

# Roosevelt-Churchill Map Master War Plan

## Annihilation Of Nazi Stalingrad Force Is Near

MOSCOW, Jan. 27. (AP)—In one of the war's strange quirks, the defenders of Stalingrad today are German, not Russian, fighting attacks against the battered ruins in the heart of the city and in another pocket slightly to the north. This remnant of Nazi forces once numbering 22 divisions—220,000 men at full strength—has been whittled down to 12,000 men, the Russians said. A special communique declared these doomed.

## Yanks Blast Germany For First Time

LONDON, Jan. 27 (AP)—United States heavy bombers, flying fortresses and Liberators, attacked naval installations in Germany today. It was authoritatively announced.

It was the United States army air force's first attack on the German homeland.

It was believed that German U-boat centers particularly were chosen for the attack. Just what part of the Reich was hit was not disclosed. A United States headquarters communique said: "United States army air force flying fortresses (B-17s) and (B-24s) attacked naval installations in Germany today."

The raid followed overnight forays in which the RAF set fires in the dock area of Lorient, Nazi U-boat base on the coast of France, and bombed the Gironde estuary port of Bordeaux after a two-night lull in offensives over the continent.

The RAF has been over Germany 13 times this month. The industrial Ruhr valley has been bombed nine times and Berlin twice, on the nights of Jan. 16 and 17.

The United States army air force in this theater started the new year with a heavy raid on St. Nazaire on Jan. 3. The most recent flying fortress raid was a one-two battering of Lorient in cooperation with the RAF Jan. 23.

Liberators, used with the fortresses today, are coming increasingly into prominence in this theater. They carry a heavier good effect by the RAF as well as the United States army air force.

## US Craft Met Over Wake

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27. (AP)—American planes flying over Wake Island on a reconnaissance mission were attacked by Japanese planes, the navy reported today, but returned safely to their base.

Two Japanese zero fighters were reported shot down, in the first flight over Wake since a bombing attack on December 23, which started large fires in enemy positions.

The action was reported in navy communique 268: "Pacific: '1. On January 26th, U. S. aircraft were attacked by eight Japanese zeros during a reconnaissance mission over Wake Island. Two zeros are believed to have been destroyed. All U. S. planes returned.

"South Pacific: (all dates are east longitude). '2. On January 26th: 'a. At dusk a formation of flying fortress heavy bombers (Boeing B-17), heavily bombed the Japanese airfield at Ballale Island in the Shortland Islands and started fires in the revetments. Weak anti-aircraft fire was encountered.

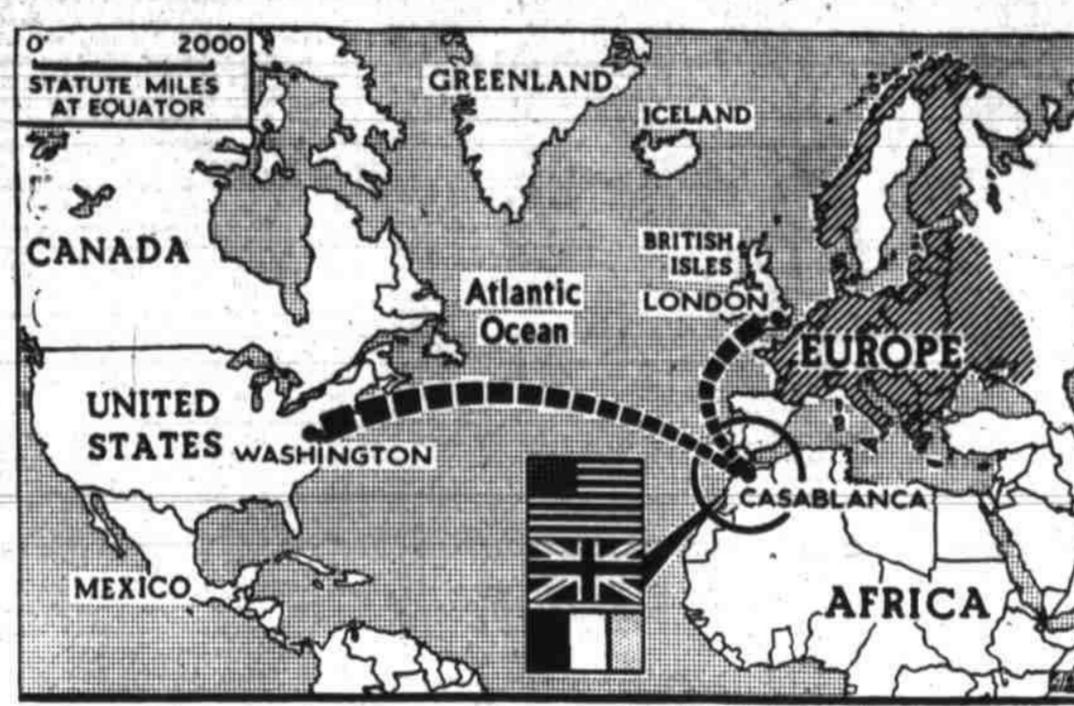
## RED GENERAL IN NORTH

MOSCOW, Jan. 27. (AP)—Marshal Semyon Timoshenko, who was relieved from his southwest command late last year for another important assignment, is on the northern front, it was disclosed today.

## Washington Exhilarated, But—

There's Still A War Going On

By The Associated Press  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 27. — A generally exhilarated capital already is scanning the war-darkened skies today for the first flashes of military lightning generated by President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill at their spectacular North African conference.



Where Historic Conference Occurred—Dotted lines from Washington and London indicate distance President Roosevelt and British Prime Minister Winston Churchill traveled to confer at a hotel in Casablanca (circled), French Morocco, Africa, with heads of the French government. Shaded areas are Axis-dominated.

## Different From Others Parley Signifies Resolve Of Allies To Utilize Initiative

By GLENN BABB  
Associated Press Writer  
The primary significance of the Casablanca meeting of President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill is summed up in a phrase of the communique which reported it to the world. It was intended to draw "the utmost advantage from the markedly favorable turn of events at the close of 1942," to catch the rising tide of Allied victory and good fortune and ride it to full flood.

## Supreme Strategy Set

French Heads Fix Liaison  
ALGIERS, Jan. 27. (AP)—A communique from the headquarters of General Henri Giraud declared today that "substantial results have been obtained for France" in the ten-day meeting of Allied leaders at Casablanca.

On the occasion of this conference, the communique said, "General Giraud met General De Gaulle."

"This personal contact permitted the first examination of the conditions under which the French effort in the war of liberation might be organized.

"Exchanges of views will be continued on this subject. It has been decided henceforth to establish permanent liaison."

The United Nations, the communique said, have recognized in France "an ally who has never ceased to fight, by continuing the battle abroad or preparing to take up the battle anew in her territory. Her action in Tunisia is a manifestation of her will to free her territory."

The assurance that the initiative would be maintained in all theaters was interpreted here as meaning specifically that there would be no denial of necessary troops and supplies for the war against Japan in order to concentrate on

time ago by Maj. Gen. Lewis B. Erbe, selective service chief, indicating the supply of childless married men would last only about ten months if the armed forces went above 10,000,000.

Hershey's statement—the last he has made publicly on the subject—was that drafting of men with children would begin generally around next October 1 if 10,000,000 or more were to be called up.

Another development has been the shifting in draft deferment emphasis from dependency to occupation as the manpower shortage grows and the number of persons eligible for occupational deferment mounts with the expansion of war industry.

Burke T. Summers, Big Spring, representative for the 5th legislative district, has been named to five important committees in the house by Speaker Price Daniel.

He was placed on the military affairs; oil, gas and mining; congressional and legislative districts; livestock and stock raising; and manufacturing and commerce committees.

Summers was elected Jan. 9 in a special election to succeed Dorsey E. Hardeman, who resigned, following his re-election, to enter the army.

## Allied Leaders Aim At Complete Victory

CASABLANCA, French Morocco, Jan. 27. (AP)—A master war plan for 1943 aimed at forcing the unconditional surrender of Germany, Japan and Italy has been mapped in a historic 10-day conference among President Roosevelt, Prime Minister Churchill and a score of top-flight military and supply leaders, and today the Allied heads had separated to put their global strategy "into active and concerted execution."

President Roosevelt, breaking more traditions, flew 5,000 miles for the meeting that began Jan. 14 and ended last Sunday with a press conference on the sunny lawn of a villa in Casablanca's outskirts near the Atlantic breakers through which American troops stormed ashore last November.

Churchill also flew to the rendezvous which found Gen. Charles De Gaulle, Fighting Axis Reacts To Meetings

LONDON, Jan. 27 (AP)—In the first axis reaction to the Roosevelt-Churchill conference heard here, the German radio said today "It took ten days to establish harmony between the Anglo-American government chiefs."

The announcer at the same time denounced the meeting as a "fourth-rate Hollywood bigwig pow-wow on the romantic shores of Africa."

DNB said it was "Roosevelt's desire to see the European nations bleed to death defending themselves against the bolshevist hordes."

"The journey of Roosevelt, one of the most original figures in world history, to North Africa, conquered without a fight, is considered here as a symbol of American imperialism," the official German agency said.

The British Broadcasting corporation gave Germany priority in broadcasts on the conference. The news was flashed to Germany at 8 a. m.

## Chart For Invasion Indicated

The presence of such a galaxy of American and British leaders, both strategists and field commanders, indicated that not only European invasion courses had been charted, but that field commanders had been decided upon for impending operations.

Those who will command and where they will strike probably will remain military secrets for some time.

President Roosevelt took time out from the deliberations to award decorations to U.S. troops, ride a jeep to review troops in the field, and eat army rations of ham and beans.

The timing of the meeting was particularly fortunate from an Allied standpoint, with German troops reeling in Soviet Russia and Africa, and Italy having just been stripped of its last symbol of African empire, and with Japan being smashed in New Guinea.

Here are the highlights of the conference which Roosevelt and Churchill, in a Sunday summary, agreed was unprecedented and will affect the course of the war.

One—Military and civil leaders of both nations agreed on a 1943 plan designed to retain the initiative in every war theater.

Two—Roosevelt and Churchill, perhaps in anticipation of Axis peace feelers, agreed that peace can come only through unconditional surrender of the three major Axis partners.

Three—Generals Giraud and De Gaulle met for the first time under sponsorship of the president and prime minister to negotiate for an effective union of their two forces.

Four—Stalin was kept informed. Churchill and Roosevelt disclosed they had offered to meet the Russian leader—whose armies have dealt such prodigious blows to the Germans—at a point "very much further to the east." But it was pointed out that because of the big Red army winter offensive Stalin was unable to leave the country. The two Allied leaders also communicated with Chiang Kai-Shek and "have appraised him of the measures which they are taking to assist him in China's magnificent and unrelenting struggle for the common cause."

Five—Maximum material aid to Russia and China will be one of the prime aims of the U.S. and Britain.

