



### Anniversary Celebration Planned By Rebekah Lodge

#### Instruction School To Be Held Tuesday

Plans for an anniversary celebration of the Rebekah Lodge were discussed Tuesday evening at a meeting which was held at the IOOF hall.

The affair will be held Monday evening, September 20, and all Rebekahs and Odd Fellows are invited to attend. Committee members to make plans for the entertainment are Mrs. Della Herring, Mrs. Hazel Lamar and Mrs. Eula Robinson.

Mrs. R. V. Foresyth, noble grand, presided over the business meeting, and it was announced that the group will assist in the local war bond drive. The committee appointed to assist with the sale of war bonds will meet in Mrs. Foresyth's home Thursday afternoon.

It was also announced that a school of instruction will be held next Tuesday evening at the lodge hall with Mrs. Della Herring, district deputy, in charge.

Mrs. Ruth Wilson, team captain, organized a drill team, and those attending the meeting were Mrs. Lovie Barlow, Mrs. Hazel Lamar, Mrs. Ruth Wilson, Mrs. R. V. Foresyth, Mrs. Clara Bender, Mrs. Maggie Richardson, Mrs. Eula Robinson, Mrs. Geneva Webb.

Mrs. Ora Todd, Mrs. Sallie Kinard, Mrs. Jocie McDaniel, Mrs. May Roberts, Mrs. Mable Glenn, Mrs. Docia Crenshaw, Mrs. Lillian Mason, Mrs. Della Herring, Mrs. Opal Tatum, Jim Crenshaw and Ben Miller.

### YWA To Sponsor Party At Church

The Young Woman's Auxiliary of the East Fourth Baptist church met with Elsie Kennon Monday evening to make plans for a soldier entertainment which will be held at the church Saturday evening.

Clarabelle Wood, president, presided over the business session, and Wilma Evans, secretary, gave a report.

Wanda Don Reece was in charge of a program "Being a Friend," and plans were discussed for a candy and popcorn party which will be held in the church parlor Saturday evening at 8 o'clock.

Refreshments were served to the group, and those attending were Clarabelle Wood, Wilma Evans, Adeline Covington, Mozelle Chapman, Dorothy Moore, Louise Ellison, Dauphine Reece, Anita Cate, Elsie Kennon, Wanda Don Reece, Ada Mary Leonard, a new member, and Alice Ruth Sanders, a visitor.

### Activities At The USO

**WEDNESDAY**  
6:15 p. m.—Hospital visiting hour at the post, Mrs. F. V. Kinzey, general chairman.

8:30 p. m.—Bomba-Dears Junior hostess, Mrs. Ben Carter, sponsor.

**THURSDAY**  
2:30 p. m.—Service Men's Wives club.  
8:30 p. m.—Formal dance.

**FRIDAY**  
9 p. m.—Square dance.

**SATURDAY**  
4-9 p. m.—Canteen open, Free cookies and iced tea.

8 p. m.—Recording hour, Talk a letter to send home.

9-11 p. m.—General activities, USO girls.

Free show tickets malted milks and other prizes were contributed by local merchants to Competition Night winners at the local USO club Tuesday evening.

Pfc. Edmund R. Brown of the 365th squadron, won first place in the ping pong contest with Sgt. E. K. Henderson taking second.

Winners in shuffle board were Mrs. Don McCuan and Pvt. Don McCuan of the 285th squadron, winners in the pool contest were Sgt. D. B. Edwards of the 78th squadron and Cpl. Donald Flint of Camp Barkeley.

### CALENDAR

**WEDNESDAY**  
DOS POR OCHO Club will meet with Mrs. H. V. Crocker at 3 o'clock.

**THURSDAY**  
WEST WARD P.T.A. meets at the School at 3 o'clock.

**FRIDAY**  
WOODMEN CIRCLE meets at the WOW hall at 8 o'clock.

**P.T.A. Meeting To Be Held At School**

The first fall meeting of the West Ward P.T.A. will be held at the school Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock, according to announcement today by the unit president, Mrs. C. R. Moad.

All members and parents with children who entered school for the first time this semester, are cordially invited to attend.

Pvt. Ray E. Skaley arrived from Camp Barkeley to visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Skaley.



**Party Shirtwaist:** Typical of the new simplified mode in this spave Rose Barrack design in black crepe, with pink galyak belt. It can go to the office, step out after five with diamond jewelry and a pink satin hat.

### DOWNTOWN STROLLER

This has seemed like old home week with visits with JUNE SHEPARD, who is here from Fort Worth with her mother and visiting with her parents, MADELINE CRIMMINS, also here from Fort Worth for a weekend visit; NANCY PHILIPS here in town for a week visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. SHINE PHILIPS; and Mrs. R. L. PERKINS, the former JIMMIE LOU GOLDMAN, here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. SAM GOLDMAN.

All are former residents with whom we have whiled away many an hour settling world events and anything too tough for the big shots to handle.

Mrs. R. L. NALL drove by early Monday morning and gave us a lift to work which was duly appreciated seeing as how it was brisk outside and we were shivering, if you can imagine that.

Talked with NELL BROWN about the American Association of University Women's organization which is starting up its meetings again after a summer vacation. NELL is the new president and has been getting the plans organized for the year.

Corp. and Mrs. BILL MAVROMATIS, who were married here Saturday night, were entertained the next afternoon with a dinner and reception by Corp. and Mrs. STANLEY BAUGH. Quite a number of BILL'S friends were on hand to meet his bride and wish them both the best.

### Although Greater Percent Of Forsan Young People Are In War Work, Some Are Enrolling For College Fall Term

FORSAN, Sept. 8 — Although the greatest percent of young people of Forsan are employed in war work this fall, several are leaving for college.

Harold Patterson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Patterson, will return to Texas Tech at Lubbock as a senior. Joy Lane, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Lane, will return to TSCW where she will be a senior student.

Mattie Mae West, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cleve West, will also attend TSCW.

Bill McAlpine is attending Texas Tech, and enrolled for the summer course. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Pryor. Charlene Grissom, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Grissom, will attend Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene as well as Ruth Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Brown.

Betty Bransfield, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Bransfield, will be a student at Incarnate Word, San Antonio, and Bobby Cowley will attend John Tarleton at Stephenville.

The Rev. E. L. Redding gave the invocation at general school assembly Monday morning, and M. M. McClintock led group singing with Mrs. H. D. Williams playing piano accompaniment.

Supt. Dan McRae introduced the faculty, and Joe Holiday announced that football practice would begin Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Foy Dunlap, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Pike, is reported to be improving in a Big Spring hospital where she has been receiving medical attention.

Mrs. O'Barr Smith and children visited relatives in San Angelo recently.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dunn were week-end visitors in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Williams had as guest, Mrs. Williams' brother of San Jose, Calif. Mrs. Williams and brother also visited in Baird.

Rosalie Weaver of Fort Worth has been the house guest of her aunt, Mrs. Harry Miller and Mr. Miller.

Dan Oglesby is home on navy leave.

W. H. Dunlap of Phoenix, Ariz., visited with the L. B. Griffiths this past week-end.

Mrs. Dan Holt is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Russell.

Opal Massey of Big Spring visited her parents Monday.

Pvt. Roy Peek is home on a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Peek. Pvt. Peek

### Four Hostesses Entertain With Bridge Luncheon In Officers' Club At Post

#### Members Are Urged To Roll Bandages At The Red Cross

Reverting back to the afternoon schedule for the fall and winter months, the Officers' Wives club entertained with a luncheon and bridge party in the new officers' club at the Big Spring Bombarrier School Tuesday afternoon.

Hostesses included Mrs. Richard Hornbeak, chairman; Mrs. J. J. Dunkerly, Mrs. Charles W. Pritchard and Mrs. Hugh P. Hipps.

Luncheon was served at 1:30 o'clock, and bridge was entertainment for the afternoon. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. D. F. Partello, Mrs. Jack P. Rayzor, Mrs. Ned Humphreys, Mrs. A. B. Bloomberg, guest, and Mrs. J. F. Dukes.

Mrs. J. J. Dunkerly, speaking in behalf of the Howard-Glasscock Red Cross chapter, appealed to club members to help with work which is being done at the Red Cross surgical dressing room.

The group was urged to roll bandages on Wednesday and Thursday from 9 to 12 a. m., and from 2 to 5 o'clock in the afternoon.

Hostesses who will entertain at the next luncheon are Mrs. A. D. Morrow, chairman, Mrs. John Ackery, Mrs. John T. Allen and Mrs. Fredrick R. Frye.

Around 120 club members and their guests attended the affair.

### Bible Study Taught By J. E. Harvey

Ladies Bible study was held at the Church of Christ Tuesday morning at 9:30 o'clock and J. E. Harvey, pastor, was in charge of the lesson.

