

Jap Cabinet Has Important Meeting As MacArthur's Men Sweep Onward

GUMBINNEN FALL IMMINENT

Nazis Evacuate Civilians From Soviet's Path

LONDON, Oct. 27 (AP)—Fall of the important East Prussian communications center of Gumbinnen appeared imminent today as the Germans announced evacuation of the civilian population from the path of onrushing Soviet forces.

A Moscow communique declared last night that the Red army had captured Gumbinnen, four miles southeast of Gumbinnen, and Guddin, seven miles east of the city.

Unconfirmed reports reaching here from Moscow asserted that the Russians now were believed fighting in the outskirts of Gumbinnen, a city of 15,000 to 20,000. Gumbinnen is 66 miles southeast of the provincial capital of Konigsberg.

An American commentator, speaking over the Moscow radio, reported that German civilians already were fleeing Konigsberg in panic.

The Russian communique said the Germans were offering fierce resistance in East Prussia as the Red army battled its way forward along the Kaunas-Konigsberg highway in hand to hand fighting in which at least 2,800 more Nazis were slain.

Berlin, also reporting large scale battles, maintained the Russians had lost 900 tanks in 10 days and were being held except for a few dents on an 85-mile front from Augustow in the south to the Niemen river in the north.

Other Russian forces driving through northern Finland captured six localities in the Petsamo area, Moscow said. It added that Soviet planes supporting the Norwegian invasion from Finland had sunk more than a dozen small German ships presumably moving down the Norwegian coast after the fall of the naval base of Kirkenes.

On the south flank of the front, Soviet forces which occupied the Czechoslovakian road junction of Munkacs (Munkacs) yesterday were linked up today in a solid front with other Red army units cutting across northeastern Hungary on conquered Transylvania. This drive has enveloped two-thirds of Hungarian-annexed Ruthenia and taken 15,000 prisoners in two weeks.

Hirohito Approves Jap Reconversion

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 27 (AP)—Tokyo radio reported Emperor Hirohito today hurriedly approved a Japanese reorganization plan to "rejuvenate the machinery for advising the premier."

The change in the advisory system and personnel reflected the impact of military and naval defeats in high administrative quarters.

The announcement by Japan's board of information recorded by the Federal Communications Commission, said "efficient and capable persons" would fill the new posts. It explained the change by saying "the war situation has become more pressing than ever" and managing national affairs has "become more and more delicate."

Eighth Advance Gets Stiff Test

ROME, Oct. 27 (AP)—Eighth army forces advancing up the Po valley along highway 9 toward Bologna have come up against heavy German defenses two miles east of Forli, Allied headquarters announced today.

British and Canadian troops reached the Ronco river on a broad front and at several points patrols crossed the swollen stream but were withdrawn following sharp German counterattacks with tanks.

Vanguard Eighth army units advanced two miles nearer the Adriatic coast and put a bridgehead across the Bevano river on highway 16 at a point six miles below the city.

However, heavy rain fell over both the Eighth and Fifth army fronts and generally impeded progress in all sectors. In the central sector below Bologna, in one area it was necessary to transport supplies first five miles by jeep, then five miles by mule and four miles by infantrymen.

American troops on Mount Belmonte threw back a heavy German counterattack and other doughboys captured El Poggio and Mount Mezzano, west of Veduggio.

Thus far, \$20,930 has been raised toward a \$28,890 quota. Among unreported sections is that from the Big Spring Bombardier School and all rural communities except Coahoma, which is the only community in the entire county which has met its quota.

One of the biggest boosts to the campaign came with a report from Couden Petroleum Corp., McEwen said. Couden employees raised \$1,352 and the company matched the amount, bringing the total to \$2,704 from that source, according to a statement made by Jack Y. Smith. This pulled the drive out of the doldrums and put it within easy striking distance of the goal, the chairman added.

Several block chairmen have not yet reported on results, according to McEwen, and G. H. Hayward, special gifts chairman, said that more contacts in this division were yet to be made. McEwen urged all workers to delay no longer in completing contacts. "Just a little sacrifice of time and effort now will put us over the top," he said, "and make good on our obligation to the national war fund, the Boy and Girl Scouts and to the Salvation Army."

Wichita Plant Is Damaged By Fire

WICHITA FALLS, Oct. 27 (AP)—Damage estimated at more than \$500,000 was caused last night as fire, attributed to an infra-red ray drying lamp, swept through a major unit of the Wichita Engineering company plant here.

Estimate of the damage was made by Houston Bolin, president of the war plant. The fire started in the paint processing room of the fragmentation and anti-personnel bomb department while 30 employees were in the building. Flames spread rapidly but other units were not damaged.

Bolin said the plant was owned by the government and is leased to the company for operation.

For the second time, a Big Spring man is among the graduates. He is John H. Day, 806 Gregg. Other Texans in the class include James E. Goodale, Cleburne; James C. Stufflefield, Antelope; James D. Todd, Tyler; Milford G. Freudenberg, Luling; Robert D. Means, Borger; Daniel Spelling, McKinney.

Col. Ralph C. Rockwood, commanding officer, will award the silver wings after administration of the oath of office by Capt. Pierre W. Curle. Cadet Wing Commander W. B. Roysse of Kansas City, Mo., will respond. Other class officers include C. E. Williams, Bangor, Pa., wing adjutant; R. L. Bartel, Columbus, O., wing supply; J. F. Horsey, Jr., Coatsville, Pa., senior member cadet honor council; J. M. Naberezny, Youngstown, O., squadron commander; T. K. Rayburn, Ithaca, Mich., squadron adjutant; M. W. Sager, Lodi, Wis., first sergeant, and W. D. Myers, Jackson Heights, L. I., N. Y.

HOSPITAL INMATE MISSING Officials of the Big Spring State hospital report that Florencio Betolas was discovered to be missing about 8:15 a. m. Friday morning. Betolas is 42 years old, is five feet and five inches tall, weighs approximately 135 pounds. At the time of his disappearance he was wearing blue checked trousers, a khaki shirt, felt hat and a blue jacket. His home is in Pecos.

Also the navy disclosed for the first time by name, the commissioning of two big new battleships, the Wisconsin and Missouri, and two battle cruisers (a new type of ship described unofficially as "pocket battleships"), and eight new cruisers.

American Losses In Naval Fight Total Six Ships

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27 (AP)—American losses in defeating the Japanese navy in the battle of the Philippines totaled six warships—the aircraft carrier Princeton, two escort carriers, two destroyers and a destroyer escort.

Names of the vessels, except the Princeton, which were lost in sinking or damaging at least 27 Japanese warships, were not disclosed in the Navy's brief communique today, pending notification of next of kin of casualties aboard the ships.

No details, the Navy said, are yet available on circumstances of the loss of the ships, which probably carried a total of about 3,900 men.

A large portion of this total personnel was aboard the light carrier Princeton from which Admiral Chester W. Nimitz, Pacific fleet commander, has said more than 1,300 officers and men were rescued.

Japanese losses in the battle which cost the six ships, with official reports still incomplete are: Two carriers, five cruisers and one battleship definitely sunk; one carrier and two battleships probably sunk; and seven battleships, four cruisers, four destroyers and "several" more destroyers damaged. This makes a total of 26 plus the "several destroyers."

Another cruiser subsequently was reported hit, bringing the toll to 27.

Navy Plans Call For Jap Beating

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27 (AP)—The navy, Secretary Forrestal says, has one big aim in the Pacific war — "To wipe the Japanese shadow from the map once and for all."

New steps toward achieving that aim, he said in a radio address last night, "are impending."

Forrestal stated: "Other blows are in preparation and some will be dealt in the near future. From now on, the Japs at sea and in the air and on the land are going to be hit plenty and often."

EX-DICTATOR ARRESTED ATHENS, Oct. 26 (Delayed) (AP)—A Greek government announcement said today that 66-year-old Theodoros Pangalos, former dictator of Greece, had been arrested on a charge of collaboration with the axis.

Senator O'Daniel Openly Admits Regular Preference In Talk Here

W. Lee O'Daniel, junior senator from Texas, came out flatly for the Texas regulars presidential electors in an address before nearly a thousand people at the municipal auditorium Thursday evening.

Hampered somewhat by a Texas State Network broadcast of the first half of his program, the senator hit his old time stride with music, talk and showmanship mixed. The Texas regulars, anti-Roosevelt faction of the democratic party in Texas, had announced over the weekend that Sen. O'Daniel would stump the state under their auspices, but the senator had avowed in his previous addresses that his talks were non-political.

He was interested in "helping the New Deal out," he said with dramatic pause — "and I mean OUT." He reiterated his claim that the present administration was working toward a dictatorship and that "foreign born Sidney Hillman (chairman of the CIO Political Action Committee)" would control the government. Sen. O'Daniel spoke frequently of Hillman's foreign birth.

The administration, he contended, has been working away from the original precepts of democratic form of government under which the United States was established.

"The easy thing would have been for me to go along," O'Daniel declared, "but there is not enough money in the whole world to buy my support for the New Deal."

His prepared address was preceded and followed by music from his famous hillbilly band, playing his composition, "God Save America."

In the latter part of the program, however, he spoke extemporaneously on his philosophy of government and paused now and then to mix in some music with good effect. Afterwards, the senator asked if there were questions and some came from the audience. Throughout the evening his remarks were interspersed with cheers and boos.

Arrangements for his appearance here were made by a citizens committee to extend courtesies of the city to the senator. From Big Spring Sen. O'Daniel went to San Angelo for an address Friday afternoon.

Enemy Air Force Not Eliminated By Destruction

By LEONARD MILLIMAN Associated Press War Editor

The Japanese cabinet met today to discuss "matters requiring immediate attention"—possibly to hear that the imperial fleet was irreparably damaged in the three-fold Japanese naval battle.

Sweeping new gains of MacArthur's men in the Philippines, a startling 60-mile advance by a Japanese column in China, and a Tokyo claim that 42 Superforts were destroyed at their Chinese base may also have been on the cabinet agenda.

Official accounts of the engagements disclosed that the Japanese air force in the Philippines has not been eliminated, despite the destruction of more than 1,800 Japanese planes since Oct. 9 when pre-invasion air raids got underway. In the last few days Adm. Chester W. Nimitz and General MacArthur have reported the destruction of 282 enemy planes in the Philippines.

On Leyte itself American ground forces established firm control over 40 miles of the east coast. And they patrolled both shores of narrow San Juanes Strait leading to the inland sea.

