

ALLIES RACING TOWARD MESSINA

Munda Falls To American Infantrymen

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN THE SOUTH WEST PACIFIC (AP)—American ground troops completed the occupation of Munda Friday, just 32 days after a beachhead was secured on New Georgia Island and five weeks after U. S. invasion forces landed on the neighboring island of Rendova, June 30.

A special communique issued Friday night from General Douglas MacArthur's headquarters gave few details of the final assaults which crushed the enemy's stubborn but hopeless stand.

But preliminary announcement that 1,671 Japanese dead already had been counted testified to the bitterness of the struggle for the 4,000-foot long airdrome and protecting fortifications built by the Japanese since they occupied New Georgia one year ago. Since that time Munda had become the core of Japanese defenses in the Central Solomons.

Other Bases Threatened

The bulletin proclaiming that "Munda is now in our hands" and that "enemy resistance has ceased" was foreshadowed Friday morning by the official assertion that the Japanese garrison at Munda had been completely encircled.

Yankee forces ringed the beleaguered objective after breakthroughs which carried one American infantry unit around the enemy's northern flank to the New Georgia coast, and another paced by tanks into the center of the airdrome.

Loss of Munda and its garrison unofficially estimated at 5,000 men—leaves in precarious possession of the Japanese one other weaker foothold on New Georgia, around Bairoko Harbor ten miles north of Munda, and the long-established base at Vila on adjacent Kolombangara Island.

Bairoko Area Quiet

Little has been reported from the Bairoko sector since July 10 when an American force which had landed on the north coast of New Georgia five days earlier established a road blockade cutting the principal line of communication between two Japanese forces.

The enemy has managed to hold out at Bairoko and at Vila, eight miles to the northwest in the face of repeated American bombings. Meanwhile, mauling blows delivered by surface and aircraft have beaten back all major Japanese efforts to send in reinforcements and supplies by sea.

Failure of the Japanese warships to fight their way into the area forced the enemy to attempt to send assistance by barges under cover of darkness but even this line of supply was hit hard and often by our light surface craft.

BRITAIN HAS ANOTHER NIGHT FREE OF RAIDS

LONDON (AP)—Britain had another raid-free night Thursday night, extending to five days and five nights the time that has elapsed since a German plane last was reported over the country. No air raid casualties have been reported for 22 days.

LAVAL TO SEE HITLER

LONDON (AP)—The Alsace radio said Friday Pierre Laval, chief of the Vichy government, would go to Berlin next week to discuss measures for the control of French guerrilla activity against the Germans. The broadcast was recorded by The Associated Press.

War Bulletins

LONDON (AP)—The radio stations at Bremen, Germany; Calais, France, and Friesland in Holland announced without explanation Friday morning that they were leaving the air until 1 p. m. (6 a. m. Central War Time.)

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA (AP)—More than 800 Axis airplanes, many of them serviceable, were found abandoned on airdromes captured in Sicily up to last Wednesday, it was stated officially Friday.

MOSCOW (AP)—An urgent appeal for speedy establishment of a second front in Europe came Friday from the Soviet publication "War and the Working Classes," which asserted it would be "the key to victory over Hitler in 1943."

Citizens Becoming Aroused —

Unrest Of Italian People Renewed By Failure Of Cabinet To Indicate Signs That Peace Is Being Sought

BERN SWITZERLAND (AP)—Failure of the new Italian government to give any outward signs that it is seeking peace renewed the unrest of the Italian people Friday—an unrest accentuated by news of the fall of Catania, Orel and Belgorod.

The Milan correspondent of the Zurich Die Tat reported that Thursday's cabinet session had aroused tremendous interest among the Italian people, "all of whom expected Premier Badoglio to report on the dramatic situation in Italy and its wish for peace."

"Everyone is talking of peace these decisive hours and the possibility of reestablishing Italy's honor," the correspondent wrote. He added that the Allied conquests of Orel and Catania "caused an enormous sensation. The people asked each other 'How can Badoglio still hesitate?'"

The cabinet, however, gave no sign that Badoglio was seeking peace. The announced result of the long session was the enactment of a series of measures continuing the destruction of the Fascist party structure, revising methods of administering the country's penal code, abolishing racial laws and instituting severe controls of the press for the duration of the war.

All these measures, plus an investigation into the wealth accumulated by leaders of the Fascist party, said the Tribune di Geneve in a Rome dispatch approved by the Italian censor, are intended to win the support of the Italian masses for the foreign policies of the Badoglio regime.

The dispatch added that the new government is "firmly determined to continue the war and is asking the Italian people to defend their liberties by strict collaboration with German national socialism."

Jap Ship Losses In Solomons Far Above America's

U. S. HEADQUARTERS IN THE SOUTH PACIFIC (AP)—Japan has lost more than twice as many warships and four times as many planes as the United States in the South Pacific since the beginning of the Solomons campaign one year ago.

A compilation based on official communiques showed Saturday (Solomon time) the extent of American superiority over the enemy in the air as well as on sea.

Figures covering the period of Aug. 8, 1942, to May 8, 1943, for the South Pacific only, placed Japanese losses as 96 warships sunk, 18 probably sunk and 123 damaged. United States losses were 41 ships sunk and nine damaged.

Enemy aircraft destroyed totaled 1,202 planes of all categories. Ours were not listed in their entirety, but a Navy spokesman said American losses were less than one-fourth of the enemy's, or in the vicinity of 460 planes.

(An Associated Press tabulation based on U. S. and Allied communiques and announcements to July 19 showed that Allied submarines, warships and planes have sunk at least 634 enemy naval and merchant ships since Pearl Harbor.

Here is a breakdown on the Japanese losses for the 10-month period: One carrier probably sunk, three damaged.

Two battleships sunk, six damaged.

Fifteen light and heavy cruisers sunk, three probably sunk, 25 damaged.

Forty-two destroyers sunk, 13 probably, 50 damaged.

Thirty-seven auxiliaries, all types, sunk, one probably, 45 damaged.

United States losses for the same period:

Two carriers (the Wasp and the Hornet) sunk.

Four heavy cruisers sunk, one damaged.

Four light cruisers sunk, one damaged.

Seventeen destroyers sunk, five damaged.

Fourteen auxiliaries sunk, two damaged.

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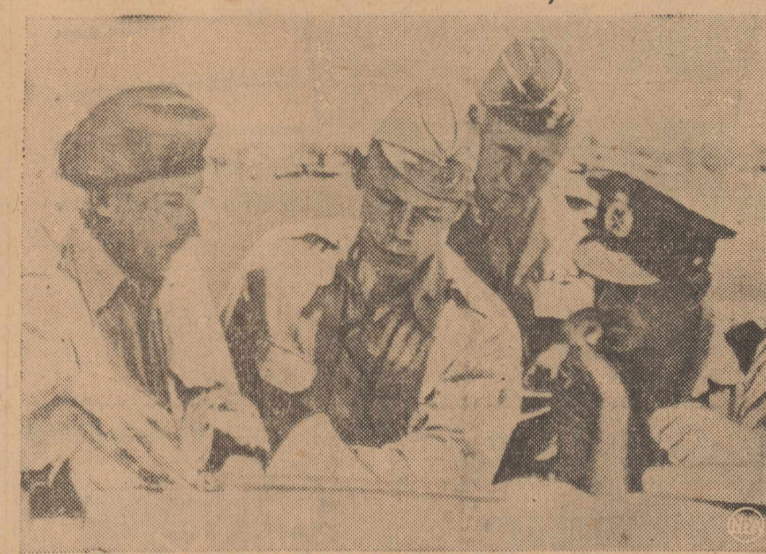
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WEATHER

Little temperature change.

Russians Take Belgorod

Confab in Sicily



Master-minders of the Sicilian campaign get their heads together somewhere on the crumbling Mediterranean island to talk the whole thing over. From left to right, Gen. Sir Bernard Montgomery, an unidentified U. S. general, Lieut.-Gen. George Patton, and Gen. Sir Harold Alexander.

Lt. Jack Cheney Killed In Crash Near Las Vegas

Lt. Jack T. Cheney Jr., 25, of Goldsmith, nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Watson of Midland, and three other Army airmen were killed late Thursday in the crash of a plane eight miles northwest of Las Vegas, Nevada.

The plane, a navigator-trainer, burst into flames as it struck the ground, officials at the Las Vegas Army Air Field said.

The other airmen were Lt. Avallon L. Finlayson, 24, of Salt Lake City; Lt. Clarence L. Newcomb Jr., of Auburn, N. H.; and Staff Sgt. Roland H. Busby Jr., 26, of Megargel, Texas.

Services To Be Here

Lieutenant Cheney, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Cheney of Goldsmith, was a passenger in the ship. He had been in the Army about three years and for two years has been in the Air Force as a pilot. He received his wings at Kelly Field.

His body will be forwarded to Midland and funeral services will be held here Wednesday or Thursday.

Other survivors include his widow, a brother, William Cheney who is in Army pilot training at Twenty-Ninth Palms, Calif., and a sister, Miss Bettie Lou Cheney of Goldsmith.

Hopper Discusses Youth Welfare At Jaycee Meeting

Advocating the formation of a community youth council which would promote a total youth program for the city, and declaring that the solution of youth welfare problems are up to the socially minded organizations of the city, the Rev. Hopper, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, addressed members of the Midland Junior Chamber of Commerce at their meeting in the Cactus Cafe Friday noon.

The speaker said youth welfare is an adult problem, and that the problem is multiplied by wartime conditions.

"Wartime conditions foster a devil-may-care attitude and produce evil results," he said. "The purpose of a youth welfare program is to correct rather than to remedy."

He said Jaycees can help solve Midland's youth welfare problems by setting a decent example, by taking an active and supporting part with those organizations that deal with such problems, and by fostering and helping to formulate a community youth council which will promote a total youth program for the city.

"A permanent rather than a temporary organization is needed to carry on an effective program," he said.

Committees for the year were appointed by Russell Howard, Jaycee president.

JAP NAVAL AUTHORITY IS KILLED IN ACTION

NEW YORK (AP)—A Tokyo broadcast recorded by the U. S. Foreign Broadcast Intelligence Service reported Friday that Commander Suteji Muroi, described as an intimate of the late Admiral Isoroku Yamamoto and an authority on naval warfare, had been killed in action.

Silver Star Is Awarded Major Darrell G. Welch

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Silver Star has been awarded to eight officers and two enlisted men of the Northwest African Air Force for gallantry in action, the War Department has announced.

Recipients included Maj. Darrell G. Welch of Midland, Texas, for gallantry in action.

The citation read: "Since September 1, 1942, when he was assigned to combat duty, this officer has flown 61 sorties over enemy-held territory. On April 5, 1943, Major Welch displayed unusual bravery and successfully completed the mission. By his high degree of dependability and courage, Major Welch has served the armed forces of his country gallantly and well, and upheld the high traditions of the Army Air Forces."

