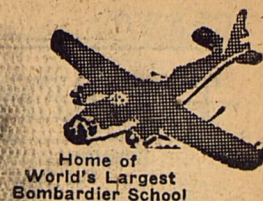




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SHATTERED CITY FALLS

Formosa Hit By Bombers; 35 Ships Lost

By LEONARD MILLMAN
Associated Press War Editor

Strong formations of U. S. carrier planes sweeping to within 100 miles of the China coast destroyed 221 Japanese planes, sank or damaged 35 ships and bombed Formosa from end to end, Admiral Chester W. Nimitz announced Friday.

The attack Wednesday was the heaviest blow in a series of daring strikes this week along more than 2,000 miles of Japan's inner defense line, which included new carrier raids on the Philippines and destruction of vital oil refineries at Balikpapan, Borneo.

Tokyo reported Friday the Pacific Fleet struck for the fifth time in five days with a repeat performance over Formosa Thursday.

The raids on the Philippines, Formosa, the Ryukyu Islands and Marcus, cost the Japanese 310 planes destroyed, 93 surface craft sunk or damaged, and demonstrated the fleet's ability to strike almost simultaneously at widely-scattered targets.

Nips Wouldn't Fight

The Japanese fleet failed to give battle, Nimitz said. No American ships were damaged. The only losses he listed in his incomplete reports were 22 American planes shot down over Formosa.

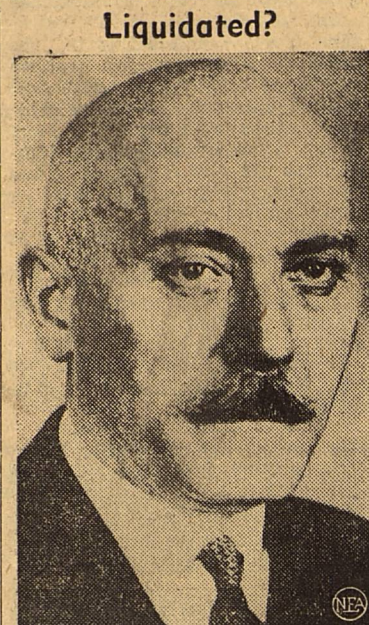
Tokyo asserted one U. S. aircraft carrier was sunk and another damaged in a night-long Japanese counter-attack after the first raid on Formosa, a stepping stone to the Philippines, 575 miles south of Japan. Tokyo broadcasts reported the 1,000 attacking American bombers and fighters, which it said included land-based planes from China, outnumbered the defending air force.

Thirty-two other planes were shot down over Balikpapan by waves of fighter-escorted Liberators, which Gen. Douglas MacArthur said probably permanently wrecked the cracking plant and heavily damaged the paraffin refinery.

Chinese belatedly acknowledged the loss of Foochow, last port city on the east coast opposite Formosa, and admitted only 60 miles separate Japanese forces overrunning the Manchurian-Hongkong railroad.

A Japanese column broke into Kweichow, 70 miles southeast of the U. S. air base at Litchow.

In Southwest Burma British beat off an artillery-supported counter-attack east of the enemy's Tiddim base. Allied raiders slashed through the jungles 22 miles south of Tiddim.



Liquidated?

Swedish reports declare that Count Friedrich Werner von der Schulenburg, above, the last German ambassador to Moscow and a creator of the 1939 Russo-German non-aggression pact, has been shot by a Nazi Elite Guard firing squad for alleged complicity in the attempt on Hitler's life last July.

Italian Campaign Speeds Up After Terrific Bombing

ROME — (AP) — Heavy fighting flared up in the hills along the Florence-Bologna road Friday following Thursday's massive air assault on German positions and installations south of Bologna, key communications center of the Po Valley.

Allied headquarters announced that Fifth Army troops took more than 900 prisoners in the new assault in the Central Italian sector.

Aided by warm weather, American forces pushed ahead in the wake of Thursday's tremendous aerial attacks and partly flanked the town of Livorno, 10 miles south of Bologna on highway 65, the communiqué said.

Resistance Still Stiff

The doughboys again encountered stiff enemy resistance. In describing the heavy fighting astride highway 65 the communiqué said "No material advances have been made."

Foot troops reached the summit of one hill only nine miles southwest of Castel San Pietro on the Bologna-Rimini road, while other forces captured Mount Delle Forniche, two and a half miles east of Livorno, where the fiercest fighting seems to have centered.

Thursday's pulverizing raids by American planes in their greatest blow yet in the North Italian campaign were made in an attempt to clear a pathway into the Po Valley for Fifth Army Forces which have been virtually stalled south of Bologna for two days by a Nazi deathstand.

Headquarters disclosed that the three heavy bombers and 17 other planes were missing from Thursday's aerial operations in the Mediterranean sector, which included strafing of airfields and other strategic targets in Austria and Hungary.

Russians Turn Hungary Into Racetrack

By DANIEL DE LUCE

MOSCOW — (AP) — Russian tanks and infantry stormed the centuries-old Junkers lands of East Prussia, barely nine miles northeast of the important city of Tilsit Friday, while in doomed Hungary the victorious Red Army raced for the 160-mile-distance Austrian frontier.

Great offensives against the northern and southern extremities of the Reich rolled back maimed German divisions like driftwood in a flood.

Hungary's admission of defeat was expected hourly. Russian columns were converging on Budapest along the main rail lines, approximately 60 miles east of the capital and reportedly less than that on the south. All major communications between Hungary and Serbia were reported in Russian hands.

No natural barriers stood in the way of Marshal Rodion Y. Malinovsky's four-pronged blitz on Budapest across the Hungarian plains.

Southern Hungary was a race-track for Russian armor. The Hungarians were reported resigned to the immediate loss of Kecskeket, rich provincial city famed for its peach brandy, situated 49 miles southeast of Budapest.

While the campaign in Hungary took on the appearance of a push-off offensive, East Prussia and the remainder of the German front of the Baltic coast was a heavy slug-fest. Raging assaults carried the Russians within five miles of the eastern limits of Riga and slashed into the siege defenses of Memel on the Baltic coastline.

The East Prussian line cracked beyond the frontier town of Sartinik. A watery shield for Tilsit, Punching south from Sartinik, the Russians faced the Niemen River—a watery shield for Tilsit. Russian troops driving on Tilsit from Slovakia were confronted by the big bend of the Szeszuppe River.

Strickland Says Rainey Matter Should Be Aired

PORT WORTH — (AP) — University of Texas Regent D. F. Strickland of Mission told the Star-Telegram Friday he will ask Board President John H. Bickett of Dallas to call a special regents' meeting to answer charges made Thursday by University President Homer P. Rainey.

"The President has asked for it," Strickland said. "He's got his differences with us, and we have some reasons too."

"The University belongs to 6,000,000 people, and the best way to deal with it is at a public meeting. There's been too much smoke; it ought to be gotten out in the open."

Appeal Made For Gifts To Complete War Chest Drive

Midlanders must contribute more than \$4,000 to the United War Chest before Saturday night if the county attains its \$19,327 quota this week, Chairman R. L. Miller said Friday.

Contributions totaled \$15,126.60 Friday as more citizens mailed in checks and visited War Chest headquarters in the Texas Electric Service Company to make contributions.

"Due to a lack of workers a large number of citizens are going to have to mail in their contributions, or bring them by War Chest headquarters, if we are to attain our quota Saturday," Miller declared.

Appreciation was expressed by Miller for the work being done by persons who are working in the campaign, and he said the public had cooperated splendidly.

Persons conducting the campaign ask each person to give two days' pay to the United War Chest.

"There probably has never been so many worthy causes combined in a campaign as in the United War Chest," Miller declared.

"The prisoners of war aid part of the United War Chest alone should inspire us to give, and give generously, to the War Chest. In addition to the prisoners of war

WAR AT A GLANCE

By The Associated Press

PACIFIC — Japs lose 221 aircraft, 35 ships sunk or damaged in American smash at Formosa; Tokyo says carrier-based raids continue second day.

WESTERN FRONT — Nazis still hold out at Aachen, major tank battle developing.

EASTERN FRONT — Russian column only 9 miles from Tilsit, East Prussian fortress.

ITALY — Heavy fighting flares along Florence-Bologna road.

CHINA — Chungking acknowledges Foochow's fall; Jap central coast pincers only 60 miles apart.

Dr. Rainey Says University Rift Is Remediable

AUSTIN — (AP) — President Homer P. Rainey of the University of Texas, who has been at odds with its board of regents for several years, Friday laid out his side of the public his side of the controversy in a 16-point enumeration of specifications which he said had brought disharmony.

Disclaiming any intention of indulging in personalities, the university president read before the faculty in special session a 26-page statement naming the regents and stating the principles upon which the differences arose.

Governor "Out Of It"

Answering questions at a press conference, Governor Coke R. Stevenson said that since the controversy had become a public forum he considered himself "out of it."

The Governor said Dr. Rainey had not approached him, directly or indirectly, with a request for mediation or arbitration.

The faculty cheered Dr. Rainey twice during his reading, but took no action after he had said that the purpose of the meeting was to hear his statement.

The university president told his faculty that the rift between him and regents was not irreparable, that he believed the administration could work with the board, if it would "recognize, guarantee and protect the essential freedoms of the university x x x of freedom of thought, freedom of research and investigation and freedom of expression" and if it would "recognize and observe" legitimate functions of administrative authorities.

Incident Brought Climax

Referring to the incident which brought the matter to a new climax, Dr. Rainey said:

"The recent effort on the part of one or more members of the board of regents to set limitations upon my activities and the attempt to restrict the freedom of the president of the university either directly or indirectly, is only the last in a long series of restrictive actions."

He was referring to Vice President J. Alton Burdine's statement that Regent D. F. Strickland of Mission had instructed him to tell Dr. Rainey he was making too much trouble.

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Carpenters Passes Cleared Of Germans

NEW YORK — (AP) — The Czechoslovak government has officially announced that all Carpenters Passes leading into Czechoslovakia have been cleared of German troops, BBC said Thursday in a broadcast recorded by NBC.

Flying Bombs Continue To Harass England

LONDON — (AP) — Flying bombs were launched over the North Sea against Southern England and the London area Thursday night.

Again the familiar "damage and casualties have been reported" appeared in the official announcement.

