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# Fifth Army Progresses Into Cassino

## U.S. Heavy Bombers Hit Southern Germany Again

**By GLADWIN HILL**  
LONDON, March 16 (AP)—Bearing down on southern Germany in great strength, U. S. heavy bombers struck another hard blow today in quick sequence to a record night attack by the RAF which hit Stuttgart, Munich and other targets with more than 1,000 four-engined bombers carrying over 3,360 tons of bombs.

It was the U. S. strategic air force's second aerial invasion of Germany in as many days. First detailed accounts of the smash came from the German radio which said widespread falls of snow and close clouds caused great difficulties in getting fighters off the ground to meet the onslaught.

Nevertheless, the German reports said, fierce air battles took place along the bombers' course over eastern France and western German provinces. Similar radio accounts yesterday, however, dwelled off into emphasis on the cloudy weather and it developed that only a small defensive force was able to meet the challenge when the Americans bombed the aircraft production

center of Brunswick with a loss of three heavy planes. Today's sally was officially described as in "great strength," in contrast to yesterday's "medium" force whose fighters shot down 36 of these enemy fighters. The bombers yesterday claimed none. Stuttgart received the main shock of the RAF's weight. At the same time that this important industrial target was being ground to pieces, other British airmen hit at Munich in southwest Germany, other targets in northwest Germany and smashed at railway objectives in Amiens, France, with their heavy bombers.

Forty British aircraft, following up the blow at the aircraft center of Brunswick yesterday by the American Fortresses and Liberator fleets, were lost in the huge night invasion.

"The weather prevented immediate observation of the results, but towards the end of the attack the glow of large fires were seen through the clouds," the air ministry said in announcing the Stuttgart attack. Only a few hours after the RAF

returned from the multiple attack, a big force of American bombers roared out across the English Channel to continue the onslaught by daylight.

Meanwhile Allied headquarters announcements from Naples reported a two-way operation against Germany and her satellites with a heavy and medium bomber attack from Italy last night against Sofia, capital of Bulgaria, followed by a raid in force by RAF Wellingtons which rained two-ton blockbusters on that junction.

Dispatches from Naples said it was believed that the railway was severed at least temporarily. The record load on a single target—2,800 short tons—which was tossed on Berlin on Feb. 15 may have been exceeded in the hammering of Stuttgart, although the air ministry did not specifically say that a new mark had been set.

Stuttgart, visited by six major attacks—attacks involving from 500 to 2,000 tons of bombs each—since the start of the war, also is one of Germany's most important railway junctions. It also was bombed heavily by the Americans on Sept. 6.

## US And Britain Urge Finns To End Nazi Ties

### President Appeals For Termination Of "This Hateful Partnership"

WASHINGTON, March 16 (AP)—The United States joined Great Britain in a direct appeal to the Finnish people today to end what President Roosevelt termed "this hateful partnership" in war with Nazi Germany. A formal presidential statement was issued at the White House after Britain had urged the Finns to accept Soviet Russia's armistice terms or "court national disaster." This apparent last-minute effort to prevent complete collapse of Russo-Finnish peace negotiations, said in the president's name:

It has always seemed odd to me and to the people of the United States to find Finland a partner of Nazi Germany, fighting by side with the sworn enemies of our civilization. "The Finnish people now have a chance to withdraw from this hateful partnership. The longer they stay at Germany's side the more sorrow and suffering is bound to come to them. I think I can speak for all Americans when I say that we sincerely hope Finland will now take the opportunity to disassociate herself from Germany."

In view of the Finnish parliament's vote yesterday, interpreted in Stockholm as tantamount to approval of the government's rejection of the Soviet terms, it was not immediately clear how Mr. Roosevelt hoped his peace appeal could be accomplished—whether through re-opening of armistice negotiations or through a popular demand on the part of the Finnish people which would be reflected through their government.

Presidential Secretary Stephen Early said that he thought the reason for issuing the statement could be found in the last half of the last sentence, voicing a hope that Finland now will sever ties with Germany. The underlying reason for the Finns' rejection was believed to be their inability or unwillingness to intern German divisions in their country. Even deeper, perhaps, is their fear of Russian domination.

## Sofia Railroad Yards Are Smashed By RAF

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, Naples, March 16 (AP)—RAF Wellingtons attacking in force early this morning smashed the railroad yards of Sofia, capital of Bulgaria. The important railway line connecting the capital with Belgrade, the capital of Yugoslavia, was believed severed by thousands of bombs, including many two-ton blockbusters dropped by the night flying Wellingtons.

The weather was perfect, the crews reported, and good visibility augmented by flares permitted target areas to be completely covered.

### ADMIT LOSSES

NEW YORK, March 16 (AP)—The Japanese Domei Agency said today that Japanese forces opposing United States troops on Los Negros in the Admiralty islands had been "reduced by about half due to the intense nature of the fighting" out asserted "our troops are unflinchingly taking the initiative and inflicting heavy losses on the enemy."

## Texas Ace Is Reported Missing

ALLIED AIRFORCE HEADQUARTERS, Southwest Pacific, March 16 (AP)—Lieut. Gen. George C. Kenny today announced the disappearance of Capt. Neal Kearby, army fighter pilot from Dallas and San Antonio, Texas, who had 21 Japanese planes to his credit and who won the congressional medal of honor for downing six enemy planes in one day last year. At the same time, the death of Lt. Col. Thomas Lynch, a Catalauga, Pa., army fighter pilot credited with 19 planes, was reported from an advanced air base somewhere in New Guinea. (Yesterday, at Dallas, Dr. J. G. Kearby, father of the flyer, said the war department had advised the family that Col. Kearby has been unreported since March 5. In San Antonio, where Col. Kearby's wife and three small sons reside, Mrs. Kearby said she had received on Monday, a few hours before the war department announcement, a letter from the



**Allies Smash At Cassino**—Allied planes smashed at greatest concentrated bombing attack in history, and Allied infantry and artillery began a new assault on the strongpoint blocking the road to Rome. Arrows indicate Allied drives on the two Italian battlefronts (black lines). On the beach head south of Rome, British troops improved their positions south of Carroceto. (AP Wirephoto).

## Decision Near On Juvenile Set-Up

City, county and school officials moved close to the adoption of a cooperative program in coping with the juvenile problem Wednesday at a joint committee conference. Out of the parley came these results: Announcement that the

## Wife Of Elliott Roosevelt Asks For A Divorce

FORT WORTH, March 16 (AP)—Charging "unkind, harsh and tyrannical conduct" by Elliott Roosevelt, second son of the president, Mrs. Ruth Goggins Roosevelt Thursday filed suit in 48th district court for divorce, custody of their three children and for one-half of their community property. The petition set forth that she and Roosevelt, now an army air forces colonel on duty in the European theater, separated "on or about Oct. 1, 1943," after their marriage on July 22, 1933. Her attorney, R. K. Hanger, who signed the petition, said it "merely alleges statutory grounds." The petition said: "At all times the plaintiff, while married to the defendant, has conducted herself with propriety, doing her duty as a wife and at all times treated the defendant with kindness and forbearance."

But Colonel Roosevelt, the petition continued, "disregarding the solemnity of his marriage vows and his obligation to treat the plaintiff with kindness and attention, about a year to their said separation commenced a course of unkind, harsh, and tyrannical conduct toward the plaintiff which continued with slight intermission until plaintiff finally separated from defendant on or about Oct. 1, 1943." Colonel Roosevelt was "guilty of excesses, cruel treatment and outrages toward the plaintiff of such a nature as to render their living together unupportable," according to the petition. Mrs. Roosevelt asked custody of their three children, Ruth Chandler, Elliott, Jr. and David (See DIVORCE, Pg. 10, Col. 3)

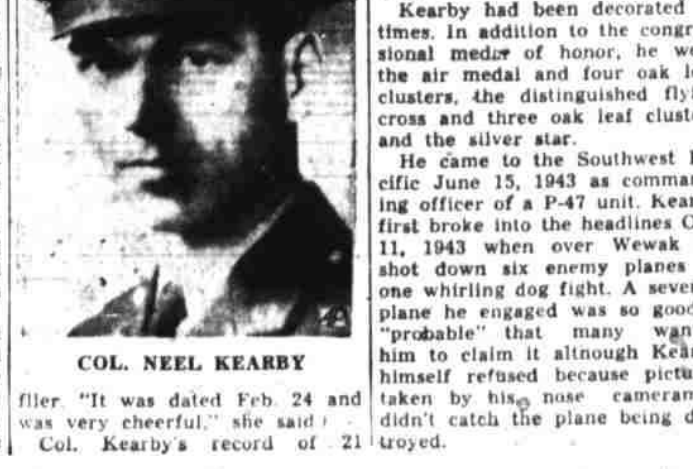
## Allies Shoot Down Its Own Planes

SAN FRANCISCO, March 16 (AP)—Twenty U. S. army transport planes were shot down by Allied anti-aircraft fire when they came within range immediately after a German bombing attack in Sicily, Sgt. Jack Folsie, correspondent for Stars and Stripes, has disclosed.

Addressing the Commonwealth club here yesterday in an army-approved speech, Sgt. Folsie said the Sicilian invasion was as "near a perfect campaign as could wish for" but for the "unfortunate incident."

### MOTORIST SENTENCED

WACO, March 16 (AP)—A 54th district court jury convicted Aubrey Glenn Hassell, 23, of failure to stop and render aid in connection with the traffic death of Paul Tony Schachtli of Chicago, near West Tex., Feb. 29 and sentenced him to one year in county jail.



**COL. NEAL KEARBY**  
flyer "It was dated Feb. 24 and was very cheerful," she said. Col. Kearby's record of 21

## Debris Littered Streets Impede Advance Of Tanks

**By EDWARD KENNEDY**  
ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, Naples, March 16 (AP)—Covered by a thundering artillery barrage, Fifth army infantry and tanks plunged into the ghost city of Cassino today but Allied headquarters said the advance was impeded by continuing German resistance and the ruins left by yesterday's record aerial bombardment. The enormous destruction wrought by the weight of some 2,500 tons of bombs actually delayed Allied armor. From surrounding hills the Germans were laying down heavy mortar fire on the town.

Steady progress was reported, however, both in the devastated city and in the hills to the northwest. As the troops drove into the piles of wildly-churned rubble left by history's most concentrated air attack, several hundred British and American artillery pieces pounded the enemy back. Turning from Cassino and other targets in Italy yesterday, the Allied air forces took a crack last night and early today at railway and other targets in Sofia, capital of Bulgaria. A communique said both heavy and medium bombers attacked successfully.

On the beachhead below Rome, Allied ground forces also were on the move, taking two German defense points and holding them against forceful enemy counter-attacks. Lt. Gen. Ira C. Eaker, commander of the Mediterranean Allied air forces, called the Cassino bombardment "a fumigation" and expressed the belief "few enemy defenses were left intact."

On the basis of information available at headquarters this morning it was certain some Germans still were holding out in the immediate vicinity of Cassino but whether remnants remained in the town itself was not immediately determined. It was known, however, that there were many underground hideaways in the town. At any rate, the Germans were obeying Hitler's orders that this key strongpoint on the way to Rome must be held at all costs and were fighting to the end, official reports indicated.

In the northwest hills where Allied infantry was penetrating the Germans still held many strongpoints immediately adjacent to the town. The enemy was reported fighting stubbornly from these points. In the 2,500 sorties sent against Cassino and other targets in Italy yesterday, the Allied air forces lost six planes, it was announced officially.

Although Fifth army forces on the beachhead threw back enemy efforts to regain the two enemy strongpoints taken yesterday southwest of Carroceto, latest reports today said fighting still was going on under harassing enemy artillery fire.

## Union Acquiesces In 50 Dismissals

DETROIT, March 16 (AP)—Faced with the possibility of further suspensions of its members from their jobs at the Ford Motor Co. Rouge plant, Local 609 of the United Automobile Workers (CIO) today announced, through its officials, that it would offer "no defense" for those found responsible for yesterday's blockade at the plant gates. The indefinite suspension of 50 employees was announced late last night, following a series of rapid-fire developments growing out of the blockade.

Both R. J. Thomas, president of the UAW-CIO, and W. T. Grant, newly-elected president of Ford Local 609, said they were investigating the new suspensions along with ten others and ten discharges resulting from a demonstration and unauthorized strike in the aircraft engine plant last week. Then Grant added: "The position of the local and international is that we'll conform to the no-strike pledge and anyone found participating in the disturbance against this pledge will not be given union support."

A Ford spokesman said the latest suspensions were handed out after interviews with those accused of participating in the blockade and with the consent of officers of Local 609 and the international union.

**GIVEN DRIVING FINE**  
J. Alf Collins pleaded guilty Thursday in county court to a charge of driving when intoxicated. He was assessed a fine of \$50 and his driver's license was suspended for six months.

**GRUENING RENOMINATED**  
WASHINGTON, March 16 (AP)—Ernest Gruening was nominated by President Roosevelt today for another term as Governor of Alaska. His old term expired Feb. 7.

**Boards Asked To Hurry Dad Draft**  
WASHINGTON, March 16 (AP)—With military manpower needs running behind at the rate of 100,000 men a month, local draft boards were urged today to step up the induction of fathers and to seek out men now needlessly deferred in industry and agriculture. "We must, in the future, make fathers available in increasingly greater numbers to meet induction requirements," said Selective Service Director Lewis B. Hershey in a letter to all boards. The letter was dated March 13. Yesterday, in testifying before a senate sub-committee, Hershey emphasized that the armed forces now are calling for young men. Defending his month-old order tightening up draft deferments for farmers, he said 476,000 of the estimated 1,700,000 deferred farmers are under 26. Senator Russell (D-Ga), chairman of an agriculture sub-committee investigating the effect of the farmer draft, declared "food production is going to drop." In his letter to local boards, released last night, the draft director said selective service had failed to meet its quotas for five consecutive months. The Army and Navy will need about 1,160,000 men during the period Feb. 1-July 1, he said in order to meet the mid-year goal of 11,300,000. Hershey estimated the revised regulation limiting occupational deferments for men under 26 would mean the drafting of 200,000 to 250,000 out of about 380,000 now deferred in war industries.

