Of First Baptist WMU

Kara Scarborough Circle was hostess at the meeting of the First Baptist WMU at the church educational building, Monday afternoon, for a program on "The Cooperative Program."

Present were: President, Mrs. Jimmy Walker; parliamentarian, Mrs. Johnson; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Archie Estes; sergeant-at-arms, Dee Ham.

Outgoing officers are: President, Allen Dorsey; parliamentarian, Mrs. Johnson; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Walker; sergeant-at-arms, Jimmy Walker.

Next meeting of the club will be held jointly with the Yomaco Club of Crane in the form of a costume party with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hogsett hosts at Crane. This will be the first time the two clubs have met since the Crane group was organized.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Ham entertained the club with a dove supper at the Sunday night meeting.

Present were: Mrs. Allen Dorsey member from Sunday; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hogsett, members from

Yomaco Club Names Officers For New Year

Officers for the new year were chosen by the Yomaco Club in the business period of a meeting at Cloverdale, Sunday night.

Elected were: President, Mrs. Jimmy Walker; parliamentarian, Mrs. Johnson; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Archie Estes; sergeant-at-arms, Dee Ham.

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Presbyterians Present Loyalty Program At Church

A church loyalty program at the Sunday evening service took the place of the regular Monday afternoon meeting of the Presbyterian Auxiliary.

The Rev. Ben Moore led the program and Mrs. Ernest Sidwell brought the devotional on "Mary of Bethany."

Ernest Sidwell talked on "Back To Our Promises."

"Backing Our Promises with Our Lives" was discussed by Mrs. D. M. Secor.

Frank Stubbeman spoke on "How Parents Can Cooperate with the Church School."

Offering was taken for the synodical and Presbyterian home missions.

Mrs. W. P. Knight announced the district conference at Big Spring, October 2.

Crane; and the following members from Midland: Mmes. and Messrs. Woodrow Beatty, Arnie Estes, M. D. Johnson Jr., Jimmy Walker, Ross Carroll, L. A. Dolberry, Lee English, H. J. McCulloch, and the host couple.

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McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

By William E. McKenney
America's Card Authority.

The discussions at a national bridge tournament might confuse a beginner at contract. Take for example today's hand, which came up during the mixed team-of-four championship. I heard Mrs. McKenney discuss this hand with Harry J. Fishbein of New York, who finished third in the world championship Masters Pair event this year and won that title last year

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K 10 7 3
J 7 5 4 2
8 3

Fishbein
K Q J 3
None
A K 10
9 6
A J 10 2

Mrs. McKenney
7 6
9 5 2
Q 3
Q 9 7 5 4

A 10 9 5 2
A Q J 8 4
K 8
6

Duplicate—N. and S. vul.
South West North East
1 Pass Pass Pass
Opening—♦ K 23

and the year before.

South's opening bid of one spade was passed by Fishbein, who sat West. When North passed, Mrs. McKenney in the East position also passed. Now the discussion began. Fishbein said, "Not vulnerable and with vulnerable opponents, I think you should have kept the bidding open."

When Mrs. McKenney brought the hand to me, I said that I would have bid two clubs if I were playing with Fishbein against vulnerable opponents, as I know he is inclined to trap in that situation.

Then Mrs. McKenney took the hand to Waldemar von Zedwitz, rated one of the world's greatest players, and he was just as emphatic that the correct thing to do was to pass. Von Zedwitz is known as a light bidder who will keep the bidding open if he can find any justification for doing so.

You will admit there isn't much in the East hand, but also note that if East does keep the bidding open, East and West will have no trouble at all making five clubs, and with careful play six can be made. So it does seem rather tough to pass a hand out at one spade on which six clubs can be made.

Can you figure out how South made two spades on this hand?

He did it by trumping the second diamond and leading a small spade toward the eight. West played low and as a result made only two spade tricks.

PREDICTS SHORTAGE IN TRANSPORTATION MEANS

WASHINGTON (AP)—A defense research official expressed the opinion Tuesday that an imminent serious shortage of transportation facilities may become one of the most serious bottlenecks in the arms program.

Harry Magdoff, acting chief of the civilian supply section of OPM's research and statistics bureau, predicted that only 1,516,000 active, serviceable freight cars will be available this fall to handle an estimated peak load requiring 1,646,000 cars.

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PROGRAMS

TUESDAY.

- 6:00—Tropical Serenade, MBS
- 6:15—Pennant Contenders, MBS
- 6:30—Ned Jordan, MBS
- 7:00—News, TSN
- 7:15—From Mexico City, MBS
- 7:25—Musical Interlude, MBS
- 7:30—Morton Gould's Orch., MBS
- 8:00—Raymond Gram Swing, MBS
- 8:15—Your Defense Reporter, MBS
- 8:30—Mystery Hall, MBS
- 9:00—Jimmy Joy's Orch., MBS
- 9:15—News, MBS
- 9:30—Bunny Barrigan's Orch., MBS
- 10:00—Ted Fio Rito's Orch., MBS
- 10:15—Benny Goodman's Orch., MBS
- 10:30—BBC News, MBS
- 10:35—Lawrence Welk's Orch., MBS
- 10:45—Dick Jurgens' Orch., MBS
- 11:00—Freddie Martin's Orch., MBS
- 11:30—Everett Hoagland's Orch., MBS
- 12:00—Sign Off

WEDNESDAY.

- 6:00—Musical Roundup
- 6:30—Dawn Parade
- 7:30—News, TSN
- 7:45—Mandolinettes
- 8:00—News, TSN
- 8:05—Salon Music
- 8:15—Bridge Talk
- 8:30—Singing Strings, MBS
- 8:45—What's Doing Around Midland
- 9:00—B. S. Bercevic, MBS
- 9:15—Musical Portraits, MBS
- 9:30—Songs of a Dreamer, TSN
- 9:45—Daisy Aces, TSN
- 10:00—Neighborhood, TSN
- 10:15—Our Gal Sunday, TSN
- 10:30—Love Songs of Today, TSN
- 11:00—News, TSN
- 11:05—Conservation of Vision, KBST
- 11:10—Musical Interlude
- 11:15—Helen Holden, Drama, MBS
- 11:30—Front Page Farrell, MBS
- 11:45—Man On The Street
- 12:00—Singin' Sam
- 12:15—Checkboard Time
- 12:30—News & Market Reports, TSN
- 12:45—The Denver Darlings, MBS
- 12:55—AP News Bulletins, MBS
- 1:00—Your Army, MBS
- 1:15—Syd Murray's Orch., MBS
- 1:30—Mutual Matinee, MBS
- 1:45—To Be Announced, MBS
- 1:55—UP News Bulletins, MBS
- 2:00—Shafter Parker & Circus, MBS
- 2:15—Dorothy S. Humphrey, MBS
- 2:30—The Johnson Family, MBS
- 2:45—Harold Turner, Pianist, MBS
- 3:00—Anton Gonzalez Orch., MBS
- 3:15—Dick Barry's Orch., MBS
- 4:00—AP News Bulletins, MBS
- 4:05—Paul Decker's Orch., MBS
- 4:30—The Land, TSN
- 4:45—Jose Rosado & His Orch., MBS
- 6:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., MBS
- 5:15—Here's Morgan, MBS
- 5:30—Today's Hit Tunes.

Legion Organizations Will Have Social Hour

Adjutant H. A. Palmer said a social hour would be held after a business meeting of the Woods W. Lynch Post of the American Legion at 8 p. m. Tuesday night in the courthouse.

The women's auxiliary will discuss "Veterans' Hospitals" at its meeting at 8 p. m. in the courthouse.

Safety Council Members Will Name New President

A meeting of the Midland Safety Council was scheduled to name a new president to succeed W. P. Z. German, resigned, and to study school safety measures at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday night at the Chamber of Commerce office.

Crane County Exceeds USO Campaign Quota

CRANE (Special)—Claude Martin, county chairman of the USO campaign, reported Crane slightly exceeded its goal, contributing \$253.40.

Another drive probably will be started soon.

