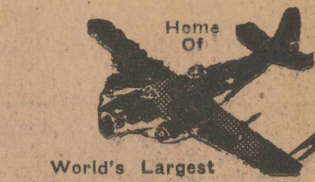




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WALLACE ATTACKS JESSE JONES

Commerce Secretary Accused Of 'Obstructionist Tactics'

WASHINGTON (AP)—In a new clash between major administration figures, Vice President Wallace Tuesday accused Secretary of Commerce Jones of "obstructionist tactics" and of harassing the Board of Economic Warfare in the "single-minded effort to help shorten this war by securing adequate stocks of strategic materials."

In a statement prepared for the Senate appropriations committee, Wallace, chairman of BEW, also stated that Jones, who heads the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, which supplies funds for BEW buying of strategic materials, had created a "false impression" in testimony before the congressional economy committee headed by Senator Byrd (D-Va.).

Canadian Leader Says Assault By Allies Due Soon

OTTAWA (AP)—Malcolm MacDonald, British high commissioner to Canada, said Tuesday at least 14 enemy submarines had been sunk in the last two weeks and predicted that the Allied assault on Europe would start very soon.

"We have had a dead submarine served up for breakfast every day for the past fortnight, MacDonald said. His statement was added evidence of Allied ascendancy in the critical battle of the Atlantic, which Prime Minister Churchill said recently the Allies were winning. Recent reports from London have said submarines have been sunk at a rate of better than one a day for the past two months, a rate faster than the German ability to replace them."

In his statement, Wallace discussed the stockpiling of various strategic materials. He said Congress had made funds available for such a purpose as far back as 1939 and that in the summer of 1940 the RFC was given funds for stockpiling.

"From the summer of 1940 until well past December 7, 1941," Wallace said, "the Reconstruction Finance Corporation failed miserably, so far as the import field was concerned, to build the stockpiles authorized and directed by the Congress nearly eighteen months before Pearl Harbor."

"During this period, of course, private purchasing of imports continued on a somewhat increased scale due to better business, and the Reconstruction Finance Corporation entered into various underwriting agreements with some countries under which we agreed to take surpluses if they were not bought privately. Refers To Testimony

"This seems to us to have been a timid, business-as-usual procedure; at least it was a 'far cry' from the aggressive government stock program. (Continued on Page 5)

Marvin Jones Is New Food Chief

WASHINGTON (AP)—Judge Marvin Jones took over Tuesday as the third wartime food administrator in less than seven months as the Roosevelt administration let Chester C. Davis go and thus evidenced new determination to put stabilization of prices over all other considerations in the nation's food program.

Jones, an affable Texan with a long agricultural background including legislative leadership in putting AAA crop control and other farm-aid legislation on the statute books, moved into the job with a record as a staunch supporter of President Roosevelt's policies.

His appointment to replace Davis was taken to mean that future food programs would be cut to patterns designed, above all else, to provide food at present or lower prices.

Treason Convictions Of Six Chicagoans Reversed By Court

CHICAGO (AP)—The United States Circuit Court of Appeals reversed Tuesday the conviction of six Chicagoans on charges of treason and remanded their cases to the district court for a second trial.

Defendants were Hans Haupt, Otto Wergin and Walter Froehling, who had been sentenced to death in the electric chair, and their wives, Mrs. Fricke Haupt, Mrs. Kate Wergin and Mrs. Lucille Froehling, who had each been sentenced to 25 years imprisonment. They were convicted last Nov. 14, accused of harboring and aiding Herbert Haupt, son of the Haupts and one of the eight Nazi saboteurs brought to the United States in German submarines, last spring.

The opinion reversing their conviction was unanimous.

Jap Land And Sea Forces Being Slammed Furiously

ASSAULTS MAY MARK OPENING OF NEW ALLIED CAMPAIGN

WASHINGTON (AP)—Japanese land and sea forces are being slammed with a mounting fury that may well mark the opening phases of a new campaign to drive the enemy farther back in the Pacific.

This became apparent Tuesday in the wake of the Navy's two latest reports, listing 13 U. S. bomber raids throughout the Pacific and the destruction or damaging of 11 Japanese surface craft by American submarines.

From Kiska in the Solomons heavy and medium bombers sent the Army at 14, saying he was flying in North Africa and the Mediterranean and has four decorations to his credit, has lost a battle to his parents. Army authorities have retired him because he is two years too young for enlistment. He joined the Army at 14, saying he was 18, but his family recently asked that he be sent home. (NEA Telephoto.)

Land Activity Still Lulls

Violent Aerial Battles Reported Raging On Front Near Leningrad

MOSCOW (AP)—Violent aerial battles are swirling over the approaches to Leningrad with the Germans losing "a big number of planes" in the last 25 days, battlefront dispatches reported Tuesday. German losses were so heavy the Nazis have changed their tactics, increasing fighter escort for bombers, and varying the times of raids, it was said.

Small units of Russian infantry, engaged in reconnaissance on the central front Monday night, killed 200 German troops and captured prisoners, the Russian noon communique broadcast by the Moscow radio and recorded by the Soviet monitor announced Tuesday.

The war bulletin reported little activity, however, at any point along the long eastern front. In the Belgorod area, northeast of Kharkov, Soviet aircraft engaged five German planes, shooting down three, the communique said.

In the Zhitomir region near Velikiye Luki a guerrilla detachment mined a German troop train wrecking the engine and eight cars, the bulletin said. German casualties were listed as 60 officers and men. Guerrilla activities accounted for a large part of the action on the Russian front announced in the Russian communique. The bulletin said that in the Leningrad area in

Americans Make Six More Raids On Kiska Island

WASHINGTON (AP)—Six more smashing aerial attacks were made against Japanese installations on Kiska Island in the Aleutians Sunday, the Navy reported Tuesday, and Monday Army planes followed up with a raid against that island and nearby Little Kiska.

In the South Pacific, meanwhile, a Navy communique reported, American planes bombed "a small Japanese naval disposition" in the Central Solomons but did not observe results. The action appeared to be of little consequence on the basis of a naval spokesman's interpretation. He said that while he did not know the makeup of the enemy force it might have been only a small group such as a destroyer and cargo ship or a squadron of torpedo boats.

Sunday's raids on Kiska raised to 22 the number of separate air actions carried out over that enemy North Pacific outpost in a four-day period.

The attacks against Kiska are regarded as pre-invasion, softening-up raids, preparing the way for the amphibious expedition that some day is expected to smash the last Japanese hold on the American island chain.

H. S. Ratliff Dies In Mineral Wells

Word was received here Tuesday of the death of H. S. (Bud) Ratliff, 85, a pioneer of the Permian Basin area and veteran cattleman at Mineral Wells, Texas. Ratliff, a brother of George Ratliff of Midland, has been ill in health.

Bud Ratliff came to the Midland territory in the early 80s and was well known to all ranchers of this area. Surviving are his widow, two daughters, Mrs. Sam Hurt, who resides on a ranch 8 miles northeast of Odessa, and Mrs. Francis McAvamara of Austin; two brothers, George Ratliff, Midland ranchman, and Dar Ratliff of Weslaco; and a sister, Mrs. Ida Whittenburg of Crane. Funeral arrangements have not been announced here.

