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You must choose between God and mammon: No man can serve two masters.—Matt. 6:24.

Third War Loan

The Third War Loan is progressing well. From all over the country come encouraging reports on the response both of individuals and institutions. An excellent start has been made. But that is not enough. Until the loan goes over the top, nationally, with a substantial over subscription, there will be no excuse for lagging.

In this loan both the opportunity and the incentive are obvious to the most careless.

It is impossible for any person to say that he did not know, or that he forgot, or that he had no chance to buy. Newspapers, magazines and the air waves are filled with reminders, some donated by the media themselves, others sponsored by advertisers who know how much the success of this loan means to our way of life.

Perhaps the difficulties encountered by our Fifth Army, at Salerno, will be worth while because they must have impressed even the most naively optimistic with the fact that Germany is not yet licked.

We know, now, that Germany can be beaten. We know, in a general way, how. We do not know when, except that it will not be tomorrow, or next week or next month.

The desperation with which the Nazis withstood our Salerno bridgehead until they could evacuate their troops from Southern Italy proves that there is a lot of fight left in the huns yet.

It is going to take thousands of American lives to whip them as they have to be whipped. It is going to take a lot more guns, tanks, planes, munitions and other supplies and equipment.

Those things cost money—billions of dollars—more dollars than we can possibly supply out of current taxation. The Third War Loan is the answer, for the time being, until more is needed.

This isn't new. You've been told before, and you know before you were told. This is just a plea for you to act on what you know—to do the smallest thing that a stay-at-home can do in time of war—to back with your dollars the attack in which so many are giving their lives.

Shall War News Be Glossy?

How do you want your war news and pictures dished up? Can you take your war news straight—a factual account of war as it really is, or do you want all the horrible aspects of it cut out by a sensitive censor? And then, on top of that, do you want just the "glory" of war played up—the heroism, the personal accounts of bravery, the victories—without the news of the defeats, the setbacks, the real account of the suffering, the cries of the wounded and the shell-shocked, the unretouched pictures of the dead?

These are questions which you might as well make up your mind on now.

In the last war, no photos of the dead were printed till after the war was over, and a few years after that. Then there was a regular orgy of horror pictures. They came all at once—whole pages of them in some newspapers, in magazines, by the best-selling bookfests. They showed war as it really had been and they may have played their part in building up the American psychological insistence upon an era of peace.

The Office of War Information is determined it is going to get out and tell the full story of the war as it really is, now, putting out the bad news along with the good. Can you take it?

Buy War Bonds And Savings Stamps

British-American Alliance

The idea of a postwar alliance between Great Britain and the United States, put forth by several prominent persons from both sides of the Atlantic, is receiving much favorable attention as well as some bitter opposition.

The latter appears to be based, up to now, on an idea that the United States would give everything and get little or nothing in return. Whatever objections to such an alliance may arise, that one is not sound. We need abate no slightest bit of our pride in our own great country to recognize that the British Empire also is great, and rich, and powerful.

By now it must be clear that neither country can stand by and see the other destroyed.

Buy War Bonds And Savings Stamps

Money talks, but have you ever noticed it giving itself away?

The less you step on the gas the more you help the Allies step on the enemy.

The more spare time given up for war work, the less chance of giving up our country.

A new fall hat for t's women is in the shape of an hour glass. It will take a lot of sand to wear one.

One satisfaction in leg makeup is that the gals don't have to wash their "stockings" before wearing.

Now is the time when politicians are hopping on the band wagon—and we'll hear a lot of sour notes.

College students are told that education pays—and most of them are anxious to know when and where.

To Complete The Job, Blast Out The Roots



Church News

- ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
510 S. Baird
Rev. Warren J. Pierson
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

New Look



8504
10-20
There's a new look about this soft two piece—designed to fit very snugly at the midriff—which suggests it immediately for a fall wardrobe! It is particularly smart for woools.

- 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

- CHURCH OF CHRIST (Southside)
410 South Colorado
Bil. Gipson, Evangelist
11:00 a.m. — Morning worship
8:30 p.m. — Evening worship
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

- TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH
H and Illinois St.
Rev. R. J. Snell, Minister.
10:00 a.m.—Church School.
11:00 a.m.—Holy Communion and sermon with the Right Rev. E. C. Seaman, bishop, presiding, assisted by the minister, Rev. R. J. Snell.

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- SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH
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Saturday services
10:00 a.m. — Sabbath school
11:00 a.m. — Morning service meeting

- 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

- CHURCH OF CHRIST
Corner North A. and Tennessee Sts.
Herbert L. Newman, Minister
10:00 a.m.—Bible Study
10:50 a.m.—Morning worship
7:00 p.m.—Young People's Class.
8:00 p.m.—Evening worship and broadcast.

Only torpedo bomber used in the Navy is the Grumman "Avenger," which carries torpedoes weighing nearly a ton.

You Women Who Suffer From HOT FLASHES then CHILLY FEELINGS
If you—like so many women between the ages of 38 and 52—suffer from hot flashes, weak, nervous feelings, distress of "irregularities", are blue at times—due to the functional middle age period peculiar to women—try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to relieve such symptoms.

New Girls Club Holds First Meet

The O. G. C. held an election of officers Wednesday afternoon at 411 Big Spring, when Miss Patsy Boone was chosen president. Other officers were vice president, Rosta Hart; secretary-treasurer, Vera Williams; and reporter-historian, Doris Nell Adams. Club colors of blue and white were selected, after which a social hour featured and refreshments were served.

Mrs. Matthews Honors Popular Bride With Shower Tea Here

Mrs. John A. Matthews entertained very delightfully in her home Tuesday afternoon in compliment to Mrs. E. M. Beasley, a popular bride, whose marriage was celebrated within the last fortnight.

Gauze Sponges Are Being Made Rapidly

Mrs. J. R. Martin was supervisor Thursday at the Red Cross surgical dressings room in the courthouse when the following workers reported for the day's work: Mesdames Daniel H. Griffith, John Dublin, Barney Graf, Harry Adams, W. L. Fehon, Jr., J. C. Watson, Don Davis, C. A. Mix, R. A. Doran, P. A. Nelson, Betty Cowden, George Kidd, G. E. Hall, Ralph Lowe, William W. Walmsey, A. E. Lynch, J. P. Ruckman, and R. W. Hamilton, and Miss Marian Wadley and Miss Nell Bedford. Gauze sponges for surgical dressings were made in large numbers.

Bishop Seaman Will Conduct Service Here

Bishop E. C. Seaman of Amarillo will preach the sermon at the 11 a.m. Holy Communion service Sunday in Trinity Episcopal Church. At 2:30 p.m. Sunday he will confer with the new vestry of the church.

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Society

Consulting Sociologist Says Wars Have Brought Recognition To Women

Dr. Bernice M. Moore, consulting sociologist of The Hogg Foundation of Texas, told wives of West Texas mainly judges and commissioners at a luncheon here Thursday that wars have brought recognition to women.

The women were entertained in the Roosevelt Room of the Cactus Cafe. Mrs. E. H. Barron presided and opened the program with a brief talk and introduced Mrs. L. G. Byerley, Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Winters who were at the speaker's table.

"Women, War and Work" was the subject of Dr. Moore's address. She said changes wrought by war bring recognition to women, pointing out that the war between the states brought recognition to women as nurses, World War I brought women the right to vote, and World War II is bringing to women a change of status important to their development and the development of the nation.

