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DEWEY BACKERS ALL SET—Members of the New York Young Republican Club unpack campaign material June 23 in Chicago, as they prepare for the drive to nominate Gov. Thomas E. Dewey, of New York, as the republican presidential nominee. (AP Wirephoto).

GOP Vanguard Storms Chicago

By PAUL MILLER
Chief of The Associated Press Washington Bureau
CHICAGO, June 24 (AP)—Republican legions stormed Chicago tonight for their first war-time convention since 1864 amid increasing talk of "hands across the nation" ticket headed by Gov. Thomas E. Dewey of New York and Gov. Earl Warren of California.

After nearly a week's preliminaries, the rank and file of delegates and campaigners poured in. They taxed hotels and transportation. They perspired and argued in hotel rooms, lobbies and bars, they overwhelmed restaurants.

Most of all, they got seriously, excitedly ready to nominate a candidate for president of the United States—but amid speculation that climactic developments might come even before the convention starts.

RAF Pounding At Bomb Ramps

SUPREME HEADQUARTERS, Allied Expeditionary Force, Sunday, June 25 (AP)—RAF heavy bombers thundered out over the southeast coast of England early today in the fifth large-scale Allied aerial mission in 24 hours with the Germans' flying-bomb ramps in northern France their apparent objective.

The RAF attack was made as the robot bombs fell again on Britain after a 15-hour lull. Numerous formations filled the night air, taking three-quarters of an hour to pass over a coastal town, as they opened a new week of aerial assault, combining support for the invasion and defense against Hitler's rocket weapon.

Soon after the planes had passed out of sight heavy gunfire was heard from the Calais and Dunkerque areas.

Both U. S. and RAF heavies made attacks Saturday afternoon and night against the launching ramps of the Nazi flying bombs, following up earlier attacks on the same targets by medium bombers.

Some casualties and damage in southern England was reported caused by the attacks of the flying bombs early today.

Reviewing The Big Spring Week

Joe Pickle

This column thinks our last, best hope for rain lies in Vernon Logan. Any person who can spin to a crash from 2,200 feet as he did Monday and not break a bone is bound to have a good connection with the Lord. Maybe he can work it just once more for a rain.

It is whispered around in bond circles that the quota is good as made as soon as the average citizen sees his E bond job. The heavy money is on the line. What we need now is a multitude of expressions of faith in the form of war bond purchases by individuals. Check your bank balance and buy.

A youngster tells us his next door chum looks on him as a drip. "Why guy," says the chum, "you're going to wake up here in the seventh grade and not even be able to dance!" They go faster these days.

Big Spring people rejoice in the news that American Airlines is adding two stops daily as of July 1. That gives a morning and an evening westbound connection. American hopes (and so do we) that a morning eastbound stop can

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Reds Launch New Drive As Allies Fight In Cherbourg

American Shock Troops At Edge Of Prize Port

Germans Destroy Installations, Blow Up Ammunition Dumps

By GLADWIN HILL
SUPREME HEADQUARTERS, Allied Expeditionary Force, Sunday, June 25 (AP) American shock troops closing in for the kill last night drove to within 1,000 yards of Cherbourg's southern city limits, and were so close that observers could see the Germans destroying installations inside the city, which also was torn by the explosion of ammunition dumps.

A dispatch direct from the field by Don Whitehead, Associated Press front correspondent, said Cherbourg was almost blotted from view by a black smoke pall as the Americans steadily expanded their deep wedge in cracked German lines despite fierce resistance.

The new American penetration occurred early last night, said Whitehead's dispatch which was filed at 8 p. m. (1 p. m. Central War time). There also were some signs of enemy demoralization, he had said in an earlier report.

Headquarters communique No. 38 issued at 11:30 p. m. of steady progress on a semi-circular front around the city and said "each link in the chain of defenses is being systematically destroyed."

A French civilian who reached American lines said Cherbourg's remaining civilians had hidden wine and champagne with which to celebrate the Americans' expected entry soon into the city.

The Yank infantrymen were fighting through a mass of ravines and 400-foot plateaus where the Germans were dug in with guns so mounted as to lay down a murderous cross-fire. They also had cracked a formidable concrete barrier in the city's southern outskirts, finding only four bomb-dazed Germans alive in a pile of dead.

British naval forces thwarted a German sea escape attempt early Saturday morning, sinking possibly five small German ships, as the Americans ashore battered their way toward Cherbourg from the south, east and southwest.

The Americans had the support of Allied artillery firing at point-blank range. Air support also was the closest yet, so close that American officers had to withdraw their forward patrols early yesterday as hundreds of U. S. Marauder medium bombers blasted the German pillbox positions with 250 tons of explosives. American airmen were only a few minutes flying time from Cherbourg, using newly-created Normandy landing fields.

With all this in mind, both Bricker and Dewey headquarters went all-out in the battle for deletion of National Chairman Harrison E. Spangler predicted a fast-moving convention, highlighted by:

1. Swift approval of the party's 1944 platform after its presentation to the convention Tuesday by the resolutions committee.

2. Nomination of a presidential candidate by Wednesday night, a vice-presidential candidate Thursday morning.

3. Speech of acceptance by the nominee Thursday afternoon. Dewey forces reported at least 390 pledged and claimed. The Bricker camp—through Rep. Clarence Brown of Ohio, floor manager—gives Dewey 385 on the first ballot, estimating Bricker's initial strength at from 200 to 225, conservatively, with hopes of producing up to 300.

There will be 1,057 delegates, with 529 needed for a nomination. Talk of a darkhorse nominee being selected was totally lacking.

Even so, headquarters of Lt. Commander Harold E. Stassen of Minnesota, now on Pacific duty, announced (1) that Stassen's name will be presented to the convention and they are not interested in the vice tie come what may and (2) that presidency.

On familiar republican figure was conspicuous for his absence on the pre-convention scene. He is Wendell L. Wilkie, the man who went to the 1940 conclave without a pledged delegate and carried the nomination off on the sixth ballot.

CHICAGO, June 24 (AP)—Texas National Committeeman R. B. Creager of Brownsville, declared tonight that a Dewey-Bricker slate would clinch a republican victory. Creager made his observation in reply to a claim by delegate-at-large Marris McLean that 20 of Texas' 33-man delegation would support Bricker in preference to Dewey.



BERLIN REPORTS RED DRIVE—Arrow indicates Vitebsk-Mogilev sector of the Russian front (broken line) where the Germans said the Russians have launched a major offensive. This was announced by the Germans June 23, and at that time, there was no confirmation from Moscow. (AP Wirephoto).

Five Additional Jap Ships Sunk

By LEONARD MILLMAN
Associated Press War Editor

At least 84 more Japanese planes and five ships have been destroyed by American warplanes in new protective raids extending 700 miles either side of U. S. invasion forces on Saipan in the southern Marianas Islands.

Japan has lost 44 ships definitely sunk, two probably and 47 damaged, plus 638 planes in the two weeks since the attack on Saipan began. If supporting Caroline Island raids are included, Japanese plane losses total 723, against 98 American. All but 25 American airmen were rescued.

More than 60 enemy planes were shot down when they tried to intercept carrier forces striking at Iwo Island in the Kazan group, midway between Saipan and Tokyo, Adm. Chester W. Nimitz reported yesterday (Saturday).

The five ships and a dozen more enemy planes were knocked out in carrier strikes at Pagan, Rota and Tinian in the Marianas.

Gen. Douglas MacArthur's land-based bombers demolished another dozen on the ground at Yap, east of the Philippines and 650 miles southwest of Saipan, he reported today (Sunday). Big fires were left blazing there and at nearby Ulithi and Sorol Islands.

Other bombers smashed at Truk in the central Carolines and Shumushu in the Kuriles. Nimitz announced American ground forces were forging ahead on Saipan despite extensive Japanese use of land mines and MacArthur announced that 2,333 Japanese have been killed in the Biak campaign off northwest Dutch New Guinea. This is a ten to one ratio compared to American losses.

Cook Proclaims Wednesday 'E Bond Day'

Mayor Pro Tem R. L. Cook Saturday proclaimed Wednesday as "E Bond Day" in Big Spring and urged business houses to close shop for the big downtown rally from 10:45 a. m. to 12 noon.

"Whereas, we are now engaged in a campaign to meet our honorable obligations as individuals in the Fifth War Loan drive; and whereas, the ability to meet our county quota rests solely upon our purchases of E bonds," said Cook in his proclamation, "I therefore proclaim Wednesday as E bond day in Big Spring and do hereby urge all business houses to close between the hours of 10:45 a. m. and 12 noon and beseech all citizens to participate in the bond rally on the east side of the courthouse lawn."

(For full particulars of the bond campaign, the State theatre E bond show, and the Wednesday rally, turn to page 2).

Local Paratrooper In Invasion

Suffering a broken leg when he parachuted after flak damaged his plane in the invasion and a hand cut when a "Jerry" attacked him with a bayonet, Pfc. Ray B. Hood, Jr., 19, of Big Spring, managed to fight two days before being evacuated to a hospital in England.

Hood is one of several Big Spring soldiers who have written home since the invasion. Several other families have received letters from England in the last few days.

Hood described some of his experiences over the "Army Hour" radio program June 10. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Hood, Sr., 204 W. 10th.

In his letter, Hood said, "We jumped in France a few nights ago—the first Allied troops to set foot on occupied Europe. I was in the fourth plane from the front and flak cut my static line. I had to use my smaller reserve chute. I came down too fast. I broke my leg when I landed, but man-



PFC. RAY B. HOOD, JR.

aged to hobble around after a fashion.

"I was headed for assembly area when a 'Jerry' made a try for me with a bayonet. He did cut my hand and nearly scared

Eastern Storm Leaves Trail Of 145 Dead

Parts Of Pennsylvania And West Virginia Hit By Tornado

PITTSBURGH, June 24 (AP)—Weary rescue forces searched for more victims today in the ruin left by a great storm which devastated parts of southwest Pennsylvania and West Virginia, taking a toll of 145 lives and injuring hundreds.

Almost hourly reports from villages and towns hit by the tornado which traveled a narrow twisting path from McKeesport, Pa., near Pittsburgh, nearly 100 miles south to Shinnston, W. Va., brought grim detail of more deaths and destruction.

The huge job of relief was under way by federal and state agencies while many injured victims lay in hospitals and homeless hundreds wandered through the streets of wrecked communities, many of them looking for friends or relatives who might have been killed.

Latest reports show 102 killed in West Virginia, 38 in Pennsylvania and three in Maryland just across the line from West Virginia.

Some families were wiped out. Other scores were reported missing. Many dead were unidentified. Wrecked communications and clogged roads kept some communities from reporting their casualties for hours.

Dwellings, farm buildings and other structures by the hundreds were demolished, littering streets and highways with wreckage.

The storm lashed out hardest against little Shinnston, a coal mining community of 2,800 near Clarksburg, W. Va., where 58 were reported killed, and took its heaviest Pennsylvania toll around Chartiers and Clarksville, 40 miles south of Pittsburgh, and at other communities within 20 miles of Pittsburgh.

Wallace Ends China Parley

CHUNGKING, June 24 (AP)—Vice President Henry A. Wallace ended his mission to Chungking today with a joint Chinese-American press release which declared that enduring peace in the Pacific would depend on permanent demilitarization of Japan; understanding, friendship and collaboration among China, Russia, Britain and the United States; and recognition of the right of self-government for Asiatic peoples now dependent.

The statement said that Wallace, Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek and other Chinese officials who held discussions in "an informal, frank and friendly atmosphere," had "found themselves in agreement on basic principles and objectives."

PRISONER RECAPTURED

ABILENE, June 24 (AP)—Rudolph Thielicke, 28, German paratrooper captured in Sicily, escaped from the Camp Barkeley prisoner of war stockade, but was picked up by local police early today after four and one-half hours of liberty.

Pincers Closing Around Vitebsk

By TOM YARBROUGH

LONDON, Sunday, June 25 (AP)—Two mighty Red armies are closing pincers from the north and south on Vitebsk in White Russia and the German-fortified town already is threatened with encirclement, Moscow said early today.

More than 7,500 Germans were killed in this area as Soviet infantry fought its way forward with the massed support of artillery and aircraft, the Russians asserted.

In closing in around the Nazi fortress, Hitler's closest remaining outposts to Moscow, Red troops made two new break-throughs in Nazi defenses to the south, advanced forward up to 25 miles in the north and lengthened the whole central fighting front to approximately 150 miles.

More than 900 places were liberated in fighting on all fronts yesterday, including more than 200 which had been held by the Finns in the lake region to the north.

The early morning supplement to the Russian communique said the Germans were rushing reinforcements into the battle for Vitebsk by forced march from the south. The last remaining railway into the town from the Germans' rear was cut Friday on the first day of the offensive on the main eastern front.

Fighting grew in ferocity, but the supplement said Red troops were hitting relentlessly at disorganized Nazi formations and were moving ahead on both sides of Vitebsk.

On the northwestern flank of the town more than 2,000 Germans were killed and huge quantities of equipment destroyed or captured. Southward toward the rail junctions of Orsha and Mogilev, where the new breakthroughs occurred, the supplement said approximately 3,500 German soldiers were slain in bitter battles. Six hundred dead were counted in one small sector, Moscow added.

Premier Stalin announced in special orders of the day that the two-day old offensives northwest and southeast of Vitebsk had been expanded to 50 miles on each side of the town and in addition new break-throughs farther south in the direction of Orsha and Mogilev were revealed.

The momentous Soviet successes on all active fronts were recounted in a series of three special orders of the day by Stalin and the regular, nightly communique, which said a total of nearly a thousand places had been liberated in the wide-spread fighting.

Announcing gains of 70 to 25 miles northwest of Vitebsk and 15 to 20 miles southeast of that Nazi-fortified town in the first two days of the new offensive on the main eastern front, the premier said that another breakthrough had been accomplished in the direction of Orsha, an important railway junction approximately 50 miles south of Vitebsk.

This new puncture in the German lines in White Russia was made to a depth of up to 9 to 12 miles on a front 12 to 25 miles wide.

The premier said Red troops on the northern front had swarmed across the Svir river all along its 100-mile course between Lakes Ladoga and Onegskoe (Onega), gaining up to 19 miles in three days, and had freed more than 200 places from the Germans.

Japs Open Way To Hengyang

CHUNGKING, June 24 (AP)—The last major barrier in the swift Japanese march on vital Hengyang apparently has fallen.

And there were indications that the enemy in this drive would employ encirclement tactics against the Hengyang rail junction similar to those which brought about the fall of Changsha, the Chinese high command intimated tonight.

A communique placed the fighting now four and one-half miles below Hengshan, the last Hunan province stronghold north of Hengyang, and slightly more than 20 miles above that Japanese objective, whose fall, the Chinese have admitted readily, would have grave implications, and would go far toward accomplishment of the enemy effort to split China in two and prepare against the eventualities of American landings on the China coast.

The Japanese were driving fiercely down both sides of the Canton-Hankow railway. Bloody fighting was proceeding in the Leichihsh and Hengshan areas. The Fourteenth U. S. Army air force has been active throughout the Hunan province battle areas.

Fresh Armor Fails To Halt Allied Drive

ROME, June 24 (AP)—The Germans hurried fresh armor and their air force into the battle of Italy today, but French elements of the Fifth army thrust on through the mountains to the south bank of the Ombrone river at a point 115 miles northwest of Rome.

In this advance, the Fifth army overran Roccastrada, which is about 70 miles southeast of Pisa, near which the Germans are preparing a stand, and the strong resistance apparently was a bid for more time.

The point reached on the Ombrone was six miles northeast of Roccastrada. The French had to fight through the heaviest enemy artillery fire of the week and thread through heavy minefields to reach it.

Another column of Allied infantry and tanks was fighting at the outskirts of Follonica, which straddles the coastal highway leading north to Pisa. Bad weather, which has given the Germans some respite from tactical air attack, did not keep a force of from 250 to 500 U. S. Liberators from blasting the Ploesti oil fields of Romania today for the second straight day.

Fires blazed in the harbor and storage area of Giurgiu, 40 miles south of Bucharest, which was bombed yesterday despite strong aerial resistance which cost the enemy 31 aircraft, a communique announced. Ten Allied heavy bombers and eight other planes are missing from Friday's operations.

On land, the Germans registered one of their few successes since the big Allied push began by recapturing Chiusi, nine miles southwest of Lake Trasimeno on the center of the front.

Field Day Is Held At Post

Marking the first time a review has been held at Big Spring Bomber school on such a scale that other post operations have been placed at a standstill, the second annual field day was conducted Saturday with all military personnel of the field participating.

