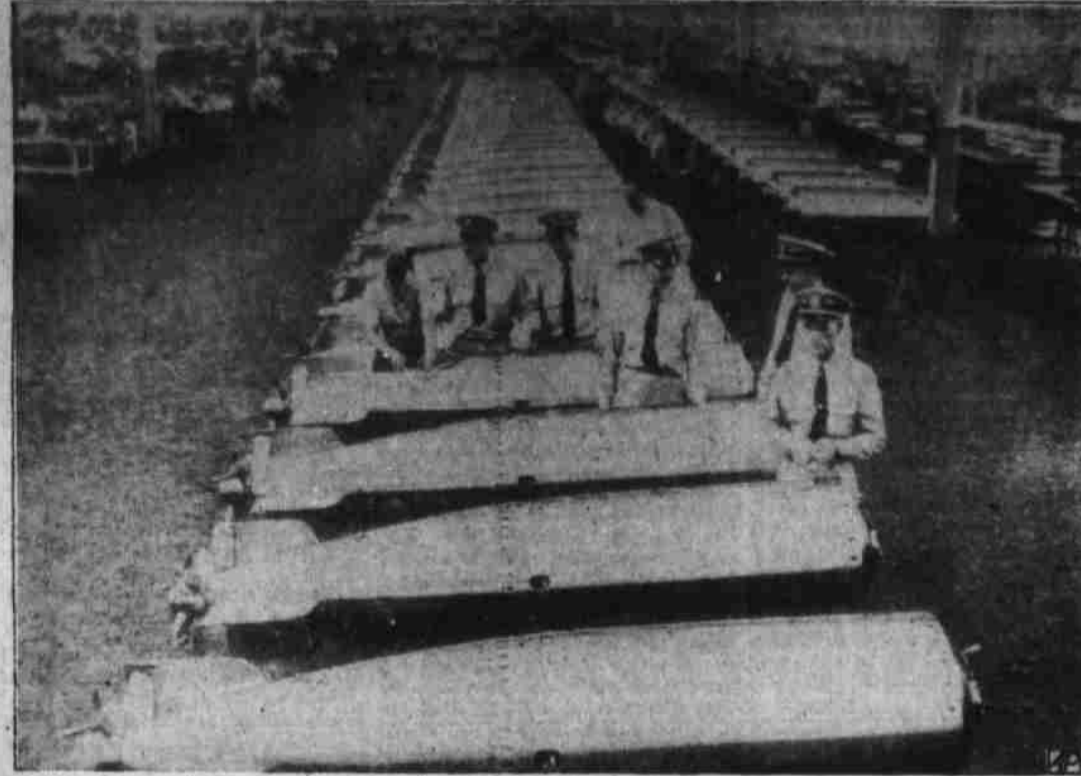


No important temperature changes this afternoon or to-night.



Torpedoes For Tojo—These torpedoes, assembled in the Amertorp plant at Chicago, get last check from naval officers before starting on a glorious blow-off—Lacking only explosive warheads, these missiles cost \$10,500 apiece.

Holiday Rally In Tribute To Free America

When our American forefathers who fought and lost their lives in the war of 1812, the Civil War and the first World War look down on the bloody battle fields of today, I can't help feeling that they are confident that they have not died in vain.

Vinson Needs Way To Back Down On Rail Wage Veto

WASHINGTON, July 6 (AP)—Administration advisers are looking for a thornless path for Stabilization Director Fred M. Vinson to follow in backing down on his veto of the 8-cent railway wage award.

Vinson's decision not only riled officers of the 15 non-operating railroad unions and the chairman of the emergency board which recommended the raise, Speaker said, but it vexed President Roosevelt, too, because a couple of weeks earlier the president had asked union officials to accept the eight cents in lieu of the 30 they had asked.

Dr. William M. Leiserson, who appointed the emergency board from the railway labor panel of which he is chairman, has shown no inclination to reconvene the board.

There appears to be no dispute about Vinson's authority to advise the president of the effect of the award on the stabilization program and to reduce the amount accordingly, but there is a dispute whether Vinson had authority to advise the emergency board (if it exists) of the basis on which it might make an award, in view of the fact that the board heard testimony for 44 days and not even the record of it was before Vinson.

Wreck Injury Fatal To Coahoma Man

SAN ANGELO, July 6 (AP)—Marvin Francis Dunivan, 21, Coahoma, formerly an employee of an oil company, died in a hospital here this morning from injuries received in an automobile wreck 21 miles north of here, week ago today.

A Nalley-Reeder funeral coach went to San Angelo Tuesday morning to return the body of Marvin Francis Dunivan. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

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During the morning several men had appeared to protest valuation increases.

Raid Develops Into Furious Air Battle

30 Out Of 100 Enemy Fighter Planes Are Shot Down

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA, July 6 (AP)—A furious air battle developed over Gerbini yesterday during a Flying Fortress raid on that Sicilian airfield, allied headquarters announced today, and the American gunners shot down 30 of approximately 100 attacking enemy fighters.

The communiqué described the resistance there as "vigorous." Other allied air squadrons inflicted damage on three other landing fields in Sicily—at Licata, Marsala and Sciacca, the war bulletin said.

Allied plane losses were placed at 13 during yesterday and the night before, when light bombers blasted targets at Villafro, in Sardinia, and at Catania, in Sicily.

Striking in from the eastward yesterday, U.S. heavy bombers of the Middle East force blasted the Sicilian ferry terminus of Messina once again, returning to their bases without loss.

Fires and explosions dotted the harbor area at this vital enemy communications center. The railway station, supply depot, engine sheds and an infantry barracks also were hit. Three enemy fighters were reported shot down there.

The headquarters war bulletin reported that during yesterday and the night before the Northwest African air forces had knocked down 42 aircraft, including the 30 at Gerbini.

The swarms of enemy fighters met yesterday over Gerbini gave new indications that the axis has rushed aerial reinforcements to the Mediterranean theater, where the weekend saw the allied offensive reach a new peak of intensity with many air attacks on Sicily and Sardinia and a British commando-type job at Crete.

The axis sent up 200 or more fighters in a desperate attempt to drive off American and British aircraft that bombed five Sicilian landing fields virtually all day Sunday in a mighty July Fourth attack, but 45 of the enemy were knocked down, 43 of them fighters, an allied communiqué said yesterday.

It was one of the bitterest days of the Mediterranean air campaign, the communiqué declared: "The enemy resisted determinedly."

At the eastern end of the Mediterranean, small bodies of British troops dashed on to the beaches of axis-held Crete from shallow draft vessels Sunday night, raided airfields, destroyed grounded planes, left a number of oil dumps afire, and withdrew safely. The raid was announced last night in a Cairo communiqué.

In a broadcast to the Greek patriots on Crete, the British ministry of information in London quickly pointed out that "this is not an invasion" and cautioned them not to betray themselves by premature resistance.

Japan Believed Damaged Heavily In Naval Battle

WASHINGTON, July 6 (AP)—The navy reported today that on the basis of incomplete information United States naval forces apparently had caused the Japanese very heavy damage in the battle of Kula Gulf.

Details of the action, fought yesterday (Solomon Islands time) and apparently all over now, still were lacking, but there was no disposition in authoritative quarters here to consider it as a major encounter with decisive bearing on the Solomons campaign.

The impression prevailed rather that it was an action between fairly light surface forces of cruisers and destroyers.

Whether bombing planes participated was not known. A navy communiqué said that "sufficient details have not been received to give the results of this engagement, but it is believed that, while some damage was suffered by the United States force, considerable damage was inflicted on the enemy."

At the same time the navy announced that the United States Destroyer Strong was torpedoed and sunk Sunday night while engaged in a previously announced bombardment of Japanese installations at Vila and Bairoko on Kula Gulf, which lies between New Georgia Island and Kolombangara Island in the Munda air base area.

The naval engagement, first announced last night, followed that bombardment. The 2,100 ton Destroyer Strong, commissioned only last year, carried a normal complement of about 250 men. She was an exceptionally large vessel, being in the destroyer leader class. She was commanded by Commander Joseph Harold Wellings of East Boston, Mass. Whether he survived was not reported nor was any estimate given of the loss of life.

Presumably the vessel was torpedoed by a Japanese submarine boldly operating within the narrow and dangerous limits of the Kula Gulf.

A communiqué also related that on the evening of July 5, army Liberators heavy bombers attacked Japanese installations at Ballale Island, Shortland Island area. Five fires were started. About 12 Zero fighters attempted to intercept but were driven off. No U.S. losses were sustained.

On July 6, in the early morning, the bulletin continued, the U.S. surface task force engaged Japanese surface units in Kula Gulf off New Georgia Island (previously reported in another navy department communiqué). Sufficient details have not been received to give the results of this engagement, but it is believed that, while some damage was suffered by the United States force, considerable damage was inflicted on the enemy.

With the loss of the Strong, following by about five days the torpedo sinking of the troop transport McCawley in the Rendova Island area, the United States Navy has invested a total of about 40 ships in the Solomon Islands campaign, which began last August 7 and went into a new phase with the invasion of the Munda area June 30.

The Japanese, on the other hand, have lost 65 to 80 ships, some of those reported as having been listed as only probably sunk. Thus the enemy's loss ratio is about 2 to 1 in comparison with American ship casualties.

What the figure will be in the latest action in Kula Gulf remain to be seen, but it was expected that the proportions of the American victory probably would be substantial in relation to the size of the enemy units involved.

Even in the absence of word that major forces were engaged, this new "battle of Kula Gulf" was regarded as of great significance. Ickes, however, forecast the expected expansion of air cargo and passenger transport in the post-war era would be paralleled by growth in requirements for oil.

Eventually, the oil chief commented, the United States will have to import oil or distill it from shale and coal.

Shale deposits were estimated to hold 92,000,000,000 barrels and coal reserves were said capable of producing 1,500,000,000 barrels of oil and 1,000,000,000 tons of coal annually for 1,000 years.

For the most immediate future, Ickes said, Americans must choose between "driving as usual" and more "freezing than usual."

"I want it distinctly understood that even with all of the pipelines working 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, we are not going to be able to remove restrictions on our civilian drive," he declared.

And he spoke of "the probability that the war will drag into the years 1944 and 1945."

Freight Line Hearing Opens

Prospects are that a railroad commission hearing on the application of Sunset Motor Lines to operate from Dallas to Midland will continue here through Wednesday, Examiner Horace Soule indicated Tuesday noon.

Only three witnesses—for the applicant—had been heard to noon, but even if the applicant does not come forward with any long list, the protestants promised a battery of opposing witnesses.

Testifying as to the need of the additional service were Bill Sheppard, manager of Banner Creamery; S. H. Smith, Magnolia Petroleum Corp. agent; and Ted O. Groehl, shell distributor.

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Houses Differ On U. S. Crop Insurance

WASHINGTON, July 6 (AP)—A senate attempt to revoke a death sentence on the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation reopened an old controversy with the house today amid concerted efforts to complete congressional action by nightfall on four remaining appropriations bills.

The senate bowed to house demands yesterday and agreed to include in the \$848,395,853 farm bill a provision limiting the FCIC to \$3,500,000 with orders to liquidate. This action was taken to speed the farm bill to the White House.

