

White House Action Due In Phone Strike

Washington Is Affected By New Walkouts

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23 (AP) "Definite action" in a spreading strike of women telephone operators was forecast for late today as the Ohio-born walkout spread to Washington and war-busy Detroit.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23 (AP)—A growing strike of women telephone operators, assuming national significance, hit Washington today and with it came the prospect of White House action.

Not only was the war-busy capital engulfed by the spread of walkouts which started a week ago in Dayton, Ohio, but the great production centers of Michigan as well.

Operators of the nation's capital, center of a network which links the United Nations, began walking out hours in advance of the formal start set for 6 a. m. today.

And like a thunderstorm crackling along the lines that link city to city, there were rumblings of still more strikes in answer to the Ohio Federation of Telephone Workers' appeal for assistance from 41 affiliated unions.

Long distance calls were primarily affected. Just as the estimated 5,000 Ohio workers flatly rejected a get-back-to-work-or-else order of the War Labor Board, the 2,700 Washington operators ignored another WLB message which said that "any interference with telephone service in the nation's capital at this critical period of the war can not be tolerated."

The War Labor Board, after wrestling with the Ohio dispute throughout Wednesday, deferred its "or else" action—the possibility of the government taking over—until today. It announced last night it would refer the case to Economic Stabilization Director Fred M. Vinson—an action which normally precedes actual presentation to President Roosevelt.

The strike started in a protest by Dayton operators against the granting of \$18.25 living expense accounts weekly to outsiders brought in to help run the switchboards. Operators in 28 other Ohio cities fell in line.

Detroit Operators Joining In Strike

DETROIT, Nov. 23 (AP)—A strike of Detroit telephone operators begun in sympathy with a stoppage of switchboard workers in Ohio cities was described by Michigan Bell Telephone Company officials this forenoon as only partially effective.

Three hours after the strike began, a company spokesman said service in Detroit was "practically normal."

Southwestern Phone Operators May Strike

FORT WORTH, Nov. 23 (AP)—Mrs. Jewel Whalley of Houston, vice-president of the Southwestern Telephone Workers Union, said today Texas telephone workers are affiliated with the National Federation and are pledged to call a sympathy strike if a request is made.

She said here last night that she was awaiting word from national headquarters in Baltimore before calling a five-state strike in his southwest in sympathy with the strikes in the east.

At Mother's Bedside

Mrs. Ben Boswell, El Paso, arrived here Wednesday evening and Dr. Dan Philips was expected to arrive from Virginia Thursday after being advised by Shine Philips, their brother, of the serious condition of their mother, Mrs. David Philips.

E Bond Sales Show Increase

Incomplete figures Wednesday night reflected another substantial increase in E bond sales but revealed other issues to be lagging. However, bond leaders were cheered by this development, for E bonds are the only point for concern in the campaign to attain the Sixth War Loan quotas.

AIRMEN SINK TWENTY-TWO JAP CRAFT TO HALT REINFORCEMENT

GEN. MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS, Philippines, Nov. 23 (AP)—American fighter planes and light naval craft tightened their precautions against landing of Japanese reinforcements on Leyte island today as Gen. Douglas MacArthur reported the enemy has apparently chosen the Limon bastion for his major stand in defending the Ormoc corridor.



NEW AGENT—in a two way transfer effective Dec. 1, Ruby M. Worthen will become district agent in charge of home demonstration work in district No. 6, and Ruth Thompson will take the corresponding position in No. 3 in northwest Texas.

FDR Never Overrides Military Strategy NEW YORK, Nov. 23 (AP)—President Roosevelt has never "overruled his admirals and generals on matters of strategy," Admiral William D. Leahy said in his first interview since he became the president's chief of staff.

Liquor Control Board Has 17 Cases In Area

Seventeen cases were filed in the Odessa district of the Texas Liquor Control Board during October, 1944, according to the review published by the state board. Fines amounting to \$2,545.25 were assessed and there were 20 convictions with four jail terms.

Also feasted on King Tom. A ship and ashore the Navy served holiday dinners from the 12,000,000 pounds of "young roast tom turkey" set aside to supply its Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Year's feasts.

Turkey Plentiful For Servicemen

By The Associated Press Thanksgiving came today to American fighting men in the full tide of battle—on a turkey wing and a prayer, a prayer of confidence and hope for a nation in its third wartime observance of a great American tradition.

rise of only two per cent for the day. From bond headquarters came appeals to the public to keep the ball rolling on E bond purchases with an immediate goal of soaring over the \$100,000 mark the first week. "Every E bond whether it is an \$18.75 purchase or one for a \$100 bond—adds just that much," said Pat Kenney.

He suggested that there could be no more patriotic way of expressing thanksgiving for the blessings of living in the United States than to buy bonds Friday.

Arthor reported the enemy has apparently chosen the Limon bastion for his major stand in defending the Ormoc corridor.

Fighter pilots sank or heavily damaged four troop-laden freighters, four luggers and 14 barges, a headquarters communique said, as they fended off an apparent Japanese attempt to send badly-needed help to their forces on the Yamashita line.

MacArthur said the enemy "has drawn heavily on his immediate reserves to bolster this line of resistance" at Limon.

No important American gains were reported in the deadlocked battle for the Ormoc corridor but Yankee infantrymen, fighting over a water-logged terrain, drew tighter the noose they have thrown around the Japanese First division at Limon.

Adm. Chester W. Nimitz issued revised figures on Japanese losses in a Navy air sweep over Luzon island last Saturday, disclosing that the Americans had sunk, burned or damaged 17 Japanese freighters, oilers and luggers. Listed as sunk were a small coastal cargo ship and a lugger, while six cargo vessels, an oiler and five luggers were set afire and a cruiser was strafed and crippled.

Removal Of Wage Freeze Demanded

CHICAGO, Nov. 23 (AP)—The CIO turned to its political interests to the economic today as the seventh annual convention was asked to demand immediate removal of wage freezes.

The 600 delegates, who yesterday enthusiastically voted to continue the political action committee indefinitely, worked through the Thanksgiving day holiday to wind up their meetings by tomorrow night.

Resolutions condemning the War Labor Board's handling of disputes and demanding that the "little steel formula" which has braked wage increases at 15 per cent above January 1941 levels, be discarded, were prepared for formal action by the convention.

Concerning the board, one resolution reaffirmed its need as a "forum for a peaceful and equitable disposition of all disputes that may arise between labor and management which cannot be resolved through collective bargaining."

The board should streamline its procedure to eliminate long delays of routine and "innumerable appeals and reconsideration of cases which actually result in undermining the morale and productive efficiency of workers and result in a disruption of peaceful industrial relations," the resolution continued.

