

The Weather

West Texas—Little change in temperature this afternoon and tonight except colder to night in the Panhandle and South Plains.

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Good Evening

The higher a man is in grace, the lower he will be in his own esteem.—Spurgeon.

Run Your Clocks Up One Hour Feb. 9

Break With Axis Due To Be Unanimous

By JOHN P. MCKNIGHT
RIO DE JANEIRO, Jan. 20 (AP)—A unanimous break in relations with the Axis powers by the 21 American republics within two days was predicted today by a high functionary of the Pan-American conference.

The informant, who declined to be quoted by name, said Argentina's attitude had been "radically modified" after her foreign minister, Dr. Enrique Ruiz Guinazu talked yesterday with Brazil's foreign minister Oswaldo Aranha.

There were high hopes that Ruiz Guinazu would abandon his isolationist position completely. Argentina and Chile have been the lone holdouts but observers have expressed the belief that Chile would follow the Argentine lead.

Chile drafted a proposal calling for a conference of the general staffs of fighting forces of all the American nations, as the conference neared its crucial decision on a joint severance of relations with the Axis.

The proposal for a rupture was expected to reach the full defense committee late today, and possibly the plenary session of the conference tomorrow.

As six subcommittees began studying dozens of resolutions submitted earlier, Sumner Welles of the American delegation and Brazilian Foreign Minister Oswaldo Aranha closed themselves in the Itamaraty palace offices of Aranha. Shortly afterward they called the delegates of Venezuela and Colombia, who with Mexico, sponsored the resolution calling for a break.

Argentina and Chile have been the lone holdouts against the break agreed to by the 19 other American republics.

German and Italian attempts to torpedo the Pan-American conference by thinly-veiled threats aimed at the South American nations appeared to have backfired today and conference leaders moved for a swift showdown on the proposed declaration of a solid front against the Axis.

The decision of a sub-committee to submit the Axis declaration to a plenary session Thursday sharply intensified pressure on an Argentine delegation whose reluctance to make any commitments has promised to be the major obstacle to unanimous agreement.

Faced with the evidence that the conference was prepared to act regardless of its attitude, the Argentine group was reported to have asked for another 24 hours to make up its mind.

The determination to seek a showdown followed swiftly the disclosure that German and Italian diplomats had orally warned Brazilian Foreign Minister Oswaldo Aranha that should Brazil sever relations with the Axis their governments would regard it as "a most unfriendly act."

The threat, apparently part of a widespread Axis attempt to sabotage the conference, was cloaked in diplomatic phrasing. An excellent source, however, declared it had aroused President Getulio Vargas of Brazil to make the grim declaration that since war had come to the western hemisphere, his country could not longer be neutral.

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WASHINGTON, Jan. 20 (AP)—President Roosevelt signed the daylight-saving bill today and it becomes effective at 2 a. m. on the morning of February 9, for all interstate commerce and federal government activities.

During congressional debate it was said that it was assumed the observance of daylight time, by moving all clocks ahead one hour, would become general throughout the nation.

The measure will become operative six months after war ends, unless congress votes to terminate it before then.

Stephen Early, presidential secretary said that it had the same objectives as the daylight-saving act of the last World War—"greater efficiency in our industrial war effort."

In a report to the President while he was still Director General of the Office of Production Management, William S. Knudsen had estimated that there would be a saving of 500,000 kilowatt hours of electricity a year through adoption of the daylight-saving measure.

Congressional action was necessary, Early pointed out, so that there would be a uniform daylight saving system throughout all the states.

President Roosevelt jabbed the pen he used in signing the bill through a square of yellow paper, attached it to the legislation, and directed that it be sent to Robert Garland, of Pittsburgh, who headed a national committee that appeared at hearings on the legislation and urged its enactment.

Early said Garland also was active in advocating daylight-saving during the World War and asked for no greater return than the pen used by President Woodrow Wilson in signing the act at that time.

Garland also has the quill used by Speaker Champ Clark and the stub pen used by Vice President Marshall.

Two women held in check case. Two young women, one giving her age as 17 and the other 18, were arrested yesterday afternoon by City Officers Lawrence Flaherty and Otis Payne in alleged connection with an attempt to pass a forged check at Montgomery Ward.

Officers said the young women attempted to pass a check made out to an Inez Harp and allegedly signed by I. W. Spangler, clerks at the store, became suspicious when they noticed that the check was made out for \$27.93 in the figure space and for \$27.99 in the written space. They became more suspicious when it was discovered that the word seven was spelled "seven."

Both women said they were married, one of them for the third time. They were turned over to county officers but up to noon today they had not been charged.

Three Pampa men enlist in navy. The United States Navy enlisted a storekeeper, a cook and an apprentice seaman from Pampa yesterday.

The storekeeper was LeFors "Bud" Doucette, with a wholesale company, the cook was Kimble Neel, fountain manager, and the apprentice seaman was Jimmie Weir, barber. Doucette and Neel were enlisted as third class seamen in their respective fields and they will report at Dallas Monday for final examination before being assigned to duty. Weir will report to Dallas for final examination on February 3.

A navy recruiting officer arrived in Pampa this morning to contact youths interested in enlisting in the navy.



HER PART: PARTING WITH PUP—Answering the army's call for dogs for sentry duty, Sandra Owsley says goodbye to Pat, her dogberman pinscher, in Los Angeles.

13 Dead, 8 Missing In Apartment Fire

LYNN, Mass., Jan. 20 (AP)—Flames swept through a five-story apartment and rooming house here today, sending fire from basement to roof and leaving 13 dead and 21 in hospitals while firemen worked through smoking embers in search of eight persons still missing.

The fire started in the basement and swept upward so quickly that dozens of tenants, many of them aged and infirm, were trapped on the top floors of the structure, Melvin Hall, in the center of the city.

Firemen found many clinging to high ledges as flames enveloped the building. Others were jammed and lay moaning and screaming on the ground.

The fire was one of the most costly in loss of life in the history of Lynn, and one of the worst in New England since the early 1900's.

Harry Anderson, janitor of the building, discovered the fire at 1:45 a. m. in a coal bin in the cellar. A half hour later a general alarm was turned in and apparatus was summoned from all nearby cities.

Shortly thereafter, Forrest Alden, 31, told of his escape from the top floor.

"I saw one woman jump from a nearby room," he said. "She seemed to strike the wall of the building, and then was thrown across the space between the rooming house and the next building. She finally fell in a heap on the edge of the fire net."

"I hung out the window, gave myself a little shove and let go my grip. I landed on my back in the net. It was a terrible experience."

The heat became so intense that William Day, 28-year-old infantile paralysis victim, aided by crutches, could hardly stand on the floor even with his shoes on.

"My mother was barefooted," he said. "I don't see how she could stand it. But she remained cool and wrapped wet towels around our faces. The firemen finally reached us over a high ladder."

Miss Caroline Thornell, 63, whose sister Elsie, 56, was burned to death.

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American Bombers Sink Jap Cruiser, Hit Tanker

Invaders 60 Miles North Of Singapore

By ROGER D. GREENE
Associated Press War Editor

Japanese invasion troops, attacking only 60 miles north of Singapore, were officially reported exerting "heavy pressure on the entire front" in western Malaya today, and a crisis in the defense of Britain's \$400,000,000 stronghold was apparently imminent as sea-borne Japanese forces cut in below the main battle line.

In the Philippine war theater, a war department bulletin reported that six American bombers sank a Japanese cruiser and scored direct hits on a tanker, leaving it in flames 100 miles off Jolo.

The war department said three Japanese bombers were shot down in renewed attacks on Gen. Douglas MacArthur's valiant American-Filipino defense forces battling on Batan peninsula, northwest of Manila.

The communique also disclosed the first word in days that American forces were still resisting the Japanese on Mindanao island, 600 miles south of Manila.

Sharp fighting was reported in progress 35 miles north of Davao, at the southern end of Mindanao, which the Japanese have been using as a base for attacks on the Dutch East Indies.

The enemy has renewed the attack on American and Philippine troops on Batan peninsula, Gen. MacArthur's report said.

"Japanese pressure is particularly heavy at the center of the line. The attack is supported by aircraft."

Official dispatches said Japanese patrols and landing parties were swarming along a 30-mile coastal belt in western Malaya from the Muar river, 90 miles north of Singapore, to Batu Pahat, barely 60 miles away.

On the Malayan east coast, Japanese forces were reported to have reached the Endau area, 75 miles north of Johore Strait.

British headquarters said RAP fighters machine-gunned enemy barges at the mouth of the Muar river, in the Malacca Straits settlement, where British, Australian, and Indian troops were striving to stabilize the front.

The Berlin radio quoted Tokyo dispatches as saying that Japanese troops had seized a waterworks 20 miles north of Johore Bahru, thereby cutting off Singapore from "a vital source of water supply."

Johore Bahru lies at the beginning of the causeway to Singapore.

In London, a spokesman said there was no confirmation of Axis reports that Japanese landings had occurred as close as 25 miles from Singapore.

Chinese intelligence reports said 5,000 wounded Japanese were crowding the hospitals in Saigon, French Indo-China, and that units containing the ashes of another 5,000 dead were awaiting shipment to Japan—attesting the high cost of Japanese conquest on the road to Singapore.

MacArthur's Guns Down Three Ships

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20 (AP)—The war department said today American bombers sank a Japanese cruiser and scored direct hits on a tanker, leaving the latter in flames 100 miles off Jolo in the southern Philippines.

Three enemy airplanes were shot down as the Japanese renewed their attack on General Douglas MacArthur's forces on Batan Peninsula on the Island of Luzon, the department's communique also said.

At the same time, the first indication for many days that the Japanese were still opposed by American forces on the island of Mindanao came in a report from MacArthur that sharp fighting was in progress between Philippine troops and a Japanese force about 35 miles north of Davao, which is on the southern end of Mindanao.

The attack on the Japanese cruiser and tanker was carried out by six army bombers.

Sinking of the cruiser raised to 40 the total of Japanese war craft and other vessels sunk by United States military and naval action.

The navy previously had reported the sinking of 29 vessels including a light cruiser destroyed by the marines at Wake Island, and also four destroyers, four submarines, eight transports, five cargo vessels, three merchantmen and one each of the following—gunboat, mine sweeper, supply vessel, and liner.

The army had announced the destruction of the battleship Haruna, four vessels engaged in Japanese landing operations off Davao in the Philippines, and also a destroyer, two lighters, one submarine and a transport.

Jolo, an island of the Sulu group, lies between Mindanao and north Borneo.

Word of the successful bomber attack on a Japanese cruiser was received as depth bombs made Atlantic coastal waters an unhealthy hunting ground for Axis submarine raiders, although for the present the navy was keeping mum on the subject of enemy mortality.

Despite the character of the enemy effort in the Atlantic, one informed source said that the known results to date were likely to fall short of Axis expectations.

The latest submarine attack to be announced was not as successful as its three predecessors, for the raider failed to make the kill. He torpedoed and shelled the 8,206-ton Malay yesterday, but she managed to stay afloat and limped into port with a casualty list of one killed and four missing out of a crew of 34.

Like the three ships which torpedoes have sunk since last Wednesday, the Malay was a tanker but there was no disposition here to draw conclusions on that account.

While it is true that tankers have been a favorite target, it is also true that they are normally more numerous in Atlantic coast shipping lanes because of the East's heavy dependence on tanker-borne petroleum supplies.

Nevertheless, as a precautionary measure the government recommended to the big oil companies that they increase the use of railroad tank cars for transporting their products to both coasts. The request noted that, beside the tankers torpedoes in East and West coast runs, others had been taken out of regular service for military duty.

Petroleum likewise was a major consideration in another of last night's moves. United States warplanes were dispatched to the Dutch islands of Aruba and Curacao, off the coast of Venezuela, to cooperate with the forces of the Netherlands.

Soviets Must Be Stopped, Scream Nazis

(By The Associated Press)

Russia's armies, executing a gigantic crack-the-whip movement, were reported to have further narrowed the "escape corridor" of 100,000 German troops from Moscow today and smashed Adolf Hitler's winter defense line at two important points.

The battle for Zharikov, Russia's "Pittsburgh" in the Ukraine, also was reported entering a decisive phase.

Soviet dispatches said Red army troops, supported by hard-riding Don Cossack cavalrymen, had scored gains on both flanks of the Moshaisk hold-out garrison, 57 miles west of Moscow.

Red Star, the Russian army newspaper, said Moshaisk was burning and that hand-to-hand fighting was raging in the streets.

Soviet forces stormed across the Lama river 75 miles north of Moscow, sharpening the pressure above Moshaisk, while other Russian forces intercepted the road to Warsaw, 140 miles southwest of Moscow, it was reported.

Front-line dispatches said the Russian winter was now approaching its peak, with temperatures colder than 25 degrees below Fahrenheit.

Meanwhile, in tones approaching panic, the Berlin press declared that the "on-rushing enemy must be stopped, no matter when, where, or how."

A bulletin from Hitler's field headquarters, tersely reiterating that the Germans were fighting "defensive battles" along the 1,200-mile front from Leningrad to the Ukraine, claimed success only in the Crimean campaign.

The Nazi high command said Russian troops fighting northeast of Feodosia, which was reported recaptured by the Germans yesterday, had been driven eastward along the Kerch peninsula.

Three German divisions were vanquished in the Lama river crossing, said the government newspaper Izvestia, the Russians thrusting from Volokolamsk through Latsishino.

Reoccupation of Vereya, 13 miles southeast of Moshaisk, and Kondrovo, in the Vyazma-Bryansk zone to the west, moved closer to German communication lines to the southern arm of the Moshaisk pincer.

Fighting for Kharkov, industrial metropolis of the Donets basin, was by both London and Berlin reports apparently in a decisive stage. The British radio said the Germans acknowledged the base "is being furiously attacked by Soviet forces from the north and the south."

Reuters, British news agency, estimated Germany had lost 2,000,000 men, killed, severely wounded, missing, and prisoners in the Russian campaign.

Evidence that Adolf Hitler was seeking replacements from junior partners in the Axis came from Bern, Switzerland.

AP Camera Man Victim Of Torpedoing

(Another Associated Press man—this time one who covers a world at war with a camera—has been the victim of an Axis submarine attack. This time it is Frank E. Noel, 37, veteran photographer who has been covering the Singapore front, who writes a first-hand story of a torpedoing off Sumatra.)

By FRANK E. NOEL

FADANG, Sumatra, Netherlands East Indies, Jan. 20 (AP)—Suffering from thirst and the blistering of a tropical sun, 28 of us out of a ship's company of 77 arrived here today after a Japanese submarine sank our India bound ship and spilled us into the sea five days ago.

Our ship apparently was the first victim of Japanese submarines operating in the Indian ocean. It was attacked by torpedo and shellfire about midnight Jan. 14 some 270 miles off the west coast of this Dutch Indies island.

The shelling finished off an attack begun when a torpedo scored a direct hit on the vessel's engine room, killing five and injuring four of the crew.

Although I suffered leg injuries I got outside in a lifeboat with some of my photographic equipment—most of it and all my personal belongings are at the bottom of the sea.

(The Japanese, having reached the strait of Malacca along the Malay peninsula, across from the east coast of Sumatra, apparently have cut off the direct route from Singapore to India and now have put their submarines into the Indian ocean to attack British shipping taking the roundabout but less exposed route west of Sumatra.)

