

# EIGHTH ARMY CAPTURES FOGGIA

## War Bond Sales Brisk On Zero Day

### Campaign Leaders Determined To Exceed Huge Goal

All-Day Program To Promote Sales Held

Tuesday was the zero day in Midland's all-out campaign to meet its quota of \$1,744,400 in War Loan campaign and scores of citizens were buying bonds.

Monday's sales totalled \$84,976.82, bringing the total sold during the campaign to \$1,673,054.31. This left a quota for Tuesday of \$71,345.69 and campaign leaders expected to exceed it by midnight.

Large purchases announced included Frank Cowden \$30,000 and Mrs. Phil Scharbauer \$18,000. Orchids are delivered.

Orchids offered to the first two purchasers or \$5,000 or more in War Bonds Tuesday went to Mrs. Ida Fay Cowden who bought \$25,000 in bonds and Mrs. Harry Adams who invested \$5,000.

The "Top The Quota Day" program opened with an address over KRLH by C. L. Klapproth, War Bond chairman, who thanked citizens for their support and called on them to buy additional bonds during the day.

Throughout the day appeals were made for War Bond sales and between 4:30 and 6:30 p. m. the Midland Army Air Field will provide jeeps to furnish free rides for War Bond purchasers. The jeeps will be at the courthouse. Members of the American Legion post will be in charge of the bond booths on the courthouse lawn.

The day-long program was worked out by the Chamber of Commerce, the Midland Army Air Field and War Bond campaign leaders.

From 6:15 p. m. to 6:45 p. m. the MAAF will present a variety show over KRLH to arouse interest in War Bonds. Lt. Robert Wistrand, public relations officer at the MAAF, was in charge of the radio productions.

"Battle of Bands" For Bonds  
A battle of bands will feature the War Bond drive in the Crystal Ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer (Continued on Page 2)

### Orchids To Mrs. Harry Adams And Mrs. Ida Fay Cowden

Orchids were delivered by the Midland Floral Company Tuesday to Mrs. Harry Adams and Mrs. Ida Fay Cowden as the first two purchasers of War Bonds of \$5,000 or more Tuesday.

The "Top The Quota Day" in Midland's all-out War Loan campaign.

Mrs. Cowden purchased a \$25,000 War Bond and Mrs. Adams a \$5,000 bond Tuesday morning.

Fred Thornhold, proprietor of the floral company, offered orchids to the first two buyers of bonds of \$5,000 or more Tuesday.

He also offered gardenias to the first 300 buyers of War Bonds and these were going rapidly, he reported.

### WEATHER

Occasional rains.

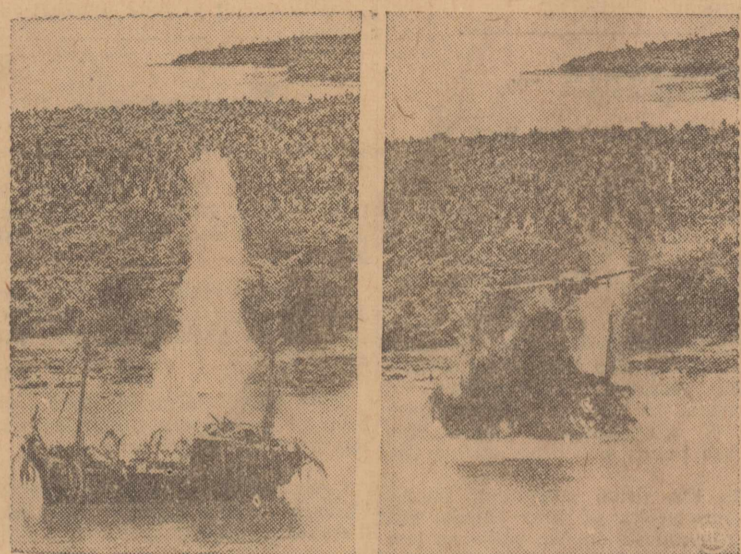
## War Bulletins

**LONDON (AP)—**The Berlin radio reported Tuesday that German troops had landed on the island of Corfu off the northwest coast of Greece across the Ionian Sea from the heel of the Italian boot. Berlin said the Germans occupied the entire island after Italian troops turned down a surrender ultimatum.

**LONDON (AP)—**The Berlin radio reported Tuesday that German troops had captured the Yugoslav harbor town of Split, which was occupied by Yugoslav guerrillas after Italy's capitulation.

**NEW DELHI (AP)—**American Liberators smashed at the port of Akyab on the west coast of Burma Monday as Allied bombers continued their assaults on Japanese communications and supply lines, it was announced.

### End Of A Jap Vessel



Now you see it, now you don't. Near miss on a camouflaged Jap ship at Hansa Bay, left, is followed by a direct hit that disintegrates the vessel as another U. S. medium bomber swoops over, right.

### MacArthur Opens Drive On Enemy Base At Madang

Fall Of Finschhafen Is Expected Shortly

**ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN THE SOUTHWEST PACIFIC (AP)—**Gen. Douglas MacArthur, whose New Guinea troops have won virtually complete control of 80 important miles of coastline from Calamau to Finschhafen since Sept. 12, now have opened a thrust toward Madang, 170 more shoreline miles to the northwest.

This movement while Australians are battering at the last Japanese defenses before tottering Finschhafen, is an overland one developing in the broad Markham Valley at a point 68 miles northwest of Lae. Sagerak captured.

Tuesday's communique disclosed the capture of Sagerak, a village approximately 70 miles south and slightly east of Madang. It was the first hint of a land drive in that direction.

Sagerak is eight miles northwest of Kaitapit, a valley village where Sept. 18, two days after the fall of Lae, big transport planes landed on a grassy field and unloaded Australian soldiers who clashed with an enemy force of 200, killing 120 and routing the others.

Whether Sagerak's capture was (Continued on Page 5)

### Slow Rains In Texas Beneficial To Crops

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Slow, gentle rains in many sections of Texas Tuesday were proving beneficial to fall gardens, rangelands, crops and pastures.

The Dallas weather bureau reported the following rainfall for the 24-hour period ending 6:30 a. m. Tuesday:

Brownsville, 23 inch; Waco, 32;
Brady, 08; Fort Worth, 06; Del
Rio, 01; Dallas, 25; and Abilene,
04.

### Goldsmith Hearing To Be Resumed In Austin On October 5

The Railroad Commission of Texas has announced that the Goldsmith field hearing which was recessed on Sept. 16, will be resumed in Austin on Oct. 5.

Official notice of the new date for the session was received in Midland Tuesday by Robert L. Westbrook, commission deputy supervisor from J. D. Baskin, chief supervisor in Austin for the oil and gas division of the Railroad Commission.

### Mabee Swabs Oil At Rate Of 400 Barrels Per Day

By JAMES C. WATSON  
Oil Editor

During 17 1/2 hours of swabbing Monday the Texas Company No. 1 Mabee, Southeast Andrews discovery as a new source of petroleum production delivered an average of 17 barrels of pipe line oil per hour. At that rate the well is capable of producing at least 400 barrels of crude per day natural. The fluid put in the test tanks Monday was cut an average of two-tenths of one percent with basic sediment and an additional two-tenths of one percent with water.

The water showed for more than that amount at one time during the swabbing, but never was more than 10 percent of the fluid and as of Tuesday morning the water had been completely exhausted, but the oil output was continuing.

As soon as the two-inch tubing is pulled another coring operation from 4718 feet will be undertaken.

A check of distances reveals that the new producer is approximately 17 1/2 miles airline northwest of Midland, instead of about 20 miles as has been previously estimated.

Forrest Stakes A New Wildcat  
No. 1-D Will P. Edwards, 660 feet from the north and west lines of section 33, block 43, TPR survey, T-3-S, is a new wildcat location in Southeast Ector County.

Scheduled drilling depth on the project is 4,500 feet and the work is due to start not later than Oct. 5.

Mid-Continent Completes Eilers  
Mid-Continent Petroleum Corporation No. 1 Eilers, in the northwest quarter of section 14, block A-32, psi survey, and a northeast outcrop of production in the Fullerton area of Northwest Andrews County has been completed for a 24-hour potential of 716 barrels of 43 gravity oil from pay section at 6,970-7,226 feet in the Clear Fork line section of the Permian.

The potential test was taken through a 3/16th inch choke on tubing after 14,000 gallons of acid was injected by stages. The gas-oil ratio was 925-1.

Play Drilled In New Discovery  
Mid-Continent No. 1 University, section 16, block 13, University survey, two and one-half miles southwest of the Fullerton district has drilled the plug on 5 1/2-inch casing. (Continued on Page 2)

### Reds Threaten Three Key Cities

#### Battle For Kiev Opens As Soviets Cross Dnieper

Dnepropetrovsk Falls In Savage Struggle

**LONDON (AP)—**Three key cities of White Russia—Gomel, Mozilev and Vitebsk—were in danger from advancing Red Army forces Tuesday, while farther south other Soviet columns continued their unrelenting pressure against Kiev, Dnepropetrovsk and Melitopol, springboard for a possible drive into the Crimea.

The last German Caucasian base of Temryuk was smashed Monday, a Moscow war communique said, virtually sealing the fate of whatever Axis forces were left in the Northwestern Caucasus.

Most sensational of the Soviet gains recorded Monday was the capture of an east bank suburb of Dnepropetrovsk, in a savage hand-to-hand struggle along the river from that big steel and power city on the Dnieper River bend.

The Russians said they reclaimed 1,320 towns and villages—biggest one-day haul of the smashing summer offensive—in Monday's action on the war's longest land front. All along the Dnieper's length "Our troops X's were wiping out or capturing individual German groupings on the left bank," the communique left.

Nearly 7,000 Nazi troops were reported killed on all sectors of the front.

Moscow said that German troops were retreating by the hundreds. The battle for Kiev was developing, and a Berlin broadcast said that Soviet troops, striking by night, had crossed the river 50 miles to the north and were battling Germans on the west bank.

Carl Ludwig Sartorius, Nazi military commentator, said in a Berlin broadcast that the Russians were across the Dnieper in several places and that furious fighting was going on between Zporozhie and the Sea of Azov.

### Permit Granted For New Bus Line

Harley Sadler of Sweetwater, West Texas showman, has been granted a permit to operate a bus line between Midland and Sterling City via Garden City, by the State Railroad Commission, it was learned here Tuesday.

Both Sadler and the Midland-Odessa Bus Line had filed applications with the commission to establish bus routes from Midland to San Angelo via Garden City and Sterling City. The applications were opposed by the Kerrville Bus Company, which operates between San Angelo and Big Spring, via Sterling City.

The Midland-Odessa line will not oppose the awarding of the permit to Sadler on the shorter route, it is officials said. Sadler has not revealed his plans.

### Lone American Plane Destroys Three Subs

**WASHINGTON (AP)—**Destruction of three German submarines and the damaging of a fourth by a single American plane flying from an escort carrier on Atlantic convoy duty was reported by the Navy Tuesday.

Lt. Robert Pershing Williams, Snoualme, Wash., scored the heavy damage on three undersea raiders. He was flying a Grumman Avenger bomber with Morris C. Greinstead, radio man, Lettis, Iowa, and Melvin H. Paden, machinist mate, Salinas, Calif., as his crew.

Three of the submarines went to the bottom and a total of about 65 German crewmen were rescued from the sea by destroyers. The fourth submarine left merely a huge oil slick on the surface and was recorded only as "possibly damaged."

**KING PETER LEAVES BRITAIN**  
**LONDON (AP)—**King Peter of Yugoslavia has left Britain for the Middle East accompanied by his staff, it was announced Tuesday.

### Kiev

Russians Return To Capital Of Ukraine



After two years of German occupation, Kiev, metropolis on the Dnieper River and capital of the rich Ukraine, now is being attacked by Russian troops and liberation of the city is expected soon. The third city of Russia—Moscow and Leningrad alone are more populous—Kiev was about the size of our Milwaukee or Buffalo when invaded. How many of its 850,000 people have survived the two years of Nazi terror will be revealed when Soviet forces march back down the city's broad, modern streets. A center of agriculture, industry, and cattle raising, Kiev is built on a cliff overlooking the Dnieper.

### Nazi Industrial Centers Pounded In RAF Attacks

**LONDON (AP)—**Great Royal Air Force heavy bomber armadas struck three German cities Monday night, concentrating on the rubber center of Hannover in the second attack in force on that city within a week, amid indications that it is due for the same destructive punishment which leveled Hamburg.

The three-ply night offensive also hit at the big German naval base of Emden in a swift follow-up to the Flying Fortress smash Monday when American bombers dropped a mixed load of high explosives, incendiaries and pamphlets.

RAF loses 38 Planes  
Another RAF target was Bruns- wick.

Monday night's attack was the eleventh heavy bombing delivered on Germany this month, and marked the 48th time Hannover—about 380 miles from Britain and 160 miles due west of Berlin—has been bombed since the start of the war.

The raids cost the RAF 38 bombers. Returning crewmen reported tremendous flames eating through the city.

For Emden, important U-boat haven on the north coast, it was the second blasting within little more than 12 hours. The Fortresses had plowed through adverse weather to drop their loads, employing comparatively new methods devised to make potent the American daylight offensives as effective in bad weather as in good.

Seven Nazis Downed  
The close attention being paid to Hannover and other German rubber centers—it was the fifth big blow to the Reich's rubber sources in four months—made it increasingly clear that the Allies are concentrating on German rubber destruction.

Royal Air Force intruder attacks during the night resulted in the destruction of seven enemy aircraft over Holland and Northwest Germany.

A small number of enemy planes were over Eastern Britain Monday night and dropped bombs on one or two points. Little damage was caused and there were few casualties.

### New Reign Of Terror Started In Denmark

**STOCKHOLM (AP)—**A new reign of terror began in Denmark Tuesday as Gen. Kurt Daluge, ruthless troubleshooter for Heinrich Himmler's Gestapo, took over control of the country from General Hermann Von Hannecken, who has been military dictator since Aug. 29.

The Stockholm newspaper Dagens Nyheter said that one of Daluge's first acts was to start, under the personal orders of Adolf Hitler, the deportation of 6,000 Danish Jews.

### British Shatter German Defenses To Take Big City

Fifth Army Registers Gains In Salerno Area

**ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA—**(AP)—A strong British mobile armored column has raced 25 miles through Field Marshal Gen. Albert Kesselring's defenses and captured the great air base city of Foggia with its 12 satellite airfields.

Official reports disclosed the vanguard of Gen. Sir Bernard L. Montgomery's Eighth Army troops entered the city Monday, easily overcoming minor opposition.

**Fifth Army Gains**  
At the same time Lieut. Gen. Mark W. Clark's men of the Fifth Army registered gains of from two to five miles to the north in the Salerno area in the face of stubborn German resistance.

The Fifth Army captured the town of Lioni and Castelnuovo on the eastern flank of this line, which was held by American troops.

The historic city of Melito also was taken.

