



GERMANY'S SHRINKING DOMAIN—Black areas indicate territory held by Germany at the peak of the Wehrmacht's conquests but since lost. Shaded region is territory remaining under German control today. (AP Wirephoto Map).

Allies Menace Hanover, 142 Miles From Berlin

American Troops Said Scores Of Cities Moving On Ryukyu Island Fall To Troops

Clay To Rule In Occupied Germany

WASHINGTON, March 29 (AP)—Maj. Gen. Lucius D. Clay, who has been with the office of war mobilization and reconversion, was designated today to take charge of civil affairs in Germany when that country is occupied. President Roosevelt made the announcement. The appointment, the White House said, was by Gen. George C. Marshall, army chief of staff. Clay will be deputy to Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, the announcement asserted, "to have charge of civil affairs when General Eisenhower, as supreme commander, assumes control under the arrangement agreed upon for the occupation of Germany."

Okinawa Said Principal Aim Of New Yank Move

By LEONARD MILLIMAN
Associated Press War Editor
Japanese reported American transports were moving into the central Ryukyu chain today where unprecedently large U. S. naval forces, rounding out a week of air and ship bombardments, left no doubt they were preparing for another major invasion.

By JAMES M. LONG
PARIS, March 29 (AP)—British and American troops racing today through a wide break in German lines north of the Ruhr were reported menacing Hanover, 142 miles from Berlin, while First army shock troops raced to point 207 miles southwest of the capital. Duisberg in the Ruhr ran up the white flag. All of Frankfurt on the Main except the northern outskirts was captured by the Third army, whose advance troops operating in Echelon with the First army moved eastward to within 214 miles of Berlin. Hamburg, Weisbaden, Hanau, Aschaffenburg and the northern half of Mannheim fell to Gen. Eisenhower's victory-flushed armies fighting up to 145 miles deep in Germany. The full extent of the advances in Westphalia was hidden by a portentous security blackout, but AP Correspondent Ned Nordness said Muenster, Osnabrueck and Hannover all were threatened by the sweeping gains outflanking the Ruhr to the north. Several defensible rivers were crossed easily. Hannover is 112 miles from last publishable British positions on the approaches to Muenster, capital of Westphalia. The nearest First army approach to Berlin was at Amoenburg, 85 miles beyond the Rhine and 255 from Russian siege lines in the east. The First and Third armies scored advances of 20 miles or more overnight, capturing the important Lahn river traffic center of Marburg. The Seventh army, fighting 38 miles east of the Rhine on a solid front with the Third and First armies, virtually encircled the last defenders of Mannheim by crossing the Neckar river near that chemical center. The Seventh also crossed the Main south of Aschaffenburg at points east of Schweinheim and Niederrhein.

Reds Hammering At Pamhagen Defense

LONDON, March 29 (AP)—The Red army, lancing through the shattered defenses of the Bratislava gap in the Danube valley, has reached places along the Hrisg frontier, it was reported from Moscow today. The big Stalin tanks and armored cars of Marshal Feodor Tolbukhin's Third Ukrainian army, smashing ahead from captured Coorna, hammered at the defenses of Pamhagen, 39 miles southeast of Vienna, St. Johann on the frontier to the northeast and Moson (Wieselburg), near the Danube 21 miles southeast of Bratislava, Moscow dispatches said. "Whether the units which fought their way to the frontier planned to remain or whether these were scouting groups feeling out the strength of the much-heralded fortified zone is not known."

Leaders Postpone Manpower Vote

WASHINGTON, March 29 (AP)—Administration leaders decided informally today to postpone the final senate vote on the manpower bill until next week. Privately less optimistic about the prospect for senate acceptance, the administration forces sparred for time in an effort to persuade some of their absent senators to return to the capital. The administration appeared to have encountered "back row trouble." Some of the junior senators, whose seats are in the rear of the chamber, have balked at accepting the stringent terms of the bill, which provides jail penalties and fines for workers and employers who violate job directives.

Churchill Says "Success Near"

LONDON, March 29 (AP)—Prime Minister Churchill asserted today that the "hour of success" was near. His prediction came in a letter endorsing a liberal candidate for commons in a special election to fill a vacancy. "The endurance of the British people and the steadfast devotion of the fighting services have at last brought us near the hour of success," he wrote. "Let us now prepare to make sure for the sake of our country, our empire and civilization that we reap the due and just rewards of victory. That end will be served by maintaining unity of effort and of purpose."

Record Series Of Berlin Raids Ends

LONDON, March 29 (AP)—A record series of night raids on Berlin was broken at 36 straight last night as weather grounded the RAF's hard-hitting Mosquito bombers for the first time since February 20. During this period the Nazi capital was subjected to 45 attacks, including several nocturnal doubleheaders and four daylight raids by American heavy bombers.

Banking Committee Approves Extension Of Price Control

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Stevenson Will Not Call Session For Redistricting

AUSTIN, March 29 (AP)—Gov. Coke Stevenson said today he would not call a special session on the subject of redistricting, or for any other purpose. Asked if he planned to re-submit, or to push it otherwise, the governor said he would continue to work through individual members of the legislature. The house has killed one representative redistricting bill. Pending in the senate is a measure redistricting the state for senatorial representation. The house also has before it a proposed constitutional amendment providing for a board to re-district the state in case the legislature fails to follow the constitutional mandate. Stevenson said this amendment "might do the job."

Transactions Here Show Big Jump

Tempo of transactions is on the increase here during the first quarter of 1945, the file record of County Clerk Lee Porter showed Wednesday evening. At that time the register showed 984 instruments filed during the year against 883 the same date a year ago. It was likely that the 1,000 mark would be reached Friday, whereas in 1944 it was not reached until April 7. Last year leasing accounted for a generous portion of the total, this year real estate transactions, particularly urban property, have been the feature of the increased volume.

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First Lady Solution

WASHINGTON, March 29 (AP)—The food situation, currently one of Washington's biggest headaches, came up at Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt's news conference today and she made this comment: "If we would just eat the British ration for one month all our country we would be much more satisfied with what we have."

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Roosevelt Returns To Important Work

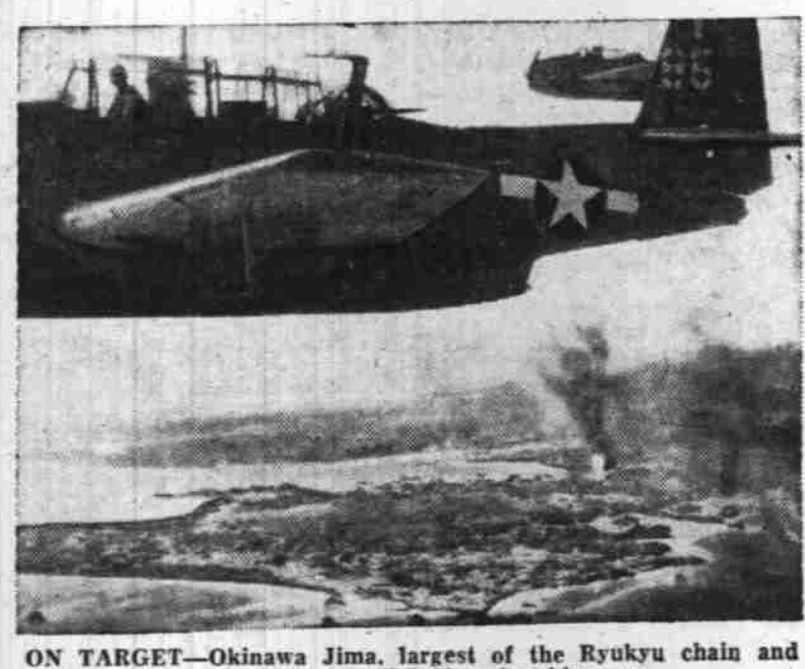
WASHINGTON, March 29 (AP)—President Roosevelt returned to the White House today from a four-day visit to his home at Hyde Park, N. Y., and began a series of important conferences. On his crowded schedule were: An engagement with Secretary of State Stettinius, presumably to talk over the forthcoming world security conference at San Francisco and the general trend of world affairs. A conference with the British ambassador, Lord Halifax, and Oliver Lyttleton and Col. J. J. Llewellyn, who are in the United States to study the food situation. Another with Senator Majority Leader Barkley and Chairman Thomas (D-Utah) of the senate military committee on manpower legislation.

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Eleven Hundred Prisoners Freed From Nazis Practically Starved

By LEWIS HAWKINS
HEPPENHEIM, Germany, March 27 (Delayed) (AP)—Eleven hundred emaciated prisoners, including 290 wounded Americans so badly treated by their Nazi captors that they had lost an average of 35 pounds in weight, were freed from a German prison camp when the U. S. Seventh army infantry captured this town today. Pathetically happy at their liberation, the men related how they had been subjected to filthy conditions and fed on a slow-starvation diet that made it virtually impossible for the wounded to recover and caused some to lose as much as 100 pounds in weight. An American lieutenant who, with a major, did all the surgical work for the American prisoners, said the average daily diet was about 700 calories, in contrast to the 3,500 to 4,000 calory allotment for wounded men in American military hospitals. He said repeated protests to the German commandant had met with the reply that the Nazis just couldn't get any more food for them. Meanwhile, the Germans ate potatoes and fed the prisoners a thin soup made from the peelings, the lieutenant added.



ON TARGET—Okinawa Jima, largest of the Ryukyu chain and vital enemy base, as seen on a U.S. Navy bombing run.

economic importance. The rolling southern, western and interior highlands are fertile and produce quantities of sugar, rice, tobacco, corn, wheat, sweet potatoes and other vegetables. Natives also raise cattle, goats, hogs, poultry and small horses. Northern Okinawa is high and bold, with pine trees and bamboo topping hills which rise to 1,500 feet. The climate is mild. The temperature seldom rises above 80 or falls lower than 50. However, monsoons are fairly frequent. Surrounded by coral reefs, with bay openings opposite the mouths of small streams, Okinawa has a number of good anchorages. Of the island's approximately 1,000,000 inhabitants, 66,000 live at Naha and 60,000 at Shuri three miles away. The people are related to the Japanese both in race and speech and live mostly in one-story stone houses or reed and thatch huts.

Social Calendar Of Events For Week

THURSDAY

RUTH CLASS OF THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH will meet at 8 p. m. at the church with Mrs. R. E. Lee in charge of arrangements.

Activities at the USO

THURSDAY
8:30 — Annual spring cotton formal; selection of Miss USO for 1945.
FRIDAY
7:30 — Sketch class; Sgt. Jim Butler in charge.
9:00 — Bingo; three-minute free telephone call home with Credit Women's Breakfast club as hostess.
SATURDAY
7:00 — 9:00 — Cakes donated by Home Demonstration club.

Combat Casualties Since Pearl Harbor Near 900,000

WASHINGTON, March 29 (AP)—American combat casualties reported since Pearl Harbor neared the 900,000-mark today with the army setting its losses at 780,043. The latest navy report added 92,819 to the army total, making the aggregate 872,862. This was an increase of 13,275 from the preceding week's report.

Secretary of War Stimson said the army's total was based on a compilation of individual names received here through March 21, and reflected actual battlefield developments through the end of February and the beginning of March.

The breakdown on the army's casualties and corresponding figures for last week:

Killed, 153,792 and 150,310; wounded, 473,669 and 464,731; missing, 86,355 and 88,209; prisoners, 66,228 and 64,330. Of the wounded, 342,508 have returned to duty.

Similar figures for the navy: Killed, 35,750 and 35,342; wounded, 42,302 and 41,882; missing, 10,500 and 10,417; prisoners, 4,287 and 4,286.

Stimson also estimated Japanese casualties in the entire Philippine campaign at more than 300,000. He said that 172,983 of the enemy had been counted killed and that the remainder of the estimated losses represented the uncounted killed on land, losses at sea, those seriously wounded and the 2,500 Japanese who have been taken prisoner.

He gave no report on American casualties in the campaign.

A.A.U.W. Meeting In McGibbon Home

Members of the A. A. U. W. met in the home of Mrs. K. H. McGibbon Tuesday night to join in a discussion of "America's Obligation to Negro Citizens" with Mrs. J. B. Mull in charge. Parts were taken on the discussion by Mrs. R. W. Thompson, Mrs. H. A. Stegner and Doris Nesbit.

Mrs. W. E. Wright, president, presided at a short business session and those attending were Nell Brown, Doris Nesbit, Mrs. R. W. Thompson, Mrs. Charles Watson, Mrs. Tom Roberts, Mrs. Eugene McNallen, Mrs. A. A. Stegner, Mrs. Carl Blomsheld, Mrs. W. E. Wright, Mrs. J. B. Mull and the hostess, Mrs. McGibbon.