Subsequently, however, the senate wrote into a \$366,418,748 second deficiency appropriations bill an amendment raising the FCIC appropriation to \$7,818,748 which would allow it to continue for another year without insurance on wheat and cotton.

"We just switched the amendment from one bill to another in the hope of getting another house roll call vote on crop insurance," Senator Nye (R-ND) said.

"By taking it out of the farm bill, we removed the danger of its impending passage of that vital measure."

The deficiency measure, in which the senate increased house allowances from \$36,158,000 to \$366,418,748, went to a conference committee today for consideration of changes. Principal senate additions were \$190,000,000 for war housing and \$75,000,000 for the federal works agency to finance war-needed community projects.

Giraud To Confer In Washington

WASHINGTON, July 6 (AP)—General Henri Giraud will confer here with the British-American chiefs of staff on the war against the axis.

Presidential Secretary Stephen Eby announced this today in emphasizing that the visit of Giraud, chief of French military forces in North Africa, will be of a military character.

Allied Planes On A Mission Over Europe

LONDON, July 6 (AP)—RAF Spitfires destroyed seven German fighter planes in a sweep over northern France this morning, it was announced. None of the British planes was lost.

LONDON, July 6 (AP)—Allied planes, including many squadrons of fighters, roared over the channel toward the French coast in brilliant sunshine this morning as a Berlin broadcast was reporting raids on Germany last night by British bombers.

There were no immediate British announcements concerning any night activities over the Reich, but the Berlin broadcast, recorded by the Associated Press, said enemy planes had carried out "nuisance raids" over western and northern Germany.

During the night an RAF plane damaged an armed vessel of about 500 tons in a low level attack off the Dutch coast, the air ministry news service said.

U. S. Army headquarters paragraphs had disclosed "satisfactory" results in the Sunday bombing of the Gnome-Rhone Aero factory at Le Mans, France, by eighth air force bombers.

The announcement said a considerable portion of the main building at the Le Mans factory was damaged.

In other raids on Independence day, the American bombers scored many hits on a depot at the Chateau Bougon Air-drome near Nantes, France, at La Pallice, France, a direct hit was registered on a heavily-armed escort ship, and a dry dock and other installations were reported damaged.

Eight soldiers were lost in the three reported last night that photographs.

The air ministry news service graphic experts confirmed "heavy industrial damage" was caused by the June 2 and July 3 RAF raids on much-bombed Cologne in Germany.

Moscow Claims Heavy Casualties Inflicted, Many Tanks Knocked Out

LONDON, July 6 (AP)—Fierce fighting continued throughout the night on the Orel-Kursk-Belgorod front, where the Germans launched their long-awaited offensive yesterday, but Soviet troops beat off all attacks and inflicted heavy casualties on the invaders, the Soviet information bureau announced today.

In one sector between Orel and Kursk, the midday communiqué said 4,000 German officers and men were killed in futile assaults and 17 tanks were knocked out of action. Fifty German tanks, including 25 tanks were destroyed or burned.

The Russians acknowledged that the Germans had broken through their defense lines at one point on the Belgorod front, capturing two populated places, but said the enemy had been dislodged by counter-attacking Red army forces.

"Hundreds of enemy dead remained on the battlefield," said the war bulletin, which was broadcast by the Moscow radio and recorded by the Soviet radio monitor here.

Southwest of Mtsensk the Germans flung two regiments of infantry against Russian hill-top positions which the communiqué described as "of great tactical importance."

The Nazi troops succeeded in occupying several Russian trenches. Counter blows struck by the Red army flung the Germans back, however, and the Russians regained all lost territory, the bulletin added.

The communiqué indicated that the German high command was pushing its offensive without regard to losses of armored equipment. To the 586 enemy tanks reported destroyed in the midday bulletin added 152 more, bringing the total for the first 24 hours of the push to 738.

Elsewhere on the Russian front little activity was reported. Russian troops on the Karailan front attacked two Finnish strongpoints. One garrison surrendered and the second was routed with a loss of 250 killed and wounded.

On the front west of Moscow both sides engaged in occasional exchanges of artillery and machine-gun fire.

Growing Oil Demand Seen By Secy. Ickes

NEW YORK, July 6 (AP)—Constantly increasing demand for oil and its products during the war and afterward were forecast today by Harold L. Ickes, petroleum administrator.

"In certain areas we will probably face actual shortages (of crude petroleum) in the near future," he said in a new book, "Fightin' Oil," published by Alfred A. Knopf, Inc.

"Looking ahead only two short years we can see a decidedly disturbing production problem. Beyond that the future is not predictable with any confidence."

Ickes, however, forecast the expected expansion of air cargo and passenger transport in the post-war era would be paralleled by growth in requirements for oil.

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23 Picked Up After Eight Days At Sea

MELBOURNE, July 6 (AP)—Twenty-three officers and men, all British, were picked up after drifting in a lifeboat from their torpedoed ship in the Indian ocean have reached this Australian port.

They spent 8 1/2 days adrift, became separated from the first, have not been accounted for.

Five Officers Die As Plane Crashes

SAN MARCOS, July 6 (AP)—Five fliers from the San Marcos army airfield died when their plane crashed and burned six miles north of the field near Creedmoor this morning, the public relations office announced. All were second lieutenants.

The dead: Lloyd C. Mercer, 26, pilot; son of A. P. Mercer, 432 North Browning, San Angelo.

Clarence E. Wilkinson, navigation instructor, Akron, Ohio.

Robert J. Mockler, co-pilot; Park Falls, Wis.

Frederick E. Nolte, 21, student officer; Mount Vernon, Ind.

Jones-Wallace Feud Flares More Heatedly

initial attempt.

Jones, accused by Wallace of holding up BEW's purchases of strategic war materials, opened up two barrels last night. He used 7,500 words to tell what he thinks about Wallace—none of it complimentary. In Wallace's absence, his second, Milo Perkins of BEW, took up the cudgels and shot back that Jones and his RFP had acted like the fabled sleeper, Rip van Winkle.

Jones addressed his remarks to the senate appropriations committee. Perkins replied in a letter to the same group.

The big, placid-looking Jones spoke in this vein: "His (Wallace's) tirade is so filled with malice, innuendo, half-truths, an no truths at all, that considerations of self-respect and of common justice to my associates force me to expose his unscrupulous tactics."

To Put Limit On Subsidies

WASHINGTON, July 6 (AP)—Apparently convinced of Congressional inability to block the administration's subsidy-rollback program, the Senate turned today to installing producer- safeguards and a spending limit in legislation authorizing government payments to push down retail food prices.

Hurting a last ditch fight by subsidy foes, the Senate is expected to approve before nightfall a stopgap measure continuing the commodity credit corporation (CCC) until Jan. 1, 1944, and authorizing subsidy payments up to \$225,000,000.

Revising a House bill which removes all subsidy prohibitions recently approved overwhelmingly by congress but vetoed by President Roosevelt, the Senate adopted another amendment designed to prevent subsidy payments from harming the producer.

The proposal would forbid either CCC or the reconstruction Finance Corporation which would get \$250,000,000 of the subsidy authorization, from insuring any rollback "if in its opinion such program will result in reduction in the price paid to the producers."

'Cinderella' Pitchers Put Nats In The Thick Of AL Flag Race

By JOHN GROVER
AP Features Writer

WASHINGTON — Cinderella comes in pairs on the Washington ball club. When the Nats' victory string reached 30 games, 18 were owned by a couple of hitherto undervalued bull-pen slaves. No two characters ever looked less like the midnight princess. Alejandro Carrasquel is a tall Venezuelan with a deep-furrowed brow. Milo Candini's sharp features look as if his face might have been sculptured with a cleaver, but even if they don't look like the 1943 record book shows these two chuckers have a real fairy godmother.



ALEJANDRO CARRASQUEL



MILO CANDINI

Senor Carrasquel, in addition, has a private pipeline to some South American fountain of youth. Every year he gets younger. The Washington roster record says he was 30 on June 25. The official baseball record book says he's 31. Teammate Lefty Gomez says he pitched against "old rubber arm" 20 years ago on a South American tour.

Carrasquel himself is no help. Asked point blank about his age, Alejandro throws his Latin tongue into second speed and responds thusly: "Thirty nine, I think, mebbe twenty nine, no?"

Big Al actually looks younger this year. Maybe it's because he's happier under the new dispensation at Washington. In his previous four years with the club, the Venezuelan was made to feel that leprosy was the least of his ailments. Bucky Harris, the Nats' former manager, made no secret of his distaste for the "monkey talk guys" whom Scout Joe Cambria flushed out of the banana bushes below the Rio Grande. The Latin on the club got nothing but silence, and darned little of that, from Bucky.

The Nats' new pilot, treats him just like the rest of the help. Dazed by his unaccounted friendliness and the sound of human voices, the senior prosessed to burn up the league. In a third of a season, he's won as many games as he did last year. The three he lost were tough, like that 4-0 unearned run.

Candini was literally valued at nothing last fall. The Fridy-for-Zuber trade was all set when Mike Martin, the Nats' trainer, teased Clark Griffith into asking for Candini, a Yankee farmhand who won 4, lost 7 with Newark last year. Candini was thought to be through, with an incurable sore arm. The Yankees tossed him into the trade like an old car part.

Martin spent hours unkninking Candini's ailing flipper. Now it's just about the most valuable assortment of sinews in the league, which Candini leads with seven straight wins and no losses. The other day, Candini shut out the Nats 5-0 and belted a homer and a double just by way of reminding Joe McCarthy that everybody makes mistakes.

The two busts that turned into beauties between seasons are the big reasons why the Nats are up there in second place breathing hard on the Yankees.

Tarleton To St. Paul Club

GALVESTON, July 6 (AP)—Bob Tarleton, former Texas league player and manager and actively connected with baseball for 30 years, has become general manager of the St. Paul club of the American association.

Tarleton left here over the weekend for Chicago to attend the annual mid-season meeting of the American association before joining the St. Paul team. He was with St. Paul last year as team manager.

Tarleton started his career as a player with Galveston in 1912, later returning here to manage the team. He managed other teams in the Texas league, spent 10 years as general manager of Dallas and served as manager of the Chicago White Sox farm system before going to St. Paul.

BASEBALL CALENDAR

GAMES MONDAY

National League
Cincinnati at Boston postponed (2).
St. Louis 2-4, Philadelphia 15-3.
Chicago 3-2, Brooklyn 5-4.
Pittsburgh 5-0, New York 4-3.

American League
New York 3-8, St. Louis 3-5.
Philadelphia 3-7, Cleveland 1-0.
Washington 3-4, Detroit 10-4.
Boston 2-4, Chicago 4-1.