Retires At 16



Staff Sgt. Clifford Wherley, Elmwood, Ill., 16-year-old Air Corps gunner who participated in more than 100 hours of combat flying in North Africa and the Mediterranean and has four decorations to his credit, has lost a battle to his parents. Army authorities have retired him because he is two years too young for enlistment. He joined the Army at 14, saying he was 18, but his family recently asked that he be sent home. (NEA Telephoto.)

Ickes To Operate Coal Mines Until Contract Signed

WASHINGTON (AP)—Interior Secretary Ickes left the impression Tuesday he might operate the nation's coal mines for the government until the owners and the United Mine Workers sign a contract.

This hint was contained in a series of developments pertaining to the coal controversy Monday in the capital. The secretary, as fuel coordinator appointed Carl Elbridge Newton, president of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad Company as federal director of mines.

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Science Mobilization Topic Of Meeting Here

"Science Mobilization" will be discussed Tuesday at 8 p. m. at a meeting of the West Texas Geological Society in the Municipal Auditorium. The bill, now pending before Congress, is said to be of vital interest to geologists and engineers.

Fred Wilcox, president, also has announced other business for the session.

German City Left In Flames By RAF Blockbuster Raids

By The Associated Press RAF block-buster raiders "in great strength" left the Rhine city of Cologne in flames before dawn Tuesday and also attacked Hamburg in Northwest Germany, marking the eighth assault on the Nazi home front in 10 days.

Twenty-five RAF bombers were listed as missing in the synchronized thrusts. In terse phrases, the German high command gave this account of the attack on Cologne (pop. 800,000), the 117th of the war:

"A British force carried out another serious terror raid against residential quarters of the city of Cologne last night. "Thickly populated parts of the city were destroyed as they were hit by a great number of explosive and incendiary bombs, causing conflagrations. Nazi Hopes Blasted

"The Cologne cathedral suffered damage caused by fire. The population suffered losses." Berlin dispatches to Stockholm, Sweden, said Monday night's raid on Cologne blasted German hopes that stiffer anti-aircraft defenses would slow up the Allied aerial offensive and that there would be "a change in the bomb war."

After a 48-hour lull, the RAF came back in force to explode the illusion. Axis broadcasts, now heralding July 3 as the date for an Allied grand assault upon Europe, continued to sound invasion alarms—notably in the Mediterranean theater—and the Rome radio declared that a state of emergency had been proclaimed in Iraq, next door to Turkey.

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Production Resumes At Chrysler Plant

DETROIT (AP)—War production reached normal again Tuesday at Chrysler Corporation's Highland Park plant when approximately 2,200 employees returned to work following a brief walkout.

The walkout, which started Monday morning, was in protest against disciplining of a shop steward laid off for six days, officials of Local 490, United Automobile Workers, said.

War Bulletins

LONDON (AP)—The Berlin radio reported Tuesday that a German submarine had sunk a British cruiser and torpedoed another vessel in attacks on a Royal Naval squadron in the Mediterranean. Earlier a Reuters dispatch from Lisbon quoted Portuguese sources as saying German planes had attacked a southbound British convoy off the southwestern tip of Portugal and sunk two vessels. This report also was unconfirmed here.

LONDON (AP)—More than 7,500 Belgian patriots have been shot by the Germans since the occupation, the Belgian government in exile said Tuesday, quoting the underground newspaper L'Insomnis. A Belgian Quisling, Henry Labro, chief of the Flemish national socialist group of Schaarbeek, Brussels, has been killed by patriots, the government said.

LONDON (AP)—The Paris radio said Tuesday that "July 3, the date mentioned by the German radio for (Allied) invasion of the continent is out of the question because July 3 is a Saturday and no Englishman will take anything seriously over a week end."

Allied Fighters Break Up Enemy Raid On Darwin

By The Associated Press Allied fighters were officially credited Tuesday with breaking up a 18-plane Japanese raid on Darwin, Australia, while Gen. Douglas MacArthur's long-range bombers fought their way through heavy weather to attack four enemy bases in the arc of islands to the north.

A communique from Gen. MacArthur's headquarters said nine twin-engine Japanese bombers, escorted by nine Zeros, met a stinging reception when they attempted to raid the Darwin area Monday night.

Two Zeros Downed British and Australian pilots, flying Spitfires, shot down two Zeros and probably destroyed two other enemy fighters and two bombers against a loss of one Spitfire. Slight damage and no casualties were reported at Darwin.

Winging through dirty weather over the Banda Sea, U. S. Liberator bombers battered Japanese airdromes on Amboina and in the Boeroe Islands, 600 miles above Australia, and other Allied bombers raided the airfields at Cape Gloucester and Rabaul, New Britain.

On the Burma front, RAF planes carried out widespread attacks on the enemy, bombing the Japanese base at Akyab on the Bay of Bengal coast, shooting up traffic on the Irrawaddy and Kaladan Rivers, and raking oil installations at Chauk.

"Take Your Change In War Stamps" Will Be Slogan Of Retailers

"Bomb Tokyo with your extra change" will be the slogan of Midland retailers during July as they conduct their campaign to sell at least \$1 worth of War Stamps to every man, woman and child of Midland. Midland's War Stamp quota for the month is \$12,000 which is in addition to the regular War Bond quota.

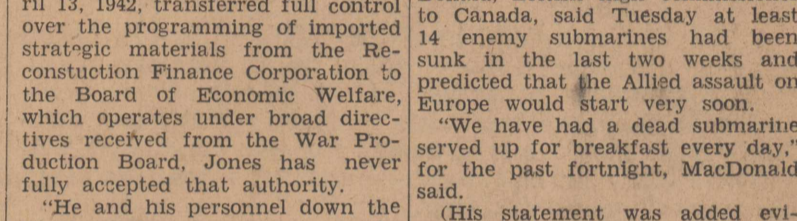
The nation-wide retailers campaign has as its purpose the raising of \$150,000,000 with which to purchase a new aircraft carrier, the Shangri-La, which will be used to again bomb Tokyo to avenge the cruel deaths of Jimmy Doolittle's fliers.

Quotas Based On Population Practically all Midland retail firms will offer stamps for sale and clerks are being instructed to urge customers to "take their change in War Stamps."

Midland's \$12,000 quota, based on population, is only a small percentage of monthly retail sales here, and Paul A. Nelson, chairman of the Retailers for Victory Committee of the Chamber of Commerce, predicts the goal will be exceeded by several thousand dollars.

"Midland again has a chance to lead the way in another War effort campaign and Midland citizens will not fail," Nelson said.

Boy From Greece



The hardships and sufferings of war are reflected in the face of this Greek refugee boy at camp in Egypt. Homeless Greeks are cared for near Suez Canal, then sent to new homes in Belgian Congo.

East Extender Of Fullerton Gauges 212 Barrels Hour

By Frank Gardner, Oil Editor Flowing 212 barrels of oil per hour from consolidated pay at 6,790 to 7,270 feet, the total depth, Fullerton Oil Company No. 1, E. M. Jackson, 3/4-mile east extender of the Fullerton field (Clear Fork-Wichita) pool in Northwest Andrews County, indicated initial production more than double that of the previous largest well in the area.