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Millie Balch Is Hostess To Club

Plans were made for the spring formal dance to be given by the High Heel Slipper club when it met in the home of Millie Balch Wednesday night. Committees were appointed by the president, Buriel Floyd, to arrange for the dance to be held in May.

Decoration committee includes Pat Cochran, Virginia Neill and Muriel, Floyd to arrange for the tee members are Evelyn Arnold, Evelyn Green and Millie Balch. Wilda Watts and Jean Murphy are in charge of securing music.

It was voted that the members meet in the home of Bobby and Evelyn Green for the hike and picnic which is to be Friday. Bobby Green, treasurer, announced that the club overalls will arrive Saturday. Members discussed attending the sunrise cantata to be staged at the amphitheatre Easter morning as a group.

During the social hour Muriel Floyd read a letter from the book "From a Bald-Headed Father to His Red-Headed Daughter." The meeting was closed as the members sang the club songs.

Refreshments were served buffet style from a white lace table centered with an arrangement of lilies on a reflector. Attending were Evelyn Arnold, Ann Blankenship, Jean Murphy, Muriel Floyd, Virginia Neill, Doris Jean Morehead, Gypsy Cooper, Bobby and Evelyn Green, Wilda Watts and the sponsor, Mrs. Jack Nail. The next meeting will be in the home of Ann Blankenship.

U.S.O. Spring Dance Tonight

Helen Duley, Miss U.S.O. of 1944, will crown the lucky girl who will be chosen Miss U.S.O. of 1945 by popular vote tonight at 8:30 at the spring cotton formal dance at the U.S.O. Cpl. Bill Mavromatis and his orchestra from the Big Spring Bombardier School will furnish music for the affair.

The decorations, carrying out the spring theme, have been arranged by the G.S.O. girls with Clarinda Sanders and Mrs. E. B. McCormick in charge. Deak hostesses will be members of the Modern Woman's Forum and members of the American Business Club will serve as snack bar hosts. Betty Williams will be in charge of registration.

Easter Egg Hunt For Brownie Troop

Mrs. J. E. Hogan entertained the Brownie troop 17 with an Easter egg hunt Tuesday afternoon at the Hogan ranch. Prizes for finding the most eggs were awarded to Joyce Ann Pritchett and June Gray.

Plastic whistles were given as favors and punch with cookies were served to Joyce Edwards, June Gray, Maxine Williams, Jane Hill, Beverly Ray Nichols, Nanette Farquhar, Sandra Trappell, Janice Nalley, Jane Watson, Judy Douglass, Frances Reagan, Glenna Coffee, Evelyn Beale, Peggy Hogan, Marilyn Mull, Nancy Smith, Joyce Ann Pritchett, Judy French, Janet Hogan, Mrs. George French and Mrs. W. R. McGinnis, leaders, Mrs. H. W. Smith, Mrs. J. B. Mull, Mrs. G. W. Hogan, Mrs. V. E. Ball and the hostess, Mrs. J. E. Hogan.

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In Your Easter Bonnet . . .

AP Newsfeatures

It's a serious business when a lady settles down to the problem of selecting her Easter bonnet. Here Susan Desfor, 4, of Jamaica, N. Y., tries on a few of Mummie's latest models until, with the aid of the Easter bunny, she finds a chapeau worthy to wear on parade.



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Feature At Ritz Changed Today

The current feature at the Ritz theatre is "Moon Over Las Vegas." Originally scheduled for the Thursday through Saturday run was "The Merry Monahans" but when this film failed to be delivered today the new bill was brought from the Lyric, where it was originally scheduled to show.

Replacing "Moon Over Las Vegas" at the Lyric will be "Dead or Alive," with Dave O'Brien and Tex Ritter. This western action picture will be featured today (Thursday) only.

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University Of Texas May Go On AAUP Books As One Of Censored Colleges

A P Special Washington Service WASHINGTON, March 29 (AP)—The question of placing the university of Texas on its censored list of schools will be taken up by the executive council of the American Association of University Professors May 18 and 19 in Chicago.

Dr. Ralph E. Himstead, general secretary of the A. A. U. P., disclosed today that the matter has been scheduled for consideration at the council's annual meeting and said it grew out of the dismissal last November of Dr. Homer P. Rainey as president of Texas U.

Following Dr. Rainey's discharge, the A. A. U. P. investigated the relationships of the university's board of regents with Rainey and faculty members. In a recent report the association criticized the regents for assuming a "proprietary" attitude toward the school.

The university's censored list, said Dr. Himstead, is published "solely for the purpose of informing our membership, the profession at large and the public, that unsatisfactory conditions of academic freedom and tenure have been found to prevail" at the institutions in question.

The fact that a school is on the list discourages recognized members of the teaching profession from seeking to affiliate with its faculty, even though the complaint is directed against the administration and not against instructors and professors individually or collectively.

The A. A. U. P. does not recommend to college accrediting agencies that they likewise take steps against a school it has censored, but such action sometimes follows, he added. He said that the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools now has an investigation underway into the Texas University situation.

The membership of the A. A. U. P. is composed of 16,910 members of faculties of 650 accredited junior and senior colleges and universities throughout the country. Headquarters of the association is here. The 36-member executive council is headed by Dr. Quincy Wright, professor of International Law at the University of Chicago.

Child Study Club Meets For Program

Mrs. K. H. McGibbon brought a message on "They Are Either Too Young or Too Old" to the members of the Child Study Club when they met in the home of Mrs. R. W. Thompson with Mrs. Charles Watson as co-hostess. A business session was held with Mrs. Watson, president, presiding.

In the series of nutrition studies, Mrs. J. B. Mull spoke on "Give Them More Kinds of Bread." The refreshment table was laid with a white lace cloth centered with a large Easter basket and surrounded by colored eggs and six tall burning tapers. Mrs. W. E. Wright poured tea from a silver service.

Attending were Mrs. Iva Huncy, Mrs. John Coffee, Mrs. George French, Mrs. H. W. Smith, Mrs. J. E. Brigham, Mrs. Rogers Hefley, Mrs. K. H. McGibbon, Mrs. J. B. Mull, Mrs. H. W. Wright, Mrs. Escot Compton, and the hostesses, Mrs. Thompson and Mrs. Watson.

Peter Durand obtained an English patent for preserving food in glass, pottery, tin or any metal in 1810.

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WOMAN'S CLUB BRIDGE PARTY

Around 120 members of the Woman's club of the Big Spring Army Air Field were entertained at a bridge-luncheon Wednesday afternoon at the Officers club. Hostesses for the affair were Mrs. Carl S. Anderson, Mrs. John Burdick, Mrs. L. C. Morris, Mrs. Alwood Steinmetz, Mrs. Floyd R. Cowan and Mrs. Robert Fairlee.

The spotters committee, whose purpose is to interest new officers wives with the club activities, announced that classes are being started in tennis, beginners bridge, golf, swimming, books and knitting.

Bridge prizes went to Mrs. Ralph C. Rockwood, high; second, Mrs. Paul Galeese; third, Mrs. Lydia Flannery; fourth, Mrs. Richard Hartnett; consolation, Mrs. Richard R. Hornbeak; guest, Mrs. R. R. Bruner; and cut, Mrs. W. A. Polzin.

The next meeting will be a bridge-luncheon at 1 p. m. on April 11th at the Officers club.

Martin-Howard Soil Conservation District News

At least four livestock tanks have been built this month in the Vincent community by ranchers and farmers carrying out soil and water conservation programs in the Martin-Howard district. The tanks were designed by the Soil Conservation Service and constructed on the following places: Ed Carpenter, Willis Winter, R. L. Warren and E. T. O'Daniel. According to O'Daniel, chairman of the Martin-Howard district board, deep stock tanks are recommended so as to reduce loss of water by evaporation.

Contour pasture ridges were surveyed by Soil Conservation Service technicians on Nick Reed's ranch southwest of Vincent. The ridges will be established to control water run-off from damaging a terraced field below the pasture.

O. E. Hamlin, rancher of the Vealmoor community has seeded a trial plot of Yellow Bluestem grass, to determine its adaptability in the district. This grass, planted in a mixture two years ago on Ben Whitaker ranch at Vincent produced good growth the second growing season and apparently was released by livestock.

A. H. Shroyer, who operates a livestock farm in the south Vealmoor area plans to seed a trial plot of vetch in combination with small grain next September provided the season is favorable.

Much favorable comment has been given concerning the effect last year's crop stubble has made in retarding soil blowing. "This was observed last week when comparing the effects of the wind on fields having considerable crop stubble worked into the surface layer of the soil and fields having no crop residue," according to C. R. Donaldson in charge of the Big Spring Conservation Service office.

GROMYKO HEADS RUSSIANS MOSCOW, March 29 (AP)—Andrei Gromyko, Soviet ambassador to the United States, will head the Russian delegation to the San Francisco world security conference, the Soviet government announced today.

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TWO SERVICES—Two identical services will be held at 9:45 a. m. and 11:15 a. m. Sunday at the First Presbyterian church to accommodate Easter crowds. Church school for the senior departments down will be held as usual at 9:45 a. m. The Rev. James E. Moore, (above) pastor, announced. Two Easter anthems, "Now Is Christ Risen" and "Easter Song" will be sung at each morning service. At 8 p. m. "The Glory of Easter," a cantata composed by Edward W. Norman will be presented by the High School Choral club directed by Mrs. Wiley L. Curry with Mrs. Pat Kenney at the organ.

PRINCESS—Princess Juliana of the Netherlands shown on a visit to workrooms of the Queen Wilhelmina Fund in New York City, where she looked over shipments of clothing.



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Party Honors Mrs. McAdams

A birthday party was held Wednesday night for Mrs. Garner McAdams in her home with Mrs. G. L. James as hostess. Guests were members of the Dos Por Ocho club and bridge was entertainment for the evening.

Bridge prizes went to Mrs. Herbert Johnson and Mrs. E. W. Lowrimore. The refreshment table was laid with a linen cloth and centered with an arrangement of white iris and lilac. A lighted birthday cake and a salad plate were served.

Guests included Mrs. Clayton McCarty, Mrs. Lewis Murdoch, Mrs. Herbert Johnson, Mrs. Ted Phillips, Mrs. M. S. Beale, Mrs. C. Y. Clinkscales, Mrs. Chess Anderson, Mrs. H. V. Crocker, Mrs. M. Weaver, Mrs. R. F. Bluhm, the honoree, Mrs. McAdams and the hostess, Mrs. James. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. McCarty.

Here And There

Mrs. Frances Newsom, assistant manager of McCrory's Store, has returned home after visiting her relatives for a few weeks in Kansas City, Mo.

J. D. Harvey, minister of the Big Spring Church of Christ, will preach at Lomax Sunday afternoon at 3 p. m. He will use as his subject "Worthy Religion."

Mrs. W. W. Coleman will have as her weekend guests her grandson, C. A. White, Jr., of El Paso, and her daughter, June, a student of McMurry College in Abilene.

Escot Compton and John West left Thursday for Dallas and will return Sunday after transacting business there.

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Stevenson Declares State May Be Back In Red Because Of Spending

AUSTIN, March 29 (AP) — A warning that at the present rate of appropriating the state's general fund is in danger of getting back into the red came today from Gov. Coke Stevenson.

Answering questions at his press conference, Stevenson said that it appears the legislature is going to have to vote out new tax bills raising additional revenue, or "be back on a deficit before adjournment."