STANDINGS

National League

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	43	24	.643
Brooklyn	44	31	.587
Pittsburgh	36	32	.529
Cincinnati	33	34	.460
Philadelphia	33	36	.478
Boston	30	35	.462
Chicago	29	41	.414
New York	28	43	.394

American League

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	37	23	.616
Washington	37	23	.616
Detroit	33	32	.508
Chicago	33	32	.508
Boston	34	30	.530
Cleveland	32	35	.478
St. Louis	31	34	.477
Philadelphia	32	40	.444

GAMES TUESDAY

American League
New York at St. Louis (night)—Russo (5-3) vs. Galehouse (5-3).
Boston at Chicago (night)—Judd (7-4) vs. Humphris (5-7).
Washington at Detroit—Candini (7-0) vs. Bridges (5-2).
Philadelphia at Cleveland (night)—Arntsen (3-5) vs. Smith (5-2).

National League
Chicago at Brooklyn (twilight)—Passeau (5-6) vs. Macon (5-3) or Wyatt (3-4).
St. Louis at Philadelphia—Gumbert (5-4) vs. Kraus (4-8).
Cincinnati at Boston—Starr (7-6) or Riddle (5-4) vs. Javery (7-1). (Only games scheduled.)

Further Cut In Newsprint

WASHINGTON, July 6 (AP)—The War Production Board today ordered newspaper publishers to reduce further their consumption of newsprint during 1943's third quarter. The reduction ranges up to five per cent for large users.

The additional five per cent reduction does not apply to the first 25 tons for newspapers using less than 500 tons a quarter. This provision, WPB said, is designed to aid the operation of smaller newspapers.

Last December 31 newspapers were limited each quarter to 100 per cent of the tonnage of paper used in printing their net paid circulation during the corresponding quarter of 1941, plus a three per cent allowance for production waste. It was estimated at the time this requirement meant an overall reduction in current newsprint consumption of about ten per cent.

H. M. Bitner, director of the WPB printing and publishing division, said however the ten per cent reduction was not accomplished. The further reduction follows the recommendations of the newspaper industry advisory committee announced June 18. The committee recommended an additional cut of five per cent for the third quarter and this was agreed upon by the labor advisory committee ten days later, WPB reported.

Examples of how the additional reduction will operate for various representative tonnage groups on a sliding scale basis:

Users of 25 tons per quarter, no reduction; 50 tons, 15 per cent; 75 tons, 25 per cent; 100 tons, 35 per cent; 200 tons, 43 per cent; 300 tons, 50 per cent; 400 tons, 47 per cent; 500 tons or more, 5 per cent.

Former Tech Grid Players Sign With Brooklyn Pros

LUBBOCK, July 6 (AP)—Jodie Marek and Lou Jones, former Texas Tech football players, have signed contracts with the Brooklyn Dodgers of the National Professional league.

Both graduated from Tech in 1939, each appearing on the Tech team that played St. Mary's in the Cotton Bowl that year.

Marek has been playing professional baseball while Jones has been coach at Mount Pleasant high school.

HILLSBORO MAN DIES

HILLSBORO, Texas, July 6 (AP)—Funeral services will be held here tomorrow for J. Tom Turner, past president and director of the State and National Oil Mill Superintendents' Associations, who died here yesterday.

FATALLY INJURED

LAKE CHARLES, La., July 6 (AP)—Second Lieutenant Andrew P. Scully, Columbus, Ohio, was injured fatally in the crash Saturday night of an A-20 type plane from the Lake Charles army air field, the public relations office announced today.

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365th, Medicos And 2052nd Win In Softball

It took a powerful last-inning offensive to do it, but the 365th softballers came through with another win Monday to stay at the top of the standings in the AAFBS loop, edging out the 2052nd in a free-hitting contest. In other league games of the day, the 1047th guard squadron trampled the 2052nd, 6-1, and the Medical detachment bested the Mess company 5-4.

A five-run spree after one man was down in the last of the seventh gave the 365th its 8-7 victory. There were 21 hits in the game, 12 by the winners, nine by the 2052nd. S/Bgt. Elliot was responsible for the winning run, driving across two with his single. Mazur of the 365th had two doubles and a single for the contest, and Lazarus chalked up a three-bagger, a double and a single. For the 2052nd, Henderson had a homer and two singles. The line score:

1047th 100 011 3- 6 6 3
2052nd 001 000 0- 1 1 3
Gill, Harrell and Johnson; Haider and Seibert.

Lis and Carter led the attack for the Medical detachment in the win over the Mess company, the former getting a triple and two singles, and the latter pounding out a two-bagger and a single. Daniels of the mess company was credited with two hits. The line score:

Medical 104 000 0- 5 11 2
Mess 101 020 0- 4 6 1
Molcher and Haberkamp; Pas-tura and McCormick.

THE WAR TODAY: Russian Battle May Be The Showdown

By DEWITT MACKENZIE

The opening of the heavy German offensive along a 165-mile front in the Orel-Belgorod sector—the bloody cockp't in the Russo-Nazi battle-line south of Moscow—may signal the breaking of the great storm which has been hanging over Europe for weeks.

"Whether this is a final all-out attempt by a desperate Hitler to crush the Russian armies isn't yet apparent. But it's a major operation which already has produced fierce fighting, and it might easily develop into the big showdown.

The Germans probably have been impelled to undertake this belated offensive either for the purpose of forestalling a Russian drive—which Zetlin has been predicting—or because they have decided that they are fairly safe from an immediate Allied invasion of western Europe. Both factors may enter into the situation.

Part and parcel of this attack undoubtedly is the phenomenon of the sudden appearance of fresh Nazi aerial support for the Italians in the battle for Sicily.

Apparently Herr Hitler's harassed intuition has done a sudden back-flop and made him revise his decision to leave it entirely to Mussolini to stand off the Allied invasion which has been bearing down on him.

Hitler's change of mind, if not of heart, is easily understandable in view of the opening of the Russian drive. He has decided to impede the Allied operations in the Mediterranean as much as possible while he is engaged in Russia.

It isn't yet clear how much air power Hitler has shifted to Italy or may be prepared to send there. However, he undoubtedly can spare a limited amount of air power to help Mussolini—providing he is safe from invasion across France. This aid might cross the Mediterranean picture considerably.

ably in that it would make the Allied task of invasion tougher than has been anticipated.

A far more interesting point is what reaction the Nazi offensive in Russia may have on the Allied plans for ultimate invasion of western Europe. With Hitler heavily engaged on the eastern front we have a situation which rather invites Allied invasion of France. Quite likely Premier Stalin foresees this development when he renewed his appeal the other day for an opening of a second front in the west.

Market Wise Takes First At Suffolk

BOSTON, July 6 (AP)—Favored and top-weighted Market Wise and Lou Tufano came with a rush in the sloppy going through the stretch at Suffolk Downs Monday to capture the \$50,000 added Massachusetts Handicap from a field reduced to six by track conditions.

Salto, a 24-1 outsider from the barn of William Hells, after breaking on top and enjoying a four to five-length lead to the head of the stretch, was unable to withstand the closing rush of Market Wise but finished gamely, a length behind the winner.

Don Bingo, the South American importation of Bing Crosby and Lin Howard, took third money. A. F. Plock's Woodford Lad was fifth, and Townsend B. Martin's Hazel Babylon's Abbe Pierre, and Mrs. Ray Feinberg's Firebroom. Attention, another Hells candidate, was a morning scratch after it was discovered the colt kicked himself during the night.

The crowd of 32,000 was in a betting mood and poured \$1,042,750 through the mutuel machines on the first seven races.

Market Wise paid \$4.40, \$3.60 and \$2.60 to his backers in the mutuels, while Salto returned \$15 and \$2.50 and Don Bingo \$2.60.

Holiday Contests Draw More Than 120,000 Fans

Coal Act May Be Discarded

WASHINGTON, July 6 (AP)—Government regulation of the soft coal mines under the act a brief Guffey act appeared headed today for the junkpile, latest casualty of a sledge-hammer swinging congress.

The house rules committee called up a bill to grant the act a brief reprieve, but proponents held little hope that it would get anywhere.

Notwithstanding a plea by President Roosevelt, the ways and means committee yesterday rejected a bill that would have extended the stabilization machinery for two years after the war's end. Unless congress extends the life of the coal law, it will expire Aug. 23.

The act, written in 1937, provides machinery for a system of minimum prices at the mines, on a regional basis, with the view to preventing price cutting, and to stabilizing the industry in which many producers have found difficulty making ends meet.

President Roosevelt, in a letter to Ways and Means Chairman Doughton (D-N.C.), said "both the industry and the miners would feel on a more solid ground if they had the assurance that they and the country would have the benefits that have been demonstrated under the coal act."

NEW YORK, July 6 (AP)—Railroad and other transportation company officials won't believe this but slightly more than a half million citizens spent the long Fourth of July holiday at or near their homes and celebrated by attending either the major league baseball games or visiting the race track.

The top three active tracks—Boston, Chicago and New York—lured 109,792 spectators Monday and they bet the staggering total of \$5,074,762.

The seven major league double-headers—the National league frays involving Cincinnati at Boston on Sunday and the 70,719 who watched the major leaguers Saturday with another 66,180 at the races.

Monday's major league attendance:

Club	Attendance
American League	
New York at St. Louis	14,708
Boston at Chicago	22,487
Washington at Detroit	30,833
Philadelphia at Cleveland	13,278
Totals	81,006
National League	
Pittsburgh at New York	8,353
Chicago at Brooklyn	13,534
St. Louis at Philadelphia	21,947
Cincinnati at Boston, postponed	
Total	42,954
Grand total	123,960

(x)—10,514 at morning game, 20,019 at twilight contest.

Trumpet Man Will Be Reclassified

BEAUMONT, July 6 (AP)—H. A. McDonald, chief clerk of local draft board No. 21 of Beaumont, announced that Harry James, swing trumpeter and orchestra leader, is being reclassified for the draft. James' previous classification was B-A.

James gave Beaumont as his permanent address when he registered for the draft in October, 1940. He had lived here for many years at the family home still occupied by his father, Everett James, a music teacher.

In explaining the reclassification, McDonald said: "When James was divorced by his wife, Mrs. Louise James, and ceased to maintain a home for her and his two sons under the same roof he lost his classification as a family man.

Lt. Freeman Wins Badminton Title At Air School

Lieut. J. E. Freeman held the title as badminton champion of the Big Spring Bombardier school by virtue of a 3-1 win over Maj. Gerald F. Keeling in singles matches played Tuesday morning. Lieut. Freeman was presented with a racquet as his trophy.

He took the first game from Maj. Keeling, 15-9, dropped the second 5-17, and came back to take the match and the championship with a 15-3 triumph.

Doubles championship play is due to get underway at the post next week.

War contracts affecting more than 160,000 prison inmates in 100 state prisons are being filled.

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Waco Flyers Make Debut In Tourney

HOUSTON, July 6 (AP)—The reputable Waco Flyers, whose four big leaguers have given them the advance role as favorites, make their debut in the Houston Post tournament tonight against the Sweeny Oilers.

Palstaff Beer of Galveston will play in the first tilt against Camp Huilen. It will be a twilight contest.

The winner of the Waco-Sweeny game comes back Wednesday night against Brown Shipyards, which nosed out Houston Shipyards Sunday in a 9-7 contest featuring a 13-run eighth inning.

Loser of the Waco-Sweeny tilt comes back against Houston Shipyards.

