



Toulon Outflanked As Allies Near Marseille

ROME, Aug. 19 (AP)—Hard-driving French tanks today led the American Seventh army into St. Maximin-Le-St. Baume, only 25 miles northeast of Marseille and 22 miles below the vital road hub of Aix-En-Provence, as the Allies outflanked the great Toulon naval base in a broad enveloping movement headed swiftly towards the Rhone river valley.

Less than 350 airplane miles separated the forces in southern France from those in the north as they moved rapidly ahead for a union that would split France in two longitudinally.

Announcing the latest 10-mile-a-day gain against German opposition that was "considerable" at some places but feeble at others, Allied headquarters said the bag of captured Germans now had passed 10,000 and identified the second German general captured as Gen. Ferdinand Neuling, commander of the 62nd reserve corps.

Other American forces shot out northward to the vicinity of Grasse, eight miles northwest of Cannes, and La Bastide, 23 miles northwest of Cannes, thus deepening up to 30 miles their solid foothold along more than 50 miles of the curving French Mediterranean shores on which they landed Tuesday.

An Allied staff officer said the Germans were withdrawing so rapidly that they were unable to accomplish their usual demolitions.

Only on the coast a dozen miles directly east of Toulon was Ger-



ALLIES DRIVE FROM SOUTH FRANCE BEACHHEAD—Broken arrows point to objectives of Allied drives from the southern France beachhead. Open arrow indicates probable drive toward the Rhone valley. (AP Wirephoto).

man opposition described as truly determined.

Another five miles west from Solles-Pont would put Lt. Gen. Alexander M. Patch's men on an open coastal plain across which they could move a dozen miles to

the sea, cutting off Toulon entirely.

On the east of the beachhead from the Germans announced they had abandoned Cannes, but official information at Allied headquarters was lacking.

President Has Navy Take Over Machine Shops

Ninety-nine Units Are Involved In Seizure By Government

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19 (AP)—President Roosevelt today ordered the secretary of the navy to take over and operate 99 machine shop companies producing war materials around San Francisco because of refusal of a union to lift an overtime ban on workers.

The order was made public by the White House along with a letter dated yesterday from George W. Taylor, vice chairman of the War Labor Board, recommending the seizure of the shops.

The board previously had urged seizure of five such plants because of the refusal of lodge 68 of the International Association of Machinists (IAM) to accept a board order to rescind a union action prohibiting work in excess of eight hours a day or 48 hours in one week in 104 San Francisco shops.

The union refused to agree to a War Labor Board order to rescind the ban and the case was referred to the president.

Union officials, asserting overtime was not necessary, ordered their members to cease work. Many complied, but in the last few days had returned to work.

Taylor said it was hoped that seizure of the five plants, which the president ordered August 14, would result in removal of the overtime ban on all of them but the ban was lifted only on the five shops over which the navy had assumed control and continued on the remaining ninety-nine.

The president's order asserted that "there are existing or threatened interruptions of the operation of said plants and facilities as a result of labor disturbances," and the war effort "will be unduly impeded or delayed by these interruptions."

Japanese Isles Hammered Again

By RICHARD CUSHING Associated Press War Editor

Increasing American concern in China's long and bitter fight to repel the Japanese was reflected today (Sun.) in President Roosevelt's decision to dispatch two emissaries to China for important talks with Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek.

Maj. Gen. Patrick J. Hurley, the president's envoy on special missions for years, and War Production Chief Donald M. Nelson, will spend several months discussing military, supply and economic questions with the generalissimo.

Further aerial stritition assaults on Japanese shipping in the Molucca Straits area was reported by Gen. Douglas MacArthur, Palau in the western Carolines was bombed hard.

This came as Allied aircraft hammered Japanese defenses from the Volcano islands, 750 miles from Tokyo, deep into the Molucca Straits where Gen. Douglas MacArthur says enemy supply has been seriously crippled.

Adm. Chester W. Nimitz reported bombing raids on Iwo in the Volcano island on Wednesday while other aircraft hit Rota and Pagan islands in the Marianas and Truk in the Carolines.

MacArthur's bombers wiped out at least 14 aircraft, nine of them in an air battle in the Amboina-Ceram area of the Moluccas, and sank or damaged three enemy merchant ships.

The Japanese reinforced their troops occupying Hengyang. Japan's overland supply route from Hankow was endangered, however, by Chinese drives against Kingmen, Nippon strong point 55 miles northeast of Ichang in Hupuh province.

SOVIETS LAUNCH BIG PINCERS ON PRUSSIA

By W. W. HERCHER

LONDON, Sunday, Aug. 20 (AP) Red army troops yesterday advanced up to 10 miles in thrusts impervious to German armor and mortar fire. German bastions guarding the lower East Prussia border northeast of Warsaw, while Berlin said that another powerful Soviet army had punched out a "breach in major depth" in Nazi lines on the eastern rim of East Prussia.

The Russian pincers movement on Germany's exposed eastern province was launched by two Red armies totalling 300,000 men, supported by strong tank and warplane formations, Berlin said. The "main center of fighting" was near the East Prussian-Lithuanian frontier, the Germans said.

Moscow's communique was silent about the western Lithuanian front where Gen. Ivan Cherniakhovsky's Third White Russian army Thursday reached the East Prussian border, but dispatches from the Soviet capital said the Russians there were awaiting an announcement of the first Soviet crossing into reich territory in 30 years.

Gen. G. F. Zakharov's Second White Russian army began the new drive between Warsaw and the southern border of East Prussia, capturing 80 localities, the bulletin said. Curving around below the Wisna marshes one column seized Kolomija, only 13 miles from Lomza, and 38 miles west of Bialystok, the Soviet offensive base.

Another column striking southwest in a 10-mile advance captured Czyszewo, 45 miles beyond Bialystok and only 16 miles east of Ostrow-Mazowiecki. Czyszewo is on the Bialystok-Warsaw railway, and also is a junction on a highway linking Lomza and Siedlec. The town of Smolewo, 15 miles

south of Ostrow, also was captured. One hundred miles below Warsaw, on the western side of the Vistula river, Marshal Ivan S. Konev's First Ukraine army tightened its hold on three pocketed German divisions by capturing seven localities, and also smashed enemy attempts to break through to their rescue, the bulletin said.

The intensity of the struggle of the Polish plains and along the east Prussian border approaches was evident in Moscow's announcement that the Germans lost 203 more tanks and 48 planes in Friday's fighting. This made a total of 1,084 tanks and 383 planes lost by the nazis in a week, Moscow said.

Final Plans Made For Annual Rodeo

Final plans have been herded down the chute and the rodeo committee has completed the round-up of an entertainment program which will feature the ninth annual rodeo in Big Spring at the show grounds east of town Thursday through Sunday.

Ticket sales are going at good pace and committee members report that 14 box seats are still available for those who desire a close-up of steer wrestling, bronc riding, the sponsors' contest and other features of the program.

Jimmy Greene of the "steering committee" reported Saturday that stock would begin to arrive Monday and that he had received word that lights at the grounds are ready to be turned on. Readying the grounds, Pancho Nall is having the arena sprinkled regularly with water from an outside source to keep the dust settled.

Burl Haynie, highway patrolman, will be in charge of the parking of cars and Jack Smith will be in charge of the sale and taking of tickets.

Highlight of the Thursday evening performance and Sunday afternoon show will be an act presented by Darrell Garrett of Sterling City and his educated trick horse.

Also scheduled is square dancing on horseback presented by a group from Center Point. Riding as partners in this team will be Monroe Tumbleson and Nona Mae Davidson, Kelly Brown and Carolyn Hill, Ben and Iva Jo Nix, Melvin and Gladys Choate, Hoyle Nix and Louise Ann Bennett, Ira Rice and Maurine Rice.

John Lindsey, one of the outstanding clown in the country, will appear in the show along with other scheduled entertainers.

In addition to regular tickets the rodeo committee is offering season tickets for \$3.50 (tax included). Season tickets for children under 12 years of age and enlisted personnel will sell at \$1.50 plus 30 cent tax.

Top prize in the sponsors contest is a hand tooled saddle on display at the chamber of commerce office and girls signing up for participation in the scheduled event include Mrs. Judy Hays, representing the ZT ranch, Mrs. Wayne McCabe, Colorado City; Miss Hollis Holt, NH ranch; Mary Harris, Odessa; Carlynn Cox, Midland; Jessie Myers, Hamlin; Lee-more Fuqua, Stamford; Juanita White, Lazy S Bar ranch; Biddy

White, Circle Bar ranch; Mrs. Sally Taylor, F ranch; Iva Jo Nix, Center Point rodeo; Ora Quigg, X ranch; Lucy Jean Coates, Lazy J ranch; Mrs. Ted Powers, Ozona; Blanch Altizer, Del Rio; Jean Murphy, Bar U ranch; Mrs. Maurine Rice, Caubie ranch; Jeanne Dickerson, Wanson ranch; and Louise Ann Bennett, hostess sponsor.

LAVAL FLEES

ON THE FRENCH-SWISS FRONTIER, Aug. 19 (AP)—Pierre Laval arrived at Belfort at noon today and Marshal Petain was expected there during the night, according to frontier reports tonight.

Belfort is in France about 25 miles west of Basel, Switzerland, and about the same distance from the German border.

Officer Killed While Making Test Jumps

DAYTON, O., Aug. 19 (AP)—Lt. Col. Melbourne W. Boynton, 39, chief of the medical safety division of the office of flying safety, with headquarters in Winston-Salem, N. C., was killed today in a high-altitude test jump at the Clinton county army air base near Wilmington, Ohio.

Officers of nearby Wright Field said Boynton dropped through bomb bay doors of a Flying Fortress at an altitude of 42,000 feet in an attempt to develop procedure for air crews bailing out at high altitudes. But that his parachute failed to open.

Leaking Benzol Gas Fumes Kill Pair

FORT PIERCE, Fla., Aug. 19 (AP)—Leaking benzol gas fumes killed two men and threatened to turn a tanker anchored off the Port Pierce sea buoy into a funeral pyre for crewmen and rescue squads, the coast guard disclosed today.

For two days coast guard and navy crews battled in a vain effort to plug the leaks from which the gas spread throughout the former Italian ship. The slightest spark would have caused an explosion.

Allies May Be In Suburbs Of Paris



OFFERS TO GIVE AWAY HUNGRY CHILD—Sobbing that she doesn't have enough money to feed her, Mrs. Violet Dietz, 34, (left) appeals to onlookers at the Cook County building in Chicago to take her 8-year-old daughter, Sharon Ann, who appears bewildered as her mother embraces her. Mrs. Dietz appeared for a hearing on a divorce bill charging her husband, James, 39, taxi driver, with desertion. (AP Wirephoto).

Heart-Broken Father Pays Tribute To Another's Son

By CORNELIUS HURLEY

BOSTON, Aug. 19 (AP)—A tall, set-jawed man stood before 1,000-odd spectators on Boston Common today and in a trembling voice expressed the public sympathy with Mrs. Jean Dorchester Hanson of suburban Newton for the loss of her son, First Lieut. Robert M. Hanson, marine aviator missing in action in the South Pacific.

"May I express my pride in the sacrifice in which you so directly share, and my heartfelt sorrow for your loss," said Governor Leverett Saltonstall in a part of his brief speech directed personally to Mrs. Hanson.

Saltonstall didn't mention that less than 24 hours before he had received a navy department telegram reporting the death of his own son, Sergeant Peter Saltonstall, 23, killed in action while trying to clear stray Jap soldiers from northern Guam.

Saltonstall's chin trembled at times, and his eyes were wet as he read his speech—prepared the day before he heard of the death of Peter.

And wet, too, were the eyes of many of the spectators, assembled to see high-ranking marine officers present to Mrs. Hanson the country's highest decoration, the Congressional Medal of Honor, awarded posthumously for her son's feat in shooting down 25 Japanese planes in aerial combat.

French Patriots Rise In Revolt

By ALEX SINGLETON

LONDON, Aug. 19 (AP)—French forces of the interior, rising behind the German lines, have liberated 70 villages in the area southeast of Paris, are taking over whole departments of France, and intensifying the corralling of Germans seeking to escape from the southwest, it was announced today.

The once-hunted men of the Maquis—men of the underbrush—organized in cellars and forest glades and armed by parachute, have become hunters on a gigantic scale, it was disclosed in a communique from headquarters of Maj. Gen. Joseph Pierre Koenig, commander of all resistance forces in the interior.

All police in the Saone and Loire departments have joined the Maquis, he announced, and German garrisons at Thonon, Evian, Lefayette and Ichamoniix are negotiating to surrender. (Swiss dispatches said the Maquis already had occupied Thonon and Evian.) In Brittany the Maquis hold Nantes.

Vichy French militia in the Haute Vienne department who tried to flee to Vichy were driven back into Limoges, it was announced. In the Vienne department the FFI blocked a German munitions train in a tunnel and killed hundreds of Germans near Poitiers.

British Give Aid To Poles

By ALEX SINGLETON

LONDON, Aug. 19 (AP)—Great fires raged in Warsaw when RAF heavy bombers—implementing British policy to help anyone who fights the Germans—roared over and dropped guns and ammunition to patriots fighting the occupation forces in the Polish capital, it was disclosed today.

The planes, 21 of which already have been destroyed by Nazi gunners within the city, flew from Mediterranean bases on a 1,750-mile roundtrip flight—a perilous adventure which Britain undertook although her Russian ally is at Warsaw's outskirts.

While there is no official comment, British policy appears to be the answer to the anomalous situation, for the nearby Russians have disavowed Gen. Bor's forces in Warsaw as creatures of the Polish government-in-exile in London, which the Soviet union refuses to recognize.

The British, South African and Polish crews have flown 100 bombers on these missions, not only facing the hazard of German night fighters but coming in over Warsaw low and slow in order to drop the badly-needed arms accurately and offering easy targets for ground gunners.

German Rocket Plane Moves At Terrific Speed

By FRANKLIN BANKER

A U. S. FIGHTER BASE IN BRITAIN, Aug. 18. (Delayed by censorship) (AP)—The German rocket-propelled fighter plane now in use as an interceptor against American bombers over the reich moves so fast that even the men who have engaged it victoriously in close combat can give only sketchy descriptions of it.

Strict censorship does permit the disclosure that they believe it completes vertical dives that are the fastest controlled flight ever made by man.

(Last Sept. 29 Lt. Robert H. Knapp of Norwich, N. Y., reported that in a fight over Emden, Germany, he had pulled out of a dive in a P-47 Thunderbolt at 840 miles an hour, a speed so great

that the paint curled on his elevators and his controls locked.)

The German plane, known officially as the ME-163, is called the "Flying Wing" and the "Jetty" by the American fliers. The Americans and British have developed jet-propelled planes, but so far have not announced their use.

The German craft, two of which were shot down and a third damaged by American fighters over Germany Thursday, swished past heavy bombers so fast the crewmen did not realize what they were, but the fighter pilots said they were able to identify the enemy at 12 miles away by the spectacular dense white smoke or condensation trail stretching out a half-mile behind each craft.

Lt. Col. John Murphy of Tulsa, Okla., Mustang squadron commander who shot down one of the new planes Thursday near Leipzig, said, "they are ugly things; they look like bats flying around."

Lt. Cyril W. Jones, Jr., of Athens, Tenn., who shot down another, and Lt. Jimmy C. Shoffit of Fort Worth, Tex., who damaged one, agreed with Murphy that the German planes were powered only by rocket propellants, having no supplementary engines or propellers.

The stubby fuselage, only two-thirds as long as the broad, tapering wings, has room for one man under a transparent canopy. The short tail is thicker than that of the stubby American P-47 and the

Gigantic Knockout Blow Fashioned For German Army

By GLADWIN HILL

SUPREME HEADQUARTERS, Allied Expeditionary Force, Aug. 20 (AP)—Speedy American reconnaissance patrols stabbed nearly into the suburbs of Paris yesterday and columns of the American Third army reached the Seine river 25 miles west of the French capital as the Allies fashioned a tremendous knockout blow against the German armies in France.

Explosions and fires shook and seared Paris as the Germans apparently hastened ruthless demolitions preparatory to abandoning the city without a fight.

The Swiss radio said American forces already were in the Paris suburbs. Allied sources did not confirm this, but they put patrols of Lt. Gen. George S. Patton's army very near, and truck-borne doughboys were shouting, "Paris next!"

British papers all headlined reports that the Americans were in Paris, but all were quoting German or neutral rumors without confirmation.

Destruction of the German army, not the immediate liberation of Paris, remained the Allied goal, and this was speeding on apace.

The Falaise gap, where much of the German Seventh army was destroyed in a week of siege, finally was sealed off entirely, and the fleeing enemy remnants that raced away from it under the worst aerial scouring in history found only that they had run into a bigger trap against the meandering and bridgeless Seine.

While latest reports here put the Americans only at unspecified distances a few hundred yards from the Seine in the Mantes area, the German communique acknowledged that Patton's forward elements already had fought to both Mantes and Vernon, 30 and 45 miles downstream from Paris.

