

CITY OF OREL IS APPROACHED BY SOVIET TROOPS

LONDON, Sunday, July 18 (AP)—The Red Army smashed six to eight miles closer to the Nazi fortress of Orel yesterday, capturing four more villages and cutting down thousands of German reserves hastily hurled into the breach in a furious effort to halt the massive Soviet drive on that city, it was announced early today in Moscow.



Russo Gains—The Russian counter-offensive in the Orel sector has brought them to within 18 miles of the Orel-Bryansk railway on the north and within 23 miles of the city on the east, a special communique said. Shaded area is approximate German-held territory.

Caucasus where Russian troops recaptured a "height of great strategic importance; northeast of Novorossiisk, the bulletin said. More than 600 Germans were killed, some prisoners were taken, and 35 mortars and machine-guns were destroyed, it added.

The new gains around Orel on the fifth day of the great Russian counter-offensive were in addition to advances of 12 to 28 miles made in the first three days and gains of six to 10 miles made yesterday. Strong German opposition was beaten down by an avalanche of Soviet machines, including sturdy American-made Sherman tanks, the bulletin said.

Campaign Cost Law Is Sought By Hatch

WASHINGTON, July 17 (AP)—Legislation under which the treasury would pay the cost of political campaigns for federal offices may be sponsored by Senator Hatch (D-NM).

Hatch, author of the act banning pernicious political activities by government officials and employees, said in an interview that he is attempting to draft such a measure. He is "not satisfied," he said, with the present limitations on contributions, adding that the only way to end abuses may lie in outlawing all private donations.

"The people pay the costs of these campaigns in one way or another, anyhow," he said, "and the financing might as well be done directly out of the treasury where regulations can be enforced and the amount of expenditures limited."

Hatch said he concurred in the view expressed by the senate committee, headed by Senator McFarland (D-Ariz.), which investigated the 1942 campaign, that "desperate state and federal laws the limitations placed on expenditures for campaign purposes have been largely ineffective."

McFarland said it was his view that, since these provisions could not be enforced, it might be better to repeal them and place entire reliance on publicity.

"If the people find out a man is spending too much money in a campaign for office, they are not likely to elect him," McFarland declared.

Hatch said an obstacle to making the treasury liable for the expenditures of federal candidates is the difficulty of separating those outlays from the costs of state office aspirants, particularly in states where all spending is channeled through one organization working for the entire ticket.

Ex-Congressman Is Taken By Death—DALLAS, July 17 (AP)—Capt. Joseph Weldon Bailey, Jr., 60, who in 1933 became congressman-at-large from Texas and served until 1935, died today in a Camp Howze hospital at Gainesville, of pneumonia which developed after an auto wreck a week ago.

Son of the late Texas senator, Capt. Bailey suffered head injuries and remained unconscious after the wreck until his death. He was stationed at Norman, Okla., with the Marine Corps.

Mrs. Bailey and son, Joseph Weldon Bailey, III, were in Gainesville at the time of Capt. Bailey's death.

Furloughs Planned—WASHINGTON, July 17 (AP)—Enlisted men will be granted a furlough before going overseas if at all possible, the war department announced today.

Catania Fight In Final Stage

AMERICANS SINK 7 JAP SHIPS

More Than 200 Planes Used To Blast Enemy

49 Jap Aircraft Downed During Lightning Attack

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN THE SOUTH-WEST PACIFIC, Sunday, July 18 (AP)—More than 200 United States torpedo bombers, heavy bombers and fighter planes—greatest force ever sent against Japan in the South and Southwest Pacific—sank seven ships, including a cruiser and two destroyers, and downed 49 Japanese planes Saturday in 20 minutes of dazzling action in the northern Solomons.

The big force struck at the Buna-Faisi harbor—northern terminal of the "Tokyo Express," those fast warships which the Japanese try to slip in at night to aid garrisons in danger of falling, such as their imperiled air base at Munda to the south of yesterday's brilliant action.

Dauntless dive bombers, Avenger torpedo bombers, Liberator and flying fortress four-engine bombers, Corsairs and Lightnings started great fires and destroyed nearly half of the warships and merchantmen in the harbor at Buna-Faisi, southern Bougainville.

In addition to the light cruiser—the communique said it was either that or a destroyer leader—and the two destroyers, a submarine chaser, a tanker and two cargo ships were blasted to the bottom of the anchorage.

The price the Americans paid for the big aerial victory was six planes.

A third cargo vessel was so badly damaged by the raiders that it had to be beached.

Below Bougainville on New Georgia, Dauntless dive bombers supporting our jungle fighters moving south toward Munda attacked enemy positions in the Bairoko area.

There was no further report of ground action around Munda, where some of our advanced patrols have penetrated within less than two miles of the air base.

In the New Guinea sector of the Pacific offensive, 36 tons of bombs were dropped by Allied planes on Salamaua and Lae, Japanese air bases on the Huon gulf.

Log Oil Stains In Cosden No. 1

Chester Jones

Oil stains were logged Saturday in the Cosden No. 1 Chester Jones, second test in the new Vincent deep Permian area, to substantiate the belief that the county's newest pool will be widened.

The test, a diagonal southeast offset to the Guthrie & Cosden No. 1 Pauline Allen, was reported at 4,005 feet in lime, presumably at the top of the pay section. There was no free oil in the hole, but operators anticipated picking it up within the next 20 to 30 feet, based on the corrected depth of the No. 1 Allen. Location of the Jones test is 660 feet from the north and west lines of section 5-25, H&C.

W. S. Guthrie & Cosden No. 2 Pauline Allen, northwest offset in C NW SE 57-20, LaVaca, was reported at 2,435 feet where the eight-inch string was being run. It will be carried to the lime, which is expected within approximately 20 feet.



Reinforcements—The Stars and Stripes planted firmly on the shores of Sicily, U.S. troops pour ashore from landing craft to speed inland and join in the drive forcing axis troops into retreat. (AP photo from Signal Corps Radiophoto).

Ickes Plans Equalization Of Gas Rationing In U.S.

WASHINGTON, June 17 (AP)—Petroleum Administrator Harold L. Ickes announced tonight that he expects to equalize gasoline rationing in the area between the east coast and the Rocky mountains within the next 30 to 60 days.

Ickes said that completion on Monday of the "Big Inch" pipeline from Texas to the east coast will release a large number of railroad tank cars which can be used to divert gasoline from the mid-west and southwest to the eastern seaboard, and thus make possible the equalization. No change was indicated for the west coast.

The discrepancy which Ickes said may soon be remedied now gives an eastern "A" book holder less than 1-1/2 gallons per week, none of which can be used for pleasure driving, while a similar driver in the midwest or southwest has 4 gallons a week to use as he pleases.

"How much gasoline the average motorist will get when this equalization is possible," Ickes added, "cannot be predicted now, but in all probability it will mean some increase in the east and a decrease in the middle west and southwest."

The standardized "A" coupon was expected, as a result, to be between 2 and 3 gallons.

The equalization plan, a spokesman for the Petroleum Administration for War said, will apply to PAW districts 1, 2 & 3, embracing all states east of Montana, Wyoming, Colorado and Arizona.

No statement was available from the Office of Price Administration, which actually handles the mechanics of rationing, based on recommendations from Ickes' office, but the Ickes announcement was cleared with OPA before its release to the press, and the announcement coincided with views expressed by OPA Chief Prentiss M. Brown earlier in the week.

Ickes said the announcement also was made "with the knowledge and full support of the oil industry."

He added, "with the completion Monday of our 'Big Inch' pipeline from Texas to New York and Philadelphia, railway tankcars can soon be released for assignment to other areas. This offers the transportation flexibility for which we have been working for many months."

"We are recommending that much of this transportation, so made available, be assigned by the Office of Defense Transportation to the moving of additional oil out of the middle west, thus continuing to take advantage of the shorter haul for that region, as compared with the haul from the southwest."

"What the effect of the uniform restrictions upon civilian gasoline consumption will be can then be determined in the light of the full facts as to inventories on hand and new supply currently available. Only on such a basis can policy be determined. It would be faithless to our armed forces to do otherwise, merely as a bow to pressure."

In a supplementary statement, Ickes' deputy, Ralph E. Davies, explained that formerly the transportation facilities were so limited that no matter how tightly the west was rationed, it would have done the east no good, since there was no means of bringing the petroleum to the east coast. Completion of the new 24-inch pipeline, however, will increase the methods of delivering oil to the east by an eventual 300,000 barrels per day.

Another factor in the improving gasoline situation in the east is the construction of another pipeline, 20 inches in diameter, which is expected to be completed during the winter. The Big Inch carries crude oil to supply eastern refineries, but the second line will carry gasoline and other refined products.

A major complaint in the east has been the ban on pleasure driving. Brown, who said he had already opposed such a ban, breached the regulation recently by authorizing easterners to make one round trip vacation journey during the summer.

Residents Asked Not To Water Their Lawns

Big Spring water consumers Saturday were asked by the city to refrain from irrigating their lawns pending replenishment of the lake reserves.

This was the first of a series of steps that might be required to circumvent a threatened summer water shortage arising from failure to receive hard showers on either of the lake sheds in the southeastern part of the county.

E. J. McDaniel, city manager, who made the announcement, said that it was hoped this step would reduce consumption to the point that her restrictions might not have to be imposed.

"We are asking consumers not to water lawns until the situation is eased," he said. "They may go ahead with watering of shrubs, but we suggest that they be as sparing in this as possible."

"I hope that it will not be necessary to ask that irrigation of Victory Gardens be suspended. With cooperation from the public, pumping from Powell Creek lake, which now is down to nine feet in depth, may be held to around half a million gallons daily and thus prolong the supply until another downpour is trapped in the basin.

There is no danger of a lack of absolutely essential water, he said, for the wells alone are capable of supplying home and industrial needs.

The army has been requested to join with the public in observing the no lawn irrigation rule, said the manager.

Road Junction In Southern Sicily Is Captured By Yanks

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA, July 17 (AP)—The British Eighth army fought a stubborn German foe on the edge of flaming, shell-pitted Catania today, and the battle for that port prize half-way up the eastern Sicilian coast had entered the final stage.

On the southern Sicilian coast American troops occupied Agrigento, a key road junction and axis troop concentration center. Agrigento represents a 12-mile gain from the last known American position, and is 25 miles northwest of the original beachhead at Licata. The town is three miles inland from Porto Empedocle.

Still another Italian general, erstwhile commander of a coastal division was captured. His name was not announced immediately.

Capturing Lentini, 15 miles below Catania, and Scordia, nine miles inland, Gen. Sir Bernard L. Montgomery's troops broke the back of one German armored division and parts of another in one of the most decisive engagements yet fought in Sicily. Enemy remnants then retreated toward Catania in a last effort to prevent capture of that city, whose fall would give the allies control of a great part of Sicily.

Southwest of the tank-strwn Catania Plain Canadian troops captured Caltagirone, and farther west the Americans had penetrated 30 miles inland in the allied invasion only a week old.

While the Eighth Army rolled up the Axis coastal flank the Canadians pushed on through Caltagirone to hit the enemy at the other side. Caltagirone's fall denied to the Axis a vital east-west road needed for the mobilization of German-Italian strength around Catania.

American and Canadian troops to Montgomery's left struck deep into the heart of the enemy's defenses in central Sicily, pulling their line up abreast of the Eighth Army's.

The Canadians occupied Caltagirone, 25 miles due west of Lentini, without any fighting at all, and captured Grammichele, six miles east, after a minor fracas.

The American Seventh Army of Lieut. Gen. George S. Patton, Jr., was reported to have struck far north and west of Caltagirone, reaching a distance of about 30 miles from the sea, and probably was emerging from the screen of hills fringing its beachheads.

(The Italian High Command. In its communique broadcast from Rome, indicated the Americans were putting on a powerful drive to broaden their base on the south coast by announcing that hard fighting was in progress in the Agrigento area. (Agrigento is about 12 miles west of Naro, which the Americans have captured.)

Strong Allied naval forces were paving the way for Montgomery by throwing shells into Axis defenses at will.

Again Allied motor gunboats ventured into the two-mile wide Messina Strait in their war to cut the island's communications with the mainland and routed a formation of Italian motor torpedo boats, sinking one and damaging two others.

The Catanian plain into which Montgomery emerged was still favorable to axis defense, crisscrossed as it is by many waterways, including three large rivers which run at right angles to the line of his advance.

The Canadians, by their swift advance to Caltagirone and Grammichele, had made the deepest penetration of any of the Allied forces.

They had sliced into the heart of axis defenses in central Sicily, and now controlled a strategic east-west highway and river valley which facilitates communications between the Allied left and right wings.

Possession of these towns forced the axis to fall back for 20 miles to find a new line of lateral communications.

It appeared obvious to Allied military observers that the force of 60,000 Germans reported in Sicily was not equal to the job cut out for it.

In addition to these troops, which included the two armored divisions and line of communication troops forced into combat duties, it was estimated that Gen. Alfredo Gussoni, the Italian commander, had no more than 250,000 Italians at his disposal when the invasion started.

Of these seven Italian divisions it seemed likely that at least three already had been put out of action.

Allied Planes Batter Sicily

IN ALLIED FORCE COMMAND POST IN NORTH AFRICA, July 17 (AP)—Since the zero hour last week when they swept across the uncharted heavens to spearhead the invasion, Allied planes have been over embattled Sicily every single minute of the day and night.

In that time they have won complete mastery of the Sicilian skies—air supremacy as great or greater than that held by the nazis when they operated over Poland, Greece and Crete.

The combined America, British, Canadian and South African air forces have shot down 153 enemy planes in aerial combat and destroyed hundreds of others on the ground. Their own losses totaled 69. A general officer affirmed today that the enemy airforce in the Mediterranean now was "hopelessly outnumbered."

During the first week our airmen had three objectives: To hunt out and destroy the enemy's force, to provide cover and support for Allied land forces, and to hit the enemy's reinforcements in bunches before they could reach the front. Their present ability to range over the island at will is a yardstick of their success.

Woman Arrested On Charge Of Kidnapping

NEW YORK, July 17 (AP)—A 36-year-old woman, who, the FBI said, admitted abducting a three-year-old boy in the hope that her divorced husband would believe the child was his own, was arrested today on a charge of kidnapping.

The diminutive, pin-fare-cia defendant, Mary Penore, told U.S. Commissioner Garrett W. Coster at her arraignment that she did not realize the seriousness of the offense when she picked up Jimmy Di Maggio in a park here and took him to a Nausheen, Tenn., army camp to see her divorced husband.

Coster held her in \$5,000 bail for further hearing July 29.

Given Task Of Improving City Disposal Plant

Clarence Cooper, city engineer, has been assigned to the task of effecting temporary improvements to improve the efficiency of the city disposal plant. B. J. McDaniel, city manager, said Saturday.

The work will be for expedience since an extensive plan of expansion is expected to be put into effect within the next two months. The engineer soon will be put to preparing plans for more city drainage, and will take over the planning of a centrally located park on the city-owned Birdwell property.

REVIEWING THE BIG SPRING WEEK

BY JOE PICKLE

Last week we ventured the department of internal revenue was bluffing in promising to crack down on those without automobile use tax stamps. Well, an agent of the department made a pretty good start...

but our face is only pink compared to the red of those who had to pay fines as well as buy stamps. The job's not over yet, for there are probably 750 to 1,000 more vehicles in the county which ought to have the stamps.

Considerable moaning may arise before the city gets through with its avowed program of patching its milk ordinance fences. In the end, it probably will get down to this... only legal milk dealers will be those who meet grade A standards. Replacement of the present ordinance, modeled after the 1936 state code, with the 1939 sample put out by the state is due to be a part of the program.

Word that the city is asking irrigation of lawns to stop puts this all important water on the partial ration list. There is no compulsion, only the appeal to individuals to consider themselves no better than anyone else. It may be, as the city has said, that other irrigation will have to be abandoned until lakes catch more water—but there is not now nor any prospect of the slightest danger that there would not be sufficient water for drinking, bathing, etc. and commercial needs. The wells, under our dual system, take care of that.

Chamber directors last week voted to push for a Big Spring-Snyder highway and cooperate with our commissioners court in getting it. This is, to our notion, our No. 1 highway need. When it is assured or finished, then we

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# Men Of Merchant Marine Honored In Action Film With Humphrey Bogart

The heroic men of the United States Merchant Marine furnish the theme of "Action in the North Atlantic," the new Warner Bros. film which headlines the Ritz theatre's program for today and Monday.