Eisenhower Asks For Increase In Bond Purchases

Individual Purchases Total Less Than 10 Per Cent Of Quota

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23 (AP) — General Dwight D. Eisenhower said today his soldiers were making daily headway by courage and suffering but they need "myriads of shells and tires and guns and blankets and planes."

The man commanding the gigantic western front offensive against Germany appealed personally to the American people to over-subscribe the Sixth War Loan drive and "transform the money quickly into vital fighting equipment."

It was Eisenhower's second urgent appeal to buy war bonds. He made it in a talk prepared for (NBC) broadcast from his European headquarters. The text of the statement also was released by the treasury department.

Mud, cold, bullets and minefields can't stop the millions of American boys from pushing the enemy back if they are plentifully supplied and supported from the homeland, Eisenhower declared.

He said the American fighting men are "entitled to the constant assurance of your understanding, of your resolution and of your unflagging zeal."

War Loan headquarters had no new figures for Thanksgiving day. The latest progress report yesterday chalked up \$482,000,000 paid in by individuals compared with the total quota for individuals of \$5,000,000,000.

Admiral Chester W. Nimitz, commander in chief of the Pacific fleet, said in a Thanksgiving day message over the same program with Eisenhower that "we give thanks x x x to the men and women and children on the home front. Their toil and their savings invested in war bonds have made possible the outfitting and supply of the great fleet which has struck the enemy so effectively."

And Admiral William F. Halsey, Jr., commander of the Third fleet, said: "We give thanks that we have been able to keep the enemy's fleet and his bloody hand from touching the homeland."

General Douglas MacArthur in a war bond message released by the treasury said "We at the front have complete faith in you at home to supply needed money through the purchase and holding of war bonds."

Casualties Past Half A Million

BATTLE CASUALTIES for the armed forces in all theaters since the start of the war total 528,795, Secretary of War Stimson said today.

The latest Navy report numbers casualties at 74,615, an increase of 2,776 since a report two weeks ago.

Army casualties compared with those for two weeks ago, follow: Killed 88,245 and 84,811; wounded 234,283 and 243,054; missing 56,442 and 55,011; prisoners 55,210 and 54,480.

The Navy casualties: Killed 29,208 and 28,599; wounded 31,574 and 29,442; missing 9,347 and 9,311; prisoners 4,486 and 4,487.

No Gas, No Wedding

GREENVILLE, Pa., Nov. 23 (AP) It was "no gas, no wedding" for a Camp Reynolds soldier. He postponed his marriage because the camp ration board ruled he could not have gas for a borrowed automobile to drive his bride-to-be to church.

Seven Bolivian Army Officers Executed LA PAZ, Bolivia, Nov. 23 (AP)—Seven high army officials and politicians have been executed this far for participating in Sunday's abortive revolt at Oruro, Bolivian national police announced last night.

Patriotic Hunting

DALLAS, Nov. 23 (AP)—Texas sportsmen may now add a patriotic motive to their excuses for going deer hunting. Hunters were asked yesterday by the war production board to carefully remove and preserve deer skins and give them to the government to be made into gloves for high-flying gunners.

Yanks Push Slowly Ahead For Cologne



FATAL BLAST FOLLOWS CAR-TRUCK CRASH—The collision of an auto (top photo) and a butane gas truck (below) at Denison, Tex., Nov. 21 resulted in an explosion which took the lives of nine persons and injured more than 27. (Ap Photo).

Explosion Toll Grows To Nine

DENISON, Nov. 23 (AP)—The death toll in a butane gas explosion that swept a block of this

Lower Post-War Taxes Foreseen

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23 (AP)—Democratic leader Barkley predicts that the present annual \$45,000,000 federal tax bill can be cut about half after the war.

Eight Army Has Gains In Italy

ROME, Nov. 23 (AP)—Eighth army troops battling strong enemy resistance have cleared the Germans out of the Cosina river loop less than four miles southeast of Faenza and captured a few more villages in substantial gains in that area below the Bologna-Rimini highway.

Rain Slows Red Push In Hungary

MOSCOW, Nov. 23 (AP)—Russian assault forces inched closer today to the Hungarian communications strongpoints of Hatvan, Eger and Miskolc in grim hand to hand fighting along the 85-mile battle line northeast of Budapest.

Hero Pilots Go Down With Crewman Who Could Not Parachute From Plane

A U. S. BOMBER BASE IN SOUTHWEST CHINA, Nov. 14 (Delayed AP)—Maj. Horace E. (Stump) Carswell, Jr., pilot of the B-24 Liberator which sank a Japanese cruiser and destroyer Oct. 16 in one of the greatest bombing exploits of the war, gave his life 11 nights later in a selfless effort to save members of his crew.

Both towns are north of the Hitler superhighway from Aachen to Berlin and it was along this wide concrete road that the Germans had massed the best and most of their troops in the west. Below the road, Ninth army troops entered Bourheim, Patten and Lohn to form a battering ram six miles wide and pointed directly at the bomb-ravaged Rhineland arsenal city of Trier, 60 miles away on the Rhine.

Progress Curbed By Deep Mud And Nazi Resistance

LONDON, Nov. 23 (AP)—American Ninth army troops drove through deep mud and German steel into the Roer valley villages of Kosslar and Barren today in a slow advance toward Cologne, 26 miles away on the Rhine.

Chaing Accepts General's Plan

CHUNGKING, Nov. 23 (AP)—Maj. Gen. Albert C. Wedemeyer announced today that Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek has accepted the general concept of a plan he submitted for disposing Chinese forces to meet the Japanese threat and that it now is going into effect.

Judge Exceeds His Authority

FORT WORTH, Nov. 23 (AP)—Harry I. Rand, attorney for the department of justice, Washington, yesterday said in the U. S. fifth circuit court of appeals that Federal Judge W. H. Atwell of Dallas exceeded his authority when he issued an order restraining WLB and PAW officials at Washington from seizing or threatening to seize the Humble Oil & Refining company's Ingleside plant.

TRAIN DERAILS

BROWNWOOD, Nov. 23 (AP)—Nineteen cars of a Santa Fe freight train were derailed near Dublin early today. Wrecker crews were sent from here.

Chinese Clear More Burma Road Sections

CHUNGKING, Nov. 23 (AP)—Driving ahead in a three-pronged attack focused on Chenzang, Chinese troops have cleared further stretches of the Burma Road beyond fallen Mangshih and have captured strongpoints below the mouth of the Mangshih valley, the Chinese high command announced today.