This would envelop the Germans in an area roughly 55 miles square between the Seine, the sea, the British and Canadians and the Americans, with a perilous crossing of the river as their only hope of escape.

Frontline dispatches passed by field censors said flatly that the Germans in France had been beaten and that the Americans could advance on Paris anytime they wanted to. Instead of doing so at once, they apparently chose for the second time in ten days to let that glittering prize dangle for a time while they sought out and slew more Germans.

The ruins of at least 18 German divisions from the Falaise trap already were spread out in a 70-mile shambles from there to Dreux, jumpoff point for the American dash to the Seine.

The German Seventh army, bolstered by elements of the 15th army from the Calais coast, "has not been destroyed," wrote Associated Press Correspondent William S. White with the American First army, but he declared the Germans had left thousands upon thousands of casualties behind in salvaging much of their armor for the dash to the Seine.

That dash, however, was opposed by tremendous Allied air power that in three days had destroyed 10,000 tanks and trucks, in as many as seven flights a day, RAF fighter bombers and rocket planes and the newly-disclosed rocket-firing American Thunderbolts, swooped lower than the treetops to pick out "live" targets among the welter of already smashed equipment.

Intermittent rain hampered the fliers somewhat, but also mired the Nazis in the mud as sitting ducks.

"We're beating up the Germans—and it's a terrible beating," exclaimed a British staff officer at the front.

The remnants of the German Seventh army and their reinforcements from the Fifteenth were believed to have little chance of ferrying their armor across the Seine even if they should beat the main Allied body to the river crossings.

These two German forces—which may number as high as 100,000 men—were under the

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"THE INVASION KID"—Seaman Second Class Gerald W. Haddon of Chicago, who has completed 13 landings on the Normandy beach in addition to service in the Mediterranean, stands beside the insignia on the coast-guard-manned LST on which he served until it was discovered that he is only 15 years old. He now is in England for investigation, with the prospect of being discharged and sent home. (AP Wirephoto from Coast Guard).

Pipeliners Work Fast To Offset Water Shortage

With the water supply in Powell lake completely exhausted, contractors are working like wildfire on Big Spring's supplemental water supply in an effort to ease the situation which is at a critical stage at the present time.

Light showers Thursday were below the city lakes and B. J. McDaniel, city manager, reports a supply in Moss creek probably will last only five days.

Two crews are laying pipe and are averaging between 1,500 and 1,500 feet per day. The men started work Friday with one crew working in Glasscock and one in Howard county.

Drillers are going ahead with their work and McDaniel reported that one well has been completed but has not been tested as yet.

First Bale Brought In By M. A. Cockrell

M. A. Cockrell, farming west of Big Spring, Friday brought in the first bale of Howard county cotton for the 1944 season. The 2,000 pounds of seed cotton were put in the house at Planters Gin and will be ginned Monday since the gin was in the midst of preparations for the current season. Cockrell picked the cotton off a patch planted in April.

Reviewing The Big Spring Week—

Joe Pickle

Mayor Grover C. Dunham said Saturday he was proclaiming this as "rodeo week" in Big Spring and urged everyone to wear some item of western apparel. "I hope," he said, "that those who are unable to wear something western will at least have rodeo tickets dangling from their pockets like a Bull Durham tag."

Aw, gee, how we dread getting into that red-hot shirt of ours. We don't have but one and it's apt to spoil in the course of a four-day show.

In observing conservation day here last week, it was disclosed that Howard county now has about 400 earthen tanks. This is a vast improvement over 10 years ago, but we ought not let this program stop until we have twice the num-

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Abbott-Costello Laugh Jamboree At The State

It's for customers, not critics, to say which one if any of a series of comedies so successful as the Bud Abbott - Lou Costello collections is the best of the lot, but it's not outside the province of the exhibitor to tell the customers that this one did it and for the Hollywood press reviewers more than any since "Buck Private" sprawled them in the aisles. The ladies and gentlemen of the press, of the profession, and the public, laughed loudly, unanimously and at length during and after the unreeing of his number inside a theatre, outside which newspaper vendors were hawking headlines about miners and their troubles, a war raring on a variety of fronts and sundry disturbances in a turbulent world. "Hit the Ice" is Escapist Entertainment with two capital E's. It shows at the State Theatre Sunday and Monday.

The Number One Money-Making Stars of 1942 enter this tale as sidewalk snapshot men who promptly become enmeshed in the affair of gangsters who rob a bank under circumstances which get the comedians into the newspapers as criminals sought for the deed. This leads to a general migration of the entire cast of characters, which includes a band, its songbird, a doctor and a nurse, to Sun Valley, where innumerable complications develop. The band in the picture is Johnny Long's and the girl who sings with it, also playing a part of importance in the story, is Ginny Simms. Any one of the

four songs by Harry Revel and Paul Francis Webster could be Hit Parade timber. Helen Young, Gene Williams, the Four Teens and 50 skaters also figure in the picture on the song-and-dance side. Alex Gottlieb, gone from Universal after producing this and other Abbott & Costello hits, touched up with this one. Direction by Charles Lamont is smooth. Robert Lee, Frederic Rinaldo and John Grant participated in the writing of the screenplay, as full of switches as a rail-road yard, from an original story by True Boardman.



Wally Brown, Virginia Mayo, Amelita Ward, Alan Carney, with Gordon Oliver and Freddie Slack and his orchestra in "Seven Days Ashore" which shows at the Lyric theatre Sunday and Monday.

"7 Days Ashore" Shows At The Lyric

Bubbling with mirth and catchy songs numbers, RKO Radio's latest tune film, "Seven Days Ashore," opens at the Lyric Theatre today to prove itself one of the season's gayest offerings.

Wally Brown and Alan Carney, new comedy duo, with Gordon Oliver and Elaine Shepard in the romantic leads and such favorites as part Marcy McGuire and Dooley Wilson, along with the noted orchestras of Freddie Slack and Freddie Fisher, are headlined.

The hilarious plot hinges on the woes of the philandering Oliver, a merchant marine who with his pals, Brown and Carney, get a week's leave in their home port. Oliver is met at the dock, not only by his fiancée, Miss Shepard, but also by two other girl friends, and the ensuing happenings give him plenty of trouble and the audience plenty of laughs.

A couple of breach-of-promise suits and the loyal efforts of the two pals to extricate their friend from his difficulties keep things rolling merrily along to a sparkling climax. Five new tunes by Mort Greene and Lew Pollack are featured in the picture, which was produced and directed by John H. Auer.

With a high quota of entertainment throughout, "Seven Days Ashore" is an excellent film every audience will enjoy.

SIMPLE BOOKKEEPING
BOSTON — Frank A. Goodwin, Republican candidate for state auditor, had no trouble at all balancing his own campaign books. Unopposed for the nomination, he received no contributions, spent no money.

THE WEEKS PLAYBILL

RITZ
Sun. - Mon. — "Follow The Boys" with George Raft and Zorina.
Tues. - Wed. — "Three Men In White" with Lionel Barrymore and Van Johnson.
Thurs. - Fri. - Sat. — "Eve Of St. Mark" with Michael O'Shea and Anne Baxter.
Sat. Night (Preview) — "The Uninvited" with Ray Milland and Ruth Hussey.

LYRIC
Sun. - Mon. — "Seven Days Ashore" with Wally Brown and Gordon Oliver.
Tues. - Wed. — "Pin Up Girl" with Bette Grable and Joe E. Brown.
Thurs. — "Smart Guy" with Rick Vallin and Wanda McKay.
Fri. - Sat. — "Forty Thieves" with William Boyd and Andy Clyde.

QUEEN
Sun. - Mon. — "Call Of The Jungle" with Anne Corio and James Bush.
Tues. - Wed. — "Desert Song" with Dennis Morgan and Irene Manning.
Thurs. — "Frisco Kid" with James Cagney and Margaret Lindsey.
Fri. - Sat. — "Trigger Trail" with Rod Cameron and Fuzzy Knight.

STATE
Sun. - Mon. — "Hit The Ice" with Abbott and Costello.
Tues. - Wed. — "Lassie Comes Home" with Roddy McDowall and Lassie.
Thurs. — "Something About A Soldier" with Tom Neal and Evelyn Keyes.
Fri. — "Jungle Book" with Sabu and Joseph Calleia.
Sat. — "Man From Music Mountain" with Roy Rogers and Bob Nolan and Sons of the Pioneers.

FDR Wants Opinion On Youth Training

WASHINGTON, Aug. 18 (AP)—President Roosevelt today urged the American people to gradually form an opinion on the need for a one-year's postwar training for youths from 17 to 23, both in a military and civilian way.

He told a news conference that he did not have compulsory military training in mind because the 1,000,000 to 1,250,000 boys who might be available for such training would be given a combination of military and civilian training.

He said facilities could be found in the extensive training camp housing in and outside the United States proper, including Alaska and the Aleutians, and such structures were built much stronger than those in the first World War. They probably would last 25 years, he said, as compared to the 10 or 12 estimated for those built in 1917—most of which had to be scrapped before that time.

President Roosevelt also told reporters there was nothing to published reports that he had invited Wendell L. Willkie, 1940 republican presidential candidate, to a White House conference on post-war security questions.

The president had nothing to add to Secretary of State Hull's statement yesterday, describing as "utterly and completely unfounded" Governor Thomas E. Dewey's expressed fear that the Allied military alliance that would cooperate small nations and dominate the postwar world.

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Action-Filled Drama Shows At Queen

When Ann Corio decided to go into burlesque some years ago, she really did it right. Her first engagement was in New York with the Minsky troupe, which over the years had become established as one of the truly representative burlesque organizations of the country.

Miss Corio comes to the Queen theatre Sunday as the star of "Call of the Jungle," the action-filled Monogram drama which is told against the lush background of a South Pacific island.

Corrio in "Call of the Jungle" includes James Bush, John Davidson, Claudia Bell, Edward Chandler and I. Stanford Jolley. Phil Rosen directed for producers Philip N. Krause and James S. Burkett, and George Callahan wrote the original screenplay.

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"Follow The Boys" Casts Raft And Zorina Together

Biggest and best dance sets photographed as background for Astaire and Rogers in the past, like the spectacular skating rink settings for Sonja Henie's films, must yield ground before the unrivalled stage created for a new dancing team of the screen: George Raft and Vera Zorina.

The pair, each famous in his own right, join as partners for lead roles in "Follow the Boys," Charles K. Feldman's all-star Universal production, scheduled to open today at the Ritz theatre. Georgie Hale, well-known Broadway producer, served as dance director and creator for the picture.

Following is a preview glimpse of the dance set, the biggest and most expensive of its kind in the



George Raft and Zorina in a happy scene from the star-studded musical, "Follow the Boys" which shows at the Ritz theatre Sunday and Monday.

30 years of Universal Studio's existence. The dance set, a complete circle filling the entire "Phantom" stage at Universal, has a black Masonite floor 175 by 250 feet.

Dance Requisite
With Raft and Zorina performing a spectacular beguine, their dance is augmented by a chorus of a dozen dancing couples (each couple itself a "mini" team from ballroom and club dance floors). Then there are another dozen dancing men, who play an accordion accompaniment.

All of the boys, both dancers and accordionists, are in white gaucho costumes; the girls in white Spanish costumes.

Music is from a 48-piece orchestra with 36-voice ensemble, directed by Leigh Harline.

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- 4443—"Silver Wings in the Moonlight" "And So Little Time" Jerry Wald and Orch.
- 164—"Sam's Got Him" "Duration Blues" Johnny Mercer & Orch.
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 9:30 Southernaires.
 10:00 Wesley Radio League.
 10:30 News.
 10:45 Melodicy Lane.
 11:00 Assembly of God Church.
 12:00 Stanley Dixon News.
 12:15 Music by Marais.
 12:30 Lutheran Hour.
 1:00 Chaplain Jim.
 1:30 Sunday Vespers.
 2:00 Assembly of God Church.
 2:30 Shades of Blue.
 3:00 Darts For Dough.
 3:30 Afternoon Melodies.
 4:00 Variety Time.
 4:15 Question Please.
 4:30 Adventures of Bulldog Drummond.
 5:00 Trinity Baptist Church.
 5:30 Upton Close News.
 5:45 Washington Inside Out.
 6:00 Old Fashioned Revival Hour.
 7:00 Smoke Rings.
 7:15 Edward Tomlinson News.
 7:30 Evening Melodies.
 7:45 Gabriel Heatter.
 8:00 First Baptist Church.
 9:00 Say It With Music.
 9:15 Goodwill Hour.
 10:00 Sign Off.
Monday Morning
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 7:15 Bandwagon.
 7:30 News.
 7:45 Bob Wills.
 8:00 News Summary.
 8:15 Breakfast Club.
 9:00 My True Story.
 9:25 Aunt Jamima.
 9:30 Songs By Kay Armen.
 9:45 Lazy River.
 10:00 Breakfast At Sardi's.
 10:30 Gil Martyn News.
 10:45 Songs By Cliff Edwards.
 11:00 Glamor Manor.
 11:30 Serenade in Swingtime.
 11:45 Between the Lines.
Monday Afternoon
 12:00 Ranch Music.
 12:15 Jack Berch.
 12:30 News.
 12:45 Homer Rhodeheaver.
 1:00 Cedric Foster.
 1:15 International News Events.
 1:30 Ladies, Be Seated.
 2:00 Songs by Morton Downey.
 2:15 Hollywood Star Time.
 2:30 Appointment With Life.
 3:00 Ethel & Albert.
 3:15 The Johnston Family.
 3:30 Musical Varieties.
 4:00 Bandwagon.
 4:30 International News Events.
 4:45 Dick Tracy.
Monday Evening
 5:00 Terry & The Pirates.
 5:15 News.
 5:30 Tom Mix.
 5:45 Superman.
 6:00 Fulton Lewis Jr.
 6:15 The World's Frontpage.
 6:30 Invitation To Romance.
 6:45 Dance Orchestra.
 7:00 Sizing Up The News.
 7:15 Navy Scrapbook.
 7:30 Blind Date.
 8:00 Gabriel Heatter.
 8:15 Evening Melodies.
 8:30 Music Of Worship.
 9:00 Dance Orchestra.
 9:30 Let's Dance.
 10:00 News.
 10:15 Henry J. Taylor.
 10:30 Sign Off.

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Shifting Population Is Hurting Many Smaller School Districts

AUSTIN, Aug. 19 — How population has shifted from smaller communities to larger war work centers was graphically illustrated today by a comparison of the amounts paid on the last state per capita school aid.

The 1943-44 school year payment to \$29 for each child of school age — was paid out this week, a bonus of more than \$6 millions because of the surplus in the school fund.

And in almost every county in this area, the payment was less than it would have been a year ago.

A further drop on the part of the less populous counties is expected in the 1944-45 census which is now being prepared and which will be ready shortly after the new school year opens in September.

Many counties in Texas lean heavily on state aid, and the effect of the school population drop has been out of proportion. For instance, if a half-hundred children move out of one school district that district lost approximately \$1,500 out of the budget which probably already was stretched to the limit, yet it is doubtful if the removal of those pupils cut down the school district's expenses in equal proportion.

tion. Budgets built on the higher scholastic count were badly jolted.

In the following table, the scholastic count for the past two years is shown. Some adjustments have been made in isolated school districts but in the main these figures reflect the over-all county condition.

	1943-43	1943-44
Borden	278	220
Dawson	4,125	4,309
Garza	1,439	1,382
Howard	5,196	5,332
Lynn	2,978	2,936

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Thanks Expressed For Scrap Collection Aid

Thanks for cooperation were extended by Lt. J. P. Williams, in charge of a detachment of soldiers which has been making a salvage drive here during the past month. The collection is being concluded. "I would like to take this opportunity to express appreciation

and many thanks (for cooperation) while conducting the army scrap metal drive in Howard county. The detachment is out of Camp Wolters, Texas.

DRAWS ASSAULT FINE

Sam Becker entered a plea of guilty to a charge of aggravated assault upon Caroline Hechler Saturday in county court. He was fined \$25.

Texans Set To Celebrate V-Day Both Boisterously, Prayerfully

By JACK RUTLEDGE Associated Press Staff

When Germany surrenders there'll be tall doings in Texas. Victory day will be a joyous, noisy occasion, against a background of solemnity, prayers and thanksgiving for total war half won.

From the Rio Grande valley to the Panhandle some lusty celebrations are expected, but it won't be another 1918, an Associated Press survey shows. In 1918 they threw their hats in the air; on V-day they'll throw their hats in the air again, but this time they'll catch them on the rebound and put them back on.

The people realize clearly that the war is just half won on V-day in Europe; that there will be many thousands either fighting Japs in the Pacific or being held in Japanese prison camps; and that even with a victory over Japan, there's the peace to be won.

They didn't think of those things in 1918.

But many communities expect

boisterous, spontaneous celebrations to let off steam, just as they plan to open churches for prayers and thanksgiving.

Deep in the heart of Texas high plains (clap! clap!) the boys at Plainview are going to tie down every whistle and siren in town. Big Dallas, caught with her sirens silent when southern France was invaded, has her whistles oiled and ready to roar.

