

Requests for Aid In Building Tanks Being Received

Continued receipt of requests for aid in tank construction preparations has been reported by County Agent Elmo V. Cook from ranchers in the 1937 range conservation program.

The requests cover running survey lines for checking dirt already on the location and giving necessary information for the building of new tank locations.

Among applications are those of Dr. A. K. Wier of Ranger, R. H. Hodges of Ranger, J. D. Cook of Alameda, Ross Laird of Okra, T. B. Garrett of Carbon, Guy Stoker of Morton Valley, Mrs. C. Owen of Cisco, Mr. Hill of Reagan, F. S. Boland of Scranton, Joe Donaway of Dothan, R. W. Gordon of Ranger, J. S. Fonville of Desdemona.

Cook has already assisted L. Gailey of Tudor, I. S. Echols of Staff, Dr. E. C. Blackwell of Gorman, George P. Fee of Cisco, J. I. Lamkin of Colony, N. C. Gailey of Tudor, J. O. Allen of Tudor, Dan Childress of Reagan, W. T. Duncan of Staff, Ben A. Brown of Cisco and Cecil Shults of Rising Star.

Stroke Suffered By Man Is Fatal

A paralysis stroke experienced July 11 in Eastland proved fatal to J. C. Ardis, 73, of Lingleville, it was learned here Monday.

The aged man died Wednesday in a Breckenridge hospital to which he was taken following the stroke, it was stated, and funeral services conducted Thursday at Elliasville.

Ardis was stricken while talking a friend, B. E. McGlamery, on an Eastland street. He was awaiting a bus for a visit at Elliasville. He was brought to Eastland from Lingleville to take the bus trip by a daughter, Mrs. Roy Crow, and her husband.

Game Specialist's Arrival Delayed

Another date for the conference of R. E. Callender, game management specialist for the extension service, College Station with members of the county game conservation committee and County Agent Elmo V. Cook is to be arranged because of the officials inability to be in Eastland July 29.

Callender, in a letter to Agent Cook, stated he is required to attend a short course committee meeting and monthly conference at College Station which will prevent his Eastland conference.

Vocational Work Assigned to Moore

M. H. Moore of Fort Worth has been assigned to the supervision of vocational rehabilitation work for the State Department of Education in this district, according to B. E. McGlamery of Eastland, who formerly conducted the work.

McGlamery formerly was supervisor of vocational rehabilitation and crippled children's division work for the State Department of Education but recently assigned to the latter duties exclusively.

Likewise, Moore formerly was crippled children's division supervisor in Fort Worth area, later getting the assignment to handle vocational work alone. Moore has 34 counties in the district, McGlamery 38.

Arranging Four-H Program at Abilene

A girls' 4-H club program is being arranged for presentation August 9 over radio station KRBC in Abilene, Miss Cornelia Faye Stewart, assistant home demonstration agent, has announced.

Home at Olden Is Sold to Eastlandite

Marvin A. Jordan has sold his home and three acres of land at Olden to J. R. Thomas of Eastland. Jordan and family left following the transaction for California with a view to locate in that state.

Plans In Making For Women, Girls Going to Course

Eight home demonstration club members and three 4-H club girls will attend the annual farmer's short course at College Station beginning August 16 for four days, extension agents announced Saturday.

The Eastland County Federation of Women's clubs is paying a portion of the expense of three women from the County Home Demonstration Council who will represent all home demonstration clubs of the county at state home demonstration association sessions at the course. Those to attend from the council are Mrs. W. B. Starr of Dan Horn, Mrs. Cyrus Justice of Flatwood, Mrs. M. W. Jenkins of Gorman. Five other delegates will be chosen from Reich, Alameda, Sabanno, Ranger and Morton Valley clubs. If the county is allowed a larger allotment of delegates they will be chosen from clubs at New Hope, Bass Lake, Dan Horn, Flatwood, Morton Valley and Alameda.

Winners of judging canned products and clothing contests at a 4-H club girl encampment in Eastland this month will be awarded trips to the course. The Junior Thursday club of Eastland and the county federation will pay part of the expenses. Others will be chosen from the clubs in the county.