The program opened at 1 p. m. with a review of all members of the personnel. Col. John P. Kenny and his staff, with many guests of the school, watched the colorful parade march past the reviewing stand to the stirring music of the post band. Games followed.

Colonel Kenny presented the winning trophy, an elaborated silver cup, to Maj. Gaylord W. Schultz, who accepted the award on behalf of the winning cadet team. Second prize, another silver cup, went to the colored soldiers of Section F, and was accepted by S-Sgt. Jerome Pinkston. Individual medals with certificates will be presented later to winners of each event.

Cadet Mort Alnwick was high individual. The games were sponsored by the special services department. Officials aiding were Maj. Harry F. Wheeler, Maj. W. E. Turner, Lt. John Auerbach, Lt. Clarence Laymon, Lt. Joseph Salvo, Capt. Jackson, S-Sgt. Francis, Sgt. Gunter, S-Sgt. Dunham, Cpl. Scymaniak, Sgt. Doty, Pfc. Varc, Cpl. Carrasco, A-S Lastovic, Sgt. Millard, Sgt. Carroll, Sgt. Salvatore and Pfc. Swaney. Director of the meet was 1st Lt. Leroy Bloomington, cadet physical training officer.

# "And The Angels Sing" Featured At The Ritz

If advance reports are true, there are laughs galore due Sunday at the Ritz Theatre when Pa. amount's "And the Angels Sing" bows in with a cast of four heavenly honey's and Fred MacMurray. Co-starring with Fred are Betty Hutton and Dorothy Lamour while featured players Diana Lynn and Mimi Chandler comprise the sister quartette of the Angel family, presided over by Raymond Walburn as Papa Angel.

While especially talented in the music field, the four girls are inclined to follow other vocations until Fred, as a band leader,

comes along to borrow some money. When he disappears for some time the girls decide it's time to track him down — and they do. It's at that point that MacMurray starts turning on the charm.

Using every trick known to placate a furious woman, Fred tries to appease all four Angels by wooing them with ardent phrases about love. This falling, and torn between a newly-born conscience and an empty purse, he promises to return the money if the Angels will join his band for the evening and put on their dancing, singing, clowning, sister act. The shrewd little Angels, realizing this to be the only way of retrieving their money put on their act and take the place by storm. The manager of the club doubles the band's salary because of its new act and Fred begins sending American beauty roses by the dozens. Fred has a feeling he's falling, but his angel has a feeling he's fooling—and that, further more, he's a phoney.

Eddie Foy, Jr., the idea man of the band, tries to help Fred marry his angel, and so cancel the band's indebtedness, but his miscalculates with the result that the wrong angel wings her way into the MacMurray paradise. In desperation Fred makes love to both of them on the same night, in the same night club, but at different tables with the aid of some sheltering potted palms.

Between laughs and tears there is music, and while there's music there's dancing, and with it all there's the great love of a guy for an angel who happens to have no use for him. It all happens in "And the Angels Sing," Paramount's newest comedy with music.

George Marshall, director of two sparkling Paramount comedies "Riding High" and "Star Spangled Rhythm," is said to score again with "And the Angels Sing." Formerly one of Hollywood's top directors of outdoor films Marshall is fast becoming known as an ace supervisor of musicals.



Fred MacMurray, Dorothy Lamour in a scene from "And the Angels Sing," co-starring Betty Hutton with Diana Lynn and Raymond Walburn.



Chester Morris, Nancy Kelly, Russell Hayden are starred in Paramount's thriller, "Gambler's Choice," with Lee Patrick, Lloyd Corrigan.



George Sanders and Brenda Marshall in a tense scene from "Paris After Dark," 20th Century-Fox thriller, with Philip Dorn.

# Rooney, Garland Tops In "Girl Crazy" At State

Mickey Rooney and Judy Garland are teamed together for the eighth time in Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's lulling filmization of the smash Broadway hit of a few seasons ago, "Girl Crazy," now playing at the State Theatre.

The original Gershwin score is retained and played by none other than Tommy Dorsey and his band. Judy sings the favorites, "Bidin' My Time" and "Embraceable You" among many others, and dances two production numbers proving the young singer is fast becoming one of the best dancers on the screen today.

It's Mickey Rooney's fondness for night clubbing and girls that causes his father to send him to Cozy College in Arizona, in the hope Mickey will reform. Mickey arrives in Arizona to discover Ginger Gray, played by Judy, granddaughter of the dean, is the only girl at the school. He falls in love with her promptly, but Judy wants nothing to do with

the tenderfoot quitter. Mickey shows his true character when he decides to stick it out, and Judy relents. When the school is about to be closed for lack of enrollment, Mickey plans a rodeo carnival. The publicity brings in an avalanche of new applications. Cozy College is saved and both Mickey and Judy are happy.

Four Newcomers

Several young newcomers are introduced for the first time to support the Garland-Rooney team. They are June Allyson, Gil Stratton, Nancy Walker and Robert A. Strickland, all of the Broadway stage. After their performances in "Girl Crazy" it's a cinch they're in Hollywood to stay. Among the screen veterans "Rags" Ragland, Guy Kibbee, Howard O'Neill and Frances Rafferty contribute outstanding characterizations.



Judy Garland and Mickey Rooney in a scene from MGM's latest musical, "Girl Crazy," with Tommy Dorsey and his Orchestra.

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As the title implies, the story takes place in Paris — not the Paris so famous for its gaiety and life, but the Paris occupied by the Nazis, who rule it with all the ruthlessness of which they are capable.

But they are unable to destroy the peoples' love of freedom. The risks and dangers which the members of the underground must face unflinchingly are typified by Brenda Marshall, a nurse whose husband, Philip Dorn, is a war prisoner of the Germans.

When Dorn unexpectedly is returned to his home, Brenda is astonished at the change which has taken place in him. He is no longer a brave soldier of France — his months in the prison camp have transformed him into a pitiable object, afraid to even raise his eyes for fear of incurring Nazi wrath, and convinced that the Germans must inevitably win.

Because of her husband's new attitude, Brenda, in carrying out her activities in the underground must necessarily conceal them. Seeking about under cover of night, letting the man she loves think unspeakable things about her, Brenda's heart is broken by the hurt she inflicts upon Dorn.

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Tues. - Wed. — "The Lodger" with Merle Oberon and George Sanders.  
Thurs. - Fri. Sat. — "Four Jills in a Jeep" with Kay Francis and Carole Landis.

**LYRIC**  
Sun. - Mon. — "Paris After Dark" with George Sanders and Brenda Marshall.  
Tues. - Wed. — "Thank Your Lucky Stars" with Warner's star review.  
Thurs. "Girl in the Cage" with Edmond Lowe and Janis Carter.  
Fri. - Sat. — "Cowboy and Senorita" with Roy Rogers and Dale Evans.

**QUEEN**  
Sun. - Mon. — "Gambler's Choice" with Chester Morris and Nancy Kelly.

**STATE**  
Sun. - Mon. — "Girl Crazy" with Mickey Rooney and Judy Garland.  
Tues. - Wed. — "Unfinished Business" with Irene Dunne and Robert Montgomery.  
Thurs. — Special War Bond Show "Louisiana Hayride" with Judy Canova.  
Fri. — "Good Luck Mr. Yates" with Claire Trevor and Edgar Buchanan.  
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COLOR CARTOON PARAMOUNT NEWS

# Local Marine Fighter Survives Eight Hits

By SGT. JAMES S. DUGAN  
MC Combat Correspondent  
GREEN ISLAND, (Delayed) — Marine First Lieut John W. Blocker, Jr., of 710 Bell street, Big Spring, Tex., rode his dive-bomber through a hail of Jap anti-aircraft shrapnel today, making his eighth time his plane has been hit since his arrival in the South Pacific.

On a mission over Borop al-drome, New Ireland, Lieut. Blocker pulled out of his dive only to be met with a virtual blanket of shrapnel from a shell which exploded nearby. The windshield of his plane was riddled by pieces of flying steel.

"For a moment I was blinded by the flash," the Texas Marine related, "and I wasn't sure what had happened. My gunner was hollering at me over the radio, but I couldn't understand what he was saying."

"At first I thought maybe he had been hit, but he wasn't. Once I discovered the ship still was in good working order I set out for home."

Lieut. Blocker attended Texas Tech prior to entering the Ma-



LT. JNO. W. BLOCKER, JR., USMC (US Marine Official Photo) joined the Marine Corps in April, 1943. His wife, Betty Jo, lives in Big Spring and his father, John W. Blocker, lives at Stanton.

## Sales Dragging On Car Use Stamps

With only five days left for purchase of federal tax use stamps for motor vehicles, only a little more than 900 had been sold when the postoffice closed Saturday, Nat Shick, postmaster, announced.

More than 5,000 of the stamps were sold last year by the Big Spring postoffice.

The stamps are available at the parcel post window. Price is 45 cents each.

Under federal requirement, they must be on all automobiles, commercial vehicles, motorcycles and other motor-driven vehicles by next Saturday.

O. P. Griffin, county agent, and Rhea Merle Boyles, home demonstration agent, will attend a state conference of agents Monday through Wednesday at College Station.

# Shoppers Warming To Closing Time

Merchants expected quite a bit of grumbling on the part of customers recently when they changed store hours and closed 20 minutes earlier, but shoppers are taking it graciously and are managing to get their shopping done early.

Cecil Westerman, chairman of the merchant's committee for the local chamber of commerce said Saturday that from all indications the change-over is most satisfactory.

From the employee's standpoint, one young lady summed it up in two words, "It's swell," while another expressed appreciation to customers for not waiting until the last minute to shop around in the store.

Manager of a local variety store said all his customers were agreeable to the new store hours and seemed to be regarding them.

Local merchants met at the chamber of commerce office recently and worked out the new schedule with hours from 8:30 to 5:30, rather than 8:30 to 6 p. m.

# Baptist Youth Camp Closes With Plans For Enlarging Next Year

Final attendance at the Baptist youth encampment which was held at the city park June 19-23 reached 553 with 361 boys and 501 girls registered.

The district encampment closed Friday slightly short of a record attributed to the fact that swimming could not be included in the recreation program.

There were 48 teachers, counselors and special department heads in attendance.

Mrs. Dick O'Brien, young people's secretary for district eight, was in charge of the camp program and presided over all sessions.

Mrs. J. M. White, Midland, president of district eight Woman's Missionary Union, was in charge of registration and Mrs. Bill Arnett, Forsan and Mrs. R. O. Collins, Midland, were in charge of kitchen activities.

Lois Glass, returned missionary from China, was guest speaker. Concessions netted \$100 for the camp treasury. On one evening fried chicken was served to 500 people.

According to announcement that the committee will recommend that the Brotherhood of the district eight cooperate in expanding physical properties of the camp with the addition of other meetings each year.

Those on the committee were W. C. Harrison, district missionary, Mrs. J. D. Simons, chairman, Colorado City; Herman Robbins, Lamesa; Arthur De Losch, Odessa, and A. B. Brand, Seminole.

The youth encampment in 1945 will be held June 18-22, it was announced.

# Scout Leaders To Plan Camp

Boy Scout leaders of the Big Spring district will attend an organization meeting in Colorado City Wednesday in preparation for attending the summer encampment at Philmont, scout camp in Cimarron, N. M.

Approximately 75 boys from this area with leaders will leave July 3 for Philmont with first stop scheduled at Las Vegas, N. M.

An all-out program of recreation is scheduled with scouts divided into two groups for camping activities.

The meeting at Colorado City will be held at the Colorado hotel at 8 p. m. and plans will be worked out by leaders from this district and those from nearby towns for the coming affair. Committees will be named to head the various activities and to oversee recreational programs.

Planning to attend the meeting from here are Charles Watson, Elra Phillips, Cy Neighbors, Pat Kenney, J. E. Apple, A. McNary, Roy Reeder, Hayes Stripling, W. D. Berry, Jake Morgan and H. D. Norris, scout executive.

Scouts from troops No. 3, No. 4, No. 6 and No. 9 took part in an overnight encampment at the Boy Scout roundup grounds Friday.

The camp program was informal and entertainment was softball.

Leaders accompanying the 23 boys were W. D. Berry, Elra Phillips, Arthur Leonard and H. D. Norris.

# Capt. Lawrence Is Transferred

Capt. Emeric A. Lawrence, Catholic chaplain at the Big Spring bombardier school, has been transferred after a year and a half service here.

He came to the post in March 1943 from chaplain school at Harvard university. Not only was he a popular officer at the post, but he was equally well known in Big Spring. Capt. Lawrence is the son of Mrs. Rose Lawrence of Fargo, N. D., and is a graduate of St. John's university at Collegeville, Minn., where he was a professor. Succeeding him here is 1st Lt. Thomas J. McDonald of Lost Creek, Pa., a graduate of St. Charles college at Columbus, O., and who has just finished the chaplain's school at Harvard.

Col. H. M. Wittkop, former commanding officer of AAFBS, Big Spring, and now commanding the 34th Flying Training Wing, with headquarters in San Angelo, arrived at the field Friday evening for a routine inspection.

Additional officer arrivals this week are 2nd Lieut. Charles E. Maney, Lexington, Ky.; Charles K. Crum, Wichita Kas.; Oscar Peckarsky, Milwaukee, Wis.; Leo Mandelkern, New York City; Percy J. Anderson, Jr., San Antonio, and Johanna E. Balla, St. Louis, Mo., nurse.

Wesley Gordon, assistant to director of public information, American Red Cross, has been here conferring with Max Blue, who is Red Cross field director of Big Spring bombardier school, on a routine tour. He came here from Camp Berkeley at Abilene. His territory covers 17 states.

# The Week

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be worked out later.

The next squeeze to conserve water is apt to be directed against air conditioners, particularly those which do not employ recirculating systems. It may be that the city will have to legislate against all types if the water shortage continues to grow acute at its present trend.

Anyone who doubts that oil exploration is now on a boom in Howard county has but to check the records. Currently there are drilling, or preparing to drill, some 12 bona fide wildcat tests in Howard county alone. There's half that many good ones going down in Borden and Mitchell counties.

Only consolation we can gain out of the heat which does so constantly beset us is that the 101 peak last week lacks a lot of approaching the 110 scorers of last year. Remember?

Men and women at the Big Spring Bombardier School really put on a real show with a record formal review Saturday and the second annual field day which is unique among posts in this area.

It is easy to overlook the youth camp just concluded here by district Baptist young people. In all, it attracted nearly 900. When the war is over, there is no telling how this and similar camps of other denominations will grow. We are fortunate to have them.

# King Peter And Tito To Confer

LONDON, June 24 (AP)—King Peter of the Yugoslav government-in-exile and Marshal Tito of the Yugoslav partisans probably will meet face to face soon to draft final details for unification of all anti-Nazi elements into a wartime government for all-out blows against the Germans.

# Danish Munitions Plant Sabotaged

NEW YORK, June 24 (AP)—The Swedish radio said today that 70 to 80 armed men destroyed Denmark's only munitions factory—the Copenhagen harbor plant of the Dansk Rekyli Syndicat—in the biggest coup of patriots so far carried out in that German-occupied country.

# Texas War Bond Sales Up To \$136,000,000

DALLAS, June 24 (AP)—Fifth War Loan bond sales reached a total of \$136,643,453 in Texas today, Chairman Nathan Adams of the state war finance committee reported.

Adams said the response from purchasers of the series E bond—so called "little money" bond—had been good, adding that sales for this security totaled \$42,120,150 or 31.7 per cent of the \$123,000,000 goal.

The bond chairman said buying of other securities by individuals was also going at a brisk clip—sales amounting to \$73,345,282 or 31.1 per cent of the \$236,000,000 assignment.

# Westex Oil Spotlight Gains County Holds

By JOHN B. BREWER  
SAN ANGELO, June 24—Gaines county held the spotlight in West Texas oil development this week with prospects of the opening of a pool in the east central part by Stanolind No. 1 Thos. S. Riley, Shell No. 1-A Dr. E. H. Jones completed as a three-quarter mile south extension to the Russell Clear Fork lime pool in northwestern Gaines and two offsets to it were staked.

Deep exploration was sustained by the staking of locations for slated Ellenberger wildcats in Mitchell and Crane counties. Hunt Oil Co. took five spreads totaling 31,000 acres on the Edwards Plateau in Kimble, Sutton and Schleicher counties. Stanolind acquired a 17,000-acre block in Garza county and Union of California a 21,000 acre block in Kent county. All the leases were commercial, for 10 years, without drilling obligations.

Stanolind No. 1 Riley, Gaines county wildcat C NW NW 79-H-D&W, seven miles west of the Cedar Lake pool, showed porosity, saturation and bleeding at intervals between 5,947 and 5,175 feet, the total depth, and ran 5 1-2 inch casing to test. The promised pay is the San Andres, which produces in the Cedar Lake field.