An old farm dinner bell has been unearthed in Wichita Falls. Amarillo has been more V-day conscious than most Texas cities because Publisher Gene Howe of the Globe-News has conducted a contest, entered by several thousand, which offers a cash prize to the person guessing the exact date of Germany's collapse.

San Angelo hopes to have a quiet V-day, as a result of resolutions by the American Legion asking that package stores be closed one or two days. No sirens, whistles or whoopee is wanted. Churches will be open for prayers. At Lubbock prayer meeting will be held, as on D-day.

Abilene civilian defense workers will spread good tidings with whistles, sirens and bells. Midland is just going to let things be spontaneous, "and what a day it will be!" chortles James N. Allison, publisher of the Reporter-Telegram.

Brownsville will mark V-day with solemnity — with business brought to a standstill and churches opening doors to the public for united prayers. A merchants committee has asked that if the news of victory is flashed

after 2 p. m., or on a Sunday or holiday, stores will remain closed the following day.

Many Texas communities reported the same general idea, a 24-hour celebration of observance of V-day. Paris, Big Spring, McAllen, Edinburg and others think Germany's surrender merits more than parades and sirens.

A 24-hour holiday will be declared at Paris, with prayer services and patriotic rallies at the downtown plaza at Paris and at the courthouse square at Big Spring.

Special victory editions of newspapers will be a feature of V-day in many cities.

Big city dailies and many in smaller cities will issue extra editions when the news of victory is flashed.

Jailbreaker Gets Prison Sentence

One of Howard county's three jail breakers had been arrested in Galveston and another who was returned here several days ago received a penitentiary sentence Saturday.

Clyde Linney waived right to trial by jury and pleaded guilty in district court to theft. He was sentenced to not less than two nor more than five years in the state penitentiary. Linney was indicted in the September term in 1943 of theft of an automobile from J. W. Croan and was arrested in Hobbs, N. M., last week-end by Texas Rangers.

Mrs. A. J. Merrick, sheriff, was notified Friday afternoon Charlie Johnson, under charges of theft and attempted armed robbery, had been arrested by the sheriff's department at Galveston. Several days ago she had asked the department there to be on the watch for him, since relatives live there.

Denver Dunn, chief deputy, will deliver Linney to the penitentiary at Huntsville and will go to Galveston to take custody of Johnson this week.

Johnson, Linney and John Garcia escaped from the Howard county jail Aug. 4. Garcia was arrested Aug. 5, on a farm on which he had obtained employment.

Cotton Drops Off 90 Cents On Bale

NEW YORK, Aug. 19 (AP)—Cotton futures closed 70 to 90 cents a bale lower today.

Traders attributed the decline to liquidation influenced by favorable war news and to confusion arising from the latest Bankhead proposal for lifting cotton prices. Futures closed 70 to 90 cents a bale lower.

	Open	Last
Oct.	21.62	21.61
Dec.	21.46	21.42-44
Mch.	21.27	21.22
May	21.05	21.00-01
July	20.78	20.71

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Former Rice Star Killed In Crash

HOUSTON, Aug. 17 (AP)—Major Thomas F. Vickers, football star at Rice Institute in 1935, 1936 and 1937 and holder of the Distinguished Flying Cross and the Air Medal with seven oak leaf clusters, was killed yesterday in a plane crash at Paterson Field, O.

A B-26 pilot who had participated in 55 combat missions over Africa, Sicily and Italy, Maj. Vickers returned to the United States last November, spent a month in Florida and was assigned to Paterson Field at Dayton, early this year as a flight test officer.

He was graduated from Fort Worth's Paschal high school and funeral services and burial will be in Fort Worth.

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Pardons Board Member Dabbling In State Race

By PAUL BOLTON

AUSTIN, Aug. 20 — Elster M. Halle, the former Kansan and now a member of the Texas Board of Pardons and Paroles has openly and actively entered Jesse Martin's campaign for the office of attorney general.

On stationery of the Blackstone hotel in Fort Worth, a letter signed by Halle's name has been sent to the board in Austin asking that his salary for the time he is in Martin's campaign be "kicked back" to the state. The phrase was used in the letter.

Halle said he disapproved of those who entered politics and stayed on the state's payroll. Halle said he went up to Fort Worth to investigate the Richardson pardon case. This case has become an issue in the race. He said he got interested in Martin's campaign and decided to stay.

Since the comptroller has no authority to decrease the size of a state warrant, it remains to be seen what will be done about the "kick back." Usually when the comptroller has a question about payrolls, he refers it to the attorney general.

Halle is the man whom ser tors charged was actually a resident of Kansas when he was appointed tax commissioner, an office subsequently abolished by Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel.

Christian Science Subject Announced

"Not that we are sufficient of our selves to think of anything as of ourselves; but our sufficiency is of God."

From II Corinthians 3:5 comes the Christian Science Service lesson-sermon subject of "Mind" today at 217 1/2 Main. Psalms 145:10 is the Bible passage and page 205 contains the citation from Mary Baker Eddy's text.

"Working With The Holy Spirit"

The Rev. Dick O'Brien, pastor, continues a series at the morning worship, 10:55 to 11:55, speaking from the 16th chapter of John.



GUEST SPEAKER

CHAPLAIN R. ELMER DUNHAM, formerly E. 4th Baptist pastor, and who now is in the service, will speak at 8 p. m. The service is broadcast over KBST. Special music for both services.

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Sports

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Mackmen Clip Browns Again

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 19 (AP)—The St. Louis Browns' lead in the American league pennant race was cut to five and a half games today when they bowed to the Philadelphia Athletics, 4-3 in 12 innings, for their third loss in the four game series.

No Plans Being Made For Annual Tourney

No plans are being made for the annual country club golf tournament, because greens are dead due to lack of water, Shirley Robbins, manager, said Saturday.

If water is received in time to revive the greens, the tournament might be played later. Golfers do not want to play on sand, however.

Ed Leonard Green has been inducted into the army on the August negro call for Howard county, selective service headquarters announced.



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Five Lettermen Back To Steers

John Dibrell, high school football coach, regrets he cannot share in the general optimism among district 5-A coaches.

What looked like a fairly seasoned aggregation last spring now has dwindled to five lettermen and Dibrell doesn't have a lot of seasoned material to plug in the gaps.

Returning will be Pete Cook, Bobo Hardy and Hugh Cochran in the backfield, Leo Rusk, guard, and I. B. (Toar) Bryan, tackle. Tippy Anderson had been counted upon heavily in the line but he was in a mishap this summer that hurt his knee and cut him badly. Now it is problematical whether he will get to play.

On one end Dibrell will make his selections from Earl Warren, Kenneth Huett, Robert Beadle, Joe Bruce Cunningham and Darrell Douglass. Besides Bryan, tackle prospects are John Cooper, Gerald Harris, Charles Lovelace.

Tommy Clinkcales, billed for a center's spot, may be shifted to guard to fill the hole left by Anderson's injury. Other hopefuls are Ike Robb and Harry Middleton. Ladd Smith may find most of the pivot assignment on his shoulders.

In the backfield, the fourth man as well as reserves will be chosen from Ed McClaren, Jackie Barron, Robert Miller, Nathan Richardson, Horace Rankin and Donald Webb.

A conditioning session is scheduled for Aug. 28 with first workouts due on Sept. 1. Most of the boys seem to have come through the summer in good shape, said Dibrell.

Standings

SATURDAY RESULTS

American League
Philadelphia 4, St. Louis 3.
New York 9, Cleveland 3.
Boston 9, Detroit 1.
Washington 3, Chicago 2.

National League
Brooklyn 3, Cincinnati 2.
Boston 4, Chicago 2.
St. Louis 8, New York 4.
Pittsburgh 5, Philadelphia 3.

STANDINGS

National League

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	83	28	.748
Pittsburgh	64	46	.582
Cincinnati	63	47	.573
Chicago	50	57	.467
New York	50	64	.439
Boston	45	56	.442
Philadelphia	43	65	.398
Brooklyn	45	69	.395

American League

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	68	48	.586
Boston	62	53	.539
New York	60	54	.526
Chicago	55	60	.479
Cleveland	55	63	.466
Philadelphia	54	64	.448
Washington	48	67	.417

TODAY'S GAMES
(All teams play two games)

National League
New York at Chicago.
Brooklyn at Pittsburgh.
Philadelphia at Cincinnati.
Boston at St. Louis.

American League
St. Louis at Washington.
Detroit at New York.
Cleveland at Boston.
Chicago at Philadelphia.

HURRICANE IN CARIBBEAN
MIAMI, Fla., Aug. 19 (AP)—A tropical hurricane roared over the Caribbean Sea today on a course which threatened the island of Jamaica.

"If present course continues," said the Miami weather bureau in a 4:30 p. m. advisory, "the storm will reach the vicinity of Jamaica late tonight or Sunday."

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Uncle Of Mrs. Clyde Angel Dies Of Attack
Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Angel left Saturday for Hamlin on learning of the death of her uncle, J. W. Exell, president of the F. & M. National bank in Hamlin. Mr. Exell, widely known in West Texas, succumbed suddenly Saturday morning to a heart attack. Rites have been set for 4:30 p. m. Sunday at the First Baptist church in Hamlin.

Pvt. Chatman Wins Amateur Contest
Pvt. Eddie Chatman, singer, took first honors and a prize of \$10 in the amateur night program Friday at the post theatre at Big Spring Bombarrier school.

Man Charged In Hammer Slaying
DALLAS, Aug. 19 (AP)—Assistant District Attorney Bob Allen said Edgar Dodson, 32-year-old civil service employe at Love Field, was charged today with the hammer slaying of his wife, Mrs. Ruby Dodson, 30.

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TIGERS MIGHT BE THE TEAM TO WIN IF BROWNIES KICK IT AWAY

By WHITNEY MARTIN
NEW YORK, Aug. 19 (AP)—Everyone is saying the only way the St. Louis Browns can lose the American league pennant is to beat themselves, which is just a cute way of saying they'd get their ears pinned back by other clubs, as no team is going to beat itself, unless it plays its own yanigans.

If we were to pick a team right now that might edge out the Browns it would be the Detroit Tigers, and that's reaching down quite a ways in the standings since, as of last Friday, the Tigers were tied for third and 7½ games out of the lead.

The fact remains, however, that for the last five weeks the Tigers have been playing the best baseball in the league.

Bombardier School Softball Boys To Start League Play-off Monday
Two fast games are on tap Monday evening when the Big Spring Bombarrier school league Shaughnessy play-off gets underway.

Phone Workers Reject Raise
Representatives of the Southwestern Bell Telephone company union have rejected a wage increase ranging from 2½ to 5½ cents per hour for 33,000 employes in the face of demands of a 17½ cents per hour increase.

A labor department consultant has been assigned to the case at the request of D. L. McCowen, president of the union, and affiliate of the National Federation of Telephone Workers.

The company union had contended that the average hourly rate of non-supervisory employes was less than 65 cents per hour and that livings costs in the southwestern states are above the average for the nation, and that wages in this section have risen well above the national average.

The union also claimed the proposed hike would still leave the company below the wage level of other Bell systems.

W. D. Berry, head of the union in the Midland district, said that approximately 326 employes would be affected by the wage increase under negotiation since Aug. 1, 1943.

St. Clair Scores Poor Officiating
DALLAS, Aug. 19 (AP)—James W. St. Clair, secretary-treasurer of the Southwest Football Officials association, said today officiating in the Southwest conference last season was, as a whole, the poorest "it has been since I was appointed to assign officials."

St. Clair issued the statement in connection with announcement that district meetings of the association would be held Sept. 3 at Dallas, Fort Worth, Houston and San Antonio.

"Judging from reports from the coaches of the conference," St. Clair added, "they were of the same opinion."

"This does not mean that there was not some good officiating. However, it is felt that, in some cases, officials took advantage of the times to more or less loaf through the games."

Interest Grows In Tennis Meet
Interest is gradually increasing in the second annual Labor Day tennis tournament here, George Tillinghast, tournament manager, said Saturday.

However, he urged that entries be listed as early as possible at Rexter's, tournament headquarters. Deadline is set for Aug. 31.

Tillinghast stressed the fact that affair is an open event and that servicemen stationed at the Big Spring Bombarrier School are especially invited to participate.

There will be competition in men's singles and doubles, women's singles and doubles, and in mixed doubles with prizes in war bonds and stamps. Play starts on Sept. 2nd and concludes on Sept. 3, Labor Day.

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By HAROLD V. RATLIFF
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1.00 Settles Special	1.00
Fried Milk Fed Spring Chicken, Home Style	
Julienne Potatoes	
Tomato Salad	
Coffee or Tea	
Ice Cream	
1.50 Chef's Special	1.50
Broiled Premium Ham Steak, Louisiana with Jelly Sauce	
French Fried Potatoes	
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TABLE D'HOTE DINNER
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Choice of:

Marinated Gulf Shrimp Cocktail	
Half Texas Grapefruit, Stuffed Deviled Eggs	
Hearts of Celery and Mixed Olives	
Chilled Orange, V-8, or Carrot Juice	
Cream of Sweet Corn Washington Soup	
Sauted Jumbo Frog Legs, Sauce Tartar	1.50
Roast Prime Rib of Choice Beef au Jus	1.40
Potted Leg of Spring Lamb, Onions St. Mode	1.50
Broiled Fillet Mignon Tenderloin	
Mushroom Bercy	1.00
Broiled Fresh Calf Liver, Bacon	
Parsley Butter	1.20
Fried Milk Fed Spring Chicken, Home Style	1.50
Broiled Veal Cutlets, Tomato Sauce	
Spaghetti Caruso	1.20
Stewed Fresh Poultry Livers Omelette	
Hunters Style	1.05
Assorted Cold Cuts, Sliced Pickles	
Potato Salad	1.05
Choice of Two:	
Julienne or Cream Whipped Potatoes	

Governor Suggests Texans Join Mexico In Sept. 17 Fiesta

AUSTIN, Aug. 19 (AP)—Gov. Coke R. Stevenson today called on Texans to reaffirm their devotion to the fundamental principles of democracy by joining with Mexico in observing independence day Sept. 16.

In a formal proclamation, he noted that the date is as important to the liberty-loving people of Mexico as the Fourth of July is to the people of the United States.

"The sixteenth of September marks the anniversary of the date (1810) the standard of revolt was raised by Miguel Hidalgo y Costilla, resulting eventually (1821) in Mexican freedom from Spain," the proclamation said.

Though Hidalgo was killed before the success of his campaign for freedom was realized, his name has become synonymous with liberty.

"The memory of Hidalgo is honored in Texas. One of our South Texas counties, Hidalgo (1856) was named for this great Mexican leader. The town of Coliad was named in his honor, the letters being rearranged to avert the attention of the then Spanish rulers. At a time when blood is being spilled the world over to preserve and defend liberty, it seems altogether fitting that we express our esteem for this great hero of our neighbor republic."

Two girls, picked up by police Friday were brought before the city court early Saturday and quarantined for a venereal disease check.

To aid in preventing heat rash as well as to relieve and soothe prickly heat and heat-rash irritated skin, use Mexazone, the soothing, medicated powder. Contains ingredients often used by specialists to relieve these discomforts. Costs little. Get Mexazone.

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Weather Forecast Dept. of Commerce Weather Bureau

BIG SPRING AND VICINITY: Partly cloudy Sunday and Monday, little change in temperature.

WEST TEXAS—Partly cloudy Sunday and Monday with scattered afternoon and evening thundershowers Monday and in El Paso area, Panhandle and South Plains Sunday.

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TEMPERATURES table with columns for City, Max, Min. Includes Abilene, Amarillo, Big Spring, Chicago, Denver, El Paso, Fort Worth, Galveston, New York, St. Louis.

Bomber Hits Ship On Philippine Patrol

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, Southwest Pacific, Sunday, Aug. 20 (AP)—Continuing the steady patrol of southern Philippine waters, a Liberator bomber damaged a small Japanese freighter off Davao, headquarters announced today.

Patrol planes bombed Halmahera, southern guardian of the Philippines, and Vogelkop peninsula, the northwestern tip of New Guinea. Fourteen barges were destroyed or damaged off Manokwar, northern Dutch New Guinea.

The Philippines raid, made Friday, was the fourth consecutive attack in the Mindanao area and the sixth in eight days.

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most terrific aerial assault ever seen on any battlefield, and were losing tanks by the hundreds and trucks by the thousands.

While the Germans were fighting back hard along the coast, their hitherto orderly retreat farther inland began taking on the earmarks of a rout, with many soldiers stoof as a result of Allied bombings which knocked out 3,800 vehicles in 24 hours.

Various foreign sources said Germans and collaborationists were fleeing Paris, crowding the roads leading toward Germany, and patriots were marching through the streets singing the Marseillaise. All public buildings were reported closed.

(The Germans admitted their embassy personnel had been evacuated.) It appeared that the final phase of the battle of the Seine had been reached — pursuit and annihilation. Routes of retreat blazed with the pyres of stricken transport, British, American and rearwards. The whole front was Canadian tanks shredded enemy's on the move.