Humphrey Bogart, Raymond Massey and Alan Hale head a cast that features Julie Bishop, talented blonde actress, and Dane Clark, a new discovery from the Broadway stage. Others in the cast are Ruth Gordon, J. M. Kerrigan, Sam Levens, Chic Chandler, Dick Hogan, Peter Whitney, Minor Watson, Kane Richmond, Art Foster and Michael Ames.

The picture tells the story of a group of men who ship out on a tanker laden with a cargo of high-octane gasoline. Flowing its way through the foggy waters of the North Atlantic, the tanker is torpedoed by a lurking submarine. The men jump into a lifeboat as the tanker breaks into flames and buckles amidships.

As the sub comes to the surface it rams and sinks the men's lifeboat. Captain Jarvis (Raymond Massey), First Mate Rossi (Humphrey Bogart) and others leap from their life boat and swim to a raft, where they float about for eleven days before they are rescued by a United States destroyer.

Safe in New York, the men gather at the Maritime Union hall, eager to sign up again. This time they sail on a new Liberty ship, the "Sea Witch," bound with a convoy for Murmansk. Running into heavy fog, the ships are scattered and attacked by subs. The "Sea Witch" gets away, but not for long. Soon she is attacked by Nazi planes and hit on the forward deck. Some members of the crew are killed and Captain Jarvis seriously wounded. The attacking enemy planes are shot down by the ship's gun crew.

But the troubles of the "Sea Witch" are not yet over. It is only after a hazardous encounter with a sub that she is skillfully brought into Murmansk by Chief Mate Rossi, pinch-hitting for the wounded Captain Jarvis.

"Action in the North Atlantic" was directed by Lloyd Bacon, who served in the Navy during World War I and is now a lieutenant-commander in the United States Naval Reserve.

## Wm. Powell, Hedy Lamarr Co-Starred

Suspense takes a front seat in M-G-M's "Crossroads," the thrilling drama now playing at the State Theatre. Thoroughly believable and entirely engrossing, the film unfolds a story of romance and intrigue in Paris just prior to the present war. It stars William Powell and Hedy Lamarr, with Claire Trevor, Basil Rathbone and Margaret Wycherly heading a sterling supporting cast.

Powell plays a French diplomat married to the glamorous Miss Lamarr. Their happiness is threatened when Rathbone and Miss Trevor engineer a blackmail plot against Powell. They charge him with masquerading under a false identity and claim he is really a murderer and thief. The chain of evidence proving Powell to be the ex-criminal is built up in masterly fashion under the skillful direction of Jack Conway.

The situation is loaded with suspense as Powell endeavors to prove his true identity and expose the blackmail plot. With the ghost of his forgotten past looming ominously, Powell probes for the solution.

The picture is a tightly-written, plausible drama. Its characters, in addition to those portrayed by the stars and Miss Trevor, Rathbone and Miss Wycherly, are finely drawn and expertly played by such outstanding actors as Felix Bressart, Vladimir Sokoloff, Sig Ruman, H. B. Warner, Guy Bates Post, Reginald Owen, Frank Conroy, Philip Merivale, Frits Leibler, James Rennie and Mitchell Lewis. The film, produced by Edwin Knopf for Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, is brightened with enchantingly beautiful sets as a background for the luxurious life of modern Parisian society. Miss Lamarr and Miss Trevor appear in many stunning gowns, created by Kalloch, noted M-G-M fashion designer.

**EXPRESSION'S ORIGIN**  
AUSTIN, July 16 (AP)—The expression "he's doing a black office business" originated in Texas, it was claimed here today. State Land Commissioner Bascom Giles said the expression grew out of the state's administration of millions of acres of school lands.



**Torpedoed**—A film story in tribute to the merchant seamen who handle the convoys for Uncle Sam, "Action in the North Atlantic" is hailed as one of the outstanding thrill-dramas of war action. The picture, with Humphrey Bogart, Raymond Massey and Alan Hale, featured, is at the Ritz theatre today and Monday.



**Wild West**—A tense moment in "Buckskin Frontier," a stirring tale of the building of America, which stars Richard Dix, Jane Wyatt and Lola Lane. This adventure drama is the Lyric theatre's offering for today and Monday.



**Suspense**—That's the key in which a drama of intrigue and false identity, "Crossroads," is played. The picture, with William Powell and Hedy Lamarr as the stars, is the feature at the State theatre for today and Monday.

# 'Frisco' A Gay Settlers Add Romance, With Music, Color

When it comes to making musical pictures, there is one studio in Hollywood that tops them all. Now the word is that 20th Century-Fox, makers of "Alexander's Ragtime Band," "My Gal Sal" and "Springtime in the Rockies," have done it again with "Hello, Frisco, Hello." The film, which is the principal attraction for today and Monday at the Queen theatre, rates right alongside—perhaps even ahead of—those other famed musicals.

It's little wonder the studio is prominent in this field, when one sees what they have to work with. "Hello, Frisco, Hello" is produced in sumptuous Technicolor and boasts a dazzling cast of headlines, an entertaining story, an abundance of music—both new and familiar—all neatly packaged with some of the finest production numbers ever conceived.

The stars? "Hello, Frisco, Hello" means Alice Faye's first film appearance in over a year—which is welcome news indeed. With her is handsome John Payne in a tailor-made role, and round Jack Oakie plays for laughs. Completing the list of stars is luscious Lynn Bari who doesn't slag or dance—and brother, she doesn't have to!

The story, simply told, is set on San Francisco's Barbary Coast. Four entertainers are trying to get on in the show world. The dynamo of the outfit is Payne, but the real drawing card is part Alice Faye whose dulcet voice and "purty figger" packs 'em in. With Jack Oakie and June Havoc, there's a real background for the appealing musical production numbers.

The songs are perhaps the most varied of any recent musical. For instance there are such old favorites as "Gee, But It's Great to Meet A Friend From Your Home Town," "Lindy Lou" and "Ragtime Cowboy Joe" coupled with the tune, "Hello, Frisco," makes the new number by Mack Gordon and Harry Warren, "You'll Never Know." This tune, which Alice Faye delivers as only she can, seems destined to top popularity the country over.

Featured in the musical are Laird Cregar, June Havoc, Ward Bond and George Barbier.

# Settlers Add Realism To Western Film

There are twenty or thirty movie actors in Southern California who have appeared on the screen a number of times, but who have never been to Hollywood. Their latest appearance is in "Buckskin Frontier," the dramatic film story of the great railroad builders starring Richard Dix, which is the Lyric theatre's feature for today and Monday.

Living on the outskirts of Kernville and Lone Pine, California, where Producer Harry Sherman goes to film all of his adventure stories, these actors are really be-whiskered, ruddy, healthy cattle men and miners who look forward eagerly to Sherman's arrival several times a year.

Some of them, like Bodfish "Slim" and the Brady brothers, play miners or prospectors before the cameras. Bodfish "Slim" lives in Bodfish, just eight miles outside of Kernville, which is a small settlement about 220 miles from Hollywood. "It's a long ride into Los Angeles," Bodfish says when he's asked why he never visited the place, "and I don't think my horse could make it."

The outstanding fact about Bodfish, which no one can forget, is that he dropped his last name when he was still a boy helping his father prospect in that area. He lives alone, with the main event in his life being the periodic wire from Harry Sherman asking the miners to meet him in town (Kernville) for a part in a picture.

The Brady brothers are called Pat and Bernard. They call themselves mining engineers, but haven't really mined for the past ten years. They are cattle raisers who could probably have been famous by this time if they had taken the Producer Sherman up on his offer to sign them to a contract—in Hollywood. When Pat plays the role of a deputy sheriff, Bernard is the outlaw. They work it vice-versa but prefer their "bad men" delineations.

## No Instructions, Says FSA Office

MEXICO CITY, July 17 (AP)—The United States FSA office here reported it had received no instructions for sending of Mexican farm workers to Texas.

It was learned from other sources yesterday that since further negotiations are pending here before the worker migration to Texas can start, a delay beyond start of the cotton picking season may result.

Need for 5,000 Mexican laborers in the Texas coastal area was certified in Washington Wednesday by the War Manpower Commission. To date, 31,956 farm workers have gone to the United States under a U. S.-Mexico agreement, but none have been sent to Texas.

The ore tonnage removed daily from the open pit copper mine of the Utah Copper Co. during normal operations exceeds the dirt removed from the Panama Canal during any one day at the height of its construction.

The crocodile is native to all the Greater Antilles except Puerto Rico.



**Songbird**—The star who does the top job of putting over new songs—or old ballads—is comely Alice Faye, who puts her voice to fine use in "Hello Frisco Hello," a musical romance of the colorful days of the West Coast which is offered at the Queen theatre today and Monday. John Payne, Jack Oakie and June Havoc are other principals, and the film is produced in Technicolor.

**Plans Are Made For Holding Rodeo**  
COLORADO CITY, July 17.—After having skipped the 1942 season, Colorado City will again stage a rodeo this year. Dates for the 1943 show were set for Thursday and Friday, August 12-13, by the directors of the Colorado City Frontier Rodeo association, who met here Wednesday night and decided to hold the rodeo. Definite plans and committees will be announced after a second meeting next week. Sam Wulffjen is president of the association; Ross Daniels, vice-president; J. V. Richardson, secretary. Other directors are Roy Warren, Hank Bryant, Joe E. Mills and Charles C. Thompson.

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## Continued Gains In P.O. Receipts

Postal receipts continue to show marked gains, Postmaster Nat Ehlik reported Friday.

For the first half of July, the increase amounted to more than 32 per cent over last year. Total for the 15-day period, he said, was \$5,853.25 as compared with \$4,415.83 for the same time a year ago, yielding a net gain of \$1,437.42.

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## -RADIO PROGRAM-

- 8:00 Sunday Morning Medolles.
- 8:30 Church of Christ.
- 9:00 Detroit Bible Class.
- 9:30 Southland Echoes.
- 9:45 Jimmie Dorsey's Orchestra.
- 10:00 Wesley Radio League.
- 10:15 News Bulletin.
- 10:30 Mutual's Radio Chapel.
- 11:00 Assembly of God.
- 12:00 Waltz Time.
- 12:10 Listen Ladies.
- 12:15 News.
- 12:30 Assembly of God.
- 1:00 The Pilgrim Hour.
- 2:00 This is Fort Dix.
- 2:30 Dreamin' in Dixie.
- 2:45 Ablene Christian College.
- 3:00 The Lutheran Hour.
- 3:30 Young Peoples Church of the Air.
- 4:00 "Answering You."
- 4:30 Adventures of Bulldog Drummond.
- 5:00 Murder Clinic.
- 5:30 Claude Miller.
- 5:45 Duke Ellington's Orchestra.
- 6:00 Voice of Prophecy.
- 6:30 Trinity Baptist Church.
- 7:00 Sunday evening concert.
- 7:30 Freddy Martin's Orchestra.
- 7:45 Gabriel Heatter.
- 8:00 First Baptist Church.
- 8:00 Old Fashioned Revival Hr.
- 10:00 Sign Off.
- Monday Morning
- 7:00 Musical Clock.
- 7:30 News.
- 7:45 Rhythm Ramble.
- 8:00 Morning Devotional.
- 8:15 Vocal Varieties.
- 8:50 Bandwagon.
- 9:00 Ian Ross MacFarlane.
- 9:15 The Choir Loft.
- 9:30 Shady Valley Folks.
- 10:00 Stanley Dixon.
- 10:15 Karl Zomar's Scrapbook.
- 10:30 Merry-Go-Round.
- 10:50 Musical Moments.
- 11:00 News.
- 11:05 Dr. W. S. Palmer.
- 11:10 KBST Previews.
- 11:15 Bill Hay Reads the Bible.
- 11:30 Absaruk in Review.
- 12:00 10-2-4 Ranch.
- 12:15 What's the Name of That Band.
- 12:30 News of the Air.
- 12:45 Luncheon Dance Varieties.
- 1:00 Cedric Foster.
- 1:15 Farm & Ranch Hour.
- 1:30 Today's Devotional.
- 1:45 Century Room Orch.

## THE WEEKS PLAYBILL

**RITZ**  
Sun.-Mon.—"Action In The North Atlantic," with Humphrey Bogart, Raymond Massey and Alan Hale.  
Tues.-Wed.—"Stranger In Town," with Frank Morgan, Jean Rogers and Richard Carlson.  
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Sun.-Mon.—"Hello Frisco Hello," Alice Faye, John Payne and Jack Oakie.  
Tues.-Wed.—"Whistling In Dixie," with Red Skelton and Ann Rutherford.  
Thurs.—"Young And Willing," with William Holden and Susan Hayward.  
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Thurs.—"Whispering Ghosts," with Milton Berle and Brenda Joyce.  
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# Tide Of United Nations Attack Mounts

## Motorists Are Reminded To Endorse Gas Coupons

Motorists and all other gasoline users were reminded today by E. F. Robbins, chairman of the local War Price and Rationing Board, that all the coupons in their gasoline ration books must be endorsed immediately.

Coupons in new books to be used after July 22, should be endorsed as soon as they are received from the War Price and Rationing Board, Robbins said. In addition, users should write endorsements immediately on any coupons now in their possession or received before July 22.

In the past it has not been necessary to write notations on coupons until they were actually used to buy gas.

Immediate endorsements are required under a new OPA amendment, both as a convenience to the public and as a help to OPA investigators in checking misuse of ration coupons falling into the hands of persons not entitled to them by the Board Chairman pointed out.

"The new requirements also means greater protection to the motorist whose book is lost or stolen since the finder or thief will not be able to pass off the coupons as his own by writing in his own license number," the chairman added. "By cooperating in making these endorsements promptly the rightful holder of a gasoline ration will be rendering invaluable assistance to OPA in its job of detecting and preventing a black market in gasoline and gasoline coupons."

## Could Victoria Reign 63 Years with Stomach Ulcer Pains?

England's beloved Queen could hardly have reigned so wisely for 63 years and remained so hale and hearty had she suffered stomach ulcer pains. Don't ignore your sufferings. Try Uda for relief of ulcer and stomach pains, indigestion, gas pains, for heartburn, burning sensation, bloating and other conditions caused by excess acid. Get a 25c box of Uda's Tablets from your druggist. First dose must convince or return box to us and get DOUBLE YOUR MONEY BACK. At Collins Bros. Drugs and drug stores everywhere.—adv.

## SOVIETS DRIVE BACK NAZI ARMIES; ITALY IS STERNLY WARNED

By KIRKE L. SIMPSON  
Associated Press Writer

Events of earth-shaking significance trod on each other's heels as another critical week of the global war ended.

From the jungles of New Guinea to the orange groves of Sicily, from the rich plains of central Russia to the far islands of the North and South Pacific the tide of United Nations attack upon the axis march of conquest is mounting in fury and power. On the ground and over it, on all the seven seas, the pattern of victory is being wrought in a manner to buoy the belief of free men everywhere that the end is certain and perhaps nearer than any have dared believe.

That was embodied in the stern joint warning by President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill to the war-sick people of Italy to surrender now, before they feel the full force of concerted thrusts which their ill-omened fellowship with Hitlerized Germany has invited. And it was strikingly implicit in the president's abrupt rebuke of two high ranking war aides for wrangling in public over policy.

The matters in public debate between them, Mr. Roosevelt told Vice President Wallace and Commerce Secretary Jones, "are now academic so far as winning the war is presently concerned."

Against the background of what has happened and still is happening to the axis on every active war front, that was a striking pronouncement. A survey of the week's events on battle fronts half the world apart tends to bear out that interpretation of the president's words.

Presidential impatience with ill-timed and acrimonious disputes among his home front lieutenants speaks of knowledge they may not possess of impending events designed to smash the foe and shorten the war.

The revealed elements of that pattern of victory as the war news set them out this week are dramatic enough. First among them in significance and glowing possibilities stands the Russian counter attack on a stalled Nazi foe, carving savagely at the Orel salient that is the keystone of the German war arch in Russia.

That transcends even the continuing swift forward rush of American, Canadian and British forces in Sicily to set all Italy tottering. It means that the massive Nazi offensive, whatever its purpose or objective, had failed even to delay Red preparations for attack.