The submarine cruised on the surface for half an hour within 100 yards of our four lifeboats but made no attempt to shell or machine-gun us.

Then it fired five shells broadside into the crippled ship and she sank by the stern.

Two of the life boats reached shore in the Batee island group, off the Sumatran coast north of here, yesterday.

The other boats have not been sighted yet, but they are believed to be in the Siberut island area off the coast.

For the first two days all four boats remained within hailing distance of each other, then high winds and a rough sea separated them.

The sun broiled us and we suffered from thirst since the lifeboat's casks were smashed. Natives of a small island supplied us with water, however.

Frank Noel is a native of Dalhart, Tex., and worked on newspapers in Kansas City, Oklahoma City, Chicago, and Wichita before joining the Associated Press. He had been an AP staff photographer in Buffalo, Albany, Miami and Atlanta prior to his present foreign assignment.

Junior Foster To Attend Officers' Training School

FORT CUSTER, Mich., Jan. 20—Sgt. Otis Foster, Jr., 319 Roberts St., Pampa, Texas, will attend the Engineer officer candidate school at Fort Belvoir, Va., beginning on February 2. Upon successful completion of these courses, he will be commissioned 2nd lieutenant in his respective branch. He will be eligible for immediate active duty with troops as an officer.

Foster is a graduate of Pampa high school, and was a member of the basketball squad. He was an Eagle Scout of Troop 80.

Representative Enlists
GLADSWATER, Jan. 20 (AP)—Clifton Bray, saying that he was "no braver than the next man," but had an earnest desire to save his country, resigned yesterday as state representative from Gregg and Harrison counties and announced that he had enlisted in the navy.

If you are not satisfied with the service you are now getting, call us or try us. We serve to serve again. Paul V. Clifford.

Serve meals from our sanitary market, Barrett's Food.

Temperatures In Pampa

6 p. m. Monday	47
9 p. m. Monday	34
Midnight	29
6 a. m. Today	28
7 a. m.	28
8 a. m.	28
9 a. m.	28
10 a. m.	28
11 a. m.	28
12 Noon	28
1 p. m.	28
2 p. m.	28
Monday's minimum	28
Monday's maximum	47



WRECKAGE OF PLANE IN WHICH ACTRESS AND PILOTS DIED—Rescue party searches through the wreckage

of the TWA airliner that crashed against the face of Table Rock mountain near Las Vegas, Nevada, killing Actress Carole Lombard, her mother, her publicity agent, one woman passenger and 15 air corps officers and men.

Gasoline Prices Cannot Be Raised

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20 (AP)—Retail dealers in all grades of gasoline received notice from Price Administrator Leon Henderson today that their prices must remain at or below the level of last November 7, or a price ceiling will be imposed.

The warning was contained in a general letter to refiners and marketers of petroleum products clarifying price questions on petroleum and a list of specified petroleum products which temporarily are pegged at the November 7 level.

While gasoline sold at service stations, curbside pumps, marine service stations and other retail outlets was not formally included in the list of affected products, Henderson's letter said:

"It must be understood, however, that these prices should remain substantially at or below November 7 levels. If they do not, a formal ceiling order will be promulgated placing them under full control."

Henderson's letter stressed that the prices which prevailed on November 7 have not received approval from OPA, but may be revised

upon completion of investigations now being conducted on the costs of production, refining and marketing. Covered by the request are crude petroleum, tractor distillates and other distillate type motor fuels, kerosene, including range oil or stove oil; burning, heating or fuel oils; diesel fuel oils; asphalt, including road oils and other asphalt derivatives; lubricating oils including motor, aviation and stock oils; and liquefied petroleum gases.

Household oils and spot removers, along with industrial lubricating oils, industrial naphthas and solvents, greases and specialty products are for the time being excluded from the list of petroleum items subject to the price request.

Doctors Speak At Meeting Of P-TA Tri-County Council

Dr. M. L. Fuller of Amarillo and Dr. Charles Ashby of Pampa were guest speakers at the meeting of the Tri-County Council of Parent-Teacher associations held in Junior High school auditorium Saturday afternoon with Dr. R. A. Webb, county health officer, in charge.

In discussing the subject, "Social Problems of Home and School," Dr. Fuller pointed out that syphilis is the most common of social diseases and the greatest menace.

The three stages are the infectious stage; new cases of syphilis are most infectious and the longer the case continues, the less can be done in curing it.

Continuing the discussion, Dr. Ashby stated that the standard treatment of syphilis is two years and he added that all cases are not cured that soon.

Following the talks, a question and answer period was held and ways in which the community can combat these diseases were pointed out.

Proceeding the lectures, Mrs. Clifford Braly, Jr., presented the Junior High school chorus in three numbers, "Calm Is the Night," "America," and "America, the Beautiful," accompanied by Mrs. Robert Carter.

Mrs. Burl Graham, president of the Tri-County Council, presided over the business session in which Mrs. Arlie Hopkins was elected secretary to succeed Mrs. A. B. Whitten who resigned.

A nominating committee consisting of Mrs. Elmer Cry, Junior High school, Pampa; Mrs. G. E. Tyson, LeFors; E. M. Ballengeer, Miami; Mr. Laycock, Hopkins; and Mrs. John Stovall, Canadian, was elected.

Hopkins won the book award to school having the largest per cent of members attending. The invitation from Hopkins to a luncheon preceding the next regular meeting was accepted.

B-PW Club Members Of Wheeler Have Dinner-Meeting

WHEELER, Jan. 20.—Business and Professional Women's club met for a dinner and a business meeting at Jaco's Cook Shack.

The program was "Citizenship in Crisis." Mrs. Max Wiley discussed "Keep the Ball From Hitting" by Wendell Wilkie; Mrs. R. H. Forrester, "Kansas City Keeps It Chin Up," and Helen Green, "Five Billion Dollar Pension Grab."

Attending were Mrs. Max Wiley, R. H. Forrester, and J. L. Galt; Mrs. Misses Pauline Irons, Lois Hodges, Helen Green, Ina Fay Robison, Mary Eunice Noah, and Marguerite Ficke.

Miss Hodges will entertain Jan. 19 with a dinner-bridge.

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Methodist WSCS Elects Additional Officers For Year

At their regular meetings Monday afternoon, seven circles of Women's Society of Christian Service elected officers for the ensuing year's work.

Treasurers named were Mrs. S. C. Evans, one; Mrs. M. N. Cox, two; Mrs. W. A. Rankin, three; Mrs. Joe Tooley, four; Mrs. A. W. Babione, five; and Mrs. W. S. Exley, six.

Secretaries elected were Mrs. Joe Shelton, circle one; Mrs. Gallamore, two; Mrs. C. C. Cockerill, three; Mrs. E. L. Emerson, four; Mrs. Horace McBea, five; and Mrs. Clyde Small, six.

Assistant chairmen named are Mrs. Elma Burke, circle one; Mrs. C. W. Andrews, two; Mrs. W. A. Hutchinson, three; Mrs. Lain Garrison, four; Mrs. Fred Dosier, five; and Mrs. Carl Boston, six.

Chairmen of children's work are Mrs. C. J. McNaughton, circle one; Mrs. M. N. Cox, two; Mrs. F. W. Shotwell, three; Mrs. Ed Wells, four; Mrs. Luther Pierson, five; and Mrs. R. O. Nielsen, six.

Chairmen of student work are Mrs. Lewis Robinson, circle one; Mrs. Ivan Dodson, two; Mrs. C. C. Cockerill, three; Mrs. W. A. Babione, five; and Mrs. A. B. Whitten, six.

Chairmen of membership are Mrs. Walter Daugherty, circle one; Mrs. J. V. Kidwell, two; Mrs. J. G. Cargile, three; Mrs. H. J. Davis, four; Mrs. Price Dosier, five; and Mrs. Leon Cook, six.

Circle one met in the home of Mrs. Walter Purviance with 11 members present. After group singing, Mrs. Raeburn Thompson gave the devotional, and Mrs. W. Purviance, spiritual life chairman, stressed stewardship in this new year's work.

Mrs. Curtis Douglas will direct the study of the home mission work, "Growing Together in the Family," which concerns marriage, divorce, child bearing, and parent problems. The circle will meet with Mrs. Elma Burke at Strickland apartments next Monday.

Circle two met in the home of Mrs. J. E. Kirchner with nine members present. Mrs. Emmett Osborne, chairman, opened the meeting with prayer and gave the devotional after which Mrs. A. G. Avert, spiritual life chairman, stressed Bible study and consecration during this year. The circle will meet with Mrs. S. A. Hurst next Monday.

Fifteen members of circle three met in the home of Mrs. C. E. Ward. The chairman, Mrs. W. R. Campbell, opened the meeting with prayer and gave the devotional from John 17. Mrs. Campbell asked each member to take an inventory of her life during 1941 and see if she as a Christian measured up in God's eyes as she had hoped.

She stressed prayer, Bible study and Christian service for this year and concluded with the thought, "I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me." Mrs. C. E. Ward, spiritual life chairman, spoke to the group and urged the observance of the 10 o'clock prayer minute for victory and peace each day. The circle will meet with Mrs. Doyle Osborne, 410 Texas street, next Monday.

Circle four met in the home of Mrs. Sherman White with 14 members present. Mrs. John Hessey led in prayer and Mrs. White, chairman, gave the devotional. After the business hour, the group sang "Take My Life and Let It Be." The circle voted to meet with Mrs. White for the next four Mondays during the study of the mission book because of the central location of her home.

Circle five met in the home of Mrs. Luther Pierson with 14 members present. The meeting opened with group singing and Mrs. W. G. Crowson gave the devotional on "Love." Mrs. J. C. Morrison was elected study leader during the business session. Mrs. John Hodge, spiritual life chairman, spoke on "Holy Habits" and stressed stewardship of each member. The group will meet with Mrs. W. A. Babione, 311 North Starkweather street, next Monday.

Circle six met in the home of Mrs. George Walstad, Sr., with 17 members present. Mrs. C. L. Brownlee read a paper on "Unchanging Standards in This Changing World" after which Mrs. Ethel McEwing, spiritual life chairman, spoke to the group and urged the

Community Program Of Defense Work Planned By Group

WHITE DEER, Jan. 20.—Representatives of clubs, churches, and other organizations and groups met in the office of Chester Strickland, superintendent of schools, to plan a community program of activities.

A permanent committee with the stated purpose of "co-ordinating for education in national and community patriotism and civic welfare" was formed with Mr. Strickland as chairman and Miss Gladys Holley as secretary.

This purpose will be carried out largely through forums to inform people of present world conditions and what the people of this community can do in meeting these conditions.

One of the immediate problems presented was the urgent need for money with which to purchase supplies for local Red Cross work.

Those present were Mrs. Wesley Davis, representing the Parent-Teacher association; W. C. Powers, business man; Mrs. R. A. Thompson, Centennial club; Mrs. Biggs Horn, Modern American club; Miss Gladys Holley, Venado Blanco club; Mrs. E. H. Grimes, social welfare; W. W. Simmons, press and Masonic; and Eastern Star lodges; W. J. Stubbfield, American Legion; the Rev. Don Davidson, Methodist church; the Rev. W. A. Cassidy, Presbyterian church; the Rev. J. A. Zienta, Catholic church; Harold Drummond, Skellytown school; Ray Vineyard, White Deer grade school; and Glenn F. Davis and Chester Strickland, White Deer High school.

The committee will meet again on Jan. 30, at which time a regular time of meeting will be set.

Mrs. Tomlin Hostess At Pleasant Hour

SKELLYTOWN, Jan. 20.—Pleasant Hour club met with Mrs. Stella Tomlin at Skelly Production camp in Skellytown.

Mrs. Ken Brandon presided over the meeting. Red Cross work is the project for the coming year. Seven members were present.

Use of the Upper Room and a daily devotional. Mrs. A. B. Whitten will be hostess to the circle in the church parlor next Monday.

Circle seven is a group newly organized with Mrs. E. B. Bowen, chairman, and Mrs. Marshall Hubbard, study chairman. Only four members met at the parsonage Monday. All who know of women desiring to begin mission work are asked to call Mrs. Bowen, 1202 Texas street, next Monday to start mission study.

FLATTERING

Little chubbies, little "slim-jims" look well in this simple frock which may be adjusted to each figure by the side sashes which tie in back. The bodice, softly gathered has an engaging "sweetheart" neckline, the skirt is full and flaring. If you prefer, you may finish this dress with a simple round white collar as shown in the small sketch. Excellent for wool crepes (as a party frock), chambray, gingham, or percale for every day.

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Beta Sigma Phi Sorority To Replace Regular Study With Red Cross Courses

The Social Calendar

WEDNESDAY. First Methodist church will meet in groups at 2:30 o'clock. One and seven, Mrs. Sam B. Cook, 409 North Faulkner street; two, Mrs. W. Babione, 211 North Starkweather; three, Mrs. John Hessey, 311 North Ward street; four, Mrs. J. G. Cargile, 721 North Somerville street; five, Mrs. Elma Burke, for members and their husbands; six, Mrs. W. D. Waters, 1224 Christine street.

Woman's Auxiliary of St. Matthews Episcopal church will meet at 2:30 o'clock in the parish hall.

First Baptist Women's Missionary society will meet in circles for Bible study. One, Mrs. Otis Brascom, Cities Service camp; two, Mrs. Wilson Hatcher, 210 North 12th street; three, Mrs. J. Paul Briggs, 1118 East Francis avenue; four, Mrs. C. H. Schulky, 907 Mary Ellen street; five, Mrs. J. Paul Briggs, 616 North West; six, Mrs. Garnet Reeves, 818 North West; seven, Mrs. Emmett Pierson, 1021 Twiford.

Woman's Missionary society of Central Baptist church will meet at 8 o'clock. Circle one, Mrs. J. B. Hilbon; Mrs. Mary Martha, Mrs. Harry Deane; Lotie Williams, press and Masonic; Mrs. L. O. Rosenfeld; Annie Sallee, Mrs. A. P. Mays; and Vada Waldron, Mrs. Glen Timmons.

Gray County Home Economists will meet in the Methodist church at 8 o'clock in the evening. Church of Brethren Women's Missionary society will meet at 2:30 o'clock in the city club.

Queen of Clubs will be entertained. Woman's Missionary society of First Presbyterian church will meet at 8:30 o'clock in the church.

Women's Council of First Christian church will have a general meeting in the church.

Kat Kuhl will have a weekly meeting at 4 o'clock.

THURSDAY. Hook and Noodle club will meet in the home of Mrs. Joe Myers, 411 South Pinkney street.

Bethany class of First Baptist church will have a banquet at 7 o'clock in the city club.

Young Married Women's class of First Presbyterian church will have a party in the home of Mrs. M. V. Ward, 916 North 12th street.

High school P-T-A will meet at 7:30 o'clock in the high school cafeteria. Executive board will meet at 8 o'clock.

Triple Four Bridge club will meet in the home of Mrs. J. F. Wehring, 908 North 12th street.

Rebekah lodge will meet at 7:30 o'clock in the I. O. O. F. hall.

Harvester Mothers club will meet at 8:30 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Frank Shotwell, 1212 Texas street.

R. L. Edmondson as co-hostess. Plans will be made by the club for a project in connection with the P-T-A.

FRIDAY. Sub Deb club will meet at 3 o'clock in the home of Miss Betty Ann Culbertson to have their pictures made.