Plew Installed As Odd Fellow Grand Master

Earl Plew was installed Monday evening as grand master of the local I.O.O.F. lodge while a large crowd of members from the Big Spring, Stanton and Knott lodges looked on.

Plew, who succeeds R. V. Forsythe, was installed by Deputy Grand Master A. B. Carter, San Angelo, and the staff was as Dike Tolbert, who went in as deputy grand master, succeeding Plew in this capacity. Appointive officers will be announced July 12 and installed.

First degree was conferred upon W. C. Witt at the meeting and the second degree went to Witt and Tim Carter.

It was announced that District Deputy Grand Master W. L. Nowell and his installing staff would be in charge of an installation of officers for the Knott lodge Tuesday evening.

Following the business portion of the Monday evening meeting, refreshments were served to those attending.

FATALLY INJURED
LAKE CHARLES, La., July 6 (AP)—Second Lieutenant Andrew P. Scully, Columbus, Ohio, was injured fatally in the crash Saturday night of an A-20 type plane from the Lake Charles army air field, the public relations office announced today.

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It isn't always a pleasant job. Making hundreds of decisions every week—difficult decisions, too—doesn't leave a man any younger. More than once he has turned down an old friend's application for an extra mileage ration. His own car has only an "A" sticker.

The Daily Herald

Stay-At-Home Holiday Means Fewer Deaths

By The Associated Press

A nation forced to stay put, to a large extent, over the three-day July 4 holiday weekend discovered today that wartime curtailment of highway travel saved scores of lives.

Thousands of Americans had to forego motor trips to favorite fishing spots or back to Uncle Jim's farm, but many were alive and whole to tell about being a wartime homebody instead of being received at a morgue or a hospital.

An Associated Press survey showed that at least 298 deaths occurred over the weekend but only 127 of these were traffic fatalities.

There were 84 drownings and 87 deaths from miscellaneous causes. Forty-one states and the District of Columbia reported fatalities.

Last year, the first wartime July 4 holiday, there were 320 traffic deaths and in 1941 before gas-tire restrictions there were 500.

This year, also, not a single fireworks death was reported.

Deaths by states from traffic accidents, drownings and miscellaneous causes, in that order, included:

Texas 5-1-2.

Million Cars In 'Storage'

DETROIT, July 6 (AP)—Approximately a million car owners have stored their vehicles for the duration, according to the trade publication Automotive News. Meanwhile, it adds, the stockpile of used cars is shrinking steadily and a transportation crisis is probable unless the stored vehicles can be "smoked out" for sale.

"Sporadic movements of used vehicles from a plentiful to a short area have perhaps provided some, through temporary, relief but the overall picture hasn't changed—the stockpile of used cars grows steadily smaller and smaller," the publication says.

"Much of this has been due to the large increase in the individual-to-individual sales; a lot of it is due to the fact that perhaps a million owners have stored their cars for the duration. If only half of these million owners could be 'smoked out' much of the problem would be solved."

The trade papers says some dealers have enlisted the editorial aid of local newspapers in the drive to get stored vehicles back into the market.

No new cars have been assembled since February, 1942, and new cars in dealers' hands are estimated to number not to exceed 180,000 units.

Admits Part In Slayings

LARAMIE, Wyo., July 6 (AP)—Sheriff Ed A. Wood announced early today that a suspect questioned in three cold-blooded slayings had admitted he tied a rope around the neck of Mrs. Percy Cota, one of the victims.

Wood said the suspect, jailed as Howard William Pickell, 26, of Syracuse, N. Y., told Albany County officers he was an accomplice in the slaying of Mr. and Mrs. Cota after admitting an earlier shooting.

"He said a soldier with him did the actual shooting in the Cota case, and that he tied a rope around Mrs. Cota's neck," Wood reported.

The rope was knotted around her throat when the couple's bullet-riddled bodies were found near a garage on their ranch last Saturday.

County Attorney Lenoir Bell announced earlier that Pickell had admitted killing Matt Katmo, 44-year-old Cheyenne man, and beating and binding Katmo's companion, Mrs. O. W. Larson, last Wednesday.

Bell said he would file murder charges, probably today.

Railroad passenger traffic last year exceeded the total for 1932, 1933 and 1934 combined.

Last Of Miners Return To Jobs

PITTSBURGH, July 6 (AP)—Thousands of the final group of 50,000 striking miners shuffled back to the pits today with District Leaders of the United Mine Workers predicting virtually all of the nation's 221,000 coal workers would be back on the job by nightfall.

Reports from the far-flung fields showed mines employing approximately 470,000 men operated yesterday—the first time the men had worked on a July 4 holiday.

Early reports today showed virtually all mines operating excepting some in Pennsylvania and a few in Tennessee.

Favors Majority Vote To Override President's Veto

WASHINGTON, July 6 (AP)—executive government back on its side of the fence, Rep. Summers (D-Tex.) proposed that a bare majority in congress be made sufficient to override a presidential veto.

Summers, chairman of the judiciary committee, asserted in presenting his proposal in the House yesterday that President Roosevelt has vetoed almost 14 times as many bills as did the first 15 presidents altogether.

An amendment to the constitution would be needed to make the change.

Chinatown Slates Grim War Program

SAN FRANCISCO, July 6 (AP)—Chinatown will observe the sixth anniversary of the opening of China's war against Japan tomorrow, but it will be a somber ceremony, unlike the lavish spectacles which have so often tumbled through narrow Grant avenue.

The occasion called for a parade but it was planned as a war-

Week's Oil Output Shows An Increase

TULSA, Okla., July 6 (AP)—Daily crude oil production for the United States increased 21,360 barrels to 3,996,445 for the week ended July 3, the Oil & Gas Journal said today.

Texas production gained 50,700 to 1,548,400; East Texas, 15,500 to 350,400; California, 7,250 to 770,800; Louisiana, 10,350 to 335,900, and Michigan 1,700 to 56,100.

Eastern fields declined 2,550 to 96,750; Illinois, 8,500 to 208,000; Kansas, 26,800 to 280,100; Oklahoma, 3,900 to 335,500, and the Rocky Mountain States, 6,390 to 119,045.

time parade with emphasis on a one-day campaign to raise \$50,000 for war purposes.

One third will go for canteen items for American airmen; one

third will be used to buy items for soldiers in the Chinese army; and the remainder will be used for relief in the Chinese Province of Kwangtung.

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'Excess' Income Tax Plan Studied

WASHINGTON, July 6 (AP)—Application of the principle of excess profits taxes to war-swollen incomes is under treasury department study, officials said today.

Intended to avoid gross inequities and hardships that might arise from imposition of levies higher than this year's record rates, the plan probably will entail broadening the present system of basic exemptions to include considerations of "normal" income.

Thus John Doe whose income rose from a peace-time normal of \$2,400 a year to \$4,800 would pay more taxes than Richard Roe whose \$4,800 salary remained constant, even though both pay the same amount under present exemptions.

The idea still is in the hands of research experts whose problem is complicated by two factors: 1. The absence of historical background for such a system, and 2. The difficulty of determining the point at which income increases can be attributed directly to the war.

The war-income study is concerned chiefly with the first objective of those demands and is predicated on the assumption that excess buying power is not spread evenly among the population.

Texans Listed As Prisoners

WASHINGTON, July 6 (AP)—Names of sixteen Texans appeared on a list of 264 soldiers held as prisoners of war which was released today by the war department.

Interned by Italy:

Sgt. John B. Ellison, Jr.—John B. Ellison, Sr., father, Pittsburg.

Pvt. Jack P. Wagner—Dan F. Wagner, father, Plantersville.

Interned by Japan:

Pvt. Leonard R. Bell—Mrs. Bertha Bell, mother, Trinity.

Pvt. Sanford R. Burk — Mrs. Mary Burk, mother, Ballinger.

Pvt. Everett O. Clark — Mrs. Josephine Clark, mother, Pharr.

Pvt. Paul C. Ehney—Mrs. Annie M. Ehney, mother, 3310 Kate St., Dallas.

Pvt. L. D. Marrs—Mrs. Bertha Marrs, mother, Telephone.

Pvt. James E. Russell — Mrs. Ethel Russell, mother, Huntington.

Pvt. Eddie V. Sbrusch — Mrs. Mary Sbrusch, mother, Schulenburg.

Pvt. Joseph Stone—Mrs. Adelardo Stone, mother, 129 Avenue "S," Lubbock.

Pvt. Jimmie C. Wade — Mrs. Nannie McHugh, mother, 930 Georgia St., Beaumont.

Pvt. Kearby L. Watson—John P. Watson, father, Columbus.

NEW VESSEL

CANBERRA, Australia, July 6 (AP)—The navy ministry announced today that the first auxiliary cargo vessel built in Australia for the United States would be launched this month. Mrs. Nelson Johnson, wife of the American minister to Australia, will christen the vessel.

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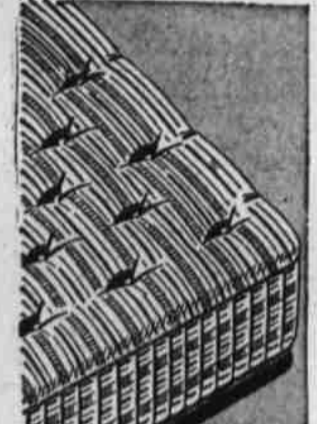
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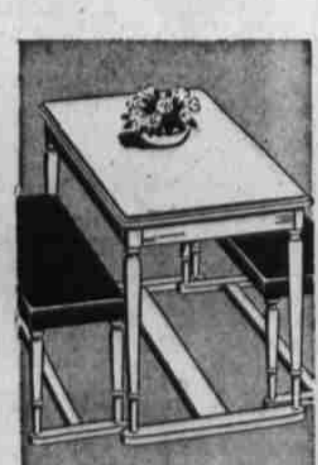
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CRETAN CITY—The important city of Candia, Crete, is shown in this aerial view, made before the Nazis seized the island. Offshore is part of the Bay of Candia.



YANKS LAND 'DOWN UNDER' — Smiling and happy that their long voyage has ended, American soldiers wave a cheery "hello" from their troopship at a port in the South Pacific.



STRONG FINISH — Cliff Bourland (left) of Southern California spurts ahead of the pack to win the National A.A.U. 400-meter championship at Randall's Island, New York City. Bourland was the defending champion in the event.



HULL POSES FOR PORTRAIT BUST—New York sculptor Bryant Baker puts the finishing touches on the clay model of a portrait bust of Secretary of State Cordell Hull (right).



'SWING YOUR PARTNER'—WAVES in training at Smith College, Northampton, Mass., participate in an old-fashioned country dance as part of their athletic program.



SHOW ENTRIES—Black and White Cairn terriers await judging at a Melbourne, Australia, Kennel Club show.



PRESIDENT DANCES—Gen. Higinio Morinigo, president of Paraguay, and Lina Romay, singer with Xavier Cugat's rumba orchestra, enjoy some South American music for their dance at a New York hotel during General Morinigo's tour of the U. S.



FLOWER HAT — Garden nasturtiums and sun-gold veiling are combined by Film Actress Leslie Brooks to make a smart summer hat to wear with cool, short dinner dresses.