The study centered around the Hebrew Letter, and approximately 20 persons attended.

Cpl. Alden Thomas of Camp Livingston, La., is visiting here with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Thomas.

Mary Proctor and Betty Coward of San Angelo are visiting Mrs. F. B. Bialack here.

### Troop Entertains At Local Church

Boy Scouts of Troop Four, who won the Court of Honor pennant, and the Shick advancement award, entertained in the scout hut at the East Fourth Baptist church with a party following the court of honor which was held at the Big Spring high school Tuesday evening.

Stanton Boy Scouts, members of Troop Four, scouts, and parents attended the affair, and punch was served from an ice bowl illuminated with vari-colored lights.

Honored guests were Donald Williams, Eagle scout, who received the Order of the Arrow, highest camping award, and Cliff Ford Porch, who received the life scout award.

Scouts attending were Roy C. Williams, J. H. Lloyd, W. R. Puckett, Judge James T. Brooks and the Rev. R. E. Dunham, scoutmaster. Around 25 scouts of Troop Four, 16 Stanton scouts and 20 parents, attended the affair.

Tadpoles of the bullfrog are seven inches long, as large as the adult.

### Fall Program Discussed At B. & P. W. Meeting

The first business meeting of the year was held Tuesday night at the Settles hotel by members of the Business and Professional Woman's club and the program for the year was discussed.

Theme of the meetings is to be "Business and Professional Women Living on the Home Front," and the next session is to be a social on September 21st.

Resignation of Jewel Johnson Bruner as recording secretary and Mrs. Mabel Carter as a member were accepted. The group also voted against having a district conference and a district bulletin this year.

Mrs. G. G. Sawtelle had charge of the program which was on the development of parliamentary procedure.

Others present were Kitty Ford, Gladys Smith, Mary Reidy, June Matson, Elizabeth Stanford, Wilrena Richbourg, Maurine Word, Winona Bailey, Beth Luedecke, Mrs. Ollie Eubanks, Pauline Sullivan.

Ina Mae Bradley, Dorothy Miller, Mrs. Fred Haller, Maurine Wade, Jewel Barton, Nellie Gray, Edith Gay, Glynn Jordan, Alma Borders, Sue Haynes, Myrtle Jones, Helen Duley.

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### Rushees Discussed At Club Meeting

A business meeting devoted to discussion of Slippers and rush activities was held Tuesday night in the home of Betty Bob Diltz.

Doris Nell Tompkins, president, presided over the business session, and it was decided that Slippers would attend the next meeting Tuesday in the home of Patty McDonald. Other activities were also discussed for the Slippers.

Refreshments were served and Rosie Williams was present as a guest. Members attending were Mrs. J. B. Wheat, Jr., Billie Ragsdale, Mary Joyce Mirra, Billie Frances Shaffer, Marjorie Laswell, Barbara Laswell, Doris Nell Tompkins, Betty Jo Pool, Patty McDonald, Eva Jane Darby, and the hostess, Betty Bob Diltz.

Dinner Held At The Methodist Church

An all-church dinner was held on the lawn at the First Methodist church Tuesday evening, and stewards, the auxiliary and church members attended.

The Rev. H. Clyde Smith gave the invocation, and following the dinner, the stewards retired to the church parlor for a business meeting.

Around 60 persons attended.

### Mrs. Middleton To Represent Church On Committee

Plans for a district conference to be held here September 30th at the First Presbyterian church were made Monday when the Auxiliary met at the church for a business and inspirational meeting.

Mrs. E. L. Barrick gave the invocation, and officers' reports were made. Mrs. R. V. Middleton was appointed to represent the auxiliary on the United Council of Church Women's nursery committee.

Mrs. Sam Baker reported on the Synodical training school held August 19th in Kerrville.

Others present were Mrs. Julia Beacham, Mrs. J. E. Pritchett, Mrs. F. A. Talbot, Mrs. J. C. Lane, Mrs. A. A. Porter, Mrs. D. A. Koons, Mrs. J. E. Moore, Mrs. G. D. Lee, Mrs. Cecil Wasson, Mrs. M. E. Conrad, Mrs. J. T. Brooks, Mrs. E. C. Boatler.

### COUPLE HONORED AT DINNER AND RECEPTION HERE

Cpl. and Mrs. Stanley Baugh entertained with a dinner and reception Sunday afternoon in their home for Cpl. and Mrs. Bill Mavromatis. Mrs. Mavromatis is the former Carole Cason of Raton, N. M., whose marriage to Mavromatis took place Saturday morning at the post chapel.

Hours were from 5 p. m. to 8 p. m. and guests included Pfc. and Mrs. Bob Featherston, Pfc. and Mrs. Forrest Hansen, Sgt. and Mrs. George Miller, Cpl. Edwin Todd, Cpl. Ben Crow, Pvt. Jerry Glass, Pvt. Reuben Quintero, Midland, Pfc. James Sheehan, the hosts and honored guests.

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- 5:00 Minute of Prayer.
- 5:01 Phillip Keyne-Gordon.
- 5:15 News.
- 5:30 Overseas Reports.
- 5:45 Superman.
- 6:00 Fulton Lewis, Jr.
- 6:15 The Johnson Family.
- 6:30 Duke Ellington's Orchestra.
- 7:00 Listen Ladies.
- 7:05 Lazy River.
- 7:15 News.
- 7:30 Take a Card.
- 8:00 Gabriel Heatter.
- 8:15 Dick Kuhn's Orchestra.
- 8:30 Soldiers With Wings.
- 9:00 John B. Hughes.
- 9:15 Song by Sunny Skyler.
- 9:30 News.
- 9:35 Sign Off.

**Thursday Morning**

- 7:00 Musical Clock.
- 7:15 News.
- 7:20 Musical Clock.
- 7:30 News.
- 7:45 Rhythm Ramble.
- 8:00 Morning Devotional.
- 8:15 Vocal Varieties.
- 8:30 KBST Bandwagon.
- 9:00 Ian Ross MacFarlane.
- 9:15 The Choir Loft.
- 9:30 Shady Valley Folks.
- 10:00 Stanley Dixon.
- 10:15 Kentucky Carnival.
- 10:30 Happy Joe & Ralph.
- 11:00 What's Your Idea.
- 11:00 News.
- 11:00 News.



**Churchill Buys A War Bond**—Prime Minister Winston Churchill inspects the \$100 war bond he received from Treasury Secretary Henry Morgenthau to launch the treasury's third war loan drive ahead of time at Washington.

## THE WAR TODAY: Progress Of Allies Shown By Marshall

By DeWITT MacKENZIE

Chief of Staff George C. Marshall's report on the progress of the war to Secretary Stimson is one of the finest military surveys produced since the world conflict started—a great accounting by a great soldier—and certainly falls within the class of "required reading" for every American.

The chief of staff's story is the record of American and Allied progress from the depths of peril to the present time of absolute assurance of victory. He doesn't attempt to predict when the war will be over; he doesn't say it will be short, and he doesn't say it will be long.

"The end is not yet clearly in sight, but victory is certain," he states with calm optimism.

That's encouraging enough for anybody. The thing a lot of folk will like about it is that the general doesn't deem it necessary to bulge the public by threaten-

ing that the war is going to last forever and a day. There are a lot of self-designated psychologists who think the only way to give the American people determination to carry on is to frighten them by predicting a long war.

While we're on this subject, it's good to learn that the government is going to give the public "more realistic" news from the war fronts. That's something this column was begging for a year ago. We need it—and we can take it.

One of the chief of staff's most interesting observations is in a footnote in which he states that the major miscalculation of the Japanese was their apparent expectation that the Russian army would collapse under the German grand assault on Moscow. I wish the general had developed that

a bit. Readers may recall that this column long ago suggested that one of the immediate causes of Japan's attack on the United States was the belief that Hitler was about to capture Moscow and knock Russia out.

The indications were that Hitler deliberately fooled the Nipponese into believing that the Soviet capital was about to capitulate and that therefore they were safe in making war against America and Britain. The German assault on Moscow collapsed about the time of the attack on Pearl Harbor, and the foe must have foreseen his failure when he was

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## Paratroopers' Mass Leap Described Vividly By Public Relations Officer

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He was the only reporter to leap.

Here's Kleban's story: "I counted one-two-three. With a tremendous jolt, my parachute mushroomed above me bringing painful end to the suspense. The suddenness of the drop was amazing. We had no time to guide our chutes, no time to look around. We found out later it was the lowest mass jump recorded.

"We were gazing at the fighters above us, forming a canopy as far as we could see, when the ready bell rang in our transport.

"Capt. Charles S. Galbreath, Tuscola, Ill., our jump master, shouted 'this is it boys.'