BOY SCOUTS COLLECT METALS

MERIDIAN, Conn. (AP)—Local Boy Scouts, not satisfied with collecting aluminum, provided the Federal government with tons of copper, lead and zinc metals acutely needed by defense industries.

From factories and advertising concerns the boys collected obsolete electrotypes, half tones and other plates.

Soldier Dies After Being Struck Blow

FORT WORTH (AP)—An investigation was being made of the death of Sgt. Norbert Lindgren, Camp Grant, Ill., who collapsed Monday after a quarrel with another non-commissioned officer near a railroad station.

Lindgren was one of a group of nine sergeants who were to have taken a late train for Camp Grant. They came here Saturday on a troop train bringing selectees to Camp Wolters.

A heart attack may have caused death. He was struck a glancing blow by the other officer, who said Lindgren had been creating a disturbance in a cafe.

Nebraskan Declares Repeal Of Neutrality Act Would Mean War

WASHINGTON (AP)—Senator Norris (Ind-Neb) asserted Tuesday repeal of the Neutrality Act "would mean war" and he voiced his doubts that Congress would approve a declaration of war at the present time.

On the question of a declaration of war, Rep. Fish (R-NY) was ready with the prediction that the House would vote it down "more than two-to-one." He announced he intended to seek a showdown next week with a resolution calling for immediate war with Germany.

Capitol Hill's preoccupation with international affairs was furthered by the start of House committee hearings on a new \$5,895,000,000 lease-lend appropriation and by the news that another American-owned freighter had been sunk near Iceland in waters which President Roosevelt has barred to Axis raiders.

Norris, although not commenting specifically on the latest sinking, made it clear that he endorsed the policy the administration has pursued regarding freedom of the seas.

The veteran Nebraskan, only surviving member who cast a Senate vote against this country's entrance into the last war, consistently has supported the administration in foreign affairs.

Amos And Andy Have Interests On Humble Crane County Lease

CRANE (Special)—Amos and Andy of radio and screen fame have an interest in Crane County, according to County Clerk E. J. Wasson who this week recorded a mineral deed for Freeman F. Gosden, and Chas. J. Correll.

Gosden's deed provided for 16-12928ths of the money and rentals, from a location on the Glenn Allen Ranch area, and Correll's for 8/129-28ths of the mineral rights. The Humble Oil and Refining Company has the land leased.

The deed was acknowledged in the Dominion of Canada, Province of Quebec, City of Montreal by the Consulate General of the U. S. in-

Execute Fifty Jews For Croatian Attack

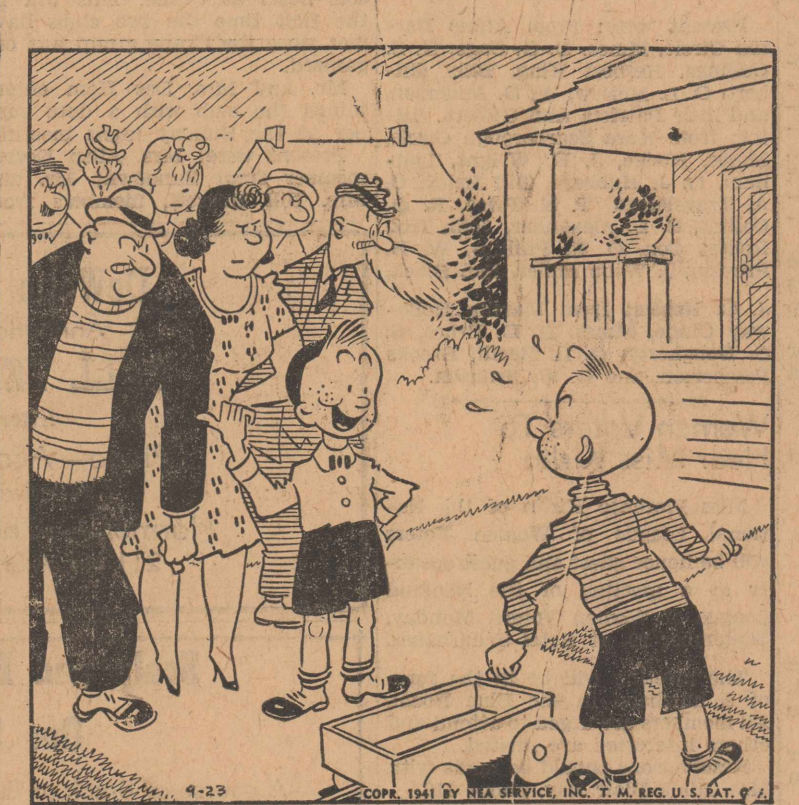
NEW YORK (AP)—Fifty Jews and Communists have been executed in Zagreb charged with being the "intellectual originators" of a bomb attack in the Croatian capital, the German radio reported from Berlin Tuesday.

The prisoners were sentenced to death by a court martial in Zagreb Sept. 19, the radio reported, quoting an announcement by the minister of interior affairs of Croatia. The bomb attack was said to have been against the Zagreb telephone exchange in which more than 12 German soldiers were wounded.

Interests in Ector, Ward, and Winkler counties also have been recorded for Gosden and Correll.

By J. R. WILLIAMS

Funny Business



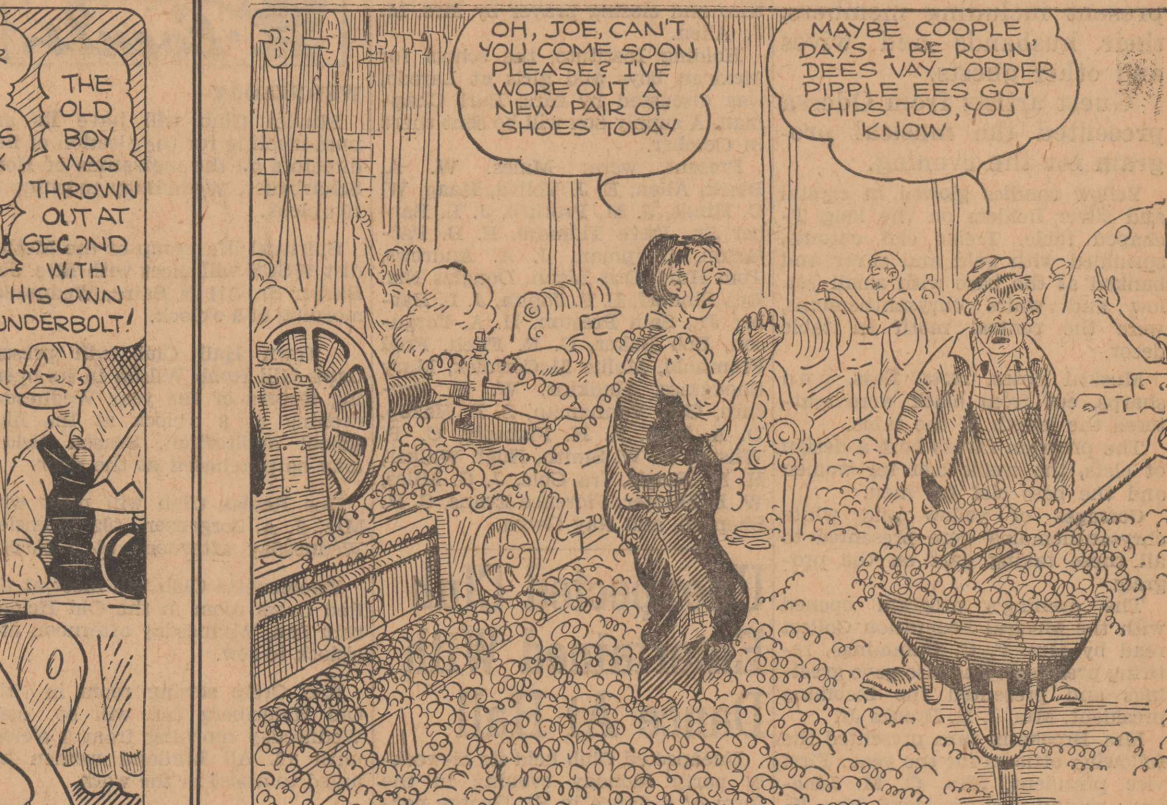
"Well, you said you could lick me and my whole family!"