3,266 Ships Used In Sicily Attack

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA (AP)—The official Allied naval story of the Sicilian invasion was released Friday and it disclosed that 3,266 surface craft of all types from battleships to motor torpedo boats took part.

The subordinate naval commanders in charge of the American landings on 33 miles of shoreline and the British landings on 37 miles of shoreline were identified as Rear Admirals Alan G. Kirk, John L. Hall, Jr., and Richard L. Connolly of the U. S. Navy; and Rear Admirals Rhoderick Robert McGrigor, Sir Philip Louis Vian and Thomas Hopper Troubridge of the British Royal Navy.

The report said the British hospital ship Talamba, lying three miles seaward of one of the British anchorages and fully lighted in accordance with the Geneva convention, was deliberately bombed, with considerable loss of life, the first day of the invasion.

More Ice Available In Midland Friday

Midland's ice shortage eased some Friday with the arrival of more ice from an Odessa plant which helps serve this city.

Indications were that the Odessa plant would be able to produce nearer its capacity than has been the case in recent days due to low water pressure in that city.

More ice came from Odessa Friday than at any time within the last ten days. Meanwhile, the plant in Midland continued to operate at capacity.

A good rain will correct the situation, one ice plant operator said.

Meanwhile, ice dispensers continued to ration ice on the basis of the amount available for the city. Dairymen and food handlers were given first call on the ice here.

Citizens are cooperating in reducing the use of ice to a minimum, in response to the request of Mayor A. N. Hendrickson.

Germans Reeling Back As Russian Drive Continues

LONDON (AP)—German forces were reeling backward in their first great summer retreat of the war on the Russian front Friday as the shattering Soviet offensive that crushed Orel struck suddenly 165 miles to the south Thursday to wrest Belgorod from the Nazi invaders.

The double victory which pried loose two of the most important German strongholds on the southern front was hailed by Premier Joseph Stalin in a special announcement broadcast from Moscow as dispelling "the legend of the Germans that Soviet troops are allegedly unable to wage a successful offensive in the summer-time."

As Belgorod fell to the Russian drive threatening to push the cream of Hitler's forces back into the rich grain fields of the Ukraine, Nazi forces falling back from reconquered Orel were subjected to withering punishment from the Red air fleet.

Escape Road Littered

The escape corridor to Bryansk, 90 miles to the west, was littered with burning trucks, guns and other war supplies, the Russians said, as Soviet bombers bombed and strafed the retreating columns.

Seventy-two German planes of formations which tried to screen the beaten Nazis were reported shot down.

By Thursday night, German delaying forces which had been fighting from street barricades and sniping from attics and cellars had been mopped up, Russian reports said, and a large number of prisoners and much booty had been captured.

Northwest of Orel, the Germans launched sharp counterattacks but the Russians said their forces continued the general advance.

Bitter Defense Pui Up

Wellingtons blasted the beaches near Messina in a follow-up raid during the night, to disrupt German supply efforts and the evacuation of non-essential personnel reported under way for about a week. Small boats can ply the narrow Messina Straits despite the continuous Allied air and naval siege of those waters. A ship offshore was fired by a direct hit Thursday night.

Swarms of medium bombers, fighter-bombers and fighters continued to fill the sky over the dwindling enemy bridgehead, raving unopposed over roads and railroads, hurling steel into troop convoys and blasting the towns of Adrano, Francavilla and other key points of the German defense system.

Private Hanged At Louisiana Army Camp

CAMP CLAIBORNE, La. (AP)—Pvt. Walter J. Bohn, 26, of Wilkes-Barre, Pa. convicted at a court-martial trial on charges of rape, larceny and housebreaking, was hanged at Camp Claiborne early Friday, the public relations officer announced.

The soldier's execution was said by military authorities to be the first during the present war in the Camp Claiborne area.

His death sentence was reviewed by the Eighth Service Command with headquarters in Dallas, Tex., and approved by President Roosevelt. The attack took place Jan. 8, 1943.

The hanging for the man, accused of raping a young Alexandria housewife, was completed 20 minutes after Bohn mounted the gallows.

Goebbels Says Germans Have Secret Weapon That Will End War In Month

MADRID (AP)—That hardy perennial, Germany's "secret weapon," popped up again Friday.

This time the Berlin correspondent of the Spanish newspaper Arriba reveals the details of a terrible revenge that Propaganda Minister Paul Joseph Goebbels is cooking up for the staggering blows being dealt to the Axis by the Allied military machine.

Next November, the Berlin reports say, the Reich will cease its passive resistance and let the world hear it.

"This time it is not a bomb, not a radio-directed rocket and has no possible comparison with gas."

But it's terrible and it's ready. All that is lacking, according to Berlin, is the "terrible order for the destruction and the most complete annihilation of the enemy."

The agony won't last long, the correspondent reported. It will be over for all of the enemies of the Reich by Christmas.

U. S. Troops Seize Gagliano In Steady Drive Against Germans In Central Sector West Of Mt. Etna

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA (AP)—U. S. troops have plunged forward two to three miles on the north coastal road to Messina, and in the central sector of Sicily have seized Gagliano in a steady rollback of Germans west of Mt. Etna, an Allied communique announced Friday.

The Allied aerial tornado meanwhile reached a new climax as Flying Fortresses bludgeoned Messina, the last big Axis escape hatch to the mainland, and air and naval forces continued to blast open the path on the north coast.

British and Canadian troops in the center smashed ahead toward Adrano in "steady progress" forward of Centuripe and Regalbuto, headquarters said, but the Germans are resisting fiercely.

Swedes Pleased By Stopping Of German Traffic

STOCKHOLM (AP)—The Swedish public demonstrated pleasure Friday at the decision by the government of King Gustav V to bar Sweden's transit facilities to German troops and war material.

The average Swede never approved of the Nazi transit traffic between Germany and Norway and Finland through Sweden. It was accepted by the government as an expedient measure when war threatened the unprepared nation in 1940.

Now the Swedes are better prepared militarily than at any time in their history, with a well-equipped and superbly trained army of 400,000 men and coastal and other defenses on 24-hour alert for any eventually.

San Fratello Threatened

The communique said that a British Eighth Army brigade accepted unconditional surrender of Catania, the east coast airport and anchor of the Etna line, at 10:15 a. m. Thursday, and that the British then swept northwest to take Misterbianco and cross the Simeto River to Paterno 10 miles away.

Other British Eighth Army units were smashing ahead north up the east coast toward Taormina and Messina 55 miles away.

On the north coast the Americans are threatening San Fratello, a town with a strategic position two miles of that road junction, whose capture would cut the last lateral roads still in enemy hands.

The Flying Fortress assault upon Messina marked the first time in many weeks that the Allies' heavy air weapons have been used against the badly-battered Sicilian target.

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Woman Charged With Murder Of Girl Who Had Prettier Face

MOBILE, Ala. (AP)—Police Chief Dudley E. McPayden said Friday that Mrs. Rhea Sciaccia, 32, has confessed that she poured a fatal potion of carbolic acid on a 19-year-old girl in an effort to "disfigure the girl's face because it was younger than mine."

The girl, Stella Mae Morgan, an employe at Brookley Field, died at a hospital Thursday shortly after the acid-pouring incident.

Chief McPayden said Mrs. Sciaccia, in a statement, charged that her husband, a Mobile business man, had been "dating" Miss Morgan and the three met Thursday to "talk things over."

After the discussion, the confession said, they walked to an automobile in which the husband had intended taking both women home. Mrs. Sciaccia said after her husband and Miss Morgan had entered the car, she took the bottle of acid from her purse and poured it on the other woman and Sciaccia.

He suffered only minor injuries. Mrs. Sciaccia, the mother of two children, is charged with murder.

Fire Destroys Garage On South Weatherford

Fire Friday noon destroyed a frame garage at the home of Aley A. Bryant, 801 South Weatherford Street.

Mrs. Bryant had been burning trash and said she believed the garage caught fire from the trash. Flames were confined to the building and nearby grass.

No estimate of the damage was available immediately. Mr. and Mrs. Bryant purchased the property and moved into the house Thursday evening.

Japs Speed Work On Airports Near Japan

CHUNGKING (AP)—The Japanese, apparently fearful of air raids on Japan, are hurriedly enlarging their two main airfields in Epsh Province for attacks upon potential Allied bases in China, a Chinese military spokesman said Friday.

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When Our Soldiers Come Home
In principle, nobody should disagree with the program that President Roosevelt has proclaimed for the protection of our service men when they shall be demobilized.

That does not require entering into a battle of promises. If the President's 5-point program has any basic fault it is that it may suggest more than he means—more than he, or any informed person, believes can actually be done in the way of direct benefits.

But there is another field which the President has left open for somebody to take over. There is a greater responsibility which we owe to the soldiers, sailors, marines, WACS, WAVES, SPARS, nurses and war workers than a program of personal benefits. It is, in the President's own words:

"They must not be demobilized into an environment of inflation and unemployment, to a place on the bread-line or on a corner selling apples."
If we were trying to keep the President from rounding up service votes in advance we should try to find a way of curbing and even rolling back inflation; of seeing that our factories do not shut down on D(emobilization) day and stay shut down; of assuring to the men now in uniform not, primarily, a lot of handouts, however richly deserved, but rather an opportunity to get back promptly into civilian harness and to begin building for their civilian futures.

The President sees the need for this. He has pointed out the need, eloquently, time and again. But still there is ample evidence that Washington is falling down on that job.
For many reasons, some of them ideological, the way is being paved for a terrific crack-up economically when the war ends. There need not be one. Here is a great opportunity for either the President or his opponents, whichever grabs it first.

Buy War Bonds And Savings Stamps

Spook The Fifth

Probably by this time, anonymously in the midst of one of the formations that are blasting the Reich out of the air, Spook the Fifth is laying her eggs accurately and destructively. If she is, then the luck of an indestructible crew still holds.
Lieut. Robert Bender of Pollockville, N. C., and his original crew, intact, have survived four Flying Fortresses named Spook. The first was wrecked in a crash landing in England after being shot up over Germany; the second and third were so badly damaged by enemy fire that they had to be discarded; the fourth crashed into the sea after putting its bombs squarely on the target at St. Nazaire.

Always the crew survived, unscratched, and asked for another Spook. Iron men? Sure. They're some of the products of a democratic softness that a corporal named Adolf Hitler used to scorn.

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Wage Incentive Plan

The "wage incentive" plan, hailed by the War Production Board some months ago as something that would increase war production and give the workers more money at the same time, has been getting no place fast, although all the snags and objections to incentives seem to have been worked out in a few recent labor contracts which have been approved by the War Labor Board.

Chief objections to most incentive plans from labor is that they are associated with speed-up plans or efficiency systems or that, as soon as a higher rate of production is obtained, the employer cuts back the piece-work rate, thus leaving the employe worse off than he was before.