With muscles tense, 17 of us lined up in the aisle, hooked on to the static line. The bell to jump rang. There was an unwavering surge to the door and we were free from the transport.

"The stiff pit grass was a perfect blind and provided a merciful cushion.

"After freeing myself from the chute, I threw a round into my gun chamber, opened the safety and moved to the rendezvous point.

"Suddenly I saw something move off to the right. Two paratroopers almost stumbled over me and I asked where they were headed, learning they were to assemble at the same point as I.

"We decided to go together as a small patrol—Private John Nail, Jr., Winston Salem, N. C., Private H. W. Bell, Norfolk, Va., and I.

"About every ten steps we had to change the lead man as the thick, twelve foot grass exhausted a man and left him gasping for air. With our 30 pounds of weight and heat, it was terrific.

"After walking to the woods, we took off our equipment, spread out for firing positions and tried to catch our breaths. While we lay in the shade, other men came up and joined the party.

"Catholic Chaplain Capt. John J. Powers, 5 Hill Place, Oronota, N. Y., threw himself down beside me, soaking wet.

"How goes it, Father, I asked.

"The priest answered, 'we made it, all right.'

"One of the men called out, 'say, Father, don't you think the Japs will take a dim view of our doing this to them on Sunday?'

"Powers smiled and replied, 'better the day, the better the deed.'

## Allocation Plan On Protein Feeds Is Being Prepared

CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., Sept. 7. (AP)—The government is preparing an order regulating and allocating supplies of protein feeds which will "prevent hoarding," a federal spokesman told the American soybean association's war conference yesterday.

O. D. Klein of Washington, representing the agriculture adjustment administration and the war food administration, said steps were being taken to assure all areas a proportionate share of protein supplies.

"An order is being prepared which limits forward selling of processors' production to 60 days on 90 per cent of their output," Klein said.

He explained the other 10 per cent would be held in reserve, subject to allocation by the war food administration, until the 25th of the month in which it is produced. The WAF would use the 10 per cent to cover emergencies and adjust supplies to demand from various areas.

## City Manager Wins In Recall Contest

BEAUMONT, Sept. 8 (AP)—Beaumont City Manager G. Hughes Petkovsek came out on top in a move to oust him from office.

A recall movement launched against Petkovsek when he refused to discharge Chief of Police Ross Dickey was defeated yesterday in a special election, 776 to 177.

The manager refused to discharge Dickey after an election on June 21 at which Mayor Leslie Lowry and six members of the city council were recalled.

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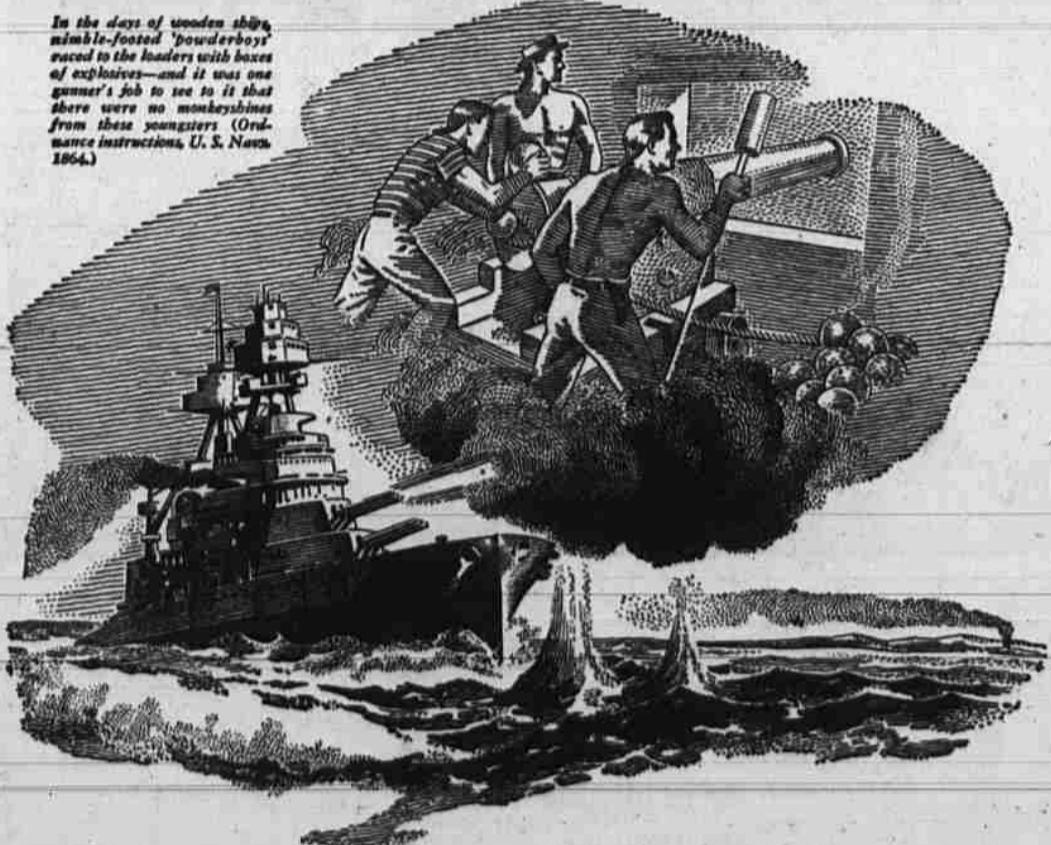
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# Plans For Second Front Are Complete, Marshall Reveals

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER  
 WASHINGTON, Sept. 8. (AP)—Allied preparations for smashing Germany's European fortress—including an invasion of northwestern Europe—are virtually complete, Gen. George C. Marshall disclosed today, and plans for decisive triumphs over Japan are well advanced.

"The end is not yet in sight," the army chief of staff said of history's greatest war, "but victory is certain."

Marshall's conclusion as to the invincibility of Allied arms was set forth in an extraordinary report to Secretary of War Stimson in which he reviewed the early months of heart-breaking defeat suffered because of inadequate forces, revealed the swift measures taken to stem axis aggression, told of historic decisions made in Casablanca and Washington, and showed how the enemy had at last been forced on the defensive road to defeat.

"Strategically the enemy in Europe has been reduced to the defensive and the blockade is complete," Marshall declared. "In the Pacific the Japanese are being steadily ejected or rather eliminated from their conquered territory. x x x

"There can be but one result and every resource we possess is being employed to hasten the hour of victory without undue sacrifice of the lives of our men."

In contrast to 1941 when there

were never enough troops, planes, guns or bullets to fill the requests of Allies and field commanders, Marshall said that the United States now has "a reserve of trained units ready for dispatch to the various theaters as rapidly as shipping becomes available."

It was at the Casablanca conference, he revealed, that the decision was made to capture Sicily, which suggests that later conferences at Washington in May and Quebec in August dealt with objectives far beyond that goal.

Marshall also disclosed that at the spring conference here the Allied high command made the historic decision to bomb the Italian railway concentrations at Rome and to raid the Rumanian oil refineries at Ploesti, both of which actions were carried out this summer.

The general dealt at length with the effectiveness of strategic bombing of Germany by the American and British air forces. This ceaseless assault, he said, "gives promise of being a decisive factor in the ultimate destruction of the

German citadel."

The general estimated that the Russian army is now engaging two-thirds of the German army and one-third of the German air fleet and to this statement he appended a footnote showing that American supplies actually delivered in Russia have included: more than 3,000 airplanes, 2,400 tanks, 109,000 sub-machine guns and 75,000 tons of explosives.

The report covered 53 pages plus 58 pages of footnotes, maps and charts. The latter particularly emphasized the point that the United Nations have had to deploy their forces over 56,000 miles of supplies lines with the twin necessities initially of holding strategic islands guarding the lines and producing ships to transport men and supplies over them.

The army chief noted the navy's victories in the Coral sea and at Midway not only had stopped Japan's aggressions but restored the balance of Pacific sea power in favor of the United States and prepared the way for the irresistible attacks then already being conceived.



**'CHUTES IN LOCKER** — Seaman Mardell Feiser of South Bend, Ind., checks parachutes in the "dry locker" at the parachute materiel school, U. S. naval air station, Lakehurst, N. J. She'll rate as a parachute rigger upon graduation.

## Meeting With Stalin Appears To Be Nearer

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8 (AP)—The top statesmen of America and Britain are agreed today that a peace treaty must be written slowly and deliberately after the war and the Anglo-American chiefs-of-staff combination maintained to enforce it.

There were indications, too, that President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill are making headway toward a meeting with Marshal Stalin of Russia at which problems of military and postwar collaboration could be threshed out.

Mr. Roosevelt told a news conference yesterday that progress had been made toward a three-power parley since the Allied war conference at Quebec and that he hoped for additional progress within 24 to 48 hours.

