

'Trade Early' Plea Issued

Trade early is a plea being made this week to residents of Big Spring and one which will be taken before the service clubs during next week.

The subject first came up for discussion at the chamber of commerce directors meeting Monday when it was agreed that some effort should be made to encourage townpeople to do their weekend shopping on Friday in order to partially relieve congestion on Saturday.

Petaun Orders Leaders Tried For War Guilt

VICHY, Unoccupied France, Oct. 16 (AP)—Marshal Petaun tonight ordered a speedy public trial for five men accused of leading France to defeat against Germany, including former premiers Leon Blum and Edouard Daladier and the one-time allied generalissimo, Maurice Gustave Gamelin.

The chief of state announced in a broadcast that he had ordered Daladier, Blum and Gamelin transferred from one prison to another and had held Guy La Chambre, former air minister, and Pierre Jaquet, former administrator of national defense industries, at the Chateau de Bourassol.

He failed to mention Pierre Cot, another former air minister who is now in the United States.

Workers Walkout Of Steel Plant

A new strike halted operations today at a big Detroit steel plant, while at Pascagoula, Miss., AFL union leaders recommended resumption of work at a strikebound shipyard.

The dispute at the Great Lakes Steel Corporation in River Rouge was the fourth in four months, and officials of the firm termed it a "wildcat" strike. The plant employs 8,000 men and has many defense orders.

Four hundred men present at a union meeting last night booed down Orville Kincaid, their regional director, when he attempted to announce the results of wage adjustment negotiations he had carried on with the management. One critic said the adjustments called for an increase of only one cent an hour for common labor, and a picket line was formed at the plant gates a short while later.

The announcement of the back-to-work move at the Pascagoula yard of the Ingalls Shipbuilding corporation came from Federal Conciliator Bryce F. Holcombe, who said that representatives of various metal trades unions had agreed to recommend to their membership resumption of operations after three days idleness.

The strike, affecting 2,800 men, was certified to the national defense board by the labor department, which explained that the AFL Boilermakers union had struck because some of the pipe welders in the plant were trying to form an independent union.

The yard has \$120,000,000 in national defense orders. The possibility of a renewed work stoppage loomed for steel company operated "captive" soft coal mines as a result of a deadlock in negotiations of workers and management before the national defense mediation board at Washington.

The CIO United Mine Workers are demanding a closed shop agreement for 43,000 employees of the Captive mines in Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Alabama, Kentucky, Illinois, Indiana and Ohio.

The mediation board last month arranged a 30-day truce following a week's walkout by the union miners. Some Pennsylvania union locals were reported to have voted to walk out next Saturday, 24 hours before the truce is due to expire.

Chapman said they told him that the body of Browning, a contractor or carpenter, who had been shot through the back, had been dumped by the roadside on U. S. route No. One, near the Maryland-Pennsylvania line.

While Portland police awaited instructions from Maryland or Pennsylvania, passes there searched for the body. Maryland state police at the Conowingo barracks said one group worked between Deer Creek and Conowingo dam and the other between the dam and Belair, Md.



The Roundup—Steel-helmeted Germans (right) take a Russian prisoner, according to Berlin sources, who also described the men at the left as Germans giving attention to Russian casualties. (AP Photo by Radio from Berlin).

Red Lines Unbroken Germans Insist Breach In West Thought Closed

BERLIN, Oct. 16 (AP)—Germans are striking at soviet defenses approximately 62 miles from Moscow after occupation of the strategic cities of Kalinin and Kaluga, the high command said today, and it was intimated that an important announcement respecting the soviet capital might be expected soon.

"In the east we are already fighting in several points on Moscow's outer defense line, which is approximately 100 kilometers from the soviet capital," a communique said.

Defenses of besieged Odessa were reported to have cracked. Kalinin, railroad center on the upper Volga river 95 miles northwest of Moscow, and Kaluga on the Moscow-Bryansk rail line 90 miles southwest of the capital "have been in German hands for several days," the high command said.

A hint of "an important announcement, possibly within a few hours," was dropped by an authorized spokesman in response to an inquiry as to what was happening to the Russian government and the Moscow diplomatic corps.

He said an answer was probably unnecessary because of the clarifying announcement expected. The spokesman said that in 115 days up to yesterday the German army had taken as much territory as it did in 147 days of operations in Poland, Norway, Holland, France, Yugoslavia, Greece and Crete.

"The reported occupation of the two cities indicated the Germans are attempting to close a giant pincers and encircle Moscow." At the same time, DNE reported from Bucharest a Rumanian announcement that her troops had penetrated the defenses of Odessa and that the Black Sea port was in flames.

German, Rumanian Armies In Odessa

By The Associated Press German and Rumanian armies have battered their way into the big Russian grain port of Odessa and are fighting in the streets against the last resistance of the garrison and people's army which held out through 59 days of siege, the Rumanian high command announced today.

The city was reported aflame. The Rumanians said that in the Russians' last desperate defense against the onslaught they sent every able bodied man, woman and child into the firing lines.

MOSCOW, Oct. 16 (AP)—Despite a "deterioration" of Russian defenses west of Moscow, Russian dispatches declared today that the red army's resistance had not been and could not be broken.

Germany, they said, now is exerting her fullest offensive power. The official mid-day communique, announcing that the defenders "continued to fight the enemy along the whole front," said that action was particularly intense in the western direction, the locale where the "deterioration" was reported for the night of Oct. 14-15.

This might indicate that the breach had been closed in the last 24 hours. "The Germans continue to throw fresh units into the battle," the communique said.

The most optimistic language came from Russian war correspondents. "The enemy has failed to break or weaken the resistance of the Red army," wrote one war correspondent.

"He has failed to break down its tenacity. He could not and will not be able to do it! The Red army is alive and struggling. It has incalculable and inexhaustible reserves in our people who are determined to defend their country and their just cause."

