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Stilwell Appointed To Lead Tenth Army

To Take Over Upon Arrival On Okinawa

By SPENCER DAVIS
MANILA, June 21 (AP)—Gen. Joseph W. Stilwell, switched from his post as chief of army ground forces to the Pacific, has been selected by Gen. Douglas MacArthur to command the U. S. 10th army now mopping up on Okinawa, it was announced today.

The veteran Japanese fighter's transfer to the Pacific ocean theater and his appointment to the command vacated by the death in action on Okinawa of Lt. Gen. Simon Bolivar Buckner, Jr., was announced from MacArthur's headquarters.

The assignment culminated a series of conferences among Stilwell, MacArthur and other field commanders in the Pacific area recently, and it is assumed he will take over the Tenth army as soon as he can get there.

Stilwell confessed with MacArthur earlier this week. He left headquarters several days ago but still is in the Pacific area.

It is believed he will take command of the Tenth army upon his arrival.

MacArthur as commander of the army forces in the Pacific has over-all jurisdiction of the Tenth army, but the Okinawa campaign was under Adm. Chester W. Nimitz and under the operational control of the joint chiefs of staff.

Lt. Gen. Roy S. Geiger, a marine general, now is serving as a stop-gap commander of the Tenth army in the mopping up operations on Okinawa.

The 63-year-old Stilwell, known as "Vinegar Joe", knows the enemy as do few other field commanders.

After his long and distinguished service in the Burma-China theater, he was known to have been anxious to take another crack at the Japanese as a field commander.

He had served as U.S. commander of army ground forces in Washington since his return from Chungking.

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Delegates Agree On Charter Draft

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER
Associated Press Diplomatic News Editor
SAN FRANCISCO, June 21 (AP)—A charter embracing the views of 50 United Nations was wrapped up today into a world document designed to maintain peace.

President Truman, now taking a brief holiday in Washington state, will bring the United Nations Conference to a formal close with a speech on international affairs Tuesday afternoon.

Until that time the delegates of the 50 nations represented here will be busy with a variety of technical problems and speech-making sessions. But the real work of the conference, which met April 25, is accomplished.

It reached that stage last night. A committee approved an Australian-Russian compromise empowering the proposed general assembly of nations to discuss and make recommendations on any question "within the scope of the charter" written here.

Thus ended a long struggle by small nations to make the assembly a "town meeting of the world" potentially capable of exerting the pressure of public opinion on the big-power-controlled security council, even though it could exercise no control over the council directly.

Secretary of State Stettinius announced yesterday that the charter would be signed Monday. A special room, with a huge round table, blue-covered against a background of United Nations flags, has been prepared for that ceremony.

The president will arrive Monday in time for the signing and will remain through the closing session about 24 hours later. When he leaves he will take the charter with him to submit to the senate with a plea for speedy ratification.

Among sections of the charter which won committee approval yesterday and last night was a chapter setting up a system of international trusteeships for government of internationally-held territories and also setting forth standards for colonial powers in the government of all dependent peoples.

The charter does not specifically mention independence but it promises the development of self-government and free political institutions.

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Force Of 30,000 Japs Retreat North On Luzon

Nipponese Fall Back To Last City With Nowhere To Go

By SPENCER DAVIS
MANILA, June 21 (AP)—A force of possibly 30,000 Japanese was herded north up the Cagayan valley today by onrushing columns of the 37th Ohio infantry division toward fierce Igorots bent on adding them to the more than 400,000 enemy casualties on Luzon.

The Nipponese were falling back on Aparri, a scant 100 miles ahead of 37th advance patrols, with nowhere to go once they reach that northernmost city on Luzon.

On the west side of the Cagayan river, which splits the valley, the Igorots and other Filipino guerrillas, waited in long-prepared positions to frustrate any Nipponese attempt to find refuge among the wild, spiny ridges of the Cordillera mountains.

The backtracking foe was hounded by planes, some flown by Mexican pilots, which are making as many as 300 sorties a day in support of the Luzon operations.

On Borneo, Australian forces have made a new landing, this time at the northern head of Brunel Bay to give them control of "the shores bordering both entrances into the bay," headquarters announced today.

The diggers crossed the five-mile strait from previously captured Labuan island in a move which would block any attempt of the Japanese to attack from Jesselton, 80 miles north.

Headquarters reported another in the daily series of attacks by heavy bombers on the oil center of Balikpapan.

Some of the stiffest fighting was in the Davao Gulf area of southern Mindanao where Associated Press War Correspondent Richard Bergholz reported U.S. 41st division troops captured Cailanan, a road junction.

Leopold Continues Cabinet Efforts

BRUSSELS, June 21 (AP)—Paul Van Zeeland, former prime minister and a staunch royalist, appeared today to be King Leopold's most likely choice to attempt to form a new government.

But with liberal, socialist and communist parties still hostile to the monarch's return, the immediate chances of success on Van Zeeland's part seemed slight.

Negotiations to form a new government which would support Leopold's return have proceeded in an atmosphere of secrecy, with only Catholics and conservatives considered in the running.

Entirely unconfirmed rumors were heard that Leopold had summoned the presidents of the senate and the chamber of deputies to Salzburg in an attempt to avert an open conflict with parliament.

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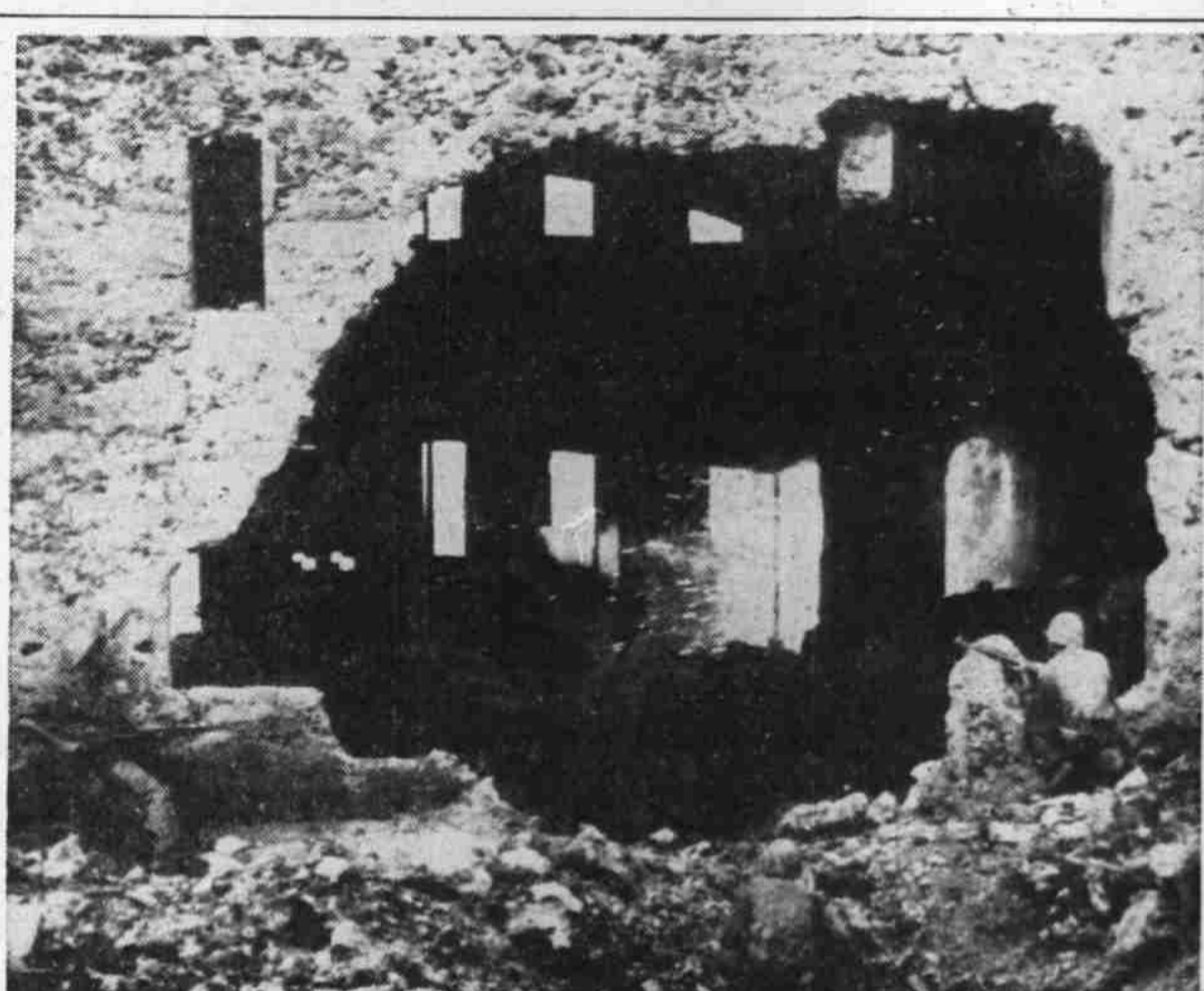
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Nimitz Announces Okinawa Drive End



GRENADE EXPLODES IN BESIEGED OKINAWA BUILDING—A phosphorus grenade tossed by marines explodes inside a shattered Okinawa building as efforts are made to dislodge a Jap sniper hidden in the ruins. Three marine riflemen are ready to go into action if the sniper attempts to escape. (AP Wirephoto from Marine Corps).

Victory Is Most Costly Island Battle For US

By ROBBIN COONS
GUAM, June 21 (AP)—The end of the Okinawa campaign after 82 days of savage fighting was announced by Adm. Chester W. Nimitz today, giving American forces a strategic base only 325 miles from Japan.

Costliest of all the central and western Pacific campaigns, the battle of Okinawa took a toll of 38,116 Americans killed and wounded up to four weeks ago, and cost the enemy more than 90,000 dead.

While the big guns of the fleet and the artillery battalions fell silent, U.S. Tenth army forces still hammered with tanks and flame-throwers at two small pockets on the southern tip of the island, mopping up a handful of Japanese who refused to surrender.

Adm. Chester W. Nimitz in a special communication declared all organized resistance had been crushed.

His announcement was made shortly after Gen. Douglas MacArthur reported from Manila Gen. Joseph W. Stilwell, chief of army ground forces, would take over command of the Tenth army.

Victory was proclaimed only three days after Stilwell's predecessor, Lt. Gen. Simon Bolivar Buckner Jr., was killed by a Japanese shell burst as he watched the final, decisive assault.

It fulfilled Buckner's prediction, made a short time before he was struck down, it was unlikely the enemy could hold out more than a week longer.

The stand cost the Japanese 87,343 killed and 2,565 taken prisoner up until Tuesday.

U.S. army and navy casualties from March 18—when fleet units bombarded Japan's Inland Sea in preparation for the invasion—to May 24 were 9,602 killed and 25,514 wounded.

Largest Japanese island captured by Nimitz's forces, Okinawa was invaded Easter Sunday, April 1, with two strategic objectives.

First was the tightening of the blockade of Japan. The second was to provide fields for large numbers of American bombers to hammer Japan into surrender or to soften the home islands for American invasion.

The Japanese flung kamikaze (suicide) pilots and planes against the American supply ships circling the surrounding waters, sinking at least 24 and damaging 54, most of them light, small vessels.

In all the enemy lost, by the last announced count, 4,096 planes but still they could not halt the flow of supplies.

While the Japanese had yet to acknowledge the fall of Okinawa, the Tokyo radio admitted that only a "handful" of Japanese still fought on.

The Japanese have reported at least two U.S. task forces are on the loose in waters west of Okinawa with large numbers of supply vessels and assault boats anchored in Okinawan waters.

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Enemy Empire Raided As Larger Attacks Planned

American Planes Drop Bombs Over 1,500-Mile Area

GUAM, June 21 (AP)—Like the sweep of a giant's arm, American army and navy planes lashed at Japanese bases and shipping for more than 1,500 miles from Hong Kong to Japan itself in operations reported today.

A 200-plane strike destroyed the supply base of Kari on Formosa's southwest coast. Many sweeps were search and patrol attacks.

From south to north, as pieced together by today's communiques of Adm. Chester W. Nimitz in Guam and Gen. Douglas MacArthur in Manila, this was the picture:

Hong Kong—motor vehicles destroyed and bases strafed.

Canton—waterfront raided.

Formosa—200 tons of explosives dropped by more than 50 Liberators of the Fifth army airforce on the north port of Keelung; 200 Lightnings and Mustangs spilled 72 tons of jelled gasoline bombs on Kari, completing its destruction.

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Jimmy Doolittle Will Return To Pacific Soon

WASHINGTON, June 21 (AP)—The strategic bombing of Japan will be carried out by two separate heavy bombardment forces, the 20th and the 8th.

This was disclosed today in a news conference with Lt. Gen. James H. Doolittle, chief of the 8th Air Force which now is being redeployed from Europe to the Pacific area.

In answer to a question about the general setup, Doolittle said: "The 8th will be under my command; the directives will come from the joint chiefs of staff."

This will parallel operations of the 20th Air Force, commanded by Gen. H. H. Arnold, with Lt. Gen. Barney Giles the deputy commander in the Pacific.

The 21st Bomber Command (a part of the 20th Air Force), based on Saipan, has been conducting the attacks on the Japanese home islands. The 20th is directed from Washington and the strategy is determined by the joint chiefs of staff here.

Doolittle said that Colorado Springs, Colo., will be the headquarters of the 8th Air Force while it is retraining in this country.

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European Divisions Assigned Duty

By AUSTIN BEALMEAR
PARIS, June 21 (AP)—Assignments of 23 or the 61 American divisions under Gen. Eisenhower's command at the end of the war in Europe have been decided, leaving 38 with their future status unannounced, supreme headquarters said today.