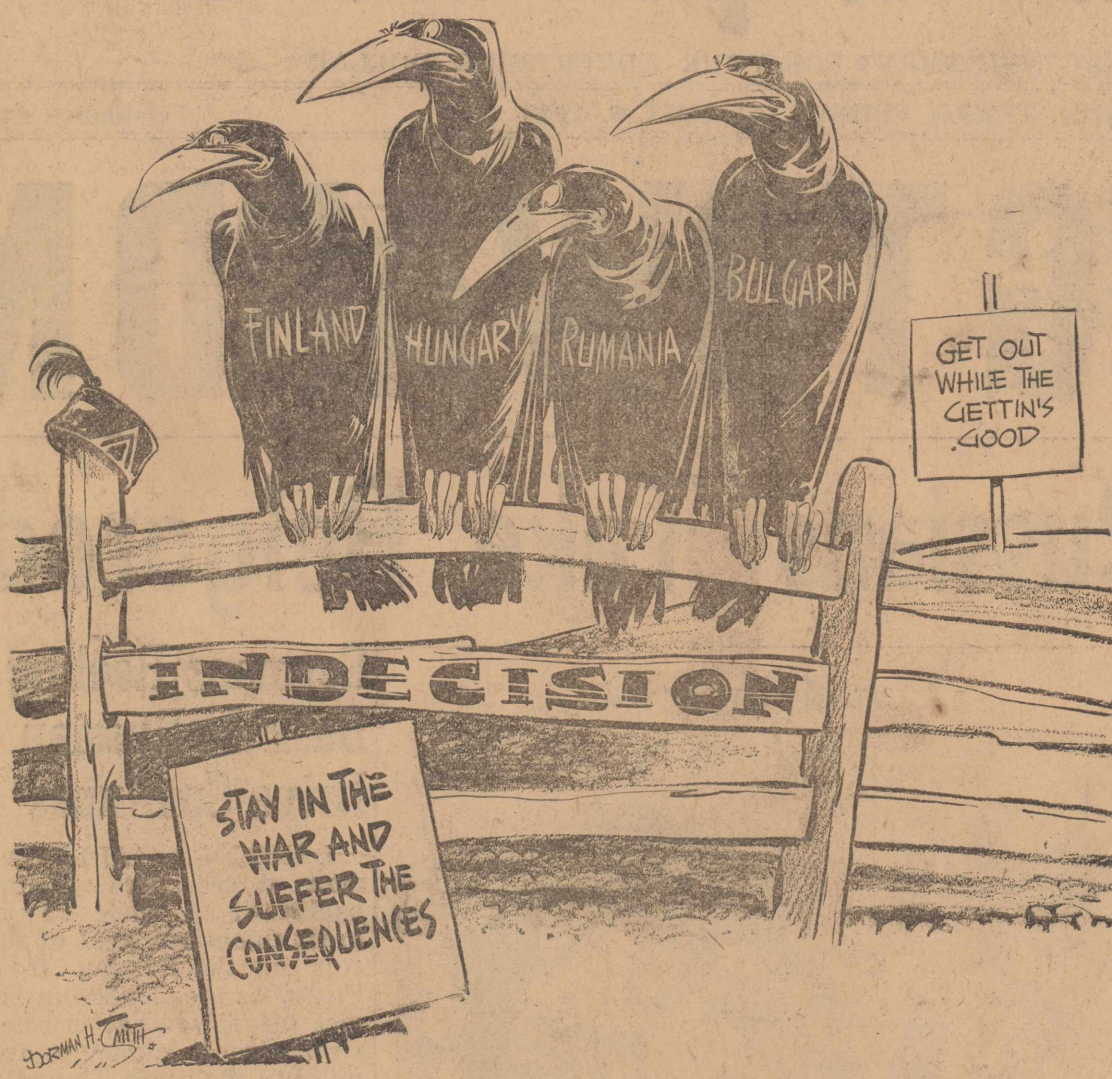
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You can't blame the German U-boats for preferring to go straight home to straight down.
Turning music records over to the boys in service promotes harmony in more ways than one.

Droppin gin on people usually is a friendly gesture—but Mussolini has reason to have another slant.

When the post-war autos come, why not have the tearing wheel in the back seat just to avoid arguments?

Four Little Blackbirds Sittin' On A Fence



Betsy Beckham Bundy's Advice To The Lovelorn

Q—The finest kind of a young man, planning to leave soon for overseas duty, proposed marriage to me, although I have not known him long, and have not gone with him a great deal. He has been very lovely to me, however, and I feel that he does care.

I rejected his proposal, as I am in love with another whom I have known many years. It seems that I will never love anyone else, and he has never asked me to marry him, although I know he cares deeply for me. When I think of having rejected the fine young soldier, I just wonder why, when I am alone and should be established in my home and have my husband, that his proposal had to be. I liked him, but I could not love him, as I love another. I acted I know as I should have in the matter. I know that soon the man I love will propose, but such sad things seem to be necessary when they are so useless in my life. Do you think I did wisely and right?

A—Yes, I think that you did exactly right. When you know that you love another, you should never accept a proposal from one you

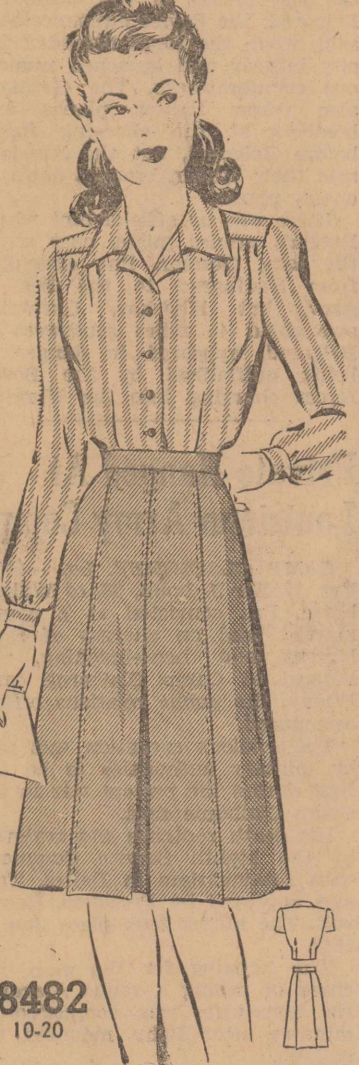
Brotherhood To Have Program

The Brotherhood of the First Baptist Church will meet at 9 p. m. Monday when the program for the evening will include a prominent speaker, to be selected, a musical program and a social hour.

do not love. It would be a crime on your part, and you would be a cheat and a full fledged falsifier, although any number of women in this world today would do that very thing. It is sad but true.

Do not worry anything about life's inconsistencies. They just seem to exist and there is little to be done about them if you have conscientious scruples. If the man whom you love never proposes to you, that would give you no, right to marry another. Since you know that you love this man, just go on with him and in time some real happiness will come to you. Maintain at all times your adherence to conscientious scruples, and refuse, no matter what happens, to be influenced into anything against your good judgment and your will.

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Q—I am a matron, not very young, and my husband has been dead for ten years. I am wondering if I should marry again, although I am not very much in love. I feel that when one gets in the forties she may never find herself very much in love. I have an opportunity to marry a very fine man, and he can take care of me in the best way possible, but I seem not to want to marry him. Do you think I am a chump, or what do you think?

A—I think if there is a doubt and a desire on your part not to marry this man, the you should not marry him. Maybe you will not have the violent "flaming youth" love of the teens and twenties, but there is strong attraction and deep regard even among people over forty, and you should follow the dictates of your conscience in this matter. Do not marry the man for a home and mere support, for you will never know happiness. It also would be cheating the man.

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Coming Events

MAAF officers and wives will attend a bingo party to be given in their honor at the Officers' Club at MAAF. Play will start at 9 p. m.

The Red Cross surgical dressings department in the courthouse will be open from 9 to 12.

Visitors Inspire Informal Courtesies

Captain Reese Cleveland will arrive Friday evening to join Mrs. Cleveland and their daughter Ann, who are visiting here and are guests at the Scharbauer Hotel.
Captain and Mrs. Cleveland claim many friends in the city and Mrs. Cleveland and Ann have been the inspiration of a number of informal social courtesies.

MR. AND MRS. RICHARDS RETURN TO ATHENS, TEXAS

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Richards, who were guests of the Scharbauer Hotel for a month, left Thursday for their home in Athens. Richards had the dirt and grassing contract for the airport.

Rev. and Mrs. Vernon Yearby and family, who have been sojourning in the mountains of Colorado for the last two weeks, will return home Sunday.

The city of Los Angeles was founded in 1781 by a small band of Spanish colonists.

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Lynn Abell Will Entertain Friday

Lynn Abell will entertain at a dancing party Friday evening in compliment to Miss Ann Cleveland of El Paso, who has been visiting friends in Midland for the past several days. She and her mother, Mrs. Reese Cleveland, are at the Scharbauer.

Invited guests will include Misses Patsy Arrington, Alma Fae Cowden, Elizabeth Ann Cowden, Dorothy Faye Holt, Rebecca Bird, Norma Jean Hubbard, Jane and Jean McMillan, Dorothy Barton, Barbara Rowell, Betty McCain, Mary Lee Cowden, Mary Martha Sivals, Dorothy King, Florence Larsh, Virginia Stewart, Betsy Nolen, and Pat Garner.

Montgomery Beret To Top Nurses' Uniforms

WASHINGTON — (AP) — The cocky Montgomery beret, set off with an emblem specially designed for the U. S. Cadet Nurse Corps, will top the \$100 official wardrobe, being designed by New York fashion experts for government subsidized student nurses.

Each cadet nurse will be issued summer and winter street uniforms, a topcoat and a reversible raincoat, as well as the beret.

Only 16 Report For Red Cross Work

Workers fell off in numbers Thursday at the Red Cross surgical dressings department, when only 16 were present for the half-day work, thereby cutting down on the production output.

Mrs. J. R. Martin was supervisor for the morning hours. Mrs. Adah Belle Reader served as monitor and Miss Montez Downey, Mrs. P. Ruckman and Mrs. Roy Downey were packers.

Others who worked through the morning hours were: Mesdames R. A. Doran, J. E. Spence, Don Davis, Harry Adams, W. L. Telson, Jr., George Kidd, C. A. Mix, A. E. Lynch, J. V. Birdwell, W. W. Walmsley, and A. Knickerbocker.

Two Sub-Debs Give Dancing Party

Miss Ann Porterfield and Miss Jean Funkhauser entertained with a dancing party at the Country Club Wednesday evening when forty guests were entertained. Ice-cream drinks were served throughout the hours.

Army coffee is brewed three pounds per 100 men.

Society

Ann Cleveland Honored With Picnic Party By Misses Cowden And Holt

Miss Ann Cleveland of El Paso, who is visiting friends here, was honored with a picnic and truck-ride Wednesday evening by Elizabeth Ann Cowden and Dorothy Faye Holt.

