

CHURCHILL HINTS AT INVASION

U.S. Fliers Down 19 Japanese Zeros

By The Associated Press
United States fighter planes shot down 19 Japanese Zero fighters and damaged six others in an air battle near the American-held Russell Islands in the Solomons, the Navy reported Tuesday.

The engagement occurred Monday, Solomon Islands time. That morning, a communique said, approximately 40 or 50 Japanese Zeros and torpedo bombers were attacked by U. S. fighter planes in the vicinity of the Russell Islands. Nineteen Zeros were shot down and six damaged. U. S. losses were seven planes, but three of the pilots were saved.

Argentina To Stay Neutral

BUENOS AIRES (AP)— Argentina's day-old military government headed by President Pedro Ramirez pledged Tuesday to an international policy of neutrality "for the present" and "loyal cooperation with nations of the Americas in conformance with existing pacts."

The Ramirez government was sworn in Monday night, succeeding the short-lived provisional government of Gen. Arturo Rawson, who resigned suddenly Monday after wresting control from isolationist President Ramon S. Castillo in a lightning revolution Friday.

Pledges Cooperation
In a communique outlining his immediate policies Ramirez said: "The Republic of Argentina affirms its traditional policy of friendship and loyal cooperation with the nations of the Americas in conformance with existing pacts. "With respect to the rest of the world its policy is for the present one of neutrality. The provisional government believes, moreover, that it is necessary to express that it sustains the principle of absolute autonomy of states to set up their own standards of government."

Congress Not Mentioned
"In that concept it will not tolerate any foreign influence because the Argentine people maintain and will maintain in the face of any vicissitudes that might occur the representative form of government in conformance with the constitution."

Ramirez made no reference to congress, which was to have convened Tuesday but was dissolved by decree during Rawson's brief administration.

The membership of the new cabinet—eight military men to only one civilian—made immediate predictions of its political leanings impossible since the military members had limited their previous activities to the armed services.

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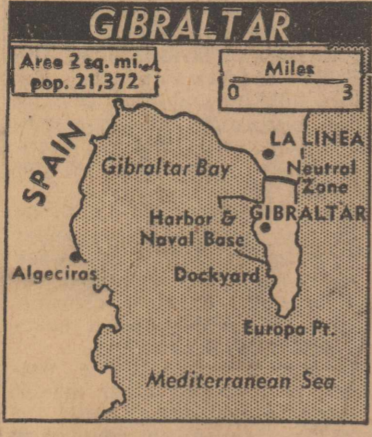
War Bulletins

NEW DELHI (AP)— American fighter planes continued their assaults on Japanese bases in Burma Monday, sharply raiding an enemy encampment at Wehsi, 25 miles north of Myitkying, a 10th Air Force communique said Tuesday.

LONDON (AP)— The German international information bureau reported Tuesday that several hits were scored on British vessels in an English Channel clash between light naval forces Monday night.

LONDON (AP)— The Berlin radio reported Tuesday that President Ismet Inonu of Turkey, addressing the opening meeting of the sixth annual party congress at Ankara, had declared that it is his government's policy to keep the nation at peace.

LONDON (AP)— The German radio quoted advice from Tokyo Tuesday as saying that Jose Laurel, commissioner for the interior on the Philippine executive council, had been shot in the back while playing golf last Saturday.



Gibraltar, at the Mediterranean gateway, continues to play a key war role as the harbor through which pass Allied convoys. From nearby La Linea, Spain, Axis spyglass outpost, have come reports that large groups of warships and transports have left "the Rock" and that the harbor now is cleared of shipping.

Soviet Drive Appears Near

MOSCOW (AP)— Official disclosure that the German air force raided the industrial center of Gorki, 250 miles east of Moscow on the Volga River, for two nights running emphasizes the belief of observers here that the conflict is now taking on more of the character of a war of attrition—with the zero hour near.

(The Germans announced Monday night in a Berlin broadcast that they had raided Gorki for the third successive night and had set large fires with 500 tons of explosives and 100,000 incendiaries.)

It was at Gorki where Ford engineers helped the Russians build their great automobile factory, which since the war has been converted into a giant armaments center.

Won't Be Long
The Russians in turn have struck heavily at German concentrations and supplies, particularly in the area between Bryansk and Gomel in the south-central sector, where German-held railway junctions have been blasted heavily.

The magnitude of the aerial combat during the last five weeks into which the Germans and Russians have thrown thousands of planes was attested by the official week-end Soviet announcement that 752 German planes had been destroyed in the week ending Saturday, at a loss of 212 Russian aircraft.

To American correspondents here who began covering this war in France, front line reports are reminiscent of the old days when the standard communique was "rien a signaler"—nothing to report.

But everyone feels that it won't be long to wait now for the big action.

Americans Play On Jap Superstitions

ST. LOUIS (AP)— American fliers in the Aleutians are playing on a Japanese superstition that associates the maple leaf with impending death and disaster.

Arthur W. Schuett, Jr., 28, naval aviation machinist's mate, said paper maple leaves, skillfully tinted to resemble real leaves, are dropped on Japanese positions in the islands in an effort to destroy enemy morale.

The propaganda leaflets bear a terse warning in Japanese. Schuett translated the message as saying "You guys better get out of here while the getting's good."

Two Cadets Killed In Crash At Marfa

MARFA (AP)— Two aviation cadets were killed and two slightly injured Sunday when two twin-engine planes crashed on a routine training flight at Marfa Army Air Field.

The dead: Cadet James R. Ray, son of Mr. and Mrs. George S. Ray, 1401 Arcadia Terrace, Fairfield, Ala. Cadet John W. Yoeman, Oakland, Calif.

The injured were Cadets Paul J. Stahle of Rightville, Pa., and Charles Youmans of Detroit, Mich. Ray is survived by his widow, Mona N. Ray, North Birmingham, Ala. Yoeman's widow is Velma I. Yoeman, Klamath Falls, Ore.

Japs Claim Attacks On India Continuing

NEW YORK (AP)— A Japanese communique, broadcast by Tokyo and heard by The Associated Press, announced "continuing attacks on Eastern India" and said the Japanese between May 1-June 5 shot down 63 Allied planes and destroyed 40 ground. Nine Japanese planes were reported lost and 24 damaged.

MEXICO FEELS QUAKE

MEXICO CITY (AP)— The government observatory reported a light earthquake was felt here Monday.

British Landing Attempt On Isle Repulsed, Italians Say

LONDON (AP)— The Rome radio reported in a broadcast Tuesday that Allied forces had attempted to land on the Italian island of Lampedusa, east of Sousse about 70 miles off the Tunisian coast, but were repulsed.

The Italian communique said the island had been under repeated aerial attacks.

"The enemy attempted a landing on the island of Lampedusa," the war bulletin said. "The attempt was carried out by British units. It was promptly repulsed by our defenses which sank several enemy naval vessels."

There was no immediate announcement from Allied sources concerning such a landing attempt.

The Italian communique said "considerable damage" was caused by enemy bombers in raids against Messina, ferry port at the eastern tip of Sicily, and on Trapani, also on Sicily, while the "uninterrupted enemy air activity" was acknowledged over Pantelleria.

"The garrison of Pantelleria," the bulletin said, "reacting with unchanged bravery against the un-

Pantelleria Deluged With Fire And Bombs

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA (AP)— The concentrated strength of the Allied North African Air Forces poured a deluge of bombs and fire onto Italy's sentinel island of Pantelleria Monday.

Formations of every type of plane, from Flying Fortresses to small Warhawks, flew to the attack, Allied headquarters said, giving rise to smoke clouds which soared 4,000 feet above the battered island and drifted wide over the sea.

Eleven enemy planes were shot down in the onslaught when outnumbered defenders tried to ward off the waves of attacks. Two Allied planes were lost.

The smoke pall spreading from the bombardment reached almost to Sicily, 65 miles away, in the late afternoon.

In one of the shortest communique in recent months, Gen. Eisenhower's headquarters said "Many missions were carried out by heavy, medium and fighter bombers" against Pantelleria. No other targets were mentioned.

Sicilian Points Hit
Fortress gunners accounted for six of the 11 enemy planes shot down Monday when interceptors tried to break up the heavy formations.

Warhawks tangled with an enemy fighter group and shot down four more.

Fighter-bombers from Malta attacked warehouses, road transport and signal lights at Pozzallo, Comiso and Cape Stilo in Sicily.

The battering of volcanic little Pantelleria started off in the morning with American, British and South African Bostons, RAF Bellimores and American Mitchells and Warhawks dealing out widespread havoc.

Foris Lead Attack
American Boston crewmen reported that their formation blew up two buildings and caused six other large explosions in the target area.

German Messerschmitt 109s and Italian Macchi 202s patrolled the sea between Pantelleria and Africa, trying to divert the Allied fury and the Warhawks bagged two ME-109s and two Macchi-202s in two strenuous dogfights.

The heavyweight Flying Fortresses spearheaded the Allied attack in the afternoon, with American Marauders and fighter bombers supplementing the assault.

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Gen. Marshall Back From Overseas Trip

WASHINGTON (AP)— Gen. George C. Marshall, Army chief of staff, has returned from overseas.

Marshall reportedly had accompanied Prime Minister Churchill to North Africa after the recent strategy conferences here.

WAR AT A GLANCE

By The Associated Press
LONDON—Churchill says Allies readying large-scale amphibious operations.

MEDITERRANEAN—Italians claim British repulsed in reported landing attempt on Lampedusa Island.

PACIFIC—Battle orders for new blow at Japan seen in conference between admirals on west coast.

RUSSIA—Observers believe "zero hour" near on Hitler's eastern front.

Big Amphibious Operations Near

By The Associated Press
Prime Minister Churchill bluntly foreshadowed an imminent Allied invasion of Europe Tuesday, declaring "It is evident that amphibious operations of peculiar complexity and hazard on a large scale are approaching."

Churchill, giving the House of Commons a review of his war conferences in Washington and North Africa, hinted at vast Allied offensive moves in the making, promised an intensification of the air war against Germany, and voiced confidence that the U-boat menace was being rapidly overcome.

Optimistic but restrained, his statement served to confirm the British public's summer hope that a large scale Allied invasion of Europe is not far off.

Churchill announced that 258,000 Axis prisoners had been captured in the Tunisian campaign—an increase of 24,000 over previously published figures—and disclosed the British Eighth Army had suffered 11,500 casualties and the First Army 23,500.

He revealed that the RAF is employing "very long-range aircraft called VLR" in the war against U-boats and said that May was the best month of the anti-submarine campaign since the United States entered the war.

Warning against over confidence, Churchill told Commons that much hard fighting lay ahead before final victory could be achieved.

He made it plain, that plans laid in Washington called for "the most intense and violent attack upon the Axis and referred to 'operations now impending in the European theater' as if they were a foregone conclusion.

"The plans, he indicated, embrace all aspects of the global war. He reported particularly that Allied commanders in North Africa were "resolute in the plans they have made" and that their troops are eager for the attack at the earliest moment.

Churchill referred to the Tunisian victory as one of the greatest military disasters that had ever befallen Germany—comparable to the Nazi rout at Stalingrad—and said there was no doubt Hitler had expected his armies in North Africa to hold out until August.

"The Germans seem to be staking their hopes on the U-boat war," he asserted that Allied successes in overcoming this menace may well prove the "fateful milestone" in the battle to smash Hitler's power.

And he gave assurance that nothing can turn Britain, the United States and Soviet Russia "from our endeavor to accomplish the complete destruction of our foes by bombing from the air in addition to all other means."