Infantrymen are still eliminating Japanese on the Leyte side of the strait while First division cavalrymen patrol the opposite shore on Samar Island.

Junction of the 10th and 24th army corps at Tanauan, midway down the invaded Leyte east coast, consolidated American forces from the north and south. Fifteen more native communities were liberated, mostly in the southern valley.

Strongpoints at Buri and the Catmon hills in the center of the invaded area were eliminated but increasing opposition was reported in the north as the 24th division pushed west from Palo.

Japanese troops captured the important communications center of Ninyuan in southeast China, advancing an eight-day, 60-mile advance, protecting their flank 110 miles east of Kweilin. Chinese gained nearly ten miles on the right flank.

Indian troops attacked a Japanese concentration blocking their advance from Tiddim in southwest Burma, precipitating sharp continuing fighting.

China-based American Liberators probably sank a transport and a freighter, and damaged a small tanker in the South China sea near the Luchow peninsula.

Other newly reported air raids included seven strikes in two days at the Kurile Islands north of Japan, and two attacks on two islands 750 miles south of Tokyo.



JAP TANK OBSTACLE REMOVED—A Jap truck (center) which was used as a tank obstacle, is removed from a street in Tacloban, Leyte capital, by civilians of the Philippine island, to permit passage of an American 'duck' (left background). (AP Wirephoto from Signal Corps Radiophoto).

British Make Advances

Commons Hears Churchill Report 'Working Agreement' With Soviet

LONDON, Oct. 27 (AP)—Prime Minister Churchill told commons today "a very good working agreement" had been reached with Russia on the problems of southeastern Europe, but acknowledged his efforts to end the Russian-Polish dispute, prime objective of his mission to Moscow, had not proved successful.

Likening himself to a wandering minstrel of diplomacy, Churchill said he and President Roosevelt should confer with Marshal Stalin before the year ends. But he declared that "all is solid, sure and sound" among the three Allies.

The prime minister summed up the results of his conferences with Stalin as "highly satisfactory" and underscored the necessity for dispersing misunderstandings and forestalling them before they occur.

"I am quite sure," he added, "that no final result can be obtained until the heads of the three governments have met together, as I earnestly trust they may do before this year is out."

In one of the shortest reports he has ever made after a major conference, Churchill spoke only about 30 minutes. Commons granted his previously expressed plea that it refrain from using the report as the basis for a general policy debate.

He touched but briefly upon the military situation. Asserting that "we are in the last lap" of the European war, Churchill declared:

"Let all hope die in German breasts that there will be the slightest division or weakening among the forces that are crowding in upon them and will crush the life out of their resistance."

While he said recognition of the French provisional government heralded return of France to "her rightful and historic role on the world stage," Churchill declared that the future of the world in the next few years depends upon united action by the United States, Russia and Britain.

"Other countries," he said, "will be associated, but the future depends on the union of the three most powerful allies. If that fails all falls; if that succeeds a broad future for all nations may be assured."

He frankly acknowledged that a solution had not been reached in the long dispute between Russia and Poland.

It's A Sticky Business

KANSAS CITY, Oct. 27 (AP)—W. G. (Billy) Hutson, proprietor of a Kansas City Bar, received a letter from J. R. Ward, who operates the Horse and Jockey Tavern, Bath, England, which said:

"One of your customers is a frequent visitor to the Horse and Jockey. Could you tell me how I can get chewing gum off my floor? It seems to stick pretty hard."

Hutson replied he had no "definite solution."

VON MODEL'S MEN CHARGE BRITISH HOLLAND SALIENT

By WILLIAM FRYE LONDON, Oct. 27 (AP)—Lt. Gen. Sir Miles C. Dempsey's five-day British offensive surged toward the Maas (Meuse) today in a three-mile advance which undercut the doomed enemy citadel of Tilburg in Holland.

Dempsey's armor knifed forward to Loon op Zand, four miles north of Tilburg, cutting the German's main escape route, and was riding roughshod over badly armed German rear guards.

Field Marshal Gen. Walter von Model's forces "face the grave prospect of a sequel to the Falaise Gap debacle that resulted in the annihilation of Von Kluge's German Seventh army in the Normandy campaign," said Associated Press Correspondent Roger D. Greene in a dispatch from the front.

While long columns of British armor, guns and men surged through the mud in the westward push past 'S Hertogenbosch and behind Tilburg, Canadian forces farther west put fresh momentum into their campaign on both sides of the Schelde in the drive to open Antwerp to Allied troops.

Thousands of British amphibious tanks employed in numbers on the front swarmed across the three to five-mile Schelde in a fog-shrouded dawn yesterday and established a seven-mile-square beachhead on Dutch Beveland Island guarding the north side of the river.

Continued pressure but not significant progress was reported by the communique along the remainder of the west front. North of Aachen, units of the American First army made minor gains against stubborn opposition.

Northeast of Lunevill, the Germans were cleared out of the Moncourt forest and the high ground to the north, and several German counterattacks in this sector were repulsed. Slight progress was reported also northeast of Epinal and in the Vosges mountains.

Mexican Import And Export Tariffs High

MEXICO CITY, Oct. 27 (AP)—Customs Administrator Rafael M. Pedraza of Nuevo Laredo reported today to President Manuel Avila Camacho that import and export tariff receipts have increased heavily in that port-of-entry. In September the receipts totaled 12,000,000 pesos (about \$2,400,000), "comparable only to pre-war receipts at Vera Cruz."

The president authorized the agriculture department to send 10,000 eucalyptus trees for reforestation of areas near Nuevo Laredo.

Navy Observes 169th Anniversary Today

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27 (AP)—The United States Navy proudly celebrated its 169th anniversary today, all hands jubilant over what may prove to be its biggest victory in battle.

Exultation is evident throughout the navy as word spreads of the crushing defeat handed the Japanese navy by the Pacific fleet. But with it all there is a note of caution, from Navy Secretary Forrestal himself, who said last night that despite blasting of "30-odd Japanese warships" the enemy still has a sizeable fleet.

Unofficial figures show that this fleet may total as many as 175 warships of all types, excluding submarines, and Forrestal says formally:

"Many remaining ships—a sizeable fleet in themselves—remain afloat, more or less seriously damaged. As we know from our own experience crippled vessels



Vice Admiral Thomas Kincaid aided Navy Day celebrations with his Seventh Fleet victory in Philippine naval battle.

may be able to limp to port, undergo repairs and come out and fight again. Therefore, although the temporary damage which we have inflicted upon the Japanese navy is heavy, they may be able eventually to repair a part of that damage."

Regardless of the final count, there seems to be agreement that the Japanese fleet is crippled and never again can hope for any degree of success in a large scale naval engagement. It must confine itself to harassment of American convoys and small naval units.

One naval officer expressed much of the general elation of the navy at the Japanese "cooperation" in bringing about the Philippines battle, by declaring:

"The Japs really gave us something to celebrate on this navy day."

Similar opinions came from others in Washington, and the sense of security and strength



Rear Admiral Jesse Oldendorf commanded the battlewagons in the recent engagement with Japanese forces, contributing to the Navy Day observance.

built up by the fact that the navy is the strongest in world history daily becomes more evident.

Outstanding as an example of the confidence of high naval officers in the strength and power of the fleet is the release for the first time of resumes of battle history of 103 major warships—and the naming of their commanding officers and oceans in which they operated as of the middle of August.

These resumes show that at least 16 battleships and 37 cruisers are on Pacific duty, and at least four battleships and 19 cruisers were in the Atlantic area at the time of the invasion of southern France.

Also the navy disclosed for the first time by name, the commissioning of two big new battleships, the Wisconsin and Missouri, and two battle cruisers (a new type of ship described unofficially as "pocket battleships"), and eight new cruisers.

United Council Of Church Women Meet At Church

New Officers Installed; Reports Read

The United Council of Church Women met at the Presbyterian Church Thursday afternoon for a business meeting and social. Mrs. Bernard Fisher, president, presided during the business meeting. She opened with a piece of poetry entitled "Life." Mrs. H. H. Haynes gave the opening prayer. The president gave a report of the welfare committee and appointed a committee to appear before the Parent-Teachers Association and present the plan for a play ground and ask the organization to assist them financially. The committee consisted of Mrs. A. Joseph as chairman, Mrs. C. T. Clay, and Mrs. W. J. Alexander.

The nominating committee presented the name of Mrs. Martin Dehlinger as vice-president of the Council. The annual report of the president was read and accepted. Mrs. F. H. Talbot gave the annual report of the treasurer and it was accepted.

New officers were installed by Rev. Clyde H. Smith. Officers were: president, Mrs. R. L. Carpenter; vice-president, Mrs. C. T. Clay; treasurer, Mrs. V. Van Gieson.

The committees appointed were program chairman, Mrs. Cecil Wasson, and Mrs. G. W. Hall; welfare committee, Mrs. J. O. Tamsett, and Mrs. W. G. Wilson Jr.; international relations committee chairman, Mrs. Joe Fisher, Mrs. T. S. Currie, and Mrs. Harry Lees; china relief committee, Mrs. Bernard Fisher chairman; Lepers relief, Mrs. W. J. Alexander; migrants relief, Mrs. C. W. Deats; bible class, Mrs. D. A. Koons; reporter and registrar, Mrs. F. G. Powell.

At the close of the business meeting Mrs. V. Van Gieson gave a talk of appreciation for the work Mrs. Fisher has done for the past two years as president.

DeAlva McAllister gave a vocal solo "The Lord's Prayer." Mrs. Ernest Hock also sang a solo, both were accompanied by Mrs. J. P. Kenney.

Refreshments were served and others attending were Mrs. E. M. Conrad, Mrs. Willard Read, Mrs. Y. D. McMurray of Colorado City, Mrs. J. M. Faucett, Mrs. N. Brenner, Mrs. James E. Moore, Mrs. Marian Sims, Mrs. L. A. Roby, Mrs. B. Eckhaus, Mrs. C. A. Schull, Mrs. L. S. McDowell, Mrs. D. T. Evans, Mrs. R. D. Urey, Mrs. Albert Smith, Mrs. James T. Brooks and Mrs. E. L. Barrick.

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by Alice Brooks

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Bar-B-Q Dinner To Be At Country Club

The Big Spring Ladies Golf Association buffet barbecue to be held Saturday evening at 7 at the Big Spring Country Club, is expected to bring together one of the largest gatherings at the club this year, as it is open to all club members and their guests, and will be followed by an evening of dancing and fun.

The barbecue will be prepared by Sam Stamps, who is very well known to lovers of barbecue in Big Spring, and will be accompanied by other very desirable eatables, according to the ladies of the association.