The group met at the home of Miss Cowden at 7:30 o'clock and was driven to Cloverdale Park where a delicious picnic supper was served. After supper, informal games were played. The party returned to the city via truck.

Canteen Corps To Serve Barbecue

Members of the Red Cross Canteen Corps will be in charge of the barbecue to be served at 7 o'clock Friday evening at the Country Club.

Seagraves Pastor To Preside At Services At First Baptist Church

The Rev. Roy Clayton, pastor of the Baptist Church at Seagraves, will speak at both services of the First Baptist Church here Sunday. The Rev. and Mrs. Vernon Yearby are scheduled to return Sunday night.

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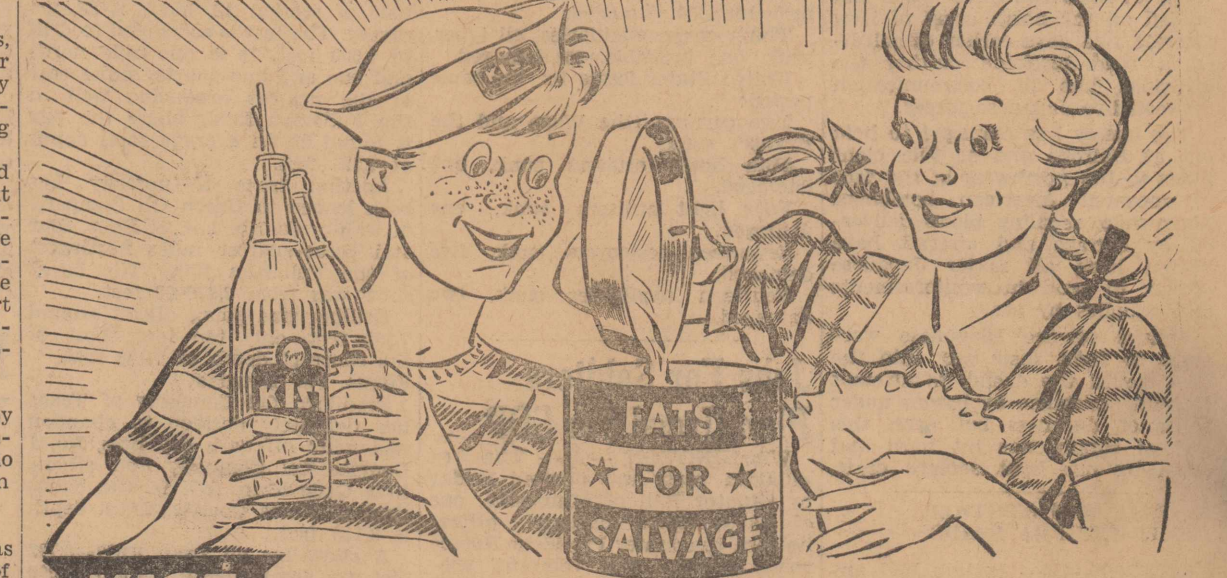
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A message for you...from 1953

(Today, John Jones is just an average American, wrestling with all the doubts and worries and problems that beset every one of us right now. But let's skip ahead 10 years. Let's look at John Jones then—and listen to him...)

"SOMETIMES I feel so good it almost scares me.

"This house—I wouldn't swap a shingle off its roof for any other house on earth. This little valley, with the pond down in the hollow at the back, is the spot I like best in all the world.

"And they're mine. I own 'em.

Nobody can take 'em away from me.

"I've got a little money coming in, regularly. Not much—but enough. And I tell you, when you can go to bed every night with nothing on your mind except the fun you're going to have tomorrow—that's as near Heaven as a man gets on this earth!

"It wasn't always so.

"Back in '43—that was our second year of war, when we were really getting into it—I needed cash. Taxes were tough, and then Ellen got sick. Like most everybody else, I was buying War Bonds through the Payroll Plan—and I figured on cashing some of them in. But sick as she was, it was Ellen who talked me out of it.

"Don't do it, John!" she said. *Please* don't! For the first time in our lives, we're really saving money. It's *wonderful* to know that every single payday we have *more* money put aside! John, if we can only keep up this saving, think what it can mean! Maybe someday you won't have to work. Maybe

we can own a home. And oh, how good it would feel to know that we need never worry about money when we're old!"

"Well, even after she got better, I stayed away from the weekly poker game—quit dropping a little cash at the hot spots now and then—gave up some of the things a man feels he has a right to. We made clothes do—cut out fancy foods. We didn't have as much fun for awhile but we paid our taxes and the doctor and—we didn't touch the War Bonds.

"We didn't touch the War Bonds then, or any other time. And I know this: The world wouldn't be such a swell place today if we had!"

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LAB GIRL

By Rene Ryerson Mart

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THE STORY: When Ned French announces that he has been drafted, and refuses to let his well-to-do father angle a commission for him, his sister Barbee secures a job in a plant that makes gas masks. She has been warned that it will mean incredibly dirty work.

SUE KELLER

CHAPTER V

PROMPTLY at 5:30 the next morning the shrill jangle of the alarm clock shattered Barbee's dreams. She struggled sleepily out of bed and tried to get her eyes open under a cold shower. The clocks in Wedgewood had been set ahead to war time and it was barely daylight outside.

In fact Barbee thought she had the entire world to herself as she hurried down the quiet street to the car line. The only sign of life stirring were the birds making an early morning clamor in the trees over her head. To her surprise the bus when it came was crowded. She managed to find a seat between an overflowing fat woman and a man in overalls.

She squeezed off when it was her stop, and walked hurriedly toward the gas mask factory. She didn't want to be late her first morning. She breathed deeply, glad to be off the crowded bus and in the open air again, and then she sniffed. There was a curious smell in the air, a sweetish, slightly sickening smell, the peculiar odor of carbon. It was a smell that was to haunt her days and nights.

DAVID KENT welcomed her with a good-natured smile. "Well, I see that you haven't changed your mind. Let me see—I believe I'll start you on the chlorine test with Susan Keller."

He led Barbee to a far corner of the lab where a blond girl with bright coloring and bold eyes was busy changing test tubes on one

of the hooded machines. He waited until the girl was through. "Sue, this is Miss French, Barbee French," he introduced. "I'm going to have her work with you. Will you take her around and introduce her to the others?"

Introductions in the lab amounted to a matter of first names. "Hey, Mary," Susan would call as they passed a worker's machine. "This is Barbee—Barbee French," "Madge—a new girl, Barbee French," "Rowena," "Carry," "Jean"—on and on.

Susan finally guided her back to her own machine. "Dave says you're to learn this test. So we might as well get started. You know what we do here, don't you?"

Barbee admitted that she had only the vaguest idea. "Testing charcoal in some way, isn't it?" "Charcoal to you—carbon to us," Susan explained breezily.

"You know what a gas mask looks like—that funny mask that fits on over your face and the long hose running down to a can of carbon in the pouch. The air comes through that can and the carbon takes the gas out of the air before it's breathed. The carbon had better be good or the mask's no good. See?"

"Yes."

"So our job here in the lab is to test the carbon against poison gases to see that it is good."

BARBEE experienced a sudden faintness. "You mean, there's poison gas here—in the lab?" Susan carelessly tapped a large glass flask, filled with a dark brownish liquid, and set in a larger container which was half filled with cracked ice. "That's it. We keep it packed in ice to keep it in the liquid form. It's a very volatile chemical, if it becomes warm it turns into a gas. It would be hard to control then."

Barbee's knees grew weaker.

She hadn't bargained for anything like this.

Susan went on breezily. "I've got a lot of tests to make this morning, so perhaps you'd better just watch. Later when I'm not so busy, I'll show you how to do a run."

By "run" Barbee began to understand that Susan meant the number of samples that could be tested at one time. She watched while the blond girl expertly filled a series of test tubes with the black carbon, attached them to the complicated testing machine, and made several intricate adjustments to the machine itself.

But in spite of her busy fingers, Susan's flirtatious eyes never missed anything. She hailed every man who came into the lab, and the younger ones seemed inclined to tarry in her corner. One of these was the young man who had bumped into Barbee the day before.

Susan noticed his frank stare at Barbee. "Barbee, this is Ken Carter."

Barbee nodded briefly.

"We've already met," Ken Carter said in his soft southern voice. He smiled at Barbee teasingly. When she made no retort he grinned a little deeper and walked away.

"What did he mean?" Susan asked curiously.

"He ran into me at the door yesterday," Barbee explained. "Got some dirt on the suit I was wearing. I suppose that's why he remembers me."

"He's the best-looking man around here," Susan informed her. "I mean when he's dressed up. Did you notice his eyes?"

Barbee shrugged and turned her attention back to the testing machine. If Ken Carter was Susan Keller's idea of a handsome male it was no concern of hers. Personally, she wondered if he ever washed his face.

(To Be Continued)

Rayburn Declares Navy Strength To Double 1942 Total

By Nelson Fuller
COMMERCE, TEX.—(AP)—Speaker Sam Rayburn (D-Tex) Friday said the U. S. Army has 2,000,000 men overseas and that the Navy will be twice as strong at the end of this year as it was at the close of 1942.

Rayburn spoke at East Texas Teachers College prior to receiving an honorary doctor of laws degree. Cites accomplishments of the Navy.

He cited that he called accomplished strides toward victory, in refutation of home-front critics whom he described as "our saboteurs of the spirit, the grumblers."

(Rayburn compounded grumblers and grumbler to get "grumblers.") "We must and we will win this war," said Rayburn, "but we must not forget our obligations of today and tomorrow... we must do a man's part in the world's great work of peace."

In defense of price control efforts, Rayburn declared the cost of living has risen 28 per cent in the 44 months since the war began in September, 1939, compared to 40 per cent during a like period in the first world war. The nation, he added, has been denied few things under rationing.

Dr. Sam Whitley, president of East Texas Teachers College, introduced Rayburn as "a typical example of how a boy has risen from humble circumstances to a position of leadership in a great nation."

"We must and we will win this war," Dr. Whitley did not amplify this reference to Rayburn's possible political future. A program featuring was the swearing in by Col. Overta Gulp Fosby, national director of the Women's Army Corps, of 450 members of the Army administrative school, WAC Branch No. 5, headquartered at the college, into the WAC.

Full Review Of Draft Program Is Recommended

LOS ANGELES (AP)—With the father-draft question raised anew at widely separated points on the home front, a subcommittee of the House military affairs committee came forth Friday with a recommendation for full review of Selective Service quotas and procedure.

"We recommend that there should be no draft of fathers until there has been a complete re-examination of all persons classified at 4-F, and that a better utilization of the available manpower between the ages of 38 and 45 be made."

Costello, subcommittee chairman, who with Harness has been conducting hearings here on the draft's effect upon war industries, said Thursday Maj. Gen. Lewis B. Her-

shep, national Selective Service director, is scheduled to testify Monday. With the session in recess until then, Harness has left for hearings in Indiana.