"New replacements and formations are increasing the strength of the Soviet troops. The whole people has become Red army men and is getting ready to fight for a long time, persistently until victory, despite the temporary successes of the enemy."

The correspondent of the government newspaper Izvestia wrote: "Now the Hitlerite cannibals are pressing hard to get at Moscow. They are throwing into action everything they could scrape up at home, in the occupied countries, or withdraw from other directions of the front."

The writer went on to describe the crushing of a German tank thrust along the Vyazma-Moscow road on Oct. 9.

A break fraught with peril for Moscow had been reported in the belated night communique, which acknowledged that German tank crews and motorized infantrymen had bludgeoned a path through Russian lines in a huge night attack.

On the Leningrad front, the latest war report said, the Russians captured a number of prisoners. Impairment of Red army defenses west of the capital was acknowledged by the Soviet information bureau in a starkly worded communique.



Harmony As Committee Approves Arming Ships—Bitter words gave way to handshakes as the house foreign affairs committee wound up its consideration of a revision of the neutrality act with approval of proposed repeal of a provision which now prevents arming of merchant ships. Rep. John M. Vorys (left) (R-Ohio) extends a hand to Chairman Sol Bloom (right) (D-NY) whom he bitterly criticized the day before. Smiling his approval is Rep. Karl E. Mundt (R-SD) who also engaged in the previous day's exchange with Bloom.

Another Jap Cabinet Quits

Agreement On US Relations Lacking

TOKYO, Oct. 16 (AP)—The Japanese government resigned tonight, admitting its inability to agree on the great issues confronting the empire.

Failure to reach an accord with the United States and growing military pressure for action in the crisis arising from German successes against Russia were strongly indicated as major factors in the ministry's fall.

Premier Prince Fumimaro Konoye presented en bloc the resignation of the cabinet, his third, to Emperor Hirohito amid increasing press agitation for an end to efforts to conciliate the United States.

(Konoye had let it be known he would not take responsibility for a break with America.)

Predictions were made in informed quarters that the crisis might produce a more vigorous foreign policy, designed to combat what the Japanese call the "ABCD encirclement"—military measures of America, Britain, China and the Dutch East Indies.

Informed observers expressed belief that the cabinet's fall was linked with an unfavorable turn in talks in Washington looking toward lessening of Japanese-American tension.

It was pointed out that a feverish series of conferences and imperial audiences began here almost immediately after the return to Washington last week of Kaname Wakasugi, Japanese minister.

A crescendo came just after Washington dispatches told of a meeting between Wakasugi and Undersecretary of State Sumner Welles, in which it was understood both sides laid all their cards on the table.

Wakasugi had been recalled to Tokyo in August to make a full report on the American situation and when he returned, by way of Mexico, it was reported he carried important instructions.

The emperor asked Konoye to continue in office until a successor could be named and the premier agreed. He summoned his colleagues for a meeting at 3 p. m. tomorrow (11 p. m. Thursday, E.S.T.) to consider the next move.

The resignation followed several days of intensive consultations among the empire's highest, over some of which the emperor himself presided. Until tonight there had been no official intimation that a cabinet crisis was imminent.

(Although yesterday it was pointed out that the prominent part taken in the conferences by the lord privy seal, Marquis Koichi Kido, indicated big changes.)

Domestic news agency close to the government, said formation of the new government, whether under Konoye or someone else, probably would get under way tomorrow.

News of the cabinet's fall reached the public when newsmen ran through blackout darkened streets, crying "Gogai Gogai!" (Extra! Extra!). Japan's capital is going through intensive air raid precautions.

The resignation came shortly after a foreign office announcement that the staff of the Japanese embassy in Moscow and other Japanese had left the German-occupied Russian capital for an undisclosed destination.

It was said that similar withdrawals had been urged by the Russians upon all other embassies and legations there so Japan's action was not the result of isolated circumstances.

The background of the resignation also included a Japanese naval officer's declaration that Japan's relations with the United States were at a crossroads where they might turn to war.

The officer, Capt. Hideo Hiroide, director of naval intelligence, speaking last night at Kyoto, envisaged the possibility of a sea campaign against Japanese trade and of bomber raids upon the Japanese homeland.

Cotton Falls \$5 Per Bale, Grain Down

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 16 (AP)—Cotton futures broke more than \$5 a bale here today in response to the Japanese cabinet crisis and unfavorable Russian war news.

An avalanche of selling orders flooded the market shortly after noon to add to early nervousness over the foreign situation which had forced prices down about \$1.50 a bale on top of a similar drop yesterday.

The range of prices just after the break at the noon hour was 10 1/2 to 11 1/2 points below the close of yesterday. At that time Dec, sold down to 15.61 cents a pound, March 15.50, May 15.35 and July 15.27. Later shorts took profits and the market reacted to recover about \$1.50 a bale from the lowest levels of the break.

CHICAGO, Oct. 16 (AP)—Wheat prices tumbled 10 cents a bushel on the board of trade today, the limit permitted in one session. All other grains showed sharp losses, with selling in all pits attributed to war news and fall of the Japanese cabinet.

Wheat showed weakness all during the session but heavy selling poured into the pit in the final half hour and prices collapsed quickly.

This was the first time the market has dropped the limit permitted by trading rules since May, 1940, when prices of grains tumbled sharply with the German successes in western Europe.

At the day's low point wheat showed net losses from the 4-year peak recorded early in September of about 20 cents a bushel. Corn was 17 to 20 cents lower, oats 11 to 12 lower, rye 19 to 22 lower and soybeans almost 80 cents lower.

December delivery wheat futures closed at \$106 1/2 to 54, off a dime, corn at 87 1/2 to 68 1/2, oats 62 1/2 to 3-4, rye 53 1/2 and October new soybeans finished at \$145 1/2.