Two other divisions, the 28th and 29th infantry, had at least temporary tasks in Europe. The 28th is staffing a German zone which may go to French control later and the 29th is on duty at port facilities of Bremen, in the British-occupied area, through which American supplies will pass.

The latest to be earmarked for occupation duty are the 42nd and 65th infantry divisions, which will take over northwestern Austria.

In Germany the U.S. Third and Seventh armies, which ultimately will control the American zone of occupation, will have at least six divisions apportioned evenly between them.

Gen. Patton's Third army, under present plans, will have the First and Ninth infantry and Fourth armored divisions.

Lt. Gen. Wade H. Haislip's Seventh army will have the Third and 36th infantry and the First armored divisions.

The 82nd airborne division is expected to garrison the American zone in Berlin. The 29th infantry division will remain in its present location, the Bremen port area. The 28th infantry division is in the Rhenish palatinate, which may be assigned to French control. In that case, the 28th would be redeployed.

The 66th division has been assigned to operate the Marseille staging area from which some



WHERE EIGHT U. S. DIVISIONS ARE ASSIGNED IN GERMANY—Boxes locate areas where eight U.S. divisions have been assigned to duty in the American zone of occupation in Germany. The locations are not necessarily permanent. (AP Wirephoto Map).

troops will be shipped directly to the Pacific.

The 75th division will operate an assembly area command where troops are processed for redeploy-

Easley Struck Down In Action

By ROBERT GEIGER
WITH U. S. 96TH DIVISION ON OKINAWA, June 19 (Delayed) (AP)—In a front line setting of bursting mortars and flying bullets, Brig. Gen. Claudius M. Easley, assistant commander of the 96th Infantry division, was killed today by a Japanese machine gunner.

General Easley, a Texas whose home was in Washington, D. C., made personal bravery and excellent marksmanship his code. Almost every day since the start of the Okinawa campaign 80 days ago, he was in the front lines.

He had been assistant commander of the 96th since it was activated at Camp Adar, Ore., in August, 1942. The division took its name of "Deadeye" from Easley's reputation for excellent marksmanship.

Only three days ago, Easley while autographing a shortsporter bill and being chided for his perpetual frontline meanderings, said that a general in his post was the eyes and ears for a division general and that he could prefer no better death than at enemy hands.

Shortly before he died he lectured a frontline group for having let a Japanese sniper pin them down. "You should be ashamed to let one Jap make you take cover," he told them.

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Easley crawled to the summit of the hillock trying to outflank the Japanese and direct the fire against him. Another Japanese machine-gunner shot him through the head.

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Braves' Stock Highest Since Stallings' Days

By JOE REICHLER
Associated Press Sports Writer
Manager Bob Coleman loomed today as Boston's miracle man No. 2.

The rapid rise of the Braves to a contending position in the National league pennant race had baseball followers thinking back 30 years when the Braves under George Stallings, the original miracle man, climaxed a great stretch drive to win their first and only pennant, after being in last place in mid-season.

Since that 1914 season, the Braves have been in the first division only five times, but today, after a 15-10 drubbing of the New York Giants last night for their 12th victory in the last 16 games, they were only two games away from second place and only one behind the fifth place Giants.

Boston outslugged the Giants in a game in which six pitchers gave up 32 hits, 16 for each side.

A pair of homers by Danny Gardella and one by Johnny Rucker failed to help the Giants, who dropped their 19th game in the last 24, and fell into the second division for the first time this season.

Those onrushing Brooklyn Dodgers cracked out a double win over the Philadelphia Phillies, 4-2 and 8-1, to pull three games in front of the second place Pittsburgh Pirates. Art Herring won his first game of the year in the opener, while Curt Davis registered his sixth triumph in the nightcap.

Lefty Hal Newhouser, Detroit's 29-game winner last year, won his 10th this season, blanking the Cleveland Indians 5-0 for his third shutout. The win increased the Tigers' American league lead to two and one-half games over the

idle New York Yankees.

A four-run eighth inning climaxed by a near-riot gave the Chicago White Sox their second straight victory over the St. Louis Browns 4-1, and dropped the American league champions to sixth place.

The excitement began when Pitcher George Caster, infuriated at the riding he had taken from the Sox "jockeys," fired the ball into their dugout as he was called off the mound by Manager Luke Sewell. After players from both teams had rushed onto the field, followed by spectators from the stands, the umpires, with the aid

of police, finally restored order. No action was taken by the officials.

The Chicago Cubs moved into third place in the National league, four percentage points over the St. Louis Cardinals, by defeating the Pirates 5-3.

Washington made it three in a row over the Athletics as Mickey Haefer outpitched Bobo Newsom 7-5. The victory moved the Senators into fifth place.

The Red Sox-Yankee scheduled twin bill was rained out while Cincinnati and the Cardinals were not scheduled.

Mirrors Of Austin— State Pension Amendment Takes Up Hotly Debated Question—Need Of Aid

By PAUL BOLTON

The "social security" amendment to the Constitution upon which the people will vote August 25, contains considerably more than has been publicized.

In the first place, it proposes to write into the basic law, the constitution, one of the most hotly debated aspects of old age pensions—that they shall be based on need. While pensions are now based on need, some of the hottest fights of the legislature have been on whether the legislature has the power to write the qualification in. The persuading factor in the past has been that federal matching money was granted only to those for whom a need was shown. At one time the argument waxed so strong that it was proposed to set up parallel systems—a state system without need, a federal system with need.

The constitutional amendment doesn't attempt to define need—that'll still be a legislative job. But it starts right out with the phrase, "needy aged persons . . ."

The second change which has been very little publicized is the fact that the amount to be paid out to needy children and needy blind is left unrestricted. As the constitution now reads, the state is limited to \$15 a month for needy blind; and for needy children, \$8 a month for one child and not more than \$12 a month for any family. The only restriction in the new law on these two phases of security legislation is the overall restriction of \$35,000,000 on the amount the state can pay out for all forms of aid.

A possibly unimportant change in the pension section is the omission of the former restriction

against giving pensions to habitual criminals and drunkards. Presumably the legislature would be left free to write this into the law.

Considerably more important is the two-year increase in the top age limit of children—from 14 to 16. Under the proposal, children of 16 or under are eligible for aid; under the present constitution, the top is 14.

It is also proposed to set up residence requirements for children. A child of more than 1 year old must have resided in the state continuously for a year prior to receiving aid; and as to children less than one; their mothers must have lived in Texas a year prior to making application.

If the constitutional amendment to make commissioners of the supreme court full justices had been submitted a couple of months earlier, Commissioners A. J. Folley and W. M. Taylor would have been the first to run for election. As it is, the doubtful honor of running, instead of being appointed, will go to Commissioners G. B. Smedley and J. E. Hickman.

The terms of Judges Folley and Taylor expire on June 29. Presumably they will be re-appointed for full six year terms.

The constitutional amendment, which gives justices and commissioners equal status—makes them all justices—requires all court members to run for election. It provides, however, that members of the commission shall automatically become justices when (a) the amendment is adopted and shall continue in office "until January 1st next preceding the expiration of the term to which he has been appointed . . ."

Court Justice John Sharp must also stand for re-election next.

The amendment—to which no opposition has developed—does not change the present system under which the chief justice runs as and is elected as such. There had been some sentiment for authorizing the court itself to elect its chief justice.

Governor Coke Stevenson has promised to "give some study" to a question raised concerning the year-round pay for legislators proposed in another amendment. The question is, Can any member of the 49th run for election to the 50th legislature, if the people approve this amendment? and the question is founded in this constitutional provision: (Sec. 18, Art. 3).

"No senator or representative shall, during the term for which he may be elected, be eligible to any office . . . the emoluments of which may have been increased during such term."

The attorney general already has ruled that the amendment if voted by the people, is effective when the votes are counted.

SPORTS ROUNDUP

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.
NEW YORK, June 21 (AP)—Since he returned from duty in the Pacific, Bob Feller has become a first-rate amateur magician. . . . Which probably will lead various and sundry American league hitters to ask: "How could he turn amateur?" . . . And its a good thing Bob is a petty officer and doesn't wear an ordinary sailor's suit because he carries all the gadgets for a two-hour magic show in his pockets. . . . Corp. Fritzie Zivic has been made an honorary sheriff in Bexar county, Texas, and no one claims if he can't knock 'em out, he always can flash his badge.

The Manager's Orders—
Sam Oliver, a welder in a copper plant, worked a double shift the other night, hurried home for a quick nap before pitching a game for Salt Lake City in the Utah industrial baseball league. . . . Upon leaving home, Oliver relates, his wife said if he had to be taken out of this game she would never come to another—"and she meant it." . . . Oliver obliged by hurling the first no-hit game in the league's history against Magna.

One-Minute Sports Page—
When Dave (Boo) Ferriss pitched for Minter City, Miss., in the 1940 national semi-pro tournament at Wichita, Kas., he gave up 11 hits in losing a 6-5, 10 inning decision to a mining team from Natrona, Pa., and didn't get a tumble from the major league scouts. . . . The navy unit which is leaving Texas Christian U. will be split among three colleges, but Texas U. gets all the eight trainees who won varsity letters.

Kid Stuff—
This wire from Tulsa, Okla., is self-explanatory: "Why not give our junior baseball program a break? . . . It's the biggest of its kind per capita in nation. Chamber sports committee contributed \$2,000 to dressing up Texas league park where youngsters play double-header nightly. . . . Has 22 teams in three divisions."

FIRST ON GERMAN SOIL
Sgt. Vernon W. Langley, Cpl. Harry S. Barnett and Pvt. Joseph T. Birmingham are men in the 36th "Texas" division troops first on German soil. They were part of the 141st Infantry regiment.

CAMPBELL PROMOTED
Jessey F. Campbell, son of Mrs. C. M. Campbell of Big Spring, has been promoted to sergeant at Bergstrom Field, 1 Troop Carrier command base near Austin. Sgt. Campbell received special training in maintenance of C-46 Troop Carrier planes. He is now a member of the combat crew which has completed training in the troop carrier mission of dropping paratroopers, supplies and evacuating the wounded.

CHRISTIAN IN CALIF.
Weldon Christian, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel W. D. Christian, was recently promoted to transport airman second class, USNR, at Naval Air Transport Squadron Four, Oakland, Calif. Enlisting in June, 1944, Christian completed his boot training at San Diego and was assigned to active duty with his present squadron. Before joining the navy, Christian was weight and balance engineer for the Douglas Aircraft Corp. at Tulsa, Okla. Following graduation from Big Spring high school in 1938, Christian attended Tech Tech, graduating in 1943. His wife, the former Jo Nell Cox, lives in Oakland.

KNOTT BOY IN ENGLAND
Cpl. James M. Gist of Knott was stationed at 1st Base Air Depot, Warrington, England, on V-E day. He is the son of Herman C. Gist of Denver City. Cpl. Gist has been overseas since October, 1943, and joined the army in October, 1942. He attended Garner high school.

Mark Twain attended a log cabin school until he was 12 years old.

Lopez, Lopez, Which One Is THE Lopez?

By JACK RUTLEDGE
Associated Press Staff

Because the name Lopez is as common on the border as Smith or Jones, Brownsville's plans to honor a home-town Congressional Medal of Honor hero were thrown into a mild state of confusion. . . . Sgt. Jose M. Lopez is the hero. A Texan from the Lower Rio

Grande Valley, he won fame by personally killing at least 100 Germans during the battle of the bulge. . . . His exploits in that engagement rank among the most amazing of the war. . . . Sgt. Lopez is coming home, now, and Brownsville plans a real celebration. . . . Townspeople are making up a fund to buy him a \$1,000 war bond. . . . He will be given a public reception. . . . But although he won national fame, like many another hero-soldier he was not widely known at home. The committee in charge of the celebration went to the draft board to identify him definitely. . . . And then the fun began. . . . Chief Clerk Pete Bouis checked into his records. . . . There are four men named Jose M. Lopez in the armed services from Brownsville! . . . "I would like to know," said Mr. Bouis, admittedly bewildered, "which one of these Jose M. Lopezes is the Congressional Medal of Honor holder?" . . . He had a Jose Mendoza Lopez, two Jose Macedonio Lopezes, and one plain Jose M. Lopez. . . . He finally decided, with help, that the hero was Jose Mendoza Lopez, who volunteered for induction into the army April 8, 1942. Celebration plans continued.

Last Laps Of Golf Tourney Opens With Eight Contenders

INDIANAPOLIS, June 21 (AP)—A thoroughly tested field of eight determined young ladies—survivors of two hectic rounds of match play over the exacting Highland Country club course—was ready to renew the quest for the Women's Western Open golf championship this afternoon. . . . Probably the most determined of the quarter-finalists—of necessity—was Mrs. Mildred (Babe) Didrickson Zaharias of Los Angeles, the defending champion and co-medalist. The belting Babe was forced to shoot the works in her second round match with Jean Hopkins of Cleveland before escaping into the round of eight with a 1-up victory in 20 holes. . . . Also in the title chase for keeps were Ann Casey of Mason City, Iowa, and Carl (Babe) Fresse of Portland, Ore. Miss Casey collapsed a 2-down deficit at nine holes to whip Sally Sessions' of Muskegon, Mich., and Miss Fresse ousted Betty Jameson of San Antonio, 1-up in 19 holes. . . . The other quarter final match was scheduled between Pro Betty Hicks of Chicago and Doty Germain of Philadelphia. . . . Miss Hicks, the National amateur champion, fought uphill much of the way yesterday to defeat Mrs. Betty Mimis White of Dallas, 2 and 1.