No. 1 Jackson, in the C SE NE section 17, block A-32, psl, first showed for record output when it flowed 104 barrels of oil per hour naturally at total depth of 7,005 feet, through 5 1/2-inch casing cemented at 6,790 feet. The upper pay was acidized with 2,000 gallons, with resultant flow of 124 barrels the first hour and 96 barrels the second hour, through tubing. Following re-treatment with 6,000 gallons at that depth the well averaged 96 barrels an hour for 4 hours, flowing 90 barrels the fourth hour, with gas-oil ratio of 862-1.

Increase in pay was logged by deepening to 7,270 feet, total depth. Tubing was run with packer set at 7,015 feet and the well flowed 36 barrels an hour naturally from the lower pay. It then was acidized in the lower zone with 2,000 and 6,000 gallons, respectively, and was flowing 100 barrels of oil hourly at the end of 5 hours. Tubing then was pulled and rerun without packer and the 212-barrel per hour (Continued on Page 5)

Yugoslav Guerrillas Stop German Attack

LONDON (AP)—Yugoslav guerrilla forces in Herzegovina and Montenegro have absorbed a 40-day German offensive and have launched a counterattack in which the Germans have been thrown back, Yugoslav government-in-exile sources said Tuesday.

Yugoslav patriots have cut the Sarajevo-Uphitz railway between Simbolic and the bridge over the Drina River and forced the Germans to retire, both in Herzegovina and Eastern Bosnia, informants who can not be named said.

With Axis reports focusing attention on the Balkans as the locale for an Allied invasion of Europe, Radio Morocco reported that battles were developing in Northern Greece between German troops and Greek patriots.

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If there are no germs of decay or evil in your life you can never die. Do not harbor evil thoughts; And this is life eternal, that they might know thee, the only true God and Jesus Christ whom thou hast sent.—John 17:3.

This Isn't In Germany

Consider the front page of any good newspaper for June 22. Take the New York Times, for example, which has long been proud of its objective treatment of the news.

If the date lines under the main headings on that page read Berlin, Essen, Friedrichshafen, Bremen, Dueseldorf, how elated we would be! We should feel convinced that Germany was cracking up, that the government had lost its grip, that the end was near.

But those date lines aren't from Germany, or even from Italy. They are from Detroit, New York, Washington, Columbus—American centers of industry, agriculture, commerce and government.

Twenty-three dead in rioting; federal troops called in when police and national guard fail to preserve peace. This from Detroit, a key war industries city.

Nine thousand tank cars shifted to east coast service because gasoline is so scarce farmers can't farm and workers can't get to the job—but OPA inspectors catch citizens still pleasure-riding.

Only the President can end the coal strike, in which 530,000 miners rest while soldiers beg for weapons and munitions that require steel that can't be made without the coal that is not being mined—and this is the third stoppage since March, and solution as far out of sight as it was in February.

Home deliveries of milk may have to be stopped in New York City—and where next?

This is only part of the front page for one day, and it treats of facts, not of the tortured imaginings of anti-administration propagandists. Neither is it reporting feats of saboteurs and pro-Axis agents; the Detroit race riots obviously were a spontaneous expression of antagonism which pro-fascists certainly like and may have encouraged, but they go much deeper than that.

Do you feel pretty good about the news of what our bombers and our anti-submarine craft are doing?

How do you suppose the fighting men feel about how we are doing, here at home?

—Buy War Bonds And Savings Stamps—

Rocking Chair Patriots

Freedom to us in this country, is our greatest heritage—likewise, its preservation is our gravest responsibility.

We have used the freedom our men are lighting to perpetuate, as an instrument to avoid discomfort. Some went out of strike in vital defense work because they did not get total wage increases demanded. Hundreds of thousands struck against government because they didn't think they were paid enough to dig coal with which to win the war. They actually have had the gall to wave the American flag over such acts, the same flag under which our troops are dying in every corner of the world.

Many, in selfishness, cheer at proposals for our government to run the show after the war, just like other governments have been running the show in Europe. They cheer because they think they can get more handouts from government. Apparently, after the war, they don't intend to stand up to wave Old Glory—they plan to do it sitting down in an easy chair.

This abuse of freedom must end somewhere, or there won't be any freedom to abuse. Our employing, tax-paying enterprises must be preserved as private endeavors. Men returning from war must be saved the right to go back to work under private employment, as free citizens. Unless the right is retained, representative government, cannot survive. Shameful attempts to use our freedom to avoid the hardships of war must be put down effectively and soon.

—Buy War Bonds And Savings Stamps—

A Record To Talk About

Activities in this country, commonly referred to as natural resource industries, such as oil, mining, and water power development, have made an outstanding record in war production.

While costs have been skyrocketing, oil and coal prices have remained practically stationary since the war began, and rates for electric power have shown a steady decline.

Failure of citizens to get all the oil or coal they may have desired has not been due to inability of industries involved to produce those products, but to causes wholly beyond their control. There has been no shortage of electric power.