Dawson Crops Seriously Hurt

LAMESA, Oct. 16 — Damage ranging up to half a million dollars to cotton and feed was surveyed in Dawson county today as skies cleared after a devastating rain and hail which spotted the county.

Some estimates were considerably higher, but one source said that figures on the damage were "varied, wild and exaggerated."

Losses at cotton lost to hail and rain ranged from 1,500 to 8,000 bales, but the more popular figure fluctuated between 4,000 and 4,500 bales. The county will still make from 45,000 to 51,000 bales, it was predicted.

Ben J. Baskin, Dawson county farm agent, declined to estimate the damage. He said that the course of the storm marked a path from the Andrews county line to the Higginbotham community southwest of Lamesa, came within three miles of Lamesa, and ranged to the north and east.

Yet the path of the hail was spotted. Some fields were virtually wiped out while adjoining ones were not seriously hurt. In Andrews county where the hail started, sharp harm to crop prospects was reported. North of Ackerly, in the extreme southeastern part of Dawson county, effects of the storm was minimized and it appeared that feed was hurt more than cotton.

Recovering from the effects of a rain two and a half weeks ago which sprouted around three to five per cent of the heads, feed stood to suffer sharply from the new plague of moisture. However, sunshine and wind came as a blessing Thursday and might reduce the amount of damage.

In tight land sections of Dawson county effects of the hail possibly will not be felt so keenly for speckled bolls on stripped stalks were expected to open. Green, slick bolls on deep sand areas, however, probably will do no more than make bolls.

ARMY BUYS SKIS BOSTON, Oct. 16 (AP)—The war department announced contracts today for 34,048 pair of skis, for the regular army, sufficient to send two divisions gliding over the snow. Prices ranged from \$7.85 to \$12.25 a pair and the orders went to manufacturers in widely separated sections of the country.

Weather Forecast

WEST TEXAS—Clear in Pecos valley and westward, considerable cloudiness elsewhere this afternoon; clearing tonight; Friday fair and warmer.

EAST TEXAS—Cloudy with occasional rain except in extreme west portion, cooler in south portion tonight; Friday cloudy with local rain in east portion, warmer in north and west portions. Gentle to fresh northerly winds on coast.

LOCAL WEATHER DATA Highest temp yesterday 67.1 Lowest temp today 47.1

Sunset today, 6:13 p. m.; sunrise Friday, 6:51 p. m.

Precipitation since noon Wednesday, .04 inch; total for two days .41 inch.

Russia Far East Army Is Intact

LONDON, Oct. 16 (AP)—Russia's Far Eastern army remains virtually intact and stands ready to face any eventually arising from the cabinet crisis in Japan, a soviet source in London said today.

Sixty New School Books Adopted

AUSTIN, Oct. 16 (AP)—More than 60 new textbooks today became official for use in Texas public schools next year.

Adopted by the board of education, the list for the first time includes elementary Spanish for grade schools. Officials explained this was in line with a movement to encourage teaching of Spanish in the lower grades.

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Aviation Gas Refiners Get Priority Nod

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18 (AP)—High priority rating was announced today on seven new plants for production of 100-octane aviation gasoline or of the best stock and blending agents used in that vital fuel.

Repair Materials Given Priority

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18 (AP)—The office of production management, moving to add thousands of the nation's industrial plants, today granted them a defense preference rating for use in obtaining maintenance and repair materials.

Big Spring Hospital Notes

Mrs. Bob Eubanks, 608 Goliad, had medical treatment Wednesday. C. C. Houchin, Lamesa, underwent eye surgery Wednesday afternoon.

Spanish American Veterans Assemble

SHERMAN, Oct. 16 (AP)—Several hundred veterans of the Spanish-American war attended the first annual reunion of the 32d United States Volunteer Infantry Association here today.

Magnesium Plant Explosion Kills One

NEWARK, N. J., Oct. 18 (AP)—One person was killed and three others were injured in an explosion shortly after noon at the National Magnesium corporation plant, a company spokesman said.

Huge Navigation Bill Approved

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18 (AP)—The house rivers and harbors committee approved today a navigation and power program estimated by the army engineers to cost nearly \$1,000,000,000.

Pascal Buckner Speaks To Lions

Drawing a lesson from China, Pascal Buckner, past deputy district governor, Wednesday told the Lions club that no government, system or organization could progress if it held too much to past accomplishments.

Cowper Clinic And Hospital Notes

Mrs. J. T. Rudd was admitted for medical care. Mrs. D. D. Douglas, who had been treated for a fractured leg, was discharged.

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Barnett's truck and trailer had piled up against a wrecker attempting to pull out a mired car. An approaching car, blinded by lights of another machine, plowed into the Barnett machine, crushing him to death.

Markets At A Glance

NEW YORK, Oct. 18 (AP)—STOCKS—Weak; foreign news inspires general selling. BONDS—Heavy, rails depressed. FOREIGN EXCHANGE—Quiet; generally unchanged.

Grain

CHICAGO, Oct. 18 (AP)—Grain prices collapsed 6 to 10 cents a bushel today, losing as much as trading rules permit in one session, as commodities markets reacted under the impact of heavy selling which trade experts blamed on war news from Russia and fall of the Japanese cabinet.

Livestock

FORT WORTH, Oct. 18 (AP) (USDA)—Cattle 1,600; calves 1,200; market slow; most classes about steady with week's declines; common and medium slaughter steers and yearlings 4.00-5.25, good and choice grades 5.75-11.25, two loads 640 lb. heifers 11.25, part load mature steers 12.25; beef cows 4.00-5.00; canners and cutters 4.00-4.50; bulls 6.00-7.50; killing calves 7.00-8.50; good stocker steer calves 10.00-11.00.

Cotton

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 18 (AP)—Cotton futures broke \$2.28 to \$2.48 a bale here today before buying halted the drop and brought about partial recovery. The selling was attributed to the Japanese crisis and unfavorable Russian war news.