## Central Sector In So. Russia Near Collapse

MOSCOW, March 16 (AP)—The whole central sector of the German front in Southern Russia appeared in a state of collapse, the Russians said today as Marshal Ivan S. Konev's second Ukrainian army drove relentlessly on toward Rumania, advance units of his troops reaching positions less than 199 miles from the frontier. (The Rumanian frontier as defined by Moscow is the border which was set up in 1940 after Russia had annexed Bessarabia. Actually, according to official Russian reports on the Soviet advance, Red army troops are within 30 miles of the Bessarabian border.)

Field dispatches said that two great Soviet drives were making speedy progress toward Nikolae and Odessa and that the Germans were falling back in confusion upon these potential evacuation ports. Some Russian units were reported about 100 miles north of Odessa while Nikolae was virtually cut off from the Black sea by Russian big guns covering Bug lake below the city.

The Germans, apparently were in danger of losing the most northern of the only two remaining railways in their hands which runs back into Bessarabia. The army newspaper, Red Star, said Stormovik dive bombers were blasting a way for Konev's cavalry as it moves forward through the 62-mile gap on the western side of the Bug river. The Soviets were reported 20 miles beyond the river in some places and slightly less than 25 miles from the Dniester river, which is the Bessarabian boundary.

Indications are that the Germans will try to make an all-out stand on the Dniester, and this should result in the most concerted defense since the Germans tried to halt the Red army at the Dnieper.

## Doctor Sentenced On Spy Charges

DETROIT, March 16 (AP)—Federal Judge Edward J. Moinet today sentenced Dr. Fred W. Thomas, Detroit obstetrician convicted of conspiracy to violate the wartime espionage act, to 16 years in federal prison. Dr. Thomas, one of eight persons indicted on charges of espionage conspiracy, was convicted two weeks ago by a federal court jury. Six pleaded guilty and are awaiting sentencing. Charges against the eighth, Bertrand Stuart Hoffman, a merchant marine seaman, were dismissed as his trial on the ground that he was mentally incapable of understanding the charge. Dr. Thomas was accused of supplying espionage information on war production and troop movements and ingredients for the manufacture of invisible ink to Miss Grace Buchanan-Dineen, described by the Federal Bureau of Investigation as the leader of the espionage ring.

## Clifford B. Jones Resigns Tech Post

LUBBOCK, March 16 (AP)—Dr. Clifford B. Jones has resigned as president of Texas Technological college at Lubbock, effective next June.

The college board of directors, in special session at Fort Worth yesterday, "very reluctantly" accepted the resignation on Dr. Jones' insistence that his health would not permit him to continue as active head of the college, a post he has held since November, 1938. The board voted unanimously to give him the title of president emeritus.

Charles C. Thompson, Colorado City, board chairman, said the board had not had time to center on a successor to Jones. Jones had been connected with Texas Tech longer than any other person. He was a member of the first directorate, appointed March, 1923, and of all succeeding directorates until he resigned from the board on the day of his elevation to the presidency, Nov. 23, 1938.

He was chairman of the board from 1927 until he became the college's executive head. Prior to moving to Lubbock on Feb. 2, 1939, when he actively assumed the presidency, Jones had been connected with the S. M. Swenson & Sons ranching interests for 28 years, with headquarters at Spur. From 1911 to 1919 he was assistant to his father, the late Charles A. Jones, who managed the vast farm and ranch holdings for the Swensons and who chose the site and directed the laying out of the city of Spur. In 1913, when the elder Jones assumed direction of the Swenson sulphur interests in South Texas, Dr. Jones became resident manager and retained that post until he resigned to become Tech president. A former president of the West Texas chamber of commerce, Dr. Jones' business interests have included, besides his farming and ranching, banking, a railroad directorate and an area directorship of the Public Works Administration. He has been called the "only college president in the United States who can do a man's job in a branding pen."

Dr. and Mrs. Jones will divide their time between Lubbock and their old home, Spur. He said his plans after leaving the presidency were to "do nothing except greet my friends and eventually catch up on my fishing which has been sadly neglected."

## Law Says Board Will Consider Statement

HOUSTON, March 16 (AP)—F. M. Law, president of the Texas A. and M. College board of directors, said today that "as soon as the board has had an opportunity to consider Dr. Walton's statement a reply from the board will be made." He declined further comment. Former President T. O. Walton Wednesday challenged the board to resign in a body in the best interests of the institution and the state with a promise of abandoning any planned court action in response to the resignation.



**CLIFFORD B. JONES**

## Red Cross Drive Moving To Quota

Coming out of the doldrums, the Red Cross war fund roll was gaining such power and speed Thursday that the dream of meeting the \$24,800 quota by Saturday night loomed as a distinct possibility. The total of cash in hand had swollen to \$19,000 at noon Thursday, according to A. V. Karcher, general drive chairman for the Howard-Glasscock counties chapter.

Not included is more than a thousand dollars known to be already raised in Glasscock county toward the \$1,500 quota there. There are other sizable firm contributions due to come in by Saturday, putting the drive within reach of the goal if all persons and businesses, who have not yet given or reported "will do so promptly," said Karcher. The gain since Wednesday was \$1,200, with \$244.95 of it coming from the Big Spring schools. R-Bag community originally attached to Coloma for drive purposes, reported \$156.25 on its own hook and Forsan community kicked up its contribution with another \$49.75. Check added \$9 to a small partial report of last week. Several firms turned in sizeable amounts but none specified whether it was 100 per cent.

Aiding in the appeal for gifts, the Rev. H. C. Smith will speak over KBST at 7:15 p. m. today; H. D. Norris speaks Friday at the same time and Saturday at 8:15 a. m. Karcher will make a last-minute appeal for the Red Cross.

## Validity Dates Of Stamps Announced

WASHINGTON, March 16 (AP)—Dates when additional 10-point stamps will be good for buying rationed food were announced by the office of Price Administration (OPA) today, as follows: Red Stamps G8, H8 and J8 will be valid from March 26 through June 18 for meats and fats. Blue Stamps F8, G8, H8, J8 and K8 may be used for processed foods from April 1 through June 20.



# Mrs. Harry W. Blomshield Honored At Morning Coffee At The Settles Hotel

Mrs. Carl S. Blomshield entertained with a coffee at the Settles hotel Wednesday introducing Mrs. Harry W. Blomshield, who before her recent marriage to Petty Officer Blomshield, was Miss Janell Shanafelt, daughter of Mrs. S. C. Chanafelt of Bryson. Hours were from 11 to 1 o'clock and the entertaining room was decorated with frock baskets of shell pink gladioli, snapdragons, and other spring flowers.

Receiving guests were Mrs. Carl Blomshield, who wore a pearly printed ensemble and a shawl of roses; Mrs. Harry Blomshield, the honoree, who was attired in a sky blue morning frock with a shawl arrangement of orchids; Mrs. S. C. Chanafelt, mother of the honored guest, who was attired in a black dress with a corsage of white spring flowers; Elizabeth Shanafelt, the honoree's sister, Virginia Kennedy and Nell Hatch.

Members of the houseparty included Mrs. M. H. Bennett, Mrs. J. Y. Robb, Mrs. Ben Carter, Mrs. G. I. Phillips, Mrs. Shine Phillips, Mrs. C. C. Kent and Mrs. Dave P. Watt.

Refreshments were served from a table centered with a crystal epergne decorated with fruit and rannunculus and old English coffee services were at either end. Around 120 guests called.

**Dinner Party**  
Mrs. G. I. Phillips was hostess for a dinner party held in the Settles coffee shop Wednesday evening honoring Mrs. Harry Blomshield and Miss Virginia Kennedy, who will be married on March 29th to Capt. J. B. Smith in Seaburn, Fla.

The affair was held at 7:30 o'clock and the dinner table was centered with an arrangement of sweetheart roses and fern.

Those attending were Mrs. Herman McPherson, Mrs. Oscar Weathersby, Mrs. A. A. McKinney, Mrs. George Wilson, Mrs. Bruce Hardin, Janice Slaughter, Marjorie Lay, Wynelle Woodall, Schumaker, Mrs. Phillips and the two honored guests.

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# Society

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**SITTING PRETTY**—In tubular cotton frock with scalloped petticoat flounce sleeves outlined in white soutache braid. Summer styles this year will lean heavily toward washable cottons in clear everfast colors.

# Girl Scouts Have Entertainment In Stanton Home

**STANTON, March 16**—The first formal entertainment of the Girl Scouts of Stanton was held in the home of Mrs. A. R. Houston, executive board president, recently.

Hours were from 2 to 6 o'clock and members of the Brownie troop were hostesses for the first hour assisted by their leaders, Mrs. Calvin Jones and Mrs. Jess Bradley. Those present for this hour were: Mrs. Wayne Cook, Barbara Cook, Mrs. J. A. Ferrell, Mary Clydene White, Mrs. Dwayne Ory, Yvonne Ory, Mrs. Jesse L. Bradley, Gena Bradley, Mrs. J. E. Kelly, Janice Houston, Mary Lynn Hamilton, Sue Jane Zimmerman, Lou Ann Barfield, Mrs. Morgan Hall, Jo Jon Hall, Mrs. J. C. Mott, Eula Belle Mott, Mrs. Jess F. Blair, Barbara Dell Blair, Doetta Beale, Betty Jo Poulson, Mrs. Calvin B. Jones, Mrs. Morris Zimmerman, Mrs. Clark Hamilton and son, Jimmy.

The intermediate group was hostess for the second hour with their leaders, Mrs. J. E. Moffett, Mrs. Edmond Tom assisting.

A program was presented and those attending were Mrs. John F. Priddy, Mrs. A. D. Widner, Mrs. Maud Echols, Miss Emabeth Pittman, Mrs. Ida Mashburn, Mrs. Loy Mashburn, Mrs. H. G. Gilpatrick, Mrs. James Jones, Mrs. Jack Jones, Miss Jerrene Prindle, Mrs. Edmond Tom, Mrs. J. E. Moffett, Sue Houston, Wanda Mashburn, Leslie Jean Tom, Ermine Haynie, Belle Jones, Patsy Kelly, Toosie Barfield, Yvonne Gilpatrick, Ida Mae Peters, Betty Carol Bennett, Mary Sue Moffett, Corene Herington, Joy Mashburn, Martha Fuquay, Joyce Peñise, Jo Ann Jones.

The third-hour of the tea was devoted to the Senior Troop of the Girl Scouts of which Miss Mary Priddy Stover is leader and Mrs. P. G. Smithson is assistant leader.

Betty Ruth Gibson, president of the troop, assisted by Patsy Wilkinson, presided at the tea service. The guests were Patsy Wilkinson, Betty Ruth Gibson, Mrs. E. H. Morrow, Mrs. S. M. Wilkinson, Miss Storey, Mrs. Smithson, Misses Ruth Pierce, Lavada Davis, Betty Aisup, Frances Morrow, Billy Keisling and Billie Thomson.

# Activities at the USO

**THURSDAY**  
8:30 — Craft class.  
General activities with Thursday GSO girls.

**FRIDAY**  
Plans for March 24 dance.

**SATURDAY**  
4:00 - 10:00 — Cookies and coffee furnished by the Home Demonstration club to be served by volunteer hostesses.

9:00 — Recording hour in lobby.

The hobby show at the local USO club turned out to be one of the most successful activities held and was in keeping with suggestions from national headquarters to shift entertainment schedules to more educational activities.

A group of boys, all model plane hobbyists, organized a club known as the Big Spring Gas Model Club, and planes which they had built were on display. Members showing models were James Burros, Robert Hobbs, Bennett Petty and Harry Hurt, Jr. Charles Nicholson displayed a solid model which he had built.

Other articles included in the display were Aztec Indian relics owned by Mrs. P. Marion Simms and a doll, 75 years old, owned by Mrs. W. G. Wilson, Jr.

Attendance on Monday evening was 249 and on Tuesday evening reached 301. Hostesses serving Monday evening were Mrs. V. W. Fuglar, Mrs. Ollie Eubanks, Nell Brown and Mrs. Albert Furlong. Hobby hostesses were Mrs. Roy Green, Mrs. J. A. Myers and Mrs. Mary Locke.

Serving as desk hostesses on Tuesday evening were Mrs. R. B. G. Cowper, Mrs. J. M. Woodall, Mrs. D. P. Watt and Mrs. Eul Robb.

Hobby host and hostesses were Nat Shick, Mrs. Albert Fisher, Mrs. H. G. Carmack, Mrs. W. G. Wilson, Jr.

Townpeople, junior and senior hostesses and service men and WACs are reminded that the conversational French class will begin Monday evening at 8:30 o'clock at the club and the class is open to everyone.

As late as 1877, the use of steel in bridge-building was prohibited in England.

# Lieut. Cheshire Is Guest Speaker At Sorority Meet

Lieut. Homer Cheshire, bombardier who recently returned from combat was guest speaker at the Tuesday evening meeting of the Beta Sigma Phi sorority which was held at the Settles hotel.

During a business session a report was given by the nominating committee and the program committee and the program was outlined for rush week. April 9th, Easter Sunday, a coffee will be held in the home of Harriette Smith and on April 13th, a Gay Nineties party will be held at Eddy Raye Smith's home. Sorority model meeting is scheduled for April 18th and will be directed by Dorothy Sain. On April 23, a preferential tea will be held at Nell Rhea McCrary's home, and May 4th the ritual of jewels banquet and dance will be held at the Settles hotel.

Those attending the meeting were Janie Brimberry, Lucille Burk, Joyce Croft, Ann Darrow, Tommy Dodrill, Evelyn Ann Flint, Gene Goin, Loveda Grafa, Francis Hendrix, Nell Rhea McCrary, Evelyn Merrill, Gloria Nell.