BIG CATCH—This half-ton, 14 and one-half foot tiger shark was caught about 200 yards off Bondi Beach, Sydney, Australia, by three fishermen after a two-hour struggle.



BOND SALESMEN—Grooner Bing Crosby and Alec Templeton, famed blind pianist, get together for a recording to be played on the "Treasury Song Parade," radio program designed to encourage purchase of U. S. War Bonds.



POM-POMS IN ACTION—One of the multiple pom-poms of the British warship, H.M.S. Rodney, goes into action somewhere in the Mediterranean. British and U. S. ships and planes now dominate the sea Mussolini once claimed as his.



CATCHING — Vi Athens, movie starlet, models an eye-catcher sunsuit of lime green with bright red fringe trimmings. Matching slacks also go with the three-piece ensemble.



HITTER — Fielding and hitting of Shortstop Vernon Stephens (above) of the St. Louis Browns have made him one of the American League's standout players this year.



'SHORT SNORTERS'—Field Marshal Archibald Wavell, new Viceroy of India, autographs a "Short Snorters" bill for Kate Smith during his recent visit to this country. Kate has never flown over the ocean but is an honorary "Short Snorter."



'LASTING PEACE' AUTHOR—Rep. James W. Fulbright (D-Ark.), who wrote the "Lasting Peace" resolution, a 51-word demand for an international authority with power to maintain a lasting peace, studies a book on international relations.

Auxiliary Meets At Church For Program And Business Session

Dinner To Be Held Here Next Sunday Night

The Women's Auxiliary met at the First Presbyterian church Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock for a business and inspirational program led by Mrs. Bill Edwards, foreign missions secretary.

Mrs. A. B. Brown played piano accompaniment for group singing and among hymns sung was "Wonderful Words of Life."

Mrs. Julia Beacham gave the invocation, and Mrs. Bill Edwards gave the devotional, taken from the 10th chapter of Mark.

"In the Vanguard" was program topic for the afternoon and assisting Mrs. Edwards were Mrs. E. C. Boatler who spoke on "Ambassador of Truth," Mrs. J. C. Lane "In the Vanguard As An Exponent of the New Life" and Mrs. J. E. Pritchett, "Apostle of Freedom."

Mrs. A. B. Brown discussed "Creator of Fellowship" and Mrs. Edwards closed the program with the poem, "Missionary" and gave the closing prayer.

During the business meeting, plans were completed for an all church dinner which will be held next Sunday evening 6:30 o'clock in the basement of the church. All members and their families are invited to attend.

The Rev. N. R. Hawkins, superintendent of the Presbyterian Orphanage at Itasca, will be guest speaker at the affair and nine children from the home will present an informal program.

Those attending the Monday

afternoon meeting were Mrs. Nell Hilliard, Mrs. G. D. Lee, Mrs. W. G. Wilson, Jr., Mrs. J. G. Pottier, Mrs. E. C. Boatler, Mrs. Cecil Wason, Mrs. James E. Moore, Mrs. Julia Beacham, Mrs. Stanley Baugh.

Mrs. F. Marion Simms, Mrs. A. A. Porter, Mrs. J. E. Pritchett, Mrs. Bill Edwards, Mrs. J. C. Lane, Mrs. A. B. Brown, Mrs. W. P. Edwards, Mrs. R. V. Middleton and Mrs. E. L. Barrick.

Mrs. J. Griffin Entertains The Leisure Club

Mrs. Johnnie Griffin entertained members of the Leisure club with a chicken barbecue in Mrs. James Velvin's home Monday evening when club members met in semi-monthly session for dinner and bridge.

Spring flowers were placed at vantage points about the entertaining rooms, and bridge was diversion for the evening. High score went to Mrs. James Velvin and Mrs. A. R. Armstrong binged.

Those attending were Mrs. Douglass Orme, Mrs. James Velvin, Mrs. Jack Terry, Mrs. Rufus Miller, Mrs. A. R. Armstrong, Mrs. George Tillinghast, Mrs. W. N. Thurston, Mrs. Ike McGann and the hostess.

Mrs. A. R. Armstrong will entertain the club with dinner and bridge at the Settles hotel, Monday evening, July 16th.

CALENDAR

TUESDAY
ORDER OF EASTERN Star will meet in the Masonic hall at 7:30 o'clock.

LADIES BIBLE Study will be held at the Church of Christ, 9:30 o'clock.

REBEKAH LODGE will hold regular weekly meeting at the IOOF hall at 7:30 o'clock.

B. & P. W. CLUB meets at the Settles at 7:30 o'clock.

FIREMEN LADIES will meet at the WOW hall at 8 o'clock.

PHILATHEA CLASS will have a covered dish luncheon at the First Methodist church, 10:30 o'clock.

THURSDAY
ROYAL NEIGHBORS will meet at the WOW hall at 2:30 o'clock.

FRIENDSHIP CLASS of the First Baptist church will entertain with an informal coffee at Mrs. Theo Andrews' home at 9 o'clock.

FRIDAY
WOODMEN CIRCLE meets at the WOW hall at 8 o'clock.

VISITS AND VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Ike McGann have returned from Post where they visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hodge. George Albert McGann returned with his parents after a short visit in the Hodge home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Underwood have returned from a business trip to Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Kucholtz of Abilene spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McCallen and family.

Mrs. Albert Smith returned Sunday evening from Abilene where she spent the week-end with her daughter Bertie Mary who is a student nurse at Hendrick Memorial hospital.

Mrs. Conchita Pell entertained a group of her friends with a game party in her home Monday and Liverpool rummy was entertainment.

Refreshments were served and those attending were Dell Murray, Martha McCoy, Winifred Hensley, Marie Perlot, Virginia Orlopp, Thelma Lott and Helen Gibson.

Girls At Camp Comanche

Mrs. Roland Schwarzenback has returned from Fort Stockton where she took a group of girls from the First Presbyterian church. They will be at Camp Comanche until Saturday.

Those attending are Luan West, Vivian Middleton, Lynn Porter, Nellie McCallen.

Circle Meets Here With Mrs. W. J. Alexander

The Christine Coffee circle of the First Baptist Women's Missionary Society met with Mrs. W. J. Alexander Monday afternoon at 8 o'clock for a business session.

Plans were discussed for the Baptist youth encampment which will be held here soon.

Two Classes To Have Luncheon Wednesday

The Faithful Workers' Class, taught by Mrs. L. S. Patterson and the Bethany Class, taught by Mrs. George O'Brien, will meet at the East Fourth Baptist church Wednesday at 11:30 o'clock for a covered dish luncheon.

All members and guests are invited to attend.

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Sun Or Surf Style: This rayon jersey play-or-swim suit features a vibrant print, with Grecian drape, and jersey shorts worn beneath the graceful flared skirt.

Avoid Unhappy Canning Experiences By Following The Directions Carefully

Housewives doing home-canning with wartime jar caps are cautioned to follow explicitly the instructions of the cap manufacturer as if they wish to avoid unhappy experiences and waste in their patriotic effort to conserve. Spoilage of food and breakage of jars is certain to result, if instructions are not followed to the letter.

Proper methods and careful canning will insure excellent results, more important in the present food situation than at any other time.

The Glass Top Seal fruit jar cap, a wartime product developed to conserve metal, requires careful use, according to the home service departments of fruit jar manufacturers. This cap consists of a metal band, glass lid and rubber ring.

With these three widely varied materials making up its component parts, the cap must be used according to instructions, first of all, the cap is not recommended for and must not be used for oven canning.

If the food is processed (cooked in a jar), one inch of space must be left in the top of the jar when filled, in order to allow room for expansion. If an open kettle is used, one-half inch space must be left in the top of the jar.

The next step is to place the rubber around the projection on the bottom side of the lid, and the lid must then be placed so that the rubber lies between it and the top edge of the jar. All jars on which top seal closures, either glass or metal, are used must have smooth top edges.

The band is then applied tightly and immediately loosened slightly, about one-quarter of a turn. Bands must fit loosely during the processing, or cooking, if an open kettle is used, the bands are to be screwed tight as soon as possible.

Mrs. McNallen Is Hostess To Club

Mrs. W. E. McNallen entertained members of St. Thomas Catholic Study club in her home Monday afternoon for a business and inspirational meeting.

The group studied the First Commandment and those attending were Mrs. E. F. Springman, Mrs. Frank Smith, Mrs. Charles Vines and the Rev. Matthew Powers.

Parliament Member Victim Of Crash

LONDON, July 6 (AP)—Brig. Gen. J. P. Whately, 48, a member of the British parliament, was killed in the plane crash in which General Wladyslaw Sikorski, premier of the Polish government-in-exile, lost his life Sunday night off Gibraltar, the house of commons was informed today.

The names of two other British subjects killed in the crash still have not been disclosed.

Bernice Nanos Named Chairman Of Her Club

Bernice Nanos was re-elected chairman of the Cadets' Wives club Monday evening when members met in the Cadets' club at the Settles.

Other officers included Jeanette Hillberg, vice chairman, and Helen Ebbart, recording secretary.

During a business meeting, plans were discussed for a luncheon which will be held at the Settles Monday at 12:30 o'clock. The regular weekly meeting will be held at 1 o'clock.

Wednesday afternoon the group will meet in the Cadet club from 3 to 6 o'clock for a game party.

Those attending were Dell Murray, Peggy Parrock, Bernice Nanos, Winifred Hensley, Helen Gibson, Helen Ebbart, Thelma Lott, Marie Perlot, Virginia Orlopp, Jeanette Hillberg, Martha McCoy, Conchita Pell.

Miss Laneous Notes

MARY WHALEY
It's odd how much people are like houses. They are usually occupied any length of time. Compact, box-like houses are usually occupied by couples whose lives are as narrow as the homes they occupy. Everything has its place and everything is in its place. Its owners live on time table schedules.

Box-like houses usually have box-like yards and not a blade of grass dares to grow except in its allotted space. Trim, neat little hedges march around the house guarding off newcomers.

Ramshackle houses usually have tenants whose own appearance is as careless as the house. In dress, in habits and in regard to life itself, the people seem to go through life as awkwardly as the houses that sag at the corners.

Weeds and rubbish line the yards and a once planted flower bed can just be located in the spot some owner once carefully selected.

Then there are big, sprawling, comfortable houses that are usually inhabited by big, happy families whose only living schedule is that they love to be with each other. These homes have yards filled with swings and toy spades and only hardy grass and a few shrubs survive. They are raising children not grass.

Sometimes it almost seems as if people get like the houses they live in, but perhaps it is the other way around. You can almost describe a person by looking at his home and his yard.

Chiang Predicts A Victory In Two Years

CHUNGKING, July 6 (AP)—Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek told China today on the eve of the sixth anniversary of the outbreak of the conflict with Japan that the time limit for utter defeat of the aggressor "cannot exceed two years."

"In the seventh year of our war of resistance," he said in his anniversary message, "an offensive that will deal crushing blow to the enemy will be started in various theaters of the world and there will be an unending stream of victories."

"Our war of resistance and the World War situation on this day have reached the highest peak of our uphill struggle," he went on. "One step beyond will be smooth sailing for us."

