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DOWNTOWN RECORD SHOP STOCKED WITH EVERY VARIETY OF MUSIC

Everybody has his favorite music—swing, hillbilly, boogie woogie, or the classics, but oddly enough the soldier trade at the Record Shop, 204 Main street, likes its music strictly on the classical side. Expensive albums and single records of the masters of music composition rate number one with the boys in khaki who often times have no phonograph but buy records, anyway to send home or to play on someone else's machine. The Record Shop, owned and managed by Oscar Glickman, can fulfill all musical tastes, however, with its large selection of recordings of every type of popular, classical, and semi-classical music. It carries the old time favorites and novelty songs too. The air conditioned store has been the location of the shop for the past two months and many persons come in just to hear their favorite songs played, whether they intend to buy or not. The shop also carries needles and blank records on which to make recordings. Soldiers are the best blank record customers. They use these to make verbal record-

ings to send home to their families and friends. Glickman, who has owned the Record Shop for the past four years, has been in the record business for eight years. The shop will send records anywhere and has a perfect score so far of no disks broken in transit. Even a group of records sent to North Africa to a soldier arrived in perfect condition.

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Caroline's Flower Shop is joining in the Sunday closing program by Big Spring florists, but this need not mean any curtailment of service, according to Carrie Scholz, owner.

Her shop, which is located at 1510 Gregg street, has recently expanded its delivery service and therefore is in a position to distribute the expended increase in Saturday orders.

Because flower shops will be closed on Sunday, Miss Scholz urged those who wish to remember patients in the hospital, have flowers for the home or for any other purpose to place their orders for late Saturday delivery.

Under a joint agreement between florists, undertakers and ministers, there will be no more Sunday funerals here, and that source of Sunday demand upon florists has been removed. Because of the labor shortage, Miss Scholz sometimes operates her own delivery service. For this reason, she reminded patrons that if there is no answer when Caroline's Flower shop is telephoned, a subsequent call will get results. Meanwhile, with all the talk of Sunday closing and delivery, it should not be forgotten that the prime service of the shop is beautiful cut flowers and pot plants. A variety of offerings is constantly coming from the hot house and other blossoms arrive by fastest transportation daily from the flower gardens of the Southwest so that it's flowers - Caroline has it.

All women in Britain between the ages of 18 and 45—more than 8,500,000—are registered for some form of national service. Those who do not voluntarily enter the auxiliary forces, the land army, nursing, civil defense or certain war industries, may be ordered into work wherever national needs require.

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"Those American boys—who fought for you with their backs to the wall, waiting for help that never reached them—came from the land of plenty. But when their lives were at stake, all they had was . . . *plenty of nothing!*"

"They were outnumbered, outgunned, and out-supplied. They were so short of ammunition that antiaircraft gunners often had to hold their fire until the enemy planes were on top of them. They were so short of bandages and gauze that we nurses had to wash out the old ones and use them again.

"But they were never short of courage. They never spoke of surrender. They just went on fighting, and hoping, and dying. And no sacrifice was ever too great.

"Let me give you an example. One terrible day on Bataan we

had 285 patients on our operating tables in 8 hours—a new patient every two minutes of the day.

"A sailor was brought in with his abdomen blown to bits. He was a goner and I think he knew it. 'Doctor,' he asked, 'is there any hope at all?'"

"The doctor wished to reassure him and replied, 'We'll do everything we can!' The sailor tried to roll over. 'Doc,' he begged, 'get me off this table and save one of those other fellows who still has a fighting chance.'

"That was the kind of men we had at Bataan. And they would want you to remember not only what they *did*, but what they *did without*.

"They would want you to remember it, but not with flowers and memorials. The flowers are for yesterday and the monuments for tomorrow.

"Remember them *now*—this month and every month—by buying War Bonds!

"Buy guns and planes and shells and ships and tanks—for those other countrymen of yours who are fighting so far from home. See to it that never again, any place in the world, will American fighting men be caught short as they were on Bataan! That never again will American wounded perish for the help your dollars might have sent!