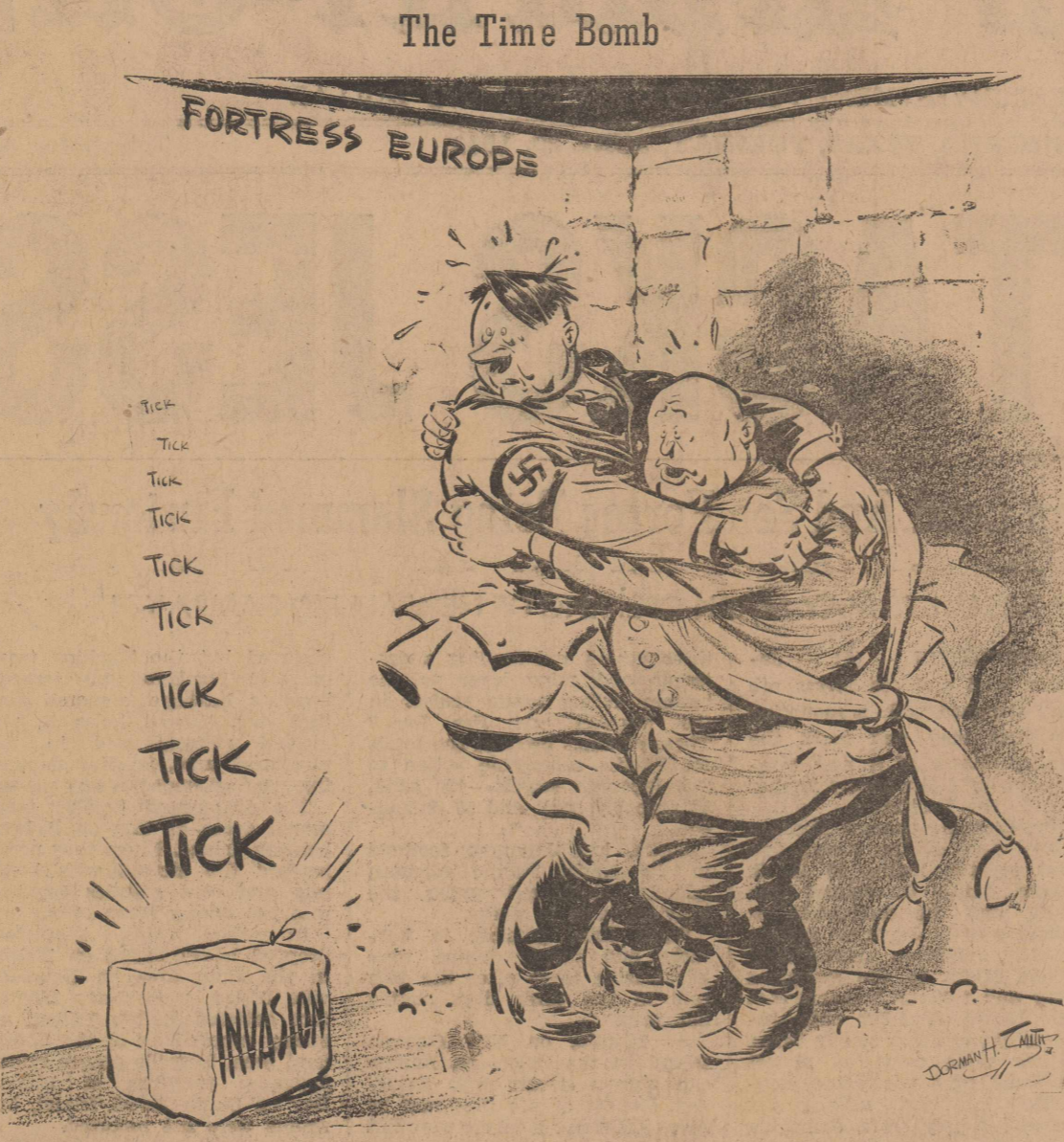
That is a remarkable record for private enterprise in the face of record-breaking demands. It should silence those who would place the development of industries so essential to the welfare of our people in the hands of bureaucratic control, thus smothering the incentive of free enterprise which has done such a remarkable job in making available to our people the benefits to be derived from the nation's natural resources.

—Buy War Bonds And Savings Stamps—

It takes a sock to keep some people from putting their foot in it.

The answer to over-stuffing on the good things come from your own garden is home groan.

A patriotic bachelor is a man who doesn't take stock



Betsy Beckham Bundy's Advice To The Lovelorn

Q. Is it not proper for a lieutenant to carry the packages of his wife when he is with her? I have seen several lovely women carrying their own bundles when their officer husbands were with them and had nothing in their hands at all.

A. I understand that it is opposed to military decorum for an officer to carry packages or bundles. He is not supposed to do so, under any circumstances.

Q. Do you think it all right to exchange birthday presents? I have received some birthday gifts recently that I do not need and I can exchange them for things that I would rather have, and yet I do not wish to offend anyone.

A. Yes, it is quite all right for you to exchange your birthday presents. If there are other things in the stores that you prefer, and you can keep the matter quiet and not tell all your friends who will go and tell the givers, it would be best to exchange the un-needed for the more to be desired.

Q. What would you suggest that my five-year-old girl wear at her birthday party? She is a pretty child, and I do not know just what kind of dress to get for her. There are many things that I see in the shops, but seldom do I see one that I want to buy for her. She loves dressy things.

A. Her little birthday party dress might be a dusty pink or a shell pink chiffon. It can be made very simply, with a ruffled band trim. Let her wear a bow of pink ribbon in her hair, and have her hair curled very prettily. Pink is so becoming to most children, and it can be built over a ruffled skirt of taffeta rayon, and touches of apple green would add interest of the green, but every body in the whole world selects blue and pink for almost everything, so I would stay away from the combination that is so frequently used.

Q. I wish to give my boy a party. He is 10 years of age. I am at a loss to know just what kind of a party to give him. He is just at an awkward age, and thinks he is so much more grown-up than he is. Can you help me?

A. Have him appear in dark navy suit with blue and white tie, and white shirt. Dress him up, and he will conduct himself in the gentlemanly way that he is appearing. Have a number of games for the children to play, and give favors to each.

For refreshments have a birthday cake iced in white and mounted by white or pink candles, 10 in number. Let the honoree and host cut the first slice, in cutting and serving it like. Serve quantities of ice cream and candies, and have the favors for the boys different from those of the girls. Use place markers, and invite 10 boys and 10 girls. If you have a pretty garden, entertain the children in the garden and have a prettily decorated table on the lawn and serve refreshments also in the garden. The games should be chosen for both girls and boys.

Mrs. Holt Gives Coffee For Two Popular Young Midland Visitors

Mrs. O. B. Holt entertained delightfully Sunday morning in her home, 101 North B Street, when a coffee was given in compliment to Mrs. James H. Walker of Norfolk, Va., and Miss Ruth Freeman, both of whom are nieces of the hostess.

The coffee was given in the sun parlor of the home, and the table was attractively decorated with crystal basket of roses and other summer flowers. Guests enjoyed the informality and spent much of the time in the garden of the home.

The guests of honor plan to leave very shortly for Los Angeles, Calif., where Mrs. Walker expects to join her husband who is in the U. S. Navy.

Guests present were: Mesdames Fount Armstrongs, George Ross, Neva Whitworth, George Seabold, Fred Kidwell, J. H. Fine, Ralph Guyger, Bill Hogsett, Jr., Allen Dorsey of Goldsmith, Arch Estes, Dusty Rhodes, Robert Walker, J. T. Walker, Woodrow Beatty, Des Hamm, L. M. Freels, John Porter, Ida Fay Cowden, Frank Cowden, George Glass, Clyde Cowden, M. C. Ulmer, Foy Proctor and Mae McCoy of Big Spring; and Misses Lee Johnson, Kitty Ellis, Jane Doran, Maxine Hays, Mary Souter and Brittie Niell.

Womens' Society Has Meeting Monday

The W. S. C. S. of the First Methodist Church met in the educational building of the church Monday afternoon.

Mrs. G. P. Bradbury, vice president, was in charge of the business session. Mrs. Luther Tidwell, the spiritual life leader, gave the devotional entitled "The Spiritual Life in the Home."

Much interest was manifested in the meeting, and a large number was present.

Those in attendance were Mesdames D. A. Pass, J. A. Andrews, W. A. Black, Mollie McCormick, H. D. Morton, Mary Lou Snodgrass, J. L. Barber, J. P. Carson, Sr., J. P. Bradbury, Joe Birdwell, A. G. Moore, M. J. Allen, Luther Tidwell, Alice Chapman, V. G. Royers, J. B. Carson, Jr., George Vannaman, C. H. Shepard, J. M. Prothro, S. H. Hudkins, Stacy Allen, and Otis Ligon.

A new subject of study will begin with the next meeting Monday. A closing prayer was given as the benediction.

Let's Do It Again

ALBANY, ORE. — (AP) — Marvin Smith's car was stolen, he told police—but the thief couldn't get far because there were only two gallons of gasoline.