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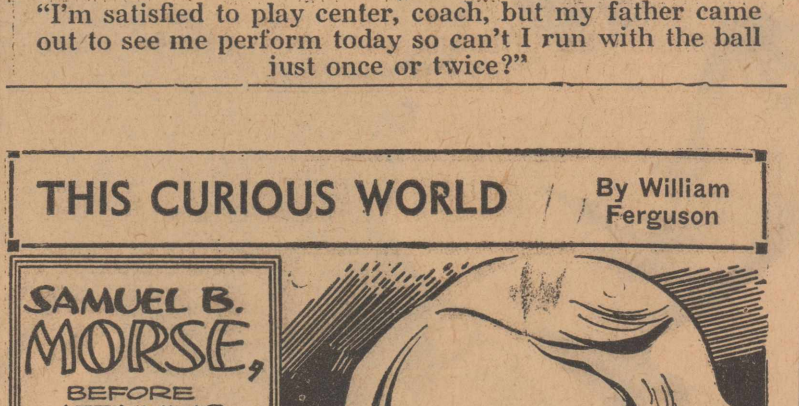
"I'm satisfied to play center, coach, but my father came out to see me perform today so can't I run with the ball just once or twice?"

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

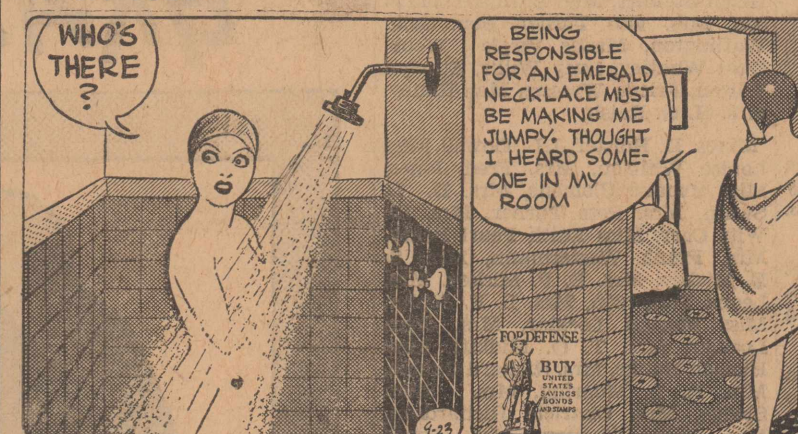


By EDGAR MARTIN

ALLEY OOP



WASH TUBBS



By ROY CRANE

THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson

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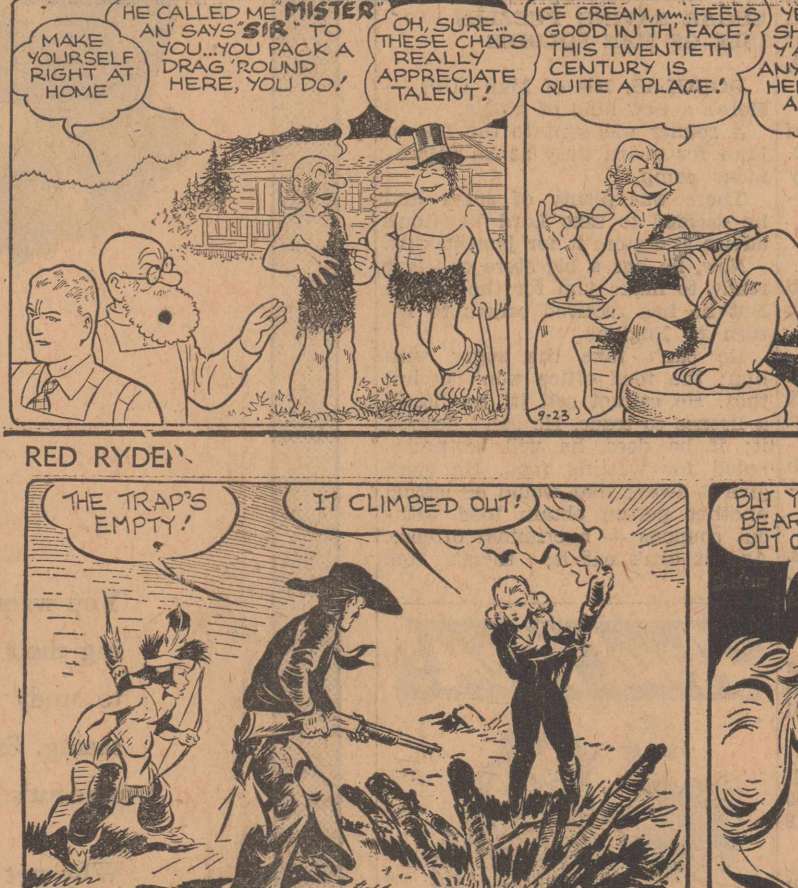
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CANNOT BE PLAYED IN GILPIN COUNTY, COLORADO, BECAUSE THERE IS NO LEVEL PLACE LARGE ENOUGH FOR A DIAMOND.

ANSWER: Kangaroo, Australia; kodiak bear, Alaska; gemsbok, Africa.

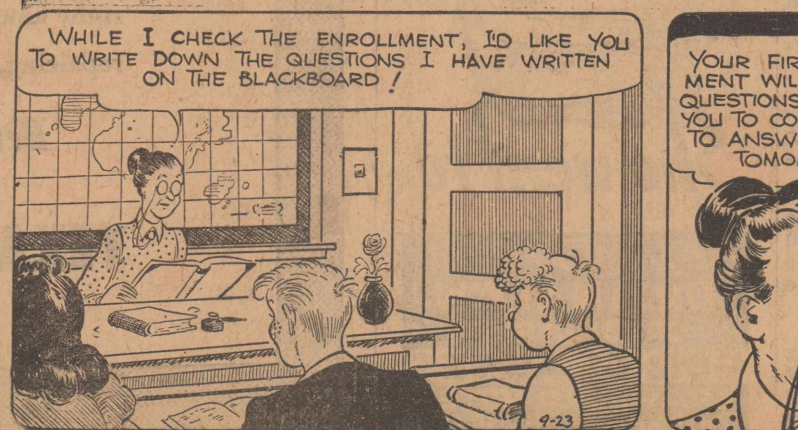
NEXT: Hats of milk.

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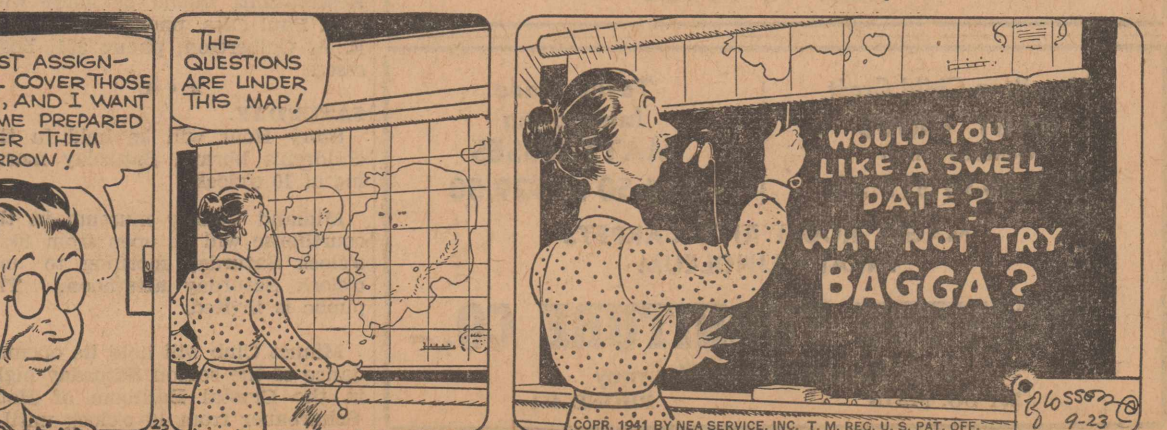
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MADAM Russell; past, present, future; business affairs; readings daily, 204 East Wall. (167-5)