Mr. Churchill previously had urged that the smoothly clicking machines of the naval, air and military experts of the United States and Britain continue after the fighting ends. He suggested it be kept functioning; perhaps for years, until an arrangement is worked out to keep the peace and guarantee protection from danger and aggression.

It became certain late yesterday that President Roosevelt shares this view.

The American attitude, it was learned on the highest authority, is that a transition period must follow the firing of the last shot, that the peace terms must be shaped thereafter and that the combined chiefs-of-staff must be retained to guard the peace by force if necessary.

## Stevenson In Chihuahua City

CHIHUAHUA CITY, Mex., Sept. 8 (AP)—A sightseeing trip, luncheon and a state dinner were planned here today for Texas Governor Stevenson on the second day of his good-will tour of Mexico.

The party arrived here last night after visiting ranches many miles from the Juarez-Chihuahua highway and traveling across two mountain ranges to visit Hacienda Terranates, where Stevenson was an honor guest at a barbecue.

The Texas ranchman-governor, who knows his cattle, told his host at the hacienda:

"I have never seen such fine cattle ranches nor such splendid cattle. This is beautiful country—one which we should come to know better."

Gov. Stevenson began his tour, which will be climaxed in Mexico City, by crossing the Rio Grande into Juarez at 7 a. m. yesterday. There he was greeted by municipal officials.

## Should Halt Waste, Rep. Dies Declares

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8. (AP)—Representative Dies (D-Texas) says that, judging by the people of his Texas district, the American public "doesn't give a whoop about politics or anything else except winning the war as soon as possible."

"They aren't complaining of sacrifices so long as they help win the war. But they do resent all this waste," he added in an interview yesterday just after returning here from Texas.

Dies asserted the nation is only 60 per cent mobilized for war and that the 40 per cent slack could be taken up through use of idle manpower already on the payroll of war plants and through "elimination of red tape and bungling on the part of the federal government."

He said complete mobilization could be effected in five or six months and would shorten the war-by-one-to-two years.



Prairie land would be a welcome sight for Mrs. Beasie James, stationed somewhere in the South Pacific, he has just written that "I would sure like to see West Texas prairie after seeing all the mud and rain." Sgt. Lauterbach, a former Best Food Co. employe, attended Big Spring high school and enlisted Dec. 8, 1941.

## Texas Polio Cases Are On The Decline

AUSTIN, Sept. 8. (AP)—Another decline in the incidence of infantile paralysis (poliomyelitis) in Texas was recorded today by the state health department which reported 59 new cases for the week ending Sept. 4.

The previous week 75 cases were announced.

The number of cases of polio, which became epidemic in some portions of the state this summer, now stands at 964 for the year.

Counties reporting new cases included: Potter 10, Harris and Dallas 6, Tarrant 5 and Gray 3. Floyd, Hockley, Lubbock, Milam, Swisher, Travis and Victoria had two each, and one each was reported from Armstrong, Bexar, Briscoe, Cass, Deaf Smith, Erath, Galveston, Gregg, Guadalupe, Hale, Johnson, Navarro, Titus, Woot and Young.

## Rev. Dunham Back From Seminole

The Rev. R. Elmer Dunham has returned from Seminole where he conducted a revival meeting at the Seminole Baptist church. During the revival, 45 persons joined the church including 27 by baptism or as new members making first church connections.

Pastor of the church is the Rev. O. C. Curtis, formerly of Big Spring, who has been pastor there for four years. During this time from an average attendance of around 35 persons, the congregation has grown until Sunday the Sunday school had 304 in attendance and around 500 at the night preaching services.

Every month American housewives are turning in eight to 10 million pounds of waste fat.

## Orson Welles And Rita Hayworth Wed

HOLLYWOOD, Sept. 8. (AP)—Orson Welles, the movie wonder boy who has been pulling rabbits out of hats and springing other surprises in his current big-tent magic show, has caught the film colony off guard again.

Welles and Screen Actress Rita Hayworth—the girl he saw in half during one of his feats of sleight-of-hand—were married yesterday in nearby Santa Monica by Judge Orlando Rhodes.

The marriage was the second for both. Miss Hayworth, 24, whose true name is Margarita Canino, an Edward C. Judson, former Oklahoma oil broker, were divorced last May. Divorcee likewise ended Welles' marriage to Virginia Nicolson, Chicago socialite.

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Hell, better cross that out, too. They don't ever get vacations where Joe's staying.

Well, what are you waiting for? Go ahead, write the letter to Joe. Try to write it, anyhow.

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# Editorial - - Talk With Yourself About Bonds

The goal is high, 15 billion dollars. The campaign opens tomorrow and this is a taxing month. Commercial banks have been eliminated as a source of funds; the entire quota falls on non-banking sources.

But in spite of all this, Secretary Henry Morgenthau says the third war loan drive will be a success, that the quota will be reached, that "the biggest undertaking of the war on the home front" will end in victory.

The second war loan campaign produced 18 billion dollars, but commercial banks were in on that. This time, it's up to private investors—big and little people who put their earnings and their savings into the national kitty to make the wild Nazis and Tojos wilder still.

This is "back the attack" business. The money is sorely needed to send warplanes and bombs and jeeps and food and rifles to our fighting men. It is needed now more than before, for the pace becomes hotter, the pressure on the enemy stronger, the need for weapons in the hands of our men greater than ever. The faster that pace is maintained, the quicker the war ends, the completer the victory.

Probably you have been putting ten per cent or more of your earnings into war bonds right along. Probably you have bought a little extra now and then. Perhaps you don't see how you possibly can rake and scrape any more for this new bond issue.

But before you say no, suppose you call an executive session with yourself. Get tough. Lay the cards on the table.

"Here am I," you say to yourself, "eating hearty, sleeping undisturbed, shaving and bathing regularly, taking myself a little joy ride now and then—enjoying all the comforts and conveniences of civilized existence."

"The kid across the street has been in uniform a couple of years. He has rubbed all the skin off his nose diving into foxholes. He has lived for three weeks on one skimpy meal per day. Maybe what with malaria and one thing and another his health has been permanently impaired."

"The boy in the next block, once full of hope and ambition and the joy of living, is now remembered as a gold star on a service flag."

"I've been taking it easy. I haven't really deprived myself of anything to buy war bonds. I haven't bought until it hurts. And I'm the very guy all these appeals to buy more war bonds are directed to. They've got my address. Okay, I'm not going to let the boys down; I want to be able to look them in the face when they get back—if they get back. I'll find a way. I'll show 'em. They can count on me—and count me in."

(And put some zest into it, fellow. Like those airmen in the early days in the South Pacific who were ordered out to dive-bomb some approaching Jap warships in the Coral Sea.

"There isn't much chance of coming back," their commanding officer warned them.

"Who said anything about coming back?" the airmen inquired.

## Hollywood, Sights And Sounds—

# Winner Dances, But Not Just Like Astaire

By ROBBIN COONS  
HOLLYWOOD—The piano in the rehearsal hall tinkled out "Pretty Baby" and a line of chorines in slacks or shorts, carrying parasols, cavorted in time to the tinkling.

But for once that wasn't what I'd come to see. I was there to witness the return to rhythm of that old master, Charlie Winninger.

"I haven't done this," said Charlie, "since 1924—when I danced to 'No, No, Nanette.' Am I going to show up Astaire? Heh, all I'm hoping is that I can get through it."

In "Broadway Rhythm" Winninger plays an old-time actor who helps a bunch of youngsters put on a show in a barn. While he's directing them, he does off and dreams that he himself is on the stage once more. That's how it was that Charlie—59, white-haired, a bit pudgy in the waistline—was sitting there, in old white trousers and shirt, an old straw hat cocked back on his head, gamely waiting his call from Jack Donohue, the dance director.

It came. Charlie got up, took his place beside pretty little Gloria DeHaven, his partner, and danced. He looked serious about it, staid, as if he were counting—"one-two-three, bounce, one-two-three, shuffle." He didn't give Astaire anything to worry about, but he got through it.

He came back and sat down, perspiring a little but not puffing. "I keep in pretty good shape," he said. "Swim every morning, work in my garden—this isn't anything."

It wasn't anything, after all, compared to what the movies made him do when he first tried them, back in 1914. By that time he had done everything in show business, working with the "Winninger Family Novelty Show." His father, who had been a violinist with Strauss back in Vienna, had settled 40 acres of Wisconsin timber land and built the log cabin where Charlie was born. But the needs of a growing family had sent them all back to show business. "I guess I learned everything except wire-walking," said Charlie.