It was halted without detriment to the offensive deployment of Russian armies ringing the Orel salient for concerted thrusts at the communication lifeline of the whole center and south sectors of the Nazi front in Russia, the Vitebsk-Smolensk-Bryansk-Orel rail network. The Orel outwork and the Bryansk main bastion of that vital feeder system are in peril. If they fall to Russian arms, a Nazi retreat in Russia behind the Dnieper river line from Vitebsk to the Black Sea, a withdrawal on a front a thousand miles or so in length, would seem inevitable. It could mean ultimate disaster in Russia for Hitler.

With the launching of that Russian offensive grave apprehension in highest Anglo-American military circles was eased. The Russian blow definitely ended uneasy doubts whether Russia intended to sustain the Allied demands for unconditional surrender of the common foe.

The effect is the same as if the Russian thrust has been mapped also at strategic council tables in Casablanca or in Washington. It tips the axis in a continent-wide, three-pronged pincer attack, makes multi-edged war a reality for Hitler.

Nor can he look to Japan for aid. MacArthur's men are surging forward to stamp out the last Nipponese footholds on New Guinea, and American ships and planes are taking an ever-increasing and disproportionate toll of enemy surface and air craft in the Solomons theater. Sooner or later the Nipponese enemy must send his main fleet into action, with all its risks, or fall back and leave a fatal dent in the southeast perimeter of his conquest zone.

And any time now another Japanese island foothold in the Aleutians, Kiska, may go the way of Attu.

The steady and now undented waning of the Nazi U-boat menace in Atlantic sealanes is another and dominant factor in the brightening war scene. All in all, there is some justification for those who hope that less than another twelve-month will see the end of Hitler in Europe and a beginning made on massed and over-powering Anglo-American attack upon Japan.

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## City Attorneys Fund Drive Is Launched By M'Murry

WASHINGTON, July 17. — A group of city attorneys from all over the nation has evolved a plan for a whole-sale cleanup of city slums and "blighted areas" after the war.

The group, comprising the National Institute of Municipal Law Officers, urged a large-scale cleanup through the co-operation of city governments and private capital. Under their plan, State governments would authorize cities to condemn property if necessary to make wide slum clearance projects possible, and the cities would then grant some degree of tax concession to attract private capital to do the actual building.

According to the city attorneys, the obsolescence of old buildings—which they call "America's \$40,000,000,000 headache" because of the great loss of property value involved—is gradually choking off a large part of the cities' taxable property. The attorneys point out that the old portions of a city usually are close to the center of town, and as the city expands the old sections are allowed to fall into disrepair and obsolescence. They thus detract from the value of the main portion of the city.

For instance, in Milwaukee, the attorneys assessed land values in the downtown shopping district have gone down 51 per cent in the last 10 years due to deterioration of surrounding property.

Rep. Melvin J. Maas, R. Minn., has introduced a bill to authorize the government to pay 50 per cent of the cost of plans to be worked out by states, counties and cities for postwar reconstruction.

While not applying directly to slum clearance, the Maas bill recognizes the need of promoting early consideration of general work projects "so they will be available for immediate use when hostilities cease." Maas emphasized that his bill would provide cash assistance in planning, but not in the actual construction of projects.

ABILENE, July 18. — Dr. Harold G. Cooke, president of McMurry College, announced today the launching of a campaign to raise \$1,750,000.00 as a building and endowment fund, approximately \$750,000.00 to be used in the construction of four new buildings on the campus, following the war, and \$1,000,000.00 to be set aside as a permanent endowment fund for the college.

A great student life center building of Gothic architecture is being planned, to become the dominant building on the campus, providing an adequate college chapel, symbolizing the religious life of the institution; a social center, to care for the social life and activities of the campus; and an adequate and modernly equipped library; thus symbolizing and providing for the expression of the religious, social and intellectual life of the college.

The other buildings planned are a fine arts building, a boy's dormitory, and the completion of President Hall, the uncompleted dormitory for girls on the campus. These buildings are to follow the general architecture of those already on the campus.

During the life of the college, the fine arts division has been housed in the administration building and the need of a separate building has often been expressed. The need for more dormitory room has likewise become acute.

McMurry College was founded in Abilene twenty years ago, after the city had made an attractive offer to the Methodist Church for the erection of a college here.



Dr. Harold G. Cooke

Bull-dogging Youth Saves Man's Life  
STERLING CITY, July 17 (AP)—Because Arthur Phillips, 15, of Orono, is a bulldogger at heart, and a good one, Neal J. Reed of Sterling City is alive, even though bruised and cut.

Tangled in a rope and dragged by a horse nearly 240 yards over cedar, rocks and raw land, Reed was saved when Phillips leaped from the back of another horse onto the neck of the fleeing, frightened animal. He bulldogged the horse into a clump of cedar, stopping him.

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## The East Is Only U. S. Section Not Producing Enough Oil For Needs

WASHINGTON, July 17, (AP)—If the rest of the country thinks the east is the teacher's pet when gasoline and oil are being distributed, here's the reason:

The east—in gas and oil—is a poor relation to the other sections of the United States.

It is the only section of the country which does not produce enough oil for its own needs.

But—the southeast is the only section producing more than it needs.

The nation is divided into five oil districts. The east, district no. 1, extends from Maine to Florida and includes West Virginia and Pennsylvania.

Long before the war the oil industry recognized in dollars and cents the economic separation of those districts. For example:

Before the war oil for the east coast was moved by ocean-going tankers from the gulf coast ports. Peacetime cost of moving the oil by ship was between 1-2 and 1 cent a gallon. By tanker it was about 5 cents.

Since war started and U-boats blasted tankers at random, an adjustment in cost has been made by the government to allow oil companies to move their product—which formerly went by tanker—over-land by tanker without losing their shirts.

This was the way the oil companies had made their calculations on district no. 1.

Oil moved into that district could be distributed inland from the ports by tanker at a profit until the movement reached a point—say the middle-west which

produces oil and is in district no. 2—beyond which further transportation would be uneconomical.

Here are the oil producing states and the districts in which they lie:

No. 1—New York, Pennsylvania, West Virginia; No. 2—Illinois, Indiana, Kansas, Kentucky, Michigan, Nebraska, Ohio, Oklahoma; No. 3—Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, New Mexico, Texas; No. 4—Colorado, Montana, Wyoming; No. 5—California.

District No. 3 produces more oil than all the other districts put together and is the only one, according to PAW, which produces more than it needs.

So district No. 3 particularly is called upon to make up for the lack in district No. 1.

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Simple Matter Of Changing Name

FORT WORTH, July 17 (AP)—An Army sergeant walked into the marriage license bureau here today bearing a license with a date two weeks old, and told Mrs. Sarah Koonz, deputy county clerk:

"I want to get this license fixed."

"What's wrong with it?" Mrs. Koonz asked.

"I want a different girl on it. The last one's mother had too much to say about it."

The bureau issued him a new license.

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### Large Number Of Farmers Turn In Measurements

Nearly 70 per cent of the farmers in Howard county have completed their pre-measurement of crops and turned reports into the A.A. office, M. Weaver, administrative officer, said Saturday. And in the ones which the office has spot-checked, there have been few errors in measuring.

Immediately after the suspension of the marketing quotas by the government, some farmers were under the impression that measurements were not needed. However, Weaver pointed out, the majority now know that the government change only did away with the tax for over-planting while the measurements are still needed in order for farmers to get AAA allotments for compliance.

Weaver is anxious that the remaining 30 per cent should get measurements in this month, since the present office force will be reduced after July and may not be able to handle the work as well.

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## Dive Bomber Pilot Tells Of Yankees' New Georgia Drive

GUADALCANAL, July 12 (Delayed) (AP)—Slim, curly-headed, 22-year-old George Rounds, Jr., came out of the hip-deep mud of northern New Georgia today with the first eyewitness account of the Americans' hazardous and difficult but successful fighting trek from Rice Anchorage to Dragon's peninsula.

Rounds was with a combined force of marine raiders and army troops from Guadalcanal assigned to do this job—a flanking movement from the northwest against the Japanese of Munda Point.

The force struggled five days through the root-tangled, rain-mired jungle, wiped out two enemy outposts, exterminated harassing snipers and climaxed the march with the capture of four 140 millimeter Japanese naval guns mounted on the western point of Enogal inlet.

"I never had so much fun in my life," said Rounds, the son of a General Motors personnel executive of Birmingham, Mich. "It was seven days of goo and hell, but we wiped out 350 to 400 Japs. I tell you those marine boys are rugged. I don't think there is any kind of country that can stop them."

Rounds is a pilot of a Dauntless divebomber.

A month ago he asked for assignment with the troops detailed to land at Rice Anchorage on Kula Gulf, in the Central Solomon Islands invasion which began to develop two weeks later.

The marines and veteran army troops made a wonderfully successful landing in Higgins boats at Rice Anchorage the morning of July 5.

It was pouring rain, Rounds related. "We got ashore about 3 a. m. We just sat down on our ponchos and let it rain."

"At dawn we started marching through mud up to our hips. By night we had made six miles to the GisoGiso river. It poured

## New Allied Army Branch In Sicily Now

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA, July 17 (AP)—The invasion of Sicily was barely hours old before AMGOT—a brand new branch of the Allied army—had waded ashore and unimpaired for action.

AMGOT was so new that not even the troops had heard of it. It means "Allied Military Government of Occupied Territory" and it is composed of British and American officers who have received special training in government.

Its function is to administer occupied territories to relieve the actual fighting forces of the job of securing the areas in their rear and at the same time to alleviate hardships of the native population. AMGOT's job is to restore order and organization as rapidly as possible after the wave of battle passes.

The landing of military government officers on Sicily was disclosed only today. Gen. Sir Harold Alexander is the military governor of Sicily, and AMGOT officers will carry out his proclamations.

AMGOT itself is headed by Maj. Gen. Lord Rennell of Rodd as chief civil affairs officer. Brig. Gen. Frank J. McSherry of the United States is deputy chief.

Former Gov. Charles Poletti of New York is in Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower's civil government division, but it is not known whether he now is in Sicily. A British correspondent reported a former New York governor was in the invasion fleet but did not give his name.

An official announcement said AMGOT had "no political implications of any kind," that it would be benevolent to civilians but would destroy the "influence of fascism," abolish the fascist party, and make "no negotiations with exiles or refugees."

## Renewal Job Now About Half Done

About 40 per cent of "A" book applications were estimated still to be unrecieved at the local ration office, clerks said Saturday, with a reminder that July 21 is the deadline for renewal.

The local office has processed and mailed back 1,790 renewals and the Big Spring Bombardier school ration office reported it had handled 487 renewals to bring the total to 2,277, completed.

During the first registration the local office issued 4,900 books to drivers. This would mean that unless there has been an increase in the number of drivers here, the job of renewing is nearly half done.

New volunteer workers Saturday handling application renewals were Mrs. John Freeman, Mrs. R. E. Donevan and Mrs. Elton Taylor.

## Butter Types Are Defined

Because of confusion over terms used for butter, the local ration office issued a statement Saturday for grocers concerning the difference in process butter and regular butter.

Process butter, which calls for four points in ration coupons, is butter which has turned stale and then been reprocessed for sale again. As far as the ration board knows there are no creameries in this area which handle this type of butter.

Regular butter takes eight ration points and is the only type of butter used here.

**TRANSFERS FILED**  
Approximately 27 scholastics transfers have been filed with the county superintendent's office this month, according to Walker Bailey. Deadline for transfer of students from one common school district to another is July 31, and parents were reminded that after that date transfers can not be made.

**COLLEGE STATION, July 17.** Hoyes F. Stripling has been chosen yell leader for the first semester Sophomores at the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas in an election held under the auspices of the A & M Student Elections Committee.

Cadet Stripling is a son of H. F. Stripling, 900 Douglas St., Big Spring. He entered A & M in September 1942.

Due to practically all the students who normally would be Juniors and Seniors at Texas A & M College having been called into various branches of the armed service the cadet corps will be led for perhaps the first time by second-year students, Jack M. Knox of Beaumont, as head yell leader and Hayes F. Stripling as first assistant.

A yell leader is an important personage in student affairs at Texas A & M. Whether the student body numbers 7,000, as in the past few normal years, or the present 1,600 the yell leader turns right moment. It is his duty to the enthusiasm off and on at the aquaint incoming students with the spirit of this 67-year-old largest military school in the country.

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DAILY RADIO PROGRAM July 12-25, 8 a. m. (Devotional Hour)

Two Jobs belong to Carl R. Simmons, ARMC, son of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Simmons of Big Spring, when he takes off with carrier-based dive bombers. He qualifies as both a radio operator and gunner, and in the latter capacity he was recently shown in pictures given wide circulation. The shot was taken while he was on his "shakedown" cruise, Carl got his boot training at Norfolk, Va., and graduated at San Diego, Calif. Currently, he is at Philadelphia.

### LEGAL NOTICE

#### SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF HOWARD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That by virtue of a certain Execution issued out of the Honorable District Court of Howard County, Texas, for the sum of Fifty and no/100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a Judgment in favor of Thomas and Thomas in a certain cause in said Court, No. 4723 and styled Natalie Everett vs. Fred Everett, placed in my hands for service, I, Andrew J. Merrick as Sheriff of Howard County, Texas, did, on the 17th day of July 1943, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Howard County, Texas, described as follows, to wit: All of Lot Eight (8), in Block Three (3), of the Esser Addition to the City of Big Spring, Texas, and levied upon as the property of Fred Everett and that on the first Tuesday in August 1943, the same being the 3rd day of said month, at the Court House door, of Howard County, in the city of Big Spring, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. by virtue of said levy and said Execution, I will offer for sale and sell at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of the said Fred Everett in and to said property.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in The Big Spring Herald, a newspaper published in Howard County.

Witness my hand, this 17th day of July, 1943.

ANDREW J. MERRICK,  
Sheriff, Howard County, Texas.  
By Denver Dunn, Deputy.

## Road Repair Simplified By Rainfall

Recent rains, rather than hindering the county's road maintenance, have proved beneficial, according to county commissioners. The county maintains about 953 miles of dirt roads which must be dragged.

During dry spells when ruts and holes appear, it is hard to repair the roads, but after a rain they can be dragged smooth. This procedure costs the county about one dollar a mile.

In some instances where rain has washed out the roads, of course the cost is more for repairs, but in general the recent rainfall has been helpful.

Road maintenance equipment of the county is in good condition, considering wartime conditions, with the exception of dump trucks used for scattering caliche. Parts for trucks which wear out are considered critical material and replacements are almost impossible to make.

Of the six trucks owned by the county, two are usually out of order and needing repair parts. This cuts down on the amount of work which can be done.

The custom of the county, wherever rains have washed out old and wooden bridges has been to replace them with concrete bridges such as that being erected on the Dorwood road in precinct 4. This work is progressing well, commissioners said.

## Directors And Stockholders Of Cosden To Meet

Annual meetings of both stockholders and directors of the Cosden Petroleum corporation will be held at the company offices here Monday, with President R. L. Tollett presiding.

Annual report will be submitted, and the board will consider other matters of company operation. The present directorate includes James L. Carey, Leo M. O'Neill and Benjamin H. Roth, all of New York City; C. J. Wrightsman, Fort Worth; Nelson Phillips, Jr., Dallas; and Tollett and Marvin M. Miller of Big Spring.

After board membership is completed in the stockholders meeting, the directors are scheduled to elect officers for another fiscal year.

Most of the out-of-town directors are due to be here, and these visitors will be honored at a luncheon to be given by the chamber of commerce directorate at noon Monday at the Settles hotel. Besides the Cosden officials and C-C directors, city and county offi-

Old Glory is believed to have been first raised at Portsmouth, N. H., on July 4, 1777, where John Paul Jones was preparing to sail on the "Ranger."

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## Child Custody Case Decision Postponed

Judge Cecil Collings postponed his decision until further study after the habeas corpus hearing involving Phyllis D. Barrett was held Friday afternoon in 70th District court.

The child, 23-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Avery Barrett, has been in the custody of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Prescott, Barrett's sister and her husband, for the past 20 months.

The Barretts asked for the return of their child while the Prescotts claim that Phyllis was an abandoned and dependent child which they cared for and supported.

Two divorces were also granted in 70th District court Friday by Judge Collings. Emma Ayers won a divorce from A. R. Ayers and Grace Luttrell was granted a divorce from Earl James Luttrell. Mrs. Luttrell's maiden name of Grace Winslow was restored.