North of Salerno British troops lunged their war forward two miles. Division Out Of Action  
Some idea of the intense fighting encountered by the Fifth Army was given by prisoners of the German 16th Panzer Division who said their division had been virtually wiped out of action, with its losses exceeding 50 per cent.

(Tuesday's German communique said the "pressure" of the Anglo-Americans in Southern Italy had been considerably increased with the landing of fresh forces.)

On the Eighth Army front "considerable casualties" were inflicted upon the Germans in the drive on Foggia, headquarters announced.

From a strategic standpoint Foggia is perhaps the most important city captured in the Italian campaign to date.

**No. 1 Objective**  
It is a city of about 85,000 and possesses one of the best airbases in all Italy and a dozen smaller satellite fields that will place powerful Allied air forces within closer striking distance of the Balkans as well as Western Germany and the great Polish oil fields of Rumania.

Foggia was the No. 1 objective of the Allied drive in Southern Italy.

The swift was the Allied advance that the enemy was prevented from destroying the airfields.

**Nazi Position Air**  
"It is obvious that the Allied drive in the east has made perilous the German position in the Naples area," an Allied headquarters spokesman said.

Foggia, in addition to being an air base, is a road center with at least six main highways leading into it from all directions.

The Allied drive again made some headway east of Salerno toward the Adriatic where heavier opposition was met.

### Permit Is Granted For Bus Service To New Midland Airport

The Midland-Odessa Bus Line is ready to inaugurate bus service between Midland and the Midland Airport No. 2, north of the Country Club, an official of the concern said Tuesday.

The State Railroad Commission has granted the service and contractors who are erecting buildings at the port have been notified that the service will start as soon as there is a demand for it.

Which sufficient workmen need transportation, buses will start operating on the route.

Equipment now is available for the additional service. The concern now operates buses between Midland and the Midland Army Air Field, and between Odessa and the Midland Army Air Field on regular schedules.

Buildings now are being erected at Midland Airport No. 2 for the Air Transport Command whose ferrying service will be in charge of the field and its operation.

**PARITY FLOOR APPROVED**  
**WASHINGTON (AP)—**The House agriculture committee approved Tuesday a bill to put a 100 per cent parity floor under basic farm commodities. The present government loan price support is 65 to 90 per cent.

# War Bonds And Stamps Are Not Rationed



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We need a guide who is wiser than we. We are beset by dangers to character and happiness: For God so loved the world that he gave his only begotten son, that whosoever believeth on him should not perish.—John 3:16.

Midland Is First, Again

Authorization has been received by Lt. Col. C. P. Michael, commanding officer of the medical detachment at the Midland Army Air Field, for a Red Cross Volunteer Nurse's Aide Corps here, and again Midland shows the way.

It is real war service and many women will find that by enrolling in the Nurse's Aide Corps they can better serve in the war effort.

Application blanks may be obtained from Mrs. Sloan at Hotel Scharbauer or at the Chamber of Commerce. Mrs. Sloan will interview all applicants.

Those who enroll for the course will be given an 80-hour intensive course of training by an experienced Red Cross nurse. Upon completion of the course, the women will serve in the hospital at the Midland Army Air Field.

—Buy War Bonds And Savings Stamps—

Farm Figures

With the peak demand for farm labor only a few weeks away, there are the usual conflicting reports on whether there will be enough hands to take off the crops. This is another one of those complex questions on which no broad general answer to cover the entire country can be given.

The Office of Labor in the War Food Administration estimates that in the past three years, the number of adult male farm workers migrating from the farm to the city was 1.4 million, while another 1.7 million have taken employment in war industries, though still living in rural areas.

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Realistic Postwar Program

Americans must not sit back and wait for the end of the war to come and then flounder around for solutions to the problems they will have to face, or worse still, be forced into accepting tailor-made solutions of theorists.

From Albert Lea, the Minnesota farm community of 12,000, there comes a concrete program for a full-employment peacetime economy. In what is probably one of the first community postwar planning studies in the United States, a survey probed into every facet of the town's economic potential to discover the jobs that will have to be found if there is to be a job for every man who wants one when the uniforms come off.

Through interviews with all local employers, data was obtained on the probable number of jobs that will exist after the war. Studies also were made on markets, farm income, business conditions, and projected public works in the community.

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Pre-Induction Training

More than half of the nation's physically able boys of 16 and 17 are enrolling this fall in voluntary pre-induction training courses, to fit them in advance for the service to which so many of them will be called at 18, if the war is not over by then.

Nobody ever will know how many lives such training will save, but any man who has seen half-trained soldiers go into battle will tell you that these pre-induction courses are well worth while.

"Move Over"



Mabee Swabs --

(Continued from page 1) ing which was set at about 6,850 feet just above the saturated sections uncovered last week and is displacing the drilling mud in the hole with oil preparatory to drilling in.

This operation indicates the discovery of a new producing area last week in advancing from 6,870 feet to the present total depth of 6,907 feet.

Rig used to drill and complete No. 1 Ellers is being spudded one location east to start grinding on No. 2 Ellers, which will be 660 feet from the north and 1,930 feet from the west lines of section 14, block A-32, psi survey.

Continental Oil Company No. 1 Ellers, southeast outpost to Fullerton production has progressed below 5,932 feet in lime and is boring ahead.

Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Company No. 17, block A-32, psi survey, is drilling below 3,925 feet.

Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 1 Crews & Mast, six miles north of Shafter Lake in North Andrews is making new hole below 10,222 feet in lime and shale.

Humble No. 1 Carter, Central Andrews project, is drilling around 9,157 feet in lime.

Phillips Petroleum Company No. 1 Embarras, South Andrews development, is waiting for 2,500 gallons of acid which will be injected above 6,242 feet in the Tubb section of the Permian lime.

Humble No. 1 Cox, West Gaines County wildcat is drilling lime around 6,879 feet.

The Texas Company No. 1 Parham County, Southeast Gaines development project has passed 4,750 feet and continues to grind the lime.

Continental No. 1-A Jones is drilling below 9,221 feet with the formation unchanged.

Still Going In Reeves County Standard Oil Company of Texas No. 1 Keasler, Reeves County prospecting operation is below 6,350 feet and continuing downward.

Humble No. 1-B Reynolds, Culbertson County deep test is cleaning out at a total depth of 1,455 feet in lime that carries streaks of yellow shale.

Texas Pacific No. 52-A Lane, Upton County Ellenburger operation is below 7,668 feet drilling lime and shale.

Crude Output Falls

TULSA, Okla. — (AP) — United States crude oil production declined 12,915 barrels daily to a total of 4,355,795 barrels daily in the week ended Sept. 25, the Oil & Gas Journal said Tuesday.

California production dropped 18,000 barrels a day to 770,150; Illinois, 10,000; to 217,500; Oklahoma, 2,100 to 325,250; Kansas, 850 to 296,150; Texas, 500 to 1,838,150; and Louisiana, 840 to 359,985.

Production in the Rocky Mountain area increased 6,185 barrels a day to 134,050; eastern fields, 2,200 to 76,450; and Michigan, 500 to 59,100. East Texas output was stationary at 380,000.

Mid-Continent No. 1 Wheeler, East Winkler County Ellenburger project has progressed by 5,639 feet in lime.

Phillips No. 1 Sterling, exploration in West Sterling County, is boring below 6,475 feet in lime.

Shell No. 2 Cox, Northwest Gaines County effort, is grinding away past 4,406 feet in anhydrite and shale.

Woodley Petroleum Company No. 1 Harless, East Hockley County test is drilling around 5,073 feet.

Sinclair Prairie No. 1 Grisham-Hunter, Southwest Andrews Ordovician test is making hole around 3,067 feet.

Geological Society To Join Dyer Luncheon The luncheon of the Midland Geological Society scheduled for Thursday will be moved up to Wednesday noon and be held in connection with the other civic organizations of Midland at the Scharbauer Crystal Ballroom.

War Workers Imitate Snow White's Dwarfs HOBOKEN, N. J. — (AP) — When the seven dwarfs in the motion picture version of "Snow White" sang "Whistle While You Work," they were giving advice applicable to many workers in war plants today, according to R. L. Cardinell, authority on the use of music in industry.

Workers in assembly lines or engaged in other manual tasks in war plants which provide a musical background should be permitted to hum, sing or whistle accompaniments, he believes.

"Why shouldn't they be happy while they work?" he asks.

C. F. Gabler Dies After Heart Attack

Charles Fred Gabler, 57, of 510 East Florida Street, was found dead in his home at 2 p. m. Monday. He suffered a heart attack.

He is survived by his widow, two daughters, Mrs. Inez Curnatt of San Antonio and Mrs. Alice Rath of Cuero, and a son, Lt. Charles H. Gabler, now stationed at Saltina, Kan.

He had resided in Midland 14 years and was employed by the city. Funeral arrangements have not been completed, pending the arrival of his son, Lieutenant Gabler. The Ellis Funeral Home has charge of arrangements.

Midland --

(Continued from Page 1) persons other than club members should be made at the Chamber of Commerce.

M. C. Ulmer, president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, will introduce the speaker, Paul A. Nelson, Lions president, will preside. Arrangements are in charge of Roy McKee, Rotary president; Paul McHargue, president of the Chamber of Commerce; Russell Howard, Jaycee president, and Nelson.

Exciting Uncertainty MOSES LAKE, WASH. — (AP) — Two officers at the Army Air Base have the same name—Second Lt. John D. McBride, Jr.—and are never sure who's mail they're getting.

India is the world's largest source of jute.

President Asks Senate Approval For Nominations

WASHINGTON — (AP) — President Roosevelt Tuesday formally submitted to the Senate for confirmation to the nomination of Edward R. Stettinius, Jr., to be undersecretary of state.

The Chief Executive announced Saturday night his acceptance of the resignation of Sumner Welles as undersecretary and the appointment of Stettinius to succeed him.

Three major generals were nominated to the temporary rank of lieutenant general. They are Hugh A. Drum, commanding the eastern defense command; Ira C. Eaker, commanding the 8th Air Force based in England; and Barton K. Yaquet.

'A' Pennant



Agriculture Department employees Mary Leapley and Donna O'Dell add a bit of gam glamor to first showing of new "A" pennant—comparable to Army-Navy E award—to be presented to farmers and food processors who excel in food production.

Jap Communications In Burma Battered By Royal Air Force

NEW DELHI — (AP) — Concentrating their operations on Japanese communications in Western Burma, Royal Air Force Beaufighters and Hurricanes Monday blasted railway equipment and river transports, a British communiqué reported Tuesday.

Beaufighters patrolling enemy-held railroads south of Yeu and the main road running west from Yeu to the Chindwin River shot up a locomotive and rolling stock, as well as three large motor trucks and other road transport.

The Hurricanes, patrolling the coast below Akyab, attacked enemy sampans in the vicinity of Borenga Island, sinking six and damaging others. The fighter planes completed the day's operations without loss.

Ten Officers Given Promotions In Rank

On orders from the War Department, ten officers at the Midland Army Air Field were promoted to higher rank.

First lieutenants promoted to rank of captain are John H. Hoover, engineering officer; Richard H. Ellsworth, post adjutant; Allan E. Peole, assistant commander of cadets; John W. McCaslin, assistant air inspector; and Vernon E. Wilson, bombardier instructor.

Second lieutenants advanced to first lieutenants are Howard F. W. Taylor, bombardier instructor; Stanley A. Kuhl, pilot; Clovis W. Coffey, Jr., bombardier instructor; Robert H. Angevine and William F. Quinn Jr., student officers at the instructors school.

Blast Shakes Lisbon

LISBON — (AP) — A series of explosions shook Lisbon Tuesday. Stores of ammunition recently acquired for Fort Alameda were reported to have blown up, killing a number of soldiers and sending scores to hospitals.

Personals

Mrs. W. B. Secor of Southold, Long Island, N. Y., is the houseguest of her son, D. M. Secor, and Mrs. Secor.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bradley has been dismissed from Western Clinic Hospital after an illness.

Miss Rita McDonald who has been ill in Western Clinic Hospital has been dismissed.

Corp. Merritt F. Hines, former Midland County Attorney, was here Tuesday visiting friends.

Charles B. Shepard, assistant vice president of the Mercantile-Commerce Bank and Trust Company of St. Louis, was a business visitor in Midland Tuesday.

PREIDENTIAL HOME

First residences of a U. S. president while in office was the Cherry Street (New York City) home occupied by George Washington from 1789 to 1790.

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It will amaze many to learn that Greyhound and other bus lines now carry more than half of all intercity passengers\* moved by public transportation in the United States... between cities, towns, military centers, farm and factory areas.

Greyhound, doing the largest single share of this war job, has seen its passengers change, almost overnight, to war plant workers, men in uniform, farm help, WACS, WAVES—and all others whose trips are essential.

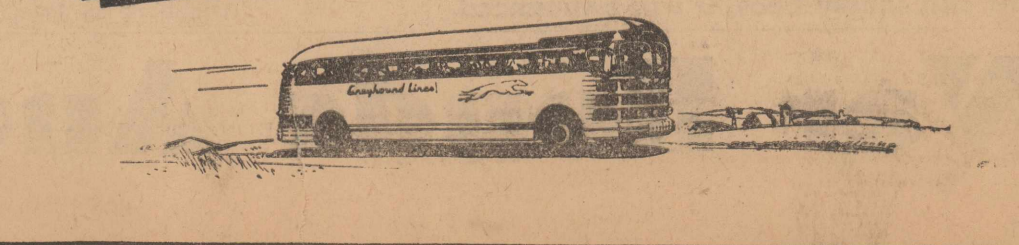
However, Greyhound and all bus lines are faced by curtailments which have cut deeply into their capacity for carrying manpower. The Office of Defense Transportation and the intercity bus lines, working together, are doing all in their power to remedy this threat to the war program.

But you can help most of all: by avoiding travel around holidays—by traveling light—and by accepting occasional inconvenience with good nature.

\*From the recent report by Dr. Richard R. Heade, Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania.

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# Society

## Big News



The hour-glass silhouette, which is coat news of the year, becomes A-1 when it's expressed in the "officer's coat" and AA-1 when it's a "shorty" like that above. This one of soft beige wool with deep collar and cuffs of nutria.

## Much Activity At Business Women's Meeting In Hotel

The Business and Professional Women's Club at a meeting Monday night in the Scharbauer Hotel, voted to buy more War Bonds Tuesday.

The October meeting of the club will be a banquet in charge of Miss Maria Spencer. The club will join with other service clubs in the luncheon honoring Dr. Dyer Wednesday at the Scharbauer Hotel.

Miss Ophelia Green presided at the meeting at which Miss Hester Williams was appointed war service chairman.

Mrs. Ruth Rhodes, county health nurse, gave a report on "Health Needs of the Community."

The club voted to celebrate Business and Professional Women's week during October, and appointed Miss Fannie Bess Taylor as radio chairman for the week and Mrs. Dan Carter to serve as publicity chairman.