"Certainly taxes are higher. Certainly the cost of living has gone up. *But the men on Bataan were never ten-percenters!*"

"They gave everything they had. And now it's up to you to buy War Bonds not only *if* you can, but *all* you can! Please believe me, folks—that's the way the boys on Bataan would *like* to be remembered!"

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Editorial - - Suitable Wartime Slogan Might Be 'Our City Today'

We are not coming so many slogans today as we once did when we were not so busy with things that demanded attention at once, and that perhaps is just as well, for slogans were invented to spur folks on to greater accomplishments, and at this time we have the spur of war which needs no slogan.

Important thing, and what we do today or leave undone will have its effect tomorrow and in all the tomorrows to come. It is easy to plan for the future - much easier than to work today, for the plans may and usually do take on a wonderfully appealing form, while much of today's work is drab and uninteresting.

Tomorrow. Is law enforcement in one or many forms lacking? Today is the time to practice enforcement, so that tomorrow will see better citizens. Is community spirit lacking or weak? Today is the time to give it a shot that will rejuvenate it and make it effective, so that it will be operating when the future arrives.

Dancing Teachers Meet In New York For Annual Conflab

By JACK GAVER UP Staff Correspondent NEW YORK (UP) - Dancing students around the country can expect to catch the devil for the next few weeks after a brief respite because the men and women who teach them what to do with their feet have just had their annual workout in the big city and are rarin' to go.

There is no convention quite like those of the Dancing Masters, Inc. Other organizations will get together for a few speeches, a dinner or two and spend the rest of the time sight-seeing or painting the town various shades of red and then scamper back home to recover. But the dance teachers are of a sterner breed.

MURDER IN TIN By CARL A. PETERSON

Chapter 19 Late that night Sam Taggard's daughter and I got into a cab on the Avenida Juarez. We were both wearing evening clothes. I started out at Paseo de la Reforma's great statues, each inside its circle. We passed the bronze Charles IV on his brown horse; Columbus and his priestly advisers; Cuauhtemoc, the last of the Aztec emperors, who was tortured by the Spaniards to reveal his Aztec treasure.

"No, dear," she said. "I'm not. I put it aside as a memento of our first talk." "Why do you always behave as if you were my prisoner?" "Am I not?" "No, you're not." "A semi-prisoner then."

"We're not in competition," I said. "We both want the same thing. I wish I knew what you're after. I wish I really knew." "It's too simple for you to see it. Naturally, I'm not after any of the objects you think I'm after. I'm not after pesos like our little friend Hernandez. I'm not after excitement or intrigue."

Hollywood - Dorothy McGuire Makes 'Claudia' Famed Character

By ROBBIN COONS HOLLYWOOD - Dorothy McGuire isn't Claudia. Not really. She says so herself. I had gone up to her apartment to inquire if Dorothy, like the Claudia that made her famous on the stage and brought her to movies, ever had check-book trouble. Dorothy was late, a little. She rushed in, finally, so cute and so spry with vitality I reached for my vitamin pills.

Washington Daybook - Typical Presidential Day

(Dancing Jack Stimmel's vacation, his column is being conducted by various members of the Washington staff of The Associated Press. This is the second of two columns on the White House by Harold Oliver.) By HAROLD OLIVER WASHINGTON - President Roosevelt's wartime workday starts about the same time as that of his "assistant president," former Supreme Court Justice James F. Byrnes - about 9 a. m. - but he doesn't reach his desk until 10:30.

him to his living quarters after quitting his office between 6 and 7 p. m. Several times a week he stops off at the enclosed swimming pool and loosens up his muscles in the high-temperature water, at the same time working up an appetite for his dinner, usually light. The White House dogs (there used to be a regular kennel of them until they got too belligerent with visitors) come in for considerable attention, particularly from the President and little Diana Hopkins, who lives with her father (Harry Hopkins) and her step-mother.