His message was one of a series of confident predictions from Chinese leaders of a complete allied victory and elimination of Japan as a military power.

Four Negroes Are Taken For Service

Four negroes, who were sent from the local draft board to Lubbock on Thursday of last week, have been accepted into the Navy and Army, it was reported Tuesday.

Accepted into the Navy was Elijah Walker, and Wesley Johnson, a volunteer, was accepted in the Army. Ira Harper, transferred from the Sault Ste. Marie, was accepted by the Navy and Les Mason Cotton, transferred here from the Corpus Christi board, went into the Army.

The crash of the four-engine Liberator took the lives of 13 other persons.

Only survivor of the crash, the cause of which has not officially been determined, was the pilot of the plane, said to have been a Czech, whose name was withheld by British authorities at Gibraltar.

The Polish party was en route to London from the Middle East, where the premier had been visiting a large contingent of Polish troops.

Two Officers Die In Plane Crash

SAN ANTONIO, July 6 (AP)—Two Randolph Field officers, Second Lieut. Ward R. Moody and Second Lieut. Harold P. Moore, were killed when their two-motored advance training plane crashed near Cibola late yesterday, the field's public relations officer announced today. The men were on routine flight.

Lieut. Moody is survived by his widow, who lives in Newburgh, N. Y. Lieut. Moore's mother, Mrs. Celena Gale Moore, lives at Blackfoot, Idaho, it was reported.

FACES CHARGES

HOUSTON, July 6 (AP)—W. L. Mine, 30 year old convict who escaped from a Mississippi state prison farm on February 13, was charged with two counts of robbery by firearms, one of attempted robbery by firearms and one of felony theft before Justice of the Peace Tom Mann last night.

RADIO LOG

- Tuesday Evening
- 5:00 Minute of Prayer.
- 5:01 Phillip Keyne-Gordon.
- 5:15 News.
- 5:30 Overseas Reports.
- 5:45 Superman.
- 6:00 Fulton Lewis, Jr.
- 6:15 The Johnson Family.
- 6:30 Voice of the Army.
- 6:45 Confidentially Yours.
- 7:00 Where to Go Tonight.
- 7:15 Men of the Air on the Air.
- 7:30 Pass in Review.
- 8:00 Treasury Star Parade.
- 8:15 Maurice Spitalney's Orchestra.
- 8:30 The Return of Nick Carter.
- 8:00 John B. Hughes.
- Wednesday Morning
- 7:00 Musical Clock.
- 7:30 News.
- 7:45 Rhythm Ramble.
- 8:00 Morning Devotional.
- 8:15 Vocal Varieties.
- 8:30 Bandwagon.
- 9:00 Ian Rose McFarlane.
- 9:15 The Choir Loft.
- 9:30 Shady Valley Folks.
- 10:00 Stanley Dixon.
- 10:15 Karl Zomar's Scrapbook.
- 10:30 To Be Continued.
- 10:50 Waltz Time.
- 11:00 News.
- 11:08 Dr. W. S. Palmer.
- 11:30 KIBST Previews.
- 11:15 Bill Hay Reads the Bible.
- 11:30 Coast Guard Band.
- Wednesday Afternoon
- 12:00 10-2-4 Ranch.
- 12:15 What's The Name Of That Band?
- 12:30 News Of The Air.
- 12:45 Luncheon Dance Varieties.
- 1:00 Cedric Foster.
- 1:15 AAA Program.
- 1:45 Today's Devotional.
- 2:00 Century Room Orch.
- 2:00 Morton Downey.
- 2:15 Palmer House Concert Orchestra.
- 2:30 The Cheer Up Gang.
- 3:00 Walter Compton.
- 3:15 Uncle Sam Series.
- 3:30 Styles For Strings.
- 4:00 Sheeliah Carter.
- 4:15 To Be Announced.
- 4:30 KIBST Bandwagon.
- Wednesday Evening
- 5:00 Minute of Prayer.
- 5:01: Phillip Keyne-Gordon.
- 5:15 News.
- 5:30 Overseas Reports.
- 5:45 Superman.
- 6:00 Fulton Lewis, Jr.
- 6:15 The Johnson Family.
- 6:30 California Melodies.
- 7:00 Where To Go Tonight.
- 7:15 Impact.
- 7:30 Take A Card.
- 7:50 Treasury Star Parade.
- 8:00 Maurice Spitalney's Orch.
- 8:30 Soldiers With Wings.
- 9:00 John B. Hughes.

Missionary Society Has Joint Meeting At Methodist Church

Program Is Presented By Circle Five

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met in a joint session at the First Methodist church Monday afternoon for a program led by Mrs. S. R. Nobles and members of circle five.

"The Discovery and Training of Christian Leaders in the Orient" was program topic for the day, and Mrs. C. E. Talbot gave the Bible scriptures. Mrs. Horace Garrett gave the meditation, and Mrs. M. L. Richards spoke on "An Affirmation of Faith in Japanese and Korean Christian Leadership."

"The Discovery and Training of Chinese Christian Leaders" was discussed by Mrs. Garner McAdams and "The Training of Malaysian Christian Leaders" was discussed by Mrs. Lewis Murdock.

Mrs. M. A. Cook presided over the business session and others attending were Mrs. Joe Robinson, Mrs. Robert Hill, Mrs. Pete Johnson, Mrs. Clyde Smith, Mrs. Hattie McClesky.

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8:30—Competition night; prizes and fun for couples and "singles."

WEDNESDAY
6:15—Hospital visiting hour at post.
8:30—Games and dancing—Bomb-dears.

THURSDAY
9:30 a. m.—Gym class for S. M. wives and USO hostesses.
2:30—Service men's wives meeting.

9:00-11:00—Formal dance, post orchestra, all USO girls.

FRIDAY
7:30 p. m.—Square dance class meets at the USO for picnic.
8:15—Learn to dance, ballroom class.

SATURDAY
4:00-9:00—Canteen open — free doughnuts and coffee.
8:00—Recording hour.
9:00—Informal dancing.

Formal Dance To Be Held At USO

All enlisted men, their wives and dates are invited to attend a formal dance which will be held at the Big Spring USO club Thursday evening.

Hours will be from 9 to 11 o'clock and music for the entertainment will be furnished by the post orchestra.

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Editorial - - Definitions Vary As To 'Bureau'

Tom Love, former State Senator from Dallas, who went to court some years ago to insist that a water in a primary was under no obligation to support the nominee of the primary if they did not suit him, is quoted as telling the Dallas Star at one of its sessions that...

so many of them that they tread on each other's toes and cause confusion among the people who have to deal with them and who are regulated by them. That original practice seems to have gone into retirement.

Washington Daybook—

States Making Progress In Post-War Planning

By JACK STINNETT COLUMBUS, O.—While Washington has been fooling around with post-war planning, the states have been going to town. The 25th annual governors' conference here proved that as nothing else has.

employment, the Massachusetts post-war planning committee has been needing private industry to make its own post-war plans and Governor Saltonstall is proud to cite as typical one major war plant which has figured out how it can convert to 175 per cent of pre-war employment without actually firing any war workers.

Capital Comment -- Depots To Be Established For Oil Men's Emergency Needs

By GEORGE STIMPSON Herald Washington Correspondent Sen. Tom Connally asked unanimous consent to have printed in the appendix of the Congressional Record an article from the New York Times with reference to the so-called meat shortage, but revealing that there is actually a surplus.

When I got over to the Capitol this morning half a dozen different newsmen asked me whether I knew that Congressman Martin Dies was back in Washington and was going to have a press conference at 2:30 this afternoon.

Hollywood— Pat Careful With The Face He Uses As A Young Man

By ROBBIN COONS HOLLYWOOD—Pat O'Brien is looking so young he can't crack a smile, or his face will crack too. He is doing his business in the early career of Major Frank Cavanaugh, then football coach at the University of Cincinnati, later to gain gridiron fame at Boston College and Fordham and world renown as 'The Iron Major' of World War I.

Royal Hart, of Miles, has come to Washington to learn something about the Washington scene before he is inducted into the army in August; he comes from a family of ranchers, attended Southwestern University at Georgetown and at present is working in the Library of Congress.

Mrs. Evaline Slater DeCourzey of Clyde, has been working for the Federal Communications Commission here for about a year; her husband is an officer on duty at the Navy Department.

Pat has been keen for this story ever since a fan came to him, after a radio broadcast in the east, and suggested he look into the late hero's life as a movie possibility. Pat looked, and his enthusiasm grew the more he found out.

for procurement agencies in placing war contracts and in planning special recruitment programs. El Paso and Waco have just been shifted from Group III "where a general labor shortage may be anticipated after six months," to Group IV, "where the labor supply is and will continue to be adequate to meet all known labor requirements."

Life's Darkest Moment



ONE WORLD By Wendell L. Willkie

Chapter Two Everywhere I went in the middle east I found a kind of technological backwardness along with poverty and squalor.

Frequently the general, in describing his struggle of the moment with the British as to whether he or they should dominate Syria and the Lebanon, would declare dramatically, "I cannot sacrifice or compromise my principles."

world, and have begun to learn how to handle its tools, it is going to be very hard to stop them. Even more impressive than the industrial and economic reconstruction of Turkey, going on in the middle of the war, is the social and educational revolution which has taken place.

It looked good because it was quite clearly determined to defend its neutrality with every resource at its command. It looked good because I had set its face toward the modern world and was building, hard and fast.

It looked good because I saw a great many tough and honest faces, some in uniform and some not, on people who quite obviously had a future to fight for.

They do not fear us, nor do they envy us. Their neutrality, however, is honestly administered. They refused, for example, to allow me to come to their country in the United States army plane which took me around the world, and I had to change at Cairo into a Pan-American Airways plane.

Crossword Puzzle

- ACROSS 1. Long narrow board 2. Nourished 3. Cast off 4. Large town 5. Epoch 6. Island 7. Cupid 8. Lawless crowd 9. Hard of hearing 10. Harm 11. Strong 12. Negative 13. Mining car 14. Clashed hand 15. Anby 16. Direction 17. Early English money 18. Scotch chemist 19. Corner

Word puzzle grid with letters filled in. Some letters are bolded. Includes words like 'TAT', 'LARI', 'CREMONA', 'SON TOVED', 'SLOW CAR VEST', 'AGENSOR TARTAN', 'BI ELISOR EKE', 'SCOW SIR PETTS', 'METER SOT', 'OTERO LETTERS', 'PAL POOLE REA', 'AKE ANISE ELM', 'LET ZONED DYE'.

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

- DOWN 1. Cigar fish 2. Kind of bean 3. Minute particle 4. Despot 5. Renown 6. Hair 7. Land 8. Less 9. Hated 10. Ages 11. Quick and skill 12. Leave 13. Mother 14. Support for a vine 15. Pertaining to a central point 16. Subtle sarcasm 17. More rational 18. Nimble 19. American painter and etcher 20. Looks after 21. Indian 22. Swiss river 23. Hatched tree 24. Letter 25. Obtain for temporary use 26. Educational or graduation 27. Italian river 28. Exist 29. Heroin 30. Measure of duration 31. Single thing 32. Dispatched 33. Fool 34. Told untruths 35. Facility 36. He indebted

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Ingred Bergman has her next job lined up. Seiznick is landing her to M-G-M to star in "Gaslight," (original title of Broadway's chiller hit show, "Angel Street").