Shell will drill an east offset and Magnolia and Atlantic jointly a north offset to Shell No. 1-A Dr. E. H. Jones, C NE NT 490-G-CCSD&RNGG, the Russell pool south extension, which was finished at 7,780 feet for a 24-hour flow of 465 barrels of pipeline oil and gas-oil ratio of 322-1. It had been treated with 5,270 gallons of acid in four stages.

Shell No. 1 Fayette Tankerley estate, southeastern Iron county wildcat near the C NE NE 12-GC&SF, cemented 5 1-2 inch casing at 8,084 feet after drilling to 8,357 in sand. The test is "tight" and zones to be tested were unreported. The Ellenburger was said to have been topped at 7,360 feet, 5,027 feet below sea level.

World's deepest test since passing 15,000 feet, Phillips No. 1 Ada C. Price, Pecos county wildcat C SW NW 11-101-TCRR, 25 miles southeast of Fort Stockton, showed nothing through perforations in 5 1-2 inch casing between 15,195 and 15,240 feet.

Mrs. Julia Beacham, who suffered fracture of a hip when she fell about two weeks ago, was removed from Malone & Hogan hospital to the home of her son, R. N. Beacham, Saturday afternoon. No complications have developed and her condition is considered satisfactory, relatives reported.

# Eastern Howard Wildcat Rigs

Hunt Oil Co. rigged up for No. 1 A. L. Wasson, a scheduled 4,500 foot cable tool wildcat in eastern Howard county, C SW SW 19-29-1n, T&P, four miles north of the Iatan-East Howard field.

Continental Oil Co. expected arrival of a rig this week so that its No. 1-D W. R. Settles, projected 11,000-foot Ordovician test, the first in 10 years and second on record for the Howard-Glasscock pool, could spud. Location is section 131-29, T&NW.

John B. Hawley, Jr., No. 1 Thorp, section 24-34-1s, T&P, extension in the Moore area southwest of Big Spring, was testing Friday. John B. Hawley, Jr., No. 2 Thompson, section 14-34-1s, T&P, was waiting on spudder to drill in. Two miles northward the Hawley No. 1 Allison was moving out spudder in section 6-33-1s, T&P, preparatory to a test. Hawley No. 1 Guitler estate, which would complete the linking of the Moore and the Morita pools, was waiting on tubing in section 2, B&C survey. Two miles northward Hawley No. 2 Guitler estate was spudding in section 8, B&C.

Northern Ordinance No. 1 Spaulding, 6,500-foot wildcat near Knott in section 7-33-2n, T&P, waited on cement to set on 9 5-8 inch string at 3,521.

Northern Ordinance No. 1 Clayton & Johnson, deep south-central Borden county wildcat, drilled in section 31-32-4n, T&P, at 6,794 feet in black shale. Northern Ordinance No. 1-A Clayton, section 13-34-4n, T&P, was at 2,755 feet in anhydrite and limestone shells. J. C. Karcher, et al No. 1 J. C. Caldwell, northern Howard wildcat which has been acting up, tested a squeeze job that appeared to have shut off heavy air volume and possibly salt water. Location is in section 32-32-3n, T&P.

# Weather Forecast

Dept. of Commerce Weather Bureau

BIG SPRING AND VICINITY: Sunday and Monday partly cloudy. Continued warm.

WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy with widely scattered thundershowers Sunday. Monday fair to partly cloudy, thundershowers El Paso area.

EAST TEXAS: Fair Sunday and Monday.

TEMPERATURES

City	Max.	Min.
Abilene	99	77
Amarillo	91	69
BIG SPRING	99	78
Chicago	85	55
Denver	91	63
El Paso	96	70
Fort Worth	99	78
Galveston	90	79
New York	78	68
St. Louis	88	71

Sunset tonight at 8:56 p. m. Sunrise Monday at 6:41 a. m.

# Inflation Danger And Bond Appeal Coupled In Window Display

Attracting considerable interest from passersby, a loaf of bread with an attached sign of "Very Special—\$25" is displayed as a sign of the danger of inflation and need for buying bonds in a window at Shaw's Jewelry store.

Numerous persons stopped upon seeing the "price mark" on the bread. A sign nearby explained that, "Sorry, but you're wrong! Maybe you'll never see bread advertised in a jeweler's window, but don't think it can't happen here! The history of inflation shows that bread, clothes and rent can rise to prices nobody can afford to pay! And you can prevent inflation! Every dime and every dollar you spend for things you don't need makes the price of everything go up. The money you save helps keep prices down, and stops inflation. The best way to save your money is to invest it in war bonds!"

# Livestock

FORT WORTH, June 23 (AP)—Cattle 350; calves 75; largely medium and low grades called nominally steady; common to medium yearlings and steers 8.50-12.00; beef calves 7.50-9.50; calves brought 7.50-13.25; stockers and feeders were scarce, with fresh arrivals carried over for Monday.

Hogs 250; about in line with week earlier though stocker pigs looked about 50 cents higher; good and choice 180-270 pound butcher hogs 13.55; good and choice 150-175 pound averages 9.75-12.25.

Sheep 4,500; steady; a few decks and truck lots of common to medium spring lambs 10.50-12.75; bulk sheep late in arriving.

# Cotton Futures Are Off On Closings

NEW YORK, June 24 (AP)—Cotton futures closed 5 higher to 40 cents lower today after early losses as much as 30 cents a bale.

Liquidation and profit taking contributed to the downturn.

Spot July was the exception, closing 5 cents a bale higher.

	Open	Last
July	21.73	21.73
Oct.	21.10	21.05-06
Dec.	20.89	20.85-86
Mar.	20.69	20.65
May	20.50	20.40

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# Mort Alnwick Top Man As Three Records Fall

Cadet Mort Alnwick of class 44-9 and former Georgetown university track star, captured high individual honors in the second annual field day events at the Big Spring Bombardier school Saturday, winning the running broad jump with a leap of 21 feet, the 100-yard dash in 10.1 seconds and the 220-yard dash in 22.4 seconds. He also was anchor man on the cadet team which won the half mile relay in 1:30.

First place in the games went to the cadets whose score of 73 points included eight first place

wins. The colored lads of Section F topped the enlisted men with a total of 20 points, the aviation trainees placed third with 11 points and Sections A, B and C followed respectively with totals of 5, 3 and 1 points.

One of the highlights of the games was the tug-of-war which the strong boys from Section F won without too much trouble against a powerful lineup of cadets. Other highlights were three new records for the obstacle course, the 350-yard dash and the 300-yard shuttle run. Cadet Albert flew over the obstacle course in the amazing time of 1 min. 23 sec. to beat Floyd Thompson's year-old record of 1:25 established in last year's field day. Cadet Alnwick's time of 22.4 for the 220-yard dash established a new field record, and Cadet Barton's time of 41.1 seconds for the 300-yard dash shattered all marks for that event.

Following are complete results of the field day events:

100-yard dash—Alnwick, cadets, 10.1; Sonderger, cadets, 10.2; Blich, Section B, 11.1.

220-yard dash—Alnwick, cadets, 22.4; Flowers, cadets, 24; Neely, cadets, 24.3.

440-yard dash—Stuebings, trainee, 54.5; McLatchy, cadets, 55.4; Grack, cadets, 58.

880-yard dash—Banks, cadets, 2 min. 11.1 sec.; O'Connor, cadets, 2 min. 12.6 sec.; Hedy, cadets, 2 min. 19 sec.

Half-mile relay—Cadet relay team, Flowers, Alnwick, Matthews, McLatchy, 1 min. 39 sec.; Section F team, Lee, Blanchard, Dearmond, Pinkston, 1 min. 44.7 sec. Section A team, Tubb, Vavro, Steuber, Salvatore, 1 min. 59.3 sec.

Running high jump—Pinkston, Section F, 5 ft. 9 in.; Crockett, trainee, 5 ft. 8 in.; Mead, Meyer and Hendren of the cadets tied for third place with 5 ft. 7 in.

Running broad jump—Alnwick, cadets, 21 ft.; Chatman, Section F, 20 ft. 9 in.; Thompson, Section A, 20 ft. 5 in.

Shot put—Nohava, cadets, 34 ft. 2 in.; Hendren, cadets, 33 ft. 7 in.; Henderson, Section F, 31 ft. 9 in.

300-yd shuttle run—Barton, cadets, 41.1 sec.; Clough, cadets, 42 sec.; Bureau, trainee, 42.6 sec.

Obstacle course—Albert, cadets, 1 min. 23 sec.; Grack, cadets, 1 min. 28.7 sec.; Potochnik, cadets, 1 min. 29.6 sec.

# Cards Plaster Pirates, Reds Nose Out Cubs

PITTSBURGH, June 24 (AP)—The St. Louis Cardinals, held to a 5-8 tie in 14 innings by Pittsburgh last night, unlimbered their heavy artillery this afternoon to pound three Pirates hurlers for a 16 to 0 victory.

Big Mort Cooper, usually an easy mark for the Blues, held them to three hits, and gave up but two bases on balls in winning his tenth game of the season against three defeats.

Big Felix Ostermuller, who had won two games for Pittsburgh since his acquisition from Brooklyn, gave up three hits in the first inning that the Cards combined with two errors for five runs, and he was charged with the loss.

The St. Louis slogs runs continued to fire consistently from that inning on and they came up with another five-run barrage in the fifth off six hits, including Ray Sanders' homer, his fourth of the season.

In addition, the Cards had five doubles. Stan Musial had four hits, including a two-base smash. Cooper pitched a one-hitter until the eighth when Babe Dahlgren and Frank Zak each hit singles.

NEW YORK, June 24 (AP)—Nate Andrews pitched the Braves to their first victory over New York at the Polo Grounds this season, as Boston defeated the Giants, 7-2, today. Previously Boston had dropped five straight at the Polo Grounds.

BROOKLYN, June 24 (AP)—The Dodgers made it two straight over the Phillies as young Calvin Melish pitched six-hit ball to give Brooklyn an easy 5-3 victory over Philadelphia today. Dixie Walker hammered for the Dodgers with two on in the first inning.

CINCINNATI, June 24 (AP)—Jim Konstanty won his first game for the Cincinnati Reds today by outpitching Paul Erickson for a 1-0 victory over the Chicago Cubs to even the series at one apiece.

ANDERSSON AND HAEGG MATCHED

STOCKHOLM, June 24 (AP)—Arne Andersson and Gunder Haegg, two of Sweden's most rapid trackmen, met Wednesday in their first 1944 assault on the world record book after months of secret training.

Haegg did his preliminary work on the forest paths at Valdaalen, northern Swedish resort while Andersson drilled on the wooden tracks around Stockholm.

While Wednesday's duel at 1,500 meters will be their first meeting since 1942, Andersson already has been defeated this summer in a 1,000-meter affair, and Haegg, who spent the summer of 1943 in the United States, makes his debut tomorrow in a two-mile run at Oestersund.

BOWIE BASEBALL TEAM DUE TODAY

The Big Spring Bombers, baseball team from the Big Spring Bombardier school, will meet the 24th Tank unit from Camp Bowie, Brownwood, at 3 p. m. today on the W. 5th and San Antonio diamond.

Batteries for Big Spring likely will be Stewart and Kowalski. Last week more than 500 local people watched the Big Spring service team turn back Goodfellow Field.

DEFENDANT GIVEN SUSPENDED TERM

County and law enforcement activities Saturday included an agreed judgment in a suit for damages, granting of several divorces, and assessing a suspended sentence in a forgery case in 70th district court, posting of bond in an aggravated assault case in county court and filing of two misdemeanor charges in justice court.

In district court, William E. Peach, indicted for forgery recently waived right to trial by jury and pleaded guilty before the court. He was given a two-year suspended sentence. He was indicted for alleged forgery of the name of C. F. Wade to an \$8 check.

Agreed judgment of \$1,100 was arranged by attorneys for the two parties in a civil suit, in which Carl Bates, individually and as next friend for a minor, Billie Bates, asked damages from Ned B. Hoffman and R. H. Cauthen. In the petition, it was alleged Carl and Billie Bates were injured June 11 in a collision of the automobile in which they were riding, and a truck owned by Hoffman and driven by Cauthen.

Divorces were granted in cases of Lousie Briggs versus Gussie Briggs, two minor children awarded to plaintiff; Gertrude E. Roberts versus Glen V. Roberts, and Birdie Mae Duke versus Jethro Duke.

In justice court, one speeding and one vagrancy charge were filed and a fine of \$1 and costs assessed in the vagrancy cases.

Rufus Wright Saturday posted bond of \$20. He was charged in county court with aggravated assault upon Mistle Wright.

PARTS OF COUNTY RECEIVE RAINS

Some parts of Howard county received good showers Friday night and others remained desperately in need of moisture, according to reports received by O. P. Griffin, county agent, and M. Weaver, AAA administrative assistant.

W. A. Langley of Fairview told Griffin his farm received one and one-half inches of rainfall. Vealmoor and other communities received showers.

The area from two miles south of Elbow to Lee's store has not received a good rain in 12 months, Griffin said. Approximately half of the farm in Locomunity still are awaiting rain before planting. Ackerly reported an inch.

Information in Weaver's office was that heavy showers were received from Fairview to Luther and in the northwest corner of the county. Weaver also discussed seriousness of the lack of rainfall in Elbow community.

The drought could take the form of a blessing—except to a few farmers—if a good rain is received within the next week, Griffin said. East of Howard county, so much moisture was received that grass ruined crops and replanting was necessary and crops generally are at less advanced stage than those in Howard county. The situation is more serious for the few Howard county farmers who have been unable to plant at all, but even those might be able to save the situation by planting combine maize and avoiding the cotton picking problem this fall, he said.

COMPLIANCE PAPERS

A rush in filing of agricultural compliance reports in the last several days has sent the total filed to 435, the county AAA office reported Saturday. W. Weaver, administrative assistant, has urged farmers to file reports as soon as possible. Applications for subsidy payments will be based on the reports.

SUN AGAIN WINS

CHICAGO, June 24 (AP)—Sun Again, entry of Warren Wright, Chicago, galloped to half length victory in the \$10,000 added Equipse mile at Arlington Park today, with George Drim second and Anticlimax third. Sun again ran the distance in 1:26 1-3, returning \$3.40 to win.

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# Standings

RECAPS SATURDAY National League

St. Louis 16, Pittsburgh 0.  
Boston 7, New York 2.  
Brooklyn 6, Philadelphia 2.  
Cincinnati 1, Chicago 0.

American League

St. Louis 7, Detroit 1.  
Chicago 2, Cleveland 1.  
New York at Philadelphia, rain.  
Washington at Boston, rain.

STANDINGS American League

Teams	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	28	27	.517
Boston	23	30	.436
Chicago	22	27	.448
New York	22	29	.432
Detroit	20	33	.377
Philadelphia	20	32	.385
Washington	20	32	.385
Cleveland	20	33	.377

National League

Teams	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	40	16	.714
Pittsburgh	31	24	.564
New York	31	28	.523
Brooklyn	31	30	.508
Cincinnati	30	28	.519
Boston	28	35	.443
Philadelphia	18	34	.346

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BUNNY EXTENDED TO REACH FINALS

CINCINNATI, June 24 (AP)—A raring Akron, O., girl of 19 threw a scare into the elite of the women's amateur tennis world today before going down to defeat in a hard-fought match with Dorothy Bundy, National clay court champion, by a score of 3-6, 6-3, 6-7, who meets Pauline Betz in the final.

Shirley Fry, making one of her first bids in bigtime competition, was forced to bow finally to experience.

Miss Fry grabbed the first set in a hurry but dropped the second the same way. In a blistering, 16-game final set, she recovered after being behind 5-3, took up the slack and forced the issue to the end.

BY JIMMINY TAKES THE DWYER STAKES

NEW YORK, June 24 (AP)—By Jimminy, who moved in to the three year-old championship picture a week ago by taking the Shevlin Stakes, proved today that his challenge for the division's crown was no fluke when he made a show of eight others of his age in the \$50,000 added Dwyer Stakes at Aqueduct, running the 1 1-4 mile in 2:05 2/5.

Mrs. Payne Whitney's Stip Up, rated off the pace for the first time this year, was second, six lengths in front of Lucky Draw, as William Kiegl, Jr.'s Bounding Home, winner of the recent Belmont Stakes, wound up sixth, beaten 20 lengths.

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CHICAGO, June 24 (AP)—Amazing recovery shots from traps and roughs today gave Babe Didrikson Zaharias her second Women's Western Golf championship in four years with a 7-3 victory over 30-year old Dorothy Germain.