PFC. RICE WOUNDED

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23 (AP)—The war department made public today the names of 2,429 U. S. soldiers wounded in action. Included is Pfc. Floyd W. Rice, son of Mrs. Ellen D. Rice of 250 N. Benton Street, Big Spring.

War Board News

Agent Tells Of Coming Census

By DURWARD LEWTER
County Agricultural Agent
It's time for another agricultural census. It's the census authorized by congress to be made every 5 years. Its purpose is to obtain basic information on farm acreage, land values, crops, livestock and other general items. It will be made on every farm in the nation, or around 6 million. Two features of the tremendous undertaking which will require the services of 25,000 enumerators for six weeks starting the first week in January, are of special note at this time.

The first is that the Department of Commerce, which conducts the census, is asking the press to make a special effort to publicize the census as a substitute for the practice of former years of distributing printed material to farmers in advance of the visit of enumerators. This consisted of questionnaires, explanatory pamphlets, etc., and required great quantities of paper which is, as most readers know, badly needed for war purposes, and to ease rationing to printers and publishers.

The second item of interest is that confidential treatment is promised on census returns. As stated, enumerators are not allowed to give information from a schedule to neighbors or other persons, only sworn census employees are permitted access to schedules, and records cannot be used for purposes of taxation, regulation or investigation.

Farm operators are urged to be prepared to furnish the requested information to expedite the undertaking, and the 12 large pages of questions to be answered is sure to give anyone a headache who is not prepared.

At least part of the sun is visible above the horizon in northern Norway from May 12 to July 29, and in the extreme south there is no real darkness from the end of April to the middle of August.

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Handle And Cook Game Meat Right

By RHEBA MERLE BOYLES
Co. Home Demonstration Agent
Quail season is just around the corner. Not to mention the deer season in much of Texas. And ducks and geese soon will be hunters' targets. The shameful truth is... a good deal of game often is wasted just because hunters and homemakers don't know how to keep and cook it properly.

So if you hunt or cook... here are some suggestions you may find helpful.
The weather has a lot to do with how you treat game. If it's fairly warm, you'd better not keep birds more than a day without cleaning them. After a bird is drawn, the body cavity should be wiped dry... but don't wash it with water. Some hunters skin game birds instead of picking the feathers simply because it's easier. But many experts believe you'll lose flavor if the bird is skinned.

Animals should be bled and cleaned immediately after they're killed. They should also be kept dry.
Now about cooking. Remember that wild meat is likely to be dryer and tougher than domestic meat. Usually it's very lean, too, and fat should be added. Often game needs longer cooking than other meat, and it's advisable to use a covered pan.
Otherwise, most of the rules for cooking poultry and red meat hold for game. Venison that is young and tender may be broiled, fried, or roasted. Older meat should be braised or fricasseed. It is a good idea to let older meat age for several days. Then give it the long, slow moist cooking treatment.
If you've a particular prejudice against the "wild taste" of game, cook vegetables with it, such as onions, or potatoes. Carrots, celery, apples, or green sweet pepper also would do the trick.

Breadcrumbs May Be Made Into Variety Of Tasty Tid-Bits

Breadcrumbs—soft, dry or toasted—offer the cook innumerable ways to make use of leftover bread.
For stuffing the holiday bird, soft crumbs are best. On the other hand, dry crumbs are the choice for coating croquettes, cutlets or fried vegetables, and for thickening or for use in puddings. Toasted crumbs are better for adding flavor to a fruit, and make a good topping for a baked dish.
For soft crumbs cut a loaf of bread, two or three days old, in half, and scrape the inside from the crust with a fork. Then pick the larger pieces with the fingertips, and pull apart into fine crumbs until light and fluffy. This method takes time but makes crumbs that blend well with seasonings. If fresher bread is used, crumbs may be dried out slightly by spreading on a towel or cheesecloth placed over a rack or pan, then covering with another cloth, and letting them stand several hours.
Crusts left after the inside is scraped out can go into puddings or be dried and made into dry crumbs.
For dry crumbs, put scraps of bread in a slow oven. When thoroughly dry, roll out on bread board with rolling pin, or grind in a food chopper. Tie a paper bag over the opening of the chopper where the crumbs come out to keep them from flying. To get fine uniform crumbs, sift after grinding. Crumbs from crusts are all right for most purposes but are not successful for coating croquettes because they brown unevenly. Dry crumbs are especially useful in helping to stretch such foods as meat, fish and cheese and in making crumb cakes, pastry and cookies. They should be stored in a dry, sterilized, covered jar, protected from moisture, and will then keep for several weeks.
For toasted crumbs use 2 tablespoons table fat or good flavored meat fat to each cup of fine dry crumbs. Melt fat over low heat, add crumbs and stir with a fork until the crumbs are well-toasted and delicately browned.

GRIN AND BEAR IT

By Licht



"If my memory of history doesn't fail me, your forefathers on a strange shore threw quite a party on Thanksgiving—and invited the savages!"

Yanks In Europe Will Get Turkey

LONDON, Nov. 22 (AP)—Turkeys galore, with cranberry sauce and sweet potatoes, will be a link with home tomorrow for practically every GI Joe and Jane in the European theater of operations.
Traditional Thanksgiving day dinners will be served in every mess in the United Kingdom and on the continent, with generous helpings passed forward to men in the front lines.
Thanksgiving religious services are planned for every post. In London U.S. Ambassador John G. Winant is to read the Thanksgiving proclamation in Westminster Abbey, where the Rt. Rev. Henry B. Hobson, Episcopal Bishop of Southern Ohio, will preach.

TOLEDO, O.—Eighty-one-year-old William Rosenwanz applied for a license to wed 71-year-old Helen Guilda. It was the bridegroom's fourth matrimonial venture and the bride's second.

Two Heroes To Receive Decorations In Saturday Review At Local Post

Two heroes of widely-separated battlefronts will be decorated by Col. Ralph C. Rockwood, commanding officer, for outstanding gallantry in action Saturday, Nov. 25, at a full dress military review on the parade ground at the Big Spring Bombardier school.
The ceremonies, to begin at 11:45 o'clock, were postponed from last Saturday because of inclement weather.
Master Sgt. David D. Mease of Cumberland, Md., B-24 bombardier veteran of the first Rome and Floesti oil field raids, will receive an oak leaf cluster to the Distinguished Flying Cross, the Air Medal and a presidential unit citation.
A former infantry sergeant now a bombardier student, Staff Sgt. David W. Walker of Salem, Mass., will receive a presidential unit citation awarded the First Marine division, reinforced by the 182nd Infantry, for heroic action during and following the initial landings in the Solomon Islands.
In addition to the medals he is to receive at the review, M/Sgt. Mease holds the Good Conduct medal, American Defense Service medal and the European-African-Middle Eastern theater ribbon with three battle stars. He has one ME 109 to his credit, along with 390 combat flying hours piled up on 50 missions.
His DFC was earned on a low-level raid at Pescara, Italy, and the oak leaf cluster at Floesti, but many other targets in Sicily, Italy, France, Greece, Bulgaria and Romania have felt the weight of his bombs.
Returning to the States last January, he was subsequently assigned to the Big Spring Bombardier school as a radio mechanic.