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: Black Cocker Spaniel, male, 4 months old; reward, T. E. Christopher, Cabin No. 8, George's Courts. (170-1)

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WANTED: Lady to care for invalid woman at night. Phone 604. (169-2)

SINGLE boy between 18-20 for front service station work. Finley's Service Station, 400 West Wall. (169-tf)

Help Wanted 9

COLORED maid; general housework and cooking; experienced. 1904 West College, phone 2099. (169-2)

RENTALS

Bedrooms 12

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

LARGE south bedroom; convenient to bath. Phone 1014, 1111 West Illinois. (168-3)

Wanted To Rent 21

WANTED to rent: Furnished three or four room apartment close in. Call 1455 after 1 p. m. Sunday or 23 Monday. (168-3)

BEDROOMS for men; modern; \$2.50 per week. 609 South Marfield. (170-1)

FOR SALE

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Miscellaneous 23

TWO Ft. Worth spudder model L water machines mounted on two 7-3 trucks; easy terms. C. R. Murook, 1105 E. 4th Street, Big Spring. (168-6)

Business Service

Cleaning & Pressing 43

MEN'S suits and ladies' plain dresses cleaned and pressed, 39¢, cash and carry. Texas Avenue Cleaners. (168-3)

HATS cleaned and blocked; factory method. Texas Avenue Cleaners, opposite high school. (168-3)

Mattress Renovating 47

ALL kinds of mattress work. 906 South Baird. State permit No. 943. Lee Thomas, phone 1646 or 2062-W. (10-21)

Used Cars 54

FOUR door Plymouth trunk sedan; good tires, good paint; \$135.00. 111 East Maiden Lane St. (169-3)

REAL ESTATE

Houses for Sale 61

NEW five room house with garage attached; \$3,800.00; \$500.00 cash, balance like rent; immediate possession; 105 Ridgela Drive. Phone 817 or 673. (169-3)

FIVE-ROOM FRAME

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FIVE-ROOM BRICK

FACING Golf Course on A Street; to be completed; \$550 cash, balance like rent. See **BARNEY GRAFA** 203 Thomas Bldg. — Phone 106 (168-3)

Lots for Sale 62

DESIRABLE building lot on paved street; 75x100 foot south front; Country Club Heights on Storey Street. Phone 24 or 366. (168-3)

WELL located lot on paved street;

150x140 foot; close in; corner Ohio and Loraine Streets. Mims & Crane, phone 24 or 366. (168-3)

Farms for Sale 63

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

Ranches for Sale 64

SIX section ranch with windmill 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)

West Texas Ranches For Sale

NINE sections, foothills near Valentine; \$7 per acre, \$15,000 cash. 5,537 acres Eriscoe County, \$55,000, one-fifth cash. 640 acres near Lake Sweetwater, \$15 per acre, \$5,800 cash. 3,685 acres Stonewall County, \$9.50 per acre, \$48,000 cash. These ranches are good buys. No trades considered. **Joe H. Boothe** Sweetwater, Texas. (170-1)

Acresages for Sale 66

5 TO 20 ACRES
 IN tracts on highway to Sterling City and on paved road to Cloverdale; terms if desired. See **BARNEY GRAFA** 203 Thomas Bldg. — Phone 106 (168-3)

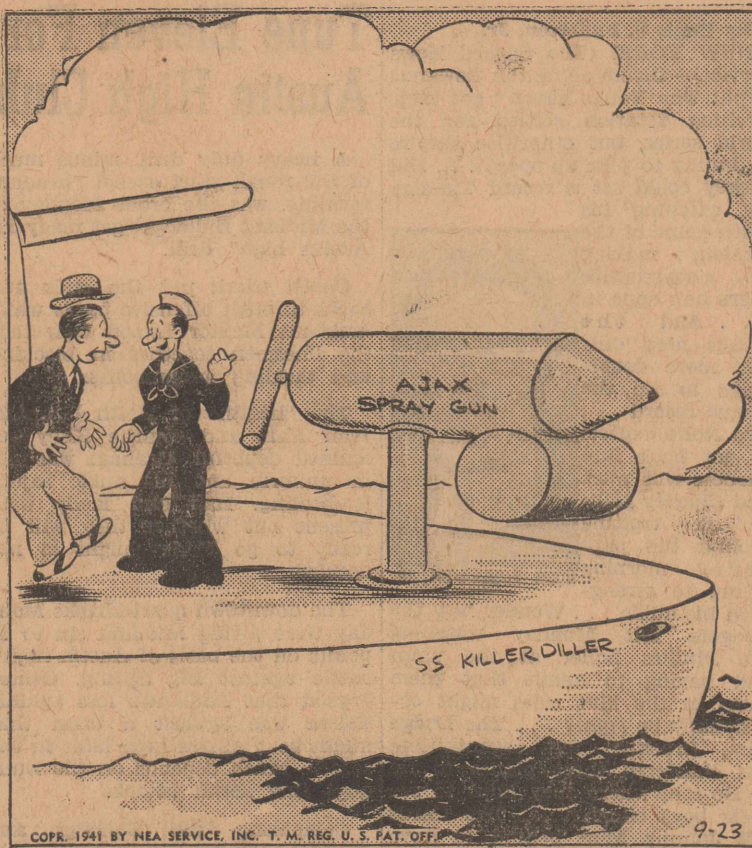
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Indiana Mentor Will Depend On Sophomores

BLOOMINGTON, Ind. (UP)—If Alvin N. (Bo) McMillin is to build a strong Western Conference contender at the University of Indiana this year, he must fashion it from a sparse sprinkling of veteran players and some prime sophomores talent that may or may not jell.

Indiana faces a situation roughly comparable to that of three years ago when a fine crop of sophomores turned up. The sophomores helped win one game. As juniors they won two, as seniors, three. Today the astute McMillin considers it an interesting mathematical problem whether his Hoosiers are destined to return to one victory or advance to four.

This much is certain. Ten of the 11 starters last year are gone, among them "Hurling" Hal Hursh, ace passer, and a pair of great ends, Archie Harris and Eddie Rudinski.

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SERIAL STORY

BRIDE FROM THE SKY

BY HELEN WELSHIMER

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THE STORY: Judy Allen decides to marry wealthy Philip Rogers, attorney for the magazine of which she is an associate editor, when newspaper stories link aviator Sandy Ammerman with heiress Peg Gordon. Judy decides she never cared for lovable, impulsive Sandy, wants the security and more mature affection Philip can offer. Judy is secretly unopposed by anything, now that she has planned her life, except the disloyalty of Sara Fuller, her jealous secretary, with whom she must deal when she returns to her job. Then, on the day of the wedding, Sandy appears, telling her that it is he, Sandy, whom she really loves and must marry.

KIDNAPED!

CHAPTER XV
WHEN Sandy announced with infinite satisfaction that he, not Philip Rogers, was to be the bridegroom at her wedding, Judy laughed softly, wrinkling her nose in a way she had not done for days.

Never relaxing the hold on her wrists, Sandy drew her close, kissed her hard and long, and then, in a change of mood so fast that it supplanted the first one until she doubted that it had ever been, Sandy said:

"Dearest, don't you see that it can't be you and Phil? It's always been you and I."

In that moment his face looked weary, very young, a little afraid. "Please, Judy, my sweet."

Judy's eyes grew clear and brown as she met the pleading gray eyes. Here was the man she might have married if young Lochinvar still rode out of the west to steal their brides; if Jasons went in quest of golden apples because lazy princesses needed a measuring stick for gallantry! Here was Sandy, very dear in this last moment.

He must go away. Any moment a bridesmaid might come running in, or Miss Mattie might want the wedding dress.

"You're sure you know your own mind?" the low voice drawled, but there was steel hidden in its depths this time.

"Yes, Sandy!" Maybe gentleness would soothe the savage breast or whatever the old quotation said.

"Sorry, Judy, then I have no alternative." In half a gesture he had caught both wrists in one hand and was binding them to-

gether with a piece of heavy cloth which he drew from his pocket. Judy decided instantly that she must not show fear. She made her voice low and held it to its huskier tones as she said: "Swell movie histrionics wasted."

