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Mild temperature this afternoon and tonight except colder late tonight or early Tuesday.

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Japs Massing Forces For New Australian Thrust?

Ships Being Concentrated At Islands

Allied Airmen Continue To Strike At Enemy Convoys

By The Associated Press

The Japanese are massing ships, men and planes in a new thrust to Australia, this time at their bases to the northwest of the South Pacific continent, Gen. Douglas MacArthur warned today.

At the same time the Japanese were disclosed in a New Delhi communique to have recovered somewhat the initiative they lost in Burma early this year when Marshal Sir Archibald P. Wavell's Indian forces launched their invasion toward Akyab.

In the wide theaters of the Pacific, however, American and Allied fliers continued to deliver devastating blows at a Japanese convoy off New Guinea, at Japanese bases in the Solomons and at the Aleutian base of Kiska.

MacArthur's communique today said that air reconnaissance showed a "growing concentration of enemy transports and cargo ships" in the area of Ambona and Dobo, 600 and 800 miles northwest of Darwin.

MacArthur's airmen meanwhile were having more difficulty in disposing a convoy of five merchant ships and three destroyers approaching Wewak, 230 miles northeast of Lae, New Guinea, than they did in wiping out a 23-ship convoy two weeks ago.

Four-motored bombers, flying 800 miles from their bases, had attacked in murky moonlight, however, and apparently sunk two of the five merchant ships and severely hit another merchant ship and one of the three destroyers.

Delayed dispatches from the North Pacific disclosed that the assault by Liberator and Mitchell bombers on Kiska on March 10 was the heaviest yet made on that Japanese-held outpost in the Aleutians.

Army officers hailed the attack as the beginning of a powerful summer offensive against Kiska.

The British said the Japanese had been reinforced in the Akyab area, but told of strong aerial attacks on the railroad yards at Mandalay.

American fliers from India hit a new peak in their aerial assault by a heavy-bomber attack on the 2,800-foot Goteik railway viaduct between Mandalay and Lashio, beginning of the Burma Road, where they scored direct hits on the tall steel supports.

Two of the big bombers were lost, however, the first losses of this type in Burma since Nov. 28.

The Americans also smashed at the Moumein docks and the Pazundaung bridge near Rangoon.

Court To Review Murder Convictions

WASHINGTON, March 15 (AP)—Taking unusual action, the supreme court agreed today to review the conviction of Louis (Lepke) Buchalter, Emanuel Weiss and Louis Capone, alleged members of "Murder, Inc.," on a charge of slaying Joseph Rosen, a Brooklyn storekeeper.

The trio are under sentence to die at Sing Sing prison.

A review was denied by the tribunal on February 15 and today it granted a petition for rehearing.

This means that the high tribunal will hear oral arguments on the case and then will deliver a formal opinion.



From Ford Plant—Manually operated, high muzzle velocity guns on these new M-10 tank destroyers (top) point skyward as their mounts roll off production lines at Ford Ordnance plant in the Detroit area.

The M-10, tested on the Ford grounds (bottom) has been stripped of many of the engineering refinements found on the 32-ton M-4 tank which it succeeded on the production line. It supplements, but does not replace M-4 for combat purposes.

Allred Case Debated By Committee

WASHINGTON, March 15 (AP)—The senate judiciary committee debated in closed session today the nomination of former Governor James V. Allred of Texas to the fifth circuit court of appeals, but postponed action at least until next Monday.

Allred's nomination by the president has been bitterly opposed by Louisiana Senators Elwood and Overton and Senator O'Daniel (D-Tex.).

O'Daniel defeated Allred in the senatorial election in Texas last year.

Charges have been made that Allred resigned from the federal district bench in Texas to enter the race against O'Daniel with the promise that should he be defeated he would be returned to a federal judgeship.

Allred denied these charges at a hearing before a judiciary subcommittee, when it considered the nomination.

Headed by Senator Hatch (D-NM), this group voted last Monday 5-1 to recommend Allred's nomination to the full committee.

The dissenting vote against confirmation was cast by Senator Ferguson (R-Mich.), who said he would continue his opposition before the full committee today.

Allred was named to a vacancy on the bench created by the death of Judge Rufus Foster of Louisiana. Confirmation will give Texas two posts on the court and Louisiana none.

Louisianians contend that state should have representation on the court because of its peculiar Napoleonic code of civil law.

Wallace To Tour Latin-America

WASHINGTON, March 15 (AP)—Vice-President Wallace disclosed today his get-acquainted tour of seven Latin American countries will take him away from the capital more than a month.

His itinerary starts at San Jose, Costa Rica, next Thursday and ends April 20 at Bogota, Colombia. He will also visit Panama, Chile, Bolivia, Peru and Ecuador, returning to the United States about April 25.

Wallace will be accompanied by Laurence Duggan, state department advisor on political relations, and Hector Lazo of the Board of Economic Warfare, which Wallace heads.

IN LONDON

CAIRO, March 15. (AP)—King George II of Greece and his prime minister, Emmanouel Tsouderos, have arrived here by plane from London. Reasons for the visit were not disclosed.

Bombers Hit At Nazis On Mareth Line

Bad Weather Halts Aerial Warfare On Other Fronts

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA, March 15 (AP)—U.S. Mitchell bombers raided Marshal Erwin Rommel's positions yesterday in a continuation of the aerial assault intended to soften the Mareth line for the British Eighth army's coming push although bad weather almost paralyzed the air war elsewhere in Tunisia.

Spitfires and Warhawks of the western desert air force escorted the Mitchell formations on their missions of destruction and the numerous sweeps independently without interception, military sources said.

Rommel holds ground in a semi-circle before Gen. Sir Bernard L. Montgomery's forward elements on the Medenine plains.

Allied and enemy patrols probed opposing positions.

RAF Spitfires defending Allied shipping off the Algerian coast caught a formation of eight Heinkel III torpedo bombers yesterday, shot down one and damaged several others without loss, it was announced.

Spitfires roving over the northern Tunisian front, where rain bogged ground forces, shot up two German trucks, a staff car and a motorcycle.

The limited activity suggested that both sides were concentrating on moving up supplies before changing the opening of another major engagement. With Allied heavy bombers grounded by the weather, axis convoys presumably stepped up traffic from Sicily to Tunisian ports.

(Perhaps referring to the Heinkel formation shot up by the Spitfires, the Italian high command communique broadcast from Rome and recorded by the Associated Press said axis torpedo planes operating off Bone hit a large merchant ship in a convoy.

(The communique, which also mentioned adverse weather in Tunisia, said anti-aircraft fire destroyed one Allied plane and German fighters shot down another over the Sicilian channel.)

Two enemy bombers were destroyed Saturday night. All the Allied air operations were carried out without loss.

Plane Crash At Corpus Kills Five

CORPUS CHRISTI, March 15. (AP)—Five men were killed in the crash of a twin-engine training plane Saturday 45 miles southwest of the naval air station here, authorities disclosed today.

The dead: Lieut. Richard Leroy Barber, 25, whose wife lives at Wellington, Ohio; Aviation Cadet John Blanchard, 23, of 20th St., Ray, Ariz.; Aviation Cadet Roy Edward Norman, 21, of East Bend, N. C.; Aviation Cadet Philip Smith, 23, Eugene, Ore., and Roderick Harrison Stafford, 20, ordnance man second class, Indianapolis.

Lieut. Barber was an instructor. This was the most serious crash here since training operations began at the naval air station.

The fundamentals course will be given by these teams during the next two weeks to representatives of institutions sponsoring or who would like to sponsor Boy Scout troops. Specialized courses for leaders will follow.

There will be a group of Boy Scouts on hand Tuesday evening to serve as a color guard, to lead in the pledge of allegiance and to give an investiture demonstration.

A motion picture, "Scout Training for Citizenship," will be projected, said Norris. The meeting will be in charge of P. D. O'Brien, chairman of leadership training in the Big Spring district, and Bill Tate, institutional training director.

Planes Damaged In New Raid On Kiska

WASHINGTON, March 15 (AP)—American planes strafing the Japanese at Kiska in the Aleutians damaged several grounded enemy airplanes while in the South Pacific other fliers in an attack near Rendova Island destroyed a small Japanese vessel, the navy reported today.

Swiss frontier residents for the past three days have heard the sounds of sporadic firing. Lyon lies in the Rhone river valley southwest of the Parisians' rendezvous, the Haute Savoie region.

The Geneva newspaper La Suisse said Axis occupation authorities had threatened to send German and Italian troops into the Haute Savoie mountains unless the Frenchmen in concealment there, already sought by Vichy's mobile guards, surrendered.

Italian troops already have cut wire communications from the

Kharkov Appears Doomed; Heavy Fighting Goes On



Hit Land Mine—A British soldier-driver lies wounded in the wreckage of his supply truck after it ran over and exploded a land mine left by Axis troops in North Africa.

The possession of Kharkov, possible jumping-off place for a third great German summer offensive in a last desperate effort to crush Russia, was in doubt today as the nazis announced its recapture and Russian dispatches indicated the Red army was waging a battle against great odds to hold that bastion of the Ukraine.

Not conceding the loss of the big steel city which they captured Feb. 16, or even admitting fighting within the city itself, the Russians nevertheless admitted today that their lines had been progressively forced back in the "Kharkov area" in the fact of hundreds of tanks and overwhelmingly superior German numbers.

Military sources in London speculated that Russian forces which have been threatening German-held Orel from the south might be forced to withdraw and straighten their front to save themselves from being cut off as a result of German successes at Kharkov. "It looks as though Kharkov is gone," these sources conceded.

Today's broadcast German communique said that Russian losses at Kharkov were "yet to be surveyed," and that Soviet counterattacks west of Belgorod had collapsed with heavy losses, including the destruction of 44 Red tanks. Soviet attacks in the central sector and in the Staraya Russia area also were declared to have been repelled and 64 Russian planes were claimed down in yesterday's fighting.

"During the day and night Red army men of one unit repulsed incessant Hitlerite attacks," the mid-day communique from Moscow announced. It reported the destruction of 14 enemy tanks and 600 enemy soldiers in hand-to-hand fighting in one small sector.

Claiming a sort of vindication for Adolf Hitler's Waffen SS—combat units of the Nazi party's elite guard—the German high command in a special communique last night announced the recapture of the city held by the Germans from Oct. 1941, until last February and gave the entire credit for the immediate operation to the SS and the German air force.

The Soviet drive west and south of Vyazma was reported progressing at full speed as the Red army captured several dozen more settlements in the last 12 hours, disclosing the Germans from hurriedly erected fortified positions around the towns.

The fall of Semlevo railway station, 14 miles west of Vyazma on the Vyazma-Smolensk line, was announced in the mid-day communique.

The troops under Lieut. General Gorodov and V. S. Polenov which stormed Vyazma were said to be smashing forward to the west and south of the city in the face of numerous German counterattacks.

A dispatch to Pravda said the Germans were employing airplanes and tanks in these counterattacks in an effort to halt the Soviet advance in this sector.

Northwest of Vyazma on the western bank of the upper Dnieper Soviet infantry captured several fortified towns.

The assaults were preceded by heavy shelling by Red army artillery, which is sticking closely to the advancing frontlines.

KILGORE MAN DIES

KILGORE, March 15 (AP)—John Neal Peterson, 54, lifelong resident of Kilgore, oil man and philanthropist, died today. The funeral will be held tomorrow. Business houses here will close in his memory.

Eden was a dinner guest of the President and Mrs. Roosevelt at the White House last night and stayed on to see a movie depicting the British 8th army's victory over the Axis armies in battling all the way from Egypt to Tripoli.

The film was sent to the president by Prime Minister Winston Churchill, and Presidential Secretary Stephen Early said Mr. Roosevelt was very much impressed by it. At points, it showed American-made General Sherman tanks in action.