In 1914 he was in Los Angeles in vaudeville, doing a comedy and acrobatic act, when the slapstick movie tribe saw him as prime material. Mack Sennett wanted him, but he signed with

## Washington Daybook—

# Civil Service Rating A Bit Complicated

Second Of Two Articles On good.  
The way you get to be a 5-G, for example, is to have your teacher (immediate boss) mark your 32-question report card with at least a check (which means "adequate") on all important queries about the job you do and "minus marks (meaning weak) fully compensated by plus marks (meaning outstanding) or a majority of underlined elements (important factors in your particular job) marked at least with a check, and minus marks on underlined elements overcompensated by plus marks on underlined elements."

Don't ask me what that means. It takes the Civil Service Commission 32 pages in the "Efficiency Rating Manual" to explain this rating business and what to do if it doesn't work.

It's the What-to-do-if-it-doesn't-work part of it that I like best. If the employe kicks, his rating official is supposed to give him a hearing. Then Civil Service goes completely Dale Carnegie.

In ten little snappy paragraphs, they tell the "boss" how to prepare for the interview. It includes such suggestions as: "Select a time when both you and the employe are not under undue strain or pressure of work; provide for privacy."

In 12 more paragraphs, the boss is advised how to conduct the interview. This section leads off with the hint that it would be a good idea to "Put the employe at ease by some friendly remarks not necessarily about the matter to be discussed."

How to conclude the interview takes only nine paragraphs, and it's as simple as X, Y, Z, except for one section near the end which says: "Do not try to force the employe to agree with your evaluation of his performance."

That, rating officials tell me, is something of a stunner, since that's about all the interviews are ever held for.

"Bob" Ramspeck and his committee say they are going to change that "efficiency" business. Uncle Sam is the greatest employer in the world today. After listening to his employes gripe, I think I can say positively that all they want is a few stepping stones and a little less red tape. A change in the "efficiency rating system" would be a help, to say the least.

# THE LONG NIGHT

By Eleanor Atterburg

Chapter 14  
The second day's routine proved to be exactly a duplicate of the first. An early start, Paul Porter's solemn assurance that today he would locate Captain Scott MacQuaid without doubt, the return at sundown to the log cabin. At the end of the third performance, Bette realized she was virtually a prisoner.

"I simply must get back to the Post," she said that third evening. "I have given up hope of finding him now. Perhaps,"—she clutched at a straw,—perhaps he has even returned to the Post himself by now."

Paul Porter nodded, smiled that bland, unfathomable smile. "Perhaps it would be better." Bette's courage raised its head. "Then you'll show me the trail down into the valley tomorrow?" He bowed courteously. "It will be a pleasure."

But while they started off in what seemed to Bette the right direction the next morning, the late afternoon found them back at the cabin again.

"I am sorry, I must have taken the wrong turning," Paul Porter apologized easily when Bette stood staring helplessly, hopelessly at that familiar log cabin. Now that her worst fears were confirmed, she felt despair reach to the depths of her being.

Almost at the end of her endurance, she stumbled along the trail across the narrow mountain meadow, her wits dulled with fatigue, with disappointment, with defeat. Why had he gone through this farce of tramping through these woods hour after hour? How much simpler to have locked her in a room.

If he'd merely been trying to wear down her resistance, she told herself a little later as she flung herself, exhausted, across the bed in the "guest" room at the cabin. She let hot tears drench the pillow. When she was rested a little, she'd think of a plan.

She slept then, dreamlessly. She didn't know what it was that wakened her long after dark. But suddenly she was wide awake, staring into the darkness, every muscle taut. As if some intuition, never sleeping, had put her on guard. Almost instantly, she was aware that someone was in the room.

When she thought surely the scream she held back would strangle her, she saw the beam of a small flashlight play across the foot of the bed, move toward her face. Controlling every muscle at supreme cost, she closed her eyes, breathed deeply, slowly, feigning sleep.

Only when she heard the door close almost noiselessly did she open her eyes. Then she lay several moments, her ears strained to hear sounds in the next room, her heart pounding thunderously.

At first, when she heard the outer door close, she thought her strange visitor must have gone outside. But in a moment she detected the soft murmur of voices, carefully lowered. Men's voices. Paul Porter's, whom she recognized at once, and a strange, high-pitched voice.

Inch by inch, she slipped off the bed, crept to the door, flattened herself against the tiny crack through which a soft light sifted now. But she could hear nothing more than the steady murmur of the whispered conversation. Then, risking tell-tale squeaks from the old hinges on the door, she turned the knob slowly, carefully, and widened the crack just enough so that she could see into the room beyond.

Kneeling before the open fireplace, their faces reddened by the reflected glow, were two figures. Paul's back was toward her. But the man with whom he conversed in such careful whispers was in

# Capital Comment - Patman Sees Post-War Problems For Texas

By GEORGE STIMPSON  
Herald Washington Correspondent  
The dope in Washington is that the Quebec conference was held to decide whether to invite Josef Stalin to the next one.

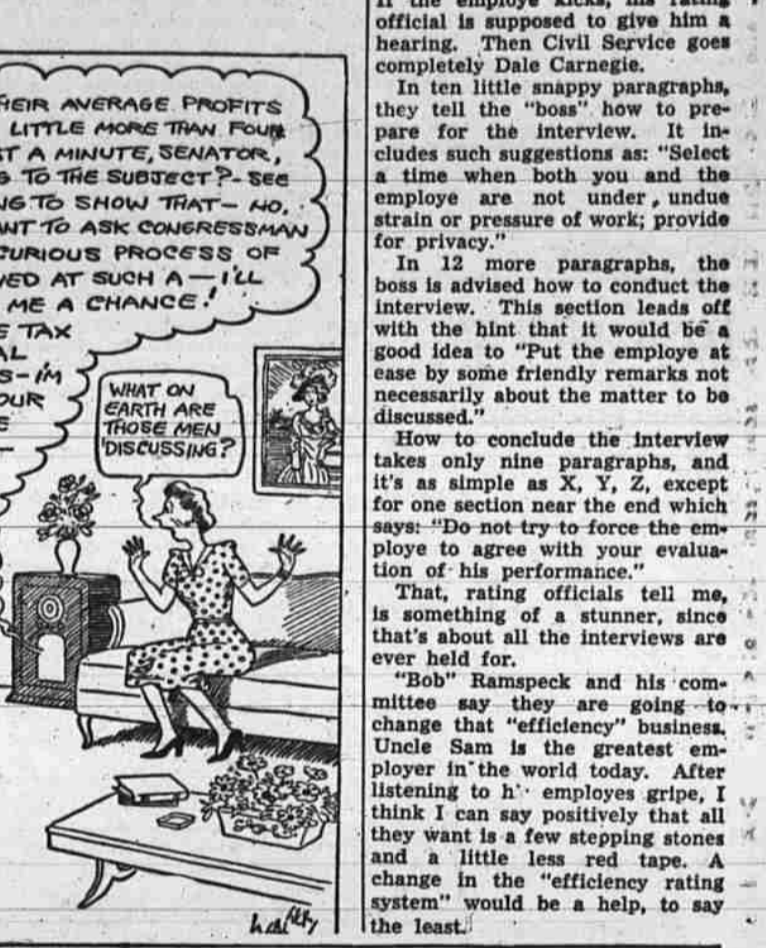
"Sorry. We do not accept personal checks," says new sign in railroad ticket office. If I had adopted that policy around the Press Club years ago I would now be a richer man.

The new pay-as-you-go tax plan isn't as satisfactory as I expected and I didn't expect it would be.

A Capitol employe told me this one: During the last session of congress an elderly and meticulous U. S. senator, while in his seat on the floor, felt the need of a little nourishment. Not wishing to leave the chamber at the time, because of his interest in that particular question under consideration, he decided to send down to the senate restaurant for an apple to appease temporarily his hunger. The restaurant had on hand some particularly big red and luscious apples of which the senator was fond. So he wrote a note to the proprietor of the restaurant, describing the kind of apple he wanted, clapped his hands for a senate page boy, who came running in a twinkling, gave him the note and asked him to take it downstairs to the proprietor of the restaurant. Fifteen or 20 minutes went by without the page boy returning with the apple. The senator was getting pretty impatient. Finally, to his surprise and irritation, he saw the same page boy over in the corner of the senate chamber eating a big red apple. Investigation revealed that the page boy thought that the restaurant proprietor had given him the apple for carrying the senator's note!

