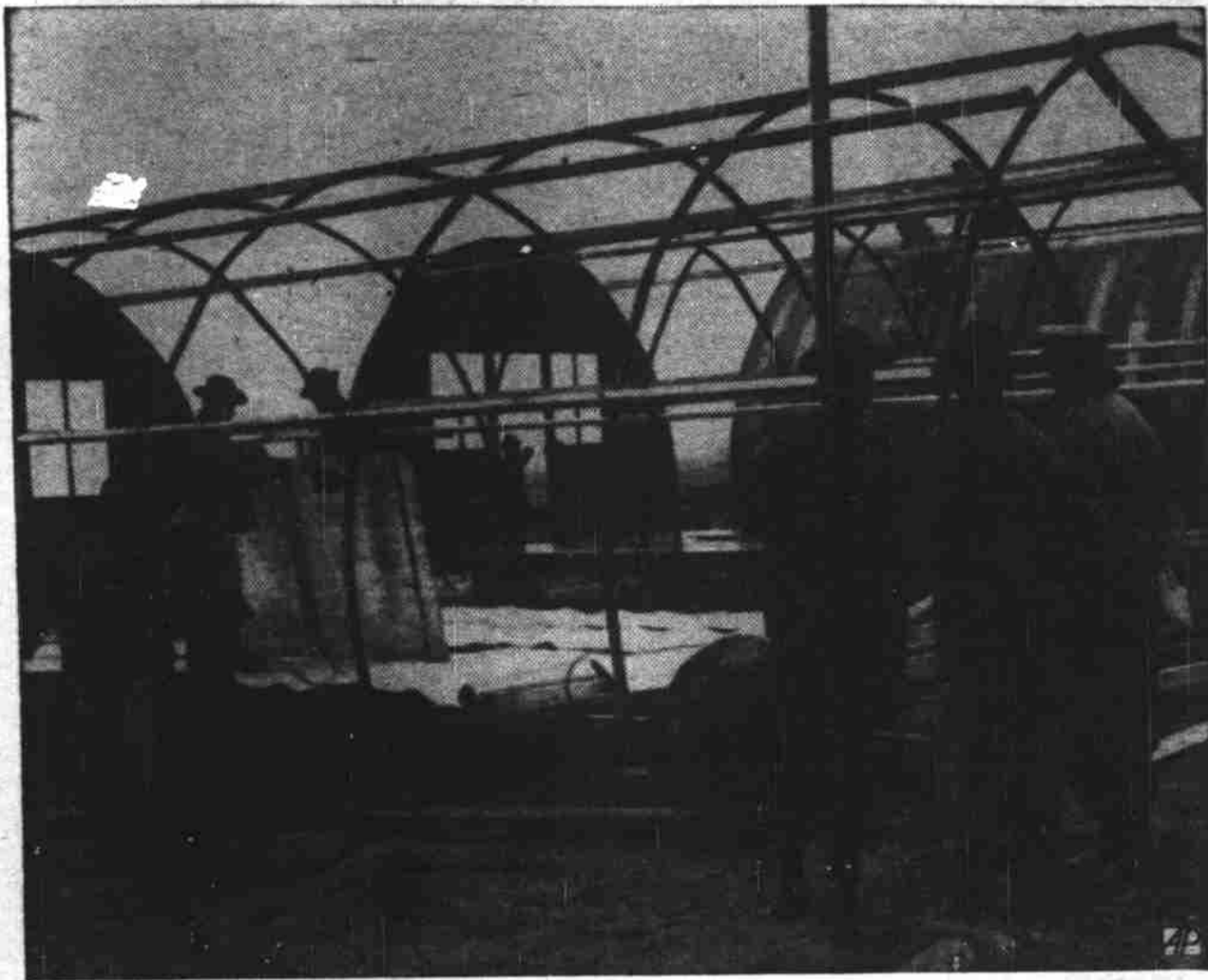


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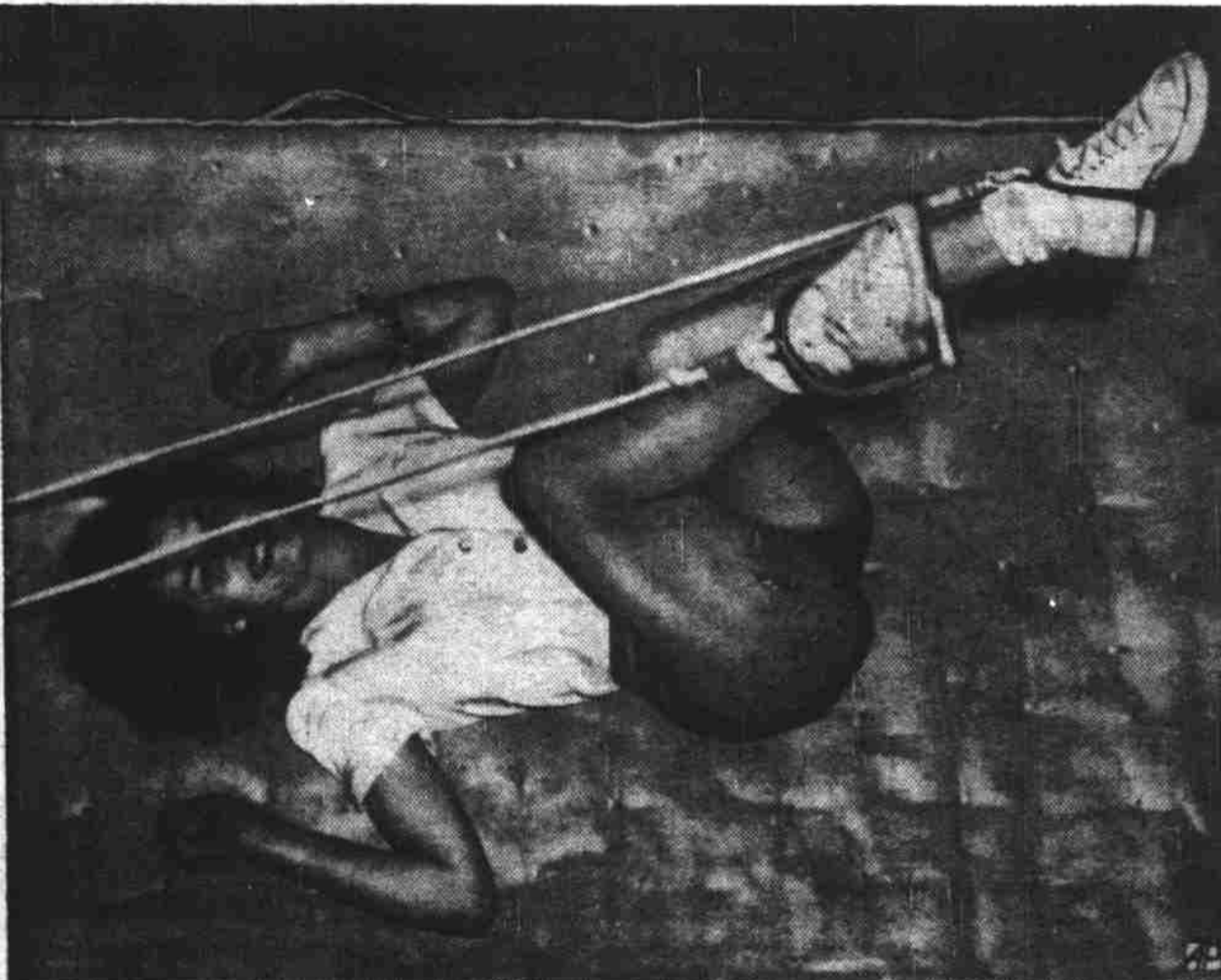
**MARINES' HUT-SUT SONG**—U.S. marines who preceded regular U.S. army troops to Iceland set up these forms to provide huts for the regulars. Marines also finished the huts.



**GIVE A CHEER!**—Those loud, enthusiastic sounds you hear coming from Louisiana State University stadium at Baton Rouge are probably due to the pert girl cheer leaders, such as June Kerlin. The girls spin, dance, kick—and lead the cheering.



**A SIGHT TO SEE!**—Never in all her 15 months had Bernice Easley seen such a beast as this, a stuffed St. Bernard dog on the midway of Texas state fair in Dallas.