"With my profile I've always thought I should have been a second Barrymore." He grinned but he slipped a gag in her mouth with steady fingers.

Judy couldn't answer. She bit his hand. With a cry of anger he snatched it away. Judy made for the door but he reached her in two swift leaps. This time he worked fast and his eyes were steely.

He bound her legs, tossed her over one wide shoulder as though she were a bag of flour, and raised the window higher which led to the balcony. He crossed the window sill, braced himself for the climb down the rose trellis, and swung to the ground.

He greeted her wrathful eyes cheerfully. "I've been up before, so I knew my way. Tested the trellis while you were rehearsing to marry another guy. Knew you would be glad I'd saved you from that fate in a month or a week—maybe even today."

ALL the anger flared higher in Judy. Sandy grinned again, that gay and reckless smile that showed white teeth and narrowed his eyes until they were caught in a web of laughter lines.

There was something about that grin that made her want to kick him, scratch him, bite him again. Oh, why had her room alone been built over the wing that housed the library? Of course not, one would be in the library today. No one would know that she was being kidnaped.

She didn't know where she was going. She was cruelly aware of the steady beat of Sandy's heart beneath her own, nothing more. He placed her carefully in one of the family roadsters.

Even in her anger Judy admired the stroke of genius that had planned the kidnaping. Sandy was bright enough. In fact, he might have got by in his line if he had some sense.

Now he was starting the car, looking down at her critically. "I don't like your dress," he said, holding her steady with one arm. "Too smooth. Significant of your forthcoming meeting with Rogers. Just the kind of a thing a girl would wear for him. I like you in fluffs . . . like the things you used to wear at home in the evening."

"Oh, I beg your pardon, Judy." He stopped the car to unfasten

the gag in her mouth. "I like your voice and this is such a deserted road nobody will hear if you give the West Point yell."

Judy didn't speak at first. Finally she said, "Sandy, I'll give you the best seat in the church for the doings and tell everyone you were a good runner-up. Sandy, I must go back."

"Why, my sweet?"

"Because I am being married in about one hour. Don't you understand, Sandy? A wedding needs a bride. And I'm it this time."

"I'll say you're it, all right, but a wedding needs a bridegroom, too, and I'm it."

"You!" She felt winded, deflated, deserted. "I won't marry you. Turn back this moment or—"

"Sorry, honey, it's a one-way road. Maybe this gag will keep spectators away. Sorry to be rough again. I'm naturally a polite young man, you know. Hold chairs for ladies and everything. But I'm in a hurry now. Got my ship waiting at the airport, ready for a take-off."

JUDY made queer, gasping noises. To think that once she even imagined she loved this barbarian. Once she had carried a faintly lighted torch for him. Why, she didn't even like him, to say nothing of loving him. She hated him.

And Phil—Phil was wonderful, just the kind of man she wanted to marry.

Oh, when she got out of this! She tried to clench her fists, but the bindings wouldn't let her.

If this flying fool ever got her up in the sky, she never would get to her own wedding. He would circle around until the ice cream bells melted and everybody went home.

Maybe Sandy had hung up a whole string of records. But this time he was flying blind.

The car swung through the gate of the airport. Dusk was coming. Sandy drove to an airplane that was ready to take off. She recognized his silver monoplane. Some man who had been guarding the ship signaled that all was ready.

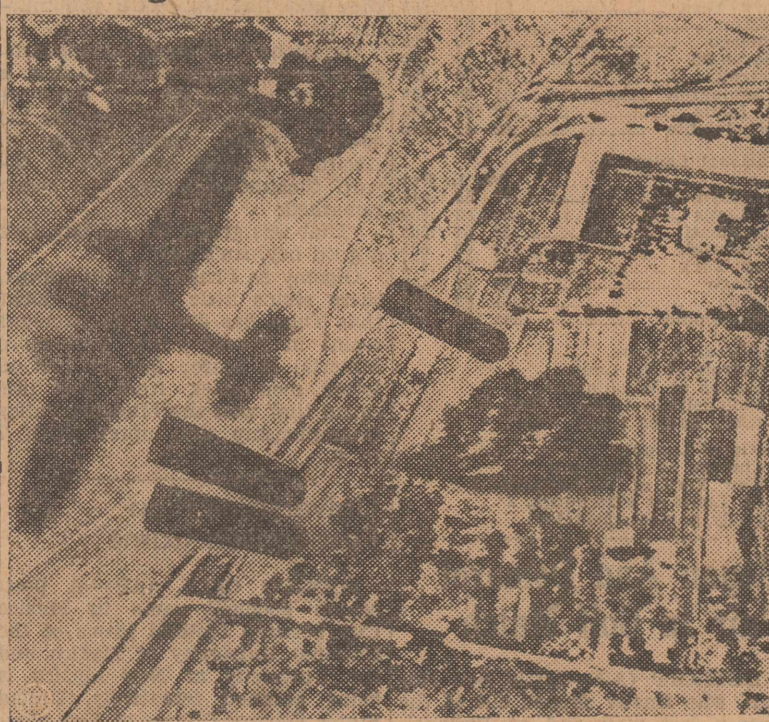
She wanted to scream but couldn't. She wanted to fall out of the car, but she couldn't find the door.

Instead, Sandy scooped her up like a department store mannequin and deposited her in the back seat.

Wouldn't anyone notice that she was being kidnaped? Hadn't her father, her mother, or Philip missed her yet?

(To Be Continued)

Coming Events Cast Bomb Shadows



This picture radioed from Moscow purportedly shows three bombs dropping from a Soviet plane attacking German artillery positions. Note shadow of bomber.

Answers To Cranium Crackers

- Questions On Page Two.**
1. Blessings on thee, little man, Barefoot boy, with cheek of tan. From John Greenleaf Whittier's "The Barefoot Boy."
 2. Hence, loathed Melancholy, Of Cerberus and blackest Midnight born. From John Milton's "L'Allegro."
 3. Oh, my love is like a red, red rose, That's newly sprung in June. From Robert Burns' "A Red, Red Rose."
 4. A thing of beauty is a joy forever: Its loveliness increases; it will never pass into nothingness. From John Keats' "Endymion."
 5. Have you heard of the wonderful one-hoss shay, That was built in such a logical way. From Oliver Wendell Holmes' "The Deacon's Masterpiece."

IRANIAN GOVERNMENT TO RECALL DIPLOMATS

LONDON (AP)—Reuters in a dispatch from Teheran, Iran, said Tuesday the Iranian government has decided to recall its diplomatic representatives in Germany, Italy and Rumania.

Air Corps Captain Assists Major Baxter

Captain J. E. Baird of Randolph Field is here on detached service helping obtain land for targets for the Advanced Twin Engine and Bombardier Training Center. He is assisting Major H. R. Baxter, project officer, in the work.

Flight Surgeon Is Assigned To Field

First Lieutenant George R. Richardson, flight surgeon, has arrived at Sloan Field where he will be stationed. He has just completed the flight surgeon's course at the Aviation School of Medicine at Randolph Field. Before going to Randolph Field, Lieutenant Richardson was at Fort Bliss.

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- 11 Strong wind.
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- 17 Dove's home.
- 18 Festival.
- 19 Take by force.
- 20 Girl's name.
- 21 Diminish.
- 22 Steep.
- 23 Past.
- 25 Senior (abbr.).
- 26 Gold weight of British India.
- 29 Eye (Scottish).
- 31 Apology.
- 35 Lion.
- 37 New England state (abbr.).
- 39 Having ears.
- 40 Mart.
- 43 Ever (cont.).
- 45 Father (Fr.).
- 46 Pronoun.
- 48 Take out.
- 50 Paid notice.
- 53 Unit of work.
- 55 Thoroughfare.
- 59 Sword.
- 62 Steeps.
- 64 Monk (abbr.).
- 65 Angry.
- 66 Brave man.