One Army, Two Navy Pilots Die In Crash

ABILENE, Nov. 23 (AP)—One Army pilot and two Navy aviators were killed in a collision of Army and Navy planes 25 miles north-east of here yesterday.
Second Lt. Ames A. Segawa, 21, of Camden, N. J., stationed at Abilene army air field, was killed. The Navy, still investigating, has not revealed names of the naval fliers.
Army men in battle areas have been instructed to make musical instruments from tin cans and telephone wire.



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Graham Remains Well Ahead In Scoring Race

Jim Harrison, high flying Eagle star for Abilene, made the only marked change in the District Three scoring race last week end by notching 12 points to his record against Big Spring and moving into a tie for fourth place in the individual battle with George Cook, Odessa star, with 48 points.

This moved the Abilene ahead of Pete Cook, Steer high man, who has totaled 40 points this season. Before the game last Friday night Cook was leading the Eagle

flash by virtue of 4 points, 40 to 36.

George Graham, out of action last week while the San Angelo Bobcats rested for their crucial battle with Abilene today, remained out in front with a safe lead over his nearest opponent, Turner Leeper. The big Bobcat fullback, being touted by supporters as the best back in Texas, is leading the state scoring race among double A schools with 139 points amassed in his credit, 41 of these coming in his last game against the Steers.

Leeper remained in his second place spot with 61 points to his credit during season's play. Leeper is the big gun of the Sweetwater Mustang offense, today's foe for the local eleven. Besides being a potent and dangerous runner, the diminutive quarterback is also a fine passer.

Bill Richards, Midland star, whacked off a few more points of the lead Leeper holds over him in the Bulldog game with the Cisco Lobos and scored one touchdown to move up with 57 points now credited his record. Richards is in third place, well ahead of his nearest challengers, and stands a good chance to pass the Sweetwater flash this week as the Bulldogs battle the Lamesa Tornados, who have not won a conference tilt this season.

Next come Harrison and Cook, each with 48 points scored during their play this year. Cook and the Odessa Bronchos are idle this week while Harrison is not figured to raise his total too much against the champion Bobcats.

Fifth comes Pete Cook, local stalwart, who has a fair chance of raising his total by six points or more against the Sweetwater eleven. Cook has been on the receiving end of a lot of passes this season, and the Mustangs have been beaten twice by passing attacks. The leaders are:

Td	Patd	Pts.
Graham, San Angelo	19	25
Leeper, Sweetwater	10	61
Richards, Midland	9	3

Bombers Prep For Destroyer Invasion Sunday

Inclement weather forced the Big Spring Colored Bombers, negro football team at the local Bombardier school, to postpone their chance for a victory last Sunday over the only team to hold them scoreless and to tie in two seasons of play and are now working in their spare moments preparing for a return match Sunday afternoon in Steer stadium with the tough Camp Hood Tank Destroyers, with whom they played a 0-0 deadlock some two weeks ago.

The game has been anticipated by local fans for the past two weeks, and under the sponsorship of the local American Legion will probably be a sell-out affair. R. R. McEwen, Legion commander, is in charge of arrangements, and has announced that tickets purchased before the scheduled clash last Sunday will be admitted to this week's fray on those tickets.

The Bombers found the Destroyer line too tough for them to crack last time and since then have been working on an offensive setup that will outspeed and out-play the heavier Gatesville eleven.

The Destroyers have a number of stars performing on their team with two of the outstanding ones being William Morrison, six-foot two-inch end whose 192 pounds proved almost too much for the local representatives in the last engagement. Morrison was the outstanding defender of the Destroyer goal and his consistent play halted Bomber drives time and again during the 60-minute battle.

Fullback McElwain, a former negro college luminary, will feature the powerful running attack of the visitors. McElwain proved a tough ball carrier to stop last week although weighing in at only 170 pounds, he has speed and power to burn.

Other standouts on the squad of invaders will be T. Lawrence, 175 pound left tackle who played a fine game last week. Also in the tough forward wall will be G. Boise, 170-pound guard who is a fine blocker and good defensive hawk.

In the backfield, to add to the power of McElwain will be E. Smith, 145-pound quarterback who has speed to burn and is an exceptionally good safety man.

For the locals will be such standouts as H. T. Logan and Leon Mayes at ends, Leroy Simms at center, Elmer Henderson at tackle (also coach) and is shifted to the backfield to run from the fullback slot. The 203-pound flash has an average of 6 yards for each carry this season, Fred Smith at quarterback and Frank Noel at the right half slot.

This, with others added, will round out the two elevens that are due to clash here Sunday. Kickoff will be at 3 p. m. with tickets now on sale at the Big Spring Bombardier school post exchange, the chamber of commerce and Hester's. Reserve seat duets go for \$1 while general admission to everyone, soldiers and civilians alike will be 50 cents.

Road To Berlin

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1. Western Front: 301 miles (From near Durmen.)
 2. Eastern Front: 394 miles (From Vistula north of Warsaw.)
 3. Hungarian Front: 420 miles (From Budapest.)
 4. Italian Front: 557 miles (From near Ravenna.)

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FINDS TEETH PULLING EASY

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind. (UP) — Having his teeth pulled will no longer be such a hateful task for 11-year-old Donald Schafer, who accidentally discovered that his dog could pull out his teeth without "hurting a bit." Donald and his Dalmatian puppy were having a tug-of-war in the back seat of the family car when the boy playfully grabbed his pet's tail between his teeth and started biting. The dog yanked suddenly and out came one of Donald's incisors.

TROUBLES NO END
BOSTON (UP) — Edward Heyman is a patient man. Six months ago the radio antenna was snapped off his automobile. Four months ago the lock of his gasoline tank was pried open. Two months ago his four tires were punctured with an ice pick. Then he complained to police.