Fun Frolic club will meet at 7 o'clock in the home of Mrs. J. G. Cargile at the Country club.

La Belle class of McCullough Methodist church will have a Swedish supper at the church. Serving will begin at 5:30 o'clock.

Sam Houston P-T-A will have its annual fun, food, and frolic night. Serving will begin at 5:30 o'clock.

Junior High and Senior High P-T-A study group will meet at 2 o'clock in the Junior High school.

Buy Dozen Sewing club will meet at 2 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Bernice Brummett, 1206 East.

Sub Deb club will entertain with a sport dance.

Colocho Home Demonstration club will have an all-day meeting in the home of Mrs. Elgan Harrell.

Wayside Home Demonstration club will meet at 2 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Doyle Osborne.

B. G. K. club will have an old-fashioned dance at the Country club.

MONDAY. Veterans of Foreign Wars auxiliary will meet at 7 o'clock for a covered dish supper in the Legion hall.

Dinner meeting at 4:15 o'clock in room 217 of Junior High school.

Friday, temple 41, will meet at 7:30 o'clock.

Woman's Society of Christian Service of First Methodist church will meet at 2:30 o'clock for a general session.

Beta Sigma Phi Sorority To Replace Regular Study With Red Cross Courses

Discontinuing the regular course of study, members of Upsilon chapter of Beta Sigma Phi sorority met in the home of Mrs. Fred Thompson Monday night to outline their part in the national defense program.

Mrs. Ray Kuhn was appointed as the chapter's defense chairman by Mrs. Jeff Bearden, president. Beginning next Monday the entire chapter will start a five-week nutrition course being conducted by the local Red Cross. Classes will be held on Monday and Friday nights at 7:30 o'clock in Sam Houston school. Following the completion of this course, the group will begin the home nursing course.

Replacing such civic projects as the book review, organ recital, and exhibit sponsored by the Upsilon chapter last year, the group will concentrate on defense work.

The local organization will observe its birthday this month with a covered dish dinner rather than the customary formal dinner and nickel-entertainment dance.

Representatives of the Pampa chapter will attend the annual area council meeting which is to be held Feb. 15 at Dalhart.

Mrs. Thompson, program chairman, presented Mrs. Roy Bourland, who instructed the members in knitting for the Red Cross.

Refreshments were served by the hostess to Mrs. James B. Massa, director; Mrs. Arthur M. Teed, sponsor; Mrs. Roy Bourland, guest; Mrs. Kenneth Carman, Bill Anderson, W. G. Gaskins, Robert Curry, James L. Myers, Oscar Hinger, E. S. Shelhamer, Kermit Lawson, Jeff Bearden, Charles A. Vaughn, Ray Kuhn; and Misses Helen Houston, Winifred Wiseman, Margaret Stockstill, Dorothy Jo Taylor, and Johnnie Davis.

Mrs. Carmichael Hostess To Child Study Club Members

MIAMI, Jan. 20.—Mrs. C. Carmichael was hostess to Child Study club members at its regular meeting when 14 members were present. In order to give more time to the program, roll-call was dispensed with and no business was transacted.

For her special feature, Mrs. Howard Mulkey introduced Mrs. W. F. Locke, who gave a review of "The Song Sisters," by Emily Hahn. This book is a group biography of three famous Oriental women who exert a wide influence in the great land of China, not only because they are exceptionally capable and dynamic themselves, but also because each found a great Chinese leader for a husband.

Mayling, wife of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek, is a woman whose influence in China is that of a defense of China against Japanese aggression are thought by many to equal that of her statesman-warrior husband.

Eling is the wife of China's finance minister, Kung Hsiang-shi, and is a financial expert representing powerful commercial interests.

Chingling is Mme. Sun Yat-sen, widow of China's revered revolutionary leader who woke China out of centuries of sleep and created the republic. She enjoys an unassailable position, even though she is an open partisan of Chinese communistic elements.

The hostess served refreshments to members, and six guests, Mrs. R. E. Webster, L. A. Maddox, F. E. Parker, N. M. Maddox, Ross Cowan, and C. T. Locke.

Phyllis Ann Barron Honored At Party On Third Birthday

LEFORS, Jan. 20.—A birthday party honoring Phyllis Ann Barron was held at her third birthday was given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Toby Waggoner, with Mrs. Barron as hostess.

The birthday cake was a white cocoonant lamb arranged in a nest of green cocoonant grass. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served with balloons as favors.

Those attending were Ella Gayle Brawley, Phyllis Locke, Duke Waggoner, June Ann and Jerry Koch, Teddy Faye Scruggs, LaJuana Jo Peden, Freddie Jo Carter, Wanda Nell Heaton, J. Ned Courtney, James Edwards, Diehl, Dolores Leininger, Beth Ann Waggoner, and the honoree, Phyllis Ann Barron.

Mothers attending were Mrs. C. B. Locke, Mrs. Dub Brawley, Mrs. B. J. Diehl, Mrs. G. W. Nunley, Mrs. Toby Waggoner, Mrs. W. C. Portfield, Mrs. T. R. Scruggs, and Mrs. Fae Wee Barron.

Sub Deb Club And Guests Have Party

CANADIAN, Jan. 20.—Elaine Jordan and Natalia Hutton were co-hostesses to members of Sub-Deb club and their escorts at a party.

The party was given in the gym at Baker school. Refreshments of punch, open-faced sandwiches, and cookies were served buffet style.

Games and folk dancing were enjoyed by the group. Membership includes 12 teen-age school girls.

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Conservation Of Clothing Topic Of Westside H. D.

Westside Home Demonstration club met recently in the home of Mrs. Margaret Taylor with Mrs. Minor Langford as hostess.

Mrs. Langford, president, had charge of the business session and Mrs. Taylor presented the program.

"Conservation of Clothing" was discussed by Mrs. E. N. Franklin. "Clothing can be laundered in the home successfully if we study the type of material we are to clean," she pointed out. "Wools, when laundered with mild suds and warm rinse waters, prove to be very satisfactory in giving long wearing service. Improper laundering and sudden changes in wash water and rinse waters cause scales on surface of wool fibers to lock into each other, causing a hard 'boardy' surface and ruining material."

Mrs. Franklin stated that three points should be followed in conserving clothing: Buy carefully, take good care of things, and waste nothing.

Others taking part on the program were Mrs. Russel Cartwright, Mrs. A. L. Gillis, Mrs. Kit Autry, and Mrs. Taylor.

Refreshments were served to one visitor, Mrs. O. G. Smith, one new member, Mrs. Melford Spier, and Mrs. Russel Cartwright, Wayman Staus, Minor Langford, Margaret Taylor, Kit Autry, A. L. Gillis, and E. N. Franklin.

Mrs. Black Hostess At Stitch-Chatter Club This Week

WHEELER, Jan. 20.—Mrs. W. H. Black entertained the Stitch-and-Chatter club.

Roll call was answered with a current event, and Mrs. T. P. Norton, who is ill in Oklahoma City, was elected honorary member by the club.

Mrs. Ernest Lee, general chairman for the Wheeler chapter of the Red Cross, was a guest, and gave instructions to the members on knitting and sewing for the Red Cross.

Mrs. J. N. Green, J. I. Maloy, and J. E. Cooke were appointed chairmen for knitting and sewing and with the responsibility of organizing the cutting department.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. H. H. Hardin, president; Mrs. Harvey Landrum, vice-president; Mrs. J. E. Kinney, corresponding secretary; Mrs. C. C. Shield, recording secretary; Mrs. J. K. McKenzie, superintendent of supplies; Mrs. Eunice Holland, treasurer.

Mrs. E. M. Ballengeer, secretary student activities; Mrs. W. L. Rusten, relations and local work; Mrs. Ross Cowan, secretary of missionary education and service; Mrs. John Willoughby, secretary of literature and publicity; and Mrs. W. H. Craig, spiritual life leader.

The new president then took charge of the installation and conducted the pledge service which featured an impressive candle-lighting service.

Friendship Class Will Meet In Six Groups Wednesday

Friendship class of First Methodist church will meet Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the following groups:

One and seven, Mrs. Sam B. Cook, 409 North Faulkner street; two, Mrs. A. W. Babione, 211 North Starkweather street; three, Mrs. John Hessey, 311 North Ward street; four, Mrs. J. G. Cargile, 721 North Somerville street; five, Mrs. Elma Burke, 400 North Somerville street; and six, Mrs. W. D. Waters, 1224 Christine street.

Officers Installed By Methodist WSCS At White Deer Church

WHITE DEER, Jan. 20.—Installation of officers of Women's Society of Christian Service was held this week at the Methodist church.

Officers installed were Mrs. J. L. Harsh, president; Mrs. Chester Strickland, vice-president; Mrs. Clarence Williams, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Ronald Davis, recording secretary; Mrs. Zetta Edwards, treasurer; Mrs. Don Davidson, secretary of missionary education; Mrs. R. A. Thompson, secretary of Christian social relations; Mrs. W. J. Haggerty, secretary of student work; Mrs. J. C. Wheatley, secretary of literature and publications; and Mrs. John Darnell, secretary of supplies.

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Fun Frolic Dance Planned By Sub Debs For Friday

Planning a fun frolic dance to be given at the Country club Friday night to celebrate the completion of the first term of school, members of Sub Deb met in the home of Misses Ruth and Frances Shier recently.

Committees were named to make final arrangements for the dance, and programs to be presented at ensuing meetings were outlined.

Going away gifts were presented to the hostesses who will leave this week to make their home in Carlsbad, New Mexico.

A buffet dinner was served by Mrs. H. H. Shier to Misses Gretchen Ann Bruton, Betty Ann Culbertson, Doris Alexander, Colleen Bergin, Frances Shier, Esther June Mullins, Elaine Carlson, Evelyn Kidwell, Betty Lee Thompson, Frances Crocker, Ruth Shier, Pat Lively, Dorothy Drescher, Nelle Roach, Martha Pierson, and the sponsor, Mrs. Allen Evans.

The club will meet Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the home of Miss Betty Ann Culbertson where pictures of the group will be made.

Methodist WSCS Installs Officers

MIAMI, Jan. 20.—Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service met this week for a business session and installation of officers. Fifteen members were present at the meeting in Fellowship hall.

After a brief devotional period led by Mrs. Stanford, Mrs. W. L. Russell was elected superintendent of Christian social relations and local work, Mrs. C. C. Shield, recording secretary, and Mrs. Claude Carr and Lee Stanford to the board of missions.

Mrs. H. H. Hardin gave a meditation talk.

With the pastor, Rev. Stanford, acting as installing officer, the following new officials were installed: Mrs. H. H. Hardin, president; Mrs. Harvey Landrum, vice-president; Mrs. J. E. Kinney, corresponding secretary; Mrs. C. C. Shield, recording secretary; Mrs. J. K. McKenzie, superintendent of supplies; Mrs. Eunice Holland, treasurer.

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Jean Smith told of her three years in the 4-H club. The girls filled out their year books and discussed aprons which will be made next Saturday. Songs were sung and Mickey Cassidy directed the meeting.

Attending were Eva Lou Cox, Marjorie Sue Wright, Nina Lea McVey, Lieith Martin, Nina Faye Taylor, Virginia Symonds, Mary Ellen Taylor, Jean Smith, Mickey Jean Cassady, Dollie Jeanne Chambliss, and Mrs. Lillian Stewart.

Twentieth Century Club Meets In Home Of Mrs. Peoples

CANADIAN, Jan. 20.—Mrs. Leon Peoples was hostess to members of Twentieth Century club.

Miss Georgine Henson, who was in charge of the program, gave sketches of the lives of the following composers, playing a composition by each: Mendelssohn, his "Spring Song," Wagner, his "Wedding March from Lohengrin," Beethoven, his national song "Finlandia," Paderewski, his "Minuet," Debussy, "Golfwags Cakewalk," Tchaikovsky, his "Dance of the Sugar Plum from the Nut Cracker Suite."

This club has planned three programs on "What Can I Do for Defense?" They gave half the proceeds from a rummage sale last month to the Red Cross and expect to donate again.

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Look At The Other Fellow

Somewhere there is a trait in human nature that enables the man who has fallen in the mud up to his hips to get a certain satisfaction out of contemplating the fellow who has fallen in up to his neck. So if you're worried about the tremendous federal debt get what satisfaction you can out of this: The public debt today of the United States is slightly less than the annual national income. In Britain it's twice the national income. That is the estimate of the Alexander Hamilton Institute. That means that we may emerge from the war with a debt of perhaps twice our national income, while Britain will then be in for a debt three or four times the national income of that country. Just how all this will end, even the most proficient economists don't know. About all we can be sure of is that no matter what kind of a hole we find ourselves in, we will have plenty of company.

Army Must Be Fit

An army, in order to fight successfully, must be fit to fight. It is a well-established fact that the greatest toll an army suffers, at least before going into action, is that taken by venereal disease. Unless this insidious enemy of fighting fitness is rigorously controlled, our army has already suffered a major defeat before ever going into action. The American Army of World War I was the cleanest army in this regard that was ever assembled. It can be done. The army knows how to do its share. Civilian co-operation is necessary, however, because army men are at times outside military jurisdiction. Further, the problem of protecting defense workers against loss of priceless hours of production is almost equally acute. Co-operating with military and civilian authorities is the American Social Hygiene Association, which is promoting the sixth National Social Hygiene Day on Feb. 4. No community can afford to pass up this chance to help eliminate the most insidious saboteur of all—venereal disease.

Three Million Volunteers

The various offices of Civilian Defense have now enrolled 3,516,000 volunteers, according to Director F. H. LaGuardia. That includes 607,307 air raid wardens, 258,997 auxiliary firemen, 149,359 auxiliary police, 136,676 medical personnel, and 246,030 others. Considering that there were fewer than a million on Nov. 23, this suggests progress. Of course this is up to now largely a paper strength. Most of these people are largely untrained. But they are trying; they are doing what they can. They are all that stands between us and complete confusion in case of air attack. They should be honored for their willingness to help rather than be criticized, especially by those who have not lifted a finger to help.

The Nation's Press

RELIGION AND PUBLIC EDUCATION (Adult Student—A Methodist Publication) (By Dr. F. Ernest Johnson) One of the most urgent problems now pressing for solution in this area (The Church and the State) is the need for religious education in connection with the public school program. Here the Roman Catholics clash sharply with what has been the prevailing policy and with traditional Protestant theory. Protestants have assumed that so long as Roman Catholics could be kept from dominating the schools, everything would be all right. The public schools they have called "out schools." And because the Roman Catholics have, so far as possible, kept their children in parochial schools, Protestants have regarded them as unfriendly to the public schools. Lately many Protestants have been wondering if they have not been partly wrong in their attitude. They still believe in the public schools and they look with disfavor upon the subsidizing of Catholic schools with public funds, but they are beginning to think that in one respect the Roman Catholic position may be right. Roman Catholics stoutly contend that religion and education belong together, and that both must suffer by their separation. This would have been admitted without argument by our founding fathers. It is a fair question if they would not have viewed the present secularism in education with consternation. Many Protestants have begun to think that the rejection of this philosophy of religion and education can result only in an educational system that increasingly makes religion a marginal affair in modern life—something that is "all right for those who like it" but not of central importance. This seems to be about what is happening? What is the answer? Well, some people think that the weekday religious education movement ("released time") offers great possibilities for establishing a religious basis of citizenship. It has different forms and in many communities has been found workable, with

Common Ground

"I speak the past—world primaval, I give the sign of democracy. By God I will accept nothing which cannot have their counterpart on the same terms." WALT WHITMAN.