College Tennis Meet Will Begin Monday

EVANSTON, Ill., June 21 (AP)—A field of 60 college tennis players from 25 schools—largest entry since the war—is ready to open the 61st annual national collegiate championship tournament on the Northwestern University courts next Monday. . . . Francisco (Pancho) Segura, of the University of Miami, Fla., is returning to defend the singles title he captured in 1943 and 1944 and he's bringing along a schoolmate, Tom Burke, who will be making his initial appearance in the tournament. . . . Entries from southern schools are Frank Willett and Howard McCall of Georgia Tech and Kenneth Crawford of Southern Methodist. The latter, a 17-year-old freshman, recently captured the Southwestern conference tennis singles title.

Prisoner Escapes, Phones To Return

SALT LAKE CITY, June 21 (AP)—"I hadn't been out 15 minutes when I realized I'd made a mistake," Adelbert Budshun, 22, told Warden John E. Harris of the Utah prison, when he phoned from Ogden, Utah, after his escape Monday. . . . Budshun volunteered to return to prison by himself to save guards a trip. At 4 a. m. he appeared at the prison gates.

HANK GREENBERG RETURNS

DETROIT, June 21 (AP)—Hank Greenberg, 34-year-old Detroit Tiger first baseman-outfielder, who was released from the army last week after four years' service, arrived here last night. Greenberg was scheduled to report at Briggs Stadium today for the beginning of intensive batting practice.

Dental colleges graduate 1,700 dentists each year.

WPB Will Charge Weir For Evading Priority Rules

By DREW PEARSON
WASHINGTON—The War Production Board is bringing one of the heaviest non-compliance charges of the entire war against Ernest Weir, head of the Weirton Steel Co., for evading priority regulations. He is being charged with violating priorities on 26 counts, subject to a fine of \$260,000. . . . The main violation, WPB charges, is that Weir used priorities to obtain air-cooling equipment for a hospital, and then installed it in the bar of the exclusive country club operated for the benefit of the 300 top executives of the Weirton Steel Co. . . . Weir did everything possible to avoid having the charges brought against him. He even offered to pay a cash fine of from \$250,000 to \$350,000 if War Production Board officials would settle the matter without bringing public action. However, they refused. . . . In addition to the air-cooling unit, Weir also obtained through his regular company priorities copper, aluminum, shower doors, and other critical materials to install showers and build a second-story addition to the company's swank clubhouse. . . . The case against him is being brought by the U. S. district attorney in the northern district of West Virginia. (Copyright, 1945, by the Bell Syndicate, Inc.)

Dairy Production Payment Rates Are Adjusted For Year

In new informational material mailed to Howard county farmers, the AAA office Thursday called attention to new dairy production payment rates. . . . During June the butterfat rate is 10 cents, whole milk 35 cents. For July, August and September the butterfat rate goes up to 13 cents, whole milk to 55 cents, and during October to March of 1946, the butterfat rate is 17, whole milk 70. . . . Also mentioned was the maximum conservation allowance of 75 cents per acre by regular practices such as contouring, strip cropping, leaving stubble, etc. Special allowances are made for special practices, but it is limited either to five times the regular allowance or the county quota. Under special practices are terracing, dams, wells, eradication, drainage ditches, mowing. Practices must be approved by the county committee before work starts. . . . Maximum range land allowance is six cents per acre.

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Social Calendar Of Events For Week

FRIDAY

LIONS CLUB AUXILIARY members will entertain their husbands with a picnic supper at 8:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. J. E. Hogan.

National Secretaries' Association Will Have An Installation Service

Miss Virginia R. Marquardt of Austin, registrar of the National Secretaries' association, is currently establishing a chapter in Big Spring, and has interviewed and signed several Big Spring secretaries. She is staying at the Settles hotel, and may be called there by secretaries interested in the association.

The association is not a union or a sorority, but a professional association designed to serve secretaries in the same manner as national associations serve other specific professions. At the present, the association has approximately 85 chapters in the larger cities of 24 states, of which 16 are in Texas.

The educational program consists of courses in business letter writing and personality development. Miss Aline Hower of St. Louis, a national letter authority, conducts the letter clinic, and the personality development course is conducted by H. Robinson Shipherd of Amherst college.

Jan Garber's Band Will Entertain Personnel At Field

Jan Garber and his new swing orchestra will arrive Friday to entertain officers, cadets and enlisted personnel stationed at the Big Spring Bombardier school.

The orchestra will play for the officers Friday night and then Saturday night, the cadets, enlisted men and women and guests will attend a special dance at the post gymnasium. Admission will be 55 cents per couple.

Garber brings with him a new swing combo that has won praise everywhere. The band appeared in Big Spring a few months ago. The admission price was set because funds weren't available to make the Garber show a free attraction.

LODGE TEAM TO MEET

Rebekah lodge team captain Sonora Murphey asks that all members of the team meet at 8 p. m. Friday at the IOOF hall.

RETURN TO BASE

Cpl. Woodrow Robinson and his wife have returned to Camp Rucker, Ala., after spending a 15-day furlough visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Gilliam and other relatives.

SAY YOU SAW IT IN THE HERALD

TCU Beauty Is Student Prexy



MISS JOAN GARDNER

First girl to be elected president of the student body in the 72-year history of Texas Christian University, Miss Joan Gardner also ranks top for beauty and brains. She was selected as one of the 12 campus beauties for the '45 yearbook and will graduate in the top 15 per cent of her class. Senior from Fort Worth, she will receive the degree of Bachelor of Science in Commerce at commencement exercises June 25.

Activities at the USO

THURSDAY
9:00-11:30—Informal dance.

FRIDAY
9:00—Bingo; three minute free telephone call home.

SATURDAY
General activities.

14TH POLIO CASE

GALVESTON, June 21 (AP)—A two-year-old Galveston child is the fourteenth polio victim in Galveston county this month. The case, the ninth in the city, was reported yesterday. There has been one fatality, a Texas City resident who died Monday at a hospital here.

CPL. GRAY OVERSEAS

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gray of Corpus Christi received word that their daughter, Cpl. Nellie J. Gray, has arrived safely overseas.

Merry Wives Club Is Entertained By Mrs. H. Stephens

Bridge and refreshments were entertainment for the Merry Wives Bridge club Wednesday night in the home of Mrs. Howard Stephens.

Mrs. William Dehlinger, Jr., won high score and Mrs. Stephens was second high. Next meeting will be held Wednesday with Mrs. George Thomas.

Other members present were Mrs. Durwood McCright, Mrs. Ocie Henson, Mrs. James C. Jones, Mrs. Thomas, Mrs. C. E. Johnson and Mrs. Steve Baker.

Numerous Visits Reported At Forsan

FORSAN, June 21—Mrs. W. T. Conger, Sterling City, Mrs. Bill Little and daughter of Colorado City, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Conger here recently.

Mark Nasworthy visited in San Angelo last week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Boyd are on a two weeks vacation, visiting relatives in Bangs and Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Chambers are on their vacation, visiting relatives in Enid, Okla.

Bill Birdwell returned from Wichita Falls this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan McRae and family are visiting in Bonham.

Vernon Joe Savage, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Savage, is visiting relatives in Odessa this week.

Bobbie Jean Peek, Big Spring, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Peek here.

Mr. and Mrs. Hazelwood and sons leave Saturday for Cisco to visit her parents.

The HD club met in the home of Mrs. Henry Huestis this week. Members surprised Mrs. Leroy Patrick with a pink and blue shower. Attending were Mrs. R. C. Hazelwood, Mrs. Loyd Peek, Mrs. J. D. Martin, Mrs. M. M. Fairchild, Mrs. Tienrend, Mrs. Ray Hurst. Several sent gifts. Refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Roberts of California have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. McCluskey.

Mrs. Bobby Asbury, Mrs. Woodrow Scudday and Mrs. M. M. Hines were in Lubbock last week.

Cadet Nurse Doris Jean McElrath of San Angelo visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete McElrath, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Wilson and daughter spent their vacation last week in Fort Worth visiting his father.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Adams received word from their son, Sgt. Darrell Adams, saying he would be home soon. He has been in South Carolina.

Cpl. J. L. Van Dike is home on a furlough.

Mrs. Arnold Bradham and children are making their home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Butler. Her husband has entered the army and is stationed at El Paso.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Porter, Mrs. Clifton McDonald and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Heatherington and family, Mr. and Mrs. Vlek spent the weekend at Christoval.

First Class Petty Officer Cleo Wilson and wife have informed their parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Huestis and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wilson of the arrival of a daughter, June 9. He is stationed at Providence, R. I. The baby has been named Beverley Sue.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sealy and daughter of Tulsa, Okla., have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Hayhurst.

Girl Scout Board Votes To Change Date Of Day Camp

Members of the Big Spring Girl Scout Board voted to change the dates of the Girl Scout Day Camp to Aug. 7-17 when they met Tuesday afternoon at the Tax Office.

Mrs. M. J. McAdams presided at the meeting, and following members were present: Mr. and Mrs. Dan Conley, Mrs. J. B. Mull, Mrs. B. J. McDaniel, Mrs. A. A. Porter, Mrs. H. H. Rutherford, Mrs. M. S. Toops, and Mrs. H. W. Smith.

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Open House To Be Held At New Parsonage Here

An open house will be held at the new parsonage of the First Christian church at 1211 Wood street from 7:30 o'clock until 10 o'clock this evening.

Rev. and Mrs. J. E. McCoy invite all members and friends to attend.

One hundred and fourteen Liberty ships have been named after women.

Knott Servicemen Return Home After Liberation From German Prison Camp

KNOTT, June 21 (Spl)—Richard E. Waller, son of Mrs. Hugh Steen, arrived home Sunday to spend a 60-day furlough. He was liberated from a German prison camp after 30 months of his 33 months overseas being imprisoned. Mrs. Steen's other son is in the air corps in the Southwest Pacific.

Cecil Autry also arrived Sunday to spend his furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Autry and family. Cecil was also a prisoner of the Germans for 12 months. His parents had had no word of his liberation. Mr. and Mrs. Autry have two other sons in service. Howard is still in the European theater and Joe is in training in the States.

Grady Harland, who has spent the past three years in service overseas, arrived at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Harland. Grady has been given an honorable discharge after being wounded twice.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burchell have been informed that their son, Edward, who was wounded in Germany, is being returned to the States for further treatment.

Pvt. T. A. Christman, his wife and baby arrived here Monday to visit with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. E. G. Newcomer and his parents who live in Terry county. Pvt. Christman is in training in a tank division at Fort Knox, Ky. Rev. and Mrs. Newcomer have received word that their son, Earl, arrived overseas and is stationed on Luzon.

Marie Adams of Hope, Ark., is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Reese Adams and other relatives. Mrs. Harvey Adams of Lamesa is visiting them also. Harvey Adams is overseas.

Recent visitors in the Jim Pardue home were Mrs. Celestine Thornton and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Bettick and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Merrett and family, all of Lubbock.

J. T. Gross and his brother, J. H. Gross of Big Spring, left Tuesday night for Watson, Ark., to be at the bedside of their only sister, Mrs. G. W. Duckworth, who is seriously ill.

Sonny Ditto has returned home from a Big Spring hospital where he underwent appendectomy. He is doing fine.

Mrs. Jewel Martin and daughter visited last week with Mrs. Tom Castle and her brother, Don Flemings. Mr. Martin came after them and spent the weekend also visiting relatives.

Cpl. J. C. Gross visited last week with his uncle, J. T. Gross and family. He has just returned from England where he was a gunner on a B-17. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gross of Big Spring. His brother, Ted Gross, is serving in the navy in the Southwest Pacific.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Roman have had as visitors her mother, Mrs. R. T. Reid of Hico and her brother, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Reid and daughter of Beaumont.

The daily vacation Bible school closed Friday with a program and a display of handwork done by the students.

Ben Eckols was in Post City over the weekend. His son, Owen Eckols of Post, is visiting here.

The home demonstration club met June 19 in the home of Mrs.

Herschel Smith. Mrs. Jack Airhart gave a talk on Australia and her trip over the States. Refreshments were served to Mrs. Mary O. of Pecos, Marie Adams of Big Spring, Mrs. Jim Pardue, Mrs. Lovie Mathies, Mrs. Elger Jones and baby, Mrs. J. J. Burrow, Joe Marie Meyers, LaVerne Gross, Oma Mae Airhart, Lou Ellen Kemper, all of Knott, Charlene Bruchell of Flower Grove, Mrs. O. R. Smith, Mrs. Robert Brown, Mrs. O. B. Gaskin, Mrs. J. B. Sample, Mrs. J. T. Gross, Mrs. E. G. Newcomer, Mrs. R. N. Adams, Mrs. Paul Adams, Mrs. Joe Meyers and the hostess. The club will meet with Mrs. J. B. Sample June 26.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Anderson and family spent Sunday with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Robinson and family of Tarzan and were dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Thames. Another sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Severs of Odessa also were visiting in the Thames home.

Visitors in the J. T. Gross home Sunday afternoon were Mrs. Leona Boren and daughter, Alma, of Petersburg, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Hooper and son, Doyle Dean, of Big Spring, and Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Unger of Knott.

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War Board News

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

Stock Home Pantry With Definite Plan

Every household these days should have a definite plan of activity in stocking the pantry shelves with home canned and preserved foods for the winter months. This plan will not include planting with a plan, but preserving with a purpose.

Begin by estimating the amount of fruits, vegetables and meats your family will need. Then set that number as your canning goal. A good guide to use in estimating this amount is to consider that about half the necessary consumption of food for your family during the year will be fresh and the other half processed. If fresh foods are available for as much as three-fourths of the year, half the amounts suggested will be sufficient. If the season is shorter, say one-fourth of the year, you must take one and a half times the suggested amounts. Children under ten years of age require about half the suggested amounts.

Here is the suggested plan: each individual in the family requires

22 quarts of green and yellow vegetables per year, 22 quarts of other vegetables, such as beets, okra and squash, and 22 quarts of tomatoes or citrus fruits. Also include for each member of the family 22 quarts of other fruit, 5 quarts of pickles or relishes, and 7 pints of preserves and jellies. In meats, allow 88 pounds of meat for each person. Usually half this amount is canned, and is equivalent to about 20 quarts of canned meat or chicken.