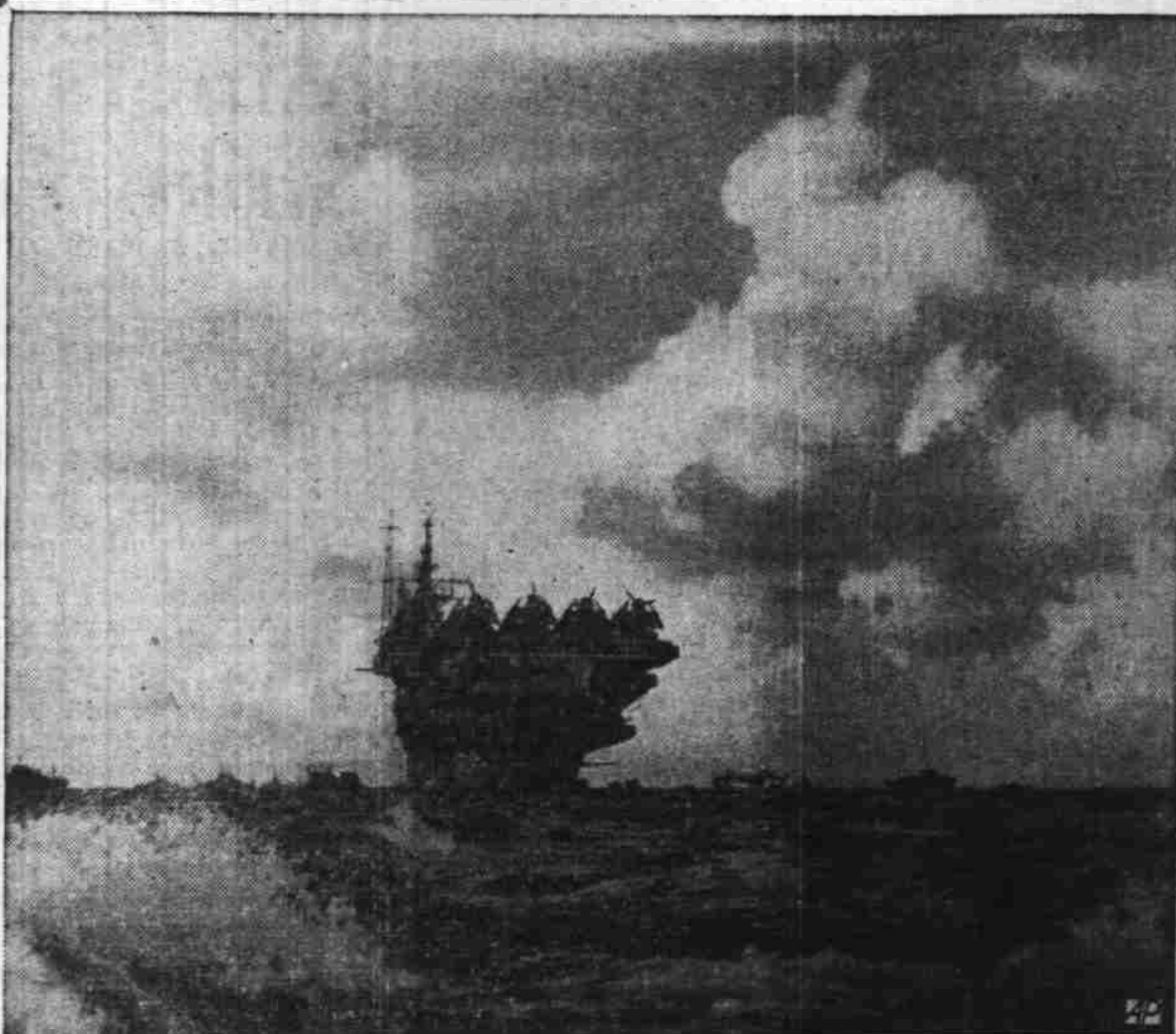
Meanwhile a subcommittee of the house revenue and taxation committee went to work on the task of determining how much money Texas has, and how much more it might need.

Stevenson noted that the 49th legislature thus far has increased potential appropriations \$20,000,000 annually as compared with current appropriations. No tax bills have emerged from committee. In the appropriating measures this far approved only one provides for increased revenue. That is the bill under which the state automatic tax board is required to levy the maximum 35 cent per \$100 valuation for schools. A companion bill provides for complete distribution

of available school funds every year. Stevenson, noting that only 12 members of the house voted for recall of these measures from his desk, said he would not veto them. In his estimate of increases, he figured the \$4,500,000 increase in rural aid, voted by the senate but not yet passed by the house. He also included the \$3,600,000 annual increase for old age assistance.

Under terms of the so-called "pay-as-you-go" constitutional amendment under which the current legislature is operating, appropriations in excess of revenue or anticipated revenue may not be made except upon a four-fifths vote. The legislature still has to consider its major appropriation bills, and they all will call for increases.

The house committee on revenue and taxation has followed the policy this session thus far of hearing tax bills, but laying them aside pending determination of what new revenues might be needed. The committee last night instructed its subcommittee to study this subject and report next week.



CARRIER AT ANCHOR—Anchored in a vast Pacific harbor, a Navy carrier resists between missions. Avengers are spotted on deck in the foreground.

Texas Extension Service To Lead In Peace-Trotter

AP Special Washington Service WASHINGTON, March 29 (AP)—Texas Extension Service Director Ide Trotter, here for conferences at the agriculture department, declared today the agency he heads will play a big role in stabilizing the farm economy of Texas after the war.

Addressing Texas members of congress, he said the extension service is preparing plans now to help agriculture adjust itself to difficult new conditions.

The cotton problem is one of the foremost worries, he said, adding that the program being formulated calls for diversion of much acreage now planted to the staple to the growth of grain and fodder for livestock and poultry production.

"The fact that great industrial centers have sprung up throughout Texas and the south makes this especially important," he added. "The farmer will be helping himself and helping meet a big new demand for food in the cities."

Soil conservation programs also are at the top of the extension service list of projects for improving the economy of Texas farmers, Trotter said.

"The problem of helping young farm folks in the 15 to 18 year age group readjust themselves is a serious one, and one which we must handle intelligently," he continued.

"Many of these youngsters have gone to the cities to work in war plants. They will find themselves out of a job when the war is over. It will be up to us to help fit them back into agriculture."

Help and guidance for returning war veterans who will settle on farms also is a part of the extension service's postwar program, he added.

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Oil String For Wildcat Is Set

Oil string for the Welner & Petty Oil Co. No. 1 W. P. Edwards, shallow wildcat in the western part of the Howard-Glasscock field, was set Wednesday at 898 feet. Operators anticipated picking up shows around 910 feet.

Oil and gas shows were reported earlier in the week from 805-15 feet but will not be tested pending outcome of exploration below 900 feet. Location is in section 32-2s, T&P.

Five miles to the west and south, the Phillips No. 1 McDowell, deep test, section 31-34-2s, T&P, was below 9,004 feet.

In northern Howard county the Richfield No. 1 Shortes drilled below 4,700 feet in sand and lime. It is in section 1-34-2n, T&P.

LEGAL NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO: Mrs. P. J. Henderson - P. W. Henderson and the unknown Heirs of Mrs. P. J. Henderson and P. W. Henderson, deceased.
GREETING: You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 23rd day of April, A. D. 1945, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable District Court of Howard County, at the Court House in Big Spring, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 7th day of March, 1945. The file number of said suit being No. 5390.

The names of the parties in said suit are: I. Welner, as Plaintiff, and Mrs. P. J. Henderson and P. W. Henderson, and the Unknown Heirs of Mrs. P. J. Henderson and the said P. W. Henderson, as Defendants.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit: This suit being one in trespass to try title, to all of Lots 7 & 8 in Block Number One (1), Brown's addition to city of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas. Plaintiff alleging that he is the owner of said land in Fee, and was in possession thereof January 1, 1945, and defendant entered upon said property January 2nd, 1945 and withholds the possession from Plaintiff, and Plaintiff is entitled to the possession of said property. Plaintiff praying for the title and possession of said property, and for such other relief as he may show himself entitled to, and for cost of suit.

Issued this the 7th day of March, 1945.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Big Spring, Texas, this the 7th day of March A. D. 1945.

GEO. C. CHOATE, Clerk District Court Howard County, Texas.

(SEAL)

Kiwanis Hear Easter Program

Kiwanians Thursday heard a stirring pre-Easter program of music and devotions which featured students from Hardin-Simmons University.

Asa D. Couch, Joy Smith and Bonnie Ball furnished music, and Chester O'Brien, Jr., pastor of the North Nolan Baptist church and currently a student at H-SU, brought an Easter devotional. His companions are assisting in a city-wide youth revival which opens this evening at the North Nolan church and continues through Sunday with Couch as the young evangelist.

The program concluded Nat Shick's tenure as chairman of the committee and Justin Holmes took over for the next month. A meeting of directors was announced for 8 p. m. Friday in the office of Carl S. Blomfield.

POPE LOOKS TO WOMEN
VATICAN CITY, March 29 (AP)—Pope Pius XII told Rep. Clare Boothe Luce (R-Conn) today that he hoped American womanhood would be a great influence for a stable world peace.

ALLIES GATHER DATA
LONDON, March 29 (AP)—The Allies have started gathering a technical and scientific staff to speed the disarmament of Germany and dismantling of Nazi war factories, it was disclosed in common today.

Baliense are considered among the most expert rice growers in the Pacific.



SPRINGTIME FLOWERS—Spar Elizabeth Hill, 52/C, from Rochester, N. Y., admires a lily plant chosen as one of the decorations for the chapel altar at Spar barracks in Washington, D. C., for Easter services.



HANK GREET'S WORKERS—Hank Greenberg, Detroit Tiger star now a captain in the AAF, greets Mizzi and Will Koesner, midgets who left the stage to help make Thunderbolts, at Republic Aircraft's Farmingdale, N. Y., plant.

Public Records

Marriage Licenses
Felix S. Hilario to Ysabel Chavarria, Big Spring.
William G. Fugueson, Brooklyn, N. Y., to Waneta Faye Walker, Big Spring.

Warranty Deeds
William B. Currie to George Billaba, lot 1, 2, block 23, Government Heights; \$225.
W. F. Cook, et ux to Vernon S. Baird, lots 3, 4, subdivision C, block 19, Fairview; \$4,250.

Preston Denton to Rogers Brown, parcel out of four-acre tract in section 25, 33-1n, T&P; \$35.
Martin Riley, et al to M. L. Hayworth, lots 2, 3, block 1, Parker; \$2,100.

R. T. Piner, et ux to Southwestern Investment Co., Fort Worth, lot 2, block 1; lots 9, 12, block 2; lots 1, 14, block 5; lots 12, 13, block 12; lots 29, 30, block 13; lots 15, 16, 17, block 14, all in Washington Place; \$2,137.50.

E. H. Heffington, et al to H. G. Russell, lot 4, block 19, Jones Valley; \$800.
W. G. Mims, et ux to L. O. Johnson, lots 13, 14, 15, block 1, original; \$3,500.

Warren G. Miller et ux to Howard G. Lester, lot 3, block 18, McDowell; \$3,500.

Fox Striplin to W. A. McElrath, 75x96-foot tract out of section 5-32-1s, T&P; \$200.

A. E. Long, et ux to Raymond B. Talley, lot 2, west half lot 2, block 14, Cole & Strayhorn; \$1,500.

Beer Application
Hearing set for April 3 to change address of permit for Welcome Inn from 503 NW 4th to 400 NW 3rd.

In Probate Court
Application of Beatrice Freeman to probate will of Leroy Louis Freeman, deceased, approved with applicant named executrix. L. S. Peterson, R. L. Cook and W. W. Inkman named appraisers, inventory and appraisals approved.

In 70th District Court
Lela E. Smith versus William E. Smith, suit for divorce.
Ruth Murray versus Andrew B. Murray, suit for divorce.
Lila Montanes versus Cruz Montanes, suit for divorce.

Serena Tate versus William T. Tate, suit for divorce.
Building Permits
W. A. Jound, to build 12x32 foot frame prefabricated houses at 1210 Nolan street, \$2,200.

Assembly of God church, to build 12x24 foot frame addition to present parsonage at 306 W. 4th street, cost \$1400.

SCRAP LUMBER SALE
The salvage office at the Big Spring Bombardier school has announced that scrap lumber in lengths not exceeding four feet can be obtained there at \$1.75 for a load of one and a half tons. The lumber may be obtained by driving out to the post. It can not be bought in lots of less than one and a half tons.

First Of Soil Checks Received

First of the 1944 soil building and conservation checks were received Thursday at the county AAA office and M. Weaver, administrative assistant anticipated the remainder would be received over a period of a month.

In the initial group were 47 checks for \$3,655.18, averaging about \$184. Previously it had been anticipated that there would be about \$100,000 earned in Howard county for conservation and soil building practices.

Hope that the major portion of the terracing and tank building program would be restored during 1945 was given substance Thursday by receipt of notice that the amount allocated by the AAA to Texas had been increased from 13 to 19 million dollars. Originally, allowances for 1945 terracing and tanking had been cut sharply.

Mrs. Julia Moore Gets Son's Medal

Mrs. Julia M. Moore, 603 S. Nolan, has received the Air Medal won by her son, S-Sgt. J. R. Moore, aerial gunner, who is based somewhere over France. On a recent leave he visited in Paris and there met his brother, Pvt. Roy C. Moore, and helped Roy celebrate his 21st birthday. Later Roy got to make a flight with Sgt. Moore.