TRADING WITH LOW WAGE COUNTRIES

It is strange the number of people who normally think correctly on other problems who are confused and who actually believe and repeat and repeat and repeat that trading with nations with low wage standards will reduce the wages of our own workers to a level of the lower wage countries, or at least reduce our wages. I have discussed this question personally with many, many people and seldom am able to convince them of their errors. If any man can give an explanation that will help people understand this error, he will be performing an untold service to his fellowman.

Let's Try Again

Most of these men will admit that, if they themselves had to produce whatever they needed and could not specialize by producing more of a few things than they needed and exchange with other individuals, they would perish in a few days, after the present supply had been consumed which had been produced under exchange basis.

Then after they have admitted this, they seem to think there is some point beyond which exchanges are disadvantageous to them. They seem to think this, no matter if the person with whom they exchange gives them more for a given amount of labor than they could get without the exchange.

Probably most of the people are confused because they do not understand the real cost or price of a thing to any person is the fraction of his life that he spends doing a certain disagreeable work in order to get what he wants.

And all business is done for the sole purpose of saving time to supply a given want.

It is beyond comprehension to understand how a man can believe that it makes any difference to him whether he exchanges with B, who works the same number of hours to produce what he exchanges with A, or whether he exchanges with C, who works five times as many hours to produce what he exchanges with A. In either case A has saved a certain amount of time. He has his extra time either for recreation, for rest or to produce something else that he enjoys or that he can exchange for other things.

An Example

Let us illustrate: What difference would it make to the owners of this newspaper whether they exchanged a month's subscription to this newspaper with a man who had no money but did a given amount of janitor work about the building, or whether we exchanged the paper with Henry Ford and he sent a hired man in to do the same amount of janitor work about the building?

It makes not a particle of difference whether men exchange directly or whether they exchange for a given amount of money, if the money purchases the same service.

Yet tariffists continue to repeat that we cannot exchange with countries where laborers have low wages without lowering the wages of our laborers.

Business, in the final analysis, is nothing but an exchange of labor. The results are exactly the same whether two men, one rich and one poor, exchange services or whether the men of a whole nation exchange services. It makes no difference to the nation with a high standard of living whether it exchanges with another nation that has a high wage or another nation that has a low wage. The benefit to the nation with high wages is exactly the same in both cases.

A Natural Cause for High or Low Wages

What these people, who contend that exchanging with a country with low wages is harmful, fail to understand is that they are in reality using the same kinds of arguments used by labor unions; namely, that wages can be arbitrary; that they are not a result of production and that big production is not a result of efficient tools and knowledge, a big market, a minute division of labor and a proximity to natural resources. The wages in low wage countries are low because they do not have these conditions, not because of lack of goodwill or lack of labor unions or lack of laws, unless it is the lack of laws to protect men in their inherent rights to the fruits of their labor, which would reduce production. But even with the best of laws, without tools and knowledge and a big market and access to raw materials, wages cannot be high.

(To Be Continued)

full interfaith co-operation. Some Protestants disapprove the school credit feature of certain of the plans and the supervision by the schools of the matter of attendance. They fear this intimacy between church and school. Some fear the tendency to launch ambitious plans that the Protestant churches are not equipped to carry out, especially in personnel. Some approve the system but think that it does not solve the real problem, because it leaves the school program unimpaired by religious sanctions, thus resulting in a dual system of education, religious and secular, with the latter enormously dominant. Here, surely, is a problem of Christian citizenship.

SAD FOR SAM

The reminder that Lou Gehrig was a southpaw, and that movie and baseball fans never would accept a right-hander in the role, was quite a shock to Sam Goldwyn. But Gary Cooper turned out to be reasonably ambidextrous, and after several weeks of left-handed batting and throwing coached by Babe Herman) he's working out fine.

THE JAPS IN MALAYA

(St. Louis Post-Dispatch) It is sad news that the British have been driven back in Malaya until Singapore is in the danger zone. Of course, it was contrary to standard military textbooks for the Japs to start creeping down the narrow Malayan isthmus, several hundred miles from their bases and in danger of being attacked on both flanks by sea power and British troops from Burma and Singapore. But this is a war in which most military textbooks have been rewritten in blood and sorrow.

Sir Robert Brooke-Popham, who has just been relieved as commander in chief of Britain's Malayan forces, says his troops in northern Malaya were the victims of treachery—that Jap infantry men dressed as natives knocked them out. But several months ago there were stories in British newspapers about the yellow men from Japan who were politely and astutely traveling hither and thither in northern Malaya as "tourists." One doesn't have to be in the intelligence service to know that the Japanese are great imitators, that they like to ape the Nazis and that Norway and several other countries were visited by hordes of Nazi "tourists" shortly before mechanized divisions rolled in. Can it be that Brooke-Popham simply didn't expect that the Japs would attempt the unorthodox or was his intelligence service lax?

It simply cannot be emphasized too much that the Japanese soldiers are hardy, resourceful, good fighters and that their generals are smart, skillful and likely to make the maddest venture turn out to be a triumph for their arms. Those who have their doubts about the Japanese as fighters should glance thru any standard history on the Russian-Japanese war of 1904-05.

BETTER BUSINESS

Movie box office receipts throughout the country are running higher than ever in history. And a report to the studios from England says picture business there is up to the figures for 1938, last peacetime year. . . . Sam Goldwyn has word from London that "Spud" Niven and Leslie Howard, is finished and will be sent over any day.

Yesteryear In The News

Three masked bandits held up and robbed a store at the Tex-Roy camp, six miles from Borger, of \$740 in money and several cartons of cigars.

Five Years Ago Today Burl Sanders, 27, former Panaman, died in an El Reno, Okla. hospital of injuries received in a truck-collision west of Yukon.

McLean citizens endorsed the move to secure a lake for Gray county.

Police and county officers pushed a probe of the attempted bombing of the residence of the Rev. Henry E. Comstock, pastor of the Assembly of God church.

long vacation—from pictures, anyway. May do a Broadway play. . . . And Brian Donlevy wants to quit for six months after completion of "Trinidad." He said, "Audiences must be tired of looking at my mug." . . . Kay Kyser, who free of "My Favorite Spy," figures on an extended tour of army and navy camps and bases. He already has taken his band to 19 of them.

To remove chewing gum from anything, rub the surface with alcohol.

How Factories Really Win Wars

By HALBERT P. GILLETTE (Los Angeles Times)

Eighty years ago a new type of warfare began, the type that is now being fought in factories. I refer to our Civil War. It was the first great conflict of the Machine Age.

Napoleon's battles were the last to be fought with no powered-driven machines. He had rejected Robert Fulton's suggestion that armed steamships could defeat Britain's "windjammers," and it was not till our Civil War that a steamship became a military factor. You will recall the story of the battle of the Monitor and the Merrimack, the first two iron-clads. That battle revolutionized naval warfare.

Since our history textbooks do not play up the use of locomotives in that war, few people know the exceedingly important role that they played. No longer was transportation of armed men and equipment dependent solely on animal power, including "shank's-mares." Steam power had begun to show its efficacy in war as in peace. Incidentally the first American locomotive, "Cecil Ironsides," was only 29 years old when the war began in 1861.

The general forces of the Northern States had nearly all the iron mines and an overwhelming preponderance of factories. Their Navy rendered it impossible for the Southern Confederates to obtain adequate factory supplies from Europe. This should have made it a foregone conclusion that the Confederacy would be defeated. But not many people, either in America or Europe, saw that such an outcome was inevitable, for it was not yet generally realized that the Machine Age had revolutionized warfare.

Judging by the way in which Japan has run amuck, it is evident that their military leaders are almost as ignorant as were the Confederate leaders of 80 years ago as to the full military significance of factory capacity. Even the Germans, in spite of their early adoption of steel and machinery, have failed to realize that our vastly greater output assuredly spells defeat as a similar condition spelled the Confederate South's defeat.

Steel's Role

The best single measure of

America's overwhelming factory superiority is our relative output of steel, for almost every kind of tool and machine is made mainly of steel, ranging from guns to ships. Only airplanes contain a preponderance of other materials, but even they are dependent upon engines made of steel. In normal times America's steel output equals that of all the rest of the world put together. American and British steel output is normally double that of Germany, France and Belgium combined. Our stupendous steel output alone insures ultimate defeat of the Axis, because it means an equally stupendous output of machinery.

Japan, like Italy, has no iron or coal mines, and no oil wells. It imports all its steel. Hence under the blockade that will soon be in full effect, Japan will face defeat far more surely than did the Southern confederate armies of 80 years ago.

America, and I mean the U.S.A., has only 1/16 of the population of this globe, yet we produce half the iron ore, one-third the coal, two-thirds the petroleum, half the hydroelectric power, half the steel, half the telephones, and three-fourths of the autos and trucks. To one not acquainted with such statistics it might seem that I am speaking of those fanciful supermen called Martians.

It is significant that 70 per cent of the world's greatest inventors of the last 300 years were British and American. Among these are the inventors of almost every important device and machine used in warfare! In the list of about 400 greatest inventors there is not one Japanese, and only two Italians and three Russians.

The enormous preponderance of American and British inventors is not to be explained except as the result of free, competitive enterprise. Among the freedoms that these English-speaking democracies have enjoyed to a greater extent than other nations are comparative freedom from military dominance and freedom from the like. A few years ago an American petroleum engineer told

me that, when in charge of drilling for oil in Japan, the labor unions were in such control that even appeal to the Mikado was futile. The drilling was being done for the Japanese government, yet loafing on the jobs gravely handicapped progress, and the Mikado himself would not undertake to stop it.

Similar stories from other Oriental countries lead to the conclusion that one of the main reasons for their poverty and lack of adequate progress through invention is to be found in labor union restrictions. In a recent article I mentioned the Hindu caste system as an example of this and pointed out that the term caste is apt to conceal from Americans that caste is labor unionism carried to an extreme of restricted membership and low output.

New Preponderance World War No. 1, which began in 1914, repeated the evidence that, in the long run, modern wars are won by the nations that have a great preponderance of available factory output. The entrance of America into that war gave just such a preponderance to the Allies. Now World War No. 2 finds an even greater factory preponderance on the side of the Allies.

Even Germany's six years of intensive building of mechanized equipment did not suffice to offset her victory over Britain before American resources could turn the tide; for it was found that Russia, forewarned by Hitler's declarations in "Mein Kampf," had likewise been building up big reserves of tanks, trucks, planes and munitions.

It may be well to point out that not only is American machine output overwhelmingly superior as to the very types of machines required for war. Our motor-vehicle output is normally three times that of the rest of the world.

The assembly line, a process invention of Ford as one of his own, is now being utilized on the greatest scale to win a war. Yet it is only one of scores of inventions by which America has attained the manufacturing dominance that assures an equal dominance in warfare.

Around Hollywood

By PAUL HARRISON

HOLLYWOOD, Jan. 20—Behind the screen: Several stars have been announcing modestly—or as modestly as a press agent can announce modesty—their adoption of the U.S. Navy now, and her youngest, Junior, is doing his best to get into some branch of the service. One son was killed in the Argonne in 1918. Maurice, another son, was also in the army in the World War, and after a year and six months in the navy, last week, another son, Fred, took the oath in the navy at Norfolk, Va. Fred volunteered for the army here but was turned down for physical disabilities at the induction station, Fort Bliss. He went back to Parkersburg, W. Va., where the Pollards came from to this country 15 years ago, and after four months of rigorous observation of a training routine he applied for enlistment in the navy and was accepted. He is well aware that the navy is strictly a gentlemen's requirements that the army . . . Junior was turned down by four branches of the service on account of one eye. The doctor told him that eating carrots might help. Now Junior eats four bunches a day, and he says a cataract is so far off he can see the numbers better. . . . Mrs. Pollard's other son, Raymond, is married and has a small daughter. All of her sons live in Pampa but her daughter lives in West Virginia, where Mrs. Pollard plans to go tomorrow to see Fred before he shoves off. Let's take our hats off to this mother of defenders of America!

People You Know

By Archer Fullingim

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Your Federal Income Tax

WHEN TO REPORT INCOME FROM SALARIES, WAGES, AND OTHER SOURCES

Salaries and wages and other income is derived from personal services form the largest number of federal income tax payers. This year the tax rate will be greatly increased. Those who paid an income tax for 1940 have received the forms for the 1941 income tax return through the mails. In order that none may escape filing the return, the tax returns are required to report on Form 1099, accompanied by transmittal Form 1096, the names of all their employees to whom, if single, they made payments of \$750 or more in 1941, and if married, \$1,500 or more. If the marital status of the employee is unknown, he must be reported as single.

These returns must be filed on or before February 15, 1942, with the commissioner of internal revenue, in the distribution section, Washington, D. C.

The law contemplates that every individual, if single, or if married but not living with spouse, whose gross income for 1941 was \$750 or more, must file an income-tax return. Excuses for not doing so do not relieve the delinquent from responsibility for the delinquency.

Neither the president of the United States, nor the vice-president nor federal judges, nor members of congress, are exempt from filing returns.

All types of compensation, unless specifically excluded by statute, should be incorporated in the gross income of the taxpayer. A minister of the Gospel, for instance, must report all fees he receives—for funerals, for masses, for baptisms, for marriages, and for other like services. In addition to salaries, wages, fees, and commissions, all bonuses, tips, prizes, awards, retiring allowances for past services, and other forms of compensation are rated as part of one's income. If a person is paid in whole or in part for his service by anything other than money the fair market value of the thing taken must be reported as income.

Compensation credited to the account of or set apart for a taxpayer, without any substantial limitation or restriction, and which may be drawn upon by him at any time, is subject to tax for the year during which so credited or set apart, although not then actually reduced to possession. If the services were rendered during the year 1941, or prior thereto, but the compensation was not received, or made unqualifiedly subject to demand by the taxpayer until 1941, the entire amount is taxable in 1941 when the taxpayer is reporting on the cash receipts and disbursements basis, which is the basis used by most individuals in reporting net income.

So They Say

Wearing a sweater is really patriotic, because it pleases the soldiers.

MARGARET LANDRY, much-publicized knitwear-maker's "sweater girl."

It is by acts, not words, that progress hereafter will be made.

ACQUERRE BENOIST-MECHLIN, undersecretary of the French "state" at Vichy.

Behind The News In Washington

By PETER EDISON

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20—All the hullabaloo about the people of Civilian Defense and what should be done about Mayor La Guardia and Eleanor Roosevelt, anyway? Is it more than what anyone should expect. Neither one of those two people could join even a fourth-rate knitting society without having it become involved in turmoil.

Hizzoneer the Mayor being one of these dynamic Napoleons who get in the hair of even the people he works with, the back of his neck is always in a sweat about something. He gets things done in a big constructive way, but always at immeasurable wear and tear on the nerves of the people who have to follow him around and carry out his orders. For instance—the mayor always eats his lunch off of a tray at his desk. Hence, on the three days a week he is supposed to be in Washington running the civilian defense job, every one of his department heads is expected to eat lunch off a tray, too, so that if the mayor should get an idea to call up Joe and give him an order between bites into the minestrone, Joe will be there, breaking a cracker and drinking soup. Sure, fall of OGD. This finally begins to spoil a guy's digestion and he can't sleep good nights. The organization reacts accordingly.