FDR ABREAST OF MOSCOW SITUATION

WASHINGTON — (AP) — President Roosevelt said Friday he is being kept fully abreast of the Churchill-Stalin conference in Russia, that he had no idea whether he will meet with the Russian premier this year.

Politicians Blast Voters With Appeal

By The Associated Press

An outpouring of appeals to the voters, covering foreign affairs, jobs, freedom and economy, swept over the country Friday, settling down largely to this: Elect our side or be sorry.

Two examples:

Senator Pepper (D-Fla.) told the free Italian-American Labor Council in New York that the presidential election is "a part of the war" and will determine how soon the war, with its wholesale killing, will end. Praising President Roosevelt, Pepper said Republican Nominee Dewey and the men around him "hate" England and Russia and "do not intend to work intimately with either."

Luce Speaks In St. Louis

Rep. Clare Boothe Luce (R-Conn.) said in a St. Louis speech that under the Roosevelt administration, "our government is exactly the kind of government the men who signed the Declaration of Independence wrote the Constitution planned against." She viewed the Democratic-Republican contest as "The New Deal State vs. the United States of America" and said the federal government now has more than 3,000,000 civilian employees, one for every 45 citizens.

President Roosevelt observed Columbus day Thursday by two brief radio speeches in which he said (1) Italians "will be free to work out their own destiny" after military operations in their country are ended, and (2) "our objective is to establish the solid foundations of the 'world peace organization' without waiting for the end of hostilities."

Dewey Returns

Dewey traveled back to Albany (Continued on Page 2)

Friday The Thirteenth Finds Superstitious Being Very Careful

NEW YORK — (AP) — Of course it's just superstition that Friday, or the 13th of the month, or Friday the 13th, is unlucky.

It's just an old wheeze like "Friday's a dry day" or "Hm. Come to think of it the country did go dry, or at least the 18th Amendment went into effect, on a Friday."

Pure coincidence, of course.

Maybe Friday wasn't lucky, either, for Solomon Grundy—"born on May 13, 1902, buried on Friday"—or for the speculators who lost their bids and tuckers in Wall Street's "Black Friday."

But what does that prove about the 13th?

Well, the record shows that an earthquake in Ecuador killed 200 on May 13, 1902, and a mine disaster at Cherry, Ill., claimed 259 lives on Nov. 13, 1909.

Unfortunate Declaration

It was on Dec. 13, 1941, that Hungary and Bulgaria declared war on the United States—an unlucky day for Hungary and Bulgaria—and on May 13, 1940, that the Netherlands forces capitulated to the Germans.

The first blood of the American Revolution was shed at Westminster, Vt., on March 13, 1775, and the United States declared war on Mexico on May 13, 1846. Long before the 13th Amendment abolished slavery, 13 slaves were put to death in New York.

All coincidence, of course, with no more meaning than the old Pennsylvania Dutch belief that fairies invade your house on Fridays. They won't hurt you if you say, "A blessing attend thee if you parting and traveling; this day is Friday and they will not hear us."

Nobody believes in that sort of thing nowadays, but this being Friday the 13th, and just to be on the safe side, shall we repeat in chorus:

"A blessing attend..."

War Bullefin

LONDON — (AP) — The Germans have quit Athens and declared it an open city, a Reuters dispatch from Cairo said Friday.

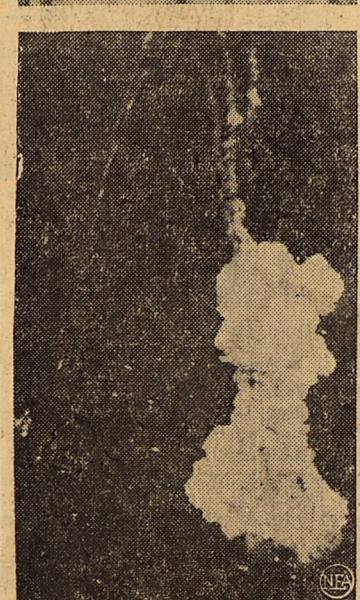
LONDON — (AP) — The German radio said Friday that Aachen had been virtually flattened by "an unprecedented steam-roller of fire."

LONDON — (AP) — The Berlin radio broadcast a Tokyo dispatch Friday asserting Japanese planes had delivered "a serious blow" against Allied airports on Noemfoor Island, on the northwestern fringe of New Guinea.

BUCHAREST — (AP) — Arrest of Romanians accused of war crimes began Friday. A decree authorized the government to use whatever measures needed to establish the political and criminal responsibilities of "the authors of the country's disaster."

ROME — (AP) — Gen. Sir Henry Maitland Wilson, supreme Allied commander in the Mediterranean, said in a broadcast Friday night that "a force under my command is about to land in Greece" and that the kingdom's liberation was at hand.

Destroy Destroyer



Photos above portray one of the most remarkable episodes of the war—a Japanese destroyer sunk by machine gun bullets. In top photo, taken from one of four attacking U. S. Navy Hellcats, destroyer maneuvers in vain as the U. S. planes strafe it. Finally their bullets penetrate an ammunition room or hit deck charges, and the ship goes up with a bang, as seen below.

Yank Bombers Reported In Vienna Attack

LONDON — (AP) — American bombers from Italy were reported attacking the Vienna area Friday after British Mosquitos bombed the port of Hamburg and other objectives in Western Germany before dawn.

One night plane was lost. A German minesweeper was set afire off the Dutch coast.

U. S. medium and light bombers based in France added their weight to the attack on Aachen by attacking bridges and road junctions outside the frontier Prussian city.

More Than 1,300 Sorties

The U. S. Ninth Air Force Thursday flew more than 1,300 sorties, 1,600 of them by fighter-bombers, in attacks on Aachen and German communications in the Ruhr, where 62 locomotives were destroyed and 31 damaged. Railways were cut at 26 places and 207 railway cars knocked out.

Long-range British Mosquitos Thursday zipped all the way to Czechoslovakia and Yugoslavia and destroyed 14 aircraft and damaged a number of others on the ground.

WEDNESDAY'S TOLL OF JAP SHIPS HEAVY

U. S. PACIFIC FLEET HEADQUARTERS, PEARL HARBOR — (AP) — United States carrier forces which bombed Formosa Wednesday destroyed 221 Japanese aircraft, sank 16 ships and damaged 19.

HEAVIER VOTE INDICATED

NEW YORK — (AP) — New York City registration Friday totaled 1,974,846 after 536,366 signed registration books Thursday. The four-day total in 1940 was 1,824,846.

Nazi Attempt To Reinforce Aachen Stymied By Yanks

By The Associated Press

LONDON — (AP) — A famous American infantry division fought its way into Aachen proper, once the proud capital of Charlemagne but now a smoking hulk of ruins, after capturing Friday all the suburban Schlachhof factory district of the northeastern outskirts.

The Germans wheeled up reinforcements, including one of their finest tank divisions, in a last-minute attempt to save the great frontier city of 165,000. The enemy counterattacked heavily at Bardenberg.

Opposition was surprisingly weak as the doughboys entered the city, which had been bombed and blasted for two days by hundreds of divebombers and an almost solid ring of heavy artillery plunging shells by the thousands into its ancient structures.

Entered Friday Morning

The American entered the city itself at 9:30 a. m., along a path blasted by artillery and mortars. The Yankees gingerly crossed 16 rows of trucks and started routing out dirty and bearded Germans holed up in the narrow streets which were cluttered with debris. The fighting was at close quarters, sometimes with bayonets, sometimes with small arms and it went from house to house, from street to street. Self-propelled artillery moved into the city with the infantry.

The Americans fought near fires in many parts of the old city.

The appearance of a fresh German armored division, shifted from the Arnhem sector in Holland, stirred expectation that a major tank battle would soon be joined.

Aachen, a city of 165,000 and the largest German town yet invested, was dissolved under the weight of American shells and bombs, but there was no sign of a break in the 1,500 to 2,000 Nazi SS troops who fought from the rubble and the sewers.

Heavy Counterattack

To the northeast of the smoke-ridden city, the Germans mounted a heavy counterattack in the Bardenberg area. Fighting intensified, too, at Wurselen and Haaren, the tips of the Allied spearheads crowded Cologne. A German pocket was destroyed at Wurselen three miles north of Aachen.

The Berlin radio gave conflicting accounts. One broadcast said the American assault had slackened and that the Aachen corridor had been (Continued on Page 2)

Italians To Rule Italy Says FDR

WASHINGTON — (AP) — President Roosevelt, saying the American Army entered Italy "not as conquerors but as liberators," has promised the Italian people that they "will be free to work out their own destiny" under a government of their own choosing when the Allies defeat Germany.

"The United Nations are determined that every possible measure be taken to aid the Italian people directly and to give them an opportunity to help themselves," the President said Thursday night in a radio address from the White House.

It was directed to the meeting of the Italian-American Labor Council in New York in acceptance of the Council's four freedoms award.

Addressed Leaders

Earlier, Mr. Roosevelt addressed chiefs of diplomatic missions from the other American republics on the occasion of Columbus Day. Recalling the million of Italians who have (Continued on Page 2)

Rubert A. Franks Killed In Action On Italian Front

Pfc. Rubert A. Franks, 22 of Midland County was killed in action September 14 in Italy, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Franks, who reside on a farm seven miles south of here, were informed Friday by the War Department.

He was an infantryman with the Fifth Army in the Italy war theater. He had been in the Army more than two years and overseas more than six months.

Two Brothers In Service

Most of his life was spent in Midland County. He attended school at Prairie Lea. Two brothers are in the armed services. Seaman William Franks in the Navy at San Diego, and Pfc. J. M. Franks Jr., an infantryman at Camp Hood.

Other survivors include two brothers, Joseph Franks of Glasscock County and Alfred of Midland; and four sisters, Miss Opal Franks of Midland, Mrs. Myrtle Walker of San Angelo, Miss Ella Marie Franks of Midland, and Miss Messie Louise Franks of Midland.

Road To Berlin

By The Associated Press

Western Front: 302 miles (from west of Duren).

Russian Front: 310 miles (from Warsaw).

Front: 560 miles (from Livorno).

Sun No. 1 Martin To Run Drillstem Test After Shows

By JAMES C. WATSON
Oil Editor

Sun Oil Company No. 1 Martin, South Andrews County wildcat, in section 17, block A-41, psi survey, is preparing to run a drillstem test to bottom at 4,356 feet, in the San Andres line.