Wool Market

BOSTON, Oct. 18 (AP)—(USDA) Moderate quantities of fine foreign grown wools were moving today in the Boston market. A number of inquiries were being received for the low South American wools.

Malone And Hogan Clinic-Hospital

Mrs. E. R. Thomason, Coahoma, a medical patient, was dismissed this morning. Mrs. Ben Miller, 801 Johnson St. underwent surgery Wednesday.

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Berry Pickens "Called Up" LONDON—School children, boy scouts, and girls were "called up" to form blackberrying squads to bring in a bumper crop of berries for jam and bottling. The berries are turned over to local cooperative preserving centers.

Texas U. Host To High School Bands

AUSTIN, Oct. 18 (AP)—More than 2,500 high school bandmen will be guests of the University of Texas Saturday but chief honors will be reserved for three veteran band teachers.

To John F. (Doc) Witt of Tyler, James T. King of Coleman and Sam Shell of Tatt will go long-horn band keys and honorary certificates of membership.

Defense Training Extension Planned

AUSTIN, Oct. 18 (AP)—Extension of the University of Texas defense training program in Texas cities will be discussed with federal officials next week by M. L. Bageman, research technician.

Rains Hit All Over Texas

By The Associated Press Rains accompanied by lowered temperatures continued in widely-scattered sections of Texas today.

More moisture was forecast in the Houston area where a 1.51-inch downpour yesterday flooded residential streets.

A slow, steady rain fell at Pampa where the year's total of 28.42 inches broke a record of 27.81 set in 1925.

Dallas Man Shot, Another Is Held

DALLAS, Oct. 18 (AP)—John M. Root, 34, Dallas real estate agent, was wounded critically by gunshot early today and Cliff Helms, 40, Dallas rodeo performer, surrendered at the sheriff's office.

Policeman G. E. Baldwin and J. Herbert Sawyer said Mrs. Helms told them she left Root shortly before the shooting which was witnessed by a taxicab driver, James G. Mental.

Root was reported near death from two bullet wounds in the head and one in the arm. Helms was held in jail.

Senators Blast At Gen. Lear

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18 (AP)—Senator Gurney (R-S.D.) asked the war department today to investigate a new complaint against the army's shakeup of national guard officers previously protested in a telegram from Senator Clark (D-Mo.) to Lieut. Gen. Ben Lear.

Gurney said he had received a complaint alleging that a national guard officer, whom he declined to name, had been relieved of his command without just cause.

Clark telegraphed General Lear yesterday declaring that Lear ought to retire "rather than make Major Gen. (Ralph E.) Truman the goal" for what Clark described as a "tactical defeat" of Lear's second army in recent maneuvers.

mand of the thirty-fifth national guard division to the presidency of the second army's permanent reclassification board. Subsequently Lear wired Clark that General Truman had resigned after "splendid and outstanding service."

Clark replied angrily that this was "the old army game which does not intend to leave a national guard officer, no matter how efficient, in command of a national guard division." Clark's office said he had received no reply yet to this communication.

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Noted Texas Educator Dies

CORPUS CHRISTI, Oct. 16 (AP)—The body of Roy E. Fisher, well known educator, lay in state in the First Methodist church today before being sent for burial to Pampa, where he formerly was superintendent of schools.

He died yesterday at the age of 80 after a five-day illness while serving as president of Corpus Christi junior college and superintendent of this city's schools.

The body will arrive in Pampa tomorrow morning and funeral services will be held at 10 a. m. Saturday.

He is survived by the widow, Mrs. Gertrude Fisher, and one son, Brent Fisher, both of Corpus Christi; two daughters, Zelma and Ella Fisher, both of Oklahoma City, Okla.; his father, Henry U. Fisher of Altus, Okla., and one brother, Earl Fisher, Norman, Okla.

He was chairman of the committee on mental and physical health of the Texas State Teachers association, chairman of the library and reading service of the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers, chairman of the Texas school administration conference, co-chairman of the commission on co-ordination of child development, member of the board of managers of Phi Delta Kappa, Phi Beta Sigma and the American Library association. He had traveled widely in Europe.

He was educated at Northwestern State college, Alva, Okla., and Columbia university.

Man Killed As Three Trucks, Car Crash

SWEETWATER, Oct. 16 (AP)—A wreck involving three trucks and an automobile on highway 80, 17 miles east of here last night, killed Zackaria N. Barnett, 31, of RFD 6, Paris, Tex. James Lenoir received a fractured leg.

SUBMARINE SUNK

ROME, Oct. 16 (AP)—The Italian high command announced today the sinking of a British submarine by an Italian submarine chaser in the Mediterranean.

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THE WAR TODAY: Can Russia Fight Two-Front War?

By DeWITT MacKENZIE

The Russian command at midday indicated that the red lines were holding firmly against the increasingly violent assault on the defenses of the capital, but while the Muscovite statements were cool and determined they plainly were calculated to emphasize that the beleaguered city is in dire peril.

The German encircling movement continues, but the main force of the Hitlerian thrust is being flung against the defenses directly west of the metropolis along the old Napoleonic route. An authoritative source in London said that the battle here probably had reached its crisis, and this would seem to be true.

By this he meant that the nazis and bolsheviks are at grips close to the main bulwarks of the city in this frontal zone. If these fortified positions are reached and given way, the chief obstacle remaining before the Germans will be a wall of grimly battling red soldiers.

The nazis are pouring a steady stream of reinforcements, both manpower and mechanized equipment, into the conflict here in an effort to smash through these vital defenses by sheer weight. The conflict is bloody, and the dead are piled high.

As a companion piece to this great crisis, another has boiled up in the Far East, and our own United States is indirectly involved in this. The Japanese government has fallen because of a disagreement over the method of pursuing the national policy of expansion.