All even at the end of the morning round, Babe commanded a five-up lead at the end of 27 holes after firing a remarkable 35, three-under-par, on the first afternoon nine to Miss Germain's 40.

Seldom were Babe's rocketing drives out of the rough, and many of her long iron shots wandered into traps—but her recoveries left a gallery of some 200 spectators gasping.

So good was her short game to the green that she required only 20 putts for 18 holes on her final round. She had a total of 14 one-putt greens, and was so consistently close to the pins that eight of the putts were only four feet or less. Her longest was one of 25 feet.

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# Browns Stretch Lead By Beating Tigers

ST. LOUIS, June 24 (AP)—The St. Louis Browns combined a strong hitting offensive with effective pitching by Bob Muncrief for a 7 to 1 victory over the Detroit Tigers today, stretching their American league lead to 3 1-2 games over idle second-place Boston.

In winning his sixth straight

BABE SACKS UP WESTERN TITLE

CHICAGO, June 24 (AP)—Amazing recovery shots from traps and roughs today gave Babe Didrikson Zaharias her second Women's Western Golf championship in four years with a 7-3 victory over 30-year old Dorothy Germain.

All even at the end of the morning round, Babe commanded a five-up lead at the end of 27 holes after firing a remarkable 35, three-under-par, on the first afternoon nine to Miss Germain's 40.

Seldom were Babe's rocketing drives out of the rough, and many of her long iron shots wandered into traps—but her recoveries left a gallery of some 200 spectators gasping.

So good was her short game to the green that she required only 20 putts for 18 holes on her final round. She had a total of 14 one-putt greens, and was so consistently close to the pins that eight of the putts were only four feet or less. Her longest was one of 25 feet.

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# Sports

The Big Spring Daily Herald

Page Four Sunday, June 25, 1944

Goodfellow Field Wins Game, 1-0

Goodfellow Field's Filers nosed out an all-star team from Big Spring Bombardier school, 1-0, in a closely played game which climaxed the second annual field day at the local post Saturday afternoon.

Bennell hit twice for Goodfellow and the remainder of eight hits between the two teams were scattered. Goodfellow punched across its run in the third.

For Goodfellow Fallon walked three and struck out three while Brodemeyer gave no passes and whiffed three for Big Spring.

Scores by innings: R H E

Goodfellow .001 000 0-1 3 0

Big Spring .000 000 0-0 3 0

Fallon and Elen; Brodemeyer and Johnson.

Parker May Go To West Point

SAN ANTONIO, June 24 (AP)—West Point may get Flyin' Charley Parker by way of the University of Texas.

Parker, the San Antonio schoolboy who went to the National AAU and kept his record intact for three seasons by winning the junior 100 meters and senior 200, has returned from the east with word that he passed the eye test at the United States Military Academy.

Flyin' Charley, kept out of the Navy because of color blindness, will enter Texas July 8, but has let it be known he'll be ready to shove off for the Point if they want him.

Parker and his friends will ask Congressman Paul Kilday of San Antonio or one of the Texas senators for an appointment.

Charley, who becomes 18 years old July 1, was pepped up over the West Point possibility after being shown the academy and being introduced to the coaches.

Should Parker enter West Point, it would mark renewal of a track feud begun in Texas and bring together Parker and the runner who last beat him—Ralph Ellsworth, the University of Texas star dashman and football player now at the United States naval academy.

CAMP LUNA WINS

EL PASO, June 24 (AP)—Camp Luna defeated Poyte Air Base, 6-1, in the Southwestern semi-pro baseball tournament here last services of Joe Gordon, former night and they did it without the New York Yankee star.

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DEFENDANT GIVEN SUSPENDED TERM

County and law enforcement activities Saturday included an agreed judgment in a suit for damages, granting of several divorces, and assessing a suspended sentence in a forgery case in 70th district court, posting of bond in an aggravated assault case in county court and filing of two misdemeanor charges in justice court.

In district court, William E. Peach, indicted for forgery recently waived right to trial by jury and pleaded guilty before the court. He was given a two-year suspended sentence. He was indicted for alleged forgery of the name of C. F. Wade to an \$8 check.

Agreed judgment of \$1,100 was arranged by attorneys for the two parties in a civil suit, in which Carl Bates, individually and as next friend for a minor, Billie Bates, asked damages from Ned B. Hoffman and R. H. Cauthen. In the petition, it was alleged Carl and Billie Bates were injured June 11 in a collision of the automobile in which they were riding, and a truck owned by Hoffman and driven by Cauthen.

Divorces were granted in cases of Lousie Briggs versus Gussie Briggs, two minor children awarded to plaintiff; Gertrude E. Roberts versus Glen V. Roberts, and Birdie Mae Duke versus Jethro Duke.

In justice court, one speeding and one vagrancy charge were filed and a fine of \$1 and costs assessed in the vagrancy cases.

Rufus Wright Saturday posted bond of \$20. He was charged in county court with aggravated assault upon Mistle Wright.

State Milk Experts To Check Dairies

A. C. Prather of Austin, state milk sanitarian, will be in Big Spring and Midland next week for inspection of dairies in both towns. V. A. Cross, city sanitarian, announced Saturday.

Indications are that Prather's visit here and Midland will be to inspect dairies for their regard to health regulations and safeguards in handling milk.

PARTS OF COUNTY RECEIVE RAINS

Some parts of Howard county received good showers Friday night and others remained desperately in need of moisture, according to reports received by O. P. Griffin, county agent, and M. Weaver, AAA administrative assistant.

W. A. Langley of Fairview told Griffin his farm received one and one-half inches of rainfall. Vealmoor and other communities received showers.

The area from two miles south of Elbow to Lee's store has not received a good rain in 12 months, Griffin said. Approximately half of the farm in Locomunity still are awaiting rain before planting. Ackerly reported an inch.

Information in Weaver's office was that heavy showers were received from Fairview to Luther and in the northwest corner of the county. Weaver also discussed seriousness of the lack of rainfall in Elbow community.

The drought could take the form of a blessing—except to a few farmers—if a good rain is received within the next week, Griffin said. East of Howard county, so much moisture was received that grass ruined crops and replanting was necessary and crops generally are at less advanced stage than those in Howard county. The situation is more serious for the few Howard county farmers who have been unable to plant at all, but even those might be able to save the situation by planting combine maize and avoiding the cotton picking problem this fall, he said.

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### FLIES GIVEN CREDIT FOR MILD WAVE OF DYSENTERY IN AREA

Although the swarms of flies, which plagued Big Spring several weeks ago have died down, their infectious germs are reaping damage.

Although not approaching the epidemic stage, it is not at all surprising that the number of dysentery cases is on the increase, according to V. A. Cross, city-county sanitarian.

Interesting point was brought out by Cross, who recently made an analysis of the sudden fly outbreak.

They were discovered to be breeding east of Big Spring and thriving on the carcasses of dead animals which had been disposed there. As the young stretched their wings and took off on their first "cross country," they hit gas waves from a refinery, headed for town instead.

According to the analysis made by the sanitarian, ordinary flight of the common pest only measures several yards, but when the occasion necessitates, they can travel as far as seven miles.

Arriving here they spread out



to homes and gained entrance through gaping screens, while others thrived around garbage cans and cow lots, which citizens are reminded, are favorite breeding places of the fly. The warmth of the summer sun hatches the eggs. Best method of checking the spread, city officials say, is to spray manure piles with petroleum.

Housewives are reminded to cover garbage pails which are also breeding places.

Extra precautions are being taken by the city in maintaining regular garbage pick-up service.

### Nazarene Meeting To Close This Evening

Sunday night will mark the closing of a two week revival campaign at the Church of the Nazarene conducted by Evangelists Jack and Ruby Carter of Kansas City, Mo.

Rev. Carter announces as his subjects for Sunday at 11 a. m. "God's Tried But True Servant," for the closing service at 8:30 p. m., "The Harvest Is Past."

Mrs. Carter is in charge of the music and Rev. and Mrs. Carter will present special numbers at each service.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

## New Wildcat King Hits His First Discovery In Western Howard Co.

### John B. Hawley, Jr. Drills Total Of Eighteen Tests In Immediate Area

Not since 1919-20 when S. E. J. Cox poked around in search of commercial oil production, which he never found but provoked interest which eventually led to discovery of what now is the Permian Basin has the Big Spring area been the recipient of such extensive oil explorations as are now underway in this territory by Texas-born John B. Hawley, Jr., Minneapolis, new "king of the wildcaters."

Either in his name or in the name of Northern Ordnance, Hawley has caused 19 wells to be completed in Howard county and has eight others drilling in Howard and Borden counties. All of them have been at least extensions to minor production and most have been rank wildcats.

He and Robert L. Cannon and B. C. Mann of San Angelo blocked up 21,000 acres with aid of R. L. Cook, Big Spring, in a strip running from Knott community southward to the Moore pool. His first exploration, the John B. Hawley No. 1 J. W. Cook, came in for only 18 barrels but was good enough to usher in what is known as the Morita pool. Two tests on the Wilkinson ranch enlarged the area and Hawley then began to link up the new pool with the Moore area to the southwest of Big Spring.

His No. 1 Bruce Frazier and No. 1 Mrs. Allison along with the No. 1 Gular estate pretty well accomplished this. The No. 2 Gular estate tries for a northern extension and the Northern Ordnance No. 1 Spaulding, near Knott, is a rank wildcat try for deep production. So are two tests on the Clayton & Johnson ranch in south central Borden county.

While much of Hawley's operations here have been in light production areas, particularly in the Moore pool. In this territory the Continental (formerly Marland Oil) No. 1 Harding, the 18-year old discovery well, has returned 68,000 barrels of oil.

Development of the Morita pool was the first of four strikes by Hawley, a newcomer into the oil business. He has hit pools near Roundup, Mont., and in Victoria and Cooke counties in Texas as well as a gas field in Hocking county, Ohio.

Thoroughly unorthodox, he is quoted by Time magazine as describing himself as a "pirate" and as the "world's greatest hydraulic engineer," as believing that all Texans are automatically oil wise, and the way to get ahead "fast is to break all the rules."

He has a flair for the unusual. His father, Maj. John B. Hawley, who operated the water system for the AEF in World War I (and who, incidentally, helped develop Big Spring's main source of water supply in section 33) put him through Cornell. Young Hawley was sent to a tubercular sanitarium to rest but instead turned inventions into \$27,000. Joining Northern Pump Co. at Minneapolis he made another \$100,000 from more inventions, and bought the company. Along came the war and an avalanche of orders. He sold out and organized Northern Ordnance, Inc., and personally designed a new plant in 60 days and since has been producing navy gun mounts with watch-like parts.

Old line oil men frown on him because they maintain he is using war profits which should go to taxes, to explore for oil. Hawley hoots at this, declaring that he is in search of more reserves in an hour of crisis for the nation. At



JOHN B. HAWLEY, JR.



ROBERT L. CANNON



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### Howard Murder Trial Is Given Continuance

The murder trial of the State of Texas versus Shirley Howard, charged with murder of a former Big Spring resident, has been continued to the next session of district court at Odessa.

Howard was charged with murder of J. A. Whittington of Midland, formerly of Big Spring.

He was given a 45-year sentence in a trial at Midland, but the verdict was reversed by the Court of Criminal Appeals and the second trial set in Odessa for the present session of court. The defense plea for continuance was granted because Dr. W. E. Ryan, important witness, is now a major in the army stationed in England.

### Parley Set To Talk Of Hereford Sale

Executive committee of the Howard County Hereford Breeders association Saturday set July 8 as the date for a membership meeting when nominations for

animals for the association's first sale will be made.

Tentative dates for the sale are March 1-2, 1945, but this is subject to review at the meeting.

Attending the meeting Saturday were Rexie Cauble, president; E. W. Lomax, vice president, and Leland Wallace, secretary-treasurer, Morgan Coates, Alex Walker, Sam Buchanan and Chester Jones. Tom Roden was introduced as a new member.



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## All Employers Affected By New Job Rules

Every employer in Howard county except agricultural, whether essential or not and regardless of number of employees, is affected by the War Manpower commission's priority referral program which will go into effect at midnight next Friday, said H. A. Clark, Big Spring area manager of the United States Employment service.

The new program will make it impossible for any employer in the county to hire a male worker except through the USES. In counties in which no USES offices are located, certain arrangements will be made to alleviate undue hardships on workers and employers, possibly allowing workers to seek jobs within those county limits without clearance through a distant USES office.

No priority committee is to be established in Howard county and at present no ceilings will be placed on employers, Clark said. "Such action will depend entirely upon the course of the war," his announcement said.

The whole purpose of the new plan is to "expose" all male workers to the most important war jobs in the nation and to keep war workers on their present jobs, Clark stated. Since men are required to seek jobs only through the USES, they will be offered the most important jobs first.

Under terms of the plan, it is possible for arrangements to be made in some cases of certain employers, private employment agencies, schools and others to hire under established procedure. Further information may be obtained at the employment office.

Clark has been attending a conference in Abilene for discussion of the plan.

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## City Rejects Bids For Pumps

City commissioners rejected all bids submitted Saturday on contracts for the installation of high service pumps for the city's pipeline to a new water supply in the north-central Glasscock county, but a contract will probably be negotiated after consultation with the Federal Works Agency.

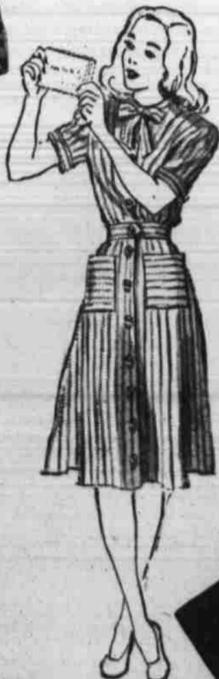
The project estimated at an approximate cost of \$6,600 will be the third to be let by the city in the \$820,000 waterworks development project.

Other contracts to be let include chlorinator, \$2,750 project; electric lines, \$11,000, and pump station and miscellaneous buildings, \$22,780.

McDaniel, speaking of the general water situation in Big Spring, said Saturday that something must be done to see that air conditioners are checked. Early Saturday, water was reported flowing in an alley in the downtown area from a leaking air conditioner which wasn't turned off after store hours. Another which rain into the alley had a defective valve.

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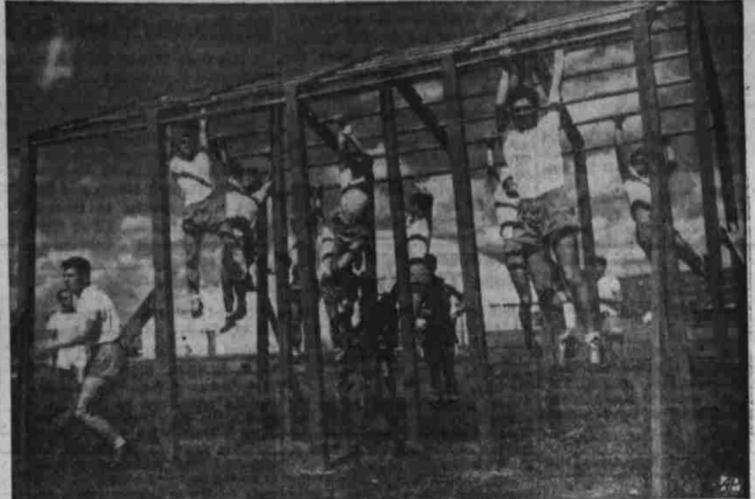
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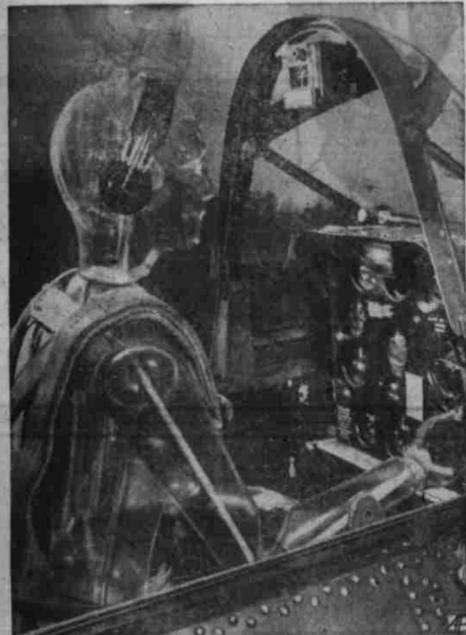
**CLOUDS—AND SMOKE—OVER PALAU.**—Smoke rises from Jap buildings and ships as Navy carrier-based planes attack the enemy stronghold in the southwest Pacific.



**ASLEEP ON THE DEEP.**—Nets of a catwalk on a Navy aircraft carrier form "hammocks" for these crewmen catching a few winks while off duty. Note man at right, a "talker," wears headphones and mouthpiece even in his sleep.