GERHARDT'S RECIPES WORTH KEEPING

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Reason For Thanksgiving

The War Today

By KIRKE L. SIMPSON
Associated Press War Analyst
Franco-American troops in Alsace are on the verge of repeating in the snow-crueted Vosges mountains the Allied feat in Normandy that put to flight the whole Nazi war machine in France.

Their loss at this critical stage of the expanding Allied winter offensive could prove an even more decisive blow to Germany than the Anglo-American wrecking of the German Seventh army in the Normandy pocket last August.

It is improbable that the imperiled Nineteenth army, caught in the closing Franco-American Vosges vise, could be replaced or its loss made up by a line shortening retreat.

The fast-moving French First army that ripped its way to the Rhine through the Belfort gap has taken the Mulhouse bastion in its stride and stormed on down the left bank of the river in order to cut off the Nazi escape to their homeland.

It seems clear that again as west of the Seine

Mortals are afflicted by a complex which often confines their tendencies to proper Thanksgiving. They either lack the supreme faith of a Job or they are hampered by resentment or fear of being perennial optimists.

Most of us need some of the qualities of trust which will help us bear up under affliction, sorrows and hardships. All of us need to rid our souls of the poison of resentment, and none of us ought to be hesitant about giving earnest thanks.

We here in the United States of all people ought to have a grateful spirit. Our homes have been spared devastation. Though our list of casualties mounted daily and cuts deeply where it hits, all in all it is much less than we could have hoped for under realistic evaluation of what our men have faced.

As a nation we should be thankful that events of the past three years have at least opened our eyes. Although some of lessons have been bitter cups, they are none the less valuable.

Our horizons have been broadened in more than internationally. Economic opportunities have been unfolded out of the pressure of war.

Controversial Splashes

This collegiate controversy, rampant in Texas during the year, seems to be an infectious thing. Right now J. Frank Dobie has thrown a rock into the university puddle and splashed water of accusations that fall on Texas Tech.

The Nazi command has delayed too long the retreat beyond the upper Rhine. Battle attrition in that sector is eating into vitally essential reserves needed to bolster the sagging defense of the Aachen breach in the Siegfried Line where powerful British and American forces now stand virtually along the muddy Roer, last natural barrier of consequence west of the Rhine.

Ohio Telephone Workers Continue Strike As WLB Deadline Is Passed

CLEVELAND, Nov. 22 (AP) — State headquarters of the Ohio Federation of telephone workers reported today as a 10 a. m. (eastern war time) War Labor Board deadline passed that the group's strike against the Ohio Bell Telephone Co. "is still on and will continue pending further developments."

Hollywood—Average Time For Remake Is 10 Years

By ROBBIN COONS
HOLLYWOOD — Average time between a good movie and its remake is around ten years. Three of special interest from a decade or so ago are now before the cameras or planning: "Of Human Bondage," "State Fair" and "The Merry Widow."

In "Billy Rose's Diamond Horseshoe" one of the numbers features a giant salad bowl, lined with blue velvet, on which rests Betty Grable. Girls represent lettuce in the number, and salt and pepper and other spices, but whoever heard of a dry salad dressing?

Laird, who is beginning to look like a big juvenile instead of a character menace, has been losing four pounds a week since this picture started. His diet: 500 calories a day, plus black coffee.

And Nothing Can Be Done About It



Doughboys Give Germans A Hotfoot

By ROBERT WILSON
WITH AMERICAN TROOPS IN THE MARITIME ALPS, Nov. 16 (Delayed AP) — In the midst of these snowy Alpine peaks American troops are fighting a war so intimate that one GI was able to give a German a hotfoot with a hand grenade.

This happened during one of the "routine" raids with which Maj. Gen. Robert T. Frederick's airborne infantry has been keeping the Germans off balance on their Alpine perches for two months while protecting the flank of the Sixth army group.

Not content to sit and look at the Germans on the mountain-top across the valley or trade artillery shells, Maj. Edmund Tomaski, New Bedford, Mass., dreamed up a "Geronimo" for his battalion against a German barracks in an ancient French fort.

It was only a mile and a half from the jump-off point to the German quarters but it took the Yanks seven hours to get there. The group descended 2,400 feet to the valley floor. Then, crawling on hands and knees most of the way they climbed 6,500 feet to the barracks, arriving at 1 a. m. Pvt. Walter Spess, of Canouska, Pa., raced into the darkened barracks, lifted the sheet from a sleeping German, and tossed in a phosphorus grenade for an unique hotfoot.

Question Marks In Fourth Cabinet

By JACK STINNETT
WASHINGTON — With the President's fourth term now in the bag, the big question here is whether there will be any shake-up in the cabinet. The best guess is not much, if any.

All the cabinet members are expected to turn in their resignations. "This is traditional. Inter Secretary Harold L. Ickes is always one of the first to "resign," and his undated resignation has reportedly been on the President's desk for weeks.

The pre-election resignation of John R. Steelman as director of the Labor department's conciliation service has given rise to the rumor that way has been cleared for his appointment as successor to Mrs. Perkins.

However, Steelman's resignation has also been attributed to the fact that he has been offered three or four times his present salary of \$9,000 a year to go into private industry as a labor relations consultant. It is that is true, there's little likelihood that he's angling for Madame Perkin's job or could even be persuaded to take it.

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Time May Come When Trashy Farm May Be Most Productive Field

Once the scorn of his neighbors, the farmer with a trashy field may in time have an inside track on productivity.

This may be years in coming to pass, but without beating the drums for the cause at this time, John H. Taylor, district conservationist for the Soil Conservation Service, thinks that trends are in that direction.

To evaluate his thinking, it is necessary to understand what he means by "trash." It means stubble and similar litter furnishing a cover for the ground—not rank weeds and other evidences of faulty farming.

Admitting that experimentation is yet insufficient for conclusive proof, results thus far tend to establish two things in favor of organic covering: Reduced erosion and increased absorption.