Those who have not received their War Nation Book III from the mailing center in Dallas will receive it soon, according to advices reaching the local ration board.

The books will not become effective until September and other mailing data, August 1, has been set for those who failed to send in applications for the first issue.

The applications can be obtained August 1st at the ration office, but not before that date, it was said.

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## Large Number Of Farmers Turn In Measurements

Nearly 70 per cent of the farmers in Howard county have completed their pre-measurement of crops and turned reports into the A.A. office, M. Weaver, administrative officer, said Saturday. And in the ones which the office has spot-checked, there have been few errors in measuring.

Immediately after the suspension of the marketing quotas by the government, some farmers were under the impression that measurements were not needed. However, Weaver pointed out, the majority now know that the government change only did away with the tax for over-planting while the measurements are still needed in order for farmers to get AAA allotments for compliance.

Weaver is anxious that the remaining 30 per cent should get measurements in this month, since the present office force will be reduced after July and may not be able to handle the work as well.

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On Limited Number of  
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Beginning tomorrow, July 19, and continuing to July 31—after which all unsold shoes in this lot will require a ration stamp.

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**GROUP A**  
Assorted lot, broken sizes and colors in white, brown, black ..... \$1.19

**GROUP B**  
Table choice British tan, black, brown ..... \$1.89

## MISSES SHOES

One group oxfords and dress shoes, all leather. Others of cork and rubber sole ..... \$1.89

## CHILDREN'S SHOES

Limited in sizes. Sandals and oxfords ..... \$1.49

## MEN'S SHOES

One group ventilated, black, white, brown, all leather shoes. Others in suede ..... \$2.95

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# WAYWARD SOLDIERS ARE REHABILITATED

## Men Are Given Chance To Regain Places

CAMP BOWIE, July 17. (AP)—Wayward soldiers of the United States army are traveling a new road to redemption today.

The road is hard, and uphill all the way, but it doesn't end in a blind alley. Nearly two thirds of the transgressing prisoners regain their places among the men fighting this war.

The Eighth Service Command's rehabilitation center at this mammoth camp is for them a "last chance" proving ground, at which the army winnows the military useful from the useless among enlisted men.

Six hundred and two men live in a stockade guarded by two barbed-wire fences, machine-guns, tommy-guns and sentries.

Under court-martial sentences ranging from six months to 15 years, for offenses as wide apart as A. W. O. L. and rape. They come from all the states in this command—Oklahoma, Texas, Louisiana, Arkansas and New Mexico—and from the Caribbean area and the Canal zone. The group is a minute segment, a fraction of one per cent, of the soldiers in this vast area.

In its six months of operation the center has worked out a pattern unique among the army's nine service commands. It is grounded in time-tested discipline, with a leavening of soul-probing which aims to untangle a man's inner conflicts.

The supreme test here is not the length of a man's sentence, but whether a man can prove himself, under closest observation, to be a good soldier. If he can, the sentence may be drastically reduced and the man restored at once to active duty, and with more military skill than he ever had before.

The proving is hard. Spars, level-headed Arthur C. Kennedy, the Texas-bred Colonel commanding the center, drives the program down the strict middle between "excessive punishment and excessive mollycoddling." Men arriving here get complete examinations, mental and physical. The fit are put in two companies, B and C, in which they drill hard and work hard.

For 120 hours, spread over about two and a half months, B and C occupy men work at drilling, marching, bayonet practice, target practice, scouting, patrolling, map reading and studying field fortifications. For a like period they carry out work assignments. The men stay always within the stockade. It is not all drill. Illiterates are taught reading, writing, arithmetic up to the level of fifth-graders. Others learn radio communications, baking, cooking, clerking, and the mechanics of vehicles and guns.

When 240 hours of field and school work are finished each man comes up for "promotion" to the honor (or A) company and its privileges. If a man asks and is worthy he may be put on parole, which allows him to work, play and drill outside the stockade—but still within camp Bowie—and occasionally to go into Brownwood, provided his parents are along.

"A man won't try to escape when he is with his mother," Colonel Kennedy said. Restored men never get assignments to the outfit from which they came. The start is fresh.

Those unable to achieve the honor company stay where they are until they can, or their term is up and a dishonorable discharge is issued. Incurriables are strictly segregated and guarded. They have no tobacco, no money, no privileges.

The men come from the ground forces, air forces and service forces. Presumably because of the great number of training fields in this command area, many of the prisoners are from the air forces.

Capt. Alexander J. N. Schneider, psychiatrist, and second Lieut. Cyrus W. Lagrone (Capt), psychologist formerly on the University of Texas faculty, go deep into each prisoner's troubles. From the Red Cross, federal bureau of investigation, police, parents, wives, and relatives and friends, they assemble

a thorough case history. They, with Major Rufus J. Gosa, comprise the board which evaluates each man's progress. Colonel Kennedy approves or alters their recommendations, which are sent to Eighth Service Command headquarters for review by Col. Julian Hyer, chief of the major advocate's branch, and by the commanding general, Maj. Gen. Richard Donovan.

The board's records are revealing. Of 240 prisoners tested, 127 were single, 53 enjoyed a happy civilian married life, 60 were unhappy; 103 had a happy home life as children, 137 unsettled and unhappy. In 228 cases studied, 60 men proved above average in

intelligence, 101 were average, and 60 men proved below average in intelligence, 108 were average, and 60 exhibited "borderline mental deficiency." The average prisoner went through the month grade. Desertion and theft (91 and 71 cases respectively) were principal offenses attributed to 304 men studied. Poverty in early life often appears in the records of these men, Capt. Schneider said.

Major Gosa supplemented that. As far as the center's office knows, no man restored to duty has yet suffered a relapse into his former bad habits. His statement: "Yes, and the factor of too much money also is found in plenty of cases where men went wrong."

## 'Hot Checking' On Downgrade Here, Says Constable, Justice

The habit of writing worthless checks, known as "hot checking" to law enforcement officials, is on the downgrade according to Constable J. F. Crenshaw, deputy constable Johnny Ralston, and Justice of the Peace Walter Grice. During the past six months, the officials estimated they handled approximately 280 such charges or averaged about ten a week. But this number is far below the amount of charges that used to

occupy the court.

One reason given for the drop in hot checking is that prompt fines are levied on those who write checks regardless of status of bank accounts and old offenders feel the fines grow heavier. The rule of the justice court is that the offender must make the check good or go to jail and after few such cases most persons are not willing to risk "beating the law."

Another reason for the decrease

is that the constable's department works hard and long to track down "hot checkers" and once the charge is made the department does not stop until it has located its man.

The only records of those who haven't been apprehended for violations are those who have left the state or joined the armed services.

These factors combined have reduced the practice of writing worthless checks in this area by about 25 per cent.

**VETERAN DIES**  
SAN SABA, July 17 (AP)—Edward S. Johnson, 97, the last Confederate veteran to live in San Saba county, died yesterday and was buried here today.

## Wall Street

NEW YORK, July 17 (AP)—The stock market today emerged from a generally successful week on solid ground despite further profit taking on the recent rise to best average levels in nearly four years.

The Associated Press 60-stock composite was up 1 at 53 today and on the week showed a net advance of 2. Wednesday it hit a peak since Oct. 27, 1939, at 53.3. Dealings were slack during the brief proceedings and transfers of 297,040 shares were the fourth smallest of the year to date. They compared with 487,170 last week.

In the "new high" category were American Telephone, North American, Chesapeake & Ohio, Standard Oil (N.J.), Loew's, Murray Corp., White Rock, U. S. Lines and Caterpillar Tractor. Moderately ahead were U. S. Steel, Yellow Truck, Santa Fe, New Haven preferred

and Kennecott. Losers included Bethlehem, Southern Railway, Anacosta, Montgomery Ward, U. S. Rubber, Westinghouse and Douglas Aircraft.

In a slightly spotty curb gains were posted for American Gas and Lehigh Coal. On the offside were Pantepec and Creole Petroleum.

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I'D LIKE TO TELL YOU

# The Inside Story of Synthetic Rubber

The public has been led to believe that plenty of new tires and tubes made of synthetic rubber will be available very soon—**BUT THAT IS NOT THE CASE**

**HERE** are the facts—and every patriotic American should know them.

After Pearl Harbor, we had in this country a huge government-owned stockpile of natural rubber. It had to take care of all tire needs—both military and civilian—of this country and of a large share of our allies' needs as well.

Military demands alone were tremendous—and 20 million essential cars and trucks had to be kept rolling.

This stockpile could not be maintained or replaced. Our very freedom depended on it—it was precious beyond belief.

It was absolutely essential that if we were to win the war we should produce our own synthetic rubber—in huge volume—and at once.

But the whole synthetic rubber situation was utterly upset and confused. There was bickering—and arguing. Everybody had a different idea.

Then the Baruch committee was appointed. It did a fine job—quickly. It clarified the problem, pointed out the fact that this country was in a desperate position—and then prescribed the remedy.

Following the Baruch Report, Mr. Jeffers was appointed Rubber Director. He and his staff, ably aided by the petroleum, chemical and rubber industries, have done what, at the time, looked like an impossible job.

Almost overnight they have built a new multi-million dollar industry in this country which, by next year, will have a producing capacity of 800,000 tons of synthetic rubber annually—more total rubber tonnage than this country has yet used in any normal year!

Most authorities agree that with these new government-owned synthetic plants in full operation, ALL tire manufacturers will have plenty of raw synthetic rubber by the Spring of 1944. . . BUT NOT NECESSARILY PLENTY OF TIRES.

In the meantime millions of tires on the road are wearing perilously thin.

The stockpile of natural rubber is now so low that the government has ordered ALL passenger tires and tubes—both civilian and military—made entirely of synthetic. This tremendous job of conversion must be completed by the Fall of 1943.

That puts the rubber industry in a tough spot—and here's why—

Even though rubber chemists have been experimenting with synthetics for several years, most of the so-called synthetic rubber tires developed to date were only partly synthetic. They all contained some natural rubber.

But the making of tires from 100% synthetic rubber is quite another problem. The term "synthetic" really is a misnomer. Synthetic rubber is not natural rubber made by an artificial method, but is, in fact, a totally different material which might more accurately be called a "soft plastic".

The best brains in the rubber industry have been working on the problem for many months. We and other tire manufacturers are pooling our experimental information, pooling our methods and efforts in the hope of getting good tires of synthetic rubber in volume—before the old tires on millions of cars and trucks wear out.

And it's a tough job. It took the industry 40 years to build natural rubber tires up to the fine point of quality, safety and service that we had before the war.

Yet we are trying to equal those standards in a few months' time, with tires made entirely of a synthetic material that takes longer to process than natural rubber—takes more machinery—and more labor.

It is a situation that all of us must look squarely in the face. And here are the straight facts.

1. No one tire manufacturer has any more knowledge in building all-synthetic tires than any other. The research chemists and engineers of the industry are working day and night in unison to lick the unsolved problems that now confront the industry. ALL INFORMATION IS AVAILABLE TO ALL MANUFACTURERS.

2. The processing of synthetic tires is slower than for natural rubber tires—takes more manpower at a time when a majority of the industry's skilled rubber workers are already committed to the production of vital war materiel.

3. The first all-synthetic passenger car tires to be built on a production basis are only just now coming off the lines in limited quantities.

4. No satisfactory all-synthetic truck tires have been built as yet by anyone.

5. No satisfactory all-synthetic tubes have been built as yet by anyone.

6. There will be very, very few new tires of all-synthetic rubber this year.

7. It will probably be the middle of next year before civilians can get the new tires they need—even though there will be plenty of new synthetic rubber.

8. As the Baruch Report stated in no uncertain terms—the last half of '43 and the first part of '44 is the critical period—and I mean critical!

9. Many old tires are wearing out—and unless proper precautions are taken, thousands and thousands of cars and trucks will have to be laid up.

So I say to every patriotic American—"Take entire care of your present tires".

Drive slowly—not over thirty-five miles an hour (very important in hot summer weather).

Drive carefully. Avoid ruts, car-tracks, stones and rough roads.

See that air pressure is checked once a week.

Don't scrape your tires against the curb.

Don't make jack-rabbit starts or quick stops. Take curves and corners slowly.

Have your tire dealer check your tires regularly for cuts and abrasions, and repair them before they go too far.

Get your tires recapped before they get too smooth.

Even when the critical period is past and the industry is in full production of synthetic tires, military tires and other military rubber goods will still come first.

But by the end of next year, synthetic tires will be available for civilians in sufficient quantity to keep all essential cars and trucks on the road.

Meanwhile, those of you who are privileged to buy new tires of synthetic rubber will find the name Seiberling on these tires just as reliable a mark of quality as it has always been on tires of natural rubber.

Keep in touch with your Seiberling dealer. He is an expert in rubber, too, and can help you save your tires.

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## Surgical Dressing Materials Received

COLORADO CITY, July 17. —The sixth quota of Red Cross surgical dressing materials has arrived in Colorado City and the work room here will be reopened to volunteer workers Monday. Under the direction of Mrs. E. J. Wallace, Mitchell county women have previously completed five shipments of gauze. Sub-stations at Westbrook, Lorraine, Butler Camp, and Valley View are operated in addition to the central station at the Junior High school in Colorado City.

## Livestock

FORT WORTH, July 17 (AP)—Cattle, 400; steady; calves, 125; scarce; medium and good slaughter steers and yearlings 12.00-14.60; good beef cows 10.00-11.25; odd lots of fat calves reported at 9.00-12.00; all stockers held over. Hogs, 350; steady; pigs and sows unchanged; good and choice 190-300 lb. butcher hogs 14.00; good 150 lb. weights 13.25; pigs 13.00 down; sows 12.50-75. Sheep, 150; mostly feeders; no pigs reported early.

Editorial - Aerial Terrorism Originated By Axis

It all depends on whose ox is gored. When the Nazis were sweeping across Europe in a path of flame and destruction, they made motion pictures of the Nazi brand of terrorism...

Capital Comment—Land Bank Loan Figures Good Index Of Farmers' Financial Gains, Explains FCA Deputy

By GEORGE STIMPSON Herald Washington Correspondent The fact that the provision for commissioner loans was to expire July 1 this year caused many persons to become confused...

Deputy Gov. C. W. Warburton of the Farm Credit Administration told Fisher that land bank loans outstanding total about \$1,500,000,000...

Before he left for Texas, Congressman Joseph Manfield, of Columbus, chairman of the House rivers and harbors committee, helped get through a bill extending...

Three Ex-Convicts To Be Prosecuted

OKLAHOMA CITY, July 17 (AP) Three former Oklahoma convicts will be taken to Amarillo for prosecution in the federal district court...

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Hollywood—Akim Tamiroff Tries To Live All His Roles

By ROBBINS COONS HOLLYWOOD—Akim Tamiroff is from the Moscow Art Theatre. He believes in "living" his parts. He is grateful for the screen as a medium which projects the actor's thoughts as well as his words and features...

Tamiroff is the character star who plays Pablo in "For Whom the Bell Tolls"—Pablo, the one-time strong man of the peasant guerrillas who had lost his grip. It is a difficult role, requiring many transitions in character as the story progresses...

Often it is a very little touch that makes the difference between success and mediocrity. In Tamiroff's first important picture, "The General Died at Dawn," he played a Chinese. The make-up tests proceeded, one after another, with no luck...

For Pablo it was even more of a problem. Ernest Hemingway had described Pablo's physique, clothes, and features in great detail. Readers of the book had to be satisfied...

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ONE WORLD . . . . By Wendell L. Willkie

Chapter XI (Cont.) On Jan. 16, 1943, nearly four months after I was in Iraq, that country declared war on the Axis and became our ally.

There is no reason to keep secret now the fact that Nuri Pascha, the prime minister of that small but pivotal country wanted to take this step when I talked to him in September. I even worked with him at his request, on the address which he planned to deliver while I was in Baghdad, asserting Iraq's defiance of the Axis...

But, for good reasons, undoubtedly, the timing of the announcement was delayed at the persuasion of the British ambassador, whose influence, in view of the British military occupation of Iraq, carries considerable weight. Perhaps the greatest change of all in these last months has been on the eastern front...

In a few short months, the Red army rolled the Nazis back beyond the Donets. Rabe, on the northwestern front, where I had watched General Lelyushenko's troops literally inch their way forward, fell and with it fell the vaunted legend of Germany's "hedghog" defense...