It is well to remember also that food may be preserved in other ways. In dried food, one fourth pound is equivalent to one quart of food canned, 2 pounds frozen equals one quart canned and 4 pounds stored, or 2 quarts brined are equivalent to one quart canned.

New Home Process Restores Life To Rugs

Putting new life into rugs is a process which can now be done successfully at home, and though this particular task is not often necessary, there come times when rugs wrinkle easily, become limp and without body, and are hard to keep straight on the floor. The re-sizing process requires the right glue, which may be purchased in a hardware or department store.

Plan to do the re-sizing in a room where you can leave the rug to dry thoroughly, at least 24 hours. Lay the clean rug—nap-side down—on the smooth floor. Tack it at intervals so it will stay straight.

Make a half-gallon of the re-sizing mixture by adding two quarts of boiling water to a quarter pound of flake glue. Dissolve the glue well, and apply to the back of the rug, either by sprinkling it over the back surface, or brushing it on with a brush. A whitewash brush, a paint brush or a whisk broom will serve this purpose. Use the glue sparingly, for if it penetrates through the back of the rug it will stiffen the pile.

VISITS HOSPITAL.
McKINNEY, June 19 (AP)—Lt. Audie Murphy, the Farmersville, Tex., youth who wears the Medal of Honor and so many other army decorations, visited Auburn General Hospital here today. As Audie toured the wards he found and chatted with two men from his home town.

Straw Mulches Can Be Beneficial To Shrubs

Mulches of straw, leaves, litter, cotton seed hulls or similar materials are beneficial to shrubs, trees and other ornamental plantings, and should be provided now that hot weather has arrived.

Mulches are extremely helpful to roses and young foundation and screen plantings. Mulch spread between the rows or around plants keeps needed moisture from drying out quickly and also discourages weeds. In addition, decaying plant material supplies added fertility.

Leaving grass clippings on a lawn also serves as a mulch. Allowing these clippings to decay is as good for a lawn as a heavy application of compost every year. This can best be done by having the bottom knife of the lawn mower two inches from the ground, the specialist explains. This way, the clippings will dry and disappear about the roots within 24 to 36 hours after the grass has been cut. Grass two inches long makes a better turf than shorter grass, since it holds the clipping mulch better and retains moisture longer.

Radio Program

- Thursday Evening**
- 6:00 Fulton Lewis, Jr.
 - 6:15 Raymond Gram Swing.
 - 6:30 Treasury Salute.
 - 6:45 Community Forum.
 - 7:00 Frank Singler, News.
 - 7:15 Curt Massey.
 - 7:30 Earl Godwin—News.
 - 7:45 Voice of the Army.
 - 8:00 Gabriel Heatter.
 - 8:15 Real Life Stories.
 - 8:30 Starlight Serenade.
 - 9:00 Van Cleave Varieties.
 - 9:30 March of Time.
 - 10:00 Tomorrow's Headlines.
 - 10:00 Ray Henle.
 - 10:30 Sign Off.
- Friday Morning**
- 6:30 Musical Clock.
 - 7:00 Martin Agronsky.
 - 7:15 Bandwagon.
 - 7:30 News.
 - 7:45 Between the Lines.
 - 8:00 News Summary.
 - 8:05 Breakfast Club.
 - 9:00 My True Story.
 - 9:25 Kitchen Tips.
 - 9:30 Don Milton.
 - 9:45 Listening Post.
 - 10:00 Breakfast in Hollywood.
 - 10:30 Gil Martyn—News.
 - 10:45 Serenade in Swingtime.
 - 10:55 Lennie & Ginger.
 - 11:00 Glamour Manor.
 - 11:30 Vision Conservation.
 - 11:35 Farm & Homemakers.
- Friday Afternoon**
- 12:00 Music Time.
 - 12:15 Waltz Time.
 - 12:30 News.
 - 12:45 Homer Rodeheaver.
 - 1:00 Cedric Foster.
 - 1:15 Ethel & Albert.
 - 1:30 The Fitzgeralds.
 - 2:00 Morton Downey.
 - 2:15 George Olsen Orch.
 - 2:30 Ladies Be Seated.
 - 3:00 Views of the News.
 - 3:15 The Johnson Family.
 - 3:30 Reports From Paris.
 - 3:45 International Events.
 - 4:00 Bandwagon.
 - 4:15 Dick Tracy.
 - 4:30 International Events.
 - 4:45 Hop Harrigan.
 - 5:00 Terry & The Pirates.
 - 5:15 TSN News.
 - 5:30 Tom Mix.
 - 5:45 Music for Millions.
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 - 8:30 Double or Nothing.
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 - 9:30 Doctors Talk It Over.
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WEEK'S RAIN BRINGS IMPROVEMENT AND SOME DAMAGES TO FARM AREAS

AUSTIN, June 21 (AP)—Conditions were improved over much of the state as a result of rains in the week ended June 18 but damage was recorded in some areas.

The United States department of agriculture reported that although rains reached into part of the drought-stricken northwestern counties crop damage was caused in north central and northeastern counties where moisture was plentiful.

Cotton conditions were quite varied. Areas that were too dry for planting were only partially relieved and many of those where moisture prevailed got too much rain. A very limited additional acreage was planted in the northwest. Most growers there have set June 25 as the deadline for planting. Many fields in the northwest were washed badly. Most East Texas crops made fair progress and marked improvement was noted in central and south central counties. Part of the coastal bend received a good rain and all crops were holding up well. Premature opening was noted in the Rio Grande valley where irrigation water was scarce.

Range and livestock conditions were improved in part of the Panhandle, a number of low rolling plains counties and much of the Edwards Plateau. The south high plain, trans-Pecos and scattered southwestern counties received no relief from dry weather. Ranchers there were feeding more generally and some were shipping to suitable ranges. Ranges were greatly improved in practically all other parts of the state and stock was in good condition.

Signs Of The Times

NEW YORK, June 20 (AP)—Among signs that greeted Gen. Eisenhower as he passed through New York's garment district, were: "Hail Eisenhower, who pressed the Nazis flat—Pressmen's Union No. 60."

"Hail Eisenhower, who cut the Nazis up—Cutters' Union."

"Hail Eisenhower, who finished Hitler off—Finishers' Union."

FIRST POLIO VICTIM

FORT WORTH, June 21 (AP)—The city's first poliomyelitis patient this year, a five-year-old negro boy, Archie Lee Griffith, is being treated at City-County Hospital. He was admitted yesterday.

PLANE COLLISION KILLS TWO

GALVESTON, June 21 (AP)—Second Lt. Harold H. Moore of Athens, O., and Stanley A. Roese of Hazel, Minn., were killed yesterday when their fighter planes from the Galveston army air field collided in flight near the field.

BIVOUAC!!

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THE TEXAS STATE GUARD

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 Lb. 17c

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SOAP
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Grape Jelly C & E Point Free.....	16-Oz. Jar	21c
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Peas Kindergarten Large Sweet (30 Points).....	No. 2 Can	17c
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Boraxo Greasy Hands.....	8-Oz. Pkg.	15c
Juice Sunny Dawn Tomato (10 Points).....	46-Oz. Can	23c
Juice Town House Nat. Grapefruit (20 Pts.).....	46-Oz. Can	28c

Dressing French/Lady.....	5-Oz. Bot.	11c
Catsup Del Monte (20 Points).....	14-Oz. Bot.	17c
Syrup Sleepy Hollow Rich Maple.....	14-Oz. Bot.	21c
Bread Little Lee Wright's Dated-Enriched.....	24-Oz. Loaf	11c
Crackers Sunshine.....	1-Lb. Pkg.	19c
Flour Kitchen Craft Finest Quality.....	10-Lb. Bag	45c

Summer Drinks

Coffee Edward's Rich Robust.....	1-Lb. Jar	28c
Coffee Airway Fresh Roasted.....	2 1-Lb. Pkg.	41c
Coffee Administration or Maxwell House.....	1-Lb. Jar	33c

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Tea in the best traditions Orange Pekoe and Pekoe
1/2-Lb. Pkg. 22c 1/2-Lb. Pkg. 43c

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Regular bar
Palmolive 3 for 19c

Bath size
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Assorted BAKED LOAVES	Fresh GROUND VEAL
Lb. 29c	Lb. 27c

Salami Sliced (4 Points).....	Lb.	29c
Frankfurters Sliced (4 Pts.).....	Lb.	32c
Bologna Sliced (4 Points).....	Lb.	29c
Cheese American Leaf (12 Points).....	Lb.	36c
Fat Backs Sliced (8 Points).....	Lb.	19c

FAT HENS
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Lb. 49c
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Prison Experience Not Too Exciting

COLORADO CITY, June 21 — What he termed "fair enough" treatment, the ability to eat and digest whatever was put before him, and complete confidence that in time he would be liberated by Allied forces kept Lt. Grover C. Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Williams, of 1030 Lipscomb st., Fort Worth, from finding 10 months in a German prison camp unbearable, he said this week while visiting his sister, Mrs. Edison Wilson of Colorado City, his former home.

Shot down while flying as navigator of a B-17 which had dropped its bombs on an oil refinery in Vienna, Lt. Williams said, "We just plain flew back over the wrong town as we headed for our base in Italy." The crew bailed out over Weiner-Neustadt in Hungary and all ten survived and were made prisoners.

For 15 days after he went down Williams did not remember who he was, men captured with him told him later. "I must have hit smack on my head," he laughed. "You see I never made a jump before. And I hope I never do again."

"The Hungarians called us 'air bandits' and treated us accordingly. Often, farmers killed paratrooper fliers on sight."

The Hungarian army treated them better, he found. After a month in a hospital at Budapest, he was sent to Sagan, Germany, where he remained a prisoner until four days before the simultaneous release of thousands of American prisoners at Moosburg on April 29.

Asked if he and other American AAF officers knew what was taking place he laughed, "Of course we know! They let us have a radio for German news broadcasts. Certainly the news was correct! It had to be. They were directing the evacuation of their civilian population before the advancing Russians by that newscast. We were four days ahead of you here in America as to what was happening."

He has 130 points but his plans are indefinite.

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RECIPES LISTED TO HELP YOU MAKE SUGAR-SAVING STRAWBERRY JAMS



STRAWBERRY HIT: USE half corn syrup, half sugar.

By CHARLOTTE ADAMS
Associated Press Food Editor

There's nothing quite as beautiful or as delicious to taste in the middle of the winter as preserved strawberries. A teaspoonful of strawberry jam with your breakfast next January will give you a lift for the day. To be sure, strawberries are expensive and sugar is as precious as platinum, but I suggest that the way to use what little sugar you have is for very special treats like a few jars of jam.

You can stretch your sugar allotment in jam-making by combining it with light corn syrup. Much experimentation fortunately has been under way on the use of corn syrup in canning fruits, so that now that we're really feeling the pinch we can rely upon these recipes.

Strawberry Marmalade
3 cups prepared fruit
2 cups sugar
2 cups light corn syrup
1 box powdered fruit pectin

To prepare fruit, remove skins in quarters from 1 medium orange and 1 medium lemon. Lay rinds flat; shave off and discard about 3/4 of white part. With a very sharp knife, cut remaining rind into fine shreds. Add 3-4 cup water and 1-1/2 teaspoon soda. Bring to a boil and simmer, covered, 10 minutes, stirring occasionally. Cut off membrane of peeled fruit and slip pulp out of each section. Add pulp and juice to cooked rind. Simmer (covered) 15 minutes longer. Crush thoroughly or grind 1 quart fully ripe strawberries. Combine fruits.

Measure sugar and syrup into bowl and set aside until needed. Measure 3 cups of prepared fruit into a 3 or 4 quart kettle, filling up last cup with water, if necessary; place over hottest fire. Add powdered fruit pectin, mix well and continue stirring until mixture comes to a hard boil. At once pour in sugar and syrup, stirring constantly. Continue stirring, bring to a full rolling boil, and boil hard 2 minutes. Remove from fire, skim, pour quickly.

Paraffin hot marmalade, at once. Makes about 8 glasses of 6 fluid ounces each.

Rhubarb-Berry Blends
To prepare fruit, crush thoroughly or grind 1 quart fully ripe strawberries. Cut 1 pound rhubarb in 1-inch pieces (do not peel); then put through food chopper. Combine fruits. Place in jelly bag and squeeze out 4 cups juice; use in making jelly. Use fruit in jelly bag for jam.

Rhubarb And Strawberry Jelly
4 cups prepared juice
6 cups sugar
2 cups light corn syrup
1 bottle fruit pectin

Measure sugar, syrup and juice into large saucepan and mix. Bring to a boil over hottest fire and at once add bottled fruit pectin, stirring constantly. Then bring to a full rolling boil and boil hard 1-2 minute. Remove from fire, skim, pour quickly. Paraffin hot jelly at once. Makes about 15 glasses (6 fluid ounces each).

Rhubarb And Strawberry Jam
4 cups prepared fruit
5 cups sugar
2 cups light corn syrup
1-2 bottle fruit pectin

Use fruit prepared as directed above

Measure sugar, syrup, and prepared fruit into large kettle, adding enough water to make 4 cups fruit. Mix well and bring to a full rolling boil over hottest fire. Stir constantly before and while boiling. Boil hard 1 minute. Remove from fire and stir in bottled fruit pectin. Then stir and skim by turns for just 5 minutes to cool slightly, to prevent floating fruit. Pour quickly. Paraffin hot jam at once. Makes about 13 glasses (6 fluid ounces each).

Public Records

Marriage Licenses
John P. Andrews, Dorchester, Mass., and Dorothy Collins, Big Spring.

