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# Bus And Car Collide；Two Dead Army To Triple Air Corps Strength 

Expanded Force Next Year Will Total 400，000 Secretary of War Says May Include 500,000


## Behind The Headlines



Hikes Oil Allowables

Large Bus Overturns In West Midland


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Loaded Super－Coach With 37 Passengers And Car Crash In West Part Of Midland And Bus Overturns；John 0．Beck One Of Fatalities


## Latest News Flashes

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We Don't Know Our Strength There is something going on in America-something so
tremendous that few realize it at all.
The productive caparity of the country is increasing, and
increasing rapidly, after a long period of doldrums.
Leon Henderson, administrator of the Office of Price
Administration, estimates that total production of the
country today is close to 45 per cent higher than it was in
the peak of 1929. The national income is estimated at
around 93 billion dollars a year as compared with 76 last
year. The entire scale of our national productive capacity
is being rapidly scaled upward.
Nor does that necessarily mean that we are simply
"building up to an awful letdown." It means that we could
have done this any time given the incentive, and that we
can continue to do it after the defense emergency is past
if we will.

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In 1917, Henderson surprisingly says, when the country
turned to arms production, there actually was no increase turned to arms production, there actually was no increase static. It was thought a good trick to keep it from falling, in
view of the quick enforced shift from the aims of peace to
those of war. But this tually succeeded in increasing their productiveness almos 45 per cent. The answer is that in 1917 a greater percent
age of national production went into war purposes. This the war materials of that time were turned out at the ex-
pense of other production, without increasing the whole. But observe what is happening today. Cotton consump
tion is running at the rate of 11 million bales a year "phenomenal" figure. There is no lack of cotton, whose textile goods, for example, are likely to be produced and used on a scale we have not known, no matter what the demands of defense industries.
into defense. But that won't mean reduction in civilia production by the same amount. Some items of civilian pro duction are going to climb right with defense. The result is
that we are opening up a vista of plenty before us which we will not dare allow to be a mirage. to turn to their own use the vastly-increased productive eapacity they now are creating. The thing to do is to ac cept that fact, and plan for it. Many leaders of both indus try and government are already doing so as the Himalayas are to the Rockies.
The Growing Territories
possessions of the United States is well shown by a stud recently completed by the Tax Institute. This demonstrat ed that in 1940 tax collections in the Ferritory of Hawal totaled $\$ 21,000,000$, or more than those of any 11 sta
Similar collections in Puerto Rico were $\$ 23,000,000$, 000,000 were less than those of any state, but have doubled in 10 years.
territories and possessions and of their importance in fiscal and business way. They suggest, since their trend is definitely upward, that their importance to U. S. econohave been in the past.

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Ineligibility Claims
Two Midland Players


Sports Roundup

Utah Leads Way In Grid Offense




## Missing Target Plane's Wreckage Found



Texas Schoolboy Football Focuses Teams Continue Week-End Battles On Sandstorm A
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Lyons Insists Ball El Paso High Grid Will Curve, Points Star Sets Records Out Feller's Pitch Throwing Air Shots


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