Women Have Equality
"We have faced, and are facing a change in living" she said. "Most of us are afraid of change, but life is a one-way street and first we must learn not to fear. This change is bringing about a different status in our living, and we have become persons able to hold jobs and perform work efficiently. At last we have equality, and can be women and persons at the same time."

"Some of us still wish to be spoiled brats and have our own way about everything, but we must overcome that fault. We now have equality and we can become engineers or home economists, at our preference."

She scored the home-maker who, when asked what her occupation is, replies that she doesn't do anything, just keeps house and rears children.

She pointed that responsibility entails a knowledge of the world about us. "Unless you and I as women assume our responsibility, the National Service Act will become ineffective in America, just as it has in England," Dr. Moore said.

She admonished the women who are in the leisure class to cease sniping at the women who work. The unwillingness of women to take jobs, and to lighten the load, nationally, was stressed.

"Too many women fall to see why they are needed in work. They must help, in order to preserve the family life, which is the essence of our society, and which must be preserved."

Inflation in Mexico
Dr. Moore, who has just returned from a visit in Mexico, said never was there greater inflation than in Mexico today, because it is uncontrolled.

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The supply will be about what it was last year, Austin said, but on the basis of present orders the demand will be from two to three times greater than in 1942, which was a record year.

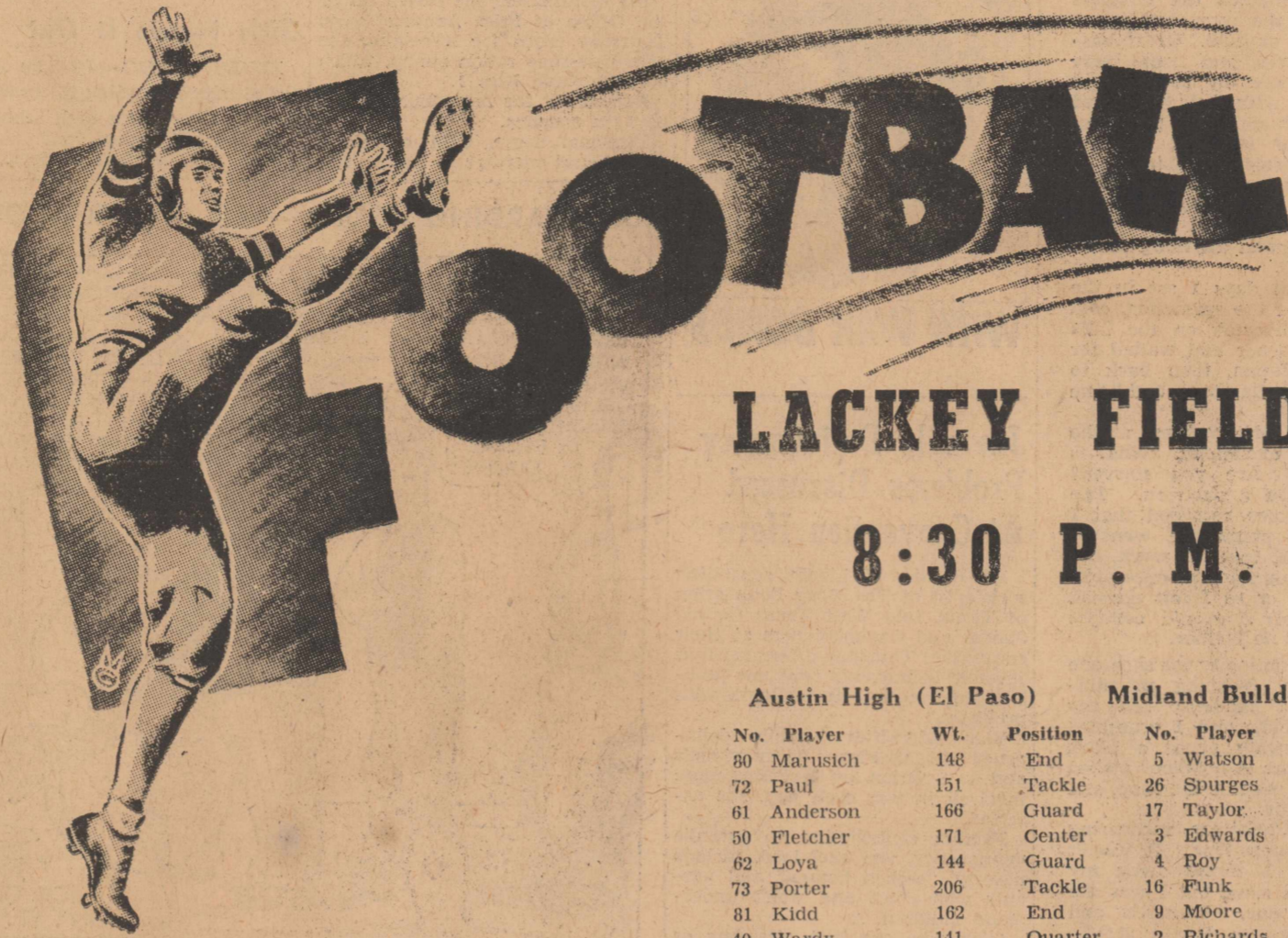
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Table with columns: Leave Midland - Odessa, Leave Airport, and times.

Austin High ^{El Paso} vs. Midland Tonight



LACKEY FIELD
8:30 P. M.

Austin High (El Paso)			Midland Bulldogs			
No.	Player	Wt.	No.	Player	Wt.	
80	Marusch	148	End	5	Watson	187
72	Paul	151	Tackle	26	Spurges	150
81	Anderson	166	Guard	17	Taylor	173
50	Fletcher	171	Center	3	Edwards	150
62	Loya	144	Guard	4	Roy	160
73	Porter	206	Tackle	16	Funk	156
81	Kidd	162	End	9	Moore	146
40	Wardy	141	Quarter	2	Richards	157
10	Travis	128	Halfback	30	Hale	155
30	Francis	165	Halfback	18	Stickney	150
22	Edmundson	172	Pullback	8	Hall	140
82	Dunn	140	End	12	Cowden	127
83	Reid	172	End	20	Daugherty	130
85	Steele	170	End	13	Friday	139
			End	28	Filler	140
			End	24	Carter	125
11	Jackson	135	Back	14	H. Drake	135
12	Lackey	141	Back	6	B. Drake	127
20	Carnell	140	Back	7	Neatherlin	122
21	Sudbury	141	Back	15	Bryan	128
31	Slaughter	153	Back	10	Rice	135
41	Harmon	130	Back			
51	Valdes	143	Center	33	J. Griswold	192
52	Pufal	148	Center			
60	Holt	130	Guard	11	Vertrees	143
63	Hicks	143	Guard	32	Leftwich	144
64	Turner	162	Guard			
65	Pogle	140	Guard			
70	Laurence	151	Tackle	27	McNeal	151
71	Pollard	145	Tackle	34	E. Griswold	151
74	Mardsley	153	Tackle	25	Connally	150

Head Coach: Chas. H. (Red) Harris, Southwestern
Coach: Gene McCollum, Jack Atkins

SCHEDULE

September 17	Brownfield 0, Midland 20
September 24	Austin High (El Paso) at Midland
October 1	San Angelo at San Angelo
October 8	Sweetwater at Midland
October 15	Plainview at Plainview
October 22	Big Spring at Big Spring
October 29	Abilene at Midland
November 19	Lamesa at Midland
November 25	Odessa at Odessa

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UNLOCKING ADVENTURE

By Charles Courtney

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Charles Courtney is the world's highest paid legal Jimmy Valentine. This is the true story of his many adventures unlocking safes around the earth and under the sea.