Leonard Charley Rose and Willie Mae Watkins, Fort Worth, colored.

Warranty Deeds
W. W. Gatlin to Georgia Gatlin, lot 4, block 3, Lincoln; \$250.
Ollie McDaniel, et ux, to R. S. Lindsey, lots 13, 14, block 2, Wright's 2nd; \$372.77.

W. J. McAdams, et ux, to Mabel H. Hall, lots 1, 2, 3, block 4, Cole & Strayhorn; \$2,250.

W. L. Mead, et ux, to Clarence R. Thompson, lots 5, 6, sub-division B, block 17, Fairview Heights; \$5,350.

Robert T. Piner, et ux, to Cecil Snodgrass, lot 6, block 3, Highland Park; \$250.

Florence K. Roe, Rapides Parish, La., to Samuel J. Horton, lot 4, block 2, Price; \$1,000.

C. R. Thompson, et ux, to Elton Taylor, lots 11, 12, block 2, W. J. Gordon; \$2,750.

Frances Bauer to Wm. B. Currie, parts of lots 9, 10, 11, 12, block 4, Original; \$4,000.

In 70th District Court
Anna Bell Thacker versus Raymond E. Thacker, suit for divorce.
Albert J. Selbage versus Faye Selbage, suit for divorce.
James Edward Gatlin versus Pauline Lois Gatlin, suit for divorce.

Beer Permit
Change of address granted for Leon Lujan, lots 11, 12, block 24, Government Heights.

Building Permits
C. F. Bebee, to build 28x32 foot frame house from 1011 W. 2nd street, \$1,000.

Jesus Jiminez, to move 14x20 foot frame house from 811 Main street to 509 N. W. 5th street, cost \$500.

Lloyd Kinman to build 28x30 foot frame house at 201 N. E. 8th street, cost \$300.

R. L. Coffee, to move 35x45-foot frame house from 208 Gregg street to 700 E. 17th, cost \$3,000.

Lucas Gonzales, to move 18x16-foot frame house from 706 NW 7th street to 709 NW 9th street, cost \$100.

MURDERER CONVICTED

HILLSBORO, June 21 (AP)—Vernie Rogers was convicted by a jury last night on charges of murder with malice in the death of his wife, Donnie, at Mertens, Texas, last April 29. He was sentenced to a life term in the penitentiary.

Few People Attend Colorado City Rally

COLORADO CITY, June 21 — Mitchell county is still struggling with a \$270,000 Series E bond quota, and is still short of her goal, according to Pat Bullock, chairman of the War loan drive here. "We're just plugging along," he said Tuesday. The total bond purchases in the Series E category now total \$197,819.25, he said. Bonds of other types have brought in \$311,602.52.

At a bond show Monday evening a handful of an audience bought \$30,000 in Series E bonds. Lt. Fred Harris, survivor of the Franklin disaster was speaker. The high school band played before the returned USN officer's address and a bond auction followed. Merchandise and produce donated by merchants and farmers were sold to the highest bidders in bonds. Fewer than 100 Colorado Citizens attended the rally, Bullock said.

Read The Herald Classifieds.

OKINAWA NATIVES, WRETCHED FROM CAMPAIGN, SWARM TO REAR CAMPS

By AL DOPKING
WITH U. S. TENTH ARMY,
Southern Okinawa, June 21 (AP)—Wretched Okinawans, many with huge sores on their faces and bodies from two months of cave living, plodded along dusty roads today toward rear area civilian camps—apparently wholly oblivious to battles raging around them, longings in small bundles on their backs, or on shoulder yokes. They stopped to drink muddy water from bomb and shell craters, then trudged on.

Some hollow-eyed women, scantily covered by ragged clothes, carried small children tied to their backs with scraps of cloth. One carried a baby which obviously was dead. There was no outward sign that she was aware of the fact. A few children cried. One little

boy, nude, stood at the roadside, apparently lost from his mother. Trucks passed him by until a six-foot marine picked him up and sent him back to a civilian camp on a truck.

The Okinawans appeared helpless. One woman approached a truck, exhibiting something that looked like a round cake of soap. By signs with her hands, she asked if it was good to eat. A war correspondent looked at a package she had. It was labelled "TNT." He mentioned that she should get rid of it. She tossed the cake away and spit out what she had bitten off.

Gen. Douglas MacArthur has won more American decorations than ever were given to any other Army officer and also has medals from 10 foreign governments.

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No Points

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Phillips No. 2 Can No Points

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National Chocolate Syrup 34c
Cocoa, Hershey's 1/2 lb. 10c
Powd. Milk, Kraft 25c
Malted Milk, Borden's 29c
Washing Powd, Ford 25c
Camay 3 bars 23c
Babo 2 for 25c

Green CABBAGE . . lb. 10c
Crisp LETTUCE . . lb. 13c
New POTATOES . lb. 9c
White ONIONS . . lb. 9c

Fresh Carrots . . . 8c
Beets . . bunch 8c
Green Beans lb. 13c
Celery lb. 15c

SQUASH, home grown . . . lb. 15c
TOMATOES, choice fancy . lb. 16c
CORN, young, tender . . . 2 for 9c
ONIONS, yellow lb. 6c

LEMONS, Calif. . . lb. 15c
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Army Appropriation Bill Biggest, Thinks Mahon

The 38 billion army appropriations bill presented to the house this week by its committee on army appropriations will be the last bill of this size during this century in the opinion of Rep.

George Mahon, member of the committee.

Rep. Mahon, member from this district, qualified his prediction by adding "unless there should be World War III. And the world need not and must not permit World War III."

Largest sum in the bill being presented to the house is 12 billions for army pay. Airplanes and air corps equipment next with ordinance third. The bill is due to be up for passage on Friday, said Rep. Mahon.

Pepper Seeks Broader Educational Benefits For Returned Vets

WASHINGTON, June 21 (AP)—Broad expansion of educational benefits under the GI "Bill of Rights" is proposed in a bill introduced by Senator Pepper (D-Fla.).

Pepper said in a statement that the legislation embodies recommendations of the American Legion and National Educational Association.

It proposes an increase in dependency allowances for veterans obtaining an education under the GI bill. They now are allowed \$50 a month for subsistence while studying if single, \$75 a month if responsible for one or more dependents.

The Pepper amendment would increase this to \$100 a month for two dependents, \$125 for three, and \$150 for four.

Men over 25 no longer would have to prove that their education was interrupted when they entered service, but would be entitled to the same benefits as veterans under 25. Veterans would be able to take advantage of the educational provisions later than the current two-year deadline, if they wished, giving them a chance to obtain jobs first.

The maximum benefit now is four years of education. The Pepper proposal would grant qualified students in professional courses up to seven years.

His chief assignment in congress throughout the war has been on the appropriations subcommittee for the army. The congressman said the committee expected to follow up on expenditures as best "we can, even to the extent of visiting war areas if we can find time to do so."

Dry weather has spotlighted some flaws in the crop insurance plan, according to Mahon. Under present regulations AA officials require that planting must have been done under conditions generally considered good farming practice in the area before the insurance can be collected. On the other hand, if cotton is not planted, premiums will not be payable and insurance cannot be collected.

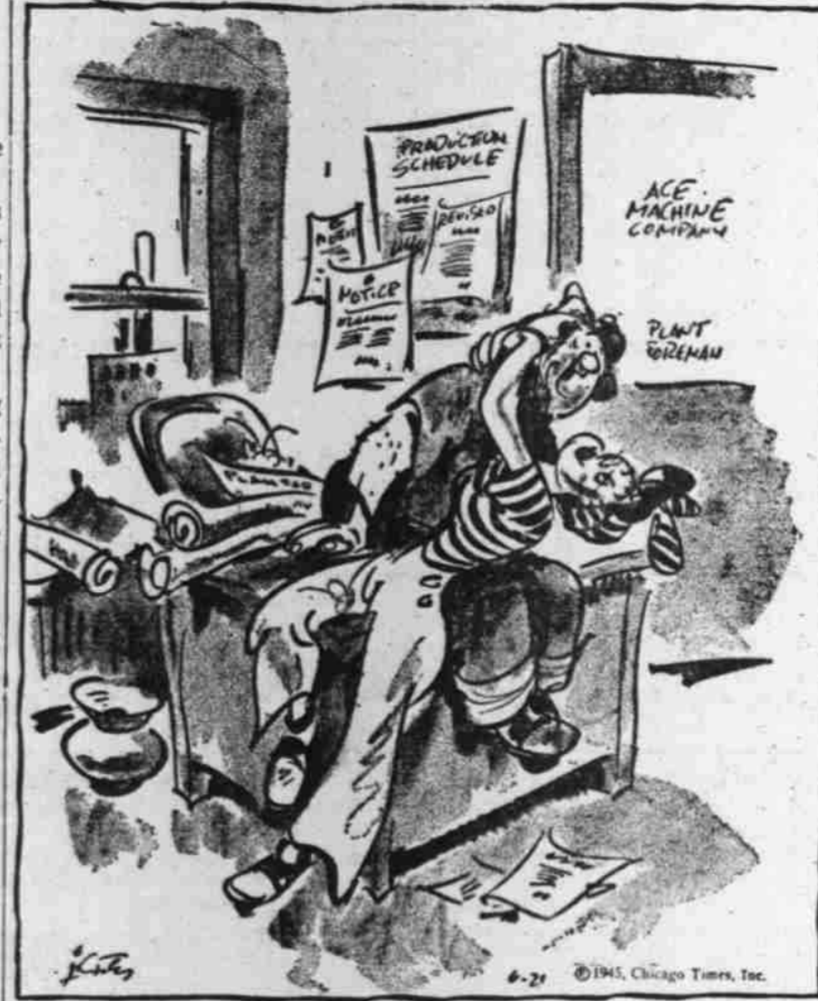
In a conversation with Surgeon General Norman Kirk of the army, recalled Mahon, he learned that 4,000 soldiers who have lost limbs have been fitted with artificial ones and returned to civilian life. Another 7,000 youths who have lost limbs are still in army hospitals.

Sailor Dads Knit For Babies Between Japs

NORFOLK, Neb., June 21 (AP)—Some of the navy men in the South Pacific, says a veteran of that theater of war, are helping their wives make baby clothes.

Home after combat on Luzon, Iwo Jima and Okinawa, Lt. (jg) Harry Anderson told his parents: "Some of the fellows you'd think pretty hard old boys have learned to knit and spend lots of time when not on duty knitting sweater and baby clothes for their youngsters at home."

GRIN AND BEAR IT



"Think of me as an individual, Miss Potnik—not as foreman in charge of reconversion!"

LIEUT. LESLIE HALL, STANTON, IS LOST IN PRISONER TRANSFER

STANTON, June 21 (Sp1)—Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hall have been informed by the war department that their son, Lt. Leslie Hall, was among the prisoners of war lost in the sinking of a Japanese ship on Oct. 24, 1944.

The loss occurred during transfer of prisoners from the Philippine Islands but the International Red Cross evidence was not received until June 16, 1945. According to available information, the ship sailed from Manila Oct. 11, 1944, with 1,775 prisoners of war aboard. Oct. 24 it was sunk by submarine action in the South China Sea over 200 miles from the Chinese coast, which was the nearest land.

Five prisoners reached the coast in a small boat and four others were reported picked up by the Japanese.

Lt. Hall was born in Stanton March 20, 1913. He was a graduate of Stanton high school, Texas Tech and the state medical college at Galveston. After his internship, he opened the Stanton clinic and hospital, being joined by a classmate, Dr. John J. Hopper, now a captain with the 344th medical corps. When Dr. Hall was called

Lt. Col. Baker Tops List With 312 Points

PYOTE ARMY AIR FIELD, June 21—Second Air Force nominees for No. 1 position in the adjusted service ratings, Lt. Col. Royal N. Baker of McKinney, Tex., a fighter pilot with a total score of 312 points.

During two tours of duty overseas, the 26-year-old officer flew 272 combat missions in Africa, Sicily, England and France. Despite his record-breaking point score, Col. Baker desires to remain in the Army Air Forces.

Here is the way his points add up:

- 47 months service 47
- 23 months overseas 23
- Air Medal and 35 clusters 180
- Silver Star 5
- D.F.C. and 1 cluster 5
- 7 Combat Stars 35
- Parenthood, 1 child 12

Total 312
Col. Baker first went overseas as a second lieutenant in June, 1942. Flying the British Spitfire, he was stationed in England. In the fall of 1942 he was sent to Africa and fought in the campaign

of Tunisia, Malta, Sicily and the invasion of Italy.

After completing 160 missions he returned to the United States in September, 1943 and received additional training on American aircraft. In March, 1944 he went back to England to fly P-47 Thunderbolts, and was among the first to fly fighter-bomber sorties during the invasion of France. He participated in 112 additional missions from March to September, 1944 when he returned to the United States again.

Week's Casualties Amount To 6,356

WASHINGTON, June 21 (AP)—United States battle casualties in World War 2 now total 1,023,453, an increase of 6,356 from those reported a week ago.

The army casualties reported today represented the period extending through the greater part of May and the increase apparently mainly Pacific action.

Of the total, 903,701 are army casualties and 119,752 navy.

Army casualties reported this week and a week ago follow:

- Killed 189,294 and 187,369;
- wounded 560,836 and 558,611;
- missing 39,956 and 42,710; prisoners (before liberations) 113,615 and 111,262.

The navy figures:
Killed 45,417 and 44,669;
wounded 59,496 and 57,402; missing 10,908 and 10,736; prisoners 4,231 and 4,238.

Livestock

FORT WORTH, June 21 (AP)—Cattle 2,400; active; calves 1,000, mostly lower; good fed steers and yearlings 14.50 to 16.00 with common to medium kinds 10.00 to 14.00; medium to good beef cows 9.50 to 12.50; bull prices 7.00 to 11.50; good fat calves 12.50 to 14.00 with common to medium grades 8.50 to 12.50 and culls 7.00 to 8.00.