BICYCLE STOLEN

Coy Bishop informed police that his bicycle was stolen Thursday evening from in front of a motion picture theater here.

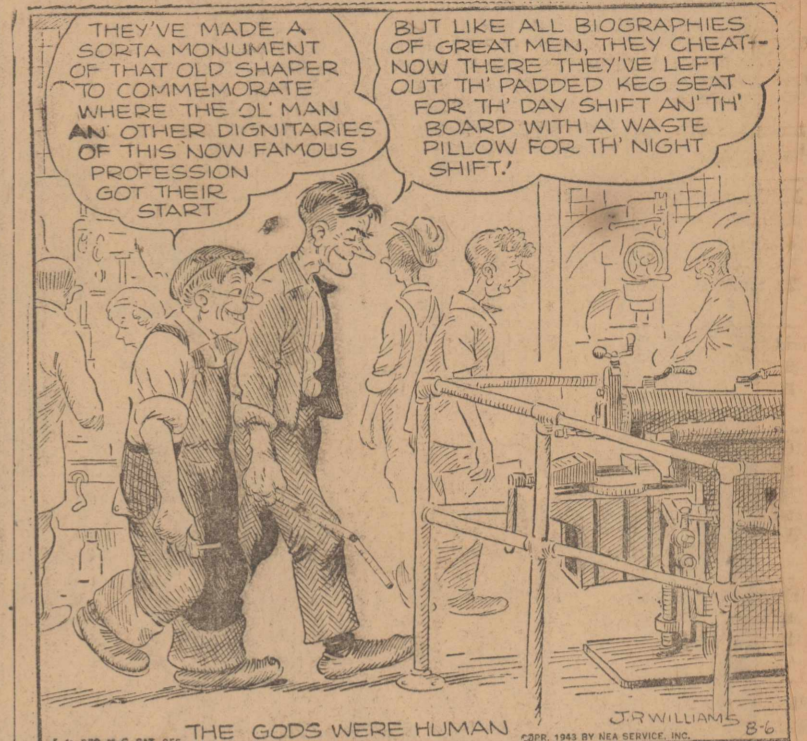
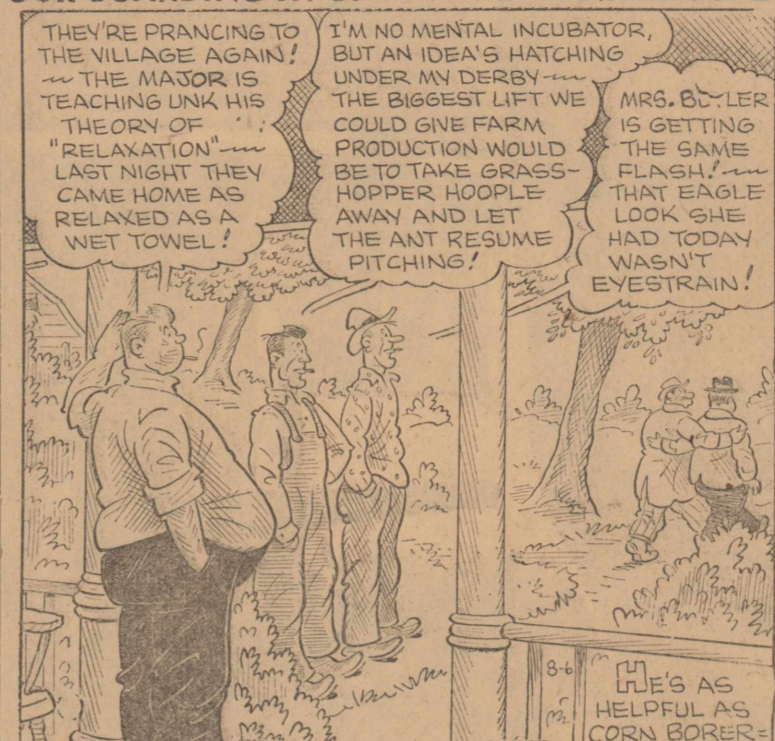
Big Spring Soldier Missing In Action

WASHINGTON (AP)—Twelve Texans were included in a list of 132 United States soldiers the War Department announced Friday as missing in action.

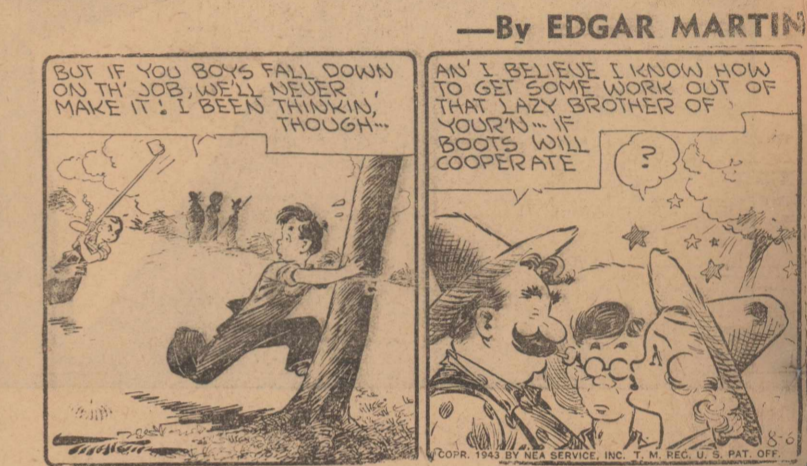
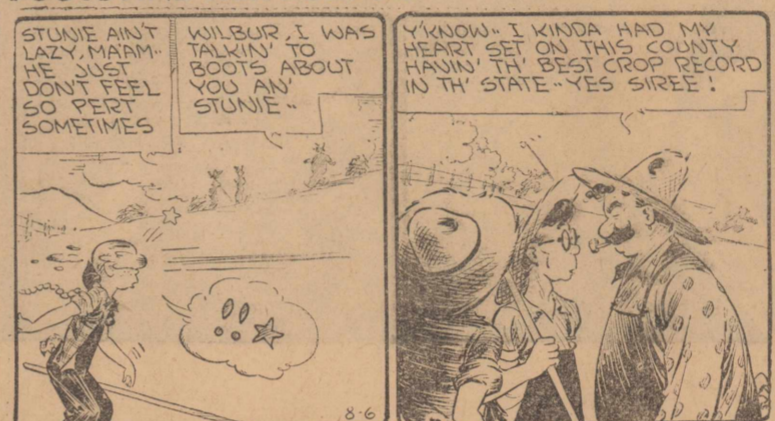
They included: European area—Second Lt. William L. Alexander, son of William J. Alexander, Big Spring.

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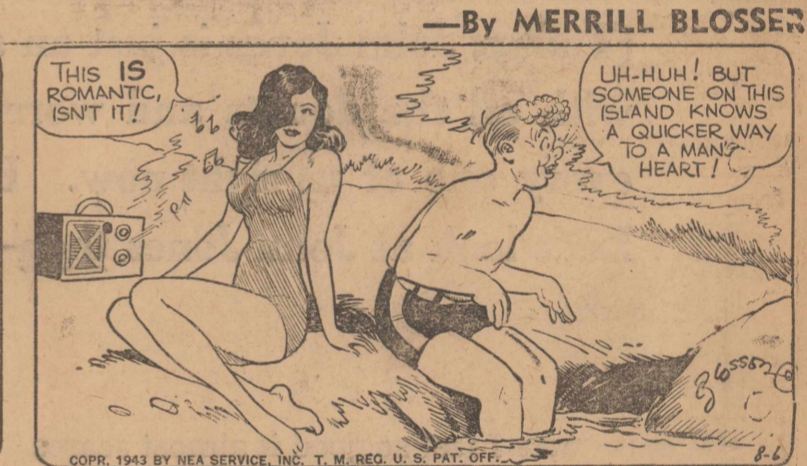


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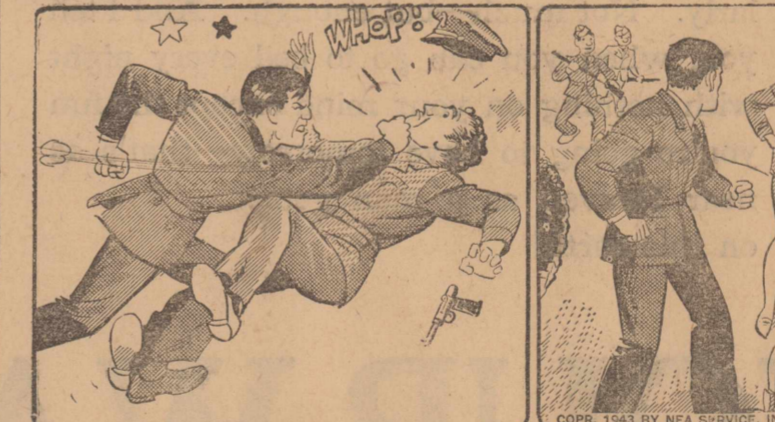


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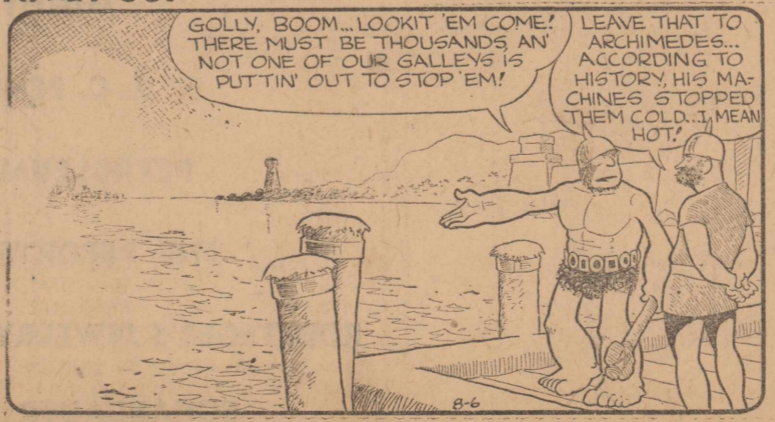
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SIDE GLANCES



McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

By Geoffrey Mott-Smith
Guest Columnist

Nature, wrote Oscar Wilde, imitates art. Years ago I concocted a deal in which the dealer fakes the effort to establish entry to dummy, so as to induce the defenders to hold up two aces, and thus give him enough tricks for the contract together with a concealed solid suit.

Nature almost caught up with this idea at a recent tournament, but bungled the job and had to be helped out in the street. I liked the South hand and opened two no trumps. This unorthodox bid had the merit of getting us to the game that most others missed.

West opened the club queen. East held onto his king, and the ace

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97653

J94
A1072
QJ108

N
W S E
Dealer
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85
K4

Mott-Smith
K108
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QJ4
A2

South West North East
2 N.T. Pass 3 N.T. Pass 6

MUSTANG BOYS' CLUB COLUMN

The king has come back! Yes sir, The Mustang King, Tommy Green, in person returned early this week with his same old smile and enthusiasm for making the Midland Mustang Club the swiftest club for kids in the world.