600 Workers Quit In Unauthorized Move

CANTON, O., March 15. (AP)—A walkout by 600 first shift employees tied up operations today in the Timken Roller Bearing Co.'s Gambia plant, a company spokesman reported.

Pinas Reynolds, president of the CIO United Steelworkers union which was unauthorized and that any CIO members participating would be expelled from the union.

Reynolds and the company spokesman, who declined to be quoted by name, said they were informed the men were protesting promotion of 27 negro workers.

Further Russian Withdrawals May Be Necessary

Assistant To Giraud Quits; Was Pro-Vichy

ALGIERS, March 15 (AP)—Rellie's sources said Gen. Jean Marie Bergeret, a member of the Gen. Henri Giraud's war committee who has been heavily criticized as pro-Vichy, handed in his resignation today and it was accepted.

Bergeret, who had been Giraud's assistant commander in chief, was regarded by some as one of the hazards in negotiations for unity of French North African forces and the Fighting French of Gen. Charles De Gaulle.

He formerly served as chief of Vichy's air force.

The developments came on the heels of a speech yesterday by the high commissioner in which he declared he planned to clean out the last vestiges of Vichy in North Africa, "both in measure and men."

ALGIERS, March 15 (AP)—Gen. Henri Giraud, after offering to meet Gen. Charles De Gaulle half-way in a union that "must be effected" among all anti-Axis Frenchmen fighting for a rebirth of the French republic, today drafted a series of decrees repudiating the last vestiges of Vichy influence in North and West Africa.

In a Casablanca conference afterwards, the civil and military commander-in-chief also disclosed that he was waging a striking force of 300,000 men equipped with American weapons and solemnly promised the people of his conquered homeland that "their sacred rights to choose a provisional government themselves will be fully safeguarded."

LONDON, March 15 (AP)—General Charles De Gaulle, leader of the Fighting French, expressed general satisfaction today over General Henri Giraud's speech of yesterday and reaffirmed his desire to study a means of achieving unity with the Algiers administration.

Another Cold Wave Sighted

By The Associated Press

Hope, spring is not here yet. The balmy weather prevailing throughout most of the state this morning, it appears, was just an interlude between cold waves.

The Dallas weather bureau warned: West Texas—Cold wave in the Panhandle and South Plains. East Texas—Warm weather and possibly showers will be followed by a cold wave and hard freeze in the northwest portion Tuesday.

The bureau suggested that live stock be protected.

County Scheduled To Get Additional Soybean Meal

Fight against a high protein feed shortage in Howard county was being waged with more success Monday with more success

Monday with more success that the Big Spring Cotton Oil Co. and the chamber of commerce had 100 tons of soybean meal in sight.

The product was loaned through W. A. Logan of the Commodity Credit Corp at Dallas, and does not conflict with USDA War Board allotments for the county.

M. E. Allen, superintendent of the cotton oil company which serves as distributor for the soybean meal, said that shipment was promised for early April with possibility of some being shipped late in March.

One car—the second allotted Howard county by the state war board—was received here during the weekend for distribution, and a third car has been allocated for

local distribution. Thus, receipts and that in sight brings the total soybean tonnage for the county to 190, enough to offer substantial temporary relief.

Allen said that the mill here had virtually exhausted its cotton seed supply and would finish its crush this week. All contracts will be filled, he added.

Pleased at location of the extra supply of high protein feed, J. M. Greene, chamber of commerce manager, said that efforts would be continued to secure a supply adequate to prevent "low daily rations over critical periods. It was estimated that 600 or more tons would be required to do this. Allen felt that a car a week (300 tons) might suffice until next autumn when the cotton harvest starts again.

French Unrest Grows: Nazis Search Houses For Holdouts

BERN, Switzerland, March 15. (AP)—German troops started a house-to-house search in Lyon today for French youths resisting labor conscription as the internal situation of France grew more serious hourly, the Tribune De Geneve said.

An Axis ultimatum to several thousand heavily armed young Frenchmen in mountain hideouts along the southern shore of Lake Geneva was reported by the newspaper to have expired at noon but no further definite advices were received.

St. Gingham area along the eastern end of the lake, the dispatch said, and the guerrillas now are said to be isolated from the rest of France.

The Italian army has set up a headquarters in the St. Gingham region and mobile guards in trucks, automobiles and motorcycles range through the district with machineguns. More than 1000 French mobile guards, too, have been hunting the youths, but La Suisse said the impression prevailed that the French guards had "no enthusiasm" for the job.

Large Group Of Soldiers Visit The USO Center

Members of the Trinity Baptist church and X.Y.Z. club served as hostesses at the U.S.O. Sunday when approximately 285 boys visited the center during the day. Sandwiches, doughnuts and coffee were served during the afternoon and those representing the Trinity Baptist church were Mrs. R. C. King, Mrs. James Currie, Mrs. H. L. Williams, Mrs. J. H. Lemona, Mrs. Lee Burrus, Mrs. W. J. Barnes, Mrs. Clarence Todd, Mrs. A. H. Bugg, Mrs. J. H. Bennett and Mrs. N. L. Riggan.

X.Y.Z. representatives were Mrs. Doug Orms, Mrs. C. O. Nalley, Mrs. M. Walker, Miss Katherine Pratt served as desk hostesses from 6 to 9 o'clock.

Women of the First Presbyterian church will serve Sunday afternoon at the center.

Colorado Schools Will Continue Lunch Room

COLORADO CITY, March 15. — The school officials of Colorado City have decided to continue the operation of the WPA lunch room at the primary building throughout the present term. Although WPA money for salaries of lunch room workers was discontinued Feb. 27, the room is being successfully run with four women employed by the school.

Mrs. Ruth Moore is foreman, Mrs. Inez Dearen, Mrs. Claude Martin, and Mrs. Nancy Sanders, her assistants.

Commodities are being continued through the present school term to all lunch rooms kept running. The Colorado City schools have been without school lunch rooms for several years with the exception of the one begun under the WPA project in the primary building. More than 300 children in the first five grades are fed hot, nutritious lunches daily for a dime. Fifty children "without dime" children from underprivileged homes, are fed without charge.

Club women of the town donated the tables and chairs and more than 2000 cans of food were processed in the late summer at the community center for the project. The fruit and vegetables were donated by Mitchell county farmers, gathered by WPA boys, and canned by volunteer workers under supervision of the Nutrition committee of the Civilian Defense organization.

Odd Fellow School Merger Considered

DALLAS, March 15. (AP) — The state of the odd-fellow schools of the Texas Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows yesterday discussed plans for consolidating the school system there.

Miss Evelyn of DeWitt county heads the committee here for the annual meetings of the Texas Grand Lodge and the Rebekah Assembly. The home at Corsicana would continue to operate, under the plans being studied, but the children would attend public school instead of the home's school. Only 100 children are at the home now, compared with 400 at the peak.

Grand Master O. S. Beaman of Greenville said the home is caring for fewer children now because big families are no longer the rule. Texans are more prosperous and social security programs have furnished relief in many cases.

NEBBIO PAYS FINE

Fine and costs of \$125.00 were paid in county court Monday by Jeff Hood, negro, on charges of transporting liquor without a permit. Hood was apprehended Friday by inspectors for the Liquor Control Board.

It Isn't TABOO any more for girls to know these truths

Some girls take CARDUI as directed, three days before "their time" to help relieve periodic pain due only to functional causes. Others take it as a tonic to stimulate appetite and aid digestion by increasing the flow of gastric juices, thus helping build up strength for those demanding days to come. A 30-year record says CARDUI may help. Try it, won't you? (Adv.)

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Candlelight Ceremony Read For Martha Ehlmann & Lieut. Eul In The Bombardier Post Chapel

Before an altar decorated with ivy and lacy fern, and marked with floor baskets of calla lilies and salmon gladioli, Martha Ehlmann, daughter of Mrs. Mary Ehlmann and Lieut. John C. Eul, son of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Eul of Morris, Minn., were married Sunday afternoon in the post chapel at the Big Spring Bombardier School.

Cathedral tapers in chapel candelabra burned during the service which was read at 4:30 o'clock. Lighting the tapers were Lieut. D. M. Johnson and Lieut. Eddie McElhamon.

The Rev. George Julian, pastor of St. Thomas Catholic church, read the single ring ceremony.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her brother-in-law, George B. Pittman, wore a dress of bridal blue wool jersey. The suit was trimmed with lace jabot and her hat was of matching blue. She carried a white testament topped with an orchid and a shower of bridal ribbon.

For something borrowed, the bride carried a hand-made linen handkerchief belonging to Tommie McCrary and also wore a locket belonging to her mother which is 50 years old.

Tommie McCrary was her only attendant and dressed in a tan gabardine suit with matching accessories. Her corsage was gardenias. Lieut. Jim Freeman was the bridegroom's attendant.

Helen Duley was organist and Wanda McQuain sang "Ave Maria" and "O, Perfect Love" as the pre-nuptial solos. The traditional wedding marches were also played.

Reception

Following the ceremony a reception was held in the home of the bride's mother. The lace-laid table was centered with a spring bouquet. White tapers were on either side of the centerpiece.

The three-tiered white wedding cake was cut by the bride and bridegroom. Mrs. G. B. Pittman and Miss McQuain assisted with the serving.

The couple is at home at 211 West 18th street.

The bride was graduated from the Big Spring high school where she was a member of the Pep Squad, belonged to the National Honor Society and was also secretary-treasurer of the senior class.

Lieut. Eul was graduated from Morris high school and attended St. John's University. He is a bombardier instructor and stationed at the Big Spring Bombardier School.



... Sunday Bride ... (Photo by Bradshaw)

Downtown Stroller

Went out to the EHLMANN-EUL wedding at the post chapel Sunday and saw the knot-tied in proper style. MARTHA made a pretty bride in a powder blue jersey dress. At the reception, they made pictures of the bride party and MARTHA gave a demonstration of how she was shaking as she walked down the aisle. She was laughing about how even her flowers shook.

WANDA McQUAIN was soloist for the wedding and she really looked nice in a black suit with a pretty black spring hat. And when she looked nice in a black suit with a pretty black spring hat. And when she looked nice in a black suit with a pretty black spring hat.

Talked a moment with Mrs. CHARLES LOZANO and she has a bad cold which she claims she caught while visiting in Louisiana. Had to come back to West Texas to get rid of it, and that sounds like a Chamber of Commerce advertisement.

The Enlisted Men are scheduled to have a dance come Saturday night out at the post, according to ELOUISE HALEY of the Special Services department. The post orchestra is going to play and there will be a floor show too. The party is informal, gals.

It was a pretty wedding for MARGIE HUDSON and DIXON KIRK, as everybody said who attended. And Mrs. T. J. DUNLAP, who was matron of honor, said she got more excited over MARGIE's wedding than she did over her own. The couple, by the way, left today for a wedding trip to Houston, Galveston and Dallas.

Clothes-Buying Spree Continues Over The Nation

KANSAS CITY, March 15 (UP) — The farmer's daughter took a deep breath — and father's suddenly-bubbling billfold — and went to town.

She bought the dress she's always dreamed about but never could afford. And father went along to buy the best suit he's ever owned.

"If you'll add thousands of war workers, all doing the same, you'll have a true picture of the clothing situation, agreed wholesalers and buyers at a midwest market showing.

It's a little difficult, Henry Mostman, Beatrice, Neb., buyer mildly pointed out, to get an automobile or a refrigerator or a radio, or build a house — and many people suddenly are making enough money to buy the clothes they've always dreamed of."

Buyers from Missouri, Kansas and Nebraska reported they were selling more clothing in towns which actually have lost population — towns which depend almost entirely on farm lands.

A few coat and lingerie companies cancelled shipments they've already sold all they can produce up to June 1.