Lee Ida Pinkston, Dorothy Sain, Clarinda Mary Sanders, Billie Frances Shaffer, Mattie Skiles, Janice Slaughter, Carolyn Smith, Harriette, Smith, Mary Steggs, Dorothy Willis, Marguerite Wooten and Eddy Raye Smith.

# Hostesses Visit Post Hospital

A group of hostesses from the local USO club visited the post hospital at the Big Spring Bombardier School Wednesday evening with chairman, Mrs. F. V. Kimzey.

Flowers, cookies and reading material was distributed in the hospital wards and those attending were Helen Duley, Melva Ray and Oneta Chapman. Marilee Beavers, Mozelle Bradley, Dorothy Long, and Maxine Wallace.

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# KONGENIAL KLUB ENTERTAINED IN McDONALD HOME

Mrs. Cecil McDonald was hostess to the Kongenial Klub when it met Wednesday in her home for a bridge party.

Mrs. Escot Compton won high score, Mrs. Hershal Petty second high, and Mrs. Bill Edwards bingoed. Mrs. Ed Bowe won guest high.

Refreshments were served to three guests, Mrs. D. B. Cox, Mrs. Bowe, and Mrs. J. O. Vineyard, and to members, Mrs. Compton, Mrs. Edwards, Mrs. Petty, Mrs. R. W. Halbrook, Mrs. Jack Smith, Mrs. Hack Wright.  
The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Petty.

# Toads For Victory

WAYCROSS, Ga. (AP)—"Protect the Toad" week will be observed March 20-25, Miss Lilyan Stewart, who launched the project 12 years ago, announces. Miss Stewart said the theme this year would be "Toads for Victory."  
The idea, she said, is to emphasize the economic importance of the toad in protecting Victory gardens from damaging insects.

The first point in the United States struck by the rising sun is Mount Katahdin, Maine.

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# Misused Tokens

SAN FRANCISCO, (AP)—M. S. Maxwell, international vice president of the butcher workmen's union, found at least part of what he set out to find—unusual marketing conditions.  
In one store, he found the proprietor had been duped by purchasers who had split 30 of the new red ration tokens and colored them with lipstick.



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# CALENDAR

**THURSDAY**  
GREAT INTERNATIONAL BROTHERHOOD OF LOCOMOTIVE ENGINEERS will meet at the WOW hall at 3 o'clock.  
EAST WARD PARENT-TEACHERS ASSOCIATION will meet at the school at 3:30 p. m.  
VICTORY BRIDGE CLUB plans to meet in the home of Mrs. Wyatt Eason at 2 o'clock.  
**FRIDAY**  
TRAINMEN LADIES will meet at the WOW hall at 2:30 o'clock.

# Forsan P-T.A. To Donate To Red Cross

**FORSAN, March 16**—The Parent Teacher's Association met Tuesday afternoon in the music room at the school for a business session presided over by Mrs. Bill Conger, Jr.

The group voted to give \$10 to the Red Cross and to use the balance of the money in the treasury to assist in installing lighting fixtures in the grade school.

A nominating committee composed of Mrs. D. W. Roberson, Mrs. O. F. Fletcher, Mrs. J. D. Leonard was selected by Mrs. Conger, and the second grade class won the attendance prize for having the most mothers present.

The next meeting is scheduled the first Tuesday in April and Miss Camilla Holsager will present the program.

Those attending the meeting were Mrs. Roberson, Mrs. Alfred Theime, Mrs. Roy C. Davis, Mrs. Henry Parks, Mrs. O. F. Fletcher, Mrs. Leonard, Mrs. C. L. West, Mrs. Conger and Aquilla West.

# Called Meeting Held In Midland

Three members of the local chapter of the Music Study club attended a called meeting of the ninth district of the Federation of Music clubs which was held in Midland Wednesday.

Mrs. Paul Moss of Odessa, district president, called the meeting in preparation for the state convention which will be held in Houston April 10-12.

Those attending from here were Roberta Gay, Music club president, Mrs. C. W. Norman and Mrs. Herman Williams, district officers.

# SERVICES TO BE HELD TONIGHT

Lenten services will be held at St. Mary's Episcopal church this evening with evening prayer and meditation scheduled at 8 o'clock. Members are urged to attend.

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# LADIES SOCIETY HOLDS MEETING AT WOW HALL

The Ladies Society of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen met at the WOW hall Wednesday for a regular semi-monthly business session presided over by Mrs. Billie Anderson.

Three applications were received for lodge membership and those attending were Mrs. Iona Graddy, Mrs. Velma Baker, Mrs. Irene Stegner, Mrs. Dora Sholtes, Mrs. Florence Rose, Mrs. Birdie Adams, Mrs. Bessie Power, Mrs. Laura Burrough, Mrs. Nichols, Mrs. Willie Pyle, Mrs. Bessie Beyce, Mrs. Martha Wade, Mrs. Rebekah McGinnis, Mrs. Helen Gill, Mrs. Doris Coates, Mrs. Gladys Slusser, Mrs. Susie Welzen, Mrs. Hall, Mrs. Lula Holley, Mrs. Patty Manion, Mrs. Ida Smith and Mrs. Minnie Barbee.

# Chairmen Will Meet Saturday

Program chairmen of home demonstration clubs of Howard county will meet at 2:30 p. m. Saturday in the office of Miss Rieba Merle Boyles, county home demonstration agent.  
Chairmen are Mrs. R. L. Procter, Luther club; Mrs. W. E. Turnbow, Sand Springs; Mrs. Ray Swann, Coahoma; Mrs. Robert Hill, Fairview; Mrs. Shirley Fryar, Hiway; Mrs. W. G. Newcomer, Knott; Mrs. E. G. Overton, Overton; Mrs. H. C. Reid, R-Bar; and Mrs. Porter Hanks, Vealmoor.

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# State Auditor Reports Misuse Of Jobs For Political Musicians

By DAVE CHEAVENS  
AUSTIN, March 16 (AP)—The plaintive notes of hillbilly music echoed again today in the corridors of the state capital.

The legislative audit committee, digging into the recent past, brought up information that two so-called boiler inspectors in the state department of labor in 1942 had also been members of the W. Lee O'Daniel musical entourage that accompanied the now junior senator from Texas in his political campaigning.

locate them recently have been unavailing.

"We have what appears to us to be evidence that they did not themselves cash the warrants issued to them; that in fact one of the J. W. Gill warrants and all three of those to C. J. Roberts may have been cashed by John D. Reed, labor commissioner," the auditor's report said.

Cavness added that this should not be taken as a flat statement that the men did not receive the money, but that he felt there should be some additional evidence that

they did.

Reed produced receipts for payment of the warrants and further replied that sometimes he endorsed checks for employees, and that in Roberts' case, Roberts accompanied him to an Austin bank and got cash for his warrant.

"As far as I am concerned, I have not stopped looking for these people in order to bring them before the committee to substantiate anything I have said," he told the committee.

It also developed the fact that a 17-year-old boy had been carried on the labor department's payroll as a boiler inspector, in the face of a statute which specifies that boiler inspectors have a minimum of five years experience in that line of work.

The former hillbilly boys, named in the preliminary report of State Auditor C. H. Cavness as Logan Snodgrass and Wilson Perkins, did clerical work but were not performing the function of boiler inspectors.

The committee heard Labor Commissioner John Reed and other witnesses during its investigation of the auditor's report that he had found evidence of "improper practice of financial administration" in the department.

Reed told the committee that he had inherited the former hillbilly boys from a previous administration, and cross-examining Cavness brought out from the auditor the statement that he had found "quite an improvement in accounting records of the department" as compared with those kept previously. Cavness also said all the approximately 20,000 receipts for various license fees collected by the department were in order.

Reed was closely questioned about the activities of two other men also carried on the payroll as boiler inspectors but who actually worked—according to the commissioner's testimony—as undercover investigators at Wichita Falls and San Antonio.

They were named as J. W. Gill and C. J. Roberts, and efforts to

# Little Things Stay Longer With Our Soldiers At The Front Line

By JAMES KING  
(Substituting for Hal Boyle)  
WITH THE A—E F SOMEWHERE IN BRITAIN (AP)—It's the little things that often stay longest with a soldier. He'll forget the high strategy that led to a victory, and even the horrors, perhaps this is because he doesn't like to talk about them.

Remembered longer will be the American chaplain who conducted burial services for some German dead in the frontline in the Mediterranean theater. He had a squad of American soldiers to dig the graves. They had hardly started when the Germans began shelling. The Chaplain urged the men on. He was a devout man. The soldiers were devout, too, but grew a little nervous as shells came nearer and nearer. They didn't complain when the chaplain finally said:

"Bury them fast and we will pray later."

Then there's the former heavy-weight boxer from Boston, who was manning a machinegun against strafing German planes.

One night when the planes were heard he jumped to his machinegun and it began sputtering.

The plane swooped low and he swung his machinegun low—so low that some of the American troops in front of him cringed to the ground more in fear of the machinegun than the plane.

When the all clear sounded, a

sergeant ran over to the boxer and shouted angrily:

"What you trying to do? Kill somebody?"

Our boxer friend ruefully replied, "Oh, No I would not want to kill any of our own fellows." Then he thought a minute and snapped back at the sergeant:

"Say, what do you think we are on anyway—maneuvers?"

The war department itself probably would not recognize the insignias painted on everything belonging to one regiment over these training for the invasion—but it's been an important factor in making the regiment one of the scrappiest of all.

A hard-bitten colonel, who commands the outfit started the day with the insignia printed on his helmet—AAAO—with a line drawn through the middle.

It aroused the curiosity of one of his officers as to its meaning.

The colonel, a native New Englander but a Texan by adoption, said, "That's my brand—anything, anytime, anywhere bar nothing."

Now the regiment has the insignia painted on everything from jeeps to canteens.

# Nine Men Reported In Crash Of Army Plane

DANVILLE, Va., March 16 (AP)—Residents of the Patrick Springs community reported today that nine men were killed in the crash of an Army plane against the summit of Bull Mountain in Patrick county.

Mrs. Joseph Frances, who lives at Stuart county seat, said her husband had visited the scene and reported to her that nine bodies, blackened by fire, had been found around the debris.

Reports received in Danville said Army officers and a band of volunteers were cutting through timber toward the wreckage. The mountain lies in southwest Virginia forestland.

Mrs. Frances said the plane evidently crashed about 10:40 last night.

# Public Records

**Marriage Licenses**  
John Albert Body and Mrs. Kathryn Tucker, both of Big Spring.

Emmett Shannon of Richmond and Eunice Klett of Lubbock.

S. B. Echols, Jr., and Clydean Clanton, both of Big Spring.

**Warranty Deeds**  
L. H. Lee and wife to J. O. Huit and Vera Mae Huit, part of section 2, block 33, Tap. 1-S, T. & P. Ry. Co. survey, comprising 85 feet, \$100.

J. L. Moates and wife to H. L. Moates and Dortha Mae Moates, north 160 acres, section 2, block 31, Tap. 2-N; \$3,360.

Eleanor Garrett and husband to Henry Barron, lot 9, block 14, Saunders addition to Coahama; \$1 and other consideration.

Georganna Touchstone to C. G. Smith, west 55 feet of south two-thirds of southwest one-fourth, block 17, College Heights addition; \$3,500.

Jack W. Bryant and wife to Charlie H. Forgas, lots 4 and 5, block 2, Lincoln addition; \$700.

Ila Jane Weatherly and D. E. Weatherly to George T. Thomas, trustee, lots 8 and 9, Price addition; \$10 and other consideration.

George T. Thomas, trustee to D. E. Weatherly, lots 8 and 9, block 2, Price addition; \$10 and other consideration.

**Quit-Claims Deed**  
Minnie Slaughter Veal and husband to J. J. Healy, north one-half and southeast one-fourth of section 20, block 33, Tap. 3-N, T. & P. Ry. Co. survey, comprising 527.6 acres; \$1.

**In 70th District Court**  
Vivian Hall versus Edward Hollis Hall, petition for divorce.

Omar L. Jones versus Alta Jones, petition for divorce.

Annie Bell Lemkin versus Percy Lemkin, petition for divorce.

**Building Permits**  
Mrs. M. L. Musgrove to remodel interior of house at 1510 Scurry street, cost \$150.

O. C. Hart to re-roof house at 608 E. 17th street, cost \$80.

John Tidwell to add to blacksmith shop at 607 E 2nd street, cost \$150.

Mrs. Loop Wheat to move a house to 1101 E. 5th street, cost \$300.

**IN UNIFORM**

Information that her son, Cpl. Roy A. Collins, has landed in England has been received by Mrs. Ida Collins, county treasurer. Corporal Collins has been in service 13 months. He is a radio man on an airplane transport. Another son of Mrs. Collins, Ensign Jess R. Collins, is on duty in the Pacific.

Seaman 3/C Hartman Hooser, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey C. Hooser, sailed about two weeks ago in the Pacific. He has been in the Navy two months. Another son of Mr. and Mrs. Hooser, Pfc. Harvey Hooser, Jr., recently finished a course in aerial gunnery at Harlingen and has been transferred to a Florida base. He is an instructor.

Buford M. Humphries, who formerly was employed at the bus terminal, wrote L. B. Williams, agent and his old boss, from the Gilbert Islands that he was sweating out a promotion to first lieutenant. He finished his letter and went to supper. When he got back to his tent there notice of his promotion was. Lt. Humphries is squadron navigator for his outfit and was in on the bombing of Kwajalein and lately have been pounding Ponape. Natives wore their picturesque dress when the Yanks arrived on the island. Johnny Doughboy has been trading sweatshirts to the good women and Lt. Humphries observes: "And Brother, do they make sweater girls!"

**Mex. Peace Officers Complete Course**

AUSTIN, March 16 (AP)—Five Mexican federal highway policemen graduate today from a special training course in traffic law enforcement and education given by the Texas department of public safety.

Col. S. Lozano Aguilar, chief of the Mexican highway police force, came to Austin to attend the commencement.