By the end of the winter, it was the Nazis who were on the defensive, and again it had been a spirit of aggressive self-confidence, and GREAT TRUST AND RELIANCE IN THE COMMON PEOPLE which had turned the trick...

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More Valid Every day since my return these suggestions have seemed to me more valid. Furthermore, they seem to me INCREASINGLY URGENT.

Victory may still be a long way from us. There is sure to be heavy fighting and great sacrifice, in any case, before we have won. But in the need for us to make up our minds about what we are fighting for, it is already late. Old Nonsense And it is past time for us to be talking the old nonsense about racial, religious and cultural differences, that are supposed to make every hope futile...

The Thrill That Comes Once In A Lifetime



THE BOY WHO TRIED TO THINK OF ONE AND COULDN'T

Washington Daybook—Utah's Senator Thomas, Says Japs Not Stymied

(First of two articles on the Japanese struggle-hold in the Pacific.) By JACK STINNETT WASHINGTON—Some military commentators recently have been prefacing their remarks with "Now that we have the Japanese stymied in the Pacific..." If there ever was a voice crying in the wilderness that such is not the case, it is the voice of Sen. Elbert Duncan Thomas, Democrat from Utah...

"In my study and teaching of history," he says, "I start and end with the Orient. That puts me out of harmony with most of the history departments of American institutions, because most of our history teaching deals with western Europe and America. The rest of the world we let go hang; and we today are suffering the consequences..."

That may sound a little pedantic, but when it comes from a man held in such esteem by his colleagues that he is chairman of the Senate Education and Labor committee, and a member of the committee on Foreign Relations, Military Affairs, Mines and Mining, and Pensions, you can be sure it's not. Senator Thomas is not one of the "all-out" critics of postponement of our war against the Japs...

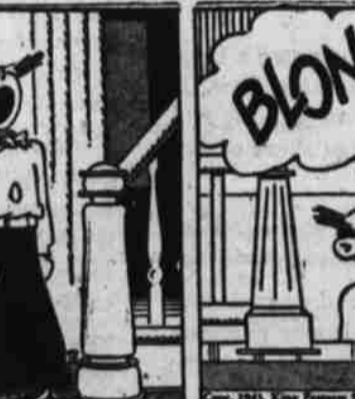
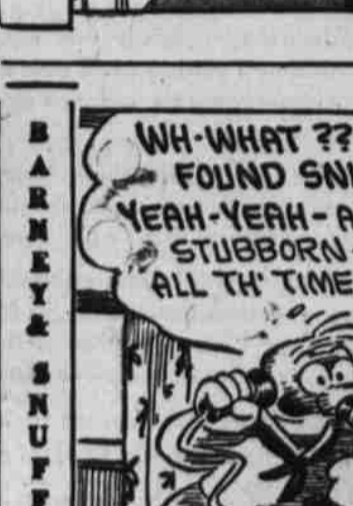
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Crossword Puzzle

- ACROSS 1. Kindred 2. Stores 3. Wasp bitterly 4. Card with one spot 5. Centist at the clothes moth 6. The yellow bugle 7. American author 8. Occurrence 9. Catch suddenly 10. Espangnity 11. Male child 12. Bitter herb 13. Symbol for sodium 14. Seal 15. Rent 16. Dad 17. Within comb 18. Picture puzzle 19. King Arthur's lance 20. Vex; colloq. 21. Bug room 22. Regulation 23. Religious belief 24. Before this 25. Exclamation 26. Curd 27. Aloft 28. Goddess of the harvest 29. City on the coast; abbr. 30. Indian meal 31. Turmeric 32. Singly 33. English letter 34. Footfalls part 35. Sacred image 36. City in Belgium 37. DOWN 1. Duds garment 2. Individual 3. Confined 4. Lameness 5. Burn especially 6. Egg-shaped 7. Infant 8. Intermittent 9. Time 10. Complement of 11. Yama 12. Continent 13. Garden divisions 14. Crossed-shaped figure 15. Outdoor game 16. African 17. Part of a minstrel show 18. Dwarf animal 19. Character of a people 20. Lasso 21. Juring 22. Complaints 23. Tails without authority 24. Kind of soap 25. Hoak 26. Foreign 27. Musical instruments 28. Fraudulence 29. Day of the ash 30. Molten rock

Grid for crossword puzzle with numbers 1-34 indicating starting positions for words.

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# 365th Is Trampled By Medicos; 359th And 1047th Win

## Yankees Whip A's To Make It Six In Row

NEW YORK, July 17 (AP)—Sparked by Roy Weatherly's third home run of the year, the Yankees put on a two-run ninth inning splurge today to whip the Athletics 5 to 4 and run their winning streak to six straight—their longest of the season.

Charley Keller, with three-for-three and three runs batted in, and Al J. White, with four-for-four, including a double and his first homer of the campaign, were the heaviest fence-busters, but Weatherly's wallop and, a few moments, a long fly by Gordon with the bases loaded, were the blows that broke up the ball game.

For eight innings it was anybody's ball game. The A's opened with two runs in the first on four hits, including White's two baggers. The Yankees came right back in their half to tie it up when Keller hit the right center field wall with a 407-foot triple that sent a pair of mates home. The Yankees got another in the third, with Keller again driving the tally in, and the A's tied it up again in the fifth on White's round-tripper.

Leading off the ninth, Don Black, who went the route for Connie Mack's cellar dwellers, sent the Athletics out in front by singling and coming around on hits by White and Elmer Valo.

Black seemed to injure his foot in scoring the tally, but that didn't hurt nearly as much as Weatherly's homer which led off the Yankee ninth. A single and two walks then loaded the bases, and Gordon produced the crusher with his long fly. Mulkam Jim Turner, who took over from Hank Borowy in the ninth, was the winning hurler.

**SHUTOUT FOR BRIDGES**  
CHICAGO, July 17 (AP)—Tommy Bridges pitched a four-hit ball game today to give the Detroit Tigers a 3 to 0 shutout after the Chicago White Sox had won the first game of a doubleheader, 5 to 2. Bridges won his seventh victory of the season, striking out 11 batters.

**BROWNS WIN**  
ST. LOUIS, July 17 (AP)—Coasting home on a three-run splurge in the seventh, the St. Louis Browns downed the Cleveland Indians, 3 to 1, today behind the able pitching of Denny Gehlhouse. Oris Hockett hit his second home run of the season for the Indians' lone customer.

**SENS BLANK BOSTON**  
WASHINGTON, July 17 (AP)—Dutch Leonard turned in a four-hit hurling masterpiece tonight as the Washington Senators blanked Boston, 3 to 0, before 10,132 customers. The Senators nicked Tex Hughson for eight blows.

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Cutting loose with a terrific array of hitting, the Medical Detachment doctored the once-proud 365th headquarters squadron, 15-3, Friday and thereby about settled the league in favor of N. Maintenance.

Desiel and Haberkamp led the Medical attack with three hits each in blasting the 365th while Melcher scattered seven hits nicely for the winners. Sgt. Franks, playing his first game for the 365th, doubled and Boren and Masur each got two hits.

The 78th Squadron, once held as a contender, caught it on the chin again from the 1047th guard, 9-8, and the 359th Aviation Squadron clipped the 2082nd Ordnance, 9-7.

For the 78th, Visaligo got three for four including a double and Weinstein hit for the circuit with one on. Sgt. Hunter doubled along with two singles to pace Guard hitters, but the feature was Sgt. Hamilton's long range clouting. He poked out two homers in four times up, one of them with two on. Sgt. Malho got a homer and a double, and Beaulieu got a home run and a single to round out 1047th slugging.

Henderson's double and single plus his home run in the ninth, gave the 850th its thrilling extra-inning victory. He was aided by Minor who hit three for four and Malone who hit twice. Ordance hitting was led by Galsbater with a brace of doubles. Taylor, Daly and Jesse each had a pair of singles.

**R H E**  
78th . . . . .024 206 0-7 1  
1047th . . . . .308 101 1-9 14 1

Batteries: Reich, Runyon; Gill, Harrell, Johnson.

**R H E**  
359th . . . . .130 020 101-6 12 3  
2082nd . . . . .400 300 000-7 12 6

Batteries: Tate, Daramas; Haidler, Taylor.

**R H E**  
365th . . . . .001 000 2-3 7 7  
Med. Det. . . . .015 522 0-15 16 1

Batteries: Elligen, Elliott; Melcher, Haberkamp.

**W. L. Pct.**  
No. Maint. . . . .1 .869  
359th . . . . .5 3 .627  
1047th . . . . .5 3 .625  
78th . . . . .5 4 .566  
2082nd . . . . .5 5 .500  
359th . . . . .4 5 .444  
Med. Det. . . . .4 5 .444  
Mess. Co. . . . .3 6 .333  
(78) 359; Johnson (1047th) 353;  
Bergen (Mess) 333; Grass (Med) 333; Smith (Mess) 316; and McAnear (1047th) 308.

## Newsom Says He Can Pitch Browns To A Pennant

ST. LOUIS, July 17 (AP)—He's just the guy who can pitch the Browns to their first American league pennant, Louis (Buck) Newsom has assured the St. Louis club now that he has decided to come out and join the fold.

He'll get a chance to prove his boast immediately, for bulky Buck is scheduled to go in on half of Sunday's doubleheader with Cleveland.

Almost immediately after he was traded to the Browns by Brooklyn for veteran pitchers Archie McKain and Fred Ostermueller, the belligerent one shouted loudly—and seemingly decisively—that he wanted no part of the league's most western city. Just as suddenly he changed his mind.

Newsom admitted his willingness to make the trek back to his American league alma mater last night in a telephone call to President Don Barnes.

"You're interested in winning the pennant, aren't you?" Newsom queried.

When Barnes conceded some interest along that line, Buck assured him:

"Buck is the man who can pitch the Browns to the club's first pennant."

**Invader Worries About Dodgers**  
WITH AMERICAN INVASION TROOPS ENROUTE TO SICILY, July 10 (Delayed) (AP)—All the soldiers on this vessel are not engaged in tomorrow's invasion.

Corp. Issue Shaw of Brooklyn, for one, is worrying about the Dodgers.

"Say," he growled today, "tell them Dodgers to get one ball. They're breakin' the hearts of a lot of guys in this outfit."

"Here we are fightin' for the Dodgers, and whatta they doin'?" They loasin' ball games they oughta win."

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# Pirates Climb On Cards For Two Wins

PITTSBURGH, July 17 (AP)—Those unpredictable Pittsburgh Pirates, who have alternately surprised and dismayed the rest of the National League all season, pounced on the champion St. Louis Cardinals for a pair of wins this afternoon to climb within three games of the second place Brooklyn.

The scores were 7-3 and 5-2. A crowd of only 11,563 was on hand to watch the Bucs make it four straight over the league leaders, and at the same time pare the Cards' lead over the Dodgers, who beat Boston today, to 3 1-3 games.

A three-run burst in the seventh inning clinched the opener for the Pirates and Max Butcher; and Johnny Barrett's long double, plus a combination of unusual circumstances decided the nightcap in the last of the eighth in favor of Wally Hebert.

Barrett was sitting on second with two out when Bob Elliott lifted a high pop fly above the infield in the finale when the count was tied at 2-2. Barrett raced for home, while Danny Litwiler and Marty Marion watched Elliott's fly drop to the turf between them.

Butcher raved up three runs in the second inning of the opener to give the Cards their early lead, but his mates rallied behind him to take a 4-3 lead in the sixth with a two-run spurt after tallying one each in the second and fifth.

Three base hits by Elliott, Russell and Van Robays and a double by Vince DiMaggio contributed to the total of five runs in the sixth and seventh innings of the opener to sew up the game.

Hebert handcuffed the champions for almost six innings in the nightcap while the Pirates scored one each in the second and third, but let St. Louis bunch hits, including Marion's double, for a run in the sixth and the tying marker in the eighth.

The teams will close their six-game series here tomorrow with another doubleheader.

**REDS DEFEAT CUBS**  
CINCINNATI, July 17 (AP)—The Cincinnati Reds exploded with a five-run rally in the seventh inning today to grab the ball game from the Chicago Cubs, 6 to 5, and even the series at one-all.

**GIANTS, PHILS SPLIT**  
PHILADELPHIA, July 17 (AP)—The New York Giants put on a five-run ninth-inning rally today to whip the Phillies 8 to 7 in the nightcap of a doubleheader after the Phils took the opener 2-1 on a two-run ninth-inning splurge.

**GETS TWO HOMERS**  
BOSTON, July 17 (AP)—Dolph Camilli's two homers, driving in three runs, led the Brooklyn Dodgers to a 7 to 5 victory over the Braves today.

**Long Islanders Help Pacific Football**  
SOMEWHERE IN THE SOUTH PACIFIC, July 17—When U. S. Marines introduced the American brand of football to fans here recently, two well-known players were on hand to help out. The teams, both made up of Marines, played to a scoreless tie.

One of the squads was bolstered by the play of Lt. Philip Mayer of Flushing, L. I. Mayer turned down a contract with the Philadelphia Eagles professional team in favor of joining the Marines. In the opposing lineup was Lt. Joseph Terzi of Little Neck, L. I., a former backfield ace at Niagara University.

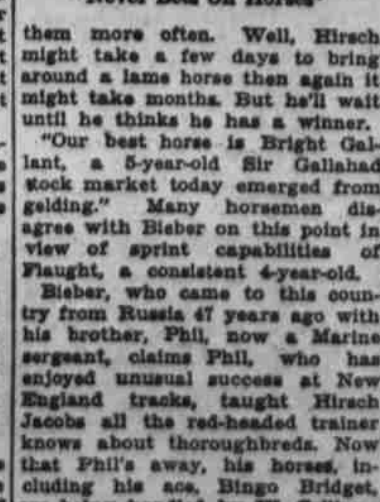
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## Jacobs Makes Winners Of Platers Just Because He Loves Horses

By FRANK BOK  
AP Features Sports Writer

NEW YORK—Few people like to boast of their success around the race tracks. That goes for the most successful trainer down to the two dollar bettor. To say America's leading trainer for 10 of the past 12 years falls in the category of a modest horseman would be putting it mildly.

He is Hirsch Jacobs, the former Brooklyn pigeon fancier who excels in making consistent winners out of ordinary selling platers. Right now he's training for Leader Bieber, better known as "Bee." He also has a string racing under the colors of his wife, Mrs. Ethel D. Jacobs. However, it's one and the same stable and regardless of the colors of the jockey's silks, the Jacobs-trained steeds meet with equal success.



**HIRSCH JACOBS**  
"Never Beta On Horses"

Jacobs, a trainer for 18 years, will not tell any of the secrets of his success. He leaves that for Bee, but Bieber, too, is careful lest he divulge just one inside secret and everyone at the track, it seems, would like to know just how Jacobs does it.

Bieber, who loves to bet on almost every race, knows that if he has a poor day he will recoup his losses if he strings along with the Jacobs entries.

"Hirsch's love for horses is the main reason for his success," said Bieber at the opening of the Empire City meeting at Jamaica.

"He's out at the track every morning at 6 a. m. He never bets and never starts a horse unless he's ready to run. His patience and hard work with ordinary horses bring results.

"People often ask me why we have 50 to 60 horses in our stable and why we don't run some of

# Sports

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## Annual Labor Day Tourney Slated At B. S. Country Club

### BASEBALL CALENDAR

**American League**

Philadelphia 4, New York 5.  
Detroit 2-3, Chicago 5-0.  
Cleveland 1, St. Louis 5.  
Boston 0, Washington 2.

**National League**

New York 1-8, Philadelphia 2-7.  
Brooklyn 7, Boston 5.  
St. Louis 3-2, Pittsburgh 7-3.  
Chicago 5, Cincinnati 6.

**STANDINGS**

**National League**

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	42	28	.600
Brooklyn	42	28	.600
Pittsburgh	42	28	.600
Cincinnati	40	30	.571
Philadelphia	39	31	.557
Boston	32	38	.457
Chicago	24	46	.347
New York	31	48	.392

**American League**

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	45	30	.600
Detroit	39	36	.520
Washington	42	28	.600
St. Louis	38	32	.543
Chicago	37	33	.527
Boston	36	41	.468
Cleveland	35	41	.461
Philadelphia	34	42	.445

The war and its attendant restrictions may cut down the field some, but the Big Spring country club's annual Labor Day invitational tourney is going to be unreeled as usual.