His Mustang majesty has busied himself all week in preparation for a big meeting in the old Mustang Hall Saturday night at the regular time. Quizzes, games and plans for the future are gonna keep you so busy you'll hardly have time for the feast we're gonna have.

Yes sir! A feast fit for a king and you can get in on it too. Plenty of good cold watermelon for everyone Saturday night. Aren't you glad you're a Mustang?

Nuff Sed.

Public Wedding To Be Staged At Alamo Showgrounds Friday

A public wedding will be staged on the midway of the Alamo Exposition Shows, next to the Pagoda Pool, Friday night, the management has announced. The wedding will be complete in every detail, with bridesmaids, trainbearers and other essentials to a complete service.

The shows have been playing to large crowds each night this week, and the engagement here will be concluded Saturday night.

A special children's matinee will be held Saturday from 1 to 6 p. m., and no admission to the grounds will be charged. Children may obtain free ride tickets from the merchants whose names are listed in the shows' advertisement in this issue of the Reporter-Telegram.

Frying Chickens Are Under Price Ceiling

LUBBOCK—Frying chickens are covered with a maximum price ceiling, says Howard Gholson, district director of the OPA, said Friday in response to queries of West Texas producers.

This regulation has been effective since April '42 and is national in scope. However, the maximum price ceiling varies slightly in different localities because of the freight rates, Gholson pointed out.

In Midland County the consumer may not pay more than \$3.494 per pound for a live chicken under four pounds. Retail stores, hotels, cafes, institutional and governmental users may not pay more than \$2.912 per pound. The wholesaler or producer as much as \$2.762 for live fryers under four pounds.

These prices for consumer, retailer and wholesaler are only maximum prices, the OPA director pointed out. Any price under this ceiling may be charged by those having chickens for sale.

Mrs. Renfro's Father Dies In Amarillo

Mrs. A. R. Renfro received word of the death of her father, O. L. Miller, in an Amarillo hospital Thursday after an illness of several weeks.

Miller was head of the history department of Amarillo Junior High School. Mr. and Mrs. Renfro departed Thursday afternoon for Amarillo.

Funeral services will be held in the First Presbyterian Church in Amarillo Saturday. Burial will be in Amarillo.

Cleveland is named after Moses Cleveland, a land agent who laid out the city in 1796.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson

MOSQUITO DAMAGE AND CONTROL IS ESTIMATED TO COST THE UNITED STATES \$145,525,000 ANNUALLY.

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SOME COMPANIES EXPAND BY CONTRACTING, Says HERBERT HAMILTON, Springfield, Missouri.

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Travel Bureaus 5

WANT ride to Houston or vicinity, Friday or Saturday. Ph. 564-J. (127-3)

WANTED: Driving Sunday evening to Dallas. Want passengers. Share expense. Call 1836-J. (128-3)

Lost and Found 7

LOST: At Carnival grounds, bill-fold, important papers, \$20. Cash reward. Sgt. L. E. Shields, Station Hospital. Phone 800 Extension 255 or 242. (129-3)

Help Wanted 9

WANTED: Combination porter and sandwich man. Also fountain girls. Petroleum Drug Co. (127-3)

WANTED: Girl for general housework. Call 853-J. (127-3)

WANTED: Clerk for oil accounting office. Must be good typist with experience in preparing production reports and have general knowledge of accounting. Culbertson & Irwin, Inc. 315 Petroleum Bldg. (127-3)

WANTED: Middle-aged woman to care for home. Board, room, salary. Inquire before 2 p. m. 611 North Carrizo. (127-3)

WANT 2 or 3 hustling boys to sell Reporter-Telegram in business district. Boys who will work for an hour or so can make good money. See Mr. Russell, Reporter-Telegram. (127-4)

EXPERIENCED maid. Must be good housekeeper. Phone 177-R. (128-3)

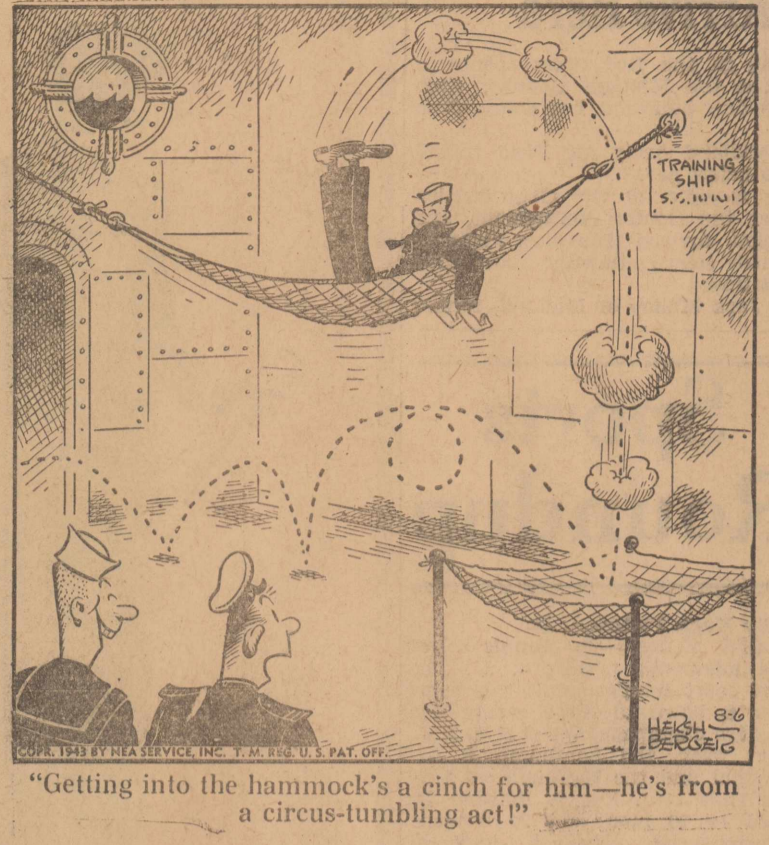
WANTED: Colored girl for general housework. Phone 1574-R, 724 W. Louisiana. (129-2)

RENTALS

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LIVE at Taylor Lodge; rooms; conveniently located. 107 S. Pecos. Phone 278. (72-26)

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Bedrooms 12

NICE east bedroom upstairs, convenient to bath. 910 W. Missouri. (129-2)

Furnished Apartments 14

FURNISHED two-room apartment, connecting bath, all bills paid. 321 E. Kentucky. (129-1)

ONE-room furnished apartment, 200 N. Big Springs, Apply 801 S. Baird. (129-3)

FOR RENT: Two-room furnished apartment, private bath, refrigerator, adults, no pets. Spaulding, 1204 N. Main. (129-1)

Farms for Rent 19

FARM house for rent, adjoining airport. Hogs, cows, chickens, calves for sale. Phone 1496-W-3. (128-1)

Repair of damaged manuscripts and documents is a leading industry of Vatican City.

Wanted To Rent 21

OIL company employee transferred wants 5 or 6-room furnished house. Prefer 6 rooms, by Aug. 10. Will be permanent, no children. Phone Standard Oil Co. of Texas 675. (121-1)

WANTED: 4 or 5 room furnished house, good condition, permanent residents, no children. Phone 1269-W. (128-5)

WANTED: Two or three-room furnished apartment, close in. Will be permanent. Call J. P. Spurlin, clerk, Scharbauer Hotel. (129-3)

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Houses for Sale 61

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5-ROOM FRAME Practically new, floor furnace, venetian blinds. Possession Aug. 15. \$850 cash, balance \$32 monthly. See

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5-ROOM HOME Fairly close in on Kentucky. Venetian blinds. Dandy little home. Enclosed yard, corner lot. Appointment only.

BARNEY GRAFA 203 Thomas Bldg. Phone 106 (127-3)

SEVEN-room house, two baths; corner lot orchard adjoining; double garage and apartment, 1001 W. Kansas. Call 367-M after 6 p. m. (129-3)

SIX-room frame house for sale, cheap. W. S. Hill, 106 N. Carrizo. (129-3)

Ranches for Sale 64

GRASS knee high, 800-acre ranch. Sell or trade, \$15 per acre. George A. Silgan, route 1, Melrose, N. M. (128-6)

Acres for Sale 66

FOR SALE: Reasonable, section 284, block G, 5 miles west Seminole, Texas, with 160 acres mineral. G. T. Wade, route 2, box 225, El Paso, Texas. (128-3)

Real Estate Wanted 67

WANTED: Homes for sale in all parts of the city. Especially wanted at this time a 6-room brick home, north of highway. If yours is for sale, call

BARNEY GRAFA 203 Thomas Bldg. Ph. 106 (127-3)

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THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: BELLE TODD MACKAY GREETING: You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 13th day of September, A. D. 1943, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. before the Honorable District Clerk of Midland County, at the Court House in Midland, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 2nd day of June, 1943. The file number of said suit being No. 3745.

The names of the parties in said suit are: Plaintiff, Belle Todd Mackay as Plaintiff, and Belle Todd Mackay as Defendant.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: Suit for divorce and Plaintiff prays for costs of suit and general relief.

Issued this 29th day of July, 1943.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Midland, Texas, this 29th day of July A. D. 1943. Nettie C. Romer, Clerk, District Court, Midland County, Texas. 7/30-8/6-13-20

NOTICE TO BIDDERS FOR CITY DEPOSITORY

The City Council of the City of Midland, Texas, at the regular meeting to be held at 4 o'clock P. M. on August 18, 1943, at the City Hall in said city, will receive sealed proposals from banks and other legally qualified institutions doing business in said city, to act as depository of city funds for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1944, and/or until a successive depository is designated by the governing body of said city.

Bidders shall state in their proposals the rate of interest or premium, if any, to be paid the city on the daily balances of funds kept on deposit by the depository selected and designated.

Section (d), Article 2560, REVISED CIVIL STATUTES of the State of Texas, providing for the pledging of bonds or other acceptable securities in the amount of city funds on deposit in said depository, has been chosen by the City Council as the method of providing security by the depository and the proposals shall contain a complete description of the securities proposed to be furnished by the bidder.

Proposals may be filed with the City Secretary or presented at the meeting above referred to.

The City Council reserves the right to reject any or all proposals. Done by order of the City Council of the City of Midland, Texas, this 21st day of July, 1943.

s/ A. N. Hendrickson, Mayor. Attest: s/ J. C. Hudman, Secretary.

Company Kept Marines From Being Frightened

McALLEN, TEXAS.—(P)—Marine Sgt. Charles Snelling told about the time on Gavutu Island when he was helping dig Japs out of caves into which they had burrowed like rats. Snelling said he and his lieutenant tossed a stick of dynamite into a cave, then went in after the Japs. They counted nine victims of their two-man attack.

"Scared? No, we weren't scared," said the sergeant. "The lieutenant had me and I had the lieutenant. It wasn't bad at all."