The seasons are getting a bit mixed, too.

Miss Genevieve Clutter, Wichita buyer, said her customers have been asking for quality suits and dresses for next winter.

Bridge Luncheon To Be Held At Officer's Club

Officer's wives will be entertained with the regular bridge luncheon in the Officers' club at the Big Spring Bombardier School Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Joe Robnett, vice president of the organization, in charge of the entertainment.

The luncheon will be held at 1 o'clock and all members are invited to attend.

Eastern Star Officer To Speak At The Lodge Meeting Tuesday Night

Mrs. Beulah Betsy Hoback of Lamesa, who is deputy grand matron of the Eastern Star lodge will speak to members of the local lodge Tuesday evening at the Masonic hall.

The meeting is scheduled for 7:30 o'clock, and all members are urged to attend. A special invitation is extended to visitors.

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Make It LAST! Your Bed Linen

By GLAUS DEGENER AP Features Writer

Bed linens may seem far removed from the war effort, but like all other household goods, they must be guarded against unnecessary wear and tear.



Proper care of sheets begins with care of your bedsteads. Rough or splintered wood, broken parts and snapped or frayed springs can cause many a tear. These should be repaired to prevent the linen from getting caught.

Don't be a yanker. Jerking the sheets off the bed is hard on them. Carefully loosen the tucked-in edges before you remove the sheets.

You can lengthen the life of sheets by reversing them, just like you do the mattress. If the broad hems are at the head today, place them at the foot tomorrow. Also rotate their use by putting the fresh sheets at the bottom of the stack each time you finish the laundry.

Sheets and pillowcases were not meant to be laundry bags. Using them as such is about the fastest way there is to wear, tear and wreck them.

Changing the bed linens at least once a week and washing them just as regularly is important. Soap and water combat the effects of perspiration and soil, but be sure you rinse out all the soap. Left in, it deteriorates the threads. In ironing, do not use too hot an iron and alternate between folding sheets in half and in thirds so that the same place will not always be creased.

Mend torn or worn sheets before washing. When the center of a sheet becomes thin, tear it in half and sew the selvage edges together to give it a new lease on life.

Women Of E. Fourth To Be Entertained At Brotherhood Meet

The brotherhood of the East Fourth Baptist church is entertaining the women of the church with a St. Patrick's Day dinner this evening in the church basement.

The entertainment starts at 8 o'clock and all women of the church are invited to attend.

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CALENDAR

TUESDAY
CHURCH OF CHRIST will have Bible study at the church 2:30 o'clock.
BAPW CLUB will meet at the Settles hotel, 7:30 o'clock.
EASTERN STAR meets at the Masonic hall 7:30 o'clock.
PARISH COUNCIL will meet at St. Thomas rectory at 8 o'clock.
REBEKAH LODGE meets at the IOOF Lodge at 7:30 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY
FIREMEN LADIES meet at the WOW Hall 8 o'clock.
MOTHER SINGERS will meet at the First Methodist Church at 2 o'clock.

THURSDAY
V.F.W. AUXILIARY will entertain with a covered dish supper at the lodge hall, 8th and Gollad for members of the post at 7:30 o'clock.
G.L.A. meets at the W.O.W. Hall at 8 o'clock.
EAST WARD will have a P-T.A. meeting at the school 2:30 o'clock.

FRIDAY
TRAINMEN LADIES will meet at the WOW Hall, 2:30 o'clock.

SATURDAY
COUNTRY CLUB MEMBERS will be entertained with an informal dance at the club house, 9:30 o'clock.

ST. MARY'S TO HAVE SPECIAL LENTEN SERVICES

St. Mary's Episcopal church will have special Lenten services on Tuesday and Thursday of every week until Easter. The services on Tuesday will be at 10 a. m. and will consist of holy communion and addresses on the book "Which Way Ahead?" by Dr. Walter R. Bowie.

The services on Thursday will be at 8 p. m. and will consist of prayers and talks on "The History of the American Episcopal Church." These services will be led by the pastor, the Rev. R. J. Snel.

Sugar Stamp 11 Expires Tonight

Stamp No. 11 in War Ration Book One, good for three pounds of sugar, will expire at midnight Monday night and stamp No. 12 will then go into effect.

WHY BE FAT? It's Easy To Reduce

You can see why people and keep a more slender, graceful figure. It's easy to reduce with this VIKES E. You don't diet and you don't starve. You don't lose weight, you just lose fat. You don't lose your hair, you just lose the extra pounds. You don't lose your energy, you just lose the extra pounds. You don't lose your appetite, you just lose the extra pounds. You don't lose your health, you just lose the extra pounds. You don't lose your life, you just lose the extra pounds. You don't lose your love, you just lose the extra pounds. You don't lose your happiness, you just lose the extra pounds. You don't lose your peace of mind, you just lose the extra pounds. You don't lose your self-respect, you just lose the extra pounds. You don't lose your dignity, you just lose the extra pounds. You don't lose your honor, you just lose the extra pounds. You don't lose your integrity, you just lose the extra pounds. You don't lose your character, you just lose the extra pounds. 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PRESENTING EACH WEEK NEWS ABOUT LIVE PROGRESSIVE FIRMS AND INDIVIDUALS OF BIG SPRING

B'Spring Firm Stocked With Pipe, Casing

The Big Spring Iron and Metal company, located at 1501 West Third street, is well stocked at present with pipe for many purposes including water wells and oil field casings. I. Wiener, operator, advised.

In addition, the company has a large stock of structural steel and building pipe, which of course is used material. Wiener said, but which will fill the bill for building purposes.

This firm of varied service, in addition to its pipe business, is also a scrap metal collector for Uncle Sam and as such is doing much to keep the mills going in their work of forging implements of war.

At one time, the company estimated that some 600 tons a month or 20 cars of scrap metal cleared



The 77 Fleet—These five cabs make up the fleet that serves transportation needs through the 77 Cab company, a firm that has been operating in Big Spring under the supervision of Odie Moore since 1935. Moore has 12 employees, all busily engaged in the work of providing transportation in a time when private cars are limited and busy people are more than ever in need of quick and dependable cab service. All the 77 drivers operate under special licenses and strive to make safety, promptness and courtesy their watchword. (Kelsey Photo).

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108 1/2 E. 3rd Phone 1710

Make Minor Adjustments, Tighten Screws

Watch out for loose screws in your electric appliances or other conditions that need prompt attention. A screwdriver and a pair of pliers are handy articles to have around so you can make simple adjustments and repairs on many of your appliances.

TEXAS ELECTRIC SERVICE COMPANY
C. S. BLOMFIELD, Manager

Time To Think Of Flowers For Easter, Mother's Day

With two flower sending days soon to come, Easter Sunday on April 25 and Mother's Day on May 9, it isn't too early even now to begin placing your orders at Estah's Florist Shop for your choice of flowers.

Estah's located at 1701 Scurry, is owned and managed by Mrs. Estah Williams, and is known throughout this area as a dependable florist shop that specializes in the best in floral decorations. For Mother's Day, Estah's sug-

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gests pot plants such as hydrangeas, or anemones and for corsages, gardenias and mixed flowers. For Easter Sunday, Estah's recommends Easter lilies and spring corsages.

Cut flowers for discriminating customers are always in demand and the shop always carries gladioli, carnations, roses and lilies along with many other varieties.

For the amateur gardener, Estah's reminds that it will soon be time to put out bedding plants and the shop has on hand such flowers as verbena, lantana and pansies.

The shop delivers twice a day, under ODT regulations, and will take orders for flowers by phone at 340. If you desire an unusual sort of flower or arrangement, the shop asks that you give them a few days time to make the orders and they will provide you with whatever type of flower you most desire.

VINEYARD NURSERY

Now is the time to plant all types of Fruit Trees, Pecan Trees, Evergreens and Decorative Shrubbery. We have complete stocks at present but many items will be difficult to replace so see us at once for your needs.
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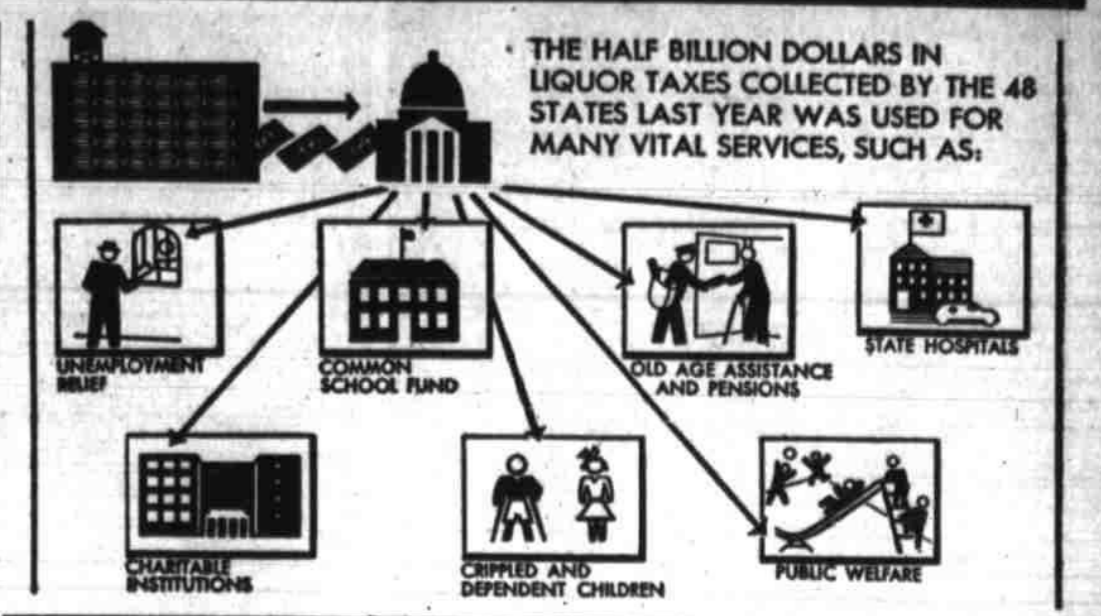
The wartime food situation being what it is, successful raising of poultry and vegetables is more important than ever this year, not only for the farm family, but for the town people who have only a small plot to cultivate or to fence in.

And success with gardening and poultry depends largely upon the start, it is pointed out by J. B. Stevenson, operator of the Western Grain and Seed company in the Co-op Gin building on North Second street. Western Grain and Seed is headquarters for Burrus Texo feeds, a quality line that in-

cludes a specific type of feed for every need. Stevenson has on hand feeds for both chickens and turkeys, including chick starter, turkey starter, turkey bread and lay mash, chicken laying mash, chicken scratch and growing mash. All these Texo feeds are scientifically balanced in tested rations to accomplish the desired results with poultry. There is a featured all-in-one developing mash, too, which is proving highly effective, Stevenson said.

Western Grain and Seed also stocks a good supply of poultry remedies, essential items to the maintenance of a healthy flock. There are special chick tablets as disinfectant in drinking water to prevent spread of disease, worm powder and roost paint. Stevenson recommends use of these remedies as an economical preventive against poultry loss.

In other feed lines, Western



Grain and Seed is able to supply hog raisers with a mineral supplement feed. Stevenson said that in this item and in the poultry feeds he has been able to get a sufficient supply, although he, like other feed men, has difficulty in meeting demands in protein feeds.

It's gardening time, and for the season, Western Grain and Seed also is stocking a complete line of seed of great variety. For those rationed items, Stevenson has certificate forms which may be filled in for approval by the ration board; and on other seeds he has a good supply to enable the gardener to get his full share for spring planting.

Stevenson invites the public to call at his place on North Second street to confer on any problem of poultry feeding and on garden planting. "We have the feed and seed that will help assure success in the important job of 'Raising your own food,'" he said.