CHAPTER XXIII

HAVING spent two weeks sight-seeing in Moscow, I went to Leningrad.

In the Winter Palace which, in spite of being a museum, was one of the most livable palaces that I had seen, I met a member of the museum staff, the authority on oil paintings, who had been a countess and the daughter of a lady in waiting to the zarina. From what I had read of Communism, it surprised me that she was well-to-do and held an enviable job.

"It isn't because I am in sympathy with the government," she explained, "but I have the position because I know languages and art. My income is in foreign bonds and I do not need to work, but I have to hold a job if I want an apartment. They are only for the workers. That's the reason all my friends, even those with large incomes, are working."

The countess invited me to a dinner party at her apartment, in which I noticed that her bedroom furniture was priceless mahogany inlaid with gold. The lady and her friends grumbled about a 12-hour day, but I discovered that they worked 12 hours one day and had a holiday the next, and also that in Russia Sunday comes every sixth day instead of every seventh.

Before I returned to Moscow, my Russian friends asked me to drive with them to an abandoned country place not far from the city. The countess told me that during the revolution she had buried a safe under a certain tree and it had stayed there since 1917. One bright evening we drove into

the country, found the house and the tree, and set to work. The countess' friends were muscular aristocrats but unused to spade-work, and it took a long time to reach the old hand-hammered iron chest. It was buried so deep, nearly eight feet, that we could never get it up, so I went down on a rope and opened it in the hole.

AFTER I had opened the lock, I packed the contents in a basket tied to a rope—laces, jewels, inlaid boxes—a woman's keepsake. When we returned to the countess' apartment with them, she gave me a piece of lace that had belonged to the zarina and her pearl opera glasses. She paid me 5000 paper rubles.

All night, or what was left of it, I dreamed of the presents that I would buy my wife and daughter with the rubles. However, in the shops the next morning, I found that I could buy anything in Russia with the rubles, but to get my purchases out of the country was another matter. The articles that were to be taken out had to be receipted, and one could get a receipt only for valuta or foreign exchange.

Since I had only a few days in which to spend the rubles, I invited some attractive young American tourists to see the night life of Leningrad. Their trip had been paid for in the United States and they had very little actual money with them. It was a gay evening. We dined on caviar and champagne, listened to gypsy orchestras, and watched the other guests, who were more fascinating than the entertainment. The bill was 600 rubles. When I gave the waiter another 500, he nearly collapsed before us.

The following day I returned to Moscow. There were only two days left and the rubles were on my mind, so I rounded up the American tourists at the hotel and again we did the night life. Both the Americans and the Russians

thought I must be a crazy American millionaire, but in spite of trying my best, I still had 2500 rubles left when I took the Trans-Siberian Express.

WE traveled for 14 days. In the rich farmlands the villagers thronged to the wayside stations to meet the express. Great baskets of pastries and fruits were offered for sale by round-faced peasant girls with their heads tied in handkerchiefs. The platforms were full of laughing, singing, embracing farmers climbing on or off with their arms full of sacks and baskets, everybody acting as if it were a holiday. It was a land rich beyond anything that I had imagined.

For several days I sat in the tea houses of the sprawling, cold city of Vladivostok on the hills above the harbor and waited for a boat to Japan, then back to Seattle on a Dollar liner, and home by plane.

When my wife met me at the airport, she exclaimed, "What is the matter? Are you starved? You look like a skeleton." The bathroom scales recorded that I had lost 20 pounds. I went to the shop and tried to work, but all that autumn I was miserable. For a week or so I felt normal, then suddenly I would collapse and could go no farther.

As I was coming to the shop one bitterly cold morning in mid-December, I suddenly felt my strength ebbing and I crumpled on the sidewalk about a block from my door. A neighbor picked me up, took me into the shop, and called a doctor.

I spent Christmas recovering from four operations. It wasn't long before I threw away my crutches and came, but I was the only lucky one. Weissfeld and Costello were in Berlin graves, and Mansfield's ashes, according to his wish, had been flown over the Hampshire and scattered into the sea.

(To Be Concluded)

(From the book of the same name written in collaboration with Thomas M. Johnson and published by Whittlesey House, New York City.)

BACK THE ATTACK—



WITH WAR BONDS

Juvenile Delinquency Problems Discussed At Convention Here

Dr. Bernice M. Moore, consulting sociologist of The Hogg Foundation of Texas, told West Texas County Judges and Commissioners at their convention Thursday afternoon that juvenile delinquents "are not problem children, but are children with problems."

War intensifies juvenile delinquency and Americans as individuals and as a nation are becoming more involved in war each day, she asserted.

Factors contributing to juvenile delinquency, she explained, include poverty, "broken homes," and parents who don't and won't understand children.

Girls who are first offenders or who are arrested on suspicion shouldn't be confined in jail cells with hardened women, she continued. Families should be kept together and taught security and communities should develop recreation programs for youths.

Judge M. Scarborough of El Paso presided at the discussion. Describes Cases In Court District Judge David E. Mulcahy of El Paso described juvenile delinquency cases which came before his court and asserted, "we must do all in our power to stop the trend."

"Somewhere in the case of every delinquent child, society has failed," he suggested more volunteer parole agencies to aid in working out the program, which has become more acute in this war than every before.

At the conclusion of the discussion, Dr. Moore asserted every child brought into a juvenile court should be given a physical, sociological and psychological examination. Banded Is Speaker "Post-War West Texas" was the subject of an address by D. A. Banded, manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

He discussed the vast resources of West Texas and told how they should be used after the war is won. "Isolationism is out forever," he asserted. "We must make a permanent peace and property rights must be protected."

Banded said capital and labor must not be enslaved and free enterprise and free trade must be protected. He praised the Atlantic Charter.

Judge A. S. Ware of Bryan, president of the County Judges and Commissioners Association of Texas, described the work Texas counties at war, and a panel discussion was held on present equipment and parts shortages. Speakers included John B. Nations, assistant director of equipment and procurement of the Texas Highway Department, and D. C. Greer, state highway engineer.

Miss Mickey McDonald entertained the Thursday afternoon session with accordion selections.

Navy Flier Here To Visit With Parents
Lt. Nelson Puett, Jr., Navy flier who has been on the North Atlantic patrol for the last 16 months, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Puett and family, 1307 West Wall Street.

Recently promoted from junior grade lieutenant, young Puett has been in the naval air forces for almost three years. He has been assigned to the North Atlantic patrol practically all the time since finishing his training at Pensacola, Fla.

Lieutenant Puett attended the University of Texas from 1937 through 1940 and during three of those years won varsity football letters. His father, an executive of the Midland office of the Federal Petroleum Board, also was a football player at the University of Texas while he was a student there.

Newsboys Honored
AUSTIN—(P)—Governor Coke R. Stevenson has proclaimed Saturday, Oct. 2, as National Newspaper Day in Texas in recognition of newspaper boys who have sold millions of dollars worth of war bonds and stamps in addition to performing a daily public service by delivering newspapers.

Helpful Suggestions
FORT DOUGLAS, UTAH—(P)—Soldiers found this note pinned to their soft drink machine: "To whomever found my flashlight: "If it won't work, unwind the end. If it still won't work, hit it a few times. If the darn thing still gives you trouble, throw it in the ash can." "The bus driver."

The "Corsair," one of the fastest, most deadly planes in the world, is powered by a 2000-horsepower radial engine and bores through the air at better than 400 miles per hour.