The prime minister alluded to the far eastern phases of the struggle by declaring that "the steady (Continued on Page 5)

U.S. Naval Chiefs Meet

WASHINGTON (AP)— Admiral Ernest J. King has conferred on the west coast with Admiral Chester W. Nimitz, commander of the Pacific fleet, on war plans, it was officially disclosed Tuesday.

The talk was linked informally with the conference recently held in North Africa by Gen. George C. Marshall, Army chief of staff, and Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, African theater commander.

The suggestion was made with indirect official agreement that Marshall and King, admiral of the United States fleet, had carried to their field commanders information on plans recently worked out by British and American officers, President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill in their joint conferences here.

Secretary of the Navy Knox disclosed at a press conference that Nimitz had been on the west coast for conferences with King. Knox said there was no particular significance to the meeting since "they have the conferences about every 60 days."

No Strategy Change
The secretary said there had been no change in Allied global strategy which would shift additional forces into the Pacific. The gradual strengthening of the Pacific Fleet is still going on, he said.

Knox was asked whether he had any comment on Churchill's statement that "amphibious operations of peculiar complexity and hazard" are approaching for the Allies. "No comment," Knox said, "but I should say that was a conservative statement."

Commenting on the heavy ratio of Axis plane losses to American losses in air combat in the Mediterranean area, the secretary said it might be due to any one of a number of causes, including holding of enemy fighter planes in reserve for future developments, diversion of fighters to other theaters or a shortage of fuel and oil.

Standard-Douglas May Open First Yates Deep Pay

By Frank Gardner, Oil Editor
Prospects of deep production for the shallow Yates field of Eastern Pecos County were enhanced Tuesday when Standard Oil Company of Texas No. 1 Douglas Oil Company et al. on the west flank of the area, showed oil staining in dolomite-lime core believed possibly of Ellenburger, lower Ordovician, age and prepared to run a drill-stem test.

Formation softened at 8,710-15 feet, where Baroid portable laboratory showed a slight "kick" of oil and gas. Core then was cut from 8,715-31 feet, present total depth, with recovery of 14 feet and 7 inches of dolomite and lime carrying some staining in the upper portion. Definite determination of the age of the core has not yet been made. The well is located in the C SE section 9, block 194, G. C. & S. F. survey. It topped the Simpson, middle Ordovician, at 7,730 feet, according to most picks. Culbertson & Irwin, Inc., No. 1 R. G. Heiner, extended test five-eighths of a mile southwest of the one-well Heiner Ellenburger pool in Northern Pecos, was acidized with 2,000 gallons and now is spraying oil and wash-water on an estimated 6 to 7 million cubic feet of gas per day. Testing continues at the 5,506-foot well. It topped Ellenburger at 5,029 feet, 107 feet high to the discovery.

Phillips Petroleum Company No. 1 Ada C. Price, Southeast Central Pecos wildcat and deepest well now drilling in West Texas, has reached 11,471 feet in black shale.

Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Company No. 52-A J. F. Lane, first Ordovician test for the shallow McCamey pool of Upton County, is drilling at 2,255 feet in lime on a 7,000-foot contract.

Carter Logs More Pay
Definite increase in pay was logged by drilling from 9,600-30 feet (Continued on Page 5)

Glowing Tributes Paid By Churchill

LONDON (AP)— Prime Minister Churchill paid glowing tribute to the United States, its President, Congress and its army chief of staff.

He told the House of Commons in his war review the United States is "the most powerful community in the world."

He called President Roosevelt "illustrious."

Congress, he said, is an august assembly.

He referred to Gen. George C. Marshall, U. S. chief of staff who accompanied him to North Africa, as "a man of singular eminence of mind and character."

Sailors And Soldiers Divest Youths Of Zoot Suits During Los Angeles Disorders

LOS ANGELES (AP)— Civil and military police early Tuesday succeeded in dispersing thousands of service men and civilians in the downtown business district after a night of disorders in which zoot-suited youths were ferreted out by sailors and soldiers who divested at least 50 of their bizarre attire.

By 1 a. m. police and sheriff's deputies had arrested 24 civilians, 11 sailors and five soldiers on charges of disturbing the peace and unlawful assembly. In three nights of battling with service men, who maintain they and their girl friends have been "pushed around" at random by hoodlums, more than 100 youths in real-pleat trousers and knee-length coats were jailed on vagrancy counts.

Police Chief C. B. Horrall declared a general riot alarm Monday night, summoning 1,000 policemen to special duty. Navy shore patrolmen and military police, in jeeps and afoot, also toured streets teeming with service men and spectators and jammed with traffic.

Cars and taxis carrying bands of bluejackets and soldiers sped through the district, halting at theaters, cafes, penny arcades and dance halls in search of zoot-suiters. Victims, their outlandish clothes ripped from them, were left on sidewalks. Ambulances took three to emergency hospitals, where they were treated and re-clad. None was seriously hurt.

Pecos Man Killed In Crash In California

SACRAMENTO, CALIF. (AP)— The Army announced Tuesday that a B-24 bomber from Mather Field crashed 10 miles east of March Field, Tuesday and all four occupants were killed.

The dead included: Second Lt. Robert Lee Alexander, 24; mother, Mrs. Ida Alexander, 510 South Plum Street, Pecos, Texas.

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Do not be cynical. Evil deeds and thoughts shun the light, fill your life with light, it will kill mouldy germs: Believe in the light, that ye may be the children of light.—John 12:36.

Future Of Synthetic Rubber

There is no way yet of determining whether synthetic rubber will be able to compete economically, after the war, with natural rubber from the plantations of the Far East and from those which are being opened up in Latin America.

We do not know even whether synthetic rubber will have been perfected sufficiently, before Hitler and Hirohito can be whipped, so that it could replace the natural gum if price were not involved.

We do not know, unless you are in position to disprove the computations of Dr. Robert V. Yohe, superintendent of the government-owned B. F. Goodrich synthetic rubber plant in Louisville, Ky., that 10,000 American workmen can make the same quantity of rubber out of butadiene and styrene that it would require 300,000 sweating coolies to take out of Far Eastern trees.

Let's suppose what does not seem unreasonable—that American chemists kill the bugs which now prevent successful manufacture of all-synthetic automobile tires.

Let's assume that when the war ends it will find us with a synthetic capacity equivalent almost to our peacetime demand for rubber. That capacity will have been installed at a cost which might preclude the synthetic product from competing with the cost of raw rubber.

The question will arise—and we might as well begin thinking it over now—whether we shall close down that plant, and let it go to rack and ruin, or whether we shall write off some reasonable portion of the cost against this war and keep the butadiene, styrene and buna plants in operation.

On the one hand, there will be a school of economic thought to say that an industry unable to stand squarely on its feet does not deserve to be propped up.

On the other will be the question: Can we afford to let this capacity disintegrate, and throw ourselves once more into a position where, as in December of 1941—we can be cut off by an enemy from a product upon which the American way of life depends very greatly?

Interwoven with these considerations will be the problem whether to give American-standard livings to 10,000 workmen and their families or coolie-livings to 300,000 Far Easterners. This is not quite so simple as it may look.

In any event, it may be worth while pondering the suggestion of the B. F. Goodrich president, John L. Collyer, that by subsidy, if necessary (though he does not use that word) a standby or "insurance" capacity capable of making from 100,000 to 150,000 tons of synthetic a year should be maintained in this country.

—Buy War Bonds And Savings Stamps—

Commercial Flying In Future

Realistic and free-from-flights-of-fancy appraisal of post-war commercial aviation and commercial planes has just been made by Edward Warner, vice chairman of the Civil Aeronautics Board, in the form of a three-day lecture delivered before the Royal Aeronautical Society in London.

Much of the text of the lectures, as released in Washington, is too deep dish for anyone but an airplane designer to understand. But in between the complex engineering formulae there are whole pages of good flying horse sense which anyone can understand, and these simply stated conclusions, backed up by practical flying experience and mathematics, perform the timely and useful service of bringing back to earth all this uniformed, theoretical and fantastic discussion of post-war flying.

Primarily, it strips down a lot of this fantastic talk of 1000-passenger giant skyliners skyrocketing through the stratosphere at 1000 miles an hour, with the dizzy passenger taking cocktails in Calcutta, night cap in Cairo, and pick-me-up in Chicago next morning. This is hard, pay-load, flying-for-profit commerce that Warner is talking about, and as such it's worth paying attention to.

Warner first puts this matter of aircraft size in its proper perspective. Most passengers, if given a free choice, would prefer 100-passenger planes to 25-passenger planes. But the greater the size, the less flexible the service.

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Every Country Has Them

Don't hold it against the United States, or California, or Los Angeles, that Mrs. Colin Kelly, Jr., widow of one of this nation's great war heroes, could not find living quarters because landlords wouldn't have her 3-year-old son in their buildings.

Every country, state and city has unfortunate characters for whom it must apologize. If we have ever been misunderstood as saying a charitable word for landlords who refuse to have children in their properties, we hereby humbly beg forgiveness for our carelessness.

And we have a further regret. It is that we do not live in one of the buildings from which Mrs. Kelley and Corky were barred—so that we could move out with a grand flourish of contempt for the landlord.

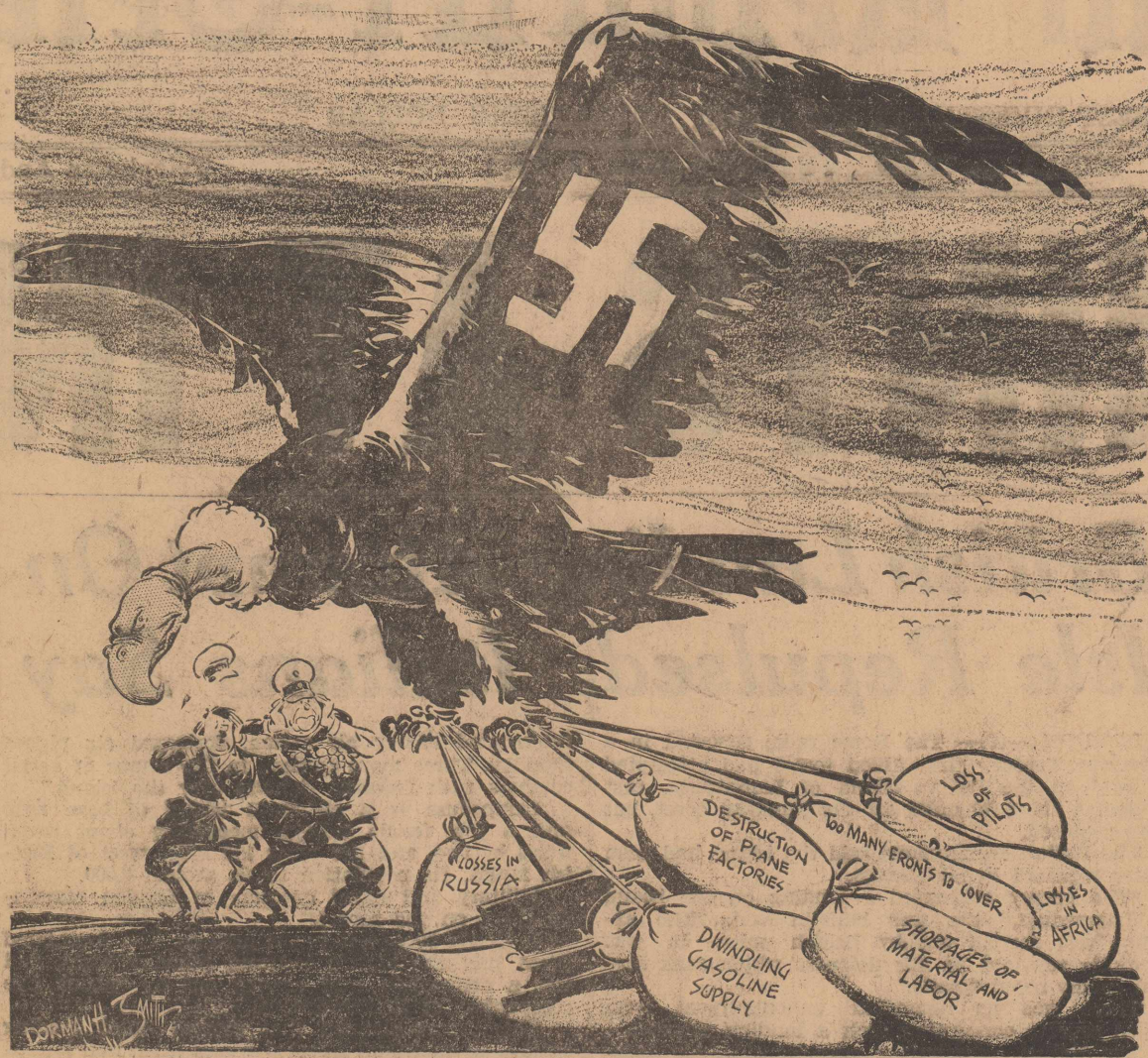
—Buy War Bonds And Savings Stamps—

It isn't what a married man says that counts. It's his wife's reply.