## Conferences Are Busy Affairs

The conferences were held at a small hotel in Casablanca's suburbs under the greatest secrecy. Those participating engaged a cluster of nearby villas for living quarters and the area was guarded heavily by U.S. troops and was surrounded by barbed-wire.

Churchill flew from Britain in an American four-motored Liberator bomber, the same aircraft he used for his August trip to Cairo and Moscow. Capt. William Vanderkloot of Sarasota, Fla., and the same crewmen of the previous flight, again were recruited.

Aside from the fact that he flew across the Atlantic, details of the president's trip still have not been disclosed.

Churchill arrived first. When the president landed he dispatched Harry Hopkins, chairman of the British-American relations assignment board, to Churchill's villa, and the prime minister returned with him to begin the talks.

The first one began at 7 p. m. the night of Jan. 14 and lasted until 8 a. m. the next day. Military bigwigs participated, as did the field commanders of both nations charged with smashing the Axis-held strip of Tunisia preparatory to opening a possible second front on the underbelly of Europe.

President Roosevelt received correspondents in the red-flowered garden of his villa Sunday afternoon while American fighters and RAF Spitfires hummed overhead protectively.

The only woman present was WAAC Capt. Louise Anderson of Denver, a stenographer from Lieut. Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower's headquarters.

Then Generals De Gaulle and Giraud appeared from the president's quarters, followed by Roosevelt himself, clad in a tight grey suit and with his usual cigarette holder. Hovering in the background was the president's envoy to North Africa, Robert Murphy, who did valuable contact work with the French before the Allied invasion.

Churchill, smoking a cigar and dressed in a dark grey suit, then appeared.

General Giraud and De Gaulle shook hands for the benefit of the correspondents, then retired, as the conference got underway.

First Roosevelt expressed his own and Churchill's regret at the death of one correspondent, Edouard Baudry of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation. Baudry was struck by a machine-gun bullet over casting Morocco when the meeting lost its way temporarily. He died when the plane made an emergency landing in French Morocco.

## FD Announces Complete Agreement

The president then explained the background of the historic meeting. It became clear, he said, when the North African campaign was launched that he and the prime minister would have to meet again.

Stalin had been cordially invited to meet the president and prime minister but was "unable to leave Russia at this time on account of the great offensive which he himself as commander-in-chief is directing."

Then, with Churchill nodding assent, Roosevelt said the 10-day conference had ended in "complete agreement" on 1943 plans to bring about the "unconditional surrender" of the axis. This did not mean, the president said, the destruction of the populations of Germany, Japan, and Italy, but it did mean the smashing of the philosophy of these countries based on conquest and reigns of terror.

Here Churchill interjected a "Hear, Hear," as if he were home attending a parliamentary session.

Allied determination to press the war initiative in every part of the world was stressed. Roosevelt said that a "theater by theater" survey, as the communique phrased it, had been made.

This was interpreted to mean that Allied military chiefs had mapped invasion plans and probably also picked their generals for such field posts.

All the chiefs were present for the meetings—Gen. George C. Marshall, chief of staff of the U. S. army; Gen. Sir Alan Brooke, chief of the imperial general staff; Admiral Ernest J. King, commander-in-chief of the U. S. Navy; Admiral of the Fleet Sir Dudley Pound; Lieut. Gen. H. H. Arnold, commander of the U. S. Army Air Forces; and Air Chief Marshal Sir Charles Portal, chief of Britain's air staff.

## Unconditional Surrender Parley

In emphasizing the aim of the Allied high command, the president suggested that the entire meeting be called "the unconditional surrender"

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## Japs Feel New Allied Blows

By The Associated Press  
Allied warplanes were credited today with inflicting new havoc on Japan's invasion armies in Burma and the South Sea, even as Prime Minister John Curtin of Australia appealed for greater strength in the southwest Pacific "to avenge the men of Cororador."

Simultaneously, dispatches from the New Guinea battlefield quoted Lieut. Gen. Robert Eichelberger, commander of American forces in the victorious Papuan campaign, as declaring that the Allied triumph in that sector was "a slap in the face for the Japs," and the first pushing-around of this war for the Japanese.

"What's more," he said, "American troops had their baptism of fire and learned things which bode ill times for the enemy in the future."

Observers expected that with the end of the Papuan campaign, Gen. Douglas MacArthur's American and Australian forces would next turn their attention to the Japanese strongholds in northeastern New Guinea.

American flying fortresses again blasted at shipping in Rabaul harbor, New Britain, a major base for supplying enemy forces in New Guinea, hitting a ship in the harbor and started fires in the air-drome area.

In the Burma front, RAF planes flying from India again attacked Japanese installations and transport in Burma, bombing the important enemy airbase at Toungoo and raking boats on the Chindwin river and along the Bay of Bengal coast.

## Axis Lines Sag Before Yanks

By The Associated Press  
ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA, Jan. 27. (AP)—United States forces attacking from the Ousseltia valley in Tunisia, have smashed back the German line, capturing several planes of tactical importance covering the mountain pass from Ousseltia to Kairouan, it was announced today.

Despite intermittent rains the Americans cracked through the German defenses to recover large sections of the area lost a week ago by the French when German armored units smashed forward several miles southwest of Point Du Fahs.

Meanwhile, far to the south, the British eighth army clung to the heels of the retreating Rommel African corps.

The eighth army engaged Rommel's rear guard west of Zouira, yesterday, a Cairo communique said today. Zouira is 50 miles west of Tripoli.

# Sports

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## War Means A 'New Life' For Old Men Of The Diamond

By DILLON GRAHAM  
AP Features Sports Editor

NEW YORK—This war is going to add a few more years to the playing careers of some of baseball's major league oldtimers. The caliber of play will decrease just enough to meet their own decreasing ability.

And that means old John Cooney, the sprightly veteran, will be around with the Braves for several more seasons. Ted Lyons, the White Sox chucker, was perhaps baseball's oldest major league regular last year but the 42-year-old pitcher is now in the minors and the most ancient title goes to Cooney.

Cooney will be 42 in March, and he has been in the National League since 1921, except for a five year stretch in the American association in the early 1930's. Brooklyn figured the old boy still had some life in him and brought him back, and in 1938 he went to Boston. He was good enough two years ago to author the second highest batting average in the league, only Pete Reiser of the Dodgers compiling a better average.

Johnny was a pitcher until he had 15 chips of bone removed from his elbow and since then he has been a flycatcher. He has been in baseball 22 years and he attributes his long career to good, clean living. He doesn't smoke or drink and he conserves his legs.

"I give out when I have to give out, otherwise I take it on the easy side."

The Waners, Paul and Lloyd, at 40 and 37, are other veterans who might be on the way out except for the unusual wartime conditions. Other oldtimers include Dick Bartell, Dalph Camilli, Roger Cramer, Bill Dickey, Rick Ferrell, Jimmy Foss, Vay Goodman, Rollie Hemingway, Billy Herman, Bob Johnson, Bill Jurgen, Joe Kubal, Gus Man-

cuso, Johnny Allen, Walter Beck, Tommy Bridges, Paul Derringer, Curt Davis, Carl Hubbell, Thornton Lee, John Niggeling, Bill Lee, Vance Page, and Jim Turner.

There's certainly no one in sight right now who figures to beat Joe Louis, but by the time the heavyweight champion returns to the ring after war's end, some young fellow may take his measure.

And, if that's the case, it probably will be a chap who couldn't have gone a half dozen rounds with Joe at his peak. It probably will be more of a case of Louis slipping than of another superstar arriving on the scene.

Boxing history shows that heavyweights can't enjoy a long layoff and return as good a fighting man. James J. Jeffries retired as the undefeated king, retired largely because there was no one left for him to beat. But when Jeff was persuaded to fight again against young Jack Johnson, he didn't have it.

There was a three-year layoff between Jack Dempsey's title fight with Firpo and his first match with Gene Tunney. And it left Jack ring-rusty. He was beaten.

It has been almost a year now since Louis knocked out Abe Simon in his last battle and it likely will be another two years at the earliest before he enters the ring again. That may be too long.

### Letters Awarded To 22 Baylor Gridders

WACO, Jan. 27 (AP)—Twenty-two varsity football letters have been awarded for the 1942 season by Baylor University. Receiving numbers were:

Aubrey Bailey, Bubo Barnett, Bill Coleman, Bill Cravan, Milton Crain, Bert Edmonson, James Erwin, Wensell Gandy, Lester (Bud) Gasterwood, James Griffin, W. B. Godbold, Bobby Henderson, Gordon Hollen, Jack Jeffrey, Tom Johnson, M. L. (Kit) Kittrell, Albin Muraki, Travis Nelson, Lloyd Price, J. W. Robinson, Le Roy Robertson and Olan Runnels.



DETECTING AXIS MINES—Two British engineers with land mine detecting equipment advance to clear the way for pursuit of Axis forces in African desert.

## Old Age Assistance Back On Doorstep Of Texas Legislature

AUSTIN, Jan. 27 (AP)—Old age assistance expenditures—bone of contention at past sessions—was on the door step of the 48th legislature today.

The house appropriations committee ordered consideration of a bill by Rep. Ben Sharpe of Paris appropriating more than a \$1,000,000 unexpended balance in old age assistance funds to current expenditures.

The bill, Sharpe said, was designed to avert a \$3 reduction in old age assistance checks beginning in March.

Pensions have already been reduced horizontally \$1 because the bond was too big for the maximum \$1,750,000 monthly expenditure authorized by state law.

The balance accumulated because in seven past months \$1,750,000 was more than enough revenue to pay fund obligations. The number of eligible applicants has since grown but the unexpended balance past cannot be carried forward unless the law is amended.

### RADIO LOG

- Thursday Morning
- 7:00 Musical Clock.
  - 7:30 News.
  - 7:45 Musical Clock.
  - 8:00 News.
  - 8:05 Morning Devotional.
  - 8:20 Morning Concert.
  - 8:30 "Young Wilder Brown"
  - 8:45 For Ladies Only.
  - 9:00 Ian Ross MacFarlane.
  - 9:15 Choir Loft.
  - 9:25 Big Spring Bombardier School Graduation Exercises.
  - 10:30 Yankee House Party.
  - 11:00 News.
  - 11:05 Dr. Amos R. Wood.
  - 11:10 KBST Preview.
  - 11:15 Bill Hay Reads the Bible.
  - 11:30 U. S. Navy Band.
  - Thursday Afternoon
  - 12:00 Luncheon Dance Varieties.
  - 12:15 What's the Name of That Band.
  - 12:30 News.
  - 12:45 Tommy Dorsey's Orchestra.
  - 1:00 Cedric Foster.
  - 1:15 School Forum.
  - 1:30 Mutual Goss Calling.
  - 2:00 Background for News.
  - 2:15 Treasury Star Parade.
  - 2:30 Shady Valley Folks.
  - 3:00 News.
  - 3:05 Affairs of Tom, Dick and Harry.
  - 4:00 Sheila Carter.
  - 4:15 Quaker City Conga.
  - 4:30 Supermen.
  - 4:45 Stella Dallas.
  - Thursday Evening
  - 5:00 Minuta of Prayer.
  - 5:01 Phillip Keyne-Gordon.
  - 5:15 Dollars for Listeners.
  - 5:30 Foreign News Roundup.
  - 5:45 Songs for Service Men.
  - 6:00 Fulton Lewis Jr.
  - 6:15 The Johnson Family.
  - 6:30 Confidentially Yours.
  - 6:45 Don Reids Orchestra.
  - 7:15 Where to Go Tonight.
  - 7:30 News.
  - 7:35 Skyline Patrol.
  - 8:00 Gabriel Heatter.
  - 8:15 Abe Lyman's Orchestra.
  - 8:30 KBST Bandwagon.
  - 9:00 Raymond Clapper.
  - 9:15 Sign Off.