Next Shoe Ration Stamp, Valid November 1, Must Be Stretched Over Six Months Period

WASHINGTON—(P)—Take it easy with the brogans boys, it's going to be a longer time between pairs.

Six months was the period set by the Office of Price Administration Thursday night for stretching the next new-shoe ration stamp, which becomes valid Nov. 1.

Heretofore, it's been four months between coupons.

Principal cause, OPA explained, is a critical shortage of leather due

to heavy demands for military and industrial uses and for shoe repairing.

Present production estimates indicate, OPA said, that the new stamp will have to last until May 1, but if the outlook should improve sufficiently, the period will be shortened. A definite announcement was promised as soon as studies underway are completed.

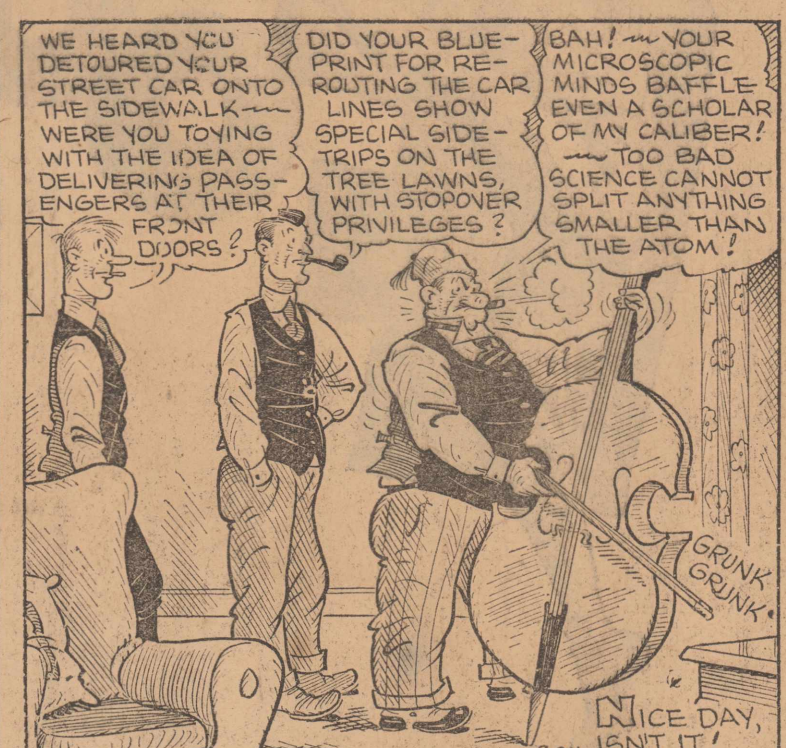
In naming stamp No. 1 on the "airplane" sheet of ration book three as the coupon for the next period, OPA also announced that the expiration date of stamp 18 in book one has been extended in-

definitely beyond Oct. 31. Its use will overlap the new stamp, which likewise has no expiration date.

Ducks Stop Traffic
LONDON—(P)—A mother duck and her family of ducklings stopped traffic when the mother escorted her youngsters from the grounds of Buckingham Palace to the lake in St. James Park for their first swim.

—By J. R. WILLIAMS

OUR BOARDING HOUSE —with MAJOR HOOPLE



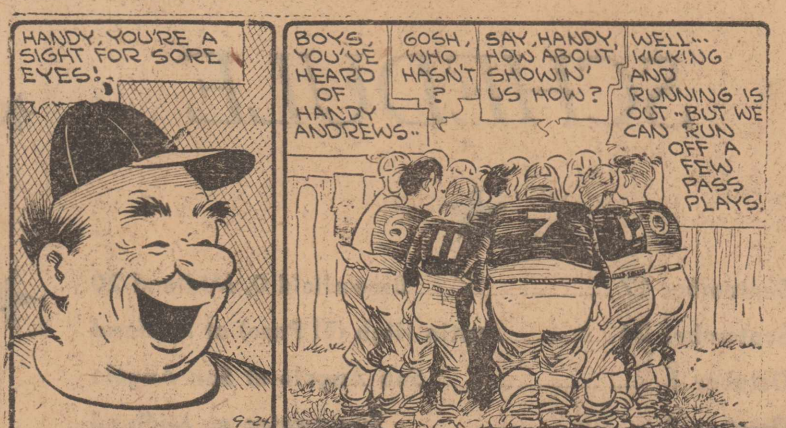
WE HEARD YOU DETOURED YOUR STREET CAR ONTO THE SIDEWALK... DID YOUR BLUE-PRINT FOR RE-ROUTING THE CAR LINES SHOW SPECIAL SIDE-TRIPS ON THE TREE LAWNS WITH STOPPERS FRONT DOORS? ... BAH! YOUR MICROSCOPIC MINDS BATTLE EVEN A 6 CALIBER! ... TOO BAD SCIENCE CANNOT SPLIT ANYTHING SMALLER THAN THE ATOM!

OUT OUR WAY



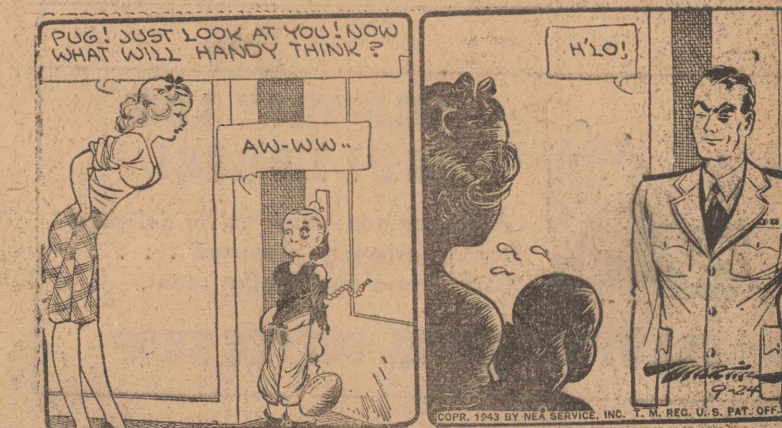
SHE'S STRIPPED TH' THREADS ON A QUARTER-INCH BOLT, AND NO MAN YET HAS EVER SAID TH' RIGHT THING TO A BRIDE AND A BURN'T BISCUIT! ... THIS IS WORSE! YOU KNOW YOU CAN'T GO 'ROUND TAKIN' 'EM IN YOUR ARMS... THAT'S THE ONLY 'CURE' AN' IT MIGHT BECOME AN EPI-DEMIC!

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



HANDY YOU'RE A SIGHT FOR SORE EYES! ... GOSH, YOU'VE HAINT HEARD OF HANDY ANDREWS? ... SAY, HANDY, HAINT SHOWIN' US HOW? ... WELL... HAINT AND RUNNIN' IS OFF - BUT WE CAN OFF A FEW DABS 'PLAYS!

—By EDGAR MARTIN



PUG! JUST LOOK AT YOU! HOW WHAT WILL YOU HANDY THINK? ... AW-WW... ... H'LO!