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JEFFERSON MEMORIAL— This is a plaster model of a statue of Thomas Jefferson by Sculptor Rudolph Evans (seated, foreground) which will be cast after the war and placed in the new Thomas Jefferson memorial at Washington. A workman puts finishing touches on the model.



MESSAGE AT SEA— International code flags are hoisted by a Coast Guardsman aboard a cutter somewhere at sea to communicate with other vessels of a foreign-bound merchant convoy. Use of the radio is barred because of the submarine menace.



WAACS 'SNAP' THEIR CHIEF—After inspecting units in San Francisco, Col. Ovelia Culp Hobby, director of the WAACS, poses for snapshots by admirers in the ranks.



ARMY DOGHOUSE— Mike, rookie "Dog for Defense," sits atop his crate for shipment to training center.



CHAMPION— Sal "Toots" Mirabito, Syracuse heavyweight, has won 28 bouts as a collegiate slugger.



BEARDED SUB-BUSTERS— These U. S. sub crew members grew these beards during a long undersea patrol.



LEADER— Maj. Peter D. Clainos (above) is commander of U. S. Army's first all-Greek unit now in training.



DARK HORSE WINS— Glenn Masten, (left) dark horse from Colgate, dethrones Yale's Roy Schwartzkopf (right) to win the LC 4-A, two-mile title at New York. Richard K. Phillips of Tufts (center) was second.



U. S. TROOPS CHARGE AT SENED—U. S. infantrymen charge up a hill leading to the Nazi outpost at Sened, Tunisia, starting a battle lasting from Jan. 21 to Feb. 2.



SEARCHLIGHT BARRAGE— Searchlights and tracer bullets of anti-aircraft guns probe the sky above Casablanca during a two-hour raid by Nazi bombers.



PARATROOPER— Col. Edson D. Raff (above) of New York led U. S. paratroop forces in the Tunisia invasion.



TID-BIT FOR PIGEON—Although it looks as if J. Harrison is ready to bite into his neck, this pigeon is really feeding from Harrison's mouth. He feeds the pigeons daily in City Hall Park, New York City.



THESE HEELS WON'T CLICK AGAIN—These Nazis were killed in action on the Russian front, says the caption of this picture from March of Time's "One Day of War."



WELCOME—March of Time's "One Day of War" says these Red soldiers have just retaken a Russian village.



PAST FLAMES INTO BATTLE—Russian troops rush past a burning building into battle against the Nazis. This picture is from March of Time's "One Day of War."

Old Story Of Holdouts Repeated As Baseballers Start Training

Yankees Have A Quota Of Absentees

NEW YORK, March 15 (AP)—Major league baseball officially opens its spring training season today with at least 17 members of its sparse roster classified as holdouts.

The New York Yankees who, until last fall's world series, made it a practice to be out in front in virtually all departments set the pace here, too, with four unsigned batters— even though Pletcher Ernie Bonham said on the "week" coast that the terms offered were agreeable.

Ten of the 16 American and National league clubs start their seasonal grind today with the Yankees shedding their excess poundage at Asbury Park, N. J., a player automatically becomes a holdout when his club begins its drills and he may not play this summer. In addition, the Dodgers have three full-fledged holdouts in Pitches Rube Melton and Buck Newsom and Catcher Mickey Owen.

The Yankees' conquerors in the last world series, the St. Louis Cardinals, unpack their bags in Cairo, Ill., with only Harry Walker, reserve outfielder, unsigned. Walker's brother, Dixie of the Brooklyn Dodgers, also has indicated that he may not play this summer. In addition, the Dodgers have three full-fledged holdouts in Pitches Rube Melton and Buck Newsom and Catcher Mickey Owen.

The Brooklyn club is getting in shape at Bear Mountain, N. Y., half-way between New York City and the U. S. military academy. The St. Louis Browns, drilling at Cape Girardeau, Mo., have no holdouts while the Cleveland Indians, starting their conditioning on the campus of Purdue university, have only Jeff Heath, outfielder, outside the fold.

The New York Giants, working out on what once was the private golf course of John D. Rockefeller at Lakewood, N. J., were unable to sign Veteran Dick Bartel before the practices got under way. In addition, First Baseman Johnny Mize and Catcher Hank Danning remained at their homes awaiting induction orders.

Jerry Priddy and Mickey Vernon, third baseman and first sacker, are squabbling over their salaries while the Washington Senators work out at College Park, Md. Catcher Dixie Parsons is at odds with the Detroit Tigers, who begin training at Evansville, Ind., and Gerald Walker, an outfielder, objects to the cut given him by the Cincinnati Reds, training at Indiana university.

The Phils, whose new owner is pitching their training camp at Hershey, Pa., have two definite holdouts in Pitcher Johnny Allen and First Baseman Eddie Murphy and have no word from Ed Levy, another first sacker.

Virtually all the six remaining clubs who haven't started work list some dissatisfied players but they can not be termed holdouts until they fail to report to the camps.

Fire At First Base Greeted The Dodgers

BEAR MOUNTAIN, N. Y., March 15 (AP)—You knew it would happen and that when it did it would involve the Brooklyn Dodgers.

When the early arrivals at the Dodger spring training camp arrived yesterday they found the caretaker building a huge log fire over first base to take the frost out of the ground.

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35,000-Mile Saving Is Made In New American League Schedule

CHICAGO, March 15 (AP)—The 1943 American league baseball schedule, listing three rather than four trips around the circuit for a saving of 35,338 actual rail miles, is released today.

The season will open with the traditional game in the nation's capital on April 30. Philadelphia will meet the Washington Senators. The next day all teams will be in action—Chicago at St. Louis, Detroit at Cleveland, Boston at Philadelphia, and Washington at New York.

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Washington Joins The Line Up Of Cage Champions

NEW YORK, March 15 (AP)—The University of Washington defeated Southern California in straight games for the Pacific Coast conference basketball titles and completed the east of chancellors for the two remaining cage tournaments. Washington won, 55-51 and 53-45, over the weekend.

The Huskies also won the eighth district nomination in the NCAA layout with their league titles and will carry the honors of the far west at Kansas City next week in the playoffs against Oklahoma, Texas and Wyoming.

The eastern playoffs, scheduled for Madison Square Garden, list Dartmouth, New York University, Georgetown, and DePaul as contestants. Winners of the two meets tangle in the Garden March 30 for the national crown.

Creighton, Missouri Valley king, mixes with Washington & Jefferson in a first round game of the national invitational meet here Thursday with Manhattan taking on Toledo in the other half of the draw, starting their conditioning on the campus of Purdue university, have only Jeff Heath, outfielder, outside the fold.

Cape Girardeau, Mo., Teachers defeated Maryville, Mo., Teachers, 24 to 22, at Kansas City Saturday night for the national intercollegiate championship which Hamline University of St. Paul won a year ago.

Heavy Loss In Forest Fires

COLLEGE STATION, March 15 (AP)—Forest fire losses in the Texas commercial timber belt through March 10 were placed at 180,519 acres burned and more than 75,000,000 pine seedlings destroyed, the Texas forest service, A. & M. College said today.

The area burned was compared to a strip of timber one-quarter of a mile wide extending from El Paso to New Orleans. A considerable amount of merchantable timber has also been burned and many miles of fences burned out, said W. E. White, director of the Texas forest service, who termed this as one of the "worst fire seasons in 25 years."

The fires have occurred on privately-owned timberlands in 21 counties. The estimated loss of 75,000,000 pine seedlings and small reproduction represents a loss of from five to ten years growth. To plant one acre of land requires one thousand nursery-grown seedlings, costing approximately \$5, of which \$2 is the cost of the trees and \$3 the labor charge. In replanting the seedlings destroyed by fire since January the total costs would run to about \$75,000.

"Nature will do the job, in most cases, but it will mean at least five to ten years to wait and sometimes longer, depending on the severity of the fire."

The complete fire report since the first of the year is as follows: January—448 fires, and 28,441 acres burned; February—1,323 fires and 132,878 acres burned; March 1 to 10—287 fires and 18,000 acres burned.

A total of 1,068 fires have occurred since the first of the year, equal to an average of 29 a day. The average acres burned per day was 2,650. The size of the average fire has been 82 acres.

EX-LEGISLATOR DIES

CORICIANA, March 15 (AP)—Rufus Hardy, 88, former representative from the sixth district of Texas, died at his home here Saturday after a long illness.

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Champ Teams Of Future In Swartz Plan

ANNAPOLIS, Md., March 15 (AP)—The wrestling team which won the naval academy's first eastern intercollegiate grappling title Saturday at Philadelphia may be the start of a string of "self-perpetuating" championship squads, if plans of Coach Ray Swartz work out.

The crafty alumnus of Oklahoma A. and M., where championship wrestlers and teams are almost as common as oil wells, has a couple of new slants on this coaching business which he hopes will end right now—in the Middle's favor, of course—the cycle of fortune every coach knows and worries over.

The bogey cycle is that of having a good team one year, losing most or all of it and then having to work diligently several years before coming up with another hot one.

Swartz hopes he has the answer to that on at least two counts. In the first place, Swartz had each member of this year's titular array teach a plebe who showed promise every trick he had learned.

Secondly, Swartz had pictures made of this year's powerhouse team in actual competition. Those pictures will be used again and again in practice sessions to show how champions do it and to illustrate what mistakes even they made.

But for the moment, the Middle coach is not worrying about next year. He is floating—and with good reason—over a team that went undefeated through seven tough dual meets and then carted off five out of eight individual trophies in the eastern intercollegiate.

ROOF MAN DIES

DALLAS, March 15 (AP)—William Hayes Wray, for thirty years treasurer of the Old Fellows Home at Corsicana, died Saturday night after a long illness. He was 74. Wray was a past president of the Texas Retail Merchants association.

When the call went out for players in early October, Harwood found several top-notchers on hand. Among those present were Art Coulter, former captain and defenseman of the New York Rangers, and Johnny Mariniello, another rough and tumble NHL defenseman who had played with the Chicago Black Hawks before enlisting.

Still another expert back liner on hand was Manny Cotlow, for several seasons a standout in the American Association, having played with Fort Worth and Dallas.

Their goal tender was Herb (Hub) Nelson, a veteran of 12 years in the pro ranks. Hub, who stayed with the Minneapolis Millers and St. Louis Flyers in the A.A., steadfastly maintains that this is his 20th year in organized hockey he played as an amateur pro with the "Millers in 1931. He is 36 years old.

There were several others including Charlie Pitt, a center, who pitched for Elmira in the Pony League, a forward who played in League, before signing his shipping papers; Joe Kueker, a forward who played in the Michigan-Ontario League; Eddie Barry, from the Boston Olympics of the NHL, and Bob Pitt from the Buffalo Bisons of the pro American League, as well as a host of others.

Almost entirely native in its make-up the Cutters have only four Canadian waivers on its roster—which is the largest in the league. The four from the Dominion are Coulter, Walt Danielson, Milt Dunsmore, and Gilray, who hails from an Alberta town with the picturesque name, Medicine Hat.

In early January, another Soo City product, Furch (Muzz) Murray, joined the team, and his presence has been an important factor, for as alternate goal tender he has made it possible for Nelson to have more rest.

At any rate, the precedent now firmly established, it may be that service teams in other sports may find the way to become part of a regular league. Whether they are former pro amateurs, these players in the service go "all out" to win, and they receive no special privileges—for all must put in their full time, and engage in sports during their liberty hours.

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After weeks of public appearances, speech-making and general merry-go-round riding in his best bib and tucker, he sat down with his old pals at a small private party the boxing writers gave him—just the kind of a "shindig I wanted, where I could take my hair down and cut up touches with the fellows I know."

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There was some argument about this. The writers pointed out that he had killed 22 Japs one night last November while standing by and protecting three wounded Marine buddies.