Snelling is spending a brief furlough with his wife here.

Church News

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

300 North Main St. Rev. W. Carl Clement, Pastor. 9:45 a.m.—Sunday School. 10:45 a.m.—Listen for the chimes and organ music from the tower.

11:00 a.m.—Morning service and sermon by the pastor.

6:15 p.m.—Senior, Intermediate and Junior Leagues.

8:15 p.m.—Evening service and sermon by the pastor.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE Indiana and Big Spring Streets R. M. Hocker, Pastor

10:00 a. m. Sunday School

11:00 a. m. Morning worship and sermon by the pastor.

8:30 p. m. Evening service, sermon by the pastor.

Mid-Week prayer service 8:30 p. m. Wednesday.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Main St. and Illinois Rev. Vernon Yearby, Pastor.

9:30 a.m.—Sunday School.

10:55 a.m.—Morning service and sermon by the Rev. Roy Clayton of the First Baptist Church of Seagraves, Texas.

7:00 p.m.—Training Union for all ages.

8:15 p.m.—Evening service and sermon by Rev. Roy Clayton on the church lawn.

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH R. L. Kasper, Pastor

Sunday school at 7:15 p. m. Church services at 8 p. m. each second and fourth Sundays at Trinity Episcopal Church, 1410 West Illinois.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH West Texas Ave. and A St. Rev. Hubert H. Hopper, Pastor.

9:45 a.m.—Sunday School for adult classes only. No primary.

10:30 a.m.—Morning worship and sermon by Rev. Hopper, who will preach the second of the series of sermons, "Hindrances to the Christian Life," the morning subject to be "Stones for Prayer."

8:15 p.m.—Evening worship and sermon by the pastor on "Blinded Perspectives."

AAF BOMBARDIER SCHOOL CHAPEL, Midland Cosmas Dahlheimer, Post Chaplain

Catholic Services

Chaplain Cosmas Dahlheimer 9:30 a.m. Sunday—Mass

Protestant Services

Chaplain C. C. Dollar 11:00 a.m. Sunday—Morning worship

7:00 p.m. Sunday—Evening worship

Hebrew Services 8:30 p.m. Friday

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY Private Dining Room Scharbauer Hotel

10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.

11:00 a.m.—Morning service on "Spirit." The golden text is "Teach me to do Thy will; for Thou art my God: Thy Spirit is good; lead me into the land of uprightness." Psalms 143-10.

Citation comprising the lesson, sermon is: "Who hath directed the spirit of the Lord or being his counselor hath taught Him?" Isaiah 40:13. Lesson-sermon from textbook: "Spirit, God is Infinite, all Spirit can have no opposite."

Second Wednesday: 8:00 p. m.—Evening service.

ST. GEORGE'S CATHOLIC Father Frank Triggs, Pastor

8:00 a. m.—Low Mass (for Spanish) and benediction

10:00 p. m.—Low Mass (for English) and benediction

The first Sunday in each month the English speaking people at 8 a. m. and the Spanish speaking at 10 a. m.

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH H and Illinois Sts.

Rev. R. J. Snell, Pastor. 9:45 a.m.—Bible Study

10:50 a.m.—Morning worship

7:30 p.m.—Young People's Class

8:30 p.m.—Evening Worship

3:00 p.m. Monday—Women's Bible Study

8:30 p.m. Wednesday—Bible study and singing.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH 315 North Loraine

Rev. J. E. Pickering, Pastor. 9:45 a.m.—Bible School.

10:50 a.m.—Morning worship and sermon. "A Great Salvation," by the pastor.

6:30 p.m.—Young People's meeting.

7:30 p.m.—Evening worship and sermon. "Joseph Forgives His Brothers," by the pastor.

Choir practice is held at 7:30 p. m. on Wednesday.

MEN'S CLASS

W. I. Pratt Teacher Meets at 9:45 a. m. Sunday in the Crystal Ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer. Non-demonstrational.

GOSPEL HALL 500 S. Loraine

J. D. Jackson, Pastor

10:00 a.m.—Bible study

11:00 a.m.—Preaching service

7:45 p.m. Preaching service

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

2:30 p.m. Wednesday—WMB meeting

7:45 p.m. Thursday—Preaching services

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH 1001 South Main St.

Rev. A. W. Smith, Pastor.

10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.

11:00 a.m.—Morning worship and sermon by Rev. P. J. Briscoe of Odessa, who will have charge of the service in the absence of Rev. Smith, who is conducting services at Mickliff Ranch.

8:00 p.m.—Training School.

9:00 p.m.—Evening worship and sermon by the Rev. Briscoe. Rev. Smith will preach at Valley View Vacation Bible School.

FUNDAMENTAL BAPTIST CHURCH 502 E. Illinois

H. Wren, Pastor

8:30 a.m.—Sunday radio program

10:00 a.m.—Sunday school

11:00 a.m.—Preaching service

9:00 p.m.—Preaching service

9:00 p.m. Wednesday—Prayer meeting

PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS TABERNACLE 600 S. Colorado Street

O. W. Roberts, Pastor

11:00 a.m.—Preaching

7:45 p.m.—Preaching

8:00 p.m. Thursday—Preaching

PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH Garden City Rd. at City Limits

Elder B. K. Howze of Big Spring, Pastor

Regular services at 11 o'clock on second and fourth Sunday mornings. Services at 11 a. m. on second Saturdays.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH 510 S. Baird

Rev. Warren J. Piersol

10:00 a.m.—Sunday school

11:00 a.m.—Preaching service

8:45 p.m. Wednesday—Prayer meeting

3:00 p.m. Thursday—WMC meets

8:45 p.m. Friday—Young People's services

CHURCH OF CHRIST (Southside) 410 South Colorado

Bl. Gibson, Evangelist

11:00 a.m.—Morning worship

8:30 p.m.—Evening worship

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH Rev. R. L. Webb

W. Pennsylvania and Loraine Saturday services

10:00 a.m.—Sabbath school

11:00 a.m.—Morning service meeting

Hoodlums Blamed For Rioting In Washington City

VANCOUVER, Wash.—(P)—Chief of Police John Blaker Friday blamed "hoodlums" and "party drunks" for inciting a riot Thursday night which police finally dispersed with tear gas.

Three men were hospitalized and eight jailed.

Chief Blaker said the suspected ringleader of the rioters was in custody but no charges had been filed.

Hundreds of persons drinking in waterfront beer taverns where the trouble started piled into the street. They were joined by soldiers and pedestrians. A crowd of approximately 1,000 persons quickly gathered. Tanks were flung at police and fighting broke out.

Crowd Scattered

Military police called to the scene had all soldiers back in their barracks within an hour. City police, auxiliary civilian defense police, deputy sheriffs, state patrolmen and firemen who laid hoses as a threat finally scattered the crowd.

The demonstration broke out again later when some 600 persons gathered in front of the Vancouver police station.

Vancouver police called authorities at nearby Kelso and Longview and asked that state guard units be mobilized. Mayor John Hogg appealed to the crowd from the police station steps to disperse. He was jeered and a rock crashed through the glass pane in the station door.

Curfew To Be Asked

Police then charged, firing tear gas shells until the crowd dispersed.

The soldier, over whom the trouble started, was taken to Vancouver Barracks Hospital with skull injuries suffered when struck by Officer Pat Morrow.

The soldier, police said, fought with a civilian in a cafe early in the evening. He was ejected but returned later to assail the cafe "bouncer."

Said Mayor Hogg Friday: "I am going to appeal to the governor to see that every beer tavern in Vancouver is closed nights hereafter."

Mrs. W. P. Knight and daughter, Belta Jo, who have been visiting near Chattanooga, Tenn., for the last three weeks, will return home Saturday evening.

Advertisement for Midland Maid Bread and Midland Bakery. Includes text: 'THERE'S ADDED Freshness IN EVERY LOAF', 'MIDLAND MAID BREAD', 'MIDLAND BAKERY', 'Phone 1106 112 S. Main'.

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Advertisement for A & L Housing and Lumber Co. Includes text: 'CHARCOAL', 'We Have A Good Supply On Hand Better Stock Up Now', 'A & L HOUSING and LUMBER Co.', 'Always At Your Service', 'PHONE 949'.

Advertisement for Midland Small Animal Hospital. Includes text: 'LARGE ANIMAL PRACTICE', 'COMPLETE DOG SUPPLIES', 'EXCLUSIVE AGENT FOR HESS PRODUCTS', 'GAINES DOG FOOD', 'WATCH REPAIRING', 'Prescriptions Filled', 'Midland Jewelry and PAWN BROKERS', '115 S. Main Phone 2300', 'MIDLAND SMALL ANIMAL HOSPITAL', 'VETERINARY SUPPLIES', 'DR. J. O. SHANNON', '317 East Texas Phone 1359'.

Advertisement for Burton Lingo Co. Includes text: 'FOR SAFETY CALL 555 YELLOW CAB', 'LAWN MOWERS Repaired and Sharpened', 'New Vacuum Cleaners While They Last', 'G. BLAIN LUSE Phone 74', 'Building Supplies Paints - Wallpaper', '119 E. Texas Phone 58'.

Crossword puzzle section. Includes 'HEART'S-EASE' title, word lists for horizontal and vertical clues, and a grid with numbers. Includes an illustration of a flower.

Advertisement for Midland - Odessa Bus Line Schedule. Includes text: 'Midland - Odessa BUS LINE SCHEDULE', 'Leave Midland - Odessa', '5:25 A.M.', '5:55 A.M.', '6:25 A.M.', '6:55 A.M.', '7:25 A.M.', '7:55 A.M.', '8:30 A.M.', '9:30 A.M.', '11:00 A.M.', '1:00 P.M.', '2:00 P.M.', '2:55 P.M.', '3:30 P.M.', '4:30 P.M.', '4:45 P.M.', '5:05 P.M.', '5:30 P.M.', '5:45 P.M.', '6:05 P.M.', '6:30 P.M.', '7:05 P.M.', '7:30 P.M.', '8:05 P.M.', '9:30 P.M.', '10:30 P.M.', '11:30 P.M.', 'Leave Airport', '6:00 A.M.', '6:30 A.M.', '7:00 A.M.', '7:30 A.M.', '8:00 A.M.', '8:30 A.M.', '9:00 A.M.', '10:00 A.M.', '11:30 A.M.', '1:30 P.M.', '2:40 P.M.', '3:45 P.M.', '4:10 P.M.', '5:10 P.M.', '5:20 P.M.', '5:40 P.M.', '6:10 P.M.', '6:20 P.M.', '6:40 P.M.', '7:10 P.M.', '7:40 P.M.', '8:10 P.M.', '8:40 P.M.', '10:00 P.M.', '11:00 P.M.', '12:20 A.M.', 'Buses Saturday every 30 minutes from 12:30 p.m. until 2 a.m. Sunday. Last bus 2 a. m. Sunday.'