Radio Program

- Thursday Evening
5:00 Terry & The Pirates.
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5:30 Music for Swing.
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6:15 Battle of the Century.
6:30 It's Murder.
6:45 Chester Bowles.
7:00 Confidentially Yours.
7:15 Treasure Salute.
7:45 Voice of the Army.
7:55 Touchdown Tips.
8:00 Gabriel Heatter.
8:15 Farm News.
8:30 B. J. Ster.
9:00 Raymond Gram Swing.
9:15 Dale Carnegie.
9:30 March of Time.
10:00 Radio Newswel.
10:15 Sign Off, J. Taylor.
10:30 Friday Morning
6:30 Sign On.
6:30 Musical Clock.
7:00 News.
7:15 Bandwagon.
7:30 News.
7:45 Bob Wills.
8:00 News.
8:05 Breakfast Club.
9:00 My True Story.
9:25 Asst. Jemima.
9:30 Cliff Edwards.
9:45 Morning Melodies.
10:00 Breakfast at Sard's.
10:30 News.
10:45 Serenade in Swingtime.
10:55 Lanny & Ginger.
11:00 Glamor Manor.
11:30 Amor R. Wood.
11:35 Musical Interlude.
11:45 Between the Lines.
12:00 Ranch Music.
12:15 Luncheon Dance Varieties.
12:30 News.
12:45 Homer Rodeheaver.
1:00 Cedric Foster.
1:15 International News Events.
1:30 Ladies, Be Seated.
2:00 Morton Downey.
2:15 Hollywood Star Time.
2:30 The Listening Post.
2:45 Bandwagon.
3:00 Walter Compton.
3:15 The Johnson Family.
3:30 Views of the News.
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4:30 International News Events.
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5:30 Tom Mix.
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6:00 Fulton Lewis, Jr.
6:15 Battle of the Century.
6:30 Invitation to Romance.
6:45 City-County Health Unit.
7:00 Sizing Up the News.
7:15 Treasure Salute.
7:30 Freedom of Opportunity.
8:00 Gabriel Heatter.
8:15 Farm Features.
8:30 Double or Nothing.
9:00 Earl Godwin.
9:15 Say It With Music.
9:30 Ed Wynn.
10:00 News.
10:15 Evening Melodies.
10:30 The Doctors Talk It Over.
10:45 Sign Off.

Taylor has an apt illustration for the absorption angle. "It is like pouring water on a blotter or a table top. Fibers in the blotter quickly drink in and hold the moisture. Water on the table stays mostly on the surface and may run off."

And that's his point—increasing the organic matter in reality puts "blotter fibers" in the soil. Moreover, this becomes humus, which not only enhances fertility but combats wind erosion.

Extensive experiments have revealed the advantage of cover or shade during dry, hot periods. Last summer soil tests in Howard county showed heat soil temperatures up to 140 degrees against temperatures 40 to 50 degrees lower in sodded areas.

Two things are happening in the face of such intense temperatures. The more heat applied, the quicker moisture is lost through evaporation; the greater the heat, the greater the possibility of serious damage to plant root systems.

What are the possibilities under a "trash" cover type of farming? One would be abandonment of winter listing or bedding. Taylor doesn't believe that there is reason yet to say that plowing will be outmoded; rather that a different type of plowing with different types of implements may be perfected. In other words, tools may be invented to effect subsurface breaking without disturbing the organic covering of the soil.

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Soil Conservation Service men aren't telling farmers not to list or bed, but they do see certain advantages to the time-honored tillage. One is that it almost doubles the area exposed to evaporation and wind and another is that it makes a second plowing inevitable.

Taylor is just looking ahead. Right now he is proud of the record farmers and ranchers are making in contouring and terracing, in range and crop management and tank building. They're making progress and there's no point in changing until sure of something better.

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No Substitute For Skill, Grau Shows

It took a war to awaken the nation to the importance of skill in mechanical and other fields and to remind us that regardless of machines, there can be no substitute for human know-how.

An example of what can be done with skilled hands and mind is the Big Spring Speedometer and Magnetometer service, which, in reality, is Ludwig (Louie) Grau.

Back in the depression years Grau, who had grown up in the industrial east, found, as many Americans did, that the industrial recess left him with no choice but adapting himself to something else.

In cooperation with L. F. McKay, he opened an auto-electric shop. His mechanical turn plus native ingenuity soon made him an expert in his field. Not only did he develop his skill, but he accumulated a store of the most modern equipment.

But when World War II came along, he felt that he could do more for the war effort by returning to his old job as a riveter—one he had followed in the ship building industry in the first World War. However, too much time had intervened for a man to step right back into the ranks of such heavy physical work and Grau was a man

without a business or occupation.

Returning to Big Spring, he resolved to re-enter his field of business. Securing technical equipment needed in the servicing and repairing of speedometers and of magnetometers was a virtual impossibility at that time. None was being made for civilian consumption, and those in business desperately needed what they had.

But Louis Grau had made up his mind. With scarcely more than a screw driver, a pair of pliers and a few other hand tools, he set about opening the Big Spring Speedometer and Magnetometer service.

Old friends immediately began bringing work to him at his place at 113 Runnels street. Nothing but skill could have overcome the difficulties. Grau did jobs which had been stalled for want of parts simply because the fact that he had no big parts supply induced him to refuse to believe that some troubles could not be overcome. He simply tried one thing and another until he found the solution.

Thus, the new concern made new friends. In the past two years Grau has been more successful in adding essential equipment until today he is able to handle virtually every type of speedometer or magnetometer job brought to him. But the same skill and thoroughness is still employed, and when a job leaves his shop, it works because he refuses to turn loose of one until it does.

MEXICANS STOP WORK

CHIHUAHUA, Mexico, Nov. 20 (AP)—The Electrical Workers Union said it will stop work for five hours tonight in sympathy with a similar movement in Nuevo Laredo.

ROSARY RITES FOR OIL MAN

DALLAS, Nov. 20 (AP)—Rosary rites will be read here today for John E. Elms, 44, Dallas and Wichita Falls oil man who died of a heart attack at his home here yesterday.

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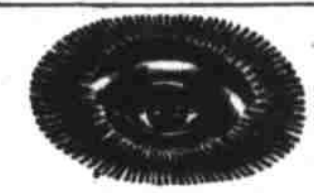
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Creighton Tire Co. Stresses Tire Care

Throughout a nation at war the current demand placed on all car owners by every transportation official is for the very good care of tires and tubes that are so scarce at present. The shortage is due to continue for a long while and with the heavy demand of the army and navy upon production no civilian let-up is foreseen in the current crisis.

To enable local motorists to keep the rubber on their cars in peak condition Creighton Tire company at 203 West Third is offering, as in the past, voluntary service for the regular checking of tires that are beginning to feel the strain of too much use.

For many months now the required check of tires by government officials has been lifted, but Creighton, long experienced in proper care of rubber, is still emphasizing that all drivers continue these periodical checks so as to get the largest amount of mileage out of their tires. By overlooking this vital check tires can be allowed to run themselves into irreparable condition in a very short time.

This service is offered by the company as a voluntary measure and no charge is included for a careful "look-see" on tires.

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Shortage Of Talent?