As for Mrs. Roosevelt there are only two kinds of people in the country—those who think she is great stuff and those who think she should be censored or put in a detention camp for the duration of the war. She can't walk across the street without being mobbed by some people and fountain of youth to others. There simply is no middle ground.

NO REAL AUTHORITY

All this atmosphere of seeming confusion is reflected right down to the smallest level of the Civilian Council unit of OGD because of its form of organization. OGD has no real, national, federal authority to do the job it is supposed to do. Instead the responsibility is placed in the hands of state governors and county sheriffs, and even mayors, and you know what that means—local politics. So, if your local civilian defense ain't what you think it should be, not all the blame can be placed on Washington. A lot of the trouble might be placed right at home.

"I want to fight Germans and Japs and Italians," says Mayor La Guardia. "I don't want to fight mayors and sheriffs." Yet fight mayors and sheriffs is what OGD has had to do to a degree which few people realize. For instance—

The OGD has printed a really magnificent set of 45 handbooks covering every phase of civilian defense, meaning the actual defense of bombed areas. These handbooks are for air wardens, fire wardens, protection against gas, first aid, fire protection, and the whole works. Millions of copies of these books have been printed at federal expense for free distribution where they'll do the most good. Yet, under the crazy setup now in existence, the national headquarters of OGD can't send these instructions directly to the local defense councils known to be functioning. Instead, OGD heads set the example by sending the state headquarters, state headquarters must send them to the mayors, and the mayors pass them out to the zones. "I hope," says Mayor La Guardia pitifully, "that they've been distributed."

Some haven't been. They're still piled up at state headquarters. If your local defense council isn't on the job, the correct course of action is not to just sit there, but to pretend you're an Eleanor Roosevelt type and limiting the use of our cars. . . . But there are compensations, quite aside from the saving of money to buy more defense bonds. . . . The automobile, with all its merits, may have been on the verge of one change and discovered it has lured us out of doors to "go places and see things," to the exclusion of domestic life and culture. Gadding about hither and yon may win friends and influence people, but may also leave more or less of a vacuum in the home and the head. . . . Now as we learn again the ancient art of staying at home and liking it, we may get acquainted with our families—who are often very reasonable people, when you once get to know them. And we may even read an occasional book. Or a magazine that has reading matter in it instead of pictures. There are vast, unexplored possibilities along these lines for the long evenings.

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Cranium Crackers

CIVILIAN QUIZ

Civilian leaders as well as army and navy commanders are important in wartime. Can you supply the answers to these questions about Congress and some of its members? 1. Senator Tom Connally of Texas heads the committee which sponsored war declarations in the Senate. Name the committee. 2. The Republican and Democratic leaders of the House are from the same state. Who are they and from what state do they come? 3. What outspoken senator, an isolationist leader up to the bombing of Pearl Harbor, has offered his services to the army? 4. Will bills to raise money to fight the war be introduced in the House or Senate?

5. How has Rep. John Dingell of Michigan figured in the war news? Answers on Classified Page

TEX'S TOPICS

THE war inspires people in many ways. . . . For instance, it moved Jim Connor, the W. Foster restaurateur, to think up lines like these, which he has titled "The Twenty-Third Psalm" (of over-run Europe):

Hitler is my master; I am in want. He maketh me to lie down in bloody battlefields; he leadeth me beside the troubled waters. He destroyeth my soul; he leadeth me in the paths of ruthlessness for his name's sake. Yet, though I march through the valley of the Volga, in the shadow of death—I fear great evil; for a Hitler, with me His murdering and plundering, they fall to comfort me. Hitler prepares great battles for me in the presence of mine enemies; he annoieth me with blood; by cup of bitterness runneth over. Surely misery and we shall follow me all the days of my life, and I shall dwell in the house of hell forever.

Spend all your spare time chasing rainbows and you'll run into a storm. . . . Shortages of metal affects clothes hangers, so you can keep right on tossing your coat on the back of a chair. . . . Ohio will have eight women on its returned and drinking soup. Sure, fall of OGD. This finally begins to spoil a guy's digestion and he can't sleep good nights. The organization reacts accordingly.

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NEW JERSEY HAS A REAL IDEA

NEW Jersey has had a real idea, not yet put into practice, about saving like the most sensible solution yet proposed for the great automobile license plate problem. . . . The motor vehicle commission suggests that the 1941 plates be turned in when the 1942 plates are bought.

This is a really easy enough—every American who buys something, something when he buys something. Then the old plates will be re-processed and redecorated and thus be ready for use in 1942. . . . The new 1942 plates might be turned in for use in 1941. Sure, fall of OGD. This finally begins to spoil a guy's digestion and he can't sleep good nights. The organization reacts accordingly.

THE GOVERNMENT IS ABOUT TO TAKE A CENSUS OF HORSES

You'll find out what happened to the one that disappeared during the third race yesterday. . . . Other things in a radio the other night in a meeting that this war is getting pretty serious—they must be rationing jokes. . . . We nominate for air raid warden the lady who always detects anything unusual in the neighborhood before it happens. . . . In our search for good defense workers, let's not overlook the experienced married men. . . . A professor says Nazis lack a sense of humor. But that coming in a month or so, the fall of Moscow in three days still our choice for the best gag of 1941.

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The 'Rajah' Voted Into Baseball's Hall Of Fame

By JUDSON BAILEY
NEW YORK, Jan. 20 (AP)—The fabulous baseball career of Rogers Hornsby, the greatest right-handed hitter of all time, carried him into the hall of fame today.

The "Rajah" who performed for five different clubs and managed four of them in a 23-year span in the majors, who batted over 400 in three seasons and twice was named the most valuable player in the National league, who earned perhaps half a million dollars from baseball and lost most of it, received 182 votes out of 233 cast by baseball writers.

As a result a bronze plaque will soon be placed alongside those of baseball's other immortals—Cobb, Wagner, Ruth, Matthewson and the rest—in the little shrine at Cooperstown, N. Y.

Hornsby, who will be 46 in April, now is the general manager and bench pilot of Fort Worth in the Texas league. He is a jovial, grey-haired minor league executive. But in days that a vast majority of the baseball fans still remember he was a bright comet shooting an unpredictable course across sport's horizon.

He broke into the National league with the St. Louis Cardinals in 1915 as a shortstop. Later he played every position in the infield, tried the outfield, and moved to the New York Giants, to the Boston Braves, to the Chicago Cubs, to the Cardinals again and finally to the St. Louis Browns. He managed the Cards, Braves, Cubs and Browns, reaching a salary peak of \$40,000 a year with the Cubs.

He led the National league in batting for seven years, six of them in succession for the Cardinals from 1920 to 25, inclusive. He batted .401 in 1922, in 1924 reached .424, the modern record for both major leagues, and in 1925 followed up with .403.

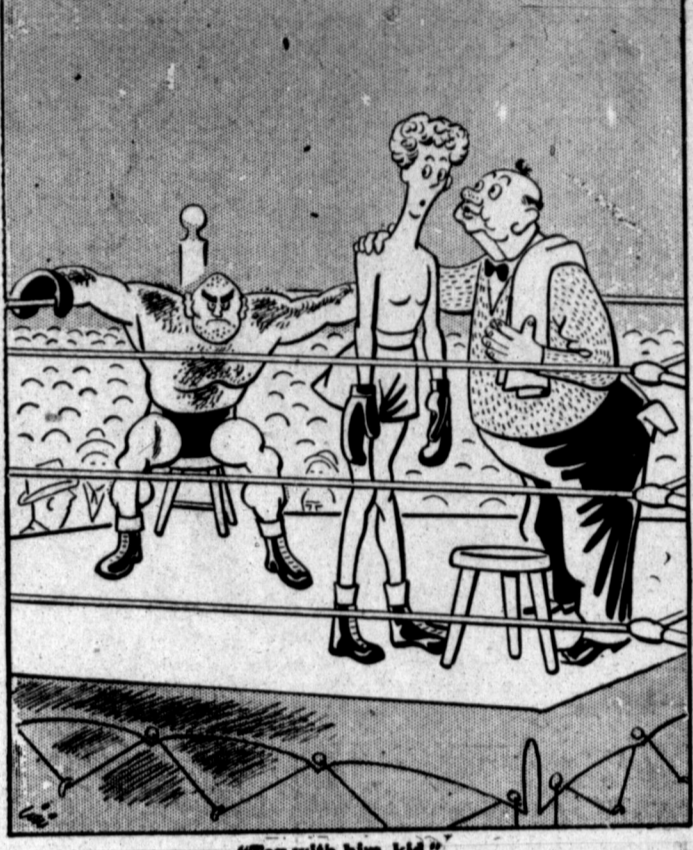
He also led the league in 1928 with .387 for the Braves and was voted the most valuable player in 1928 with the Cards and 1929 while with the Cubs.

Hornsby had no faults on the playing field, but the magnates found some with him off the diamond.

In 1926 at the height of his career as a player and manager the Cardinals let him go because he could not be brought to salary terms by President Sam Breadon. He was traded under John McGraw, then was traded to Boston as manager of the Braves.

Hornsby's passion for betting on horse races was probably his biggest stumbling block with the club owners. He was in hot water with Commissioner Kenesaw M. Landis about this at one time or another and in 1927 was sued for \$90,000 which a Cincinnati betting commissioner charged to him.

"He Can't Hurt Us"



"Toy with him, kid."

Toledo's Gerber Can't See Sans Specs, Averages 22 With Them

By BURTON BENJAMIN
NEA Service Staff Correspondent

NEW YORK, Jan. 20—This and that along the basketball front: **TERRIFIC TOLEDOAN:** He's a six-foot four-inch, 188-pound senior. His eyes are so weak he plays with glasses. His pet shot is a hook from the pivot. He's deadly from the spot and on rebounds.

His name is Bob Gerber, the successor to Toledo's fabulous Chuck Chuckovits. In two years he has scored a remarkable 787 points, 47 more than Chuckovitz during the same period.

Last season he was held under 10 points in only two games, won all Western and all-America.

The mustachioed Gerber has played great ball this winter. He scored 23 points against Bluffton and Kent State, 33 against Albion, 29 against Marietta, 18 against Yale, 19 against Cornell, 24 against Dartmouth, and 22 against DePaul.

His average for nine games is better than 22 points. In view of the fact that he scored only six against Detroit Tech (what an engineering triumph that was) his record is amazing.

Ossie Cowles, the Dartmouth coach, dismisses Gerber with a laconic: "He was a pro before he came to college. He has the touch at home, and I don't see how any team can stop him."

Whether that is a fact, or simply a mirage which Cowles saw after bespectacled Bob dumped in two dozen points against the Green, is questionable.

It is probably more accurate to say that Toledo's Gerber is out of his league.



Bob Gerber

Georgia Will Have Sinkwich Back In Fall

By ROMNEY WHEELER
ATHENS, Ga., Jan. 20 (AP)—

Packfield Coach Bill Hartman joins the army tomorrow—but the University of Georgia athletic department is too happy to know or care. Frankie Sinkwich and company will be back next fall.

University President Harmon Caldwell brought the news from an Atlanta conference between Georgia selective service officials and heads of private and state-supported colleges. Simmered down he said, the draft executives told him:

If the university system speeded up its academic work to graduate seniors May 2, and pushed juniors through a summer schedule to graduate them Jan. 1, 1943, selective service would look favorably upon allowing such juniors to finish school.

With that, President Caldwell announced: (1) Georgia seniors will graduate May 2; (2) Georgia, along with the entire state-supported system, goes to school on a year-round schedule; (3) the juniors will graduate Jan. 1, 1943. He said that 80 per cent of the junior and senior classes normally would fall in class I-A under forthcoming new registration.

President Caldwell made no mention of All-America Sinkwich and Georgia's Orange Bowl champions—but a million-dollar legacy couldn't have brought a wider grin to the little round man, Coach Wally Butts. Even the loss of Bill Hartman didn't cause a quiver. Wally just announced he'd take on the job himself.

Unless Georgia selective service officials change their collective mind, it means Wally will have one of the South's top football teams next fall. Excepting only Cliff Gimsey, blocking back, and Tommy Krenze, tackle, he'll have back the entire starting lineup, which whipped Texas Christian 40-26 at Miami New Year's day.

Greg Rice, distance running champ: "I don't make any great plea for athletics in time of war. But I do think that competition is the easiest way to get a fellow to take care of himself."

Sportspouri
Southwestern college of Winfield, Kans., sank 19 free throws out of 19 tries against Pittsburgh Teachers in the first game in which the school is asked if there's a better record than that. . . . The story is that Moe Berg asked for a delay in the announcement of his appointment as good-will ambassador because of the illness of his father, who died last week. Eddie Collins, who hadn't heard of the request, broke the story. . . . Nick Lukats, the old Notre Dame footballer, is collaborating with author Bill Brent on a screen play in which Frankie Albert is to make his debut.

Today's Guest Star
Walter Stewart, Memphis Commercial Appeal; Hans Lobert, new manager of the Phillies, used to be a carpenter and still has a fine set of wood-working tools. These will be indeed useful when he attempts to get ideas into the heads of his brilliant hired hands.

Mad Men of Manhattan
When Manhattan college drew up its basketball schedule, three games were crowded into this week and the next two were left blank for semester examinations. Then a speed-up program went into effect and exams were advanced to this week. You can guess what the courtmen think of the idea.

Sisler Reelected High Commissioner
CHICAGO, Jan. 20 (AP)—George Sisler of St. Louis today was re-elected high commissioner of the National Semi-Pro Baseball Congress by the board of directors.

Foul on Wet Track



Unhorsed, Don Meade, right, pulls Eddie Arcaro's mount under water, as famous jockeys indulge in bit of rubberhorse play in Miami Beach, Fla., pool.

Reiser Will Hit Even Better This Year, Says Dressen

MIAMI BEACH, Fla., Jan. 20 (AP)—

Last season Pete Reiser became the first rookie ever to win the National league batting championship, but Brooklyn Coach Chuck Dressen thinks the kid outfielder will hit even better this year.

"It's a helluva thing to expect a player to improve on a .343 average," the canny baseball strategist commented, "but I believe Reiser can do it."

"You must remember that he's a natural right hand hitter who switched over to the left side only three years ago. It takes time to get a new swing perfected."

He still goes for a lot of bad balls, although he showed a big improvement in that respect last season.

"As soon as he gets the knack of picking out good balls all of the time, it'll be hard to get him out."

One of the first to see Reiser's great promise, Dressen recommended that he be given the centerfield job when he showed definite weakness at shortstop.

"Reiser isn't a finished outfielder like Terry Moore," Dressen declared, "but he's fast and he's got a good arm. He kept a lot of fellows from going down to third on us."

Tanker Shelled And Torpedoed In Port
NEWPORT NEWS, Va., Jan. 20 (AP)—Shelled and torpedoed by a lurking Axis submarine off the North Carolina coast where the tanker Allan Jackson was sunk Sunday, the 8,200-ton tanker Malay reached port under her own power late last night with a story of attack without warning in Monday's pre-dawn darkness.

The crash of a shell on the bridge was the first alarm for the crew of 34 aboard the unarmed vessel. Crewmen said the Malay changed her course immediately and sought to turn her stern toward the unseen submarine. Another shell ripped through the port wing of the bridge and three others struck aft.