**DEEDS TITLE**  
LOS ANGELES, March 16 (AP)—Manuel Ortiz will defend his banishment title for the tenth time, in a bout here April 4 against Tony Olivera of Oakland, Maj-

maker Babe McCoy said last night.

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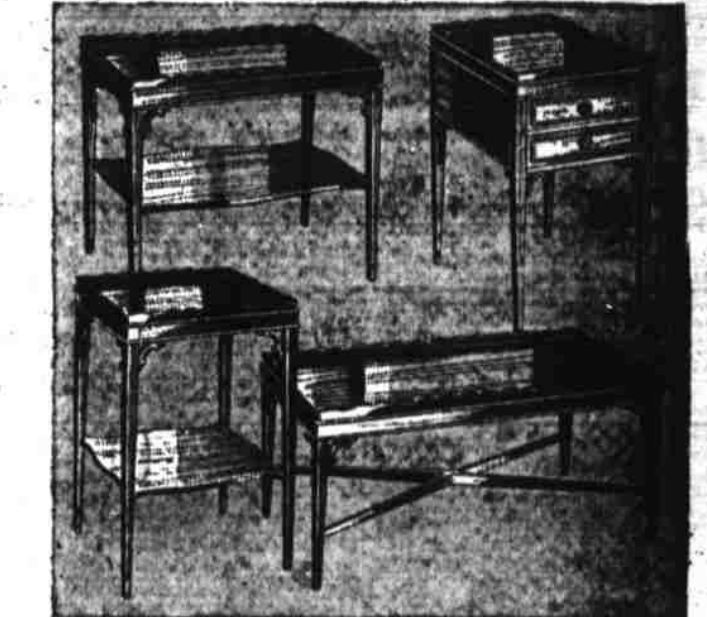
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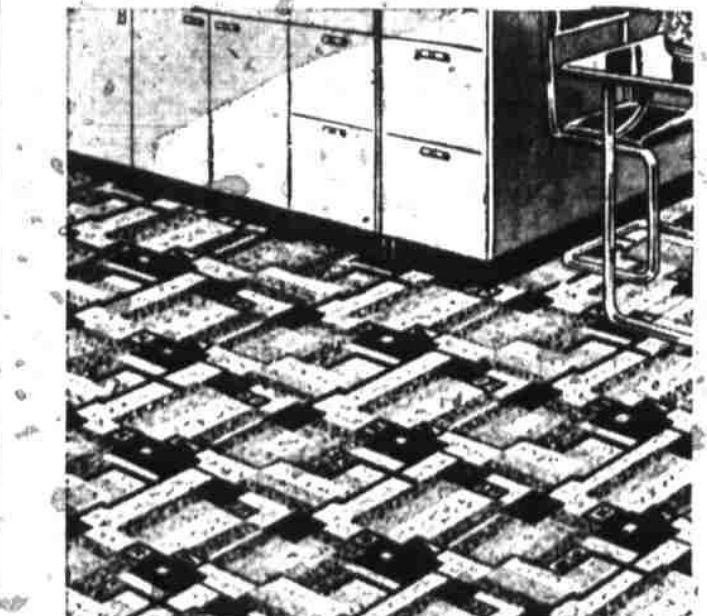
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# Sports

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## inside BASEBALL TRAINING CAMPS

NEW YORK, March 16, (AP)—Add Yankees, running: Bill Dickey is passed intentionally, and Joe Gordon is coming up. The stage is set for a double play.

Which, probably translated, means the great chatterer of the world champions was accepted for armed service yesterday and assigned to the navy, and that the star second baseman comes up for his physical today out in Oregon.

This is the war gradually whittling away at the team which defeated the St. Louis Cardinals in the world series last fall.

The loss of Dickey, who would have been starting his 16th year with the Yankees, is a severe blow to the club. A cool, efficient workman he is rated one of the finest catchers of all time, and the solid rock foundation of the team.

Other Major League News:

Detroit Tigers — Ervin (Pete) Fox, whose home is in Evansville, donned his old Tiger uniform yesterday to unlimber a bit with the Detroit players before reporting for duty with the Boston Red Sox.

Washington Senators — The Nats may be warming up a dark horse for the hot corner, one Jake Powell, erstwhile outfielder. He looked good in a workout yesterday.

Cleveland Indians — The Indians held their first batting drill in Purdue University field house yesterday.

Pittsburgh Pirates — The first Pirate casualty of the first day at the Muncie camp was pitcher Max Butcher, who suffered a misplaced leg tendon.

## Tired Kidneys Often Bring Sleepless Nights

Doctors say your kidneys contain 15 miles of tiny tubes or filters which help to purify the blood and keep you healthy. When they get tired and stop working right in the daytime, many people have to get up nights. Frequent urination, aching joints, and a general feeling of weakness are some of the signs. Don't neglect this condition and lose valuable, useful sleep. When disorder of kidney function permits poisonous matter to remain in your blood, it may also cause nagging backaches, rheumatic pains, leg pains, loss of pep and energy, swelling, puffiness under the eyes, headache and dizziness.

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New York Giants — With relief pitcher Ace Adams the only serious holdout, the Giants went through another three-hour workout at Lakewood, N. J., yesterday.

Philadelphia Athletics — Connie Mack can pick his team blindfolded. At least, he picked an infield yesterday while the squad was idle because of wet grounds. He named Dick Sierbert, 1b; Irv Idle, ss; Edgar Busch, up from Elmira, 2b; and George Kell, from Lancaster, 3b.

Chicago White Sox — The White Sox assembled 14 players, Manager Jimmy Dykes and Coach Muddy Ruel today for a trip to French Lick tonight.

## SPORTS ROUNDUP

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.  
NEW YORK, March 16 (AP)—The Army sometimes does things to a guy—things that are good for a guy in a peculiar business like boxing. . . . Take Sgt. Lou Woods, for example, or Al Davis. . . . Woods used to be one of those carefree kids who found fighting enjoyable as well as profitable and who didn't have to work hard at his trade. . . . Then the Army took him and eventually made him boxing instructor at Camp Grant, Ill. . . . The responsibility sobered Lou and he decided to learn more about boxing, with the result, according to reports from the Midwest, that he's a lot better ringman now. . . . Davis was a kid with a terrific left hook and a reputation for being a rowdy fighter that was a source of pride to him. . . . "Bummy" once was banned from New York rings for roughness but was allowed to return after the Army gave him a medical discharge. . . . He's a lot more serious now, and determined to shed that bad boy reputation.

Think it over—This isn't a prediction that Woods, or Davis will be a world beater when boxing makes its comeback after the war, but the chances are that men who now are serving Uncle Sam will be somewhere near the top of the heap. . . . Remember a chap named Gene Tunney who came out of the last war determined to become a heavyweight champion? . . . His greatest assets were determination and serious attention to his trade, and he got there.

## Dodgers Sign Up 30 High School Players

BEAR MOUNTAIN, N. Y., March 16 (AP)—Instead of crying the blues, the Brooklyn Dodgers have been doing some post-war planning on their own hook.

For the first time in baseball history a major league club has coaches in the country, some 20,000, asked for recommendations of boys interested in pro baseball as a career and got them.

The fruits of those 20,000 letters are represented by a contingent of 30 youngsters who answer "present" when the roll is called at Bear Mountain and a complete card file on 5,000 lads for post-war reference.

## LeBleu And Smith High In Bowling

Luke LeBleu and Jack Smith are strutting about bowling circles these days with good cause.

Tuesday evening they shot a neat 1,269 pins together. LeBleu accounted for 695 of the pins, rolling a 203-248 and 244. It was the best series turned in on the local alleys this year.

## Ott Unable To Appear For Intercity Bouts

CHICAGO, March 16 (AP)—Orlan Ott, winner of the Chicago golden gloves heavyweight title last week, will be unable to compete in the annual intercity matches March 27 against New York, coaches were irvined today. Ott, a naval aviation cadet at Corpus Christi, Texas, was among those missing when the "champions opened drill yesterday. The heavyweight, who fought as a representative of the Fort Worth, Texas, team will be unable to leave his station to compete in the Chicago-New York bouts.

Coaches said that Ragon Kinney, Los Angeles, Calif., champion who lost to Ott in the finals last week, probably will be moved to the No. 1 position.

## Eastern Seaboard Boxers Meet Champs

NEW YORK, March 16 (AP)—The eastern seaboard will send a formidable array of golden gloves champions against Chicago's title winners in Madison Square Garden March 27, headed by a lanky lad from the West Virginia hills. The tall boy is six-foot six-inch Reno Workman of Oak Hill, W. Va., a motor machinist's mate in the navy. Last night, as the seaboard champs were named before 16,039 fans in the garden, he halted a 94-bout winning streak by Salvador Mirabito of Norwick, N. Y., an army air force private.

Samuel Johnson published the first English dictionary in 1755.

## 36 Basketball Teams Enter Tournament

DENVER, March 16, (AP)—Thirty-six teams from 15 states were signed up today to compete in the national A. A. U. basketball tournament, opening in Denver Sunday for an all-week run. Phillips "66" of Bartlesville, Okla. en route here to defend the title, paused long enough to trim the Fort Warren Broncs 47-44.

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## DiMaggio Confident Of Contract Soon

HERMOSA BEACH, Calif., March 16, (AP)—Outfielder Vince DiMaggio says his salary differences with the Pittsburgh pirates should be settled and a contract signed very soon.

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## Thirty-five Entries In Shooting Dog Stake

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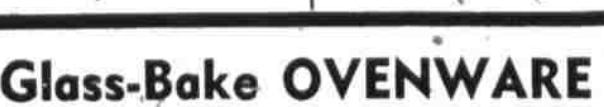
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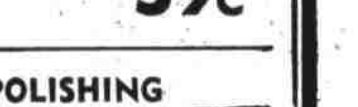
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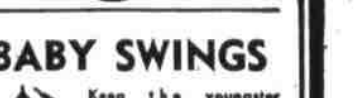
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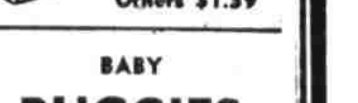
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# Steer Grid Schedule Is 'Gas Ration Special'

## Seven Games At Home On Ticket

Coach John Dibrell announced a "gas ration special" football schedule for 1944 Thursday, one that includes seven out of 10 games at home.

Only three games to be played out-of-town during the season are against the Lamesa Tornados, the Midland Bulldogs and the Sweetwater Mustangs. All are conference games.

The tough Odessa Bronchos, the state champion San Angelo Bobcats and the Abilene Eagles all come here for their district contests. In addition, Dibrell has booked Colorado City, Cisco, Lubbock and Tahoka as practice opposition.

Although the schedule is about as rosy as could be cooked up, the general outlook for the Steers is none too bright. What looked like a starting line-up of lettermen has now dwindled to five for certain and a couple of other problematics.

Outside of Lamesa, other teams

counted upon heavily to fill the gap left by Barkley Woods' decision not to return. Wright is due to graduate.

**George Ball Leads State Net Players**

AUSTIN, March 16 (AP)—Dr. D. A. Penick of the Texas Tennis association today announced the association's rankings of players for 1943, with George Ball of El Paso in the No. 1 spot for men's singles.

In men's doubles, John Hickman and Harold Falks of San Antonio were rated No. 1.

Other No. 1 rankings (women) singles—Shelley Frizzell, Austin; (girls) singles—Elizabeth Eby, Houston; (women) doubles—Frizzell, Austin and M. Eby, Houston; (girls) doubles—Patty Nixon, San Antonio and Elizabeth Eby, Houston; junior (girls) singles—Ruby Matejka, Brownsville; (junior girls) doubles—Eby and Eby, Houston; (boys) singles—Rod de Liano, Laredo; (boys) doubles—Rod de Liano and Carol Bast, Robstown; (boys) junior singles—Ed Roy, Taft; (boys) junior doubles—Chick Harris, Corpus Christi, and Wilson, Corpus Christi.

**Interest Charge Back On Paving**

The policy of suspending interest on paving accounts will be suspended as of April 1, the city commission voted in its Tuesday evening meeting.

Under a resolution passed June 1, 1943, interest on accounts which were making voluntary payments were suspended from that date. This did not affect prior interest.

Commissioners, in voting to restore interest to all accounts, agreed that failure to assess the charge was not encouraging payments.

Hearing will be set within three weeks on an application by O. L. Rice and Burley Davidson to operate a taxi firm, the commission ruled. This is in keeping with an ordinance which requires a public hearing to be held on all such applications.

Transfer of \$30,000 from the general to the water and sewer department fund was authorized by the commission. This is part of the issue voted in the spring of 1942 to finance water and sewer expansion programs. The city still has \$30,000 of unissued sewer bonds on hand.

**Eight New Lions Inducted In Club**

Eight new members were inducted at the Lions club meeting Wednesday noon when Otis Graff, who delivered the induction address, declared that "there are no Lions fighting Lions in this war."

Reason for this, he said, is that Lions International has followed a rule of going only into countries with democratic forms of government. He reviewed history of the organization and pointed to a record of service, particularly in the local club which in eight conservation alone had a record of 250 eye examinations, glass fittings and operations last year.

Inducted were V. A. Cross, H. V. Crocker, L. T. King, G. A. (Ken) Barnett, Dewey Colburn, Wayne Pearce, Kenneth Manuel and D. L. Bohannon.

Club members were entertained by several patriotic numbers given by the North Ward choral club, directed by Junia Johnson and accompanied by Mrs. Garnett Miller.

# Sports

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## Tricky Knee May Cost Track Team Duncan

A tricky knee has put the damper on track prospects for the Big Spring high school team.

James Duncan, counted upon as the squad's top sprint man and as a member of the 440-yard relay team, now appears to be out of short distance events, at least.

During starts Wednesday his knee, injured several years ago in grade school, gave way. Coach John Dibrell said it now appeared the member would not stand the pressure of sudden starts.

The young speedster, however, may be shifted to the 440 or to the mile event. He has good form for the quarter and might be able to overcome any starting handicaps.