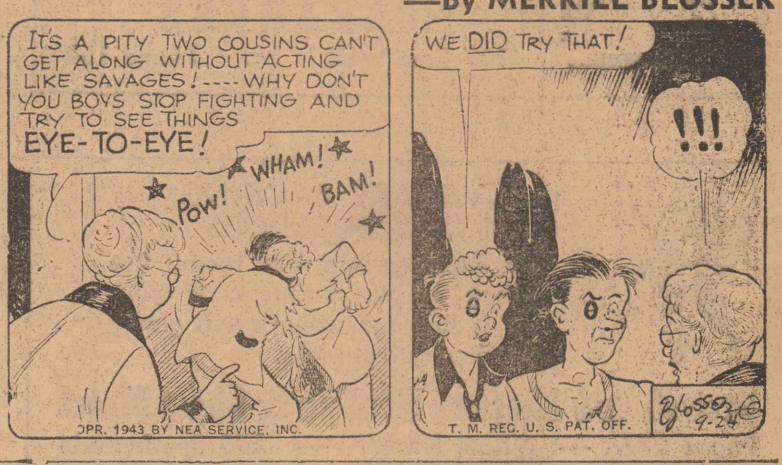
buy MEAD'S fine BREAD

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



MERCY ME, WHAT'S GOING ON IN THE BOYS' BEDROOM? ... SOUNDS LIKE A FREE-FOR-ALL! ... BAM! CRASH! POW!

—By MERRILL BLOSSER



IT'S A PITY TWO COUSINS CAN'T GET ALONG WITHOUT ACTING LIKE SAVAGES! ... WHY DON'T YOU BOYS STOP FIGHTING AND TRY TO SEE THINGS EYE-TO-EYE! ... WE DID TRY THAT! ... !!!

WASH TUBBS



WHAT ARE YOU UP TO NOW, TRAITOR? ... NOT A TRAITOR—A FOREIGN AGENT. I LIVED IN AMERICA AS A MEMBER OF THE GERMAN INTELLIGENCE! ... I MISTOOK THE GIRL FOR AN AGENT SENT TO HELP ME... BUT IT DOESN'T MATTER... I'LL GET RID OF YOU BOTH!

—By LESLIE TURNER



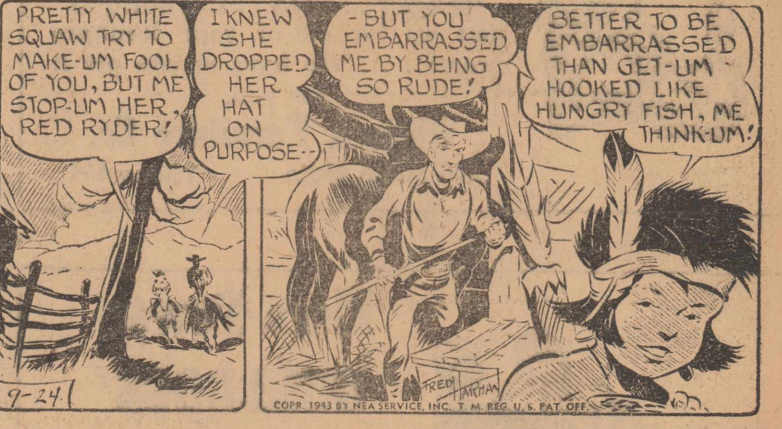
GO INTO THE NEXT ROOM, CAPTAIN EASY!

RED RYDER



YOU FINALLY MET RED RYDER! ARE YOU HAPPY, SYLVIA? ... HAPPY! I'M MAD AS A HORNET! INSTEAD OF GETTING A DATE TO THE DANCE, I WAS LEFT WALTZING ALONE BY THE HITCHRAIL! ... I WARNED YOU HE WAS TOO SMART TO FALL FOR YOUR SILLY CAPERS! ... LIMP! HE CAN'T BE SMART ALL THE TIME!

—By FRED HARMAN



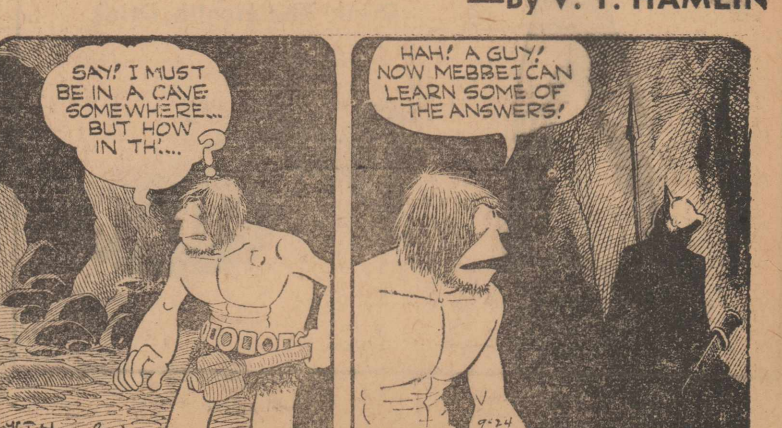
PRETTY WHITE SQUAW TRY TO MAKE A FOOL OF YOU, BUT ME STOP 'EM HER, RED RIDER! ... I KNEW SHE DROPPED HER HAT ON PURPOSE... ... BUT YOU EMBARRASSED ME BY BEING SO RUDE! ... BETTER TO BE EMBARRASSED THAN GET 'EM HOOKED LIKE HUNGRY FISH, ME THINKUM!

ALLEY OOP



FED LITAKES WHAT GOES ON HERE? WHEN I GOT INTO THE BLASTED TIN CAN IT WAS BROAD DAYLIGHT AN' GOLDEN THE DICKENS! ... THERES SURE SUMPIN SCREWY GOIN' ON 'ERE! ... SAY! I MUST BE IN A CAVE SOMEWHERE... BUT HOW IN TH... ... HAH! A GUY! NOW MEBBET CAN LEARN SOME OF THE ANSWERS!

—By V. T. HAMLIN



SIDE GLANCES



"How times have changed! I can remember when that salesman would threaten to sue the railroad if his berth wasn't made up on time!"

McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

By WILLIAM E. MCKENNEY
America's Card Authority
As often as I have sung the praises of our champion players as card-playing artists, I must admit that they go surprisingly wrong on some hands. Today's hand is really quite a simple problem the way Milton Casson of Boston, Mass., and several others handled it in the national championship tourna-

None	None
A J 8 4 2	K J 9 8
K Q 9 3	6 5 3
K 8 5	10 7
5	Q
	7 6 2
Casson	
Q 7	
6 5	
4 3 2	
A K J 10 9 8	
Duplicate—All vul.	
South West North East	
Pass 1 A Double 4 Pass	
5 A Pass Pass	
Opening—A A.	24

ment this summer. But somehow there were five or six players who managed to go down.

Against Casson, the spade ace was opened and dummy ruffed. The important next play was to cash the heart ace and lead a low heart. This provided assured entry back to the South hand at any time, and offered a chance to make an over-trick in case the hearts were divided three-three. As it happened, they were not.

East won the second heart and led a club. Dummy's queen won this, and South ruffed a heart to get back in his hand. He ruffed his last spade in dummy, ruffed still another heart in his own hand, and drew the two outstanding trumps. Now South could discard a diamond on dummy's last heart. He conceded one diamond and did not even have to risk a diamond finesse.

South got 11 tricks, as he should have; one declarer played it so as to get only eight tricks!

BRING SALT AND BUTTER
KNOXVILLE, TENN.—(P)—Sunny South? Well, yes, for the popcorn in W. M. Neubert's patch popped right on the cob on the stalk in the field!

Seven hundred and ninety-three different species of roses are known to science.