Miss Ruth Ramey, county home demonstration agent, and Miss Cornelia Faye Stewart, her assistant, will also attend. The group will go in a bus furnished and driven by W. E. Lusk of Sabanno.

Old Desdemona Settlers to Hold a Reunion In August

Saturday, August 14 is the date set for the sixth annual Old Settlers' Reunion to be held again this year in Desdemona, it was reported here this week.

The reunion association was organized six years ago in commemoration of the bringing in of the Duke oil well at Desdemona in 1918, which ushered in one of the most exciting oil booms that has ever been known.

In memory of those days, the Prosperity that came to the people of that section and to bring together former residents of Desdemona whose exodus from the community followed in the wake of the boom, the Old Settlers Association was formed and has brought together people who have been away from there for twenty years.

Dee Lewis is president and Miss Emma Genoway is secretary of the association.

Community Fair Dates Are Fixed

Reports Saturday showed six communities have set dates for annual fairs.

The dates are: Sept. 9, New Hope; Sept. 10, Flatwood; Sept. 11, Kokomo; Sept. 13, Morton Valley; Sept. 14, Sabanno; Sept. 15, Shady Grove. Also planning community fairs are Crocker and Alameda.

The eleventh annual county fair will be at Eastland, Sept. 16-18. Rising Star will have its annual fair Sept. 24 and 25.

Second Week Jury To Report July 26

Eighty-eight district court has ordered that jurors drawn by a commission for the second week of its current term be summoned for service for the fourth week of the term beginning Monday, July 26, at 9 a. m.

Adults Are Taught To Play at School

PARIS—A school where adults can learn to play with toys is the idea which Mme. Jeanne Valreux is successfully developing in a fashionable part of Paris.

Mme. Valreux believes that adults need relaxation after the strain of a busy day's work and find it in playing with toys. A newspaperman who visited her school saw an elderly lawyer building houses out of miniature bricks and a bearded professor of the Paris University playing with a miniature railway, assisted by other gray-haired business men.

"These hard-working people forget all their worries here," Mme. Valreux said. "It is better than a gymnasium course. But as a matter of fact this grown-up playroom is a mental gymnasium."

Appeals Are Filed In Accident Suits

Two suits appealing from awards of the Industrial Accident Board have been filed recently in 88th district court.

Gordon Whitaker, suing Hartford Accident & Indemnity company, protested in his suit a ruling of the board that he receive \$48.62 for temporary partial incapacitating injuries allegedly suffered while in employ of the Republic Insurance company, January 28, this year, when a ladder slipped while he was painting for the firm. Whitaker is asking for 60 per cent of \$12.46 for 401 weeks. The award of the board was made June 11.

Claude L. Tully asks from the Hartford Accident & Indemnity company \$8,020 for alleged injuries experienced August 10, 1936, while scaling a car of gasoline for the Lone Star Gasoline company one and a half miles west of Eastland. The ruling protested was returned June 24 by the Industrial Accident Board.

20 TO ATTEND SHORT COURSE FROM COUNTY

Approximately 20 Eastland county farmers will attend the annual Farmers' Short Course at Texas A. & M. College at College Station during August 16-19, according to Extension Agent Elmo V. Cook.

Cook, announcing plans Tuesday, asserted the trip by the farmers will be by bus leaving Eastland Sunday morning preceding the opening of the course Monday.

A camping site has been chosen for the group between the college and Hyman. Electricity and other conveniences will be available. Following close of the meeting the Eastland county farmer group, including Cook, will go to Galveston for a one-day recreational feature. The group returns Saturday.

Already tentatively signed up for the trip, which will cost each person approximately \$10, are Dick Weekes of Alameda, T. E. Castleberry of Morton Valley, T. D. Whiteburn, Jr., of Carbon and C. E. Hatbrock of Colony.

Describing the short course, Cook explained: "The practice of offering a series of courses on varied subjects during the entire period of the short course has been discontinued except in a few instances. Instead, farmers will find that each of the four days of the short course has been devoted to one broad field of agriculture. The mornings will be taken up with a series of discussion, and in the afternoons the program will be broken up into sections which will give each individual an opportunity to learn more of the subject in which he is most interested."

"The four subjects which have been chosen and the days on which they will be presented are: livestock, Monday; horticulture, Tuesday; field crops and soil, Wednesday, and farm business and organization, Thursday.