The powerful military group has been anxious to take advantage of Russia's perilous position and strike at Siberia. Many cautious advisers have feared that such a move might bring war with America. The fall of the cabinet undoubtedly means that at least the issue is to be faced squarely—small Japan cast caution to the winds and hit at Russia while the bolsheviks are battling for their lives on the western front.

Should Tokyo decide to issue such a challenge, there can be no doubt that possibilities of American involvement in the war would be greatly increased.

The Japanese have for weeks been watching the progress of the Nazi invasion intently. As the Japanese eagerness to profit by the situation increased, the present peril of Moscow is pulling them hard.

Could Russia stand a war on two fronts? That gets us into the realm of pretty vague speculation, because much would depend on external circumstances—the attitude of Uncle Sam, for example. However, it can be said that if the bolsheviks are able to pull their fighting lines back and establish a firm front for the winter, then they should be able to cause any Japanese invasion plenty of trouble.

It must not be overlooked that Siberia is organized as a unit in the matter of defense and defensive production. Also the reds have a large standing army in the Far East—unless they have withdrawn it for service in the west, and while they may have brought back some forces it isn't likely that they have stripped Siberia, in view of the Japanese menace.

Typhoid killed 36 annually out of each 100,000 forty years ago, according to census records. This has now been reduced to 3.

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Editorial --

Industrial Development Needs Attention Of All

Two phases of West Texas life, one with a past record of achievement and another with a wealth of future possibilities, will be portrayed in the Howard County Products exhibit Friday and Saturday.

Heavy General Rains Delay Cotton Harvest

HAIL INJURES SOME FIELDS IN DAWSON COUNTY; FALL HERE 37

Heavy rains over a large part of Texas today halted the cotton harvest, just as it swung into its second week of full-speed operation, and did some damage to open bolls.

Westex Stakes Iatan Wildcat

Westex Oil company has staked a wildcat location 467 feet from the north and 21,178 feet from the east line of section 22, block 26, T-1-N, T&P survey, in Mitchell county on the lands of Mrs. Dora L. Jones.

Flight Board To Come Here

An examining flight board is due here Oct. 20 to check applicants for a refresher course for aviation cadets, the chamber of commerce announced Wednesday.

Calves For Feed Tests Are Sought

Fred Keating, superintendent of the U.S. Experiment Farm, is scouting for calves to be used in the station's annual feeding tests.

Mexican Fined In Stabbing Case

Marros Correa entered a plea of guilty to aggravated assault before County Judge Walton S. Morrison Tuesday and was assessed a fine of \$25 and court costs.

Milk Prices Rise 14 Percent In US

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15 (AP)—Keen competition between domestic consumers and Uncle Sam for dairy products has contributed to a 14 per cent advance in fluid milk prices for most city users during the past three months, the agriculture department reported today.

Clubwomen Favor Food Stamp Plan

COLORADO CITY, Oct. 15 (SP)—Clubwomen of Mitchell county have gone on record as favoring the food stamp plan and this week made appearances before both the county commissioners court and the city council to ask that the plan be favorably considered.

How To Torture Your Wife



AFTER A REFRESHING NAP THE OLD BOY GOES UPSTAIRS TO DRESS FOR DINNER.

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Hollywood Sights and Sounds— Did You Ever Agonize Over Bonges?

By ROBBIN COONS HOLLYWOOD—I sat in a little room the other afternoon and watched a bunch of grown men agonize over the bonges.

They were all serious, if good-humored about it. But in three minutes I knew that a boob bong, at the moment, was the most important thing in their lives.

It was the re-recording room at 20th Century-Fox. A sort of projection room, with a screen at one end and sound gadgets at the other. In front of the screen, on the floor, stood a gadget which lighted up when in use so that you could see a big black needle swinging back and forth in an arc across the lighted arc, and cryptic symbols and letters.

The sound track let out bonges a good part of the hour I was there. The hair was wild and shaggy. He had been growling about his farm, which he hadn't seen in a number of weeks. "There's too much land going to waste out there," he said. "I'm going to do something about it."

Just then Captain Blaze got up from the hearth, where he had been dreaming happily of chasing cats, and Meredith, who knows Great Danes and likes them—and who has owned a number of them, all of which have been named Hamlet except one—got down on the floor to roll with Blaze and see what a good time they could have.

I said, "Are Great Danes good fighters?" Meredith said, "I saw a Doberman Pinscher whip a Dane once. The Dane got around to realizing what was happening to him. If you are mean to a Dane and teach him to be antagonistic you can make him into a helluva fighter. But ordinarily they are too good natured. They have to be aroused."

"One of my Danes is out on the coast now," Meredith went on. "There's a Doberman in the neighborhood and he's a good scrapper. One day my houseboy overheard me say something about Pinschers being able to whip Danes and he gave me a funny look. Later some people came in and I rang for the boy to bring in some sandwiches. He didn't answer the bell. After awhile I went into the kitchen and found him sulking. 'What's the matter with you?' I asked. He stared up. 'I heard you say that Pinschers could whip Bad Boy.'

Southerners Ask Farm Labor Law

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15. (AP)—Six representatives of the Southern Tenant Farmers Union have appealed to congress to fix minimum wages for all farm laborers and ban child labor in agriculture.



To Aid Defense Program -- County Sets Goals For 10 Percent Increase In Food, Feed Production

The United States is a land of abundant food supplies, and the prospects of famine are dim indeed. But the U.S.A. has taken on the job of feeding a large army, helping to feed the people of Britain, and in a few years we will be feeding a good part of Europe...

Cheaper Than French-- New Type Silo Gets Trial On Martin County Farm

Being put to test in Martin county is a new type of silo that is even cheaper and easier to build than the French silo. Judge B. F. White of Stanton filled a wire-fence silo with cane during the summer and has now opened it and is feeding from it.

City Commission In Routine Work

City commissioners waded through an abundance of routine business Tuesday evening, hearing reports from various departments, considering some minor tax adjustment matters, and speculating on some impending projects and developments.