Kenneth Partridge steps into the No. 1 sprint spot, but Robert Miller, a youngster up from the Yearlings, is pushing him in the 100 and 220-yard events. Pete Cook may run the 220.

On the 440-yard relay, Pete Cook, PeeWee Simmons, Kenny Partridge and Robert Miller appear to be the ticket. In their first race for time, they were clocked at 50 seconds flat Wednesday.

That's a wheel-hair time for this lightning event, but it must be remembered they have had on track shoes only three days and have not yet had any experience at passing the stick. Cutting four or five seconds off is entirely probable.

Hugh Cochran has been looking well on the 880-yard run and Reeves on the mile. Simmons has been trying hard at the pole vault, but so far has not reached any dizzy heights.

Bobby Barron is showing splendid form on the low hurdles, and although lacking some in polish, Jim Bob Chaney and Simmons are giving competition. Dibrell has no weight men this year.

## TNT Is Safer With Use Of Toluene

AUSTIN, March 16 (AP)—TNT is the safest explosive to handle and not the most powerful, a research chemist, Dr. Ralph E. Montonna, new director of the University of Minnesota, Institute of Research, told students at the University of Texas.

"Because we have a great supply of toluene, manufactured chiefly in Texas, we have been able to switch from the less-safe picric acid which we used in the last war," he explained.

Both Japan and Russia, however, are still obliged to use picric acid since they do not have a supply of toluene.

Dr. Montonna said civilization had been slow to use gunpowder as a weapon of war. The Chinese used it about 1250 A.D., but only for firecrackers to frighten the enemy. Not until the American revolution was it used for warfare.

It is ironic, said the scientist, that Germany would have lost World War I in 1915 if Fritz Haber, a Jew, had not discovered how to make nitrogen from the air.

Dr. Montonna is scheduled to speak at Texas A.M. college and at Houston while in Texas.

## East Fourth Baptist Revival Starts Well

Revival services at the East Fourth Baptist church are getting off to a good start with Dr. McKinley Norman, state Baptist evangelist, leading the meeting.

Wednesday night was Sunday school night, and a large men's choir led in the song service. The previous evening was "women's night," and a choir of 34 women voices added much to the musical part of the service.

**Regional And State Bond Officials Visit**

Several high regional and state war finance officials have visited here in recent days, conferring with Ted Grobel, Fourth War Loan chairman, and Les Thurman, who is county board chairman.



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# War Board News

A weekly column contributed by members of the Howard county USDA War Board.

## Store A Little Lard, Is Advice Of Agent

By RHEBA MERLE BOYLES  
County Home Dem. Agent

The home refrigerator that has an empty corner for holding a couple of pounds of lard this month may do its bit to relieve a temporary storage emergency and also help provide for pies and biscuits for the family's future meals. Right now, while more lard is on the market than

cold storage warehouses can accommodate and while lard is off the ration list, the housewife may put by a small amount if she has refrigerator space for it. Food specialists remind housewives that lard will keep its fresh flavor only if it is stored in a cold, dark dry place and closely covered. Moisture, air, light and warmth all encourage rancidity. Lard in general keeps longer than butter or margarine, but not as long as hydrogenated cooking fats and refined oils. Food specialists caution against buying too much lard or hoarding quantities which are likely to become rancid before they can be used and thus become a waste of valuable food.

The heavy run of hogs to market in the last two months has caused a temporary surplus of lard. During January and February of this year 200 million more pounds of lard were produced than during the same two months of 1943. Storage is crowded to the limit. Shipping space is lacking to carry the extra lard overseas. In the temporary emergency the Office of Price Administration has removed lard from the ration list until the end of March and the War Food Administration is allowing soap manufacturers to buy 50 million pounds of this fat to help supply civilians and armed forces with the soap they need.



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The present lard emergency does not mean that this country now has all the fat it needs. Many millions of pounds of hard fat are still needed for making glycerin, soap and other wartime industrial products. Every housewife still has the patriotic duty of the "epic" films, and "Hearts" fat.

## Clothes Moth Is A Persistent Creature

The clothes moth that appears in the spring has not just hatched from eggs that have been lying dormant all winter, as is commonly believed, but has itself survived the cold weather, probably in its worm or larva form, entomologists of the U. S. Department of Agriculture say. Moth eggs hatch more slowly in winter than summer, often taking as long as four weeks instead of four to eight days, as in summer, but eggs not hatched within a month will not hatch later, however warm the weather.

The flying adult moth lives only a few weeks, but during that time lays from 100 to 300 tiny soft white eggs in such secluded places as cracks, folds and pocket or the nap of clothing, or in the pile of upholstery fabrics. The common idea that moths never fly unless all their eggs are laid has not proved true. Before investing in a varied assortment of sprays and other clothes moth remedies, read the facts on reliable control measures. A free publication, "Clothes Moths," Leaflet No. 145 may be had on request from the U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington 25, D. C.

## For Better Milk Production

Here is the 8 point program which is needed in 1944 and which is sound any year:

1. Grow more hay, legume if possible, pasture, silage and grain.
2. Fertilize, where fertilizers are adapted, to increase quantity and quality of feed (barnyard manure is adapted anywhere in Texas).
3. Feed to avoid summer milk slump.
4. Feed cows liberally during their dry period.
5. Keep as many, and only as many, cows as feed and labor permit.
6. Market whole milk whenever possible.
7. Produce good quality milk and avoid waste.
8. Breed for better herd replacements.

This is a sound dairy program. By culling out inefficient and unprofitable cows, and making every pound of feed and every bit of labor count to the best advantage in getting increased production from efficiently producing cows through this program, Texas dairymen will be helping themselves and helping the nation to get the milk it needs so badly.

## Local Cotton Farm One Of Foremost

Did you know that Howard county can now boast of one of the foremost cotton breeding farms in Texas? When Mr. Sam Little of Garner Community last year had a spinning test made of his "Native Mebane" cotton by the Government spinning laboratory it looked like we had something new in Mebane Cotton strains. Most of the Mebane cottons had shown poor spinning tests as compared with Delta Pine, Acala and such varieties of the better short staple cottons. Some Mebanes have made 22's yarns with a breaking strength of as low as 76. Native Mebane was given 90.7 by the Laboratory. This with other excellent qualities included in the report places the Little Cotton far above the average Mebane cotton in spinning value.

But Mr. Little's Native Mebane has other desirable traits besides staple. It is about as stormproof as any Mebane cotton. The boll is large enough to commend it to pickers. And it puts on a crop of bolls early, so that it opens before frost.

On the Little farm, acre yields of Native Mebane are far above the County average acre yield. In 1941, the yield was 560 pounds lint per acre on approximately 100 acres, the entire crop. No fallow strips were counted out. The cotton was planted in twin rows with a fallow-row between, but all of the land was counted as devoted to cotton.

In 1942, 97 acres was planted and made 107 bales, but a small part of the 42 crop was planted in twin rows between fallow strips.

In 1943 there was 108 acres of cotton that yielded 58 1-2 bales, and again some 40+ acres was in cotton and fallow. Boll worms injured the 1943 crop. In the 3 years the average yield was 445 pounds of lint per acre.

All cotton staple was shorter than common in 1943 in West Texas. A check was made in 53 bales of Native Mebane 33 bales from the Little farm and 20 bales from a neighboring farm. Of this 53 bales one bale was reported by the classing office as one inch, one as 31-32, seven as 15-16, one as 29-32, twenty eight as 7-8, and only five as 13-16. The percentage of 13-16 staple here is about as low as was found in Delta Pine, and Paymaster cottons. Native Mebane cotton is the result of 12 years of selection and testing. Mr. Little had worked with his cotton eight years before it occurred to him that he was, or would ever become a "cotton breeder." He was assisted in these years by Mr. Fred Keating, of Big Spring, Experiment Farm A hand gin at the Experiment Farm was used to gin small samples from stalk to row tests. Four years ago when Mr. Little applied to the State Seed Board for registration of his cotton, it was registered on the first years

## Martin-Howard Soil Conservation District News

A new stock tank is being constructed on Norman Head's ranch north of Coahoma. This tank will furnish water for the east end of the pasture, thereby providing a more even distribution of grazing over the entire pasture.

Willard Read reports that he got about four feet of water in his new tank. Read also reports a good spring weed crop, and this water will keep the stock from walking long distances to water.

Nick Read, Gene O'Daniel, and Ed Carpenter are expecting to build new stock tanks in order to get better distribution of grazing.

Terrace construction is under way on the A. H. Shroyer place east of Knott. Nick Read has grain planted on a large part of his 400-acre field west of Vincent, and he expects to start building terraces as soon as the grain comes off.

"Terrace lines were run by the Soil Conservation Service staff for Nathan Zant, R. V. Middleton, B. Dillard, and Tom Spencer," said Dudley Mann, who is in charge of the office in Big Spring. "Practically all terrace lines have been run for this spring," continued Mann. "and if machinery were available a large number of terraces would be constructed."

The Cleveland woman who said the presence of Dorothy Lamour in war plants slowed down production figures that more than the eyes need riveting.

Mr. Little continues to improve his cotton by stalk selection and row tests. The laboratory test he made of his 1942 cotton has encouraged him to try to improve still more its spinning value. He has now a bale of seed that came of three years test that will give his cotton abetter staple length without any loss in either of its other qualities.

Mr. Little while succeeding so well with his cotton improvement, is also making his contribution to food production. He has at present 350 white leghorn hens and five milk cows. He also has a good orchard and vineyard and grows plenty of garden and truck crops.

## Political Announcements

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## Texas DAR Society Opposes Wide Open Immigration Trend

AUSTIN, March 16 (AP)—Affirming that "many of our new citizens look most unpromising" the Texas Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, went on record at the last day of their convention here, as "opposing unrestricted immigration into the United States at the cessation of hostilities."

The three-day convention of the Texas Society of the DAR attracted around 275 members. The citizenship resolution advanced by the George Moffett Society of Beaumont and unanimously adopted read:

"A much larger number than usual was admitted to citizenship last year. Many of our new citizens look most unpromising and undesirable.

"The manual for citizenship committee believes there should be a tightening of the bars for eligibility particularly since the general trend is toward a relaxing of the requirements for entrance after the war.

"Therefore, our chapter has gone on record as opposing unrestricted immigration into the United States of America at the cessation of hostilities. A copy of this resolution will be sent to our state, regional and national officers and our state representatives."

## State Educator Is Against Gov't Aid

AUSTIN, March 15 (AP)—Texas has plenty of money to take care of its educational needs, says Dr. L. A. Woods, state school superintendent, who opposes additional federal control of public schools in this state.

Woods and local superintendents will attend a meeting in Fort Worth March 24 at which J. W. Studebaker, U. S. commissioner of education, wrote he would "discuss pending federal legislation bearing on education with its implication for Texas."

"If more federal aid to schools means more federal control in Texas, then I am against it," said Woods, commenting on the meeting. He would not expand upon this statement, pending further discussion with Studebaker.

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### 'Food Constitution' Proposal Is Ready For Senate Group

WASHINGTON, March 16 (AP)—A proposed "food constitution" for the United Nations was ready for submission to the senate foreign relations committee today.

Dean Acheson, assistant secretary of state, and Paul Appleby, undersecretary of agriculture, were summoned before the group to explain the proposal.

It is the product of an interim commission of last year's International food conference of 44 united and associated nations at Hot Springs, Va. The state department is described as finding it generally acceptable.

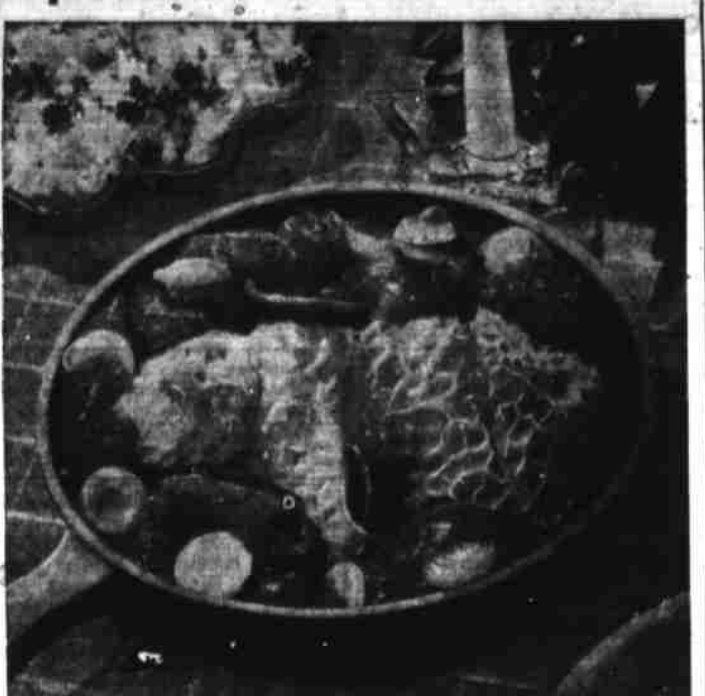
While the details have not been announced, the interim commission was directed to draw up an international organization to plan for greater production and greater international trade in commodities.

One of its functions would be to ease shortages in some areas with supplies from regions having surpluses, a sort of ever-normal granary plan on a world basis.

Chairman Connally (D-Tex) of the foreign relations committee expressed belief that ultimately some sort of enabling legislation would be required for United States participation. This could be similar to the authorization to take part in the United Nations relief and rehabilitation administration.

**Incurable Optimists**  
COLUMBIA, S. C. — Herbert Riley, of the Columbia Optimist club, had trouble persuading members to attend meetings until one day he announced that a strip-tease artist would entertain members at the next meeting. Every member attended—only to find out promise of the strip-tease was only a ruse.

### Tips On Low Point Meals



HONEYCOMB TRIPE, CREOLE: Point-saver.