The ladies are anxious to have the newer residents of Big Spring in attendance, and hope that members will bring many of them as their guests.

Girl Scout Rally

A city-wide rally of Girl Scouts will mark the opening of National Girl Scout week beginning October 30th.

The rally will be the feature event in the week-long series of special Girl Scout activities honoring Juliette Lowe, founder of the organization. The rally will be held on the Big Spring high school campus beginning at 7 o'clock Saturday night. A bonfire and group singing will be staged.

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Royal Neighbors Meet At WOW Hall

The Royal Neighbors met at the W.O.W. Hall Thursday afternoon for a regular business meeting. Vice Orle Wright presided. The national conference which will be in Dallas was discussed. Four members from Big Spring will go as representatives. They are Mrs. Alma Buzbee, Mrs. Alice Wright, Mrs. Myrtle Orr, and Mrs. Cleo Byers. The conference will be November 2nd and 3rd.

Those attending were Mrs. Wright, Mrs. Orr, Mrs. Ozelle Ausmus, Mrs. Buzbee, Mrs. Erma Wilson, and Mrs. Byers.

Reapers Class Has Halloween Party

The Reapers Class of the East 4th Baptist church had a Halloween party Thursday in the home of Mrs. Dillard Driggers, with Mrs. J. W. Uroan as co-hostess.

The devotional was read by Mrs. Allen Wiggins, and games were played. Plate favors were cats and pumpkins to carry out the color scheme used throughout the house.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Edith Telford, Mrs. Monelle Riddle, Mrs. Bob Sanderson, Mrs. Jack Derring, Mrs. Frank Martin, Phillips Daine, Mr. and Mrs. Driggers and Zolaine.

Hearty Meatless Meal

By CHARLOTTE ADAMS

Baked Acorn Squash
Stuffed Tomatoes
Baked Potatoes
Corn Bread
Ice Cream Pie

(Recipes Serve Four)

Stuffed Tomatoes
4 large, firm tomatoes
1-2 cup dry bread-crumbs
1-2 cup soft breadcrumbs
1-4 cup margarine
1-2 cup boiling water
1-2 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon poultry seasoning
1 tablespoon coarsely chopped anchovies

Melt margarine in boiling water. Cut tops from tomatoes and hollow out a pocket in each. Combine all other ingredients and stuff tomatoes with the mixture. Place in shallow baking dish with a little water in the bottom to keep them from sticking, and bake at 375 degrees about a half hour, or until stuffing is lightly browned on top.

Ice Cream Pie
2 tablespoons melted margarine
1 tablespoon sugar
3-4 cup finely crushed corn flakes
1 tablespoon water

Add margarine to corn flakes, tossing lightly to mix. Dissolve sugar in water and sprinkle over corn flake mixture, tossing lightly again. Press into bottom and sides of an eight or nine inch pie plate. Bake at 375 degrees eight to ten minutes. Cool. When ready to serve, fill with one pint fruit flavored ice cream.

Pellagra Is Serious Threat To Public

In a communication to the Big Spring-Howard county health unit state health officials stated recently that even though pellagra is an incommunicable disease, it is of concern to them since many people die of it each year.

The symptoms of the disease are sore mouth, stomach trouble and reddening and scaling of the skin, according to Dr. George W. Cox, state health officer. He pointed out that pellagra is not contagious and can be completely prevented if the right kinds of foods are included in the daily diet. These foods include milk, meat, whole wheat products, yeast, salmon, tomatoes and fresh fruits and vegetables.

Service Topic

Services will be held at 11 a. m. Sunday at 217 1-2 Main by the Christian Science congregation and the topic is to be "Everlasting Punishment." Citation from the Mary Baker Eddy text is on page 311, from the Bible, Ezekiel 18:21 and the Golden Text comes from Lamentations 3:39, 40.

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Social Calendar Of Events For Week

FRIDAY
WOODMEN CIRCLE will meet at the W.O.W. hall at 8 p. m.

Are You Tired Of Politics? Well Here Is A New Field For Debating

By JAMES MARLOW
WASHINGTON, Oct. 27 (AP)—If you're fed up on politics, you can argue about this:

Should an auto driver be compelled to carry liability insurance before he has an accident? Or should he be compelled to prove he can pay damages only after he has an accident?

This problem may bob up in a number of state legislatures next year. Here's the story:

The national conference on street and highway safety, back in 1926, helped draw up a "uniform vehicle code." This was a model

Personal Items From Knott

Mrs. Jewel Allred entertained Monday night in the home of Mrs. W. A. Burchell honoring Mr. and Mrs. Edward Burchell with a bridal shower and a farewell party. Games furnished entertainment and a prize was given Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Gaskin for being married longer than any couple there.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Allred, Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Spaulding, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Wilborn and family, Mrs. Roy Phillips and son, Mrs. J. W. Fryar, Jr., and children, Miss Floy Long and R. L. Stallings.

Pvt. Edward Burchell left Tuesday afternoon for Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., where he is stationed in the air corps. His wife left Wednesday morning for Rock Springs to be with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Long.

The Home Demonstration club met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Paul Adams. A demonstration was given on meal service. Miss Rheba Boyles, home demonstration agent, gave the demonstration. A business meeting followed and Mrs. Paul Adams reported on the council delegate achievement day for Knott which will be Nov. 8 at 10 a. m.

Plans were discussed for the county club exhibit to be Nov. 4 in Big Spring. It was decided to have a community booth. Officers were elected for the coming year in order for the names of the new officers to be placed in the yearbook. The officers were: president, Mrs. Joe Meyers; vice president, Mrs. O. R. Smith; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. O. B. Gaskin; council delegate, Mrs. Paul Adams; reporter, Mrs. J. T. Gross; program chairman, Mrs. Hershel Smith; demonstrators were clothing, Mrs. Joe Meyers; fruit production, Mrs. E. L. Roman; lard, Mrs. J. T. Gross; recreational leader, Mrs. E. L. Adams. The next meeting will be with Mrs. O. B. Gaskin on Nov. 23.

Those from Knott who attended the Baptist workers conference at Forsan last Thursday were Mrs. Roy Phillips, Mrs. O. R. Smith, Mrs. K. L. Click and Mrs. E. J. Roman.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Anderson were in Seagraves on business last Wednesday.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bearden recently were his mother, Mrs. Sally Bearden, and his sister, Mrs. Bill Smith and children and his sister-in-law, Mrs. Alene Bearden and baby, all of Colorado City.

Ruth Pierce of Midland spent the weekend with Marjorie Smith of Elbow. The girls attended college together at Sul Ross.

Mrs. Davie L. Brasier of Honey Grove is visiting here with her daughter, Mrs. Jim Murphy and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Smith and family of Bakerfield, Calif., left Saturday for their home after visiting here with his mother, Mrs. J. P. Smith and other relatives. They returned by way of Oklahoma City to visit Mrs. Smith's sister.

T/Sgt. Morris Smith left Monday night for his new station at Scott Field, Ill.

The 4-H club girls met Monday afternoon with 24 members present. Their new yearbooks were received and they discussed how to set the table and serve a meal.

That a driver—convicted of a major traffic offense and against whom a court judgment had been rendered for an accident—would suffer suspension of his license until he had paid the judgment or made provision against future liability by taking out insurance.

More than 40 states had adopted this code in one form or another.

You see what this means: A driver didn't have to prove financial responsibility until he had a bad traffic record or lost a court suit.

But now the committee wants to change that a bit. What the committee says now is this: Not only a driver who causes damage—but the person whose car is damaged—must show financial responsibility after an accident.

You can argue: Doesn't this arrangement put an unfair burden on the safe driver? For instance: You make \$10,000 a year. You're a safe driver. You've never had an accident. And you've never had insurance. But if you had an accident, you could pay whatever damages were found against you.

But here's John Jones. He makes \$18 a week. He has no money in the bank. And he has no insurance. He couldn't pay any damages against him. He drives an old jalopy. He drives into your parked car.

After that happens—before Jones is convicted or ordered by court to pay damages—you have to post a bond showing you can pay damages although in this case you know you were innocent.

And Jones, who really doesn't care whether his driver's license is revoked, not only doesn't have insurance but doesn't bother to post bond. In other words: You're stuck. So the irresponsible driver would fare better than the careful motorist.

The various groups which make up the conference will try to make state legislatures—most of them meet in 1945—see things their way and pass laws accordingly.

There'll probably be sturdy fights in the legislatures—if they listen to this proposal at all—before anything is done about it.

Editors In Quandary With No Reporters

CORSICANA, Oct. 27 (AP)—"Plenty of editors, but no reporters," the Corsicana Sun informed its readers in a front page story yesterday.

"Technically, for the first time in the history of this publication, the Corsicana Sun is without a reporter," said the Sun.

"Editors clutter up the place—but not one person with the title of reporter. The last reporter quit yesterday."

"The Sun staff boasts an editor, telegraph editor, sports editor, society editor, and a proof reader. 'Looks like the big shot executives will have to take their feet off their respective desks and go to work."

"It's mighty tough, though, for the editors not to have at least one reporter to boss."

Mrs. Alice Phillips returned Thursday from a stay of several weeks in Dallas, Fort Worth and Baird.

Presbyterian Men Of District 2 Meet

Representatives from Colorado City, Midland, Odessa, Coahoma and Big Spring Presbyterian Men of District 2 met at the First Presbyterian church Thursday evening for a conference and dinner.

Rev. William F. Foster of Lubbock presided. He is the Presbyterian's director of religious education. Rev. Thomas Currie, pastor of the Ridgela Presbyterian church of Fort Worth gave the main address.

Dinner was served to more than 55 representatives by the women of the Big Spring Presbyterian church.

Mrs. Dee Foster Jr. Honored With Shower

Mrs. D. J. Sheppard and Mrs. Tom McAdams honored Mrs. Dee Foster, Jr., with a pink and blue shower in the Sheppard home Thursday evening. Games were played and gifts presented to the honoree.

The color scheme was carried out in flowers and plate decorations. Refreshments of pumpkin pie, coffee and nuts were served to Mrs. J. N. Caudle, Mrs. Eugene Compton, Mrs. Donald Anderson, Mrs. D. R. Gartin, Mrs. Guy Mitchell, Mrs. Otis Wilson, Mrs. D. F. Bigony, Mrs. Bennett Reeves, Mrs. Dee Carter, Mrs. Herbert Reeves, Mrs. Bernard Reeves, Mrs. Dick Biddison, Mrs. Johnny Garrison, Mrs. Paul McDonald, Mrs. Joe B. Neal, Mrs. E. F. Fleener, Mrs. Neal Bumgarner, Mrs. Dee Foster, Sr., Mrs. Gene Crenshaw, the honoree and the hostess.