Officers found the car in a nearby town. The tank was almost full.

Edward W. Kraitsie, basketball coach at Notre Dame, will continue to assist Frank Leahy in football.

George Woolf, known as "the Iceman" to fellow jockeys, has won his share of stake races but has yet to click in the Kentucky Derby. He's had seven mounts at Churchill Downs.

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Society

Business And Professional Women's Banquet Has Candle Light Ritual

Miss Ophelia Greene was installed as president of the Business and Professional Women's Club at a candlelight ceremony Monday evening, when the club members entertained at a banquet in the private dining room of the Scharbauer Hotel.

Miss Neta Stovall, retiring president, was in charge of the program. Mrs. Iva Noyes was installed as president-elect, Mrs. Frances Stallworth as vice president, Miss Bessie Munday as secretary, and Miss Blanche Sisk as treasurer.

Patriotic Motif

A huge bowl of red roses, blue corn flowers, and white stephanotis in the center of the speaker's table bore out the patriotic note. The red, white and blue colors were in evidence again in the place cards, and tiny American flags graced the nut cups.

The program opened with the ensemble singing of "The Star-Spangled Banner," and Mrs. Frances Stallworth gave the invocation.

Miss Greene gave an interesting report of the annual conference held June 11, 12, and 13 in Wichita Falls. She told of the hospitality extended the two delegates from Midland and gave emphasis to the profitable talks made by various officers from over the state, and the lovely reception given them.

Picnic Planned

Mrs. D. R. Carter spoke of the elections of the conference, and of political matters that apparently crept in at the elections. The meeting Monday evening was the first one held since the annual conference in Wichita Falls.

The club plans to entertain twice before the opening of the fall season. Each event will be a picnic, one to be given in July and one in August.

Mrs. Stovall gave a brief talk, in which she thanked club members for the co-operation given her as president during the past year. She brought out the fine work being done by the club, and urged its continuation with the new president, Miss Greene.

Impressive Ceremony

The candlelight ceremony was a very impressive one, with the president pointing out the responsibilities of each officer and the pledge of each officer in acceptance of the responsibility assumed.

The candles were blue, red, white, light green, dark blue and pink, each of which was lighted as the officer accepted the responsibilities of office. Holding the lighted candle, she made her pledge to the club.

Each candle had its significance: from the tall white central candle each of the others was lighted; the red candle symbolized character and obligation; the blue, harmony and faithfulness; the light green, constancy and endurance; the purple, trust and confidence; and the pink, of the president-elect, a willingness to prepare for the future.



Coming Events

WEDNESDAY—Holy Communion services and brief meditation will be held at 7:00 a. m. in the Trinity Episcopal Church with the Rev. R. J. Snell presiding.

The Red Cross work room in the Old Heidelberg Inn will be open for workers from 9 until 12 noon.

The Red Cross surgical dressings headquarters will be open from 9 to 12 and from 1 to 4.

THURSDAY—The Pagoda Swimming Pool will be open for girls from 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

The Red Cross surgical dressings headquarters will be open for work in the County Court House.

The annual meeting of the Midland Red Cross will be held at 7:30 p. m. in the City Hall.

The League of Women Voters will meet Thursday at 7:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Fred Fuhrman.

FRIDAY—The Children's League will meet with Mrs. John M. Hills, Belmont Bible Class will meet at 3:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Hoyt Burris.

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SATURDAY—The Children's Story Hour for pre-school and primary children will be held in the basement of the courthouse at 3:30 p. m. Films are shown at 2 p. m. preceding the story hour.

Mrs. Fred Fromhold spent Tuesday in Odessa.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Gile and sons, Richard and Charles, left Monday for Long Beach, California, for a visit with Mrs. Gile's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Kerr.

Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Blair and daughter Joan are on a trip to various points in Texas and New Mexico.

Marcus-Knapp Vows Read Here

Miss Ann Marcus of Chicago, Ill., became the bride of Second Lt. Robert C. Knapp of MAAFBS in a ceremony at 5 p. m. Saturday read by Chaplain C. C. Dollar at the post chapel.

The bride was crowned in a white silk jersey frock with white accessories. Her corsage was made of carnations. The maid of honor, Miss Ann Franzen, Chicago, wore a blue waffle pique ensemble with white accessories. Her flowers were pink carnations. Second Lt. Dan Carmichael of MAAFBS attended the groom.

The chapel was decorated with gladioli. Sgt. Donald Gillett, organist, played the wedding music.

Strike Up The Band

Mrs. A. N. Hendrickson has given greatly of her time to the surgical dressings department of the Red Cross, and has very carefully seen that workers did not fall off in too great numbers. She has steadily worked each day at the headquarters in the courthouse, and has supervised shipping of thousands upon thousands of gauze sponges.

Workers have come and workers have gone, but Mrs. Hendrickson has stayed right on the job, without absence, until the quotas have been filled.

A Greek word meaning "power of the people" is the source of our word "democracy."

Garden Barbecue Honors Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Walker entertained Sunday evening in compliment to their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Jimmie Walker, of Norfolk, Virginia, with a chicken barbecue in their garden.

The barbecue was served buffet-style.

Those present were: Lt. and Mrs. Robert Walker, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. McCoy of Big Spring, Mrs. O. B. Holt, Mrs. Foy Proctor and Miss Ruth Freeman.

Mrs. Walker and Miss Freeman plan to leave this week for California, where Mrs. Walker will join her husband, Jimmie Walker, who is in the U. S. Navy.

The liberty ship, Edward Grant, was named for the former Giant killed in World War I.



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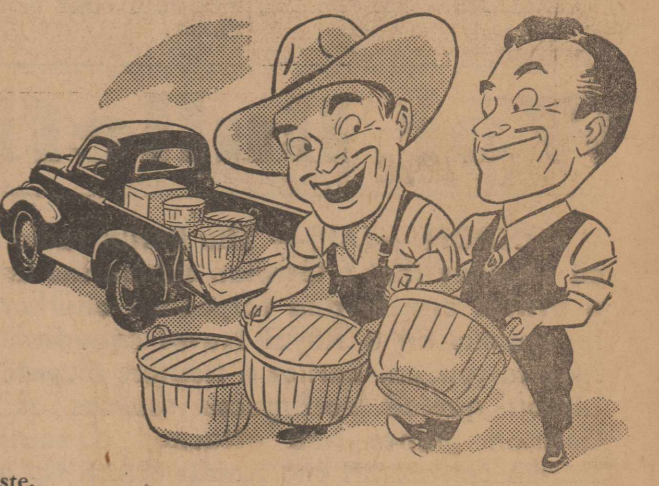
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American Beauty Shop Has One Of Most Modernly Equipped Salons In West Texas

The American Beauty Shop, located at 407 West Wall Street, is one of the most attractive and most modernly equipped beauty salons in West Texas.

Mrs. Bertha Johnson, a competent beautician who has had 17 years of experience in this work, is joint owner with her daughter, Mrs. Juanita Hekkla of Big Spring. Mrs. Sarah Dorsey is in charge of appointments.