32 Play.

33 Series (abbr.).

34 City in Holland.

36 Leavings.

38 Spread for drying.

41 Exclamation.

42 Row.

44 Lean down again.

47 Courtesy title.

49 Army officers (abbr.).

50 Get up.

51 Ventured.

52 Deity.

54 First name of 11 vertical.

56 Letter.

57 Build.

58 Sip.

60 Head.

61 Engineering degree (abbr.).

63 Makes mistakes.

66 Cast a spell.

67 Spring (abbr.).

70 Musical note.

71 Compass point (abbr.).

72 Each (abbr.).

68 Suffix.

69 Bristle.

70 Review of past.

73 Paradise.

74 Irritate.

VERTICAL

1 Deputy.

2 Positive pole.

3 Turn.

4 Anger.

5 Editor (abbr.).

6 Type of cart.

7 Data.

8 Talk too much.

9 Greek letter.

10 Prefix.

11 Pictured movie star.

12 Toward a meadow.

13 Endures.

14 Go in.

19 Pronoun.

21 Part in a play.

24 Depart.

27 Tool.

28 Unadulterated.

29 Shade tree.

30 Try.

Onkel Franz Could Make It Harder On Leo The Lip But Instead Will Throw Both Barrels At Cardinals

By Sid Feder
Associated Press Sports Writer

There is a guy named Frankie Frisch in the National League, known up and down the senior circuit as "Onkel Franz".
Now, Onkel Franz doesn't care much for Leo the Lip Durocher who manages the Brooklyn Dodgers. Onkel Franz said as much when he was boss man of the St. Louis Gas House Gang and Leo the Lip was just a St. Louis hired hand.
Well, Leo the Lip and his Dodgers had a game and a half edge over St. Louis Tuesday morning as the Cards moved into Pittsburgh for a four-game series with Onkel Franz's Pirates in the tightest National League race in the memory of the oldest inhabitant.

Onkel Franz, if he so desired, really could make it softer for the Cards, than he would for the Gowanus Gallants, but the old flash is still playing up to the hilt showing no favorites. He has nominated Ken Heintzelman as his elbow in the first game of a twin bill with the Cardinals and Ken has given the warriors from St. Louis plenty of trouble.

King Carl Wins
The Dodgers are idle after adding a half game to their margin Monday with a 5-0 trimming of the Phillies as the Cards had an open date.
The only other action in the National League found the New York Giants splitting a twin bill with the Boston Braves. King Carl Hubbell served a steady nine-hitter in the opener for a 5-3 decision. Phil Masi's ninth-inning two-bagger enabled the Braves to break a tie and cop the nightcap, 2-1.
One of two games on the curtailed American League card saw the 1940 champions, the Detroit Tigers, move into a fourth-place tie by moving down the Chicago White Sox, 11-0.
Johnny Niggeling blanked the succumbing beauties from Cleveland with seven hits for a 5 to 0 St. Louis victory.

Vols And Rebels Speed Away For 3rd Dixie Battle

By Harold V. Ratliff.
DALLAS. (AP)—The Dallas Rebels and Nashville Vols sped toward the heart of Dixie Tuesday where they resume their series in the battle to determine the minor league champion of the South.
But Dallas' miracle men of the Texas League must cook up a potent batch of legendarium if they expect to return home next Saturday still in the running and holding a chance for the Dixie series title.

Nashville pulled out with two decisions in two times, each by the staggering score of 6-1, and it seems nothing Dallas can push up to the plate is capable of halting the slugger Vols.
Little Sal Gilitto, the ace of the staff, tried it Sunday night. Otho Nitcholas, star of the Shaughnessy play-off, attempted it Monday night.

The result: 24 hits and 12 runs. Vols will use Meers.
Manager Wally Dashiell has nominated Gordon Maltzberger, right-hander—and to righthanders the Vols are poison—for pitching duty Wednesday night, when the series is resumed in Nashville.
The Vols will use Russ Meers, a left-hander who was the leading Nashville hurler over the regular season route with sixteen victories and five defeats, and who won three games in the Southern Association Shaughnessy play-off.

Nashville used its two former big leaguers to squelch the Rebels in the opening games. Roxie Lawson fanned Dallas Sunday night and Vito Tamulis, late of the Brooklyn Dodgers, outpunching the Rebels into submission with a six-hit masterpiece Monday night.

San Antonio Football Fans Pick Steers And Mustangs As Favorites

By Harold Scherwitz
San Antonio Light Sports Editor
(Written for Associated Press)

SAN ANTONIO (AP)—In this neutral zone, the unbiased football fan who follows the fortunes of all Southwest Conference teams from afar with an open mind and no love for Alma Mater to color his convictions, is having a horrible time rating the boys for the 1941 scramble.

Even the coaches, his weather-vanes of long standing, are crossing him up. Dana Bible at Austin comes right out and admits his University of Texas Longhorns should be the favorites. Matty Bell is often rubbing his hands in glee so caught, as he watches his Southern Methodist lads practice, that our information-seeker is completely bewildered.

Winner Hard To Pick
Cheering reports come from Baylor, where Frank Kimbrough is anxious to have a winner in his first year as coach, and the warning "beware of Rice" sound from Houston, where Jess Neely, a big success with his initial Southwest Conference team in 1940, commands widespread respect as a team-builder.

T. C. U. Arkansas and the Texas Aggies all have "dangerous" labels, according to word that reaches this outpost of gridiron civilization. And the local football fan, accustomed to surprises in the Southwest, wouldn't be a bit amazed if the champion emerged from this group of three.

Because there are a lot of University of Texas adherents through this section, and because Dana Bible is very popular here, as elsewhere, there's a general hope that the University of Texas comes through with a winner. But a great many feel that the Steers are likely to miss the jackpot—purely a hunch, it seems—and that Southern Methodist's Mustangs will do the big job.

Baseball

RESULTS YESTERDAY
American League
Detroit 11, Chicago 0
St. Louis 5, Cleveland 0
(Only games played.)

National League
Boston 3-2, New York 5-1
Pittsburgh 5, Philadelphia 0
(Only games played.)

STANDINGS
American League

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	38	50	.562
Boston	30	58	.514
Chicago	24	74	.433
Cleveland	23	76	.400
Detroit	23	76	.400
Washington	17	80	.466
St. Louis	17	81	.453
Philadelphia	16	87	.416

National League

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Brooklyn	37	53	.647
St. Louis	34	58	.639
Cincinnati	34	58	.639
Pittsburgh	24	69	.521
New York	20	77	.473
Chicago	18	81	.456
Boston	18	89	.407
Philadelphia	11	106	.279

American League
Detroit at St. Louis
Boston at Washington
Philadelphia at New York
(Only games scheduled.)

National League
Chicago at Cincinnati
New York at Philadelphia, 2
St. Louis at Pittsburgh, 2
(Only games scheduled.)

Hogan And Demaret Pair In Golf Match

DETROIT (AP)—Little Ben Hogan, who finally slipped out of the money last week-end at Philadelphia, gets a chance at a \$2,000 golf purse Tuesday when he pairs with Jimmy Demaret in a 36-hole best ball match against National Open Champion Craig Wood and Byron Nelson.

Hogan, the torrid Texan who is top money winner among the touring salaried stars, is unbeaten in four previous matches in Detroit and he accepted this as an omen in four-ball play over the Country Club at Detroit course where 18 holes are to be played Tuesday. The match will be completed Wednesday.

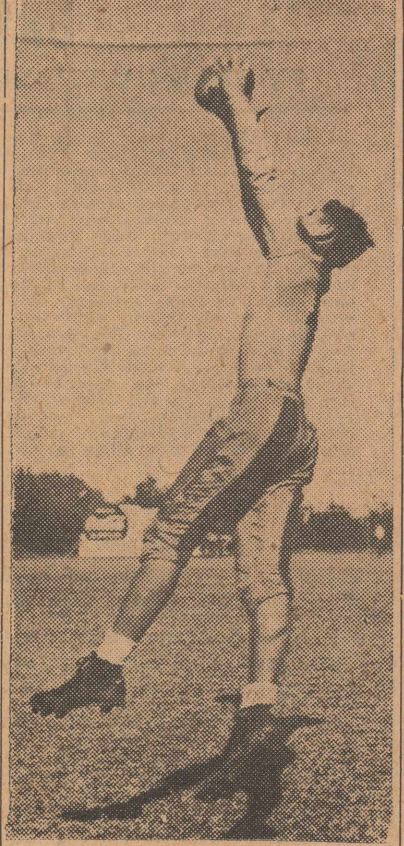
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Much of the success of Midland high's passing attack depends on its ends. One of them is Buddy Davidson, lettered reserve last season, and regular terminal this year. Davidson mans the left end post, weighs 155 pounds, and likes it rough.