Cores were taken at 4,320-38 feet, and at 4,338-56 feet. In the first cutting 16 feet of dolomite, with scattered excellent porosity, and with oil saturation, and bleeding oil, was recovered. The petroleum indications were in streaks of considerable thickness.

A description of the core at 4,338-56 feet had not been received in Sun's Midland office at mid-morning Friday. However, the crew had been instructed to go in with tools for a drillstem test.

Checking High

Top of the San Andres was marked at 4,195 feet. Elevation is 3,314 feet. Some correlations put that point rather high to the nearest producers from the upper Permian pay zone. The same reports make that point 112 feet high to the Stanolind Oil & Gas Company No. 1-D University, about four and one-half miles southwest of the Sun exploration.

This wildcat is contracted to the Halliburton, expected above 10,500 feet. It has been report high on practically all formations drilled through up to now.

About One Barrel Per Hour

Richmond Drilling Company No. 1 Nelson, section 34, block M. E. L. survey, Northwest Dawson County possible discovery from the upper Permian, swabbed for approximately one barrel of new oil per hour (Continued on Page 2)

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And God blessed the seventh day, and sanctified it: because that in it he had rested from all his work which God created and made.—Genesis 2:3.

'With 2 Pr. Pants'

A crusade for the return of the two-pants suit has been launched by Rep E. P. Scrivner, who is a Kansas Republican and, we have no doubt, a crusading knight whose blue serge trousers glisten as did the shining armor of the knights of old.

Scrivner addresses his plea for the status quo ante bellum in gents' clothing to OPA Director Chester Bowles. "Throughall the years of experience along with millions of others," says the petitioner, "I am convinced of the economy of the extra pair. In view of the . . . actual surplus of both wool and cotton, is there any possible chance of restoration of two-pants suits?"

This of course is a far cry from the days when the Republicans were not asking, but promising, things in two—two cars in every garage and two chickens in every pot. Nevertheless we believe Scrivner's modest petition will have a wide appeal.

"Two trousers on every hanger." It's a nice campaign slogan. It's a challenge to the OPA. And it will strike a responsive chord in millions of hearts.

What Scrivner actually is doing is pleading in an oblique sort of way for the white-collar worker. It might even turn out that the Kansas congressman is beating Vice President Wallace at his own game of championing the common man.

Like the weather, the white-collar worker's plight has been much talked about and little acted upon since the war began. Fixed income, little or no overtime and higher living costs create his big problem. But there are subdivisions. One of them strikes him, if we may come down to case, right in the seat of the pants.

This problem doesn't strike the man who stands at a machine all day, or the seated factory worker in overalls or coveralls. It doesn't affect the executive who can combat the destructive friction with a swivel chair by wearing a dozen suits in rotation. But it does matter to sedentary workers who must maintain a neat and deluding look at prosperity and still watch their budgets. For them an almost-new coat and a pair of seatless trousers to match are no joke.

Of course the two-pants suit creates its own problems. It requires care in alternate use of the spare parts. You just don't wear out one pair of trousers and start on the other, for use and frequent cleanings change the coat's shade and texture. It is no simple jacket-and-odd-slacks arrangement.

An there's no handy reminder to switch, like the blue toothbrush for morning and the red one for night.

But we imagine that millions would still like to undertake the two-pants responsibility again. And if they get it, they might elevate Scrivner to a niche in the hall of fame right beside Vice President Tom Marshall and his 5-cent cigar. They both knew what the people wanted.

—BUY WAR BONDS AND SAVINGS STAMPS—

Down On The Postwar Farm

It may be that the beating of swords into plowshares will take on a new twist after this war. Already the jeep, or some form of it, is promised for farm work. The Department of Agriculture says that some postwar we shall be able to attack mosquitos with the aerosol bomb, apparently a combination of air raid and gas attack which is harmless to man.

A message from France says that mine detectors have been used by G.I.'s to locate caches of brandy that French farmers buried to keep them from the Germans. And if this can be done, it seems reasonable that we may see a modification of the detector capable of locating woodchucks and gophers, and of divining where grandma left her spectacles or mother hid the family nest egg.

Perhaps, too, the bazooka will come to replace the scarecrow and shotgun as guardian of the vegetable garden. And Junior, sent to find the wandering herd and bring it in for milking, may line up their position with his portable radar set, and summon them a "Coo, Boss" on his walkie-talkie.

—BUY WAR BONDS AND SAVINGS STAMPS—

And Speaking Of Congress—

A bill has just been introduced in the House which would create a sort of West Point-Annapolis-New London to train women officers for various branches of the service in peacetime. The debate on the measure promises to be a vicarious "Battle of the Amazons" which should be something to watch.

But what intrigues us at the moment is that the bill was introduced by the gentleman from Georgia, Rep. E. E. Cox.

Can it be that the day is coming when the Southern Colonel will be identifiable not by a gray van dyke, but by a short gray bob and, perhaps, a trifle too much lipstick?

—BUY WAR BONDS AND SAVINGS STAMPS—

Revenge

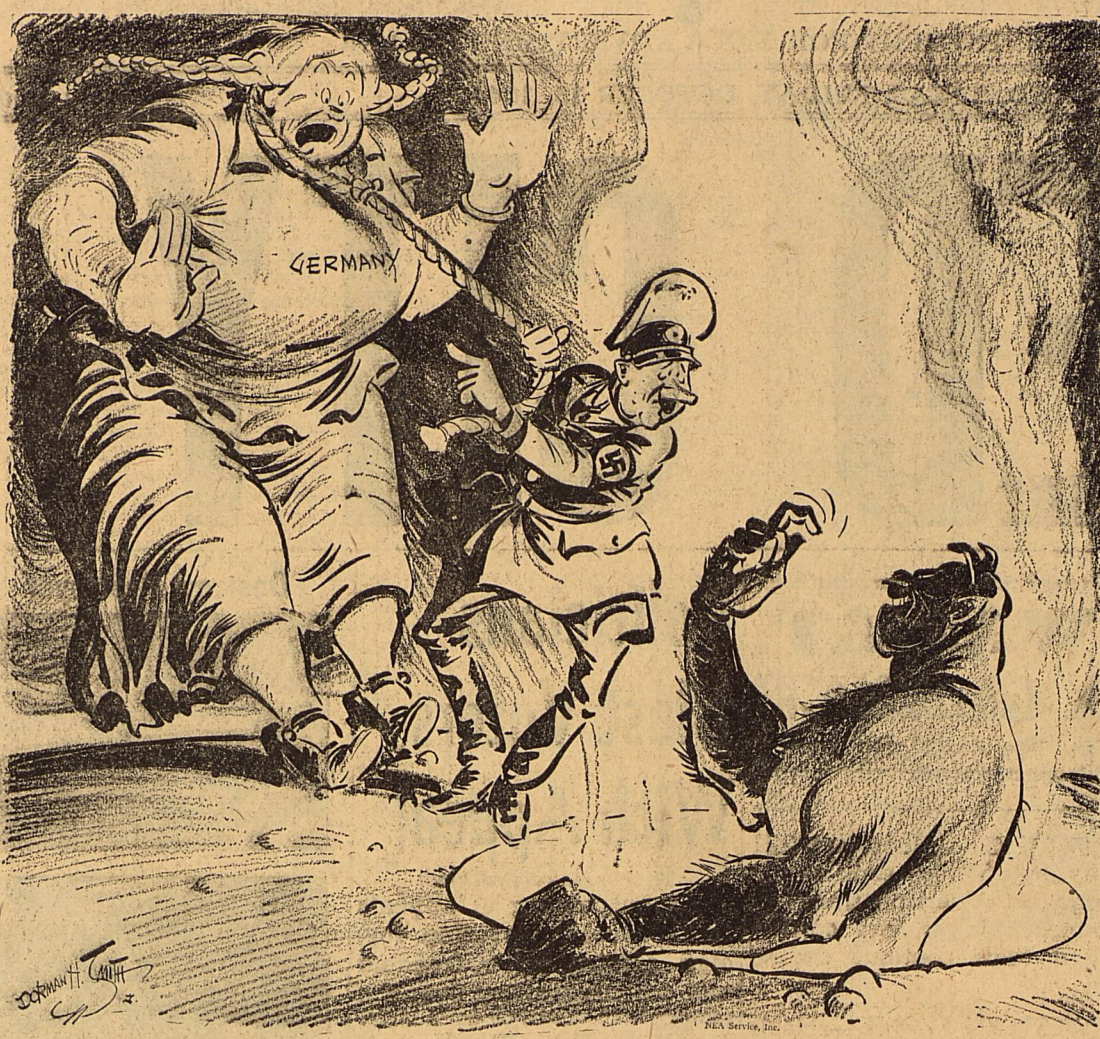
According to a news item, a landlady convicted of charging a roomer above-ceiling prices drew such a stiff fine that she is going to have to give the plaintiff the rooming house if her appeal of the case is unsuccessful.

Having listened to sundry complaints of landlords and landladies of late, we're convinced that giving one's adversary a rooming house would be about the sweetest possible revenge in these parlous times.

—BUY WAR BONDS AND SAVINGS STAMPS—

On the beaches near war plants is where you can find the no peace bathing soot.

"There Are Two Of Us!"



No. 1 Martin -

(Continued From Page 1)

during fourteen and one-half hours of testing.

In three hours and fifteen minutes after starting to swab Thursday afternoon, 40 barrels of oil, which had accumulated in the hole, was recovered. Then from 6 p. m. to 12 midnight, recovery was one barrel per hour of clean oil. From midnight to 8:30 a. m. Friday, oil brought out was slightly less than one barrel for each hour of testing.

No water developed. The owner is preparing to drill ahead carefully to see if more pay can be developed. Some observers believe the section can be made to yield considerable more oil by shooting with nitro—and that may be tried soon.

To Squeeze Off

Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 1 Doss, section 9, block A-24, psi survey, in Central-South Gaines County, set a retainer at 7,140 feet, over the plugged-back total depth of 7,250 feet, and will squeeze off perforations below the retainer, and test section above that point.

Tests on the zone at 7,030-7,233 feet, developed a small amount of oil, and about an equal amount of water. It is possible that the top section may make oil without water. Standard Oil Company of Texas No. 1 University, section 25, block 12, University survey, in Northeast Crockett County, had a slight increase in oil show at 2,358-68 feet. It was drilled about 2,376 feet, in line, and is now undertaking to make a test of the shows.