## Soldiers Pick All-Star Team

The 365th squadron placed two men on the all-star team of the Enlisted Men's basketball league which was sacked up during tournament play over the weekend by the 514th squadron.

First and second teams, picked by different team members and coaches, were:

First Team

1. John Millard, 365th, forward.
2. Oscar Miller, 514th, center.
3. Fynn Dunham, 514th, guard.
4. Frank Savio, 365th, forward.
5. Ed Milewski, 517th, guard.

Second Team

1. Albert Baranowski, 514th, forward.
2. Charles Landkammer, 517th center.
3. Ross Doly, 518th, forward.
4. Stephen Blich, 512th, guard.
5. Ivan Peth, 517th, guard.

Honorable Mention

Anthony Helling, 513th.  
James McCuish, 519th.  
Thomas Vinson, 514th.  
Max Lucas, Cadet.  
Edward Ljoma, Cadet.  
Harry Wroble, 1047th.  
Donald Shay, 518th.  
Vincent Henshan, 513th.  
Walter Podanny, 513th.

### Study Sports Pinch By Transportation

FORT WORTH, Jan. 27 (AP)—A committee of school superintendents is meeting here today for a study of the transportation problems confronting Texas schoolboy competitive sports.

The group, named by the Texas Association of School Administrators, will confer with Texas inter-scholastic league officials with a view toward presenting their case before state and national rationing officials.

Butant tires and gasoline to insure transportation of athletic teams will be sought.

### Strip-Cropping Is Suggested By Mann

By DUDLEY MANN  
Soil Conservation Service

Interest this year is being focused on conservation methods which pay immediate dividends, both in holding soil and moisture and in increased production. One of the most practical devices is strip cropping. Here are some things about it:

Advantages:

1. Affords even distribution of stalk and stubble over field.
2. Aids in controlling wind erosion.
3. Aids in insect control, especially cotton flea hopper.
4. Affords systematic means of crop rotation.

Some Things To Consider:

1. The width of the strip of erosion resisting crop such as feed and the width of the erosion permitting crop such as cotton should be varied according to the type of soil.
2. Crops that are planted in the strips should be planted so as to work into the desired crop rotation.
3. Strips should be planted on the contour except on deep sandy soils.
4. The erosion resisting strips should include such crops as maize, begar, sudan, etc.

### Some Of The Boys Will Have To Pay

NEW YORK, Jan. 27 (AP)—Pay day will be more welcome than ever to some soldiers at Mitchell Field. With one private named Gustavus Adolphus and another having the surname of Mancato, one company divided into two groups to bet on the outcome of Monday's basketball game between Gustavus Adolphus and Mancato, a pair of Minnesota colleges.

The former team won, 42 to 32.

### Judge Landis Cuts Down On Travel, Too

CHICAGO, Jan. 27 (AP)—Kenesaw Mountain Landis, commissioner of baseball, is passing up a Florida vacation for the first time in 23 years.

"The boys aren't going to do their training in the south, so why should I?" he explained today. "It wouldn't be settin' a good example. I'll freeze up here with the rest of 'em."

### Glasscock Group Plans Observance Of FD's Birthday

County Judge C. M. Sparkman, Garden City, is heading up the observance of the President's Birthday in Glasscock county this year.

He has been named as county chairman by state headquarters. Other officers in the Glasscock county set-up are: Mrs. Bud Hansen, vice-chairman in charge of women's activities; Berry N. Duff, vice-chairman; Mrs. Vena Lawson, secretary; Mrs. Raggie Morgan, treasurer; Mrs. Harry Echols, Stanton; Mrs. Vie Phillips, route No. 2, Big Spring; Mrs. T. Haley, Mrs. Steve Currie and Mrs. Edward Teale, Garden City, vice-chairman and executive committee.

### Brits Get New Tank

LONDON, Jan. 27 (AP)—The house of commons was told today that British forces are getting delivery of a new British tank which Sir Edward Grigg, the war minister, has called better than any other in the world.

## Lefty Gomez To Toss For The Braves

LEXINGTON, Mass., Jan. 27 (AP) Now that he has recovered from the shock of being cast adrift by the fabulous New York Yankees, Vernon (Lefty) Gomez has high hopes that he, like many another aging pitcher before him, will find the "fountain of youth" that is supposed to be located within the spacious boundaries of Braves Field.

Gomez, now 32, became involved in a major league deal for the first time in his 12-year career yesterday when the Yankees sold him to the Boston Braves after all of the other American league clubs had waived on him.

"I was surprised, of course," the colorful southpaw said. "But I am convinced I still have enough stuff to be a winning pitcher and I'm looking forward to working in the Braves' big park. Those foul lines sound very attractive. For the last couple of seasons the 301 and 296-foot left and right fields in the Yankee stadium seemed much too short to me."

Gomez appears to have ample grounds on which to base his hopes for a successful term with the Braves. He recalls the happy experiences one of his old teammates, Deacon Danny MacFayden, enjoyed with the Braves after the Yankees cut him adrift when he reached the 30-year-old stage back in 1935.

## Reserve Call May Be Another Blow At Sports Teams

NEW YORK, Jan. 27 (AP)—Under the new law on the reserve power tax on the colleges, but the athletic teams will carry on with new students and the odds and ends still around, a survey by the Associated Press today showed.

Few of the coaches or athletic directors were able to interpret the order from Washington which stated that enlisted army reserves would be ordered up at the end of the first college term after Dec. 31, 1942.

At Atlanta, Ga., however, Maj. Gen. William Bryden of the fourth service command, said the regulation didn't mean "the reservists will finish the term one day and step into a uniform the next. They will become available at the completion of a semester or term and will be called later by name from Washington."

That interpretation was a pleasant one for basketball coaches Doug Mills of Illinois, Phog Allen of Kansas, Howard Cann of New York University.

These coaches have top-ranking teams and a blanket or immediate induction of reservists would take three starters from both Illinois and NYU and four from Kansas.

Completion of next fall's football outfits will be changed completely, five of Ohio State's best gridders being on the army list in addition to the usual graduation losses.

Although they expressed it in different words a majority of the commenting coaches endorsed the statement of Wallace Butts, whose Georgia eleven won the 1942 Rose Bowl game:

"Right now I'm too busy figuring out who is going and who isn't but the army is one outfit we're not trying to compete with. Anytime they want any of our boys they can have them."

The present call affects only army reservists and also excuses those in advanced ROTC work and those studying medicine, dentistry and engineering. It does not apply to army air corps reservists.

## SPORTS ROUNDUP

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By HUGH FULLEBTON, JR.

NEW YORK, Jan. 27 (AP)—Cadets at the North Carolina Navy Pre-Flight School will get some of their exercise next summer cultivating a 14-acre victory garden under the guidance of Lieut. Commander Harvey Harman, the athletic director, and Ensign Warren Chivers, former Dartmouth ski star ... And members of the Mid-Atlantic Greenkeepers association recently were urged to coax golf club members to do the same thing by turning the course into huge gardens ... Chances are the golfers would find it easier than the aviation cadets. They've been delving into the soil with nibblers for a good many years ... But any amateur gardener can tell you that hoeing corn and digging spuds is plenty of exercise and maybe the navy has the right idea in listing it as "labor engineering."

### A HAND FOR HANS

Just after the world series, Hans Lobert of the Phils learned that one of his old West Point baseball pupils, Lieut. Col. Red Reeder, was heading for Australia so he gave Red a letter to General Douglas MacArthur, who was superintendent of the military academy when Hans was coach ... The other day Lobert got a reply from Reeder, telling him the letter had been presented by General Sutherland, brother-in-law of Bucky Harris ... "For 25 minutes, he (MacArthur) talked of football, baseball and you," Reeder said. "When it was time for me to leave, he got up and stood staring out a window. 'Red,' he said, 'you tell that oldascal Hans Lobert that at night when the pressure is on and it's hard for me to go to sleep, I'm able to rest only by thinking of those days at West Point when I was superintendent and he was our holly baseball coach.'"

### Travel To Golden Gloves Discouraged

FORT WORTH, Jan. 27 (AP)—Travel for distances of more than 45 miles will be discouraged by officials of the Texas Golden Gloves when the state tournament is held here Feb. 10-13.

Tickets will not be sold outside a radius of 45 miles of Fort Worth.

### BASKETBALL CONTINUES

CHICAGO, Jan. 26 (AP)—Only five per cent of the nation's high schools have dropped basketball. Henry V. Porter, secretary of the National High School Federation, reported today. He said the figure was based on surveys in many states.

Bring your used bedsprings, stoves and baby carriages to Barrow Furniture Co. We will pay good prices.—adv.

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113 Bunnels (North Road Hotel)  
L. GRAU, Prop.

The Government Needs Your Dead Animals  
We Will Pick Up Within 25 Miles Of Big Spring  
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Your response to this company's appeal to conserve telephone service, your sacrifices of peacetime telephone convenience, have helped keep war calls flowing over the wires in ever-increasing volume. Thank you!

Under the handicap of stringent material shortages, the telephone problem during 1942 was somehow to add more telephones than in any two years before the war... while handling 67 million long distance calls—15% more than in 1941—40% more than in 1939.

During the present year, 1943, even more war calls must be handled. They must and shall get through. But your help will be needed... every day and every evening... in making...

Fewer and briefer telephone calls, please, and...

Only vital long distance calls to busy war centers.

Again... thank you!

### N. Texas Teachers Map An Ambitious Track Schedule

DENTON, Jan. 27 (AP)—An ambitious schedule has been mapped by Coach Lloyd Russell for his North Texas State Teachers College track and field squad.

The Eagle thin-clad expect to compete in the Border Olympics, Southwestern Exposition meet in Fort Worth, Texas relays, Lone Star conference meet and possibly the Penn relays at Philadelphia.

Lettermen back for track are dashman Bobby Jones, weightman Boatman, hurdler Ray Womack and pole-vaulter Bill Jones.

### Flynn Approved By Committee

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27 (AP)—The senate foreign relations committee approved today President Roosevelt's nomination of Edward J. Flynn, former national democratic chairman, to be minister to Australia and the president's personal representative in the South-west Pacific.