The neat and attractive shop, opened in 1934, is equipped with three permanent wave machines, two facial chairs, a steamer, three laboratory shampoo bowls, and eight dryers. Plenty of soft water, so necessary to good hair care, always is available.

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Midland Indian Store Has Large Stock Of Gifts

One of the most complete and colorful stocks of gifts in West Texas will be found in the Midland Indian Store, located at 208 West Texas Avenue. Hundreds of practical, ornamental and representative Indian and Mexican items are available, and many other types of novelties also are carried by the store.

The Indian jewelry department is one of the most popular sections of the store, operated by Mr. and Mrs. Casey Jones. Here are to be found handmade rings, bracelets, brooches, wrist bands, beads and silverwork. Each has been made on a reservation by skilled craftsmen.

Many Gift Items
Beautiful and serviceable pottery, both Mexican and Indian, is on display, and other native products, such as Navajo hand-woven blankets, serapes, basketwork, and beadwork, are to be found in abundance.

Other gift suggestions include: Book-ends, hand-tooled leather belts, pottery banks, paintings, chenille hand-woven ties, broze-work, scrapbooks, ladies' novelty belts, hand-embroidered aprons, table cloths, luncheon sets, Mexican silverware, Indian toys, dolls, archery equipment, and many others.

Burwood products, carved by master craftsmen, are popular items. These include carved figures symbolic of the West, book-ends, photo and scrapbooks.

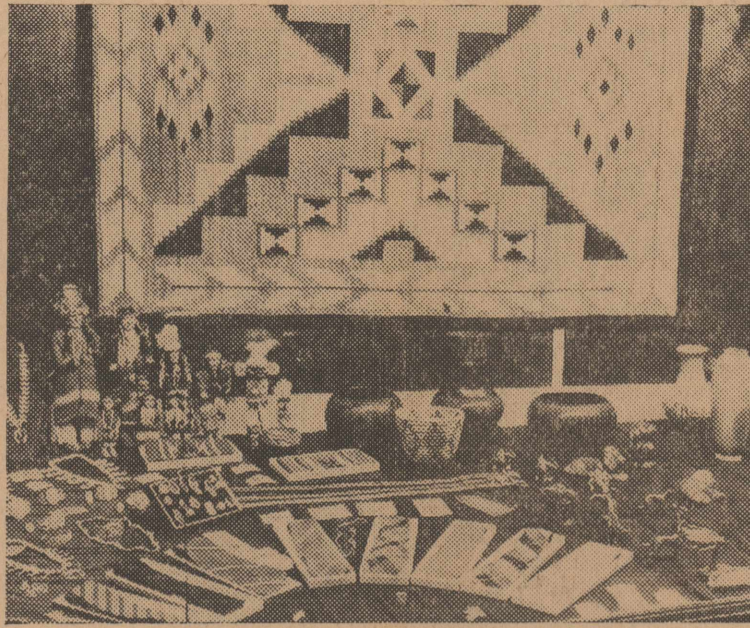
Lots Of Novelties
Novelties of many types are offered. Souvenir cards of Texas are carried especially for new residents here.

One of the most representative and appreciated gifts of the West is a box of cactus plants. These attractive plants are sold ready for mailing by the Indian Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones invite West Texas residents to come in and inspect their store.

Now is the time to buy War Bonds and Stamps.

Indian Store Display



Pictured here is an attractive display of items available at the Midland Indian Store, 208 West Texas Avenue. Beautiful and serviceable gifts may be found in abundance at this complete store.

New Shop Here Cares For All Glass Problems

Many Midland residents have discovered that their glass problems no longer need worry them, since the establishment of the new glass department at the Higginbotham-Bartlett Company, 217 West Missouri Avenue.

Housewives have found that glass helps to improve the looks of their furniture, and office workers find that glass tops for their desks help to keep them free from cluttering.

Care For All Work
The new shop of the company, operated by Hugh M. Shelton, is equipped to take care of all glass work. Automobile, furniture and desk top, and plate glass are specialties in the shop, which handles almost any other type of work.

Glass is cut to fit any design and is polished for any purpose in the shop. Large stocks of safety plate, combination and plain glass are carried by the department.

On special orders, measurements are taken, patterns made, and glass cut to fit the requirements by Shelton, who has been in the business for several years.

Complete Stocks
The Higginbotham-Bartlett Company, managed by Marvin English, offers complete stocks of hardware and builders supplies as it is possible to obtain. Although wartime shortages have limited the supplies of many items, the majority of needs for the repair and maintenance of the home still may be obtained.

Residents of the Midland area are invited to inspect the lines of wallpaper, paints, builders' hardware, lumber and other construction supplies at the company.

Distant Relatives

WARSAW, MO. — (P) — Twin daughters born to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Howe arrived 26 hours and 125 miles apart.

One arrived at 7 a. m. Sunday at the Benton County Clinic here. The other was born in a Kansas City hospital at 9 a. m. Monday.

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WOMEN WON'T TALK

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JAIL CHAPTER XXIV IT was Kathy's great moment and she was magnificent. She marched up to Shaw with her head held high and her eyes flashing scornfully at him. "Nice work, sheriff," she taunted. "You've built a perfect case out of air. And if it was anyone but Gram, I'd let you get away with it. Sorry to spoil your climax but—I killed Derek Grady!" No one seemed able to say anything. "I killed him, but you'd never have proved it on me. I was too clever for you. I destroyed the only evidence you would ever have had against me. Destroyed it yesterday and no one suspected. My BLACK COAT, the BLACK COAT with the bullet hole in the pocket. I carried it out of here before their very eyes—Gram even saw me and talked to me in the hall. I took it out on the lake and filled the pockets with stones and sank it." Shaw waited until she had finished and then said quietly, his words deflating her like a pin-pricked balloon. "I was wondering if I'd have to take your grandmother to jail before you'd break down and confess." She struggled vainly to regain her self-assurance as he pounded questions at her. She had gone to the bank in Liston the morning of the day when Grady was killed, hadn't she? Yes. She had tried to cash a check for \$5,000 hadn't she, and the bank had had only \$500 in cash on hand? And the cashier had told her she couldn't get it until morning even by going to Middleton for the banks closed there at noon on Thursdays, taking their half-holiday in midweek instead of on Saturday during the summer, wasn't that right? Yes. And Derek had gotten pretty nasty, hadn't he, when she went back to him with only