The club management announced this past week that the shot fest is being planned, to run for four days, including time for the annual Hall-Bennett trophy play. This event, a team competition affair in which a group of Big Spring golfers competes with an out-of-town team, is booked for Friday, September 3. Qualifying rounds in the invitational are scheduled for the following day; preliminary matches will be on Sunday, with the championship rounds coming off on Monday, September 6.

Eighty-odd golfers were in the flights last year, when Bill Roden, playing as a Big Spring, captured both the tournament title and medal honors. Although war tasks and travel restrictions may cut down the number some this year, country club officials are expecting strong entry lists from Midland, Odessa, Colorado City and Sweetwater, as well as from the home forces. Prizes will be war bonds and stamps.

Full details of the tournament are yet to be worked out. Captains of the Hall-Bennett teams also have not been named.

## Marsch Entry Runs One-Two At Arlington

CHICAGO, July 17 (AP)—The entry of John Marsch, Chicago contractor, ran one-two in the \$60,000 Arlington Futurity at Washington Park today, but it wasn't Occupy, two-year-old brother of Occupation, that triumphed.

The winner was Jezrahel, one of a trio of juveniles Marsch sent to the post in an attempt to make a clean sweep.

This little grey gelding, the son of Pharamond II-Jesabel, plowed through the muddy stretch with tremendous strides to overhaul Occupy in the last 80 yards to win by half a length. Alorier, owned by A. C. Ernst of Cleveland, was third, two and a half lengths behind Occupy and a head in front of Mrs. Helen Miller's Ogham.

The Marsch entry went to the post even money favorite and returned \$420, \$8.90 and \$2.60. Alorier paid \$4.60 to show.

Jezrahel, ridden by Jockey Otto Grohs, ran the six furlongs in 1:16 1-5 over the heavy track.

The thrilling race was witnessed by a crowd of 15,000.

The rest of the 12 starters in this the richest 2-year-old race so far in 1943 trailed in this order: Abe Hirschberg's Black Badger, Mrs. Al Sabath's Civil Liberty, John Marsch's Broadcloth, Hal Price Headly's Megogo, W. E. Boeing's Freezout, Lt. Col. C. T. Whitney's Pukka Gin, Joe W. Brown's Ravenala and A. C. Ernst's Albuldo.

Owner Marsch accepted a \$84,600 check for his triumph.

Jezrahel, winning his second straight race in three starts, picked up a purse of \$48,650. Occupy added \$6,000 to the Marsch string-box.

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# Haegg Bests Dodds Again, But Misses Mile Record

SAN FRANCISCO, July 17 (AP)—Gunder Haegg, great Swedish runner, failed to set a new world's one-mile record here today but won that event in a benefit track meet, while a crowd of 15,000 cheered him on. Gil Dodds, of Boston, national 1500-meter champion, trailed Haegg by more than 10 yards at the finish, after leading the Swede for a 1-1 laps. Haegg's time was 4:12.3.

Setting his own pace, Haegg won the race as he pleased. It was the third time on his American tour that he had defeated Dodds, previously showing the way to the American in two-mile races in Chicago and Los Angeles.

Dodds jumped into the lead shortly after the start. He set a brisk pace for the first half-mile with Haegg trailing by about two yards.

They maintained the same positions when they swung into the third lap. At the head of the back stretch Haegg took the lead and from then on the Swede was out in front. He glanced back occasionally, meanwhile increasing his lead.

At the finish, Haegg was far out in front with Dodds some hundred yards ahead of the third-place man.

Harold Davis of the University of California, fastest sprinter in the nation, won the 100-yard dash in 9.7 seconds and the 220-yard event in 21.3. Davis' 100-yard

time was his slowest of the season. He has equalled the world record of 9.4 and has been consistent in 1943 at 9.6.

Southern California's Cliff Bonland, leading quarter-mile of the country, won his favorite event in 49.8.

The inter-scholastic mile was turned out to be an easy win for Roland Sink of South Pasadena. Sink, winner of the National AAU junior 1,500-meter title in New York, clocked in 4:31.

**Table Tennis Experts Will Play Here**

Soldiers at Big Spring Bombarrier School will see two of the nation's best table tennis players in an exhibition match at the post gymnasium at 8 p. m. next Wednesday, when Douglas Courtland and Harry Cook, who are among top ten table tennis experts, will appear in the soldier exhibition.

Courtland, southern champion, and Cook, Canadian champion, will demonstrate many unusual trick shots, challenge any soldier expert to a contest in which a \$25 war bond is the prize. The exhibition will also feature trick shots with two and three balls, a comedy match and finally a three game match between the two experts.

The two experts, who are appearing here under the sponsorship of the special service section, have appeared at most of the large army and naval stations in the United States.

**ASSUMES DUTIES**  
DALLAS, July 17 (AP)—Miss Lurleen Hubert today assumed the duties of deputy state labor commissioner for these counties: Dallas, Collin, Hunt, Lamar, Rockwall, Navarro, Grayson, Kaufman, Delta, Cooke and Denton counties.

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# Space For Games Is Opened

Recreational club rooms at the East Fourth Baptist church are re-opening and will be operated by a recreational council composed of 20 persons as an entertainment service for enlisted men of the Big Spring Bombardier School.

The Rev. R. Elmer Dunham, pastor, announced Saturday that next Sunday each member of the church would invite a soldier home for lunch as the beginning of planned entertainment for service men. The club rooms will be open on Friday and Saturday evening from 7 to 11 o'clock and on Sunday afternoon.

Outside activities will include croquet, ping pong, darts, etc. With inside games such as shuffle board, 'kicker' and many other games including chess, Chinese checkers and 42.

According to the custom observed of the local church, the cookie jar will be full at all times, and a host with three hostesses will be in charge of entertainment.

Other features include the library and writing room, and the 'cook nook' where soldiers and guests will be allowed to pop corn, make candy and prepare refreshments. As an added service shepherds and insignias are sewn on by the women of the church. Thursday evening has been designated as open house night for young people between the ages of 15 and 19.

## Mrs. A. Smith Presides Over Lodge Meeting

The Trainman Ladies met at the WOV hall Friday afternoon for a semi-monthly business session presided over by Mrs. Albert Smith. Mrs. D. R. Tullis' resignation as inner guard was accepted and Mrs. Curtis Hood who was elected to hold the office and was installed. Other business included an appeal made by Mrs. Frank Powell urging all members to work at the Red Cross surgical dressing room. A report revealed that attendance had dropped, and that workers were badly needed on Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. L. A. Webb was presented with a membership pin for recruiting two new members and refreshments were served by Mrs. W. E. Rayburn, Mrs. Curtis Hood and Mrs. J. A. Horton. Those attending the meeting were Mrs. Albert Smith, Mrs. W. O. Wasson, Mrs. E. O. Hicks, Mrs. C. A. Schulz, Mrs. G. B. Pittman, Mrs. W. R. Davis, Mrs. L. A. Webb, Mrs. W. E. Rayburn. Mrs. Curtis Hood, Mrs. H. W. McCannless, Mrs. G. C. Ragadale, Mrs. M. C. Knowles, Mrs. J. C. Burnap and Mrs. Frank Powell.

## Picnic Held At Park

A group of Big Spring residents entertained with a picnic supper at the city park Thursday evening and games and singing were entertainment. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Lytle, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lytle, Mr. and Mrs. Walker Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Forrest and children, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Rainey and children, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Rainey.

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**MARRIAGE ANNOUNCED:** Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Talbott announce the marriage of their son, Pvt. Blake Talbott, to Miss Jackie Henry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Henry of Coahoma. The couple was married June 12th in Olympia, Wash. The bride was graduated from the Coahoma high school in 1943, and Pvt. Talbott was graduated from the Big Spring high school in 1941, and is attending the University of Idaho. (Perry Photo).

## Howard County HD Clubs Hold Encampment At The City Park

Mrs. Harry Stalcup was guest speaker at the Howard County Home Demonstration club encampment which was held at the city park Thursday evening and Friday.

## Pfc. T. H. Plum, Mary Ella Moore Wed In Okla.

The annual meeting which began Thursday evening followed an informal program which included swimming, a picnic and camping overnight. The morning session was devoted to business and a talk by Mrs. Stalcup who discussed native wild flowers, trees, shrubs and landscapes. "All of the native plants can be satisfactorily transplanted," Mrs. Stalcup stated, "and the beautiful yucca of the cactus and even common wild flowers are overlooked. By a little careful planning any yard may be beautiful with these plants which need little care."

Those attending the annual encampment were Mrs. W. F. Heckler, Mrs. H. E. Reid, Mrs. Lela Birkhead and Mrs. R. E. Martin of R-Bar; Mrs. W. J. Jackson, Mrs. Ray Swan and Mrs. O. D. O'Daniel, Coahoma; Mrs. J. L. Patterson, Mrs. M. M. Fairchild and Mrs. Walter Barbee, Overton; Mrs. W. L. Eggleston, Fairview; Mrs. Carl McKee, Mrs. Porter Hanks, Mrs. Ellis Iden and Louise Owens of Washmore; Mrs. E. G. Newcomer, Mrs. Joe Myers, Mrs. E. O. Sanderson and Mrs. Paul Adams of Knott, and Miss Rhea Boyles, home demonstration agent.

The bridegroom, son of Mrs. Euta Hall, was graduated from the Big Spring high school in 1939, and is a graduate of Shriner Institute. The couple will be at home in McClain at the Graham apartments, where Pfc. Plum is stationed at the McClain Internment Camp.

## Lawn Party Held At Bass Home

Mrs. A. C. Bass entertained with a lawn party and covered dish supper at her home Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Those attending were Lieut. and Mrs. Max Gathier, Sgt. and Mrs. Albert Hunter, Cpl. and Mrs. Wheeler, Cpl. and Mrs. Grady Albert Hunter, Cpl. and Mrs. Crow, Mrs. Harold Baleau, Mrs. Emmett Cavin, Mrs. Allen McClinton and Mary McClinton, Mrs. Elara Phillips, Mrs. Richard Reagan, Phil Reagan, Mrs. Dave Little and Mrs. C. P. Gary.

American war expenditures for the first quarter of 1943 are about a billion dollars more than for the entire year 1942.

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## Louise Goates, S-Sgt. Phillips Are Married Here

S/Sgt. and Mrs. Bruce Phillips are honeymooning in Brownwood following their wedding here Wednesday evening at the parsonage of the East Fourth Baptist church. The ring ceremony was read by the pastor, the Rev. R. Elmer Dunham.

The bride is the former Louise Lorraine Goates of Rosenberg, and Sgt. Phillips is the son of Mr. and Mrs. V. Phillips of Big Spring. The couple will be at home at Victoria where the bridegroom is stationed.

**Club To Have Picnic**  
CLUB TO . . . 12 pt ital . . . . . The B. & P. W. club will be entertained with a picnic at Mrs. L. A. Eubank's home Tuesday evening at 8:30 o'clock. All members are invited to attend.

# Society News

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## Big Springers Take Vacations; Former Residents Visit Here

Big Springers, those who are not vacationing themselves, are busy entertaining boys home from camp who are spending their furloughs here, along with former residents now working in defense factories who are taking short vacations.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Booth of Long Beach, Calif., former residents of Big Spring, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Croan.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt Tucker have returned to their home in Napa, Calif., after visiting friends and relatives here.

Mrs. Donald Anderson and son, Donnie, of Fort Worth have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Thomas. They returned to their home Saturday.

Jacquelyn Lewis arrived this week from Salesmanship Camp near Dallas to be with her mother, Mrs. Inez Lewis.

Sue Hoynes has returned from a six-day vacation in San Antonio where she visited with Rens Shuck and Dorothy Cochran.

Beverly Ann Stulting has returned from Camp Waldemar where she stayed for six weeks. She was accompanied home by Jean Bibb of San Angelo who will visit here.

Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Barnes are leaving for a ten day visit in San Antonio, Monterrey and other points in old Mexico.

Dr. and Mrs. E. O. Ellington left Saturday for a visit at Henderson and other towns in East Texas. They will return to Big Spring in three weeks.

Ann Houser will leave Monday for a business trip to Houston. She will return Friday.

Mrs. Gene Haston is visiting her husband who is stationed with the Navy near Los Angeles, Calif.

Lillian Jordan is vacationing in Marlin.

Mrs. J. Q. Harmon and children of Phoenix, Ariz., are visiting with Mrs. G. W. Webb.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Halbrook and children of Odessa were guests of Mrs. Anderson Bailey and Mrs. R. W. Halbrook Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Coyle of Marlow, Okla., are visiting her mother, Mrs. J. W. Cain.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gordon of Weatherford, and Mrs. Loretta Poole of San Bernardino, Calif., are visiting Mrs. Lou Baker, Mrs. Nona Saunders and Mrs. A. F. Hill.

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## Activities At The USO

**SUNDAY**  
9:00 a. m.—Coffee hour.  
1:00-3:30 — Transportation to swimming pool.  
3:30—Craft classes and finger painting, Mrs. Mary Locke in charge.  
6:00-7:00—Hospitality hour, ladies of First Christian church.  
8:00—Record a "letter" for your folk. They will enjoy it.

**MONDAY**  
9:30 a. m.—Gym class for hostesses and service wives.  
8:30—Open house, townspeople invited.  
9:00—Let's sing.  
**TUESDAY**  
Free alterations—bring garments Tuesday—pick them up Thursday.  
9:00-11:00—Dance, Service Men's Wives club.

**WEDNESDAY**  
6:15 p. m.—Hospital visiting hour at post.  
8:30—Bomba-dears, junior hostesses.  
**THURSDAY**  
9:30 a. m.—Gym class.  
2:30 p. m.—Service men's wives meeting.  
8:30—Games and dancing, Thursday GSO Girls.

**FRIDAY**  
8:15 p. m.—Ballroom class, learn to dance.  
9:00—Square dance class in USO garden.  
**SATURDAY**  
4:00-9:00—Canteen open, doughnuts and iced tea.  
8:30—Informal dancing.  
9:00—Recording hour at USO.

Residents of Big Spring are invited to visit the USO club on Monday evening during open house which has been arranged in order that townspeople may take part in activities at the local club. A community sing will be held at 8:30 o'clock with Miss Helen Duley playing piano accompaniment. A stereopticon machine with 200 slides will be used during the sing song.

All enlisted men and their wives are invited to attend an informal dance at the USO Gardens Tuesday evening from 9 to 11 o'clock. Mrs. Ann Houser, assistant director, announced Saturday that 200 invitations had been mailed to local service men and their wives, but that all those who have not been contacted are cordially invited to attend. Music will be furnished by the post orchestra.

Service Men's Wives are urged to attend regular weekly club meeting which will be held Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the soldier center. Mrs. Mary Locke will be in charge of activities and conduct craft classes. Those interested in making wall plaques, table centerpieces, bracelets, etc., are invited to attend.

Nine soldiers are now enrolled in the ballroom dancing class which is held at the local club on Friday evening at 8:15 o'clock with Mary Ruth Ditts as instructor. Since too much experience can't be acquired by GI's dancing with GI's, USO officials have asked that the Friday GSO girls attend classes as dancing partners.

**Informal Dance Held At The Country Club**  
Open house and an informal dance was held at the country club Saturday evening with members and out-of-town guests attending. Hours were from 9:30 to 1 o'clock and music for dancing was furnished by nickleodeon.

## Informal Dance Given In Post Gym At The Bombardier School

Dancing contests and an entertaining floor show highlighted an informal dance which was held in the post recreational building at the Big Spring Bombardier School Saturday evening. Hours were from 9 to 12 o'clock, and a large number of enlisted men, their wives and dates attended.

Cpl. Phil Tucker was master of ceremonies for an entertaining floor show presented at intermission and others taking part were Faye Coldiron featured in a hypnotist act assisted by Sgt. Dukin; Cade Miller, who presented a magician act, and Betty Bob Ditts and Cpl. Tucker who presented a novelty song and dance number.

Music for the entertainment was furnished by members of the post orchestra and jitterbug and waits contests were held. Transportation was furnished from the Settles hotel to the dance which was sponsored by the AAFES post as planned entertainment for service men of the school.

## Miss 'Laneous' Notes

**MARY WEALEY**  
One of the vagaries of human nature is when you hear a public speaker utter thoughts that agree with yours and become impressed with how smart he is. But hear his ideas that don't correspond with yours and you feel he is definitely not as intelligent as you once gave him credit for being.