The vote was 13 to 10.

Three democrats — Senators George (D-Ga.), Van Nuys (D-Ind.) and Gillette (D-Iowa)—joined with the seven republican members of the committee in voting against confirmation.

### Game Called, On Account Of Measles

NEW BRITAIN, Conn., Jan. 27 (AP)—U.S. Army aviators retreated on orders from higher-ups, in the face of an unexpected weapon.

The Bradley field fliers were all in their uniforms, ready to have a whack at the New Britain Teachers' College basketball team, when word came not to play the game.

Headquarters had learned about a measles epidemic in New Britain.

Good prices offered by Barrow Furniture Co. for your used bedsprings, stoves and baby carriages.—adv.

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## PORTRAITS and COMMERCIAL PHOTOS by KELSEY

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# 'So you want your head blown off?'

AN AP man, W. A. M. Goode, climbed aboard Admiral Sampson's flagship, The New York, off Key West on April 20, 1898 and was greeted gruffly by the Admiral:

"So you want to come aboard and get your head blown off! It's foolish!"

It was the first time a reporter ever had been allowed aboard a warship in action and it had taken presidential approval, over the navy's protests, to arrange it.

Such daring and resourcefulness set new journalistic records during the Spanish-American war—and before. As early as 1896, in fact, the AP assigned F. J. Hilgert to Havana where the natives were seemingly waging a hopeless fight for independence from Spain. For two years Hilgert worked in secrecy, and in danger, smuggling out his graphic reports since General Weyler had forbade all newspaper work under threat of the firing squad.

With Hilgert's dramatic flash, "The Maine has been blown up," AP was ready. It assembled a trained war staff and assigned a flotilla of dispatch boats that made newspaper history. Correspondents aboard the dispatch boats with the blockading fleet off Santiago were under fire and frequently mistaken for the enemy.

Today AP men are making newspaper history again in the same tradition—AP men with the Mediterranean fleet, AP men in the Atlantic, in the Pacific, AP men wherever there's duty—and danger.

AP FIRST AT THE FRONT FOR A CENTURY

# President Reviews American Troops In Africa

Cantilever built on the sides of extinct volcanoes in Scotland.  
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## WAR TODAY: Orient Doubts Atlantic Charter Covers East

By DEWITT MACKENZIE  
BOMBAY, Jan. 26. (Delayed).— Out here where the east is very east and regards the west as another world there is much doubt as to the exact significance of the Atlantic Charter and consequently great anxiety over its application after the war.

believe Britain and the United States actually have post-war exploitation of the Orient in mind. Others are more charitable through equally pessimistic in the view that once the Allies have won the war they will forget to implement the charter in the Orient.

## Lemon Juice Recipe Checks Rheumatic Pain Quickly

If you suffer from rheumatic, arthritis or neuritis pain, try this simple inexpensive home recipe that thousands are using. Get a package of Ru-Ex Compound, a two-week supply, today. Mix it with a quart of water, add the juice of 4 lemons. It's easy. No trouble at all and pleasant. You need only 2 table-spoonfuls two times a day. Often within 48 hours—sometimes overnight—splendid results are obtained. If the pains do not quickly leave and if you do not feel better, return the empty package and Ru-Ex will cost you nothing to try as it is sold by your druggist under an absolute money back guarantee. Ru-Ex Compound is for sale and recommended by Collins Bros. Drugs and drug stores everywhere.—adv.

**EAT AT THE CLUB CAFE**  
"We Never Close"  
G. C. DUNHAM, Prop.



THE VICTOR POSES—Gen. Sir Bernard Montgomery, whose British army routed Axis from Egypt, poses for portrait.

## Old Mexican Custom—'Walking The Bear' To Get Its Preview In U. S. This Spring

DALLAS, Jan. 27 (AP)—Some of the first blossoms of spring, walking the bear, romantic and time-honored Latin-American method of getting acquainted, will get its premiere in the United States, Luis Perez-Abreu, Mexican consul, said today.

## Men Pop-Eyed With Surprise At Inspection

By WALTER LOGAN  
(Representing American Newspaper Correspondents in North Africa, Distributed by The Associated Press.)  
CASABLANCA, Jan. 21 (Delayed)—President Roosevelt, the first American chief executive to leave the United States in wartime and the first to fly the Atlantic, today inspected American troops in French Morocco, surprising them by his presence and leaving their faces wreathed in smiles.

The president reviewed the troops from a jeep driven by Staff Sergeant Oran Lass, from Kansas City, Mo., who was the proudest soldier in the U. S. army but maintained an air of impeccable dignity throughout.

Immediately behind the presidential jeep was another with bodyguards, and the following jeep contained Maj. Gen. George S. Patton, Jr., commanding U. S. troops in French Morocco; Rear Admiral Ross McIntire, the president's physician; and Harry Hopkins, presidential advisor. The soldiers reviewed had been entirely unaware of the president's presence in Africa, and confessed later that they had assumed when they rehearsed yesterday for the affair that the party would be "another bunch of brass hats."

## 5-Can Limit On Foods

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27. (AP)—The office of price administration today established a limit of five cans per person as the amount of canned vegetables and fruits which householders may possess, without penalty, when rationing of canned goods begins in about four weeks.

## Mitchell Registrants Are Reclassified

COLORADO CITY, Jan. 27. (AP)—Mitchell county men reclassified by the selective service board at its latest meeting include the following reclassified as 1A: John R. McBryde, John Womack, Jr., Henry W. Eilson, Sidney A. Compton, Jr., Travis A. Burleson, Elvin E. Petty, H. N. Stevens, J. C. Turner, John P. Hines, Cecil Diggers, William B. Crockett, Charles M. Nuccolls, Aaron D. Alexander, Billy R. Derryberry, Colt E. Butler, Jr., James W. Bennett, A. J. Barron, Robert C. Wells, Marcario Agilar, Anastacio Alvarez, and Billy Owens.

## Out Of Date

PHOENIX, Ariz., Jan. 27. (AP)—State law requires locomotives to sound steam whistles at grade crossings.

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## What you can do when you "BLOW OUT A FUSE"

- 1. TRACE THE CAUSE.** When a fuse "blows out" a faulty appliance or a frayed or defective cord may be the reason. Trace the cause and disconnect the lamp or appliance.
- 2. REPLACE THE FUSE.** Replacing a "blown out" fuse is as simple as replacing a lamp bulb. Simply follow the directions below. Better get a supply of extra fuses and keep them handy. Be sure the faulty cord or appliance is repaired before it is put back into service.



**3. FIX FAULTY PLUGS AND CORDS**

**CORD FRAYED IN THE MIDDLE**  
Cover the main cut-off switch at your meter box, and standing on a dry surface, turn off the electricity.

**CORD FRAYED NEAR PLUG**  
Unscrew the "blow out" fuse, touching only its top. You can tell it by the burned patch in the window on top of fuse.

**PLUG SHOULD FIT SNUGLY**  
When "A" doesn't fit snugly into "B," "C" and "D" endings may have lost their "tension."

**WRONG WAY** **RIGHT WAY**

**FRINGE WIRES NOT PUT AROUND THE PRONGS FIRST.** **RIGHT: WIRES PUT AROUND THE PRONGS WHEN CORD IS YANKED OR JERKED, PRESSURE IS PUT ON THE PRONGS.**

**CORD FRAYED NEAR PLUG**

**UNSCREW SCREWS AND PULL WIRE OUT.** **CUT OFF FRAYED PART OF THE WIRE.** **REINSERT WIRE IN PLUG, AND SCREW IN PLACE.**

**PLUG SHOULD FIT SNUGLY**

**HEAD PLUS "A" PRONGS SPREAD WITH YOUR FINGERS. JUST ENOUGH TO GET A SNUG FIT.** **OR LEAD OUT THE ENDS OF THE PRONGS WITH A PAIR OF PLIERS.**

**TEXAS ELECTRIC SERVICE COMPANY**  
C. S. BLOMFIELD, Manager

All you need to play walking the bear is a boulevard or square and a lot of enthusiastic senoras and senoritas. A moon is to be desired and music is a big help but not essential.

In every town and village in Mexico, the bear is in evidence at least one evening a week. Men walk slowly around the square to the right and the girls walk to the left. In this way, a young man gets to survey the field before making a choice. So do the young ladies—an attractive senorita often chooses from among a dozen would-be swains. In other words, you pick till you win and everyone wins.

**Looking For Horses**  
NEWARK, N. J., Jan. 27. (AP)—They blamed this one on the gasoline shortage, too.

**What You Buy With WAR BONDS**

The knapsack for the Marines or the Field Bag for the Army is designed to carry extra clothing for which there is not room in the haversack. The full pack consists of the haversack, the knapsack, belt suspenders and blanket roll. The cost of the knapsack is \$2.30.

Your purchase of War Bonds will enable Uncle Sam to buy the millions of knapsacks necessary to provide our Army and Marine Corps with this necessary equipment. INVEST AT LEAST TEN PERCENT of your income in War Bonds every payday. Join the Ten Percent Club through the Payroll Savings Plan, or buy Bonds regularly through the nearest bank, postoffice, your radio station or through some retail stores.

# THE ASSOCIATED PRESS NEWS IN PICTURES



**TOUGHENING FOR MOUNTAIN WARFARE**—Trainees in Uncle Sam's first unit of mountain troops, stationed at Camp Hale, Colo., hike up a mountain side with fullpack. Strong winds drive loose snow around them.



**SNOW FIGHTERS**—White-hooded to blend with the snowy landscape, trainees in mountain warfare at Camp Hale, Colo., aim their rifles on targets during maneuvers.



**GRIM**—John L. Lewis was unsmiling while listening to Pennsylvania anthracite miners tell War Labor Board in Washington, D. C., that a wildcat strike was due to revolt against increased dues and to demands for a \$3 a day wage increase.