By CHARLOTTE ADAMS  
AP Food Editor

To cooperate with the government's current low-point, no-point food campaign, the National Restaurant association has run a contest among its members for the best recipes using plentiful ingredients which require few points or no points at all. The chefs of the prize-winning restaurants have reduced the quantities in their recipes from mass-cookery proportions to those used in the average household. Herewith presented are four prize winners which should be of help to any budget-wise housewife in her own cooperation with the campaign. The number one recipe is illustrated on this page.

(From Horn and Hardart)  
1 pound tripe  
1-2 teaspoon salt  
3 cups tomato pulp  
2 1-4 tablespoons tomato paste  
2 1-2 cups stock  
2 tablespoons cornstarch  
1 teaspoon black pepper  
1-2 teaspoon tobacco  
1-2 tablespoon butter or oil  
1 cut clove garlic  
1-4 cup diced green pepper  
1-4 cup diced pimiento  
1-3 cup diced onions

Honeycomb Tripe, Creole

Tripe is cooked in salted water about 2 hours, cooled and cut lengthwise. Rub pan with garlic. Fry onions and green peppers in butter or oil, add tomatoes and stock and cook for 15 minutes. Add cornstarch, dissolved in a little water, seasoning and pimientos. Bring to a boil, add tripe and simmer 15 to 20 minutes. Serves four.

**Vegetable Chop Suey With Rice.**  
(Gregg E. Smith Company, Toledo, O.)

- 2 1-2 cups onions
- 2 cups celery
- 16 average size fresh mushrooms
- 1 tablespoon pimientos
- 1 tablespoon shortening to saute
- 1 cup fresh bean sprouts
- 1-4 cup water chestnuts (optional)

3 tablespoons canned tomatoes  
3 tablespoons cornstarch  
3 tablespoons cold water  
1-2 teaspoon salt  
2 cups chicken or veal stock  
1 1-2 medium green peppers, chopped coarsely  
3 tablespoons soy sauce  
3-4 cup uncooked rice

Peel and slice onions. Trim, wash and cut celery into 1 1-2 inch pieces. Saute celery and onions in fat until tender. Clean and slice mushrooms (caps and stems). Cook mushrooms and green peppers in fat from chicken stock. Make a paste of the cornstarch and cold water. Combine tomatoes and stock and bring to the boil. Combine with cornstarch paste and simmer 15 minutes. Add pimientos, bean sprouts, water chestnuts, soy sauce, salt, mushrooms, peppers, celery and onions. Cook rice and serve sauce poured over it. Serves five.

#### Casserole of Chicken and Broccoli, Mornay

(From Schraft's)  
4 tablespoons butter substitute  
6 tablespoons flour  
1 1-4 cups chicken stock  
2 cups milk  
3 egg yolks, well beaten  
Dash cayenne  
Dash nutmeg

1 teaspoon salt  
1-4 cup grated Parmesan cheese  
2 cups cooked chicken cut into large pieces  
1 bunch cooked broccoli

Melt shortening, add flour and blend well. Gradually add chicken stock and milk. Stir until smooth. Add seasonings and cook over low heat, stirring constantly, 15 minutes. Pour some of the hot sauce over the egg yolk. Mix well and stir into sauce mixture. Add cheese and blend well. Place alternate layers of chicken and broccoli in greased baking dish. Cover with hot sauce. Brown quickly in broiler. If desired, garnish with mushroom caps. Serves 4-5.

**Stuffed Eggs En Casserole.**  
(Greenfield's Restaurant, Detroit)  
6 hard cooked eggs  
1-4 pound raw mushrooms, chopped fine  
2 tablespoons melted margarine  
Dash pepper  
3-4 teaspoon salt  
1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce  
1 teaspoon grated onion  
2 cups medium cream sauce  
1-4 cup bread crumbs mixed with shortening

Saute mushrooms in margarine. Cut eggs in half, lengthwise. Remove yolks and press them through a sieve. Mix sieved yolks, seasonings, onion and sauteed mushrooms and stuff egg whites with this mixture. Place stuffed eggs in casserole dish. Add cream sauce and top with crumbs. Bake in 375 degree oven until golden brown. Garnish with sliced sauteed mushrooms and parsley, if desired. Serves four.

#### AIDS SERVICE WEDDINGS

CHICAGO — A Chicago hotel has installed a chapel for the marriages of out-of-town servicemen. Use of the chapel and the services of the minister will be provided free for members of the armed forces.

The second largest tin deposits in the world are in Bolivia.

### Freezer Locker Is Nearly Complete

Construction work on the Big Spring Freezer Locker plant is complete with the exception of installing the metal locker boxes, Marvin Sewell, owner, reported Wednesday.

Engineering representative is leaving today to be gone until March 27, when he will return to stay on the ground until arrival of the boxes.

Sewell said that March 20 had been given as a shipping date for the carload of material, but he could not say when they might arrive since freight service on such items is subject to delay in favor of war products, he said.

The job of assembling the boxes will be a simple and comparatively short one, he said, and added that the plant would go into operation not long after they arrive.

"Mechanically the plant is ready now," he said. "We are doing some finish work—painting, lock building, but we are prepared to operate as soon as the boxes can be installed.

### BOYS PLANT HIGHWAY TREES

SALEM, Ore. — Fifty Oregon high school boys are spending their week ends planting young Port Oxford cedar trees along the Wolff Creek highway in northwestern Oregon. The planting will hide an unsightly burn along a six-mile stretch of the popular drive which leads from Portland to the sea. The 120,000 two-year old trees come from the state forest nursery. Private timber owners and lumbermen are financing the project. Trees will be planted to a depth of 80 feet on either side of the highway.

### Income Tax Paid? Now Do It Again

By JAMES MARLOW AND GEORGE ZIELKE  
WASHINGTON, March 16 (AP)—Just a sobering reminder for this "morning after."

If you're one of the 15,000,000 among the nation's 50,000,000 income tax-payers, it's already time to start thinking about what you'll have to pay next month—by April 15.

These 15,000,000 persons will have to file declarations of estimated 1944 tax—and start paying (in many cases, the amount over and above what will be taken out of their earnings.)

You're one of the 15,000,000 if:

1. You expect to have 1944 income of more than \$2700 if single, or \$3500 for a married couple. —or—

2. You expect to have outside income—in addition to wages or salaries subject to withholding under pay-as-you-go—of more than \$100 this year. —or—

3. Your income isn't subject to the withholding tax.

(NOTE: Farmers may wait until next Dec. 15 to file declarations—but if they do, they'll have to pay the entire amount of estimated tax at that time.)

If you're in one of these classes, you probably filed such a declaration last September. The payment due next month, in an average case, will be something like the payments you made in September and December.

Now—and, anyway, you won't get the new forms from the internal revenue bureau until at least next week—but you can get a rough idea of what you'll owe, in an average case, this way:

1. Take the amount of income you expect this year, subtract your personal exemption \$500 if single, \$1200 for a married couple, plus \$350 for each dependent) and estimated reductions, and multiply the remainder—the taxable income—by 19 per cent. (If the taxable income is more than \$2,000, add 3 per cent of the amount over \$2,000.)
2. From your estimated 1944 income, subtract the victory tax exemption of \$624, and multiply the remainder by 3 per cent to get the victory tax.
3. Add the two taxes.
4. Subtract the amount you'll have taken out of your pay.
5. What's left is roughly what you'll owe, to be paid in four quarterly payments—April, June, September and December.

When figuring deductions, remember that from now on you can't deduct federal excise taxes (on admissions, telephone and telegraph bills and railroad fares). The new law wiped out these deductions and the earned income credit formerly allowed in figuring the normal income tax.

The term "skyscraper" was originally applied to a skyscraper of triangular form.

### Rabies Prevalent In Hot Months

AUSTIN, March 16 (AP)—Rabies is more prevalent in winter than in summer, Dr. George W. Cox, state health officer, warned today.

Dr. Cox disclosed that of 310 animal brains examined for the presence of rabies, over 37 per cent were positive.

"If all stray dogs were destroyed, and all pets vaccinated for rabies, it would go far toward stamping out this disease," said

Cox. He advised that all dogs suspected of rabies be confined ten days for observation. If a dog sickens and dies during observation, his head should be carefully packed in ice and sent to the state health department for examination.

**Firemen Save Dog House**  
WARRENSBURG, Mo. (AP)—The Warrensburg fire department was called to put out a fire in a dog house recently. The interior of the house was damaged—but no casualties, fire officials reported.

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# Some Parallel Planning

One of the major objectives of the chamber of commerce for 1944 is the institution of broad surveys for the foundation for a planning program. Properly executed, this project can be of infinitesimal value for it not only would present our resources in organized form, but it would serve to whet our vision and ambition.

Assuming that this project goes through and yields fruit, we may expect that there will be considerable development take place here. Already some of this is shaping up and a wave of construction is inevitable, plan or no plan.

Wouldn't it be logical then to suppose that the chamber's work be paralleled by some similar planning on the part of the city? Let the one point out and help initiate the other growth, and then let the other encourage it and keep it in an orderly manner.

In plain language this is simply city planning. In a sense some of that has been done here by certain restrictions, mostly imposed by those putting residential additions on the market. These real estate dealers have recognized long ago that it spoils the beauty and utility of a certain level residential area to have a sub-standard house or a junk yard right in the middle of it.

The same thing applies to a city on a larger scale. One has to approach the city from three directions to see that hodge-podge construction certainly does not lend to attractiveness.

Perhaps some organized plan for placing this post-war development which we all expect would be something which would pay us big dividends as a community years hence. The fact that we have such a wide expanse of territory to cover before we are built in solidly seems all the more reason for looking ahead. If this is a fertile field for consideration, the machinery for such activity should be set up long in advance of the end of the war so that the pater could be set for use.

## New Shade Of Isolationists?

Recently in Dallas Dr. Eduard Lindeman of Columbia University told a gathering of teachers that "isolationism, the strongest organized movement in the country, is no longer pacifist, but militarist."

He added that the "isolationist wants us to take the place of Germany in the world and become the nation everyone fears."

By this bold line of thought, he thus reclassifies a lot of people who have been most bitter in their abuse of "isolationists." You may or may not agree with him, but you must admit that the good doctor stimulates you to thought as to whether the maintenance of proper force alone is our best guarantee to lasting peace.

## Hollywood—

### Bing Crosby Gags The Voice

By ROBBIN COONS  
HOLLYWOOD — This soon after the rise of Sinatra, it looks as if the Voice is going to be a boon to the Groaner.

Not only has the Sinatra "challenge" doubled Bing Crosby's fan mail, but it has provided Bing and his side-kick, Bob Hope, with a fresh line of gags.

Though Frankie and Bing are far from having a feud (Frankie insisting always that the Groaner is in a class by himself), the Hope Crosby team never misses a chance to turn the supposed rivalry into laugh fodder—some aimed at Bing, some at Sinatra.

Bing to their audiences as "the man who made Sinatra's mother swoon" by as "Sinatra's pappy."

Again, Hope will say, "You know, Bing, a voice like Sinatra's comes only once in a lifetime," to which Bing's retort is, "Yeah, I know—but why'd it have to come in my lifetime?"

In front of a vast outdoor audience of cadets, officers, and enlisted men at Santa Ana Army air base, Bing stepped up to the battery of microphones and ventured that "Sinatra would love this—three miles to hold on to!"

Later the same day, at the party celebrating Col. W. A. Robertson's 54th birthday and the base's second anniversary, Bing sang a number in real crooning style—interrupting the song to ask "Say, that was as soft as Sinatra, wasn't it?"

Any mention of Sinatra, all that day, brought roars of applause. In this sense, the Voice is sure-fire—for the Groaner.

It's a thrill, incidentally, to see the way our two prime Hollywood cut-ups put on a real camp show and to see with what eagerness and grinning delight their antics and quips are received.

Put at Santa Ana, Bing and the season's has come for the swapping of political bunk for an easy berth.

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## The War Today

By DeWitt Mackenzie  
Associated Press War Analyst

One of the momentous decisions of the war is in the making—perhaps, has been irrevocably cast already—in Helsinki where the Finnish government has been struggling with the fateful question of whether to accept Russia's armistice terms or to defy the hurricane.

The little country is generally reported to have decided on rejection of the Soviet conditions. An Associated Press dispatch says the Finns are preparing everywhere for the resumption of war. The final word, upon which hangs great eventualities, is expected to go forward to Moscow at the weekend.

Finland's rejection of the armistice terms must have grave consequences for all save the world's worst enemy—Adolf Hitler.

It means that this brave but mistaken small country will have to undergo a tragic manhandling, with ultimate surrender which, at the least, may bring indefinite military occupation of Finnish territory by Red forces.

As things now stand Finland continues to guard Hitler's flank on the Baltic; she compels the Russians to maintain in northern Russia fighting forces which are needed elsewhere for the great offensives.

By the same token it is for Hitler a military triumph. But it's more than that, for it will have a far-reaching moral effect. It will bolster the failing morale of the German people. It may deter wavering Axis satellites in the Balkans from deserting. It may encourage some neutrals to continue granting Hitler favors—Spain for instance.

There can be only one outcome—bitter defeat for the Finns.

If Finland believes that Uncle Sam will intervene and save her because of past friendship, she has badly misjudged the possibilities. Our state department has made it clear that we expect her to quit the unholy alliance with Hitler. Only Tuesday Secretary Hull reiterated the hope that the Finns would withdraw from this association.

That was more than an expression of hope. It was a warning.

Yeah, we were treated okay. . . . Yeah the Americans were damn good fighters in Africa. . . . Well, after all, Germany is home for us, you know. German soldier being repatriated via Spain.

## Looking Backwards

**Five Years Ago Today**  
Collins Bros. open new Walgreen store on Second and Runnels St.; R. Barney Shields to speak to Big Spring Association of Life Underwriters tonight.

**Ten Years Ago Today**  
"Fashions of 1934" parade to be staged at Ritz theatre; Forsan debate team wins contest here.

## Hope It Worked

FREMONT, Neb. (AP) — Beth Snyder, editor of the Midland college student newspaper, was discouraged with the way her reporters turned in copy after the deadline.