If anybody asks you what you believe, you come right back with the pat answer that every man is entitled to his own opinion. But how good that opinion sounds, if it is yours and how bad it sounds if it isn't.

But this only works in cases where you hold strong opinions. If the subject is something you've never thought of before or care little about, then with an unbiased mind you can listen to the speaker and weigh the facts in the balance.

If the speaker says that cotton should bring a better price and you own an oil well, you can take such a detached view. But if the speaker turns to oil wells, then brother, if his opinion differs from yours, he's wrong. If it agrees, you rate him "A-1" in the intelligence department.

Of course, this all adds up to the fact that public speaking is a hard profession. Speakers can never please anybody for very long at a time.

Under Soviet law, any citizen who refuses work to a woman simply because she is a woman, is liable to punishment.

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**60th WEDDING ANNIVERSARY:** Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cardwell, pictured above, will observe their 60th wedding anniversary Monday, but a re-union has not been planned since nine members of the family are serving in the armed forces. The couple was married on the banks of the Red River on July 19th, 1882, and they have resided in Big Spring for the past 33 years. They are the same age, and were both born February 11, 1865.

## Only Small Number Of Women Are Listed As Gold Star Workers At Surgical Dressing Headquarters

Only 22 women in Big Spring have felt the necessity for giving a little over a day of their lives to roll bandages which their sons, husbands and brothers might be crying for desperately after the heat of battle, a battle fought for these women at home that they might live as they have always lived.

In the group of volunteer workers is a mother whose only son is stationed with the armed forces in North Africa; a wife whose husband is with a railroad construction crew in Iran, and a sister whose brother is in the Philippines. . . . Nearly all have members of their families in the service. They do not feel their work is a patriotic contribution to the war effort but merely their DUTY.

In a recent report from the National Red Cross, it was revealed that 98 per cent of the work done by the Red Cross is done by volunteer workers, who last year contributed \$0,000,000 work hours to the organization in all phases of work done by "the greatest mother of them all." Since the operation of the local Red Cross surgical dressing room depends upon volunteer service workers, we must not wait to help with the work which must be done!

Mrs. Bernard Fisher, chairman of the local surgical dressing room, has announced that the following women have been recognized as gold star workers for working 25 hours at the room. The group includes Mrs. M. H. Bennett, Mrs. Jake Bishop, Mrs. R. L. Beale, Mrs. E. C. Boatler, Mrs. H. L. Borden, Rosalind Beale, Mrs. T. S. Currie, Mrs. J. N. Fisher, Mrs. B. Eckhaus, Mrs. Eunice Goolby, Mrs. M. K. House, Mrs. C. S. Kyles, Mrs. John Knott, Mrs. Jo Potter, Mrs. G. B. Pittman, Mrs. H. J. Petefish, Mrs. L. A. Rogers, Mrs. Roy Rogan, Mrs. L. A. Stegner, Mrs. R. C. Strain, Mrs. J. F. Skalicky, Mrs. James Tucker, Mrs. J. M. Thomas, Mrs. H. W. Wooten, Mrs. Charles Vines and Mrs. J. C. Valvin.

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## Women Of Coahoma Put Up Bandages

COAHOMA, July 17—With working space provided in the home economics department at the high school here, the newly organized Red Cross surgical dressing group got off to a good start Thursday.

In charge were Mrs. Norman Read, chairman; Mrs. H. L. Borden, co-chairman, and these captains: Mrs. Vance Mitchell, Mrs. Aubra Cranfill, Mrs. W. T. Yardley, Mrs. C. A. Coffman, Mrs. Lloyd Burkhardt and Susie Brown.

Volunteer workers included Mrs. P. F. Sheedy, Mrs. Charles Read, Mrs. Ann Glass, Mrs. K. J. Bla-

## Couple On Wedding Trip To California

Mr. and Mrs. C. Thames are honeymooning in Hollywood and other towns in California following their wedding here Saturday evening. The couple was married at the parsonage of the East Fourth Baptist church by the pastor, the Rev. R. Elmer Dunham Saturday evening.

Thames, is a resident of Stanton, and Mrs. Thames, the former Margaret Jones, lived in Knott.

lock, Mrs. E. R. Lay, Mrs. W. D. Hays, Mrs. Claude King, Mrs. D. S. Phillips, Mrs. Lavelle Stamps, Mrs. Douglas Newman, Mrs. G. M. Boswell, Mrs. O. L. Satterfield, Mrs. Burr Brown, Mrs. W. J. Jackson, Mrs. J. L. Adams, Mrs. Alvin "POORH" STOD "HOUCCO" STOD E. LAY, Frances Bartlett, Cath- Bena Satterfield, Helen Lay and Mary Margaret Borden.



Companion Cottons: Junior and Sis dressed up, but can take the wear and tear, come up smiling after washing. In solid color like it, in sturdy chambray outfits that look like these have striped yoke trim.

## Says Tax Rolls Will Be Complete By October 1

Howard county tax rolls will be completed by October 1 this year, it was predicted Saturday by Bernie Freeman, assistant to John Wolcott, county assessor and collector. The current tax rolls are going ahead normally and on schedule, he said.

Monday the office will start totaling valuations. Oil and utility valuations have not been received from valuation engineers but are expected to arrive by August 1.

Two reasons for the roll not being complete until October 1, are that the state tax rate is not available until late July or early August and also because common school districts have yet to make their budgets and set rates.

These reports come in slowly and are usually not completed until six weeks or so before Oct. 1, when 1943 taxes are due and payable.

## Strawberries Are Everyday Dish In Diet Of Soldier Now In North Africa

Strawberries in North Africa is one thing Pfc. Donald L. Bowden, who enlisted here little more than a year ago, never expected to find. But where he is stationed, strawberries consist of one of the main dishes and he is making the most of it. Plums, lemons, apricots and a variety of other fruits abound there, but other than to say that his outfit was in on the Pantelleria bombing, he could not give his location.

Of the Pantelleria attack, he wrote his parents, Rev. and Mrs. R. E. Bowden, Sweetwater, former Big Spring residents, that "planes went over so thick that it seemed they should have had a traffic cop over the target to give the go signal."

On his way up, he visited in Casablanca, Morocco, Constantine, Tunis, and a variety of other points, including small cities where the old Roman baths are located. Of course he took advantage of the opportunity to plunge in the naturally heated waters.

Donald was forever grateful to a Frenchman who invited him and his buddies into his home for dinner Christmas eve. Not only did he serve a real meal, but had the boys back for New Year's dinner.

A peculiarity of the country is the native Arab dress, which soon Arab children, who swarm from becomes unnoticed, and the new ones to start incessant clamor for "choog-gum" "bon-bon" and "chookalek" whenever and wherever a Tank stops.

## Watermelon Prices Cause Violence

DALLAS, July 17 (AP)—Police are looking for a young woman who, they charge, stopped at three watermelon stands in Oak Cliff.

Asked the price of the melons, she smashed the melons over the heads of the standkeepers when told.

## Ice Cream Supper Given At Church

Young people of the East Fourth Baptist church entertained with an ice cream supper at the church Friday evening with Mrs. John Cate in charge of games and a sing-song which was held.

Those attending were Douglas Shingleton, Adrian Cates, Preston Denton, Wilma Evans, Dauphine Reese, Charbel J. Woods, Mosele Chapman, Bobby Frances Sanders, Jo Nell Sikes, Wanda Don Reese, Anita Cate, the Rev. Dee Carpenter, Mrs. A. W. Page, Ethelene Rainey and Elsie Louise Rainey.

## AAFBS Notes—WACs Arrive At Air School

Public relations office at the Big Spring Bombardier School announced today the arrival of two WACs who were recently graduated from army radio school at Newark, N. J.

They have been assigned on the line for radio repairs and are Pvt. Pauline Hillman, former resident of Saratoga Springs, N. Y., and Pvt. Pauline Hay, Lawrence, Mich., who taught school at Bridgman, Mich.

## Public Records

**Marriage License**  
Joseph W. Klahs, St. Louis, Mo., and Audrey Schwake, St. Louis, Mo.

**Warranty Deed**  
A. L. Wasson et ux to Velma L. Barnett, \$38,200, one half interest in section 12, 13, 24 in Block 30, tap 1-N.; section 7, 8, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20 in Block 29 tap 1-N.; west one half of section 9 and southeast quarter of section 9 in Block 29, tap 1-N, west one half of section 21 in Block 29, tap 1-N, T & P Ry Co. Survey, 7,200 acres more or less; all of section 4, tap 1-N. Block 29 640 acres.

## What You Buy With WAR BONDS

American airmen are battering away at Hitler's war machine throughout Europe. Precision daylight bombing is taking a heavy toll of Der Fuehrer's production plants both in Germany and conquered territory. The huge, rugged Consolidated Liberators are playing their part, coming home safely, oftentimes with wings and control surfaces bullet riddled.



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## Ceremony Read In Post Chapel

In a double ring ceremony read in the post chapel at the Big Spring Bombardier School Saturday evening, Miss Ruth Elizabeth Eugas, daughter of Mrs. Kathryn Eugas, Cape Girardeau, Mo., and Lieut. Roy Cosper, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Cosper of St. Louis, Mo., were married by Chaplain James L. Patterson.

Wedding vows were repeated at 7 o'clock, and the bride was attired in a two piece blue ensemble with white accessories and a shoulder corsage of spring flowers.

They were attended by Lieut. and Mrs. J. Brown and Mrs. Brown wore a black ensemble with black accessories.

The couple will be at home here where the bridegroom is stationed at the Big Spring Bombardier School.

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## Cosden Chatter--

**By TOMMIE MCCRABY**

Nelson Phillips, general council for the corporation and director, arrived from Dallas Saturday morning to spend several days in Big Spring in connection with the annual meeting of stockholders to be held Monday, July 19.

B. H. Roth, James L. Carey and Leo M. O'Neil, directors and candidates for re-election as directors at the annual stockholders meeting, arrived from New York City Saturday night. They expect to be here through Tuesday.

E. A. Gabriel returned to the office last week after he and Mrs. Gabriel spent a glorious week in Mexico City and Quezaveaca, Mexico. He has quite a number of interesting photographs to prove that there was never a dull moment.

D. A. Watkins, better known as "Wat" was busy passing the candy and cigars around the office Monday morning. As you probably know, Mr. and Mrs. Watkins are the proud parents of a baby daughter, Linda Jean, whose birthday is July 11th.

Heard that Sgt. Dale Knight, an ex-Cosdenite stationed at the army air base at Richmond, Va., is the proud papa of a little girl, namely Daise Kaye.

Mrs. Rip Smith is visiting in Abilene this weekend. T/Sgt. Rip Smith is now stationed at Camp Douglas, Wisconsin.

More news about ex-Cosdenites in the service—Lt. R. L. Ward writes that his new address is c/o Cargo Security Officer's, Boston, Mass.

Saw Coast Guardsman and Mrs. Rayford Liles Saturday. Rayford, one of our pipe line gaugers before entering the service last year, is home on furlough from New York City.

It's Pfc. Huff Peters now, so Mr. and Mrs. Otto Peters, Sr., have been informed. Huff is stationed with the air corps at Liberal, Kas.

Also received a nice surprise visit from Storekeeper First Class Fred Sittel, who is still stationed Dutch Harbor, Alaska. Fred tells us that it seems as though the night life they don't have up there at the trading posts is agreeing with him as he has put on a few extra pounds. He relates that no one up there knows how to dance the "nigger shuffle."

Cpl. and Mrs. E. E. Evans are vacationing in Marshalltown, Ia., visiting with friends and relatives. Wanda McElhannon will be a member in good standing with the widow's club for the next nine weeks, as her husband, Lt. William E. McElhannon is attending navigation school at San Marcos.

Lt. Victor Bales of Camp Barkley at Abilene is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hefner and Miss Anne Arsulich this weekend.

It is vacation time for Evelyn Merrill and Sara Reddy. Evelyn is planning to spend a portion of her two weeks in Dallas, and Sara, well, as yet she is undecided. Wilda Peth is assisting in keeping the treasury department running during Evelyn's absence.

Pattie Toops' grandmother, Mrs. Ida Hunt, returned to Big Spring Thursday from a visit in Santa Fe, N. M.

Everyone seems to be happy over the new office hours. Effective July 16, we started working from 8 to 5 on week days and from 8 to 12 noon on Saturday. This puts us on a 44-hour week basis, which entitles us to overtime pay for the four hours worked Saturday.

Australia supplies the greater part of the food rations used by U. S. forces stationed there.

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## Miss Mable Dorlac, Lieut. Stradford Wed In Post Chapel

Miss Mable Dorlac, former resident of St. Louis, Mo., and Lieut. Robert Edward Stradford were married Friday evening, in the post chapel at the Big Spring Bombardier School.

Tall baskets of white gladioli and other spring flowers marked the altar and the single ring ceremony was read at 7 o'clock by Chaplain James L. Patterson.

The couple, attended by Lieut. LeRoy A. Perkins, will be at home here where the bridegroom is stationed with the first provisional bombardier training group at the Big Spring Bombardier School.

## Pollyanna Class Has Entertainment At Park

The Pollyanna class of the First Baptist church entertained with a picnic at the city park Thursday evening.

Attending were the Rev. and Mrs. Dick O'Brien, Mrs. Billy Smith, Mrs. Clyde Angel, Mrs. Jesse Ferrell, Mrs. Ted Phillips, Mrs. Jimmy Mason, Mrs. E. T. Spain, Mrs. Elsie Johnson, Mrs. W. W. Edwards, Mrs. Ross Boykin, Mrs. H. W. Potter, Mrs. J. W. Dunlap and a guest, Mrs. J. A. Knott.

## Scout Troop Disbands

Mrs. Ennon Lovelady, leader of the Clover Girl Scout troop six, announced Saturday that the group had disbanded upon advice issued by state health authorities urging people to not meet in groups as a preventive for the spread of infantile paralysis.

Announcement will be made later as to time and meeting place of the troop.

## Parents Of Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Laws are the parents of a daughter born Saturday at the Cowper clinic.

The infant weighed nine pounds, one ounce at birth and has been named Billy Sue.

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### Here 'n There

Pvt. Roy A. Collins, son of Mrs. Ida L. Collins, has been promoted to rank of private first class upon assignment to the technical training school at Sioux Falls, S. D., for training as a radio operator-mechanic. A former grid player for Big Spring, Roy worked at Consolidated Aircraft in Fort Worth before entering the army on Feb. 12, 1942.

James P. Bewley, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Bewley of Comanche, Okla., and formerly of Big Spring, has been promoted to first lieutenant, according to an announcement by his commanding officer, Col. Thomas D. Ferguson, in the Fifth Ferrying Group, Air Transport Command, at Dallas. Lieut. Bewley, who attended Big Spring high school and later worked in construction trades prior to induction, was said to have made an excellent record with the Fifth group.

Five Pine Bluff, Ark., negroes Saturday learned what dozens of others have learned here this year—that Big Spring is a bad stopping place when riding freight trains. They were picked up by T. & F. officers and turned over to city police to await a hearing.

One of 32 members of her graduating class, Lorene Covill, route 2, Big Spring, is now ready to roll with an army jeep, truck or staff car. She has just finished her schooling at the Second Training Center of the Women's Army Corps at Daytona, Beach, Fla.

Egt. Roy Johnson of the Del Rio Army Air Field is spending the weekend in Big Spring with his wife, Mrs. Roy Johnson.

### Oil Production Hike Ordered

The Texas oil industry today was getting set to send crude oil sloshing into the Big Inch Pipeline directly to the east coast while authoritative oil men predicted that the crude price issue had reached a critical point.

Meanwhile the Petroleum administration for war directed the Texas industry to hike production 80,000 gross barrels a day in August. The new net daily allowable schedule issued today set production at 1,817,937 barrels.

The new certification will increase the daily flow of all oils to 1,837,000 barrels, some 20,000 barrels a day below the peak capacity estimated for the state.

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### Women's Bowling Tournament Dates Announced

Dates for the Woman's City Bowling Tournament, an annual event, were set Friday night, in a session of women bowlers of the city, for Tuesday through Friday of this week.

Three events will be held—the team play, doubles and singles games with prizes awarded for the first three places in team play and first and second prizes awarded in singles and doubles.

An all-events prize, for those bowlers who take part in all three events, will also be awarded.