METTS BREAKS ARM

M. M. Metts, suffered a broken arm Wednesday afternoon at 1:15 o'clock when he fell 10 feet from a ladder at the West Texas Compress and Warehouse. The fall was caused when the ladder became detached from the wall.

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Docket Dismissals In District Court

Two docket dismissals were entered in 70th district court Thursday and a third dismissal was ordered by Judge Cecil Collings on motion from the plaintiff.

Docket dismissals, which amount to routine withdrawal before defendant has filed an answer, were entered in the case of Adrian M. Sessions, et al versus Claude Fallon, et al, suit for possession; and Gladie Mae Plum versus John Roger Plum, suit for divorce. The court approved a motion by O. H. McAlister for dismissal of his suit for debt against the Johnson Drilling Company.

Baruch In London

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Gas Coupons Invalid

All "B-5," "C-5," "R-1," "E-1," "First Quarter T," and non serially numbered "D" gasoline coupons will become invalid April 1, according to District OPA Rationing Executive Ely Fonville.

Consumers holding such coupons may take them to their local war price and rationing board to exchange for valid coupons.

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FIVE CASES IN COURT
Five cases were heard in city court Thursday morning, with two drunkenness charges and two VD check ups. One man was being held for investigation for desertion from the armed service.

Patch Tests Made By Tri-County Officials

One hundred eighty-three tuberculin patch tests were made during the month of February, by the Big Spring Health Unit, according to the monthly report from the Martin-Ector-Howard county health unit. Twenty positive reactors were x-rayed.

The venereal disease clinic load showed 64 patients, with eight admitted during the month. Two hundred ninety-two clinic visits were made with 190 blood tests and 142 smears taken. Out of 164 contacts discovered by the VD clinic, 43 were found infected. Thirty-eight patients were sent to rapid treatment centers during the month.

During that period City sanitarian E. R. Nickols and E. H. Timlan, bureau of food and drugs, state department of health, inspected all bottling plants, wholesale grocery houses, bakeries, poultry stores and Mexican food manufacturers.

Agriculture Census Compiled By Heads

U. S. Agriculture census is being compiled in Howard county by W. R. Puckett, and H. S. Patrick, district supervisor, has urged all farmers and ranchers to cooperate with him for a complete enumeration.

Patrick urged that any farmers who have been missed or who have been left cards that the census taker called while they were away to contact Puckett at his office at 201 N. Nolan.

Upon the final record compiled will depend the agricultural picture of the county to be reflected in official records for the next five years.

Cotton Insurance Talked In Coahoma

Cotton producers in the Coahoma area Wednesday evening heard explanations of the 1945 insurance program.

A. H. Jeffries, district AAA field representative, headed the explanations and M. Weaver, administrative assistant, and L. H. Thomas, county AAA committee chairman, participated in the discussions.

Weaver announced the initial transmittal of applications for cotton insurance, containing seven in all, had been sent to the state office for processing.

"Whether a producer insures his cotton crop is something for him alone to decide," he said, "but I believe that every producer at least owes it to himself to investigate the premium rate for his farm."

There appears to be mounting interest in the insurance program, and Weaver anticipated the office would handle a sizeable number of applications before April 10, the deadline.

NAZI SUBS MAY FIGHT ON

LONDON, March 29 (AP)—Naval authority said today that German submarines and surface craft might fight on as long as six weeks after the land war ends in Europe. Their supplies could last that long, the authority said.

Former Big Spring Soldier Is Killed

Lt. Pat H. Wilkinson, formerly stationed at the Big Spring Bombardier School, was killed in action on Dec. 23, 1944.

The War department today informed his wife, Mrs. Frances Wilkinson, 708 S. Gallatin, Jackson 18, Miss., that his death had been confirmed. Previously, he had been reported missing in action. Lt. Wilkinson, who had been a bombardier instructor, was bombardier on a B-25 on low altitude bombing at the time he was lost. He was active in church affairs, having directed the First Baptist choir and substituted for the pastor on several occasions.

Bascom Giles To Buy Land-Resell To Vets

AUSTIN, March 29 (AP)—Land Commissioner Bascom Giles plan to buy up federal land and resell it to veterans today was given approval by Gov. Coke Stevenson.

He said he thought that the state would make a profit on the venture, and that there was no land in any of the government military posts bought under the war training program that could not at least be repurchased by veterans as ranches.

Rep. W. R. Cousins, Jr., of Beaumont was obtaining signatures to the resolution, and expected to have the 100 necessary for its introduction.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh
Bert Loses the War Single-Handed
Bert Chandler's house burned down last week, and the only good thing that came out of it was it cured him of swearing. Bert just couldn't think of words to fit the occasion, so he just gave up.
Bert admits it was his own fault. Started with a field fire which he thought he had under control, and when he turned his back a minute for a breathing spell, the fire sprang up twice as fierce. By the time the firemen arrived, there wasn't a patch that they could do.
From where I sit, there's a moral in Bert's experience. A lot of us feel we've got the fires of this war under control... that we can relax a little, maybe let up on buying bonds, donating blood, or fighting inflation.
Just like Bert lost his fight against the fire, we can lose this fight against our enemy if we let down now. Because war, like fire, is never over till the last spark is extinguished.
Joe Marsh
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Dateline: Pacific— Sickening Sight Seen In Manila

By JAMES HUTCHESON
MANILA (AP)—A drive through the once beautiful residential districts of Manila south of the Pasig river is nearly as sickening as a survey of the block after block of shattered buildings in the downtown area.

Ten Injured As Odessa Theatre Ceiling Collapses

ODESSA, March 29 (AP)—At least ten persons were injured and hundreds narrowly escaped possible death when the acoustic plaster of an Odessa theatre collapsed last night while packed house watched a moving picture.

In the Pasay, Malate and Ermita districts, probably two-thirds of the better homes are destroyed or damaged. Many are only piles of ashes and rubble, with concrete steps still standing as mute reminder of a once beautiful mansion in a fence-enclosed yard.

Twisted, charred corrugated metal roofing is strewn about. Sometimes a bathtub or two stand out in the rubble, but many have been carted away.

Some of the mansions which escaped with nothing worse than a few broken windows in the fighting have suffered from the ravages that come in the wake of war.

Looters had a field day. A three-story mansion in which some of the press corps set up headquarters had beautiful wood paneled walls on the first floor. Half of them were torn out, leaving concrete exposed. The wooden bannister was ripped off. Doors were taken from or with their hinges.

The tragedy of Manila is burned deep. When a bunch of Yanks hit a town, it's a safe bet the bright lights—or in this case the candle lights—won't be far behind.

Innumerable little hole-in-the-wall cafes and bars have reopened in the non-modernized section of the Pasig, outside the rim of the destroyed main business district. A few are beginning to appear in the residential area along Taft avenue on the south side. They offer sandwiches, coffee, drinks without ice and sometimes a bit of music.

Where there are drinks, there is always bound to be a bigger night job for the M.P.'s. Some of the M.P.'s, with a sense of somewhat grim and melodramatic humor, posted this sign outside the door of the lock-up room in old Bilibid prison:

"In this cell, tied by their thumbs to the rings of the wall, countless numbers of American officers and soldiers were tortured to death for refusing to lower the standards of our nation and our army—so that someday in the future you could get drunk in Manila."

Chief of Police Carl Taylor said he was making an investigation.

Delayed Information

SCOOBY, Mont., March 29 (AP)—City authorities recently decided to help the entertainment curfew along by ringing the town fire bell every midnight—but one group of citizens was not informed.

Deadly Battle

TWIN FALLS, Idaho, March 29 (AP)—When a telephone operator found the telephone connection to a seed store open and "moaning sounds" coming over the wire, she called the police.

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PACIFIC HOUSING PROJECT—Thatch-roofed homes built by U. S. civil affairs authorities provide shelter for natives whose homes were wrecked in battle.

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DAILY STORY FROM THE BEST-SELLING BOOK
By BENNETT CERF

MONTY WOOLLEY, the former Yale professor turned Hollywood star, is reported to have summoned his butler one morning and said, "I'd like to know what my household expenses really amount to out here."

"If you will be good enough to leave out of the bills your rake-off on food, liquor, laundry, gasoline, and God knows what else, I will be happy to add it to your salary at the end of the month."



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Tornado Injures Seven At Terrell

TERRELL, March 29 (AP)—Seven persons were injured last night, some seriously, when a tornado struck Abner community near Terrell and demolished their homes.

Five of the injured were pinned beneath debris, but the other two injured, Mrs. Raymond Steffer, whose foot was broken, and her 12-year-old son, Harold, partly crippled by infantile paralysis, walked half a mile to summon help.

The injured, who were taken to a Terrell hospital, were: W. C. Davidson, 50, crushed chest; Mrs. W. C. Davidson, 35, severe cuts, bruises and shock; Mary, their 18-month-old daughter, and a son, W. C. Davidson, Jr., 3, cuts and bruises; Raymond Steffer, 35, facial cuts and body bruises; Mrs. Steffer, 30, broken foot and head cuts; Harold Steffer, 12, severe facial cuts.

Mr. and Mrs. Davidson were reported to be in a serious condition at the hospital. Mrs. Steffer and her son walked to the home of negro tenants who came to Terrell for aid.

Four inches of rain accompanied the tornado. "I heard the storm coming and told my wife to get the children and stand in the center of the room," said Davidson.

Livestock

FORT WORTH, March 29 (AP)—Cattle 1,600; calves 600; steady; good fed steers and yearlings 14.25 - 15.25; common to medium kinds 10.00 - 14.00; beef cows 9.50 - 12.50; good fat calves 13.25 - 14.25; stocker calves and yearlings 10.00 - 13.50.

Hogs 900; steady; good and choice 175 - 400 lb. hogs 14.55; good and choice 150 - 170 lb. hogs 13.75 - 14.50; sows mostly 13.80; stocker pigs 13.00 down.

Sheep 6,500; good and choice woolled lambs 15.50; good spring lambs 14.50 - 15.00; good shorn lambs with no. 2 pelts 14.00 down; slaughter ewes 6.50 - 8.50; common and medium feed lambs 11.50 - 13.00.

As you iron clothes, stack them according to the drawer or room in which they belong and set aside the clothes that need mending.

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Miners Vote To Strike For Lewis

By HAROLD W. WARD
WASHINGTON, March 29 (AP)—A thundering miners' vote to strike at his call today bolstered John L. Lewis' position in the deadlocked soft coal wage negotiations.

The present contract expires Saturday midnight, but the better than seven to one margin in favor of a strike does not necessarily mean Lewis will call one then.

This was the question: "Do you wish to permit an interruption of war production in war time as a result of this dispute?"

The wording was fixed by the Smith-Connally Labor Disputes Act under which the ballot was taken.

Completion of the vote, biggest ever undertaken by the NLRB, cleared the way for Lewis to reply to Interior Secretary Ickes' request that the present contract be extended to May 1.

Efforts to reach a new agreement before the present agreement expires Saturday night seemed destined to fail.

Lewis can withhold a formal strike pending new efforts to win his 18 wage and working benefits—including a 10-cent-a-ton "participating royalty" payment estimated to net the union \$60,000,000 a year.

Or the government could seize and operate struck mines to avert the loss of coal to the war production program.

FENDER BENDERS

New Type Of Honey Distributed Here

A new type of honey which spreads like butter is being featured in this area by Martin Distributing company, operated by Fred Martin.

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Pork	lb.
Sausage	37c
Assorted	lb.
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Cocktail		33c
Halves, Yellow Cling	No. 2 1/2	23c
Peaches		23c
Libby's, Bartlett	No. 2 1/2	32c
Pears		32c
White House	No. 2	16c
Apple Juice ..		16c
Deer, Grapefruit	48 oz.	30c
Juice		30c
Libby's, Whole Kernel	No. 2	17c
Corn		17c
Raindrops ..		20c
Pinto Beans		
2 pounds		20c
5 pounds		50c
Folger's	lb.	33c
Coffee		33c
Chase & Sanborn	lb.	34c
Coffee		34c
Sanka	lb.	36c
Coffee		36c
Prince Albert	Pkg.	10c
Tobacco		10c
Rosedale	No. 2	16c
Midget Peas .		16c
Libby's, Cut	No. 2	13c
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Point Values To Go Up On Sunday

WASHINGTON, March 29 (AP)—Point values go up Sunday for canned peas and asparagus, while at the same time the ration cost for sweet cherries, plums, prunes and tomato juice will be slashed. These blue point program changes, announced by OPA today, will go into effect as housewives begin to pay more red points for pork and pork products, lard, shortening, margarine and salad and cooking oils. The red point increases range from one to three points a pound.