"Yes," he explained, "but I feel so insignificant, because I'm only one of the many thousands who have done as much—in fact, most of them have done a whole lot more than I have."

"People make heroes," he went on. "Don't forget one thing—every man who's able to hold and fire a rifle is a hero. There are no cowards out there."

The only formality about the party was a presentation to Ross by Publisher Nat Fleischer, of the Ring magazine merit award for 1942. This, along with the Edward J. Neil memorial trophy the Boxing Writers association presented him previously, just about clinched the little corporal's rating as "boxing's man of the year."

'Winged Commando' Class Graduating

LUBBOCK, March 15 (AP)—Thirteen Texans are in the latest class of winged commandos who graduate at South Plains Army Flying School today.

The men will be appointed flight officers.

Those getting wings in this class include Aubrey Lee Thompson of Vernon, Thomas M. Brown, Jr., of Ranger, Jackson P. Dunlap of Nolan, William R. Bryant of Beaumont, Arthur P. Collins of Bay City, Lem C. Green of Belton and Alton T. Smith of Mineola.

Recent discoveries have increased the magnification of microscopes from 3,000 to more than 200,000 times.

Fort Warren Team Shines In Natl. AAU Tournament

Corporal Rolls Up A Total Of 41 Points

DENVER, March 14 (AP)—There's a question in the air about slighthood of one player in the national A.A.U. basketball tournament, but there's no question whatever about the shooting ability of another.

A rumor that Sgt. Rivlin, captain of the Fort Warren, Wyo., all stars, had played professional basketball in Akron, Ohio, reached A. A. U. officials as the service team was crushing Denver capitol life 55-36 on the tourney's opening program last night.

At the same time, little Corporal Ben Schall of the Fort Warren team was piling up a total of 41 points, seven short of the tournament individual scoring record of 48 set by Larry Tjebren of Denver university three years ago.

In other first round games yesterday, the Poudre Valley Creamery of Fort Collins, Colo., defeated the Colorado Springs, Colo., army air base 52-36, and the Colorado Springs, Colo., Martin Jewellers knocked out the Greeley, Colo., Lions club 47-38, and the Butte, Mont., Boosters beat the Colorado Springs Y. M. C. A., 47-38.

Dow Chemical of Midland, Mich., beat Denver American Beauty 39-33.

The last of the first round games—Howard Payne college of Brownwood, Texas, vs. Piedmont college of Demarest, Ga.—was scheduled today.

One first round contest went to the Norman, Okla., naval station by default when its opponent, the Fort Wayne, Ind., Eagles reported they were unable to make the trip to Denver.

Denver American Legion, the defending champion, gets into action tonight against the First Congregational Christian church of Springfield, Ohio, and the Wichita Cassa. Aircraft forces Honda, Texas, army air navigation tonight. Other seeded teams run out on the floor tomorrow.

Tuesday's schedule includes: Alameda, Calif. Coast Guard vs. Norman, Okla. Naval Air Station. Wyoming university vs. Winner Howard Payne-Piedmont game today.

Marbleville, Okla., Phillips Oilers vs. St. Louis Universal Auto Body.

Texas Sports Briefs—Former High School Foes Meet In S'West Conference Mile Event

HOUSTON, March 15 (AP)—In May of 1941 a couple of youngsters ran in different heats of the mile at the Texas interscholastic league track and field meet.

Each won his heat but Jerry Thompson of Woodrow Wilson (Dallas) had the best time with 4:35.3. Bob Porter of McKinney, who had won the other heat, was placed second.

This spring will find the same two battling each other over the four hard laps of the mile. This time they'll be scrapping for the Southwest conference championship—Thompson competing for Texas and Porter for Rice.

And it's going to be quite a joust.

Sailors Are Tops In Weight Lifting

CHICAGO, March 15 (AP)—Uncle Sam's sailors demonstrated their weight lifting talent here yesterday and wound up carrying off the Central A. A. U. tournament title.

Five sailors placed in the six events. Three of the tars represented Navy pier of Chicago, which won team honors with two firsts and a third place, good for 11 points. Folkman Health club of Cleveland was second with 10 points and Milwaukee's Bar Bell club was third with eight.

Efforts Made To Prevent Execution

LAKE CHARLES, La., March 15 (AP)—James Finson Burks, 27, scheduled to die in the state's electric chair here today, was given an eight-day reprieve by Gov. Sam Jones Saturday while efforts were being made in court to prevent his death.

Burks' counsel contends that the pardon board which rejected his plea for communication to a life sentence was illegally constituted in that Attorney General Eugene Stanley was represented by an assistant.

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5. Your War Bond money will help keep prices down. There are already fewer things to buy. And, as the President said, "If people with plenty of cash start bidding against each other for scarce goods, the price goes UP!" Put your money in War Bonds—and help keep prices down!



6. Some day this war will be over! Then—there will be plenty of things you want to buy. Your money will go farther. And if you've bought War Bonds, you'll have the money to get more of all the things you can't buy today!



7. The best way to buy Bonds? Through the Payroll Savings Plan! It's a safe, sure automatic way to make you save regularly—to help you accumulate the money for a comfortable, independent old age, for putting a child through college, for traveling, for buying a home or a farm.

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- You protect your own financial future, as every \$10.75 you invest in a War Bond brings you back \$25 in 10 years. You make the world's safest investment, by buying a share in the world's most powerful country.



8. If you are already putting 10 percent of your pay into War Bonds, through the Payroll Savings Plan, boost that 10 percent if you possibly can. If you're working in a place where the Plan is installed, but haven't signed up yet, do so tomorrow!



9. If you're working in a plant where the Plan has not been installed, talk to your employer and see if it can't be installed right away. The local bank will help. If, for any reason, you're unable to get on a Payroll Savings Plan, the bank will help you start one of your own.



10. The time is NOW! The President has said: "Lost ground can always be regained. Lost time—never!" Your Government needs the money for ships and planes and guns—now! See your employer today and sell him on your 10 percent or more put into War Bonds every pay day.

Editorial -- Republicans Smart About Ruml Plan

The republican leadership in the house, in planning to oppose the ways and means committee version of the pay-as-you-go income tax plan, takes the stand best explained by their leader, Joseph W. Martin, who said:

"Unless everybody in the country is going to pay more than one year's taxes in one year, we can't possibly get current under the plan proposed by the house ways and means committee."

The bill brought out by the committee scraps the heart of the Ruml plan—the proposal to cancel last year's taxes as a necessary step in collecting this year's taxes from this year's earnings—and refuses to forgive anybody so much as a dime. In plain terms that means everybody who wishes to get current in paying his income tax as he goes would have to either pay off last year's tax in toto and submit to a deduction of 20 percent from this year's pay while doing so, or simply stay on the old system of paying a year behind. Very few individuals could pay two year's taxes in one, and very few business enterprises could do so without going bankrupt. For millions of wage earners the committee bill would offer no relief.

Ruml proposed to wipe out last year's taxes entirely. The argument is that the treasury would not lose anything, since it would have the money coming in weekly and monthly throughout the year,

Capital Comment Every Day Is Pay Day For Federal Workers

By GEORGE STIMPSON
Herald Washington Correspondent.

Lend-lease operations causing shortage in this country of "frivolous" red beans . . . Some people act as if they think we should ask Nazis and Japs for armistice till get our income taxes paid . . . Many here taking seriously Nazi threats to bomb Washington . . . Jesse Jones's Defense Plant Corporation makes contract with Refining company at Taylor, Texas, for plant facilities costing around a million, operated by Taylor Refining company, title stays with government . . . Congressman O. C. Fisher, of San Angelo, advises Autrey Walker, of Del Rio, U.S. signal given on U.S.O. application to get priorities for remodeling and furnishing U.S.O. center for benefit of Army air field there.

Whether Jimmie Allred will be confirmed by senate for federal judgeship still tops up, with odds slightly in Jimmie's favor. . . . Washington would get along better with war if it would think more of next generation, less of next election. . . . Federal employees in Washington get paid twice a month, but pay day is staggered, every day pay day for some . . . Congressman Ed Gossett, of Dallas, resigns from District of Columbia house committee, which in effect is Washington's city council; Ed says doesn't have enough time to give proper attention . . . WPB Chairman Don Nelson appoints J. A. R. Moseley, of Dallas, a director of Smaller War Plants Corporation . . . Five of the 130 merchant ships playing into service during February were built by Houston Shipbuilding corporation.

More and more unrationed girls' play shoes seen on Washington streets . . . Seems like gaily colored bows, big, little and intermediate taking place of hats; see a lot of girls here wearing 'em perched on above sea level; pumps used in many federal buildings to keep basements from flooding . . . Smart boys here now think Gov. John W. Bricker of Ohio best yet for Republican nomination for proxy in '44 . . . Owner hasn't called yet for that set of upper false teeth left in Jesse Jones's commerce building; wonder how he makes out with eating, must have Wright set . . . Congressman Wright says here now think R.F.C. has done much toward helping small business of different types, puts Jesse Jones's statement on subject in Congressional Record.

Solemn and salty Hutton Summers, of Dallas, Secretary of Capitol Hill, interrupts Walter Ploesser, Missouri Republican, with question: "Are we to understand that these persons charged with the responsibility of planning a post-war economy seem to be engaged in planning how they can get their preconceived notions adopted by this country after the war?" Exactly, replies Ploesser. "We understand that these boards are not searching for the economic needs of our country and for things that the people need to have done for which they can be paid," says Summers. "Are they devoting themselves to that sort of search?"

Hollywood Sights and Sounds— Bands Have Halted Their Tours For The Duration

By ROBBIN COONS
HOLLYWOOD—All but incurable jitterbugs will doubtless be able to bear up, but the touring name bands' one-night stands seem to be on ice for the duration.

On ice, or in Hollywood, and more frequently the latter.

Tommy Dorsey and gang, before coming here to make "Girl Crazy," played to 68,000 fans in 28 one-nighters, during which tour musicians had one evening off.

They intended to spend it in Salt Lake City, but passed most of it in Ogden, waiting five hours for a train. Once they traveled 689 miles in a 1931 truck, and once the 21 band boys and their instruments were packed into a 14-passenger bus for a long hop. So Dorsey has ruled out one-night stands.

Johnny "Best" Davis is back minus his band. He's in "Sarong Girl" with Ann Corio, playing an orchestra leader. He found the band business more lucrative than pictures, but he's given up—couldn't keep 15 men together, what with the draft, and the transportation problem was too tough.

Harry James, in "Best Foot Forward," was playing a one-night stand in Syracuse, N. Y., last year shortly after Pearl Harbor. During the evening the army took over the bus they were using, together with other means of transportation. James and his boys had a three-day wait in Syracuse, missing three other engagements, and they haven't tried any tours since that experience.

Kay Kyser ("Right About Face") generally is able to charter a bus to take his gang to service centers to put on shows, and he isn't trying any other tours.

Food as well as transportation complicates the business. Kay and his boys, returning from the east some time ago, went without food for 27 hours. Soldiers and sailors are fed first on trains, and the other passengers take not luck—if any. On this trip, after the 27-hour fast, they learned that the sound principle of work or fight becomes as haphazard as a lottery and as dangerous as a choice between two unlabeled bottles in a medicine chest . . . Curtis E. Calder, former Dallas utilities executive, resigns from WPB, recently shifted from director of operations to assistant to Vice Chairman Charles E. Wilson, may go with Navy department.

Washington Daybook Civil Air Patrol Is Due A Lot Of Credit

By JACK STINNETT
WASHINGTON—Slowly, through the screen of censorship, the story of the Coastal Patrol of the story of the Coastal Patrol of to sift out and some of the credit due is finally accruing to these flying minutemen.