"Calling All Women" was the subject of a talk given by Mrs. Carter, who was assisted by Ruth Rhodes and Cordelia Taylor.

Sixteen members were present.

## Mrs. Attaway Is Circle Hostess

The Henderson Circle of the First Christian Church met in the home of Mrs. W. G. Attaway Monday afternoon when the president, Mrs. B. W. Reecer, opened the meeting with prayer.

"Vision" was the subject of an inspirational devotional presented by Mrs. L. B. Pemberton.

The general council president, Mrs. R. H. Frizzell, announced that the circle will hold an attendance contest with the Rijnhart Circle, the losing circle to entertain the winner in December.

Mrs. Attaway conducted a quiz based on questions in the "World Call."

Refreshments were served by the hostess and her mother, Mrs. Frank Simpson.

## Woman's Auxiliary Has Quiz Program

Mrs. James N. Allison presided at the meeting of Woman's Auxiliary Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Cary P. Butcher. The auxiliary prayer was led by Mrs. C. G. Cooper, with the group repeating it in unison.

A business session featured Mrs. W. T. Hoey was in charge of a quiz program on baptism and confirmation.

Mrs. Lewis Finch was a special guest.

The benediction was pronounced by Mrs. John P. Butler.

Those present were: Mesdames John P. Butler, B. K. Buffington, Allison, James Brown, C. G. Cooper, Chappell Davis, I. E. Daniel, W. D. Henderson, Hoey, George Kidd, Roy Kinsey, N. B. Larsh, Eric Payne, Eugene Russell, Don C. Sivals, John Shipley, C. D. Vertrees, Kenneth Smith, S. P. Hazlip, J. P. Ruckman, and W. B. Hartrider.

The auxiliary will meet again next Monday.

## British Report On Clash In Channel

LONDON — (AP) — One heavily armed German patrol ship was blown up, another was left blazing and a third was badly damaged in a sharp encounter with British light naval craft off Le Havre, France, Monday, the Admiralty announced Tuesday.

All British ships returned safely to harbor and only one British officer was wounded in the engagement, the bulletin said.

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## Presbyterian Women Have Fine Meeting

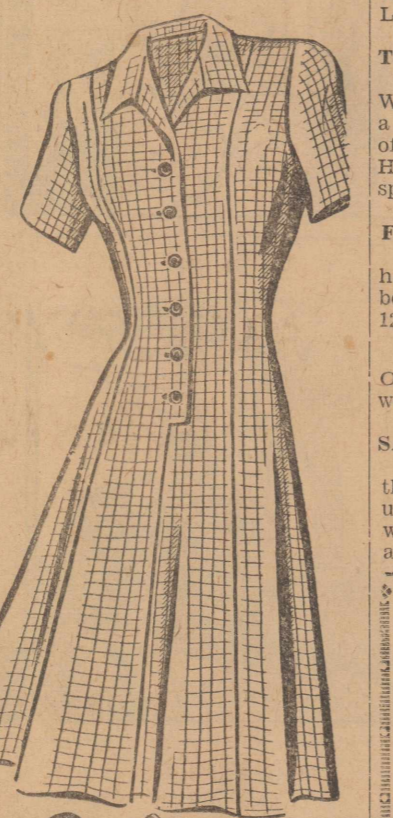
"Christian Teaching in the Home" was the subject Monday afternoon when the Woman's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian Church met in the church parlors.

Twenty-five members were present. The Rev. Robert Hopper and Mrs. D. M. Secor were leaders.

Mrs. J. M. Devereaux led the devotional. The program was in charge of Mrs. Richard Peters who opened the meeting with prayer. Mesdames R. A. Doran and Louis Hariwell were hostesses for the afternoon.

Mussolini got a salary of about \$660 a month, in addition to a small drawing account.

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## Coming Events

**WEDNESDAY**  
Army wives will make surgical dressings from 9 a. m. to 12 and from 1 to 4 p. m. at the Hospital day room at the post. Mrs. Russell is in charge of transportation.

The Red Cross surgical dressings headquarters in the courthouse will be open for work from 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

The Play Readers Club will meet in the home of Mrs. Charles Klappert when Mrs. W. E. Shipp, Jr., will present the play, "Without Love" by Philip Barrett.

**THURSDAY**  
The City-County Federation of Women's Clubs will entertain with a coffee at 10 a. m. in the home of Mrs. Andrew Pasken. Mrs. J. Howard Hodge will be the principal speaker.

**FRIDAY**  
The Red Cross surgical dressings headquarters in the courthouse will be open for work from 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

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

**SATURDAY**  
A bingo party will be given at the Officers' Club at MAAP Saturday evening, October 2, at 9 p.m., when all officers and their wives are cordially invited to attend.

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## Betsy Beckham Bundy's Advice To The Lovelorn

Q—I am to be married in November, and want my wedding to be a beautiful one. Our home is comfortable but not large and imposing. I will appreciate your suggestions on a large and beautiful wedding.

A—One of the most beautiful weddings may be held in an Episcopal church, which seems to be about the right setting for a wedding of social interest. There are candleabra to lend dignity to the scene, nearly all Episcopal churches are constructed approximately on the same style of architecture, which makes them similar inside. They are large enough, but not too large.

You may have bridesmaids, maid of honor and matron of honor. If you prefer you may have a small lass to scatter rose-petals. You may have candle-lighters in the person of young boys, and they may be attired in vestments, or otherwise.

If you have a wedding of this kind, you should wear formal wedding attire, that is white satin gown and long veil, and your bridesmaids and matron should be attired in formal wedding attire.

## MIND Your MANNERS

Test your knowledge of correct social usage by answering the following questions, then checking against the authoritative answers below:

1. If you have people in for cocktails is it best to serve more than one kind?
2. When entertaining is it a mistake to economize by serving cheap liquor?
3. At a large cocktail party is it wise to offer sherry as well as cocktails?
4. Should a host at a cocktail party make sure that guests do not sit holding warm drinks?
5. At a large cocktail party should someone have the job of gathering up empty glasses and emptying ash trays?

What would you do if—

You are planning a cocktail party—

- (a) Telephone your invitations?
- (b) Write short, informal notes?
- (c) Use engraved or printed forms?

Answers

1. Yes.
2. Yes.
3. Yes, for those who don't drink cocktails?
4. Yes.
5. Yes.

Better "What Would You Do" solution—(a), (b) and (c) are all correct.

## Satellites Approve Duce's Government

LONDON — (AP) — The Berlin radio said Tuesday that Benito Mussolini's German-sponsored "Fascist Republican Government" has been recognized by Rumania, Bulgaria, Croatia and Slovakia — all states under Adolf Hitler's thumb.

The broadcast declared the new "government" had held its first meeting Monday in a town in Northern Italy. The German-controlled Paris radio said the meeting was in Rome.

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## Top This One



Looking like a half-picked porcupine, this bizarre hat of sponge, spoons and forks struck a new high in freak designs at Chicago fashion show.

## Virtue Dry Goods Store Will Open Wednesday Morning

Although some of the new fixtures failed to arrive on schedule, the W. W. Virtue Dry Goods Company will open its new Midland store at 116 North Main Street on schedule Wednesday morning, Roy C. Russell of Wichita, Kas., president of the concern, announced.

Russell arrived in Midland Monday afternoon to attend the formal opening of the new store.

"While we frankly admit our quarters are entirely inadequate to house and properly display the comprehensive stocks we already have on hand," he said, "it will be our most serious ambition to serve the people of Midland to the very best of our ability under the circumstances."

"Due to war demands on transportation facilities some of our fixtures failed to arrive in time for the opening event. We ask the indulgence of customers as some improvised equipment will be used on opening day. We hope that it can be replaced with the new equipment, which is in transit to us, within a few days."

"Plenty of sales people have been employed and we will endeavor to handle the unusually heavy traffic anticipated, to the very best of our ability."

Russell is a native Texan, as is Paul W. Howell, district supervisor of the company. The Midland store is the third to be located in West Texas by the company. Stores now are operated in Monahans and Odessa.

Merchandise is arriving daily in large quantities and the new store will be completely stocked Wednesday.

## Midland Women Will Attend Big Spring Meeting Of Auxiliary

The District No. 2 Woman's Auxiliary of the El Paso Presbytery will meet in the First Presbyterian Church in Big Spring at 10 a. m. Thursday.

Midland women planning to attend the session are Mrs. Devereux, Mrs. H. H. Hopper, Mrs. John B. Richards and Mrs. P. R. Pattison.

Mrs. Sam L. Baker of Big Spring is chairman of the session which will have as its theme "Evangelism—Our Primary Task."

## Gauze Sponges Are Still Being Made At Headquarters

Mrs. A. P. Loscamp was supervisor Monday morning at the Red Cross surgical dressings room at the courthouse, when the hours were spent in making surgical sponges.

Workers during the morning included Mesdames George Kidd, Daniel H. Griffith, W. L. Fehon, Jr., Harry Adams, R. R. Pickett, G. E. Hall, Y. D. McMurry, Roy Downey, James H. Chapple and M. D. Self and Misses Nell Bedford and Marian Wadley.

## Misses Schlossers' Ranch Home Is Gay With Collegiates

Complimenting a group of the college girls from Midland who are attending TSCW at Denton, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schlosser and their two daughters, Misses Melba and Elsie Schlosser, entertained at their ranch home near Denton Saturday evening, when a large number of invited guests were present.

Informally characterized the evening, and a light supper was served.

Among those present from Midland, all of whom are living at Austin Hall, were: Misses Isabel Morehouse, Billie Walker, Mary Frances Carter, Norma Jean Side, Margaret Mims, Patsy Butcher, Alberta Smith, Jacqueline Theis, and Betty Nicol of Jacksonville.

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## Midland Women Sign Up For Aide Corps

In response to an appeal now being made for enrollees in the Red Cross Volunteer Nurse's Aide Corps, a number of Midland women have already signed their applications for the corps. To be eligible women must be between the ages of 18 and 50, American citizens and physically fit, high school graduates and willing to serve 150 hours a year without pay.

The 80-hour course is divided into two units: 35 hours of classroom instruction and 45 hours of supervised practice. Upon completion of the course each aide will receive her cap and uniform, which is a light blue jumper and white blouse with the V. N. A. C. insignia on the left sleeve.

Not more than 30 women will be accepted for the first class. Application blanks may be obtained from Mrs. W. H. Sloan, local committee chairman, at the Scharbauer Hotel, or from the Chamber of Commerce.

## Home Front Casualties

TEMPLE, TEX. — (AP) — First Lt. Arthur C. Madley, Jr., returned home from North Africa and found: His mother suffering from a cut hand, his father's leg injured in an accident, and his wife with a wrenched ankle.

Madley had just completed 50 combat missions. Neither he nor any crew member got a scratch.

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THE STORY: Capt. Raymond Janof, U. S. Army intelligence, is about to parachute into German territory from an R4B observation plane when there is a cascade of trouble and Pilot Officer Danforth stumps over the wheel.

THREE MEN CHAPTER II

EARLIER in the night, in Frankfurt on the Main, 50 miles southeast of Cologne as the crow flies, the inmate of Cell 38 in the municipal jail sat on the edge of his bunk tapping his teeth softly with his fingernail and meditating profoundly.

He was in two minds about what to do. Get out or stay? The question under debate was less hypothetical than might seem for a prisoner who was not planning a jailbreak.

This unless was just what he was in two minds about, although he had been debating the matter since the first day of jail. Even a prisoner retains some say in the matter of his disposal, a negative say, but nonetheless real.

"One more infraction of the rules," the warden had warned him after the last performance, "and you get a 15-day stretch added to your 30. Now you don't want that, do you?" he had added with rough kindness.

"Take that release and get out of here!" desire urged insistently. "Better not," reason replied. "Safer to lie low a couple of weeks more. THEY are after us."

"They may," reason gravely admitted. "No guarantee." "But they won't think of looking in jails till they've been stumped a while. Now they're still thrashing coverts and drawing blank. Presently they'll sit down and think. Say a couple of weeks more for all this. Then, if they start jail-combing, we'll be outside."

With that the man in Cell 38 sprang from the bunk, strode to the door and began to pound, rattle, shake and kick it, bellowing the while, "Let me out of here! Let me out of here!"

When the guards finally got the door open he kicked and fought a measured 15 days' worth.

At much the same time, in Chemnitz, some 200 miles to the east, Friedrich Vogel woke in a cold sweat, whimpering and sobbing. For a moment longer, the menacing Gestapo men of his nightmare still towered over him.

Vogel was young and able-bodied. He was also a superb craftsman. This fact had kept him out of the army, still kept him out—to his joy, for he was a coward and knew it in his heart—even in these days of manpower shortage in the Reich. In addition, it had led to his being selected for

Errand for Q-74

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this very special job here in Chemnitz, where he and a chosen handful of other expert workers were

assembling a huge plane of most unusual design. Vogel knew aircraft and this was in many ways like none he had ever seen. As the work progressed, he reached his own conclusions about the nature of the mystery plane. But he kept his ideas to himself. The plane was a secret affair, so secret that the workshops were strictly guarded and the men kept under surveillance inside and outside the works.

Not that Vogel minded that. It served as a reminder to him, and a safeguard. For he had another fault. He was self-important and liked to impress. He knew this weakness and kept watch on himself. It didn't pay to have a big mouth these days. But once in a while, especially on the rare occasions when he allowed himself an extra glass or two, his guard would slip.

One such occasion, about three weeks before, was the cause of these recurrent nightmares of his. What had he said to that stranger whom he had not seen again? What had he said? He sweated, trying to remember. Why had he taken that extra drink? In the winerom he had been all right. Never said a word there about the plane or the visit of the august personages, he was sure. Gott sei dank! It was known that the place was full of informers.

But when he had left the winerom—alone, he was glad to remember—the cold night air must have brought the alcohol to his head. So when he had been overtaken by the stranger, they somehow got talking of the plane.

Here exact recollection ended. Only Vogel had a dreadful suspicion he had unbuttoned his lip completely. He remembered

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Chapter 2—Second Half—Releases in P. M.'s of Tuesday, Sept. 28

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



NOT ALL DEER SHED THEIR ANTLERS ANNUALLY, AS DO AMERICAN SPECIES! THE AXIS DEER OF INDIA MAY KEEP A SET FOR SEVERAL YEARS, AND THE PERE DAVIDS DEER OF CHINA GROWS TWO SETS ANNUALLY.