Humble No. 2 Williams, section 3, block 114, GC&SF survey, in Central-West Pecos County, about ten miles northwest of Fort Stockton, ran a drillstem test at 4,822-4,903 feet. The tool was open two hours. It started to flow in 45 minutes, and recovery was 2,900 feet of drilling mud and sulphur water.

Back To Yates

The section tested was in the Delaware. The project is to be plugged back to about 2,900 feet, to test the Yates sand section, which had showed for some sort of a well, when drilled through. This exploration is on the southeast side of the Fort Stockton field, where Humble has developed small production in the Yates in several wells during recent months.

Amerasia Petroleum Corporation No. 1 Jones, section 59, block AX, psi survey, two miles west of the Wasson field, in Northwest Gaines County, drilled out cement in the casing which had been set at 7,550 feet, over the total depth of 7,838 feet, and was starting to swab to test productive ability of the uncased section.

Found Tubb Top

Woodley Petroleum Company No. 1 Bird, section 66, block 7, Thompson survey, in the Central-South Lamb County, had found top of the Tubb zone of the middle Permian at 5,765 feet. Elevation is 3,555 feet. The test was drilling ahead. No oil signs had been reported Friday morning.

Skelly Oil Company No. 1 Hodges, section 446, block D, John H. Gibson survey, Central-West Yoakum County, exploration to the lower Permian, took an electric log survey to the total depth at 7,700 feet, and is now plugging back to about 5,300 feet.

The formation above that level had some shows when drilled through. It was tested and didn't show too much. The operator plans to use another dose of acid and try to make a well if at all possible.

Cut Dry Core

Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 1 Johnston, section 88, block C, D&W survey, in East Lubbock County, cored at 5,984-94 feet, and recovered four feet of dry, hard dolomite, and is due to drill ahead.

George F. Livemore, Inc., No. 1 E. Owsby, 660 feet from the north and east lines of the southwest quarter of section 502, block D, John H. Gibson survey, is a one location west outpost to production on the southwest side in the Owsby field of East Yoakum County. It is to start drilling to about 5,350 feet for San Andres pay, by Oct. 16.

Gulf Oil Corporation No. 1-TBB University, section 10, block 13, University survey, an extension effort on the east side of the Fuller-

Belgian Kids Booby Trap Yanks For Candy

By HAL BOYLE

WITH AMERICAN TROOPS IN BELGIUM —(P)—The greatest "booby trap" in Belgium were not those left by the Germans. They are those created by Dutch and Belgian kids to ensnare the candy and chewing gum of American troops. The younger generation in these two small countries has set out to corral all the sweets and cigarettes in the pockets of the American army and the kids know more ways to levy tribute than Robin Hood and Jesse James put together.

This is how they operate against the defenseless troops.

You are driving along a road wondering how the St. Louis Browns ever got into a World Series when you pass a little girl about seven years old holding up a basket of ripe tomatoes and shouting "vive les Américains."

You don't stop—whoever stopped an automobile to consume anything as revolting as a tomato?—so you pass on politely following "vive les Belges." About 75 feet farther on you pass a small boy holding up "free" apples.

You sweep past him and then come to a little girl holding up a bottle of wine and a glass. Somehow your jeep wobbles over and halts—right in front of the bottle.

Pours Then Calls Clan

The little girl pours you a glass and watches closely as you lift it to your lips. The second you drink it she lets out a yell—and the girl becomes black with scores of small boys and girls rushing in for the kill. You are in debt now and fair game.

"Bonbon! Chocolate! Shooting Gwum! Cigarette pour Papa!" they chant as the jeep begins to buckle under the weight of their swaying bodies. Little hands clutch at your necktie, paw at your jacket, thump your musette bag, pat your pockets. There is no refusal, no escape. You clasp frantically through your trousers and your pack, grabbing everything edible to silence the clamor of this sub-teen-age human wolf pack. You fling candy and cigarettes as far as possible and when the kids sweep away to retrieve them, you scrape the last little yelling monster off your scalp, heave him overboard and make a break for the open road.

Politicians -

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after reviewing 50,000 marchers in New York City's Columbus Day parade, registering to vote and conferring with a Zionist leader.

The New York governor told this leader, Dr. Abba Hillel Silver, that he favors "the opening of Palestine to their (Jews) unlimited immigration and land ownership."

Gov. John W. Bricker of Ohio, Republican vice presidential candidate, campaigned in Oregon, while Senator Truman, the Democratic vice presidential nominee, headed for a major speech at Los Angeles Monday night.

Norman Thomas, Socialist candidate for president, told a news conference in New York that policies of both Roosevelt and Dewey point to "a hell of chronic depression and new wars."

ton field, in Northwest Andrews County, set 3 5/8-inch casing at 3,154 feet, over a total depth of 3,155 feet with 1,200 sacks of cement and was waiting.

Shaved Oil And Gas

The Texas Company No. 2-B Hobbs, section 41, block 35, H&TC survey, one-quarter of a mile northwest of the closest production in the Crossett pool, in East Crane County, ran a drillstem test at 5,300-86 feet. The tool was open two hours. Recovery was 520 feet of oil and gas out drilling mud. Gas blew by for a bare of the time at an estimated rate of 100,000 cubic feet per day.

A Schlumberger survey was then taken. Further action had not been reported.

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widened to four miles. Another said huge U. S. reinforcements had arrived, indicating major operations were contemplated well beyond the city.

Improved Position

The Allies improved their positions in Holland. Signs appeared that Field Marshal Gen. von Rundstedt was preparing a stiff defense in Southwestern Holland, despite reports of the destruction of the Rotterdam docks. Front correspondents said the Germans were strengthening their forces near the Schelde estuary, possibly for a major attack against the Canadian First Army to retain approaches to the Belgian port of Antwerp. Planes spotted heavy German traffic moving west from Tilist toward Breda and destroyed 31 vehicles.

Considerable movement was noted on the western waterways, where planes damaged 50 or more barges. British forces lunged a mile forward from the right flank of their Dutch salient pointed toward Arnhem and moved within ten miles of the German border.

Supreme headquarters disclosed that Canadians on the south bank of the Schelde estuary had been reinforced and gained new ground beyond their Leopold Canal bridgehead.

Desperate Fighting

Fighting in both areas of Holland was described as desperate.

North of the fortress city of Metz, Lt. Gen. George S. Patton's American Third Army was fighting the Germans hand to hand in the streets of Meisieres Les Metz. The remainder of the Third Army front, including the strange, underground battle for Fort Dietrich, was unchanged, a field dispatch said.

East of Lunville, the American Third Army captured the French town of Parroy and pushed patrols to the eastern edge of the Parroy forest.

At the southern end of the western front, the communiques said, the American Seventh and French First armies "have made substantial gains over rugged country" in the Epinal-Belfort sector leading to the Belfort Gap between the Vosges and Alps mountains. Several villages were captured and heavy counterattacks were repulsed. Positions near Le Thillot were improved.

Italians -

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followed Columbus to the Western Hemisphere, he said:

"This is one of the many reasons why the forces of liberation have been welcomed so cordially by the Italian people after 22 years of Fascism."

Saving aviation has brought the old and the new world's closer together, Mr. Roosevelt asserted "that if we do not now take effective measures to prevent another world war and if there were to be a third world war, the lands of the Western Hemisphere would be as vulnerable to attack from Europe and Asia as were the Island of Crete and the Philippine Islands five years ago."

"Our objective," he said, "is to establish the solid foundations of the peace organization without further delay, and without waiting for the end of hostilities."

Cotton

NEW YORK —(P)—Cotton futures prices at noon Friday were unchanged to 44 cents a bale lower. Oct. 22.10, Dec. 21.89, March 21.38.

FDR WANTS TO DO SOMETHING ABOUT PETRILLO

WASHINGTON —(P)—President Roosevelt said Friday he would like to do something about the refusal of James C. Petrillo's musicians unions to make recordings for two major companies, but added that he would have to look into the law first.

One Man Knows Its Friday, Thirteenth

Midlanders evidently have been doing a good job of throwing salt over their shoulders as only one Friday the Thirteenth accident had been reported to police by noon.

One Midland man told Police Chief Jack Ellington as he was leaving his house Friday morning he fell off the porch; went to the garage and discovered a flat tire, and when he drove to the postoffice to get his mail he found a notice he owed a traffic violation fine. "The day is young. There may be others," Ellington said.

Humble To Broadcast Four Football Games

Four games make up Humble's football fare for fans Saturday. Starting the day's broadcasts at 2:50 p. m. will be the Texas Longhorn-Oklahoma University game over stations WOAI, San Antonio and WFAP, Dallas-Fort Worth.

Next in line comes the Rice-Tulane game at 3:20 p. m. over station KRLD, Dallas. Two games will share the spotlight at 7:30 p. m. The A. & M.-L. S. U. game will be heard over stations KTSA, San Antonio, and KGKO, Dallas, and the S.M.U.-Randolph Field tilt over KRLH, Midland.

Public Apathy South's Danger Says Truman

EN ROUTE WITH TRUMAN —(P)—Senator Harry S. Truman told Texas audiences Friday the "only thing that could cause difficulty for the Democratic ticket in the South would be public apathy."

Addressing a group at Beaumont, he said "the American people should exercise the right to vote."

He subsequently told press conferences at Beaumont and at Houston "the South has too much sense to accept Dewey after hearing him speak."

Dr. Rainey -

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many speeches, "like those before religious groups." Strickland has denied that he had such conversation with Dr. Burdine.

Two Major Issues

Dr. Rainey told the faculty that while he was reluctant to take the step he was taking, "these are issues which belong to the entire citizenship of Texas." He said the matter boils down to two major issues:

"The issue of the freedom of the university without which it is not a university and can never become a university of the first class. This is basic to everything else."

"The issue of the proper relationships between a governing board and the executive and administrative officers of the university. No large organization of this kind can function effectively unless all parties concerned understand and observe the proper inter-relationships between the functions that are appropriate to each level of administration."

He then proceeded with his catalogue of conflicts.

Navy statistics show that an average of 87,000 telephone conversations are made involving construction of one destroyer.

The national forests of the United States include an aggregate area larger than all of New England, New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana.