Hogs 200, unchanged; butcher hogs 150 lbs. and up 14.55 and packing sows 13.80; stocker pigs scarce.

Sheep 20,000, steady; good and choice spring lambs 14.00 to 14.50; medium to good spring lambs 12.75 to 13.75; common to medium spring lambs 9.50 to 12.75; a few good short lambs and yearlings 13.00; common and medium grades short lambs and yearlings 10.00 to 12.50; cull to good shorn ewes and aged wethers 5.00 to 7.50.

Stevenson To Veto Lowering Penalty On Gambling Charge

AUSTIN, June 21 (AP)—Gov. Coke R. Stevenson indicated today he intends to veto a bill passed by the 49th legislature reducing penalties for conviction of keeping or exhibiting gambling devices.

At a press conference the governor said he feared the effect of the bill might be to encourage operation of gambling establishments.

The present penalty is two to four years in the penitentiary. The new legislation, by Rep. T. R. Bond of Terrell, levies a penalty of not more than two years in prison or 30 to 90 days in jail or a fine of \$50 to \$500 or both a fine and a jail sentence.

CHURCHILL CAMPAIGNS
LONDON, June 21 (AP)—Prime Minister Churchill told the voters of his election district today that his "faculties are as good as they ever have been" and asked them to reelect him to parliament so that he might continue to serve the nation in peace as he has in war.

Madame Curie was born Maria Sklodowska and was a government scientist in Poland before she was a scientist.

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KNOCK, KNOCK
WELLINGTON, Kas., June 21 (AP)—A pigeon stopped at the Mabel Glover home Tuesday and likes it so well it won't leave. Every time the bird is put out the door, it pecks on it until they let it in.

FOOTBALL MEN TO MEET
KANSAS CITY, June 21 (AP)—The National Association of Foot-

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PASTEETH, a pleasant alkaline (non-acid) powder, holds false teeth more firmly. To eat and talk in more comfort, just sprinkle a little PASTEETH on your plates. No gummy, gooey, pasty taste or feeling. Checks "plate odor" (denture breath). Get PASTEETH at any drug store.

ball Commissioners will meet in St. Louis June 24-26. R. E. Peters, secretary of the association announced today.

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Freedom of Enterprise

"No American should work injury against his Country either by private or public acts. He who does so becomes a public enemy."

THE above statement is credited to Theodore Roosevelt. It rings with the very essence of truth and it surely will meet with the approval of every loyal citizen.

It may well be taken as a vigorous warning to all of us but especially should it be heeded by those in official position who use vast powers over the lives and activities of their fellow Americans.

In the whole history of this nation no civilian agency has been granted such far-reaching power as the O. P. A. It was created to deal with a great emergency and to prevent the destructive inflation of the cost of living, but it was not designed to create scarcity and hamper production. In some respects the O. P. A. has rendered a fine service—insofar as it has stabilized prices—but in others it has brought chaos and confusion. By unreasonable regulation it has strangled the free flow of trade that it has destroyed the legitimate markets and thereby produced the unholy "black-markets"—most of which can truly be labeled "made by the O. P. A." It has furnished many an illustration of the "bottle-neck born of the blunders of a bungling bureaucrat."

The present shortage of meat in the United States brings this all very forcibly home to us. The Nation's market supply of meat is lower than it has been in a generation. In New York and Chicago it is reported that 80 per cent of the meat sold in these cities is controlled by "black markets." The same condition in a large degree prevails in Boston, Cleveland, Atlanta, Louisville, Kansas City (the Nation's Second Beef Market), and scores of other cities. What is true in the cities is also true in the larger towns.

And yet in the face of this alarming shortage of meat the number of live-stock on ranges and farms is second only to last year's all time high! Naturally every sensible citizen has a right to inquire why such a condition exists. Does the supplies to the army and lend lease explain the shortage? Certainly not. There is no shortage of beef and pork except on the market—the farms and ranches have plenty of cattle and hogs to sell. The explanation lies in the fact that the normal market has been destroyed by the absurd regulations of the O. P. A.

A study of the directives issued by O. P. A. since 1942 will reveal the most foolish and whimsical practices on the part of these men in whose hands had been placed the tremendous power of regulating both the production and the price of food.

In the spring of 1942 a system of absurd "price controls" was placed on the meat market which resulted in its breakdown and put hundreds of meat-men out of business and made it impossible for the farmers and stock men to feed stock at a profit.

In 1943 the "wise-ones" sitting in the seat of great authority instituted their "roll back" of prices and the payment of subsidies to packers to make up for their loss. Hog prices soared—grain was fed to hogs instead of being marketed, and beef went to the market underfed because price regulations caught the feeders in the squeeze.

Then in the late summer of 1944 the "little men of great power" decided the war in Europe was going to end in the fall and virtually lifted all rationing controls, with the consequence that meat reserves were used up by increase of civilian use. When the war in Europe continued to last, meat for the armed services had to be increased. This took up all the reserves and the shortage showed up everywhere.

All the while the fair-haired bureaucrats of the Agricultural Department were urging the farmers to produce less pork (1944)!

And so today the average American is without meat, not because of an actual meat shortage—beef and hogs we have in abundance—but because of an overabundance of regulation.

These misguided zealots have injured their Country and in the words of Theodore Roosevelt they have become in truth "public enemies."

It is refreshing to every American that President Truman has placed new heads in charge of the powerful Department of Agriculture and the War Food Administration. It is to be hoped that many vicious practices heretofore followed will be stopped.

The average American will cheerfully submit to any necessary controls to aid his government but he does object to being destroyed by that government since his destruction would aid the enemy and injure the United States.

All this is but a repetition of the old story that government control leads at last to the grave of every freedom.

by

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Butler Gets Best Father's Day Gift

By MRS. BOBBIE PEEK
 FORSAN, June 21—H. E. Butler of Forsan received one of the greatest Father's Day presents any dad could ask.

His son, S/Sgt. Roy L. Butler, returned home on a 60 day furlough on June 17 after nearly 22 months in a German prison camp.

He was shot down on a shuttle raid on Aug. 17, 1943 and was liberated May 3, 1945. Sgt. Butler talks little about prison life.

usually brushing it aside with "let's forget it."

He has gained 25 pounds since he was liberated.

On his return here he has had a happy reunion with his cousin, 1st Lt. James F. McPherson, Kerrville, who is visiting in the Butler home. Lt. McPherson was wounded in Sept. 1944 and the two had departed of again seeing each other.

Sgt. Butler and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Butler, and brother, Hubert, will leave soon for a visit with another brother, Lloyd Butler, and family of Strawn. They plan also to visit his sister, Mrs. T. E. King, Fort Worth, and an aunt in Wichita Falls. Two other sisters, Mrs. H. H. Wallace and Mrs. Juanita Bradham, are at the Butler home, and still another, Mrs. Lefty McCabe, Compton, Calif., is expected soon.

Following his 60-day furlough, Sgt. Butler is to report to Miami Beach, Fla.

July Date Set For El Paso Golf Meet

EL PASO, June 21 (AP)—July 1 to 4 was set as the dates of the El Paso Open golf tournament, Pro-Manager Wally Harben announced last night.

Qualifying deadline is July 1, with play starting July 3. The championship flight will have medal play, while the other brackets will use match play to determine the winners.

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Dateline: Pacific JUBILANT HEADLINES ABOUT BOMBING JAPAN FAIL TO LOOK BEHIND SCENES

A MARIANAS BASE, June 21 (AP)—Back home the headlines proclaim jubilantly: "Superforts Blast Jap Homeland." Or "B-29s Scorch Tokyo."

True headlines, true stories—only out here it seems just part of the story. The bomber command sends 500 planes over Japan. That means about 5,500 men, eleven to a plane. Here you come to realize you can never know the whole story until you know what goes on in the hearts and minds of these aerial frontline fighters in those hours before, during and after the headlines are being made.

They expect and get no special privileges. Many still live in tents, moving into Quonsets as these become available. In the Quonsets they live dormitory-style, cots in rows against each wall, each man's belongings stowed or hung beside his cot in whatever homemade chests his ingenuity can devise or his talents for persuasion or barter can produce.

Many of them plant and tend gardens—flower and vegetable—around their huts.

And then it's to do again. The war goes on. Tokyo... Kobe... Osaka... and what next? Another objective, every three or four days. Another 3,000-mile

round trip through usually terrible weather. Seven or eight hours of flying, monotonous at best, hazardous always, with a job to do at the end and—if their luck holds—seven, eight hours back, perhaps in a crippled plane, with the ever-present dread of "ditching."

Most of the men say that monotony is the worst of it, even worse than the time over the target. There most of the crew are too busy with their respective jobs to think much. All know each trip that it could be the one, the one on which their luck ran out.

And at night you see them come in, counting them off. And those nights you see something else, long after the story is written and the headlines are on the streets back home: From the airfield, a single bright finger of light pointing straight up. Hour after hour, long past the time when reason says there is no hope, that beacon shines hoping, hoping, hoping—for that one plane, or two, for the men of the air, for the families-back home that may have to be sent telegrams.

Senators Move To Save Women's Jobs

WASHINGTON, June 21 (AP)—Two senators moved today to preserve the right of women to post-war jobs if they want them.

Legislation barring job discriminations because of sex was proposed by Senators Pepper (D-Fla) and Morse (R-Ore), vesting enforcement powers in the women's bureau of the labor department.

"Women in producing the weapons of war have, in many industries and occupations, demonstrated their ability to turn out the same day's work as men do," the authors said in a statement.

National Bond Drive To Go Over The Top, Treasury Officials Say

WASHINGTON, June 21 (AP)—It appeared today that the \$14,000,000,000 goal of the 7th War Loan drive is about to be passed with few hurrahs and no let-up in bond-selling efforts.

Treasury officials say there's still far too much work to be done for celebrations now.

The biggest task of the drive is to borrow a record-breaking \$7,000,000,000 from individuals—\$4,000,000,000 of it in the form of Series E bonds bought by small investors. And that task is a long way from being finished.

The treasury announced individual sales amount to \$6,063,000,000 but E-bond sales are at only \$2,723,000,000.

The corporation sales figure is \$6,979,000,000, so close to the \$7,000,000,000 corporation quota that it is certain to go over the top today and keep on going.

WAR BOND STATEMENT

WASHINGTON, June 21 (AP)—A war bond statement from Gen. Joseph W. Stilwell, commanding general, army ground forces:

"There is no limit to the number of battle stars that can be pinned on a soldier's theater ribbon. Some of our infantrymen are wearing more than seven right now. They don't have to be asked to make still another landing or take still another hill.

"They know that each one helps to shorten the war. No one at home who wants to help shorten the war should have to be asked to support the Seventh War Loan."

Today On The Home Front— Inspecting Congressman Finds Communism, Poverty In Europe

By JAMES MARLOW
 WASHINGTON, June 21 (AP)—Congressmen have been flying to Europe in relays since the war ended. They go to inspect this, that or the other thing. Then they fly back. Some make reports. Some don't.

But what do they think while they're whirling around Europe? How much will they remember? Just to be sure he'd have some record, one such congressman kept a diary.

This was Rep. F. Edward Herbert, Louisiana democrat, who went over with a group. Every night before he went to bed he wrote his impressions of the day.

His notes total about 22,000 words. He said I could poke around in the congressional mind and help myself to the notes. I used to work with him when he was city editor of the New Orleans States.

His party went to Bermuda,

And From Autograph Hunters, Lieutenant?

DALLAS, June 21 (AP)—"What are you commonly called," an autograph hunter asked Lt. Audie Murphy, Farmersville, Tex.

"A fugitive from the law of averages," the lieutenant wrote.

Murphy, wounded three times in France, holds the Congressional Medal of Honor and almost every other award obtainable by foot soldiers.

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Medics Save Lives Endangered By Japs

DALLAS, June 21 (AP)—The extraordinary work of the USS Nashville's medical corps under command of a Lubbock, Tex., naval officer, saved many lives of men aboard the light cruiser after it was attacked by a Japanese suicide plane last Dec. 13 in the Philippines.

An announcement from the Eighth Naval District headquarters office here credited the ship's medical corps and their director, Lt. Commander Murray W. Ballenger, U.S.N., of Lubbock, with saving many lives. Explosions and fire from the suicide attack killed 133 officers and men and wounded 199 more.

First aid stations were set up throughout the ship, and doctors and corpsmen worked steadily for 24 hours treating wounded.

Under Lt. Commander Ballenger, the men made tourniquets of ropes, clothes and even their own belts when the regular supply became exhausted.

The Nashville returned home recently, her scorched ensign flying over smokestacks riddled with holes, to be repaired.

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 2 tsp. salt 1/4 tsp. pepper 1 egg 1 1/4 c. milk

Combine oats, meat, salt and pepper. Beat eggs, add milk, ketchup and onion. Mix all together. Pack in greased loaf pan. Bake 1 hour at 350° F. Serves 6.

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Far - Reaching Decision

Effects of the supreme court decision in upholding the lower courts' decision against certain sections of the Associated Press by-laws is far-reaching than most realize.

It not alone affects the Associated Press and thus the press and radio in general, but it is quite possible that the predicate could be broadened to include the entire field of commercial endeavor.

It is well to go back and consider the basis of the suit. The Chicago Sun, founded a few years back by Marshall Field, applied for Associated Press membership and in regular course of events its application was voted down. The Sun went to court on the grounds that the Associated Press was an organization of such quality and proportions that to be without its services was to operate at a competitive disadvantage. In other words, monopoly was charged.

Significantly, this was the point on which the case seemed to have turned, although concurring justices reached the same conclusions by diverse routes. Only one took the line of reasoning that the AP fell into the class of public utilities and for that reason could not be restrictive in its extension of membership.