\$500, for he couldn't wait until morning, the police were too hot on his trail? KATHY'S lips opened but no sound came from them, and there was sheer heartbreak in her eyes. Shaw waited a moment, and when he saw that Kathy wasn't going to speak, asked, "What did he do? Threaten you with physical harm?" Kathy wet her parched lips. "No. He—he saw my ring, and he wanted it—and I said I couldn't give it to him, it was my engagement ring, and then he took it from me. He—he hurt me." She swallowed once. "I had the gun in the pocket of my coat—I had gotten it for him, out of the desk in Gram's room, and so—I shot him." It was at this point that George Baker got up from his chair with the jerky motion of a jack-in-the-box. He strutted up to Shaw. "See here," he ordered, trying to make his falsetto voice belligerent. "What's the use of airing all this in public? What if she did kill the man? He deserved it, didn't he?" He fumbled at a pocket and drew out his check book. "Just forget all this. I'll pay you anything—anything you say." No price was too high to protect the precious Baker name from any connection with scandal. But George had made a mistake. Shaw didn't even bother to answer the dapper little banker, just turned a broad shoulder in his face and spoke to Kathy: "Are you ready to go now?" What happened after that was anti-climax. George's splutterings became abusive... something about the complete assninity of policemen. Kathy turned toward him. "I'm sorry, George, that I got you into this mess." She looked down at her bare left hand. "I can't give you back your ring—just now—

but please understand that our engagements ended. You're not to blame for any of this, and it's not fair that you should suffer." George's face flamed. "What do you take me for? I'm sticking, of course." Of course! The code of the George Bakers never allows them publicly to run out on a woman. AND so George and Mattison and Walter went along when Shaw took Kathy away. Mattison giving me an odd look just before he went out the door. Connie stayed behind, obviously thinking it her duty to take care of me. I let her help me up the stairs, but once there I told her I'd be all right and shut my bedroom door firmly in her face. Then I went to bed and to sleep. I slept straight through until the next morning, and woke to find it still dark at 8 o'clock and heard rain pelted against the window panes. I called Clara and asked her to bring my breakfast upstairs, and I was still eating when Walter came in. He gave me a couple of pieces of bad news to digest along with my toast and marmalade. First, he said Kathy would have to stay in jail. There was something in the law which said a person charged with murder couldn't be released on bail. Then he added that George Baker was flying east to engage the best criminal lawyer available for Kathy's defense. Those were a couple of angles I hadn't counted on. I thought things over and as soon as Walter left I got up and dressed and went downstairs and called Clint Mattison at the Cottage. I asked him if he'd drive me in to see Kathy. That was the funny part of it. I didn't wait for Mattison to come looking for me. No, I sent for him! And so I had no one but myself to blame for what happened after that. (To Be Continued)

Betsy Ross



Mrs. Yoshiye Abe, American of Japanese ancestry, hopes she will make the U. S. flag that our forces will carry into Tokyo. Mrs. Abe and her husband were evacuated from Fresno, Calif., to Santa Anita assembly center, then sent to Denver, where she works in flag factory.

Mass Arrest

GREENVILLE, MISS. — (AP) — Anna Craig, 36-year-old negro woman, arrested for possession of whiskey, went calmly with the police but their troubles began when they tried to boost her into the patrol car. It took more than half an hour. Then, at the modestly-sized jail, Anna had to be squeezed sideways through her cell door. Anna weighs 550 pounds.

James Roosevelt Is Lieutenant Colonel

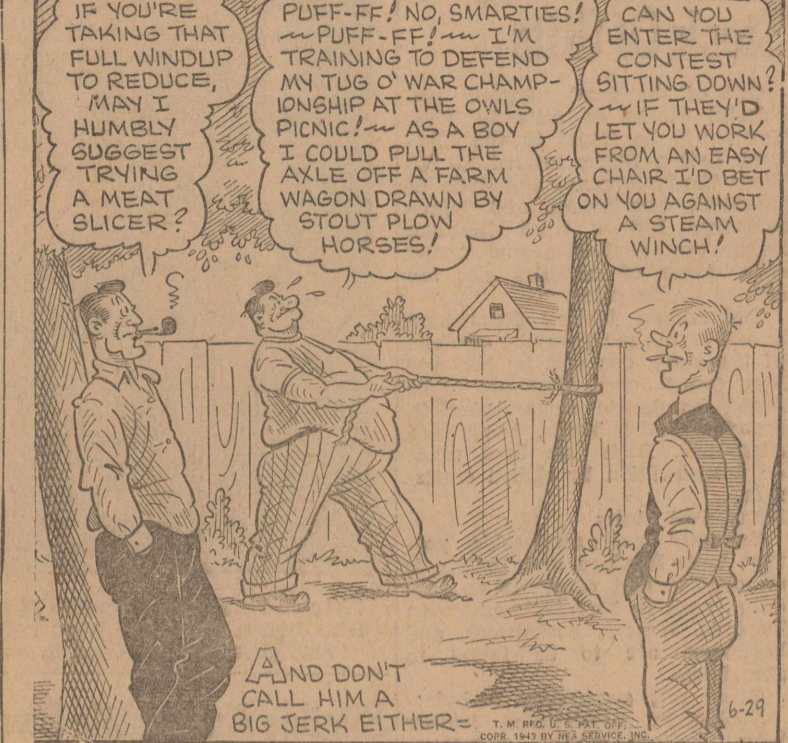
WASHINGTON — (AP) — Marine Corps headquarters announced Tuesday that James Roosevelt, eldest son of the President, has been given the rating of lieutenant colonel in the Marines' general service. Col. Roosevelt, who distinguished himself in action with a Marine raider unit in the South Pacific, was among 166 Marine Corps officers promoted.

His previous rating, that of lieutenant colonel only in the status of an officer in the raider forces, was revoked, effective June 1, and the same rating awarded him for general service. Ray Starr of the Reds wears number 37 on his uniform. That happens to be the age of the Reds' pitcher.

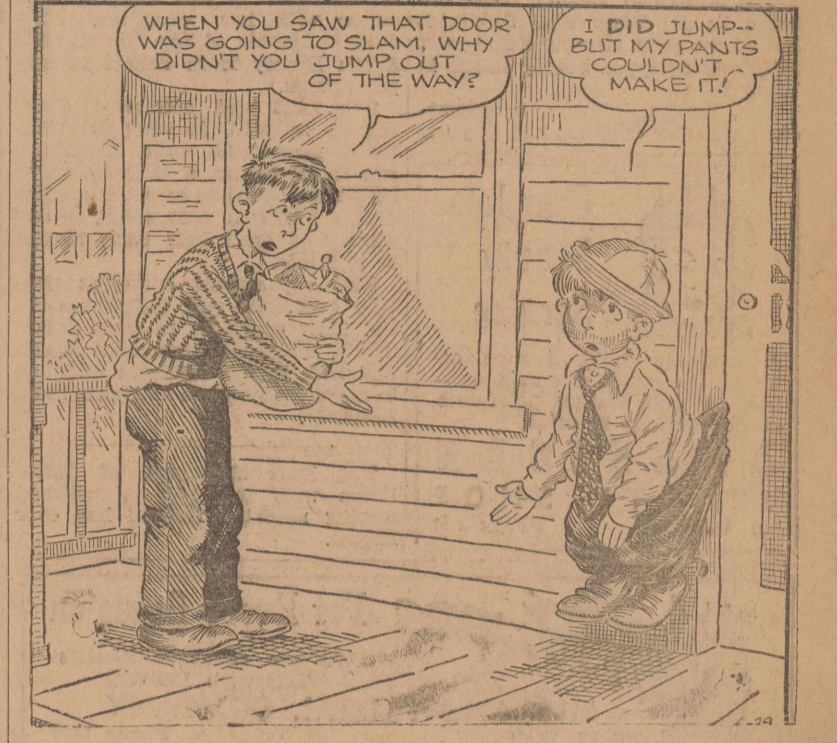
Double Trouble

CHICAGO — (AP) — George Ottenhoff told police he wouldn't have any trouble identifying the gunmen who held him up in his real estate office and robbed him of \$358. Police figured their hunt for the bandits would be considerably narrowed by Ottenhoff's description of the men. He said they were identical twins. READ THE CLASSIFIED ADS