**ROMMEL WAS IN A HURRY**—This huge German gun was found stuck in the sand during British advance in Egypt.



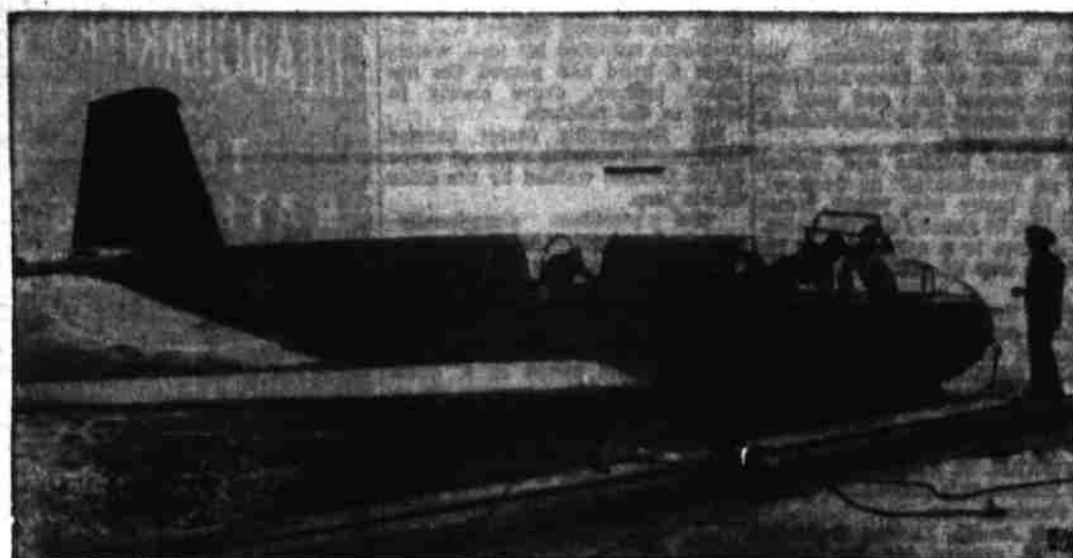
**GUADALCANAL PASTIME**—A U. S. Marine, dressed in native style, takes advantage of a lull in the fighting to try his luck at spearing fish. Recreation is rare indeed on Guadalcanal, where Americans keep pressing Japs.



**EIGHT-FOOT SNAKE SKIN**—Rep. Frank W. Boykin (D-Ala.) displays one of the latest additions to his collection of curios—an eight-foot Texas rattlesnake skin. Curios in case range from auk's egg to four-barreled pistol.



**ALEUTIANS HEADQUARTERS**—This snow-banked hut is headquarters of a U. S. Navy air patrol squadron in Aleutians.



**NAVY'S FIRST AMPHIBIOUS GLIDER**—The newest weapon of the U. S. Navy, is this amphibious glider, the Bristol XLQ-1, tested at Philadelphia Navy Yard in first public showing.



**GAS SHORTAGE GIVES MIOLAND REST**—As a result of the ban on pleasure driving, the great Mioland snoozes in his stall at Hialeah Park, Fla., where racetrack was cancelled.



**OYSTER TASTERS**—Gourmets of the Food and Wine Society of New York convene for oyster tasting and American wine sampling at the Waldorf-Astoria hotel.



**FEATHER**—A crest of natural straw with a soaring quill is one of the new Lilly Dache hats designed for spring. Most Lilly Dache hats have some white to aid dimout visibility.



**DELIVERING THE GOODS TO BRITAIN**—A convoy, loaded with war goods for American and British use in British Isles, zig-zags as it nears England. This photo was made from a British coastal command plane.

# Society

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## Competition Night At The USO

Free meals, shoe shines, taxi rides and cigarettes were prizes awarded to the enlisted men who took part in bridge, pool, ping pong and checker tournaments at the U.S.O. Tuesday evening.

On Competition Night, (Tuesday of each week), local merchants sponsor the contests at the soldier center offering prizes to the winners and runners-up.

Among those participating in

the entertainment were Pvt. Jack Farmer of the 51st who won first in ping pong and Pvt. Heckerson of the 51st, second place. Pvt. William H. Flode of the 86th won first prize in checkers, and Pvt. Cecil Quinley of the QMC, second place.

In darts, Pvt. Farmer scored again as winner, and Pvt. Edward George of the 51st won second place.

Pvt. and Mrs. A. J. Goldberg were first prize winners in jg-saw puzzles, and Pvt. Tom Donovan of the 51st, second place.

Placing first in pool doubles were Pvt. Earl Bond of the 51st and Virgil Land of the Medical Corps. Pvt. Ed LaBarre of the 51st won singles in pool.

Pvt. Glenn Nelson of the 1063 won high in bridge and Pvt. Robert Beers second high.

## CALENDAR

**WEDNESDAY**  
MOTHER SINGERS will meet at the First Methodist Church at 2 o'clock for practice.

**WEDNESDAY**  
MUSIC STUDY CLUB meets at the Settles Hotel in Room Four at 8:30 o'clock.

**CHILD STUDY CLUB** will meet with Mrs. A. R. Collins, 421 E. Park at 8:30 o'clock.

**THURSDAY**  
EVENING CATHOLIC DISCUSSION CLUB meets with Mrs. L. L. Freeman, at 508 Johnson, 7:30 o'clock.

**FIREMEN LADIES** sponsoring a "tasty" party at the W. O. W. Hall at 8 o'clock.

**SATURDAY**  
BAPW CLUB sponsoring a dance at the Settles Hotel ballroom, 9 o'clock. Public invited.

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SOOTHE CHAPPED SKIN QUICKLY

Raw, biting weather dries skin cells, leaves them "thirsty." Skin becomes red—may crack and bleed. Soothing Mentholum acts medicinally; helps to revive those thirsty cells so they can retain needed moisture. It prevents chapped skin from further irritation. Use Mentholum for sore, chapped hands, cheeks, lips. Jar 50¢.

**MENTHOLATUM**

## Mrs. Currie Entertains AAUW

"The Importance of Nutrition Study" was the topic discussed by Mrs. Charles Watson Tuesday evening when members of the American Association of University Women met with Mrs. W. E. Currie in monthly session.

Fonilla Johnson, home demonstration agent for Howard county, discussed "Local Work in Nutrition Study."

Plans were discussed for future activities and a treasurer's report was given.

Those attending were Mrs. K. H. McGibbon, Mrs. Charles Watson, Reta Debusport, Mrs. Carl Blomsheld, Mrs. R. W. Thompson, Ethel Bird, Nettie Lee Shelton, Mrs. H. A. Stagner, Margarita Wood, Mrs. Runyan, Miss Fontilla Johnson and Mrs. J. B. Mull who is to be next hostess.

## RECENT BRIDE HONORED WITH BRIDAL SHOWER

Two hostesses entertained recently in the home of Mrs. Othel Pitts with a bridal shower honoring Mrs. Joe Max Wheeler, a recent bride. Mrs. Wheeler is the former Norma Shortes, daughter of Mrs. Albert F. Shortes.

Hostesses were Mrs. Alline Forester and Mrs. Othel Pitts.

A patriotic color motif was used in room decorations, and refreshments were served.

Those attending were Mrs. Joe Myers, Mrs. Othel Shortes, Mrs. E. H. Forester, Mrs. Loyd Shortes, Mrs. Walter Froman, Mrs. J. C. Forman, Mrs. Slater James, Mrs. Marion Curtis, Mrs. J. H. Burrow, Mrs. R. C. Stocks, Mrs. Mamie Bayes, Mrs. Albert F. Shortes, Mrs. Nona Blagrove, Mrs. Erma Blagrove, Mrs. Leo Castle, Alline Forester, Joyce Pitts, Doris Shortes and Marjorie Pitts.

Sending gifts were Mrs. James Shortes, Mrs. Joe Wheeler, Mrs. R. Pinkerton, Mrs. F. R. Higgins, Mrs. C. G. Harris of Levelland, Mrs. Doyle Davis, Mrs. Sam Johnson, Mrs. Mary Grantham, Mrs. J. T. Blagrove, Mrs. Edward Lauderdale, Mrs. Minnie Froman, Mrs. C. C. Shortes, Mrs. Joe Froman, Mrs. Jim Burns, Mrs. Mike Davidson, Mrs. D. P. Adams, Mrs. Nell Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Criswell, Mart Shortes.

Pvt. S. T. Johnson, Albert Pitts, Durwood Blagrove, Buford and Oran Pitts, Durrel Blagrove, Gene Burrow, Velma Blagrove, Marjorie Pinkerton, Ruth Forester, Reatha Liles and Lilly John Davidson.



Dinner Suit—Big news on the formal front is this new York creation with black taffeta skirt, pale blue fallie jacket with passementerie trim.

## Dinner Dance Given For 43-2 Cadet Class

### Budget For Rest

By WILDA CAMERY, R.N., Community Service Society of New York

Our bodies, minds and souls need rest and sleep if we are to function efficiently. That's why business men provide vacations for employes and break the day's work with rest periods. That's why, as a nation, we find it economically wise, apart from religious considerations, to observe Sunday as a day of rest.

During these war days when life is so rushed and so filled with a consciousness of vital tasks to be done and services to be rendered, there is danger that we will forget this lesson. If we do, our accomplishment will suffer and our national health will be endangered.

Fatigue is nature's signal for a rest. It is the safety device that calls for a check in activity or routine before permanent injury is done. Laboratory experiments with school boys, office girls and factory workers prove that, while ability to work may continue unchanged for a time, if effort is prolonged to the point of fatigue, the amount of energy needed to produce it increases, accuracy decreases and eventually a point is reached after which return to normal accomplishment demands an



overly long rest period.

So fundamental is our need for rest that if we continue activity too long, we literally go to sleep standing up. But how much sleep the individual needs is dependent on age, health, activity and general constitution make-up. Until a child is six years old he needs a nap during the day. Ordinarily, growing children need about ten hours sleep in 24. Teen age youngsters at least eight and many adults also find this to be an absolute minimum.

How well one sleeps may prove more important than how much. We all need a quiet room, a firm comfortable bed and an open window if sleep is to restore us as it should.

In planning for rest, remember that it implies more than mere cessation of activity. Rest is a matter of the mind as well as of the body. It consists of relaxation, of a break in the usual routine.

If your work keeps you indoors, a brisk evening walk or game may enable you to sleep better. If your days are filled with physical activity, relaxation may mean a quiet evening with a book. If all day you've filled your mind with thoughts of the war, let that book be light and frivolous.

(AP Features)

Make old window shades like new—give them a coat of Kem Tone. Thorp Paint Store.—adv.

## Former Resident Weds In Canada

Word was received here today of the January 9th marriage of John Wayne Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Brown, and Margaret Woody, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Woody of La Crosse, Alberta, Canada.

The ceremony was read at the First Baptist church in Calgary, Alberta, where Brown is stationed as a flying instructor at the No. Two Wireteps School, Flying Squadron.

Brown was graduated here from high school and attended Texas Tech. He has been in the Canadian airforce since July 1st, 1941.

## Two Initiated By Rebekahs

Tom Amerson and Jim Crenshaw were initiated into the Rebekah lodge Tuesday evening when members met at the I. O. O. F. hall at 7:30 o'clock.

Mrs. J. H. Amerson of Abilene lodge 88 was present as a guest and others attending were Mrs. Ella Lloyd, Mrs. Eula Pond, Mrs. Clara Bender, Mrs. Josie McDaniel, Mrs. Nellie Kinard, Mrs. Mable Glenn, Mrs. Beulah Hayworth, Mrs. Verna Hull, Mrs. Opal Tatum, Mrs. Dorothy Pike, Mrs. Julia Williams, Mrs. Roselle Gilliland, Jones Lamar, Ben Miller, Mrs. Maggie Richardson, Mrs. Dossie Crenshaw, Mrs. Lovie Barlow, Mrs. Hazel Lamar, Mrs. Lenora Amerson and Mrs. Della Herring.