The Timid Soul

ALL RIGHT - ALL RIGHT - IF THAT'S THE WAY YOU FEEL ABOUT IT, GO AHEAD AND SCRATCH UP MY GARDEN. OCCASIONALLY MR. MILQUETOAST FINDS AN INTRUDER WHO IS DISPOSED TO ARGUE. SHERIFF USES PSYCHOLOGY SAN DIEGO, Cal. - Deputy Sheriff J. C. O'Connor had little difficulty along about shoe rationing time in finding jurors for inquests over a two-day period. He merely visited the shoe stores where Coupon No. 17 was being and Copon No. 18 showing signs of life, and summoned about everyone in sight. "I got 30 veniremen at the first store I visited," he declared.



Beer with Claudia - I mean Miss McGuire - I mean Mrs. John Swope, which she's just become - is most refreshing. We got down to the check-book question. "Oh," she said, "I shouldn't tell this because it sounds like Claudia, really I'm not, and I don't want to be thought of as being Claudia. But the truth is, I never had a check-book until after I was in 'Claudia.' Never had enough money to need one."

The President loses little time getting comfortable once he reaches his desk. He doesn't care for the air-cooling system so he has it short-circuited from his office and has all the windows opened. He's usually in light summer trousers and monogrammed shirt, no coat and often without the shirt opened at the neck. Callers never see him without a tie, though.

TO THE BITTER END LOS ANGELES, Cal. - Six-year-old Jerry Larrimore, along with his sister Aileen, 5, are believed to have established a world record as picture fans. They entered a movie house as soon as it opened in the morning, and were asleep in their seats when the janitor closed for the night. In the meantime they had seen seven features, four newswreels, four government shorts, four cartoons, one pre-view and a stage show.

WEAR AND TEAR AUSTIN, Aug. 9 (AP) - Texas highways are beginning to show signs of distress under the constant heavy pounding of increased military and civilian trucking incident to the war. State Highway Engineer Dewitt C. Greer said today.

The Club Opalo was on the biggish side. Half of the space was a dance floor where couples were dancing. The other half was full of gambling tables, roulette wheels, a bar - extended the length of the room. I looked around. "I don't see Chevalle. This Club Opalo's popular. There must be four hundred people here. Let's get a drink. I've seen you enough to call you Lila. How about a drink, Lila?" "Thank you."

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS 1. Statue 2. Measur 3. Pull 4. Pain inf 5. Fawn pallid 6. Monks 7. Punish severely 8. Chum 9. Conjunction 10. Pierce out 11. Make words 12. From letters 13. Animal neck coverings 14. Place 15. Troubled 16. State of being double 17. Insect 18. Human trunk 19. Frowny 20. Epoch 21. Tree trunks 22. Ocean 23. Hat French 24. Above prefix 25. Burn 26. African lakes 27. Long narrow 28. Rattlesnake 29. More crazy 30. Russian antelope 31. Fish 32. Player at chess 33. Aerial railway 34. Soling 35. Preserve 36. Mother of Peor 37. Crest 38. Beverage 39. Organ of hearing 40. Dries 41. 2000 pounds 42. Tree

Grid for crossword puzzle with numbers 1-42 indicating starting positions for words.

Solution of Saturday's Puzzle DOWN 1. Crazy - Southwestern U. S. 2. In a frightening manner 3. Existed 4. Fastened with heavy nails 5. Enclosures for birds 6. Slack 7. Clear profit 8. Encroach 9. South American rabbit 10. Jewel 11. In good health 12. Article of belief 13. Deals out sparingly 14. Wings 15. More certain 16. Another time 17. Deals out sparingly 18. Artificial 19. Periods of time 20. Precious stone 21. Birds of prey 22. Foot covering 23. Obstacle 24. Scottish river 25. Accented 26. Articles of apparel 27. Glean 28. Location 29. Too 30. Mix 31. All 32. Before 33. Dors

Mere Mistake

SAN ANGELO, Aug. 9 (AP) - When a car driven by Sheriff E. E. (Glen) Lowe of Tom Green county was in collision with another he accused the driver of the second machine. His lawyer advised when he recognized the other driver as his deputy, J. E. (Buck) Bryson.

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