When Victory gardens hit the peak of production, the slogan for housewives will be "We can!"

We read that enemy countries are very tense these days. Slowly but surely, we'll change it to past tense.

The Answer To "Where Is The Luftwaffe?"



Solons Seek To Beat Food Price Rollback Order

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Congressional foes of subsidy payments for farm products aimed a brace of torpedoes Tuesday at the administration's plan to roll back meat and butter prices back to lower levels.

Members of the Senate agriculture committee reported growing support for legislation to prohibit subsidy payments by any government agency without congressional sanction. Other critics, including Senators Smith (D-SC), Bushfield (R-SD) and Aiken (R-Vt.) declared an effort would be made to incorporate an anti-subsidy provision in a bill to extend the Reconstruction Finance Corporation's borrowing power.

With some senators expressing fear that the cut-back on meat and butter prices might be extended later to other foods, the Senate banking committee called Office of Price Administration officials for questioning on the extent of the program. CPA already has made known that coffee would be included in the plan.

Before questioning the OPA men, Acting Chairman Bankhead (D-Ala.) of the banking committee said: "We want to know first all the details about the rollback in butter and meat prices, and what was the reason for the order. We want to know, too, what the prospects are of having it extended to other foods."

Opponents of the roll back, which averages three cents a pound on meat and five cents a pound on butter, have contended at committee hearings that it would stimulate inflation, decrease production rather than encourage it and squeeze out small producers who are not cut in on the subsidy payments. Representatives of the American Federation of Labor and the CIO, in asking President Roosevelt to set up a \$2,000,000,000 subsidy program to roll back prices to the level of May 15, 1942—the date on which costs of living adjustments for labor were stabilized—said that while wages were stabilized prices were not. They submitted figures to show that food prices in several cities rose 24 to 150 per cent since January, 1941.

The Curtain Call

Roy Marcom, Jr., who takes the part of Jack Noble, hero of the play, "Orphan Nell," is a native of East Texas but has lived in Midland four years. Roy graduated from the University of Texas where he majored in petroleum engineering and business administration. He was a member of the A. T. O. fraternity and of the University Glee Club. He now is employed with the Humble Oil Company.

Roy has not appeared in any previous Civic Theater productions but he is well known in Midland music circles. He sings tenor in the Presbyterian choir and is always willing to offer his talents when called upon to do so. In the play, "Orphan Nell," Roy is Jack Noble, a poor but honest country boy with a heart for only one girl, "Orphan Nell." When encouraged by the wiles of the world to look at some other belle of the village Jack replied, "But don't you think that such deception would be inconsistent with the sense of honor?"

After all of the entangling circumstances of this dramatic play have been smoothed out, by the hand of fate, Nellie speaks of Jack as the "one stalwart rock on which I cling when billows of fate toss me about on the ruthless sea of circumstance."

Closing the climatic scene, Jack says in song those words of that ballad of the nineties, "With All Her Faults, I Love Her Still."

The United States Navy League was organized in 1903 to awaken public interest in naval preparedness.

Charges Chaplin



At Los Angeles, Joan Barry holds complaint charging Charlie Chaplin as the father of her unborn child. (NEA Telephoto.)

Island-Hopping Not In U. S. War Plans, Correspondent Says

HOUSTON — (AP) — Judging from the time it took U. S. forces to wrest Guadalcanal from the Japs, "It would take 500 years to regain every Pacific island"—so that is not a part of the American military picture, Olen Clements, Associated Press war correspondent, said in an interview.

"There will be fighting in the streets of Tokyo before the Japanese will give up," he added, predicting the struggle in the Pacific will continue long after the European continent has been subdued. Clements said he expects to return to the Pacific war zone. A former city editor for the Houston Post, Clements joined The Associated Press in Dallas six years ago. He was in New York, Atlanta and San Francisco before leaving for Guadalcanal last August.

Crude Production In United States Falls

TULSA, OKLA. — (AP) — Daily crude oil production in the United States, declined 35,420 barrels to 3,946,595 for the week ended June 5. The Oil & Gas Journal said Tuesday.

Eastern field production was down 950 to 101,640; Illinois, 6,050 to 213,600; Kansas, 28,400 to 271,650; Louisiana, 15,945 to 332,055; Michigan, 230 to 57,900; Texas, 2,300 to 1,429,200; East Texas, 3,100 to 339,200, and the Rocky Mountain states, 1,430 to 123,735.

California production increased 10,500 to 772,750, and Oklahoma 5,500 to 328,750.

LAREDO ENTRIES UP MEXICO CITY — (AP) — During May 975 automobiles entered Mexico through Laredo, one of the most active border points, it was reported. The previous month, 874 autos entered there.

New Board Takes Steps To Solve Meat Inequalities

CHICAGO — (AP) — The newly created War Meat Board, formed by the War Food Administration, is setting up machinery to facilitate the operation of the nation's meat program.

As the first step in its function of ironing out what it described as inequalities in the supply and demand for meats, the board at its initial meeting Monday called for weekly reports from the country's commercial slaughterers on the number and live weight of animals slaughtered.

Board Chairman Harry Reed said that with this information, the board will be in a position to direct a fairer distribution of the available supplies among the civilian, military and other governmental claimants in accordance with current needs and the overall allocations and policies of the War Food Administration.

"The chief function," he said, "is to see that actual meat supplies meet as near as possible on a week to week basis, the statistical allocations made to each claimant group in Washington on a quarterly and annual basis."

Representatives of cattle producers, packers and other market interests were to meet with the board Tuesday and Wednesday in an effort to develop a program aimed to solve the cattle and beef problems which the board described as "most urgent at the present time."

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PUBLIC AUCTION THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS OIL AND GAS LEASES TO BE OFFERED FOR LEASE BY THE BOARD FOR LEASE OF UNIVERSITY LANDS Pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 282 of the General and Special Laws of Texas, passed at the Regular Session of the Forty-first Legislature, approved March 29, 1929, and amended by Chapter 174 of the Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-second Legislature, and as amended by Acts 1937, Forty-fifth Legislature, Chapter 148, the Board for Lease of University Lands hereby offers for sale, subject to the right to reject any or all bids, at public auction in Austin, Texas, at the Capital Building, Stephen F. Austin Hotel, on Friday, June 18, 1943, at ten o'clock A. M., the oil and gas rights in and under the hereinafter described University lands.

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Tract No. 1, comprising 8 half sections as described and containing 2,580.2 acres, will be bid upon as a unit but will be leased as 8 half-section tracts. The minimum consideration that will be accepted for Tract No. 1 will be a cash bonus of \$2.00 per acre, plus the legally required 1% plus a well to be commenced within 180 days from the date of sale and to be diligently drilled to a depth of 5,000 feet, or to commercial production at a lesser depth, or to sulphur water in the San Andres formation. Each half-section of Tract No. 1 shall constitute a separately leased area and in the event production has not been secured thereon within 12 months after the execution of the lease thereon an annual rental of 50 cents per acre shall be paid upon such unproductive tracts whether a well be drilled or drilling thereon or not.

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Tract No. 113 comprising 5 parcels of land as described above and containing 945 acres, will be bid upon as a unit but will be leased in 5 separate parts as described. The minimum consideration that will be accepted for Tract No. 113 will be a cash bonus of \$2.00 per acre, plus the legally required 1% plus a well to be commenced within 180 days after the date of the sale and to be diligently drilled to a depth of 3,500 feet, or to commercial production at a lesser depth, or into sulphur water in the Pyote Field pay equivalent. Each parcel of Tract No. 113 shall constitute a separate leased area and in the event production has not been secured within 12 months from the execution of the lease thereon an annual rental of 50 cents per acre shall be paid whether a well be drilled or drilling thereon or not.

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Tract No. 129 comprising 1 section 25, League 1, 2, and 3 82.0 The foregoing Tract No. 129 was sold by the Board of Regents November 1, 1902, with a reservation of the minerals. It was fully paid for and patented March 10, 1916, Patent No. 273, Vol. 7.

All oil and gas leases sold at this auction will be for a term of five years, or as long thereafter as oil and/or gas is being produced in paying quantities therefrom. All leases shall carry a royalty of 1/8 of the gross production of oil and gas therefrom. The Board has fixed an annual rental of not less than 50 cents per acre on each tract offered, except as hereinafter specified with regard to Tracts Nos. 121 to 128 inclusive. THE BOARD WILL CONSIDER ONLY CASH BIDS; drilling obligations, oil payments, overriding royalties, or any form of bonus bid other than cash will not be considered, except as hereinafter specified with regard to Tracts Nos. 1, 75, 104, and 119.

No advance rentals shall be added to the bid price of successful bidders, but one per cent shall be added thereto and paid by successful bidders as provided in Sec. 5 above as a special fee payment for the purpose designated by the law.

Dated at Austin, Texas, this 1st day of May, 1943. BOARD FOR LEASE OF UNIVERSITY LANDS. By: K. H. Ayneworth, Chairman. W. Scott Schreiner, Member. Bascom Giles, Commissioner of General Land Office.

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No. 104 comprising 10 parcels of land as described and containing 2,838 acres, more or less, will be bid upon as a unit but will be leased in 10 separate tracts as described above. The minimum consideration that will be accepted for Tract No. 104 will be a cash bonus of \$2.00 per acre, plus the legally required 1% plus a well to be commenced within 180 days from the date of the sale and to be diligently drilled to a depth of 6,000 feet, or to commercial production at a lesser depth, or to sulphur water in the Ordovician, or into granite or other impervious substance. Each parcel of Tract No. 104, as described above, shall constitute a separately leased area and in the event production has not been secured thereon within 12 months after the execution of the lease thereon an annual rental of 50 cents per acre shall be paid upon such unproductive tracts whether a well be drilled or drilling thereon or not.