Livestock

FORT WORTH —(P)—Cattle 2-000; calves 1,500; all classes weak to 25c lower with Thursday and 25-50c below the week's high time; a few medium grade slaughter steers and yearlings around 10.50-11.00 with better kinds scarce; most beef cows 7.00-9.00; good fat calves 11.00-12.00; good quality stocker calves and yearlings 10.50-11.00.

Hogs 800; unchanged; good and choice 180-240 lb butcher hogs 14.55; light weights 13.75-14.55; heavy butchers mostly 13.80.

Sheep 3,500; unchanged; medium to good fat lambs 11.50-12.65; medium grade yearling sheep 9.90-75; medium and good ewes 4.75-5.25.

Cold Front General Over State Of Texas

By The Associated Press
A cold front overspread Texas Friday from the Panhandle to the Gulf lowering temperatures to a 40-degree minimum and a maximum in the mid 50's.

The front, which began in the Panhandle Thursday, had reached the Gulf Coast Friday and left Houston with a 48 degree reading, Beaumont, 44; and Alice, 47.

South wind brought rising temperatures in the Panhandle; and West Texas, the Love Field Weather Bureau at Dallas said. The bureau reported a 52 reading at Pampa, 49 at Amarillo, 47 at Abilene, Lubbock, 46; Wink 52; and El Paso, 55. Texarkana had a light frost and 39-degree weather and dryer reported 43 degrees and frost. It was 42 at Gainesville; 50 at Del Rio; 48 at El Paso; 44 at Dalhart; and 43 at San Marcos.

MRS. SNELL RECOVERING

Mrs. R. J. Snell is recovering from a major operation in Lubbock General Hospital. The Rev. R. J. Snell visited her Thursday and reports she is making satisfactory progress.

Nearly 300 species of scallops are known to exist.

FINNS ADVANCE TOWARD ARCTIC CIRCLE

STOCKHOLM —(P)—Finnish troops advancing behind the retreating Germans near the Arctic Circle in the direction of Rannu and Rovaniemi have captured defense lines in the Taipale area, a Helsinki communique said Friday. The Finns said they passed Korpiylae and reached the Kolvi River.

Compared with the modern archer, the Indian was a very poor shot with the bow and arrow.

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Society

Wanda Lou Steele Is Honored With Party On Ninth Birthday

A party in honor of the ninth birthday of Wanda Lou Steele was given Tuesday afternoon by her mother, Mrs. T. E. Steele, 601 N. Main. Indoor and outdoor games were played before the candles on the three-tiered pink and white cake were lit and the birthday song was sung. Atrille Pace and Deneva Merrell, who were guests at the party, also were included in the birthday song, as they both had birthdays this week.

After refreshments were served, each child received a favor. Guests who were present were Helen Golladay, Virginia Ann Donohoo, Marge Ruth Smith, Alice Ann Benjamin, Paula Jean Smith, Mary Jess Dickenson, Barbara and Annie Ruth Long, Brenda Douglas, Caroline Reigle, Anne Bess an Eddy Doyle, Joanne Monroe, Lillie Taylor, Jan Arthur, Oren Lewis Jones, Carla Mae and Wanda Darline Lea, Elsie Conger, Sara Ann Cameron, Patty Daniel, and Dickie Prather.

Other guests were Ellen De Chichis, Jo Ann Watlington, Wanelle Greene, Dorothy Lea Prager, Glenda McNeal, Betty Sivalis, Audie Merrell, Joyce Solsom, Glenda Hamilton, Kay McWorkman, Tommie Steele, Brenda Joyce, Dona Lee, Shirley Elgiss, Orman Hubbard, Lynn Sponder, Betty Ledford, and Buddie McCord.

Grown-ups who attended were Mrs. John Sponder, C. H. Ledford, Miss Grace Taylor, Miss Lena Bill Pettiet, Mrs. John McCord, and Mrs. Ray Lindsey.

Mrs. J. D. Hurst and Mrs. K. Haney sent gifts, but were unable to attend.

First Aid Instructors Plan Year's Activities

A meeting of First Aid Instructors was held Thursday night at the city hall, with Mrs. Fred Fuhrman, chairman, presiding.

Mrs. Robert Turpin was named co-chairman, and Mrs. Mollie Jo Hunt was appointed secretary. Dr. James H. Chapple will be the medical advisor. Plans were made for the year, and for the classes which will start soon.

All who have not had the standard first aid course are urged to enroll in one of the classes. Enrollment for the first class, which will begin at 7 p.m. Monday at the city hall, is still open.

To get the "most use from rugs, roll with a carpet-sweeper or go over lightly with a vacuum cleaner daily and clean thoroughly weekly.

Congratulations To

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Bland of Stanton on the birth of a son, Joe John, born Oct. 11, at the Western Clinic Hospital.

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KATHERINE GRAECEN IS ELECTED HEAD OF LYDIA CIRCLE

The Lydia Circle of the Presbyterian Church held its monthly meeting Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. A. P. Shirley, 211 South L. During the short business session, Miss Katherine Graecen was elected chairman to fill out the unexpired term of Mrs. Marie Coleman.

Mrs. Lloyd C. Mills was in charge of the program on "Prayer and Home Missions." She was assisted by Mrs. Ray Pool, Mrs. J. Hollis Roberts, and Mrs. Shirley.

Members present were Misses Zetta Lee, Katherine Graecen, Maedeele Roberts, Lucille Lee, Mary Frances Camp, Lucy Moore, Rosemary Hamit, and Mrs. J. Hollis Roberts.

Guests present were Mmes. Hubert Hopper, S. C. McKinney, John Drummond, Byron Standifer, Ray Pool, and Lloyd C. Mills.

USO To Hold Classes In Leathercraft For Service Men And Women

With U. A. Hyde as instructor, the Salvation Army USO will begin its leathercraft classes Tuesday at 8 p.m. New tables, a complete set of tools, and a supply of leather and lacings have been purchased by the USO and will be available to the service men and women. The classes will meet once a week, but the tables and equipment will be on hand at all times, so that the craftsmen can work whenever they wish.

Since leathercraft was one of the most popular USO activities last year, a large group of service men and women are expected to participate. The classes are open to beginners as well as to experts.

Rev. T. M. Johnston To Conduct Services At First Methodist

The Rev. T. M. Johnston, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Sweetwater, will conduct the Religious Emphasis Week services which will be held in the First Methodist Church, Oct. 15 through Oct. 22. Mr. Johnston will preach the sermon at the Sunday services, and will speak daily at 10:10 a.m. and 8 p.m.

North Elementary Room Mothers Make Plans For Membership Drive

The room mothers of the North Elementary School met at the home of Mrs. L. Waldo Leggett, 901 W. Storey Ave., Thursday morning for a coffee and business meeting.

Since next week will be National PTA Week, the mothers made plans for the membership drive which will take place then. Plans were also made for the annual Halloween carnival, which will be held Oct. 31.

Mothers attending the meeting were Mmes. George Bennett, Ralph Geisler, Gus Peters, C. M. Dunagan, Hazen Wood, J. C. Ratliff, C. W. Lebeber, A. J. Hill, Troy Stalls, Ray Pool, Ed Black, T. A. Cole, W. M. Bumpass, John Hills, J. L. Linbarger, Harvey Conger, Holt McWorkman, R. DeChichis, T. E. Steele, Robert Roark, P. H. McGuigan, R. S. Anderson, and George R. Gibson.

SMOOTH ROAD AHEAD FOR TRAVELERS

Rail Lines To Meet Air Competition With New Cars And Lower Fares

By S. BURTON HEATH
NEA Staff Correspondent

NEW YORK—A thorough face-lifting job is being planned for the nation's railroads, to begin just as soon as production facilities are available for peace-time manufacturing. Rail lines are preparing to meet competition of airplanes, buses and private transportation with an aggressive bid for the enormous travel business that most observers predict.

Lower fares are predicted, with cost per mile estimated at 1 to 1 1/2 cents for coaches and 2 cents for Pullman. Present rates are about 2 cents in coaches and 3 cents in Pullmans.

Beauty treatments for rail lines will see ancient coaches replaced with lightweight, air-conditioned cars. Split-reclining seats, good lighting, adequate luggage space and washrooms will be features of smoother-riding, quiet cars. Post-war coaches will be so comfortable that many roads think Pullman chair cars are on the way out since they will not attract enough patronage.

The latest innovation ready to go into manufacture as soon as wartime restrictions are lifted is a new diner with the tables arranged diagonally so that any person at a table can enter or leave without disturbing others. It will have tables for four and tables for two, air-conditioning, "vibrationless tables" free from water bottles, extra linen and silver, inter-car telephone service and improved spot-ray illumination.

These are not all of the improvements that are being discussed by railroad and Pullman executives in an effort to make railroad travel cheaper, more comfortable, faster—or all three—than competing transportation services.

They are just a few which have progressed so far that they can be expected to appear soon after the war ends.

Supplemented—for those who want to travel overnight inexpensively—by the new three-tier sleeper. Four experimental three-tier units have been in military use during the war on a transcontinental line.

For those able and willing to pay a premium price for de luxe Pullman accommodations, a private room may be provided for the charge now made for a lower berth. This would be in a new duplex roomette car. One has been in use throughout the war on the Pennsylvania Railroad Washington-to-Chicago run. It has proven popular, but experience has suggested 106 improvements and refinements that are being incorporated in a second car now under construction. Bedrooms, compartments, drawing rooms and other de luxe types of night travel space will be continued.

Not even the lowly, harassed commuter is being ignored. Pullman has announced a new "Threedex" commuter coach with 96 open-car seats and four card rooms, improved luggage space, air-conditioning, better lighting and all-around greater comfort.

The Pullman Company believes now that the day of the old open-section sleeper, for the premium-fare trade, has passed. Probably no more will be built. Those now in use will be shifted to the cheaper tourist-pullman trade. They will be

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British Girls Rate Americans Tops As Husbands

By RUTH MILLETT

Reports come back that British girls who are marrying American soldiers are convinced that American husbands are more generous and considerate than the British.

As time goes on and they learn more about American men, they realize just what prizes they are as husbands.

They'll find that, on the whole, American husbands start accepting part of the responsibility for the care and training of their children the minute they come home from the hospital—and aren't above whipping out a batch of formula or washing out a tub of baby clothes, if they think the mother is having to work too hard.

They'll find that American husbands don't butt in on household affairs, but let the women run their homes the way they want to—even when the wife's way calls for filling a house with dilapidated antiques instead of comfortable furniture, or going modern to the extent of making a living room look like the lobby of a hotel.