Supreme headquarters announced that for the time being there would be a news blackout in some sectors, because the enemy was so confused he had no idea where the Allies were. This confusion was illustrated when Canadians captured a commander of a division heading up a highway to Trun. He was not aware that Trun had fallen and yet it is a pivotal point between the Falaise-Argentan pocket and the retreat to the northeast.

So close is the fighting in this area that the Allied troops were coming under the fire of their own planes.

Tanks of one British brigade ran riot against a fleeing enemy column south of Falaise and shot up 150 transport vehicles.

The carnage was tremendous, and hundreds of enemy corpses covered the roads, fields and hills. But still German troops moved east.

Germans Couched In Strong Gothic Line

FLORENCE, Aug. 19 (AP)—Allied patrols feeling out the Germans found them sitting in their Gothic line today and apparently determined to fight it out despite French and American landings in southern France which threaten to seal off one of their best escape routes.

There was no perceptible loosening of the enemy lines anywhere from Pisa on through Florence and eastward to the Adriatic shore.

The last snipers were cleared from the central part of Florence. Field Marshal Albert Kesselring is believed manning his mountainous northern Italian positions with 12 divisions about half his original strength.

Way Clear For Allied Talks

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19 (AP)—The impending political unit conference between Secretary of State Hull and John Foster Dulles on postwar world security was paralleled on the international side today by word that there are no serious obstacles to agreement on peace organization plans among the United States, Russia and Britain.

The international talks begin Monday. The Hull-Dulles meeting is set for Wednesday. It was indicated also that agreement between the United States, Britain and China in a follow-up next month of the conference with Russia would be speedy and effective.

Secretary Hull will open the Soviet-American-British phase of the four power talks. He is official host to the conference, which was called by him in accordance with the declaration of Moscow to which those three nations and China subscribed last November.

Under that declaration, which pledged four power collaboration in peace as well as in war, the purpose of the Washington meetings is to arrive at a common statement of the kind of world organization in which the four leading Allied nations will cooperate and be willing to support.

To this end, Secretary Hull announced months ago that the planning for organized world security would be on a nonpartisan basis, and that as between democrats and republicans he hoped it would have bi-partisan support.

ALBANY, N. Y., Aug. 19 (AP)—John Foster Dulles, deputized by Gov. Thomas E. Dewey for foreign policy consultations with Secretary of State Hull, proposed today that the problems of policing defeated axis countries and of maintaining lasting peace be separated.

With Dewey at times nodding agreement, Dulles proposed that the United States, Great Britain and Russia, with "substantial contributions" from nearby liberated countries police Germany and hold her in check.

Short Ballot On Tap For Run-Off

Polls will open at 8 a. m. and close at 7 p. m. Saturday in the second democratic primary in Howard county, with the same presiding officers as those in the first primary serving, L. S. Paterson, county democratic chairman, said Saturday.

Voting will be in the 15 precincts in the county.

The ballot lists only 10 candidates for five offices.

Absentee voting is underway in the county clerk's office and will close Tuesday night.

McEwen To Head War Fund Drive

With the announcement Saturday that R. R. McEwen would serve as county chairman for the forthcoming National War Fund Drive, came word from Frank Slaymaker, field representative, that Howard county would be asked to raise \$17,586, slightly under last year's quota of \$17,980, for the 17 various agencies for needed relief all over the globe.

Plans are shaping up for a district conference which will be held in San Angelo September 1st, and in connection with plans for the successful takeoff in the campaign, a state-wide broadcast of recordings by Texas men in Britain and Normandy on what they think of war fund dollars at work will be presented August 29, at 9:30 p. m.

Added to the county quota of \$17,586 will be campaign expense of \$356 plus a \$3,000 Salvation Army goal. Most familiar beneficiary of the National War Fund is the USO, but just as important are the United Seamen's Service, War Prisoners Aid, Belgian War Relief Society, British War Relief Society, French Relief Fund, Friends of Luxembourg, Greek War Relief Association, Norwegian Relief, Polish War Relief, Queen Wilhelmina Fund, Russian War Relief, United China Relief, United Czechoslovakia Relief, United Yugoslav Relief Fund, Refugee Relief Trustees, United States Committee for the Care of European Children.



T-Sgt. John L. Rowland, who was reared in Big Spring and whose wife is living here with her mother, Mrs. Mary Frazier, has been cited by his regiment as the 36th Infantry division for the combat infantryman badge for participation in combat with the enemy on the Fifth army front in Italy. The decoration, recently authorized by the war department, is awarded to infantry soldiers proving their fighting ability. It is a badge consisting of a silver rifle set against a background of infantry blue, enclosed in a silver wreath. Sergeant Rowland's parents moved to Monahans recently.

Sgt. Moran O. Oppgaard, returning from 21 months overseas with the army air force in the Southwest Pacific, has arrived at Fort Bliss prior to visiting his father, Gus Oppgaard of Big Spring, public relations officials announced.

Grover Davis, second class seaman, is home on five-day leave visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Davis. He entered the navy about two months ago. Mr. and Mrs. Davis received a letter Thursday from another son, Darrell, third class petty officer, who is stationed in the Admiralty Islands. He wrote that he had been reunited with Alfred Moody, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Moody of Big Spring. The two attended "boot camp" together and went overseas at the same time, but were separated about a year ago. Darrell helps load and unload ships.

Sgt. Raymond Lee Williams finally hit the jackpot after not receiving mail for some time in England and wrote home that at one time he got 30 letters and one package, another time he received 10 letters, two packages and a box.

S/Sgt. Joe Robert Myers has left for Salt Lake City, Utah after a visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Myers. Sgt. Myers has been assigned to the statistical section at Del Rio but is to be in a school at Kern Field. He was able to get in a short visit enroute to his new field.

Pvt. Catarino E. Vega, son of Mrs. Micaela E. Vega of Big Spring has been awarded the army good conduct medal at Murco, Calif., according to word received here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. (Tom) Bolt, Sr. have received word that their son, Capt. William T. Bolt, Jr. has been awarded the Air Medal. The award was made around the first of July to the pilot of a B-24 bomber stationed somewhere in Italy. Capt. Bolt is now flying his third bomber, one having been riddled beyond repair, another taken out during his leave failed to return. He is squadron leader, and although his ship has been badly hit several times, has always managed to bring his bomber back to base. Capt. Bolt holds the second highest award given by the Netherlands government.

The Week (Continued from Page 1)

Water is our greatest possession in this semi-arid country and we can't impound a drop too much.

Apparently the chamber of commerce, city, county and school officials are all of a mind that it is time to get about post-war planning. This was the sense of a meeting earlier in the week, and from this may come some early beneficial steps.

Judging from the sharp jump in water consumption a week ago, folks momentarily forgot to worry about our predicament. Judging from the bonedry basin at Powell creek and the hard hit lake at Moss Creek, they also have neglected to pray for rain.

You've got to admit that Ann Matthews, 306 E. 9th is an early bird. She has written a letter to Santa Claus in which she says: "I need some things before Christmas. They are a set of dishes, nurse kit, doll clothes and if you have a bicycle, a tent, a ring, a typewriter. Love Ann M." Alas when she grows up, Ann probably will wait like the rest of us until the day before to do her shopping.

Public Records

Marriage License Wayne C. Morrow, Oklahoma, and Valera Conway, Texas.

Warranty Deeds Will P. Edwards to J. C. Douglas, Jr., lot 16, block 5, Laloma addition; \$10.

Clyde Denton and wife to Joe Arnold, lots 10, 11 and 12, block 108, original townsite of Big Spring; \$3,500.

Maria S. Reyes and husband, Method S. Diaz and husband, Romana Salazar, Teresa Marcus and husband, Elibra S. Martinez and husband and Gregaria Salazar, to Guillermo Rangel and wife, lot 11, block 7, Bauer addition; \$400.

In 70th District Court Ella Miles versus J. E. Miles, petition for divorce.

Howard V. Cudd versus Lenora Estelle Cudd, petition for divorce.

Violet Weaver versus Charlie Weaver, petition for divorce.

Building Permits I. Weiner to overhaul a frame garage at 809 Aylford, cost \$175.

Pierce Morgan to move frame house from 101 Owens to 1111 N. Lancaster, cost \$850.

C. D. Thompson to move frame trailer house from Houston to 2207 College, cost \$700.

Ben McCullough to move a building from outside the city limits to 708 NW 11th, cost \$400.

Civilian Petroleum Supply Drops Off

HOUSTON, Aug. 18 (AP)—The district three office of the Petroleum Administration for War, announcing that the nation's stockpile of essential civilian petroleum products has slumped 32 per cent since August, 1941, reported today that stocks of civilian barrels on July 1, 1944 was 11,906,000.

Ration Office Urges Prompt Filing For A Card Applications

Applications for A and D gasoline ration books, which expire Sept. 21, should be made promptly and at any rate not later than Sept. 10, according to a Howard county rationing board reminder Saturday.

Applicants must attach the back cover of their present "A" book, properly endorsed on spaces provided for this purpose, to their application forms. If applicants have lost their "A" book back covers, they must attach their state automobile license receipt to the application in lieu of the cover, which receipt will be returned to applicants by mail with their new books.

Applicants should mail their applications to their board rather than take them in person since workers will be extremely busy.

The district director said applicants would not be required this time to attach their tire inspection records to applications. New gas coupons in the book become valid September 22 and books will be in the hands of motorists before that time the official reported.

War Prisoners And Wounded Complaints Objects Of Inquiry

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19 (AP)—Reports of "coddling" of axis war prisoners and "unworthy" treatment of wounded United States service men are being investigated by the house military committee, Chairman May (D-Ky) disclosed today.

Committee investigators, may told reporters, have been sent to prison camps in Kentucky and Pennsylvania to inquire into complaints "that axis prisoners of war are being coddled and treated like heroes."

"It is one thing to treat them decently, but it is something else to give them a lot of privileges just because they happened to be captured while trying to kill a lot of our boys," said the Kentuckian.

May also said the committee's criticism of conditions at the nearby Bolling Field station hospital was "just the beginning of an investigation of conditions in all these army hospitals."

Move Made To Control Surplus Disposition

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19 (AP)—In a move to tighten congressional control over disposition of government owned surplus war property, the senate military committee approved today a proposal to require quarterly reports to senate and house from a projected surplus property board.

The action followed yesterday's acceptance of an amendment to the Murray-Stewart-Taft bill property disposal bill to substitute an eight-member board to direct disposals for other pending legislation calling for a single administrator.

The board of trustees of Daniel Baker College will meet Monday night to receive recommendations from its committee on reorganization that the school, an independent Presbyterian, be converted into a non-denominational self-help college without tuition charge.

Southern Nazi Fleet Is Reported Scuttled

IRUN, Spain, Aug. 19 (AP)—The German fleet in southwest France, both naval and mercantile, has been scuttled in the Bay of Biscay and in the Gironde river channel near Bordeaux, it was learned here tonight.

The fleet consisted of a number of torpedo boats, submarine auxiliary ships, light submarines, armed trawlers and many coastal freighters.

The freighters could be seen from the Spanish shore today. They put out from Bayonne and St. Jean De Luz for a few miles and were scuttled by their crews, who went back ashore in lifeboats.

J. P. Cooper, negro, was arrested by city police Friday at Sam's Place on north side. Charged with burglary, he was turned over to county officials.



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Save waste paper... save it carefully and save as you have never saved before. You may save a life!



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CROP PROSPECTS SKIDDING IN FACE OF LONG DROUGHT

By OPAL DIXON
Hot, dry weather is causing considerable damage to both cotton and grain in Howard county, and farmers face prospects of lowered production, O. P. Griffin, county agent, and M. Weaver, AAA administrative assistant, said Saturday.

"The drought is about to become general. I think if we don't get any more rain, maybe a quarter bale to the acre would be an optimistic estimate of the cotton yield," said Griffin. "Production last year was about one-third bale per acre. A good rain within the next few days could bring the year's yield to one-third, he said.

Some farmers are estimating their maize yield as low as 700 pounds an acre. Griffin estimated the yield from 800 to 1,500 pounds an acre, depending on locality, little more than half of a full crop, of about 2,000 pounds per acre.

A rain could change prospects for late maize, but would not help that approaching maturity.

Reports have been received of showers at Luther and south of Kontt and a rain at Coahoma Thursday.

Weaver said both cotton and grain are deteriorating, especially in the western part of the county. Cotton is throwing off leaves and forms and feed "looks bad."

Prospects are better in the northeastern part and eastern part than in remainder of the county.

In a report to the state labor office of the extension service Saturday, Griffin estimated 2,000 cotton pickers would be needed in the county. If many farmers pull their cotton, the need might be reduced to 1,500 hands.

Labor reports show good progress in South Texas and that pickers are now working in Central Texas. They are expected to arrive here in time to prevent any serious labor shortage.

Although the county's first bale has been brought in, the season generally will not open until about Sept. 15, reaching its peak by Oct. 1, Griffin estimated.

Shortage of rain also has reduced pastures and resulted in lowered production of milk, evidenced by difficulty at times of securing milk in local stores and in limit of one bottle to a customer in many stores.

GRIN AND BEAR IT

By Lichty



"It's only a short vacation trip, but Flignewton took all his clothes just to be sure he didn't leave the tickets in another suit!"

Public Already Alert To Flying As Evidenced By Passenger Boom

While the big-wigs are mapping out post-war plans for extreme advancements in air transportation, Mr. and Mrs. John Citzen are becoming familiar with the envisioned steps.

Reports from the American and Continental Air Lines of Big Spring show that air travel is becoming more popular every day, for last month the American Air Lines had 188 passengers out of Big Spring, four times as many as any month previous, while Continental, which operates from Denver, Colo., to San Antonio, reported 85 passengers already this month.

Bill Marshall, manager at the American Air Lines terminal explained that besides the two scheduled flights (east and west), around nine additional flights stop here each day. This includes planes which land for fuel and pick up mail.

Continental gave a similar report and Frank Davidson, manager, pointed out that all airlines all over America are realizing the responsibility placed on their shoulders during the war, and are doing everything in their power for more accommodations. Tom Dempsey, district traffic manager, and Boyd Carpenter, station manager from the San Antonio office of Continental were through Big Spring this past week, working out means of making space on planes for more passengers.

Agents agree that most passengers without priorities are good about making their reservations two to three weeks in advance, and probably the greatest headache air line ticket agents share is trying to explain to a passenger why he has been removed from a plan.

Illness Is Fatal For E. T. Scott

Ernest Trailer Scott, 47, died at 9:45 o'clock Friday night at his home 18 miles northeast of Big Spring, following an illness of about two years.

He was born Aug. 16, 1897, in Bryan.

Funeral services will be conducted at 5 p. m. Sunday at the Bethel church, with Rev. Will Hamar, Missionary Baptist minister at Carthage, officiating. Burial will be in Big Spring cemetery. Survivors include his wife; one son, Kenneth Scott of Big Spring; three daughters, Mrs. Paul Hanson, Vanel Scott and Sarah Beth Scott, all of Big Spring; one grandson, Lavell Hanson; his mother, Mrs. Ida Scott of Big Spring; one brother, David Scott of Bryan; three sisters, Mrs. Bonnie Puckett of Big Spring, Mrs. Cecil Borders of Carthage and Mrs. Ben Rice of Houston.

Mr. Scott had been a member of the Missionary Baptist church many years. He had lived in this vicinity seven years.

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Cub Day Camp Due This Week

D. M. McKinney, Cubmaster, Saturday urged all Cubs in Big Spring to participate in the Day Camp at the city park, Monday through Friday.

The camp series opens officially at 9 a. m. Monday. If there are those whose parents cannot arrange to bring several Cubs to the park, McKinney pointed out that there will be a bus leaving from the corner of Third and Main at 9:15 a. m. each day to go to the park. A return trip will be made by the bus at 8 p. m., and transfers may be had at Third and Main each way for the trip. The fare for the special trip will be 10 cents, said the Cubmaster.

McKinney said each Cub is to bring a picnic lunch, and suggested that for the evening meal many parents will want to bring a basket picnic for their boys. Ice boxes will be provided to keep lunches fresh for the youngsters, he said.

On Wednesday the 9 a. m.-3 p. m. camp routine will be broken with a picnic set for 7 p. m. Following there will be a presentation of awards to about 35 eligible Cubs. Fathers of the Cubs are being asked to spend Wednesday night with their sons.

Thursday plans include participation in the opening rodeo parade at 6 p. m., said McKinney. Transportation to and from the park will be furnished.

Tents will be erected by Boy Scouts for the Cubs and the Cubmaster, field scout executive and scouts will be on duty at all times. Parents and visitors are invited.

Dairy Feed Payments

A total of \$15.24 has been issued since Aug. 10 in dairy feed payments based on sales of 254 pounds of butterfat, the AAA office announced Saturday. A total of \$62.58 has been paid this month. Payments of \$47.34 were issued from Aug. 1 to 10 for 789 pounds of butterfat.