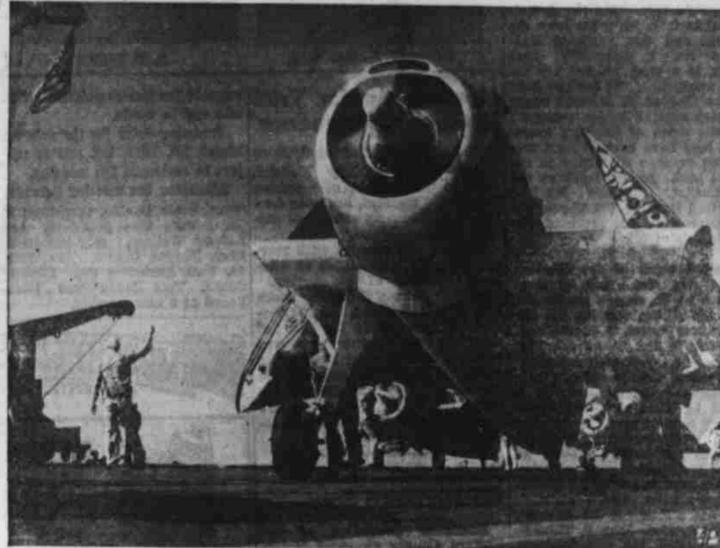
**YOUNG TURKS IN TRAINING.**—Young Turkish officers, taking training at the Army's San Antonio, Tex., aviation cadet center, go through part of the obstacle course.



**PLASTIC WASP IN PLANE.**—This plastic figure of the average WASP, designed by the sculptor, G. W. Borkland, and made of "plastacet," a cellulose acetate plastic, is used to figure internal clearances and seat adjustments in planes for the AAF. The manikin is shown at the controls of a training plane at Chicago municipal airport.



**CASUAL.**—Julie Bishop, film actress, models a casual two-piece dress with feminine long-sleeved blouse styled with a drawstring neckline. The black skirt is shirred with a fitted waistband. Bright colored braid is used to trim both pieces.



**AVENGER'S WHIRLING 'BLADES.**—On a Navy carrier in the north Atlantic, propeller blades of a Grumman Avenger flash as the engine is warmed up for a mission.



**SILVER SOLDER FOR BOMBS.**—A woman worker in the war plant of Handy & Harman, Detroit, uses a special silver solder on part of an oil bomb dropped by the USAAF to start large fires. Only a tiny amount of silver goes into each bomb, but more than 100,000-ounces have been consumed in this way.



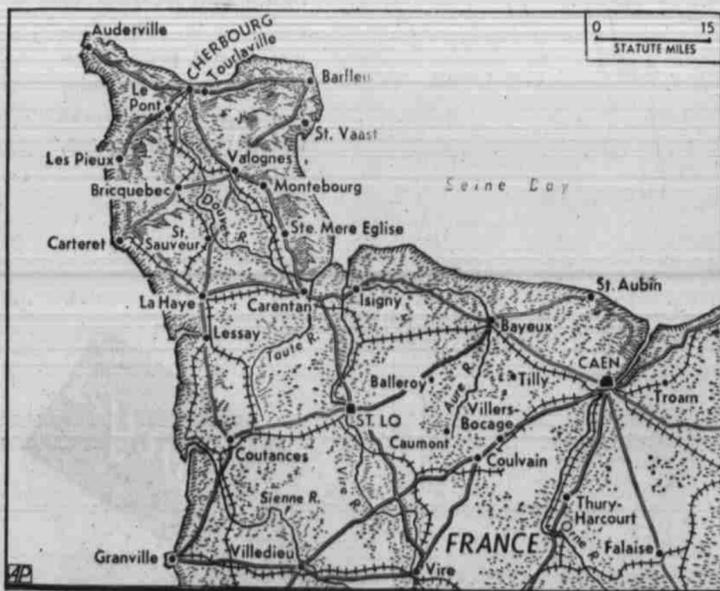
**YANKS DASH ASHORE.**—Somewhere on the New Guinea coast Army troops plunge ashore from the ramps of LCI(L) boats to move another notch closer to Tokyo.



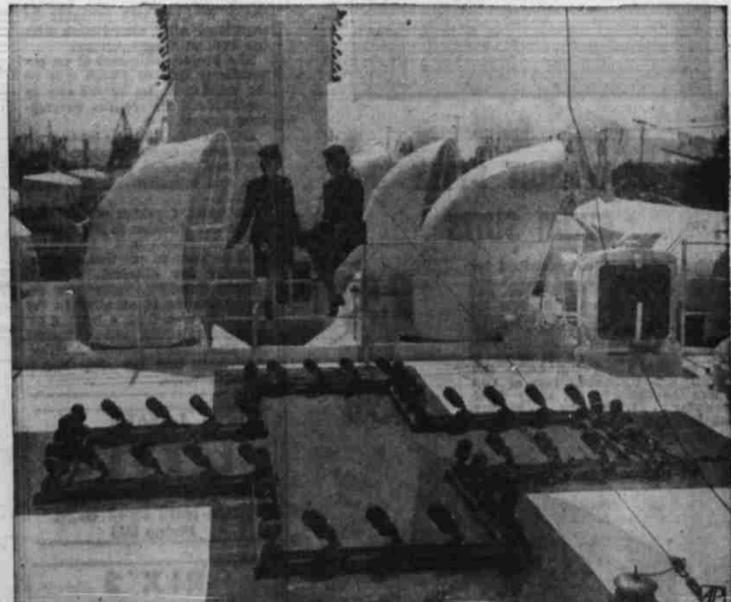
**DINNER FOR SPEAKER.**—Admiral Herbert F. Leary (left) and Gen. Frank R. McCoy, president of the Foreign Policy Association, chat with Speaker Sam Rayburn (right) at a dinner in Rayburn's honor at the Waldorf-Astoria hotel in New York.



**NEWLY WEDDED WELDERS.**—Georgia Carroll, new Mrs. Kay Kysor, watches the band leader do his stuff with a welding torch on a Victory ship in a Calship yard in California. It was a stunt to help the war bond drive.



**NORMANDY BATTLEGROUND.**—Base map gives closeup of the Normandy peninsula in northern France, where Allies established first foothold in western Europe.



**LIGHTS FOR MERCY SIGN.**—Lt. Lucile Morris (left) of San Francisco and Lt. Helen Bennerhuster of Park City, Mont., look at lighted Red Cross on new Army transport, Marigold.

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# Rally Wednesday To Raise E Bond Quota

## Sales Approach Million Dollars For Two Weeks

Effort to make the Fifth War Loan Drive in two weeks failed Saturday when tabulations of all issuing agencies showed only \$97,686 of the \$1,500,000 quota realized. Of this amount only \$236,913 of E bonds had been sold on a quota of \$435,000.

It looked as if E bond buyers were waiting — just what for it is hard to say. Perhaps the big rally Wednesday when Big Boy Williams, Peggy O'Neill and other members of the unit "Stars Over Texas," will bring out the bond buyers.

The rally, which is scheduled to start at 10:45 a. m. on the court house lawn, will take preference over "business as usual," as business houses throughout the town have agreed to close for an hour during the event.

The AAFBS band will play during the rally and two returned war heroes, Corporals James C. Smith of Fort Worth and James F. Fouché of Dallas, will appear.

Both soldiers, who were wounded overseas, are receiving medical treatment at McClosky General Hospital in Temple. Cpl. Smith, 22, was wounded at Salerno, Italy, and after treatment he went back into combat only to be wounded again at Cassino. He was awarded the Purple Heart, Oak Leaf Cluster, Blue Star and Blue Bar.

Cpl. Fouché, 25, was overseas for 27 months and was in the invasion of Africa, Sicily, and Italy. He was wounded at Massino by machine gun fire.

In addition to western star Williams, a native Texan, and Miss O'Neill, Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer starlet, other Hollywood



**BOND SALESMAN**—One of the bond "salesmen" to be here for the Bond Rally at 10:45 a. m. Wednesday on the courthouse lawn is Big Boy Williams, pictured above. Williams, Republic western star, who has over 200 pictures to his credit, and Peggy O'Neill, Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer starlet, will head a unit of "Stars Over Texas" which will also include several returned war heroes. Williams, whose home is in Decatur, Texas, is well known for his roles in Western pictures. The group will present an hour of entertainment in interest of the Fifth War Loan drive. The post band will furnish musical numbers and a giant crowd is expected to attend the rally as business houses will close during the event in order that everyone can attend.

personalities will comprise the unit. Cindy Garner, who was one of the Goldwyn girls in "Up in Arms," will appear with Fruits Hall, one of the original Dead End Kids and Jene Brooks, who has played in the

popular Falcon stories. Master of ceremonies will be Jimmie Ahiard. The stars are working without salary in interest of the Fifth War Loan Drive and will visit in other cities in Texas during the drive.

On Thursday the premiere showing of "Louisiana Hayride" will be presented from 2 p. m. to 11 p. m. at the State Theatre. Judy Canova is starred with Richard Lane, George McKaye, Minerva Urecal, Matt Willis, and Byron Foulger.

The musical comedy portrays Judy Canova as a farm girl who sells oil rights on her farm for a big sum. Swindled by a pair of smooth operators, who persuade her to put her money in a movie, she follows them to Hollywood. After numerous hilarious complications, she gets a chance in pictures and quickly zooms to stardom.

Admission to the show is by bond purchase only and issuing agencies have been provided with tickets to give with the purchase of each bond. The Ritz theatre reported that its bond premiere show held last Thursday netted \$365,486 for the bond drive with 1,703 tickets given out.

## Pecos Man Heads War Chest Drive

Dudley Yard, Pecos hotel owner and civic leader, has been appointed West Texas division chairman for the forthcoming annual campaign of the National War Fund, which raises funds for USO, War Prisoners Aid and 17 war related agencies, Wayland D. Townner, general manager of the United War Chest of Texas, announced today.

Yard was one of four division leaders named by Judge Ben H. Powerr, UWCT president, to supervise the 262 local county war fund drives which will be conducted simultaneously this fall.

Other division chairmen are: R. B. Anderson, Vernon, North Texas; J. C. Lewis, Bay City, East Texas; and D. Leon Harp, San Antonio, South Texas. During the 1943 campaign, Yard served as chairman of Region 16 and it was largely through his efforts that this West Texas group of counties marked up one of the finest records in the state, Mr. Townner said.

## Funeral Set For Mrs. J. W. Morgan

Services will be held at 4 p. m. today at the First Baptist church for Mrs. Addie Cooper Morgan, 70, who succumbed at 9:30 p. m. at a local hospital Friday following a brief illness.

Mrs. Morgan had been stricken early Wednesday with a heart attack.

For nearly 25 years she and her husband, J. W. Morgan, had been residents of Howard county and had resided at 1209 Sycamore for the past two years. Mrs. Morgan was born in Chambers county, Alabama, on May 3, 1874 and had been a life-long member of the Baptist church.

Surviving are her husband; two sons, Pierce Morgan, Big Spring, and P. O. C. Morgan, Pomona, Calif.; and five daughters, Mrs. C. H. Everett and Mrs. Terry Osborne, Phoenix, Ariz.; Mrs. H. C. Rayl, Corpus Christi; Mrs. Melvin Phillips, Cleburne; and Jesse Morgan, Big Spring. Also surviving are eleven grandchildren, including Cpl. Robert C. Carter, overseas, and six great-grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. D. T. Laughlin, Abilene; and two brothers, Will W. Smith, Eastland, and Charles C. Smith, Abilene. Burial will be in the city cemetery and pallbearers will be Raymer Brown, Joe Jacobs, Granville Glenn, Loy Acuff, Lee Porter, Dalton Mitchell. Several old friends are honorary pallbearers.

## Tex. Guard Company Has New Enlistments

Company E, 34th battalion, of the Texas State guard has received several enlistments and had one discharged during the last week.

Men enlisting included Lee S. Burns, Olan A. Griffith, Eddie G. Mann, Allen E. Sundry, John A. Wolf, Jr., and Clemuel P. Gober. Woody L. Baker left the company.

Forming company and inspection, showing of two training films and a hike were activities during the week. The films were Riot Formations No. 2 and Riot control.

## Firemen Answer Trio Of Alarms

Servant's quarters at the rear of 1403 Gregg were damaged Saturday afternoon when an oil stove exploded and burned the inside of the three room house.

City firemen, who answered the call, said the inside of the house was a total loss. The 100 block on Scurry street was the scene of two fires Friday afternoon.

City firemen answered a call to the 100 block where a Texas and Pacific truck had caught fire. It was believed the blaze, which burned the inside of the cab and ruined a spare tire, caught from the gasoline tank.

Later in the afternoon firemen extinguished a blaze at a house in the same block, where a cigarette had been tossed from a window in the Petroleum building and burned a hole in the roof.

Damage was not believed to be extensive. The second Belgian king, Leopold II, was the first ruler to abolish slavery.

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**Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:**  
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WALTER GRICE  
J. S. NABORS

**Constable, Prec. No. 1:**  
J. F. (JIM) CRENSHAW  
J. T. (CHIEF) THORNTON  
JOHN A. (Johnny) RALSTON

# Cpl. Sylvia Pederson And Cadet Bill Stevens Are Married In Post Chapel

Cpl. Sylvia Pederson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Pederson of Appleton, Minn., became the bride of A/C Bill Stevens, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Stevens of Hutchinson, Kas., Friday evening in the post chapel.

Rev. H. Clyde Smith read the marriage ceremony before an audience decorated with white gladioli, carnations and white candles.

The bride, who was given in marriage by Sgt. LaVern Gross, wore a white formal marquisette wedding gown with a sweetheart neckline. Her fingertip veil of white illusion had a ruffle crown and a diamond cross. Something borrowed was a white lace handkerchief belonging to Cpl. Edith Johnson. Her flowers were an arm bouquet arrangement of white carnations and cream roses.

Maid of honor was Cpl. Alice Graham, who wore a pink marquisette formal dress with a sweetheart neckline and full skirt.



Mrs. Bill Stevens  
She carried a colonial bouquet of spring flowers.  
Cpl. Marjorie Aldrich, bridesmaid, wore a green net dress and carried a colonial bouquet of spring flowers.

S/Sgt. Herman Wildberger was the best man and Sgt. Anthony Sczyhowski was another attendant.

Before the ceremony Cpl. Yeta Coffman sang "I Love You Truly," accompanied at the organ by Sgt. Ola Bauknight, who also played the traditional wedding music.

A wedding reception was given in the WAC dayroom following the ceremony and the 3-tiered wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and bridegroom was served.

The bride has been in the WACs since March 1942. She graduated from school in Appleton. She has been stationed at the bombardier field since August.

The bridegroom is stationed at Chickasha, Okla., and is here on detached service. He graduated from Hutchinson high school and attended college in Wichita, Kas.

# Society News

THE BIG SPRING DAILY HERALD

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## Daily Vacation Bible School At The First Christian Church Closes With Program Of Songs and Dramatizations

### Picnic Supper For Lions' Families Given On Scenic

A picnic supper was entertaining for all members and families of the Lions club Friday evening when the Auxiliary was hostess on Scenic Drive.

Dancing on the pavilion was other entertainment.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Jack V. Smith and daughter, Mrs. and Mrs. J. H. Green, Mrs. Culin Grigaby and son, Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Grant and son, Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Cross and children, Mr. and Mrs. Escot Compton and son, Mrs. W. W. Harris and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pickle and children, Mr. and Mrs. Wes Miller, Mrs. Chester Mathney, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Grafa, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd McDaniel and daughter, Dorothy Satterwhite, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Frye, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pond, Mr. and Mrs. Larson Lloyd, Mr. and Mrs. K. H. McGibbon.

### Cosden Chatter -

By MRS. ROXIE DOBBINS  
Pvt. Mickey Bradley, Cosden's only "lady soldier," has completed her basic training at Ft. Oglethorpe, Georgia and has been transferred to Ft. Eustis, Virginia near Richmond.

Garner W. Pitts writes from Great Lakes, Illinois that he was promoted to fireman first class last month. He has applied for naval aviation and expects to be called for cadet training in the near future.

Billie Frances Shaffer has returned from a few days visit in El Paso.

William C. Bostick writes from San Diego that he is being transferred to Gulf Port, Miss. He also writes that 29 men from Big Spring have been in his company at San Diego.

Chester F. Barnes spent several days in Houston this week on business.

Mrs. Fred Mitchell writes from Oklahoma City that her husband is still in Seattle, Wash., but that he expects to be transferred this week.

Pfc. R. H. Webb sends his regards to all of his Cosden friends from Aberdeen Proving Ground, Maryland.