They'll find that American men, though prejudiced against working wives, will let their wives work if they insist—or for that matter let them run their lives pretty much to suit themselves.

They'll find that American men may make cracks about women drivers—but that their women usually keep the family car more than half the time.

Devoted Family Men
They'll find that while a British husband's home may be his castle, American men concede that the home they support is the little woman's castle and they wouldn't dream of inviting guests to it without consulting the little woman first.

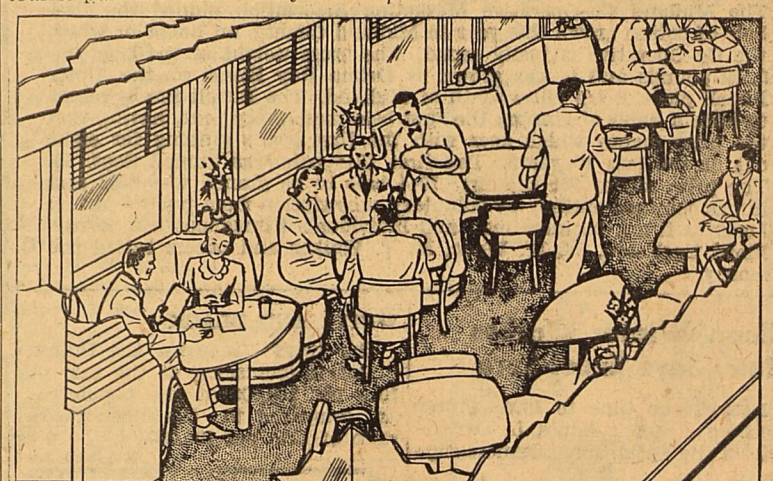
And if they finally get to America and look around at the middle-aged widows living handsomely on the money their husbands have left them they'll see that American men devote their lives to giving their wives and children security.

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COMING EVENTS

SATURDAY

The children's story hour will be held in the children's library in the basement of the courthouse at 3:30 p.m.

The Treble Clef Juvenile Music Club will meet at the Watson School of Music at 11 a.m.

Red Cross Workroom Temporarily Closed

The Red Cross workroom in Old Heidelberg Inn will remain closed until Oct. 26, as the shipment of materials has not arrived. Beginning Oct. 26, the workroom will be open all day, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Collins Assigned To Hospital Ship Platoon

Bill Collins of Midland has been assigned to a hospital ship platoon and after several weeks of training may be on the high seas. He now is stationed at Camp Barkeley.

Lt. Ragsdale Promoted

Mrs. Ella Ragsdale, 407 N. Marienfield, has received word that her son, Lt. E. J. Ragsdale, has been promoted to first lieutenant. He is a flier with the 47th Bomber Squadron, and is stationed "somewhere in Italy."

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Many Questions Remain Unanswered On Auto Situation

By JAMES MARLOW

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Who gets the first new cars when Germany quits? And how soon? The price? Will they be rationed? And what will they look like?

The honest answer is: At this time no one seems to know the answer except to the last question: What will they look like?

There is pretty general agreement that the first of the new cars—except for some appearance changes like a new hood line or a new angle to the windshield—will look pretty much like the pre-war cars.

When will the first post-war cars start rolling?

Even on this automobile men do not agree. Their estimates range from 90 days to 6 or 8 months after Germany folds. A good guess is: Four months after Germany folds.

Why should it take that long? The auto industry will have to convert from war to peace production. That takes time: New machines, and so on.

How many cars are there now?

Four Million Fewer Cars
About 23 million, 4 million less than at the time of Pearl Harbor. There are only 19,000 new cars left, unsold, and being doled.

Will the new post-war cars be rationed?

Automobile men here say they "suspect" they will be. The government has announced no decision.

Why should there be rationing at all?

The first demand for new cars will be tremendous. One government man explained, "Should the new car go to a guy who slips a dealer \$100 on the side, or should it go to someone like a doctor who really needs it?"

How much will the new cars cost? They'll hardly cost less than those sold in 1942.

But will they cost more? This is another point on which even automobile men do not agree. Some say yes, some say no. OPA boss Chester Bowles thinks it is possible there may be no increase. OPA will do the price fixing.

Texas Sportsman Killed In Wreck

DALLAS—(AP)—L. G. Wilson, 54, who Friday was to have acted as starter for the Marshall Country Club Amateur Invitation golf tournament, was killed Thursday in an accident in which the car he was driving, en route to Marshall, overturned near Wills Point.

Funeral services will be held here Monday for Wilson, who was alone in his car at the time it overturned. He was widely known in Texas sports circles.

For several years Wilson has been official starter and scorer for the Texas Golf Association and the Texas Professional Golfers' Association. He also had served as football, basketball and track official.

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House Committee Continues CCG Investigation

DALLAS—(AP)—Arthur Temple, Texarkana lumberman, told the House Committee on Campaign Expenditures Thursday that a leaflet headed "50,000 is a lot of money," which he said mentioned Rep. Wright Patman (D-Texas), was circulated by the Committee for Constitutional Government in New York and not by the local Texarkana group.

The committee has been investigating whether the CCG has been engaged in politics. Temple and E. M. Biggers, Houston printer, Thursday testified before the Congressional group in its closing session here.

Temple told the committee chairman, Rep. Anderson (D-NM) and two other committeemen, Rep. Sparkman (D-Ala) and Rep. Gathings (D-Ark) that he was familiar with the leaflet mentioning Rep. Patman.

The Texarkana lumberman replied "that depends on your point of view," when Anderson asked him whether he considered the Patman reference favorable or unfavorable.

Recalled Leaflet

Temple said he recalled that the leaflet referred to Texarkana's part in the national debt, and to Patman as being in favor of spending.

Sparkman asked Temple if he had seen in leaflets distributed by the Committee for Constitutional Government any statements directed against the President.

Temple said he recalled "a good many statements directed against the philosophy of government."

He added that there was a difference, in his opinion, between statements directed at an individual and statements directed at the "philosophy of government" with which an individual was connected.

"When you discuss philosophy of government you include a lot of people," he said.

Conducted Quiz

He said the local committee in Texarkana was conducting a school quiz contest on the Constitution.

Temple testified that approximately \$4,150 was raised at Texarkana for the Committee for Constitutional Government after a dinner there in April at which former Indiana Rep. Sam Pettengill spoke.

He said that the money went to the headquarters of the organization, and that the local group received back 35 per cent to be used for quiz contests on the Constitution.

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The Dneper Dam in Russia, destroyed by Russian patriots during the German advance early in the war, was more than 5,000 feet long.

Midland Tractor Company Dealer
For Ford-Ferguson Tractor Here

While the owners of the Midland Tractor Company are overseas John W. Elliott is managing the concern for them. The owners of the company are Capt. S. A. Debnam and Capt. E. S. Elliott.

The company features the Ford-Ferguson farm tractor, which is the only farm tractor using the hydraulic control system. The hydraulic control system for farm tractors is a new development in this field. The Ford-Ferguson tractor is unusually economical to operate, John W. Elliott said.

The company handles a complete line of farm implements. Among those carried are mouldboard and disc breaking plows, disc harrows, listers, planters, cultivators, weeders, tillage tools, subsoilers, master weeder or Johnson grass exterminators, terracing plows, hydro-scoops, angles, bulldozers, terracing blades, combines, hammer mills, ensilage cutters.

Attended Dealer's School
Elliott recently attended a regional dealers' school at Lubbock, an instructional school for mounting and dismounting of the various implements. Instructions were also given in the proper operation, adjustment and setting up of the various implements.

"It was an excellent school and I learned a great deal," Elliott said. "Although I have been handling tractors and implements for a number of years, I learned many things at the school I didn't know before."

The Midland Tractor Company is located at 300 South Baird where there is plenty of parking space. The concern started in business here March 1, 1940.

"We will be glad to explain the workings of the Ferguson hydraulic system and demonstrate how it will save labor for the tractor owner," Elliott said as he extended an invitation for those interested in tractors and implements to visit his concern.

Roberson Suggests
Lighter Oil Needed

With cooler weather here, motorists should begin to think of having their cars lubricated with winter grades, Joe Roberson, owner of Joe Roberson's Sinclair Station, said.

The Joe Roberson Station is located at 320 West Wall and specializes in expert lubrication. "Most crankcases need a lighter weight oil in cooler weather," Roberson pointed out.

WORLD'S WETTEST SPOT

Cherra Punji, in the hills of Assam, is now said to be the wettest spot on earth. The average rainfall for the town, based on records gathered for 50 years, is 428 inches annually.

Midland Cooperative Gins First Bale Cotton



The Midland Co-Operative Marketing Association ginned the first bale of cotton grown this year in Midland County, an honor of which the Co-Operative is justly proud. The gross weight of the bale was 2,180 pounds and it was grown by Delma Ray Bissell on the Elmer Bissell place, 2 1/2 miles south of Midland. The Bissell family seems to have a habit of ginning the first bale most every year, having won the prize money which goes with the first year's ginning for eight out of the last 10 years. The first 1944 bale was ginned Sept. 13. The prize money for the first 1944 bale to be ginned was \$295 and it was obtained entirely by voluntary subscription from public-spirited business firms, business men and individuals throughout the county. Floyd Eggleston, W. W. Wade, M. T. Walker and others raised the money.

Clean Winter Clothes
Now, Says Excel-Sure

Now is the time to have winter clothing cleaned, James L. Daugherty of the Excel-Sure Cleaners suggests.

Since under wartime condition as prompt service as normal cannot usually be given, it is advisable to turn winter clothing into the cleaner's as early as possible.

"Although the manpower shortage affects us as it does everyone else it does not effect the high quality of our work," Daugherty said. "The Excel-Sure Cleaners is located at 110 North Big Spring."

It is about 50 degrees colder 10 miles above the equator than it is at the same altitude above the polar regions.

WHITE AND BLACK

The white race in the United States is increasing at the rate of 1630 per 100,000 of the population as compared to the black race's ratio of 1275 per 100,000.

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Poultry Producers

The value of a progressive produce house to poultry producers of the county was proven recently by the Doran Produce Company, of which R. A. Doran is owner.

Midland county hens began producing eggs in unprecedented quantities. Doran had many difficulties finding storage for the eggs, and in finding markets, but he never failed to buy every case of eggs offered him while the surplus was on, and markets were hard to find.