A friend of mine, who is quite a "nut" on history and geography, had read the sur-

## The Unseen Audience



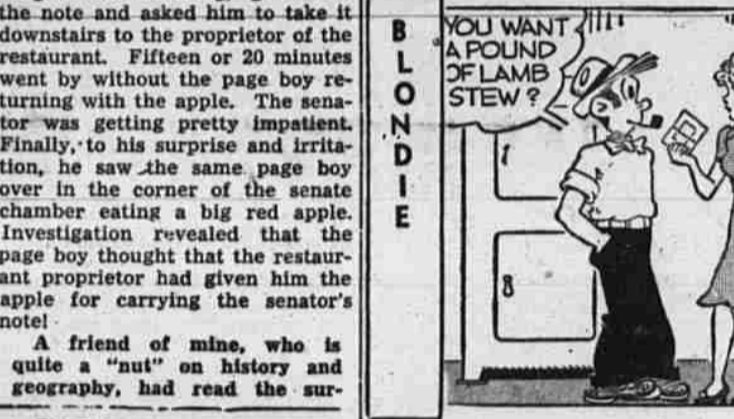
## Crossword Puzzle

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- Legume
- More expensive
- Bar of contrasting color
- Coins
- Old card game
- Concise
- Sons of kings
- Opposite of weather
- Favor
- Ancient block for shaping hollow metal objects

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- Slab of one's parent
- On the ocean
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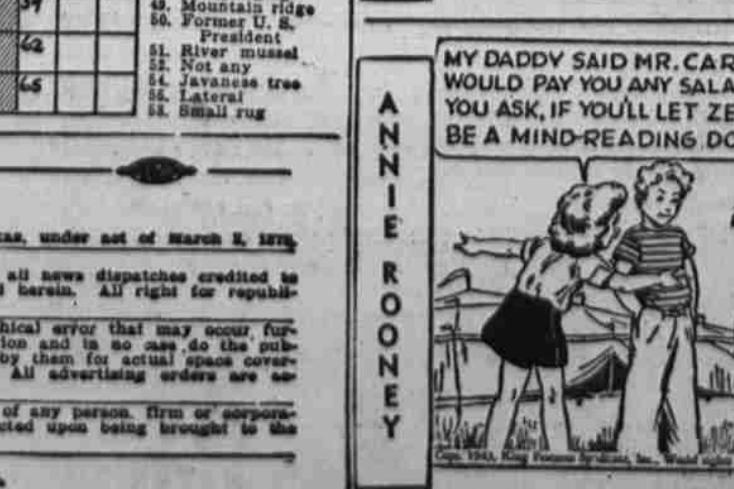
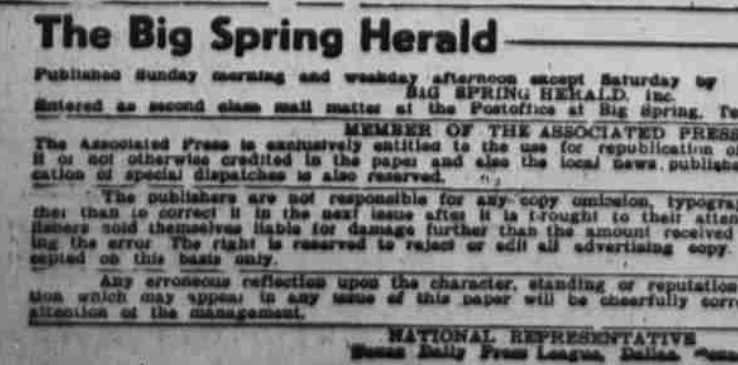


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NEW six-foot combine for hire. Contact my farm near Fairview or write D. P. Bigony, Box 428, Big Spring.  
WILL do family ironing 65c a dozen. Bring to 806 Johnson. Phone 547-J.  
NABORS BEAUTY SHOP is opening earlier for the convenience of working girls. Call 1252 and make your appointment.  
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**For Sale**  
**Miscellaneous**  
FOUR glass display cases, cash register, stock auto parts; also all out buildings on Costin place, Ackerly. Must sell this week.

FOR SALE: John Deere power row binder, A-1 condition. F. P. Shackelford, John Deere dealer, Putnam, Texas.

**Wanted To Buy**  
**Household Goods**  
FURNITURE wanted. We need used furniture. Give us a price before you sell, get our prices before you buy. W. L. McCollister, 1001 W. 4th.

**Miscellaneous**  
WANTED: Used radios and musical instruments. Will pay cash for anything. Anderson Music Co., phone 856 or call at 115 Main St.

WILL BUY your clean cotton rags. Shroyer Motor Co. 424 East 3rd.

**For Rent**  
**Apartments**  
FURNISHED rooms and apartments, \$3.50 and up. No drunks or toughs wanted, no children. Plaza Apartments, 1107 West Third St. Phone 243-W.

TWO furnished apartments. Emerson Courts, 1105 W. Third St.

**Bedrooms**  
NICE, clean, quiet, air-conditioned rooms. Weekly rates. Close in. Tex Hotel, 501 East Third St. Phone 99L.

STEWART HOTEL - Sleeping rooms, hot and cold water in each room. Cool and comfortable. Fourth and Austin Streets.

SMALL cottage, furnished as bedroom; modern. 405 W. Fifth.

**Wanted To Rent**  
**Apartments**  
\$15 REWARD for furnished or unfurnished house or apartment. Call Strickland, Social Security Board office, 1764, before 5:15 p. m.

**Wanted To Rent**  
**Apartments**  
FAMILY of three desires three or four room furnished apartment. Permanent residents. Phone 1080 or 1533.

WOMAN desires to share apartment or small house with one or two other working women. References exchanged. Call Jean Miller at The Herald office.

**Real Estate**  
**Houses For Sale**  
FOR SALE: One lot with six-room house, two new chicken houses with pen and cow lot, and garage. 1700 West Third St.

FOR SALE: Furnished garage bedroom and 7-room unfurnished rock home, 511 South Park St. \$8,750. Small down payment, easy terms. Would consider small place near town. Phone 2070-J. L. L. Gully.

FIVE-ROOM house for sale, 2108 Nolan. Phone 1484.

**Farms & Ranches**  
12 SECTION ranch: 3 1-4 section lease and 4 section private lease. 3800 acres deeded; well watered; good improvements; lease cheap and leases run 5c per acre. Price, \$7.50 per acre for deeded land with leases thrown in. Write or see Kirk Barber, 605 S. E. Colorado St., Peralta, New Mexico.

**G. W. Byerley Dies At Home Of Daughter**  
G. W. Byerley, 75, resident of Glascock and Howard counties for the past 35 years, succumbed Tuesday night at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Ray Byerley, near Midland. He had been in failing health for sometime.

Survivors include two sons, H. W. Byerley, Stanton, M. E. Byerley, Big Spring; five daughters, Mrs. Eva Baker, Stanton, Mrs. W. M. Harmon, Lees, Mrs. M. H. Harris, Lenorah, Altie Dunbar, Big Spring, Mrs. R. D. Byerley, Midland; one sister, Mrs. Mary Reab, Long Island, Tex.; one half-sister, Will Ingram, Elgin; 24 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Services will be held Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock at 611 Bell street, home of M. E. Byerley. Local arrangements are in charge of Nalley-Reeder Funeral home.

**Airmen Returning From Far East To Be Instructors**  
U. S. TENTH AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS, India. (Correspondence of the Associated Press)—Most of the young American airmen who made the first B-25 raids last year against the Japanese in Burma, China and French Indo-China are returning to the United States to help train newly-activated squadrons.

Some of those airmen already are back home others will remain here until their replacements have become combat-wise.

Nearly all of those pioneer B-25 airmen have won the distinguished flying cross for more than 200 hours of combat flying.

Those en route to the states, or already there, include: Lt. Walter C. Amelunke of McGregor, Tex., Capt. John Tyson of Timpson, Tex., Sgt. Lloyd A. Klar of Somerville, Tex., Lt. Robert H. Sikes of Seymour, Tex., bombardier, S-Sgt. James N. House of Paris, Tex., gunner, and S-Sgt. Belvin L. Jackson of Mexia, Tex.

The first Coast Guard "academy" was a barkentine, "The Chase," anchored off New Bedford, Mass., and later off Baltimore in the last quarter of the 19th century. The present academy at New London, Conn., is a huge plant, comparing favorably with Annapolis and West Point.

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**GOOD BASIC WAGE DAY SHIFT BONUS FOR SECOND AND THIRD SHIFTS TRANSPORTATION ADVANCED KAISER REPRESENTATIVE WILL INTERVIEW APPLICANTS September 10, 1943 U. S. EMPLOYMENT SERVICE WAR MANPOWER COMMISSION BIG SPRING, TEXAS**

**VILLA'S DAUGHTER WEDS**  
HOLLYWOOD, Sept. 8. (AP)—Celia Villa, 28, daughter of the late Pancho Villa, Mexican revolutionary leader, and Fred Datig, 45, movie casting director, were honeymooning today at his ranch near Quartzsite, Ariz.



## Comment

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joint and they must tote their own trays.