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Society

Women's Council Has Interesting Program Monday

The Women's Council of the First Christian Church met Monday in the church, when Mrs. George Ratliff gave the opening prayer.

The retiring president, Mrs. S. P. Hall, was in charge of the program. A business session followed.

Devotionals were led by Mrs. B. W. Stevens, and the offertory prayer was given by Mrs. M. M. Pruett.

Services for the installation of new officers were held. Mrs. R. H. Bizzell is the new president; Mrs. Glenn Brunson, vice president; Mrs. Ivan Hood, secretary, and Mrs. John Casselman, treasurer.

Mrs. J. E. Pickering gave an interesting report on the convention recently held in Fort Worth, which she attended as delegate.

Those present were Mesdames R. H. Bizzell, John Casselman, M. M. Pruett, S. W. Estes, Ella Ragsdale, G. H. Butler, J. E. Pickering, Delbert Downing, B. W. Stevens, S. P. Hall, A. Boring, and Miss Josephine Guily.

Registration Of 99 At Vacation School

The Calvary Baptist Vacation Bible School opened Monday with a registration of 99 students. The school is being conducted every morning except Saturday from 9 to 12 noon at the church.

Mrs. A. W. Smith is superintendent of the beginners department, and teachers are Mrs. W. G. Flournoy and Miss Jean Harwell.

Mrs. R. C. Prazier is superintendent for the Primary Department. She is assisted by Mrs. Hoyt Burris, Mrs. M. J. Koen and Miss DeVore.

Mrs. L. L. Jones is superintendent of the junior department and teachers are Mrs. B. B. Smith, Mrs. Charles Pierson, Mrs. Barney Hightower and Miss Juanita Smith.

Mrs. Fred Morrow is superintendent of the intermediate department. She is assisted by Mrs. Clyde Tunnell and Mrs. Hall. Mrs. Hightower is serving as pianist.

AUXILIARY TO MEET

The American Legion Auxiliary will hold regular meeting at 8 p. m. Tuesday on the third floor of the county courthouse, when reports will be heard. All members are urged to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Roy took their son, Private Wallace H. Roy, to Camp Hood at Gainesville Sunday after he had spent a brief furlough here. Mr. and Mrs. Roy also visited Mrs. Roy's mother, Mrs. M. J. Watkins, and other relatives at Coleman.

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Coming Events

WEDNESDAY

Interdenominational Bible School will be held from 9 to 11:15 in the educational building of the First Methodist Church.

Calvary Baptist Vacation Bible School will be held from 9 to 12 in the Calvary Baptist Church.

Red Cross work room in the Old Heidelberg Inn to be open from 9 to 12.

A Holy Communion service will be held at 7 a. m. Wednesday morning at the Trinity Episcopal Church.

THURSDAY

Delta Pegasus Club has postponed its evening picnic at Cloverdale Park until June 18.

Mrs. R. E. Kinsey, Miss Charlotte Kinsey, Mrs. P. F. Bridgewater and Miss Emily Jane Lamar will compile Miss Frances Link with a miscellaneous shower.

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Calvary Baptist Vacation Bible School will be held from 9 to 12 in the church.

Miss Suzanne Puett will entertain with a one o'clock luncheon bridge honoring Miss Fredda Fae Turner.

The Needlework Club will meet with Mrs. Addison Wadley.

FRIDAY

Belmont Bible Class will meet at 3:30 p. m. in the educational building of the First Methodist Church.

Children's Service League will meet at 2 p. m. with Mrs. John Hills.

Interdenominational Vacation Bible School will be held from 9 to 11:15 in the educational building of the First Methodist Church.

Calvary Baptist Church will conduct a vacation Bible school in the church from 9 to 12.

The Red Cross work room in the Old Heidelberg Inn will be open from 9 to 12.

The Red Cross surgical dressings headquarters will be open from 9 to 12.

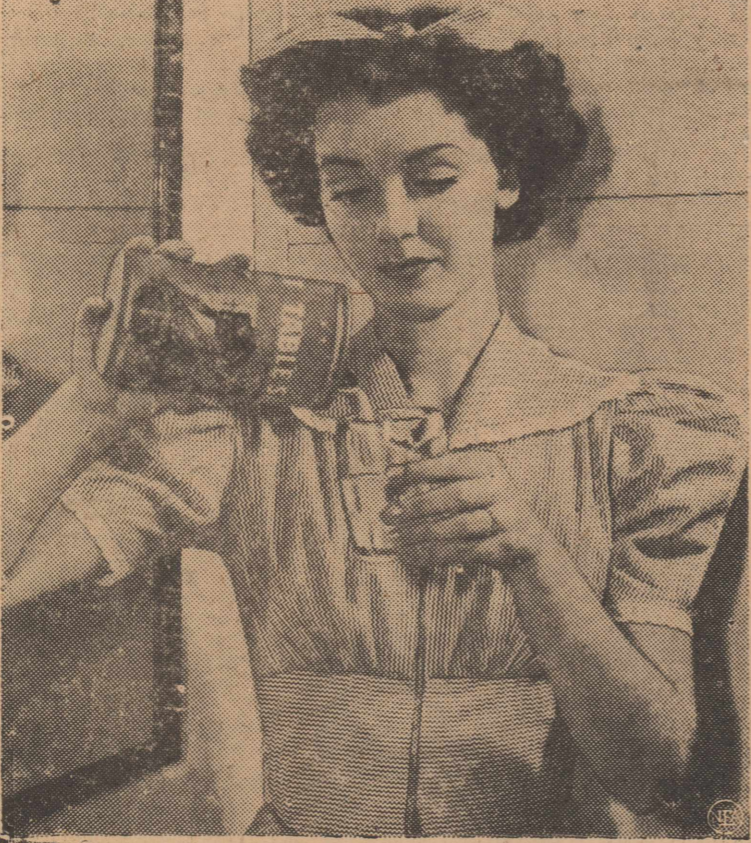
Mrs. Gladys Tolbert On Textbook Committee

AUSTIN—(AP)—The State Board of Education in session here announced the appointment of four new members to the five-member textbook advisory committee.

The new members are Mrs. W. A. McDavid of Amarillo, G. H. Brown of Valley Mills, Bess Ferguson of Palestine and Mrs. Gladys Tolbert of Midland.

H. E. Sullivan of Carrizo Springs was reappointed.

Salt Water Keeps Gums Healthy



MARSHA HUNT recommends salt as beauty aid.

BY ALICIA HART
 NEA Staff Writer

In these days of rationing, when a good piece of steak is almost as precious as pearls, diets are depending more and more on "meat extenders." As a result, food of a softer variety and teeth and gums are getting less and less chewing exercise, which helps to keep them hard.

"One of the best ways I have found to keep gums healthy is to swish a solution of common table salt and water around in my mouth each day," says screen player Marsha Hunt, who is soon to be seen in "Pilot No. 5."

Not only does it help to keep gums firm, she says, but it also leaves the mouth sweet and is an excellent preventive against sore throats.

And to revive the sparkle in tired eyes, you might try a warm water and salt bath—using about two tablespoonsful to a basin about three-quarters full of water. Put your whole face in the solution, and open and shut your eyes as you turn your face from side to side.

W. M. U. Presents A Royal Service Hour

The W. M. U. of the Calvary Baptist Church held an interesting meeting Monday afternoon, when a royal service program was presented.

The invocation was led by Mrs. E. B. Smith. Devotional was under leadership of Mrs. Charles Pierson. "The Victorious Witnesses of Christian Youth" was the subject of the program. Those who contributed to the program were Mesdames C. M. Tunnell, A. W. Smith, Leonard Jones, W. G. Flournoy, Charles Pierson, J. E. Harwell, and B. P. Ward.

The Florine Miller Circle had charge of the program.

Mrs. A. W. Smith gave the benediction.

Those present were Mrs. M. J. Koen, Mrs. Leonard Jones, Mrs. E. B. Smith, Mrs. B. F. Ward, Mrs. Margaret Moreland, Mrs. W. G. Flournoy, Mrs. C. M. Tunnell, Mrs. J. E. Harwell, and Mrs. A. W. Smith. Mrs. Everett Mayfield was a special guest of the afternoon.

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Interdenominational Bible School Begins With 88 Registered

The Interdenominational Vacation Bible School opened Monday in the First Methodist Church with a total registration of 88.

The beginners department is studying "Let's Go Out of Doors." Mrs. B. W. Stevens is superintendent of this department, and the teachers are Mrs. Robert Gray, Mrs. R. P. Simpson, and Mrs. M. D. Henderson. Mrs. J. P. Carson, Jr., will serve as pianist. Mrs. Howard Taylor is director of music, and her assistant is Mrs. B. R. Forman.

The primary department will have as its study, "Our Daily Bread." Mrs. Hal C. Peck is superintendent of this department. Teachers are Mrs. Stacy Allen, Mrs. J. B. Koenig, pianist, and Miss Frances Ferguson, handicraft.

The Junior Department is studying "The Life of Jesus," with Mrs. S. P. Hall as superintendent. Mrs. Paul McHargue is Bible teacher, and Mrs. J. M. Devereaux has charge of the story hour. Mrs. J. M. Haygood is recreational director, and Mrs. Don Sivals is in charge of the story hour. Mrs. Delbert Downing is pianist. Mrs. C. H. Shepard is assistant recreational director, and Mrs. James N. Allison is substitute. Recreational leader is Mrs. W. Carl Clement. Helpers in the school are Miss Jean Russell, Miss Sally Jean Secor, Mrs. Alice Conner, Miss Betty Ruth Pickering, Miss Eloise Pickering, Miss Ann Vannaman, and Miss Doris Conley.

The hours for the school are from 9:00 a. m. to 11:15 a. m.

Mrs. J. M. Prothro is director, and Mrs. D. M. Secor is registrar.

H. L. Straughan, Sr., who has been ill at his home, is reported improving.

Bellhopette



Beauty and baggage get together at a New York hotel where Helen Webb is one of the girls replacing bellhops who have gone to war.

PICNIC POSTPONED

A picnic scheduled for Friday at Cloverdale Park, with members of the Delta Pegasus Club as hostesses, has been postponed until June 18th.

Birthday Party Honors Daughter

Honoring her young daughter, Marcellene, who on Saturday celebrated her 10th birthday anniversary, Mrs. Herschel Howard entertained with a party in her home Saturday afternoon.

The interior of the house was attractively decorated with clusters of pink rosebuds, and on the dining table a huge birthday cake of white with pink rosebud trim, mounted by 10 tiny tapers, formed the central figure.

Games were played by the children from 4 to 6 p. m. and refreshments were served at the close of the afternoon.

Those present were Nancy Roberts, Dianne Daugherty, Addie Wain Darnell, Rosalyn Leggett, Anna Doyle, Glenda Hamilton, Jimmy Lineberger, Charles Lackey, Lionel Pierce, and Robert Champion.

Word has been received that Fred Middleton, who underwent a major operation at the hospital in Amarillo, is much improved. Mrs. Middleton is in Amarillo with her husband.

Presbyterian Group Holds Important Session In Church

The Woman's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian Church held an interesting meeting Monday afternoon in the church parlors, when the president, Mrs. W. P. Knight, was in charge.

A brief devotional was led by Mrs. Knight, after which reports were heard from each officer and from each circle chairman.

Matters of business of the auxiliary were the chief subjects touched upon.

Fifteen members were present.

Staff Sgt. and Mrs. Clarence Wilson left Monday for Portersville, Pa., for a visit with Sergeant Wilson's parents. They also will visit friends in St. Louis, Mo.