Glass Tops Protect
Fine Furniture

Glass tops for tables, desks, vanities and bureaus are great protectors of furniture. Q. M. "Shine" Shelton, owner of the Midland Glass Company, said.

The Midland Glass Company, located at 1611 West Wall, cuts glass tops to fit furniture from the best grade of glass.

"Glass does not stain from liquid and burning cigarettes do not harm it," Shelton pointed out.

DOMESTICATED TOAD

A tree toad has lived in the kitchen of S. K. Rodenhurst, Theresa, N. Y., for five years. Its favorite resting place is on top of the teapot.

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Rev. R. M. Hoeker, Pastor.

10:00 a.m.: Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship.
8:00 p.m.: Evening worship.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
510 South Baird Street
Rev. Paul H. Cox

10:00 a.m.: Sunday school.
11:00 a.m.: Preaching service.
7:00 p.m.: Young peoples service.
Wednesday:
8:00 p.m.: Prayer meeting.

MEXICAN BAPTIST MISSION
Washington and Midland Streets
Jean Ann Cowden, Sunday School
Supt.

9:45 a.m.: Sunday school.

FUNDAMENTAL BAPTIST CHURCH

502 East Illinois Street
8:30 p.m.: Sunday radio program.
10:00 a.m.: Sunday school.
11:00 a.m.: Preaching service.
9:00 p.m.: Preaching service.
9:00 p.m. Wednesday: Prayer meeting.

PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS TABERNACLE

600 South Colorado Street
O. W. Roberts, Pastor
11:00 a.m.: Preaching.
7:45 p.m.: Preaching.
8:00 p.m. Thursday: Preaching.

11:00 a.m.: Morning worship.
8:30 p.m.: Evening worship.
Wednesday

8:00 p.m.: Bible Study.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. A. W. Smith, Pastor
1001 South Main Street
10:00 a.m.: Bible Study.
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship.
8:00 p.m.: Training Union.
9:00 p.m.: Evening worship.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Loraine and Illinois Streets

Rev. John E. Pickering, Pastor.

10:50 a.m.: Morning Worship. Dr.

Roscoe S. Thompson will speak on

"Who Are the Lost?"

6:30 p.m.: Christian Endeavor

Society.

7:30 p.m.: Vesper services. Dr.

Thompson will speak on "If A Can-

dle Could Talk."

Treasury Receipts Over Eight Times Higher Than 1940

NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—Secretary of the Treasury Morgenthau, said here Friday that net Treasury receipts for the last fiscal year were "eightfold" higher than for pre-war 1940.

In a speech prepared for delivery to war bond sales leaders of 10 Southern states at a noon luncheon, Morgenthau said receipts for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944, were "slightly less than \$500,000,000" and that the total for the year just closed was \$44,000,000,000.

Stimson Says Others May Suffer Aachen Fate

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Other German cities may expect to suffer the fate now being dealt out to the explosive-blasted Aachen if the Nazi high command incorporates them into the battle line, War Secretary Stimson said Friday.

Discussing for a news conference the ultimatum which was ignored by the Aachen garrison, Stimson said: "No German cities may expect to have immunity from destruction so long as they are maintained as a part of the enemy's battle line. As General Hodges of the American First Army has stated, there is no middle course. Either surrender or destruction must be chosen by the Nazis. German civilians will necessarily have to bear the burden of any decision imposed upon them by their military leaders which makes their city a part of the defense line."

Stimson described the offensive in the Aachen sector as designed "to give us elbow room within the Siegfried Line after testing and overcoming some of its most formidable obstacles."

The natural life of lions is 20 years, but it has been found that lions in captivity live longer.

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Scharbauer Hotel

10:30 a.m.: Sunday School.

11:00 a.m.: Morning Lesson-Sermon, subject, "Doctrine of Atonement."

2:45 p.m.: Sunday Radio Program.

8:00 p.m.: Second Wednesday of the month, services.

The Golden Text is: "God hath not appointed us to wrath, but to obtain salvation by our Lord Jesus Christ, who died for us, that, whether we wake or sleep, we should live together with him" (1 Thessalonians 5:9, 10).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "And this is the will of him that sent me, that every one which seeth the Son, and believeth on him, may have everlasting life: and I will raise him up at the last day" (John 6:40). The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "The scientific unity which exists between God and man must be wrought out in life-practice and God's will must be universally done" (page 202).

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH

11 and Illinois Street

Rev. R. J. Snell, Minister.

8:00 a.m.: Holy Communion. Corporate Communion of Youth of Church

9:45 a.m.: Church School.

11:00 a.m.: Morning prayer and Sermon, "Right Living."

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Main Street and Illinois

Rev. Vernon Yearby, Pastor.

9:45 a.m.: Sunday School.

10:55 a.m.: Morning Worship. Dr.

R. T. Daniels, guest speaker.

6:45 p.m.: Training Union.

8:00 p.m.: Evening Worship.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

West Texas and North A Street

Rev. Hubert Hopper, Pastor.

9:45 a.m.: Sunday School.

11:00 a.m.: Morning Sermon. Pastor's topic, "Using Our Resources."

6:30 p.m.: Young People's Service.

8:00 p.m.: Evening Worship. Pastor's topic, "Study in Romans, IV."

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

300 North Main Street

Rev. W. Carl Clement, Pastor.

9:45 a.m.: Sunday School.

10:50 a.m.: Morning worship. The

Rev. T. M. Johnston will speak.

8:00 p.m.: Evening Worship. Rev.

Johnston will speak.

Religious Emphasis Week services

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SOUTH SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST

J. F. Lilly, Minister

10:30 a.m.: Morning Services.

8:00 p.m.: Evening Services.

Thursday

8:00 p.m.: Services.

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Father Frank Triggs, Pastor.

Sunday Masses

8:00 a.m.: English and Spanish.

9:30 a.m.: Spanish.

11:00 a.m.: English.

Sunday Evening Devotions

7:00 p.m.: Novena and Benediction.

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Protestant Services

Chaplain B. Y. Swope

11:00 a.m.: Regular services.

Hebrew Services

8:00 p.m.: Friday.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Corner North A and Tennessee

Leonard C. Bankhead, Minister

10:00 a. m.: Sunday Bible School

10:50 a. m.: Worship.

7:00 p. m.: Young People's Study

Wednesday

10:50 a. m.: Ladies Bible Class

8:00 p. m.: Singing and Bible

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7:45 p.m.: Preaching service.

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7:45 p.m. Thursday: Preaching

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2. In England, the legal staff of the Bureau which compares to our O.P.A., has TEN people in it. The legal staff of our O.P.A. has 2,700; O.P.A. employs 55,342, pays them \$121,141,349.00 a year! What's this about a man-power shortage?

3. According to the Byrd Committee of the Senate, NON-MILITARY government Bureaus spent in one year on travelling, telephone and telegraph alone, ONE HUNDRED MILLION DOLLARS! Too much trouble to write letters?

4. Remember that bureau that stopped the slicing of bread? Stopped cuffs on trousers? Stopped 2-pant suits? Mr. Farmer—remember the 12 different books you had to dig through to get gasoline? Yes, 24,000 words! Mr. Butcher—remember the O.P.A. pamphlet on how to cut up a beef—that called the hindquarter the "posterior portion"? How are these Bureaus run?

5. One Bureau told southern farmers to "move their GINS from south to north across the cotton belt as cotton matures, serving more cotton with fewer gins." Another said "to conserve horseshoes, remove the shoes immediately after work." Oh, man!

6. A ballet dancer was hired by the Board of Economic Warfare as "economic analyst" at \$5,600 a year. His duties "to determine what products may be exported and imported in relation to available shipping space." A "gymnast" (high-brow word for nudist) was hired at \$5,600 a year. Thanks to the Dies Committee, they were fired.

7. In the bitter winter of 1942, fuel in the East desperately short, taxpayers freezing, a reporter with a thermometer found Henderson's O.P.A. offices registered 80 degrees; Ike's Interior Department 81 degrees; most government buildings 75 to 80 degrees. "Sirloins for Bureaucrats!"

8. War Food Administration has on hand (August 28) 1,400,000 cases of eggs. Rotting in warehouses. Tried to sell 17,000 cases stored in New York since spring of 1943. Bureau decree: Eggs must not be sold below ceiling; must be graded according to size. Cost to you, Mr. Taxpayer: More for this grading than the original contract price!

9. What's it to you, if we do have a federal debt of 300 BILLION dollars? Will YOU have to dig up your share of it out of hard-earned savings? You certainly will! Or do you believe in Santa Claus?

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Sure, we have to pay for the war. But how many more eggs to rot in the warehouse? How many fan-dancers out of a job? How many millions for Bureau Bunglers, for loafers, for just plain nonsense?

Isn't it time to make your citizen influence count?—against such idiotic waste of YOUR hard-earned cash? Against the Bureaucrats, against the CIO Political Action Committee, against any other self-seeking pressure group? Our form of government is only as perfect as the men you put in it—only as perfect as the way they follow the great fundamental law of this land, the Constitution of the United States.