Edwards Absolved Of Murder Of Texas Sailor In Shooting

SAN YSIDRO, Calif., March 29 (AP)—A coroner's jury has absolved O. F. Edwards, 38, San Ysidro cafe proprietor, of criminal responsibility in the fatal shooting March 20 of Virgil Eugene Williams, 18, aviation machinist's mate, of Marshall, Tex. Williams died of a head wound in an ambulance en route to a Ream Field naval station hospital after being shot by Edwards during a scuffle in front of a cafe. Edwards testified Williams "rushed me as I walked toward my car." As the two struggled, Edwards said he pulled a pistol from his pocket and "started to shoot him in the stomach" but instead pointed the weapon upward and fired into the air "between our heads."

Prevailing point values on butter, beef, lamb and veal and most cheese will be maintained during April. Peas were given a new value of 30 points and asparagus 20 points in No. 2 cans. Both items are being hiked 10 points because supplies have been moving too rapidly, OPA said.

Movement of the three fruit products and tomato juice, on the other hand, has been behind schedule. This makes it possible, the agency explained, to cut values of No. 2 1-2 cans of sweet cherries to 40 points, down 20, and plums and prunes to 20 points, down 10.

A 50 per cent cut in tomato juice values reduces No. 2 cans to 10 points, while 46-ounce containers go to 20 points.

In disclosing revision of red point values last night, Price Administrator Chester Bowles said pork increases are necessary because the supply will be about five per cent less in April than this month.

Bowles said, however, that the 12 per cent cut in overall civilian meat supplies for the next three months "will be felt very little during April."

In May and June, he added, there normally is a sharper seasonal decline in meat production "and the decrease will be felt to a greater extent."

Examples of the revision of pork cut values are an advance of from 10 to 12 points a pound for center chops, and chops from 6 to 7, ham slices from 10 to 12, loin roasts from 7 to 8, bacon from 6 to 8. Sausages go up a point.

Margarine climbs to 8 points a pound from five as the result of an April allocation of 40,800,000 pounds, down about 11,000,000 pounds from March. Also because of a sizable supply cut, lard, shortening and salad and cooking oils move from 4 to 6 points a pound.

One to two point increases were ordered for most sausage products, such as knackwurst, and for canned meats and many ready-to-eat meats.

Bowles estimated that during April the civilian share of rationed meat will be about 880,000,000 compared with 896,000,000 pounds this month.

A single root will produce peppermint plants for about four years.



THE BAND WEARS SNOWSHOES—On this sub-freezing terrain members of the 510th AAF band wear snowshoes as they rehearse for the Air Transport Command's International Easter Parade at Goose Bay, Labrador.

John Sealy Hospital Has Charity Patients

GALVESTON, March 29 (AP)—John Sealy hospital, which is connected with the University of Texas medical school at Galveston, cared for 4,433 charity patients in 1944, Superintendent W. O. Bohman reported yesterday. This figure includes 1,770 patients taken in the diagnostic clinic from 143 counties throughout the state. In a report to the American Medical Association, Bohman said that 100,000 admissions for free

treatment were made in the outpatient clinic. Bohman said that "with the building of the \$2,000,000 general hospital, a gift to the people of Texas by the Sealy and Smith Foundation, x x x an additional 600 beds will be available for general care, which will give us a total of 1,100 beds—the largest hospital unit in Texas." From the oldest records supplied by Egyptian monuments, it is believed that several distinct varieties of dogs had been developed 4,000 to 5,000 years ago.

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- Bleach White Magic 9 1/2-Oz. Bot. 10¢
- Scrub Mops Sildar No. 14 3-Pk. 22¢
- Sweetheart Soap 3-Pk. 19¢

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CANADIANS IN MEXICO 6 MEXICO CITY, March 29 (AP)—Twelve Canadian industrialists who arrived here yesterday from Quebec announced they would begin conferences with prominent Mexicans next week to arrange for post-war trade with Mexico.

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Dodgers Will Not Win Pennant But Lip Ready

By FRANK ECK
AP Newsfeatures Sports Writer
BEAR MOUNTAIN, N. Y.

The Brooklyn Dodgers will not win the pennant this year.

That, of course, is not news, but the rest with which Manager Leo Durocher is going through daily infield drills at second base ordinarily would lead all and sundry to

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BROOKLYN DODGERS
Pitching—Fair.
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Infield—Weak.
Outfield—Strong.
Hitting—Passable.
Finish—Fifth.

believe that the beloved Bums will be there battling, National League umpires to the contrary notwithstanding.

Durocher may not crash the lineup even for an inning but loquacious Lippy is getting ready just in case.

"It's not what a guy wants to do but how he feels," said the 39-year-old pilot after counting only two regular infielders during the first week of camp drills at his ideal spot. "And I feel great."

"I lost 20 pounds after the USO tour of the Italian battlefield and it's been a long time since I've felt so good. I weigh 171 pounds, just about what I scaled with the St. Louis Cardinals 10 years ago."

It was then brought to Leo's attention that a valuable asset this season, to which Durocher replied: "You bet" — and he wasn't thinking of Belmont.

Seriously speaking, though, the Dodgers do look good. However, they will have their troubles. An over-abundance of versatile fielders puts them in the same category with "too many cooks spoil the broth."

If Howie Schultz, 6-foot-6 1/2 first baseman, goes into the armed forces and rookie Ed Stevens of Montreal falls, outfielder Augie Galan will play first.

And if Bill Hart, who hit .283 for New Orleans, flunks his studies at third, Frenchy Bordagary may be brought in from the outfield to play the hot corner. Outfielders in the infield give away runs and place an extra burden on the hitters. It's akin to using a star fullback up front.

Tommy Brown, a 17-year-old Coney Island lad with a goodly supply of natural talent, is set at short. He played 46 games with the seventh-place Dodgers last year and everyone likes him. He's built like Siate Marion of the Cards. And he's still growing—and learning, learning how to bring his arm down on throws to first.

That, in itself, is good news for those fans occupying box seats behind first. Looks like they won't need to wear a first sacker's mitt after all.

Eddie Stanky, the stocky bundle of perpetual motion, has a mortgage on second base. He was sick sbed with pneumonia during the winter but he's coming around. Durocher is counting on Stanky even though Leo may be forced



Leo Durocher, 39, is old enough to be Tommy Brown's father. However, Brown, 17-year-old shortstop, and his manager are working out as Brooklyn's keystone combination.

to play second himself during the April games. Another choice would be to use Luis Olmo on second as Lippy did last season. That move, however, affected the Puerto Rican's hitting as Luis is certainly a better batter than his .258.

The National League batting champion, Dixie Walker, is a fixture in right field. This Southern gentleman's .357 paced the majors in 1944 and whether that, with 34 means anything, it remains to be years weighing heavily on him, seen.

Goody Rosen, Morrie Aderholt and Elmer (Red) Durrett, the latter one of the Marine heroes of Guadalcanal, will be carried as additional outfielders.

Mike Sabena, who had a trial with the Boston Braves last Spring, will be retained as infield insurance. After hitting .299 in 39 games at Hartford where Del Bissonette taught him how to hit left-handed, Sabena played 61 games for Indianapolis last year and batted .317. He's slick on ground balls, too.

Littlefield Has Tutored More Men Than Most College Coaches In U. S.

AUSTIN, March 29 (AP)—Genial Clyde Littlefield, who has tutored probably more athletes than any other college coach in the nation, will be the honor man at the Texas Relays—the event he created.

In 25 years at the University of Texas Littlefield has coached more than 5,000 boys. Not only has he been track coach all that time but he has taught football for the same period, often freshman, squad or varsity. Also, for a number of years he coached freshman basketball and he has had charge of cross-country for 11 years.

So, April 7 when the athletes gather for the Texas Relays, Littlefield will be the center of quite a ceremony with athletic officials of the university and some of his former athletes doing the honors. Littlefield has been identified

with the university for 30 years. Starting in 1912 he was a student and won 12 major letters — four each in football, basketball and track. He still is considered one of the best passers and kickers in Southwest conference history. He was all-conference basketball center and never lost a race in the high hurdles on the track team. Except for four years when he was a high school coach and served in World War I he has been at the university.

He took over the track and field squad in 1920 and has guided the Longhorns to 17 conference championships in a quarter of a century. As head football coach he sent Texas teams to conference titles in 1923 and 1930.

Littlefield started the Texas Relays in 1925 and built it into one of the top track and field meets of the country.

Co-Captain Earl (Red) Wheeler, All-Southwest end, Mike Schumchik, halfback Frank Schumchik and end Ken Kearns were cagers who wasted little time in reporting for spring grid chores. Wheeler, regular center for two seasons, and both Schumchyks are lettermen, while Kearns is making his first bid for college football honors.

Rep. Cecil Barnes believes that the killing of Rep. Harley Sadler's bill for redistricting was "a disservice to the state."

The measure, he commented, "met an unmerited fate. It was a good bill and its defeat was no compliment to the legislators and as a disservice to the State of Texas."

It was killed when a motion to table carried when it was brought out on the floor of the house. Observers do not believe that there is a chance for redistricting to be brought about this term.

Barnes recently worked a small measure through to passage, a bill which would empower the board of regents of the University of Texas to levy a small fee against the students in order that they may have sufficient funds to operate the Texas union student activities. Barnes said he believed it had support of "91 per cent of all students who gave an opinion."

His most difficult work is his service on the state affairs com-

La Brucherie Is Named To Head UCLA Grid Team

LOS ANGELES, March 29 (AP)—Bert F. La Brucherie, Los Angeles high school coach, last night was appointed football coach at University of California at Los Angeles, succeeding Edwin C. (Babe) Horrell, who resigned March 1.

The UCLA board of athletic control unanimously voted La Brucherie a three-year contract after a four and one-half hour meeting, said William Ackerman, graduate manager. The salary was not announced.

La Brucherie, Ackerman announced, was selected from a field of candidates which had been narrowed to four. The others were Ray F. Richards, UCLA line coach; Clark Shaughnessy, former Stanford coach now at Pittsburgh, and Homer Norton, coach at Texas A. & M.

La Brucherie, 40, returns to the school for which he starred at halfback in 1926, 1927 and 1928. He brings with him one of the brightest high school coaching records ever compiled in southern California. He was at Los Angeles high school 16 years.

Horrell was appointed head coach in 1939 after coaching the Bruin line for 10 years. In his six years at the helm, UCLA won 25, lost 31 and tied five games.

Ben Chapman, the ex-Yankee outfielder who won 13 for the Richmond Colts last season and five against three for the Dodgers, will be valuable against the weaker opposition.

Otho Nicholas, colorful looking veteran who won 14 and lost 11 at St. Paul, looks good on the mound. He has a rosy complexion, silver hair and is 35. Cyril Buker, 11 and 3 for St. Paul, is another rookie with promise.

Catching is woefully weak with Mickey Owen and Bobby Bragan counted lost to the services. Al Todd, recently signed for Montreal, may be able to get back in shape, but much of the receiving may fall to Stan Andrews who hit only .251 at Montreal.

Entries Pouring In For Baylor's Schoolboy Meet

WACO, March 29 (AP)—Entries poured in today for the first annual Baylor University invitation track meet for high schools scheduled to open tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Brackenridge and Jefferson of San Antonio were installed as favorites to battle it out for the championship. Other entries include Harlandale (San Antonio), Woodrow Wilson (Dallas), Arlington Heights (Fort Worth), Calvert, Bryan, Mart, Gatesville, Bastrop, Mexia, McGregor, Brenham, Tyler, Highland Park (Dallas), Hearne, Meridian and Lancaster.

Preliminaries are scheduled tomorrow afternoon with finals at 8 o'clock at night. Earl (Mule) Frazier, former Baylor track star, will be the starter.

Porkers Report For Spring Grid Drills This Week

FAYETTEVILLE, ARK., March 29 (AP)—The tempo of practice increased in the University of Arkansas spring football rehearsals this week as several members of the Razorback basketball squad reported to coach Glen Rose.

Co-Captain Earl (Red) Wheeler, All-Southwest end, Mike Schumchik, halfback Frank Schumchik and end Ken Kearns were cagers who wasted little time in reporting for spring grid chores. Wheeler, regular center for two seasons, and both Schumchyks are lettermen, while Kearns is making his first bid for college football honors.