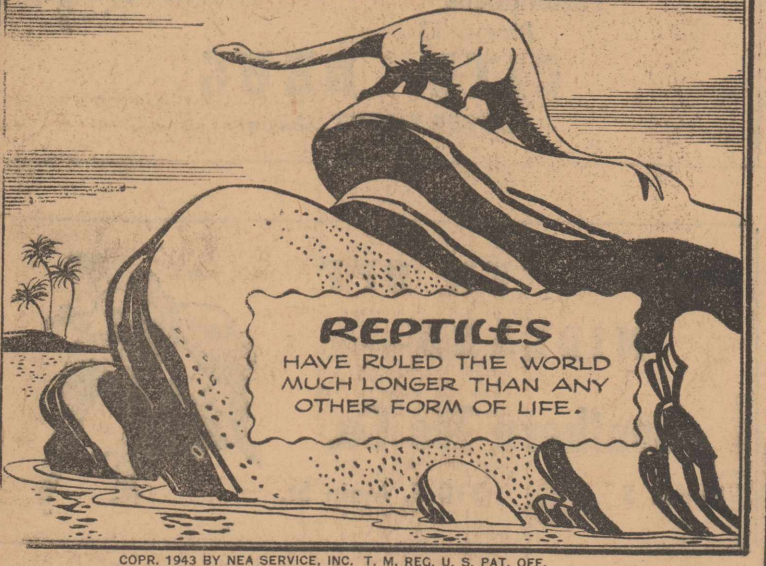
HOLD EVERYTHING



"The coach must be training us for amphibious operations!"

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



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Lost and Found 7
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WANTED at once, hog and beef butchers. Can earn \$10 to \$12 per day. Steady work. Brooks Packer Company, Sweetwater, Texas, P. O. Box 1266, Ph. 654. (168-6)

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LABORERS wanted on Magnolia Tank Farm. Rate 85 cents per hour, one and one-half for overtime. Report to Steel Tank Construction Co. Taber. (169-3)

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WANTED: White lady for half days' house work. Phone 1309-J. (170-3)

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Situations Wanted 10
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RENTALS
Bedrooms 12
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SOUTH bedroom, private entrance, gentlemen only. 510 S. Colorado. (169-3)

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TWO-room, furnished house, 302 E. Kentucky. See Mrs. Lonnie Huggins, 905 E. Washington. (169-3)

FOR SALE
Miscellaneous 23
FOR SALE: Baby bathinette and baby car seat. Phone 71. (170-3)

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Wanted To Buy 26
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Radios and Service 27
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ROANOKE, VA.—(AP)—H. A. Correll has been playing golf for 16 years, but he never got a hole-in-one until this summer. Then he sent the little pellet into the cup for holes-in-one twice within two months.

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BRITISH AVIATION CHIEF crossword puzzle grid and clues.

Railway Strike At Los Angeles Ties Up Traffic

LOS ANGELES —(AP)— A strike of 2,600 Pacific Electric Railway employees began at 2 a. m. (Pacific war time) Friday, despite conciliatory efforts of President Roosevelt.

Final decision to proceed with the strike was ordered by the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen's grievance committee after it met to consider President Roosevelt's latest peace overture.

Swabbing Test--

draws, has progressed below 4,263 feet in line.
C. U. Bay No. 1 Blier & Lowe, wildcat test two and one-half miles northeast of the Fullerton field, has made hole below 5,300 feet.

Another Test Clear Fork
Tide-water Associated Oil Company No. 1 Woodley Petroleum Company portion of the Wagon field and east line of section 62, block AX, ps1 survey, is to be a 7,500-foot test for the Clear Fork horizon of the Permian lime in Northwest Gaines County.

No Report On Coring
Continental Oil Company No. 1-A Jones, Northwest Gaines project, is coring below 9,000 feet in dolomite after checking stumps in drilling from 8,970 feet to 9,000 feet. No reports had been received on the coring at noon Friday.

More Coring In Lane
Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Company No. 52-A Lane, Upton County effort to get production in the Ordovician section, is preparing to core below 7,581 feet in lime and green sandy shale. A core from 7,570-81 feet recovered ten feet and three inches of the formation but no shows of oil appeared.

Mid-Continent No. 1 Shearer, 5,000-foot test in the Apco-Warner area, is drilling around 4,055 feet in lime.

Slight Softening Of Formation
Shell Oil Company No. 3 Sealy-Smith Foundation, Northeast Ward County Ordovician test in the Monahans area, has drilled passed 3,788 feet in lime and chert as the formation has softened slightly.

Phillips No. 1 Sterling, West Sterling County test, scheduled to drill to 9,900 feet, has passed 6,255 feet and is going ahead.

Bern, Switzerland —(AP)— The Swiss Telegraph Agency retracted Friday an earlier announcement that Queen Elena of Italy had arrived in Geneva with Crown Prince Umberto.

The announcement was withdrawn an hour and a half after its issuance. In its later account the agency said the queen and crown prince were probably in Sicily.

Chicago had the first juvenile court in 1899.

Union Leader Is Arrested At Pelly

AUSTIN —(AP)— District Judge J. Harris Gardner Friday issued an order for the arrest of R. J. Thomas of Detroit, president of the United Automobile Workers (UAW), citing him to appear in 53rd District Court here to show cause why he should not be held in contempt of court.

Arrested with Thomas were John W. Livingston of Kansas City, regional director of the Southwestern region for UAW-CIO; C. M. Massengale of Kilgore, Texas, assistant national director of the oil workers organizing committee; and John Crossland of Houston, sub-regional director of the CIO. The four were taken by deputies Sheriff Bob Griffey and W. B. Milner to Goose Creek to "make bond."

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Presides At Meeting



Judge M. Scarborough of El Paso, presided over the panel discussion, "War Time Juvenile Delinquency" Thursday afternoon on the West Texas County Judges' and Commissioners' Association program. He is a member of the State Child Welfare Board.

Thompson Is --

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to put up \$1 for each \$3 spent in the state by federal government, and he said the state must be ready to meet this obligation.

"This means planning and conservation of funds and the protection of these funds," he added.

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Personal

Miles F. Stanley has arrived home from Texas A. and M. College and will spend a fortnight visiting his parents before he reports to El Paso for induction into the service.

Mrs. Ben. Stanley has been called to Klamouth Falls, Ore. because of the serious illness of her mother.

Sgt. and Mrs. Harvey G. Phillips have returned from a visit in France, where they were called because of the serious illness of Sergeant Phillips' brother.

J. E. McDonald, state commissioner of agriculture, Thursday visited his daughter, Mrs. Steve P. Hazlip, and attended the annual convention of West Texas County Judges and Commissioners here.

One belief of Fiji Islanders is that if they are not tattooed, they cannot enter Paradise.

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Bulldogs Meet Tough El Paso Team Friday

Sports Roundup

NEW YORK—(AP)—For the tenth time in eleven years, horse-trainer Hirsch Jacobs has saddled his 100th winner—the other year he had only 98. . . . Fains with mathematical minds will now start figuring what a \$2 parlay would be worth. . . . Lefty Gomez, who used to be a \$20,000 a year pitcher, now collects \$100 a game from the Bushwicks. . . . And doesn't have Grandma Murphy waiting in the bullpen. . . . The Army football team (we mean West Point, of course) is taking the "T" formation very seriously. Line Coach Herman Hickman, Major Andy Gustafson and Capt. Spec Moore all went to Baltimore to watch the Bears against the Redskins, then turned up in Philadelphia for the Bears-Eagles game.