"Special courses will be offered in dairy manufacture, cotton classing, leather making and poultry."

"The Odd Fellows and Rebekahs of Ranger are making great preparations for entertaining the secretaries of the L. O. O. F. Grand Lodge bodies of Texas in their annual meeting in Ranger on Aug. 9. Joe Calder, secretary of Ranger I. O. O. F. Lodge, is chairman of the committee and is planning a royal welcome for the largest meeting the association has ever held, with a constructive program that will give a working plan for the lodges for 1937-38.

Ranger is to be the scene of the 17th annual convention of the secretaries and wives of the lodge when to meet on Aug. 9. This is a statewide meeting and will bring the secretaries of the Odd Fellows and Rebekah Lodges from throughout Texas to Ranger.

Odd Fellows Plan Big Convention In Ranger On Aug. 9

A large group of Grand Officers of the Order, and Odd Fellows and Rebekah members will be present. This will be one of the most outstanding and most constructive meetings of the Order in years and a large attendance is anticipated.

"The feeling that the lumber interests and paper mills are going to destroy the forests is incorrect. Trees now standing will be benefitted by freedom from undergrowth. As they are cut they will be replaced. The large mills have been planting trees for 10 years. They cannot afford to have the forests destroyed."

State Reports King Ranch Mystery Solved; Ranger is Suspended for Jailing Prober



When a Texas Ranger and three Willacy County, Texas officers jailed Louis Lamadrid, right, and refused to obey a writ of habeas corpus for his release, County Judge W. E. McCharen, left, of Raymondville, fined and sentenced them to three days in jail. Lamadrid, a special constable, was investigating the disappearance of Luther and John Blanton, father and son of the famed King Ranch several months ago. His arrest renewed enmity between the small ranchers in Willacy County and the King Ranch rulers. Later the ranger, Powey Fenner, was suspended and Col. H. H. Carmichael, state director of public safety, announced the Blanton mystery had been solved and the solution would be made public shortly.

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There Is No "Political Shade" in Texas As Politics Is Hot The Year Around

BY WALTER CRONKITE United Press Staff Correspondent AUSTIN—It's a pretty dead profession now but at one time the boys who wrote the titles for the silent movies practiced a rather lively art.

There was a chance for real originality. There was one named here who wrote a 15-word prelude to a saga of dashing cowboys and treacherous Indians.

"Down in Texas, where it is 110 in the shade — and there ain't no shade," he wrote.

If that entrepreneur of phraseology were here today, he could see that his words were not so far from the truth — that it is 110 in the shade and there just isn't any shade. But it isn't the sun that sends the mercury soaring down here where the West supposedly begins—it's politics.

Politics has a way of cooling off after an election, then growing hotter and hotter until an explosive day in August every other year. Just a vicious cycle.

A full year lies between these days and the July of a campaign year, yet under the dome, there is no political shade.

Lieutenant Governor Walter Woodul blew cold on the rumor that he would be a candidate for the governor's chair in 1938.

His friends have been blowing hot, then blowing cold on the idea—a political phrase indicating indecision.

Last week-end in Austin, however, Woodul found time to dictate to Mrs. Olivia Smith, his secretary, a definite statement to the effect that he would not be a gubernatorial candidate.

At the same time, however, the big Houston lawyer announced that, "in line with my chosen profession, the law, I will announce my candidacy."

"Novelty of the method used by Attorney General William McCraw in attempting to win for Texas inheritance taxes of some \$6,000,000 from the estate of the late Col. E. H. R. Green today had won the attention of eastern legal academicians," a press release revealed early this week.

It goes on to say that "copies were received here of a comprehensive discussion of the case—termed 'a method hitherto untried'—by the Yale Law Journal, one of the nation's outstanding law magazines devoted to reviews of novel and abstruse points of law."

A very nice feather for the brilliant young lawyer's cap.

Maybe it is such as this that furnishes the fuel that lights the fire sending the political thermometer soaring.

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Largest Privately Owned Hatchery Located at Waco

WACO, Texas—The World's largest privately owned black bass hatchery is owned by Nathan Patten, Waco attorney, about 18 miles north of Waco.

