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54 GRADUATE AT EASTLAND HIGH SCHOOL

Friday night the 1942 graduating class of 54 finished their four years at Eastland High school with the commencement exercises held in the school auditorium. A large crowd was present for the presentation of diplomas to these students by K. B. Tanner, President of the school board.

W. G. Womack, superintendent of schools presented the special awards and certificates. Certificates for perfect attendance were presented to Odie Knox, Frances Richardson, Thomas Smith, Harry Andrews, Betty Sue Bourland, Isaac Head, L. Y. Morris, Freddy Basham, and Buelah Faye White. Medals to the Best-All-Round students were given to Miss Mary Page, valedictorian, and Dan Hightower. Miss Page is the daughter of Mrs. K. F. Page, and Mr. Hightower is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Len Hightower. Scholarship for the highest average for the four years was also presented to Miss Mary Page, and Dan Hightower. Miss Johnnie Lou Hart was presented medal for outstanding member of the Eastland High school band, and the outstanding athlete was Bobby Simmons. Awards were presented for the highest grades made in each class for the year with the Freshmen class award going to Billy Faye Mitchell; sophomore class to Julia Brown; Junior class award to Edith Allison, and the Senior class award to Charles Ellis. Medals were also presented the salutatorian, Miss Helen Lucas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Lucas, and Miss Mary Page valedictorian. Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins presented to Edith Allison the medal given by the Charles Crawford Chapter Daughters of American Revolution for her aptitude study of the American history. Invocation opening the commencement program was offered by Chaplain John D. Boren, Capt. Headquarters 63 Battalion Camp Wolters, which followed the professional played by Homer Meek. Salutatory was given by Helen Lucas, followed with a piano solo, Prelude, by Rachmaninoff played by Johnnie Lou Hart. Valedictory was by Mary Page, and this was followed by piano solo, Prelude 21 by Chopin played by Homer Meek. Presentation of awards and certificates was made by W. G. Womack and presentation of diploma by K. B. Tanner. Benediction was by J. Daniel Barron, pastor of First Methodist Church.

Italians Still Claim Battleship Maryland Sunk

The Italian radio persevered today in its efforts to convince unoccupied France that an Italian submarine actually sunk the United States Battleship Maryland as claimed by the Italian high command.

In a French "news" broadcast, it said the Argentine freighter Rio Iguzru had arrived at Recife, Brazil, with "persons rescued from the Battleship Maryland." These survivors said it had gone down "four minutes after having been torpedoed." It quoted them further that they had been rescued one day after the torpedoing.

Synthetic Rubber Begins To Roll



First batch of synthetic rubber rolls from intricate machinery at Good-year's Akron plant, which doesn't mean you can buy a new set of tires. Synthetic product will go to armed forces.

Our Good Neighbor As She Joins Us In War



This is Mexico today, joining the nations fighting against the avian dream of world domination. This great country to the south is a good neighbor and a strategically placed one.

RAF RAIDS DO DAMAGE TO FACTORIES

The British planes, flying over the French factory region in successive waves, blasted the important Genevilliers power station and "destroyed" the Goodrich rubber works, the statement said.

British Believe They Can Win Libyan Battle

Cairo, May 30—(UP)—A big and critical battle is in progress in the Libyan Desert south of Tobruk but the British forces remain confident of the outcome.

Germany Claims Kharkov Battle Has Been Ended

BERLIN, May 30.—(UP)—German broadcast recorded by United Press at London—A special communique issued at Adolf Hitler's Fuehrer headquarters said today that the "great" battle of Kharkov had been finished.

1-B Men Get Limited Service

CHICAGO, May 30—(UP)—Brig. Gen. Lewis Hershey, selective service director, predicted last night that lowering of the army's physical standards would result in reclassification for many 1-B men although many men with physical defects will be taken for limited service.

JAPS START A NEW OFFENSE AT NANCHANG

CHUNGKING, May 30—The Chinese Central News Agency said today that the Japanese had started a new offensive eastward from Nanchang, capital of Kiangsi Province, as the American Volunteer Group revealed that it had blasted enemy positions again.

Good Dirty Work

Why worry about a greasy nose, winks Mary Barks as she cleans a rifle at an Army Ordnance depot, since gun may be used by her brother in an armored division or by the boy friend at Camp Stewart.

BRITISH - AMERICAN TANKS ARE MASSED UPON SOVIET FRONT FOR NEW ACTION

SUB CAPTAIN LAUGHS, THEN FIRES TORPEDO

NEW ORLEANS, La., (UP)—Survivors told today of a Nazi U-boat commander who laughed and fired a torpedo which killed 22 crew members as they were pulling away in a life boat from their ship, an unarmed medium sized merchantman.

Are Shipped From Britain And American To Northern Port of Murmansk, Despite Desperate German Efforts To Break Communications Lines

By Joe Alex Morris
The missing of American and British tanks for action on the Russian front was disclosed officially today as the Red Army kept up a steady hammering on Axis positions along the eastern front and the RAF smashed at Nazi war factories near Paris.

Yanks Prefer Blonds — Or Brunets



Makes no difference, blond or brunet, American soldiers did all right at Sydney, Australia, party for them. At top, Miss Beryl Tustin and Sgt. Malinowski get interested in a pitcher of refreshments. Miss V. O'Keefe and Pvt. Harry Katz, bottom, get interested in each other.

Mrs. Claude Lowe Died Saturday At Tenn Home

Information was received in Eastland Saturday of the death of Mrs. Claude Lowe, who was the former Miss Sallie Hightower of Eastland, at Connersville, Tennessee, early Saturday morning. She had been critically ill for a long time.