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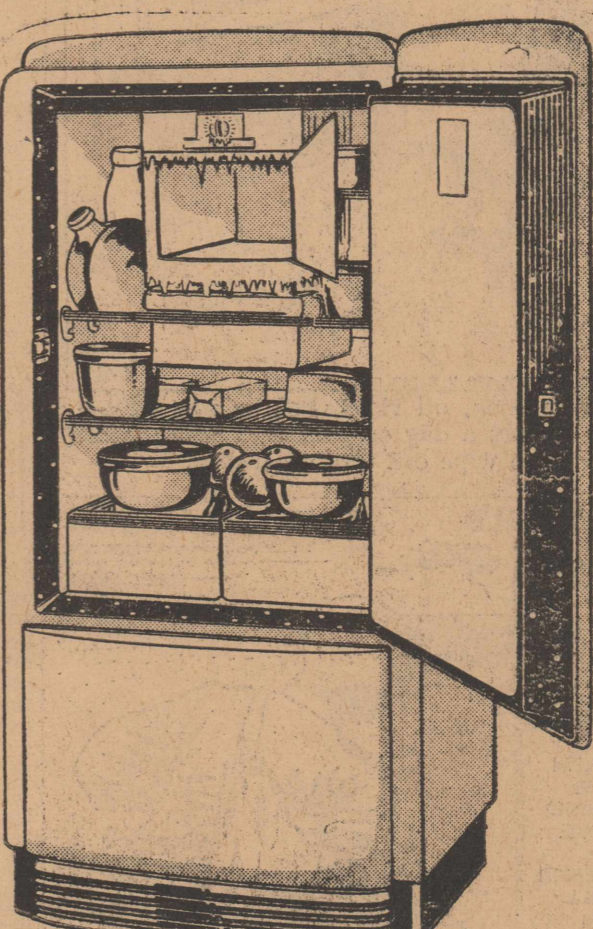
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1. Turn the control switch to "off" and remove everything from the freezer compartment. Wrap frozen foods with several thicknesses of paper and put them on a refrigerator shelf. They won't thaw out in the short time required to complete defrosting.
2. Fill a pan or baking dish with hot water and place on the bottom shelf of the freezer compartment. Do not use the quick-release type ice trays for this purpose, as they usually are coated with a thin film of wax that will wash away in hot water.
3. Clean the food compartment and racks with a solution of one quart of cool water and a teaspoonful of baking soda. By this time, the layer of frost should be melted from the freezer compartment, which also should be cleaned with the soda solution.
4. Wipe the refrigerator dry and refill the ice trays. Old ice cubes collect food odors and sometimes acquire a stale taste. Then turn the control switch to "on".

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WOMEN WON'T TALK

BY RENE RYERSON MART

THE STORY: Derek Grady has been found murdered on the grounds of Kraik Tower. Marthe Kraik, wife of his grandfather, and Margaret, the housekeeper, refuse to admit to the police that they know who he is. The police recognize him as a man wanted for kidnaping. Connie, married to Kathy's father, has been acting strangely. She asks that her husband be sent for.

BETWEEN 12 AND 1 CHAPTER VI I GOT up stiffly. "Very well, then. I'll put in a long-distance call."

I simply told him that Connie wasn't feeling well, and that he had better come down for the week-end.

While I was phoning I saw a big black ambulance come up the drive. They had come for Derek's body. But it must have been two hours before Deputy Shaw came back into the house.

He said he would have to have a statement from each of us as to where we had been between 12 and 1 o'clock. So, I thought that when the coroner had decided that Derek was killed.

Between 12 and 1, Connie and I had been at lunch in the dining room. Later we had taken the twins out on the east terrace—but that must have been after 1 o'clock.

Kathy said she had been in her room. She said she had come back about 11 and had had a headache and hadn't wanted any lunch.

Shaw seemed interested. "You came back—Miss Kraik? Where had you been?"

Kathy answered carelessly. "I took a drive this morning."

"Any place in particular?"

"No." Somehow I got the impression that she was doing some very fast thinking. "I—I stopped in the village for some gas," she added. "You can check at the Sunoco station."

Shaw went on questioning the others.

Imogene Lake told him that she had been feeding the twins their lunch in the breakfast room dur-

ing the hour in question. Sarah said she had been in the kitchen, and Clara that she had been serving lunch to Connie and me in the dining room, and to the twins and their nurse in the breakfast room at the same time.

I had just remembered that Connie had left the table while she and I were eating. She had said something about reminding Miss Lake that Judy was to have no sugar. She must have been gone from the dining room for five minutes.

I CAST my sudden suspicion away, and felt like a fool. After all, Connie was the only one of us—omitting the servants—who wouldn't have a reason for wishing Derek dead. She didn't know him.

Thinking all this out, I missed Deputy Shaw's next question. He repeated it brusquely: "Don't you have a chauffeur?"

But John was out as a suspect. As I explained to the deputy, I had sent him early that morning with the station wagon to get the motor for our boat which was being repaired in Middleton. He wasn't back yet. Shaw said he'd see him later.

"That all the servants?" he asked snapping shut his notebook. "No-o." I admitted reluctantly. "There's Margaret Grady, my housekeeper."

Kathy's face had gone white. "I have a confession to make, deputy," I said through stiff lips. "We let you think we didn't know the murdered man—but he is Margaret Grady's grandson. I had some silly notion of shielding her—of breaking the news of his death gently to her later—but I've told her now."

He blinked his eyes at me. "I'll have to see her," he said roughly. Meekly I led the way to Margaret's room.

SHE was sitting as I had left her. The chief deputy's manner gen-

erated perceptibly at sight of her. "Mrs. Grady," he said, "I am here to investigate the death of your grandson. We have reason to believe that he was killed between noon and 1 o'clock. As a matter of routine, I'll have to ask you some questions. Can you remember where you were at that time?"

It was then Margaret put her hands up to her face and began to sob. She rocked back and forth, tears trickling between her gnarled fingers. "No—no—no."

It was obvious even to the deputy that Margaret was in no condition to be questioned.

We went back into the upper hall. "The rest of your family would know Derek Grady, now, wouldn't they?" he snapped sarcastically.

I was too weary to parry his questions. "Derek's mother died when he was born," I told the deputy. "He lived in this house until he was 17 years old. Then—he went to live with his father."

There was no need to go on with what little I knew of his life since then. From his ready identification of the body, it was evident that Deputy Shaw knew more about Derek's recent activities than I did.

"Besides his grandmother, my granddaughter and I are the only ones here who knew him. The other servants are new, and my daughter-in-law never met him," I said.

The deputy stared hard at me but there was a change in his manner. He offered me an apology. "I'm really sorry we have to bother you and your household in this manner, Mrs. Kraik. But the man was killed on your place, and we have to do our duty."

I accepted his apology stiffly and stood at the head of the stairs and watched him go down. Clara showed him out. I supposed that was the last I would see of Sam Shaw.

But I was mistaken. (To Be Continued)

Battlewagon



Jackie O'Brien and Kappy do their bit for war by rolling around in this wagon reminding housewives to save kitchen fats.

Service Men To Get Ration Books Later

Assurance that service men would be issued War Ration Book III was made Tuesday by Howard Gholson of Lubbock, district director of OPA. Numerous service men from the air fields in West Texas have been appearing before local boards to find out why they are not to make out applications for the books at this time, he said. Applications of service men will be taken at a later date and final details for taking the applications are being worked out now, the OPA announced. Military personnel eating in their own homes were previously issued Books I and II. Book III is merely a replacement book and probably will not be put into use until August. Members of service men's families file applications for the book in the same manner of other civilians and must send in their applications before June 10.

Rationing Problem

JACKSONVILLE, FLA. (AP)—Andy Roth, Jr., Jacksonville municipal zoo keeper, taught Maggie, two-year-old chimpanzee, to wear a dress and shoes and entertain at tea. Maggie became so fond of shoes she fusses when she doesn't have them. She has outgrown her old ones and has no ration stamp. Roth said he planned to give Maggie his shoe rationing stamp if he can't get a special order for a pair of No. 8's from the rationing board.

London Experiencing Book Steal Epidemic

LONDON (AP)—Dealers and the police are trying to end a wave of book-stealing in London and other large cities in Great Britain. The losses are greater in large shops where people can handle books at will. Because of the reduction in the number of employees, it is no longer possible to supervise the shops properly. Books are not so plentiful and are more expensive than in pre-war days. The thieves display remarkable cunning, booksellers say. "Only the keenest observers can catch them at it," one dealer said. "They stroll along the shop, taking books out of the shelves, two or three at a time. But when they take out three books, they return only two, and where two have been browsed over just one will be put back. The other is slipped under a coat, hidden in a newspaper or, if the person is a woman, dropped into a handbag."

Episcopalians To Have Service Wednesday

A Holy Communion service will be held at 7 a. m. Wednesday at Trinity Episcopal Church with a ten minute meditation. The Rev. R. J. Shell, minister, will be in charge.

All About Joe Picard

PARAMARIBO, DUTCH GUI-NEA (AP)—Joseph C. Picard, Jr., spotted the green armband and the white "C" worn by a correspondent and was told what it meant. "Ge!" exclaimed Picard, who hails from East Providence, R. I. "I never get my name in the paper."

Action By The Mayor

SALT LAKE CITY (AP)—Mayor Ab Jenkins received a letter signed "A Forest Dale Widow," complaining gambling was a favorite pastime at that city-operated golf club. The mayor acted; six men were arrested on gambling charges.

Australia Faces Task Of Raising Production

MELBOURNE (AP)—J. F. Murphy, commonwealth food controller, announced Tuesday that Australia faces the urgent task of increasing production of meat, dairy products and vegetables at the expense, to some extent, of wheat and wool.

The Matinee Front

SALT LAKE CITY (AP)—Theaters are beginning complete movies at midnight and 8 a. m.—for swing and graveyard shift war workers.

New Amplification System At Methodist Church Is Completed

Installation of the new amplification system at the First Methodist Church was completed late Monday and it now sends music from the church's tower over downtown Midland.

Either music of the fine new organ of the church or from phonograph records can be amplified through the system. Carols and chimes will ring from the church's tower on Easter, Christmas and Sundays.

Organ Volume Is Increased The system was tested thoroughly Monday and many persons in downtown Midland paused to listen to the music which came from the tower.

The volume of the church's new organ also has been increased in the last few days and this also was

tested thoroughly, church officials said. With this work, the organ now is complete.

Mrs. Phil Scharbauer gave the amplification system to the church. The organ was the gift of Mr. and Mrs. George Glass and Mrs. Fay Holt in memory of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Holt and O. B. Holt Jr.

The average Lapp family requires 100 reindeer for its maintenance.

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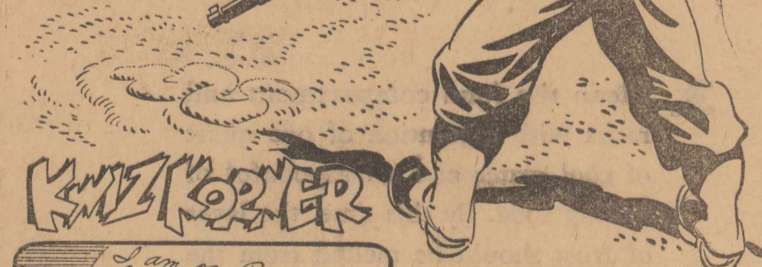


"The city kid's homesick, all right, but he's spunky—said he'd work 14 hours a day on this backwoods farm if it would help wipe out those Jap rats!"