Show To Observe Children's Night

Tonight is children's night at the Harry Craig Shows and Carnival immediately west of town on highway 80, and all school children are to be admitted to grounds simply by identifying himself and his school to the gatekeeper.

Harry Craig, Jr., 6, and his dog, Butch, the same age as many of those expected to attend is to be official host along with several other youngsters whose families are with the carnival and who have been attending school here this week. In addition to the children's night event, there is to be a "kiddies matinee" Saturday.

Regional Meeting To Be Saturday

The Delta Kappa Gamma society will hold their regional meeting at the Settles hotel October 28 at 12:45. Luncheon will be served in room 1.

Cadet Dance Sat. Night

Girls wishing to go to the cadet dance Saturday night be at the Settles hotel at 9 o'clock for transportation.

Former Pastor Visits

The Rev. C. E. Lancaster, San Saba, paused here Thursday noon while enroute to Amarillo to re-enter the veterans hospital for a check. He has been confined to his bed for several months while undergoing treatments. Rev. Lancaster was formerly pastor of the First Baptist church here.

Admiral Mason Says Japs Not Whipped

CORPUS CHRISTI, Oct. 27 (AP) Rear Admiral Charles P. Mason says he believes the Japanese navy which lost at least 32 ships in a three-day Pacific battle with the U. S. fleet hasn't been whipped yet.

The commandant of the Naval Air Training Base here told the Rotary club yesterday the Nip navy "probably still includes more ships than the U. S. had after Pearl Harbor" and we weren't whipped then.

Mason, who commanded the U. S. S. Hornet when it was sunk in the battle of Santa Cruz, said in his estimate the Japanese still have afloat ten battleships, twelve carriers, 30 cruisers and at least 100 destroyers despite their losses.

Although he said there is a "tough job ahead," Mason predicted the U. S. navy in time would wipe out the enemy fleet and make possible the defeat of Japan without invasion.

S 2-c Barchie Ray Fletcher has returned to San Diego after spending his leave with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fletcher of Coahoma and relatives in Big Spring.

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Yanks Make Themselves At Home To Give Aachen Fall Housecleaning

By HAL BOYLE
AACHEN, Germany, Oct. 19 (Delayed) (AP)—You have "bankers' hours" in street fighting but it is too much like trying to box Joe Louis to be any fun—one slip and you are through.

You have to work only from 7 a. m. until about 4 p. m. when you knock off for the day and set up night outpost guards. It seems like that 4 o'clock whistle will never blow though when you are sweating out a sniper's bullet from every doorway, window ledge and rubble heap.

"It's the guy you never see who gets you," is the first rule of street fighting. So you keep your eyes peeled.

The trapped Nazi garrison knew the cause was lost and fought chiefly to delay rather than avert American occupation of Aachen, which was inevitable. The army got splendid training at relatively slight cost in the type of the close-quarter fighting which may become much more deadly as the Allied armies leap-frog deeper into Germany.

It was as pretty a sight as watching a pack of bird dogs flush quail to see how smoothly tanks and Doughboys worked together to capture hidden Nazis in the ruins of the city, which had been damaged more by earlier Allied bombings than by the wear and tear of street fighting.

As a Sherman tank backed into the street from behind a wall shattered shelling, Staff Sgt. William Stelna, Cleveland, Ohio, ordered a squad of four riflemen to move along with it and pick off any enemy bazooka man who might try to ambush it.

The tank lumbered up within a few yards of a cement wall surrounding the nearest house and blasted a hole in it.

Tenseness spread among the group of waiting figures in the doorway although no enemy had been seen. In a moment they would slip through that hole into the backyard of the first house and begin a long, tedious, room-by-room search of every building in the block. Each man carried an extra bandolier, a rifle, five hand grenades and a day's rations in his pack.

The tank crawled slowly around the corner and down the street, its long snout poised to blow apart any house where Nazis were entrenched in force.

"It's no good—this street fighting," said a squad leader standing next to me in a doorway. "It's hard to keep from getting mixed up with your own men, those streets don't come out as they look on maps. It is not so bad if you drive these Jerries into the basement side. We have been using grenades first. You can give them a gren by truckloads. We toss one in every cellar that looks the least bit suspicious—and this work makes you awful suspicious."

He and his men ran through the blasted wall with the furtive, crouching, flatfooted gait familiar to all infantrymen. The tempo of covering machinegun fire was stepped up. A few seconds later the smothered sound of a grenade burst came from inside the first building.

The Yanks were giving Aachen a good, old-fashioned fall housecleaning.

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Steers Take Ragged 6 To 0 Win From Tahoka Bulldogs

Game Marked With Ragged Work By Both Teams; Cochran Makes TD

Exhibiting very ragged ball before a handful of fans the Big Spring Steers last night took their third win of the current season and sneaked over a touchdown late in the second quarter on the Tahoka Bulldogs to come out with a 6-0 win at the final pistol-shot.

It was in the second quarter that Tahoka moved downfield toward the Big Spring goal only to fumble on the 31 and have it smothered by a fast-charging Steer forward wall. Six plays later Hugh Cochran butted across the double-stripe despite two determined tacklers hanging on his shoulder-pads. It was Cochran and Pete Cook who alternated in every other play to carry the ball from the 31 down to the two before the score. Cook's kick was wide and the ball game ended with that score.

The Bulldogs' first pass after a punt and their first pass was snared by Cochran on the 42. Four plays failed to gain and again the ball changed hands. Then the Bulldogs committed their costly fumble on the 31 after a pass failed to connect and a snappy fake-punt play gained them a first down on that yard marker. From here Big Spring moved on over for the score.

The third quarter saw the ball moved from one end of the field to the other with neither team ever threatening seriously. In the fourth Tahoka made their only serious challenge to a Big Spring win and moved down to the 14-yard line. Here Harris and Bryson charged through the line to smear the ball carrier, knock the ball free and then recover the fumble. That ended Tahoka's chance for a win.

The game ended with both teams making a few nice plays with the Steers' gains offset by bad blocking and penalties, all for nothing.

Starting lineup for the Steers was Huet and Cunningham at ends, Bryan and Harris at tackles, Clinkscales and Rusk at guards, Smith at center, Hardy, Cochran, Cook and McLaren as backs. Subs for the locals were Miller, Barron, Douglas, Robb, Rankin, Richardson, Middleton, Hall and Cooper.

Starting for the invaders were Miller and Hines at ends, Hodge and Busby at tackles, Newton and Dorman at guards, N. Jones at center, and Caraway, Barrington, Miller and Grider in the backfield. Subs for the losers were L. Jones, Lehman, McMillan, McNelly, Bragg, Tippitt, Small, Edwards and Barrington.

Statistics for the game:

BIG SPRING	TAHOKA
10 First Downs	7
3 for 13 Passes	5 for 55
1 for 199 Yards Rushing	4 for 147
18 Yards Lost Rushing	23
4 for 90 Penalties	3 for 10

The Steers have an open date next week, but follow the 10th of November with San Angelo Bobcats here.

Naval Reservists Get Commissions At Texas
AUSTIN, Oct. 27 (AP) — Naval reserve officer training corps students at the University of Texas today include Robert B. Blanton Jr. of Port Arthur, Chandos H. Britton Jr. of McAllen, William B. Estes of Corsicana, Macon Wilson Freeman Jr. of Coleman, Stanley R. Plettman of Port Arthur, and Walter Jacob Pieper Jr. of San Antonio.

Blanton, Britton, Pieper and Plettman also receive bachelor of Business administration degrees.

Navy V-12 trainees completing their courses and receiving degrees include James Gribble of Sherman, civil engineering; Walter C. Yager of Waxahachie, aeronautical engineering; Franklin P. Sebastian Jr. of Dallas, mechanical engineering; and Thomas O. Arnold of Houston, electrical engineering.

LUCKY BIRD
SHELTON, Neb., Oct. 27 (AP) — George N. Mortimer was busy in his machine shop when he heard a fluttering sound, looked up to see a pheasant fly in to pay him a visit.

Mortimer, a collector of guns, hurriedly eyed his 200 weapons and was about to select one to shoot the feathered invader. But he remembered—as the bird flew away—all his guns were unloaded.

Sliding Down The Sports Chute

Well my wild guesses were correct last night as the Steers proved true to form and exhibited their usual game when picked to win. They almost disappointed me by losing that one last night when it was very evident they had the superior team, if they had only started clicking . . . all at the same time.

With that 6-0 game off my hands lets move on to other District Three games tonight.

San Angelo-Odessa: This tops the week's card in this area and should be some battle. If the Bronchos are not keyed up too much and forget football to fight they should give the Bobcats trouble. Angelo by two touchdowns.

Abilene-Midland: Abilene should take this one by as many points as they wish. They have lost a starting back because of grades but they seem to do better when handicapped. Three touchdowns is my smallest estimate.

Sweetwater-Lamesa: Another breeze for the Mustangs. Their reserves will get plenty of practice. However, I do not think they will win by the San Angelo margin but it will be a matter of keeping the score down on Lamesa's part.

In the Southwest let's take a guess and I really went out on three strikes last week: **Texas Tech-West Texas State:** Tech should finally break into the win column with a big margin—four touchdowns.

Texas-Rice: A toss-up with Texas winning the toss. In Houston though and it should be a close one. Walmley vs. Layne and the latter winning by one touchdown.

Texas A&M-North Texas A&M: Screaming for revenge and tasting the bitter dregs of defeat last week the senior college should win for a very safe margin . . . four touchdowns.

TCU-Oklahoma U.: This is a night game with the Sooners due to win in a very close one. Both beat the A&M by one touchdown but the Oklahoma team is much better . . . by one touchdown.

SMU-Tulane: The Green Wave will keep their record going strong with only the Notre Dame loss to mar it. Unless the Mustangs perform a miracle they will lose by three touchdowns.

Arkansas-Mississippi: Arkansas is due to take this one after their loss last week. It will be close and their margin should give them no more than one score better.

That's all for today . . . keep your fingers crossed for my average has six wins out of 11 choices and is dropping fast.
See you . . .

Tech Plays Buffs In Amarillo Game
AMARILLO, Oct. 27 (AP)—Texas Tech and West Texas State, who have built up one of football's best rivalries over a period of 20 years, meet here tonight with the Border conference championship in the balance.