Kathryn Fuller has been transferred from the mailing department to the credit department.

David J. Hopper writes from San Diego, California, and we notice he has been promoted to MM-2-c since we last heard from him.

C. T. McLaughlin of Midland was a visitor in the office Wednesday.

R. L. Tollett returned Tuesday from a business trip to Fort Worth.

We have received word that Burnis L. Mason has been promoted to SC-2-c at Yosemite National Park, California. He is a former Cosden employee and the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Mason.

Cpl. Billy T. Smith of Ft. Leonard Wood, Miss., is home on furlough. Cpl. Smith was formerly employed in the credit department.

Frank Kelly of Colorado City was a visitor in the office Thursday.

Roscoe H. Deitiker of Amarillo General Freight Agent of Santa Fe lines, and I. M. Robinson of Lubbock, Traveling Freight and Passenger agent of Santa Fe lines, were in the office Friday.

D. T. Evans was in Lubbock and Amarillo this week on business.

Mrs. J. T. Smith of Abilene, is spending the weekend with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Rip Smith.

Harry Williams of Dallas, General Agent of Kansas, Oklahoma and Gulf Railway Co.; G. W. Robinson of Abilene, traffic representative of Missouri Pacific Railway Co.; W. A. Holman of Fort Worth, assistant general freight agent of Roscoe, Snyder and Pacific Railway Co.; and L. S. Lipscomb of Fort Worth, traveling freight agent of Rock Island lines, were business visitors in the office this week.

Lt. W. P. Hilliker, USNR, of Houston was in the plant this week inspecting Navy diesel fuel.

W. E. Gibson left Friday for a business trip to Fort Worth.

S. K. Whaley was in Amarillo this week on business.

Mrs. Johnnie B. Harrison underwent a major operation last Wednesday and Mr. Harrison reports she is recovering nicely.

Bluebonnet Class Will Meet  
A regular monthly meeting will be held at the Bluebonnet Class of the First Christian church Tuesday at 8:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Fred Lancaster, 200 Dixie. Co-hostesses will be Mrs. Justin Holmes and Mrs. J. F. George.

### Certificates Are Awarded To Pupils For Attendance

The vacation Bible school which has been in progress for the past two weeks at the First Christian church was closed Friday evening with a program of songs and dramatizations of the various Bible stories that the students had been studying.

Lena Rose Tynes was awarded the prize for learning the most Bible verses, and certificates of merit were presented to students with perfect attendance, who included Ronald Bell, Jeanetta Lee Sheppard, Maxine Rosson, Lynn McMahan, Nancy Lou Daniels, Jerry McMahan, Joyce Cox, Shirley Ann Banks, C. L. Girdner, Jean Hall, Patricia Ann Sheppard, Lenna Rose Tynes, Ray Todd, Beverly Jean Wilson, Ray Ewell, Carl Trappell, Sandra Trappell, Jimmy Clayburn, Betty Jo Earley, Barbara Ann Wright, Tommy Lou Omstot, Ray Dabney, Lillian Rowe, Harold Rosson, Charles Roach, Carolyn Clayburn, and Beverly Trappell.

Certificates for work done were also presented to Harold Wright, Wilma Moore, Pasty Maddux, Nila Jo Hill, Russell Green, Jerry Lloyd Brooks, Neta Beth Farquhar, Betty Lee Ketch, June Marie Kimbell, Louis Hall, Sam Hall, Pauline Buzbee and Florian Cass.

Around 100 parents and their friends were present.

The closing of the Bible school does not mark the ending of Bible study at the church for the summer, however, for a weekly study will be held each Friday morning from 9 to 10:30 o'clock for the remainder of the summer months.

These study sessions will be directed by Mildred Creath and the teachers are to be Mrs. L. M. Brooks and Mrs. C. D. Wiley, Junior Department; Mrs. R. A. Long, Mrs. F. C. Robinson and Clarabelle Wright, primary department; and Mrs. Kirk Baxter, Mrs. Ray McMahan, and Jeanetta Christensen, beginners department.

Mrs. Hefley Will Review "Valley Of Decision"

Mrs. Rogers Hefley will review "The Valley of Decision" by Marcia Davenport, in the parlor of the First Methodist church July 6 at 4 p. m. The book review is sponsored by the Philathea class and the public is invited to attend.

The novel concerns a family and a young girl; their love, devotion, unswerving loyalty, and self sacrifice.

Mrs. Hefley recently moved to Big Spring with her husband and daughter from Sterling City. They have made their home here in Washington Place. Mrs. Hefley is a former school teacher and is a member of the Eastern Star.

Mrs. Clyde Thomas, Jr. and Kathleen and Cleo Rita of Houston are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Thomas, Sr. Capt. Thomas is stationed in England.

Glen Cagle, stationed at TCU in Fort Worth with the Navy V-12 is home on a 10 day furlough.

### Two Entertain With Bridge-Breakfast In G. T. Hall Home

Mrs. Mattie Skiles and Mrs. Harriett Smith entertained in Mrs. G. T. Hall's home with a bridge-breakfast Thursday morning.

White gladioli and yellow daisies were used as decorations in the entertaining rooms.

Bridge high went to Fern Smith and second high to Mrs. Peggy Crowley.

Those present were Mrs. Edna Goodson, Mrs. Leola Clare, Mrs. Margaret Davis, Mrs. Christine Davis, Mrs. Toots Howard, Mrs. Aylene Bonds, Mrs. Fran Anderson, Mrs. LaVerne Frutiger, Mrs. Diane Steinmiz, Mrs. Bobbie Lebkowsky, Mrs. Ruth Johnson, Mrs. G. T. Hall, Mrs. Peggy Crowley, Mrs. Pat Sterling, Fern Smith.

### Brownie Troop No. 19 Entertained At Park

Members of Brownie troop no. 19 were entertained Thursday with a picnic at the city park.

Those present were Peggy Jenkins, Marybeth Jenkins, Geraldine Brown, Patsy McMillan, Dorothy Jean Roberts, Mary Jo Cochran, Emma Corrinne Tucker, two guests, Mrs. Oscar Jenkins and Patsy, Mrs. Lee Jenkins, leader, and Mrs. L. D. Jenkins, assistant.

### DANCE IS GIVEN FOR ENLISTED MEN

An optional dress dance was given at the post Saturday night for enlisted men, their wives, dates, and invited guests.

The post orchestra, under the direction of S-Sgt. Winslow Chamberlain, furnished music, and Cpl. Phil Tucker of the special service section was in charge of arrangements.

# Griffin And Douglass Wedding Is Announced



Mrs. J. C. Douglass, Jr. (Bradshaw Photo)

### Vows Read For Couple

Miss Marcella Jean Morand of Detroit, Mich., and Lieut. Demeter Kiurski of Detroit, Mich., were married at the Saturday morning mass at the Catholic chapel at the Big Spring Bombardier Ejeid.

Chaplain Thomas A. McDonald read the double ring ceremony before an altar decorated with white gladioli and pink carnations.

The bride wore a white informal dress and white accessories with an orchid corsage.

The couple was attended by Lieut. and Mrs. Lirio Ficchi.

Lieut. and Mrs. Kiurski will be at home here while the bridegroom is stationed at the Bombardier school as a pilot.

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### Awards Given Winners Of 4-H Club Camp

Winners of camper awards at commencement at Christoval of 4-H club girls of Howard and Tarrant counties were announced.

Rheba Merle Boyles, home demonstration agent, following results of the group.

They were Marie Petty, Elbow; Alice Turner, Coahoma; Nelda Ann Shaw, Knott; Nita Underwood, Gay Hill, and Mary Sue

Moffett, Janie Hildreth and Bernice Shortes of Martin county. Jo Marie Myers of Knott was awarded a gold star pin for outstanding work in the county in 1943. The group returned Wednesday.

Those going were: Junia Pearl Ashley, Betty Bennett, Wanda Washburn, Ermine Haney, Georgia Loudamy, Charlotte Nichols, Norvell Yell, Peggy Cross, Mary Sue Moffett, group 1, Mrs. Roy Mashburn, sponsor; Marie Petty, Jo Ann Gay, Zella Fay Williams, Nora Gene Williams, Pauline Massey, Dorothy Jean Long, Dorothy Petty, Gharlene Grissom, group 3, Mrs. E. J. Petty, sponsor, Lillian Faye Witt, Betty Lou King, Dorothy Nell King, Lillie John Davidson, Bernice Shortes, Audrey Jean Hilliard, Joyce Shortes, Jo Marie Myers, Betty Adams, and Edna Mae Adams, group 2, Mrs. J. H. Burrows, sponsor; Ada Smith, Joyce Thornton, Ruby Roberts, Evelyn Roberts, Nelda Ann Shaw and Dorothy Raspberry, group 4, Mrs. Joe Meyers, sponsor.

Mary Sue White, Erlene Bond, Virginia Wilkerson, Bernice Turner, Peggy McMurry, Wanda Lee, group 5, Arah Phillips, sponsor; Oleta Williams, Gene May, Nira Underwood, Bell Jones, Jay Mashburn, Cleo Little, Elsie Mae Young, Sue Houston, and Frankie Leonard, group 6, Mrs. L. B. McClain, sponsor; Eula Pearl Hildreth, Billy Robus, Betty Wozencroft, Dorothy Mims, Janie Hildreth, Patsy McClain, Dora Lee Harmon and Lola Leonard, group 7, Mrs. A. C. Fleming, sponsor; Mrs. Luther Witt, Mrs. Eula Leonard, Mrs. J. E. Moffett, Charlotte Holguin, Mrs. Jack Jones, Mrs. L. B. McClain, Mrs. Mike Davidson, Mrs. Morris Gay and Mrs. A. C. Fleming, sponsors.

Roy Phillips was truck driver and Dorcas Williams and Jim Bill Little, Big Spring scouts, were life savers.

### Church To Observe Communion Service

The First Presbyterian church will observe communion services this morning at 10:55 o'clock and the Rev. James E. Moore will speak on "Jesus Forget-Me-Not."

The young people will be in charge of the evening services scheduled for 8 p. m. Talks will be given by Lola Neill, Luan Wear and Ruby McDorman, who attended the Synod's Young People's convention in Kerrville recently. The young people's choir will present special music.

Membership hour for young people is to be at 6 p. m.

### Rev. Abele Will Direct Sunday Services At Episcopal Church

Rev. Charles Abele of Saint Mary's Episcopal church will direct the services at the church today.

Rev. Abele came from Peoria, Ill., and this will be his first Sunday here.

Early communion will be at 8:30 a. m., church school at 8:45 a. m., and the morning prayer and sermon will be at 11 a. m.

### Let Us Worship Together



If you are an unattached Baptist or have no church home or affiliation, won't you worship with us today.

Hear the pastor, Rev. P. D. O'Brien, speak at 10:55 a. m. on "Things Which Cannot Be Changed," and at 8 p. m. (service over KBST also) on "Jesus Christ, the Same Yesterday, Today and Forever." Baptizing following evening service.

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# Society

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## YOUNG PEOPLE GIVEN SOCIAL

Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Reese and Mrs. Wanda Don Watts entertained the young people of the 24th Fourth Baptist church with a social Friday evening at the church.

Songs and games were entertainment.

Refreshments were served to Pvt. Joseph Edward Bekins, Mrs. Dorothy Taylor, Janie McClendon, Lucille Taylor, Clara Belle Woods, Mary Helen Hartley, Boyce H. Patton, Preston Denton, Mrs. Houston Walker, Mrs. Monroe Gafford.

Next Friday evening the young people will be entertained with a bayride. They will meet at the church at 8 o'clock.

## CALENDAR

**PRESBYTERIAN AUXILIARY** meets at 3:15 o'clock in the church parlor for Bible study.

**WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY** of the First Baptist church will hold a regular monthly business meeting in the church at 3 o'clock.

**FIRST CHRISTIAN COUNCIL** will have a one o'clock luncheon in the church.

**WOMAN'S SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN SERVICE** of the First Methodist church meets for a business session in the church at 3 o'clock.

**WOMAN'S SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN SERVICE** of the Wesley Methodist church plans to have a social at 3 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Jack King, 305 Owens.

### James Stiff Will Be Associated With KFYO

James Stiff, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stiff, will leave Monday for Lubbock where he will be associated with radio station KFYO.

Stiff, who has been employed by KBBT two years as an announcer and program director, will be an announcer there.

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## Visit And Entertain

**FORSAN, June 24**—Mrs. A. J. Cisna and daughter of Brownwood arrived this week to stay with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cardwell for the duration. Capt. Cisna has been sent overseas.

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Dunean and Dean and Jimmie of Monahan and Mr. and Mrs. Mack Wilkinson and Alice Rita of Santa Rita were guests of Mrs. Sam Rust this week.

Mrs. Mutt Scudday and Yvette are guests of the M. M. Hines. Jackie and Nell Craig of Fort Worth are house guests of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Conger, Jr.

Hardy Morgan of Lamesa spent Tuesday night with the Kent Morgans.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Porter were Temple visitors recently. Mrs. Porter was there for medical care.

Lieut. James Cooke Gardner, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gardner is home on furlough from camp in Virginia. He received his commission last week in the quartermaster corps.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Nasworthy were San Angelo visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Lett and Marie went to Brady the first of the week.

Mrs. Green has as her guest, her sister, Mrs. Everett McArthur and Everett of Spur.

Sgt. and Mrs. Roy Klair of Denver, Colo. are guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Klair.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Bransfield, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rust and Mrs. J. E. Thompson attended an ice cream supper given Monday evening by Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Sheedy of Coahoma.

Mrs. J. L. McCaslin, Mrs. Margaret Maddox, Mrs. Pearl Scudday and Mrs. Bobby Ashury and Johnny Bob were picnickers at the city park in Big Spring Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Carrie Chaney and Betty Bransfield are guests of the Don Chaney of Crane.

Mrs. James Craig, former post office clerk in Forsan is now employed in the same capacity in New York City.

C. H. McKelvey has resigned his job with Amtrada.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Heatherington and family have returned from their vacation.

Mrs. Bill Johnson spent part of the week with the Baptist Girls' encampment in Big Spring.

C. V. Wash's father is here from Roscoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Scudday of Garden City visited relatives in Forsan this week.

Mrs. D. D. Limbocker is the house guest of the O. W. Scuddays.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Bransfield and Betty are moving to Salita.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Tiener are newcomers here.

Mr. and Mrs. U. I. Drake are being transferred to Royalty.

A. B. Livingston is in Dallas for an eye operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smith are on their vacation.

## Women Continue With Bond Work

Women bond sellers worked over the weekend at booths to help swell the sales in the Fifth War Loan drive.

Saturday workers at the Ritz were Mary Louise Griffin and Velva Glass, Sonora Murphey and Bernice Haley representing the B. & P. W. club. Sunday workers at the Ritz for the club will be Ruth Griffin, June Matson, Gladys Smith, Betty Leytath, Beth Luedke, Lillian Hurt, Sue Haynes and Jane Haller.

Women selling on Friday were Mrs. Cal Boykin, Mrs. G. H. Wood, Mrs. W. S. Satterwhite and Mrs. Larson Lloyd, representing Central Ward P. T. A. at the State theatre. Modern Woman's Forum workers sold at the First National bank and included Mrs. R. L. Manion, Mrs. J. P. Dodge, Mrs. A. B. Wade, Mrs. W. W. Pendleton and Mrs. Marie Walker.

Those selling at bond headquarters and representing the AAUW were Nell Brown and Mrs. Eugene McAllen.

Organizations to sell on Monday will be the North Ward P. T. A. at the State National bank; Eastern Star at the First National bank; Lions Auxiliary at bond headquarters; and B. & P. W. club at the Ritz.

Mrs. Nadine Calloway has received word that her husband, Sgt. B. W. Calloway has been promoted to 2nd Lt. He is stationed with the 9th Air Force in England as a ball turret gunner on a Flying Fortress.

1st Lt. and Mrs. Norman F. Priest are here visiting her mother, Mrs. Florence McNew and his father, O. F. Priest, Sr. Lt. Priest is stationed with the cavalry at Camp Pickett, Va.

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**GRADUATES FROM FT. BELVOIR, VA.** engineer officer candidate school on June 14, are Lt. Jewell Frederick Plazman, Jr. and Creed C. Coffee, Jr., Lt. Plazman, who attended Big Spring high school and Texas A. & M. before entering the army in March 1943 is the nephew of Sgt. and Mrs. Worth A. Peeler, 408 E. Park, Lt. Coffee, who was graduated from high school here, is following in his father's steps as an engineer. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Coffee, reside at 1548 Dapney. He entered the army at Camp Walters June 15, 1943.