Former Mayor C. A. "Neal" Pickett of Houston is in Washington taking a Red Cross training course preparatory to being sent to India or Africa. Neal, before being mayor, was secretary of the Texas Lumbermen's Association and was active in Jaycee work.

Texas, says Congressman Wright Patman, of Texarkana, should organize through legislative creation, a Texas Post-War Economic Council to coordinate with the Federal Government in the following: (1) to devise plans for immediate employment of discharged men and women; (2) to provide for employment of those now working in war plants; (3) conversion of Texas war plants to peace production of essential Texas needs; (4) expanded processing and marketing of Texas products; (5) conservation of Texas resources; and (6) decentralizing Texas industries to areas of less congestion.

The busiest people in Washington are still those guys who paint names on glass doors; recently the WPB got out a last-minute up-to-date directory of the names, addresses, offices, telephone numbers, etc., of all the key men in the organization; by the time the directory came off the press 50 of the names were already out of date.

We have been having a regular epidemic of taxicabmen being robbed by passengers.

## THE LONG NIGHT

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girl until I hear from him. And—" the two men stood up now, moved toward the door. "Next time come after midnight and at the appointed meeting place. This is too dangerous. She might hear."

"Again that evil, toothy smile. "Would that make trouble? I don't think so. White girl no go back to Post now."

Paul shrugged indifferently. "As you will. Good night."

Bette closed the door carefully, slipped back to the bed where she lay trembling with fury and terror. So! White girl doesn't go back to the Post, was it! Well—Bette's temper uncoiled from the back of her mind where it had lain submissive before her despair these last few days. Paul Porter with his oily courtesy and that grinning yellow monkey! Her clenched fists pounded her pillow noiselessly. She'd get away from here. She'd get back to the Post, too.

To be continued.

## Ration Board Needs Volunteer Workers

The local ration office issued another plea Wednesday for volunteer workers to assist Wednesday from 8 p. m. to 10 p. m. in filling and doing other clerical work.

The vast amount of paper work necessary requires extra hours of filing which cannot be done during the day.

## Employment

GIRLS, boys or adults needed as messengers. Apply at Western Union.

**HERALD ROUTES OPEN**  
Boys and girls can work after school and make good money. See Sue Haynes at The Herald.

**Help Wanted—Male**  
EXPERIENCED grocery hand wanted. Call in person Whitmire's Food Market, 1018 Johnson.

WANTED—Men or boys over 16 years of age for ice plant work. Apply in person at Southern Ice Co.

WANTED: Experienced colored porter and lubrication man. Apply Lone Star Chevrolet Co.

**Help Wanted—Female**  
WANTED: Woman who can come into the home and work from 9 a. m. to 3 p. m. Light, agreeable work and good pay. Apply at 506 Gregg.

WANTED: Ten women for laundry work. No phone calls. See H. B. Clark, Mgr. Beatty's Laundry.

WANTED: Elevator girl. Experience not necessary. See the bell captain at Settles Hotel.

WOMAN 20 to 30 years of age to keep house for working couple; room and board and \$50 per month. Consider cadet's wife. See Mrs. Brady at Franklin's Dress Shop.

HOUSEKEEPER wanted. Room furnished and good pay, hours from 2 to 11:30 p. m. Call 1587 or apply mornings, 1003 Wood St.

WANTED—Saleslady. Experience not necessary. Address Box O. G., % Herald.

## For Sale

**Household Goods**  
SEE Creaths when buying or selling used furniture; 20 years in furniture and mattress business in Big Spring. Rear 710 E. 3rd. Phone 602.

FOR SALE—Practically new table-top oil range. See at 407 Young St.

FOR SALE—Porcelain kitchen table and bassinet on stand. Call at 1509 Goliad.

ONE used electric washing machine and one used gas range. See L. B. Dempsey, 106 Main.

**Poultry & Supplies**  
EGGS—Produce your own. One hundred young pullets ready to lay, \$1.25 each. Six-weeks old heavy breed chicks, 50c each. 1807 West Third St.

**Miscellaneous**  
FOR SALE: Good new and used radiators for popular make cars and trucks. Guaranteed. Peartley Radiator Shop, 800 E. 3rd. Ph. 1210.

ALL makes bicycles repaired. Also have full stock of bicycle parts. Repairing a specialty. Cecil Thixton Motorcycle & Bicycle Shop, East 15th & Virginia. Phone 2052.

FOR SALE—Apples and tomatoes. 200 N. Johnson St.

CAFE equipment. Coca-Cola box, air conditioner, cash register, neon sign and other supplies at a bargain. See L. S. Patterson. Phone 410.



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**Wall Street**

NEW YORK, Sept. 8. (P)—War shares in the stock exchange sold off rather rapidly today on the announcement of the Italian surrender. Losses near the close ran from fractions to around 2 points. Steels, aircrafts and rails bore the main weight of selling.

that heva trees will produce from 1,200 to 1,900 pounds of crude rubber an acre.

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**You Were Right About August Second Hottest In History**

You knew August was hot—and you were right. Big Spring has just passed through the second hottest August in local recorded weather history.

The U. S. department of weather bureau at the airport showed a mean maximum of 99.5 degrees for the month, which is well above anything it has on record. Only a year ago the mean maximum was 92.7 and the year before 90.2. The mean or average temperature for the month stood at 86.4 degrees, which is well above the 40-year average of 81.2 degrees.

**War Bond**  
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later in the campaign and which has for its goal the contacting of every family in the city.

Groebel and his assistant, Carl Strom, directed the meeting, distributed work-kits, and explained the details of the canvass. "Not an individual can be missed if we achieve our goal," he said. And the response he got was heart-warming.

The clubs also were assigned days to staff the bond headquarters, which will occupy all the front space of the chamber of commerce offices for the duration of the Third War Loan. Volunteers will be on hand every day, from 11 a. m. to 10 p. m., beginning Thursday.

**Volunteers Accepted For Military Service**

The selective service board announced Wednesday that Louis Truman Pope, volunteer, has been accepted by the army as an aviation cadet at Fort Sam Houston. He was transferred from the Del Rio board and had been employed by the war department, signal section, Duncan Field, Tex.

Mallon Elbert Dennis was sent to Lubbock as a transferred selectee from the Sweetwater board as a volunteer for the Marines. William C. Terry left for Fort Sill reception center following a 21-day furlough after induction at Lubbock.

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**Scout Awards Reach Record Number Of 300**

Boy Scout Court of Honor activities hit an all-time peak Tuesday evening with the presentation of nearly 300 awards.

Moreover, attendance was near a record with 265 persons attending, including a delegation of 20 scouts and leaders from Stanton.

Highest award in scouting—the Eagle Badge—was presented to Donald Williams of troop No. 4 by his scoutmaster, the Rev. R. Elmer Dunham to lead a parade of 37 other rank advancements and 232 merit badges. In addition, there were more than a score of other special awards presented to swimmers, den chiefs, etc.

Second class badges were presented by Dean Bennett to John Hernandez, Severo Jara, Jimmy Aleman of troop No. 7, Roland King and Billy Joe Ayers of No. 10, J. Stuterville, James Barlow, Loal Hughes of troop No. 9, W. R. Puckett, Hollis Yates, R. C. Williams, Clold Sowell, D. Y. Yates, F. E. Dunham, James Findley and Thad Thomas of No. 4.

First class awards were presented by M. M. Miller to Cecil Cherry, Dee Childers, Donald Phillips, Preston Dunbar, Ensor Puckett of No. 4, Dennie Neill, Roy Lee Pool of No. 1, Ike Robb of No. 3, and Buddy Shaffer, Charles Seydler, Carl McDonald, George Critton and Nathan Richardson of No. 5.

John Coffee presented star awards—for five merit badges—to Cecil Drake, Johnny Swindell, Don Childers of No. 9, Jim Bill Little of No. 1 and Jimmy Ray Smith of No. 3. W. C. Blankenship, chairman of the court of honor, presented T. E. Martin, cubmaster of pack 29 and Clifford Porch of No. 4 with their life awards—for 10 merit badges.

Merit badges went to T. E. Martin of pack 29, Elra Phillips, No. 9 committee man, Donald Williams, Lynn Speer, R. C. Williams, R. E. Dunham (scoutmaster), Hollis Yates, Ensor Puckett, James Brooks, Clifford Porch, H. W. Bartlett, D. H. Yates, W. R. Puckett of No. 4; Bob Scheyer, Bobby Pritchett, Jim Bill Little, Jerry Mancill, Pete Fuglaar of No. 1, Ernesto Salgado, Lee Martinez, Gilbert Hernandez, Manuel Yanez, Cataline Salas, Joe Barraza, Edwardo Barraza, Crispin Fierro, Frank Martinez, Ramon Cruz, Johnny Hernandez, Manuel Morales, Severo Jara, Bernadine Salgado, Johnny Hernandez, Manuel Morales, Jimmy Aleman, Manuel Yates, David Mendoza of No. 7.