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Five Texas Cities Have Blackouts

(By The Associated Press)

Dallas and Fort Worth, Austin, Corsicana and the Corpus Christi area magically disappeared in last night's darkness from the view of military observers who, in planes high overhead, checked the efficiency of trial blackouts, who watched the Dallas performance.

This perfection was exemplified, he declared, by the fact that one army pilot released flares over Dallas, thinking he was over Fort Worth.

Fort Worth's inky darkness was termed "spectacular" by Lieut. Col. Royden Williams of San Antonio, public relations officer for the eighth corps area.

Some of Fort Worth's downtown lights were slow in being extinguished, however, and in one instance a woman kicked out a plate glass window so that a glowing bulb could be turned off.

Alford Corsicana was darkened except one plant, which had been exempt because of government contracts which kept it running 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

The only lights to be seen in Nueces, Kleberg and San Patricio counties were a few oil flares along the coast. A Corpus Christi resident was sent to a hospital after he was hit over the head with a bottle when he refused to extinguish a lighted match in a tavern.

Only starlight, a couple of flares dropped by an army bomber pilot and occasional matches struck by careless smokers were to be seen at Austin.

Camp Bowie will have its first practice blackout beginning at 9 p. m. tonight, but nearby Brownwood will not participate in the test.

Private Cars Will Not Be Taken Over As Asserts Henderson
CHICAGO, Jan. 20 (AP)—Leon Henderson, federal price administrator, told representatives of 42,000 automobile dealers today "as far as the Office of Price Administration is concerned, there is not now any prospect either of rationing used cars or of commandeering private cars."

His address was read to the National Automobile Dealers association by Cyrus McCormick, chief of the OPA automobile and truck section, because business kept Henderson in Washington. Convention headquarters said the statement reflected a tension that had disturbed the trade body.

Henderson said that in his judgment any need for considering any rationing plan for used cars might be dissipated by a decline in the use of cars due to shortage of tires.

Figures prepared by F. R. Marshall, association secretary, showed that the total visible supply of apparel wools for 1942 will be an estimated 1,138,700,000 pounds, not including imports that may come from Australia.

Of this amount, the Office of Production Management has consumed 400,000,000 pounds for civilian clothes, a figure slightly more than half of the 1941 total, Marshall explained, and one sufficient, he feels, to clothe the nation well "without working any serious hardship on any one."

The remaining 738,700,000 pounds, Marshall estimated, will provide uniforms, blankets, and other needs for 5,000,000 soldiers.

Already, Marshall said, army figures released last fall showed supplies were on hand for approximately 5,000,000 fighting men—a number in excess of published figures of present intended strength for the United States Army.

LAST NIGHT'S BASKETBALL SCORES
(By The Associated Press)
Springfield (Mo.) Teachers 30, Tulsa 20, Oklahoma 46, Missouri 31.

Output of merchant vessels in the United States has increased 70 per cent since 1940, the department of commerce reports.

Baylor Minus Star Guard

(By The Associated Press)

Minus their stellar guard, Jack Wilson, the Baylor Bears—currently on top in one of the most hectic Southwest conference campaigns in years—meet Texas' dangerous sophomores tonight in Austin.

Wilson, a key man in the Bruins' defense, was operated on for appendicitis Saturday.

Not given much chance to fight in the running, Baylor has three wins against no losses, a scant lead over Arkansas with three wins and one defeat.

The Rice Owls—an almost unanimous choice to win the title—meet Texas A. & M. Wednesday night at College Station. The Owls have two wins against two losses.

Southern Methodist—in the cellar as a result of four defeats without a win—plays Texas Christian Wednesday night at Fort Worth.

Baylor meets Rice Saturday night at Waco in the top game of the week and T. C. U. goes to Dallas for an engagement with S. M. U.

Baseball Not To Suffer In 1942, Gardner Declares

DALLAS—Professional baseball in Texas will not suffer for talent in war-time.

President J. Alvin Gardner of the Texas league doesn't think so. He expects both extremes in diamond ranks next season—younger players and older players—as a result of heavy losses to the armed forces, but he is optimistic, nevertheless, that baseball will go on and he thinks it will be as interesting—if not more so—than before.

"We all like to see the kids get their chance," he pointed out. "They'll make glaring errors and the play won't be as smooth, but it will give us a thrill to watch those youngsters try to improve and play daring, slashing baseball while doing it."

Backing up Gardner's forecast, the Texas Inter-scholastic league, the highest high school athletic organization in the state, will sponsor baseball next spring.

This means talent plenty will be turned out to take the places of the young men who will answer the call-to-the colors.

The interscholastic league has thousands of schools as members. More than 20,000 youngsters play football each year, 12,000 to 15,000 participate in basketball, 50,000 in track and field. Baseball had not been officially sponsored in recent years.

"You will see the boys of 17, 18 and 19 get their chance at last," Gardner said. "Heretofore they were supposed to but few managers would take a chance on youngsters in the midst of a hot pennant fight. Now they will have to be used."

Plight Of Jobless Workers Will Be Eased By Benefits
WASHINGTON, Jan. 20 (AP)—President Roosevelt drafted for transmission to Congress today a request for \$300,000,000 to ease the plight of workers whose jobs will be suspended while industries convert their facilities to production of war materials.

Under the plan an estimated 4,000,000 men will receive up to \$24 a week for 26 weeks during which they will be trained for employment at war production. In states where dislocated workers receive state unemployment compensation the federal government will contribute the difference up to \$24. In states where idle workers receive no state compensation, the government will pay the whole sum.

Company A Soldiers Swipe Love Letters With Good Results
CAMP BARKELEY, Jan. 20 (AP)—During the Louisiana maneuvers a bunch of the boys from Company A, 120th quarter master regiment, wandered into a deserted plantation home and found a bundle of time-stained love letters. They were written back in 1913 by a soldier stationed in Cuba to his sweetheart back home.

The prowling troopers culled the prettiest passages and incorporated them with painstaking precision in letters to their girl friends.

Among the amazing results were six recent marriages in company A.

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WHEELER MAN FOUND DEAD AT HERFORD
Two men, tentatively identified as S. H. Keahay, about 60, and Floyd King, about 47, were found dead in a cabin at Herford yesterday afternoon, according to word received here.

Wheeler Man Found Dead At Herford
Keahay was reported to have been from Wheeler and King from Grand Saline. However, no one knows of an S. H. Keahay ever having lived at Wheeler.

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Today's War Analysis

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
White-Wit Analyst
The brightest spot for the Allies today rests not in feasts at arms but in a little one sentence news dispatch brought by the Associated Press from the temporary Soviet capital of Kulybshy to say that "The Russian winter is approaching its peak period with temperatures of more than 25 degrees below zero Fahrenheit."

You're All Perfect, Barbara



Runmer-up Barbara Ann Myers, right, 20 months, has a close look at Joan Elizabeth Sloos, 3 years, to see why Joan was named Philadelphia's "most perfect" baby by 75 physicians.

City Asked To Fix Hours For Barber Shops

An ordinance setting up the opening and closing hours of Pampa barber shops was asked of the city commission at its regular meeting this morning by James Weir of Weir's Barber shop, 118 W. Kingsmill. Mr. Weir proposed that the commission pass an order requiring barber shops to open at 8 a. m. and close at 8 p. m. on weekdays, and open at 8 a. m. and close at 9 p. m. on Saturdays. He stated that an agreement on these hours had been reached by 35 out of 39 barbers employed in 16 local shops. Berger and Corpus Christi have ordinances setting up the business hours of barber shops, he said. These were the only two Texas municipalities, Mr. Weir stated, that he knew of that had such a law. No action was taken by the city commission, but E. F. Gordon, city attorney, said he would prepare a brief on the proposition and present it at the commission's meeting next week.

Officers Of All Flights Composing Squadron Announced

Names of the appointment of officers to various units of the Texas Defense Guard were announced by Neill H. Banister, lieutenant colonel, infantry, assistant to the adjutant general. A copy of the list, received here, gives the names of officers of all flights composing the 11th squadron, Pampa unit, Flight D, has these officers: William F. Fletcher, captain, William L. Lewis, first lieutenant, George M. Lane and Henry C. Reynolds, second lieutenants. There are five flights in the 11th squadron, A and B of Amarillo, C of Borger, D, Pampa, and E and F of Lubbock. Major Arthur W. Hawks of Amarillo is the squadron commander. Captains of flights are, A, Jack D. Linton; B, Edward N. Foxhall; C, William F. Seeger; D, William F. Fletcher; E, Maenard F. Dagley; F, Emmett R. Morris.

Plains Takes Precautions Against Overcultivation And Overstocking

DENVER, Jan. 20. (AP)—Men who have struggled for years to make the gray dust bowl green hope that, this time, war-improved grain prices won't create swirling dust clouds. During the first World War, whole sections of semi-arid prairie land in Colorado and several adjoining states were plowed up. Wheat became king. It paid well. Later, grain prices sank. The land stood idle. Dry years followed, winds carried the loose topsoil hundreds of miles away. All that taught the farmers a bitter lesson, in view of Edward D. Foster, president of the Colorado Soil Conservation board and director of the State Planning commission. "They have learned how to farm their land, in combination with livestock, so that a reasonable return may be expected regardless of prices and rainfall," Foster said of the tillers who remained on their land and formed soil conservation districts. One crop expected to be expanded sharply in Colorado is sugar beets. The beets, however, are grown on irrigated lands, and reports show the irrigation water supply is much more ample than in previous years. Secretary Wickard has said a sugar shortage next year is probable.

United States Had 9,056 Cases Of Infantile Paralysis Last Year

For a second time in a succession of three heavy epidemic years the number of reported infantile paralysis cases in the United States has topped the 9,000 mark. It is for the purpose of studying this disease and helping in its cure that the birthday dances are held in Gray county and in other counties of the United States each year. The dances, held on January 30, the birthday of President Roosevelt, provide the funds that carry on their direction to carry on its work, to cure the twisted limbs of paralysis victims and to save lives. Three dances have been scheduled by the county committee for January 30 in Pampa, in observance of the President's birthday and for the benefit of the county chapter and National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis. There were 9,056 cases of infantile paralysis for the 52 weeks of 1941 in the United States, Nevada was the only state untouched, Texas had 120 cases, New York led with 1,174, followed by Alabama's 880, and Georgia's 778. Need More Nurses One of the things the national foundation plans for 1942 is to fill a shortage of well-qualified orthopedic nurses. The foundation has granted funds to the National League of Nursing Education and to the National Organization for Public Health Nursing for a joint orthopedic nursing advisory service. Last year, when epidemics broke out in Georgia, Alabama and Mississippi, the shortage of well-qualified nurses was so much felt that well trained public health orthopedic nurses were sent by the National Organization for Public Health Nursing and the National Foundation into the field, to work with local public health nurses. These nurses conducted institutes in various parts of the states, where information with regard to the care of infantile paralysis patients was given and techniques were demonstrated. These institutes were open to all public health personnel, including family physicians, health officers and nurses. Kenny Method Studied During the past year no worthy events transpired in the realm of the after-effects of infantile paralysis. Evidence of this desire to make progress in the treatment of infantile paralysis, was clearly demonstrated by the foundation when it recognized the meritorious elements in the method evolved by Miss Elizabeth Kenny. A group of physical therapists of the Twin Cities and some from other sections of the country worked with Miss Kenny and acquired knowledge of her methods. The University of Minnesota added to its routine in physical therapy technicians instruction in the Kenny method. As a result of its study of this method, the national foundation's committee for the prevention and treatment of after-effects announced its opinion that, during the early stage of the disease, the length of time during which pain, tender-

ANSWERS TO CRANUM CRACKERS

- 1. Senator Tom Connally is chairman of the Foreign Affairs Committee which handled war declarations.
2. Joseph W. Martin, Jr. is House Republican leader, and John McCormack heads Democrats. Both are from Massachusetts.
3. Senator Bennett Champ Clark of Missouri, former isolationist leader, has offered services to the army.
4. Bills to raise money for the war, as must all tax measures, originate in the House.

Paton Infant Dies

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Paton was buried at Fairview cemetery yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Interment was under direction of Duenkel-Carmichael Funeral home. The baby died in a local hospital Sunday afternoon. Survivors are the parents, a sister, Anna Mae, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Paton of LaFors and Mrs. W. Swafford of Pampa. Mr. Paton is with the Pampa Brake company here.

EIGHTH U. S. PRESIDENT

Answer to Previous Puzzle
HORIZONTAL
16 Pictured eighth president of the U. S. —
13 Occurrence.
14 Male parent.
15 A tissue (anal.).
16 Assayer.
17 In (poet.).
19 Eject.
20 Entomology (abbr.).
21 Feasts.
22 Girl's name.
23 Regret.
24 A pile.
27 Arabian gazelle.
29 Withered.
31 Half an em.
32 Nova Scotia (abbr.).
34 Completes.
35 Possess.
36 New.
37 He was first president to be — an