Patten first became interested in the propagation of the largemouth bass 14 years ago as a hobby and it has cost him more than \$25,000.

In the hatchery are 21 spawning and rearing pools, and five fishing lakes that cover more than 135 acres. These are all fed by two large springs that discharge 750,000 gallons of 98 per cent pure water daily and maintain the output the year round. Seasonal changes or local rainfall do not change the flow of the springs, the largest of which covers an area of more than an acre.

The ponds average about an acre each and are so arranged that the water levels flow from pond to pond before finally going into a main lake, over a dam and into an outlet stream.

A 1,000-foot concrete flume feeds the ponds with gravity flow. Each pond is equipped with drain gates and valves and may be drained, cleaned then refilled in a few hours without disturbing any of the others.

With this equipment Patten can grow a pound and a half bass in nine months. Two light plants furnish lights placed near the water that attract the myriad insects for natural food source.

Patten recently placed 17,000 bass, all over "keeping length" and 11,000 crappie in the five fishing lakes. Two new lakes with dams averaging 850 in length will be permitted to fill this fall. One of the new lakes will be stocked with perch only. Many ducks winter on the lakes and some remain during the summer months.

Governor's Handicap Started at Meeting Of Newspapermen

AUSTIN—The Governor Alford Handicap, a special sweepstake event for 71-pound watermelons or better, was off in a burst of speed, this week.

So far, there is just one entrant—a beautiful delectable tidbit of 71 pounds.

It was brewed in the minds of newspapermen at a press conference, scarcely a minute after Alford announced that he would cut the prize-winning melon with the reporters as his guests. He asked them to aid him judge Stockdale's claim of agricultural superiority.

"Counties that want to submit watermelons may send them to me and I'll get all you fellows (newspapermen) in here and we'll pass on them," Alford laughed.

He promised, "really and truly," to select the best melon, "regardless of political circumstances."

The Stockdale entry ran the handicap course in Alford's office that same afternoon in remarkably short time, flat. Nearly a dozen newsmen rode it to an awe-inspiring finish.

ON HONOR ROLL

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GETS A BY-LINE. First goal of most young writers—getting a "by-line" designation him as the author of a story—has been reached by Earl Braly, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Braly of Eastland. Young Braly, a sophomore journalism student at Texas Technological college at Lubbock, works afternoons on the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal.

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Man Who Expired At Home Where He Was Born Is Buried

Funeral services for John C. Harrell, 44, who died Thursday in the Colony community at the farm home of his mother where he was born, was conducted Saturday morning at the Church of Christ in Eastland. Heart trouble was the cause of death.

John G. Bills, pastor of the Church of Christ at Pueblo, Colo., and former pastor at the Eastland church, officiated. Burial was in Eastland cemetery.

Harrell had been ill five years. Prior to his illness he had farmed near Eastland and had been an oil field worker. He was a veteran of the World War in which he served overseas.

At the time of his death he had been on a visit with his mother, Mrs. Ella Harrell.

Survivors are his mother, Mrs. Ella Harrell; his widow, Eastland; three children, Mrs. Alene Shuppard of Abilene, Frances and Carolyn Harrell; two brothers, Tom Harrell of Tyler and Tiff Harrell of Ranger, and one sister, Mrs. Floyd Vaughn of Lamesa.

Funeral services were held at the funeral home of Mrs. W. R. King of Gorman, Rev. and Mrs. Avery Rogers of Gorman, Clyde King of Stephenville and Mrs. N. O. Whitfield and daughter of Gorman.

Arrangements for the rites were by Hamner Undertaking company, Eastland.

Eastland Woman to Address Group at A&M Short Course

Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins, Eastland club woman, has accepted an invitation to address a general assembly of delegates at the annual farmers' short course at College Station Monday morning, August 16.

Mrs. Perkins has been associated with county club work many years. This year she is chairman of the yearbook committee of the Eastland County Federation of Women's clubs of which she is a past president. Also Mrs. Perkins is recording secretary of the Texas Federation of Women's clubs and a past president of the sixth district, T. F. W. C.

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EGG LAYING CONTEST ASKED

FRESNO, Cal.—The California Baby Chick Association wants to find out if a little up-to-date

competition wouldn't make hens speed up their hatching. It has asked for a \$10,000 state appropriation for a statewide egg laying contest.