## Lt. W. D. Hooper On Ponape Raid



This is 2nd Lt. William D. Hooper, Big Spring, as he looked recently when he returned from a bombing mission over once powerful Ponape in the South Pacific. Lt. Hooper is co-pilot of a B-25 bomber for Lt. Col. S. T. Willis, Ft. Worth.

Describing the raid, S/Sgt. Gerald D. Gordon, Charleston, W. Va., a Marine Corps Combat Correspondent, told how he sat with the two officers and "Pistol Head," a blonde cocker-spaniel, in the cockpit when Pistol Head quietly stopped his frisking and slid under a seat. Sgt. Gordon looked up to see the green, fertile island ahead.

"We heeled over so fast that, with the weight of the tin hat, I could barely lift my head to see what was happening. Dead ahead was a large group of buildings. Suddenly, there was a terrific crash and a blinding glare. The plane seemed to shudder and almost stop. That was the 75-mm cannon.

"The co-pilot (Lt. Hooper) was firing the other guns. I could see tracers smacking into buildings. Then another crash and we were over our target. The ship was full of smoke and the smell of powder. Lt. Col. Willis released the incendiary bombs."

The ship circled and smoke could be seen rising from the buildings. Back the craft swept,



streaking through Jap tracers. Near Ponape (city) the pilot seemed at buildings, giving them the works. A mountain loomed ahead but "luckily, there was a pass and we wormed our way through it. I noticed a huge hole in the wing and a stream of oil pouring out of the port engine. The pilot paid no attention until every shell had been fired."

Out of range, flak suits were removed, everybody had tomato juice. "Lt. Col. Willis sat the automatic pilot, lit his pipe and began reading. The navigator began working cross word puzzles and Pistol Head poked his head cautiously from under the seat and began frisking around."

## HD Group Studies Food Preservation

Food preservation demonstrations were given to the Luther Home Demonstration club when it met Thursday in the home of Mrs. Alton Smith.

Mildred Atkinson, emergency war food assistant, was a guest at the all-day meet. She demonstrated the drying and canning of fruits and vegetables and the bringing of vegetables of different kinds.

At a business session in the afternoon each club member discussed her favorite hobby, and a talk on landscaping was given by Mrs. S. L. Lockhart.

The club voted that each member make a donation to the Red Cross.

Guests attending were Mrs. Minnie Smith and Mildred Atkinson and members present were Mrs. Virgil Little, Mrs. Bill Hanson, Mrs. W. B. Puckett, Mrs. S. L. Lockhart, Mrs. W. D. Anderson, Mrs. Akin Simpson, Mrs. Leslie Bryson, Mrs. Norvin Smith, Mrs. S. H. Puckett, Mrs. W. H. Coleman, Lula Coleman, and the hosts.

The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Edwin Love, July 13, at one p. m.

Edward Gray of Corpus Christi is here visiting with his wife, Mrs. Edward Gray and their daughters, Mrs. B. T. Ledbetter, Nellie Gray and granddaughter, Kay Marie. Gray is employed at the Naval Air Base at Corpus.

Mrs. V. R. Rodgers and Mrs. E. A. Young of Plainview are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Vann. Mrs. Rodgers is Mrs. Vann's sister and Mrs. Young is her mother.

## ACTIVITIES at the USO

**SUNDAY**  
1:00 - 3:00 — Classical recording room.  
3:00 - 5:00 — Craft class and recording hour.  
5:00 - 7:00 — Ladies of the First Methodist church to serve cookies hour.  
3:00 — Sing song in lobby.

**MONDAY**  
3:00 - 7:00 — Service wives to serve as desk hostesses.  
8:30 — French class.  
9:30 — Games and dancing.

**TUESDAY**  
FREE ALTERATIONS, garments must be clean.  
3:30 — Informal activities.

**WEDNESDAY**  
Volunteer desk hostesses.  
6:15 — Hospital visiting hour at post; Lillian Jordan, chairman.  
8:30 — Games and dancing in game room and garden with Wednesday GSO girls.  
9:00 — Bingo, free telephone call home.

**THURSDAY**  
Games and dancing.

**FRIDAY**  
Volunteer desk hostesses.  
9:00 — 11:15 — Formal dance in garden with post orchestra. All GSO girls invited.

**SATURDAY**  
5:00 - 9:00 — Canteen open, free cookies and ice tea furnished.  
9:00 — Recording hour in recording room in recording room.

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## For Which We Fight

"When you start out liberating people, you jolly well have to liberate them their own way."

Thus sighed an American captain serving as provost marshal of a French town just liberated from the four-year grip of the Nazis. The brilliant and indefatigable Bob Casey tells about it in one of his memorable battlefront dispatches to his boss, the Chicago Daily News.

It seems a French dame had swept into the captain's office, fixed him with a haughty stare, and invited him and all his soldiers to get away from there at once. The Americans were ruffians, gangsters, and although the Boches were had enough, she preferred them to the Americans.

Questioning developed that Madame accused the Americans of digging up her potatoes and flowers and trampling up her premises in a thoroughly-going manner. The captain tried in vain to placate her—told her our men had strict orders to respect property, and any infractions of rules would be severely dealt with. He could not imagine their being interested in potatoes, when they had just quit living on them in England for months. Eggs, maybe, but surely not potatoes.

But Madame was not to be appeased. She was full of wrath and she gave the captain a piece of her mind.

Finally, the captain investigated, and this is what he found:

American engineers had located a German mine field—scores of mines—planted in Madame's garden, and in removing them had unavoidably disturbed some of her potatoes and flowers. While the sergeant of the detail was explaining this to the captain, one of the mines blew up with a mighty roar. Triumphant the captain tried to explain the circumstances, but Madame had the last word: "Don't try to fool me, young man. Of course they are digging up my potatoes and now they are blowing them up with dynamite."

This story illustrates something that we Americans might as well realize now as farther up the creek. We are not gallant knights in shining armor rescuing hapless victims of a dragon. At least not in the eyes of all of the rescued. If we expect gratitude in large hunks, long enduring and incapable of undermining, we might as well skip it.

We must realize now that we are fighting a war not primarily to liberate France and other Nazi-held countries, but to keep from being treated likewise by the Nazis and the Japs. We had rather die, individually and as a nation, than to live thirty minutes under conditions the people of France and other conquered countries have been living under for four years. So we fight.

If we do not expect all the liberated people to fall on our necks and call us blessed, we shall not be disappointed. We are fighting a war to destroy an evil that would destroy us if we did not have the means and the will and the determination to wipe it off the face of the earth—first.

We are fighting to save our own necks and the necks of our children and our children's children. We are fighting because not to fight and win is to lose our liberties forever. Maybe the old French

A friend called the other day. "Look at the laws over town," he suggested.

He was, of course, referring to the water shortage and compliance with the city's anti-irrigation ordinance. Inspection will disclose, as he suggested, a surprising number of fairly verdant yards despite the drought and water shortage. It is not fair, however, to jump to hasty conclusions as this person recognized. Not a few people have their own wells. It is surprising how many are utilizing their bath water to keep alive shrubs, and even more surprising how many are having water hauled in.

The biggest surprise of all, however, is just as he indicated, that there are a few people in Big Spring who are either undemocratic or unsportsmanlike enough to go right on using water as though there were no critical shortage. The city is not trying to withhold anything from them; rather it is trying to spread out our supply until we can get some more. The situation is desperate, truly it is. In the name of fair play and for the sake of a good conscience, use water discreetly. Siphon out your bath tubs, carry out rinse water to trees. Don't use non-circulating air conditioning. Don't put good drinking water on vegetation.

We are all in the same fix. If we run out, we will parch and thirst together.

### Big Attitude Needed

According to surveys made by the Texas State Teachers association, the school year just closed has been one of the most difficult in the history of the Texas public school system. Since the beginning of the war more than 20,000 of the 48,000 Texas teachers have either resigned or changed their place of teaching. The survey disclosed that 153 common school districts in 151 counties, schools had to close for lack of teachers. Of 613 independent districts studied, more than 574 teaching positions were unfilled, 650 places had been abolished or consolidated, and these districts had to employ 2,500 teachers with substandard qualifications.

What is the reason for this, you ask? Simply that part of the teachers have gone into service just as they have from business and industry, but mostly because other fields have been made more attractive because the average Texas teacher salary is barely over \$1,100 annually.

It is of small consolation to us in Big Spring that the problem is general, for we happen to be in the class that holds the total salary to the "average" mark. Because the situation is general, there is no hope that we could, even if we had to, absorb the marginal supply in order to operate our schools. There is no such supply.

Soon our trustees are apt to announce their decision for dealing with the problem. It will take some courageous action. It is going to take an equally big attitude on the part of taxpayers in accepting the inevitable of paying more toward support of our schools.

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## Hollywood—Anything Can Be Proved in Movie Land

By ROBBEN COONS  
HOLLYWOOD—One of the pleasant, ever-irritating things about Hollywood is that here is where you can prove anything. You even might answer, by juggling names, faces and figures around a bit, that perennial puzzle as to who threw the overalls in Mrs. Murphy's chowder. I haven't tried that one yet, but I'm pretty sure it can be done.

You can prove, for example, that the best way to get into pictures is to win a beauty contest. You can justify that assertion by pointing, which admittedly is impolite, to Rosemary LaPlante and Jo-Carrall Dennison, both "Miss Americas" of recent years, who are in pictures, and you can back it up further by listing other contest-winners, including Mary Astor, who certainly has been a success.

Then, if you feel onery, you can prove that winning a beauty contest doesn't mean a thing for pictures—and you can list "Miss This" and "Miss That" in numbers to show why.

It is equally easy to prove that the best vehicle to stardom for a beautiful girl is the horse, or horse opera. Look at Ann Sheridan, Joan Crawford, Lorraine Day, Marjorie Reynolds, Irene Dunne, (remember "Cimarron?") and Carole Landis.

And look at Jennifer Jones. All these prove that a girl who plays opposite John Wayne, Gene Autry, Don Barry, Roy Rogers or Tim Holt, can't miss.

Of course we could spill it all by remembering that none of these girls really got anywhere until they got off their horses.

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### Crossword Puzzle

- ACROSS
- 1. Part of an animal's throat
  - 2. Musical instrument
  - 3. Rice paste
  - 4. Kind of cooking
  - 5. Wire measurement
  - 6. Musical drama
  - 7. Favorite
  - 8. Widened
  - 9. Short
  - 10. To be it
  - 11. Horn
  - 12. Ancient race
  - 13. Indian spirit
  - 14. The birds
  - 15. Fast
  - 16. Ourselves
- DOWN
- 17. Together
  - 18. Devoured
  - 19. White
  - 20. Containers for beer
  - 21. Genus of the maple tree
  - 22. Services at cards
  - 23. Wharves
  - 24. Metal
  - 25. Harbor
  - 26. More crippled
  - 27. Knead
  - 28. Flow back
  - 29. American Indian
  - 30. Government levy
  - 31. Entirely
  - 32. Absolute

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### Looking Backward

Five Years Ago Today  
Rodeo performances are concluded today, Rodeo Widows sponsor chuck wagon breakfast at park; second half in municipal softball league play getting under way, Lone Star Chevrolet named first half champion.

Ten Years Ago Today  
Merchant code meeting slated tonight; pharmacists outline work at coming convention in meet here.

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## The Thrill That Comes Once In A Lifetime Today And Tomorrow



## United States Is War Conscious

(Jack Stinnett, Washington correspondent for The Herald, has just returned from a one-month, coast-to-coast trip around the country. In a series of four articles, he gives his observations of a nation at war.)

By JACK STINNETT  
WASHINGTON—Any one who emerges from the cloisters of wartime Washington long enough to get acquainted with the rest of the country can't help but being impressed by a number of things. The principal one, I think, is that from border to border and ocean to ocean, the United States is as thoroughly "war conscious" as any country could be.

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## MALARIA WHIPPED IN NEW GUINEA

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, Southwest Pacific (UP)—American and Australian army scientists in New Guinea have reduced the malaria rate by 95 per cent in 15 months.

Brig. Gen. Guy B. Denit, chief surgeon of the U. S. Army Forces in the Far East, said the anti-malaria campaign had beaten the anopheles mosquito, which once was a more deadly enemy than the Japanese.

In February, 1943, the American forces in New Guinea were suffering a rate of 962 attacks (including recurrences) per 1,000 men per year. The rate for April, 1944, was 45.1 attacks per 1,000 per year.

Methods of malaria control and medication are still on the secret list because Allied scientists have made discoveries which would be greatly helpful to the enemy. Japanese suffer from malaria even more than Americans do.

In the early part of the New Guinea campaign, malaria caused more hospitalization than all other causes of non-effectiveness including battle casualties. During February, 1943, 2.3 per cent of all men in the Southwest Pacific command were hospitalized for malaria at all times. During March, 1944, only two men out of each 1,000 were hospitalized for it.

At one advanced base in New Guinea the malaria rate was once

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By WALTER LIPPMANN

We are now within sight of that crucial moment of the war when the statesmen must control events or lose their power to control them. This moment will not last forever; indeed it will already have ended when the bugles give the order the cease firing. What happens after that will be determined by the direction which Messrs. Churchill, Stalin and Roosevelt are able to give now to the civil forces in the defeated, liberated, the neutral, and the victorious countries.

For now their influence is at its maximum because they preside over a military power which is supreme and not yet expended. Once the firing ceases, the influence of this military power will rapidly decline, and their present opportunity will never return.

For this reason a statesmanlike settlement with Finland is important, and with France is with Poland imperative.

A true settlement with Finland can be had only by the adoption in Helsinki and in Moscow of the good-neighbor principle. Specifically, this would mean that an independent, democratic Finland based its security not upon the German connection, not upon being a buffer between Russia and the west, not upon an alliance with the Soviet Union; and that the Soviet Union based its security in his northern region and towards Scandinavia upon a firm and friendly respect for Finnish independence. No other settlement will work. No other takes account of the realities and of the vital interests at stake.

The core of the difficulty in reaching this settlement is that the Finnish democracy has been overthrown by pro-Nazi and Fascist oligarchs. Americans, who are quite right in thinking that the Finnish nation is a most likable and respectable democracy, have had hidden from them the fact that Finland has been in the hands of highly reactionary and dangerous men who, by censorship and police repression, dominated the Finnish democracy, and there is some reason to think even Field Marshal Mannerheim.

These men have been using our friendship for the Finnish democracy to serve their own sinister or misguided ends.

The problem of the Finnish

settlement is how these Finnish Fascists are to be disposed of. And it is here that Stalin's statesmanship will be put to the test. The question will be whether he takes a course which permits an encourages the Finns themselves to liquidate their Fascists, of whether he relies upon the Red Army and a puppet government to perform this necessary task.

For it will not only disarm Finland more thoroughly than any physical disarmament: it will be the foundation of a wholly different relation than Russia has ever before enjoyed with the Scandinavian peoples and in the whole region of the Baltic. And—most vitally of all—it will determine their attitude, which is critically important, to the German settlement.

The only certain way to liquidate permanently the Finnish oligarchy is to let the Finnish people themselves do it. If the Red Army does it, those defeated and discredited men will obtain a new lease of support which always goes to men who can claim that they represent the national cause against foreign domination.

Though the circumstances and the issues are very different, the same conception of their power and their real interests ought to reign in the relations of America, Britain, Russia, France and Poland. They must be lifted above the level of personalities, of old formulae, conflicting intelligence reports, and bits of disputed territory. The Soviet-Polish and the Roosevelt-De Gaulle controversies are not so much questions that can be resolved. They will have to be dissolved and absorbed into the greater question of the settlement of the war.

The promise of any conceivable settlement in Europe, and perhaps also in the world, is that in liquidating German aggression over the long period which will follow the armistice, there will be not three, but five principal powers. France and Poland are absolutely indispensable in any durable European settlement. They are the two great neighbors of Germany, and nothing can endure which they do not actively support.

For this reason a complete understanding between Poland and the Soviets should be de-

termined by the need to have a strong Poland, which by its own authentic will, is the ally of the Soviet Union and one of the makers and enforcers of the German settlement.