## High Heel Club Plans Dance At Weekly Meeting

Cody Belkirk, Patty McDonald, Jo Ann Higginbotham and Helen Hout were the four guests present when the High Heel Slipper club met Tuesday in the home of Betty Jo Pool.

Reports were given concerning the art exhibit held recently. Discussion of an April Pool's dance scheduled for April 1 and February 15 Dollar Day, followed the report.

A sports pay dance was planned for Friday, February 5 to be in the V. F. W. home for high school students. Committee for the music includes Doris Nell Tompkins, Betty Jo Pool, Celia Westerman.

A salad course was served and members present were Eva Jane Darby, Celia Westerman, Charlene Pinkston, Billie Ragdale, Billie Frances Shaffer, Margaret John McElhannon, Doris Nell Tompkins, Nancy Thompson, Marilyn Keaton, Mrs. Clyde Thomas, Jr.

Ruth Burnam left Tuesday afternoon for Denton where she will receive her degree from North Texas State Teachers College. She was accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Arnold, Evelyn Arnold and Ronnie Burnam.

## Downtown Stroller

They are telling this on CAPT. ORIE BRISTOW, now stationed at Children. Seems the new chaplain for the field failed to show up for Sunday services and CAPT. BRISTOW was delegated to conduct the services, which he did. Wish we could have been there.

The new WAAC recruiting officer, LIEUT. JESSIE GARDNER, was getting a lot of discreet but admiring looks cast in her direction at breakfast the other morning, but came through the inspection without batting an eyelash.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. CULVER of Coffeyville, Kas., are here to spend a few days with Mrs. FELTON SMITH and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. BAYTON.

Now we understand that note of pride in the voices of many who tell about their sons and husbands and brothers getting promotions in the army and navy. Our little brother wrote he was now a private, first class and we couldn't have felt better if he had been made a major.

Didn't get to go to the C. of C. banquet but those who did said that the Rev. F. D. O'BRIEN was in rare form and kept the crowd both entertained and then interested in his message for the evening. He's a number one toastmaster and speaker we think.

Didn't know so many people in Big Spring liked chili. But the Methodist women found a lot of folks to buy their chili and for the last few weeks have really brought in the money from their benefit dinners.

## Classes Sponsored By OCD Get Underway

H. D. Williams Organizes Group At The City Hall

Classes in air raid warden duties, auxiliary firemen and fire watch-ers, got underway at the city hall Tuesday evening mapping out plans for a complete study of Big Spring which includes 15 air raid sectors, and general duties as leaders during a war emergency.

Mrs. A. B. Partridge, air raid warden co-ordinator, announced that there were still vacancies in the class, and that anyone interested in joining may attend the next meeting, Thursday, January 28 at the city hall, 7:30 p. m.

H. D. Williams, air raid instructor, organized the class Tuesday evening and gave the first lesson in warden duties. Williams, who attended Civil Protection school at A. & M. College, received a diploma as an instructor, approved by the war department in teaching air

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raid warden classes. Uniforms, which retail at \$2.00 were displayed, and aid raid insignias explained.

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WHEN A COUGH stuffs up the nose, causes mouth breathing, throat tickle and night coughing, use this time-tested Vicks VapoRub that goes to work instantly... 2 wags at once!

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2. Fight Gas Waste—Share your car for shopping!
3. Fight Transportation Waste—Walk and carry!
4. Fight Employee Waste—Wait on yourself!
5. Fight Clothing Waste—Buy just what you need!
6. Fight Home Waste—Take care of what you have!
7. Fight Explosive Waste—Save kitchen fats!
8. Fight Food Waste—Cut down on scarce items!
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Office in Courthouse

Editorial --

Lend-Lease Helps Toward Victory

When an American tank smashes into a Nazi gun emplacement it hurts Mr. Hitler just as much as it hurts the Russian, British or American.

When American food helps keep up the resistance and energy of the British or Russian crew of that tank, that, too, hurts Hitler just as much as it helps the Russian or British.

That is why the United States is sending armaments and food to its Allies under the terms of the Lend-Lease law.

It is likely that American food actually contributes more hurt to Hitler than either British or Russian food.

Compared with America's record-

smashing production of 1942, the amount which the United States has sent to its beleaguered Allies is but the well-known drop in the bucket.

The basic strategy of the United Nations -- the strategy which America's commanders believe will bring the quickest victory -- is to combine their material and manpower resources in such a way to achieve the maximum impact on the enemy in the shortest possible time.

Actually, however, Lend-Lease works both ways, and for every thing the United States sends to its Allies, it receives something in return.

It may be manpower, such as Russian crews on American tanks. It may be defense material, such as the British barrage balloons which float over America's West Coast or their anti-aircraft guns which guard America's Panama Canal.

There is no question that 1943 will see larger amounts of food

sent to America's Allies. Russia in particular needs America's food and needs it badly if they are to keep up the remarkable fighting they have been doing.

Yet no matter to what lengths food shortages and rationing may come, the United States will still have more food than any other people in the world.

Hollywood Sights And Sounds -- Ginger Says She Is A 'Lady In The Dark'

By ROBBIN COONS

HOLLYWOOD--There is something about the set of "Lady in the Dark" which puts a guy in a fog.

Visiting there is a wonderful way to bring out your latent psychoses and neuroses. First you get through the stage door and smack you go against the backside of a backdrop.

This is a plushy affair, full of stately, beautiful gals who are dressed to kill, or merely to model the sleek clothes they're sporting.

and usually gets away from work after dark.

She says she's already working for nothing, having exceeded her earning quota with this picture, and any more pictures she makes this year will be no good to Ginger's bank account.

On the way out you skirt a wide path around some grotesquely draped dummies which seem to be doing a spring dance.

You do a double-take when a blonde model walks up to a long mirror and instead of pausing to admire herself, walks right through it as if it weren't there, which it isn't.

You look around quickly for the Mad Hatter, the Red Queen, and the White Rabbit, but all you see is Mitchell Leisen, the director, and a lot of workmen pushing or pulling things.

Ginger is the magazine editor in the dark of a psychopathic dilemma. She's the lady who takes her dream fantasies to a psychiatrist for interpretation--just as Gertrude Lawrence did in the stage version of the Moss Hart play.

You find Ginger in her sanctum sanctorum, dressed smartly in a brown suit and hat, with upswart hair like a picture from "Allure."

Ginger says she's really a lady in the dark. Gets up before dawn,

How Clare Luce Started Wrong With 'The Press'

By JACK STINNETT

WASHINGTON -- The last person I would have expected (and perhaps you, too) to get off on the wrong foot in the 78th Congress was Rep. Clare Booth Luce.

Being the wife of Publisher Henry Luce, Mrs. Luce was justifiably expected to know all about reporters. Being a "journalist" herself, she should have been familiar enough with reportorial routine not to have tripped over her own backyard clothesline.

When Congresswoman Luce arrived at Union Station here, she had a reception committee. It was composed entirely of the press.

At her hotel, Mrs. Luce, to say the least, was inaccessible. The next day, she explained that she was late for an appointment, had been traveling for days, had to freshen up a bit, and had no intention of being rude.

Let it go at that. But there never has been a better example of the difference between Broadway-Hollywood and Washington-Hollywood.

Evidently, Clare Booth Luce got an inkling overnight of the Washington secret. Her press conference the next day wasn't page one, but after a bit of hemming-hawing and parrying some finger-nail work from the feminine contingent, Mrs. Luce settled down to the capital formula that freshmen congressmen (and women) should be seen and not heard.

As one of the more objective reporters put it: Mrs. Luce sidestepped comment on major political issues until she had a chance to look into them, but in all put up a good defense and acquitted herself well.

Freshman Congress members whose first press conference is a combination of "a Vassar homecoming weekend, the powder-room scene from 'The Women,' and moving day on the third floor back," rarely recover so quickly.

Capital Comment-- It's Impossible For Texan To Exaggerate

By GEORGE STIMPSON

Herald Washington Correspondent

Yankee from down east observes that Texans inclined to exaggerate; impossible for anybody from Texas to exaggerate, snaps Texan in party. ... See by papers Lieut. J. C. Lentz, of Paris, one of four American prisoners escape from Italian submarine when sunk by British depth charges released from planes in Mediterranean.

Congressman Luther A. Johnson speaking: "Mr. Speaker, the American people are outraged, as they have a right to be, at the continuance of strikes on the home front when our boys are fighting and dying on the battle fronts. The promise of the labor leaders that strikes would not take place has not worked. As I tried to get the Congress to do at the last session, we should pass legislation which makes it a crime to strike or to foment strikes in defense industries when our country is at war."

Sgt. Horace L. Mabry, "waist gunner," of Dallas, received honorable mention for helping save members of crew when American Flying Fortress was crippled over France. ... Maury Maverick, chief of W.P.P.'s governmental division, Texas has become conservative, sometimes talks like Republican; says: "The various federal agencies must pay more attention to state and local governments or else all government will be endangered." ... M. H. "Max" Jacobs, Houston Post Washington correspondent, commissioned lieutenant in Navy, gets orders to report at Dartmouth for indoctrination course.

Georgia's Congressional Eugene Cox heads special House committee to investigate federal communications commission headed by James Lawrence Fly, born Seagoville 45 years ago, picked cotton, ran village flivver, graduated Dallas high school, went through Naval academy, during first World War served as midshipman, three months with Atlantic fleet, judge advocate in Hawaii, retired from Navy in 1923, law clerk with New York firm, took law course Harvard, one of bright pupils of Associate Justice Felix Frankfurter, practiced with big New York firm, special assistant to attorney general in 1929 during Hoover administration, general counsel first of Electric Farm and Home Authority and then of Tennessee Valley Authority, became New Dealer, chairman federal communications commission since 1939, chairman War Communications Board since 1940, married and has boy and girl, first communications experience plugging telephone switchboard in Dallas, once city clerk of same.

Congressman Wright Patman feels Murray-Patman act creating smaller war plants corporation has not been satisfactorily administered but hopeful reorganization by Don Nelson will improve situation.

Nearly every newspaper, radio broadcast, Army and Navy communication, brings word of Texas boys distinguishing themselves on foreign fields. ... When Food Administrator Wickard's daughter got married recently, friend sent administrator two sucking pigs; one eaten in Wickard's apartment, other taken by administrator to office in share-the-meat program with assistants. ... Army officer friend in Britain writes me chambermaid in London hotel won't take tip from Americans, thinks would be ungrateful to take tip from men fighting for England 3,000 miles from home. ... Got note from ex-Congressman and Mrs. Morgan Sanders, of Canton; always glad to hear from "Morg."

Take 48 operators to handle Capitol Hill telephones, about 58,000 incoming and out-going calls daily, 10,000 more than before Pearl Harbor. ... For two or three

Problem of the WIRE CAGE

By JOHN DICKSON CARR

Chapter One

She sat on a couch at one end of the long drawing-room. Beside her on the table had been set out a tea-service with tea now cold.