Torrid Tip Dept. A well-informed Ohio source (Fritz Howell, if you're looking for him Sunday) tips Ohio State's 17-year-olds to outscore the mighty Iowa Seahawks in Saturday's big upset. . . . His idea is that Illinois didn't have a thing for the Seahawks to beat last week and that precision Paul Brown wouldn't be grinning like a vegetarian on meatless day unless he had something up his sleeve. . . . Freddie Apostoli, ex-middleweight champ, sends word from the South Pacific that he has been at sea ten months and "sometimes it feels like ten days, other times like ten years". . . . Pvt. Glenn Dobbs, the Tulsa U. all-American, will do his passing this fall for the Randolph Field, Tex., Flyers, who tee off against Rice Saturday. . . . His brother Bobby, a cadet at West Point, hasn't yet been considered for a place in the first two backfields. . . . The 124th Infantry 'Gators from Fort Benning, Ga., who play the Jacksonville, Fla., Naval Air Raiders Saturday, are led by Lamar Davis and Jim Todd of Georgia's Rose Bowl team.

Gen. David A. D. Ogden, head of the Army Engineer Amphibian Command, was a water polo player at Princeton before he entered West Point.

Austin High School Expected To Put Weighty Squad On Field In Seeking To Avenge Defeat By Midland In '42

Midland's High School Bulldogs will get their final test of power before jumping into District 3-AA play when they meet the vaunted Austin High School Panthers of El Paso under the floodlights of Lackey Field at 8:30 p. m. Friday. Next Friday the Bulldog squad will go on the road to battle the highly-touted San Angelo Bobcats on the Concho River land of the Tom Green County capital in their first conference tilt.

Five Encounters Start Conference Season Saturday

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF Associated Press Sports Editor Five games due to attract some 45,000 fans will send the Southwest Conference football campaign merrily on its way Saturday. Top game is the clash between Southern Methodist and Tulsa at Dallas with S.M.U. facing probably the stiffest opening test in history. Defending champion Texas opens with Blackland Army Air Field at Austin. Arkansas plays Missouri Mines at Fayetteville and shouldn't expect to have too much trouble. Texas A. and M. meets Bryan Air Field at College Station. Randolph appears to have the makings of a good club with Tulsa's Dobbs as the spark. Here's how they look (anticipated crowds in parentheses): Tulsa vs Southern Methodist at Dallas, 3 p. m. (10,000)—Can't afford to put pal Jimmie Stewart, S.M.U. coach, on the spot: Tulsa. Texas vs Blackland Army Air Field at Austin, 2:30 p. m. (12,000)—Too many and too much: Texas. Rice vs Randolph Field at Houston, 8 p. m. (10,000)—Ditto for Rice but Jess Neely's pass defense is due to get a good work-out from the great Dobbs. Texas A. and M. vs Bryan Air Field at College Station, 2:30 p. m. (10,000)—The Aggies ought to win this one with a minimum of effort. Arkansas vs Missouri Mines at Fayetteville, 2:30 p. m. (3,500)—The Razorbacks will roll and definitely.

Sure Sign



St. Louis Cardinals run to 10-gallon hats once pennant is won. Here's Max Lanier, who pitched clincher, in traditional sombrero.

Grid Schedule

TEXAS AND SOUTHWESTERN CONFERENCE GAMES Friday Texas Tech vs. Okla. A. & M. at Oklahoma City (night). Saturday Texas A. & M. vs. Bryan Air Field at College Station. Texas vs. Randolph Field at Houston (night). SMU vs. Tulsa at Dallas. Missouri Mines vs. Arkansas at Fayetteville. Blackland Army Air Field vs. Texas at Austin. DISTRICT 3-AA GAMES (All Games Friday) Austin High (El Paso) at Midland (8:30 p. m.). El Paso High at Odessa. Lubbock at San Angelo. Cisco at Big Spring. OTHER AREA GAMES Jal (N.M.) at Wink. Eunice (N.M.) at Monahans.

THE STANDINGS

Table with columns for National League, American League, and Thursday Games, listing teams and their records.

Prognosticator Cuts Loose With Predictions On Games

By ORLO ROBERTSON NEW YORK—(AP)—Having stuffed our pockets full of good luck charms, disposed of the neighbor's black cat and consulted the various sectional experts we plunge head-first into football's annual guessing game. Pittsburgh-Notre Dame—Pitt has Coach Clark Shaughnessy, his "T" formation and a host of youngsters. Notre Dame also has the "T" plus Angelo Bertelli to make it click. Notre Dame by a wide margin. Pennsylvania-Princeton—A couple of Ivy chad schools getting together earlier than usual. But there appear to be too many ex-Penn players at Princeton so it's the Tigers. Northwestern - Indiana - Otto Graham is back at Northwestern plus plenty of reserves. Enough said. Flyers Over Ohio State Minnesota-Missouri—The Gophers are not the powerhouse of old but still should whip the Big Six boys. Great Lakes-Iowa—Purdue beat the Sailors last week but the Hawk-eyes aren't the boiler-makers so we'll string along with the gobs. Michigan - West Michigan - A breather for both the power-laden Wolverines and the writer. Ohio State - Iowa Pre-Flight - Looks like Ohio State will drop its first opening game since 1894. The Navy boys have too much experience for Paul Brown's 17-year-old student eleven. Louisiana State - Georgia - Too many bayou freshmen for Georgia's lightweight. Georgia Tech - North Carolina - Tech is touted as "the team" of the war-riddled Southeastern Conference but North Carolina has a squad of 92 players, including 40 backs. So a weak vote for the Tarheels. Army Due To Win Navy-North Carolina Pre-Flight—The Navy can field an all-veteran team while the Cloudbusters have rebuilt since last season's successful campaign. Without hesitation, the Middles from Annapolis. Army-Villanova—This may be one of the best Army elevens in recent years so until proven otherwise we'll go along with Earl Blaik. Camp Grant-Wisconsin—The soldiers. Marquette-Purdue - The Boiler-makers. Duke-Richmond—the Blue Devils. Yale-U. S. Coast Guard (New London)—Yale. Rochester-Colgate—Colgate. Penn State-Bucknell—Bucknell. Cornell-Sampson Naval Station—The collegians. Southern Methodist-Tulsa - The Oklahomaans. Southern California-UCLA—The Trojans. St. Mary's-California—The Golden Bears. Guessing In A Hurry Skipping over the yardage lines from a single wingback formation: Temple over VMI (Friday), Kansas over Washburn (Friday), Texas Tech over Okla. A. & M. (Friday), Clemson over Presbyterian, North Carolina State over Newport News Naval Apprentice, Camp Davis over Wake Forest, South Carolina over Newberry, Bainbridge Navy over Camp Lejeune Marines, Maryland over Curtis Bay, Norman Naval Base over Oklahoma, Arkansas over Missouri School of Mines. Texas A. and M. over Bryan Field, Rice to whip Randolph Field, Texas to take Blackland Field, Washington over Whitman, Denver over Colorado Mines (Friday), Colorado to take Fort Warren, Colorado College over New Mexico, College of Pacific over St. Mary's Pre-Flight, and on Sunday Dartmouth to start off a winning season against Holy Cross.