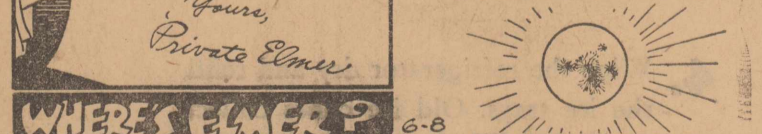
THIS CUPIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson

LAND MINES ARE NOT THE ONLY DANGERS THAT LIE HIDDEN BENEATH AFRICAN SANDS! THE VENOMOUS SAND VIPER BURIES ITSELF AS A PROTECTION AGAINST THE MIDDAY SUN, AND SOLDIERS HAVE LEARNED TO DETECT ITS PRESENCE BY THE SCROLL-LIKE DESIGN IN THE SAND.



SUN SPOTS CAN BE SEEN WITH THE NAKED EYE, IF THEY'RE 170,000 SQUARE MILES OR MORE IN AREA.



WHERE'S EIMER? ANSWER: New York harbor, where stands the Statue of Liberty.

NEXT: How Germany became "sub-conscious."

Find It Sell It Buy It With A Want Ad! With A Want Ad! With A Want Ad! Phone 7 or 8

McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

By William E. McKenney America's Card Authority

Today's hand is not a difficult one, but I should like to bring it to your attention for several reasons. You will notice that South opened the bidding with one club, rather than one spade. The general practice today, when holding a four-card major and a four-card minor in suits not touching—that is, four spades and four diamonds, or four hearts and four clubs (but not four hearts and four diamonds)—is to bid the minor suit first.

Hand analysis table with suits and cards listed.

Duplicate—All vul. South West North East

1 ♠ 1 ♣ Pass Pass

2 ♠ 2 ♣ 2 ♠ Pass

3 ♠ Pass 1 ♠ Pass

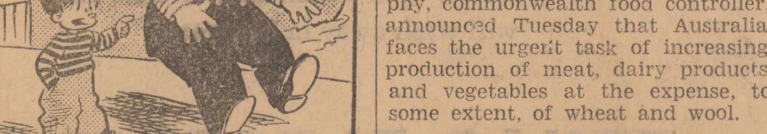
Opening—♥ Q 8

players would try to pre-empt with the West hand, to shut out communication between North and South. If West had bid four diamonds, it would have been most difficult for North and South to get into a four-spade contract.

West would go down one or two tricks; but that would be far better than allowing North and South to make a vulnerable game.

In the play of the hand, South led a small spade to dummy's king and led back the jack. East refused to cover, so the finesse was taken. When it held, declarer carefully shifted to the queen of clubs. East covered with the king. South won with the ace, cashed the jack of clubs, and at this point, allowed East to win the next club trick with the nine.

Thus a club trick was established while the declarer still could run the diamonds in dummy, and also lead through East's queen and one trump—just a matter of watching the timing on the hand.



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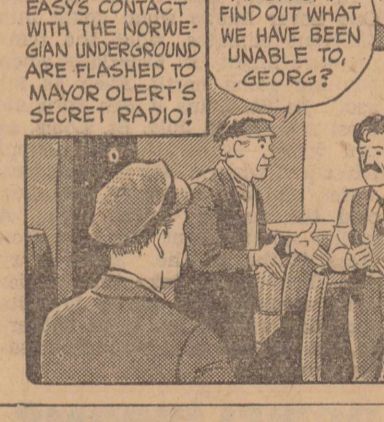
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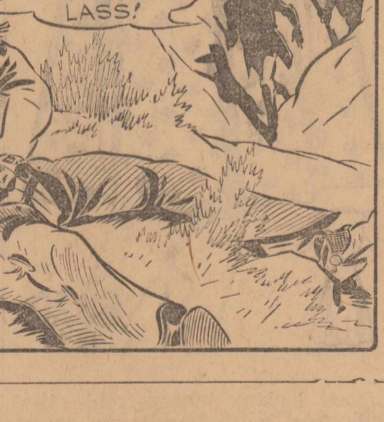
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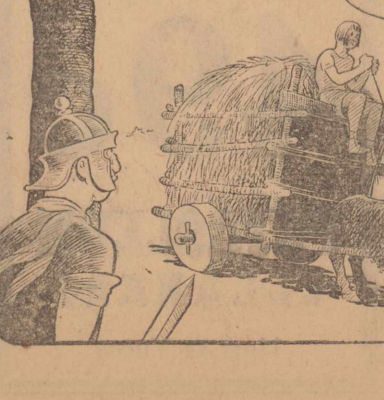
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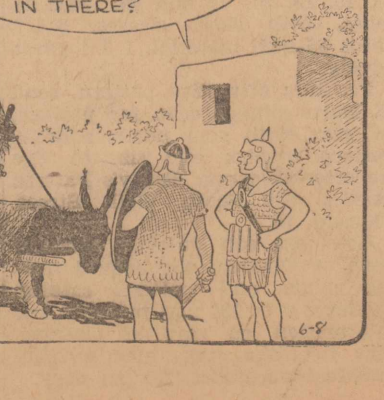
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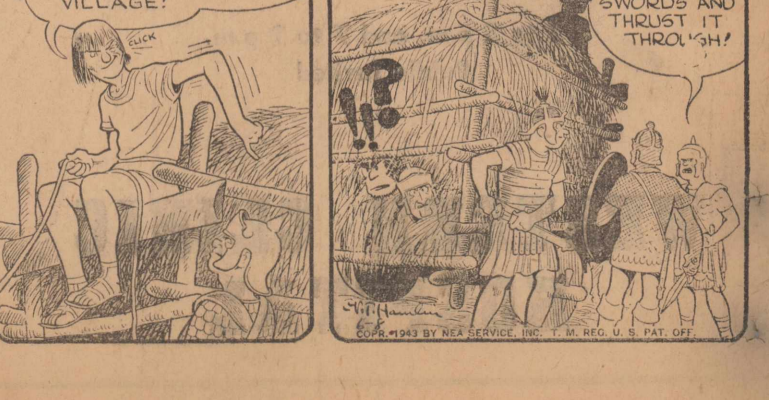
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ONE-room furnished apartment, bath, utilities paid. 210 S. Terrell. (77-2)

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5-ROOM unfurnished apartment, \$35.00 month, bills paid. 510 So. "H" Street.

Furnished Houses 17

2-ROOM furnished house. 106 W. Pennsylvania.

Wanted To Rent 21

PERMANENT resident wants to rent a nice 6-room unfurnished house. Phone 1162.

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Household Goods 22
FULL size blonde mahogany bed, innerspring mattress, heavy coil bed springs. 602 W. Kansas, Ph. 679.

Miscellaneous 23

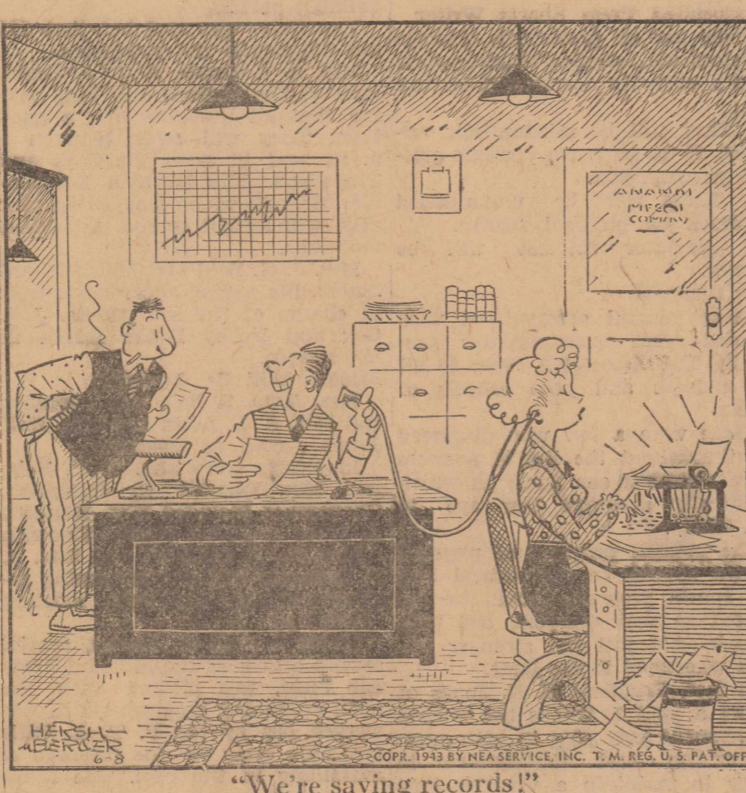
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Miscellaneous 23

REAL nice 8x20 trailer house, \$300.00. 510 E. Florida. (78-3)

Wanted To Buy 26

WANTED: Stoves, wood or gas; furniture, bed springs; in fact, we need more merchandise. See us before you sell. Tom Nix Second Hand Store, 205 E. Wall. (75-26)

CASH paid for used table and portable radios, phonographs and bicycles. Western Auto Associate Store, opposite Western Union, Midland, Phone 300. (76-1f)

USED 4x5 Speed Graphic or similar camera and attachments. Box 207, this paper. (68-1f)

WANTED: Used pressure cooker. 423 S. Fort Worth. (78-1)

SWEET potato plants, Odessa Floral Shop, Odessa, Texas. (74-6)

Livestock and Poultry 34

BERKSHIRE board service. Phone 752. (72-6)

FRESH A1 Jersey heifers for sale. Phone 454. (76-3)

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French Forming War Cabinet To Direct Affairs

ALGIERS — (AP) — The new French empire government convened in full dress session Tuesday, moving swiftly toward formation of a war cabinet as its last organizational step necessary to throw the unified weight of vast French territories back into the battleline against the Axis.

With appointment of the war committee, this central French authority, with its seat in Algiers, will be complete, administering the public affairs of 60,000,000 Frenchmen and subjects, an army presently estimated at 300,000, and a great French African and insular domain with its vital strategic and material resources.

Commissioners Named
The committee of National Liberation, headed by the co-presidents General Henri Giraud and Charles De Gaulle, announced the appointment Monday night of 11 commissioners, corresponding to cabinet ministers.

The lineup included: Rene Massigli, foreign affairs; Gen. Georges Catroux, coordinator of Moslem affairs; Jean Monnet, armaments; Rene Pleven, colonies; Rene Meyer, communications and merchant marine; Henri Bonnet, information; Andre Philip, interior; Dr. Jules Abadie, justice, education and health; Maurice Couve De Murville, finance; Andrew Dethelm, production and commerce; Adrien Tixier, labor and social affairs.

Gen. Alphonse Georges was named a member without portfolio. De Gaulle Post Obscure
Left vacant was the portfolio of the war ministry. It was expected that this office would be organized simultaneously with the appointment of a streamlined war cabinet which would concentrate solely on the direction of the French war machine now being rebuilt on the African shores of the Mediterranean.

Gen. Giraud, as commander-in-chief of French forces in North Africa, probably will assume the post of commissioner for war, at the same time heading the war cabinet.

The position of Gen. De Gaulle, leader of the London Fighting French, in the new government still was obscure. But he is reported to have told intimates that his military career was ended. Observers considered it likely that he would devote his energy to directing the civil administrative body.

Pan-American Press Conference Opened

HAVANA — (AP) — William P. Carney of the New York Times Monday night was elected vice president of the International Pan American Press Conference.