So she issued the paper with blank spaces where stories assigned to reporters should have been. Above each wide open space was the by-line of the lackadaisical reporter.

## Crossword Puzzle

**ACROSS**  
1. Went first  
2. Fruit of the loom  
3. Point of land  
4. First woman  
5. Maidly  
6. Allowance for the weight of a container  
7. Hissing  
8. Wife of a Great  
9. Bondman  
10. Glass used for artificial gems  
11. Interprets  
12. Flare  
13. River flatboats  
14. Imitate  
15. Tiny  
16. Cherry color  
17. Exalts

**DOWN**  
1. Not so much  
2. Malign  
3. Landed  
4. Blipped  
5. Rub out  
6. Metal fastener  
7. Cereal seeds  
8. Unfruitful  
9. American  
10. Isthmus  
11. Jridesences  
12. Spreads loosely  
13. Patron saint of lawyers  
14. Has confidence  
15. Calmar  
16. Be in store for  
17. Repeated again  
18. Variable star  
19. Park in the Rockies  
20. Tip to one side  
21. Uniform  
22. Bitter  
23. Skillet  
24. Workman  
25. Withdraw  
26. European ship  
27. The scotch  
28. albatross  
29. Surface a street  
30. Security in North Carolina  
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32. Year apart  
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**Solution Of Yesterday's Puzzle**

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## How To Torture Your Wife



## You'd Be Surprised— Sundial Only Timepiece In Bible

By GEORGE STIMPSON  
The sundial is the only timepiece mentioned in the Bible. All the books of the Bible, both those of the Old and New Testaments, were written before the invention of mechanical clocks.

Even the sundial is referred to only twice in the entire Bible and then in connection with a miracle. It was on the occasion when King Hezekiah was sick unto death and the word of the Lord came to Isaiah saying that the king was being healed and would go up the house of the Lord on the third day.

If Kings 20:8-11 says: "And Hezekiah said unto Isaiah, What shall be the sign that the Lord will heal me, and that I shall go up into the house of the Lord the third day? And Isaiah said, This sign shall thou have of the Lord, that the Lord will do the thing that he hath spoken: shall the shadow go forward 10 degrees, or go back 10 degrees? and Hezekiah answered, It is a light thing for the shadow to go down 10 degrees; but let the shadow

cried unto the Lord: and he brought the shadow 10 degrees backward, by which it had gone down in the dial of Ahaz."

This same incident is alluded to in Isaiah 38:7-8 which uses the term "sun dial" and which reads: "And this shall be a sign unto thee from the Lord, that the Lord will do this thing that he hath spoken; behold, I will bring again the shadow of the degrees, which is gone down in the sun dial of Ahaz, 10 degrees backward. So the sun returned, 10 degrees, by which degrees it was gone down."

It is believed that the sun dial was developed by the Babylonians about 5,000 years ago, and it was only natural that the ancient Israelites should have known of it and used it.

The sundial was the earliest instrument for measuring the time of the day.

Even before the invention of the sundial, primitive man no doubt learned to keep track of the time roughly by his own shadow or that of some other object.

## OPA Gets A Token Headache

By JACK STINNETT  
WASHINGTON — The first ration token headache already is building up at the Office of Price Administration, but just how much of a pain it is probably won't be known until the latter part of May, possibly even July.

It's the "hoarding" of tokens, it was anticipated by OPA officials, but like a lot of people who recognize the first symptoms of illness, they argue it really isn't very serious. What makes it important is that it could be.

When the token idea was first decided upon, the collector menace was considered and OPA even made a survey of it. There were two factors that made it seem important. The percentage of collectors in the country is small and as soon as the novelty wears off, it will be even smaller. Besides, except for the tokens taken out of circulation and the expense of replacements, it couldn't possibly have any effect on the ration program.

But there has developed something else—the hoarding of tokens (which are good anytime) by people who haven't used all their ration stamps in any period.

The tokens were no sooner on the market than shrewd housewives figured: "Why not use my stamps today and save the tokens I get in change for that rainy day when I want to splurge?"

If this should become widespread, a complete overhaul of the point system would be necessary.

One reason OPA thinks the headache won't become critical is public opinion.

Another reason for not fretting, they claim, is that diners-out and non-housekeepers will soon find themselves with a basketful of tokens for which they have no more use than the denominational ration stamps they couldn't use up before.

Nevertheless OPA won't know if it has a real or imaginary fever until around May 20, when the first ten-point stamps expire; or perhaps July when the second reports come in. If anything has to be done, it probably won't be until then.

In all other respects, the new token system is going over with a bang. OPA's sampling system reports that initial dealings in tokens as change for ration stamps were most favorable. Grocers who had been burning the midnight oil seemed most happy about it all.

**Small Farmers Asked To Keep Diversification**

A plea that small farmers not abandon diversified farming in favor of "the old, dangerous, one-crop system" was urged here by Tommie E. Stuart, county supervisor for the Farm Security Administration.

"Some farmers are being tempted by especially high prices for certain crops and livestock items to specialize in those products at the expense of their other farming enterprises," Stuart said.

"Diversified farming, which means a well-rounded program of many small farming enterprises, is the only safe way for little farmers to follow," the FSA supervisor emphasized.

FSA since its inception has advocated diversification. It charges the one-crop system with responsibility for many of the ills of southern agriculture in depression and non-depression years. FSA families, according to Stuart, are shown the advantage of having many, rather than one, enterprises. Cows, poultry, hogs, feed, cash crops and vegetable gardens are part of every FSA family's inventory.

"The only way the small farmers, and the family-type farmer who is the true backbone of our democracy, will survive and make a contribution to the nation's food needs is through diversification," the supervisor said. "Let the big industrialized farm do the specializing. By diversifying, the little farmer has protection should one or two of his crops fail in a certain year."

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## Today And Tomorrow The Degree Of Collaboration

By WALTER LIPPMANN  
There is disquiet in London and Washington over the political conduct of the war. Those who do the worrying are worrying about two main things. The one is that in eastern Europe in the path of the advancing Red army the dominant voice in dealing with Finland, Poland, Rumania, Bulgaria and Yugoslavia is that of Soviet Russia. The other is that in western and southern Europe, which is within the orbit of our armies, the voice of London and Washington in dealing with France, Italy, Spain is unclear and uncertain.

Before we jump from those facts to serious conclusions about the future peace of the world, we must bear in mind that within a reasonable period of time—say six to eighteen months—the whole shape and character of the global war is going to be altered. We shall invade the Continent of Europe and there will then be not one United Nations army—the Red army—on the Continent but four—the Russian, the British, the French and the American. If the invasion is successful, the military stalemate in the Mediterranean will be ended and with it the political stalemate over Italy, Spain, Turkey and Greece. Finally, the defeat of Germany in Europe will at once change radically the relation not only of Britain but of Soviet Russia to the war in the Pacific.

There have been serious and, I believe, avoidable errors of judgment in our Mediterranean policy. But the controlling fact, which we must never lose sight of, has been that the Mediterranean campaign has been subordinate both to the war in the Pacific and to the coming invasion of the Continent. The Mediterranean campaigns in Libya, North Africa and now in Italy have always been conducted with limited forces. Our main amphibious power is concentrated in the central Pacific and in England. Because the Allied forces in the Mediterranean have been limited, the political conduct of those campaigns has not been bold and forceful and forthright but

nervous, devious and appeasing. We have been worried about Franco, about Vichy, about the King and Badoglio and about the Arabs, because we do not have indubitable military superiority in this theater.

We have led not from strength but from weakness, and this sense of weakness has made us not only cautious, which we had to be, but has somewhat impaired our judgment. The capital and critical case has been the President's misjudgment of the latent strength and of the rising importance of General de Gaulle. We should never have permitted ourselves to quarrel with De Gaulle.

We should have recognized the French committee as the representative of France, and have sought its advice and assistance in our dealings with all European questions. We should not have made such a muddle of our relations with Poland and Yugoslavia if France, which is their historic friend, had been our intermediary.

Our relation with Russia must be considered in relation to the whole war—the war in Europe and in eastern Asia. In the long run the controlling fact, I believe, will be that in the European theater the Russians carry the main burden and look to the British and ourselves for the additional force needed to reach an early military decision; but in the Pacific theater we carry the main burden and shall be looking to the Russians for the additional force to bring about an early decision.

In Europe the Russians are wholly committed to the defeat of Germany. But if we hold back and let them win the German war for us, they would not only dominate Europe. They would also hold back—because they would be weary and because they would be resentful—while we won the war for them in Asia. If we intervened in Europe only to share in the victory that the Red army had done much the most to achieve, Russia would naturally intervene in Asia only when she could capitalize the victory which we had

done the most to achieve. To say this is to say only what every student of the history of war knows: That the kind and the degree of military collaboration during a war will inexorably determine how much political collaboration there is in settling the war. The final and full military collaboration of the western Allies and Russia in the settlement of the whole war is as yet only a pledge and a promise.

That, and not the lack of the machinery of consultation—though that lack could and should be met—is the real reason why the Moscow agreements have not yet become more substantial.

There is no doubt, unless the Germans collapse and surrender first, of our invasion of Europe. There is no doubt of the Soviet intervention in Asia. What is in doubt is the time and the magnitude of the Soviet intervention. It could be withheld until Japan was virtually down and out. It could come sooner and it would then decisively accelerate the defeat of Japan. But it will surely come. A great deal of the future of Russia is in Siberia and it is inconceivable that Russia will not seize this opportunity to make it forever certain that Japan cannot interfere with Siberia and block its development.

Russia's real attitude toward general collaboration with us will be shaped by the effectiveness of our invasion and the far-sightedness of our political conduct in Europe. Our real attitude toward general collaboration with Russia will be shaped not by the border disputes in eastern Europe but by the effectiveness and the manner of Russian intervention in Asia.

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### Free Tuition For Vets. Questioned By Smith

AUSTIN, March 16 (AP)—Lt. Gov. John Lee Smith admits the Texas legislature might have been overly patriotic two years ago in granting free tuition for World War II veterans in state supported colleges.

He said yesterday at a meeting of the joint legislative audit committee before which University of Texas President Homer P. Rainey suggested that serious consideration of the law's repeal be given.

Rainey's reason: The federal government has funds to pay for tuition of veterans but will foot the bill only if state governments do not.

More than 100 veterans are now enrolled at the university and others, including many non-Texans, may enroll at war's end.

Tuberculosis is the seventh cause of death today in the U. S.

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### Four Killed When Car Strikes Tree

DALLAS, March 16 (AP)—Four persons were killed and a fifth injured early this morning when the automobile in which they were riding struck a tree and overturned. The dead were listed as Orville Stille, 18; Miss Billie Valentine, 17; an unidentified boy, about 17 or 18, and a girl tentatively identified as a Miss Roach.

Donald Carearan, 17, was taken to Baylor hospital with cuts and bruises.

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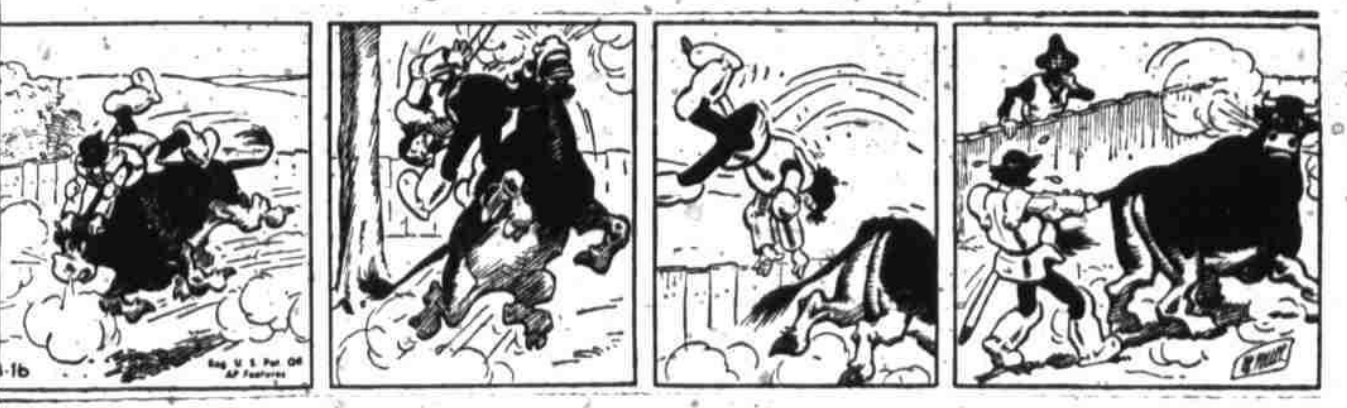
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"The service is to be started on an extension of route A. M. 29. Announcement was made several days ago the air route was to be extended.

Announcement of the airmail plans was given in the Postal Bulletin, issued in Washington. The bulletin also announced service would be started on a new route A. M. 60 between Denver by way of Salina and Topeka, Kas., to Kansas City, Mo.

No official cachets for official flight covers are to be authorized, but, souvenir covers may be issued by postmasters if practicable and the Big Spring postmaster is making plans to issue cachets when requested.

Copies of either or both of two scenes will be printed on airmail going from Big Spring on the new route, if persons request them of Postmaster Shick.

One scene shows a camp scene, with the camp cook saying "Come and Git It", and the other shows an airport scene and parachute and the words "Drop in Now", and "Big Spring—The Main Spring of West Texas."

**Weather Forecast**

Dept. of Commerce Weather Bureau

**BIG SPRING AND VICINITY:** Considerable cloudiness this afternoon. Partly cloudy tonight and Friday; not much change in temperature.

**WEST TEXAS:** Considerable cloudiness this afternoon, partly cloudy tonight and Friday, cooler in Del Rio-Eagle Pass area tonight, warmer in Panhandle and South Plains Friday.

**EAST TEXAS:** Cloudy, light rain in extreme south, cooler except extreme northwest and extreme south portions this afternoon, cloudy, cooler in east and south portions tonight; Friday partly cloudy in north portion.