False Burglar Alarm Interrupts Prowler

DALLAS, Texas.—When Edd Lott, J. R. Riley and Homer Platt accidentally tripped a burglar alarm at a grocery warehouse they were ready to apologize for the error—but R. D. Dickson, grocery concern manager, gave them his thanks instead.

The sound of the car-splitting alarm caused a prowler to leave his pile of loot which included cash and cigarettes and skin down a drainpipe. Nightwatchman Rhodes saw him, however, and gave chase. The burglar escaped but nothing was missing from the store.

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Nicaraguan Cadet Joins Caterpillars

DALLAS.—A week ago Armand Martinez, 23-year-old Nicaraguan student aviator, asked a flying instructor if it was difficult to leap from a falling airplane. Today he had learned it was quite simple—and he had experience to prove it.

His airship in a spin, Martinez attempted to level his machine out but with no success. He fought the plane's controls while it fell nearly 4,000 feet, then he jumped. Martinez' parachute opened and he floated safely to earth to become a member of the Caterpillar club, unofficial fraternity of flyers who have saved their lives by "bailing out" of falling planes. Nervously perspiring from his experience, Martinez received the congratulations from his fellow flyers for his safe landing. But Martinez was not to be cheered, for he could only think of the \$5,000 monoplane that didn't land safely.

Bushy Creek Project Will Get Houses

MARLIN, Texas.—Eight fire-proof semi-Spanish type buildings will be constructed on the Bushy Creek Watershed Studies project of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, Soil Conservation Service, located nine miles north of Marlin in Falls county, Ralph Baird, project manager, has announced. F. A. Mote, Dallas, was awarded the contract on a low bid of \$59,888, Baird said. Construction will start in Early Aug., and these buildings for the study of soil erosion control methods in Falls County are the second of 10 such stations to be erected in the United States by the government. Site of these buildings is on part of tract of 841.3 acres in Falls County bought by the government for these experiments. Payroll during operation of this station, which extends for a period of 5 years or more, will be \$50,000 per year, it is estimated.

Depressions might be easier to take if the banker could be persuaded to offer one on the house after every third check he cashes.

ABLE ISN'T ABLE TO MOVE

PAINESVILLE, O.—While Able stares blankly into space, a tree grows beneath his feet. A vigorous "never-say-die" locust tree, which had been uprooted last year to discourage growth, has again sprouted this season beneath Able's feet. And Able can't move. He's a stone statue gracing one of the sides of the courthouse steps.

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TWO EAGLE BOATS JUNKED

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HAMBURGER MEAT, Lb. 10c	VEAL CHUCK STEAK, Lb. 15c	BANANAS 2 DOZEN 25c
BIG BOLOGNA, Lb. 10c	WILSON'S Half or Whole PICNIC HAMS, Lb. 27c	LEMONS DOZEN 19c
DRY SALT BACON, Lb. 25c	FULL CREAM CHEESE, Lb. 21c	Texas Red POTATOES 10 LBS. 15c
PORK SAUSAGE, Lb. 20c	DRESSED FRYERS, Lb. 25c	20 LBS. 25c
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Boom Goes On In The World Sale Of Old Scrap Iron

BY EDWARD M. STRODE
United Press Staff Correspondent
NEW ORLEANS. — Between 5,000 and 10,000 tons of scrap iron are being shipped from this port every week, according to estimates. The metal goes to Italy, Japan, Poland, Belgium, England, Germany and Mexico.

Huge piles of scrap iron, copper, brass, aluminum and tin cans can be seen here one day, but they are gone the next. Relatively high prices are being paid by foreign nations and the junk business has brought boom times to thousands.

Today great combines and syndicates have been organized to handle the nation's cast-off metals. These combines work through the parent company down to the ragamuffins of the alleys who wander through the back streets picking up iron, cans, brass and copper to sell for a few nickels to the local agent. The agent in turn sells it to a trucker. The trucker hauls it to the company dump and again sells it for a good profit.

Goes for Armament
The "Junkers" know and admit, that a great part of the metal they sell is going to be used in the manufacture of munitions—which some time might be used against this country. But, they say, they must make a living.