SALT LAKE CITY, Nov. 20 (AP)—Traffic violators are going to be in pictures. If they overstay the time allowed by the parking meters, police will snap a picture, and show it to City Judge Joseph G. Jeppson on a special screen he has ready to view the evidence.

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The Walker company is a dealer for Allis-Chalmers and Massey-Harris farm equipment and does repair work on all types of farm machinery. Johnnie Walker said Monday that they have a few tractors in stock at the present time, and he is expecting a shipment in now.

During the months of the present war this company has kept the farm equipment of this area in good running order, so that the farmers of this region can produce essential agricultural products at top capacity. Most of these repair and overhaul jobs are done in the shop on N.E. 2nd street, due to help shortages, but Walker stated that if an emergency arises, repairmen go out into the field.

The owner reported that he now had a fair stock of repair and extra parts and that his company is prepared to give the best repair service obtainable at this time. In addition Walker is the dealer for Wetmore feed mills, and he also sells combining machines. He stated that the demand for combines has been very great this season due to the large amounts of combine maize which were

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Ladies Auxiliary of Veterans of Foreign Wars are sponsoring a Thanksgiving benefit dance tonight at the V. F. W. hall at 9th and Gollad streets. The grand march at the dance will be used to purchase Allied Nations flags. The dance will last until the wee-hours of the morning. Music will be furnished by the King orchestra. I saw Cella Westerner making the rounds gathering up girls to go to Sweetwater this morning—

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Thanksgiving Cadet Dance

A formal Thanksgiving dance was given for all the cadets, their wives, dates and hostesses Wednesday night at the Cadet Club. The post orchestra, directed by Sgt. Winslow Chamberlain, furnished music for the affair.

The Cadet Club was decorated throughout with fall colors. Huge fall flowers and leaves covered the walls of the ballroom and the orchestra platform was surrounded by a fence covered with bright autumn colored crepe paper. The background was large colored letters cut from construction paper spelling out "Turkey Trot." A false ceiling was formed by crepe paper streamers that also hung from the chandelier.

A buffet supper was served at intermission from long buffet tables that were centered with yellow and purple mums mixed with silver dipped wheat. More than 600 persons attended the affair.

4-H Club Girls Have Demonstration

Monday, Home Demonstration Agent Rhea Merle Boyles at Vesimoor gave the 4-H club girls a demonstration on purse making and Christmas tags.

Seven girls were present and their sponsor, Miss Mamie Clinton.

At 10:45 the agent met with Gayhill girls and their sponsor, Lula Coleman. The same demonstration was given. Attending the 4-H club field day was discussed. Eight girls were present.

Monday afternoon Miss Boyles met at Midway. The meeting was held in the home of Barbara Sue Wilson where a clothing demonstration was given. This included a complete wardrobe closet constructed by her father. Miss Wilson is accredited with having won several prizes at the food show, and is considered one of the outstanding 4-H club girls for the year by Miss Boyles. Eighteen girls were present, accompanied by their sponsors, Mrs. Shaw and Miss Era Phillips.

Miss Boyles met with the Ellis Homes girls Wednesday, where plans were made to form a home-makers club.

Dinner Honors Pollyanna Class

Mrs. G. H. Hayward entertained members of the Pollyanna Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church, when they met in her home Tuesday evening for a Thanksgiving dinner and business meeting.

Mrs. R. R. McEwen, Jr., president, presided and others present were Mrs. Reuben Creighton, Mrs. Otis Johnson, Mrs. Mattie Skiles and Golda Beth, Mrs. Carl Killman, Mrs. Harriett Smith, Mrs. E. E. Elliott, Mrs. L. K. Bowen, Mrs. McEwen, Mrs. C. K. Shelton, Mrs. Mervin Bowers, Mrs. Louis Bucher, and the hostess.

Ribbon can be used in many ways to give new life to a garment.

CAP Enrollment Increased To 30

Enrollment in the Civil Air Patrol cadet program has increased to 30, Lt. W. D. Berry, training officer of the Big Spring squadron reported Thursday.

With four new members enlisted Tuesday evening, the unit now hopes to realize its goal of 50 members receiving weekly instruction in technical subjects along with basic military drill.

The group meets each Tuesday at the high school, and currently is getting an hour of instruction in meteorology under M/Sgt. Hart from the Big Spring Bombardier school. In a few weeks the major course will shift to code and later to navigation and other subjects.

In the meantime the CAP cadets get 15 minutes of review each week along with instruction in military courtesies and discipline, interior guard and basic infantry drill. Instruction also includes the frequent projection of motion pictures to illustrate lectures.

Lt. Jim Nummy is transferring from the Dallas squadron and will assist in the training program and Lt. Vernon Smith also is cooperating.

Recent promotions in the cadet unit include permanent promotion of Billy Merrick to master sergeant, Pete Cook to sergeant, Richard and Robert O'Brien (clerks), Jackie Barron and Harold David Berry to corporal, and Ruby Schuessler, Gordon Madison, Jerry Manell and France Meiers.

Brashears Rites Set For Today

G. R. Brashears, 84, died at his home at 204 N. Gollad street Wednesday morning following a brief illness.

A farmer by trade, Mr. Brashears had followed that occupation in Howard county for more than 36 years. He farmed most of the time in the Knott area. He has been retired since 1936.

In 1895 he was married to Cinda Nelson in Hood county and together they came to Sweetwater in 1900 and migrated to Howard county from there.

Rites will be held at 4 p. m. Thursday at the First Baptist with the Rev. Chester O'Brien, North Nolan Baptist pastor, in charge. Burial will be in the IOOF cemetery.

Survivors include his widow; four sons, George A. Brashears, Richmond, Calif., Garrett D. Brashears, Sweetwater, Allen R. Brashears, Pauls Valley, Okla., Fred G. Brashears, Lenora; two daughters, Mrs. Dora Turner, Monument, N. M., and Mrs. Ritta Smith, Dallas; and one brother, Morgan Brashears, Grapeland. He also leaves 15 grandchildren.

Palbearers will be C. E. Mason, R. V. Foresyth, Earl Pool, Joe Barbee, A. F. Gilliland, and Forrest Thorpe. Odd Fellows and other friends will be honorary palbearers.

The planet Jupiter is covered by a layer of ice 16,000 miles thick, scientists estimate.

Safety Specialist Addresses Class

L. L. Beasley, safety director of Employers association, Lloyd's out of Fort Worth, addressed the students enrolled in the safety engineers course Wednesday night. He discussed the cause and costs of accidents as found in industry.