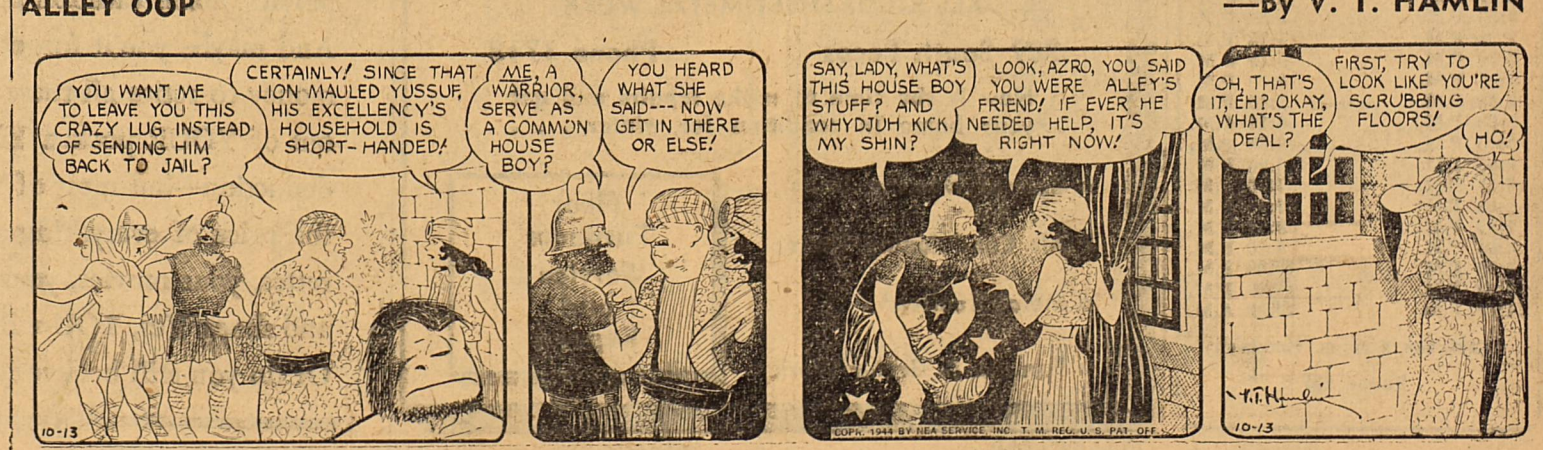
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Leave	Arrive
Midland-Odessa	Odessa
5:25 A.M.	6:00 A.M.
5:55 A.M.	6:30 A.M.
6:25 A.M.	7:00 A.M.
6:55 A.M.	7:30 A.M.
7:25 A.M.	8:00 A.M.
7:55 A.M.	8:30 A.M.
8:30 A.M.	9:00 A.M.
9:30 A.M.	10:00 A.M.
10:50 A.M.	11:30 A.M.
1:00 P.M.	1:30 P.M.
2:00 P.M.	2:40 P.M.
2:55 P.M.	3:35 P.M.
3:30 P.M.	4:10 P.M.
4:30 P.M.	5:10 P.M.
4:45 P.M.	5:30 P.M.
5:05 P.M.	5:40 P.M.
5:30 P.M.	6:10 P.M.
5:45 P.M.	6:25 P.M.
6:05 P.M.	6:40 P.M.
6:30 P.M.	7:10 P.M.
7:05 P.M.	7:40 P.M.
7:30 P.M.	8:10 P.M.
8:05 P.M.	8:40 P.M.
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We wish to thank our kind friends and neighbors for their acts of sympathy and love during our recent loss of our husband and father and also extend grateful thanks for the beautiful floral tributes and spiritual bouquets sent to our departed loved one. Mrs. W. S. Kelton, Miss Clara Belle Kelton, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Gilbert and family, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Kelton and family, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Denton and family, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Willmon and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kelton and family. (187-1)

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 14 Sides of mountains
 15 Age
 16 Short letter
 18 Mast
 19 Part of flower
 20 Half an em
 21 Also
 23 Anger
 25 One (Scott)
 26 Pole
 27 Beverage
 28 Stay upright
 31 He has written a number of
 34 Scatter
 35 Ocean
 36 12 months (pl.)
 39 Beg
 41 Fish eggs
 42 Bright color
 43 Mother
 45 Limb
 47 Pedal digit
 48 Book value (ab.)
 50 Great Lake
 52 Sicilian mountain
 55 Scarce
 57 Account (ab.)
 58 Native of Spanish America
 60 Standard of value
 61 He is author

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 4 Exists
 5 Too
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 12 Cognomen
 17 British school
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 26 Electronic device
 28 Simplified
 29 Pen
 30 Golf device
 32 Yes
 33 Sorry
 37 Part in play
 38 Observe
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BEDROOM or small apartment wanted by permanent couple. No children, no pets, no liquor or card parties. Phone 1259-J. (186-3)

WANT to rent an apartment or garage apartment with cooking facilities. Permanent residents. Phone 1324. (187-3)

BOY or girl going to school living near or in Gulf, Magnolia or Atlantic bank farm to deliver Reporter-Telegram on the way home every afternoon. Route will pay up to \$40 per month, with no interference to school or recreation. It is established and collections are easy. Will be open first of November. See Mr. Russell, circulation department, at once! (187-6)

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Miscellaneous

BICYCLE for sale. \$70.00. 507 W. Outhbert. Phone 1413-J. (185-3)

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BICYCLE for sale. New tires and tubes. Phone 1686. (187-3)

LOTS of kindling for sale. Maefair Apts. 1212 W. Texas. E. M. La-Beff. (187-3)

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WANT to swap my 5 room house, 2 bedrooms, in Southwest Houston, Texas, for desirable house in Midland. Room 336, Crawford Hotel or Phone 120. (185-4)

Wanted To Buy

WANT to buy a washing machine and electric refrigerator. Please write make, condition and price. Box 345, care this paper. (186-12)

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WE HAVE been able to secure a few radiators for Chevrolet cars and trucks, Oldsmobile, Buick and Cadillac passenger cars. Protect your car now if it needs a new radiator before the winter season begins.

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2 ROOM 16x24 nice little house to be moved. Phone 187-W. (187-3)

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Legal Notices

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

TO: J. L. Herness, Herness, wife of J. L. Herness, whose name is unknown to plaintiffs, and the unknown heirs of each of said defendants, Midland Town Company, a corporation, and the unknown stockholders, directors and officers of Midland Town Company, a defunct corporation. GREETING: You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 6th day of November, A. D. 1944, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. before the Honorable District Court of Midland County, at the Court House in Midland, Texas. Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 25th day of August, 1944. The file number of said suit being No. 336.

The names of the parties in said suit are: Allan Hargrave and Robert Muldrow III, as Plaintiffs, and J. L. Herness, Herness, wife of J. L. Herness, whose name is unknown to plaintiffs, and the unknown heirs of each of said defendants, Midland Town Company, a corporation, and the unknown stockholders, directors and officers of Midland Town Company, a defunct corporation, as Defendants. The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: This is an action by Allan Hargrave and Robert Muldrow III in trespass to try title, wherein plaintiffs seek to recover title to and possession of all of Lot Sixteen (16), in Block Thirty Six (36), Original town of Midland, Midland County, Texas, and to recover damages in the sum of \$100.00 as the fair rental value thereof. The interest, if any, claimed by any of the above named defendants is unknown. Issued this 20th day of September, 1944. Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Midland, Texas, this 20th day of September, A. D. 1944. (SEAL)

(Signed) Nettie C. Romer, Clerk, Midland County, Texas. District Court, 9/22-27-10/6-18.

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THE WAR TODAY

By DEWITT MACKENZIE Associated Press War Analyst

Here's a new crisis to watch: the effort of a strong Spanish Republican movement to start a rebellion against Generalissimo Franco and reestablish the republic which he overthrew in 1939 in one of the bloodiest civil wars of history.

It's significant that the Moscow radio has been urging Spaniards to revolt against Franco. During the civil war Russia supported the Republican government, which included strong Communist elements. Franco had the heavy backing of both Germany and Italy, and it's the German retreat from the Spanish borders in face of the Allied invasion of France that encourages the Republicans to strike.

Working of the anti-Franco movement has been apparent for a long time. The latest development came Thursday when the Toulouse (France) radio stated that the "Supreme Junta of the Spanish National Union" (an organization set up by exiled Republicans in France to oppose Franco) had called on patriotic Spaniards to rise.

40,000 Exiles These Spanish exiles are reported to total 40,000 in Southern France. Units of the organization have been raiding Spanish territory for ten days or more, and on October 6 it was reported that there had been a clash between the raiders and a Spanish garrison.

Should a revolution eventuate, the circumstances will be far different than in the last upheaval. Then Hitler and Mussolini not only provided Franco with great quantities of war supplies, but with large numbers of fighting men. The Republican government, on the other hand, was terribly hard pressed to find resources. It received its chief foreign aid from Russia, and communications between the two countries for movement of supplies was extremely difficult.

Now, with Italy out cold and Hitlerdom hanging on the ropes, the Generalissimo would seem to be dependent on his own resources—and they're slim. The Republicans certainly must be hoping that this time they will have great assistance from Russian sources, in view of the Moscow radio's urgent call for rebellion.

Series Of 13s Feature

Life Of Indiana Boy

EVANSVILLE, IND. — (AP) — If Kenneth Spalding gets through Friday he'll never be superstitious again.

Kenneth is the 13th child in his family. Friday is his birthday—Friday, Oct. 13—and he's 13 years old.

Draft Board Explains In Advance

HARRISBURG, PA. — (AP) — "If our efficiency takes a decided slump," a local board chairman wrote state selective service headquarters, "I am offering not an alibi but a valid reason in advance of the catastrophe."

"Monday was M-Day. Our chief clerk asked for time off to get married on Wednesday. Our assistant clerk wanted to know if she could be off to get married on Thursday. The third clerk displayed a diamond ring and said it might happen any day."

"All three young ladies are marrying soldiers. They promised to return to their jobs."

OPA Is Finally Convinced Of Need

OKLAHOMA CITY — (AP) — The OPA office, checking an application for an oil heater, could find no reason why the stove was needed.

A reply for more details stated: "I have never bought a stove and do not have one of any kind. My husband is in service and I am not able to get any other kind of fuel."

"She got the heater."

Liquid Soap Proves Of Superior Quality

BOISE, IDAHO — (AP) — The United States government has confiscated a quantity of liquor shipped into this state improperly labeled. It came in trunks marked "liquid soap."

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Fraser's Brief Published As Senate Document

WASHINGTON — (AP) — A lawyer's brief strongly upholding the Senate's advice-and-consent powers with respect to treaties was published as a Senate document Friday at the request of Foreign Relations Committee Chairman Connally (D-Texas).

Unanimous consent to print the brief as a public document was obtained before the current congressional recess by the Texas, whose committee normally would be expected to pass on the peace treaty and other international commitments which may arise with the end of the war.

Prepared By Fraser The argument was prepared by Harry S. Fraser, assistant counsel to the special committee investigating petroleum resources, of which Connally is the ranking Democratic member. In obtaining consent for its publication Sept. 21, the day Congress began its eight-week recess, the Texas explained:

"This is a brief treating with the difference between executive agreements and treaties, and in view of the many treaties which will probably come before the Senate, I think it would be useful to have this document in the hands of Senators."

Connally left the capital this week and it could not be ascertained immediately what is his attitude toward Fraser's statement that "the increasing employment of the 'executive agreement' in the conduct of the foreign relations of the government indicates the desirability of a careful analysis of the validity of this technique in view of the treaty-making power under the Constitution."

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