There are only three teams in the conference this year—Tech, West Texas and New Mexico. Tech has not played New Mexico but West Texas State holds a 19-12 decision over the Lobos. Should the Buffs win tonight over Tech they could claim the title. Otherwise it might end in a three-way tie should Tech beat West Texas and lose to New Mexico Nov. 18.

Both squads had injured players with Tech fearful its ace ball-carrier, Walt Schlinkman, would not be able to go all the way. West Texas counted Fullback Curtis Kelley among the casualties. He suffered a dislocated shoulder in the New Mexico game and still favors the hurt, but is due to start tonight.

Mighty Ramblers Get Stiff Test Against 3rd AAF

SAN ANTONIO, Oct. 27 (AP) — Randolph Field's torrid Ramblers are only a couple of first downs short of a mile in yards gained over four opponents this season but Coach Frank Trittico is doing a lot of worrying just the same.

The lieutenant, back with the squad after a week in the hospital, says the Third Air Force, which meets Randolph here tomorrow night, has the psychological advantage.

"They are one of the nation's best squads yet are billed in the underdog role," Trittico said. "It looks like an evenly-matched game."

He pointed to third air force's victories over the Cherry Point Marines and Georgia Pre-Flight, citing the fact that the Gremlins had more success against those teams than did North Carolina Pre-Flight, conquerers of Navy and Duke.

But the fantastic figures Randolph Field has rolled up keep the fans from seeing anything in tomorrow night's game except Randolph Field. The Ramblers have 1,148 yards by land and 586 by air—a total of 1734, just 26 yards short of a mile.

Randolph is ahead of Georgia University's record-breaking offensive of 1942 which averaged 429.5 yards per game, well under the defensive mark against Rushing—with an average of nine yards per game compared to Santa Clara's 1937 record of 25.3—and ahead of Tulsa's 1942 scoring record which was 427 points for the season.

Eleven of Randolph's 31 touchdowns have been on passes, averaging nearly 25 yards, and five others were on runs ranging from 48 yards by Bill Dudley against Texas to 84 by Pete Layden against Camp Park.

The Ramblers' longest scoring pass was from Dudley to Don Looney for 50 yards. Opponents have completed only 32 of 87 aerial attempts and 12 forwards have been picked off by Randolph ball-hawks, two being raced back for touchdowns.

Regents Of University Meet With Three Different Groups In Houston
By DAVE CHEAVENS
HOUSTON, Oct. 27 (AP) — Regents of the University of Texas today open their regular monthly meeting to three different groups that came here with the announced purpose of settling the difference between the board and President Homer P. Rainey.

After delays of more than a year, the regents and Dr. Ralph Himstead, executive secretary of the American Association of University Professors, got together on a date for consideration of the cases of three economics professors who failed of re-election. Dr. Himstead announced also that he would discuss with the regents the "more basic issues" raised in Dr. Rainey's recent statement to the faculty in which he claimed "restrictive measures" had been attempted or imposed by the board or individual members.

Several regents said prior to the meeting that Himstead would be given all the time he needed to present his views. It was anticipated the meeting would occupy most of the two scheduled days, since the board also faced a heavy docket of routine business.

Also in Houston for the session were three members of the state senate's special educational investigating committee, headed by Sen. Penrose Metcalfe of San Angelo. With him were Senators Wardlow Lane of Center and G. C. Morris of Greenville.

Metcalfe said the committee was here to offer its help in any move which would help solve the situation now confronting the University of Texas.

A committee representing the faculty of the university, which earlier this week urged the president and the regents to compose their differences, was also here with authorization to try and bring this about on the basis of educational principles approved by the professors.

Dr. Himstead arrived last night after conferences with members of the University of Texas chapter

Radio Program

Friday Evening
5:00 Terry & the Pirates.
5:15 News.
5:30 Tom Mix.
5:45 Fill Locally.
6:00 Fulton Lewis, Jr.
6:15 The World's Frontpage.
6:30 Invitation to Romance.
6:45 Dance Orchestra.
7:00 Sizing Up the News.
7:15 Sports Whirl.
7:30 Freedom of Opportunity.
8:00 Gabriel Heatter.
8:15 Farm News.
8:30 Double or Nothing.
9:00 Earl Godwin.
9:15 Dance Orchestra.
9:30 Ed Wynn.
10:00 Sign Off.

Saturday Morning
6:30 Musical Clock.
7:00 News.
7:15 Bandwagon.
7:30 News.
7:45 Rhythm Ramble.
8:00 Breakfast Club.
9:00 Fannie Hurst Presents
9:30 What's Cookin'.
9:55 News.
10:00 Chatham Mfg. Co.
10:15 Transatlantic Quiz.
10:30 The Land of the Lost.
11:00 Hello Mom.
11:30 Serenade in Swing Time.
11:45 Between the Lines.

Saturday Afternoon
12:00 Glenn Miller.
12:30 News.
12:45 Eddie Condon's Jazz Concert.
1:00 News.
1:02 Women in Blue.
1:30 Roseland Ballroom Orch.
2:00 News.
2:02 Twenty-one Stars.
2:30 Eddie Condon's Jazz Concert.
3:00 News.
3:02 Horace Heidt's Saturday Revue.
4:00 Headline News.
4:02 Concert Orchestra.
4:45 Hello Sweetheart.
5:00 Bandwagon.

Saturday Evening
5:15 Harry Waiser.
5:30 Soldiers With Wings.
6:00 Fred Waring Show.
6:30 Meet Your Navy.
7:00 Confidentially Yours.
7:15 Yesterday & Today.
7:30 Boston Symphony Orch.
8:00 Dem. Pol.
8:30 Chicago Theatre of the Air.
9:00 Musical Autographs
9:30 Lockheed Aircraft Corp.
10:00 Sign Off.

Schoolboy Battles Open Wide Today

By The Associated Press
Forty high school football teams square off for battle today, with many conference tilts scheduled. The spotlight, however, rests on an inter-district game between Highland Park (Dallas) and Wichita Falls.

Last night Big Spring beat Tahoka 6 to 0; Gladewater whipped Athens 27 to 6; Amon Carter-Riverside (Fort Worth) beat Arlington Heights (Fort Worth) 27 to 6 in a conference game and San Jacinto (Houston) beat Milby of Houston 14 to 7.

Highland Park is the only member of the top ten teams (those ranked by the state's sports writers) facing a dangerous opponent. The Scotties, who rank fourth, meet Wichita Falls at Dallas.

Paschal's Panthers, favorites in the Fort Worth district and one of the nine teams left in Texas with a perfect record, meets Poly, its cross-town rival.

Four of the other eight undefeated, untied, outfits do not have games. North Side (Fort Worth), Sunset (Dallas), Waco, and Austin, all take a rest. Sweetwater meets Lamesa, Tyler tackles Henderson, Goose creek meets South Park (Besumont) and Kerrville plays Corpus Christi.

Second ranking San Angelo plays Odessa.

All-Time Record Set In Calf Roping
NEW YORK, Oct. 27 (AP) — A new all-time Madison Square Garden record for calf roping was set by Jack Show of Roswell, N. M., last night in the championship rodeo at the garden. Shaw's time was 13 2-5 seconds. R. L. Bland, Jr., of Merkel, Tex., was second with 22 seconds and Art Rude of Mangum, Okla., was third with 22 3-5 seconds.

Results of other events included: **Barrel Race**—Won by Dan Fore, Yuma, Ariz., 6 4-5 seconds; second, Claude Morris, Mooreland, Okla.; 7 3-5 seconds; third, George Yardley, Roswell, N. M., 10 2-5 seconds.

Wild Cow Milking—Won by John Bowman, Oakdale, Calif., 26 3-5 seconds; second, Toots Mansfield, Big Spring, Tex., 27 4-5 seconds; third, Everett Bowman, Phoenix, Ariz., 37 2-5 seconds.

Bull Riding—Won by Gerald Roberts, Strong City, Okla.; second, Bob Whitley, Bethel, Okla.; third, Wart Baughman, Archer City, Tex.

FLAINEUR HORSE SECOND
EAGLE PASS, Oct. 27 (AP) — Bell Knight, owned by W. E. Warren of Flainview, took second place here Thursday at races held following the American quarter horse show here. First place in fifth race was won by Peggy, owned by Herndon and Dean, Laguna, Tex.

Herald Classified Ads get results. Phone 728.

Sports

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Ratliff Picks Texas, TCU Frogs, Tulane And Arkansas To Take Wins

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF
Associated Press Sports Editor
A ground attack that has rolled "expert" and give you these selections for Saturday (anticipated crowds in parentheses):
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This is the only conference game for the day. Three of the four other teams have inter-sectional engagements, Texas Christian playing Oklahoma at Oklahoma City in a night tilt, Arkansas going to Memphis to meet Mississippi and Southern Methodist engages Tulane at New Orleans.
Texas A. and M. stays at home to play the North Texas Aggies, who have been on the short end of some top-heavy scores this season.
The Aggies, although losers in two games, are the conference leaders in total offense. The Cadets have gained 960 yards rushing and 526 passing for a total of 1,486 yards in five games.
Ranking second in total offense is Rice with 1,070 yards while Arkansas is third with 915, Texas Christian is fourth with 936, Texas is fifth with 865 and Southern Methodist is last with

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Homicide-Suicide Is Dallas Death Verdict
DALLAS, Oct. 27 (AP) — A verdict of homicide and suicide has been entered by Justice of the Peace W. L. Sterrett in the deaths of Mrs. Vaille King, 59, and her husband, A. N. King, 73, retired East Texas oil man.

Sterrett said two shotgun blasts killed Mrs. King yesterday and then King shot himself with the same weapon.

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Editorial - - -

A Job For The Homefolks

Anyone who has a car can drive it as fast as it will go. There are any number of good reasons for not doing it—the detail of a 30 mile speed limit in town, one of old tires, common sense and a few others, including the one that driving insanely is a good way to take your own life and that of someone else.

Several have said that they avoid streets leading to and from school buildings around the noon hour because they don't fancy human beings are possessed of nine lives reputed to cats. Confusion around schools is a fact—for children, who need some coaching at home as well as at school—are prone to wander across the street oblivious to traffic or else jump into jalopies and show everyone how easy it is to miss the telephone poles and make a corner on a minimum of wheels. Our luck played out a week ago and one wonders if we can always depend on the element of chance pulling us through.