Doyle Dunbar, Roy Earl Bailey, Preston Dunbar, Vance Sims, Keith Bailey, Donald Phillips, Wiley Stewart, Billy Gus Tatom, James Ed Morrow, Cecil Cherry, Weddon Low, Dee Childers, Don Childers, Cecil Drake, No. 8; Bob-y Hickson, Ike Robb, Harold David Barry and W. D. Berry of No. 3; Nathan Richardson, No. 5.

Stanton scouts receiving merit badges were Buck Allison and Herbert Jones. Arthur Dyson and Gordon Mashburn were given second class badges.

Civic service awards went to Don and Dee Childers, Clifford Porch, Donald Williams, H. W. Bartlett, Earl Rusk, Harold Berry, Jimmy Ray Smith, Reed Collins, R. B. Lees. Den chief awards were earned by Leonard Dulan, Donald Williams and Clifford Porch. Civic service awards were made by Dr. C. W. Deas; swimming awards by W. D. Berry; Order of Arrow recognition to Don and Harold Berry by H. D. Norris, executive, who also presented a special award to W. L. Porterfield, No. 9 troop committee man.

**Public Records**

**Marriage Licenses**  
Joe McElroy and Alice Moore, both of Palestine.  
Edward Gatewood and Ethel Robinson, both of Big Spring.  
Russell Hubbard and Loran McCauley, both of Sweetwater.  
Charles Rogene Bishop and Mrs. Faye Ashworth, both of Big Spring.

**Warranty Deeds**  
L. C. Vann and wife to B. P. Baldrige, \$540, one-half of lot 8 in block 1 in Morningside addition to town of Big Spring.  
Walter Alexander and wife Bonnie, to L. D. Gilbert, \$50, part of section 32 in block 35, tps 1-N, T&P Ry. Co. survey in Howard county.  
Mabel Quinn to J. Fred Leeper and wife, Nannie, \$1,404, mid 50 feet of northeast quarter of block 36 in College Heights addition to Big Spring.  
First National Bank in Big Spring to Ed J. Carpenter, \$1,303.36, all of north one-half of north one-half of section 34, block 27, H&T Ry. Co. survey in Howard county.  
L. D. Gilbert and wife, Mildred, to H. E. Adkins, \$50, part of section 32 in block 35, tps 1-N, T&P Ry. Co. survey.

**Family Killed In Wreck, Man Suicides**

NEW YORK, Sept. 8. (P)—Morris Borden, 49, Brooklyn post-office clerk who last night in a Philadelphia morgue identified one of the victims of the wreck of the Pennsylvania railroad Congressional Limited as his wife and two children, was found dead today at his Brooklyn home.

After identifying bodies of his wife, Grace, 42, his daughter, Irama, 14, and his son, Stephen, 7, Borden returned to Brooklyn to arrange for funeral services.

He was found in his kitchen with five jets on the gas stove turned on. Police listed the case as a suicide.

**Italy**  
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ranged to send the text of his proclamation to Allied headquarters.

The text of Badoglio's proclamation: "The Italian government, recognizing the impossibility of continuing the unequal struggle against the overwhelming power of the enemy, with the object of avoiding further and more grievous harm to the nation, requested an armistice from Gen. Eisenhower, commander in chief of the Anglo-American Allied forces.

"This request has been granted. "The Italian forces will, therefore, cease all acts of hostility against the Anglo-American forces wherever they may be met. They will, however, oppose attacks from any other quarter."

At one time Quebec was the capital as well as chief port of Canada.

**Highway Dept. Hauls Water For Shrubs**

Continued drought won't mean the death of plants and grass at the Texas highway department warehouses here, for a unique, portable water system is taking care of that.

Passersby who noticed sprays putting water on the greenery also notice that it is being drawn from two tanks on a truck and trailer. The water comes from a well on the state highway department roadside park between here and Coahoma. Each trip to the park means 1,100 gallons for warehouse vegetation here since local highway department officials have stopped using city water, in interest of conserving supply, except for drinking purposes.

**No Pickers For Fast-Opening Cotton Crop**

Scripturally and literally speaking, the fields are white unto the harvest... but the laborers are few.

County Agent O. P. Griffin estimated Wednesday that perhaps upwards of 10,000 bales of cotton would be open in the fields in another week.

Against this abnormally early maturity for the crop was the shortest labor supply on record. Griffin's reports showed Wednesday that only 75 persons had been placed on farms the previous week and prior to that only 47 had been placed during the first 28 days of August.

The problem was brought into sharp focus by orders for 1,206 pickers, and of this number, orders were placed during the past week for 843. There was every prospect that orders would continue to flood into the office while the supply of picker labor, for the time being at least, would amount to little more than a trickle.

A few crews are beginning to migrate into the territory, said Griffin, but of these a large number are following the traditional policy of going on north for a look at the Lamesa and Lubbock areas before returning here to pick. A few are stopping.

The number of non-farm family workers who are in the fields now was pegged at only 170. Possibly 100 more are available immediately, the agent reported.

**Tax Office Open In Postoffice**

H. W. Axe and W. H. Harrison of the internal revenue department will be in room 17 of the postoffice today through Saturday to offer their services to all who need assistance in filling out their income tax estimates.

**Court Term's Docket Fixed**

The grand jury was still in session Wednesday morning hearing witnesses and evidence presented by District Attorney Martelle McDonald and County Attorney George Thomas, on some ten or twelve cases to be considered for trial during the September term of 70th district court.

Judge Cecil Collings called the docket Tuesday and set for trial during the first week the suit of Sybil Webb versus R. H. Webb, divorce, and O. J. Allred versus Cornell Allred, divorce.

Criminal cases will be heard the second week and other cases set for Monday, September 13, were Mrs. Bertha Rix versus Peter Strange and Bradshaw, suit to remove cloud from title; Raymond Thomason versus Marvin Hull, suit for property or value; David Wade versus Jane Wade, suit for divorce; M. M. Brown versus Jossie Lee Brown, suit for divorce. Set for Friday of the second week was the suit of Walter Cundiff versus Amy Mae Cundiff, divorce.

The third week, Marcell Tindol versus Liberty Lloyds, suit to set aside award, will be heard. Set for the fourth week were cases of Lattie Morgan versus Texas Employers Insurance Association, suit to set aside award; Margaret Pederson versus M. O. Pederson, divorce; Georgia Sale versus W. E. Sale, divorce, and C. D. Wickson versus Cities Service Oil Company, suit for damages.

Divorces were granted Tuesday to W. M. Myers from Frances Ione Myers, and George Allen from Lillian Allen.

**Lieut. Simpson Safe After A Time At Sea**

The cup of joy was overflowing Wednesday for Mr. and Mrs. Edward Simpson of the Gail route.

Last Friday night they had received notice from the war department that their son, Lieut. Charles E. Simpson, a fighter pilot based in North Africa, was missing in action since Aug. 17.

Tuesday they received a V-Mail letter from Charles telling them to disregard any word of his possible loss, for he was safe and hoped soon to rejoin his unit. The letter was dated Aug. 22 and in it he expressed the hope that it would beat the news of his disappearance, which had to travel through channels.

"I got into some trouble," he wrote, "and had to bail out into the sea and stayed in my little rubber boat for 48 hours before a rescue plane picked me up. I didn't have anything to eat and about a cup full of water, and I got plenty hungry and thirsty."

Outside of losing a lot of weight and getting "pretty sunburned," he was little worse for the wear. After two days in a hospital, he was dispatched to a rest camp for about a week. After that, he said, he hoped to get back with his unit, the 1st Fighter Group, 71st Fighter Squadron.

His parents believe he was forced to abandon his ship, probably a P-38, during operations of strafing Axis troops being evacuated from Sicily to the Italian mainland.

**West Third Street Repairs Completed**

Traffic was flowing over West Third street again Wednesday after a fortnight of detouring while road repairs were underway.

Highway department officials said that the 1,300-foot project involving installation of a new base to the depth of 18 inches together with a double shot asphalt topping the length of the street through the city had put it in good shape.

East Third street, however, was closed to traffic Wednesday as highway asphalt crews began giving that street a double shot to the eastern city limits. It was estimated that this would require only two or three days.

West Third involved extensive repairs where saturated base material had rolled under impact of heavy traffic and made the road unusually rough.

**Job Placements Are Below Last Year**

Private job placements are still holding firm, but naturally well under the peak of a year ago when the bombardier school was under construction, O. R. Rodden, Big Spring district manager for U. S. Employment Service, reported Wednesday.

There were 216 placements during August. This compared with about 400 for the month a year ago.

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