James Dunn, once famous in "Bad Girl," and more recently on the stage in "Panama Hattie," returns to the major lots in "Government Girl" with Olivia De Havilland, Anne Shirley and Sonny Tufts.

Bob Ryan is very much accustomed to stripes on his arms. He was a captain in "The Sky's the Limit," a chaplain in "The Iron Major," and a lieutenant in "Bombardier." So he goes into the Army soon—as a buck private.

BLONDIE DAGWOOD ALWAYS LOOKS SO NEAT—HIS HAIR ALWAYS COMBED AND HIS SHOES SHINED



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HAH HAW -- THAT MUSTA BEEN WHAT THEM DOO-DABS WUZ I SHIPPED TO MY OL' WOMAN BACK IN TH' BIG SMOKIES



WE DIDN'T FIND THE TREASURE AN' THE SUN'S GOIN' DOWN, SO I GUESS WE'LL HAFTA GO HOME!



MAYBE THE INDIAN HEAD ROCK WAS ONLY THE MEETING PLACE OF THE RIVER PIRATES!



ANNIE ROONEY

GEE, IT'S HOT -- I FEEL LIKE I WAS WALKIN' 'ROUND INSIDE A GREAT, BIG OVEN



GLORYOSKY, ZERO -- WILLYA LOOK AT THAT SWELL LOAD OF HAY? LET'S RUN AWFUL FAST



NICE AN' COOL HERE? GEE IT'S JUST LIKE SITTIN' DOWN UNDER A BIG, SHADY TREE



IT'S BETTER 'THAN A TREE OR AN UMBRELLA, 'CAUSE A LOAD OF HAY CARRIES THE SHADE RIGHT ALONG TO THE PLACE YOU'RE GOIN' TO



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Comments

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In which a general labor shortage may be anticipated after six months. Austin, Lubbock, San Antonio and Wichita Falls, as well as Waco and El Paso, are areas in which the labor supply is and will continue to be adequate to meet all known labor requirements.

Gen. Alexander Surles, director of public relations at the war department is a Texan by marriage; Mrs. Surles is the former Anne Lee Gaines, of El Paso; they are close friends of Congressman and Mrs. Ewing Thompson.

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I tell you I only came here to fix the plumbing!

Baron Richthofen Is Sent To Italy

LONDON, July 6 (AP)—The Berlin radio reported today that Field Marshal Baron Von Richthofen, commander of the German air fleet in the battle of Britain, has been dispatched to Italy to help bolster defenses against the mounting allied aerial assaults.

The broadcast, recorded by the Associated Press, said that Richthofen would assist Field Marshal Albert Kesselring, axis air chief for southern Europe, in organizing a defense against assaults on possible invasion points in Sardinia, Sicily, and the Italian mainland.

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DUCHESS GETS LOWDOWN

The fashionable and charming Duchess of Kent (right) gets some first hand information on life in Great Britain's military services from a woman officer during an inspection of Civil Defense personnel.

Story

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one could mistake. When the Axis radio during my visit complained of my presence in Turkey, I told the newspaper men that the answer was simple: "Invite Hitler to send to Turkey, as a representative of Germany, his opposition candidate."

The remark, I found afterward, caused much quiet amusement among Turkish government officials.

In the last war, Turkey was on the German side. The Ottoman empire, out of the ruins of which this new republic grew, was popular nowhere in the world. Even the word "Turk" was an evil word.

Phenomenal. The change has been so quick that many of us have missed it. For something less than two decades the phenomenal struggle of Ataturk and his friends, has channeled the energies and ambitions of their people into new ways of living.

Like the Arabs of the middle east, like the peoples who live around the borders of China or on the islands of the southwest Pacific, like the Indians, they had

no experience with self-government until a generation ago. They had almost no education, wretched standards of public health and sanitation, and a long history of exploitation and poverty and misery.

In a few brief years they have completely transformed their habits of life, their ancient customs and their ways of thinking. (Register & Tribune Syndicate)

Seventh Son Will Go Into Service

AUSTIN, July 6 (AP)—Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Ortega today hung a seven-star service flag in the window of their Austin home.

Six of their sons are already in the service and the seventh will go in a few weeks. In addition, their two sons-in-law also in the army.

The flag was presented at an Independence Day celebration last night.

Participating in the ceremonies were Luis Duplan, Mexican consul, and Maj. Horace Shelton.

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Sea Battle

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quarters to the effect that American forces have gained control of Sangamu Island in the face of stubborn Japanese resistance. Capture of strategically important Yura village on the south coast of Sangamu, which lies southwest of New Georgia, had been announced previously from Washington and Australia, and this success apparently hastened the fall of the entire island.

Over Rendova, which is within artillery shelling distance of Munda, the Japanese sent 40 zeros yesterday in a continued effort to balk expansion of American action in that sector. Outnumbered United States fighter planes shot down two of the zeros and dispersed the remainder while losing one plane, the pilot of which was saved. The Japanese now have lost 127 planes over Rendova in almost daily sky fights since the island was invaded June 30.

At the other end of the 700-mile arc at Salamaua, New Guinea, the only action reported was bombardment of the Salamaua airdrome and air attacks on enemy positions between Salamaua and the Nassau Bay area, 12 miles down the coast, where Americans landed last Wednesday.

DIVORCE GRANTED

A divorce was granted in 70th district court Monday by Judge Cecil Collins to Ruby Byrum from Tom Byrum. The plaintiff was awarded custody of minor children.

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Marriage Licenses
Robert B. Benoit, Cape Elizabeth, Maine, and Inez Sutherland, Colorado Springs, Colo.
Henderson Crockett and Pauline G. Reed, both of Big Spring.
Sam L. Aley, Tahoka, and Mrs. Lavenia Edith Aley.
Vernice Polly and Ellen C. Washburn, both of Iowa.
Howard G. Parton and Ruth E. Dahl, both of New York.
George A. Patterson, Jr., Boston, Mass., and Natalie N. Chadwick, Mass.
L. W. Matthews and Ross Wilson, both of Big Spring.
Robert F. Proctor, Medford, Mass., and Marie Dora Annette Bourgart, Somerville, Mass.
Leslye Roy Carter and Mrs. Veda R. Studer, both of Big Spring.
J. E. Riddle, Ohio, and Alta Ruth Rodgers, Odessa.
Willard Redding, Knoxville, Tenn., and Redez Sanders, Ala. (colored).

Warranty Deeds
Leonard Miller and wife Elsie Miller, to Ben Mabe, \$125, lot 11 in block 5 in Cole & Strayhorn addition to Big Spring.
Bertha Moore to D. D. Limer, \$27,500, lots 7 and 8 in block 53, town of Big Spring.
Cecil Washington et vir to Sam Asters Duncan et ux \$1,000, lot 8 in block 2, Denton addition to Big Spring.
Nell Frasier and husband, Bruce Frasier, to Cecil Leatherwood, \$8,000, northwest quarter of section 9 in block 33 township 1-S, T. & P. Ry. Co. survey, 160 acres more or less.
Lucious Saunders and wife to L. R. Stagner, \$1,993.84, all of lot 4, block 21, Cole & Strayhorn addition to town of Big Spring.
Opal Layfield and husband, J. R. Layfield, Jr., \$2,100, to Tom Spencer, part of northeast part of section No. 11, block 32, tap. 2-N, T&P Ry. Co. survey in Howard county.

70th District Court
Maudie L. Jones versus D. A. Jones, suit for divorce.

Building Permits
Moore Taxicab Co., to add to building at 211 Scurry street, cost \$199.

STEFFIN' OUT
HOLLYWOOD, July 6 (AP)—Charlie Chaplin and his bride, the former Oona O'Neil, have emerged from their honeymoon retirement to participate in Hollywood's night life.

The astrolabe, most ancient of all navigation instruments, was used by Columbus.

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Courts Busy In Wake Of Long Holiday

The holiday weekend had court officials busy Tuesday morning as apparently celebrants were no less as well as happy.

Justice of the Peace Walter Grice levied fines in eight cases involving four charges for disturbing the peace, one for simple assault, and three for drunkenness.

Filed by Highway Patrolman Burt Hayne was one charge of speeding, one for operating a car without driver's license, and multiple charge of operating a car without brakes, only one license plate, only one headlight, no tail light, misuse of farm license, careless driving and unsafe vehicle.

The sheriff's department filed in county court a charge of aggravated assault against Kenneth Hart. Deputies Bob Wolf and Denver Dunn were in San Angelo to return Earl Kemp, alias Chitlin Red, negro, on charges of murder following the fatal stabbing of Louis "Bearcat" Bolden.

Fines were paid by Dudley McGinnis, truck driver for Bays R. Bryant trucking company of San Antonio, on charges of operating a truck without a chauffeur's license, operating an overweight and overloaded truck. He paid \$25 and costs on the overweight and \$1 and costs on the license charge in justice court. City authorities, who turned him over to the highway patrol, wanted him for damage to Gregg street viaduct lights.

Police reported a sort of so-so holiday season with soldier disturbances showing an increase. There were seven such cases in which the MPs had to intervene and during the course of the holiday all three hotels and the train had to be visited. In addition, two AWOL soldiers were being held. There were a few other affrays, drunkenness, and other minor cases before the city bar of justice.

Airline Schedules Through Austin Are Resumed

AUSTIN, July 6 (AP)—Commercial aircraft were operating through here again today after a five-day period in which the state capital was without air passenger or mail service.

Bob Burck, division manager for Braniff Airways, said a temporary air traffic control tower had been installed at the municipal airport with equipment supplied by the army, and that the airline's schedules were resumed yesterday afternoon with permission of the Civil Aeronautics Authority office at Fort Worth.

The CAA closed the port to commercial traffic last Wednesday because of a lack of traffic control facilities.

Veterans To Be Interviewed On Radio Program

Two men who received wounds in action are to be interviewed on the Bombardier school's radio program which goes on the air over KBBT this evening at 7:15.

They are Harold D. Neel of Big Spring who received a medical discharge following action in the South Pacific, and Sgt. Howard Bennett of Fort Jefferson, La. who was wounded in the December 7 attack on Pearl Harbor.

Neel now has a civilian job with the AAFBS post exchange, and Sgt. Bennett is with the 365th squadron.

98 Scout Awards To Be Distributed

Ninety-eight awards will be presented at a Court of Honor session set for 8:45 this evening in the high school gymnasium, it was announced by scout officials.

This is one of the largest number of awards to be earned in any single (monthly) period by scouts of the Big Spring district. Most of them are for merit badges.

Included are seven second class scout badges, four for first class, one for Star scout, and three for Life scout. Besides the 78 merit badges, there will be one camping award to troop No. 2.

Training certificates also will go to T. E. Martin, J. B. Apple, Hollis Lloyd, George Melear, W. D. Berry and Archie Boyd.

Weather Forecast

Dept. of Commerce Weather Bureau

West and East Texas—Little temperature change this afternoon and tonight.