Miguel Coyula de Havana, a commander in the Cuban army of independence in the Spanish-American War and a veteran newspaperman, was elevated to the presidency at the opening session of the second annual congress.

Cuba's President Fulgencio Batista presided at the session.

Three Officers Are Assigned To Field

Arrival of three officers, all of whom are attached to the 83rd Base Headquarters and Air Base Squadron, was announced at the Midland Army Air Field Tuesday.

The officers are Lieutenant Commander George A. Nelson, U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey; Major Chester W. Cousser, AC, and Captain Thomas M. Bailey, AC.

Houses for Sale 61

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5-room stucco, attached garage. A well arranged floor plan and a good location. Price \$3500.00. Terms if desired. Shown by appointment.

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Pantelleria Has Undergone Heavier Bombings Than Received By Malta

AN ADVANCED AMERICAN BOMBER BASE IN NORTH AFRICA — (AP) — American airmen taking part in the bombing of Pantelleria, 11 Duce's outpost in the Sicilian narrows, say they doubted whether even dauntless Malta in the many months of its ordeal ever underwent such a fearful pasting in so short a while.

Cabinet Crisis In Chile Being Straightened Out

SANTIAGO, CHILE — (AP) — Vice Admiral Julio Allard Pinto, commander of the Chilean navy, assumed the important post of minister of the interior Tuesday in a new cabinet named by President Juan Antonio Rios after a governmental crisis which forced Rios to postpone a scheduled trip to Washington.

The portfolio of minister of defense was assigned to General Oscar Escudero, chief of staff of the army. Four other newcomers took subordinate posts in the cabinet. Five of the resigning ministers were reappointed to office.

The cabinet crisis was precipitated Monday by the resignation of the interior, who was to have substituted for President Rios during the latter's proposed trip to the United States beginning June 15 or 17.

Morales, who has been strongly pro-democratic in his sympathies, said he resigned because of "attacks by members of my own (radical) party." In a customary gesture of solidarity the other ministers immediately tendered their resignations.

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In Amon G. Carter No. C-2 Pure-J. B. Walton, opener of the Keystone-Ellemburger pool in North Central Winkler County. A drillstem test was run from 9,006-30 feet. With tester open 1 3/4 hours. A one-hour gauge taken during the test recovered 36 1/2 barrels of oil. Gas-oil ratio was low, being rated at only 1.480-1. Owner now is drilling at 9,640 feet in dolomite and plans to test again soon.

Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 21 State-Walton, outpost deep test three-quarters of a mile southeast of the discovery Ellemburger producer in the Kermis-Ordovician pool, is drilling at 2,440 feet in lime and anhydrite. The same firm's No. 234 J. B. Walton, a like distance northwest of the discovery, is building a well.

Shelwell Oil Company, Inc., No. 3 Seely-Smith Foundation, projected Ellemburger test in the Monahans pool, No. 10 Eastern Ward County, is drilling at 7,522 feet in shale streaked with lime.

Near Fayette in Western Ward, Phillips No. 1-B University, a Delaware Basin wildcat test, is drilling at 2,500 feet in anhydrite. Fullerton Yates Gasser

Fullerton Oil Company No. 6-A H. M. Wilson, in the Fullerton deep Permian pool of Northwestern Andrews County, has been completed in the Yates sand horizon for gas production as a fuel source. It flows 2,630,000 cubic feet of dry gas per day through 2-inch tubing set at 3,122 feet, one foot off bottom. The well topped Yates sand at 2,870 feet and logged showing of gas from 3,029 to 3,109 feet, with an increase in gas from 3,110-20 feet.

In the southeast part of the pool, TP No. 3 Emily M. Jackson et al is drilling at 7,205 feet in lime. No test was made after acidizing upper pay with 4,000 gallons at 7,003 feet, but the well flowed 30 barrels of oil an hour after a similar treatment in middle pay, bottomed at 7,030 feet in lime.

Magnolia No. 1-20-38 B. B. Ralph, Northwestern Andrews wildcat eight and one-quarter miles west by southwest of the Fullerton pool, is drilling at 7,155 feet in brownish gray lime.

Four and three-quarter miles northwest of the Fullerton pool, Union Oil Company of California No. 1 J. S. Bile, a 7,400-foot test, at last reports had drilled to 4,640 feet in lime.

Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 1 Crews & Mast, proposed 5,900 footer in Northern Andrews three miles west and slightly north of the Means pool, is drilling at 4,378 feet in anhydrite and lime. Sample analysis placed top of brown lime at 4,050 feet, which is about normal for the region.

In the Embur pool of Southern Andrews, Phillips No. 39 University-Andrews is coring pay dolomite at 8,077 feet. It is in the Ellemburger, topped at 7,710 feet.

Gaines Deep Wildcat
Continental Oil Company No. 1-A Dr. E. H. Jones, deep wildcat in extreme Northwestern Gaines County, is drilling at 1,860 feet in red rock and shale.

South of the Russell deep Permian pool in Northwestern Gaines, Magnolia and Atlantic No. 1-459 H. & J. had drilled to 4,087 feet in anhydrite.

Standard Oil & Gas Company No. 15 American Warehouse Company, scheduled 11,000-foot Ordovician test in the Cedar Lake pool of Northeastern Gaines, is drilling at 8,248 feet in lime.

The same firm's No. 1 Guy Hester, one-mile northeast outpost to the one-well Stennett pool in East Central Lubbock County, is drilling at 4,413 feet in lime.

WALL STREET PAVING TO BE COMPLETED SOON
Paving of widened Wall Street will be completed Wednesday evening, weather permitting. State Highway Department officials said Tuesday.

The new paving extends from A Street to the western city limits.

President Says Allies To Stay United After War

WASHINGTON — (AP) — When the war is won, President Roosevelt believes the United Nations will remain "united for the solution of the many and difficult problems of peace."

That the Allies really are united, Mr. Roosevelt said Monday, was "demonstrated beyond question" by the "epoch-making success" of the international food conference just ended.

The conference, he said, brought to the world a new hope for attaining freedom from want and fear.

Addressing the delegates of 44 nations in the White House east room, the President said:

"You have surveyed with courage and with realism the magnitude of the problems and have reached unanimous agreement that they can, and must—and will—be solved. And we are winning by action and unity."

The conference, the President said, was "a living demonstration" of the methods by which "the conversations of nations of like mind can and will give practical application to the principles of the Atlantic Charter."

Churchill Hints --

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wearing down of German and Japanese air forces in proceeding remorselessly.

"The enemy who thought that in the air would be their weapon of victory are now finding it the first cause of their ruin," he said.

While disclosing that complete agreement on "forward steps" in the prosecution of the Allied war effort had been reached during his conferences in London, Churchill said he could make no predictions as to what may happen in the near future.

"It is evident, however," the prime minister declared, "that amphibious operations of peculiar complexity and hazard on a large scale are approaching."

Churchill added that "operations now impending in the European theater of war have been fitted into their proper place in relation to the general war," but gave no hint as to what these operations might be.

He declared that the sudden collapse of the German and Italian armies in Tunisia was significant, but warned that "no undue expectations should be placed" upon this development.

"We are prepared to win this war by hard fighting and if necessary by hard fighting alone," he said.

Churchill opened his first war review since the statement he gave the House on Feb. 11 after the Casablanca conference by declaring: "As the Allied war effort passes into the offensive phase and as its scale and pace grows continually, more and more frequent consultations between the staffs and those concerned with the high school become necessary."

Livestock

FORT WORTH — (AP) — Cattle 1-700; calves 800; hogs 2,000; and sheep 9,000.

Good to choice fed steers and yearlings cashed mostly at 14. Good beef cows 12 to 13. Good fat calves 14 to 15. Stocker steer calves at 12 to 16.50. Butcher hogs 13 to 14. Packing sows steady.

Medium to choice shorn lambs 12 to 14.25.

Nazis Overlook Axis Losses In Tunisia

LONDON — (AP) — The German radio in mid-afternoon Tuesday referred briefly to the Churchill broadcast, giving most attention to his remarks about the coming amphibious operations and to his figures on British casualties in North Africa.

It made no mention whatever of the much larger Axis losses.

PRINCE HUBERTUS WEDS

BERN, SWITZERLAND — (AP) — Dispatches from Berlin reported Tuesday the marriage of Prince Hubertus of Hohenzollern, eldest son of former Crown Prince Friedrich Wilhelm, to Princess Feodora of Reuss.

Midland - Odessa BUS LINE SCHEDULE

Table with columns: Leave Midland - Odessa, Leave Airport. Rows showing departure times from 5:25 A.M. to 11:30 P.M.

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Dodgers Again Tied For Top Spot In National League Race

By Judson Bailey
Associated Press Sports Writer

The major leagues drew up what they called a "tight" schedule this year to curtail all possible travel, but their program has run into a "loose" spot this week even though it doesn't call for added mileage.

From last Sunday until next Saturday the total activity in baseball's big leagues amounts to only 15 games. One of these was Monday night as the Brooklyn Dodgers stopped off at Pittsburgh on

their way home from the west and paddled the Pirates 4 to 1.

Lead Again Tied

Fred Fitzsimmons, whose lone loss to Pittsburgh in three years came earlier this spring, was in good form as he scattered seven hits and smothered all the Buccaneer batters except Frankie Gustine. Gustine collected four hits, one of which was a triple that led to a run in the first inning.

But the Dodgers solved Southpaw Wally Hebert in the eighth for four runs on a walk and four hits, the last of which was a double by Bob Bragan.

The victory returned the Dodgers to a virtual tie with the St. Louis Cardinals in the National League lead although the Redbirds continued to lead in the percentage column, .650 to .630. The Dodgers have won three more games than St. Louis, but also have lost three more.

Sports Roundup

By Hugh Fullerton Jr.

NEW YORK —(P)— The old guy who didn't look it leaned across the table to capture the listeners' undivided attention. "Interested in racing?" he demanded. "I can tell you a lot about it. First skating race I ever won was at Catania race track." The question was surprising one to hear at an ice rink on a hot spring afternoon but after a few minutes with Earle (Skater) Reynolds you come to expect almost anything.

Introducing The Skater

Reynolds is 75 years old, with bushy gray hair, but he's still young enough to skate and to tutor a couple of troupes of roller skaters he has touring with the big circus. He has been a jockey, speed-skating champion, hockey player, for ten years he was personal betting commissioner for John W. (Bet-A-Million) Gates and as a theatrical man he taught Anna Held to perform on roller skates.

Not Quite A Million

The fabulous John W. Gates' nickname may have been an exaggeration, but Reynolds gives him credit for making the largest wager ever made at a race track. "It was on Syson at Brighton Beach on July 29, 1905," Skater said positively. "Mr. Gates bet \$420,000. Syson opened at 3 to 10 and Mr. Gates backed him off the boards at 1 to 5. He won \$92,000 on that race — and was \$12,000 loser on the day. He bet \$50,000 on a horse ridden by Ambrose Clark in the jumping race and the horse fell at the first jump."

Skimming The Ice

Lester Patrick, boss of the Rangers' hockey team, remembers Reynolds as the man who introduced goal nets to hockey and Skater thinks that's probably true. When the Spalding roller polo team visited Canada they took along some new-fangled goal devised by Reynolds and Gates with fish-net attached to the uprights.

Unfinished Business

The drawback about listening to Reynolds' reminiscences is that he has too many and one leads to another. Well, maybe he'll be back Sunday and you can have another listening session.

Look at those last Portraits of your Children.

The rapid change is hard to realize. Another year will mark another change.