Yanks Only One Game Away From Clinching Race

By JUDSON BAILEY Associated Press Sports Writer The day on which the New York Yankees can clinch the American League pennant under their own power in one game has arrived. All the Bombers need now to nail up their seventh flag in eight years, and 14th in history, is to beat the Detroit Tigers Friday afternoon. Tigers Defeated They smothered the Tigers for the second straight time Thursday with Lefty Marius Russo showing world series form in a jaw-hit 1-0 shutout. This success and Cleveland's split of a doubleheader at Boston eliminated the Indians mathematically and the Washington Senators, who had held on stubbornly to a remote pennant possibility, collapsed before the St. Louis Browns 12-3 for the second straight time in a night game. Cleveland was overpowered by the Red Sox 13-7 in the first game, but the Tribe took the nightcap 6-4. In the other American League game, Cyril Grove pitched the Chicago White Sox to a 5-2 verdict over the Philadelphia Athletics. Bums Beat Cards Two of the left-handers whom the St. Louis Cardinals are counting on to stop the American Leaguers, played a rocky road against the Brooklyn Dodgers. Alpha Brazle gave up three runs and Harry Breechen a fourth as the Dodgers defeated the Cardinals 4-3 for Whitlow Wyatt's tenth consecutive triumph and 14th of the year. The outcome enabled the Dodgers to hold second place in the National League against a 3-2 triumph by the Cincinnati Reds over the New York Giants in a night game. Pittsburgh was beaten 2-1 by the five-hit hurling of Jim Tobin of the Boston Braves and the Chicago Cubs scored six runs in the sixth inning to nose out the Phillies 8-7. Bill Nicholson hit his 25th and 26th home runs of the year.

Mites Roll Over Mineral Wells

By The Associated Press The Mighty Mites roll on. They were considered too little to play football this year; only by popular request did Masonic Home decide to put a team on the field. But they're doing all right for little fellows. The Masons were beaten in two starts and their latest victims were the Mineral Wells Mountaineers whom they plastered 52-13 Thursday night. It was one of a scattering of games played in Texas schoolboy football. The big show of the week will be Friday night when 45 tilts are reeled off. Two districts have conference games—Dallas, where Crozer Tech meets Sunset, and District 11 where Tyler entertains Athens. The only conference game Thursday night, Woodrow Wilson (Dallas) beat North Dallas 20-0. Goose Creek of District 14 went to Houston and defeated Jeff Davis 12-0, one of the favorites of District 13. San Antonio, the San Antonio Tech eleven defeated the Texas Military Institute 26 to 7.

Students Yell For Victory By Bulldogs

Midland High School students turned out in full force Thursday evening for a rally on the court-house lawn, cheering their team to victory over Austin High School of El Paso in Friday night's contest. Cheers rang loudly through the business district as the students voiced loudly their support of the Bulldogs. Some students paraded and many visited business establishments in the downtown area to yell for the Bulldogs. It was one of the most enthusiastic pep rallies ever staged in Midland.

New Airport --

(Continued from page 1) of Waco have the contract for the work and F. O. Rogers, their construction superintendent, is here supervising the project. No Private Planes Allowed Colonel Hamm said the new port would be open only to planes of the armed forces and airlines. Service at the field will be much larger than previously anticipated and it promises to quickly become one of the busiest ports in the Southwest, he explained. Only private planes, operating under government contracts, will be permitted to use the port, he added. Colonel Hamm sees a tremendous future for commercial aviation as soon as the war is won. He said large cargo planes will require good ports and that Midland is fortunate in having the splendid airport for post-war activities. Arrangements have been made for the paving of a road to the new port and surveying now is being done on that project by the State Highway Department. C. Greer, state highway engineer, visited with Colonel Hamm and the other officers in Hotel Scharbauer Thursday evening. The Air Transport Command supervises transportation of both freight and passengers for the armed forces.

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Californian To Command Legion

OMAHA—(AP)—The American Legion was committed Friday to the support of a post-war program endorsing participation by the United States in a post-war association of "free and sovereign nations" to preserve peace. The convention elected—without opposition—Warren Atherton, Stockton, Calif., attorney, national commander to succeed Roane G. Waring of Memphis, Tenn. The legion in accepting committee reports at the close of its 25th annual convention Thursday gave its approval to post-war cooperation as a method by which "our nation can best serve and protect its natural interests." Full support of present draft policies of the administration, including taking of pre-Pearl Harbor fathers into the armed services, was seen in adoption of a report submitted by the legion's national defense committee.

Congress Takes Preliminary Steps To Allow Soldiers To Vote In Presidential Election

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Preliminary steps to enable several million members of the armed services to cast absentee ballots in the 1944 state primaries and the presidential election were taken in Congress Friday. Chairman Green (D-RI) announced he had asked Secretary of War Stimson and Navy Secretary Knox to give the Senate elections committee their views on a pending plan to permit overseas service men and women to use a simplified V-mail ballot. As soon as the Stimson and Knox statements are received, Green said he would open hearings on the proposal, which he sponsored with Senator Lucas (D-ILL), of Chairman Worley (D-Tex), of the House committee on elections, also announced plans to open hearings on similar legislation well in advance of the first primaries next March. Principal provisions of the pending legislation are: An "overseas war ballot," printed on paper suitable for V-mail processing, for voting for president and members of Congress. The War and Navy departments would print, distribute and assemble the ballots with commanding officers of all service units responsible for seeing that any eligible service man or woman obtained one. An oath of eligibility would be the only legal requirement, with poll taxes and state registration laws waived. Wherever possible, voting for state and local officers would be permitted.

Strange Addresses Judges At Banquet

W. T. (Tanla) Strange, Jr., of Lubbock urged members of the West Texas County Judges and Commissioners' Association to put everything they have "into the winning of the war and the peace," in an address Thursday evening at the annual banquet of the organization in Hotel Scharbauer. "We've got more money in this country than we've ever had in our lives," Strange said. "Buy more War Bonds with it. America must meet its goal and see that our fighting forces have all the supplies and the equipment they need." In a humorous manner, he drew laughs scores of times on his remarks about various government activities, but he concluded, "There's a lot of good in the OPA. 'I'd rather provide a No. 18 coupon for a pair of shoes than pay \$18 for a pair of shoes as we did during World War I.'" Judge Lee Thompson of Farwell, secretary of the association, presented his report at the banquet. Wives of members of the organization were entertained at the affair which was followed by a dance. Bill Collins, manager of the Chamber of Commerce, was in charge of the entertainment program. Miss Patsy Arrington sang several selections. Miss Peggy Bissell was at the piano.

Bonds By The Bagful

PERRY, GA.—(AP)—James A. Ragan, 54-year-old negro veteran of World War I, dumped a flour sack before the cashier's cage of the Perry Loan and Savings Company and said he wanted to buy a war bond. The result was two five-hundred dollar bonds, bought with the savings which Ragan had accumulated since his return from the last war. The money was all in five-dollar bills, the great majority of them the old big-size bills.

Oil Compact Group Opens Conference

SANTA FE, N. M.—(AP)—Governors Andrew Schoepel of Kansas and Robert S. Kerr of Oklahoma headed a long list of state officials here Friday for opening of a two-day meeting of the Interstate Oil Compact Commission. Besides organizational matters, the group scheduled a discussion late Friday of federal proposals for oil well drilling. Agriculture provides a livelihood for 32,000,000 people in the United States.

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Football Ticket Sales Will Be Expedited General admission tickets for the Midland High-Austin High School football game Friday night will be on sale at both the South and West box offices, school officials said. Persons desiring to sit in the East side reserved section will purchase tickets at the South gate box office. Persons who desire reserved seats in the west stands will buy their tickets at the West gate. General admission tickets will be available at both gates and additional facilities are being arranged to expedite the sale. At the South gate, two ticket offices will be in operation. One will handle only reserved seats. The other will sell general admission tickets. Portsmouth's Star PORTSMOUTH, VA.—(AP)—Out-fitter John Zontini has been named the year's most valuable player of the Portsmouth Cubs, 1943 champions of the Piedmont League.

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