Iron is bringing around 9 1/2 cents a pound in New Orleans. Brass and copper bring as much as 14 cents. Aluminum sells for about the same.

Scrap iron collected from as far north and west as central Oklahoma, and as far east as Mobile, Miss., eventually reaches the docks here.

Freight agents are glad to get cargoes of scrap for their vessels. The rate is high—as much as \$11 a ton, and a ton of iron takes far less space than a ton of cotton, which pays about the same rate.

So great has been the demand for tin in Italy that one enterprising dealer sold a load of dismantled taxicab doors to the Italian government. The doors were loaded into an Italian freighter without having the wood, upholstery or broken glass removed.

Iron is Conditioned
Solid "chunk" iron brings the best price. Before being loaded aboard a freighter the metal must be "conditioned." Conditioning consists of cutting the metal into pieces not more than 5 feet long, 18 inches wide and 18 inches thick. Steel rails, ship plates, railroad wheels and parts, form the most lucrative items of the trade, but iron bolts, discarded nails, pipes, radiators, all go into making up a full cargo for a freighter.

Particularly pleased are ship agents when they can carry a full cargo of scrap. One voyage out of New Orleans to Japan paid \$80,000 in freight rates. Such cargoes are loaded by the shipper, with freightage paid by the consignee. The consignee also unloads the cargo.

Rising foreign prices have made it possible for the "junkier" to salvage many iron objects formerly not considered worth the effort. One dealer bought an old war-time iron ship, weighing about 100 tons. The vessel had never been completed, had been towed into the Rigolets below New Orleans, and used as quarters for a bridge crew. Later the dismantled ship burned. He realized a profit of about \$800 on the ship. He purchased it cheap, cut it up, hauled it to the dump and sold it as No. 1 iron.

Tin Cans Compressed
Tin cans are being hauled from municipal trash heaps and smashed by a giant compressor into compact, suit-case-size parcels for cargo. The tin brings a high price in foreign nations.

A compressor for such work costs about \$35,000 and must have a tremendous market to enable the operator to show a profit for its operation.

Foreign markets are paying as high as \$17.50 a ton for New Orleans iron and steel. Prices for copper and brass are based on the need of the nation buying the material. Fabulous tales have been told of prices obtained for a cargo of brass for use in the manufacture of cartridge cases.

FINICKY APPETITES OFTEN ONE RESULT OF CONSTIPATION

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Not even formal morning clothes could disguise the military bearing of General "Black Jack" Pershing as he attended ceremonies inaugurating the American pavilion at the Paris Exposition, where he is pictured above. Scores of other notables attended the opening also.

German Fleet Is Likely to Get New Dreadnaughts Soon

SAN DIEGO, Calif.—Germany soon will abandon its famous "vest-pocket" battleships, according to a high naval officer. Instead of the 10,000-ton craft, which many experts once thought would revolutionize naval construction the world over, the Reich, in the near future will re-enter the world naval armament race by the construction of full-sized battleships.

Rear Admiral Robert Wittoeff-Emden, naval attaché to the German embassy in Washington, made that statement while inspecting the U. S. Navy bases at San Diego.

Wittoeff-Emden believes the practice of building the smaller-sized men-o-war soon will be forgotten. He explained that Germany undertook the construction of such ships only because it was forced to such action by the treaty of Versailles.

"The Versailles treaty placed a limit on the size of German warships and we found it necessary to build greater strength and speed into our 10,000-ton cruisers, which have been termed vest-pocket battleships," Wittoeff-Emden said.

It was the Deutschland, one of the Reich's "vest-pocket" fighters, which was bombed by Spanish loyalist planes while on patrol a few weeks ago, resulting in the shelling of Almeria by the German ships as an act of reprisal.

Continuing his discussion of the "vest-pocket" type battleships, Wittoeff-Emden explained "seaborn" for absolutely satisfactory operation, despite the stories of their great efficiency and concentrated power.

"Since our naval agreement with Great Britain last year we are allowed to construct ships with more elbow room, so we are going in for the full-sized battleships again," the admiral said.

Wittoeff-Emden refused to discuss the size or the details of the full-sized battleships he said his nation would construct. It is believed, in naval circles here, however, the Reich soon will construct battleships of the 35,000 ton class such as are to be built by the United States.