You can't rightly place the blame on students alone. They are young and emotionally unstable. It is perfectly natural for a youngster to take chances most adults would shun. They honestly can't see danger involved unless it is constantly and repeatedly impressed upon them. And as we said before, it is not a job for teachers to do by themselves. It is something Mother and Dad should take a hand in.

Police can, are and should take a hand in the matter, but a talk with son or daughter would make their work much more effective. There's no telling what dividends it will pay.

A Worthy Practice

A move has been started here—and it has worked wonderfully well in some places such as San Angelo and Denison—to make the Howard County Library the beneficiary of books dedicated to the memory of residents who die.

Some volumes already have been added in this manner and if the idea is given sufficient circulation, many, many more outstanding and enduring volumes may be added to the collection.

In Denison the practice has been adopted of dedicating volumes to men in the service. This plan is producing results. We commend it to the people of Howard county.

Books can be lasting memorials. It should be a source of pride to families of deceased and to men in the service that an offering made in their behalf goes on and on in adding to the knowledge and enjoyment of the community.

Washington—

Run On Bonds Goes Out Like Light

By JACK STINNETT

WASHINGTON — It would be most unfair to both the Treasury department and bond holders, too, if I did not report that "run" of cashing in war bonds, which started when the nation's banks were authorized to pick them up from many owners, has gone out like a light.

As a matter of fact, the new system that makes bonds as easy to cash as a counter check has resulted in a decline in the number of bonds cashed in—one of the primary objectives of the Treasury when the system was switched.

In the first week of easy redemptions, bondholders actually cashed in fewer bonds than they had the previous week, although the first few days gave every indication that there was going to be a "run" on the banks. After that it dropped away to nothing and the total for the week was only around \$70,000,000.

The Treasury's officials entrusted with raising funds to finance this gigantic global war are beginning to breathe a little easier for the first time since the preparedness program started.

Although we are on the threshold of another 14 billion dollar bond drive, it may not be necessary to have more than one more before the end of this fiscal year next June 30, and there isn't any great increase in redemptions. The cash demands on the Treasury are dropping rapidly, but they are still staggering, of course, compared to peacetime and the need to meet each war bond quota is no less than it has been.

When Theodore R. Gamble, head of the Treasury's War Finance division, and his associates decided to make the cashing in of bonds a simple matter at tellers' windows of the country's banks, they had two motives: (1) To lift the burden from the Federal Reserve banks and the postoffices, which were the only agencies authorized to cash the bonds but which had manpower

troubles enough of their own without this extra-curricular duty.

(2) To stimulate confidence in the purchase of bonds by making them as easy to turn into needed cash as a withdrawal from a savings account.

Small investors have bought approximately 27 billion dollars of war bonds since the first drive more than three years ago. They have cashed in something less than four billion. Since this is about 14 per cent and the ordinary withdrawals from savings accounts amount to about 20 per cent, Treasury officials feel they no longer have anything to fear on that score.

In the last two drives, the purchases by small investors, however, haven't been completely successful. Particularly in the Fifth War Loan campaign, banks and big purchasers took a larger share, and the small investors a smaller one than the Treasury would have liked to see.

This phase of the Sixth War Loan in November will be closely watched here. If the little investors are actually letting up, Treasury officials and government economists really will be concerned.

For beautiful colored and edible garnishes use your sharp kitchen knife to make carrot sticks, celery curls, and radish roses.

Crossword Puzzle

- ACROSS
1. Clusters
2. Takes exception
3. Snow runner
4. Mountain comb. form
5. Unseen
6. Massachusetts
7. Talks enthusiastically
8. Corroded
9. Compensate
10. Accepts
11. Infatuated
12. Speed contest
13. Mountain ridge
14. Irrigated
15. Roman tyrant
16. Maker of certain foods
17. Compass point
18. Type measures
19. Fathers
20. Note of the scale
21. Grants
22. Tolerates
23. Storm
41. Metal-bearing rocks
42. Brilliant blue star
43. Crowned
44. Franced
45. Turkish name
46. Order of the frogs and toads
51. Stamping form
52. Part of a fish
53. Loves weakly
54. Age
55. Also
56. Build
57. Lair

Grid for crossword puzzle with numbers 1-57.

Health Service Gives 25 Scholarships

AUSTIN, Oct. 27 (AP) — The United States public health service has made available to the University of Texas 25 scholarships for graduate registered nurses who are preparing for teaching and supervising positions in nursing schools.

Miss Emma Pope, assistant professor of nursing, said 10 of the scholarships, providing maintenance tuition and fees, would be made available in the term beginning Nov. 1 and the others would be made available in the spring term. The scholarships are for one term only.

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Word search puzzle with words like HERD, AREA, COME, REL, TINY, TIER, ING, EATS, ITEM, SAP, TAV, RATTLE, SAMARAS, LEO, OPERATIC, ACRE, FED, REDAN, RAW, TRIM, DEROGATE, CUB, SALUTES, SPADES, CAT, PET, HERO, TART, ELI, ORAL, ETUI, NEO, OGRE, ROLL, TEN, FEES, SMOE.

Solution Of Yesterday's Puzzle

- DOWN
1. Wild hog
2. English composer
3. Yachtclub
4. Riddle
5. One of the Muses
6. Change position
7. Utters
8. Says again or differently
9. Contact with a perforated top
10. Flying toy
11. Roman date
12. Proprietor
13. Genus of the maple tree
14. Garden implements
15. Animal that drew for signs
16. Merchandise
17. Harden
18. Variant
19. Small depression
20. Waits for
21. Music under a window
22. Considered
23. Boy attendant
24. Hair mark
25. Meal
26. Abas of east
27. Cause of sea-gully
28. Mammal
29. Canning
30. Preparation
31. Ordinal number
32. And not

Bridge



Ernie Pyle: Dive Bombing By A-36 Invader Planes Is Unforgettable Sight

Editor's Note: This is the 40th of the Ernie Pyle war columns that are being reprinted during Ernie's vacation.

BY ERNIE PYLE IN ITALY, January, 1944 — If you ever heard a dive bombing by our A-36 Invader planes you'd never forget it.

Even in normal flight this plane makes a sort of screaming noise, and when that is multiplied manyfold by the velocity of the dive you can hear the wail for miles.

On the ground it sounds as though they are coming directly down upon you. It is a horrifying thing. The German Stuka could never touch them for sheer frightfulness of sound.

Also, the Stuka has always dived at an angle. But these planes come literally straight down. If you look up and see one a mile above you, you can't tell where it's headed. It could strike anywhere within a mile on any side of you. That's the reason it spreads its terror so wide.

But our pilots have to hand it to the Germans on the ground. They have steeled themselves to stand by their guns and keep shooting. Pilots say the Italians would shoot until the bombs were almost upon them, then dive for their foxholes, and then come out and start shooting again after the bombs had exploded. But not the Germans—they stick to their guns.

Mal Ed Bland, a squadron leader, was telling me about coming suddenly over a hilltop one day and finding a German truck right in his gun sights. Now it's the natural human impulse, when you see a plane come upon you, to dive for the ditch. But the German gunner in this truck swung a gun around and started shooting at Bland. German and American tracer bullets were streaming back and forth in the same groove in opposite directions, almost hitting each other. The German never stopped firing until Bland's six machine guns suddenly chewed the truck into complete disintegration.

Our dive bombers don't have much trouble with German fighters. The reasons are several. For one thing, the Luftwaffe is weak over here now. For another, the dive bombers' job is to work on the infantry front lines, so they seldom get back where the German fighters are. And for another, the Invader is such a good fighter itself that the Jerries aren't too anxious to tangle with it. There have been pilots in this squadron who have finished their allotted missions and gone back to

America without ever firing a shot at an enemy plane in the air. And that's the way it should be, for their job is to dive-bomb, not to get caught in a fight.

For several months the posting period back to America was set at a certain number of missions. Then it was suddenly upped by more than a score. There were pilots here who were within one mission of going home when the order came. So they had to stay and fly a few more months. Some of them never lived to finish the new allotment.

There is an odd psychological factor in the certain number of missions. When pilots get within three or four missions of the finish, they get so nervous they almost jump out of their skins. A good many have been killed on their very last mission.

The squadron leaders wish there were some way they could surprise a man and send him home with still six or eight missions to go, thus sparing him the agony of those last few trips.

Nowhere in our fighting forces is co-operation closer or friendship greater than between Americans and British in the air. I have yet to hear an American pilot make a disparaging remark about a British flier. Our pilots say the British are cooler under fire than we are. The British attitude and manner of speech amuse our pilots, but they're never contemptuous.

They like to listen in on their radios as the RAF pilots talk to each other. For example, one day they heard one pilot call to another:

"I say, old ch— there is a Jerry on your tail."

"Quite so, quite so, thanks very much old man."

And another time, one of our Invaders got shot up over the target. His engine was smoking and his pressure was down and he was losing altitude. He made for the coast all alone, easy meat for any German fighter that might come along. He was just barely staying in the air, and he was a sad and lonely boy indeed.

Then suddenly he heard over his earphones a distinctly British voice saying:

"Cheer up, chicken, we have you."

He looked around and two Spitfires, one on either side, were motoring him back to his home field.

Hollywood—

Holmes Is Successful New Writer

By ROBBIN COONS HOLLYWOOD—The most successful new writer—and talker—in town is Milton Holmes. This may surprise his old high school in Syracuse, N. Y., where he narrowly averted an impasse with his English course.

In three times at bat, Holmes, average in the local literary big league is 1.000. He has written three stories and sold three, all at fancy prices. You may have seen the first of these, "Mr. Lucky" with Cary Grant.

Holmes was running a Beverly Hills tennis club patronized by the elite of Hollywood. He worked four months, 16 hours a day, to finish "Mr. Lucky." One of his tennis pals was Billy Wilder, writer and director. Wilder read, criticized and underwrote the novella. Holmes turned over to Wilder every ten pages he wrote, and Billy advanced him \$75 or \$100 to see him through the next ten. He owed Wilder \$875 when the story was finished, and Wilder was the first creditor to be paid when "Mr. Lucky" sold.

Cary Grant was another tennis pal. Since Milton had written the story with Cary in mind, he was the first person to be given the script. Grant took it to FRKO, made a sales talk, said it for \$30,000. Then Milton collected another

\$5,000 for doing the screen play.

His second sale was even less orthodox. He called on Buddy DeSylva to talk about "Salty O'Rourke." DeSylva asked him to leave the manuscript. "I can't," said Holmes. "It's not written yet, but I'll tell it to you. How much time can you give me?" "Twenty minutes," said DeSylva.