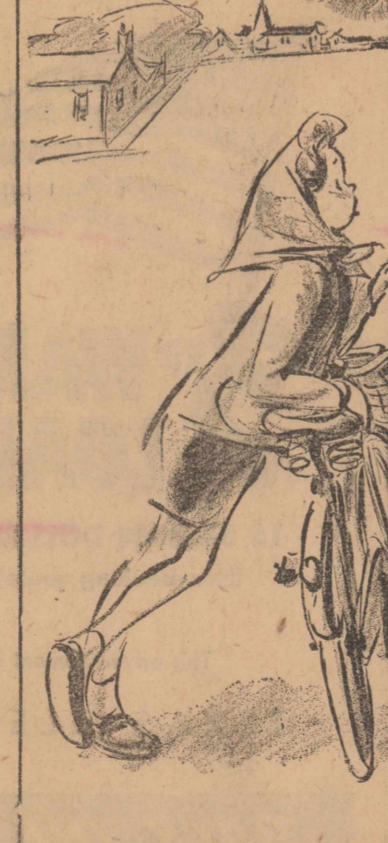
Advertisement for Kwik-Kopier, a flying saucer-like device. Text: 'FLYING AT AN ALTITUDE OF 25,000 FEET CAN SEE APPROXIMATELY 200 MILES IN EVERY DIRECTION. WHERE'S ELMER?' Answer: Northern Ireland.

Curiosity And A Dog

LYNCHBURG, Va. —(AP)—The next time H. G. Smith's terrier goes sniffing around, he'll make sure it isn't around a board plank. Smith hurried to the spot where the dog was shaking its nose in pain. Eight copperhead snakes wiggled from beneath the plank.

Since he began tinkering with machinery at the age of 4, Winslow Pierre, Dublin, N. H., has patented 150 gadgets.

SIDE GLANCES



"Dad and Mom keep hounding me because of my rotten math grades, but I guess I'm just a dreamer and can't grasp these drab realities!"

Gunner Gable



It's the same old Gable grin of movie fame, caught somewhere in Britain where handsome-as-ever Capt. Clark Gable is serving as gunnery instructor to U. S. Army Air Forces.

McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

By WM. F. MCKENNEY America's Card Authority

Bridge players dream of the perfect hand—a hand with all 13 spades, or with nothing but aces, kings and queens. About the closest thing to a perfect hand in play that I have seen, however, came up in a New York duplicate game recently. Look at the East hand and you will see that it looks like a lay-down grand slam in hearts, with no assistance whatever from partner.

None J2 65432 875432

Bridge hand diagram showing a deal with spades, hearts, diamonds, and clubs. Dealer is South.

Duplicate—E-W vul. South West North East 1 4 5 4 Pass 7 9 9 6 Double Pass Pass Redouble Opening—A. A. 28

four hearts against him, and indeed this was the case. But one unfortunate player found that this "perfect" hand was not only worthless to him but even gave his opponents a top score.

The kidding varied greatly from table to table, of course, as the bidding of treak hands always does. One greedy West player insisted on sticking to spades, and went down two tricks at seven spades against a diamond opening.

Hannover was as dark as the tomb and as soundless in the blackout. But Kurt Schroeder did not notice.

For him, the night was full of light and music.

(To Be Continued)

Educational Films To Be Shown To Men

The Midland Junior Chamber of Commerce and the Midland Health Unit will sponsor the showing of two motion picture films at 8:30 p. m. Thursday in the Civic Auditorium on venereal diseases. The program is for men only. Jaycee officials said.

The educational films are in color and are provided by the State Health Department which is anxious to have all men see them. The films have been shown at

26 KILLED IN CRASH

NEW DELHI —(AP)—Twenty persons, including U. S. Army officers and enlisted men, were killed when a U. S. transport plane crashed last Tuesday near Calcutta, according to reports received Tuesday at U. S. Tenth Air Force headquarters here.

The oldest fort still standing in the United States is Fort Marion, Fla., begun in 1672 by the Spaniards.

Jap Cabinet Orders Diet Session Oct. 25

LONDON —(AP)—The Tokyo radio said Tuesday that the Japanese cabinet had ordered an extraordinary session of the diet for Oct. 25 and had simultaneously announced the abolishment of the planning board and the ministry of commerce.

A new post was created in the cabinet with the establishment of a ministry of munitions, said the broadcast.

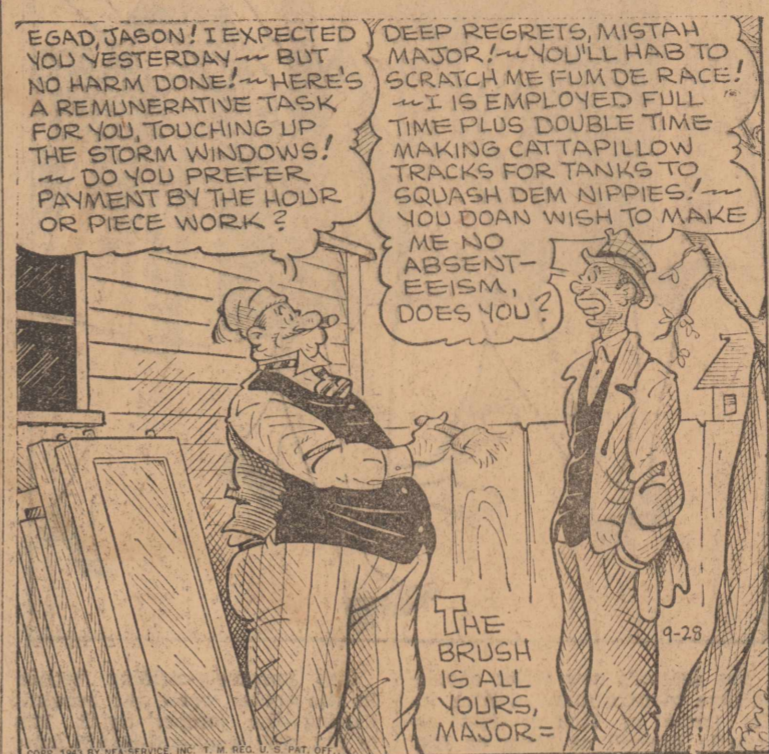
CAMPBELL IS PROMOTED

Calvin G. Campbell, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Campbell of Midland, has been promoted to the grade of private first class upon assignment to the Army Air Forces Technical School at Sioux Falls, S. D., for training as a radio operator-mechanic.

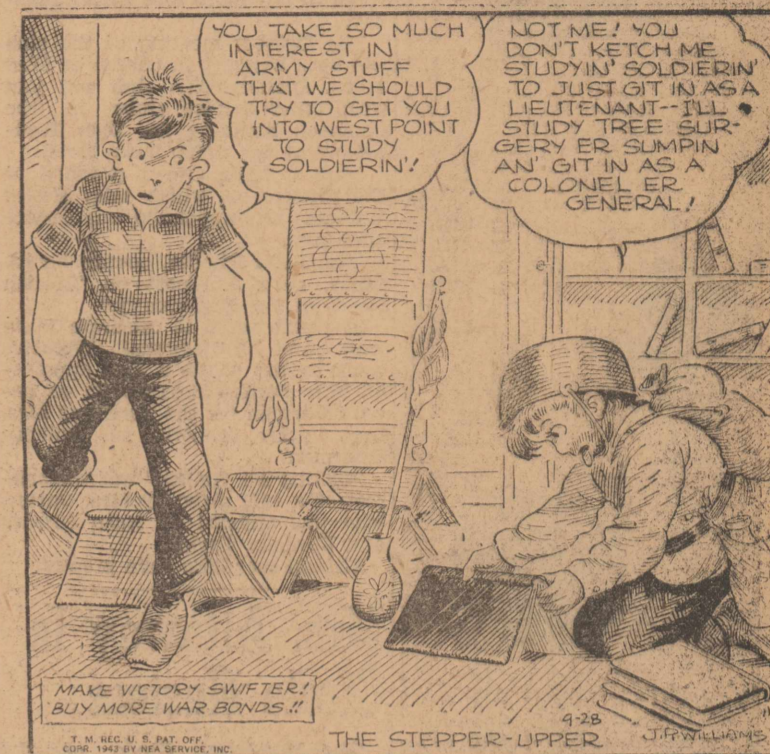
LANE IN V-12 UNIT

James Franklin Lane of Midland is attending Tulane University in New Orleans as a member of a Navy V-12 unit.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE —with MAJOR HOOPLE OUT OUR WAY



—By J. R. WILLIAMS



BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

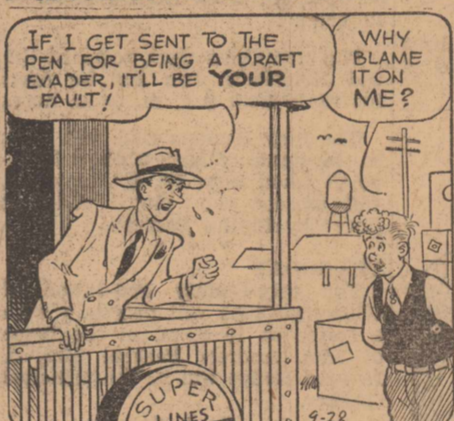


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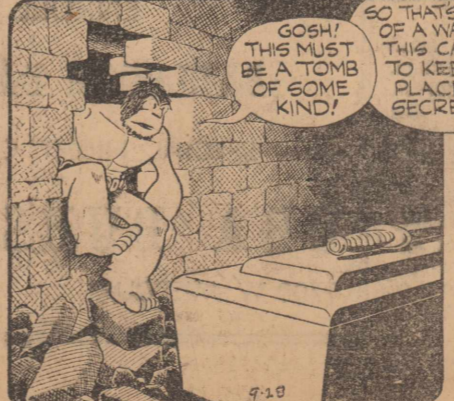
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IF YOU need electrical service of any kind, call 1368 or 1888-J. We have men and material to do your job immediately. (169-26)

Lost and Found 7

LOST: Billfold containing money and drivers license. "Daisy L. Gwyn." Reward. Return to Ray Gwyn Office Supply, 215 W. Wall. (174-3)

LOST: Red plaid raincoat between 900 block Louisiana and North Ward School. Phone 2230. (174-1)

Help Wanted 9

WANTED: West Texas representative by oil company manufacturer; prefer man familiar with West Texas; salary and expense; permanent position, excellent opportunity; give present employment; past experience, all other particulars in first letter. Larkin Packer Co., Odessa. (173-3)

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Crossword puzzle grid with clues: HORIZONTAL 1 Depicted sport 6 It is played on a... 10 Limb 11 Complete 13 Auricle 15 Say again 17 Symbol for tantalum 18 Dried up 19 Eel catcher 20 Disclosed 22 Upon 23 Cruet for sacramental wine 24 Dried grass 26 Conceals 29 Symbol for silver 31 Chicken 32 Music note 33 Canvas shelter 35 Either 36 Heaven 37 Each (abbr.) 38 Pint (abbr.) 39 Mast 41 Affectionate name for Paris 44 Belonging to her 45 Soul (Egypt) 47 Kind of tea 48 Before 49 Kind of fruit (pl.) 51 Ship's record 52 Test 53 Metallic substances VERTICAL 1 Woody plant 2 Hare 3 Close to...

Help Wanted 9

WANTED: Reliable girl to do half days housework. 407 North A. (173-3)

EXPERIENCED Waitress wanted; \$17.50 and up per week; also cash register for sale. Phone 9540. Blue Grill Cafe. (174-3)

EXPERIENCED hostess wanted. Scharbauer Coffee Shop. (174-3)

WANTED: Domestic help to work half days. Phone 2237-W. (174-3)

REPUTABLE oil tool company will share warehouse and office space in modern warehouse buildings at Odessa in exchange for office help. Call C. E. Long, Phone 293 or 217. (174-3)

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WILL keep two children ages 3 to 5 for working mothers; hours 8 to 6; 6 days \$9.00. 510 South G. (174-3)

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WANTED To Rent: Furnished house or apartment by Lt. Harmon. Phone 900, extension 309, Monday. (172-3)

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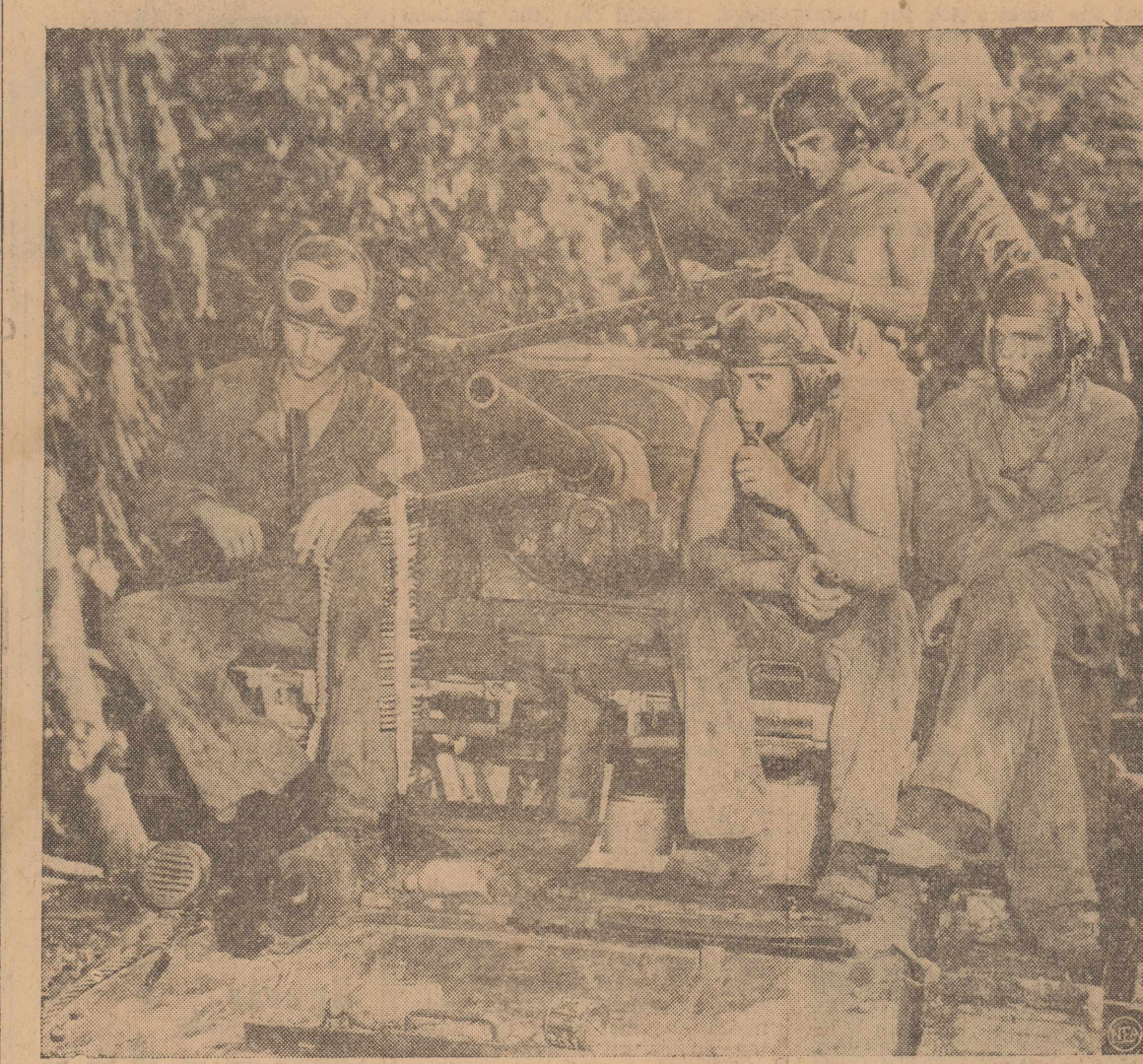
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U.S. Marine Corps Photo From NEA. Weary and bearded after three days of fighting at Munda, a Marine light-tank crew rests up and repairs its weapons in a jungled area. Left to right are: Pfc. Arnold McKenzie, 18, Los Angeles; Pfc. Joseph LoDico, 26, Sharon, Mass.; Pvt. Noel Billups, 21, Columbus, O.; and S/Sgt. Douglas Ayres, 23, Los Angeles. The Leatherneck quartet is credited with wiping out 30 Jap pillboxes.