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- 2--Special Notices
A NEW dance floor, ice cold beers, tasty sandwiches and private booths. The New Belvedere Cafe, Billie's New Place, 222 W. Kingsmill.
MOTOR tuneups and wheel alignments will protect your tires. Let Roy Chisum figure on your next job. Phone 1910.
FOR LEASE--Gas station now in operation. Two electric pumps, 2,200 gal. storage capacity. 1c per gallon rental. Good location. See Al Weitz at Belvedere Cafe.
TIREs properly checked. Automobile supplies. We honor Phillips 66, Goodyear, Lane's at 5 Points. Drive in for service.
ENJOY your favorite sandwiches or ice cold beer while dining or smoking at Lane's at 5 Points. Drive in for service.
SAVING on gas prices at Long's Amarrillo for the Spanish, Mexican, and Texan. 1c, regular 1c, and Ethyl 1c. Come by.
3--Bus-Travel-Transportation
CAR to Lubbock Wed. morning. House and job for sale. Inquire Pampa News Travel Bureau. Ph. 681.
4--Lost and Found
LOST: Smooth leather-trimmed suede blouse-jacket between high school and Foxworth-Galbraith. Return to News. Liberal reward.
LOST, strayed or stolen--Dark Jersey and roan mule cow. Weight about 900 lbs. Notify Vandover's Feed. Phone 792. Reward.
EMPLOYMENT
5--Male Help Wanted
MAN WANTED--Highway Service Station. Aerius from Jones-Everett.
MEN WANTED to represent largest aeronautics training school in the world for the counties of Gray, Colwell, Collinsworth, Armstrong, Wheeler, Roberts, Kemphill, Hilder, and Potts. Exclusive and protected territories. Writing giving age, etc., for interview. Write 100 Phillips 66, "United," Pampa News, Pampa, Texas.
6--Female Help Wanted
EXPERIENCED operator wanted. Ideal Beauty Shop, 120 S. Main. Phone 118.
WANTED--Experienced waitress. 514 W. Foster. Ivey's Cafe.
AVON Company has opening for woman capable of meeting public to sell 20 hours weekly. Call Miss Carrington. Adams hotel.
10--Business Opportunity
FOR LEASE--Gas station. Now in operation. Two electric pumps, 2,200 gal. storage capacity. 1c per gallon rental. Good location. See Al Weitz at Belvedere Cafe.
11--Situation Wanted
MIDDLE aged widow, experienced in cleaning, anything honest. Room 2, Pampa Hotel. Call or write.
BUSINESS SERVICE
12--Instruction
EMERGENCY! Women 20 to 40 to train for Aircraft Industries. Immediate employment. Good pay. Rapid promotion. Apply 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. W. L. Morning. Black Hotel, Borger, Texas.
14--Professional Service
HAVING trouble with your tax returns? Call G. D. Brown, Notary Public, accounting, tax returns. 109 N. Main. Phone 1919. Christine. Ph. 1282-M.
18--Building-Materials
ARE your doors and windows rain and dust proof? Let Ward's Cabinet Shop put them right. Call 2040 and we'll come out and figure the job with you.
FOR repair work on painting and furniture. Give Moore has equipment and experience to give you the best results. Phone 102.
18-A--Plumbing & Heating
CALL 656 for quick service on all types of plumbing work. New or repair jobs. Stroy Plumbing Co.
21--Upholstering-Refinishing
WE can upholster that chair or couch, replace broken springs and make it like new at surprisingly low cost. Spears Furniture Store, Phone 235.
22--Sand and Gravel Hauling
SAND AND GRAVEL and General Hauling. Phone 793-E. L. J. Lane.
26--Beauty Parlor Service
VISIT our comfortable beauty shop for beauty treatments, manicures, shampoo, set and dye, eye lash and brow treatment. Let's Beauty Shop, Phone 297.
RELIVE Beauty Shop, Phone 788, for permanent hair setting, hair soft and beautiful. Special right.
JANUARY special! Our best oil permanent wave \$1.75 value for \$1.75. Call now for your appointment. Hilda's Beauty Shop, Ph. 2493.
ATTENTION! A \$4.99 oil wave \$2.99. A \$5.00 oil wave \$1.50. All new supplies. Guaranteed. Finger wave \$1c. Edna's Beauty Shop, 222 S. Doyle, Ph. 2252-J.
SPECIAL! \$5.00 manicures permanent for \$2.50. \$4.00 oil permanent for \$2.00. Each and lower than anywhere. Let's Beauty Shop, 203 N. Somerville, Phone 414.
SPECIAL on all permanent. Oil permanent, \$1.50 and up. Edna's Beauty Shop, 222 S. Doyle.
GET a permanent wave that looks better and lasts longer. We give the permanent for your special type of hair, guaranteed not lasting wave. No burns, fall out. Attractive prices. Ideal Beauty Shop, 108 S. Cuyler, Ph. 1818.
MERCHANDISE
29--Mattresses
REPAIRING, upholstering, remodeling expertly done at our factory. Avery, 8 S. Rock Front Mattress Factory, Phone 623.

FOR RENT REAL ESTATE

- 30--Household Goods
SPECIAL sale this week on new 4-piece modern bedroom suite, priced as low as \$99.95. Two good used Maytag washers, \$39.95. Many other bargains at Irwin's Furniture Store, 509 W. Post.
KROEHLER two-piece sofa bed suit, \$39.50. Matching studio divan, pull-up chair, lounge chair and Ottoman--like new, \$69.50. Texas Furniture.
SEE us about a liberal trade-in allowance for your old gas range on a new Magic range. We especially used used table-top gas ranges. Thompson's Hardware, Phone 48.
32--Musical Instruments
FOR SALE--E flat saxophone. Call or write G. D. Woolf, Kellerville, Tex.
FOR SALE: Cantel accordion, eighty base. Practically new. Phone 1812.
LIVESTOCK
39--Livestock-Feed
BABY CHICKS now on hand. Munson's blood-stocked, all popular breeds. Buy the best. Harvester Feed Co. Pampa, Texas. Phone 102.
VANDOVERS Feed Mill Special for Tues., Wed., Thurs. Threshed maize, \$1.15 per cwt. Heavy of baby chicks. Buy now. Vandover's Feed, 408 W. Foster, Ph. 792.
CUSTOM Grinding, prompt service, no acceptance of better chicks. Buy now. Custom Grinding, 100 Phillips 66, Pampa, Texas.
FOR SALE--Good school bright busses. Husted and Pool, Ph. 1814.
41--Farm Equipment
FOR SALE--Used cream separator; used International pickup, full line of oil field power units. Hilder Imp. Co., Ph. 1261.
FOR SALE--One regular Farmall tractor with equipment, one 22-36 IHC tractor, one Oliver 4-14 moldboard plow, several sets of plows and cultivators. McConnell Implement Co., Phone 455. 112 N. Ward.
FOR SALE: Good Chevrolet truck. Good feed bunnies! Good, delivered. Osborne Machine Co., 810 W. Foster, Phone 494.
ROOM AND BOARD
42--Sleeping Rooms
FOR RENT: Newly decorated south bedroom. Garage optional. 517 N. Frost, Ph. 2478-W. Call after 5 p. m.
NICELY furnished rooms adjoining bath, telephone privileges, excellent location. 108 N. Somerville, Ph. 1096.
DESIRABLE bedroom. Convenient to bath. On pavement. Gentlemen only. 704 East 7th. Ph. 102.
EXCELLENTLY furnished modern downtown bedroom and bathroom. Upstairs over Modern Pharmacy, Call 1925.
46--Houses for Rent
FOR RENT--Two room furnished house, well located. All utilities paid. \$14.00 per mo. Apply rent 802 S. Somerville.
FOR RENT--Three room unfurnished house, also two room furnished house. Reasonable rent. Bills paid. 615 N. Dwight.
FOR RENT--Four room modern house. Unfurnished. Close in on pavement. 408 7th. Ph. 102.
WANTED: Couple to take over small court consideration, rent. Earle Radtner, 214 W. Main, Notary Public, accounting, tax returns. 109 N. Main. Phone 1919. Christine. Ph. 1282-M.
NICELY furnished 5 room modern house. Floor furnace, G. E. refrigerator, Gas range, storage room. Large fenced in back yard. 701 East Browning.
FOR RENT: Four room semi-modern house, unfurnished, located near north side schools. On pavement. \$14.00 per mo. Phone 217.
TOTAL room rent that vacant house, apartment or sleeping room if you'll place your ad in the Pampa News. Call 666 and see E. Somerville's, Phone 2223-W.
FOR RENT--Three room house, modern. Also practically new furniture for sale. 109 N. Somerville's, Phone 2223-W.
FOUR room nice modern, unfurnished house with garage. Also 2 room furnished house. 511 N. Russell.
FOR RENT--Three room furnished house, electric refrigerator, inner spring mattress, garage. Close in. Apply 805 N. Somerville, Ph. 583.
FOR RENT--Two rooms and bath, nicely furnished house, includes Electrolux refrigerator, nice yard and trees. No objection to small child. 212 N. Nelson.
FOR RENT--Two room furnished house, 729 South Barnes, Ph. 1128.
FOR RENT--Nice five room residence, unfurnished. Good location. Ph. 388. John L. Bradley.
FOR RENT--Six room unfurnished house with basement. 2 blocks from Jr. high school. Inquire at Home Builders Supply.
3 ROOM modern house furnished, \$25.00 a month. Bills paid. Apply Tom's Place.
FOR RENT: Two room modern furnished house. Also semi-modern house. Bills paid. 522 S. Somerville.
FOR RENT: Nice 2 room modern furnished house. Bills paid. Close in. Inquire 119 N. Cuyler, Ph. 1018.
FOR RENT--4 room duplex, unfurnished. Private bath. 710 East Kingsmill.
FOR RENT
Three room modern duplex, furnished--including electric refrigerator. Close in on N. side. Bills paid. To couple only. \$6.00 per wk.
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47--Apartments or Duplexes
Two and three room modern well furnished apartments. Well located, adults only. 515 N. Frost, Phone 1994.
FOR RENT--Two room well furnished apartment. Private bath, garage. 218 N. Cuyler.

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- 47--Apartments or Duplexes
FOR RENT--Efficiency furnished garage apartment. Electric refrigerator. Private bath, nice and clean. Ph. 824.
FOR RENT: 2 room nicely furnished apartment, including electric refrigerator. Private bath. Bills paid. 903 E. Francis. To couple only.
FOR RENT: Three room furnished apartment, close in, bills paid. Apply 110 N. West.
FOR RENT: Nicely furnished apartment. Private bath, bills paid. 601 N. Cuyler. Phone 1846-W.
FOR RENT: Modern garage apartment. Utilities paid. Close in. Adults only. Phone 765. 316 N. Ward.
NICE clean apartments and sleeping rooms. Well and comfortable. Close in. Private parking space. American Hotel.
FOR RENT: Furnished apartments and small house. Modern. Bills paid. Lighted parking lot. Wynne St. Apts. 117 Wynne street.
FOR RENT--Unfurnished 2 room apartment. Private bath and garage. Apply 422 N. Hill, Ph. 957.
VACANCY at Marney's Place No. 1, West side of duplexes. Private parking, blinds, garage. One or two other small places. See me at 203 East Francis or 1083.
COMFORTABLY furnished, warm apartments, 2 rooms, modern. Bills paid. On pavement. 525 E. Cuyler, or inquire Oak Cafe.
CLOSE IN, 2 room modern furnished apartment. Refrigerator. Bills paid. Adults only. Murphy apartments, 117 N. Cuyler.
FOR RENT--Two room modern garage apartment. Furnished. Private bath. Bills paid. Adults only. 801 N. Somerville, Ph. 1812.
FOR RENT--3 room modern furnished apartment, on paved street. Couple only. No pets. Bills paid. 109 S. Wynne (North of Cuyler).
FOR RENT: Unfurnished two room duplex. Bills paid. Inquire 708 Jordan. Phone 1018.
THAT vacant house would soon rent through an ad on our classified page. Try it 3 times for less than \$1.00.
49--Business Property
FOR RENT: Brick business location, 112 W. Foster, Henry L. Jordan, Duncan bldg. Phone 196.
FOR RENT: North Star weather grocery store, fixtures and living quarters, Phone 2077.
FOR RENT--Restaurant, filling station and living quarters combined or separate. Corner Tule and Cuyler, 600 block Ph. 1513-W.
53--Wanted to Rent
WANT TO RENT: 5 or 6 room modern, unfurnished house. Want fenced yard for chickens. Permanent. Reference furnished. Must be good location. Phone 231W.
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54--City Property
FOR SALE--5 room modern house, a bargain \$1,450--\$300 down. 4 room house, plenty out buildings. Fine for chickens. \$550. W. T. Hollis, Phone 1478.
WELL located 5 room modern home. Conveniently arranged. Will sell equity very reasonable. Small down payment. F. H. A. approved. 408 Magnolia. Phone 408-W. J. R. Holland.
FOR SALE: 4 room modern house, near school, bargain price for cash. Inquire 289 N. Banks.
FOR SALE: 3 room house on S. Barnes, \$450.00. 4 room house on N. Hobart, 3 room on N. Faulkner, 4 room on Clarendon highway, 4 room on N. Russell, F. H. A. approved. See John Haggard, First Nat'l Bank bldg. Phone 992.
FOR SALE--3 room house on N. Davis St. Low terms arranged with cash payment. Call Wilmington at Pampa News for appointment. Ph. 666.
FOR SALE--3 room house nicely furnished on Davis lease, 6 houses south Saye Grocery Co. No. 2.
56--Farms and Tracts
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FOR quick sale or cash rent, well improved 55 acres of land, gas, water and orchard, 1/2 mile west of Clovis, New Mexico. G. E. Ware, Clovis, N. Mex. Rt. 3.
57--Out-of-Town Property
FOR SALE: Shedd-iron bldg. in Panhandle. Texas. 90 x 140 ft. C. R. Smith. Hereford, Texas.
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61--Money to Loan
DO NOT BORROW MONEY From Your Employer See American Finance COMPANY For Your Money Needs! 109 W. Kingmill
62--Automobiles For Sale
WILL SELL or trade for small house, '38 Buick 4 door sedan. Good tires and excellent mechanical condition. See Russ Bartlett, 212 E. Cuyler.
FOR SALE for cash: 1934 V-8 Tudor. See Joe Miller, Miller Pharmacy, Skellytown, Tex.
FOR SALE: '38 Plymouth Deluxe, 4 door sedan. Sacrifice for cash. See Bob Bowersman at Pampa News.
FOR SALE OR TRADE: 1937 V-8 4 door. Good condition. Inquire F. L. Clifford, 4 corner street, Borger highway.
FOR SALE--Extra nice 1939 Ford Deluxe coach, radio, heater and good tires. 208 W. Browning.
SACRIFICE for quick sale or trade '39 model Chevrolet town sedan equipped with radio, heater and new tires. Ph. 97. 823 N. Main.
FOR SALE--'39 two door Chevrolet, new tires, radio, heater. See Chester Shell-house at 414 N. Hobart.
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SERIAL STORY

TAMBAY GOLD

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THE STORY: Mom Hunter sets up "Federal" lunch wagon at run-down Pampa. Pampa, Texas, tourist camp partnership with its aristocratic, impoverished owner, Jane Ann Jackson, host of the Maurice and source of the world. Mom tells Juddy she has a daughter, creative Juddy tells Mom of a lonely childhood. Other characters: Loren Oliver, Weliver, a used digger for Indian relics at Tambay and harboring Old Swaby, a Slovene refugee. Mom's pet skunk, lawyer Maurice, Nurse and football star Angel Todd, both in love with Juddy, Sheriff Hollister Mowry thinks Oliver after gold. Juddy is ill after mob trucking at Hanging Tree of Tambay.

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thing. But it did. It changed me. And I don't like the change."

"At least the venture should have been profitable," he said.

She looked at him thoughtfully. "No, it wasn't even profitable."

"Pardon," he said. "I assumed that money was the consideration."

"So it was. Just another smart saleswoman; a little too smart. I took his money for being his wife. When I stopped being his wife, I couldn't very well take his money any longer."

"Aha sport!" I said. "Then you're not married to him any longer?"

"I wish I knew. He used to write me three or four times a week, drunk or sober, trying to get me back. Then, for a change, he'd talk Reno. I hope he went. Now he's threatening to come down here, but I don't suppose he will. He never does anything he says he's going to do."

"It seems to have been a losing venture all around for you," Doc said. "Unless you count experience as gain."

The girl looked past him into nothing. "Not even that, in a way," she said, but more as if she was talking to herself. "The whole thing was a flop." I knew what she meant, but I don't think he got it.

"Let men tremble to win the hand of woman, unless they win with it the utmost passion of her heart," he quoted. I made a note of that one. Good snappy quotations are a specialty of mine. "That sounds pretty outmoded, doesn't it?" he said. "Yet there may be something in it, even today."

She came back at him with another. "Lucius, romantic love is on the rocks." That's the 1940 version.

"Did you come down here to run away from him?" I asked.

"From everything."

"To see life steadily and see it whole?" That was Doc.

"Things are so muddled," Juddy said. "All I wanted was to be happy." She said it just as though it was the most reasonable wish in the world.

"Is that all?" I said. "Page your fairy godmother. Did you ever happen to notice, pal, that the sun very seldom shines on both sides of you at once?"

"Well, I've got all over expecting too much," she said.

"Don't let yourself," Doc said to her, kind of quick and anxious. "When you give up expecting too much, you give up your youth."

(To Be Continued)

A LETTER FROM KENT

CHAPTER XIV

"AN idea a day keeps the sheriff away," Juddy said. "Or am I wrong, Mom?"

"You're wrong," I said. "He was here yesterday."