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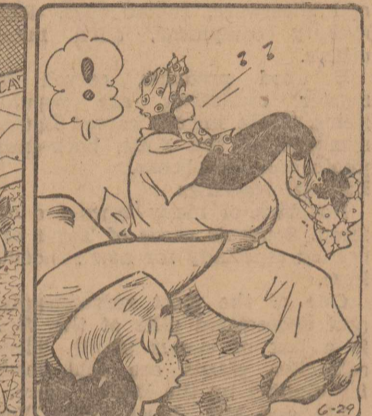
Nation's Schools Hit Hard Blow By Loss Of Teachers

INDIANAPOLIS — (AP) — The war has hit a hard blow at the nation's schools, educators attending the 23rd annual meeting of the National Education Association agreed Tuesday. Thousands of teachers have left their school work to take higher paying war jobs, while other thousands are in the armed forces. An official report by the NEA predicted an estimated shortage of 75,000 teachers by next fall. Dr. Alonzo F. Myers, chairman of the department of higher education of New York University, said in an interview that about one fifth of the nation's 30,000,000 school children will return to new teachers next September. NEA Backs Bill More than 100,000 of the 250,000 teachers who will have to be hired this summer will have substandard qualifications, he predicted, and given employment only because of the shortage of teachers. Dr. Myers asserted that a high percentage of teachers who are working in war plants will not return to their former jobs next fall. The Thomas-Hill bill now pending before the Senate, which would provide schools with \$300,000,000 annually to raise teaching salaries, had the unanimous approval of the NEA, the group voting Monday night to endorse the bill.

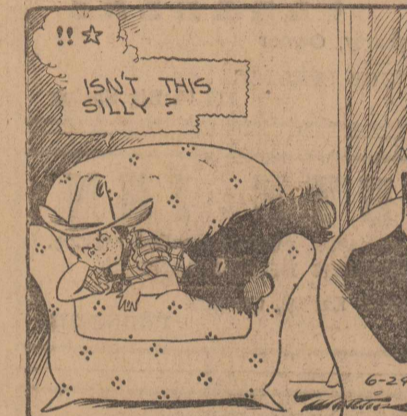
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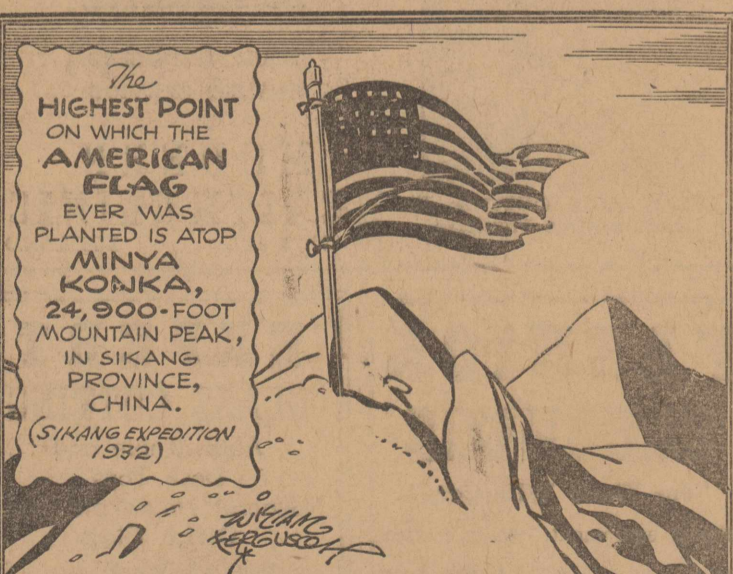
McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

By William E. McKenney American's Card Authority I like to hear Harry Fishbein of the Mayfair Bridge Club in New York explain a hand. He becomes a little excited, but you can bank on the theory he puts out. Here is a hand from the recent Eastern team event. Fishbein argued that you must hold off the heart until the third round. East had not supported hearts, so West could easily have six of that suit. North won the third heart with the ace and led the queen of clubs, realizing that if West held the king, the contract could not be made. Fishbein maintained that the queen was the proper play, since all four club tricks must be won in order to make the contract. The only way to do this was to find four clubs to the king in East's hand and the singleton jack in the West hand. Of course with the play of the club queen, the declarer made three spades, one heart, one diamond and four club tricks for his contract. KAISER SHIPYARD TO BE INVESTIGATED SAN FRANCISCO — (AP) — Henry J. Kaiser's Richmond, Calif., shipyard No. 3, its production and management, criticized before a House committee here last week, will be investigated by the U. S. Maritime Commission, Rear Admiral Howard L. Vickery has announced. Advertise Or Be Forgotten. HOLD EVERYTHING CAMP THEATRE

Betty Grable Helps Oil Man In A Pinch

LITTLE ROCK, Ark. — (AP) — Under-the-table pinches from his actress-wife June Knight were Arthur A. Cameron's reward for an attempt to carry on polite conversation with Film Star Betty Grable, the wealthy Texas and Indiana oil man told an Arkansas divorce court. The incident was described by Cameron as the court heard his side of the divorce action. A cross-complaint by Miss Knight is scheduled for hearing as soon as Cameron's suit against her is completed. "Mrs. Cameron is so jealous I'd say it was a phobia with her," said the oil man who married Miss Knight at Beverly Hills, Calif., in 1938, and separated from her at Evansville, Ind., last fall. At one party, he said, Miss Grable was on his left, Miss Knight on his right and twice when he turned to talk to Miss Grable, his wife pinched him. Finally, he said, he persuaded Miss Grable to seize Miss Knight's hand the next time she pinched him in hope it would "cure Mrs. Cameron of her jealousy." Cameron said their romance began to sour in the spring of 1942 when he discovered Miss Knight had engaged a detective to follow him. He retaliated, he said, by hiring a detective to follow her detective. CHIANG DECORATED BY MEXICAN GOVERNMENT CHUNGKING — (AP) — Mexico's highest decoration—the Order of the Aztec Eagle—was conferred Tuesday upon Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek by the Mexican charge d'affaires, Alfonso Castro Valle, on behalf of President Avila Camacho. In presenting the decoration Castro Valle paid tribute to Chiang's "fight for the maintenance of China's sovereign rights and independence against one of the mightiest of the aggressor powers." DR. MEYER REPORTED RESIDING IN HOUSTON HOUSTON — (AP) — Dr. Heinrich K. E. Meyer, former professor of German at Rice Institute whose certificate of naturalization was taken from him by order of United States District Judge Allen B. Hanna approximately three months ago, was reported to be living in Houston after release Sunday from a South Texas internment camp. Gertrude Ederle was the first woman to swim the channel on Aug. 4, 1926.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson



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