Military Experts Declare Germany And Japan Are Stronger Than Ever

WASHINGTON (AP) — Despite recent setbacks the military might of both Germany and Japan is greater today than when they set out to conquer the world. That's the consensus voiced by United States military leaders at a conference of industrial, labor and newspaper executives called by the War Department to hear a frank report on what is happening and what may be expected. As the conference reconvened Tuesday for an outline of the staggering problems of supplying Allied forces around the world, Robert P. Patterson, under secretary of War, declared there was "no doubt that our recent victories have failed to affect in any vital degree the strength of the enemy." Lt. Gen. Joseph T. McNarney, deputy chief of staff, said that while Germany has abandoned expectation of victory, she still is a formidable enemy. Just how formidable was made clear by Maj. Gen. George V. Strong, Army intelligence chief, who told Monday's session that the German army and air force are stronger now than when Poland was attacked four years ago, and that Germany's employment in war industries has risen in the same period from 23,000,000 to 35,000,000. Strong rejected any talk of an early German collapse, and presented a similar report on Japan—tremendous resources which mean growing strength as long as Japan controls East Asia, excellent morale, an improving air force, and a reservoir of 4,000,000 potential fighting men. McNarney said the enemy has passed from the offensive to the strategic defensive, but it was made abundantly clear that Allied military leaders expect the next 12 months to produce fighting that will dwarf anything yet experienced.

City Official Says Manpower Is Wasted At Boston Navy Yard

BOSTON (AP) — A Boston city councillor's charges that manpower was wasted at the Boston Navy Yard through idleness or in clipping the admiral's lawn, and that pretty girl employees slowed production by chatting with other workers, brought an official comment from the First Naval District headquarters Tuesday that four consensate Army-Navy "E" awards constituted sufficient answer to the accusations. The official first naval district comment was issued after publication of the charges made by City Councillor Michael L. Kinsella during a city council discussion of the possibility of Boston being declared a manpower shortage area. Earlier, Rear Admiral Robert A. Theobald, commandant of the yard, had declined to reply.

Railway Workers To Get Wage Increases

WASHINGTON (AP) — The White House disclosed Tuesday that a railroad emergency board had recommended a wage increase of at least four cents an hour for 300,000 operating employees of the nation's rail carriers. The board reported to President Roosevelt these workers were entitled to that much under the Little Steel formula and implied it would have recommended a higher figure had it felt the government would approve. The report was submitted on a 2 to 1 vote, the minority member dissenting sharply because he favored a more substantial increase, amounting to 7 1/2 per cent.

Library Program To Be Given Wednesday

Mrs. Frank Miller will present organ selections from the First Presbyterian Church during the County Library program Wednesday from 3:15 to 3:30 p. m. over KRLE. The Civic Music Club will be in charge of the program and Mrs. Edith Conyers, president, will introduce the numbers.

Sforza Backs Badoglio

LONDON (AP) — The Algiers radio reported Tuesday that Count Sforza, noted Italian anti-Fascist, has messaged Marshal Pietro Badoglio that he is ready to offer "full support" to the present Italian government as long as it continues its efforts to defeat the Germans. Sforza has been living in New York.

YOUTH IS CHARGED

Forgery charges were filed in county court Tuesday against a negro youth from Taylor, Texas, and trial was set for October 14. The youth was arrested at a Midland grocery store by city police.

Brown May Quit As Boss Of OPA

WASHINGTON (AP) — Virtually satisfied that once-turbulent OPA is beginning to function with reasonable smoothness, Prentiss M. Brown is giving serious thought to stepping aside as price administrator. The only question, associates said Tuesday, is when. The former Michigan senator has confided to erstwhile associates on Capitol Hill, as well as to other OPA officials, that he is ready to give up the hot seat he took over when Leon Henderson resigned last winter. Brown made it plain from the start these conditions said, that he would withdraw from OPA as soon as he felt his program was in effect and that he no longer was needed.

MacArthur --

(Continued from Page 1) achiever by the airborne force which took Kalapit or meant a consolidated Allied line for all the 68 miles from Sagerak to Lae was not made clear. Hansa Bay Bombed Tuesday's communique reported a 28-ton bombing by fighter-escorted Liberators of Hansa Bay, midway between Madang and Wewak, and a 33-ton raid on two airdromes at Wewak. The Japanese sent up 20 new No. 3 type heavier armored fighters but American P-38s downed three in fights ranging from 6,000 to 20,000 feet. There were no Allied losses. At Finschhafen, Australian troops menace the air and supply base from two directions. One force which crossed the Bumi River near its mouth is three quarters of a mile north of the town. Another force which moved inland before crossing the river is closing in from the west on ridges overlooking Finschhafen. Still another contingent is battling Japanese around Sattelberg Mission.

Livestock

FORT WORTH (AP) — Cattle 4-000; calves 1,500; mostly steady with some sales of cows carrying slightly stronger prices; good feed steers and yearlings 13.00-14.00; beef cows mostly 8.00-10.50; good yearling calves 11.00-12.25; common to medium butcher grades 8.25-10.75; stocker steer calves 8.50-12.00 with heifer calves at 11.50 down; stocker steers and yearlings 7.50-11.50. Hogs 1,500; butchers 5 to 15 below Monday average; good and choice 190-300 lb. butcher hogs mostly 14.50-60; good and choice — 60-185 lb. averages 13.65-14.50; sows mostly 13.50 down; stocker pigs 10.00-12.00. Sheep 3,500; slaughter ewes mostly steady, some 10 higher; common to good spring lambs 11.00-12.50; common slaughter yearlings 8.00-50; odd head of good ewes 5.75; common to medium stocker lambs went 5.00-7.50.

New Cut In Newsprint Consumption Ordered

WASHINGTON (AP) — The War Production Board Tuesday ordered a further cut in consumption of newsprint by newspapers during the fourth quarter of the year. Donald M. Nelson, WPB chairman, predicted the new reduction in a recent letter to the congressional committee investigating the newsprint situation.

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# Major League Clubs Wobble Toward Season Finale With Little Attention From Fans, Players And Club Owners

By JUDSON BAILEY  
Associated Press Sports Writer

Major league baseball, fagged from a long, rough run, is wobbling toward the finish line and will just about make it before wilting completely.

The season this year, extending a week later than in the past because spring training was done in the North, has reached an anticlimax. With both pennants decided the fans apparently are thinking

about the world series, the players about their draft status and the managers about teams made up of 17-year-olds for next year.

The War Manpower Commission's ruling Monday that baseball is not essential scarcely was a surprise. It had been said before in various versions, but this latest pronouncement on the specific case of Al Zarilla of the St. Louis Browns, a pre-Pearl Harbor father who had been classified 1A by his draft

board, pointed up the problem anew.

**Fans Are Scarce**

Baseball's present player supply would dissolve soon, even if the season didn't. To meet this situation the managers of almost all clubs except the New York Yankees and St. Louis Cardinals, who are tuning up for the world series next week, have turned the last week of the season into a wholesale tryout camp for new recruits.

Everybody expects baseball to continue next year, but the fans don't seem to care whether it continues this week or not.

At Cincinnati, where the Reds are striving to sew up second place in the National League, 767 customers paid to see Clyde Shoun pitch a five-hit 3-2 victory over the Phillies Monday.

At Boston 714 fans, the smallest turnout since Tom Yawkey bought the ball club 11 years ago, was on hand as the Detroit Tigers routed the Red Sox 6-3 with a 14-hit attack led by Dick Wakefield and Paul Richards with homers.

Only 908 were present at St. Louis to see Lefty Ernie White test his jammed pitching arm against the Boston Braves. As it turned out he was fast, but lacked control, and gave up ten hits while winning 6-3 with the help of home runs by Danny Littwiler and Ray Sanders. However, Manager Billy Southworth called this test a success.

**A's Lose 100th Game**

The New York Yankees beat the Cleveland Indians 5-2 with Nick Etten deciding a hurling duel between Hank Borowy and Alie Reynolds. Borowy, gaining his 14th victory and seventh straight, yielded five hits while the Yanks made six, of which Etten accounted for a single, a double with the bases loaded and a home run.

The Chicago White Sox were out-hit in both games of a twilight-night doubleheader but whipped the Washington Senators twice by identical scores of 2-1 with Ralph Hodgins driving in the winning run in each game. The Sox made only three hits off Buck Newsom and Milo Candini in the second game.

The Philadelphia Athletics lost their 100th game of the year while dividing a doubleheader with the St. Louis Browns, winning the first game 9-4 and then dropping the second 7-6.

Ace Adams broke the 1908 record of Ed Walsh by appearing in his 67th game of the season for the New York Giants, but the Chicago Cubs won 10-9 on Bill Nicholson's 28th home run in the 13th inning.

## And Not In a Chorus



Blond, buxom, 16 and a junior, Agnes Rifner averages better than four out of five points after touchdown with dropkicks for New Castle, Ind., High.

## Horned Frog Passer



Coach Dutch Meyer of Texas Christian University has only one player from his '42 squad, but he still is planning to pass. Chunking duties will fall chiefly upon Jim Lucas, 160-pound sophomore from Pecos, who played with the TCU frosh last year.

# Conference Coaches Worrying Over Transfer Of Navy Boys

By The Associated Press

It wasn't the casualties suffered in opening games that concerned Southwest Conference football coaches Tuesday.

It was whether they could on two consecutive playing days field teams whose members were well enough acquainted to call each other by their first names. Or for that matter, who even knew each other's surnames.

The problem will be uppermost

in coaches' minds throughout the season naturally, except in cases where elevens are composed of men in whom the armed services have no interest. And such teams are few, if any.

**Steer Face Southwestern**

The University of Texas Longhorns emerged from their top-sided 65-6 victory over Blackland Army Air Field last Saturday with no major injuries. The youthful Steers face a grueling test at Austin next Saturday when they collide with the powerful Southwestern College squad, whose roster reads like a grid coach's letter to Santa Claus.

Starting end Jack Simms was Rice's only casualty in the inaugural contest with Randolph Field, which ended with a 6-0 setback for the institute. The Owls tangled with Louisiana State at Baton Rouge next Saturday.

Southern Methodist, which played an in-and-out game against Tulsa University last Saturday, had a long list of injured players to show for its 20-7 loss.

**SMU Has Injuries**

Milt McClintock, blocking back, probably will miss the game at Dallas against North Texas next Saturday because of an eye cut; Linebacker Tom Johnson has a torn rib ligament, and Claude Hill a dislocated elbow. Coach Jimmy Stewart expressed hope that the latter two men will be able to start against North Texas. Perhaps the most serious losses, however, will be Abel Gonzales, regular tailback, and Guard Ray Angelo, co-captain, who will leave for Notre Dame and naval training Thursday.

At Fayetteville Coach Bud Tomlin appeared morose over his outfit's chances against Texas Christian next Saturday, despite the fact his charges came through their tussling 35-0 win over the Mississippi School of Mines without injury. The Forker-TCU affair will be unveiled at Little Rock.

Texas Christian gridders, who have not been bloodied this year, listened Monday to a lecture by Coach Dutch Meyer on the salient points of the Arkansas attack. Meyer assured his men, however, that the Arkansans, while many not to be trifled with, were no more experienced than the Frogs.

## Bulldogs Prepare For Tough Fight Against Bobcats

"Beat those Bobcats" has become more than an empty slogan for the Midland High School Bulldogs who are going through their hardest week of practice in preparation for the game against the highly-touted San Angelo team Friday night in the Tom Green County city. They are digging in hard this week in an attempt to iron out the kinks which have been discovered by Coaches Gene McCollum and Jack Atkins in the first two games of the season.

Friday night's tilt will be the first District 3-AA game this season for both schools and the Bobcats are rated far out in front in the battle. They defeated the impressive Lubbock Westerners 40 to 0 last week, after taking Ballinger 38 to 7 the week before. San Angelo is favored to be in the state title race.

Although they will be given the Bobcats an average of 20 pounds and one year's experience per man, the Bulldogs will not be giving them as far as spirit and determination to win is concerned. The players know what they're up against and they're doing hard to get set for it. There's no pessimism among the players and they don't share the views many persons have expressed in saying that San Angelo can score at will against their opponents this season.

Both San Angelo and Midland work from the same formation—the "T"—and they use almost identical plays. There are few secrets being kept from either coaching staff, since the Bobcat coaches have scouted Midland twice and Coach Jack Atkins looked over the Angelenos last Friday night. The game will settle down to a battle of which team can use the plays best and which clicks best on both offensive and defensive. The Bobcats' experience and weight gives them an advantage in both phases.

All Midland players came through the Austin High game Friday night in good shape and no serious injuries are handicapping the squad.

Coach John (Jack) Mashburn's junior squad will play the Odessa Colts on Lacey Field here Thursday at 4 p. m., and the game is open to spectators. The junior team is composed of players 15 years of age and under who have at least two more years of high school eligibility.

The Juniors have been practicing about ten days and were handed their plays last Thursday. The squad which now numbers about 42, is expected to produce some good material for the high school team next fall.

**BEGINNER'S LUCK**

LONDON —(P)— A young salesman, attending his first horse race, wagered \$2 on the daily double at Stockton—the first bet of his life. He won \$2,964.

**Cleaning The Cuff**

Army trainees at Princeton have formed a football team with about 40 candidates and expect to play a series of games with the Tiger freshmen—a regular Army-Navy affair. Dave Smulker, who quit pro football for the Army, has been given his medical discharge because of an old knee injury and is back home at Gloversville, N. Y., cutting gloves (not rugs) and helping out the high school grid coach.

**Barefoot Boy Who Strolled Into Old Polo Grounds Dressing Room In 1889 Still On Job After More Than 54 Years**

By FRANK ECK

NEW YORK —(P)— It was just 54 years ago that a barefooted boy strolled into the old Polo Grounds dressing room. He was not quite 10. Today he handles the locker room problems of both the New York Yankees and Giants.