CUBS HAVE PARENTS NIGHT
The regular monthly parents night affair for Cub pack No. 13 has been scheduled for 7:30 p. m. Friday at the high school gymnasium, D. M. McKinney, Cubbing commissioner, announced. There are some 75 awards to be made and four boys will be graduated into Boy Scout work.

SPENCE CONFIRMED
Col. E. V. Spence, who was nominated recently as a member of the state board of water engineers, has been confirmed in the senate. Now at Camp Swift, he formerly was city manager here for 10 years.

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mittee, he reported, for this committee catches miscellaneous legislation . . . and some of it is pretty tough legislation.

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Club Owners In Holdout Trouble

NEW YORK, March 29 (AP)—With the major league season less than three weeks off, several club owners still are faced with holdout problems.

What is probably the biggest name-holdout of them all is Fred (Dixie) Walker of the Brooklyn Dodgers, National league batting king, who is demanding a reported \$22,500, an increase of approxi-

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Spring football is almost upon us, and track season is at its peak. But the fever that burns among all sports fans right now is baseball. It is that time of year when spring fever first puts the lazy streak in us, and then comes a longing for a good double-header under the warm sun.

While baseball as a high school sport is doomed by spring football, it is due to come into its own here late in the spring, with enough persons interested to insure a successful summer of league ball.

This should apply especially to our high school boys, and also to a league for the youngsters. It is well to sit and wish, but what Big Spring needs is action. Wishing has been a predominant factor too long.

Abilene high opens its baseball season Friday afternoon with the Lawn Longhorns. The game will be at the latter's field.

The Eagles have been going through long drills the past few weeks, and it is an encouraging sign to see West Texas schoolboys take on the national pastime once again. (If the inter-scholastic league ever awakens to the benefits of this sport and cancels spring football for a better plan, we could have it here.)

The Abilene lineup is a familiar one. It is filled with Eagle footballers and other athletes. The lineup will have Dudley Fish at third, Gus Vietas catching, Elton Poor at second, Milburn Warner in left field, Earl Glen Rose at first, Altus Buford in right field, Hershel Kimbrell pitching, Billy Murphy at short and Jim Harrison in the centerfield spot. The lads will bat in that order.

The Lawn team holds a 20-2 victory over Bradshaw in their only game of the year. The Eagles are untried.

Abilene is to sponsor a baseball tourney later this spring, in May, preceding the state tournament in Dallas.

Abilene, Brownwood and Ranger vie today in a second triangular track meet slated in Brownwood. Last week in a first meet of this type Brownwood took a ten-point victory over the Eagles, with Ranger in third place.

The Eagles showed an even distribution of power in the Big Spring Relays, winning easily, and are due to be much improved over their previous appearance.

Coach Jake Bentley has stated he hopes to come out on top in today's meet. One of the strongest clubs in this section, Brownwood is favored to repeat, however.

Abilene, the tops in District Three at present, will have to come through strong in the field events and short dashes to come in first. They were weakest in the local meet in these events. Think it over. . . .

Juan Zurita Meets Williams For Title

MEXICO CITY, March 29 (AP)—Promoter Sam Rosoff announced yesterday that lightweight Champion Juan Zurita of Mexico and Ike Williams of Philadelphia would meet on a benefit boxing card in the Mexico City Bullring April 18. The NBA World Lightweight Title will be at stake.

Zurita will receive \$35,000 while Williams will receive \$10,000 plus \$2,500 expenses for the scheduled 15 round bout.

Kid Asteca, Mexican Welterweight Champion and Al 'Bummy' Davis of New York are listed for a ten round bout on the same boxing card.

Man O'War Is 28

LEXINGTON, KY., March 29 (AP)—Twenty-eight years is a long life for a horse, but Mon O'War, most famous horse in American turf history, reached the 28th milestone today in his now plutocratic life. Big Red retired from racing 25 years ago after 20 turf victories in 21 starts. A frisky fellow still, he leads a well-regulated but easy life at Samuel D. Riddle's Faraway Farm.

When coal is heated in a closed oven, it can be reduced to several basic products, such as coke, gas, ammonia and tar.

mately \$8,500 over what he was paid last year.

President Branch Rickey appeared as determined as Walker not to yield, with the result that Dixie may still be in his Birmingham, Ala., home when the season opens April 17.

Training camp notes:
St. Louis Browns—First baseman George McQuinn was struck on the knee by a ground ball and taken to a hospital for X-ray examination. Pitcher Jack Kramer, last of holdouts, agreed to terms.

Chicago White Sox—Bill Dietrich, who won 16 games for the White Sox last year, and Earl Caldwell, 19-game winner purchased from Milwaukee, reported to Manager Jimmy Dykes yesterday, to make 31 players in camp.

Cleveland Indians—pitched Red Embree joined squad but Am-brose Palica said he expected an amy call soon.

Pittsburgh Pirates—described in best physical shape since they started training in north three years ago. Bruce beat Muncie semi-pro nine 11-0.

New York Yankees—Manager Joe McCarthy announced that pitchers Walter Dubiel, Allen Gettel and Floyd Bevens will favor Red Sox today.

New York Giants—Curtis Bay Coast Guard earned even split in two-game series winning second contest 15-10.

Brooklyn Dodgers—trade of second baseman Barney Koch to Montreal for pitcher Vic Lombardi followed on heels of Whitlow Wyatt sale.

Boston Red Sox—Rex Ceell and Francis (Fred) Barrett will share mound duty in the opener of nine-game series with Yankees.

Detroit Tigers—Manager Steve O'Neill indicated he would choose either Hal Newhouse or Paul (Dizzy) Trout to hurl the season's opener against St. Louis.

Washington Senators—two runs in ninth gave Senators 2-0 victory over Braves.

Philadelphia Phillies — Hap Morse, minor league veteran who managed Dallas for five years, signed as scout.

Philadelphia Athletics — Connie Mack again read riot act to team on keeping in condition.

SPORTS ROUNDUP

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.
NEW YORK, March 29 (AP)—Branch Rickey announces that George Sisler is "even more promising as a baseball executive than he was as a player the year after I signed him out of the University of Michigan." But George will find it quite a trick to hit .420 in the front office. . . . Dr. Herbert L. Spencer, new president of Bucknell University, drew cheers when he told some old grads: "No institution of which I have been president has ever lost a football game." . . . Then they realized the doc's only prior job as president was the Pennsylvania College for Women.

Little Brooklyn
When the press box atop the Newport News, Va., ball park was destroyed in last October's hurricane, the park owners summoned some war time carpenters, put them on top of the grandstand and told them to get rolin'. The boys did themselves proud. . . . The only trouble was that they built it facing the great open spaces and with the boarded-up back toward the playing field. . . . Is it necessary to point out that Newport News is a Dodger farm?

Lt. Comdr. Mal Stevens, currently owner of the New York All American Football Conference franchise, is due to leave soon for the Pacific on a new hospital ship. . . . William Schoeberlin, former Annapolis soccer player now bidding for a place in the Iowa Seahawks' infield, claims that soccer playing, develops good footwork on the diamond. . . . If a ball player can sock 'er, that's usually enough.

Basketball Reaches Climax Of Season

NEW YORK, March 29 (AP)—Basketball reaches its season's climax tonight when De Paul of Chicago and the Oklahoma Aggies, led by two of the tallest centers in the country, clash for the mythical national college title in a Red Cross benefit game at Madison Square Garden.

De Paul qualified for the game by beating Bowling Green last Monday for the national invitation title, while the Aggies earned their way by winning the NCAA championship from New York University last Tuesday.

Attention will be centered upon gigantic George Mikan, six-foot-nine-inch Blue Demons' center, and seven-foot Bob Kurland of the Aggies.

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War Board News

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Plant Garden Shallow And Work Often, Is Advice Of Agent

By DURWARD LEWTER
County Agri. Agent

It is now time to have your garden well under way. A good stage of cultivation is very essential for any garden to grow off and do its best. With our present season this should be done and seed planted as soon as possible.

The cultivation of garden vegetables should be shallow and frequent, as most vegetables feed largely within the top 3 or 4 inches of soil. Cultivation should be done weekly or soon after rain or irrigation as possible to control weeds, grass, conserve moisture, and prevent soil crusting. In this area where there is a high calcium content in the soil our available phosphate becomes tied up with the calcium and is often not available for the plant growth. This may be offset by the addition of barnyard manure and 20 per cent super phosphate is one of the cheapest kinds of commercial fertilizers and with barnyard manure provide a complete fertilizer for the area.

Let's keep up the good garden work and support our nation's war effort by producing more fresh vegetables in 1945.

The terror dog has a number of breeds differing so profoundly from each other that extreme types have hardly a character in common.

"Rabbit Food" Sound Elements For Diet; Tips On Serving It

The Easter bunny munching on a carrot or cabbage leaf is up to date on his vitamins—and his abundant spring vegetables. Carrots, a good source of vitamin A, and cabbage, important for vitamin C, are particularly plentiful in most markets now.

Once spurned as "rabbit food," raw cabbage and carrots have become increasingly popular, especially in salad combinations like this recipe: Cabbage-carrot salad: Mix together equal parts of grated raw carrots and finely shredded cabbage with salad dressing until well blended. Add ground peanuts, if desired, or shredded apple.

Salads are crisper and tastier, if the vegetables are chilled before they are cut up. To save vitamins, chop or shred the chilled vegetables just before serving, and don't soak in water. Combining vegetables and dressing at the last minute—at the table if possible—also helps keep the salad crisp and makes the dressing go farther. That way the dressing won't settle out and be left uneaten.

Here is an economical dressing, which can be made with mild-flavored fat saved in cooking, and which uses one or two eggs for thickening:

Salad dressing: Beat together 1 or 2 eggs and 3 tablespoons vinegar until smooth. Add 1-3 cup milk, 1 tablespoon table fat (or drippings may be used), 1-2 teaspoon sugar, 1-2 teaspoon mustard, 1-8 teaspoon celery seed, and a dash of paprika. Cook over hot water, stirring constantly, until the mixture has just thickened (about as thick as heavy cream). Makes 3-4 cup. Store in the refrigerator in a covered container.

Wheel The Laundry To Avoid Washday Strain

Much washday weariness can be avoided and many hours saved if home laundry work is planned to prevent stretch and strain. This job usually takes one to two days of many a housewife's working week, and is generally considered the heaviest household task.

To save strain, "wheel" loads of clothes around the laundry and out to the line instead of lifting and carrying. A bench or box fitted with castors makes a convenient movable support for tub, basket or hamper in the laundry. To transport clothes to the line, use a child's coaster wagon, an old tea cart, or the wheel base of an old baby carriage. When clothes must be carried, choose a container that is easy to carry. Instead of toting a big hamper of clothes to the laundry, make a bag to fit the inside of the hamper which is easy to lift out when full of clothes. A bushel basket is easier to carry than the ordinary clothes basket. Line it with cloth or paper to prevent rough edges from catching clothes.

To avoid stooping and allow for standing erect at work:

- Sort clothes on a table instead of on the floor.
- Place bricks or blocks of wood under the legs of the washing machine if it is not high enough.
- Have wheeled carriers high enough to bring the tub or basket they hold to a convenient height—that is, about waistline. About one-third of the energy needed for hanging up clothes may be saved if the basket is at a comfortable height.
- A clothes pin bag sewed onto a clothes hanger can be hooked over the line and pushed along as clothes are hung.
- A taut clothes line within easy reach saves much stretch in hanging up clothes. Six feet is the best height for the average woman.



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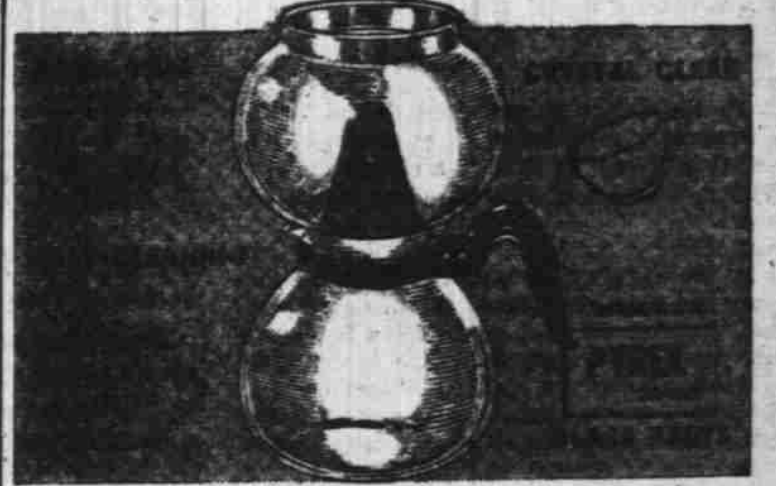
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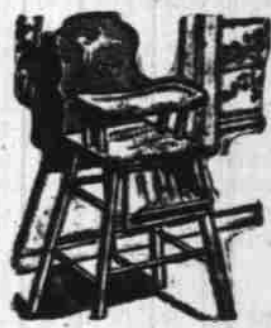
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Editorial

On A Little Higher Level

Will H. Hays, who as president of the Motion Picture Producers & Distributors of America, Inc. is somewhat of a czar or at least a conscience over the industry, makes a significant claim in his annual report.