Bowlers in the tournament must pay their entry fees to the team captain who contacts them or at the bowling alley by noon Monday.

Team play will be held Tuesday night and singles and doubles will be played off Wednesday through Friday.

Anyone interested in entering should contact Elouise Haley at the bombardier school, phone 247.

### The Week

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ought to be ready to go after another.

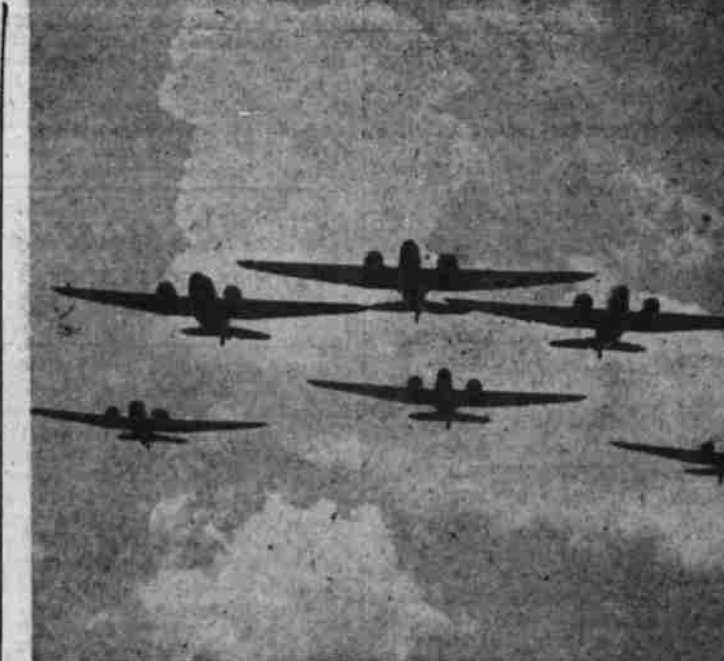
Both Continental and Braniff airlines have indicated that they are still fighting for north-south air mail service through this area. It is essential that we get this, for the day is not long away when airways will be more important than highways.

If the proposed city-wide campaign to clean-up has accomplished a lot to date then we have been scooped. In the absence of any one group to take it over and push it, the campaign wallowed around all of last week with little more than general appeals to give it life. It will either have to be given a mighty shot or buried.

Crops are coming so rapidly that soon they may be ahead of the same time last year. Barring undue obstacles, Howard county may be in for its third consecutive bumper crop.

It is possible that the city will not wait until after the war to develop Birdwell pasture into a small park area. We hope so, for this is one of our standing civic needs.

H. M. Neel has adopted the unusual practice of closing every Tuesday to carry an appeal for feed conservation to farmers. What would happen if other businesses closed one day a week so that hands could go to cotton fields to chop weeds? Fortunately—for us and the cotton—there's little likelihood of this.



Combat Conditions were simulated last weekend when group III and the members of cadet class 43-10 went on first maneuvers for the Big Spring Bombardier School. Of course, there were minor hitches, such as officers being caught without gas masks during a gas attack, but the field test was declared a real success. Here is part of the story in picture: No sooner was camp set up than full military procedure was instituted, including posting of the guard, top left, by bombardier cadets.

But work such as this and a multiplicity of other jobs around camp make a man hungry and soldiers loaded up as they filed past the field kitchen with KP Cadet Irving S. Newman, Boston, serving. Partially camouflaged, enlisted men watched over a supply dump in event something went wrong with one of the fleet of B-18s used in the maneuvers, and at extreme top right, others perch atop a temporary tower, not for the run but to direct traffic by radio on the twin runways set up for the maneuver grounds.

Left, center, the staff, lined up. Members were 1st Lieut. James Lieberman, New York City, while the battalion aide man, PFC Lin-gene R. Magruder, Keyville, Ky., operations officer; Maj. Robert W. Miller, Fairfield, Ida., commanding officer; Capt. George J. Siebold,

Wichita Falls, medical officer, and 1st Lieut. Martin F. Head, Jr., San Antonio, supply officer. Next, it was impossible to get by without "casualties," so Capt. Siebold dressed the foot of Cadet Jesse J. Lieverman, New York City, while the battalion aide man, PFC Lin-sey Lockwood, Drumright, Okla., looked on.

A cadet turned in his report at operations tent while 2nd Lieut. Lawrence Lifshus, New York City, 2nd Lieut. Dan W. Johnson, Houston, and 1st Lieut. John Eul, Morris, Minn., bombardier instructors, prepared to check it.

At extreme right center, Cpl. Norbert J. Hauer of the 202nd Ordnance instructed cadets on spotting explosive charges in their practice bombs. After this lesson the cadets had to spot their own bombs.

Below, left, a formation of big B-18s made a run over the camp installations in a simulated pattern bombing attack, while at right, a cadet guard detail turned out en masse during a tear gas attack in an attempt to shoot down a raiding plane piloted by Lieut. Col. David Wade, and thereby created critique material. Bunching together makes it convenient for the raider to mow the whole detachment down with hone burst from his guns.

### Few Yanks Are Lost In Southern Sicily Invasion

ALTHOUGH official figures have not been released yet, it was apparent from observations this correspondent made along the front that total casualties for ground troops, air-borne and air forces last Saturday were far lower than had been expected.

Hospitals set up in the rear of areas here as well as in North Africa to care for large numbers of wounded men have been unable to keep their staffs occupied, although casualties from fighting inland are now beginning to fill the beds as ambulances roll back from the front.

Some of the wounded have already been evacuated and are still being evacuated by sea and air.



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### McFarland Leaves For Midland

K. E. McFarland, sanitary engineer for the Ector-Midland-Howard county health unit, left Saturday for Midland where his headquarters will be in the offices of Dr. J. E. Olson, director for the tri-county set-up.

Arriving here two months ago, McFarland served as sanitarian for the Big Spring-Howard county division until the arrival of V. A. Cross, who has been acting in that capacity since. Cross will follow up on the recently instituted drive to strengthen the city's milk control.

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### Revival Services Scheduled By 2 Baptist Churches Here

Rev. Chester O'Brien, Jr., pastor of the North Nolan Baptist church, will lead in a revival meeting starting at 10:30 a. m. today at the Airport Extension of the East Fourth Baptist church.

Song services will be in charge of J. Hollis Lloyd, superintendent of the Sunday school and pastor of the mission.

Launching of the revival will be the signal for a series of other services, including evening meetings at 8:30 o'clock and a Vacation Bible school at 9 a. m. daily. Wanda Don Reese will be pianist for the school, also for the meetings.

Lloyd said that extensive improvements are being made on the building of the mission, located two blocks west of the bombardier school pavement and one block south of the Midland highway. New flooring and windows are being installed. Persons in the vicinity of the church are urged to attend the revival.

Today, the Christian Science congregation will hear the lesson, "Life." Golden text is to be "Understanding is a wellspring of life unto him that hath it." Proverbs 16:22: "Among citations is John 17:3: "And this is life eternal, that they might know thee the only true God, and Jesus Christ, whom Thou hast sent." From the CS textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy comes this passage: "The way is straight and narrow, which leads to the understanding that God is the Only Life."

Back in Big Spring last week to lay advance plans for a revival meeting at the East Fourth Baptist church was the Rev. T. C. Curtis, pastor of the Baptist church at Seminole. The Rev. Curtis characterized himself as a "worldly and wayward man" as he followed his trade as a barber here years ago before he found salvation and heard the call to preach. It was his hope, he said, that other men could experience the same change as he by coming to know Christ. He will be here Aug. 8-15 for the series of meetings being sponsored by the Men's Brotherhood of the church.

### Seven Certified For Appointments

Thirty-two persons were interviewed Friday by Charles C. Williams, San Angelo, civil service recruiting representative, and seven of the number were certified for appointments.

While here, Williams gave mechanical learner tests to five applicants.

### WANTS DISCIPLINE

LONDON, July 17 (AP)—Generalissimo Francisco Franco of Spain, addressing the supreme council of the Falange, called today for iron discipline and warned against interference "with the unity of our nation," the Madrid radio said.

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### Scouts Postpone Awards Court

No Court of Awards for Girl Scouts will be held until October, the anniversary month of the founding of the movement by Julia Low, members of the council decided in their meeting here last week.

At that time an appropriate ceremony will be planned, with presentation of scores of awards as the feature event.

Council members also considered without action the establishment of a regular monthly meeting date. They approved a sing-song program planned for 3 p. m. on Aug. 13 in the Presbyterian church for all local Girl Scouts.

Leaders, who played games and sang scout songs to learn more about program procedure, were Mrs. H. H. Rutherford, chairman; Mrs. Max Johnson, who directed; Mrs. Roland Schwarzenbach, Mrs. Florence McNew, Mrs. S. A. McCaney, Mrs. Warren Edson, Mrs. M. A. Cook, Mrs. E. E. Elliott, Mrs. C. S. Edmonds, Jr., Mrs. Wayne Pearce, Mrs. A. B. Partridge and Mrs. John L. Matthews.

### Weather Forecast

Dept. of Commerce Weather Bureau

WEST TEXAS: Little temperature change; scattered thunder-showers in the El Paso area and the Big Bend country.

EAST TEXAS: Little temperature change Sunday.

TEMPERATURES	
City	Max. Min.
Arlene	96 74
Amario	93 70
BIG SPRING	94 72
Chicago	84 72
Denver	71 59
El Paso	87 68
Fort Worth	96 77
Galveston	81
New York	75 69
St. Louis	80
Local sunset today, 8:52 p. m. sunrise Monday, 6:53 a. m.	

### DAUGHTER BORN

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#### LOST AND FOUND

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LOST: Between Snappy Service Station and Big Spring Laundry, and 307 E. 38th, one nickel plated lock gas tank cap. Reward. Call 1716-R.

LOST: In Post Office Wednesday morning, tan billfold containing valuable papers. Finder return to Sheriff's office.

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Increase in Cattle Marketing Is Predicted By Meat Packers

CHICAGO, July 17, (AP)—Cattle roaming the grass lands of the western states, putting on the last extra pounds which mean more steaks for the armed forces and civilians, will soon be herded into livestock markets in increasing numbers, meat packers predicted today.

The packers, as anxious to run across some roast beef as everyone else, asserted the low point in cattle marketing probably had passed, and from now until the end of the year the public's palate should get a taste of that red meat for which it has been hankering.

There was some expansion in cattle receipts at major markets last week. Salable receipts for the week at 12 major markets head the previous week and 153,000 head in the same week a year ago.

The receipts of last Monday—they were the largest for a July day since 1938 at Chicago—constituted a happy harbinger of what was to come, packers said, as the grass on the ranges dried up and ranchers begin to unload their stock before cold weather comes.

Most of last week's receipts came from feed-lots of the mid-west corn belt, and livestock observers though they indicated the desire of producers to liquidate before the western grass cattle hit the market and possibly force prices lower.

An upturn in cattle receipts from mid-July on is a seasonal development, packers explained. Arrivals usually expand through August, September, and October, reaching their peak in the last mentioned month. Then they turn downward to a low in February or March.

While livestock men did not doubt there would be more hamburger sizzling on grills over the next few months, they wondered what would happen next winter. Representatives of mid-west feeders (who ordinarily buy grass cattle and feed them to better quality) claimed choice cattle were not bringing high enough prices to warrant taking some of the grass types out of the market for feeding and re-sale later.

Lord Halifax Visits Farmers Of Idaho

BOISE, Idaho, July 17 (AP)—Lord Halifax, Britain's ambassador of diplomacy and goodwill, today carried his message to the backbone of America—the farm.

"Idaho and other states in the union are doing a great deal for us and for Russia," Lord Halifax told reporters, then headed into the rural country of Boise valley to "talk shop," munch sandwiches and drink lemonade with farmers who produce food under the lend-lease program.

"Your farm products have reached us in great amounts, and for that reason we were especially glad to be able to visit this great farming state," he said in emphasizing the importance of ample food supplies for the United States.

Pleads Guilty To Illegal Gas Coupon Possession Charge

LUBBOCK, July 17 (AP)—A. G. Patterson of Fort Worth was held by federal authorities today in lieu of \$5,000 bond after he had pleaded guilty before Mrs. Olive Fluke, U. S. commissioner, to a charge of possessing rationing coupons worth \$2,870 gallons of gasoline which, the government contended, were obtained in an unlawful manner.

Patterson said he got the coupons from a man he described as "Slim." Patterson was arrested by city police in Plainview yesterday.

Here 'n There

Verna Jo Stevens and Mrs. Birt Stevens returned Saturday from New Orleans where Verna Jo and Mrs. W. R. Hill were in a freak accident. A week's visit turned into a month's stay when as the two were standing on a corner waiting to cross the street, a taxi hit a car which in turn hit Miss Stevens and Mrs. Hill and threw them into the street. Mrs. Hill was confined to bed for three weeks suffering from a concussion and a broken collar bone, while Verna Jo was treated for bruises. Mrs. Hill stopped in Dallas and will return later.

J. M. Hill, Seaman 2nd class stationed at Algiers, La. is here visiting friends and relatives while on leave from the Coast Guard.

Lorena Brooks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Brooks, has returned home from TSCW at Denton where she has been attending the summer session.

Second class seaman and Mrs. Reuben Choate are the parents of a daughter born July 12th in Cleburne, Texas. The child has been named Jacque Marie and weighed six pounds at birth. The residents.

Mrs. J. C. Velvin, Mrs. Otis Grafa, Mrs. Dewey Strauch and

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Miss Strauch left by plane Friday from Nuevo Laredo for Mexico City, where they will visit a week or 10 days.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Corder have as guests their niece, Mary Ann Canning of San Antonio, who will spend 10 days here as a visitor.

Sgt. Earl Essell, who has been here for the past two weeks visit-

ing with his mother, Mrs. Mary Essell, has returned to his station at McCann general hospital at Walls Walls, Wash. He is in the dental laboratory division.

Sam H. Robison, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Robison, 701 Bell, is among the recent graduates of the army air forces flexible gunnery school at Kingman, Ariz. He entered the army on May 19, 1942.

WAIVES EXTRADITION

PHOENIX, Ariz., July 17 (AP)—Leroy A. Duncan, 40, war plant worker, today waived extradition to Amarillo, where he faces a charge of participating in the robbery of the Berger postoffice.

Benjamin Franklin waged a vigorous campaign to have the turkey, rather than the eagle, designated as the national emblem.

The electric shock of a torpedo fish can disable a man temporarily.

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most unrealistic of all. They haven't felt or seen the future in the ancient parts of the world where people are throwing off the old ways and aspiring to education and health and liberty. It is time for us to define much more clearly than we have yet done exactly what we think of fascism. Do we really believe in freedom? Freedom within our own society as well as without?

Are we prepared to ask the Admiral Darlans of the future what they think of freedom? It is time for us to decide, at least in some general way, whether we are going to commit ourselves to staying with this war until it has been really won, in a lasting peace and not just in an armistice.

Are our leaders prepared to ask us this question? Are they prepared to take the responsibility of leadership in this direction, and are they prepared to make the political issues of the war clear and open so that people can decide what they are fighting for?

One War, One World. It is time for us to decide, finally, whether this war is one war and this world one world. Are we prepared to stand up for our decision on this, to our enemies and to our allies?

Are we prepared to start educating ourselves and others in the unpalatable facts of what this will mean in sacrifices, in adjustments, in willingness to pay—in money, in discipline, in national pride—for peace so that we will not have to pay, incalculably more heavily, for another war?

Anyone who has read "One World" knows my own answers to these questions.

He also knows my deep conviction that millions of men all over the world will rise and follow leaders who help these answers become slogans and battle-cries.

The American people, unless I miss my guess, are not likely to be laggards in an enterprise as great as this. (The Register and Tribune Syndicate)

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ing from one to two years in the time for filing suits with the U. S. Court of Claims for damage to oyster growers upon private or leased lands or bottoms arising from dredging operations in connection with river and harbor improvements.

Discussing a bill to equalize disability benefits to Army officers, Congressman Poage, observed: "The only reason in the world why there is a distinction between a private, and a major, or lieutenant, or full general is simply because we have built up a social system under which the officer is at more expense and has established a more extensive standard of living than the private. The life of an officer is not worth any more than the life of a private, and the life of an officer, if he loses it, is not any more valuable to him than the leg of a private."

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