Rep. Hutton W. Summers, of Texas, recently wrote into the Congressional Record the most detailed survey of the CAP that has yet been made public. The army, never reluctant to allow the CAP to tell about its land activities, is finally lifting the curtain a little on the Coastal Patrol.

It has been made public recently that some Coastal Patrol planes for months have been carrying bombs and are equipped with "jimdandy" bombights that only cost 20 cents, but are deadly accurate to 3,000 feet. The story has come out that the Coastal Patrol no longer thinks anything of flying 40 to 50 miles to sea. And there we pause.

Fifty miles at sea means much more than that from the home port and possibly even hundreds of miles from an emergency landing field. Yet the CAP flies mostly single-motored planes which a conk-out at sea means sudden death.

According to published reports, only seven patrol pilots have been reported "missing on mission"—a small price when it is considered that they have saved hundreds of lives by spotting survivors of sunken ships, and perhaps saved thousands more by spotting subs and reporting them to sub-chasers and destroyers.

To what extent the Coastal Patrol is responsible for driving subs away from these inshore lanes probably will never be known, but that they were the first effective patrol in the air in this war has been admitted. In the early days of last year, there were no navy blimps to speak of and both army and navy planes were badly needed elsewhere. The flying minutemen took off in that breach.

What kind of persons are these CAP pilots and ground crews? They are salesmen, clerks, doctors, bankers and housewives. They are Hollywood stars and members of congress. Jose Iturbi, the pianist, is in the CAP. So is Governor Bricker, of Ohio.

These men and women work for expense money and many of them haven't always bothered to collect that, even when it had to do with repairs. Some have bought their own radios, tools and even flying instruments. There are more than 20,000 pilots registered now; another 20,000 (some of them as young as 16, in training) and 20,000 more who make up the ground crews, office help, guards, first aid staff, etc.

The CAP is said to be the idea of Gen. H. H. Arnold, chief of Army Air Forces. Its national commander is Maj. Earle L. Johnson. Both have reason to be proud of the page the CAP is sky-writing in this war's air staff.

Isolation Island

By JOHN C. FLEMING and LOIS EBY

Chapter 8

Although it was the Morrison's custom to have demitasse and brandy served in the parlor when the nights were warm and clear, Landa had whispered urgently to Maria before the party left the dining room to serve tonight in the living room. She knew Don and his father would be in the rose garden and if their angry words came back to the papaya buyers and Jim it would mean only further embarrassment for them all.

The party had been in the living room sipping their coffee and chatting for what seemed to Landa an interminable age when she glanced up to see Don's figure in the doorway. He hesitated for an instant, the flickering candlelight showing the whiteness of his face, and then made his way across the room and sank into a chair. There was a sudden hush in the conversation as all eyes turned to him. He attempted a brief smile.

"I'm dreadfully sorry about all this, but the padre is old and nervous you know." His tone was not less unconvincing.

McCullough came quickly to the rescue.

"I think I'm the one who should be making the apologies, old chap. I should have had better sense than to argue with the old gentleman when he isn't feeling himself."

Landa found herself listening intently for the heavy step of O'Shanessy on the tile floor of the parlor outside.

"He's coming back for his coffee!" she said anxiously to Don. "I think he'll be back later." Don's face flushed as he said the words. "His favorite horse, Shamrock, has been running a temperature and he's gone to the stables to see how he's getting along."

Landa then tried hopefully to swing the conversation to something to anything but papaya.

"Uncle Mike's quite a horse fancier, you know."

"Fine horses are a luxury I've always dreamed about," Jim Blair said hopefully. "I spent two years in the cavalry when I was a kid but haven't had much chance to ride the last few years."

"Daddy loved horses, too," Landa said dreamily. "I can remember when I was a little girl he had a horse named Silver Glow, a pure white Arabian, and he and Uncle Mike used to race them on the beach every Sunday morning. It was such a thrill to see them to be his old carefree self again."

"And the natives bet their most valuable trinkets on the winner, remember?" he laughed. "Father taught them the art. He felt betting made the occasion more genuine."

McCullough moved uneasily in his chair and set his brandy glass on a table beside him. "Fardon me, Mr. O'Shanessy, for changing the subject," he said, "but to get back to this papaya proposition, it's rather urgent right now for Brown, here, and myself to get as many growers under contract as we can, and I was just wondering if we couldn't get this

thing fixed up somehow in the morning. We would like to get on to Santos Diego by noon tomorrow."

A cold misery settled over Don's face, but his voice came sharp and brittle.

"You and Senor Brown are welcome here on our island as long as you wish to stay as our guests, but I think you might as well consider the subject of buying our papayas closed forever," he said.

Landa whirled on him, hurt and astonished.

"Don!" she cried. "But I thought you felt as I do! Why shouldn't we sell these gentlemen as much of our papaya as they care to buy?"

"It is my padre's wish," Don said with a tone of finality.

Angry indignation rose slowly in Landa. "Well, it isn't mine," she said sharply. "And I own half the island."

Jim Blair got to his feet.

"If I may be excused," he said pleasantly. "I think I'll turn in. This getting up with the sun makes the bed look very inviting about nine o'clock."

Brown and McCullough took the

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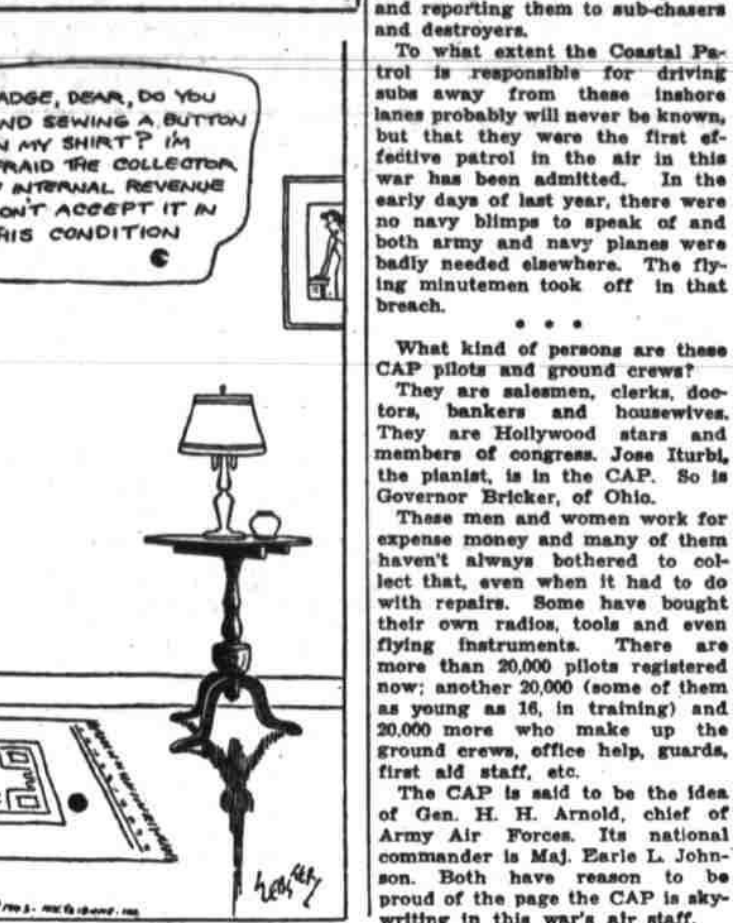
Answers Ploesser: "These boards are devoting themselves to establishing in this country a system whereby the government will run the business of the nation." When that happens, we have the same kind of economy that Hitler runs in Germany. That, thinks Summers, is pretty serious statement.

"If these people have already arrived at a conclusion as to what the plans are going to be that they will recommend to those in responsibility after the war, I cannot see any reason for hiring them or paying them any more; that is, if they have arrived at their conclusions. What are they doing with their time?" "Dreaming, I should say," answers back Ploesser. "I thought they had already dreamed," puts in Summers dryly.

Agriculture department changes Mexican fruitfully quarantine regulations by extending from April 30 to May 31 harvesting season for oranges and grapefruit in Brooks, Cameron, Hidalgo and Wilcox counties provided sterilization by approved methods be required in risk of spread of fly . . . Had coffee in Capitol cafeteria with Francis Le May, chief of Associated Press's staff on house side and by-line boy, native Alabamian, started newspaper work Atlanta, in Washington several years, had sodding acquaintance with him then, five years head of A.P. at Montgomery, now back in Washington, covering tax bill, one of biggest headaches on Capitol Hill these days, almost day and night, Ruml plan, withholding tax, pay-as-you-go, like "Off Agin, On Agin, Gone Agin, Flannigan" . . . Which reminds me, today got card from author of Finnigan to Finnigan poem, Stickland Gillman, mailed at Amarillo, been speaking there, "Strick" one of the best entertainers in America.

Why not toss tea-balls out of window for duration; wasteful, besides twine, cordage, burlap and such junk contributes nothing to taste of tea, provide neither vitamins nor good old-fashioned brew tea. In good old-fashioned way, make it go as far as possible in war time . . . "How can it be determined before the peanuts are grown and harvested that your peanut will be better than the southwestern peanut?" Lindley Beckwith, of Gladewater, asks Stephen Pace, Georgia's peanut expert . . . Without service and work records, says Lyndon Johnson of the Austin district, "the

The Timid Soul



Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS
1. Anything strong
2. Extent of a child
3. Pronoun
4. Mythical man-eating monster
5. Edible seed
6. Worthless
7. Biblical
8. Metal
9. The herb dill
10. Evidence
11. Girl
12. Measure of intervening space
13. Finish
14. Statistic
15. Cutting wit
16. Self
17. State justice

DOWN
18. Crawling animal
19. Title of a knight
20. Extent of a script
21. Insect
22. Not any
23. Guided
24. Kind of wine
25. Tropical
26. African hemp
27. Bowling score
28. Droop
29. Cheap apartment house
30. Market
31. Conjunction
32. Scent
33. Latin state
34. Congested
35. Brood of pheasants
36. Dr. D.
37. Thing: law

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle
1. Let it stand
2. Biblical garden
3. Down
4. Very thin sheet of metal
5. City in India
6. Type of puzzle
7. Strained
8. Small nail
9. Hindu queen
10. Playing cards
11. Tear into shreds
12. Pass, as time
13. Believed
14. Former ruler
15. Minus
16. Exchange
17. Genius of the cat
18. Singing voice
19. Goddess of Peace
20. Constrained
21. Taken in all
22. One of the ancient races
23. Measure of lead measure
24. Citrus fruits
25. English coasts
26. South American mountains
27. Prepare for printing
28. Tint
29. Waste allowance
30. Tint
31. Not cooked through
32. At that time

Blondie

SNIF SNIF

I'LL GET EDWARD A HANKERCHIEF

BLOW EDWARD—REAL HARD!

FZZZZ

LET'S DO IT AGAIN—THAT WAS FUN!

Barney & Snuffy

OH, MY POOR BACK!! TAKE THIS MONEY, VARD BIRD, AND GO FIND A BED OF YOUR OWN TO SLEEP IN TONIGHT!!

I'M DRETFUL SORRY I KICKED AN SQUIRMED TH' LIVELONG NIGHT, GEN'RL.

ST. GEORGE'S, BERMUDA

Patsy

THE TRACKS OF BARKY THE PIG LED STRAIGHT INTO THE DEEP WOODS, AND THERE WERE SIGNS OF A STRUGGLE WHERE THEY ENDED. AS PATSY AND PADDY CONSIDERED THIS, THE CUNNING FOX, WHO HAD BETRAYED BARKY TO THE WITCH, EMERGED FROM A THicket--

HMM-M YOU MAY HAVE READ IN MOTHER GOOSE OF TOM THE PIPER'S SON!

OH YES HE STOLE A PIG AND AWAY HE RAN!

—HE LIVES SOMEWHERE IN THIS WOOD!! IF YOU'D LIKE, I'LL HELP YOU FIND HIS COTTAGE!!