His name is Fred Logan, a 64-year-old Irish Scotsman, who believes his shoeless appearance helped him to get into big league clubhouses.

"I happened to walk into the Giants' clubhouse," says Fred, "and Johnny Ward, a pitcher, was hungry. He gave me a quarter for some food. I brought back a large ham sandwich and soda for 10 cents and Johnny gave me the 15 cents change."

"The next day I returned and made 70 cents so I thought it was a good place to hang around."

"That was big money in those days. Why, my dad supported our family on \$12 a week."

"I served the boys of Manager Jim Mutrie that year—1889—and they won the flag. A few years

later I went to Eastern Park in Brooklyn with the Trolley Dodgers, but in 1913 I was back at the Polo grounds as general handyman and helped run the scoreboard."

Says Fred, who says he remembers his birthday—Nov. 11—only because it's Armistice Day—has had his son Eddie helping him in the Polo Grounds dressing room the past eight years. Eddie is one of five children. "A full house—three queens and two jacks," says Papa Logan who has worked for about 25 managers in the big leagues. "Guess the three greatest are Miller Huggins, John McGraw and Joe McCarthy," reminisces Fred.

When he started there were no showers in dressing rooms. "We had 16 to 18 men on the Highlanders," says Fred. "Four pairs of water—no more no less—had to do the team. Those were our showers, and six towels went out with them."

**Getting Used To Job**

"Why years ago a pullman car looked like a Chinese laundry. We carried our own clothes and hats and we were referred to as 'walking express wagons.' But now we have automatic dryers, extra uniforms and plenty of trunks."

Logan says he's getting used to his job and the time involved. "This job lasts only five and a half months but I really put in 11 months each year when you consider I'm at the dressing rooms at 6 a. m. and very seldom leave before 6 p. m., including Sundays and holidays."

The world's first public libraries were planned in ancient Rome by Julius Caesar.

## Moore Wants No More Thriller-Diller Games

NEW ORLEANS —(P)— Coach Bernie Moore of Louisiana State University thinks a few more thriller-dillers like the 34-27 football victory over Georgia will prostrate everyone, including the coaches.

"There won't be any football next year," he told the New Orleans Monday Quarterback Club, "if the game continues like it did at Baton Rouge Saturday night. A few more games like that one and all of the coaches and spectators will be dead."

Louisiana State won the game in the last 40 seconds of play.

## Series Rivals Lost First Three Hitters

NEW YORK —(P)— What a difference a year makes!

The first three of both the Yankee and Cardinal 1942 batting orders will be missing from the coming World Series.

Phil Rizzuto, Yank lead-off man last fall, is in the Navy; third baseman Red Rolfe retired to coach at Yale, and Roy Cullenbine was traded to Cleveland.

The Red Birds' first trio to face Yankee pitching last year is in the service. They are switch-hitter Jimmy Brown, Terry Moore and Einos Slaughter.

## Four-Team League

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## Junior Team To Play Squad From Odessa Thursday

Midland football fans will be able to see the Bulldog teams of 1944 and 1945 in action Thursday at 4 p. m., when Coach John (Jack) Mashburn's junior squad squares off with the Odessa Colts in a junior team game on Lacey Field here. It will be the first of two games for each team and a return game at Odessa is slated at a later date.

The Pups, who have been working out for about ten days, were handed their playing assignments last Thursday, and they're being worked hard this week in preparation for the game. About 42 boys are on the squad and a large number of others would be available if suits could be provided.

Members of the Pup squad include:

Bill Henshaw, John Foster, B. Hightower, E. Elleredge, Lee Carrel, B. A. Whitson, J. T. Fitzgerald, Joe Pierce, J. Kennedy, B. Nolan, M. Moran, John Larsh, D. Goode, D. Cox, L. Buckingham, A. Barker, Pearl Ward, W. Yeager, H. Tisdale, J. Sawyer, J. Ellison, James Dickinson, Bill Little, Don Bizzell, Donovan Oliff, T. A. DeVore, G. Scriver, B. Holland, George Woody, J. Kidwell, J. Cox, Maurice Bird, Rudy Foster, C. Morgan, James Bryan, E. Brant, J. Armstrong, Hugh Cooper, and Barry Boone.

Tom Rowell and C. C. Tull are student managers.

**HAS EVERYTHING BUT EXPERIENCE**

NEW YORK —(P)— George Levinger, 17-year-old tackle candidate on the Columbia University eleven, is a native of Berlin and never played football until he matriculated this fall. He is six feet, 2 inches tall and weighs 174 pounds.

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Washington	82	67	.550
Cleveland	78	69	.531
Chicago	78	71	.523
Detroit	74	74	.500
St. Louis	71	76	.483
Boston	67	81	.453
Philadelphia	46	100	.317

National League			
Clubs	W	L	Pct.
St. Louis	99	48	.659
Cincinnati	82	65	.558
Brockton	78	61	.563
Pittsburgh	78	71	.523
Chicago	69	77	.473
Boston	65	80	.448
Philadelphia	62	87	.416
New York	55	92	.374

MONDAY GAMES

American League  
Detroit 6, Boston 3.  
New York 5, Cleveland 2.  
Chicago 2-2, Washington 1-1.  
Philadelphia 9-6, St. Louis 4-7.

National League  
Cincinnati 3, Philadelphia 2.  
St. Louis 6, Boston 3.  
Chicago 10, New York 9.

## Merger Of Wire Firms Approved

WASHINGTON —(P)— The Federal Communications Commission Tuesday approved merger of the Western Union and Postal Telegraph companies in a move designed to give the nation one vast telegraph system that can operate efficiently and economically.

FCC's action climaxed years of study by Congress and government agencies. Both wire companies sought the merger, after a long and hotly waged business battle.

The approval order, last step needed for the machinery to be merged, contemplates a two-year integration period for the far flung holdings of each system to be shaken down to a money-making instead of losing basis.

The commission found that in this case a monopoly would be a good thing and would eliminate "useless paralleling" of facilities and operations. It also would avoid "wasteful expenditures of resources and manpower" and on the whole would protect "the interests of the public."

**St. Louis Veterans**

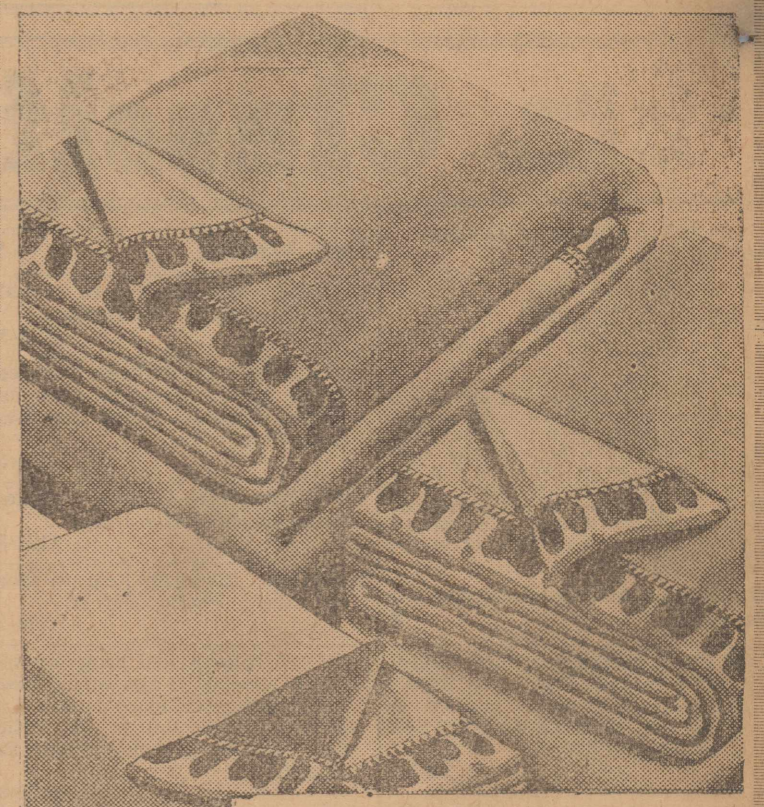
ST. LOUIS —(P)— Pitcher Harry Gumbert and Catcher Ken O'Dea are the Cards' World Series veterans. Each has been in three previous series. O'Dea was with the Cubs in the 1935 and '38 series. Gumbert hurled only four innings in his three previous classics. He was with the Giants in '36 and '37. Both played for the Red Birds last fall.

**Hard To Please Coach**

PHILADELPHIA —(P)— Once upon a time there was a satisfied football coach. But it wasn't George Munger.

Penn gridders are being told they were "woefully weak" in line play and pass defense in the opener with Princeton (Penn 47, Princeton 94 and they'll have to do better against Yale next Saturday.

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## Veteran Centerfielder Jo Jo White Is Heading Back To Majors After Sale To Philadelphia A's

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind. —(P)— Joseph Gregg (Jo Jo) Moore who, lacking only 20 days of being a 10-year man in the major leagues, was shipped to the minors two years ago by the New York Giants despite his lifetime big league batting average of around .300, is going back to baseball's big time.

The Indianapolis Indians of the American Association, for whom Moore played the last two seasons Monday sold the still sprightly veteran centerfielder (he'll be 35 Christmas Day) to the Philadelphia Athletics.

A .315 batting average and brilliant defensive performance led to Moore's latest promotions but Indianapolis fans have been wondering for two seasons how he ever happened to be sent out of the major leagues.

Moore, a native of Gause, Tex., went to the Giants in 1932 from Jersey City, and played in 86 games. He hit .305 that season and maintained an average close to that figure during the next six years, getting a high .331 in 1934. He was ranked as one of the top defensive outfielders in the majors and owned a powerful throwing arm. His hitting slumped in 1939 to .289 and in the next two years he hit about 25 points below the .300 mark.

Moore was in three world series, 1933, '36 and '37 and had a batting average of .274, including .391 in 1937.

In his first year here, the fleet-footed gardener hit .281 but this

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BOB HOPE  
DOOLEY WILSON

Increased Production Of Shoes Not Likely

DALLAS —(P)— There is no prospect of increasing shoe production in the near future to relieve the pressure of demand on supply, shoe dealers were told here Monday.

W. W. Stephenson, Office of Price Administration rationing executive from Washington, declared that "six months ago the shoe dealer's problem was how to dispose of certain types of shoes. Now it is to obtain shoes to sell under rationing."

Sitting This One Out

COEUR D'ALENE, IDAHO —(P)— Sheriff's Deputy Cliff Johnson was called to a lonely, one-way country road at 6 a. m., and found two motorists sitting in their cars glaring at each other.

They'd been there 12 hours, said the deputy, each refusing to back up to a wide spot in the road and let the other by.

Burma has bamboo which reaches a height of 150 feet.

RITZ LAST DAY  
The Family Theatre  
THEY'RE SOLID from LAUREL and OLIVER HARDY  
JITTERBUGS  
BLAINE  
A 20th Century-Fox Picture  
PARAMOUNT NEWS POPULAR SCIENCE

REX TODAY WEDNESDAY  
Where The Big Pictures Return  
DR. GILLESPIES' NEW ASSISTANT STARRING LIONEL BARRYMORE

PHOTOGRAPHS  
WATERS STUDIO  
105 S. Main  
Midland, Texas



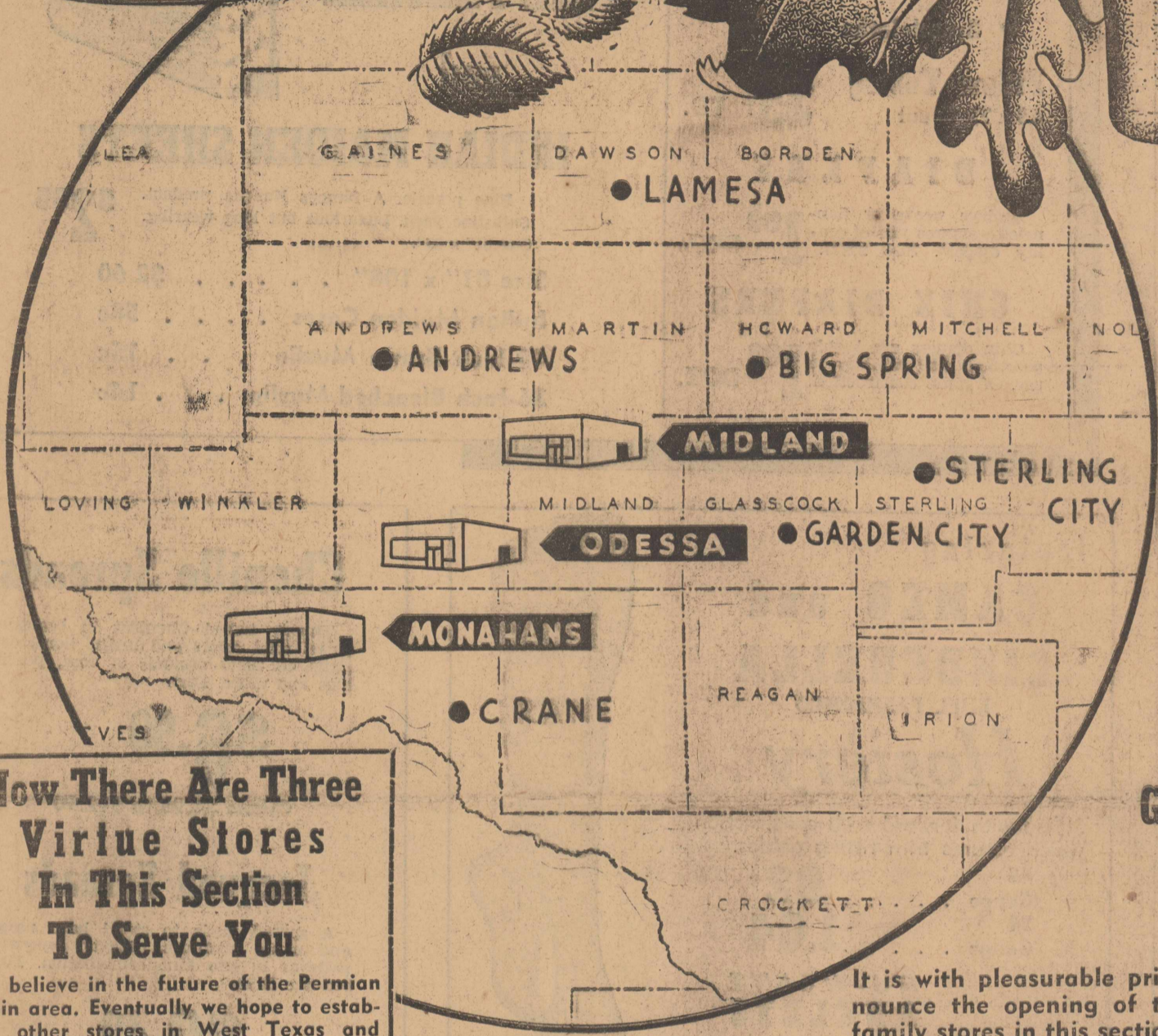
*You Pay No More for Nationally Famous Brands at Virtue's*

**Here Is Good NEWS!**

**BUY ALL  
THE WAR  
BONDS AND  
STAMPS  
YOU CAN!**

**Now 2 new  
Virtue Stores**

*in the Permian Basin Area*



**OPENING EVENTS**

**MIDLAND**

**WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 29 AT 9 A. M.**

**MONAHANS WAS OPENED A FEW DAYS AGO**

*Greetings To The Citizens In The Midland And Monahans Vicinities . . . .*

**Now There Are Three  
Virtue Stores  
In This Section  
To Serve You**

We believe in the future of the Permian Basin area. Eventually we hope to establish other stores in West Texas and vicinity.