H-SU Draws Many Students From Vicinity

ABILENE, Oct. 15 (Sp.)--Student body at Hardin-Simmons university, largest for a fall semester since 1939, has gathered for the Golden Jubilee year at H-SU from 103 counties in Texas, 22 states, and one foreign country--Ireland.

Workers Named For Red Cross Member Drive

Organization for the annual Red Cross is taking shape, and Roy Rooder, roll call chairman, told members of the chapter executive board at its regular monthly meeting Tuesday evening, that he anticipated a quick and thorough canvass.

Rev. Haislip Gets District Church Office

The Rev. T. W. Haislip was named president of District Four at the convention of Christian churches held in Midland Tuesday. Site for the 1942 meeting place will be the First Christian church in Marton.

Stanton Man Hurt In Wreck

R. B. Heaton of Stanton was injured Tuesday night when the car in which he was riding with two other Stanton men was involved with a truck nine miles west of Big Spring.

Boll Worms Sought In Mitchell County

COLORADO CITY, Oct. 16 (Sp.)--An inspection machine for pink bollworms began work in Colorado City and vicinity this week, according to R. A. Nicholson, agent for this area of the pink bollworm quarantines.

Tenant Purchase Applications Are Being Renewed

LAMESA, Oct. 16 (Sp.)--James R. Payne, in charge of the Farm Security Administration office here, has advised those who have previously filed applications for tenant purchase farms that they must renew their applications, which now have expired.

City Tax Values Increase \$40,000

Total valuations showed little better than \$40,000 increase on the 1941 tax rolls approved by the city commission here Tuesday evening. Property values were fixed at \$6,650,015 as compared to \$6,610,015 on the 1940 roll.

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Ranchmen See Demonstration Of New Dip

Control of parasites on cattle--including the new and troublesome short nose ox-ouse, was demonstrated to a crowd of farmers and ranchmen at the L. B. Caudle Hereford ranch southwest of Big Spring Monday.

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Farm Bureau Members Vote On 1942 Program Ideas

Members of the Texas Farm Bureau are now voting on the organization's program for the coming year. Submitted through their official publication, and through J. A. Blupp, president of the Howard county unit, to members in this county has been a proposed program of activity for the coming year.

Knott Women To Observe Week Of Prayer

The Baptist Womens Missionary Society was to meet Wednesday at the church in an all day meeting to observe Week of Prayer. The day was to be spent sewing and packing a box for Buckner Orphan home and with a program in charge of the president, Mrs. J. T. Gross.

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Community Chorus Is Organized With 28 Charter Members

Twenty-eight charter members met Monday night at the Settles Ballroom to organize a community chorus to meet each Monday night. Dan Conley was selected as director of the organization.

CC Directors Study Many Future Plans

Chamber of commerce directors heard many plans discussed Monday, among them those for the Howard County Products show set for Friday and Saturday, a "turkey" day on Nov. 25, an installment credit meeting in Abilene on Oct. 27, and several other matters.

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Marine Recruiters To Visit Colorado City

The U. S. marine corps has announced that a temporary recruiting office would be opened in Colorado City for a period of six days, beginning Oct. 15 for the purpose of accepting applicants for enlistment.

TB Association Official Visits

Pansy Nichols, executive secretary of the Texas Tuberculosis Association, conferred here Monday with Mrs. C. W. Dickerson, president, and Mrs. J. C. Douglas, treasurer, and other members of the local association on plans for the Christmas appeal sale.

New Safety Slogan-- You're Lucky To Be Alive

"Hello Lucky!" Don't get the idea you are one of those rare specimens who can draw to an inside straight flush or come through on a 100 to 1 shot if you hear someone address you with this handle.

State Gets \$79,999 For Oil Leases

AUSTIN, Oct. 16 (Sp.)--The state was richer by \$79,999 today as money paid into the treasury for leases to 2,304 acres of school land, submerged areas and river beds in eight counties.

Products Of Farm And Factory On Display Here Friday

Communities To Show A Big Variety

A wide variety of farm products will appear in the community booths in the Howard County Products exhibit Friday and Saturday. Everything produced by the community will be shown—from cotton to canned goods. To achieve a perfect score, each booth must have 25 different exhibits. These exhibits may include grain sorghum heads, bundles and thresh-

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That these exhibits will excel is assured by the fact that 1941's feed and cotton crops are above average, that gardens were the best ever, and that canning of home grown foods hit a new high. Community booths are being arranged under direction of home demonstration clubs. Clubs sponsoring these include Knott, Elway, Fairview, R-Bar, Coahoma, Overton and Center Point, with Midway making tentative plans for an exhibit.

Miscellaneous booths will be offered by several other groups. 4-H club boys of the county will offer an exhibit of maize and cotton grown in club demonstrations. The U. S. soil conservation service will have a booth demonstrating soil and water control measures. Coahoma FFA boys will show results of their demonstrations.

The greatest recorded depth of any ocean is in the Pacific—35,000 feet.

Okla. Towns To Get Their Gas, After All

SKIATOOK, Okla., Oct. 16 (AP)—Residents of Skiatook and Sperry no longer shiver at the thought of the frigid winds which soon will howl down from the Osage hills. The Union Gas company, pleading that the gas supply in its Osage county wells was exhausted, had sought permission to stop service in the two towns and for several jittery weeks it appeared that they would face the winter without heat.

That fear was dispelled last night when W. J. McNally, manager of the Natural Gas Service company, which operates the Skiatook distributing system, announced to the chamber of commerce that the Oklahoma Natural Gas company would serve the towns. McNally said the O. N. G. would build lines from Tulsa to the \$22,000,000 bombing plane assembly plant north of there and would extend its lines on to Skiatook and Sperry. Work on the new lines will start immediately, he said. In the meantime, auxiliary lines which already extend toward this vicinity and the abandoned lines of the Union Gas company can be utilized while the new system is under consideration.