The German naval expert also refused to comment on the U. S. government's efforts to limit the size of guns on the capital ships of the world powers to 14 inches.

Golf Pupil Beats Teacher's Records

GEORGETOWN, Texas.—Johnnie McCook, 16, pupil of Dr. Claude Howard, golf coach at Southwestern University, beat his teacher in a surprise performance here.

Coach Howard had held a 66 record score on 18 holes and a 37 record on nine holes at the Georgetown Country Club. The young golf pupil broke both these records on one round. He shot a 65 in 18 holes, which included a record 31 for the incoming nine.

"No great professional golfer has played better than Johnnie did on the last 15 holes," Dr. Howard said. "He made seven birdies and one eagle, making nine under par."

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Leprosy Cure Is Claimed Possible By Witch Doctors

By United Press
BULUWAYO, Rhodesia.—Witch doctors in Rhodesia say they can cure leprosy, even when it is so far advanced that the white man's medicine is of no avail. A native, crippled by the disease, was carried into a native commissioner's office. The local witch doctor came with him. "Incurable," said the medical officer who examined the patient. "I guarantee to cure him," retorted the African practitioner. Three months later doctor and patient were back. The medical officer examined the patient and pronounced him completely cured. The witch doctor refused to explain how he did it, but hinted that the treatment was a drastic one, on the principle of "kill or cure."

A white prospector caught blackwater fever in a native reserve hundreds of miles from the nearest European settlement. His plight seemed hopeless except to the local witch doctor, summoned by his servant. The medicine man forced a dose of pink liquid between the lips of the patient, who was already sunk in the coma from which few awake. Within three hours the man was conscious, and in three days he was as fit as if he had never been ill. Not all the traditional remedies of African medicine are secret, and from those which the witch doctors are willing to reveal it appears that they have much genuine lore as herbalists. One of their best known preparations is made from the leaves and roots of a kind of willow. The natives use it to cure all manner of diseases, from child-birth fever to distemper in dogs. For colds, chills and malaria it is said to be better than quinine, and indeed it tastes remarkably like it.

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Victim of Gotham Racket Strife



New York's newest racket murder, in which the trussed body of Sam Silverman was found (above) on the floor of the car in which he had been taken for his last "ride," provides more ammunition for the war raged on organized extortion, gambling and vice by militant Special Prosecutor Thomas E. Dewey.

300 Per Year Is State's Child Loss Through Diphtheria

AUSTIN.—Texas loses more than three hundred of its children each year from one preventable cause, according to State Health Officer Geo. W. Cox. Diphtheria, that ever-present menace to children, was responsible in 1936 for 351 deaths.

No parent would allow his child to run in front of trains or automobiles, but many allow them to run the danger of contracting diphtheria. Prevention of diphtheria in children is a simple matter of inoculation with toxoid.

If you have a child six months old or more, take him to your family physician and ask to have a Shick test made to determine whether the child is susceptible or immune to diphtheria—for 75 to 90 per cent of children under 12 years of age are susceptible.

Information that as high as 90 per cent of all children under 12 are susceptible was gained from Shick tests carried out on thousands of children during the past decade, and indicates that young children should receive immunizing treatment against diphtheria without a preliminary Shick test. Such a test should, however, be carried out six months after preventive treatment, to make certain that immunity has been established. In older children and adults, a preliminary Shick test is advisable, since immunity may already be present.

Diphtheria immunization is accomplished by the injection of the toxoid. Your doctor can tell if the immunization was successful by giving you the Shick test four to six months after the last treatment of toxoid. It takes that long for protection to develop.

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"POCKET PARK" LAID OUT MINNEAPOLIS—The second "pocket park" being built in the neighborhood of Minneapolis by NYA workers has been plotted and landscaping is to start soon. The park, bordering part of a new highway, is only one-sixteenth of an acre in area.

SMUGGLERS WORRY CANBERRA—The government has found it necessary to increase its fleet of sea-going launches for the suppression of poachers and especially narcotic smugglers. A new craft has been ordered constructed at a cost of \$80,000 which will aid in the patrol off the Northern Australian waters.



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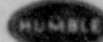


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