Livestock

FORT WORTH, Aug. 19 (AP)—Cattle 100; calves 75; steady; medium and low grade steers and yearlings 6.00-12.00; butcher cows 7.00-9.00; canner and cutter cows

4.00-7.00; bulls 5.50-8.25; fat calves 7.50-12.00; culls 5.50-7.00. Hogs 800; steady; good and choice 180-240 pound butcher hogs 14.55; heavier butchers and sows 13.80; good and choice 180-175 pound butchers 13.25-14.45; stocker pigs 11.00 down.

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Whether the vitamin helps to control the allergy itself is uncertain. But its effect on the symptoms is indicated by this amazing record—22 out of 25 sufferers in the original test reported marked relief.

Amounts of Vitamin C found effective are 3 to 7 times greater than the ordinary diet provides. Of these increased amounts, Wheslin CEVIGARDS are suggested as a convenient, high-quality product. CEVIGARDS provide pure Vitamin C in tablets made with a natural B Complex which provides added nutritional values.

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Give yourself the benefit of this high-quality product. Get genuine CEVIGARDS—and a free Hay Fever leaflet—at Collins Bros. and Walgreen Drug Stores in Big Spring.

Wades Have Daughter

A daughter weighing 7 pounds 8 ounces was born to Lt. and Mrs. J. E. Wade Thursday in Malone & Hogan hospital. The infant was named Sylvia Louise. The father is stationed at Big Spring Bombarrier school.

DIES FROM FALL

WACO, Aug. 19 (AP)—Leroy Allison, 16, died today from injuries received Thursday in a fall from a second story window of his home while walking in his sleep.

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Interesting point brought out by Davidson was the fact considered in arranging flights. If the weather is bad, the plane, which normally carries 14 passengers, will only take 10 to make room for additional gasoline supplies.

Among outstanding celebrities passing through Big Spring in the last few weeks were Orson Welles and Robert Taylor, both aboard planes which stopped for fuel.

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Military Weddings At Post Chapel Hold Social Spotlight

Vows Taken By Couples On Friday

A lieutenant in the Nurse Corp and a lieutenant in the Air Corp were married in one ceremony and two other members of the military personnel and their civilian fiancées were united in other weddings read here Friday evening.

MICKEY - NAHLER
Lieut. Ruth M. Nahler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob H. Nahler of Huntingburg, Ind., and 1st Lieut. Harold K. Mickey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Mickey of Hammond, Ind., were united in a double ring ceremony read at the post chapel Friday evening at 7:45 o'clock.

Chaplain James L. Patterson officiated and the vows were exchanged before an altar decorated with peach gladioli and palms and white candelabra.

The bride was given in marriage by Maj. P. H. Rankin.

Matron of Honor was Lieut. Margaret J. Eager and best man was Lieut. Earl Baskin.

Sgt. Russell Kruetzer played the traditional wedding music on the organ and Cpl. Yetta Kaufman sang "I Love You Truly."

The couple is at home at 1509 Main while both are stationed at the Big Spring Bombardier school.

The bride is a graduate of Huntingburg high school and Deaconess Hospital Training School for Nurses. She received her commission in June 1943 and has been stationed at the post hospital four months.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Hammond high school and received his commission and pilot wings February 1943. He has been stationed here for over a year.

CROES - PALFYN
A double ring ceremony was read by Chaplain James L. Patterson Friday evening at 7:15 o'clock in the post chapel when Miss Denise Irene Palfyn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cornell Palfyn of Lawrence, Mass., became the bride of Lieut. William J. Croes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Croes of Lawrence, Mass.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a white lace bridal gown with drop shoulders, fitted bodice and flared skirt. Her veil was of finger tip blue illusion and she carried a mixed colonial bouquet.

The wedding party stood before the altar which was banked with an arrangement of peach gladioli and palms with white candelabra on either side.

The bride's mother was her only attendant. Mrs. Palfyn wore an orchid dress with lace insertions and matching accessories. Her corsage was of pink roses.

Lieut. Sinclair Streetman was the best man.

The couple will be at home in the Crawford Hotel while the bridegroom is stationed at the Bombardier school as a pilot.

Mrs. Croes is a graduate of Boston University where she was a member of the Zeta Chi Delta sorority.

Lieut. Croes received his pilot wings and commission in Seymour, Ind. at Freeman Field May 23 and was stationed at Dodge City, Kan. before being shipped here recently.

CAUBLE - HUBBELL
Miss Harry Ethel Hubbell of Big Spring became the bride of Cpl. Kyle B. Cauble of Fort Bliss Friday evening at 8:30 o'clock in the presence of the First Methodist church.

Rev. W. L. Porterfield read the single ring ceremony.

The bride wore a white dress and white accessories. She carried a bouquet of red rose buds tied with a white satin ribbon.

Only attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Jarrett.

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Young People Have Hobo Party At Baptist Church

Young people of the East Fourth Baptist church were entertained with a Ho-Bo party at the church Friday evening.

Chaperones were Mrs. Oscar Steward and Mrs. Herman Taylor. Those attending were Roma Southard, Billie Bates, Elsie Kenon, Bessie Mae Bannaby, Betty Woodson, Oscar L. Page, Claudine Bird, Albert Shears, Doyle Ashley, Jean Jenkins, Mozelle Chapman, Lucille Taylor, Wanda Forester, Yvonne Milam, Alphone Page, Homer Gay, Jr., Lynelle Sullivan, Dean Forrest, Naomi Winn, Ethelaine Rainey.

Cosden Chatter

By MRS. ROXIE DOBBINS

The best news of the week besides the war news is that Cosden's second well in the Miller extension of the Sewell pool in Young county has been completed for 1200 barrels daily.

R. L. Tolleit returned Tuesday morning from a business trip to Fort Worth and Dallas.

Left Monday night for a two weeks' visit with his parents in Diana, W. Va.

L. O. Beil was a business visitor in the office Wednesday.

A very interesting letter was received from C. W. O. Neel G. Barnaby this week, who is stationed in the South Pacific. He has high praise for the men of the New Zealand army, and writes that they are tops as fighting men and buddies.

A large number of Cosden faces were seen at the football workout of the Brooklyn Tigers in the high school stadium Wednesday evening.

Jack Horton, representative of the Commerce Clearing House in the Southwest, was a visitor in the office Wednesday.

We have received word that S 1-c Claude A. Ramsey has been transferred to a ship from Camp Peary, Virginia.

Ralph S. Harrington, service supervisor of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, Dallas, was a business visitor in the office Thursday.

Louise McDonald has been in Dallas this week for medical treatment.

Fred Garnt of Fort Worth, representing Reimers - Taylor company, was in the office Friday.

James Stewart of Abilene, representing The Stewart Paper company, was in the office Thursday.

Cecil W. Filler has completed his boot camp training at San Diego, Calif., and has been transferred to Norfolk, Va., where he is with the L. S. T. Induction Group. Mrs. Filler is with her husband in Virginia.

Mrs. Rip Smith was transferred Monday from the sales department to the bulk plant office.

Women continue to do their part in helping to relieve the manpower situation. Juanita Rhoads and Mrs. Laura Burrow were recently employed on the loading rack at the Big Spring bulk plant.

Hubert C. Stipp, our production engineer, whose office was formerly located in the Petroleum building, has moved into the Cosden office building at the refinery.

Fred Falley and Bill Ganley of Chicago, with Falley Petroleum company, were visitors in the office Thursday.

Mrs. Hubert C. Stipp and son, Louis, are expected to return Sunday night from a trip to New Orleans, Louisiana.

M. M. Miller was in Wichita Falls, Vernon and Graham this week on business.

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Mrs. T. E. Baker And Mrs. R. J. Michael Honor Mildred Creath With Tea-Shower

Miss Taylor Entertains Friends

Wilma Jo Taylor was hostess at a skating and slumber party Friday evening and at a breakfast in the Settles hotel Saturday morning given for her friends.

Following skating at the local rink the guests had a midnight snack in the Taylor home.

Those attending were Cora Ellen Selkirk, Helen Blount, Wynelle Wilkerson, Jo Ann Rice, Billie Gene Anderson, Jean Ellen Chowns, Janet Robb, Doris Jean Glenn, Betty Sue Sweeney, Betty Lou McGinnis, Louise Ann Bennett, Marilyn Keaton, Anna Claire Waters, Nancy Thompson, Mina Mae Taylor, Vera Dell Walker.

Activities at the USO

SUNDAY
1:00-3:00—Classical recordings in recording room.
3:00-5:00—Craft class and recording hour.

MONDAY
9:00—Games and Dancing.
TUESDAY
9:00—Informal dancing to the juke box.

WEDNESDAY
Volunteer desk hostesses.
6:15—Hospital visiting hour at the post, Lillian Jordan, chairman.
9:00—Bingo, three-minute free telephone call home.

THURSDAY
Games and dancing.
FRIDAY
Volunteer desk hostesses.
9:00—General activities.

SATURDAY
7:00-9:00—Canteen open, free cookies and iced tea furnished.
9:00-11:00—Record letters in recording room.

Monday night the following GSO girls will finish the curtains for Section A dayroom at the post: Wynelle Franklin, Nita Chapman, Mozelle Bradley, Dorothy Long.

Because of the rodeo, there will be no special activities held in the latter part of the week.

Word has been received from Howard Bell, USO director, that he hopes to be back in Big Spring soon. He is in Rochester recuperating from a minor operation.

Fine Blackberry Upside-Down Cake Listed For You

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Marinate Beef For Stew
Beef Stew
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Blackberry Upside-Down Cake

Blackberry Upside-Down Cake Topping:
4 tablespoons margarine
1 cup sugar
2 cups fresh blackberries
Melt margarine in baking pan about eight inches square. Spread sugar over margarine and then add berries, spreading evenly.
Batter:
2 cups flour
1-2 cup sugar
1 teaspoon ginger
1-2 teaspoon salt
1-2 teaspoon soda
1 1-2 (teaspoons) baking powder
1 egg
3-4 cup molasses
1-4 cup melted margarine
3-4 cup hot water
Sift all dry ingredients together. Combine the eggs, molasses, margarine and hot water in a bowl. Add the sifted dry ingredients and blend well. Pour batter carefully over the berry topping and bake at 350 degrees from 45 to 50 minutes. Let stand in the pan 15 minutes before turning out. If desired, the cake may be served with sour cream slightly sweetened with confectioner's sugar and flavored with a dash of vanilla.)

CALENDAR

MONDAY
WOMAN'S SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN SERVICE of the Wesley Methodist church meets in the church at 3 o'clock.
WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY of the Church of the Nazarene will meet at 2:30 p. m. in the church.
PRESBYTERIAN AUXILIARY will hold an inspirational meeting in the church at 2:15 p. m.

Teaching Baby To Drink, Eat Takes Loving Attention

Prepared by the Staff of the Child Study Association of America, Inc.

From breast to bottle, from bottle to cup, from liquids to solids—you help your child take each step, one at a time.

Doctors advise giving breast-fed babies one bottle feeding a day so they can get used to the bottle before weaning time.

They also advise that you hold your baby in your arms when you give him a bottle. He needs the comfort of cuddling close as much as he needs the food.

Give your baby his orange juice first out of a spoon and then out of a cup, so he'll come to know these new ways of getting food. At first he may not like milk in a cup, but he will in time.

Don't begin making a change until you feel reasonably sure your child is ready for it. Stand by patiently and give him extra loving and attention at times when you are starting him on something new.

Remember that these are important changes for a young child. In each of these steps he is giving up something he knows and likes for something he isn't sure of. He will do what he knows you want him to do more easily if he feels your approval and encouragement in each step.

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British authorities estimated that Allied bombings of Europe had reduced by 40 per cent the production of German aircraft by the end of 1943.

Mr. and Mrs. Medford Parents Of Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Medford, 1606 State, are the parents of a daughter born at the Malone and Hogan Clinic and Hospital Friday at 9:10 p. m.

The baby girl was named Dorinda Kay and weighed in at seven pounds and seven ounces.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Medford and maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Alvis.

Both mother and daughter are doing nicely.



Welcome Rodeo Visitors

Why not have your picture made while in Big Spring this week? Come in anytime... no appointment required.

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Club Entertained With Watermelon Feast At Park

A watermelon feast at the city park Friday evening was entertainment for members of the American Business club and their families.

Horseshoe pitching and other outside games were entertainment.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Apple and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Bailey and children, Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Creighton and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haller, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Jennings and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Johnson and family, J. D. Jones, Leon Lederman, Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Porterfield, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Ryke and family, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd White and son, Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Whittington and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. B. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest E. Wood and son, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Wooten and family and several guests.

Ma Deason presided at the bride's book, and Midgie Lou Holley, niece of the honoree, presented guests with cards bearing the names of the bride and groom.

Mrs. Johnny Garrison and Mrs. L. Allen Holley, sister of Miss Creath, poured punch during the evening.

Receiving guests were Miss Creath, Mrs. J. R. Creath, Mrs. G. J. Early, Mrs. Baker and Mrs. Michael.

Peach gladioli corsages were worn by members of the household.

The guest list included Mrs. J. Green, Mrs. A. G. Hall, Mrs. J. F. Wolcott and Helen Wolcott, Mrs. Pearl B. Perry, Mrs. C. E. Manning, Rev. and Mrs. J. E. McCoy, Mrs. M. L. Burrus of Lubbock, Mrs. M. A. Berry, Lucile Berry, Mrs. Opal Douglas, Mrs. George Smith, Loma Smith, Mrs. W. L. Shaeffer, Mrs. Charles Cartwright, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Simpson of Colorado, Mrs. Edith Han, Mrs. F. M. Purser, Mrs. L. H. Bohannon, Mrs. George Owen, Mrs. Joe Smink, Mrs. Georgia Johnson, Mrs. J. L. Milner, Mrs. Addison Cotten, Mrs. Willard Sullivan, Mrs. J. Y. Blount, Mrs. Karen White, Mrs. Edith Murdock, Mrs. George Hall, Mrs. Harry Lees, Mrs. G. W. Dabney, Mrs. Medlin Smith, Mrs. Frances Zandt, Betty Jo Earley, Mrs. L. A. Eubanks, Mrs. M. C. Lawrence, Mrs. Harvey Clay, Mrs. Cliff Wiley, Mrs. Rosa Nelle Robinson, Stella Schubert, Mrs. Mary Ezell, Mrs. H. Clay Read, Mrs. Dora Pike.

Mrs. H. W. Smith, Mrs. J. R. Parks, Mrs. J. H. Stiff, Mrs. I. D. Eddins, Mrs. Mattie Moore, Mrs. F. O. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Gillian, Mrs. J. I. Prichard, Mrs. J. F. Kennedy, Mrs. E. L. Deason, Mrs. Faye Runyan Ward, Mrs. Ida St. Claire, Mrs. H. H. Smith, Gladys Smith, Mr. and Mrs. George Mclear, Mrs. Ruby Read, Mrs. W. F. Cook, Mrs. Georgia Bond, B. Reagan, Josephine Dabney, Mrs. H. H. Squires, Mrs. C. C. Coffee, Mrs. Grover Camp, Mrs. A. M. Runyan, Mrs. A. C. Hart, Mrs. Pauline Petty, Mrs. Ludie Perkins.

The post orchestra, under the direction of T/Sgt. Winslow Chamberlain, furnished music for the dancing at the enlisted men's dance Saturday evening given at the tennis courts in the city park.

Cpl. Phil Tucker of the Special Services Section was in charge of the dance.

Luncheon And All Day Session Held

The Fairview Home Demonstration club met Thursday at the Moore school for an all day session and covered dish luncheon.

The group re-seated several chairs for the post hospital dayroom, and Mrs. W. B. Graddy gave a report on the home demonstration convention at Austin.

It was voted that the next all day meeting and luncheon would be held August 24 at the Moore school, when the remaining chairs would be re-seated.

Those present were Mrs. W. H. Ward, Mrs. J. W. Wooten, Mrs. Robert Hill, Mrs. W. L. Eggleston, Mrs. O. D. Engle, Mrs. J. I. Rogers, Mrs. Frank Wilson, Mrs. J. F. Skalkicky, Mrs. J. W. Brigance, Mrs. J. R. Mason, Mrs. J. A. Langley, Mrs. O. Y. Miller, and Mrs. Willard Smith, a visitor.

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Three Ceremonies Held Saturday In Chapel

Highlighting the social news of the week-end was the announcement of several weddings of military personnel, three of which took place Saturday in the post chapel at the Big Spring Bombardier school with Chaplain James L. Patterson officiating.

The three wedding parties in the chapel stood before an altar banked with an arrangement of peach gladioli and palms. White candelabra was on either side of the bridal couples.

AVERYT-TOLBERT
Double ring wedding vows were repeated Saturday evening at 8 o'clock when Miss Mary Lynn Tolbert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. Tolbert of Gladewater, became the bride of Lieut. Jack D. Averyt, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Averyt of Gladewater.

Father of the bride gave her in marriage and she wore a gold suit and brown accessories. She carried a prayer book topped with an orchid and gladioli arrangement.

Virginia Averyt, sister of the bride, was the bridesmaid and she wore a green suit and brown accessories. Her shoulder corsage was of pink gladioli.

Pvt. Bill Averyt, brother of the bridegroom, of Chanute Field, Ill., was the best man.