Under terms of the decision, members of the AP may not vote against admission of an applicant on the grounds that granting him the service would make him competitive.

This decision marks the entry of government into supervision of at least the availability of news. Because of the nature of the decision, it also marks the beginning of a muddle of litigation by barred applicants on the ground that they were voted down for competitive reasons, whether there is any foundation for such contention or not.

It easily could be the point from which many in other fields of endeavor could apply to dissolve franchise rights for automobiles, refrigerators, and various other dealerships. It is no more logical for a man to be barred from handling some high quality goods than it would be for a publisher to be denied use of the AP. It is not conceivable that we are entering into an era of unexcusableness.

Use Your Head

Effective today a gasoline coupon is good for that extra gallon a week. This will be conducive to just a bit more local travel. Some will meticulously shepherd their coupons to take short trips. But

Sgt. White's Dream Came True With A Juicy Steak

By BEBO DILTZ

For nearly 22 months in a German prison camp Sgt. Elmo E. White dreamed of a juicy steak.

Added to the thrill of passing the Statue of Liberty was a promise by the colonel of "the biggest steak we could eat" when the boat docked. "And he wasn't kidding," smiled Sgt. White.

He arrived here Sunday to spend his furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. White, Coahoma, and to catch up on things like steak.

Prison life for the 21-year-old aerial gunner consisted mostly of thinking and sleeping, for non-commissioned officers and officers did not have to work. Even though there were 4,000 Yanks in the same prison, conditions were such that it seemed like solitary confinement. Straw mattresses covered double wooden bunks. Prisoners answered at least two and perhaps three roll calls daily and had dog-tag and picture checks once a week. Hair was clipped short and escape chances were scant.

Sgt. White entered the service July 28, 1942, and received his gunners wings at Las Vegas, Nev. He went overseas May 27, 1943, and was based in England. On his 13th mission his Fortress was shot down over Germany Aug. 17, 1943, by



flak and fighters. Five men on his crew were wounded, including himself, and one was killed when they bailed out.

"Ten minutes after I hit the ground, I was captured by civilians," he stated. "By all means, it was no 'picnic' but it could have been worse." The civilians turned him over to the Nazi army and

White was placed in a hospital for 18 days near Nuremberg. While he was in the hospital, the last fighter pilot that made the attack on his Fortress came over to his ward and made friends. One of the waist gunners on

The War Today

By J. M. ROBERTS JR. (Substituting for Dewitt Mackenzie)

The Tokyo radio, broadcasting as though it had something new, deviated today from its recent fretting over imminent invasion to record that the United States has started long and complicated preparations against Japan.

Clean-up operations are proceeding throughout the Pacific while the invasion preparations go forward.

From past performances we can expect the staging period to last for several months. Then, because of the distance from Luzon, the only staging area we now have which is capable of supporting millions of men, it may be necessary to choose another staging area, so to speak, in Japan proper. This would be comparable with the establishment of the Normandy beachhead, except that in the Japanese islands it might take on more of the aspects of two separate invasions and therefore require more time.

This is indicated by the fact that Okinawa is hardly large enough to base forces of the size which will be involved. The initial invasion of Japan, for various reasons, is likely to require considerably more men than did Normandy. Okinawa seems destined to become one big aircraft carrier, too crowded for a large army, although it may prove a big help as a jump-off point for certain short-range forces.

Take it that several months will be consumed in invasion preparation, that the campaign in Japan will take longer than the one in Europe because it probably will be divided into two major steps, and we have a war which, discounting the possibility of a political termination, will run as well into 1947.

however they are used, we hope that discretion is applied. There is no reason to foolishly waste fuel and there is less to start burning up streets and highways. It must be remembered that tires and cars are old and at best unreliable mechanically. So when using that extra gallon, use your head.

How To Torture Your Husband



With The AEF: War In Burma Aided By Elephant Unit

By HENRY B. JAMESON (Substituting For Hal Boyle)

LONDON (AP)—They don't give medals to elephants but no story of how the long, drawn out war in Burma was won would be complete without mention of "Elephant Bill" Williams' unique army unit.

There is no other military outfit like it anywhere. It is a labor company made up solely of elephants—more than 200 of them—and their handlers.

Their main job was building log bridges and carving roads through dense jungles where no roads existed before. But the elephants carried out many other important assignments like evacuation of the sick. Each animal could carry three men 12 miles a day over roads that were impassable even to mules.

Boss man is Lt. Col. J. H. Williams, one of the world's foremost experts on organization of elephant labor who is known throughout Burma as "Elephant Bill." He is a tall cornishman who fought with the Devon regiment in Egypt, Mesopotamia and India in the last war and then spent 26 years in Burma as an employe of the Bombay-India-Burma Trading Corporation.

Washington—

Wherry Supporters Pull Fast One

By JACK STINNETT

WASHINGTON (AP)—It's a rare thing when the folks who sit in the congressional galleries are given an insight into the fast manipulations that can go on under rules of order.

In most cases, the laws of the land are made in committees. Nine times out of ten the fate of a bill is a foregone conclusion before it ever reaches the floor of either House or Senate. However, when the time comes that something unexpected comes up or a bit of legislative shenanigans is being worked, a fast man in the chair on matters parliamentary can almost run his own show.

A case in point was Sen. Kenneth Wherry's (R-Nebr.) amendment to the OPA time extension act making it obligatory that farm prices be established at a level "that would assure the farmer a reasonable profit" on all that he produces. The boys ran a fast one on the opposition (administration, it happened to be this time) that left them bewildered and befuddled.

During the height of the debate on the Thomas and Taft amendments (neither of which got anywhere), Sen. Wherry and staunch administration supporter Sen. Carl Hatch, of New Mexico, were on their feet, asking to be recognized. President Pro Tem Kenneth McKellar was in the chair. The grizzled veteran Tennessean must have known what was coming. He recognized Sen. Wherry.

Wherry sent up his highly controversial amendment, asked that it be read, and immediately called for a "yea and nay" vote. All of the opposition to amending the OPA act in any such broadening of controls was caught flat-footed, with the possible exception of Sen. Hatch who, even if he knew what was coming, was powerless to do anything about it.

The amendment passed 37 to 29, without one word of debate in the upper chamber, where debate ordinarily is unlimited. Sen. Hatch didn't even have a chance to argue, because Sen. Thomas (D-Okla.) moved in with a motion that the move to reconsider be laid on the table, which cuts off all further debate and makes the original vote completely binding.

Sen. Hatch did get a word in edgewise. He said: "I want it definitely understood that I was

were shot in the craft and the pilot overshot the landing strip. The plane pitched over on its side and caught a wing on the ground, tearing off a tip. The war ended before it could be repaired.

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Washington Merry-Go-Round—

Only Fate Kept Ike From Jap Prison

By DREW PEARSON

WASHINGTON—Sometimes it is from quirks of fate or personal jealousies that heroes are born.

Old army friends of General Eisenhower couldn't help but remember this as they gathered to pay him tribute during his triumphant ride down Pennsylvania avenue.

For, if it had not been for a personal row with General MacArthur in the Philippines, Eisenhower probably would be in a Jap prison camp today instead of receiving the plaudits of millions.

When MacArthur retired as chief of staff and began the reorganization of the new Philippine army, he took with him to Manila one of the bright, up-and-coming men of the army, Col. Dwight Eisenhower. But, after some time in the Philippines, things didn't go well, and MacArthur fired him. Eisenhower went back to the U.S.A. to climb to fame and the top command of the American army.

If he had remained with MacArthur, he probably would now be with Gen. "Skinny" Wainwright and the 16 other American generals taken prisoner by the Japs.

This incident is one reason why Eisenhower will not be sent to the Pacific theatre, despite the reports that he would be made top commander of both the army and navy there.

General Pershing's Luck

It was also a quirk of fate which made Gen. John J. Pershing commander of the A.E.F. in the last war. When the United States entered the war, a resolution was introduced in congress urging that Teddy Roosevelt lead an American army to France immediately. Woodrow Wilson, embarrassed by the publicity given to the expedition, wanted to head the resolution off. So he called in Sen. Francis E. Warren of Wyoming, ranking member of the military affairs committee and the father-in-law of General Pershing.

That afternoon, Wilson announced that Pershing would command the A.E.F. and Senator Warren, a leading republican, helped squelch the resolution favoring Teddy Roosevelt.

Teddy Roosevelt, incidentally, had earlier jumped Pershing, son-in-law of the powerful GOP leader, from the rank of captain to brigadier general. At that time, Pershing had been in the army 20 years, was 46 years old, and without T.R.'s kindly intervention, would have retired no higher than a major.

Note—Few heros arriving in base Washington won as many real friends as General Eisenhower. Even the news photographers, most cynical of all human beings, whom President Truman introduced as the "One More Club," sang Ike's praises.

Elliott Roosevelt's Lobbying It was no great news to White House insiders that Elliott Roosevelt had been up to his eyebrows in various policies directly contrary to those of his father.

Whether he performed a lobbying job for the A. and P. chain stores in return for the \$200,000 loan from A. and P. President John Hartford is not known, but

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1. Hastened
2. Lease
3. Congaled
4. Military cap
5. Winglike
6. Put on
7. Perla
8. Information at hand
9. Making possible
10. Plural ending
11. Make level
12. Carry
13. Flat
14. Steep
15. Jaeger gulls
16. Gona by
17. Worthless
18. Taak
19. Bones
20. Lease
21. Regard
22. German river
23. Small drink
24. Title of Mohammed
25. Assumed hill dweller
26. Sun
27. Chum
28. To a higher point
29. Negative
30. Pronoun
31. Goes to sea
32. Back
33. Epochs
34. Female mand-piper
35. To a point on

Solution Of Yesterday's Puzzle

DOWN

1. Hebrew letter variant
2. Devour
3. Air currents
4. Notion
5. Competition
6. Related on the mother's side
7. Oven
8. Silkworm
9. Velvetlike fabric
10. Bar of cast metal
11. Arabian jasmine
12. English city
13. Medical
14. Tinged with red
15. Communion
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MacMurray, Hazard Of The Trade

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD—Fred MacMurray and I just smiled at each other for a while.

I had heard he was very difficult to interview and I was devising a plan of attack from which he could escape.

"I understand you're quite a bit ahead of schedule on this picture," I remarked.

"Yeah, we're 10 or 12 days ahead," he said.

"Does that have anything to do with the fact that you have money in the production?"

"I don't have any money in it," he said. Finally he admitted that he had purchased some stock in Mutual Productions, which is making "Pardon My Past."

"Oh, I see," said I, screwing to a stop before a conversational dead end.

We smiled at each other for a while. Then I remarked that I had recently seen "Car 99," an oldie he made with Clare Lou Sheridan, who was later discovered to be fortified with oomph.

"Yes, I've got a small print of that picture," Fred remarked. "I like to run it and show my kids what their daddy looked like

when he was a young man."

"You couldn't have changed much in that time," I said.

"Oh you'd be surprised. I really looked thin and youthful in those days. No double chins or anything. A lot has happened in 10 years."

Dead silence.

"You've been making a lot of pictures lately," I said.

"Yes, I always have," he said. "At Paramount I used to make four a year."

"You must like this work."

"As a matter of fact, I do."

"That's unusual. Most players say they don't know how they stand it, except for the salary."

"I like it. Except that it interferes with my hunting and fishing. I couldn't find an easier job at \$25 a week."

"Hmmm, very interesting."

A hush falls.

"What about publicity?" I asked. "Do you do many interviews?"

"Sure."

"Do you mind them?"

"Not at all. But I always feel sorry for the interviewer."

Following his liberation around the early part of May, the group lived in woods near Hitler's birthplace, Braunau. They made friends with the surrounding farmers who would give them food. Sgt. White was given a wagon and two horses and after staking the horses out before going to bed, he woke up the next morning to find that some of the hungry Russians had eaten one horse.

At the same camp with him were Sgt. Roy Butler of Forsan, who was in his group and was shot down on the same raid, and S/Sgt. H. N. Holcombe of Garden City.

Mr. and Mrs. White received word of their son about every five months. Sgt. White received only 65 letters and nine packages.

He was a 1942 graduate of Coahoma high school where he was a football star. He holds the Purple Heart, Air Medal with two clusters and battle star.

Huge Plane Didn't Do Hitler Any Good

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EDWARD NORRIS

Plus "Occupation" No. 8 and "Hot Lips Jasper"

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oners remaining in American hands.

Divisions being returned to the United States for transfer to the Pacific are the Second, Fifth, 44th, 86th, 87th, 95th, 97th and 104th infantry and the 15th armored.

The Fourth and Eighth infantry divisions also are returning home, but whether they will go to the Pacific has not been announced.

U.S. divisions still in territory indicated for Russian control are the 26th, 30th, 69th, 76th, 79th, 94th and 102nd infantry, and the Fifth, Sixth, Seventh, Eighth and 16th armored. Since these have not been assigned places in the occupation setup, they presumably are scheduled for redeployment.

The 35th infantry and Second armored divisions will be deployed from the British zone. The 35th now is west of the Rhine and the Second armored, originally scheduled to go to Berlin, is in the Brunswick area.

Doolittle
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by the 20th, Doolittle said that the "decision to date is to have B-29s and such other ships as are needed." He was unable to say whether the B-17s, used along with the B-24s in the bombardment of Germany, would be part of the 8th Air Force in the Pacific.

He said the 8th hoped to have long-range fighters as part of its Pacific organization.

Doolittle said he believed Japan would be easier to destroy industrially than Germany because:

1. There is a greater concentration of Japanese industry than was found in Germany.
2. The targets in Japan are inflammable.
3. The Japanese war economy and industry do not have the recuperative power which Germany had.
4. The Japanese he said, have not had time to put their factories underground as the Germans were doing in the closing months of the European war.