Paying tribute to the self-regulation system erected by the industry, he pointed out that a signal victory had been won during the war over pressures and temptations that might have tended to relax the standards of motion picture production.

"We have proved," he declared, "that even in the most savage war in history there was no theme or situation that could not be dramatically treated within the limits of decency and good taste . . . that art and prudence in motion pictures do not necessarily conflict; that morality in entertainment is quite compatible with its enjoyment and its best service; that there can no longer be any question that morally sound pictures are good entertainment and good box office."

By and large the industry has kept its products in bounds mentioned by Mr. Hays. With the general moral front being relaxed, it is refreshing to see an industry holding the line. It is encouraging also to hear Mr. Hays appeal to the motion picture industry to guard against post-war vigilance.

There will be a section of the intelligentsia which will hoot at the Hays report and cry out for removal of the fetters in the name of "realism."

There are few so sheltered but what realize that fighting men frequently employ language learned outside of Sunday school; that this is second nature with many of them; that they talk about many things and do many things which might be frowned upon. Indeed, we cast no stone at them, but we do contend that little obscenities, profanities and vulgarities, realistic and omnipresent though they be, are not really essential to any good story. The case of the movies would tend to prove that beyond any doubt. The movies have washed off some pretty dirty yarns and made respectable and enjoyable entertainment out of them.

Letting the bars down is the easy way. Robert Quillen recently described the average best seller as a book which wouldn't get through the first run with the smut and cuss words removed. That sort of thing seems to have an easy popular appeal. The challenge is to step up just a little higher.

Tribute To Oil Industry

Our B-29 bombers have four 2,600 horse power motors and carry 10,480 gallons of gasoline. Multiply this by hundreds; then allow for thousands and thousands of heavy bombers; likewise a legion of light bombers and fighter planes and then thousands upon thousands of trainer planes. Add to this the

Ernie Pyle Reports—

Moments Of Pleasure During War

By ERNIE PYLE IN THE WESTERN PACIFIC—(Delayed) — There are moments when a voyage to war has much of the calm and repose of a pleasure cruise in peacetime.

For day after day we sailed in seas that were smooth and warm, under benign skies. There was no air of urgency about us. True, we kept air patrols in the sky, but it was really a practice gesture, for we were far away from any enemy.

Sailors at work wore no shirts. Little bunches of flying fish skimmed the blue water. You needed dark glasses on deck. Pilots took sun baths on the forecastle.

Up on the broad flight deck, clad only in shorts, the chaplain and executive officer were playing deck tennis. And in the afternoon the forward elevator was let down, and officers and men played basketball.

Every night we had movies after supper. It was hard to keep it in your mind that we were a ship of war, headed for war.

Then ever so gradually the weather changed, and we plowed northward. Yesterday and all the days behind it had been tropically hot. Today was surprisingly and comfortably cool. Tomorrow would be cold. We were nearing the Great Hunting Grounds of Japan.

On the last day you could sense the imminence of it all over the ship. Not by anything big, but by the little things. Our weeks of monotony and waiting were at an end.

The daily briefing of the pilots became more detailed. There was less playboyism among the crew. Ordinary ship's rules were changed to battle rules.

What is known as the "extended action bill" went into effect. Sailors could let down their racks in

Today On The Home Front— America Faces Repetition Of 1921

By JAMES MARLOW WASHINGTON, March 29 (AP)—In 1921 the first world war in Europe was over. American farmers and industrialists, enormously expanded to win that war, were bitterly opposed to any purchases from abroad even though Europe was destitute.

And the republican congress—republicans traditionally have been for high protective tariffs—passed a temporary tariff to protect American agriculture from European competition.

President Wilson, just before leaving office, vetoed that tariff act and sent to congress a veto message. He suspected in that temporary measure the basis for a far-reaching and long-range tariff program.

He went out of office. In 1922 a republican congress passed the Fordney-McCumber tariff bill, the highest in our history. And in 1930 another republican congress passed the Hawley-Smoot tariff bill, still higher.

Other nations retaliated and erected high tariff walls of their own. So, our products were kept out of European markets, European products were kept out of America. World trade broke down.

The War Today

by Dewitt Mackenzie Associated Press War Analyst

Field Marshal Montgomery today clamped a news-blackout on the Allied northern wing, thereby placing the whole erupting western front under a cloak of intriguing mystery, though one which fortunately is pleasant enough in contemplation since we know it is merely for security reasons and conceals details of our mounting victory over the Hitlerites.

One thing a news blackout can't hide, and of course isn't meant to conceal—and this is that Hitler's military machine and civil administration are in a state of rapid dissolution. They're like a dyke which gradually has been weakening until finally the ravaging waters tear a gap and the whole structure seems to dissolve in the flood.

It's no exaggeration, I believe, to say that without this giant striking-power, peace would still be years away instead of just around the corner.

The development and application of Allied air strength has been one of the epics of the war. Only as far back as '42 Anglo-American bombing was just beginning to show possibilities. The world was aroused to possibilities by the first great 1,000 plane raid by the Royal Air Force on Cologne—a seven days' wonder. Later it developed that this was staged by Air Chief Marshal Sir Arthur Harris for the purpose of surprising the Allied world into an understanding of what air power could do.

That first great demonstration was in effect a plea for more bomber strength. In the fall of '42 when I spent much time with both Harris and General Eaker, then head of U.S. bomber forces based in England, they were begging for more warplanes. Harris had used virtually everything that he could make fly in order to stage the Cologne raid. The Allies were weak in air strength then, and really "got going" in '43—only two years ago.

multiplied thousands of ships, tanks, automobiles—all using gasoline or fuel oil. It's a wonder we get any gasoline at all and a tribute to those who produce, process and distribute it that in the face of such military demands that we still have an essential—and then some—supply here at home.

House Affairs Group Okays 'Neighbor' Bill

AUSTIN, March 29 (AP)—Unanimously approved by the house state affairs committee last night was a bill by Rep. A. J. Vale of Rio Grande City giving legal status of Texas' good neighbor commission.

The commission, created two years ago by resolution, seeks to better understanding among people of the Americas.

The Vale bill was ruled out on a point of order in the house recently when it was offered as a substitute for a bill setting up penalties for conviction of discrimination against persons of Latin-American origin. This ruling did not prevent introduction of the bill as an original measure.

Vale said he would seek early house consideration of the newly introduced bill.

MERCIER TO SPEAK HOUSTON, March 29 (AP)—A. T. Mercier of San Francisco, president of the Southern Pacific company, will be a guest speaker at a banquet tonight honoring H. M. Lull, executive vice president of the Southern Pacific lines, whose retirement becomes effective March 31.

Within the boundaries of the United States are located half of the world's known coal deposits.

The world went into chaos. All that Wilson had foreseen came true. Europe, indebted to us, could not pay off any debts because it couldn't sell its products to us.

Now we come to 1945. The European war is almost over. Europe is destitute. We face again the same situation that America faced in Wilson's time.

High tariffs can shut off Europe's products. But in the meantime this happened: Seeing the damage done, a democratic congress in 1924 passed the reciprocal trade agreements act.

This enabled this country to cut its tariffs as much as 50 per cent to deal with nations which agreed to cut their tariffs an equal amount to deal with us.

This act had to be renewed every few years. If it is not renewed in June it will collapse. President Roosevelt this week asked congress to renew the act.

He did more: He asked permission to reduce the tariffs even more than they have been cut. Republicans are up in arms in congress. They want to fight this proposal. History will show who is right: Roosevelt or the republicans who oppose him.

How To Torture Your Husband



Hal Boyle: Quentin R. Hardage Home For 30 Days; Records Show He Earned It

By HAL BOYLE REMAGEN BRIDGEHEAD, Germany (AP)—Operational reports said that Maj. Ralph Johnson of Chappels, S. C., had led the Second battalion of the 60th infantry regiment to high ground east of the Wied river and occupied the key town of Rahms, which overlooks the Cologne-Frankfurt superhighway.

In a period of fast-breaking news, that routine report would not interest many persons. But back in Madden, Miss., it would be the biggest news of the day for one 25-year-old lieutenant colonel.

It would tell Quentin R. Hardage that his old battalion was keeping the pace he had set for it. Two weeks ago Hardage was in command of the Second battalion and Johnson was his executive officer. Hardage now is on a 30-day leave because he has one of the best combat records of the war.

"There is room under the quota for only one man in the entire corps for a 30-day home leave," the word came down. And when they scrutinized the records there was no doubt that Hardage had best earned that place.

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Today And Tomorrow—

Plain Speaking Of Frisco

By WALTER LIPPMANN

Some plain speaking now about the San Francisco conference may save us much trouble and disappointment later on. For in relation to the task of the conference, and even more in relation to the expectations which have been allowed to build themselves up, the only prudent estimate is to say that if a satisfactory result is achieved it will have to be by brilliant improvisation.

It now seems reasonably certain that the climax of the European war will have begun before and will continue during the conference. The heads of states and the foreign ministers of all the principal powers are bound to be preoccupied in making the immediate, momentous and urgent decisions which are called for by the wholly unprecedented conditions under which the war in Europe is coming to its end. Yet at the time they are supposed to be in San Francisco, or to have their minds fixed on San Francisco, and to be deliberating upon the drafting of a charter which is to govern the long future in international affairs.

It is obvious that Roosevelt, Churchill, Stalin, De Gaulle, Chiang Kai-shek, cannot settle down to the business at San Francisco; they have to be in Washington, London, Moscow, Paris and Chungking, at the seat of their governments where they are in hourly personal contact with their principal advisers and lieutenants. It will not be much easier for the foreign ministers to be away not only from their own capital cities but from their embassies and the other facilities that are needed in the conduct of international affairs.

No matter how ingeniously communication is arranged with San Francisco, it is difficult to believe that men with the responsibility of Eden, Molotov, Bidault, would dare at this time in the shaping of events to absent themselves for more than the briefest period from their governments and their departments, and to devote their minds with the necessary leisure and deliberation to writing the charter.

Yet if the principal delegates are not the men who have the authority to reach decisions, the work done at San Francisco will have to be referred back to the capitals, and re-examined in diplomatic exchanges among the capitals.

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All who have had experience with international conferences have learned that the first rule for success is to have substantial agreement in advance on all questions of vital interests and high principle. The promoters and managers of the San Francisco meeting have not observed this rule, and it is, therefore, of the highest importance that we prepare ourselves to deal with the risks this imposes upon us.

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SEE Creaths when buying or selling used furniture; 20 years in furniture and mattress business in Big Spring. Rear 710 E. 3rd. Phone 602.
FOR Sale: Studio couch; practically new. Call at 603 E. 12th after 6 p. m.
FOR Sale or Trade: 7-ft. Superflex. Would trade for electric refrigerator. 701 Douglas after 1:30 p. m.
WILL consider selling our lovely wicker bassinet with hood and stand, if we can locate a nice home for it; will also consider selling undecorated. See Mrs. Bowers at 203 E. 6th.

For Sale

Miscellaneous
COTTON seed "MACHA Storm Resistance"; complete harvesting this April 10th at approximate cost \$10 bale; Field loss off stalk less 1/10 of one percent; producing over half bale; loan value 15 to 18 cents now. See this in field, check it if interested in net farming profits. Johnnie Graham, 6 miles east Midland, Texas.
FIELD SEED, GARDEN SEED, GRASS SEED
Sudan, Cane, Bonito, Higeria, Martin Plainsman, Beaver, Quadron, Milo - all Texas tagged and Arizona certified. Baby chicks, colored Easter chicks. Wanted: hatching eggs. Phone 1439. Keith's Feed Store.
COMPLETE stock of garden and field seeds. Will buy your surplus grain. Wooten Produce.
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Real Estate

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FIVE NEW—Prefabricated houses are now on display at Ranch Inn. Ready for sale and erecting. Five more will arrive Saturday morning and ten more the first of next week. Place your order now and yours will be the first to be put up. Ranch Inn Court, Roy F. Bell, Phone 9521.
FOR Sale: 2 houses at 905 Lancaster; each with 4-rooms and bath. Apply at 1307 W. 4th after 7:00 p. m.
TWO houses for sale on one lot; \$4,250. Call J. B. Pickle, 1217.
Houses For Sale
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FOR Sale: Rock house and 5 acres land, 8 miles east on Highway 80. See E. S. Shreve, Forsan or at house on Sunday.
FOR Sale: 5-room house; east front; on pavement; near school and grocery store; possession at once; priced to sell; you can get a good loan. Martin & Reed, Phone 257.
priced to sell at 424 Dallas St. Phone 370 or 1106 for appointment.