Sports Roundup

By Hugh S. Fullerton, Jr.
NEW YORK (The Special News Service)—Gloom along the Gowanus Dept.: The Yanks haven't got their pitching rotation settled for the world series, but otherwise they're beginning to pick up speed. Bill Dickey could set a record Tuesday by catching his 100th game of the season, making 13 consecutive years he's done it.
And the Yanks need only five more double plays to tie the league record. Red Rolfe expects to get back into harness this week and Charley Keller is trotting around the park every morning trying to strengthen his ankle. Wonder how the Dodgers felt Monday watching the Phillies holler at the umps and having to admit that them bums in the blue suits might occasionally be right? The Dodge Alys, Brooklyn fan organization, has chartered three planes to fly to Boston where they hope to see their boys clinch. The Cards left Johnny Mize behind to have his injured shoulder treated when they headed for Pittsburgh. Joe Louis, who seems more interested in the world series than his fight with Lou Nova, maintains: "The Yankees will take care of 'em in the world series."
Today's Guest Star
B. M. Atkinson, Jr., Louisville Times: "If it's true what a magazine recently tried to prove, Lou Novikoff doesn't mind a curve. But he has a helluva time with optical illusions being thrown at him."
Cleaning The Cuff
Ballyhoo for the Louis-Nova fight compares it with the first Dempsey-Tunney affair, but the only similarity this department can see is that it might rain. The Dapper Dan Club collected \$5,582.82 from last week's fight show in Pittsburg, which makes \$18,604.63 the club has earned for charitable work in its five years of existence. Of the last 14 captains and co-captains of North Carolina U. football teams, only three have come from the Tar Heel state and eight from Pennsylvania. Morris Sachs of Hibbing, Minn., rises in wrath to say that George Perpich, the Georgetown tackle, didn't work in a Michigan Iron mine last summer. Sachs wants to know that whatever weight Perpich gained should be credited to the mines in George's own home town, Hibbing. Joe Benda, who used to help Elmer Layden at Notre Dame, took over at St. John's College of Minnesota this year, and the largest crop of freshmen in history reported. Paul Haber of Harlingen, Texas, warns all hands not to overlook Bob Brunley of Rice in lining up all-America prospects. Bill Chadwick, new big league hockey referee, is a page at the New York Stock Exchange and got his start at calling 'em when he followed the exchange brokers to West Point for a game and was pressed into service as a linesman.
Quotes Unquote
Leo Durocher: "That fella in St. Louis wanted me to take a picture with Southworth. I turned him down. So he says 'if you get into the world series, will you use McCarty?' Would I? I'd throw my arms around him if the photographers wanted. I'd stand on my head. Boy, would I!"

Frnka Practices Strong Tulsans For Christians

By Ben Funk
TULSA, Okla. (AP)—The big, mild-mannered fellow, who goes about his business of coaching Tulsa's football team with the depressed attitude of one who expects to meet disaster just around the corner, considered the question long and carefully.
"Our chances with Texas Christian? Slim, Mighty slim. They've got a great team down there. A friend who scouted them called me up and told me we couldn't get through their line with a locomotive. And that backfield! They'll pass our boys crazy."
But while Henry Frnka continued his discourse on the strength of the opposition, there was a twinkle in his eyes that belied the pessimism of his words, and a quiet determination that seemed to spell trouble for the Horned Frogs.
Nineteen Lettermen Back
On this particular afternoon, the Golden Hurricane was tearing through a full-dress scrimmage. True, the offense was a bit ragged and Frnka was grumbling: "Awful, isn't it? Our boys aren't ready. If they play like this, TCU will murder us."
Occasionally, though, an unguarded moment, Frnka would let drop a word of admiration for some of the fine veterans that comprise his 40-man squad. Once, when N. Akethley slipped away for a 40-yard touchdown gallop, the coach remarked:
"That was great! Great! Say, he's a good boy, isn't he?"
Gloomy as Frnka likes to appear, there seems little reason to doubt that Tulsa has one of its strongest teams in recent years. Sophomore Material is scarce but he has 19 letter men back from the 1940 squad that won the Missouri Valley Championship and upset TCU, 7 to 0.

Hurricane

Bay, a shallow body of water extending inland 15 or 20 miles, might be battered by extremely high tides, it was indicated by a New Orleans weather bureau advisory issued at 2:15 a.m. (CST).
Galveston Not In Path
Matagorda Bay long has been known as a dangerous storm area. On Sept. 15, 1875, the settlement of Indianola on the bay was wiped out by a hurricane and the section has been repeatedly storm buffeted since then.
Although that part of the coast is not thickly populated, there are several towns in the bay region, including Palacios, where Camp Hulen, a coast artillery anti-aircraft training school, is located.
Many dwellers in the path of the storm fled by automobile to points farther inland. Others put up the storm shutters on their homes and sought the comfort of hotels.
Although Galveston is not believed to be in the direct path of the storm, huge waves roared at the sea-wall and the highways were closed by high water. The highways to Sabine also were closed.

Warfare

Moscow, hurling the Nazi invaders back after they had advanced far beyond Smolensk on the Napoleonic road to the Soviet capital.
Hitler's field headquarters, in a special bulletin on the fighting east of Kiev, said German troops slashing into four entrapped Russian armies had already captured 570 tanks, 100 guns and great stores of other war booty.
The encircled Reds, it was asserted, are rapidly dissolving and "at many points officers and commissars of the Soviets left their troops."

B&PW Club To Make Survey Of Working Women

The Business and Professional Women's Club will make a survey of working women in Midland to be used as the basis in contacting new members, it was decided at a meeting of the organization in the private dining room of Hotel Scharbauer, Monday night.
Miss Fone Buckner was elected a new member of the club.
Miss Maria Spencer led the group in a roundtable discussion of the type of organization the club now is and the type the members would like to see it.
Thirteen members were present including Miss Buckner and Mrs. Neta Stovall, another new member.

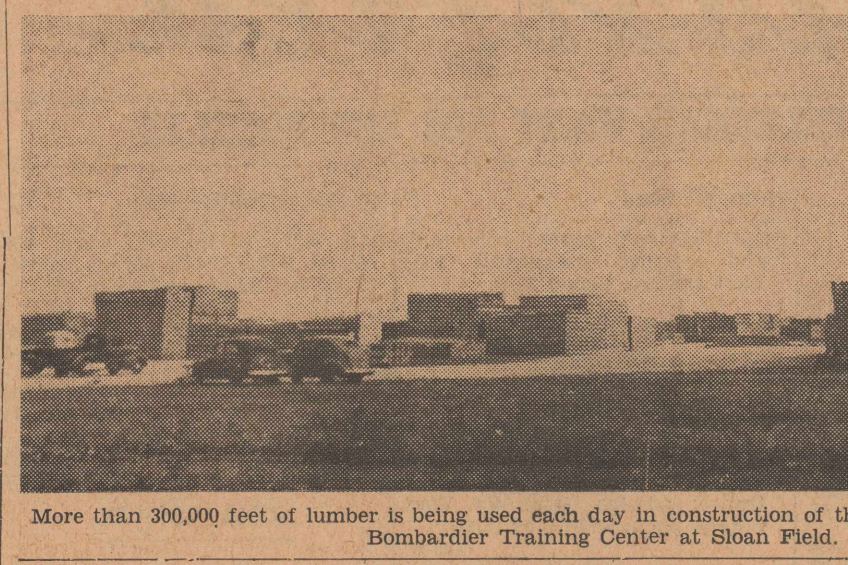
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NEW YORK. (AP)— Cotton futures closed 5-9 higher Tuesday.