Hugh Rowland never forgot how she looked at that moment: the thick fair hair bobbed below the ears; the light blue eyes, with a trick of looking up sideways and smiling; the fine lines of the body just slender enough to escape being too well developed, for she was small.

Possibly because the day was sultry, emotions were growing sultry too. Long windows opened out on a garden that was all grass and trees. Despite the dimness of the drawing-room, there was a blaze of sun outside.

"Look here--" he began abruptly. She knew what he was going to say. After that long silence, when they had come to the bitter end of talking trivialities, he was bound to say it.

"It's going to storm," said Brenda White quickly. She swung her legs out from under her and sat up straight. "More tea?" "No thanks. Why are you smiling?" "I wasn't smiling. I was thinking how you looked. That professional air of yours, of the young solicitor girding himself up--"

Yes, he thought rather bitterly, the young solicitor. The young solicitor with eight hundred a year. The young solicitor who depended on crumbs from his father's legal table.

He went over and stood in front of her. She looked carefully past him.

"Can you imagine what's keep-

ing the others?" she demanded, looking at her wrist watch. "I told Frank five o'clock and it's twenty past five already. Listen to that thunder. If we don't hurry we shan't even have time for a game."

"I want to ask you a question," he said. "It should be a very simple one for an engaged girl to answer. Are you going through with this and marry Frank Dorrance?"

"Of course." "So: Are you in love with him?" She did not answer, except by a slight movement of her shoulder.

"To begin with," he went on doggedly, "there's no treason in what I'm going to tell you. Frank knows I hate his insides, and the fact affords him great amusement. I warned him I was going to tell you. It's all square and above-board. Then let us weigh up the pros and cons of this admirable match. I suppose we must admit Frank is an attractive fellow--"

"Terribly attractive," said Brenda. The faint undertone in her voice escaped and was checked instantly.

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Crossword Puzzle

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for Across and Down. Includes a solution for yesterday's puzzle.

Word search puzzle with words hidden in a grid. Words include: AWAKE, BOOST, RUBY, GAM, INANE, ERA, RIBS, ATOM, MIR, ELITE, HOPBOARD, TALC, PERTLY, BETIMES, RUE, OVER, DONEY, EM, TOR, CALLED, RYE, HE, BORTIC, TIEN, TON, DEVIATED, STAINS, RAIR, HILLOCK, TENT'S, ATE, TONE, STOP, MAIN, EPODE, ERI, ANT, SEWER, DEN.

Solution of yesterday's puzzle. Includes a grid and a list of words found.

Comic strip 'Blondie' showing Blondie and Dagwood. Blondie says: "I HEAR A NOISE DOWNSTAIRS! WAKE UP! GET UP!!" Dagwood says: "Z-Z-Z" and "Z-Z-Z". Blondie says: "DAGWOOD! COME BACK! IT'S NOT TIME TO GO TO WORK!"

Comic strip 'Barney & Snuffy' showing Barney and Snuffy. Barney says: "LISSEN, YARD BIRD!! THE OL' BOY HIMSELF, JUST SENT FOR ME AN' IF I GET BAWLED OUT ON YOUR ACCOUNT, MARK MY WORDS!! YOU'LL SPEND TH' DURATION IN COLD STORAGE!" Snuffy says: "I SWOW!! WHAT MAKES ME SO SOCIABLE THIS MORNIN', SARGINT? DID SOME IGORANT BOCK PRIVATE SALUTE ME BY MISTAKE?"

Comic strip 'Patsy' showing Patsy and a man. Patsy says: "YOUR EYES DO NOT DECEIVE YOU, BIZZI! I WAS INDEED FILCHING A SHIRT, BUT WHEN YOU LEARN THE CIRCUMSTANCES..." Bizzi says: "BIZZI LEARNS THAT WIGGS ATTEMPTED TO USE A LAUNDRY UNIT BEFORE INSTALLATION WAS COMPLETE, AND OF THE DISASTER THAT SPELL HIS SHIRTSH..."

Comic strip 'Anniversary' showing Ann and a man. Ann says: "COME ON, ZERO-RUN! THIS IS A LETTER FOR MR. ROBERT AN' WE WANNA BRING IT TO HIM AN' FULFAST!" The man says: "GOOD MORNIN'-I GOT A LETTER FOR MR. ROBERT..." Ann says: "HEY! THERE YOU GO, CALLING ME GOOD NEWS, I HOPE?" The man says: "YES--IT'S FROM JOEL, MY PAL AND FOSTER FATHER--HE WRITES A VERY CHEERFUL LETTER, BUT BETWEEN THE LINES I CAN SEE HE'S A BIT LONESOME..." Ann says: "OF COURSE, THE OLD GENTLEMAN IS LONELY--AND I KNOW WHAT IT MEANS TO BE LONESOME--WHY DON'T YOU COAX HIM TO VISIT US? I'D LOVE TO MEET HIM!" The man says: "THANK YOU, MOTHER--I KNOW YOU WOULD LIKE HIM--EVERY BODY DOES!"

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ROBERTS MILLAND in *The MAJOR and the MINOR*

**QUEEN**  
ENDING TODAY

ARLANE WITH EXCITEMENT! U.S. secret agent keeps spies on the trail!

BOGART in *Across the PACIFIC* with MARY ASTOR SIDNEY GREENSTREET

About 56 per cent of the white population of South Africa is of Dutch descent.

These Questions may decide what laxative to give your child

Ques. Is it true that children take more readily to a child's laxative? Ans. Yes, that's generally so. Ques. What is a "child's laxative"? Ans. A laxative like Syrup of Black-Draught, designed especially for a child's needs and tastes. Your children should like Syrup of Black-Draught. Follow label directions. The big 50c bottle contains more than three times the old trial size.

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**Allied Conference**  
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der" conference, and recalled that Gen. U. S. Grant had borne that nickname after defeating the Confederate armies.

One of the main decisions reached was to lend all possible material aid to the Russians who are sapping German power and war materials, the president said. He added that China was to get a full measure to help end forever the Japanese attempt to dominate the Far East.

The official communique of the meeting which today is being broadcast in a score of languages throughout the world, also called attention to Russia's great fight. It said:

"The president and prime minister realized up to the full the enormous weight of the war which Russia is successfully bearing along her whole land front, and their prime object has been to draw as much weight as possible off the Russian armies by engaging the enemy as heavily as possible at the best selected points."

"The best selected points" at which to strike the axis was not elaborated upon, but the president said all the resources of the United Nations had been pooled and would be administered by a central plan determined at the conference.

In telling Sunday of the flight of Marshal Rommel before the Eighth British army, the British prime minister waved his cigar at the correspondents and described the axis desert leader as a fugitive from Egypt who would like now to pose as the deliverer of Tunisia. That he said would not happen.

Churchill described the conference here as the most important and successful war parley he ever had attended and asserted the results would be seen soon.

He said the Allied landings in North Africa had altered the entire strategy of the war, emphasized that nothing had ever come between him and the president in their friendship and said the Allies now had an initiative they never would relinquish.

**Episcopalians Name Officers**

HOUSTON, Jan. 27 (AP)—The 94th annual council of the Episcopal diocese of Texas entered today upon the final sessions of a two-day conference after election of officers.

Officers reelected yesterday were: Rev. F. Percy Goddard of Marlin, secretary; H. M. Wilkins of Houston, treasurer; Rev. L. L. Brown, naval chaplain, formerly of Longview, registrar; S. S. McClenahan, Jr., of Houston, chancellor, and T. D. McGown of Houston, assistant chancellor.

Named to the standing committee were: Rev. Edmund H. Gibson of Galveston; Rev. Henry F. Selzer of Marshall; Rev. S. M. Bird of Brenham; A. J. Dew of Galveston, and Dr. J. M. Trimble of Houston.

**GIRL SCOUTS TO COLLECT HOSIERY**

Local women will be asked to make their second contribution to the war effort February 16 when the nation observes Hose Collection Day, and gathers up what's left of nylons and silk hosiery.

Mrs. V. A. Whittington, vice chairman of the local salvage committee, who conducted the waste fat drive in Big Spring several weeks ago, announced today that the Girl Scouts would conduct the drive here.

"Over 180 pounds of hose have been shipped to New York where the government converts them into powder bags," Mrs. Whittington stated, and "Hose depots in local stores are responsible for the amount already collected."

**B. & P. W. To Sponsor Dance At Settles**

The Business and Professional Women's Club is sponsoring an informal dance in the ballroom of the Settles Hotel Saturday evening at 9 o'clock.

The public is invited to attend.

**Club To Meet Thursday With Mrs. McNallen**

The Evening Discussion club will meet with Mrs. W. E. McNallen, 1109 Johnson, at 7:45 o'clock Thursday evening.

All members are invited to attend.

Travel to national parks decreased 30 per cent in 1942, the greatest decrease being at Yellowstone, Glacier and Crater Lake.

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**Wise-Guys Had All The Dope**

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27 (AP)—You can't fool Washington. That's one of the nice things about living here. Everybody knows the inside dope—usually by name.

Why, from the moment President Roosevelt's first press conference was cancelled after he left on his secret flying trip to North Africa, the cagey capitalists knew that he was in:

Moscow, talking to Stalin and Chiang Kai-Shek; South America, strengthening the good neighbor ties; Georgia, on a vacation (notice how busy he's been lately?); London, planning more strategy by returning Churchill's visit, Mexico, discussing continental defense; Canada, doing the same; on another swing around the country, inspecting defense bases and plants.

At the state department officials were stormed with questions as to why something wasn't done about the political situation in North Africa—a dead giveaway that most of the questioners didn't dream the truth.

**Aircraft Agent To Seek Employees**

In search for machinists, Consolidated Aircraft Corporation, Fort Worth division, representative will be in Big Spring on February 8, 9 and 10 for employment interviews.

Roy Hite, Consolidated interviewer, will be at the United States Employment Service offices on these three days to contact machinists, tool and die makers, machine tool operators, automobile mechanics, radio service and repairmen, and electrical appliance repairmen, all needed by the company.

The representative will also have interviews in Borger, Amarillo, Lubbock and Abilene. The schedule to these towns includes: Borger, January 29-30, Amarillo, February 1, 2, 3, Lubbock, February 4, 5 and 6th, and Abilene, February 11, 12 and 13th.

**Here 'n There**

Robert Z. Cozart of Ackerly has been promoted to corporal from private first class. It has been announced from the South Plains army flying school, where he is stationed. Corp. Cozart is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Cozart of route 1, Ackerly.

Pvt. Floyd Williams has returned to his station at Jefferson Barracks, Mo., after visiting here with his parents and friends. He formerly was junior assistant manager at Wackers store here and has been taking an advanced radio course in Florida on army assignment.

Pfc. Jake Douglas, stationed at the army air force base in Laredo, has been promoted to assistant mess hall officer at the station hospital, his parents learned today.