"What did he want?"

"Family stuff," I said. "Believe it or not that ancestral mistake is worrying about your virtue."

"What business is that of his?"

"Pride of the House of Tambay and all that. He thinks the family on-nah is in danger and that Angel Todd's the triple threat to the Maurice scutcheon."

"It isn't. He's all fussed and flustered over Doc and the diggings. In his opinion, the Wandos are so much bull and Doc is really after gold."

She sort of smiled. "Angel's good for what ails me," she said. "It's a fact that since she had the grumps, he was the only one who could make her snap out of it. The theory was that the two of them were working up the Amerind Ethnology course. Well, maybe they were. Anything that kept her from brooding about To abay Tree was all to the good."

At that, I figured they must have put in some honest toil, for when the Am-Eth test came on, Angel went through it on grease. Juddy was tickled pink. I doubt if she'd really expected him to lick the exam. I thought I'd have a little fun needling Prof. Loren Oliver when he came over for his lunch.

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THE good old competition motive. He waved an emerald hoop in front of me and my theory was that I'd better jump through it before some other girl nosed me out. He was gay and good-looking and had all kinds of superficial charm and knew all the patter and the double talk and the cafe-society cliches. I thought that was life. But there wasn't anything behind it.

The Doc shook his head. "It doesn't fit in with my picture of you," he told her. So he'd been carrying a picture of her in his mind, had he! I don't believe she noticed that, but you bet I did. She said:

"It's simple. At that age and in the set I ran with, you think—'Oh, well, what the hell! Why not give it a try? It doesn't have to last. And it won't change any-

of the staff of the Rockefeller-Endowed Peiping Union Medical college were said to have been forced to continue their work under Japanese control.

These reports said Dr. J. Leighton Stuart, president of Yenching University, and other American and British members of the faculty, had been confined in Peiping legation quarters.

U. S. May Plant 750,000,000 Acres Of Guayule Shrub

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 20 (AP)—Inventor Lytle S. Adams said yesterday the U. S. department of Agriculture is considering a plan to "bomb" into fruitfulness the vast arid lands of the southwest to make them produce much-needed rubber, fiber for rope and twine and pasturage.

Dr. Adams, who developed the method of picking up and delivering air mail sacks without landing a plane, submitted the idea of planting from low-flying airplanes seeds of the Guayule shrub, which yields rubber, and the Yucca plant, from which fiber is made.

In this way, he said, enough Guayule and Yucca could be sown on the 750,000,000 acres of public land available in the southwest to supply all the nation's rubber and fiber needs. Normal supplies of the two products from the Far East have been cut off by the war.

Dr. Adams says he has invented a machine for sowing the seeds by plane. The seeds, with fertilizers and an insect repellent, would be metered into pellets and dropped from a plane after the region's infrequent rains have softened the earth. Thus, he said, 50 to 60 acres could be planted in five minutes.

In like manner, grass could be sown. The Guayule and Yucca, native to the region, would "hold the soil" and protect the grass from heavy rains. The resulting improved grazing would greatly increase the livestock productivity of Texas, Arizona, New Mexico and Southern California, Dr. Adams said.

Schools At Purcell Open On Saturdays

PURCELL, Okla., Jan. 20 (AP)—Other public school pupils throughout Oklahoma had their usual Saturday holiday—but it was just another school day for 650 Purcell youngsters.

McClain county teachers originated the idea as a means of aiding in the war emergency—to allow students to begin their summer vacation three weeks earlier, enabling them to work at defense jobs left vacant by men called to the colors.

Ernest Baker, county superintendent, said the Purcell experiment has the approval of the state board of education, and may be adopted on a state-wide basis if it proves successful.

Japs Put Marines To Hard Labor In Camps, Say Chinese

CHUNGKING, Jan. 19 (AP)—Chinese reports said today that United States Marines captured by the Japanese at Peiping had been put to hard labor in an internment camp.

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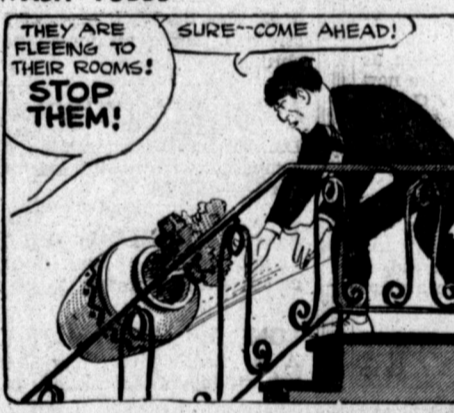
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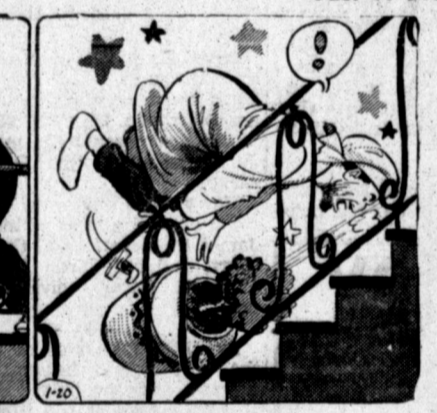
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It Looks As 'Ins' Definitely Have Inside Track In Texas

By HOWARD C. MARSHALL, Associated Press Staff

At the start of another political year in Texas, it looks as if the "ins" definitely have the inside track.

The capital dopesters say they have.

Of course, not all the "ins" will win. Neither do the inside horses always. But they have an advantage, at the start at least.

When the country faces a great crisis, like a war, the people incline heavily against making changes in public offices. They seem to reason it's bad business to swap mounts in mid-stream, perhaps that inexperienced officials might make mistakes while learning new jobs. They hate to disturb the status quo. They're thinking of other things. They can't

be worked up over claims of rival candidates. They vote for names that are familiar, or don't vote at all, which helps the men in office.

Moreover, it is difficult to attack an office-holder when a war is raging, especially if there is nothing very wrong with him.

The people generally want unity, and many frown on anyone who starts lambasting members of the government. An official may have little ability, but the voters are likely to think he is doing his best, and it is unpatriotic to hamstring him. Even if they don't like him, they may conclude they will tend to him later on.

Especially important this year, during a war there is less money available for politics. It goes for other purposes. Campaign chests are very lean, which hurts the "outs" more than the "ins".

There will be thousands of candidates, but as a result of the war condition, the field as a whole will be smaller than normal, it is expected.

Senator W. Lee O'Daniel, Texas' 23rd member of the National House of Representatives, all of the 150 state representatives, 15 members of the State Senate's 31, and most other state, district and county officials, including the judiciary must stand for re-election, seek other offices or retire.

The probability is that most will do the first, run for their present offices, Austin political sources predict.

You can safely bet your bottom dollar that every candidate will have one plank in his platform.

That will be support of the American war effort. Another emphasized plank or two, will be to take care of his territory, will be the desirability of no strikes.

Most candidates will call for reduction of non-war expenditures by government and will declare against new state taxes.

As usual, there will be many local issues.

The spot will play most brightly on the race for U. S. senator.

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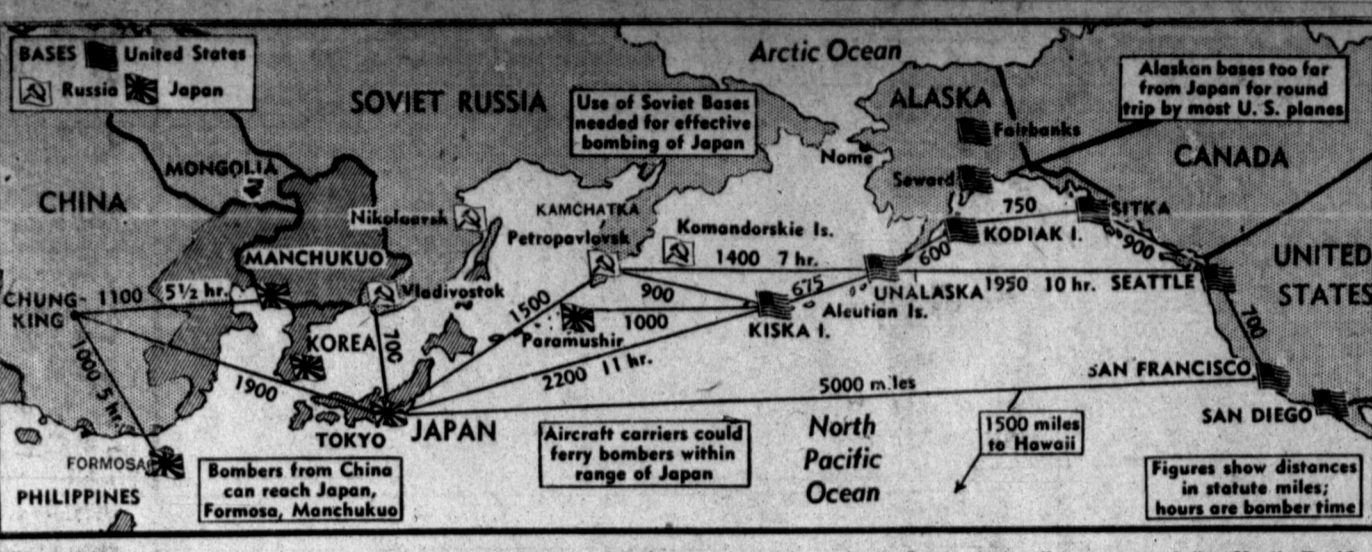
DEC. 16, 1941-- ALLEN NARROWLY ESCAPES DEATH ON BRITISH CRUISER, GAL/TEA, TORPEDOED AND SUNK BY NAZIS IN MEDITERRANEAN-- GOES BACK ON THE JOB.

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ARCTIC STEPPING STONES FORM SHORTEST ROUTE TO JAPAN



U. S. island stepping stones on the edge of the Arctic are the shortest bomber route to Japan, but mileage map of the North Pacific battlefront shows America's need for bases in Russia. U. S. bombers with 3500-mile ranges can reach only northernmost Jap islands from Alaska.

governor and attorney general, if there are enough issues and candidates within them to focus upon.

Conceivably—some put it stronger than that—there might be so little of a contest for those offices that interest would center elsewhere, say, in local titles.

This considers the possibility that O'Daniel, Governor Coke R. Stevenson and Attorney General Gerald C. Mann will run for their present posts and have unimportant opposition.

Currently, O'Daniel is considered in capital political circles as certain to ask election to a full six-year term as senator.

Stevenson also is expected to seek an elective, two-year term. O'Daniel is serving out the unexpired part of Senator Morris Sheppard's term and Stevenson that of O'Daniel as governor.

The question is what will Mann do. Will he challenge either O'Daniel or Stevenson? Will he ask a third term as attorney general? Will he retire? None considers the last seriously.

General opinion in Austin is that Mann himself does not know and is waiting on time to light his course.

There has been a rumor that he is a possibility for appointment to the vacant federal judgeship in the San Antonio-Austin district.

Congressman Lyndon B. Johnson, runner-up to O'Daniel in last summer's special senatorial election and long considered a potential opponent of O'Daniel this year is out of it. He's joined the Navy.

Nothing has been heard in a long time from Congressman Martin Dies, another who lost in the special election.

Off and on for months, Congressman Wright Patman of Texas has been making noises like a candidate for the senate, and, some suggest, should not be counted out.

Patman is a veteran of the last World War, and has two sons in the military services, Connor, 21, field artillery, and Harold, 20, in the Marines.

Talk prevalent before the war that Federal Judge James V. Allred might challenge O'Daniel has subsided.

Joe Steinhilber of Austin, railway brotherhood legislative representative and state labor leader, has announced for the senate on what amounts largely to an anti-O'Daniel platform.

Nearly everybody about the state-house agrees that the war has help-

ed O'Daniel's chances for election, perhaps won it for him.

Indications have been pretty plain that this early anti-strike stand rang the bell, he is one of the outstanding "ins", and his showmanship abilities, in a war setting, will have grand opportunities.

If the effort should be necessary, he is judged fully able to put on red, white and blue pyrotechnics which will shade the showmanship of all his previous campaigns.

One veteran observer advanced this idea.

"The only way to beat O'Daniel is for some outstanding citizen, with no political record, to take him on. Such a man was Justice Charles Ewan Hughes, who ran against Wilson. Another was Dr. Butte, who opposed Ferguson."

Reports from Washington are that all of Texas members of the national house—if none runs against O'Daniel—will ask re-election.

Eugene Worley of Shamrock, as well as Johnson, has joined the navy. The pair will not be able to do any campaigning, but doubtless their names will be on the ballot. Friends will take care they are kept before the public.

Opposition to some has cropped out. Before the war, Tom Martin, a cousin, had announced for Johnson's place. Senator Houghton Browne of Austin has offered to hold it "in trust." Charles L. South of Coleman has opposition from Harry Knox, Jr., O'Daniel appointee to the state board of control.

Since the problem of an incumbent will not be presented in the race for lieutenant governor, the outlook there is for a free-for-all.

Who runs for attorney general depends on what Mann does.

Filings asking re-election already have been made by J. E. McDonald, agricultural commissioner; Bascom Giles, land commissioner; and L. A. Woods, state superintendent of public instruction.

Ernest O. Thompson, said he will be a candidate for re-election to the railroad commission, and George Sheppard has spoken similarly with regard to the office of comptroller.

Jesse James will seek election as state treasurer, which office he now holds under appointment by Governor Stevenson. Harry McKee, former state representative, may oppose James, as may former Rep. Lon E. Alsop.

Harry N. Graves, judge of the court of civil appeals, Chief Justice James P. Alexander of the supreme court, and one-third of the judges of the 11 courts of civil appeals are up.

By all simple rules of reasoning, the vote should be smaller than normal, and far below the record of 1,193,029 set in the first primary of 1940.

Many voters will be in military service; others have left their home districts to work elsewhere; there's the element of lessened interest; so far no arousing issue has appeared and none is in sight.

In the war year of 1918, there was a very heavy vote for that day. A total of 678,491 votes were cast in the race for governor, in which William Pettus Hobby defeated James E. Ferguson.

But women had just been granted the ballot, and there was the issue of "Fergusonism." Late in 1917 Ferguson had been impeached and removed from office.

In 1914, when Ferguson beat T. H. Ball, 428,620 votes had been polled. In 1916, the total was 421,903 as Ferguson, running for a second term, defeated Charles H. Morris and H. C. Marshall.

After the war, in 1920, 449,800 votes were cast in the first primary for governor, Joseph Weidon Bailey leading Pat M. Neff. But in the runoff, with 448,777 votes, Neff defeated Bailey.

In other words, the war year of 1918 witnessed the highest vote in an eight-year period.

Loop Politician Dies
CHICAGO, Jan. 20 (AP)—Dennis (the Duke) Cooney, 62, wealthy Loop politician whom State's Attorney Thomas J. Courtney said he had been seeking for questioning about gambling, died tonight of a heart ailment in Mercy hospital.

After authorities learned that Cooney was in a hospital, Wilbert Crowley, first assistant prosecutor, ordered a subpoena prepared for his appearance before the grand jury but it was not served because of his critical condition.

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Friday and Saturday: "Forbidden Trails," Buck Jones.

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oner On Devils Island," with Sally Eilers and Donald Wood.
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A clearing house of information has provided an effective means for interchange of surplus parts among plane manufacturers, the department of commerce says.

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