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Houses For Sale
FOR Sale: 5-room Stucco house with bath. Apply 812 W. 8th or call 1646-W.
FOR Sale: 3-room modern house. See owner at 1001 Lancaster.
Lots & Acreages
LOTS \$50 and up; also 320 acres land, \$25 per acre with terms. See J. D. Wright, two miles west of town. Rt. 2, Box 8.
LAND and concrete building on highway for sale; now used as filling station with living quarters. J. B. Pickle, Phone 1217.
FROM 15 to 17 acres for sale in East part of town; look this over if you are interested in acreage; owner will be here Saturday. J. B. Pickle, Phone 1217.
FOR Sale: 14 acres land with 5-room Stucco house; fronts on highway; home is furnished; has city water, lights and gas; ideal sight for auto courts. This place is priced reasonably; possession in few days. Martin & Reed, Phone 257.
Business & Ranches
FOR Sale: Several good ranches well improved; net wire fences; located in Borden and Garza counties, price from fifteen to twenty dollars. See or write A. M. Sullivan, Coahoma, Texas.

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FURNITURE wanted. We need used furniture. Give us a chance before you sell, get our prices before you buy. W. L. McCollister, 1001 W. 4th, Phone 1261.
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WANT to buy gas cook stove. Call Western Union.
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WANTED: Used radios and musical instruments. Will pay cash for anything. Anderson Music Co., phone 856 or call at 115 Main St.
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WANTED: Clocks to repair; we buy broken clocks. Wilke, 106 W. Third St.
Miscellaneous
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WANTED: Gasoline engine 1 1/2 to 3 H.P. Write Box 585, Forsan, Texas.

The American Way

FORT RANDALL, Alaska, March 29 (AP)—International Convention and English Peerage had American doughboys and officers in a dither when Sir Hubert Wilkins, noted Arctic Explorer came here during rescue operations of an army plane which crashed near Cold Bay.
But they solved the problem of how to address Sir Hubert with Yank informality and Sir Hubert didn't seem to mind.
Their greeting: "Hi-Ya, Sir!"
Its Struck—So What!
MILWAUKEE, March 29 (AP)—The Little boy in the bus with his mother was the center of attention as he tugged at a scarf, wrapped tightly around his head. He kept picking at the wrapping, finally removed it and unveiled a shiny aluminum pan clamped tightly to his head.
The mother gasped, glared at passengers and blurted: "Well, all right. It's stuck and we're going to a doctor to have it removed."
Human beings could not stand up on such small bones as exist in the foot without the foot's elaborate system of arches.
In primitive totemic dances of central Australia, it was not uncommon for the performers to be killed if they made a mistake.
The waltz, most popular of the

Announcements

Lost & Found
LOST: Lady's red leather pocketbook. Finder return to Mrs. R. Wason, room 708 at Settles Hotel, Reward.
LOST: 2 black and tan hounds; one with scar on face. Return to Tate Grocery for reward. 1200 W. 3rd.
LOST: Lady's navy billfold containing identification cards, Federal Building pass, papers, Mary Bernice Cason, Box 244, Stanton or 111 E. 2nd, Big Spring. Phone 119. Reward.

Woman's Column

WILL keep children by the day or hour, special care. 606 11th Place. Phone 2010.
I KEEP children by day or hour; excellent care. 207 Benton St. Phone 904-J.
MOTHERS: Mrs. E. A. Theford, 1002 W. 6th St. takes care of small children in her home by the hour, day or week. Extra good care.
WILL do ironing 75c dozen; shirts and pants 12c each. Phone 199.
WILL do mending and alterations at 1101 W. 3rd. Mrs. H. G. Russell. Phone 9572.
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Employment

Help Wanted—Male
WANTED: Reliable ranch worker; good salary with opportunity to run own stock and chance to get into ranch business. R. C. Davis, Sterling City Rt.
WANTED: A handy man for poultry farm; age no objection if able to work. Will furnish living quarters to right party; job offers post-war possibilities. If interested contact H. H. Rutherford at Hub's Poultry Farm at entrance to Bombardier School.
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Male or Female
WANTED: Kitchen help; male or female. The Wagon Wheel.
Help Wanted—Female
WANTED: Beauty operator; good hours; good salary. Call Nabor's Beauty Shop, 1252.

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Houses
FOR Rent: 4-room house with water, 13 miles west; \$25.00 month. See W. J. Johnson, 1/2 mile north of place.
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LOCAL civilian couple want furnished or unfurnished apartment or house. No children or pets. Call 739.
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WANTED: Furnished apartment or room with kitchenette. Please call Lt. Walsh 1680, extension 216 from 8:00 a. m. to 5:00 p. m.
GOOD TENANTS: Civilian couple; permanent; no drinking; no gambling. Urgently need 2 or 3-room furnished apartment. Call Tex Hotel, Room 106.
OFFICER and wife want to rent apartment in Big Spring; no children; no pets. Call Mrs. C. E. A. Bradford at Coahma, 2802.
PERMANENT, middle-aged civilian couple want to rent furnished apartment or house. Call 109.
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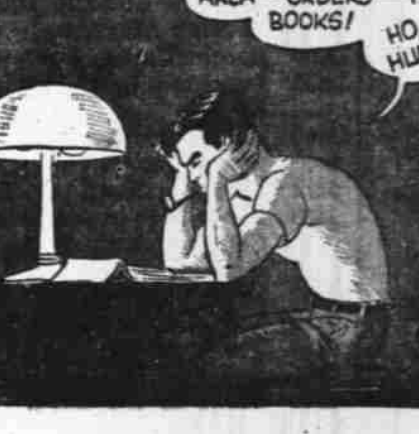
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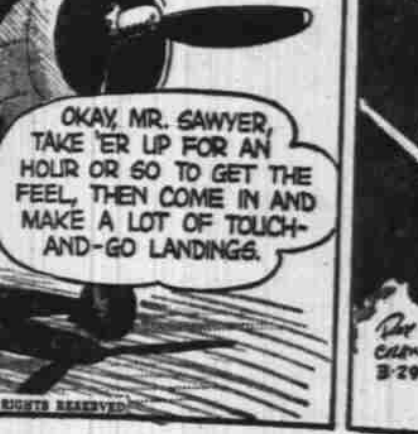
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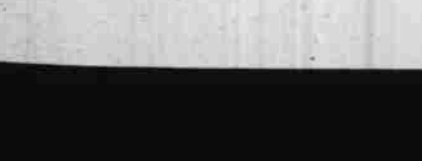
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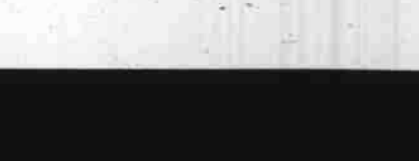
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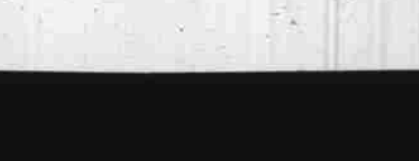
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War Correspondent Says Peace Not Near

WACO, TEX., March 29 (AP)—Associated Press War Correspondent J. Norman Lodge predicted last night that Germany would not be defeated before September and that victory in the Pacific would require three years after that date.

Lodge spoke at the Waco Junior Chamber of Commerce Annual Banquet. He said that the German army would withdraw into the Alps and stand off Allied troops in the same fashion as it has been doing in Italy. As for the Pacific, Lodge said complacency, selfishness and over-optimism at home could cost the United States its chance to win in the Pacific war.

Sam Powell, Jr., was installed as new President of the Junior Chamber of Commerce in ceremonies at the banquet.

Eleven East Texas Towns To Be Aided

MARSHALL, TEX., March 29 (AP)—Rep. Wright Patman notified the Marshall Chamber of Commerce yesterday that eleven East Texas towns are to share in a national postwar airport development program.

They will be included in a survey of a need of a system of airports and landing areas throughout the United States, to be conducted by the Secretary of Commerce through the Administration of the Civil Aeronautics Administration. The survey is requested under House Resolution 598 passed by congress.

East Texas towns included are Marshall, Jefferson, Clarksville, Cooper Daingerfield, DeKalb, Mt. Pleasant, Paris, Simms, Sulphur Springs and Texarkana.

Each adult inhales a gallon of air per minute, and consumes 30 ounces of oxygen daily.

The island of Java has a volcanic mountain backbone which reaches as high as 10,000 feet.

estimate, he explained, is based on the knowledge that almost all meat below army grade is being sold through black market channels.



ALL ABOARD—Sled-dogs and drivers who were flown to Belgium to help evacuate wounded from snow-bound battlefronts are loaded aboard a plane of the Air Transport Command.

British Monopoly In Persia

Editor's Note: This is the second of three articles on the competition for advantageous positions in the enormously rich oil fields of the Middle East.

By CHARLES A. GRUMICH
ON THE PERSIAN GULF (AP)— Persian oil will remain a rigid monopoly until after the war, despite the desires of American private companies and the Soviet Union to stake out concessions and the competitive desire of the British to protect themselves by expansion.

The British monopoly is held by the Anglo-Iranian Oil Company, Ltd., which operates a huge refinery at Abadan.

American companies sent negotiators to dicker with the Iranian government last year. Britain likewise gave indications of further interest and, eventually, the Third ally with troops in Iran sent in a deputy commissary from Moscow for a voice and a share in the oil prospect.

GRIN AND BEAR IT



"Hon. Spy report U. S. housing laid waste by Nippon bombers, even prominent spokesmen forced to live as vagrants—when big news happen, reporter always seek view of 'Man in Street'"

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HEARING ON BILL

AUSTIN, March 29 (AP)— The house state affairs committee has ordered a public hearing April 9 (7:30 p. m.) on a bill by Rep. Tom Deen of Floydada making it illegal for women and girls to be employed in establishments selling intoxicating beverages at retail.

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Beavers Becoming Too Numerous In Texas County, But They're Liked

COLLEGE STATION, March 29 (AP)—Beavers have become so numerous on some Wheeler county farms that they may have to be sifted.

County Agricultural Agent J. L. Tarter reports that the State Game, Fish and Oyster Commission had been requested to trap and take some of the industrious fur-bearers out of the county.

The Wheeler county beaver colony appears to be the oldest and largest in Texas. According to R. E. Callender, game management specialist for the A. & M. college extension service, it is known that the beavers have demonstrated their building craft along Sweetwater creek and raised generations of young for more than 40 years. Callender believes there are two possible reasons for the reported over-population. One is a permanent closed season on hunting and the other that the current population is more than the available timber will support.

An oddity of the colony's location is the limited amount of timber available for their maintenance and passion for building. The tree growth is mainly willow and cottonwood. A normal population, Mr. Callender adds, "seems to eat itself into timber instead of out of it." In other words, when the beavers crop the willow and cottonwood suckers grow quickly and replace the supply of browse. There are mixed emotions among farmers and ranchmen regarding the benefits and disadvantages of beavers homing in the neighborhood. Tarter relates that J. K. Ribble of Mobeetie has lost 200 trees of various sizes. But he likes beavers as they dam the creek and create basins to collect water for livestock.

Comparatively, Tarter explains, the Stiles ranch would rather have a beaver dam than a well and windmill. On Sweetwater creek, which is fed by slow flowing springs, all beaver-made ponds have fish. Beavers instinctively seek a dam site which at least has a seep of water which never dries up. If the seep is impounded there is not sufficient to create a livestock watering place.

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Criminal Charges On Packers To Be Filed

DALLAS, TEX., March 29 (AP)—Lester C. Boone, Regional Foods Enforcement Attorney, said yesterday that criminal charges would be filed Friday against three Dallas independent packers for their connections with the black market in meat.

Approximately 10,000,000 pounds of meat have moved on the Dallas and Ft. Worth black market during the year, Boone said. This

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