LAVAL TO SURRENDER
MADRID, June 21 (AP)—Pierre Laval, former Vichy chief of government who fled to Spain shortly before the German collapse, has now promised to surrender voluntarily to French justice when he completes preparations for his defense, it was learned on good authority today. Laval's offer was said to have been made in a letter to the Spanish government.

SEABEE'S SON KILLED
DALLAS, June 21 (AP)—Jackie Reynolds, Jr., 4, son of Seabee Jack Reynolds who returned Monday from three years overseas duty, was fatally injured in front of his home when struck by an ice truck last night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wheat and Doris Tompkins left Wednesday for a trip through New Mexico.

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Encampment Is Set For This Weekend

More than 200 4-H club boys and girls and home demonstration club women of Howard county are expected Friday for the first joint encampment attempted here.

Getting underway at 4 p. m. Friday, the encampment will be climaxed by a barbecue affair at noon Saturday at the city park.

The group gathers at the totem pole in the park at 4 p. m. and a swim at 4:30 p. m. is first on the calendar, followed by other recreation until 7:30 p. m. when the first meal will be served. A program in the amphitheatre is scheduled for 8:30 p. m. and bedtime is set for 10:30 p. m.

After breakfast Saturday, contests and recreation begin at 9 a. m. Camp breaks at 1:30 p. m.

In addition to club members, friends of club work, including all who donated toward or helped in the livestock and other shows, are invited for the barbecue. In charge of the encampment will be Edward Lewter, county agent, and Mildred Atkinson, emergency food specialist who is acting for Rhea Merle Boyles, county home demonstration agent.

Howard County Hereford Breeder association members will have a called meeting at the park immediately following the barbecue. Rexie Cauble, president, set the time for 2 p. m.

Weather Forecast
Dept. of Commerce Weather Bureau

BIG SPRING AND VICINITY: Partly cloudy this afternoon, tonight and Friday. Widely scattered thunderstorms late this afternoon and evening. Little change in temperatures.

WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy this afternoon, tonight, and Friday with widely scattered thunderstorms late afternoon and evening.

EAST TEXAS: Partly cloudy this afternoon, tonight, and Friday with scattered showers and thunderstorms during afternoon and evening west and south portions. Gentle to moderate southeast winds.

TEMPERATURES

City	Max.	Min.
Abilene	90	67
Amarillo	87	54
BIG SPRING	95	70
Chicago	75	58
Denver	82	56
El Paso	95	66
Fort Worth	89	70
Galveston	89	77
New York	83	68
St. Louis	78	64

Sunset Thursday at 8:55 p. m.; sunrise Friday at 6:40 a. m.

Chinese Prepare To Attack Liuchow
By SPENCER MOOSA
CHUNGKING, June 21 (AP)—Chinese troops converging on the former American air base city of Liuchow have joined forces six miles southwest of the rail and road junction and another force from the west has reached a point 10 1/2 miles away on the Kweichow-Kwangsi railroad, the Chinese high command announced today.

The linked Chinese forces, pressing toward the suburbs of Liuchow, were engaged in bitter battles with the enemy although some observers believed the Japanese planned to abandon Liuchow. Chinese forces have advanced to within three miles of Liuchow airfield.

Meanwhile, the high command announced, Japanese forces striking northeastward from Limkong, at the neck of the Holhong (Liuchow) peninsula about 200 miles southeast of Liuchow were repulsed. It was admitted, however, the enemy had advanced beyond Shekko, his first objective, about 20 miles northeast of Limkong.

In Chekiang province the Chinese lashed at enemy forces withdrawing northward along the coastal highway from the abandoned port of Wenchow.

Texas Ready To Launch Highway Building Program
By TEX EASLEY
WASHINGTON, June 21 (AP)—When the government gives a "go ahead" on highway building, Texas will be ready to launch a \$172,000,000 program on federal-aid projects to be carried out over a three-year period.

The program was outlined today by Dewitt C. Greer, Texas state highway engineer, and Charles E. Simons, vice president of the Texas Good Roads association, in conferences at the public road administration.

Simons said that the three-year program, half of which would be financed by the state, was for only that work which was needed badly and improvements which have been held up because of the war.

A huge backlog of other highway projects is ready to be carried out after the three-year program is completed, he said.

TRIESTE IN JOINT CONTROL
TRIESTE, June 21 (AP)—The disputed city of Trieste will remain entirely in British and American control pending the final peace settlement of an agreement signed by British, American and Yugoslav authorities partitioning for occupation purposes the Venezia Giulia area of pre-war northeast Italy. The agreement was signed yesterday.

Eisenhower Sees Family In Kansas

KANSAS CITY, June 21 (AP)—General of the Army Dwight D. Eisenhower and 53 members of his official party received a tumultuous two-state homecoming celebration and greeted his 83-year-old mother, Mrs. Ida E. Eisenhower, of Abilene, Kan., and four brothers.

General "Ike" in his gigantic five-star plane "The Sunflower" stepped forth first and was given a tremendous ovation as he saluted the military band that greeted him. General Eisenhower then rushed to his mother and gave her a big kiss.

Governor Andrew Schoepel of Kansas stepped forward to greet the general and after a brief greeting to his four brothers, here for the gala event, the general retired to a room for a half hour of privacy with his immediate family. On hand also to greet him was his wife who had come from New York by train.

A 17-gun salute roared forth a greeting to the European supreme commander as he came home. The Texas bred and Kansas reared general beamed broadly throughout the greeting with his family.

Tonight the whole Eisenhower clan, some 65 of them, will assemble for the first complete family reunion in 20 years. This will be at Abilene, Kan., the general's home, where he will go by special train late today after the Kansas City parade and celebration.

Truman Says General Is Grand Gentleman

OLMPIA, Wash., June 21 (AP)—President Truman said today that General Dwight D. Eisenhower, commander of Allied forces in Europe, was entitled to anything he wants and that he would see that the general gets it.

The president did not elaborate at his news conference here on this remark.

Eisenhower's first job, is to get back to Germany and finish his work there, the president said.

How long he will be there, he said, he did not know, adding that was one of the things to be settled at his forthcoming "Big Three" conference with Premier Stalin and Prime Minister Churchill.

The general, he said, is entitled to anything he wants, and he wants to see that the general gets it. The general, he said, is a grand gentleman.

Colored Teams To Play Saturday

Section F of the Big Spring Bombarrier school and Section F of Goodfellow Field of San Angelo will meet in a softball game at 8 p. m. Saturday at the city park.

The San Angelo colored team beat the all-star team from Goodfellow Field which won a recent GI softball tournament at San Angelo. On the mound for the local colored team will be Cpl. Leroy Mullins. Cpl. E. L. Henderson will catch.

TRASH CAN BURNS
City firemen answered a call to the rear of the Ted Phillips Tire Co. Wednesday at 11 p. m. when a trash can caught fire. There was no damage, they said.

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NEWS

Top Tunes That Are Available

18671-A—"The More I See You" "Acapulco" Carmen Cavallaro
20-1625—"I Should Care" "Please Don't Say No" Tommy Dorsey
23413-D—"You Belong To My Heart" "Baia" Bing Crosby
36807—"Question And Answer" "Can't You Read Between The Lines" Kate Smith
188—"Stuff Like That There" "Blue Skies" Betty Hutton
36793—"Good! Good! Good!" "Toa-Tu Samba" Xavier Cugat
36917—"Dream" "There's No You" Frank Sinatra
20-1648-B—"On The Spangy Side Of The Street" "Any Old Time" Tommy Dorsey
36766—"Red Bank Boogie" "I Didn't Know About You" Count Basie

Popular Albums

P-134—Bunny Bergman Memorial Album
A-1—Songs by Johnny Mercer
DA-382—Edwin Lester's Song of Norway
DM-898—Rossini's The Barber of Seville

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PARADE DOWN THIRD STREET TO PRECEDE MINSTREL SHOW

An old time minstrel parade will be an outstanding feature Friday at 7:30 p. m. preceding "Minstrel Days." The show is presented by cadets of Class 125 and directed by "Irish" Jimmy Lynch, at 8 p. m. in the city auditorium free of charge. The public and military personnel, who missed the show when it played two nights at the post theatre to capacity crowds, are invited.

Participants in the parade will include characters of the show, a cadet band and approximately 300 cadets. The parade will form on Fourth Street at Lancaster and Gregg and will be directed down Third Street to the city auditorium. A short bond rally will be held between the first and second half of the minstrel.

A/C Lynch of New York, writer and director, has presented several camp shows at various bases where he was stationed. Col. Ralph C. Rockwood gave the cadets of Class 125 permission to put on their own class show.

An hour and a half of entertainment furnished by the boys from "Dixie" will include many old and new favorite songs, old and new jokes, chorus dancing and jiggerbugging, novelty songs and a hilarious PT routine. The chorus will be dressed in costumes from Hollywood and the cadets will wear zoot suits.

Seventy-five cadets have part in the minstrel show.

Library Hikes Total Of Volumes

The Howard County Free library has built up a total of 3,588 volumes in a year of operation, not counting 2,100 books on loan from the state.

However, the state books must be returned Sept. 1 for re-lending to other county libraries, confronting the local unit with the necessity of replacements in several fields in addition to the regular system of purchases.

New books are arriving constantly, according to Doris Nesbitt, librarian, and are being shelved as rapidly as possible. Cataloguing has not been possible and this remains one of the big jobs facing the librarian. Volunteer workers have assisted Miss Nesbitt with shelving, but turnover has been rapid and thus not permitting development of the filing system.

Dawson County Gets First Drouth Relief

Drouth-stricken Dawson county received partial relief Wednesday night when two thunderstorms spilled out .65 of an 'inch of moisture.

Preliminary reports indicated that the showers were fairly general over the county and that some sections would attempt to plant on the strength of it. It is the first sizable amount of moisture the county has received in three months.

Showers extended as far south as the Ackery area.

While they missed most of Howard county, they set in again to the east and from Colorado City to Abilene there were spotted areas touched by rain.

At 2:30 p. m. Thursday Forsan reported a "young flood" was in the making there on the basis of a brisk thundershower and over-cast skies indicated the fall might continue.

Bond Funds Due County Soon

The Howard county \$150,000 bond issue voted in January and sold subsequently for one per cent. is in the process of receiving its final registration at the hands of the state treasury.

Approved by the attorney general, the bonds have been registered here and forwarded to Austin. Indications are that funds from the bonds will be made available to the county soon. The bonds were voted for the purpose of providing funds to purchase right-of-way for highway and other roads which have or may be designated by the state highway department and the residue for lateral and feeder road work.

THREE VD CHECKUPS

Police picked up three people Wednesday for VD check ups. There were no other cases in city court Thursday morning.

Gov. Stevenson Honors Walker

BELTON, June 21 (AP)—Gov. Coke R. Stevenson paid tribute to Lt. Gen. Walton H. Walker commander of the Third army's corps in Germany, as "one of the state's greatest men" at a celebration in which Belton honored its native son here last night.

"It is a privilege to honor through him all those who were who had known him all his life should pay him tribute."

Responding the general whose outfit spearheaded the Third army's drive across Germany, said it was with a touch of humility he spoke in the knowledge that men who had known him all his life should pay him tribute.

He saluted veterans of the 20th corps from McCloskey general hospital who occupied the front row before the speakers stood.

"Everything that has come to me has come through the sacrifice of you and others like you and your dead comrades that lie on the battlefields of France, Germany and Austria," he said. He complimented the 90th division and its many Texans who served in his command.

"The Pacific war is far from won and once again it will be the enlisted men who will win the war," the general continued. He described the American soldier as a "diplomat who packs a punch," and praised the fighting tradition of Central Texans.

F-O Jas. Thompson Awarded The DFC

F-O James A. Thompson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thompson of Forsan, has recently been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross in addition to the Air Medal.

The award was based on "more than 300 hours of operational duty over the treacherous Assam-China routes, characterized by hazardous weather conditions, flying by night and by day, often encountering mechanical difficulties, and where enemy attack is probable and expected."

F-O Thompson served as a civilian instructor for two years before going into the Air Transport Command. He was assigned to his present base in Assam, India in Nov. 1944 and has now completed more than 500 hours of flying C-87s and C-109s on the route over the "Hump" of the Himalayas. Mrs. Thompson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Jones of the Standard Oil Butler camp in Mitchell county.

CROWD ASKS FOR BREAD
MILAN, June 21 (AP)—Crowds asking for bread and work and a more severe purge of fascists paraded before Allied military government offices today as it was learned that anti-fascists had broken into the northern Italian jails and machinegunned imprisoned fascists.

SWIMMING POOL BUSY
With the rise in mercury, attendance at the municipal swimming pool is rising also. Wednesday's paid swim fees reached 213. Attendance was so low last week-end due to cool weather that the pool was closed Sunday.

Only Three Cases Of Sleeping Sickness Among Horses Cited

Only three cases of sleeping sickness among horses have been reported here to date, Dr. O. E. Wolfe, veterinary surgeon, reported Thursday.

However, the season when horses and mules normally are affected by the malady is just getting underway.

Thus far the rate of incidence in Texas is 1.5 in every 1,000 head. There has been a gradual diminishing of the infection in recent years after a sharp upswing, but it is still a serious problem.

Mrs. J. H. Greene, Mrs. Joe Pond and Prissy are in Snyder this week visiting Mrs. Greene's sisters there.

Public Records

Building Permits
Lois Lester, to remodel present cafe at 106 E. 3rd street, cost \$150.
Mrs. Bertha Lee Prince, to move 20x32-foot frame house from 817 W. 5th street to 501 NW 10th street, cost \$2,000.
Mrs. J. J. McGregor, to build 10x16-foot frame addition to present house at 1910 Johnson street, cost \$500.

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