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is a comparatively new studio in Midland and is attracting ATTENTION

With Good Work
A Square Deal
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Idle Tuesday

All clubs in both leagues are idle and some of those which also had Monday off will play only one game before Saturday, when the full forces will be resumed.

There will be three games in each league Wednesday, the National bringing together Boston at Brooklyn in a twilight affair, Pittsburgh at St. Louis and Philadelphia at New York while the American League bill of fare calls for Chicago at Detroit in a twilight tussle, St. Louis at Cleveland and Washington at Boston.

Thursday there will be four games in the American and two in the National and Friday there will be one in each league.

Most of the clubs need the rest after four weeks of inter-sectional competition and a heavy dose of doubleheaders over the last two week-ends.

Track Sensation Is Discovered At Bombardier Base

A new track sensation was uncovered at the Midland Army Air Field in the track and field meet for aviation cadets of Class 43-10 when Cadet Malcolm M. Hudgins of Griffin, Ga., won four of the eight individual events, setting two new meet records, in leading Flight C to a team victory.

Hudgins, 21-year-old product of Griffin High School and the Miami Edison High School of Miami, Fla., also finished second in one event and third in another, and was a member of his flight's 440-yard relay team which won that event. He scored 24 of Flight C's 52 2/3 points, which was an overwhelming team total.

The Georgian set records of 24.7 seconds in the 220-yard dash and 20 feet 5 inches in the broad jump, leading the old marks by six-tenths of a second and five inches respectively. He also won the 100-yard dash and the high jump, finished second in the shot put and third in the discs.

Cadet Charles B. Hazel of Olive Branch, Ill., won the discus and shot put; Cadet Robert T. Trizary of New York took the 50-yard dash, and Cadet Robert E. Lefebvre of Scotia, N. Y., the mile run. Flight A won the tug-of-war. Hazel and Trizary also were members of Flight C, Lefebvre representing Flight D.

San Angelo To Send Net Star To Tourney

SAN ANGELO —(P)— San Angelo is raising funds to send its state high school tennis champion to the national interscholastic league meet in Haverford, Pa., July 5.

A baseball game will be played here Saturday night between the Blackland Army Air Field of Waco and Goodfellow Field of San Angelo, the proceeds to go toward paying expenses of Bernard Bartzen to the national tournament.

The Reporter-Telegram SPORTS

Big League Lingo



Monday Games Fail To Change Softball League Standings

Standing in the enlisted men's softball league at Midland Army Air Field were virtually unaffected by the results of Monday night's games, in which the three leading teams defeated the three at the bottom of the list.

The first-place Ordinance club easily trounced the cellar Medics, 9-0. The 491st B.T.S., in second place, had a scare but nosed out the 490th B.T.S., 6-5. The 490th is next to last in the standings.

The 83rd B. Hq. and A. B. Sq., 3rd from the top, breezed 9-0 over the Guard Squadron which is third from the bottom.

In the fourth game Hq. & Hq. Sq. of the 83rd B. T. G. broke a tie for fourth place by defeating the Mess Company 16-4.

Binvs Meets Marshall

CLEVELAND —(P)— Long-armed Jimmy Binvs puts his so-called "duration light heavyweight championship" on the firing range Tuesday night in a 15-round affair with Lloyd Marshall, claimant to the California light heavy and middleweight crowns.

TEXAS JUNIOR GOLF MEET SET AUG. 23-27

SAN ANTONIO —(P)— The Texas junior golf tournament will be held here Aug. 23 to 27 but the defending champion won't be present.

James McNair of Brownsville, who won in 1942, is in the Army Air Corps.

NOVA TO MEET SAVOLD

CHICAGO —(P)— Lou Nova of Van Nuys, Calif., who was stopped in the sixth round of his championship fight with Joe Louis two years ago, will meet Lee Savold, Paterson, N. J., heavyweight, in an outdoor boxing show at Wrigley Field June 28.

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Post-War Boom In Sports Foreseen By School Heads

By Harold V. Ratliff
Associated Press Sports Writer

Texas college presidents, athletic directors and coaches believe sports in the post-war world will be like this:

1. They will be substantially enlarged so as to make possible general participation.

2. There will be unparalleled emphasis on physical fitness.

3. Spectator interest will be greater.

Few Disagree

These general observations were gleaned from questionnaires sent out by The Associated Press to all the colleges and prep schools of Texas.

There were a few who disagreed but throughout the list of answers there appeared one point on which practically everyone saw eye to eye. This was:

The present program of physical fitness should be maintained and the sports program should be arranged so that everyone can participate—not just the stronger fellows who need it the least.

In fact, President E. N. Jones of Texas A. and I. thinks the federal government may step in with some supervision and subsidization in order to maintain a vigorous type of physical education for the average student.

Stewart Sees Boom

James H. Stewart, athletic director of Southern Methodist, looks for a decided boom in athletics because of the impetus given by the war. President Pat M. Neff of Baylor thinks there will be more sports and physical education.

M. E. Sadler, president of Texas Christian University, says he anticipates that the sports program will be radically revolutionized in the post-war world. "It is possible that more attention will be given to the systematic program of physical education of all students," he said.

"A sport for every boy and a boy in every sport," comments D. X. Bible, athletic director of the University of Texas. "If the schools do not look after physical training, the Army and Navy will."

Record Prices Paid In Shorthorn Auction

CHICAGO —(P)— An 11-month-old Shorthorn bull and 38 head of young beef cattle brought record prices at an auction sale Monday, the American Shorthorn Breeders Association reported.

The yearling bull was sold for \$8,000, a 25-year record price for the breed. The 38 head brought \$54,205, or an average of \$1,426, the highest figure paid in the last quarter-century of Shorthorn history, the association said.

The purchaser of the yearling bull also bought the highest priced heifer of the lot, paying \$4,000 in competition with buyers from 27 states.

Dr. Velma Scott At Philadelphia Session

Dr. Velma Scott left Tuesday for Philadelphia to attend a convention of the National Endo-Nasal Aural Society where she will study endo-nasal and aural therapy and other allied techniques.

She has held a practitioner's certificate in endo-nasal-aural therapy and hopes to earn her master's certificate at the convention. The treatment is a new scientific treatment of colds, hay fever, adenoids, and other ailments.

She expects to be gone about 10 days and plans to visit in Washington, D. C., where New York is returning to Midland.

Taxicab Service In Galveston Disrupted

GALVESTON —(P)— Taxicabs disappeared from streets here after members of local union No. 853 of cab drivers voted Monday night to stop service as a protest against what they said was discrimination against them by city police.

Drivers said their action was not a strike but said they would lay off a few days until some understanding could be reached.

Chief of Police Fred M. Ford denied any appreciable number of tickets had been given cab drivers and denied union leaders' assertions that the drivers had been fined more heavily than other citizens.

Boxing Show Is Success

CHICAGO —(P)— A crowd of 5,300 shelled out \$17,307 to make Chicago's first outdoor boxing show of the season a success Monday night.

Name Of Color Girl At Academy Is Secret

ANNAPOLIS, Md. —(P)— The name of the U. S. Naval Academy's "color girl," who represents the colors of honor to the prize-winning company of the midshipmen's regiment in a tradition — steeped June week ceremony, was a closely guarded "naval secret" Tuesday.

Contrary to normal peacetime procedure, academy spokesmen said the identity of the girl, chosen by the commander of the year's best-drilled company, would not be disclosed until just before the color ceremony on the field late Tuesday.

Wynell Callaway who has been ill in the hospital here, has returned to her home.

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Midland Girls Enjoy Swim In Pagoda Pool

Approximately a hundred Midland girls enjoyed swimming in Pagoda Pool Tuesday, thanks to the Army and the Parent-Teachers Association, which arranged for the swimming parties.

The water was cool but that did not discourage the swimmers.

Mrs. S. J. Lones, P. T. A. chairman of the project, was busy seeing that all the girls had a good time. They will swim between 9 a. m. and 12 noon Tuesdays and Thursdays. The Midland Bombardier School, which has leased the pool, will loan it to the girls those mornings.

Mrs. J. G. Bird and Mrs. Richard Peters, life saving supervisors, were in charge of the life guards, Jack Cox and Bobby Drake served as life guards.

Lessons Will Be Available

Mrs. Tom Rowell was registrar, and Mrs. R. L. Aikin and Mrs. Holt Jewell served as checkers.

Inspectors were Mrs. T. C. Bobo and Mrs. Charles C. Galbraith. Chaperones included Mrs. Kenneth A. Mack and Mrs. George Knowles. Mrs. G. G. Galligan and Mrs. A. P. Loskamp will give swimming instructions to beginners starting Thursday.

Major Russell B. Brown, special service officer at the Midland Army Air Field, was pleased with the girl's swimming program which was worked out by the P. T. A. Girls pay nine cents for the privilege of swimming in the pool. The funds go to pay necessary costs.

Girls from 6 to 18 years of age are eligible to swim on Tuesday and Thursday mornings if they obtain health certificates and present signed waivers.

THE STANDINGS

National League	W	L	Pct.
St. Louis	26	14	.650
Brooklyn	29	17	.630
Pittsburgh	22	19	.537
Cincinnati	21	19	.525
Boston	17	19	.472
Philadelphia	18	22	.450
New York	16	27	.372
Chicago	15	27	.357
American League			
New York	23	15	.605
Washington	24	18	.571
Detroit	20	19	.513
Philadelphia	22	21	.512
Chicago	17	18	.486
Cleveland	20	22	.476
Boston	20	23	.465
St. Louis	13	23	.361

Sunday Games

Monday Game

Brooklyn 4, Pittsburgh 1.
(Only game scheduled in either league.)

Pre-Strike Cool Off Period May Be Cut From Bill

WASHINGTON —(P)— Senatorial opposition to legalizing strikes in government — operated war industries pointed Tuesday toward the junking of House — approved plans for a secret ballot and a 30-day cooling off period before walk-outs could be called.

Although House conferees contended these provisions in the Connally — Harness anti-strike bill applied only to privately-operated war industries, five Senate members of a joint conference committee were said to be unanimously opposed to any section which might—even by inference—be interpreted as sanctioning another coal mine strike while the government controls the pits.

To Expand Clause

The conference committee sharpened a section providing for the firing or imprisonment of any person who instigates or aids in interrupting production in a seized plant or mine by a strike.

Under the broad authority accorded them by parliamentary rules, the conferees reportedly agreed to expand this clause to reach any person who abets or encourages another in instigating a strike.

The committee restored a Senate-approved provision authorizing the government to seize war plants or mines where production is interrupted by labor disputes, a section the House apparently had ignored on the assumption the President already has this power.

Would Bar Strikes

Strikes would be barred and the seized plant or mine would be operated under the same terms and conditions of employment as when the government took over, but employees could apply to the War Labor Board for settlement of their dispute with management.

The committee also soldered in a section authorizing the War Labor Board to step into all war plant disputes, whether seized by the government or not, and giving it the power of subpoenaing witnesses.

East Texas Streams Starting To Recede

Prediction of clear skies brought hope of receding flood waters to North Texas Tuesday as farmers counted tremendous agricultural losses from week-end rains.

Creeks that fed the Trinity River were beginning to recede Monday night but the United States weather bureau at Dallas reported the river was still rising and beginning to go out of its banks.

The east fork of the Trinity was falling.

Damage to roads and bridges in the southeast and southwest parts of Dallas County will total \$15,000, County officials estimated.

Mrs. A. De Figlio and baby went home from the hospital Saturday.

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