Both mothers wore black dresses and black accessories.

The couple will be at home at 805 Main while the bridegroom is stationed as a pilot at the local field.

Mrs. Averyt is a graduate of Gladewater high school and attended Kilgore junior college. Lieut. Averyt is a graduate of Gladewater high school and Kilgore junior college. He attended North Texas State Teachers College before entering the air corps. He received his commission and pilot wings June 28 in Panama.

BRICKER-SHAFER
Miss Mary Jane Shafer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Shafer of Columbus, Ohio, and Cadet Robert M. Bricker, son of J. A. Bricker of Youngstown, Ohio, were married in a double ring ceremony read Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The bride wore a light blue dress and white accessories with a shoulder corsage of gardenias.

Cadet and Mrs. Bretelle were the only attendants.

Mrs. Bricker is a graduate of West high school in Columbus and attended Bliss college. Cadet Bricker attended Ohio State University before entering the air corps.

FORTENBERRY-BIFFLE
Miss Sarah Grace Biffle and

Lieut. James T. Fortenberry of Thanton, Miss., were united in marriage Saturday evening at 8:45 o'clock.

The couple is at home at 504 Douglas.



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Don't Miss It!

Bobbie Haynes Will Receive Degree At TSCW Sept 2nd

DENTON, Aug. 19—Miss Bobbie Lewis Haynes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Haynes of Garden City, is a candidate for a bachelor of science degree at Texas State College for Women to be awarded at summer graduating exercises here Sept. 2.

Approximately 100 bachelor degrees and 17 master of arts degrees will be conferred by Pres. L. H. Hubbard following his traditional commencement address. The graduating exercises will conclude a 13-week summer session. The fall term opens Sept. 17.

Miss Haynes will receive her degree in home economics education, and while attending TSCW she was vice president of the Mary Swartz Rose club and a member of the Philomathia club. Also she served as house counselor in a dormitory.

So They're Tidying Up The College Girl

By DOROTHY ROE
AP Fashion Editor

There's a determined effort afoot among long-suffering parents, teachers and designers to tidy up the American college girl. Smartly beguiling advertisements point with pride to the "new" look. Department store college shops display trimly tailored suits and well-bred dresses. Slick paper magazines present sleek and glamorous pictures of the "new" collegian, groomed within an inch of her life.

By all these super-salesman methods it is fondly hoped that the campus set may be coaxed out of their beloved blue jeans, bobby socks and sloppy sweaters into honest-to-goodness clothes.

Indications are that the movement is really catching on in some sections of the country—notably in coed universities where the girls always have been more inclined to spruce up for masculine audiences. In the women's colleges of the east, however, it's still a safe bet that glamor will be reserved strictly for weekends, with blue jeans winning in a walk for weekday wear.

A designer who knows all about



COLLEGE KNOWLEDGE deer es this well-groomed look for off-campus hours, at least. Left, cardigan suit and topcoat in black and white shepherd-checked wool. Right, gray wool off-cree's coat, fitted and double-breasted.

the needs and quirks of college girls in Etta Gaynes, who turns out the kind of suits and topcoats they adore, dresses them for dates as well as classes, sees to it that a lot of good tailoring goes into the bright tweeds and sturdy worsteds that they scramble into each fall. Says she:

"The girls definitely want dressier suits and coats this fall. They want to dress up when they leave the campus. For classroom wear, they will still cling to the old standbys, I suppose — jeans in the colleges where they are permitted and sweaters and skirts in the others. But at least we're getting them glamorized for off-duty hours."

And that's about the sum and substance of the "new neat look." Our educated lassies undoubtedly will cling to their "fatigue uniforms" for workaday wear, but will out-shine the pin-up girl of the hour when they step out for off-campus shindigs.

In time, they may even decide to spruce up for class. But I doubt seriously if such a revolution can be accomplished overnight. After all, say the undergrads, you have to respect tradition.

Among back-to-school outfits currently shown in stores throughout the nation, the No. 1 favorite is the gray flannel suit, with slacks or long shorts to match, and an assortment of contrasting blazers. Clean plaids also shine in warm, bright woollens that go into suits and slacks, skirts and coats.



WEEKEND SWANK: Chamolis wool jacket, black skirt, chamolis trimmed topcoat. Designs by Etta Gaynes.

For dressier moments there are softly tailored suits in black, braid-bound, to be worn with vivid shortie coats which double for daytime or evening.

Dance dresses are definitely long, with bouffant styles just edging over slinky models in the popularity vote.

The long stocking cap, which covers the hair, is a fad slated to sweep like wildfire over every campus in the land, while the soft felt cloche will be worn for dress-up occasions.

As to shoes, loafers and ghillies are derisive for campus, and pumps, with bows and high heels, please, for festive hours.



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Visitors Highlight News At Forson

FORSON, Aug. 19 — Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Pritchard and Dorothy Pritchard and Dorothy Jean Gressett are in Ruidosa, N. M. this week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. McAllen and family are also vacationing in Ruidosa.

Donald Gressett is visiting his cousin in Colorado City.

C. L. and Aquilla West were business visitors in Midland Thursday.

S-Sgt. and Mrs. H. O. Bennett of Big Spring visited the G. L. Monroynes Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Granville Pritchard were Forson visitors this week.

Mrs. R. A. Chambers accompanied her son, Walter to Oklahoma Tuesday. They made the trip in Walter's airplane.

Walter's plane children are visiting in Lamesa.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Conger, Jr. and Bill III spent last week-end with Mrs. Conger's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Brasner in Sterling City.

Friends here have received wedding announcement of Farrell Walters and Malie Tommie McCanness. The couple is to be married September 4th in Triune, Tenn. Walters served the local Church of Christ congregation as minister last school term. He was then a student at Abilene Christian College. He and his bride will be at home in Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Scudday spent this week in Ruidosa, N. M.

Eunice Cunningham of Uvalde visited Mrs. Pearl Scudday this week.

Cpl. Red James Cited By 36th

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Atkinson have received word that Mrs. Atkinson's brother, Cpl. G. W. (Red) James, recently received a commendation from Major Gen. John E. Dahlquist for exceptionally meritorious conduct on June 3, 1944, while in service in Italy.

Cpl. James, reared in Big Spring attended the local schools and entered military service two years ago. After being shipped overseas 15 months ago, Cpl. James was wounded and awarded the Purple Heart on February 6th, 1944.

The citation received read in part: "Cpl. George W. James anti-tank company, for exceptionally meritorious conduct on June 3, 1944 in Italy. Cpl. James and 12 comrades were assigned the task of carrying needed ammunition to the front line forces fighting on the summit of a mountain.

"Making many trips without rest through flat, exposed ground, and over steep, treacherous mountain paths, braving constant sniper and mortar fire, they determinedly made their way with the vital ammunition to the front line forces. As a result of their untiring efforts, they materially assisted in breaking up a serious counter-attack which threatened to break throughout the lines."

The corporal also received commendation for exceptional service in Italy on May 21 for rescuing his wounded comrades.

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AN AP FEATURES PICTOGRAPH

Society
The Big Spring Daily Herald

Page Nine Sunday, August 20, 1944
Big Spring Ranks Low In Teacher Pay Level

Need of additional revenue to apply to teachers' salaries was given as the reason for an increase in percent of valuation for tax purposes Friday in the Big Spring Independent School district and local school officials are pointing to a survey by B. McDaniel, superintendent of the Denison Public schools, which shows how the schools of this district and salaries offered teachers, stand with 24 other schools of similar rating in the state of Texas.

The minimum salary for elementary women teachers, \$1,000, with a maximum of \$1,370 was in the lower bracket with only Corsicana, Bonham, Denison, Gainesville and Greenville, with a lower minimum, San Angelo and Marshall have a floor, \$1,000. Highest-ent minimum salary listed was at Denton whose minimum is \$1,512. McAllen is next with \$1,400.

With a \$1000 minimum and \$1370 maximum in women high school teachers, Big Spring ranked near the bottom of the list over the state with Marshall whose minimum is \$1,000 and Gainesville whose minimum salary is \$900 per year. Highest reported for the group is Sweetwater with \$1,700. Following are Brownwood with \$1,575 and Bryan, \$1,570.

Highest coaching salary was reported by Longview with \$4,200, compared with others which ranged from \$1,800 through \$2,400 (Big Spring salary) and upward.

In the administration section of the survey, the report showed that the local principal's salary figure of \$2,400 ranked with Bonham, Borger, Gainesville, Sherman, Sweetwater and Terrell. Del Rio was lowest with a \$1,870 and Longview was highest with \$3,400.

In school superintendents' salary figures, Big Spring's \$4,000 ranked with Bonham \$3,600, Cleburne, \$3,570, Del Rio, \$3,960. Highest reported salary was Bryan with \$5,400, and lowest was Gainesville with \$3,000.

Recipe For Today

By CHARLOTTE ADAMS
Have You Had Sweetbreads Lately?

Sauteed Sweetbreads Parsley Potatoes Baby Beets Bran Bread Pie

(Recipes Serve Four)

Sauteed Sweetbreads
2 pairs sweetbreads
1-2 teaspoon salt
1 tablespoon vinegar
Flour
Margarine for frying
1 tablespoon lemon juice
1-4 cup margarine (additional)

Parboil sweetbreads in boiling water to which have been added the salt and vinegar. Cover and simmer 15 minutes. Drain and cover with cold water. Cool, remove membrane and tubes and cut in half inch slices. Dredge lightly with flour and saute in margarine over low heat until delicately browned on all sides. Add one tablespoon lemon juice to the one-fourth cup melted margarine and pour over sweetbreads.

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FOURTH PRIZE—Spur leathers with tips, donated by Cliff Wiley.

FIFTH PRIZE—Leather Jacket, donated by Fox Coffee Shop.

Committee reserves the right to substitute any of the above named prizes.



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M. M. Leopard Dies At Home Saturday

Funeral services for M. M. Leopard, 82, who succumbed at his home 300 N. Scurry at 2 p. m. Saturday, will be held this afternoon at 4 p. m. in the Nalley funeral home with the Rev. Dick O'Brien, pastor of the First Baptist church officiating.

Born April 9, 1862 in Georgia, Leopard had resided in Big Spring for the past five years and was engaged in farming activities.

Survivors include three sons, W. C. Leopard, Sand Springs; M. C. Leopard, Big Spring and J. H. Leopard, California; 10 grand children and one great-grandchild.

Burial services will be held at 10 a. m. at the Nalley funeral home. Arrangements are in charge of Nalley funeral home.

Happy Family—Father And Son Both In Jail

A negro man and his 16-year-old son both were in Howard county jail Saturday.

The man was transferred after arrest by city police for alleged burglary. The son was arrested by Jim F. Crenshaw, constable, after allegedly stealing a watch. Charges had not been filed.

Su voto y i su influencia es apreciada por el Senor J. F. (Jim) Crenshaw para candidato para contestable de justicia del peginto numero und HOWARD COUNTY Agosto 26, 1944
(Pd. Pol. Adv. J. F. Crenshaw)

Private Brager Abroad By Dave Brager



"You say it keeps following you around since you returned from your furlough?"

King George Pledges To Push Jap War

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19 (AP)—King George VI of Britain has assured President Roosevelt that British forces will make an "increasingly power contribution" to "the coming utter defeat of Japan."

The American conquest of the island of Guam is "another long step in the relentless march to Tokyo" and he welcomed the increasing strength of British forces in the Pacific.

The state department today made public the exchange of messages.

STILLS BUT NO WHISKY

AUSTIN, Aug. 19 (AP)—Liquor control board inspectors in July seized and destroyed six illicit stills, but they were only able to find a gallon and a quarter of moonshine whisky. The board reported revenues of \$1,046,936.92 for the month.

WHOSE SIDE THEY ON?

ISTANBUL, Aug. 19 (AP)—Turkish anti-aircraft gunners shot down their second British plane within a fortnight today.

Hurley And Nelson Are Sent To China

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19 (AP)—President Roosevelt announced late today that he was sending Maj. Gen. Patrick J. Hurley and Donald M. Nelson on a mission to China to discuss military supply, military and economic problems with Generalissimo Chiang Kai Shek.

They will leave shortly and be in China several months.

General Hurley has been a special emissary abroad for the chief executive for several years. Nelson's place on the War Production Board will be filled during his absence by Vice Chairman Charles E. Wilson.

Tony Weeg Funeral Is Set For Monday

Funeral services for Anton Frank (Tony) Weeg, retired T. & P. engineer who died Friday morning at 8:30 o'clock Monday morning in the Catholic church.

Palbearers will be W. R. Martin, Tom Bolt, O. R. Bolinger, John Albert Smith, Shine Philips, Walter Arnold, Joe Bosdie and Dr. R. B. Dunivan.

A rosary will be conducted at 8 p. m. Sunday at Eberley-Curry funeral home.

Burial will be in the Catholic cemetery here.

Mr. Weeg had lived in Big Spring 36 years. He retired in 1937.

TO ALL VOTERS OF PRECINCT 4, HOWARD COUNTY, TEXAS

I take this method of thanking all of you who gave me your vote and influence for Commissioner of Precinct No. 4, in the first Primary, and respectfully solicit the vote and influence of all of you in the run-off primary, August 26th. I am 53 years of age and have resided in Howard County practically all of my life. The experience that I have gained as your Commissioner will help me to be a better Commissioner in the future. My service of 8 months overseas and on the front in the first world war, has helped me to understand some of the problems that have come before our Commissioner's Court in connection with our war effort and in connection with the problems that will come before us when the war has been won and our boys are returning home.

I shall try to see each of you before the election, but if I fail to see you, I trust that you will take this as a personal request from me for your vote and influence in this run-off primary.

You have my promise that I will use my best efforts for Precinct No. 4 and for Howard County, I am,

Very truly yours,
AKIN SIMPSON
(Pd. Pol. Adv. Akin Simpson)

Strange Nazi Mouthings Do Not Cover Up Dismal Rout

By KIRKE L. SIMPSON
Associated Press War Analyst
The war that Hitler made had come to German soil in the east by land as well as air—this crucial August week-end and it was moving swiftly toward a climax in the west.

Faced with possibilities of disaster, Nazi home-front cheer leaders preached the strange doctrine of a retreat to victory, seeking to lull German public opinion against ever mounting military reverses. Vague promises of new

Review Honors Combat Hero

Pageantry of a full military review was unfolded at the Big Spring Bombardier School yesterday as officers, enlisted men, WACs, and aviation cadets joined in honoring First Lieut. Leonard C. Morris as he was given an award for heroic action overseas.

A perfect day drew a large crowd of spectators to the drill field, where the full dress review marked the first formal appearance of the entire military personnel before its new commanding officer, Colonel Ralph C. Rockwood. Lt. Col. Paul S. Dewell, executive officer, was in charge of the troops.

Center of attraction in the reviewing stand was Lt. Morris, now a bombardier instructor here. He was given an oak leaf cluster for the Distinguished Flying Cross previously awarded him for extraordinary achievement while in combat over Germany. Col. Rockwood made the presentation.

The citation lauding Lieut. Morris for his heroic exploits while in combat missions over enemy territory was read by Capt. Roland F. Hatfield, post adjutant. The citation set out how Lt. Morris, lead bombardier, dropped his bombs with skillful accuracy in the face of an intense fighter attack. He had missions over Bremen, Emden, Kiel and Gotha in Germany among others.

In the reviewing stand with Col. Rockwood were Lt. Col. James F. Reed, director of training, Lt. Col. Gerald F. Keeling, director of maintenance, and Major Conrad O. Frazier, air inspector, as well as newly decorated Lt. Morris.

Daughtry Rites Slated Tuesday

Last rites for A. W. Daughtry, 75, who died suddenly at his home Wednesday, are to be held Tuesday at 5 p. m. at the Nalley funeral chapel.

Born May 7, 1869, Daughtry came to Big Spring around 30 years ago and has engaged in farming and landscaping as a trade.

Survivors include sons, W. H. Daughtry, Eugene, Ore., H. B. Daughtry and G. W. Daughtry, both overseas.

Daughtry was a member of the Rising Star Masonic Lodge No. 429 at Center Point, and local Masons will be in charge of services at the graveside. J. D. Harvey, Church of Christ minister, will officiate.

Reception Planned For Gov. Stevenson

DALLAS, Aug. 19 (AP)—A public reception will be given Gov. Coke R. Stevenson during the time he is here attending the state democratic convention to be held at Fair Park auditorium Sept. 12, W. S. Bramblett, chairman of the Dallas county democratic executive committee, said today.

Tentative arrangements, he said, call for the reception to be held Monday afternoon, Sept. 11.

armies and new weapons rolled off the lips of Nazi spokesmen. Distorted versions of battles still raging in towns and cities which for days have been held by the Russians or Allies filled the German air. No mention was made of the internal revolt in France against the German conquerors that is ripping French soil loose from Nazi control even before Allied liberation armies reach the scene.

To German troops reeling backward in East Prussia under Russian blows, to shattered remnants of the once powerful Nazi Seventh army in northwestern France, to survivors of stunned German garrisons in southern France, and, most of all perhaps, to "the men of Vichy" and their satellite French collaborationists these Nazi outgivings must have brought sardonic laughter. They know the fate awaiting them with a German flight from France.