**Wall Street**

NEW YORK, Jan. 27 (AP)—Stock prices turned downward today in the wake of announcement of the major Allied war conference in French North Africa.

Profit cashing on recent advances accounted for much of the selling in the face of the dramatic news, brokers said, while there was disappointment over the lack of more immediate and tangible results from the Casablanca meeting.

Shares which ran into fairly heavy going most of the day included American Telephone, U. S. Steel, Bethlehem, General Motors, Chrysler, Goodyear, Westinghouse, General Electric, Sears Roebuck, J. I. Case, Oliver farm, Dupont, American Smelting, Allied Chemical, Santa Fe and Standard Oil (NJ).

**Operator Asks For Higher Oil Prices**

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27 (AP)—An increase in crude oil prices to prevent what he termed discrimination against independent operators by large oil companies was sought by W. T. Knight, Wichita Falls oil operator, in a conference with Speaker Sam Rayburn yesterday.

Independent oil operators, Knight declared, would be compelled to curtail further explorations for new deposits unless price ceilings were raised. He suggested a dollar-a-barrel increase.

**Siege Intensified**

LONDON, Jan. 27 (AP)—The state of siege at Marseille has been intensified, Reuters reported today in a dispatch from Zurich. Reuters dispatches from Switzerland last night quoted reports that 170 men and 80 women had been shot at Marseille as violators of the state of siege regulations, imposed by Vichy following German orders for clearing the old port section of the city.

**Officials Received**

MOSCOW, Jan. 27 (AP)—Premier Stalin received Admiral William H. Standley, United States ambassador, and the British charge d'affaires, W. Lacy Baggallay, last night, it was announced today. Foreign Minister Vyacheslav Molotov also was present.

**Quake Recorded**

NEW YORK, Jan. 27 (AP)—An earthquake described as very severe and approximately 4,000 miles from New York was recorded last night by the Fordham University seismograph.

**Glasscock Ration Head Urges Early February Filing**

GARDEN CITY, Jan. 27 (AP)—E. M. Teale, chairman of the Glasscock county War Price and Rationing Board, urged today that all applicants for the next quarter for supplemental rations on passenger cars get their applications in the office early in February.

Teale pointed out that this would avoid a rush at the last moment on board personnel and give the gasoline panel longer time in which to deliberate and act upon applications.

The second quarter for passenger cars begins March 1st, and it is hoped that all supplemental rations can be issued by that date.

The board office will be open all day Saturdays, according to Teale, and personnel will be in the office to care for all applications.

**Man Confesses To Slaying Of Wife**

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 27 (AP)—A 27-year-old baker's helper led sheriff's deputies to a wooded ravine in suburban St. Louis today where they found the wire-traced and partly burned body of his wife, Mrs. Elwyn Lawrence, 28, missing since Jan. 17.

Sheriff Arnold J. Willmann said Harold L. Lawrence had confessed he struck the mother of his three small children with a hammer in an argument during which she refused him a divorce.

An 18-year-old widow, Mrs. Lilian Talley, whom Lawrence took into his home as a housekeeper, was in custody as a material witness. The sheriff said she had admitted intimate relations with Lawrence.

**Public Records**

**Marriage Licenses**  
John Joseph Curron, New York City, and Dorothy Davis, Houston.  
Edward Aloysius Barry and Dorothy Ogston, both of Mass.

**Beer Permits**  
Wine and beer retailers permit to Bob Moore's cafe, 806 NW Third street granted.

**Warranty Deeds**  
F. W. White at ux to Leonard S. Hanson, \$901, lot No. 13 in Block 2 in Stripling Addition to town of Big Spring, Howard county.  
J. S. Cochran and wife to Nando Henderson, \$10 and other considerations, lot No. 1 in Block 4 in original townsite of town of Coahoma, Howard county.

**Use Of Poison Gas By Japs Alleged**

CHUNGKING, Jan. 27 (AP)—An official charge that the Japanese army is using poison gas, the first since the United States and Great Britain threatened to retaliate if earlier attacks in China were repeated, was made by the Chinese high command today.

Its communique said gas was used in a futile attack on Chinese positions northwest of Hunyung, in southern Shansi province, on Jan. 6.

"They used poison gas, but several hundred of their own men lost their lives as the wind suddenly turned toward their own positions," the communique said.

**Davies Says Food Vital In Victory**

MIDLAND, Jan. 27 (AP)—Food as well as guns must play a part in American victory, in the opinion of Brig. Gen. Isaiah Davies, commander of the 34th flying training wing.

In an address before the annual chamber of commerce meeting here General Davies declared last night "we can only gain the loyal support of the suppressed peoples of Europe by being able to offer something more concrete than the eventual hope of victory." He asserted the food hoarder was "as much a traitor as the soldier who deserts in battle—and I believe he deserves the same treatment."

**Livestock Replaces King Cotton In Texas**

AUSTIN, Jan. 27 (AP)—Replacing cotton, livestock and livestock products yielded the biggest farm cash income in Texas last year.

Totalling 46 per cent of farm income in 1942, livestock and livestock products moved to almost 50 per cent in 1942, the University of Texas bureau of business research reported.

Though still a big factor in agricultural prosperity, cash receipts from cotton and cottonseed declined from 41 per cent of total farm cash income in 1941 to 34 per cent last year.

**Willkie Disappointed**

NEW YORK, Jan. 27 (AP)—Wendell L. Willkie says he is disappointed in the announced results of the North African meeting of President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill because a grand military strategy board was not created and a "straightforward policy" on the political situation in North Africa was not enunciated.

**Colorado City Tilt Set For 7:30 P. M.**

Colorado City will come here for two basketball games this evening.

The first, against the Big Spring high school "B" team, will be at 7:30 p. m. The main attraction, said Coach John Dillred, is due to get underway at 8:15 p. m. when the Steers tangle with the Wolves.

**Compensation Case Heard**

The case of William E. Randall versus Algerian General Insurance Company, suit of set aside award was being heard by jurors Wednesday morning following their selection Tuesday afternoon in 70th District court.

Randall, who claims he was injured while working as a carpenter's assistant at the Big Spring Bombardier school during construction, gave his testimony this morning.

Jurors include L. H. Mundt, Marvin Sewell, Ralph Linck, Binnie White, J. S. Blissard, W. J. Brobaugh, R. E. Martin, Floyd Hull, Lonnie Coker, Jim Hodnett, W. H. Wise, W. E. Carrnike.

The suit of J. B. McCann versus A. F. McDaniel, suit for damages, was heard by jurors Tuesday and a plea of privilege denied. The case was put on appeal.

Saturday, Judge Cecil Collings heard the case of Alton L. David versus Liberty Lloyds, suit for damages and returned a verdict of \$3000 plus costs for the plaintiff. Davidson claimed he was injured while employed for Coeden Petroleum company.

**Piano Given For Use In School Chapel**

Appreciation for a piano furnished the west chapel at the Big Spring Bombardier School was expressed Wednesday by the commandant, Col. Sam L. Ellis.

He said he spoke for the personnel of the field as well as for himself in saying that the instrument would serve the needs of the men well.

Chaplain James L. Patterson added that the piano, given by Dr. P. W. Malone, filled a musical void which occurred when the war production board stopped production of Hammond electric organs, one of which was to have gone into the chapel.

**Texas Women In List Of WAAC Officers**

FORT DES MOINES, Ia., Jan. 27 (AP)—First Officer Molly E. Christian of Rotan, Tex., and Second Officer Mattie Evelyn Treadwell of Uvalde, Tex., will be among 16 Women's Army Auxiliary Corps officers to pioneer in military history when they enroll at the command and general staff school of the U.S. Army at Leavenworth, Kas., on Feb. 8.

First Officer Christian is a graduate of Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene, Tex., and taught English and speech at Rotan grammar school before her marriage to Capt. G. L. Christian, now in the Pacific with the U.S. Army Engineer Corps.

**This Is A Nest Egg?**

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 27 (AP)—Mrs. Karl Nechols (CQ) sat down with a surprised thump on a stool at her cash register, because the stranger blurted:

"This is a holdup!"

He took from the cash register \$41 she'd started to count.

After he left Mrs. Nechols took from atop the stool the \$200 she'd finished counting.

**Editor Eulogized**

BEAUMONT, Jan. 27 (AP)—Alfred Jones, editor-in-chief of the Beaumont Enterprise and the Journal, who died Monday, was eulogized at his funeral services yesterday as a true humanitarian. Prominent Texans from all sections of the state sent messages of condolence and regret.

**CELEBRANTS ARRESTED**

BOMBAY, Jan. 27 (AP)—About 200 persons were arrested in various parts of India yesterday in incidents growing out of the celebration of India independence day by members of the All-India Congress.

**Some Concerned About President's Safety, But All Agree Trip A 'Wow'**

Comments on the president's flying trip to North Africa to confer with Churchill and others on Allied war strategy brought a varied set of opinions from the Man in the Street Wednesday morning.

Speculation over the unusual announcement of the Tuesday night broadcast had run rife. Some believed that Italy had been knocked out of the war, others joked that maybe somebody shot Hitler, and still others, the super optimists, believed the turning point in the war had been reached.

Anticipation of the broadcast was so great that the actual news was an anti-climax, local citizens felt Wednesday morning.

Remarks ran from levity on the situation, to a surge of confidence in the president as a war leader, and to concern for his having made such a trip.

Said one service station man, "I thought it was sort of let down after a big build up," and so expressed the opinion of many. One business man beamed, "Say, that was really something wasn't it, what a man he is," and summed up the opinion of another group.

Another man complained, "It was a dangerous thing for him to do, and we couldn't afford to lose him now. He's the only man for the job ahead."

The light hearted crack back and forth, "Thought the Musso couldn't take it any longer," or "Thought maybe old Hitler had got what was coming to him." Another man spoke up, "They say the big thing is that he flew all the way to Africa, well so did the pilot, and nobody mentions him."

But the one that brought the biggest laugh was the ferry pilot who pm when asked his o'ckedbacknb cracked back when asked his opinion, "Oh, I guess PDR just had to get away from things for awhile."

**Tax Office To Stay Open At Noon Hour**

For the convenience of taxpayers, the Howard county tax collector and assessor's office will be open from 12 o'clock to 1 o'clock each noon Thursday, Friday and Saturday, it was announced today.

Ordinarily the office is closed during the noon hours but is making the change in order that working people may take advantage of the lunch hour to pay their taxes.

Deadline for payment of poll taxes is Saturday midnight and to date 2725 poll taxes have been paid.

**Texas Pays Off**

HOLLYWOOD, Jan. 27 (AP)—A "Touch of Texas" was worth \$250 weekly to Marcy Maguire, 17.

Marcy is from Chicago, but it was her torch-singing of "A Touch of Texas" in a recent movie that impressed Producer Tim Whelan, and yesterday her seven-year RKO studio contract was signed.

**How To Relieve Bronchitis**

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