Not long enough, said Holmes, DeSylva offered 30. "Still not enough," said Holmes. "How about this? I'll start telling my story and as soon as you get bored you say so and I'll stop—and no hard feelings."

He talked for 95 minutes without interruption. "Salty," a race-track gambling tale, is now in work with Alan Ladd starring. His third story, "Torch Song," also went to Paramount—but there's nothing interesting to report on this one," he says. "I took them only three minutes to buy it."

In his writing so far Holmes has followed that good rule for writers, dealing with subjects he knows first hand: gambling, horses, show people. He left Syracuse at 17 to become an actor, but failed to dent Broadway. In Hollywood he became an extra, even

Want To Buy A War Plant? Here Is List Of Them In West Texas

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27 (AP)—If you want to buy a war plant, how about these little items:

The Bluebonnet ordnance plant at McGregor: 18,132 acres, 1,574,751 square feet of building space. Or, the Pantex plant at Amarillo, 14,955 acres, 1,428,420 square feet of building space.

Or, between Dallas and Fort Worth, the North American Aviation plant, 280 acres, 18 buildings, 2,851,344 feet of floor space and 16,062 pieces of machinery and equipment.

These are just a few of the big list of industrial plants and sites to be disposed of by the defense plant corporation after they have been declared surplus. The advance list has been announced by the Reconstruction Finance Corporation.

Although most of them are now being used for war production, the RFC will negotiate at this time for their sale or lease subject to contingencies of present contracts and length of time plants will continue in war use.

The list includes 71 plants and sites in Texas, among them these in West Texas:

American Zinc Co. of Illinois, Dumas—located on leased acreage; 15 buildings, 130,634 square feet floor space; machinery consists of crusher, mixer, pigmill scale, sintering machine, motors.

Aviation Enterprises, Ltd., Sweetwater—land leased from city of Sweetwater; 338 buildings, including four hangars, 11 barracks, Link trainer building, mess-hall;

Lowered Costs Needed In Postwar Living

AUSTIN, Oct. 27 (AP) — Lowered costs, improved products and expanded markets are needed in the postwar era to increase employment and income and to improve standards of living, Dr. A. B. Cox, University of Texas economist declared.

In a statement the director of the University Bureau of Business Research said limitation of production and increased prices are the wrong factors upon which to base postwar economy.

He added that full employment in private industry after the war is the responsibility of "each individual, each family and each community" because if the responsibility is left to state and federal governments "we shall lose the very things for which we are fighting."

Reallocation Of Taxes Will Aid Counties

AUSTIN, Oct. 27 (AP) — Adoption of a constitutional amendment authorizing reallocation of county tax levies within the present 80-cent overall maximum will permit counties to reduce their tax structures to a sound financial basis, Attorney Sellers said today. The attorney general added in a statement that the electorate should support the amendment which will be voted on in Nov. 7 general election.

Ag Department Has Preliminary Report

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27 (AP) — The Agriculture Department proposes in a preliminary report that under a three-year postwar rural electrification program 157,200 customers in Texas would receive service.

Based on an estimate of a one-man year for each \$2,000 expenditure, man-years of labor for the Texas project would total 25,000. The report says cost of distribution lines and related facilities needed to extend the service would total \$66,000,000.

won a stock contract, but his extracurricular activities were more interesting and—in the long run—more profitable.

He got acquainted with some big-time gamblers (used to place track bets for some who didn't like to appear personally at the pari-mutuel windows) and once had a job on the old gambling ship Rex when it operated offshore from Santa Monica. With this background as source book, he's only beginning to tap it for his yarns.

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Brady Aviation School, Brady—248 acres leased from city; 20 buildings, including five barracks, garage, four hangars; machinery includes air conditioners, tanks, kitchen equipment.

Client Breedlove Aerial Service, Lamesa—60 acres; 13 buildings, including two hangars, three barracks, classroom building, machinery includes air conditioners of desert cool type; plant used for army primary air training school.

Coleman Flying School, Ltd., Coleman—620 acres; 22 buildings, including four hangars, six barracks, mess hall; machinery and equipment consists of cafeteria furnishings.

Coleman Flying School, Ltd., Stamford—land leased from city; 29 buildings, including four barracks, hangars; equipment, kitchen ice boxes.

Hangar Six, Inc., Uvalde—land leased includes 575 acres; 27 buildings with 167,628 square feet floor area, including nine barracks, four hangars, mess hall and kitchen; machinery includes air conditioners, pumps, kitchen and mess hall furnishings.

Harman Flying School, Ballinger—land leased by DPC; 15 buildings include four hangars, four barracks, mess hall, all with total of 163,700 square feet floor space.

Harman Park, Ballinger — 10 acres, 11 buildings containing 22 apartments; equipment includes refrigerators and furniture.

Hunter Flying Service, Vernon

—land leased totals 1,541 acres; 23 buildings with 172,000 square feet including four hangars; five barracks; machinery includes pumps, tanks, mess hall equipment and other items used in flying school for training pilots.

Pacific Air School, Ltd., Fort Stockton—300 acres; 14 principal and several auxiliary buildings include four hangars, four barracks; machinery includes heating and air conditioning equipment.

Phelps Dodge Refining Corp., El Paso—land leased; six buildings with 127,618 square feet; machinery includes that necessary to refine copper.

Phillips Petroleum Co., Borger—646 acres, 30 buildings with 162,852 square feet; machinery consists of estimated 8,035 pieces.

Rainey Park, Stamford—authorized to house workers at Coleman Flying School; land consists of 15 lots; 23 buildings, 46 apartments; equipment includes stoves, refrigerators and furniture.

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Hein Wanted—Male

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MAID wanted: Servants quarters furnished. Apply 1508 Nolan.

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JUNIOR youth bed, with springs. See at 1308 Scurry.

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WOULD like to rent or buy Piano. Call 852 before 5:30 p. m.

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PLENTY rooms and pts., \$3.50 and up. No drunks or toughs wanted, no children. Plaza Apts., 1107 W. 3rd. Phone 46-W.

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Farms & Ranches

SEVERAL stock farms for sale; Howard, Mitchell counties; \$20 to 1,000 acres; money to loan. A. M. Sullivan, Coahoma, Texas.

HALF-section farm in Hartwell neighborhood, \$27.50 per acre; also a real good well improved farm at Tarzan in Martin county. J. B. Pickle, Ph. 1217.

A HIGHLY improved 500-acre farm at Bronte, in Coke county; a fine modern home and many other good improvements, half in cultivation; \$80 per acre. J. B. Pickle, Phone 1217.

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300 ACRES on paved highway 15 miles of Big Spring, plenty of good water, 150 acres cultivation, 5-room house, good crop this year; possession Jan. 1. Price \$35 per acre. Rube S. Martin, Phone 257.

1440 ACRES mesquite grass ranch on graded road; fine well water, 4-room house, real land. Minerals if sold quick. Will take \$20 per acre. If you want Real Estate, see us, thirty-six years in Big Spring. Phone 257. C. E. Read & Rube S. Martin.

HERE it is! A half section of land in Knott neighborhood, 250 acres in cultivation, half minerals reserved, possession January 1st. Price, bid-leave it or not, \$15.00 per acre; cash. J. B. Pickle, Phone 1217.

SEE YOU SAW IT IN THE HERALD

Wanted To Rent

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CADET'S wife and two-year-old son wants furnished apartment; will also keep children; for lady. Call Mrs. R. W. Rathke at Phone 1495.

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CADET'S wife and six-months old baby wants furnished apartment or house. Call Mrs. Currin, 705-W.

Houses

WANT to rent by permanent civilian, four or five room furnished or unfurnished house. Reward to first person giving information to rental of house. Call 160 or see Doyle Cannon at Mead's Bakery.

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FOR SALE — Modern five-room ranch style home in best residential section. Newly redecorated. Immediate possession. Phone 701-W.

FOR sale by owner: Five-room home close in; possession immediately. 209 W. 9th St.

VACANT: Six-room modern house with bath and breakfast room, hardwood floors, newly decorated; double garage; on bus line; east front. 1806 Johnson. Call 537-W.

LARGE three-room house with bath, lot and half, close in, furnished. \$2,500 cash. J. B. Pickle, Phone 1217.

Real Estate

Business Property

CORNER lot; building fixtures; with best located business on highway for sale; cafe, all equipment and four furnished apartments; good investment. Call 9536 for appointment.

For Exchange

NICE 6-room stucco near high school, to trade for 4-room frame house. Box GRH, % Herald.

Explosions Rock Beaumont Plant

BEAUMONT, Oct. 27 (AP) — A spectacular fire which followed two earth-shaking explosions reportedly set off by a leaky pipe at the big Magnolia Petroleum company refinery here early today was confined to two small and one large storage tanks containing gases used in the production of high octane gasoline and synthetic rubber.

Only two men, neither refinery employees, were hurt.

Reports from the scene said the two small tanks were destroyed by the blasts and that a fire which broke out in the large tank of 35,000-barrel capacity was burning itself out without further threat to other units of the refinery.

No immediate estimate of the loss was available.

The plant is situated in a residential area at the southeast edge of Beaumont, and residents felt the blasts over a 10-mile area and saw flames about 150 feet skyward. The first explosion occurred about 12:15 a. m.

L. F. Bardine, a fireman on a

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Coahoma Juniors To Stage Carnival

COAHOMA, Oct. 27 — Junior class of the Coahoma high school is to stage a Halloween carnival at the high school here Tuesday at 8 p. m., it was announced today.

In addition to bingo, fortune telling, fish pond and other booths there will be a motion picture, "Beware of Spooks," featuring Joe E. Brown. Mrs. Lawrence Sides is class sponsor and Tommy Clark is class president.

Extension Service Has Veteran Plan

The Extension Service of Howard County headed by Rheba Merle Boyles, county home demonstration agent, and Durward Lewter, county agriculture agent, has begun work on a plan to help the returning veterans become established in business as soon as they are discharged from service.

This is being done by means of contacting parents of both boys and girls in the service in order to get their correct addresses. Through correspondence with them the Extension Service can inform the veterans as to farm and ranch land, prices, churches, schools, and any other data which might be desired when peace is won.

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YATES CHARGED BY POLICE

Don Yates, who was charged Monday morning by the Big Spring police for allowing Weldon Hartin to ride on the fender of the car he was driving, was placed under \$200 bond in city court Friday morning. He was also charged with reckless driving by the Texas Highway Patrol.