17 Firms In Industrial Exhibits

That industry is not merely a chamber of commerce slogan will be demonstrated at the Howard County Products exhibit opening here Friday noon in the building at 1st and Runnels street. Seventeen firms, by no means all of the local manufacturers, have asked for booth reservations to show their products during the two-day event.

Items on display will range from bread to baby chicks to petroleum products and all in all the collection of exhibits is expected to be a sort of eye-opener to the general public. Those who have reserved display space are Darby Bakery, Bar's Bottling, Big Spring Feed and Feed, Dr. Pepper Bottling, Corden Petroleum Corp., Ted Phillips Tire Retreading, Vaughn's Sweet Shop, Big Spring Cotton Oil Co., Mead's Bakery, Hall Shade and Awning, Snow White Creamery, Coca Cola Bottling, Banner Creamery, West Texas Sand and Gravel, Lee Warren Tire Products, J. E. Nabors Emulsion Brick, and The Big Spring Herald, Inc.

From this list it is possible to predict a spread of home-processed materials such as bottled drinks, bread, pastry, oil and gas, refurbished tires, cottonseed cake, meal and oil, awnings, milk, butter, cream, etc., sand and gravel, tile and brick, and newspaper materials. Aside from the story of home production, there will be a silent story of more than 500 employees required to handle production for the 17 displaying firms. Although accurate figures are not available, it is conservative to estimate that the total annual payroll involved would be around \$900,000. Display booth materials have been assembled and locations have been determined by lot, with some concerns working exchanges of space for convenience. These will be seen in the spacious part of the building which fronts north and will flank a collection of organizational exhibits.

Knott Women Attend Fair

KNOTT, Oct. 16 (Sp) — Knott Home Demonstration club members returned home from a trip to the Dallas fair early Monday morning, a tired but happy crowd. Attending the fair from the Knott club were Mrs. Oscar Gaskins, Mrs. E. O. Sanderson, Mrs. Robert Brown, Mrs. Paul Adams, Mrs. Cecil Shockley, Mrs. W. A. Burchell, Mrs. Ben Sample, Mrs. Roy Phillips, Mrs. E. L. Roman, Mrs. C. B. Hill, Mrs. R. N. Adams, Mrs. R. H. Unger, Mrs. Herschel Smith, Mrs. Joe Meyers, Mrs. O. R. Smith. Making the trip from the Brown club were Mrs. E. C. Airheart, Hilway club were Mrs. L. C. Mathis and Mrs. Ed Brown, from the Bryant club were Mrs. Geo. Brashears, Miss Winne White, Mrs. Alvie Hughes, Mrs. A. L. Mitchell, Mrs. John Anderson; and non-members, Mrs. Frances Glenn of Big Spring and Mrs. Oscar O'Daniel of Coahoma and Mrs. Jake Spalding of Knott. Easton Bernard drove the bus and Edward Burchell and Herschel Mathis went along.

Rev. E. E. Mason of Big Spring is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Phillips and family. Will Johnson, well known farmer of this community who was injured in a car-truck collision on the Big Spring highway last Thursday morning, is reported to be still in a serious condition in Cowper hospital at Big Spring.

A new sports event was inaugurated at Ackery Saturday afternoon when a goodly number of citizens witnessed a terrapin derby. Excitement ran high as Mrs. Floyd Higgins' entry came in to win the first prize of \$5. Mrs. Eddie Criswell and Donald Belt, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Belt, were awarded the second prize of \$2.50 and Vanita Hogg won third prize of \$1 in merchandise and 50 cents in cash while several runnersup prizes were awarded. Mrs. Roy Phillips and Mrs. Jake Spalding spent the weekend in

Town Women Are Invited To Show Handiwork At Fair

Although the Howard County Products exhibit was originally intended as a display of farm and manufacturing products, provision has been made for those women in the city who wish to show off their handiwork. Big Spring women are invited to take their fine needlework, bedspreads, quilts and the like to the exhibit building at First and Runnels for exhibition if they like. A booth will be provided, but no prizes will be awarded.

Dallas visiting their sister-in-law, Mrs. Lois Walker. Saturday they went to Tyler to attend the Rose festival and for a short visit with Mrs. Walker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Spivy. Mrs. L. C. Mathis and son, Herschel, Easton Bernard, Edward Burchell and Margaret Burchell visited Bert Mathis, who is working and attending college in Fort Worth, over the weekend. Mrs. Paul Adams and Mrs. R. N. Adams spent the weekend visiting Mrs. Adams' daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Faircloth, of Dallas.

Mrs. R. H. Unger, Mrs. Curtis Hill and Mrs. Frances Glenn of Big Spring visited their sister, Mrs. A. A. York of Corsicana over the weekend. At last the cotton pickers have arrived in sufficient numbers to send the cotton to gins and keep the yard full and gins running to capacity night and day. Some estimate that cotton was opening enough that half of the crop will be picked with the first picking. Edgar Phillips reports that cotton on his farm north of town is picking a bale to the acre the first going over. Feed cutting, maize heading and combining, are well under way and most of it is being sold.

Women To Show Select Products

The quantity will not be great, but the quality will be high in the women's textile division at the Howard County Products show Friday and Saturday. All home demonstration club women and 4-H club girls in the county are cooperating in this display. In addition, the club women have the duty of assembling general booths for each community. The textiles division will be featured by a display of household linens and accessories made of feed and flour sacks. These items will include dish towels, pot holders, luncheon cloths, and a variety of other things. Home demonstration club women will also show a few select comforts of wool or feather filling, bedspreads, dresser scarfs, chair cushions, foot stools, dish mats, rugs, and other items. Four-H club girls will display bedroom improvement work, including bedspreads, vanity scarfs, pi-

lows, vanity benches and the like. Another 4-H exhibit will show results of tomato projects carried on during the past year, with the exhibit showing salad-packed canned tomatoes and tomato juice. Ribbons will be awarded to high ranking girls' displays.