And it was for that Nazi broadcasters were preparing the German people. It was already in progress west of the Seine as they spoke. It was no less impending in the south as the Allied Riviera beachhead expanded against still meagre opposition, and as French underground armies leaped from cover to pounce upon isolated enemy detachments.

The full scope and effect of that French uprising in response to the long delayed call to arms is yet to be assessed. Only snapshots glimpses of its operations are yet revealed. However, it has an obvious definite relationship to Allied grand strategy. It is a potential factor of supreme importance in hastening a German retreat into the old battle grounds of World War One in northeastern France.

American columns hampering the Loire above Orleans on the right flank of Eisenhower's battle line and the nearest prongs of Patch's Mediterranean invasion army curving swiftly about Touon are still nearly 400 miles apart. In between the men, however, all through the mountains that flank the Rhone valley from the Swiss frontier to the sea French patriots are busy mopping up German control centers.

Former Commanding Officer's Unit Is Restoring Churches

According to EM, AAFBS newspaper, Col. Robert L. Warren, former commanding officer of the local post and his group voluntarily decided to rebuild destroyed churches in England.

The dispatch from Reuters over their world-wide network, said the colonel was leading the men in the drive for money and labor to restore many of the bomb destroyed and damaged churches of the British Isles.

Col. Warren now heads an Eighth Air Force unit in England.



PRINCE AT PLAY—Prince William, two-year-old son of the Duke and Duchess of Gloucester, sails his toy boat in the duck pond of Barnwell Manor, Peterborough, England.

Colorado City Finishes Show

COLORADO CITY, Aug. 19—In the fast-moving second performance of the Colorado City frontier roundup and rodeo here Friday night, Harry Middleton turned in the best time in the calf roping division.

Middleton, with his calf roped and tied in 19.7 seconds, beat J. P. Miller Jr.'s 19.8 by one tenth of a second. Third in the prize roping competition was Vance Davis with 20.3.

Clay Mann Smith, Jr., was again low man in the evening's jackpot roping contest for Mitchell county cowhands with 21.1. Jesse Jones was second with 22.2, and Bob Looney third with 25.8.

Vance Davis gave spectators their money's worth when he ranked up a 14.6 record in the calf roping division, besting his brother, Ralph Davis, who made it in 16.2. Third place honors were tied by J. P. Miller, Jr. and Doyle Riley, who belted their calves in 17.5 seconds each.

Morning roping sessions for part of the entrants are being staged to speed up night performances. The flag race for cowgirl sponsors also wound up in a tie with Mrs. Punk Snyder, sponsor from Melvin, and Billy Lou Thompson of Snyder each doing the required gallop in 17.6 seconds. Mrs. Judy Hayes of the Z. T. Ranch was second with 19.5, closely followed by the 19.7 made by Jessie Myers of Hamlin.

Grady Blue placed first in Friday night's cutting horse elimination exhibition. Jimmy Maddox was judged second. A matched contest between Joe Boatright

Colorado City Finishes Show

and Berry Hart has been set for after tonight's show, when each rider will cut 10 calves from the herd.

Steer and bronc riding melees were rougher than usual with only two contestants managing a ride in the wild steer division. They were R. J. Anderson and Neal Collier. Tonight's performance winds up the three-day rodeo and settles money winners in all divisions.

No Successor Named

No one has been appointed to replace V. A. Cross, whose resignation as health sanitarian becomes effective September 1. B. J. McDaniel, city manager, said Saturday, that because of the acute man shortage, there is possibility that a woman will be chosen for the position.

Rural Schools Are In Need Of Teachers

Each of four Howard county rural schools opening Sept. 4 need a teacher, Walker Bailey, county superintendent, said Saturday.

Mrs. Sam Newhouse, primary teacher at Midway, has resigned, creating the fourth vacancy. Other vacancies exist at Center Point, Elbow and Morgan.

Applications may be made to Bailey.

FOURTEEN HURT

HOUSTON, Aug. 19 (AP)—Fourteen persons were treated at Houston hospitals today as the result of a collision between a shipyard bus and a lumber truck on the Humble road last night.

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Candidate for Co. Commissioner Precinct No. 4
(Pol. Adv. Earl Hull)

A Message from
H. C. HOOSER
I am again asking you for your vote and support in the second primary Aug. 26 and to thank you for the lead you gave me over my other opponents in the first primary.
I make no appeal to you on account of the fact that both of my boys are in the armed forces, one in the South Pacific fighting the Japs, the other a tall gunner on a Bomber, but I am asking for it on my personal qualifications and my desire to serve you.
This office pays \$5,000 per year. During the time I served as Assistant County Attorney (Oct., Nov., and Dec. 1942) he fees of the office more than paid the salary of the County Attorney for the three months.
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Editorial -

Logical Way For Revenue As Carthage So The Japs

By FRANK GRIMES
Herald Staff Writer

"The honor and word of Japan cannot be trusted," said President Roosevelt, reporting on his Pacific journey.

Surely there can be no gainsaying that Admiral Matthew C. Perry, narrowly escaping Jap treachery after unwisely trusting them at first, made that discovery when he opened the door of Japan ninety years ago. He so reported at the time. (The world would have been richer and happier if Perry had stayed home and minded his own business. Japan was one Pandora's Box of evils that would better have been left unopened.)

Japan's course as a modern nation has been one continual round of broken promises, stabs in the dark, treachery and guile. Pearl Harbor was merely the climax of this course of dishonorable conduct. Japan had revealed her real nature to China, to Korea, to Russia.

The president indicated a belief that in time Japan might be trusted, but we do not share his optimism. Nothing in her history supports such a belief.

But he warned that no peace can ever endure in the Pacific until Japan is purged forever of her picked ways. We must guard the approaches to this continent against all possible future aggressions.

No, we cannot trust the word and honor of Japan.

And because we cannot trust ourselves, either, we must destroy Japan as a first-class world power now and forever. We mean by that that we cannot trust ourselves to go on mistrusting Japan as long as safety requires. We must insist with all the vehemence of our being that Japan must be destroyed as a nation capable of doing us future harm. NOW, while we have the mood and the means of doing it.

Once Germany falls, many misguided Americans will be ripe for peace talk with Japan. Bring the boys home is a plea that pulls at the heart-strings. But if we bring the boys home before Japan is destroyed the next generation of American boys will face the next generation of Japs in the second Pacific war. Next time Japan might have all Asia at her beck and call, and we might not have the allies we now have. Instead of winning, as we are winning now, we might lose — we probably would lose.

Greedy interests bent on resuming profitable trade with Japan; well-meaning but misguided pacifists who know Japan only as a nation of expert flower-arrangers; distressed loved ones anxious to get the boys home—all these will be heard, later on, in behalf of a negotiated peace.

A negotiated peace with Japan would be national suicide for the United States.

We must whip Japan completely. We must write the terms of peace. We must harden our hearts and our minds against anything resembling a soft peace. As somebody remarked, a Carthaginian peace is pretty severe—but it prevents Carthage from warring again. We must have nothing short of

No gift of prophecy was required to foresee the action of the Big Spring Independent School district in announcing that assessments are being made this year on 100 per cent of the valuations.

For quite a time it has been apparent that the Big Spring school district, long in financial straits because of a variety of reasons, would to provide an increase in teachers pay. Although there were a few possibilities such as additional state money (which came through), enlarging the district, etc., practical considerations pointed to a choice between raising the rate or the per cent of assessment on valuations. It would have required a special vote to have raised the rate, for Big Spring has required the maximum of \$1 for many years. This left the valuations route as the only straightforward way to get more money locally.

Board of equalization members may expect many to appear for interviews, for this is always the case with tax increases. There will be twice as many calls as if the rate had been raised to provide an identical amount of money. Still, knowledge that the money is vitally needed plus the fact that property values now are at their highest whereas the valuations listed are based on findings several years ago will reduce complaints to a minimum.

This should provide between \$9,000 and \$10,000 additional revenue for the district's funds. Perhaps more than \$12,000 may become available from the state windfall. While this looks like a sizeable chunk of money, and it is for our district, the fact must be borne in mind that by the time it is divided among 90 to 100 teachers, it doesn't go any too far at that.

Our board has been alert to this demand for more revenues and naturally will see that it is wisely apportioned. Still further, the board may be depended upon to see that maximum economies are practiced elsewhere so that every possible penny may be utilized in maintaining an adequate salary level for the instructional staff. We doubt there are many districts in the state which have operated on as close margin as our own independent district.

Many may disagree, we are convinced that the assessment of property on 100 per cent of its value is a wise policy. Moreover, we think the city and the county and the state ought to assess the same way. Rates could be fluctuated to yield required revenues and all would possess a degree of uniformity which would eliminate a great deal of current tax confusion.

An Opportunity In Service

We strongly recommend an opportunity in service to the women of the Big Spring area by volunteering to work in the Red Cross bandage room.

A faithful group has been carrying on in the face of increased and then doubled quotas. Now, they simply cannot handle the load in the space of time required. Even if faithful women were equal to the task, we do not think it fair that the load be left on their shoulders. If women of Big Spring and Howard county will ask themselves honestly if there is any real reason why they cannot help, we have faith that there will be ample hands to fold those bandages for our wounded men.

A Carthaginian peace with Japan.

Japan has done nothing to justify her existence as a world power. As a nation capable of harming other nations Japan must be destroyed, lock, stock and barrel.

The Thrill That Comes Once In A Lifetime



Ernie Pyle: When Clean He Looked Like Cossack, Dirty, He Could Be a Gangster

By ERNIE PYLE

ON THE WESTERN FRONT— (By wireless) — The commander of the particular regiment of the 4th Infantry Division that we have been with is one of my favorites.

That's partly because he flatters me by calling me "General," partly because just looking at him makes me chuckle to myself, and partly because I think he's a very fine soldier.

Security forbids my giving his name. He is a Regular Army colonel and he was overseas in the last war. His division commander says the only trouble with him is that he's too bold, and if he isn't careful he's liable to get clipped one of these days.

He is rather unusual looking. There is something almost Mongolian about his face. When cleaned up he could be a Cossack. When tired and dirty he could be a movie gangster. But either way, his eyes always twinkle.

He has a facility for direct thought that is unusual. He is impatient of thinking that gets off onto byways.

He has a little habit of good-naturedly reprimanding people by cocking his head over to one side, getting his face below yours and saying something sharp, and then looking up at you with a quizzical smirk like a laughing cat.

One day I heard him ask a battalion commander what his position was. The battalion commander started going into details of why his troops hadn't got as far as he had hoped. The colonel cocked his head over, squinted up at the battalion commander, and said:

"I didn't ask you that. I asked you where you were." The colonel goes constantly from one battalion to another during battle, from early light till darkness. He wears a new-type field jacket that fits him like a sack, and he carries a long stick that Teddy Roosevelt gave him. He keeps constantly prodding his commanders to push hard, not to let up, to keep driving and driving.

He is impatient with commanders who lose the main point of the war by getting involved in details — the main point, of course, being to kill Germans. His philosophy of war is expressed in the simple

formula of "shoot the sonsabitches."

Once I was at a battalion command post when we got word that 60 Germans were coming down the road in a counterattack. Everybody got excited. They called the colonel on a field phone, gave him the details and asked him what to do. He had the solution in a nutshell.

He just said, "Shoot the sonsabitches," and hung up.

Another of my favorites is a sergeant who runs the colonel's regimental mess. He cooks some himself, but mostly he bosses the cooking.

His name is Charles J. Murphy and his home is at 1225 East State St., Trenton, N. J. Murphy is redheaded, but has his head nearly shaved like practically all the Western Front soldiers — officers as well as men. Murphy is funny, but he seldom smiles.

When I asked what he did in civilian life, he thought a moment and then said: "Well, I was a shyder. Guess you'd call me a kind of promoter. I always had the kind of job you made \$50 a week salary and \$1500 on the side."

How's that for an honest man? Murphy and I got to talking about newspapermen one day. Murphy said his grandfather was a newspaperman. He retired in old age and lived in Murphy's house.

"My grandfather went nuts reading newspapers," Murphy said. "It was a phobia with him. Every day he'd buy \$1.50 worth of 3-cent newspapers and then read them all night."

"He wouldn't read the ads. He would just read the stories, looking for something to criticize. He'd get fuming mad."

"Lots of times when I was a kid he'd get me out of bed at 2 or 3 in the morning and point to some story in the paper and rave about reporters who didn't have sense enough to put a period at the end of a sentence."

Murphy and I agreed that it was fortunate his grandfather passed on before he got to reading my stuff, or he would doubtless have run amuck.

Murphy never smoked cigarettes until he landed in France on D-Day, but now he smokes one after another. He is about the tenth soldier who has told me that same

Keys At The Capitol Pay-As-Go Amendment Faces State As Financial Policy Next Year

By WILLIAM E. KEYS
Associated Press Staff

AUSTIN, Tex. Aug. 19 (AP) — The state will reach a cash-on-the-barrelhead basis of operation about Nov. 30.

Although the general fund, catch-all for most state expenses, came out of the red for the first time in 11 years early in August it will sink back in deficit again before it emerges finally debt free.

This is because the state's fiscal year ends Aug. 31 and on that date about \$4,000,000 in rural school aid payments must be made. current revenue is not sufficient to pay this bill.

But when state property tax payments begin in October (when

a 3 per cent discount is permitted for prompt payment) the dollars will roll into the treasury. Not until the end of November, however, will the money be transferred from the unappropriated tax collection fund to the general fund.

Then the state will enter a new financial era, paying its bills when they are due.

There is a guarantee of sorts that this condition will continue indefinitely.

On January 1, 1945, there becomes operative a constitutional amendment which says in effect the legislature can appropriate NO more money than is on hand and reasonably in sight for each biennium covered by new appropriations.

At the beginning of the next session (in January) the comptroller will certify how much money is on hand and what the state reasonably can expect to collect. The legislature cannot make appropriations bigger than this combined amount, except by four-fifths vote.

Taking the long range view down the years, let's see how the cash basis could be maintained, despite business slumps or appropriations in excess of revenues, and assuming the comptroller may make a poor estimate.

Say for the next two years revenues, based on estimate, adequately cover expenditures authorized by the legislature, but in the succeeding two years a business slump arrives and revenue dips sharply, placing the general fund almost into the red near the end of the biennium.

It can reasonably be assumed that since the comptroller must report the deficit and scale down his revenue estimate for the third biennium, that the legislature would keep appropriations for that biennium within limits of the fund's ability to pay and the biennium would end with the general fund in balance or close to it.

Incidentally, state property tax payers can help themselves and the cash balance anticipated for the general fund next Jan. 1 by paying their taxes early. The discount allowed on October payments this year continues until January, although it is scaled down one per cent each month until the first of the new year.

Notes on political trends: Bolting may become epidemic. Apparently mindful of bolts at the Democratic state and national conventions a group of 75 students who didn't like something that happened walk-

ed out of the University of Texas student assembly meeting.

He hasn't had time to tabulate the attendance but business is booming in state parks, says Frank D. Quinn, whose staff is just about depleted, travels more than 4,000 miles a month in park inspection and maintenance work. Quinn says he does everything these days except rake up leaves. Based on receipts at several parks attendance this year far outstrips that of last year. The biggest park boom of all time is anticipated after the war and Quinn is nurturing several ideas for postwar development.

August's extreme hot weather brings both joy and gloom to highway engineers.

The reason is that such weather is good for new asphalt roads, bad for old ones.

Here's what the technicians say: Asphalt roads consist of alternate layers of asphalt and rock, according to the number of courses desired. The combination of traffic and hot weather (when the road is laid in warm weather as are all asphalt roads) churns up this mixture so that the asphalt eventually coats each rock pebble. Then when cooler weather comes the road surface is imperme-

vous.

But on a real old road August's hollering weather causes the asphalt to work to the top of the mixture, usually in a thin film which is too light to be absorbed by rock that is spread on it. Then is when the asphalt splatters your car and the little stones nick the windshield.

Gov. Coke R. Stevenson's application will be among those in a driving to determine who gets a limited number of licenses to hunt antelope this fall in Texas' first open season on pronghorns in many years.

If he gets a license it's a good bet he'll bag an antelope.

OFF THE CUFF: The name of a state park soon will be changed to Honor Texas' 36 Division. Ranger Captain Gully Wowsert is tops at spinning campfire yarns. The suggestion has been made here that war correspondents be recalled to report the Democratic state convention in Dallas, Sept. 12. The big East Texas oil field will be given no more producing days and additional demand for sweet crude will be spread by the railroad commission among other fields.

Hollywood — "Wilson" Is Human And Interesting

By JACK O'BRIAN
AP Drama Editor

(One star means bad, four means excellent)

*** 1/2 "Wilson," with Alexander Knox, Geraldine Fitzgerald, Charles Coburn, Sir Cedric Hardwicke, Vincent Price, Mary Anderson and a cast of 12,000.

One of the major headaches which bothered Darryl F. Zanuck when he began filming "Wilson" was whether or not he could make the life story of the great wartime President entertaining.