It is with pleasurable pride that we announce the opening of two new Virtue family stores in this section. One at Midland Wednesday, Sept. 29th. The other at Monahans opened Friday, Sept. 17th.

Months of careful preparations have enabled us to provide comprehensive stocks of bright new substantial quality merchandise for both of these stores. Every item in these complete new stores will bear the usual Virtue guarantee of complete satisfaction. Each article priced in line with the Virtue policy of smaller

profit margins on larger volume of sales. You are extended a cordial welcome to visit either of your Virtue stores in this section, regardless of whether you are interested in buying just at this time. We urge you to pay our new store at Midland a visit now while stocks are fresh and new.

**We Want You To Know These Things**

When the first store in our group was opened at Dodge City in 1932, we made the announcement that we came to cast our lot with the citizens of the great Southwest. Likewise when we opened at Odessa in October, 1940, we made the same sincere statement regarding our first location in the Permian area. For many months we have sought a location both at Midland and at Monahans. Many of you are already counted as

friends and customers. We pledge you the same fair treatment in these new Virtue stores located more conveniently to you. Our ambitions will not be realized until both of these new units can be expanded into more ample quarters and both of them are also known as outstanding Southwestern retail institutions. The W. W. Virtue Dry Goods Company's practice of thrift and savings is evident in everything we do—we buy and sell for cash—all costly overhead is eliminated

—reasonably small margins of profit per transaction are required—even now in the midst of the world's greatest war effort, we are constantly endeavoring to maintain pre-war quality standards. While we have attained a sales volume that would permit us to contract for many items under our own private brand—we have continued to feature nationally famous brands—it is your safeguard of quality. You pay no more for them at Virtue's. Our merchandising per-

sonnel is ever alert to market developments and style trends—we endeavor to practice economy in every turn—this naturally lowers our cost of doing business—examination and comparison will show you that every savings effected is in turn passed on to you our customers. The W. W. Virtue Dry Goods Company takes a personal interest in your war time or peace-time requirements—cordiality is never rationed at your Virtue store.

**BLEACHED SHEETS**  
Standard Quality Thirds  
81 x 99 . . . . . \$1.24  
81 x 108 . . . . . \$1.34  
90 x 108 . . . . . \$1.54  
LIMIT TWO

**Curtains**  
All Styles  
98¢ to \$4.98

**Novelty Table Cloths**  
Very Serviceable  
60 x 80 \$3.49

**Thirsty Wash Cloths**  
11½ x 11½  
Solid White  
2 for 15¢

**Kiddies Play Suits**  
Sanforized Sport Denim  
Sizes 2 to 6 98¢

**Two Way Stretch Girdle**  
Sizes: Small, Medium & Large  
\$4.98

**Cannon Huck Towel**  
18 x 36  
Large Size 25¢

**Childrens Print Dresses**  
Sizes 2 to 12 \$1.98  
Others 2.98 to 5.90

**Fine Dress Chambrays**  
29¢ & 39¢ yard

**Boys Broadcloth Shorts**  
29¢

**Mens Blue Chambray Work Shirts**  
79¢

**Mens Fur Felt Hats**  
\$2.98

**Mens Work Sox**  
Shorts or Longs  
15¢

**Boys Wool JIMMIEALLS**  
\$1.98

**8 Oz. 29 Inch DUCK**  
**27¢**  
YARD



**Mens Knit BRIEFS**  
39¢

MIDLAND, TEXAS



You Pay No More for Nationally Famous Brands at Virtue's

HERE IS GOOD NEWS!



NEV-R-PRESS

**SEERSUCKER**

Seersucker is a year-round fabric now—it washes beautifully and requires no ironing. Practical for school dress and house coats. Patterns in assorted stripes, checks and dots.

**39c yd.**

PLAIN RAYON

**SPUN RAYONS**

This is a spun rayon fabric—39 inches wide and comes in 12 beautiful solid fall colors. A nice fabric for dresses or skirts.

**49c yd.**

39 - INCH

**SERG-A-HEAD**

A "Wesco" fabric tested for fabric strength, seam strength, dry-cleanability and hand washing. A durable material for school dresses and sport clothes. Twelve plain fall colors.

**59c yd.**

58 - INCH

**WOOLENS**

Bright plaids in 58-inch woollens for jumper dresses, skirts and jackets, 50% wool and 50% rayon construction. Attractive patterns in Red, Blue and tan combinations.

**\$1.98**

Other Woollens to \$3.98 yd.

**FALL PIECE GOODS**



**GOLD BOND PRINTS**

Bright, new patterns in this good quality 36-inch cotton prints are here for your selection. For wash dresses and blouses.

**29c YD.**

**TUBABLE COTTON PRINTS**

Yard wide fast color cotton prints in a nice assortment of patterns including stripes, checks, and neat floral designs. 36 inches wide.

**25c YD.**

ROMAINES

**ALPACA CREPES**

Good quality Alpaca and Romaine Crepes that drape beautifully when made into street dresses. Both are important fabrics for fall wear. 39 inches wide — 7 plain fall colors.

**98c YARD**

39 - INCH

**PRINTED RAYON CREPES**

LARGE ASSORTMENT OF COLORS AND PATTERNS

**79c YARD**

OATMEAL WEAVE

**RAYON CREPE**

This fine rayon cloth is different from most fall dress materials. Its novelty weave gives it eye appeal and a feminine touch so essential in the new fall styles. 40 inches wide.

**\$1.29 YARD**

Values from Our **WHITE GOODS DEPT.**

White Piece Goods **SHEETS and CASES**

- Batistes
- Nainsooks
- Nurses Cloth
- Long Cloth
- Dotted Swiss
- Cambrics
- Broadcloths

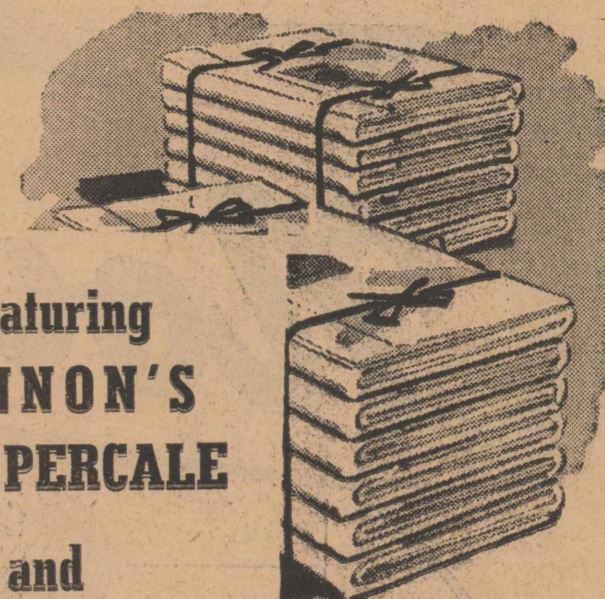
Pillow Tubing **35c YD.**  
68 x 72 Count

**DIAPERS**

Birdeye weave or flannelette assures you of quality diapers. Size 27x27. **1.69 DOZ.**

**CHIX DIAPERS**

Chix diapers are highly absorbent and sanitary to use. Of gauze construction. **1.98 DOZ.**



Featuring **CANNON'S FINE PERCALE**

and **INDIAN MAIDEN SHEETS**

Fine percale. A famous Nashua product. Soft fine yarn. Luxurious but long wearing. Size 81" x 99". **\$2.35**

- Size 81" x 108" . . . . . **\$2.60**
- Indian Maiden Cases . . . . . **58c**
- 40-Inch Brown Muslin . . . . . **15c**
- 36-Inch Bleached Muslin . . . . . **14c**

**Chenille Spreads**

Thickly tufted Chenilles in beautiful pastel solid colors and bright floral designs on plaid grounds of rose, peach, blue and white. Each

**\$6.90**

Others \$4.98 to \$12.90

**Jacquard Spreads**

A spread made to stand hard usage and many washings. Pretty Jacquard patterns in two tone combination. Full bed size. Each

**\$2.49**

Others at \$3.98

featuring **CAMEO and CINDERELLA FULL FASHIONED Hosiery**

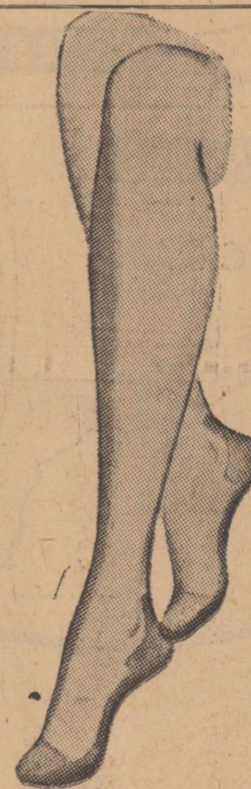
Styled with forward arch construction which assures trim fitting ankles.

45 Gauge . . . . . **92c**  
51 Gauge . . . . . **1.04**

**NU-WEAVE ANKLETS**

Always a large selection of women's and children's anklets at Virtue's.

**15c to 35c** pair



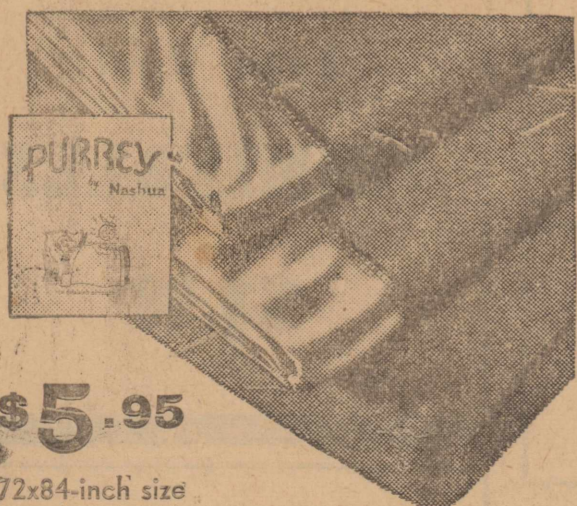
**BLANKETS!**

50% WOOL

**CANNON BLANKET**

A fine quality blanket, closely woven for longer wear. Offered in solid colors of Dusty Rose, Blue, Green, Cedar and Mahogany. Size 72 x 90. Each . . . . .

**\$6.90**



**\$5.95**

72x84-inch size

FAMOUS NATIONALLY KNOWN **PURREY BLANKETS**

Nashua's marvelous new blanket! 88% Purrey rayon blended with 12% wool—proven by laboratory tests to be exceedingly warm! Deep napped! Surprisingly soft, yet wonderfully resilient! Treated to prevent moth damage. Price unchanged since Nov. 1941. See it now — in golden rose, willow green, sky blue, cedar rose and white.

**COMFORTERS**

Matching Paisley design. Sateen covering with cotton filling. A serviceable, warm comforter at a low price. Full bed size. Each . . . . .

**\$4.98**

**NASHUAS SANDMAN**

A beautiful novelty herringbone weave. 5% wool. Bound in lustrous satin. Most desirable colors. Size 72 x 84. Each . . . . .

**\$4.69**

72 x 90 **BLANKETS**

A fine quality double blanket, closely woven for longer wear. Beautiful plaids—Rose, Blue, Cedar and Green. Sateen Bound. 5% wool. Size 72 x 90. Each . . . . .

**\$4.98**

**PENTON SINGLES**

A plain color rayon blanket by Nashua with 4 inch satin binding. A slightly blanket with added warmth when extra cover is needed. Size 72x84. Each . . . . .

**\$3.98**

**NASHUAS TWO STORKS**

This is a single white sheet blanket with nicely stitched ends. Easy to launder — Always a need item in every household. . . . .

**\$1.29**

8 OZ. — 29 IN.

**DUCK**

Use this 8-oz. A grade 29 inch duck for cotton picking sacks or you may need a few yards for your sleeping porch.

**27c yd.**

8 Oz. Featherproof

**TICKING**

Genuine 8 oz. featherproof Ticking. You buy the best when you get A.C.A. quality.

**29c yd.**

**OUTING**

Good quality. In light and dark fancy plaids and stripes.

36 - INCH

PER YARD **25c**

**MATTRESS PROTECTORS**

Quilted mattress protectors are important to save mattresses wear now more than ever. Nicely quilted size 54x76. Each. . . . .

**\$2.69**

Lingerie Values

Featuring **ARTEMIS - JANET WALKER and GLOBE Lines**

**SLIPS . . .**

Well tailored assuring comfort as well as fitting qualities offered in rayon satin and pebble weave crepes.

**1.69**

**GOWNS . . .**

Plain and Printed Rayon Crepe and Satin.

**1.98**

**PANTIES . . .**

Self Stripe, Knitted Rayon, in White, Tea Rose

**79c**

OTHERS AT \$1.29

**Childrens Panties**

Combed Yarn Cotton with Rayon Stripe. Sizes 2 - 8.

**25c**



**LACE Table Covers**

These lace covers come in assorted patterns that lend added appearance to any table. Each. . . . .

**\$2.49**

**TOWELS**

Turkish towels so practical for gifts or home use. Rich plain colors with striped ends. Double thread construction slightly imperfections.

22 x 44 **49c**  
Size . . . . .  
Others 29c and 39c

**45 - INCH DRESSER SCARFS**

Lacey and novelty dresser scarfs.

**59c**

**12 x 18 DOILIES**

**25c**

**W.W. VIRTUE DRY GOODS COMPANY, INC.**  
**YOUR STORE**

MIDLAND, TEXAS



Here Is Good News!

Bring the Family to VIRTUES!



# DRESSES

With our New York buying office we are able to keep a constant flow of the newest fashions and style creations coming into our Ready-to-Wear Department as they appear on the market. Daily we receive new, fresh merchandise for your approval and selection. Shop Virtues Ready-to-Wear Department.

- Date Dresses
- Campus Classics
- Street Dresses
- Half Size Dresses

Got a date?  
These Dresses Rate

Compliment inviting frocks for canteen dates... or nights when you are doing the town with your favorite service man. Junior sizes 9 to 17.