Bulldog Coaches Tune Eleven For Austin High Club

A heavy duty drill, minus much of the rough stuff called "headon" tackling, was the order Monday at the Midland Bulldogs "get ready for Austin high" drill.
Coach Clark put the ends and backs through offensive paces while Assistant Mentor Lwood Dow sent the linemen together in blocking and tackling assignments.

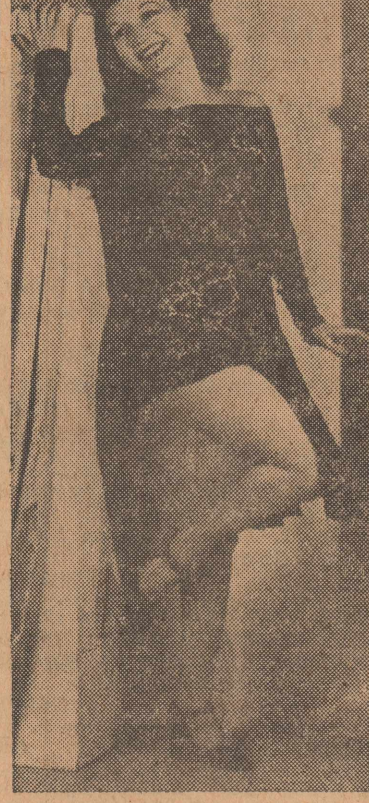
The "health" of Keith Graham, Ivan Hall, and Charlie Kelly remained doubtful, Graham was not in uniform and his ankle injury is healing. Hall and Kelly were present but whether they will be ready to go Friday night is not decided.
The downtown quarterbacks Monday were giving Midland six to 12 points on the basis of Austin high's battle against Big Spring. Others argued that Midland's loss against Ysleta was against a team that might beat Austin high later in the season. Much depends on the Bulldogs' fine aerial attack.
Comparing the Bulldogs and Panthers (by position and weights): Ends: (Midland)—Wilford Lester, 150; Buddy Davidson, 155; Jimmy Watson, 145; Junior Bird, 140; Hershel Parks, 140; Mal Kidwell, 135; Bill Chancellor, 130; and Jerry Hudson, 135; (Austin high)—Halbert Bloodworth, 150; Shirley White, 150; Howard Pearson, 140; Fred Wentt, 155; George Love, 155; Juan Siqueros, 150, Dan Cadena, 140; Bill Goss, 140; and Joaquin Arguelles, 150.
Tackles: (Midland)—Ben Sevier, 165; Gene Estes, 155; John Guy McMilling, 150; Red Roy, 140; Cliff Gillan, 160; and Bill Wallace, 160; (Austin high)—Orville Hall, 225; John Scott, 210; Earl Arnold, 200; Ray Bullard, 190; and Billy Walters, 185.
Guards: (Midland)—J. W. Leftwich, 145; Pete Lee, 165, Marshall Whitmore, 155; L. C. Hobbs, 130; and Bill Tilson, 150; (Austin high)—Arthur Lange, 160; Bob Lawrence, 185; Ted Fineron, 145; Charles Ekhardt, 150, and Frank Olsen, 150.
Centers: (Midland)—Jack Noyes, 145, and Jack Taylor, 145; (Austin high)—John Davis, 140, and Bradford Sturman, 150.
Backs: (Midland high) — Ivan Wheeler, 165; Charlie Kelly, 145; Bill Richards, 135; Keith Graham, 155, Tom Tisdale, 129; and Dick Lee, 155; (Austin High)—Laverne Humphrey, 140; Bill Bridler, 165; Owen Harmon, 130; Floyd Reedmond, 165; Floyd Hughes, 165; John Thurston, 160; Harold Lewis, 145; Albert Woods, 140; Sonny Sank, 130; Mario Castorena, 160; Bob Deardard, 150; Jay Turner, 145; and Oscar Marusch, 145.

Stacks Of Lumber Ready For Workers



More than 300,000 feet of lumber is being used each day in construction of the Advanced Twin Engine and Bombardier Training Center at Sloan Field.

Sadler Feature



Harley Sadler Shows, appearing in Midland Thursday and Friday, will feature Dorothy Cannon, singer, dancer and actress.

Defense Officials To Reduce Goods Types

WASHINGTON (UP)—Defense officials plan to reduce the number of styles, models and types of goods for consumers to make additional materials and man power available for defense production.
So instead of having dozens of types of washing machines, automobile tires, vacuum cleaners and hundreds of other products to select from, the consumer will have but a few types from which to make a choice.
A new bureau of conservation, simplification and substitution is to be created in the Office of Production Management under the direction of Douglas MacKeachie, purchasing director. Its work will be similar to that done by the World War Industry Board's division of conservation.
The new board will seek to conserve large amounts of critically needed material by simplifying patterns, designs and types of products and recommending substitutes.

Specialized Rallying Fuel Aids Market

NEW YORK. (AP)—Enough specialized rallying fuel was pumped into stocks Tuesday to keep the market rolling on four wheels.
Brief but relatively fast bidding flurries in the morning expanded the turnover. There was a subsequent let-down in activity but transfers for the full proceedings were around 500,000 shares.
Stocks in the favored division most of the day included Douglas Aircraft, Boeing, Consolidated Aircraft, Lockheed, Glenn Martin, General Motors, Chrysler, U. S. Steel, Crucible, Santa Fe, Great Northern, Eastman Kodak, J. I. Case, National Dairy, J. G. Penney, Texas Corp., and U. S. Rubber common and preferred.

Personals

Mrs. F. M. Reeves has been confined to her room for two weeks with illness but is reported slightly improved.
Mrs. Barney Greathouse left Monday night for Dallas where she will attend a Frances Denney training school for cosmeticians this week.
The Rev. John E. Pickering of the First Christian Church expects to be in his office again Thursday or Friday after a week's illness.
Mr. and Mrs. Wallace M. Ford, Mrs. H. S. Bailey, and Mrs. Harry Watson were visitors in Lubbock Monday.
Mary Frances Carter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Carter, who has been ill is reported improved.
Mrs. John Porter was admitted Monday to Western Clinic Hospital for medical treatment.
Miss Frances Stephens underwent an appendectomy Monday at Ryan Hospital.
Condition of Mrs. T. R. Ruple Tuesday was improved, attaches at Ryan Hospital said.
Mr. and Mrs. Donald Patton of Carlsbad, N. M., are visiting in Midland.
Congratulations to:
Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Duncan on the birth of a son, weighing five pounds and one ounce, Monday night at Ryan Hospital.
Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Pylant on the birth of a son, weighing eight pounds and one and one-half ounces, Monday at Western Clinic Hospital.

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Markets LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH (AP) (USDA)—Cattle 3,500; calves 3,000; most cattle slow and weak at Monday's decline, calves around 25c lower; steers and yearlings 7.00-9.50; good and choice steers and yearlings 10.00-; beef cows 6.25-7.75, bulves 6.00-7.75; good and choice fat calves 9.00-10.50, good and choice light-weight stocker calves 10.50-12.50.
Hogs, 1,500; mostly 10-15c lower than Mondays' average; top 11.60; good and choice 180-280 lb 11.50-60; packing sows steady, mostly 9.75-10.00, stocker pigs 10.50 down.
Sheep 1,400; all classes steady; good spring lambs up to 11.00 and medium grades down to 9.00; good yearlings 9.50, old head aged wethers 6.00-50, medium grades ewes 4.50, feeder lambs 8.75 down.
Wool
BOSTON (AP)—(USWA)—Moderate quantities of domestic wool were selling Tuesday in the Boston market at steady prices. Combining three-eighths and quarter-blood bright fleece wools were bringing mostly 48 to 50 cents, in the grease. Fine Delaine bright fleece wools were selling at 41 to 44 cents, in the grease. An occasional sale of graded French-combing fine territorial wool was closed with prices ranging \$1.02 to \$1.07, scoured basis. Spot fine Australian wools were receiving some demand at steady prices.
Cotton
NEW YORK. (AP)— Cotton futures closed 5-9 higher Tuesday.

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