**TEMPERATURES**

| City       | Max. | Min. |
|------------|------|------|
| Abilene    | 70   | 42   |
| Amarillo   | 51   | 31   |
| BIG SPRING | 77   | 44   |
| Chicago    | 44   | 34   |
| Denver     | 32   | 20   |
| El Paso    | 71   | 48   |
| Fort Worth | 74   | 48   |
| Galveston  | 70   | 63   |
| New York   | 46   | 39   |
| St. Louis  | 66   | 52   |

Local sunset today at 7:55 p. m. Sunrise Friday at 7:53 a. m.

**Livestock**

**FORT WORTH, March 16 (AP)—**Cattle 1,100; calves 350; cattle and calves slow, about steady; medium and good shorted steers and yearlings 12.50 - 14.40; few common kinds 9.50 - 11.50; good fat cows 10.50 upward; canners and cutters 5.00 - 8.25; bulls 7.50 - 11.00; good and choice fat calves 13.00 - 14.00; plain and medium butcher calves 9.50 - 12.50.

**Hogs 1,700;** butcher hogs and sows steady; stocker pigs 50c lower; good and choice 200-330 lb. butchering hogs 13.55 - 65; good and choice 175 - 195 lb. hogs 12.25 - 13.45; good and choice 150 - 170 lb. averages 10.00 - 12.00; packing sows 11.00 - 75; stocker pigs 4.00 - 7.50; few 8.00.

**Sheep 1,400;** steady; good and choice woolled fat lambs 14.75 - 15.50; fresh short lambs 13.00; good, short lambs with No. 2 pelts 13.25; medium to good ewes 7.00 - 8.00; one deck of feeder lambs 12.75.

**GRIN AND BEAR IT**



"He's been spouting for half an hour already—I thought he said he was introducing a speaker who 'needed no introduction'..."

**Girl Scout Leaders Cite Need Of Another Worker, Readopt Budget**

Growth in the West Texas district has been of such proportions that another professional worker is needed to adequately coordinate Girl Scout work, more than 125 adult volunteer workers from 20 dozen cities agreed here Wednesday.

At the same time, finance committee members agreed to readopt the \$4,000 budget with hopes of gaining enough out of expansion of the program to justify the addition of a worker.

At the noon luncheon in the ballroom, Dr. W. Truett Walton of Hardin-Simmons University, addressed the convention on "The Value of Work With Youth in This Period."

Highlight of the afternoon session was a meeting of the men's committee at which the group discussed the fiscal year, and it was agreed that each town should pledge to duplicate the budget for a total of \$4,000 for the year. Miss Edith Sinnett, director of the Cactus region which includes Texas, New Mexico and Oklahoma, met with the group, and it was decided that separate drives should be held in the various communities and towns over the district to raise funds for the organization.

Need was expressed for another worker in the district. Those attending the session were Horace Reagan, Dr. W. T. Walton of Abilene; Lawrence Robinson, Judge C. M. Sparkman of Garden City, Dan Conley, Jim Ferguson of Sweetwater and E. O. Wedgeworth and R. H. Odum of Snyder.

During the afternoon general session reports were heard from the various towns and Mrs. Steven Leach, reporting for Midland, stated that that town now has nine troops, 19 leaders and a total of 182 girls enrolled.

Two troops were reported in Roscoe, and E. O. Wedgeworth of Snyder reported five troops there. Meg, Tom Pickering of Odessa, stated that there were 345 girls enrolled as scouts in that community with a total of 34 leaders.

A troop from Lamesa presented a demonstration which included a skit on collection of waste fats, selling war bonds, first aid and camping out.

Mrs. Clark Matthews of Sweetwater, chairman of the West Texas district, presided over the meeting and Mrs. C. B. Oates of Abilene, discussed the purpose and the advantages of a leader's club.

Concluding talk was given by Mrs. H. W. Smith of Big Spring, who discussed day camps.

Members of the local Girl Scout council entertained with an informal tea in room No. 4 at 3:30 o'clock and Girl Scouts assisted in the hospitality.

Delegates attended the meeting from Abilene, Garden City, Lamesa, Midland, Odessa, Snyder, Stanton, Sweetwater, San Angelo, McCaney and Big Spring.

**Public Records**

**Marriage Licenses**  
Samuel B. Newhouse of Honeygrove and Viola Louise Haden of Big Spring.

**Frank Glass and Geneva Ransom,** both of Big Spring.

**Warranty Deed**  
Nancy Ann Echols and husband to Mrs. M. C. Holt, lot 10, block 7, Jones Valley addition, \$750.

**In 70th District Court**  
J. E. Hendrick versus Etta Hendrick, petition for divorce.  
Donald E. Northcutt versus Ida Glenn Northcutt, petition for divorce.

**Building Permits**  
F. L. Lopez to make addition to house at 611 NW 8th street, cost \$125.  
Southern Ice Co. to build storehouse east of T. & P. depot, cost \$950.

**Farm Bureau Has 337 Membership**

The Howard county Farm Bureau has membership of 337 for 1944, according to information prepared Thursday morning in the county agent's office.

That total includes 138 new members and 199 renewals. In addition, 114 members in 1943 have not yet renewed their memberships for 1944 and some of the memberships have not expired.

Number of members is approximately 24 more than the high point membership in 1943, said O. P. Griffin, county agent.

The membership information was sent to C. T. Devaney, secretary of the county bureau, of Coahoma.

**Divorce**

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Boynton, and agreed to visits by the father. Waivers of contest will be sent to Col. Roosevelt, indicating that he will not oppose the divorce.

Property owned by the Roosevelts, as listed in the petition include the 1,300-acre Dutch Branch Ranch, stocks, bonds, cattle, household property and furniture and other personal property "all of which the plaintiff alleges to be community property and in all of which the plaintiff claims an undivided one-half interest."

Rosevelt and Miss Goetzins daughter of Mrs. Ruth S. Goetzins met at a party in Dallas after a performance of the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show Rodeo here 11 years ago.

The New York library has received 4000 books about tobacco. We can get the same quantity of matter by listening to the radio a few evenings.

**Short Change Artist Arrested By Police**

A "short change artist" who has a police record for short changing here and elsewhere, was arrested by city police Wednesday night after about six stores had reported the man had obtained more change than he was entitled to.

The man, who was arrested by Louis Merworth and Alfred Moody, was transferred to custody of county officials Thursday morning and is to be charged.

According to information given to officials, one of his methods is to make a purchase and give a bill in payment, then upon receiving change to ask for a larger bill, he decides suddenly he wants a still larger bill, for instance a \$20 bill, and gives the money to the cashier, not, however, having given money for the first bill received.

**Assemblies Of God Has Good Session**

Approximately 250 persons were present Thursday morning for opening session of a two-day South Plains sectional spring convention of the West Texas district council of the Assemblies of God, said Rev. Homer Sheats, pastor of the Big Spring First Assembly of God church which is host to the meeting.

Rev. H. Paul Holdridge of Plainview, district superintendent, delivered a message on "The Miracle of Pentecost" at 11 a. m.

The first hour this afternoon was to be devoted to the Woman's Missionary Council program, directed by Mrs. Clara Newton of Tahoka, sectional WMC director. Rev. Mark Paddock of Kansas City was to speak afterward.

A missionary service will be conducted at 8 p. m., with Ted Vassar, returned missionary from India, speaking.

Services will be conducted at 10:30 a. m. and 2:30 p. m. Friday.

Twenty-two churches in Texas, New Mexico, Tennessee and Missouri are represented at the meeting. Twenty-five ministers are present.

**Water Engineer Ends Conference**

Marvin C. Nichols, member of the engineering firm of Freese and Nichols, FWA representatives on the city water development project, ended two days of conference with city authorities here Thursday and returned to Fort Worth.

Plans were settled for two more tests in the northern Glasscock county area above the O'Barr ranch test which the city completed a month and a half ago.

These wells will be drilled near power lines to facilitate testing and their reaction may determine for what period of time the test will continue.

Nichols had no word regarding the status of the application for a pipeline and well project now before FWA in Washington. The cost of the program is estimated at around \$900,000.

**Club Bowlers Take Journey Laurels**

The Club cafe aggregation of women bowlers took all laurels in tournament play Wednesday evening when one of its team members, Olive Cagle, rolled a 200 for high individual game and 473 for high individual series aiding the team in a high series victory of 1943 and a high team score of 717.

The Swartz team won two games from Cosden; Club cafe took two from Hester's and Schiltz downed Texas Electric twice.

In standing Cosden still leads by three games with Swartz in second place.

**Keeps Football Link**

**CAMP KEARNS, Utah—**Mack Flenniken has just been promoted to the rank of captain, but he is still in athletics—as business manager of the Kearns Eagles football team. Flenniken, a Fort Worth, Tex., native, has been a member of numerous all-American teams, played with the Chicago Cardinals and the New York Giants and starred in football, basketball and track at Geneva College from 1924 to 1927.

**NEED MAPS TO FOLLOW SONS**

**SOUTHBRIDGE, Mass.—**If Mr. and Mrs. Albert Servant of Southbridge sometimes get confused when friends ask where their sons are, it's only natural. They have six boys in the Army. Albert and Clovis are in England, Leonard is in Italy. All are privates. The family's only corporal, Norman, is somewhere overseas—just where isn't known to his family. Gerard, the youngest, has just been inducted.

**STRANGE CARGO**

**NEW DELHI, March 16 (AP)—**War yields strange booty in the steaming, green jungles of North Burma. Chinese forces operating under Lt. Gen. Joseph W. Stilwell near Jambu Bum listed "one elephant" among the supplies and equipment taken from the Japanese.

**From where I sit...**

by Joe Marsh

You hear a lot of talk about morale these days... but have you found many people who know exactly what "morale" was?

Well, I was thumping through my scrap book the other day, and I came on this verse I'd like to pass on to you...

It's the lift you get from a friendly smile...  
A brand new hat in a jaunty style...  
A letter from home that the post-man brings...  
Morale is a lot of little things.

Isn't it so? Morale is just a lot of little things. A flower in your button hole, a word of greeting, an occasional refreshing glass of beer with friends.

From where I sit, if we take care to preserve these little friendly things that boost morale, we'll be doing a lot to help our country in this time of crisis.

And we'll boost morale among our soldiers at the front, too. Because it's these "important little things" that they look forward to returning to.

Joe Marsh

**Stewart Stars In Brand New Role**

**A U. S. BOMBER BASE IN BRITAIN, March 16 (AP)—**Major James Stewart is starring in a new role.

The former Hollywood actor led all Liberator bombers on yesterday's Brunswick raid, and fellow airmen said his selection as commander of such a large force testified to his ability.

Stewart, who had led a smaller group of bombers on previous raids over some of Europe's toughest targets, had this to say of his 10th mission, which earned him an oak leaf cluster for his air medal:

"It was all right."

**Seed Vendors Are Warned To Comply**

John W. Young, state and federal seed inspector, Thursday warned truckers and seed vendors "who are violating the Texas seed law (house bill 420)" that wartime necessity dictates prompt action against them.

He called attention to the act which requires that "all planting seed must be tested and tagged before being offered for sale by vendor." The fine ranges from \$30 to \$200.

In many cases it has been established that seed from cane stacks three and four years old have been threshed and offered as planting seed, said Young.

"Due to the fact that planting will be late... and due to manpower shortage, we are asking every patriotic citizen to aid us in securing the best seed available in order to produce more food and feed to win the war." He urged farmers to avoid doing business with "seed bootleggers," observing that the "best seed are the cheapest."

**Here 'n There**

The WAC recruiting team, which has been on a recruiting trip this week, is to return to the recruiting office in the basement of the federal building Friday morning and will spend Friday and Saturday in Big Spring.

Monday will be the deadline for persons to file intention to take examinations to be conducted April 7 and 8 to qualify them to teach in unaccredited schools. Only one person has thus far notified Walker Bailey, county superintendent, of intention to take the examinations. High school graduates 18 or older are eligible.

**Mama's Turn Next**

**FREDERICK, Okla., March 16 (AP)—**Pfc. Glenn Golding of St. Louis, a military policeman, climbed aboard a bus entering the main gate of the army air field here to examine passes and encountered a young woman who didn't show one.

"Where's your pass, Miss?" he inquired.

With a look of surprise, the passenger fumbled in her bag, produced the pass, and Golding nodded.

The young woman's turn came later. She is Mrs. Golding.

**Sellers To Confer With The Governor**

**EL PASO, March 16 (AP)—**Texas Atty.-Gen. Grover Sellers was to leave here late today for Austin to confer with Gov. Coke Stevenson on the latter's reply to President Roosevelt's request for an opinion on the soldier vote bill passed yesterday by congress.

"I'll have to study the new bill before I can give an opinion," Sellers said.

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**School Of Dentistry Reports Progress**

AUSTIN, March 16 (AP)—The University of Texas school of dentistry at Houston reported today that great strides were being taken by its clinic in restorative dentistry.

Deafness caused by distortion of jaws from loss of teeth, and the artificial look of new dentures, are both on the road to cure said Dr. F. C. Elliott, dean of the college.

The present plan is to make a cast of the oral cavity, as well as complete X-rays and put these on permanent file. This should be done, said Dr. Elliott, preferably in the early twenties or thirties. Then, when teeth need replacing later in life, the dentist can check the cast and insure that the natural jaw positions and facial contour are retained.

**Quite A Jolt**

LOS ANGELES, (AP)—An automobile and a 16-ton Army tank collided at an intersection, injuring the car's five occupants. Police traffic investigators reported: "Estimated damage to automobile, \$800; to tank, \$2."

**MILLIONS TROUT 'PLANTED'**

SEATTLE.—The Washington state game department planted more than 18,000,000 fish in lakes and streams of the state during 1943. The species included 12,500,000 silver trout; 2,400,000 rainbow trout; 800,000 eastern brook trout; 750,000 cutthroat trout, and 1,220,000 steelhead trout.

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