Medal Play In Midland Tourney Starts Friday

Reds Take Over Third Place Spot In National Loop

By The Associated Press
The Cincinnati Reds, who have been blowing hot and cold all season, apparently are generating a full head of steam that may blow Pittsburgh out of second place in the National League and possibly prove very annoying to the first place St. Louis Cardinals.

Behind a masterful six-hit pitching performance by Bucky Walters the Reds Thursday beat the Chicago Cubs 4 to 1, and dropped the crumbling Brooklyn Dodgers from third to fourth. The Reds took over the third place position, only 2 1/2 games behind the second place Pirates. In this spot they can profit regardless how the Pirates-Cards series, opening Friday night in St. Louis, turns out. If the Reds win, the Reds gain on the Pirates. If Pittsburgh wins, the Reds take a step closer to first place.

With all other major league clubs idle, the rise of the Rhinelanders shared interest with Dolph Camnitz's announcement that he had quit

The Reporter-Telegram

SPORTS

THE STANDINGS

National League			
Clubs	W	L	Pct.
St. Louis	63	31	.670
Pittsburgh	53	43	.552
Cincinnati	51	46	.526
Brooklyn	52	57	.477
Chicago	45	51	.469
Philadelphia	45	55	.450
Boston	40	52	.435
New York	36	60	.375

American League			
Clubs	W	L	Pct.
New York	58	36	.620
Washington	53	47	.530
Chicago	49	44	.527
Detroit	47	47	.500
Cleveland	46	47	.495
Boston	46	49	.484
St. Louis	42	50	.457
Philadelphia	38	59	.392

THURSDAY GAMES

National League
Cincinnati 4, Chicago 1.
(Only game scheduled.)

Fulton Tire Company Plans To Reopen Soon

M. M. Fulton, operator of the Fulton Tire Company which was damaged by fire Thursday, is making plans to reopen the business within two weeks.

Damaged equipment was being examined Friday to determine what replacements would be necessary. No estimate of the damage was available.

The cause of the blaze which attracted a large crowd to the business district was not determined.

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Big Attendance Is Expected At Coaching School

WACO—(P)—You won't know it from the weather but you can tell it by the atmosphere that the Texas football season has arrived when more than 200 coaches register next Sunday for the eleventh annual clinic in which they will discuss the latest strategy, especially how to take care of the T formation.

Harry Stiteler, president of the Texas High School Coaches Association, predicted Friday that the enrollment might reach 250—higher than a substantial gain over last year.

There are many of the older men returning to coaching because of the war drain and they're coming to the school to brush up on football tactics," Stiteler observed.

He also disclosed that he had received between 50 and 100 letters from superintendents who wrote they would be at the school in an effort to contact men to fill coaching jobs. The association is maintaining a room at the Roosevelt Hotel—where the clinic is to be conducted—for the benefit of the schools seeking mentors.

Stress T Formation

Head instructors for the coaching school will be Henry Frnka, whose Tulsa University team went to the Sugar Bowl last season, and Ralph Jones, the T formation specialist from Lake Forest University. Jones is credited with teaching Clark Shaughnessy and George Halas, who have used the T formation to win fame with their teams, the intricacies of this system.

Stiteler says most of the coaches will study the T formation not so much for its offensive value but in order to be able to stop it. This system is rapidly growing in use in Texas high schools.

An all-star squad of high school boys who finished their eligibility last fall will arrive Monday to begin training for their game Friday night. Jones will coach the South squad and Frnka the North.

SOUTHWESTERN CARDS TILT WITH DEMING FLIERS

GEORGETOWN, TEXAS.—(P)—Southwestern University announces the scheduling of Deming, N. M., Army Air Field for a football game here Nov. 13.

Mrs. Cecil Waldrep who has been in Western Clinic Hospital returned home Thursday.

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Hot Competition In Prospect As Top-Flight Golfers Arrive Here

Medal play started Friday morning in the Red Cross sponsored Midland Invitation Golf Tournament at the Midland Country Club and the arrival of several top-flight golfers indicated hot competition for the honors.

Capt. Richard W. Ashley of the Midland Army Air Field toured the course in 72 Thursday evening, two below par.

Charley Tims of Arlington, Texas, medalist at the Glen Garden tournament in Fort Worth and also at the Denton tournament, and Jack Bell, Jr., Gainesville city champion, arrived Thursday night to compete for the medal. Both are high school students, but they promise to make the tournament interesting.

Midland golfers also are expecting Jack Malloy of Midland, former intercollegiate champion and former Oklahoma state amateur champion, to set a fast pace.

Expect 100 In Medal Play
Forty-five golfers had qualified Friday morning when the medal play started and approximately 100 are expected to enter Friday and Saturday for the medal. All were instructed to be back at the club house and turn in their scores by 6:30 p. m.

Features of Friday evening include a long-driving contest and a barbecue, which will be served by the Red Cross Canteen Corps at the club.

The revised list of qualifiers follows:

- Shirley Robbins, Big Spring, 83.
- C. L. Rowe, Big Spring, 82.
- C. H. Shepard, Midland, 83.
- Fred Hogan, Midland, 85.
- L. F. Shiplet, Midland, 85.
- S. E. Burnett, Midland, 89.
- Les Speer, Big Spring, 80.
- Bob Schermerhorn, Dallas, 79.
- Bob Hodges, Big Spring, 88.
- Leland Davison, Midland, 79.
- H. L. Bray, Midland, 79.
- Bill Tate, Big Spring, 89.
- W. G. Henderson, Midland, 83.
- Dick Lehman, Midland, 74.
- Roy Minear, Midland, 79.
- J. P. Gibbons, Midland, 94.
- Don Sivalls, Midland, 81.
- Jerry Roberts, Midland, 79.
- Steve Hazlip, Midland, 79.
- Bob Wood, Midland, 92.
- Blondie Roberts, Odessa, 85.
- Lt. C. H. Davis, MAAF, 88.
- Lt. J. V. Profsel, MAAF, 89.
- Harry Adams, Midland, 92.
- A. G. McGarvey, Midland, 89.
- F. E. Shuttle, Odessa, 84.
- Major R. J. Rhorer, MAAF, 74.
- Edgar Tanzer, Midland, 85.
- Pvt. Bill Hotchkess, Wichita, Kas., 79.
- Charles Gibbs, Fort Worth, 91.
- W. C. Thurmon, Midland, 88.
- Son Powell, Garden City, 87.
- Lt. Bill Melanson, MAAF, 100.
- J. W. Gann, Midland, 89.
- Fred Turner, Midland, 78.
- D. W. Spencer, Midland, 78.
- S. M. Erskine, Midland, 82.
- Leif Olson, Midland, 87.
- Paul McHargue, Midland, 83.
- C. W. Chancellor, Midland, 101.
- J. E. Warren, Midland, 84.
- Capt. Richard W. Ashley, MAAF, 72.
- Donald Erickson, MAAF, 90.
- Capt. John Sabo, MAAF, 89.
- Capt. Leo Simola, MAAF, 89.
- Col. Kenny To Be Guest
Colonel John P. Kenny, commanding officer of the Midland Army Air Field, and a group of officers will be guests at the barbecue Friday evening when the medalist will be announced. Golfers who entered the tourney also will be guests.

Sports Roundup

By Hugh Fullerton, Jr.
NEW YORK—Tennis solves the manpower problem. The turf court tennis circuit this summer is down to three events—the Eastern championships at Rye, N.Y., next week, the Southampton Invitation and the Nationals at Forest Hills. Rye is limiting its field to 16 men and 24 women; Southampton plans a ten-man round-robin tourney and a similar event for women stars, who will be allowed to play on the masculine Meadow Club courts for the first time; the Nationals will have 32 players in each sex and Walter Merrill Hall, who handles the entries, claims that after the first round it will be as good a tournament as ever.

One-Minute Sports Page

Missouri's Don Faust will be the new football coach at the Iowa Navy Pre-Flight School. Look for an announcement any minute. . . . The Madison Square Garden basketball season will open Dec. 14 and Ned Irish is making plans for 16 doubleheaders, exclusive of tournaments.

Today's Guest Star

Ben Bloodworth, Decatur (Ala.) Daily: "The sports writers are having trouble naming Rip Sewell's new pitch but it should be known as the 'Eighter from Decatur'." Decatur, Ala., is where Rip was born and reared and, as everybody knows, a guy behind the eight ball is in a fix. That seems to be where Rip puts the batters when he cuts loose with his Sunday service."

Service Dept.

Service teams in the Fort Smith, Ark., baseball association are providing better baseball than the class "C" Western Association ever provided, according to Sports Scribe Cliff Bell. The 185th service unit team includes Warren Spahn, Braves' rookie southpaw, Ed Keays, ex-Yanks catcher, Zeb (Red) Eaton from Beaumont, Texas, and Avery Thompson and Elwyn Leatherman from the Sacramento Solons.

Livestock

FORT WORTH.—(P)—Cattle 1,200; calves 500; all classes slaughter cattle and calves sold but steady; medium to good steers and yearlings 11.00-13.00; cull beef cows yearlings 8.00-9.00; good beef cows 10.00-75; common to medium butcher cows 8.50-9.50; canners and cutters 4.00-8.25; bulls 7.50-11.50; good fat slaughter calves 12.00-13.00; common to medium calves 8.75-12.00; cull calves 7.00-8.50. Hogs 800; butcher hogs steady to 15c below Thursday's average; sows steady to 25c higher; pigs unchanged; most good and choice 190-300 lb. butcher hogs 13.75-85; extreme top 13.90; sows 12.75-13.25; pigs 13.00 down. Sheep 10,000; steady; medium grade spring lambs 1.25-12.25; medium and good yearlings 11.00-12.50; good and choice aged wethers 7.50; slaughter ewes 4.50-7.00. Aviation Cadet James Francis Mickey has completed his pre-flight training at Santa Ana, Calif., and has begun primary training as a pilot with the Army Air Forces at Santa Maria, Calif.

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Bay Wildcat

(Continued from Page 1)
ducer in the McKee Simpson pool, is drilling below 2,660 feet in lime. **Crocket County**
Fred Turner, Jr., and Phillips Petroleum Company No. 1 Shannon, wildcat test three and one-half miles northwest of the most northern production in the Olson field in Crockett County, and scheduled to drill to 3,000 feet with cable tools, has encountered 25 to 30 million cubic feet of gas daily at 1,897 feet. Efforts are being made to kill the gas so drilling can be resumed. The gas is 2,310 feet from the south line and 3,630 feet from the west line of league 3. Archer County School Land survey. Elevation is 2,612 feet above sea level. The test spudded July 6.

Citizens Are Urged To Use East Part Of Park

A. B. Cole, Sr., city water superintendent, said Friday that the Fourth Squadron at the Midland Army Air Field has asked for the use of the west park and ball ground at Cloverdale Park Sunday from 3 p. m. until 10 p. m., and urges that others planning outings use the east park.

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