NEW TYPE TRANSPORT BUILT

CHARLESTON, S. C., Oct. 27 (AP)—The navy disclosed today that a new type of high-speed transport is under construction at the Charleston shipyard with the first vessel to be christened Nov. 1.

The new vessel was converted from a partially completed destroyer-escort.

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Texas Sergeant Who Got Congressional Medal Did Not Rest On Laurels Then

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27 (AP)—For single-handedly breaking up a German counter offensive at Veletri, Italy. It was awarded for action June 1, 1944, when he risked his life repeatedly to capture 15 Germans, kill 25 and disorganize a counterattack on his rifle squad.

Sgt. Logan had brought his squad into defensive positions in a vineyard near Veletri, the war department related. Enemy troops armed with machine guns, machine pistols, rocket launchers and rifles, and supported by mortars, counterattacked before his men could take cover.

Not wishing to risk the lives of his men, Sgt. Logan ran to the enemy positions, dashing from one to the other throwing hand grenades until he had exhausted his supply. He then returned to his squad, took an automatic rifle from one of his men and fired it at the enemy until it became jammed from the heat after 15 magazines had been shot.

He took another rifle and sprayed the enemy until the attackers fled in disorganized retreat with Sgt. Logan, closely followed by his squad, running after them. They followed the enemy until all their ammunition was gone.

The Texan, a former member of the Texas national guard, won the Medal of Honor for slowing down an enemy counter offensive, killing a machine-gun crew and a sniper Sept. 9, 1943, at Salerno.

Son of Mrs. Maggie M. Logan of Luling, the sergeant has been reassigned from a station at Miami Beach, Fla., with the 1488 service unit, to a new military police school at Fort Sam Houston, Tex. He was born Dec. 19, 1921, at Rising Star, Tex., and went to school at Lockhart, Tex.

Rate Increase For Freight Is Opposed By Orne

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27 (AP)—Opposing restoration of a suspended railroad freight rate increase, spokesmen for six industries told the interstate commerce commission today that price ceilings would prevent them from passing on increased transportation costs to consumers.

Representatives of cattle, salt, oil, pine, fertilizer and brick and tile producers agreed unanimously that the 4.7 per cent wartime increase, suspended by the ICC in May, 1943, was effect them adversely, both in meeting losses of wartime orders and in building up their peacetime business.

Countering their testimony, Samuel H. Williams, spokesman for the Philadelphia chamber of commerce, termed the higher rates "essential to rail service efficiency."

The industry spokesman included F. E. Mollin, Denver, executive secretary of the American National Livestock Association; Douglas Orne, Big Spring, Tex., president of the Petroleum Shippers Association, and L. A. Gossage, Nashville, spokesman for 56 southern Brick and Tile manufacturers.

Livestock

FORT WORTH, Oct. 27 (AP)—Cattle 2,000; calves 1,300; about steady with most classes reflecting fully the week's declines; medium to good slaughter steers and yearlings 10.00-13.50; cutter and common steers and yearlings 6.00-10.00; beef cows 6.25-10.00; canners and cutters 3.50-6.25; bulls 5.50-8.50; fat calves cashed 7.00-11.50.

Hogs 700; active with supplies short; best butcher hogs 14.55; light hogs downward to 13.75; heavyweights mostly 13.80; pigs 12.50 down.

Sheep 3,000; steady; medium to good fat lambs 12.50; common to medium lambs 8.00-11.00; medium to good yearlings 9.00-10.50; slaughter ewes 3.00-5.00.

Public Records

Building Permit
Antonio Marquez, to build 12x12 foot addition to house at 506 N. Bell street, cost \$125.

Marriage License
Milford Grant Fredenburg of Breckenridge to Opal Rae Ready of Luling.

In 70th District Court
T. S. Firth versus T. J. Dunn, et al, suit filed for trespass to try title and damages.

FLOOR SANDERS For Rent

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Strangest Fight Of War Behind Lines

By PAUL MORTON
Representing the Combined Allied Press

ROME, Oct. 27 (AP)—Behind enemy lines in northern Italy men of many races, creeds and political opinions are fighting one of the strangest campaigns of the war.

It is being fought by the Italian Patriots and a strange group of Allies—escaped prisoners of war, British and American airmen shot down over enemy territory, German deserters and runaway conscripts, and trained British officers who have parachuted into the area to establish liaison with the Allied forces attacking from the south and from France.

These British liaison officers, known as "blows," train the Patriots in the use of arms and explosives, organize sabotage and resistance and arrange a steady flow of arms and ammunition. The blows, with affected scorn, call themselves "The Cloak and Dagger Boys."

Two months ago I parachuted into north Italy to live and travel with the Patriots. During this time I have seen them under all conditions.

This, briefly, is what I learned:

1. The Italians are terrific guerrilla fighters and are doing their best to obey Prime Minister Churchill's injunction to "earn their passage home."
2. The Germans and Fascists are scared stiff of the Patriots and consider them a dangerously mounting obstacle.
3. The people of Italy are wholeheartedly behind the Patriots and are prepared to do all in their power to help.

Weather Forecast

Dept. of Commerce Weather Bureau

BIG SPRING AND VICINITY: Partly cloudy this afternoon and Saturday with little change in temperature.

WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy this afternoon, tonight and Saturday; scattered showers in El Paso area; not much change in temperatures.

EAST TEXAS: Fair this afternoon, tonight and Saturday; not much change in temperatures.

Temperatures

City	Max.	Min.
Amarillo	80	51
Arlington	72	47
BIG SPRING	78	53
Chicago	61	36
Denver	71	40
El Paso	64	58
Fort Worth	85	58
St. Louis	63	41
New York	63	43
Galveston	84	66

Local sunset 7:01 p. m.; sunrise Saturday 8:00 a. m.

WATER SUPPLY FROM LAKES

City Manager B. J. McDaniel stated Friday morning that the Big Spring water supply will be taken from the lakes until about November 10, and at that time the switch will be made back to the wells. It is reported that the static level line of the wells is rising and there will be a sufficient supply of water.

Mary Jo Thurman, who is attending the University of Texas, is at home between semesters visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Thurman. She will return to Austin Tuesday.

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U. S.-Italy Still Formally At War

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27 (AP)—Acting Secretary of State Stettinius said today that the resumption of diplomatic relations with Italy — with whom we are still technically at war—is intended "to facilitate our return to a state of peace."

He issued at his press conference a statement intended to clarify just where American-Italian relations stand at this point.

The statement made these points:

1. The United States and Italy are still formally at war.
2. The United States and Italy cannot make peace before there is a peace conference and a treaty is drawn up and submitted to congress.
3. Meanwhile Italy is a "co-belligerent" of the United States and other Allied powers in fighting the common enemy, Germany.
4. As a result of joint Allied action earlier this week, the Italian government is now formally recognized as a friendly government but it remains in large measure under Allied military control.

Stettinius said the diplomatic action was in recognition of the efforts of the Italian people "to establish a healthy political basis for government," to create a representative government out of anti-fascist groups, and to aid the "bitter struggle against our common enemy."

Victory Rodeo Is To Open Friday

EAGLE PASS, Oct. 27 (AP)—Climaxing a week of western entertainment which has included quarter horse races and a quarter horse show, a pioneer parade in this border city today opens a three-day victory rodeo sponsored by the Eagle Pass Army Air Field.

As the American Quarter Horse Show ended yesterday, cowboy Mike, owned by W. S. Starnes of Stinnett, Tex., was chosen grand champion stallion, and Nettie Hill, owned by J. O. Hankins, Rock Springs, Tex., was named grand champion mare.

Nettie Hill climaxed the racing card by defeating Tom Forrest's Rags and Bateman ranch's Roxicans in a 220-yard race which ended in a photo finish.

More than 400 persons, including some military personnel of the air field, planned to ride in today's parade, which will include floats from Piedras Negras, Mexico, across the border.

The victory rodeo, with purses totalling \$2,400, has drawn participants and enthusiasts from Texas, New Mexico, Louisiana, and Oklahoma.

CAR STOLEN ON RUNNELS

L. R. Jones reported to Big Spring police that his car was stolen from the 300 block on Runnels between 8 p. m. Thursday and Friday morning. The automobile was a 1935 Plymouth coupe, license number 856-869.

Lt. Neva Kerr of the Luback WAC recruiting office was here Friday morning at the WAC office, making a routine inspection, and discussing general business.

Combined Maize Stubble Will Aid Blowing Control

Combined maize stubble if permitted to remain on the soil surface is an ungrazed condition should aid greatly in controlling blowing according to Melvin Choate, district cooperater, who farms a mile north of Big Spring. Choate is planning to leave combined maize stubble on some of his sandy land to determine its effectiveness in wind erosion control during the winter and spring.

Several farmers in the district have agreed that a more permanent benefit is obtained by allowing crop stalks and stubble to remain on the soil surface than the temporary benefit of grazing them. Where a good cover of stubble remains on the field surface several improvements are noted by C. R. Donaldson, technician of the Soil Conservation Service office in Big Spring; these are: (1) a large decrease in soil blowing (especially on sandy soils) (2) an increase in rain penetration (3) a decrease in moisture evaporation (4) practically no soil crusting (5) increase in plant food matter.

E. T. O'Daniel, chairman of the board of supervisors, states, "Coastal yields in the Coahoma community are good this year." O'Daniel has two farms south of Coahoma, which he expects the average yield to be one-half acre or more per acre. These fields are terraced and are farmed on the contour.

In addition to stock tank construction on his ranch, Claude Collins is doing some water spreading, using a series of spreader dams. These dams, according to T. R. Morris of the local Soil Conservation Service office, will serve two purposes—slow down the water run-off and erosion, and spread water over a larger area so as to benefit more of the grass.

Less labor is involved in rearing chicks under an electric brooder than under a kerosene or coal-burning brooder.

City-Post Heads To Meet Monday

City Manager B. J. McDaniel announced Friday that a plan has been effected for holding of monthly meetings between city and bombardier school officials concerning venereal disease control measures.

At the first of these meetings this week were City Judge Tracy Smith, Police Chief A. G. Mitchell, McDaniel, and several officers from the Big Spring Bombardier School, including the provost marshal, venereal disease control officer, post surgeon.

The manager said that results have been encouraging and that the meetings have been designed to coordinate steps for holding VD cases to a minimum.

LOVELESS GRANTED LEAVE

Riley Loveless, who lacks until November 15 being a city employee for 25 years, has been granted a leave of absence for a year in order that he may take his wife to the Gulf coast for her health. He was the storekeeper at the warehouse.

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