Certainly there was enough drama in Wilson's life to supply conflict and picturesque pageantry. Zanuck's problem was to fashion a film which would bring in the family trade as well as those interested in seeing a film version of a great period in American history.

The screen play by Lamar Trotti was directed by Henry King.

To their and Zanuck's credit, the huge film is richly entertaining, a fine lesson in American history. It should be a must on anyone's movie list.

The film covers the life of Thomas Woodrow Wilson from just before he became governor of New Jersey until the day he walked out of the White House.

As a warm study of a man's family and its reactions to his being chosen first governor and then President, "Wilson" is human, amiable, interesting at every juncture. As a study in political machination, such as are depicted in the convention scenes, it is an intelligent object lesson for the layman.

When the film begins, Wood-

row Wilson is president of Princeton University. The Wilson family lives comfortably but without expensive pretensions — in the fine home supplied by the university. The three Wilson daughters do not wear jewelry because they don't have any, not because they don't like such doodads.

From the peaceful, sedentary existence of a university presidency, Wilson is thrust into the political turmoil of New Jersey, which then was equally as interesting as it apparently is now. Chosen by the bosses as anti-septic for past political abuses, he runs for governor and is elected. His ability as a Jersey statesman with state limitations, comes to national notice and puts him into the White House.

As a study of Wilson's notable

career, his fight for social reforms, his troubles as a wartime President and eventual defeat in his fight to have the United States lead the League of Nations into international amity, it is a fine film document. As sheer entertainment — despite its almost three hours of running time — it is one of the best motion pictures of its type to come out of Hollywood.

Its actors are universally able. Alexander Knox wins the acting honors in creating an understandable, down-to-earth President whose statesmanship and predilection with the heavy affairs of state didn't keep him from enjoying a vaudeville show or a bit of barber-shop harmony.

CHIMES IRK JUDGE

SPRINGFIELD, Mass. — Probate Judge John A. Denison complains that the municipal chimes ringer disturbs his divorce hearings by playing "Let Me Call You Sweetheart."

Crossword Puzzle

- ACROSS
- 1. Books
- 2. Alack
- 3. Peer Gynt's mother
- 4. Fleeting sword
- 5. Arrived
- 6. Lair
- 7. Wheeled vehicle
- 8. Smooth
- 9. Room in a harem
- 10. Pronoun
- 11. Moroccan tree
- 12. Novel
- 13. Important occurrence
- 14. Strike out
- 15. Withdraw
- 16. Biblical character
- 17. Entry in an account
- 18. Inclined passageway
- 19. Ocean
- 20. Edible fish
- 21. Small cube
- 22. One of two equal parts
- 23. Ancient Venetian magic
- 24. Fowl
- 25. Unsealing device
- 26. Fish
- 27. Scotch cake
- 28. Remotely
- 29. Jabbers
- 30. Healthy
- 31. Decay
- 32. Seed covering
- 33. Wild ox
- 34. New Zealand tree
- 35. Fissure

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Solution Of Yesterday's Puzzle

DOWN

- 1. Denomination
- 2. Marine fish
- 3. Unsealing
- 4. Mediterranean sailing vessel
- 5. Playing cards
- 6. Mitten rock
- 7. So be it
- 8. Transmitter
- 9. Worship
- 10. Type of automobile
- 11. Legislator
- 12. Court order
- 13. Aquatic animal
- 14. Region
- 15. Musical study
- 16. Compliment of a mortise
- 17. Exact likeness
- 18. Attachment
- 19. Beating
- 20. He is in process of decision
- 21. Slave
- 22. Baptismal vessel
- 23. Old explosive device
- 24. Discarded material
- 25. Complement of an automobile
- 26. Made of a cereal
- 27. In a store for
- 28. American lake
- 29. Honeymoon
- 30. Rebut
- 31. Northern bird
- 32. So-so

Washington — Leaders Engage in Speculative Guessing

By OVID A. MARTIN

(During Jack Stinnett's vacation, this column is being written by members of the Washington staff of the Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON — Farm leaders in and out of the government are engaging in a lot of speculative guessing these early campaign days on who will be secretary of agriculture when the new presidential term begins next January.

Two lists of possibilities have been drawn up — one Democratic and the other Republican.

Generally, the belief prevails that there will be a change regardless of whether President Roosevelt or Thomas E. Dewey is victorious. Few farm leaders think that the present secretary of agriculture — Claude R. Wickard — will be retained by Mr. Roosevelt.

When the incumbent fell when his duties as War Food administrator were taken from him last year and placed in the hands of an independent administrator.

The name of President Roosevelt's first Secretary of Agriculture — Henry A. Wallace — is near the top of the Democratic list. Many farm leaders believe that Mr. Roosevelt, if reelected, would call Wallace to take over the difficult task of directing agriculture's conversion to peacetime needs.

authority on farm problems and popular in his party.

There is some question whether Gov. Dewey could persuade Hope to take the secretaryship. The Kansas would be in line for the chairmanship of the powerful House Agriculture committee if the Republicans win control of the House. As committee chairman, he would be in a position to shape Congressional legislation.

Many farm leaders are willing to wage heavily that Judge Marvin Jones, a Texan now serving as War Food administrator, would be President Roosevelt's choice in the event he wins. As a member of Congress during the thirties, Jones helped put most of the New Deal's farm legislation through Congress.

Another Democratic possibility is R. H. Evans, an Iowa now a member of the board of governors of the Federal Reserve system. He formerly served as administrator of the Agricultural Adjustment administration. He was an assistant to Wallace when the latter was secretary of agriculture.

Dewey might turn to his own state for an appointee to this cabinet post. As governor of New York, Dewey has leaned heavily for agricultural advice on A. E. Babcock, nationally known agricultural leader now serving as a trustee of Cornell University.

Another New Yorker mentioned by William I. Meyers, dean of agriculture at Cornell, Myers served as governor of the Federal Farm Credit administration under Roosevelt, but resigned after a difference of views on credit policies.



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Woman's Column

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MESSENGERS wanted: 40 cents hour, 40 hour week. Time and half for time over 40 hours a week. Prefer boys who do not attend school. Must not be under 15 years old. Bring birth certificate or other proof of age. Western Union.

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WE have several openings for men to fill responsible positions, with good opportunities for advancement and permanent employment. Prefer men who have some knowledge of farm machinery and motor truck business. International Harvester Company, Sweetwater, Texas.

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Financial

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FOR SALE: Battery set radio, baby's wooden crib, metal crib, high chair and buggy. Mrs. Charlie Forgas, 1-4 mile south of Lakeview Grocery.

HAVE a 1939 Ford radio 1 will trade for 1940 radio. See A. Z. Pittman at Banner Creamery. MAJESTIC cabinet radio, bargain. 700 Bell.

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SMALL National cash register. Call 1986 or see Joe Flock.

Livestock

SMOOTH yearling Ramboulet Rams. Roy C. Davis, Sterling Rt. 20 mi. So. of Big Spring.

TEN head of horses for sale. Ten to 15 dollars per head. Call 71 or see at Cooper's pasture on N.E. 2nd St.

FOR SALE: Cow and calf, 16 hens, 609 State.

SADDLE horse, yearlings, mares & colts. Prepare for the rodeo and fall riding season. Phone 480.

Miscellaneous

FOR SALE: Good new and used radiators for popular make cars and trucks. Guaranteed. Peurifoy Radiator Shop, 800 E. 3rd. Ph. 1210

SPRING CLOTHES PINS 25c Per Dozen Postpaid Children's Rayon Panties—Elastic tops, sizes 2, 4, 6, 8, 59c 8 in Dressmaking Scissors. 85c Steel Pot Cleaner (Chore Girl) 10c 3 in. Metal Tweezers 10c Bobby Pins, dozen 10c

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Wanted To Rent

Houses

\$10 REWARD for information leading to rental of house. Call Jimmie Lawson at 1500.

Real Estate

CARL STROM

Phone 123 213 W. 3rd

Houses For Sale

FOR SALE: Four room house, good storm house, eastern full of water. Priced for quick sale. Sam Hicks, Coahoma.

NEW, three-room house, six lots, poultry fence and house; lights, water and gas. Also second hand lumber for building. Priced to sell. See owner, 2 1/2 blocks south Lake View Grocery. Immediate possession. E. W. Hogue.

RESIDENCES FOR SALE
 Nine-room home with two baths, 75 ft. front. Double garage. 406 Gregg.
 Four-room stucco with garage apartment, in good location, south part of town. \$2,650 cash, possession.
 Four-room house with bath, and two lots on West Fourth St. \$1,000.
 Also four houses on two lots, corner of 18th and Austin Sts. \$6500.
 J. B. Pickle, Phone 1217

Miscellaneous

WANTED—Clocks to repair; we buy broken clocks. Wilke, 106 W. Third.

For Rent

Apartments

PLENTY rooms and apts., \$3.50 and up. No drunks or toughs wanted; no children. Plaza Apts., 1107 W. 3rd. Phone 46-W.

NICE, clean, newly remodeled rooms, close in; by day or week. Tex Hotel, 501 E. 3rd. Phone 991.

Bedrooms

FURNISHED bedroom; private entrance; adjoining bath. Apply 1200 Johnson.

Wanted To Rent

APARTMENT or house; furnished or unfurnished; no pets; no children. Call Jewel Tippie, Western Union.

WILL give \$25 War Bond for information leading to the rental of a 3- or 4-room furnished apartment or house. Call Mrs. Beckham at 471.

Apartments

LIEUTENANT and wife desire furnished or unfurnished apartment or house. No children. Lt. Book, Crawford Hotel. Write Box 188, AAFBS.

OFFICER and wife desire unfurnished apartment or house. Call 1680, extension 385, before 5 p. m.

CADET's wife, two children desire furnished apartment or house or room with kitchen privileges. Would consider place outside city limits. Call Settles Hotel, room 1203.

CADET wife and small child desires furnished apartment or room with kitchen privileges. Call Settles Hotel, room 908.

OFFICER recently returned from combat has been unable for past two months to find living quarters for wife and year old son. If you have furnished apartment or house available please call 800, room 710.

Houses

OFFICER and wife desire house, apartment or room, with kitchen privileges. Expect to be permanent. Call Mrs. Merritt, Crawford Hotel.

WILL pay up to \$100 cash reward for information leading to the permanent rental of a house, furnished or unfurnished. Close in. Phone 109 or 1453-W.

RETURNED combat officer and wife desire to rent furnished house or apartment. Call Mrs. Anderson at Crawford Hotel, room 618.

Real Estate

Houses For Sale

FOUR-ROOM modern house and lot for sale. Apply 800 State St.

TWO-room house, 14 x 32, on two lots, east side of Coahoma, lots run along U. S. Highway. Wesley Warren, Coahoma.

BEST bargain in town on Abrams St.: five-room house. See J. A. Adams, 1007 W. 5th.

FOUR houses, bath in each; one 2, two 4, and one 3-room house. Corner 18th & Austin. Total rent, \$119 month. \$6,500 cash. This is a good investment in good property. J. B. Pickle. Phone 1217.

FOUR-room house; well located; two-room garage apartment; possession: \$2,500. Would consider good truck as part of down payment. J. B. Pickle. Phone 1217.

FOR SALE: Nice five-room modern house; good condition; excellent hardwood floors; fenced back yard; attractively landscaped; also adjoining lot with young orchard, fenced for chickens; has new chicken and brooder houses. Can give possession in short time; good property priced to sell. See Rube Martin; phone 257.

A one-room and a four-room house for sale. Leaving town. 1109 W. 6th St.

Lots & Acreages

CORNER and adjoining lots 50x 150 feet, 1900 blk Johnson St. near College Heights School. Very reasonable. See A. H. Shroyer or Justin Holmes at Shroyer Motor Co.

LOT for sale across from East Ward school on 6th St. E. Norman. Phone 9567.

TOM ROSSON

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 Income Tax Service
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 Phone 1233**

Real Estate

Farms & Ranches

FOR SALE

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J. B. Pickle, Phone 1217.

Business Property

FOR SALE—Good business building on Main St.; \$15,000; \$5,000 cash, 10 years on balance, 5% interest. Income on property, \$2100 annually. Albert Darby, phone 1096-J.

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Business Property

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ANDREWS WILDCAT MAY HAVE HIT NEW HEAVY PRODUCTION

By JOHN B. BREWER

SAN ANGELO, Aug. 19—Completion by Gulf of a 1 1/4 mile southeast extension to the Keystone Ellenberger field in north-central Winkler county and by The Texas Co. of its second producer in the Crossett pool in southeastern Crane county, Texas' first Devonian lime producing area, highlighted West Texas developments this week.

Mid-Continent No. 1-7 University, northwestern Andrews county wildcat, indicating possible large-scale production from the Siluro-Devonian, the first in West Texas, was shut in for storage after flowing 135 barrels of oil the first hour and 150 barrels the second hour.

The well was swabbed in after 7-inch casing had been gun perforated between 8,460 and 8,600 feet with 395 spots, the hole had been washed with 1,000 gallons of acid and 2-inch tubing, perforated from 8,597 to 8,600 feet, had been run.

Falling in the Clear Fork lime pay zone in drilling 7,500 feet, No. 1-7 University was scheduled to explore the Ellenberger. It is in the C SW SE 20-13-U, 1 1/2 miles southwest of the most southeasterly production in the Fullerton field, where pay is from the Clear Fork.

Gulf No. 46-E Keystone, southeast extension to the Keystone Ellenberger field in Winkler county, C SE SW 8-B2-psl, regis-

tered a daily flowing potential of 2,431 barrels of oil for completion through perforations between 9,878 and 9,909 feet. It is the first well in the field to pass 10,000 feet, stopping at 10,005 in weathered igneous material.

The Texas Co. No. 1-B Chas. W. Hobbs estate of San Angelo, C E E 45-35-H&TC, quarter mile northwest of No. 1-A Hobbs, opener of the Crossett pool in southeastern Crane county, was finished at 5,391 feet with a daily flowing potential of 131 barrels of oil. It had been treated with 8,000 gallons of acid.

Humble No. 1 State National bank of El Paso, Pecos county wildcat wet gasser near Baldrige, C NE NE 7-140-T&StL, was running 5 1/2 inch casing to core ahead from 5,449 feet in lime.

The world's deepest test, Phillips Petroleum No. 1 Ada C. Price in southeastern Pecos county, C SW NW 37-101-TCBR, drilled to 15,279 feet, may be junked, according to an unconfirmed report. Lost tubing was cut, the section being pulled was dropped and wedged along that remaining in the hole, preventing milling, it was said. Early testing, through perforations from 15,145-180 feet, was without results.

Humble No. 1-B O. W. Williams, second Yates sand producer in the Williams field in northwestern Pecos county, headed after shooting following a plugback from 3,

020 to 2,925 feet. It is in section 20-110-GC&SF, half mile northwest of No. 1 Williams, the discovery, which also was preparing for completion.

Stanford leased a block of 52,428 acres in southeastern Tom Green county from the J. Willis Johnson estate, Hardy DeWolf and W. A. West. The consideration for 10-year commercial leases was a bonus of \$1 an acre, with 50 cents an acre annual rental. Johnson's Door Key ranch accounts for 47,307 acres of the block.

Magnolia prepared to start a proposed 11,000-foot test at the northwest corner of the Fullerton field in Andrews county, first in the area scheduled to explore the Ordovician. The test will be No. 1-A Ralph C NW SE 20-A31-psl, one mile northwest of Fullerton No. 1 M. H. Wilson, the nearest producer.

Geo. P. Livermore, Inc., Lubbock contractor, was rigging up rotary for Honolulu No. 1 McLane, slated 5,500-foot wildcat in northeastern Yoakum county, C NW NW 324-D-John H. Gibson. The test will be only 1 2/3 miles south of Honolulu No. 1 Theo Hertel, which had passed 4,790 feet in lime. No. 1 Hertel topped the San Andres at 4,570 feet, 963 feet below sea level.

DRAWN FINE DISTINCTION
ST. JOSEPH, Mo.—When a 58-year-old Holden, Mo., man appeared before the police-identification bureau here recently on a charge of writing a check on a bank in which he had no account, he explained that he didn't "write" bad checks, he just "signed" them.

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Old Churches To Celebrate
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of anniversary celebrations. His church here will observe its 200th anniversary, his church at Hartsville its 150th and his Mill River chapel its 100th.

WORKS HARD FOR NEPHEWS
FITCHBURG, Mass.—Although totally blind, 71-year-old Mrs. Clara Ancil of Fitchburg has knitted 58 sweaters for her 2 nephews in the armed forces.

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Beaver-25 \$25
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Big Spring's 9th Annual Rodeo next Thurs., Fri., Sat., and Sun. plan now to attend!

Elmo Wasson

Men's Wear Of Character

REVERE BOYS MEET IN ITALY
REVERE, Mass.—Frank Rappa, an ambulance driver with the Fifth Army medical unit in Italy, met in one day during his rounds: his twin, Cpl. William Rappa; his cousin, Pvt. Mike Rossi, and a friend, Pvt. Francis McCormick—all of Revere.



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