**\$7.90 to \$14.75**

## STREET DRESSES

You'll find just the type dress from our complete size ranges including regular sizes 12 to 20-38 to 46 and half sizes 16 1/2 to 24 1/2. These dresses just fresh from wrappers and you have first choice. Alpaca crepes, Romaine crepes, printed Jerseys and woolen fabrics. Visit our Ready-to-Wear department opening day.

**\$7.90 to \$24.75**



## FALL HATS

Pretty as can be ---  
and they anchor firmly to your head!

PERT... provocative hats, these rate more than a casual glance from passersby. Perch one back of your pompadour... tilt one over your brow or set one square on your head for that sculptured clean-cut look. They're all headline news for Fall!

**\$1.98 - \$2.98 - \$3.98**

Gage Hats ..... to \$7.50

### Smart Beanies

Beanies or berets so popular with the younger set are here in a swell array of bright fall colors. Each

**\$1.49**

## BLOUSES --- SHIRTS ----

Change the character of your suit with a change of blouse. Tailored and feminine styles in a choice of smart fabrics including plain and printed jerseys. Shorts and long

**\$3.98**

Others \$2.98 to \$5.90



## Smart Fall SWEATERS

A sweater with the old skirt makes you another outfit for crisp fall days. Choose from Pull-overs or Sloppy Joes, Cardigans or Open Knit. A wide color assortment making matching easy. Size 34 to 40. Each.

**\$3.98**

Others \$2.98 to \$5.90

## Printed Jersey ROBES

You need a new robe? Then get one of these beautiful printed Jerseys. Bright bold patterns that drape nicely assuring perfect fit and good looks. Size 12 to 20. Each.

**\$12.95**

COTTON HOUSECOATS **\$3.98**



SIZES  
3 - 6 1/2  
and  
7 - 14 YRS.

### Featuring LU-BEE and MARIONETTE

These cute little frocks are fashioned of washable cottons and spun rayons... fitted one piece and two piece styles. Plaids, checks neat stripes for your choosing.

**\$1.98 and \$6.90**

## 2-PIECE SPUN DRESSES

Two piece dresses are popular with the younger set. Embroidered spun rayons and tailored wool types. Regular sizes 12-20 and Junior sizes 9-17. Each.

**\$5.90**

Others \$4.98 to \$7.90

## CHENILLE ROBES

Of thickly tufted Chenille—white tufting on pastel grounds of Yellow, Orchid, Green, Rose and White—scrolled, full sweeping skirts, wrap-around closing. Sizes small, medium and large. Each.

**\$6.90**

Others at \$5.90

## SPORTSWEAR

So Important for Fall Wear

### JACKETS

Sports Jackets in a large assortment of styles and fabrics including plaids, herringbone weaves, and flannels. Lined and unlined garments. Prices range from ---

**\$4.98 to \$8.90**

### SKIRTS

Skirts to live in and to love! Plaids, pleats, and tailored styles, including Koret of California "Swirlskirt" with 32 graceful tuck-gores. Skirts trim enough for the office, feminine enough for a soldier date after dark. Fall colors. Sizes 24 to 32. Price from ---

**\$3.98 to \$5.90**

## Tubable Serviceable COTTON FROCKS

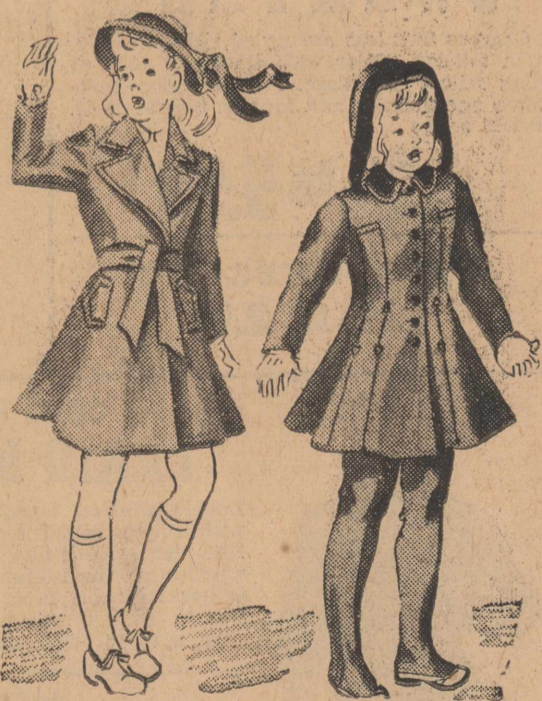
Smart Fall Dresses for school or dress-up. You're sure to find the style and size you'll want. Made in cottons, spun rayons, corduroys, velvets and plaid cotton and rayons.

**\$1.98**

Others \$2.98 and \$3.98

## CHILDRENS

### WINTER COATS



### CHILDRENS FLEECEES

Childrens warm tan fleeces styled like mothers coat, warmly interlined... button fly closing... boy model with vent back. Sizes 10 to 14, each

**\$12.75**

### "WEATHER SEALED" REVERSIBLE PLAIDS

Here are water repellent coats... wear either plaid side or plain side out. When the weather tells you. They're smart and practical for school wear. Size 7 to 12.

**\$9.00**

## Use Our Convenient LAY-A-WAY PLAN

Select your fall coat or dress and make a small down payment. Additional payments may then be made at convenient intervals. You are assured of choice selections when buying on the Lay-A-Way Plan.

## GOING SOMEWHERE? THEN YOU'LL NEED LUGGAGE

- Overnight Cases
- Fitted Cases
- Wardrobe Cases
- Gladstone Bags

Prices Range

**\$7.90 to \$39.75**

## LADIES COATS

They Are Here! The Season's Favorite Coats

bearing the well known labels of COLLEGIAN MODES,

SPORTOWNE, LASSIE TWEED, and ALLAN of California.

## SPORT FLEECEES

Full time fleeces planned for action! Simply styled, beautifully made with plenty of room in arm and body and ample lap-over. Both "boy" coats and fitted styles in this group. Sizes 12-20 and 9-17. Each

**\$24.75**

## Fur Trimmed COATS

Smartly fur trimmed fleeces and black needle points for dress wear. Made by America's leading coat manufacturers. If you are interested in a fur-trim garment come in and try these on. Prices range from

**\$39.75 to \$69.75**



**W.W.VIRTUE**  
DRY GOODS COMPANY INC.  
YOUR STORE  
MIDLAND, TEXAS



**Now 2 new**  
**Virtue Stores**  
*in the Permian Basin Area*

**E & W DRESS SHIRTS**  
 E. & W. shirts have long been known for quality and workmanship. Sanitized shirking fabrics with perfect fitting collars. Neat stripes and figured patterns. Sizes 14 to 17 Each.  
**\$2.49**

**Mens Knit Athletic Shirts**  
 Swiss ribbed undershirts of combed cotton yarns—deep arm holes—long enough to stay put. Sizes 34 to 44. Each.  
**39¢**

**MENS DRESS SOCKS**  
 Men's good quality shorts or full length socks. Extra fine quality—for extra wear. Big assortment of new fall patterns. The pair.  
**35¢**

**MENS Broadcloth Shorts**  
 Good quality men's broadcloth shorts in assorted stripes and figured patterns. Full cut. Sizes 30 to 46. Each.  
**39¢**

**Important Values for Men Doing Important Jobs**  
**CLOTHING FURNISHINGS FALL SUITS**

Joseph Cohen Suits are expertly tailored of good quality woolen suitings and will give the wearer many months of satisfactory service. You'll be well dressed in one of these fall suits. Most styles at



**\$29.75**

**Officers Shirts**

Tailored of all wool twill. Form fitting. Ready to go. Just the way you like 'em. Offered in pink and dark green.

**\$13.50 EACH**



**Officers Pants**

Well tailored of all wool cavalry twill. Elasticized for your comfort. Pink or O. D.

**\$16.50 PAIR**

**THESE WORK CLOTHES ARE GOOD ON ANY SHIFT**

**"Boss Walloper" GLOVES**

**15¢ pr.**  
 QUANTITIES LIMITED

Nationally known brands of work clothing are stocked in our work clothes department. You will find these well known labels — Dickies, Kangaroo, Cowden, D. J., Red Kap and Patco. When you buy these brands you are assured of the best work garments obtainable.

**COWDEN OVERALLS**

The mark of quality "Cowden Certified" Overalls sanforized shirking, precision tailoring to fit your type. You can expect good service on any job from Cowden Overalls. Size 30 to 50 waists. The pair.

**\$1.69**

**Blanket-lined WORK JACKETS**

Men's blanket-lined work jacket with 25% wool plaid lining and corduroy collar. Full cut with 2 roomy pockets. Sizes 36 to 48.

**\$2.49**

**BOYS RIVET DENIM PANTS**

These tough waist-band pants for boys are just the thing for school or play. All boys go for these in a big way. Sizes 6 to 16 years. The pair.

**\$1.10**

**MENS SIZES \$1.39**

**Army Twill WORK SUITS**

You'll look better on the job in an Army twill work suit. Matching shirts and pants that wear and launder better.

**\$5.95**

**Suntan Khaki MATCHED SUITS**

Kangaroo Suntan Khakis are full cut, fit nicely and have roomy pockets so essential in work clothing. Your size is here.

**\$3.67**

SHIRTS \$1.69 PANTS \$1.98

**COWDEN SERVICE SUITS**

If you wear one piece work suits you'll go for Cowden Service Suits. Only fine quality Liberty striped denim are used in this fine suit. Size 36 to 46. Each.

**\$2.98**

**BOYS PATCO OVERALLS**

Boy's 8-oz. Blue or striped overalls with double pockets on bib and roomy hip pockets. Full cut "Patco" will make a hit with any boy. Size 2 to 16 years. The pair.

**98¢**



**Visit Virtues Family Shoe Department**  
**3 famous brands — PETERS — PORTAGE — JOLENE**

When you buy shoes made by these nationally known manufacturers you are assured of the best quality and styles that are available under present conditions. Virtues have always sold only the best shoes at lower prices. We are proud of our many regular satisfied shoe customers which our stores serve.

**GIRLS SCHOOL OXFORDS**

Good quality girls school oxfords with leather soles—plain or stitched toes. A sturdy shoe for school wear. Size 11 1/2 to 3.

**\$2.98**

**BOYS SCHOOL SHOES**

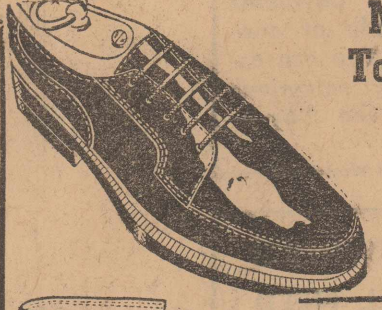
Boys brown or black imitation Moccasin toe with black cord soles. A practical shoe for school wear.

Sizes 11-2 **\$2.79** Sizes 2-6 **\$2.98**

**DRESS OXFORDS**

Men's tan or black calf oxfords with straight tip over the popular English and French lasts are sure to please the wearer. Leather or composition soles. The pair.

**\$4.98**  
 Others 3.98 to 7.50



**Moccasin Toe Oxford**  
 Men's popular Moccasin toe oxfords — Leather soles. The pair.  
**\$4.98**

**JOLENE NOVELTIES**



Dozens of new fall styles including Suedes, Alligators and Calf leather pumps and Ties, 3 heel heights, open and closed toes. Wear Jolene and Peters sport oxfords to school, to work, to play. Width AA to C. The pair.  
**\$3.98**  
 Others to \$5.90



**Double Sole 8-Inch Drillers SHOES**

Leather Double Sole 8-in. Driller's Shoe.  
**\$6.90**



**Arch Type WORK SHOE**

Plain toe steel shank with Pre-Mold, No-rip back. . . . Leather sole . . . . Velvet step arch feature. Brown Blucher. The pair.

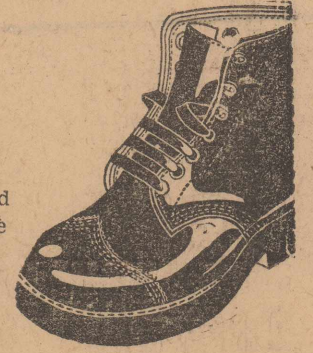
**\$5.90**



**Arch Type WORK SHOE**

Plain toe, steel shank . . . . cord sole . . . . Army russet retan—The pair.

**\$5.90**



**Boys Knit T-SHIRTS**

Boy's Knit T-shirts so practical for school wear. Neat stripes on solid grounds of Gold, Brown, Wine and Blue. Sizes small, medium and large. Each.

**69¢**

**Boys E & W Dress Shirts**

These little shirts are made of fast color prints with neat fitting collars—stripes and figured patterns. Sizes 6 to 14 years. Each.

**98¢**  
 E & W

**\$1.19**

**Boys Woolen Jimmey-All**

Good looking herringbone patterns of wool and rayon construction. 2 front pockets, colors are Brown, Blue and Tan. Sizes 3 to 10 years. Each.

**\$1.98**

**Boys Corduroy LONGIES**

The favorite for fall with all boys—herringbone weave cord longies—they fit well and wear well. Colors are Browns and Blues. Sizes 3 years to 16 years. The pair.

**\$3.69**

**Campus SWEATERS**

Campus Sweaters are styled right and are well tailored. Wear with slacks all fall at high school or college. Popular price—pull-overs and button front models. Size 34 to 44. Prices range

**1.98 to 5.90**

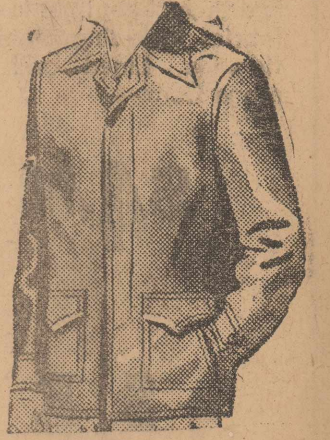
Boys Sweaters 1.19 to 2.98

**MENS LEATHER COATS**

Buck suede or fine Capeskin Coats— Sizes 34 to 46. Styles for sport wear or work wear.

**\$14.75**

Other Leather Coats \$12.75



**BOYS 100% WOOL PLAID MACKINAWs**

Double-breasted 4-pocket model with set-in belted back. These 100% wool plaids give you more warmth so important in this winter garment. Rich plaids of Brown, Blue, Green and Wine. Sizes 8 to 18 years. Each.

**\$6.90**  
 Others 9.90



**MENS 100% WOOL COATS**

4-pocket styles of 100% wool construction in warm plaids of Wine, Green, Blue and Brown. Sizes 36 to 46. Each.

**\$8.90**  
 Others 6.90 to 10.90

**BOYS WOOL JACKETS**

Boys 100% wool cossack jackets are swell where you prefer the shorter type winter garment. Button front closing with set-in belted back. Plaid of Wine, Blue, Brown and Green. Size 8 to 18 years. Each.

**\$3.98**

**Virtue**  
**DRY GOODS CO.**  
 MIDLAND, TEXAS