City	Max.	Min.
Ahrens	99	72
Amarillo	95	67
BIG SPRING	98	70
Chicago	81	69
Denver	85	58
El Paso	95	68
Fort Worth	101	78
Galveston	89	68
New York	80	68
St. Louis	92	70

Sunsets today at 8:56 p. m.; sun rises Wednesday at 6:46 a. m.

PROMOTION

NEW ORLEANS, La., July 6 (AP)—Officials of the Cotton Belt Railroad announced today the promotion of Frank Platte, general agent of the railroad here for the past 12 years, to the post of executive general agent in Washington.

Crops Suffer Because Of Labor Lack

Local crops are deteriorating due to insufficient labor supplies, but on the whole producers are going to get through the cotton chopping season in fair shape, O. P. Griffin, county agent, declared Tuesday.

The war board has estimated that feed crop prospects have been whittled by 15 per cent and the seven per cent due to lack of adequate help at the proper time. However, Griffin said reports indicated that the labor would be sufficient to do the chopping job although it would be a week or two late.

Conditions are much better than most had hoped they would be at this stage of the production season, said the agent, but that they also are below what they were this time last year and the year before that. He listed a profligate weed crop as one of the outstanding obstacles this year.

Looking toward the cotton harvest which will start some two to two and a half months hence, Griffin urged every farmer who had migrant farm hands working for him last year or in preceding years to write that hand as soon as possible asking him to return this fall.

These letters should contain definite promises of work, express charges of his service, and of the possibility of other work in the area. In event of difficulty in securing gasoline for the trip, the letters might lend weight in the farm-hand's favor, the agent thought.

MDaniel Back At His Desk

After an enforced rest of several weeks, City Manager E. J. McDaniel was back on the job this week, but he was taking matters more easily.

His program called for only half a day at his desk with the balance of the time spent out on various jobs.

One of the first problems he expected to tackle was that of the city's sewer plant expansion, in which the army is supposed to participate financially. McDaniel expected to have more information on the project during the week.

Due soon is Curtis Cooper, for seven years city engineer at Coleman and more recently with Haynes and Strange, Parkhill and Voelker, architects and consulting engineers. While Cooper is expected to relieve the manager of considerable detail supervision, etc. he will devote considerable of this time to development of plans for post-war projects, according to McDaniel.

Canning Aid Is Available To Local Women

Mildred Atkinson, who conducted the successful food conservation demonstration here during June, is back on the county home demonstration agent's staff to assist urban housewives with canning problems.

Women wishing advice and assistance are urged to contact her at telephone 1038. Miss Atkinson will conduct home demonstrations, particularly where women have in two or three neighbors to witness.

Successful Camp Held By Scouts

Reports of a highly successful holiday camp on the North Concho river near Water Valley were brought back Monday evening by boys and leaders of Boy Scout troop No. 9.

Nineteen boys and six men made the trip in a truck. Boys paid a fee of \$1 and pooled their ration stamps. All cooking was done by boys under supervision of adults, and the program included swimming, life saving, angling, hiking, first aid and cooking.

Making the trip were these boys: Cecil Drake, J. W. Drake, Dee Childers, Don Childers, Don Phillips, Roy Earl Bailey, Johnnie Knott, Cotton Stuteville, Ed Morrow, Vance Simms, Preston Dunbar, Jackie Dunbar, Billy Gus Tatam, Jack Dyer, Sam Myers, Cecil Cherry, Howard Cherry, Weldon Lowe and Vernon Reby. Leaders were Elrah Phillips, Cecil Nabors, Ike Lowe, Dave Childers, Hub Drake and Sgt. Shullens.

Soil Conservation Board In Session

Board of supervisors of the Martin-Howard county soil conservation district were to hold their regular meeting Tuesday afternoon in Stanton.

E. J. Hughes, Sterling City, district conservationist, said that applications resulting from a watershed meeting in the new Flower Grove community last Friday would be reviewed by the board. Earl Hale, SCS supervisor at Stanton, presided over the meeting in which nine landowners participated, and gathered applications covering some 4,000 acres.

More than 100,000 people a year are victims of fatal accidents in the United States.

Here and There

Othel D. Jackson, son of Mrs. Mary E. Jackson, who is stationed at the technical school, army air force technical training command, Sioux Falls, S. D., has been promoted from private first class to corporal. Cpl. Jackson is ordnance clerk, and formerly resided in Big Spring.

Aviation Cadet A. D. Singleton, Jr., class 43-H, has completed his basic flying training at the Army basic flying school, Gardner Field, Calif., and has been sent to an advanced flying school to finish his pilot training. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Singleton of Ackerly.

Vol Krupp left Sunday for Holywood, Calif., where he was called by the death of his brother, Maurice Krupp, who succumbed Saturday. Funeral services were set for Tuesday.

Pfc. and Mrs. Eugene J. Acuff of Will Rogers Field, Okla., are here visiting with Mrs. Mamie Acuff, Mr. and Mrs. Loy Acuff and Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Brown.

County Commissioner Akin Simpson reported Tuesday that around four inches of rain fell in the community north of Luther last week. The rain broke some of the terraces in the area and washed out some of the crop.

Three shots rang out in a small hotel here early Monday morning and police went hurrying to investigate. They picked up a local man and Monday he had been delivered to the Big Spring State Hospital as a patient.

Mrs. S. H. Gibson has returned from a trip to Houston, where she visited her daughter, Mrs. B. R. Keller.

Officers might have had plenty help on at least one call Monday. Came a report that there was a barrel of lard in the street at 14th and Scurry. But also, either it was false or some point-hungry soul saw it first, for the police found no barrel of any sort.

B. N. Giles, with the bureau of animal industry, department of agriculture, has started testing dairy herds and other cows for TB. Those desiring the free service should contact K. E. McFarland.

May Reduce School Tax

AUSTIN, July 6 (AP)—Gov. Coke Stevenson said today he believed the automatic tax board scheduled to meet late this month could reduce the tax rate for school purposes ten cents.

Present rate is 33 cents on the \$100 valuation.

Stevenson told his press conference his estimate was based on the large balance anticipated in the available school fund. A spokesman for the comptroller's department yesterday told the state board of education that the balance would be approximately \$7,700,000 on Sept. 1, largest in history.

Stevenson said the increased per capita apportionment, which the board raised from \$22.50 to the \$25 maximum, would raise scholastic costs \$4,000,000, leaving a \$3,000,000 balance.

The board of education, continuing its session today, postponed until next month issuing the textbook proclamation calling for bids on school books.

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Livestock

FORT WORTH, July 6 (AP)—Cattle 3,000; calves 800; slaughter cattle active and steady to strong; stockers and feeders were strong and unevenly higher compared with last week's closing levels; one load of good to choice fed heifers set the day's top of 14.85; medium to good fed steers and yearlings 12.00-14.60. Four loads of steers averaging 1,090 lbs. cashed at 14.60; good beef cows 11.00-12.50 with some on the helterette order up to 12.75; good and choice fat calves 12.50-13.75; common to medium butcher calves 9.00-12.00; stocker steer calves topped at 15.00 and heifers at 14.00. Common to medium stocker calves 9.50-13.00; stocker and feeder steers and yearlings 9.50-13.00. Stocker cows went back to the grass at 11.00 down.

Hogs 1,600; steady to 10c below Monday's levels, sow and pigs unchanged; top 13.85; most of the good and choice 190-300 lb. butcher hogs 13.75-85 with good 160-185 lb. averages at 13.25-70. Packing sows 12.75 down; stocker pigs 13.00 down.

Sheep and lambs 11,500; spring lambs 13.50 down; common to good yearlings 10.50-13.00; two-year-old wethers 8.50 down; medium grade feeder lambs around 10.00.

Russians May Have New Weapon To Destroy Tanks

LONDON, July 6 (AP)—Soviet Russia's announcement of destruction of 586 tanks in the first thrust of the German offensive yesterday suggested to London observers to-day that the Russians have acquired highly effective new anti-tank weapons or tactics.

Although the German attack is wide and strong, bystanders here are wary of assuming that it will be an all-out effort.

The possibility of the usual German summer attack this year never has been overlooked in London but some commentators still questioned whether the Germans intended to become committed to a full-scale campaign in the east while threatened from the west.

Survivors include his parents, his widow, the former Mildred Taylor of Big Spring; two sons, Jackie and C. T. Among those going to the funeral were Mrs. Robert Currie, sister of Mrs. Killway, Mrs. Vernon Smith of Big Spring, and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Dykes of Morton.

Midland Ranchman Claimed By Death

DALLAS, July 6 (AP)—John H. Edwards, prominent Midland rancher, died in a hospital here yesterday afternoon after an illness of several months. He was 80 years old.

He was a pioneer cattleman of West Texas and had engaged in ranching for more than 40 years. In recent years, he had spent most of his time on his ranch near Monahans.

Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Mamie Edwards; two sons, Jack and C. W. of Monahans; a daughter, Mrs. J. C. Ratliff of Midland; a brother, Wesley Edwards, Midland; and sister, Mrs. J. F. Gilmore of Portland, Ore.

Funeral services will be at 2 p. m. Wednesday at the Ellis funeral home in Midland.

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Scouts Leave Friday For N. M. Camp

The largest movement of Boy Scouts in the Buffalo Trail council to camp will start Friday morning when more than 300 men and boys board trucks and buses for northern New Mexico.

Registrations for the Philmont camp in the Cimarron canyon country of the Rockies now total 299 boys—18 of them from Big Spring. In addition, there are some 30 adults making the trip, including Elra Phillips, W. D. Berry and H. D. Norris, Big Spring.

The Big Spring boys will board a bus which comes from Colorado City early Friday morning. Two trucks will leave from here but will pick up boys at Midland and Odessa. Bulk of the boys will ride trucks from Snyder and Sweetwater areas.

Plans call for camp at Las Vegas, N. M. Friday evening with arrival in Camp Philmont set for about noon Saturday.

Man Is Shipped For SeaBee Duty

Frank Wade Martin, 18, of route No. 2, Loring, has been shipped to complete his enlistment as a Seabee, Fred Baucum, in charge of the U. S. Navy recruiting sub-station here reported Tuesday.

The need for men for Seabee service is still great, said Baucum. He pointed out that men with experience in mechanical and building trades could possibly go in with good ratings up to petty officer.

4-H Boys To Go To Encampment

Twelve 4-H club boys from Howard county will attend the district 4-H encampment starting Sunday evening in Odessa, County Agent O. P. Griffin reported Tuesday.

Arrangements are in charge of H. L. Akins, Ector county agent, and extension service officials, including J. D. Prewitt, district agent, J. W. Potts, assistant state boys club agent, R. R. Lancaster, pasture specialist, and others are due to be on hand for a representative of the American Rifle Association to be present to conduct a rifle contest. The encampment will conclude Tuesday afternoon.

Food Course Goes Into Second Week

The food handlers school, which attracted considerable interest during its first week, was to go into its second and last week starting Tuesday afternoon.

Besides the discussion and motion picture Tuesday, here will be others at 2:30 p. m. on Wednesday and Friday with Graham Smoot, consultant, bureau of public health education, state health department, in charge.

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