The course began on Oct. 23 and the meetings are held every Monday and Thursday evening from 7-10 p. m. They will continue until Feb. 8, 1945. At present there are 26 members in the class for a course of study of 96 hours. They include employees of Cosden refinery, Big Spring Bombardier school, West Texas Sand & Gravel company and Shell Pipeline company.

The course is presented under the sponsorship of Texas Technological college at Lubbock and under the instructorship of Otto Peters, Sr.

Weather Forecast

Dept. of Commerce Weather Bureau

BIG SPRING AND VICINITY: Cloudy this afternoon, tonight and Friday, light rain Friday. Not much change in temperature.

WEST TEXAS: Fair in Panhandle and South Plains, cloudy to partly cloudy elsewhere this afternoon, tonight and Friday; not much change in temperatures.

EAST TEXAS: Fair in north portion, cloudy to partly cloudy in south portion, occasional light rain in lower Rio Grande valley this afternoon and tonight and in south portion Friday; not much change in temperatures.

City	Max.	Min.
Ahilene	67	40
Amarillo	65	35
BIG SPRING	63	40
Chicago	38	32
Denver	63	30
El Paso	62	42
Fl. Worth	69	50
Galveston	69	52
New York	42	30
St. Louis	46	35

Local sunset at 6:43 p. m., sunrise Friday at 8:23 a. m.

Crewmen Killed

EL PASO, Nov. 23 (AP)—Three crew members were killed and two parachuted to safety yesterday when their four-engine bomber crashed 18 miles southeast of El Paso while on a combat training flight from nearby Biggs Field, public relations officers announced today.

Regents Of Seven State Colleges In Ft. Worth

DALLAS, Nov. 23 (AP)—Board of regents of seven state teachers colleges will discuss postwar building plans at a meeting in Fort Worth tomorrow, R. L. Thomas of Dallas, chairman of the board, has announced.

Schools affected are North Texas at Denton; Stephen F. Austin at Nacogdoches; East Texas at Commerce; West Texas at Canyon; Sul Ross college at Alpine; Sam Houston at Huntsville and South-West Texas at San Marcos.

Committees Named For Coming Revival

Committee appointments for the approaching city-wide revival have been announced by the Big Spring Pastors association.

J. A. Coffey will be in charge of the ushers committee and the Revs. Dick O'Brien and Ivy Bohannon will head up arrangements for the prayer services immediately preceding the services each evening.

The Rev. James Roy Clark will be chairman of the young people's work and the finance committee includes the Rev. J. E. McCoy, George Melear and Lee Porter.

Decision concerning reception of the meeting, which will have Dr. Clovis Chappell, famous clergyman from Jackson, Miss. as the evangelist, has been announced and is in no wise restricted to cooperating churches.

Those desiring to unite with any church will be urged to respond to the invitation. Cards will be provided so that they may indicate their preference, and the cards will be turned over to the leadership of the church specified where formal acceptance can be handled the following Sunday morning.

Explanation of the revision of starting time to 7:30 p. m. was made by the association to this effect: School children, by getting out of the services at 9:30 p. m., will not be prevented from attending the evening services.

State Officials Begin Canvass Of Vote Returns

AUSTIN, Nov. 23 (AP)—The governor, attorney general and secretary of state began the official canvass of general election returns here yesterday.

Secretary of State Sidney Latham said it would require about a week to finish the tabulation as required by law.

The count underway covers only presidential electors, other state officers and congressional and district races. Official canvass of the votes for governor and lieutenant governor is made by the legislature.

Cigarette Shortage Due To Continue

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23 (AP)—To the troubles of cigaret smokers who figure they're lucky these days to find a pack anywhere, the war food administration today piled this unhappy thought: The tight supply situation may continue beyond harvest of next year's tobacco crops.

In a report on 1945 tobacco production goals, the WFA said war requirements have exceeded production, reducing stocks below normal.

Officer Killed In Highway Collision

DALLAS, Nov. 23 (AP)—An Army officer stationed at Love Field was killed in a highway collision on the Dallas Fort Worth highway near the Tarrant county line early today. Uninjured was H. J. Neel of Marshall, Tex., driver of a lumber truck involved in the accident.

LANDS HAS SETBACK

CHICAGO, Nov. 23 (AP)—Kenesaw Mountain Landis, 78-year-old commissioner of baseball, suffered a "setback" at St. Luke's Hospital Sunday and his condition at present "is not good," his physician disclosed today.

Sweeps Highlight Bowling Matches

Estah's Florist swept a three-game series from Hester's as did Cosden from Hodges while J&L clipped Settles 2-1 Wednesday evening in women's bowling matches.

Olive Cauble was high for game with 190 against 166 for Lois Eason and 164 for Minnie Howze. She also topped the series with 407, ahead of Eason with 445 and Howze with 433.

In team competition Cosden's 703 and 692 were good for first and third with Estah's second at 698. Series stacked up this way: Cosden 2,077, Estah's 1,989, Hester's 1,888.

Next week Hodges meets J&L, Estah's-Settles Drug, and Hester's-Cosden.

Experts Continue Boll Worm Study

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23 (AP)—A study of pink boll worm infestation in Texas and New Mexico was under way at the agriculture department today.

Dr. R. P. Annand, chief of the bureau of entomology, talked with J. E. McDonald, Texas commissioner of agriculture, J. F. Curl, San Antonio agriculture official and R. E. McDonald of the agriculture department, who has been stationed in Monterrey, Mex.

The officials are discussing whether a special eradication campaign should be planned for the infested area in addition to the regular program for which \$738,000 has been made available for this fiscal year by congress.

Give It To The USO

BALBOA, Calif., Nov. 23 (AP)—John F. Vogel has posted this sign in the lobby of his hotel: "The owner of this hotel, being no magician, finds himself unable to operate within OPA rules and therefore will not accept any rents or donations. Should you believe your quarters worth anything you may donate said sum to the Balboa USO fund."

Health Series Due Over KBST Friday

"Night Into Day" is the title of the health drama to be presented by the Big Spring - Howard county health unit Friday night at 6:45 p. m. over station KBST.

This playlet, which is concerned with the care and protection of vision, has as its cast Mrs. Constance Reque, Miss Edith Gay, Max Lee Fann and Jack Reese.

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Most thankful indeed will be the mothers and fathers of the sons who will be able to join them in the intimacy of the family circle on Thanksgiving Day this year. But there will be many homes in which service flags hang, where vacant chairs will be mute evidence of the fact that sacrifices must continue—sacrifices that are making it possible for us to give thanks now that our cities have not been bombed, that our people have suffered no starvation, that our children are safe. Yes, there is much for which we can give thanks, this year, and especially to those who have given their lives that we may continue free.

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