LET'S NOT! I'M AFRAID OF EVERYTHING IN THESE WOODS

BUT WE MUST BE BRAVE AND DO EVERYTHING WE CAN TO HELP POOR BARKY!

ANNIE ROONEY

GOOD MORNING, HONEY—ISN'T IT A LOVELY DAY? IT MAKES ONE HAPPY JUST TO KNOW ONE IS ALIVE

GLOEYOSKY! THAT'S THE WAY I FEEL, TOO—

I HOPE YOU WILL ALWAYS BE HAPPY, DEAR—THIS TIME LAST YEAR I WAS A LONELY, SAD-HEARTED, EMBITTERED OLD WOMAN—A PRISONER SURROUNDED BY A WALL OF MOURNFUL MEMORIES

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PAY ME? G'WAN, YOU'RE JUST FOOLIN'—I HAD NO PLACE TO LIVE—NOTHIN' TO EAT—THEN YOU LET ME AN ZERO LIFE HERE AN' TREATED US SWELL—AN' IF I WAS RICH I'D PAY YOU A MILLION DOLLARS—HONEST—

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Shrubs, Trees, Grass Showing Signs Of Spring

She's a wee bit late, but Spring is hurrying around the corner. After several false starts, there were unmistakable signs Monday that Mother Nature was on the verge of again covering her winter scantiness with verdant drapes. The dauntless lilac bush, once named the "official" flower for the city, has resumed its leafing after winter played a sudden return engagement for the forepart of March. Lilac time will not be far behind. Similarly, red buds are swelling and before the month is out they will have a fortnight of color splashing. Later than in years and years, the foolish Chinese elm is about to put out. Younger saplings are venturing with a little foliage while the older trees may resume their seeding before they go in extensively for issuance of cover. Having been stabled in the back with an icicle, fruit trees are beginning to gamble on the weather. Some took up blossoming last week where they left off around the first of March, and here and there the color was dingy in evidence of frozen buds. But those that come on out this week likely will be bright and have a better chance of making fruit. Grass is greening at the roots, and many a home-owner is fretting about rescue grass taking the lawn before he can get his Bermuda to come out. Early spring flowers are sprinkled about the range, but it will take a good rain to really bring out this painted picture. It's no cinch freezing weather won't return, for the mesquite and hackberry—old faithfuls among the tree prophets—show no sign of budding, but then they often are more conservative than a Vermont republican. Come what may, spring is upon us, for these are the days when mornings dawn beautifully and every south wind is eyed with suspicion for fear it will dance to the west and start throwing one of our West Texas sand rains at us.

Story

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ous and rose from their chairs. "I think that's an excellent suggestion, Blair," Brown said. "Mac here and I could do with a little extra sleep and maybe things will look differently to all of us in the morning."

Landa crossed the room and pulled a bell cord that tinkled faintly in the far reaches of the hacienda. Presently Maria appeared in the doorway with a lighted candle in her hand. "The gentlemen are leaving, Maria," Landa said. "After the three men had left the room Landa and Don sat for a long time without speaking. The distant roar of the pounding surf came in even cadence to fill the room. Finally Landa heard heavy footsteps on the patio floor and looked up to see Mike O'Shannassy coming in the door. The anger was gone from his face. He sat down heavily, facing the two. "I'm sorry if I embarrassed you in front of your friends tonight, Landa," he said. "My temper doesn't seem to improve with age like my Irish whiskey." He laughed briefly at his own humor, and then went on in a smoothly even voice. "It's just that I'm getting old and sentimental about this island of ours. You know this is hallowed ground to me. You children were raised here and my whole life is rooted like the trees to this soil."

The old man stopped and smiled faintly at the two. "There's so much for you to do here, Landa child," he went on. "Pleasant things I mean, like you used to. Painting the lovely fields and coves, going on with your music, being a good wife to my son. Business is nothing for a lovely girl to worry her head about. I'm sure if your father were here he would say the same as I. Let's not discuss this subject again. I'll speak to the buyers first thing in the morning."

Landa didn't speak, but small fires had kindled in her eyes and there was a certain gleam of defiance as her gaze went quickly from Don to his father and she rose to run from the room. To Be Continued.

School Students To Help In Planting

LURBOCK, March 15. (AP)—South plains rural schools are planning ahead to dismiss classes to help in planting crops. County school superintendents report rural schools are running six full days a week. This will enable them to complete terms by May 8, and the planting season doesn't start in full force until May 10.

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ROBIN, YOU'LL COOK THE USUAL BEEF VENISON, MUTTON, PHEASANT, TURKEY, SQUAB, GOOSE AND PIG KNUCKLES... AND HOLD THE GARLIC! THE QUEEN WILL PREPARE HER SPECIALTY, DELICIOUS NOODLE SOUP!

I COULD DIE EATING NOODLE SOUP... WHY DID I SAY THAT??

THAT'S ALL, ROBIN VERY GOOD, MAJESTY

PODDON, MAJESTY—BUT, ER—SOMEBODY TO SEE YOU—

HOWDY KING, I'M ZANI!

WHAT ARE YOU FOOLING AROUND THE CASTLE FOR?

MY BUSINESS—HAR, HAR! GET IT?

D I C K I E D A R E

SHE'S MINE!

SHE'S ALL--

--M--M--MIGOSH!

WHY!

-SUPERMAN!

MEAD'S fine BREAD

S U P E R M A N

BOB AND FRIDA HAVE BEEN SEALED WITHIN A CAVE, MEANWHILE AIDED BY EDDIE KINSLEY, SUPERMAN HAS TRACED THE HOME ADDRESS OF ONE OF THE THUGS WHO HAD KIDNAPPED THE GIRL.

HERE WE ARE—AT MALLORY'S HOME!

BUT IS HE IN?

I'M AFRAID NOT.

A CAR'S COMING, MAYBE WE OUGHT TO STEP INTO HIDE!

MR. MALLORY, I PRESUME?

YIPES!

-SUPERMAN!

S C O R C H Y S M I T E

LUSIA AND ARCHE HIDE WITH THE WOUNDED SCORCH IN THE ATTIC ABOVE TOTT'S OFFICE... THAT NIGHT THEY OVER-HEAR A QUARREL BETWEEN TOTT AND YOUNG CAPTAIN WOLF...

YES, IT WOULD BE MOST UNFORTUNATE IF THE GESTAPO WERE TO SEE MY PROOF THAT OUR YOUNG NAZI CAPTAIN WOLF HAD A JEWISH GRANDFATHER!

REMEMBER YOU CAME FROM THE GUTTER! ONLY FASCISM PUT YOU WHERE YOU ARE NOW! IF ANYTHING WERE TO HAPPEN TO ME, MY INFORMATION WOULD GO AT ONCE TO THE GESTAPO, AND BACK TO THE GUTTER YOU'D GO!

SO YOU SEE, IT'S VERY MUCH TO YOUR INTEREST TO SEE THAT MY LIFE IS WELL GUARDED!

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RECEIVES DPO
POYOTE, March 15. (AP)—Major Leland G. Fiegel, 28-year-old flying fortress pilot and one of the youngest regular army majors, received the Distinguished Flying Cross for an important military mission to Moscow in 1942.

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Spirit of West Point

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"Creepy" Drama From A Famed "Back Street" **BOWERY** at **MIDNIGHT**
BELA LUGOSI
JOHN ARCHER

Colorado Mayor, City Secretary Seek Re-election
COLORADO CITY, March 15.—Colorado City will elect a mayor, a city secretary, and three aldermen in a city election called for April 6. J. A. Sadler has announced for re-election as mayor. Sadler is serving his tenth year in office. Ford Merritt is a candidate for re-election as city secretary. No opponents have announced for the race. Clarence Hornberger, member of the city commission for the past six years who also stands for re-election, is the only alderman to file his intentions to date.

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Honor Roll At Forsan Listed

FORSAN, March 15.—Honor roll of Forsan students for the past six-week term has been announced, to include the following:
First grade—Robert Lee Robinson, Lela Mae Fletcher. Second—Bobby Leonard, Arlen White, Namie Fay Camp, Darlene Radloff, Betty Ruth Suvell, Etta Ruth Molder. Third—Gene Templeton, Donald Pryor, Charles Pryor, J. Tom McClintock.
Fourth—Phillip Russel, Betty Oglesby, Alfred Thieme, Mary Ann Huddleston, Jimmie Shoults, Nelson Lowe. Fifth—Johnita Griffith, Betty Jo Robinson, Thebert Camp, Charles Wash, Ray Whitley, Billie Sue Sewell. Sixth—Jerry Green, Mary Ruth Howard, Peggy Painter. Seventh—Bill Leonard.
Eighth—Vona Bell Grant, Haroldine West, Hoyt McClintock, Bobby Wash. Ninth—Dorothy Jean Geesett, Danabel McRae, Joyce Jean Sewell. Tenth—Virginia White, Doris Whitley, Lerna Thieme, Marjorie Oglesby, Robert Millikan. Eleventh—Joe Ross, Billy Blankenship, Wanda Nell Griffith, Betty Lamb. Twelfth—Mary Ellen Butler, Ray Dunlap, Charlene Grissom, Opal Massey, Evelyn Monroey, Dan Oglesby, Bobby Jean Peak, Clodel Ragdale, Marian Russel.

Former Dawson Co. Judge Into OCS

LUBBOCK FLYING SCHOOL, March 15.—Former County Judge Vernon D. Adcock of Lamesa has left this twin-engine flying school for Fort Sill, Oklahoma, where he is to enter Field Artillery Officer Candidate School, upon graduation from the school he will be commissioned a second lieutenant.
He also received a promotion to corporal prior to leaving and at the LAFS was in the office of the Trial Judge Advocate. A school teacher, Cpl. Adcock had served as city attorney and one year and three months as a term as county judge prior to enlisting. A brother, D. L. resides in Lamesa. Cpl. and Mrs. Adcock have been residing in Lubbock.

Says Edicts Won't Solve The Problem Of Manpower

DALLAS, March 15. (AP)—The manpower situation in the United States will become very serious by summer but the problem must be solved by cooperation between management and labor, not by edicts, Frederick C. Crawford of the National Association of Manufacturers believes.
Crawford, on a tour of the south and southwest, said management, labor and government must pull together in the post-war period.
The industrialist declared war has accelerated the coming industry in the south by 30 years.
"Facts provide the perfect tie in between agriculture and industry and should play a big part in post-war industrialization of the south," he said. "If the south is alert it can have this industry, for raw materials are plentiful here."
Of the battle of production he said: "In two years this country, in spite of all the difficulties that had to be overcome, has whipped up a production that took Germany 10 years, Russia 20 and Japan 30 years to reach."
TWO UNDER BOND
Tom Everett and A. M. Everett, charged in county court Friday for aggravated assault, were released on \$500 bond each, according to Denver Dunn, deputy sheriff.

If you ever take a laxative, here are 3 Questions for YOU

Ques. How often should you take a laxative? Ans. Only when the familiar symptoms indicate you really need one. Ques. What kind of a laxative should you take? Ans. One that brings relief gently, thoroughly, promptly. Ques. What laxative usually will do this? Ans. One such laxative, when taken by directions, is Black-Draught, 25 to 40 doses, only 25c. Follow label directions. (Adv.)

Unusual Power Failure Results As Lines Broken

An unusual accident, the first of its kind ever experienced here by the Texas Electric Service company, caused a breakdown in distribution lines from 10:55 a. m. to 12:30 p. m. Monday.
The high T. & P. construction crane, used for laying rails, backed into the lines crossing from the power plant to the south side of town. The boom tore down the street lighting circuit, circuit No. 3 and part of circuit No. 2 besides damaging the T. & P. signal service.
When the wires short circuited, the surge was so great that it produced an electric arc in the power plant causing fuses to melt on some of the other switches. The damage to these other circuits made it impossible to close the circuit which could have served the same area affected by the railroad crane.
Men from both the power department and local distribution crews restored the service at 12:30 o'clock. According to Carl Blomsheld, district manager, this was the most unusual accident ever experienced here. In other times, a breakdown of one line causes an interruption of only a few minutes as other switches can be used to service the area. The breakdown of lines affected area from Fifth street to the railroad and in the north part of town.