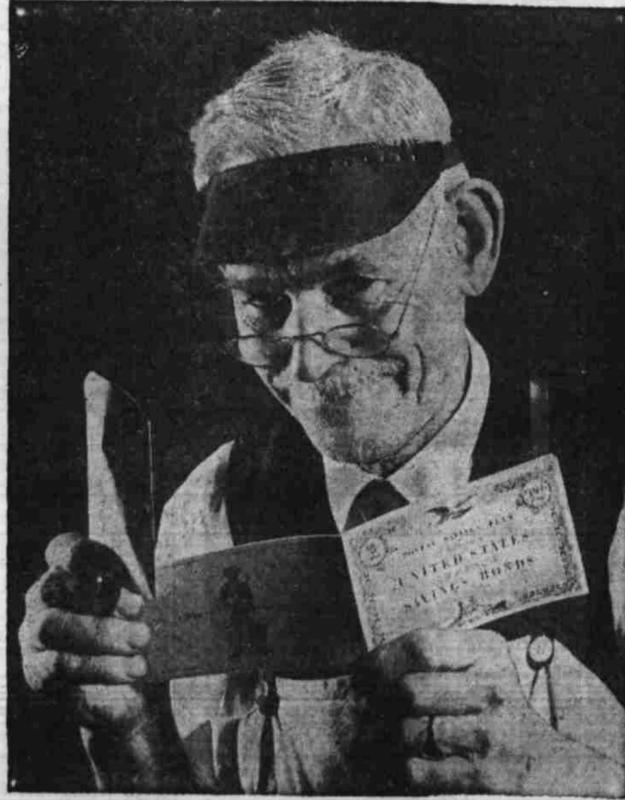
For the same reason a complete understanding with France is necessary and in reaching this understanding the controlling consideration should be our ability to force that the armistice imposed upon Germany will be useless, or worse, unless France is fully committed to enforce it.

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**FOR SALE**—1937 Chevrolet Tudor; new paint job, good tires, perfect motor. Reasonable price. Phone 472 or see John Cardwell.

**FOR SALE**—1941 Custom Dodge Sedan; low mileage, good pre-war rubber. 1109 Eleventh Place. See between 5 and 7 p. m.

**FOR SALE**—1937 Ford Tudor, good tires, radio; or would buy motor for same. Phone 580-J, 108 N. Nolan.

**FOR SALE**—1942 Ford Tudor, low mileage, five new tires. See at 1211 Main. Phone 1309.

**Trailers, Trailer Houses**  
 WILL sell trailer house with good tires for \$375 cash. See Brown at Fashion Cleaners.

**FOR SALE**—Light, two wheel trailer with good Model A tires. Can be seen at 705 E. 13th. Phone 1636.

## Announcements

### Lost & Found

**LOST**—Cream-colored Jersey cow, no horns; strayed from east part of town, Saturday. Finder call 715-W.

**LOST**—Roll of bedding off car, between Fairview and Big Spring, Wednesday. Finder leave at Packinghouse Market. Mrs. Carl Grant.

### Personals

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## Announcements

### Business Service

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**WANTED**—Residences for sale; have customers for any size house. I can sell your property if the price is right and possession goes with sale. J. B. Pickle, phone 1217.

**HAVE** buyers for farms and stock farms. If you want to sell, see A. M. Sullivan, Coahoma, Tex.

### Woman's Column

**WANTED**—Young woman to share two-room apartment; prefer woman whose husband is in the service. Call Ruby Caldwell, Herald Office, phone 728.

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### Radios & Accessories

**EIGHT-TUBE** Montgomery Ward Airline radio, excellent condition. See J. V. Cherry, 200 Creighton St., after 5:30 p. m.

**FOR SALE**—Sanitary computing, porcelain meat scales, bottle cooler 12 ft. long, automatic spray, vegetable stand; also Model A Ford Coupe. H. M. Rainbolt, 803 E. 3rd.

**FOR SALE**—New flat top office desk and two chairs. See A. M. Sullivan, Coahoma, Texas.

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**FOR SALE**—Light colored Jersey milk cow; gentle. 108 N. Nolan St.

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## Wanted To Buy

### Miscellaneous

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**RESPONSIBLE** civilian couple, permanent residents, desire to rent furnished apartment or home; no pets or children. 908 Runnels.

**WANT** to rent furnished apartment or house. Phone 1578-W.

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### Houses For Sale

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**FOUR-ROOM** rock house with garage combined, for sale by owner. Immediate possession. Apply at 111 W. First St.

**FOR SALE**—Apartment house, good income, nicely furnished with Frigidaire, etc.; close in. Will consider trade in by owner. If interested, write Box D. M., % Herald.

**SEVEN-ROOM** brick home, two lots, in nice part of city; cheap. Also nice six-room frame home, priced right; possession in 10 days. Also one large brick business house, \$8,500. No information. Apply by phone, C. E. Read, Fisher Bldg.

**FOR SALE**—Or would trade well located six-room home, two baths, with double brick garage, good fences, shrubs and fruit trees, for four or five-room house. Apply 2010 Runnels, between 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

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**DON'T BE A JERK-- HE'S HARMLESS.**

**MEBBER SO BUT--**

**THE DAY BEFORE THE COPS PICKED ME UP, HE WAS SNOOPIN' AROUND THE JOINT, ASKIN' TOO MANY QUESTIONS--**

**YOU MUST KNOW EVERYBODY THAT LIVES ALONG THE CANAL!**

**NO, THERE ARE SOME FOLKS I HAVEN'T MET-YET!**

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**LARGE AMERICANER TRAVELOTT-- THEY MAY BE CARRYING TROOPS FROM THE LEAGUE?**

**SO! THAT IS HOW THEY PLAN THE ESCAPE BY THIS TIME WE WILL BE READY FOR THE SWINE!**

**DICKIE DARE**

**THE LIEUTENANT WANTS YOU!**

**NOW WHAT, HAP?**

**AWELL TELL YEH AFTAN AN FIND OUT!**

**SAILOR, I AM DISTRESSED THAT THE WORK DID NOT KILL YOU, BUT WE HAVE IDEAS--WHAT DO YOU KNOW ABOUT MOTION PICTURES?**

**HA-HA-- I'VE NEVER SEEN ANYONE LAUGH SO!**

**NO-HO-- LAUGH HA-HA**

**TED SPENCE-- WHAT ON EARTH ARE YOU LAUGHING AT?**

**I'M LAUGHING--OH MY-- BECAUSE IT'S SO RIDICULOUS! THE GREAT SUPERMAN STANDING LIKE ANY LOVE-SICK SCHOOLBOY WHILE A NERD WOMAN RUNS HER FINGER THROUGH HIS HAIR!**

**SUPERMAN**

**PATSY**

**OF COURSE, MR. HOGAN IS A LITTLE OLDER THAN ME, BUT I SHOULDN'T BE JEALOUS OF THAT!**

**AN' I SPOSE HE IS A BETTER LOOKING MAN THAN ME--**

**THAT I COULD BELIEVE!**

**AN' MY CAR IS JUST AS NICE LOOKIN' AS HIS-- OMON AN' SEE!**

**TH' ONLY DIFFERENCE I CAN SEE IS-- HE'S GOT WHITE WALL TIRES!**

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**BLONDIE**

**WILL YOU PLEASE ALLOW ME TO PASS?**

**WILL YOU KINDLY LET ME BY?**

**OAKIE DOAKS**

**LOOK! WHAT'S THAT?**

**NO! IT'S SIR OAK!**

**QUICK! BRING UP A STRETCHER AND A MOVING VAN!**

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## Corsicana Strike Ushered In New Era Of Oil For Texas

(Editor's Note: This is another in a series of articles on Texas oil history, of timely interest as the Texas Mid-Continent Oil & Gas association is observing its 25 anniversary.)  
The city of Corsicana needed an additional water supply and so a contract was let to the American Well & Prospecting company to drill three wells. The first one, on June 9, 1894, at a depth of 1,027 feet, hit a strong showing of oil. The nuisance was eased off and drilling continued but the unwanted, greasy fluid made its way up outside the casing and careless crowds of curious spectators were responsible for three derricks being burned down before the undertaking was completed as a water well at 2,470 feet.

Corsicana had five producing wells and the year's output was 1,450 barrels. It should be borne in mind that the entire production of Texas the year before was only 50 barrels! In 1897, Corsicana produced 66,800 barrels and by the end of April, 1898, the field had 100 producing wells, as well as 13 dry holes and 17 drilling. Two hundred men were employed at an average of \$2 a day.

The only market for the crude was for the drilling of more wells and for shipment to Dallas and Austin to be used in making gas. Mayor James E. Whitesell, having heard of the achievements of J. S. Cullinan in the Pennsylvania fields, invited him to view Corsicana's possibilities. The result was that Cullinan contracted for 150,000 barrels a year at 50 cents a barrel and agreed to build a pipeline, tanks and a refinery. His associates in the east, however, read scientific reports that oil and gas would never be found in Texas in paying quantities, and they backed out. Meanwhile, Cullinan had ordered the materials for the refinery and he was able to interest Calvin N. Payne, a Pennsylvania oil man, who in turn interested Henry C. Folger, one of the leading figures in the national industry. The stills were fired on Christmas Day, 1898 — a great Christmas present for Texas.

Corsicana is significant in the story of Texas oil because the new method of rotary was used in drilling (some of the earlier wells there derived power for drilling by a horse walking around a sweep); because of the use of the crude in oiling streets and highways; because it had the first refinery in the state to operate continuously and extensively; because it was the birthplace of one of the major companies—the Magnolia Petroleum company; because it led to the general use of oil as fuel by the railroads, a Cotton Belt passenger train locomotive using it in 1898, and because the Corsicana field proved that Texas actually had oil in commercial quantities.

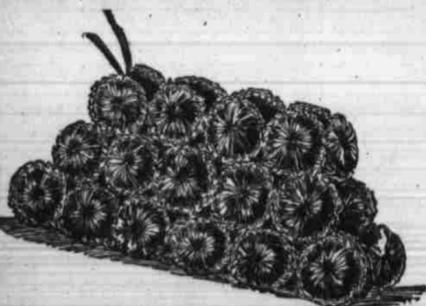
Not everyone regarded oil as a nuisance, however, and a company was formed and a well started for oil this time, instead of water. This well made 2 1/2 barrels a day. By the end of '96

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9:30 Southernaires.  
10:00 Wesley Radio League.  
10:30 News.  
10:45 Melody Lane.  
11:00 First Christian Church.  
**Sunday Afternoon**  
12:00 Stanley Dixon, News.  
12:15 Music by Marias.  
12:30 Lutheran Hour.  
1:00 Chaplain Jim.  
1:30 Sunday Vespers.  
2:00 Assembly of God Church.  
2:30 The Mysterious Traveler.  
3:00 Fun Valley.  
3:30 Afternoon Melodies.  
4:00 Texas & Texans in the News.  
4:15 Question Please.  
4:30 Adventures of Bulldog Drummond.  
**Sunday Evening**  
5:00 Trinity Baptist Church.  
5:30 Upton Close, News.  
5:45 Washington Inside Out.  
6:00 Old Fashioned Revival Hour.  
7:00 Music by Sigmund Romberg.  
7:15 Treasury Song for Today.  
7:30 Key & Wentz News.  
7:45 Gabriel Heatter.  
8:00 First Baptist Church.  
9:00 Say It With Music.  
9:15 Goodwill Hour.  
10:00 Sign Off.  
**Monday Morning**  
6:30 Musical Clock.  
6:45 News.  
6:50 Musical Clock.  
7:00 Between the Lines.  
7:15 KBST Bandwagon.  
7:30 News.  
7:45 Bob Willis.  
8:00 Breakfast Club.  
9:00 Sweet River.  
9:15 My True Story.  
9:40 Aunt Jemima.  
9:45 Musical Moments.  
10:00 Breakfast at Sardi's.  
10:30 Gil Martyn & the News.  
10:45 The Baby Institute.  
11:00 Boake Carter.  
11:15 Treasury Salute.  
11:30 Variety Time.  
11:45 Texas & Texans in the News.  
**Monday Afternoon**  
10-2-4 Ranch.  
12:15 Luncheon Dance Varieties.  
12:30 White's News of the Air.  
12:45 Homer Rhodeheaver & His Gospel Singers.  
1:00 Cedric Foster.  
1:15 The Mystery Chef.  
1:30 Ladies, Be Seated.  
2:00 Songs by Morton Downey.  
2:15 Hollywood Star Time.  
2:30 Appointment With Life.  
3:00 Ethel & Albert.  
3:15 Don Norman Show.  
3:30 Time Views the News.  
3:45 The Seahound.  
4:00 KBST Bandwagon.  
4:45 Dick Tracy.  
**Monday Evening**  
5:00 Terry and the Pirates.  
5:15 News.  
5:30 Tom Mix.  
5:45 Superman.  
6:00 Fulton Lewis, Jr.  
6:15 The Johnson Family.  
6:30 Treasury Song for Today.  
6:35 Musical Interlude.  
6:45 World's Frontpage.  
7:00 Melody Lane.  
7:15 Treasury Song for Today.  
7:20 Musical Interlude.  
7:30 Say It With Music.  
7:45 Key & Wentz News.  
8:00 Gabriel Heatter.  
8:15 Trails to Glory.  
8:30 American Home Hour.  
9:00 GOP National Convention.  
9:15 Drifting Cowboys.  
9:30 Let's Dance.  
10:00 Red Arrow News.  
10:15 Sign Off.

Two persons were brought before the city court on charges of drunkenness early Saturday. Both pleaded guilty and paid fines of \$15 each.

## VISION . . .

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## Malone Working On His Masters Degree

DENTON, June 24—H. F. Malone of Big Spring is a member of the Graduate club on the campus of North Texas State, where he is a student during the current summer session. The club includes students who hold the bachelor's degree and who are studying toward the master's degree.

## Ceilings For Fruits

Ceiling prices at retail have been set for the first time on apricots, sweet cherries, plums, Italian prunes and coconuts, the district

Office of Price Administration announced today. Prices for the fresh fruits were effective June 22. Additional information may be secured from the price clerk of the local War Price and Rationing Board.

Loss of a billfold containing more than \$40, discharge papers, birth certificate, etc., was reported by O. L. Yarbrough to police. Officers also were investigating the loss of a purse as reported by Mrs. J. F. Fox, who was staying at a local hotel. She told police she had \$103 and a bus ticket to Los Angeles, Calif., in the purse.

El Salvador is the only central American republic without a seacoast on the Atlantic.

## Robert Six Returns To Head Continental

Lt. Col. Robert F. Six, who has been on leave from his duties as president of Continental Air Lines since September 1, 1942, returned to his executive position with the airline June 15. Louis H. Mueller, chairman of Continental's board of directors, announced today.

Mueller said that Col Six had been returned to inactive status as an army officer due to physical disabilities incurred in the line of duty.

Six entered the army as a captain, was promoted to the rank of major and then to lieutenant colonel. His overseas duty includ-

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ed the delivery of a flight of Liberator bombers to Australia, and he also served as commanding officer of a transport squadron in the South Pacific.

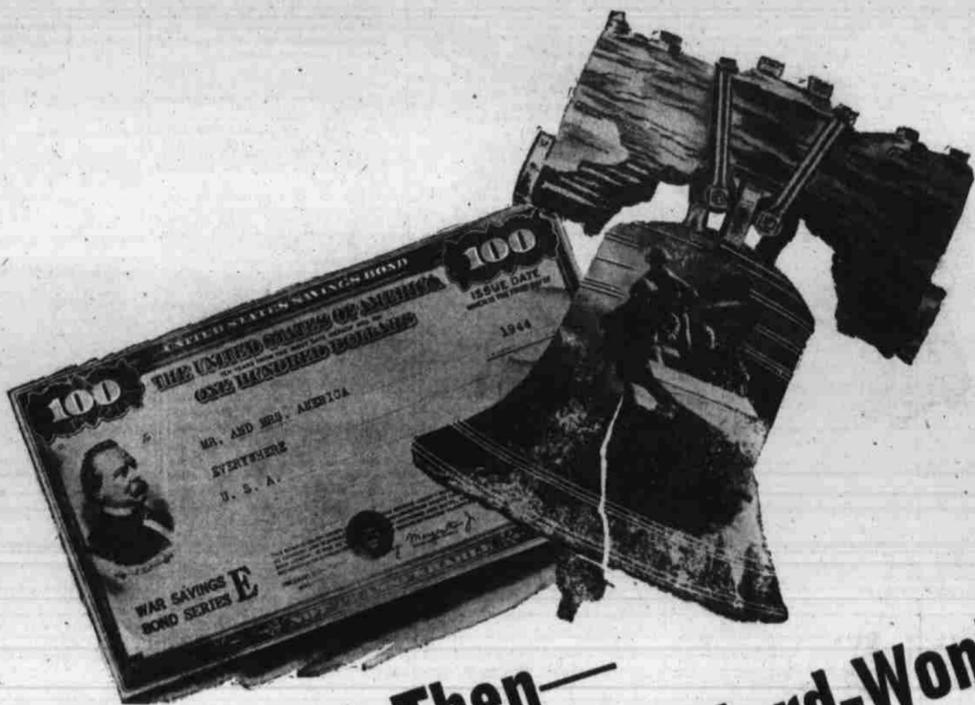
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