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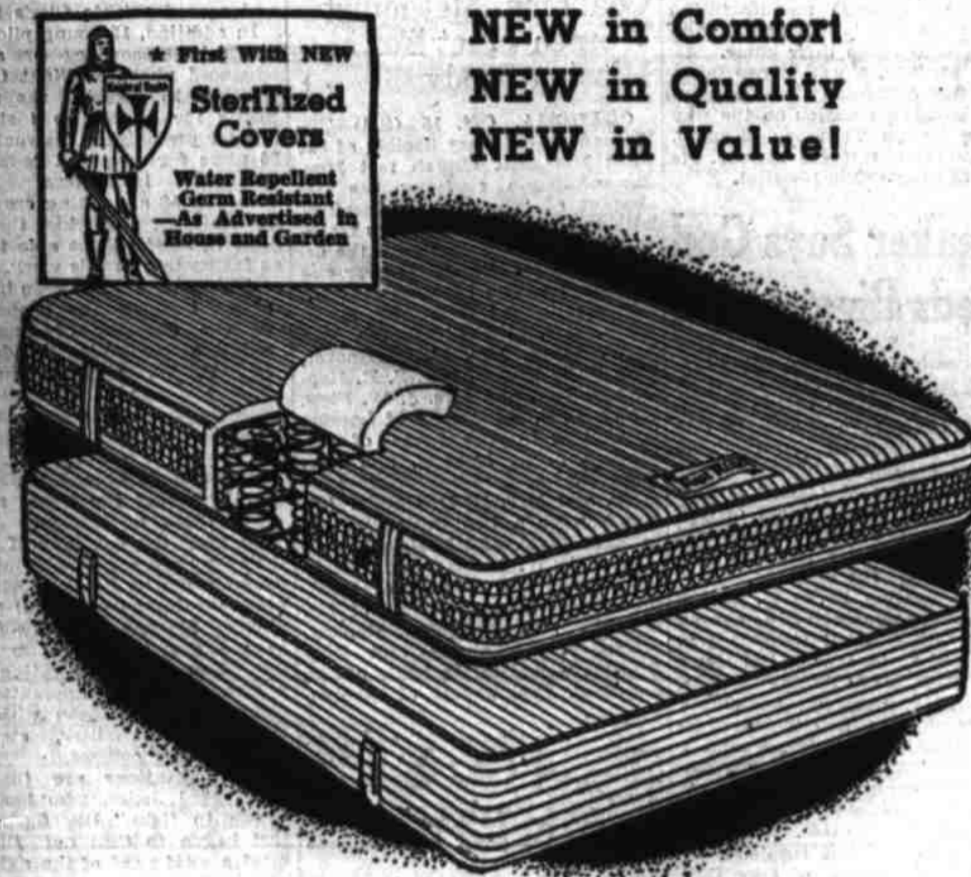
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Court of Honor Held At Colorado City

COLORADO CITY, Oct. 16 (Sp) Sponsored by the Lions club, a court of honor for Boy Scouts of the Colorado City district was held Tuesday evening in the junior high school auditorium. Allan Bibby and Billy Marsh, both of Troop 20, received merit badge awards, three each. Bibby's were in swimming, handicraft and personal health, Marsh's in aviation, handicraft, and electricity. Bibby also received his Star scout ranking. Troy Franklin, Sam Rotner, Burt Nash, and Doyce Westfall, all of troop 20, were appointed as Sea Scouts.

Russians Close Tomb Of Lenin

MOSCOW, Oct. 16 (AP) — The famous Black Tomb of Nicolai Lenin which stands before the walls of the Kremlin is now closed. Winter and summer, year after year, the tomb with its glass case in which one could see the body of Lenin, preserved by a secret process, attracted millions of Soviet pilgrims. The last official utterance regarding Lenin's body was that of the vice-commissioner of foreign affairs, S. A. Losovsky, who said on July 24, "the dead Lenin is alive for us. He is with us wherever we are."

Colorado City Gives \$900 To Boy Scouts

COLORADO CITY, Oct. 16 (Sp) Total Boy Scout contributions in Colorado City are now over \$900, according to Field Executive Stanley Mate of Big Spring, and the cleanup is still going on. Jake Richardson is chairman of the local drive, with Rev. John J. Mueller, Joe Jackson, and John Shropshire as his "scoutmasters." Quota for Colorado City is \$900.

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Q. 3. How much tax will I have to pay, if I wait?
Ans. No one knows. Excise taxes, such as these, can be increased by Congress as required. And defense authorities say "far heavier taxes yet to come."

Q. 4. Is it patriotic to buy now?
Ans. Buying now may release man-power, machine power, materials, later on, when they are much more badly needed for defense. And protecting the nation's health—your family's health—is a number one requirement for defense.

Q. 5. Is Servel a good investment at a time like this?
Ans. Food prices are going up! We probably haven't seen anything yet. The higher they go, the more Servel Electrolux will save in your home. Remember—it's always summer in your kitchen! At present food prices we can show how an average family may save up to \$8.60 per month!

Q. 6. How long can I expect such savings?
Ans. Servel, the Gas refrigerator, is backed by an iron-clad 10-YEAR GUARANTEE on its entire refrigerating system—at no extra cost—still the ONLY one that is. Because there are NO MOVING PARTS in its freezing system. Nothing to wear, no cause costly repairs, to grow inefficient and costly to operate. In West Texas today, there are hundreds of Servel Electrolux refrigerators that have been giving faithful, trouble-free, refrigeration for 10, 12, 14 years—without an cent for service or repairs! Over and over again, they have paid for themselves. Yours can, too. Come in and pick out your 1942 Servel today.

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