Here 'n There

Members of the Texas Driver's License bureau Monday were sporting new uniforms of tan and brown. The uniforms, ordered so long ago that the men had decided they weren't going to get them, consist of a dark brown shirt and light tan trousers.
Tiny Ledbetter, who used to work here for the Empire Southern Service company, is here on a short visit and is now Lieut. Ledbetter. Lieut. Ledbetter is stationed at Camp Calhoun, La., but just being in this West Texas atmosphere is making him feel wonderful, he says.

Recreation Group Will Meet Tuesday

The War Recreation Council will meet at 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the chamber of commerce, with B. D. Dixon, FSA field representative. All chairmen of committees appointed when the USO center was just a temporary soldier-recreation hall are requested to be present.

COURT AT STANTON

Judge Cecil Collins and District Attorney Annette McDonald were in Stanton Monday to begin the March term of 70th District court for Martin county.

Weather Forecast

WEST TEXAS—Colder tonight except in Big Bend country and El Paso area, cold wave in Panhandle and South Plains tonight with temperature 1 to 20 in Panhandle, and 20 to 25 in South Plains, cold wave Tuesday and Tuesday night in Pecos valley and east of Pecos river with hard freeze, occasional snow flurries in Panhandle tonight. Protect livestock in cold wave warning area. Fresh to strong winds.
MIDLAND—Continued warm today; showers in north portion tonight with little temperature change elsewhere; cold wave and hard freeze in north-west portion Tuesday reaching extreme north-west portion tonight, and in north-east and southwest portions Tuesday and Tuesday night. Fresh to strong winds. Protect livestock.
TEMPERATURES
City—Max. Min.
Ablene 74 61
Amarillo 75 48
BIG SPRING 81 58
Chicago 59 45
Denver 66 50
El Paso 73 56
Fort Worth 73 63
Galveston 68 41
New York 56 41
St. Louis 76 54
Local sunset today 7:54 p. m. Sunrise Tuesday 7:55 a. m.

Stipp Being Transferred To Midland



Hubert C. Stipp, engineer for the oil and gas division of the Texas railroad commission, is being transferred to Midland to be division engineer in charge of the district at that point.

The move means the consolidation of the Big Spring office with that in Midland, and consequently the temporary closing of the office at this point.

Sam Goldman, chairman of the chamber of commerce oil and gas committee, said he had contacted Col. E. O. Thompson, railroad commissioner member, in Austin Monday morning and was satisfied that the move was necessitated by manpower shortage.
The district has lost all its petroleum engineers with the exception of Stipp, and the entire office force at the district office in Midland is inexperienced, Col. Thompson told Goldman. If and when the manpower situation is adjusted so that competent petroleum engineers are available, the Big Spring office will be reopened, the commissioner member indicated in his talks with Goldman.
Stipp has been stationed here as division engineer for the past nine years. He said Monday he intended to maintain his residence in Big Spring. The move is to take effect immediately.

Mitchell Test Is Running Seven-Inch

Cosden Petroleum Corp. & W. D. Casbolt No. 1 C. C. Thompson, wildcat in eastern Mitchell county, was shut down Monday to run seven inch string at 2,685 feet in lime and shale, six miles east of Colorado City, is 660 feet from the north and east lines of section 53-25, T&P.
A failure in the Ellenburger, lower Ordovician, at 5,486 feet, Ohio Oil Co. No. 1 L. T. Clark & Son, Sterling county wildcat nine miles west of Water Valley, C NE 38-6-A-GC&EP, plugged back to 2,860 feet to test slight oil shows near that horizon. Col-Tex No. 1 W. N. Reed and others, proposed 9,000-foot wildcat 15 miles northwest of Sterling City, C NW SW 8-30-W&NW, had drilled past 8,746 feet in black lime and shale.

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Out-Of-States Must Get Licenses

Highway patrolmen issued a warning Monday to all out of state motorists that they must re-register on licenses that have expired. Most of the out of state cars belonging to soldiers, the patrolmen said, and soldiers may register in their home state.
Others from out of state now living in Texas, must secure their new plates here when their old ones have expired. Most of the licenses will expire by April 1 and patrolmen will be on the lookout for violators of the license requirements.

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Foster Well Tests At 139 Barrels

Official gauge on the Ray Oil Co. No. 1-B Foster, third well in a new pool in extreme eastern Howard county, shows 139.5 barrels on a 24-hour run. H. C. Stipp, division engineer for the railroad commission, reported Monday.
The test, located 230 feet out of the northwest corner of section 42-28-7&P, topped pay at 2,640 and bottomed at 2,998. It was shot with 305 quarts. Oil-gas ratio is 300-1 and gravity is 32, about two points above that in the Iatan-East Howard pool.
Ray Oil Co. has skidded rig for its No. 1-B Read, a direct south offset to the discovery well. Location will be 330 feet from the north and east lines of section 45.

Officers 'Chute To Safety As Plane Crashes, Burns

Two occupants of a plane from the Big Spring Bomber School escaped with bruises as they took to their parachutes Monday morning, the post public relations office announced.
The plane, a DC-1, crashed and burned south of the city, shortly after 11 a. m. Officers who leaped were 2nd Lieut. Howard P. Goodson and 2nd Lieut. Arthur F. Puts.

18 Injured As Bus Overturns

JACKSON, Miss., March 15 (AP)—A passenger bus en route from Shreveport, La., turned over into a ditch near Clinton, Miss., last night injuring eighteen persons, ten of them soldiers.
The driver, H. M. Perkins of Mansfield, La., who was among the injured, told State Highway Safety Commissioner T. P. Brady the left front tire blew out and that the wheel got across a culvert safely before going into the ditch.
None of the injured was from Texas, Oklahoma or Arkansas.

Ration Office In Process Of Moving

Apparently notice that the ration board was to be closed Monday while it moved its offices from the second street office where only moving men and office personnel assisting the moving were on hand. Monday morning personnel in the courthouse were besieged with callers and calls.
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Cotton Insurance Deadline April 1

Only six farmers have applied at the AAA office so far for their 1943 cotton insurance, the office reported today, and reminded farmers that the deadline for receiving the insurance is April 1.
Last year some 219 farmers secured the insurance but this year, according to the AAA office, apparently universally higher rates have kept the number of applications down. However, it is expected that a number of farmers will wait until the last few days to secure their insurance.

Air Field Officers Given Promotions

Public relations office of the Big Spring Bomber School announced today the promotion of five officers from the rank of second lieutenant to first lieutenant.
The group includes Lieut. Walter Scott formerly of Bethany, Ill., who is in charge of officers personnel section; Lieut. Abraham Bloomberg of Brooklyn New York, who is assistant post exchange officer; Lieut. William H. Griffiths, a bombardier instructor, formerly of Pensacola, Fla.; Lieut. Andrew J. Hau, also a bombardier instructor, from Kane, Penn.; and Lieut. Franklyn R. Stocum, supply officer in the sub-depot.

Wins Promotion

Promotion of Peter J. Huggard from rank of second lieutenant to first lieutenant was announced Monday through the public relations office at the Big Spring Bomber School. A resident of Bay-side, N. Y., and a Fordham University student, Lieut. Huggard was a first group bombardier and received his commission April 30, 1942 and was assigned as bombardier instructor.

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Veteran Flier Dies In Crash

MONTREAL, March 15 (AP)—Capt. Clarence (Duke) Schiller, internationally known veteran aviator who was a combat pilot in World War I and a RAF ferry command flier in the current conflict, was killed yesterday in a crash night landing at Bermuda, it was announced today.
The first announcement contained few other details.
Some other members of his crew were killed, it was stated, and possibly one man was injured.
Schiller was widely known in the United States. He was a former pilot for Gar Wood of Detroit and engaged in commercial flying projects in the middle west and Florida at times after World War I.
In 1928, he rescued the fliers of the transatlantic plane "The Bremen" which crashed on the lonely Labrador Greeney Island on an east-west flight.

Farm Bills On Schedule

WASHINGTON, March 15 (AP)—Farm legislation comes to the fore in congress this week, three proposals dealing with agriculture being on the program outlined by House Majority Leader McCormack of Massachusetts.
Two of them deal largely with the Farm Security Administration, one of the house's favorite targets for criticism.
After action on bills to increase the pay of postal service employees and to authorize the sale of 100,000,000 bushels of government-held surplus wheat for feed, the house will tackle tomorrow an appropriation for a new farm labor program and resolution calling for an investigation of FSA.
The rest of the week's program in the house calls for disposition of legislation dealing with the deportation of alien seamen, continuance of a petroleum investigation started several years ago by the house interstate committee, and appropriations for war department civil functions.
The program makes no provision for consideration this week of the Kilday draft deferment bill, the Hobbs anti-racketeering bill, and a bill expected to be reported by the naval committee to curb absenteeism among war workers.

State Official To Inspect Schools

E. H. Boulter, deputy state supervisor of schools for this district, will be here Thursday morning to continue a visitation to the county schools, Walker, Bailey, county superintendent said Monday.
Boulter, who was here several weeks ago, visited a few of the schools with Bailey, but was unable to contact all schools due to a Victory Corps meeting in Dallas.
The schedule for the visits as planned by Bailey will be to Moore, Knott, Vesimoor, Gay Hill and Morgan schools on Thursday, Friday the deputy supervisor and Bailey will visit at Fairview and Center Point.

RAF Fighters Are Active Over Europe

LONDON, March 15. (AP)—RAF fighters sustained the burden of the Allied aerial offensive against Europe last night, the air ministry news service reported today, by attacking railway communications in occupied territory and in Germany.
These assaults, apparently limited in scope, followed a series of sweeps over the continent yesterday afternoon by British Spitfires and Whirlwind bombers, during which airfields at Abbeville and Maupertus—near Paris—were attacked.
Four RAF fighters were lost on the daylight raids and two enemy fighters were shot down, a communications said.
Four enemy trains—including one in Germany proper—were reported shot up in the overnight RAF fighter sweeps.

Axis Claims Allied Troop Ship Sunk

By The Associated Press
The Italian high command declared in a communique broadcast from Rome and recorded by the Associated Press today that the 23,500-ton liner Empress of Canada, laden with troops, had been sunk in the Atlantic by an Italian submarine.
There was no confirmation of this statement in Allied quarters.

Wall Street

NEW YORK, March 15 (AP)—Recently buoyant low-priced rail stocks fell sharply in today's market but assorted issues elsewhere managed to edge into new high ground for the year or longer.
Declines of major fractions to about 4 points were recorded for common and preferreds of New Haven, Frisco, Seaboard Air Line, St. Louis Southwestern and Rock Island. Santa Fe, Great Northern, Pepsi-Cola and Bell Aircraft went into the "new high" division. U. S. Steel, Bethlehem, Southern Pacific, Westinghouse and M-K-T slipped.
At Chicago wheat retreated 3-4 to 1-3 cents a bushel. Cotton, in late trade, was down 15 to 50 cents a bale.

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Man Returned On Car Theft Charge

Members of the sheriff's department were in Kermit today to return Billy H. McDonald here to face charges of car theft, according to A. K. Merrick, sheriff.
Charges were also filed in court Monday against Felix Dominguez and Ramon Alaris in connection with the burglary of the Jones Grocery store on North Gregg last week. Chewing tobacco, cigarettes and other articles were taken from the store.

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