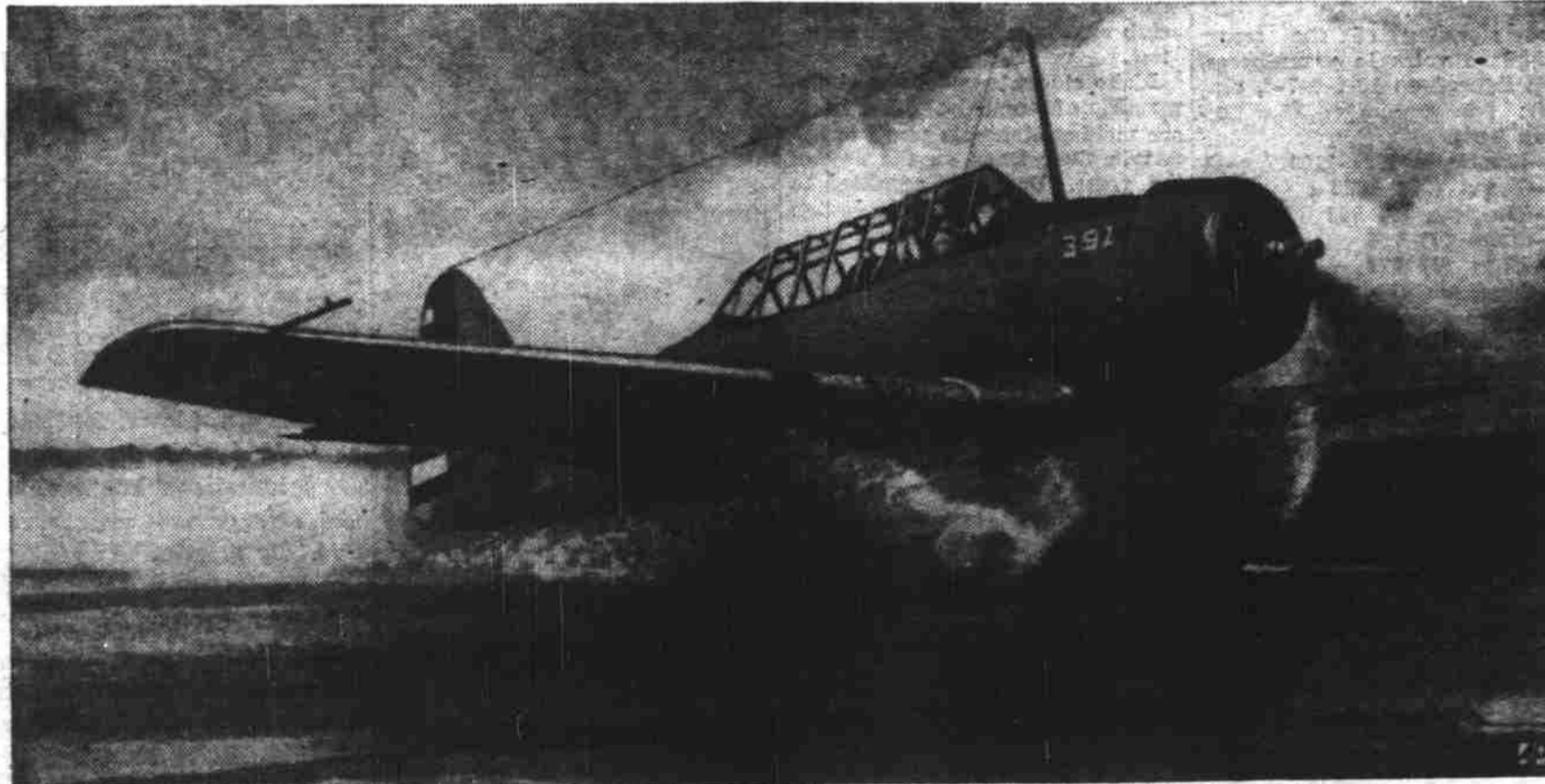
**MATTER OF FLATS AND FAT**—It all looks pretty easy—and pretty, too—when the bicycle-kicking exercise that transforms "fat" to "flat" is being performed by Jane Russell, a movie starlet. She points out that shoulders must be kept flat on the floor; the idea of the exercise is to flatten the stomach, reduce the thighs, firm up the calves.



**HI, DIRTY-FACE!**—Jockeys I. Garza (left) and Tom May gave each a loud horse-laugh after a recent race at Jamaica, New York. The track was definitely not clear and fast, and a rain added to the boys' discomfort.



**WATCHES**—As comptroller general of the U.S., Lindsay Carter Warren's job is to see that government money moves straight down the legal line chalked by Congress.



**PLANE GETS ITS FEET WET IN TEXAS**—Over a 3,300-foot ramp along the hangar line at Randolph Field, Texas, taxis a basic training plane that's almost amphibian thanks to a rainstorm. Randolph is the Army's "West Point of the Air."



**LOOKS OK**—"Everybody probably will criticize my form," remarked the Duke of Windsor when he golfed at Elkridge club in Baltimore. This was a 200-yard drive from No. 1.



**START OF EMPIRE**—Unveiling of Spindletop monument, set amid derricks near Beaumont, Tex., on the site of Lucas No. 1, a gusher back in 1901, commemorates the commercial founding of the Lone Star State's vast oil empire.



**SPARKLE**—Elegant jewels to set off debutantes are expected at Diamond Ball and Debutante Cotillon in Waldorf-Astoria, N. Y., and social Laurie Hutchinson (above) is all set. She has chiffon dress, matching sapphire, diamond jewel pieces.



**SENATOR'S BRIDE**—Honeymooning Sen. Robert R. Reynolds, 57, of North Carolina, and his bride, the former Evelyn McLean, 19, were recently wed in Washington. It was the fifth marriage for the senator, the first for the heiress.



**DREAM**—Because she feels "there aren't enough big opera companies to make room for everybody," Mrs. Lytle Hull (above), the former Mrs. Vincent Astor and long a music patron, has founded a "vest-pocket" opera company in New York.



**DINNER PARTY**—Wearing an unusual necklace of brilliant and pear-shaped diamonds to set off her velvet evening gown, Mrs. W. Averell Harriman appeared in a New York night club with a dinner party that included dapper William Rhinelandier Stewart, socialite. Mrs. Harriman's husband headed the U.S. supply mission lately returned to London from Moscow.



**REVERSE ORDER**—A little fellow, Halfback Tony Galovich of the Cleveland Rams pro football team, curls around Elwyn "Moore" Dawson, a tackle measuring 6'3", weighing 250 pounds. Tony is a mere 5'9" and weighs only 170 pounds.