Five Couples Get Marriage License

The following couples have been granted marriage license from the office of County Clerk R. V. (Rip) Galloway:



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THE WEATHER
West Texas—Warmer again this afternoon and tonight, except becoming considerably cooler, accompanied by showers in the Panhandle section.

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We'll Keep The Faith

This is Memorial Day.

For the seventy-fifth successive year we have set aside the 30th of May in memorial to those Americans who offered their lives, in one war after another, to establish and maintain in this world a sanctuary for democracy.

Up to the bombing of Pearl Harbor, more than seven million men had fought in American uniforms, first in order to form a more perfect union and later to secure the blessings of liberty to themselves and their posterity.

Almost another million went through hell in the Confederate butternut, fighting for what seemed to them the essence of true democracy. They lost, but out of their sacrifices the integrity, the sincerity and the vigor of our federal union were strengthened.

Now another two to three millions are in uniform. Three times as many more may yet be called from their homes and sent onto the world's battlefields, once more to preserve the blessings of liberty for us who stay at home.

All that we have today, and all that we are as Americans, we owe to the gallant millions who, from 1775 through 1918, held liberty to be dearer than life or creature comforts.

But for them we should not have acquired our many blessings, tangible and intangible.

Our industrial, commercial, and material supremacy, which have made even our poor seem prosperous by other nations' standards, did not spring full blown from the magic soil of America.

True, that soil was rich and generous. But so is Russia's. The abundance which we achieved was a product of democracy, of a way of life which gave to every man privileges and opportunities and incentives which long have been the world's envy.

We say this not to boast, but rather to emphasize that our democracy, the cornerstone of everything we hold dear, was bought with blood, guarded with blood, and preserved with blood down through the generations.

Again we are required to offer supreme sacrifices to assure that those peoples who could not create their own working democracy shall not, by force of arms, deprive us of ours.

To the millions of soldier heroes of past wars whose graves we decorate today, and to those other millions who still survive to march to the cemeteries where their comrades lie, let us offer vocally a pledge that they should not and do not really need:

We, too, are ready to keep the faith of our fathers, whatever the cost.

All people are entitled to their own opinions — but they so seldom keep them.

CIVILIAN DEFENSE UNIT

HORIZONTAL
15 Pictured is insignia of U. S. Civilian Defense
10 French river.
12 Molding.
14 Type of cat.
15 Not cold.
17 Sea skeleton.
19 Eye part.
20 Weird.
22 Hawaiian goddess.
23 Moving truck.
24 Master of ceremonies (abbr.).
26 Dry.
27 Proceed.
29 Fruit decay.
31 Household god.
32 Street (abbr.).
33 Domestic slave.
35 Inquire.
37 Orders.
32 Also.
34 Orderly.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

HAROLD DEATARK
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RAMBLING DEATARKS
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SEWERS JANS

46 Indians.
47 Leg part.
48 Devil.
50 Age.
51 Old-womanish.
52 Fragment.
54 Laymen.
55 Networks.
56 Musical instruments.

2 Very (Fr.).
3 Insect.
4 Symbol for iron.
6 Old Testament (abbr.).
7 Fabulous bird.
8 Support.
9 Most certain.
10 Variable star.
11 Drone bee.
13 Auction.
14 It includes assigned

15 Him.
16 Symbol for titanium.
18 Heat-resistant stone.
21 Their identifying — are worn on their sleeves.
25 Group.
28 Refuse.
30 Sea eagle.
32 Water strider
34 Moral principles.
36 Gunlock catch
38 Exclamation.
39 Female snail (abbr.).
40 Implement.
41 Even (poet.).
43 Lubricants.
44 Story.
47 Clip off sudwenny.
49 Louise egg.
51 Swiss river.
53 101 (Roman).
54 Music note.

PHILADELPHIA (UP) — The Library of Congress may soon have a hitherto unpublished letter "The fight must go on," Lincoln wrote. "Let no one falter. The question is not half settled. New splits and divisions will soon be upon our adversaries and we shall finally win."

Written by Abraham Lincoln.

Thomas Evans, of Philadelphia, owner of the letter, revealed that it was written to Gen. E. A. Paine on Nov. 19, 1858, after the election in which Lincoln was defeated for the U. S. Senate by Stephen A. Douglas.

La Cucaracha



High School Students Who Wish To Enter College May Do So And Enlist in Navy In V-1 Ratings

DALLAS, (Special)— Parents who have planned for years to send junior to college after his graduation from high school this spring are veiwng with apprehension the registration of 18 and 19 year-old youths for possible selective service, state educators declare.

The average high school graduate is not yet of draft age, but he will be eligible for service before he can complete his college courses.

Parents realize that few youths will go back to school once they stop and only a small percentage of high school graduates of 1942 will obtain college degrees if they halt their education now to go to war.

The importance of youths finishing their education so they may become leaders in the war effort, and in peacetime professions after the war is recognized by the government and such training provided for under the Navy's V-1 program, according to deans of colleges which have adopted the program.

The Navy's V-1 program is also satisfying youth, for they become members of the Naval Reserve under V-1 and can not be accused of shirking their duty to their nation.

Navy recruits enlisted in Class V-1 are immediately released to inactive duty to attend college. At completion of two years of college work and after having passed an examination, the student may leave college to become an aviation cadet. However, the same students may elect to remain in college and obtain his degree. At that time, if the war is still in progress, he will attend a short naval training course to qualify as an ensign in the Naval Reserve. At the close of the war he will be released from duty to follow his profession.

Students who for any reason may not be able to attend more than one year of college are given the opportunity to take an examination and become commissioned flight officers of the Naval Reserve.

The V-1 program has met with the endorsement of colleges and parents because it does not interfere with the course of study a student would normally pursue in

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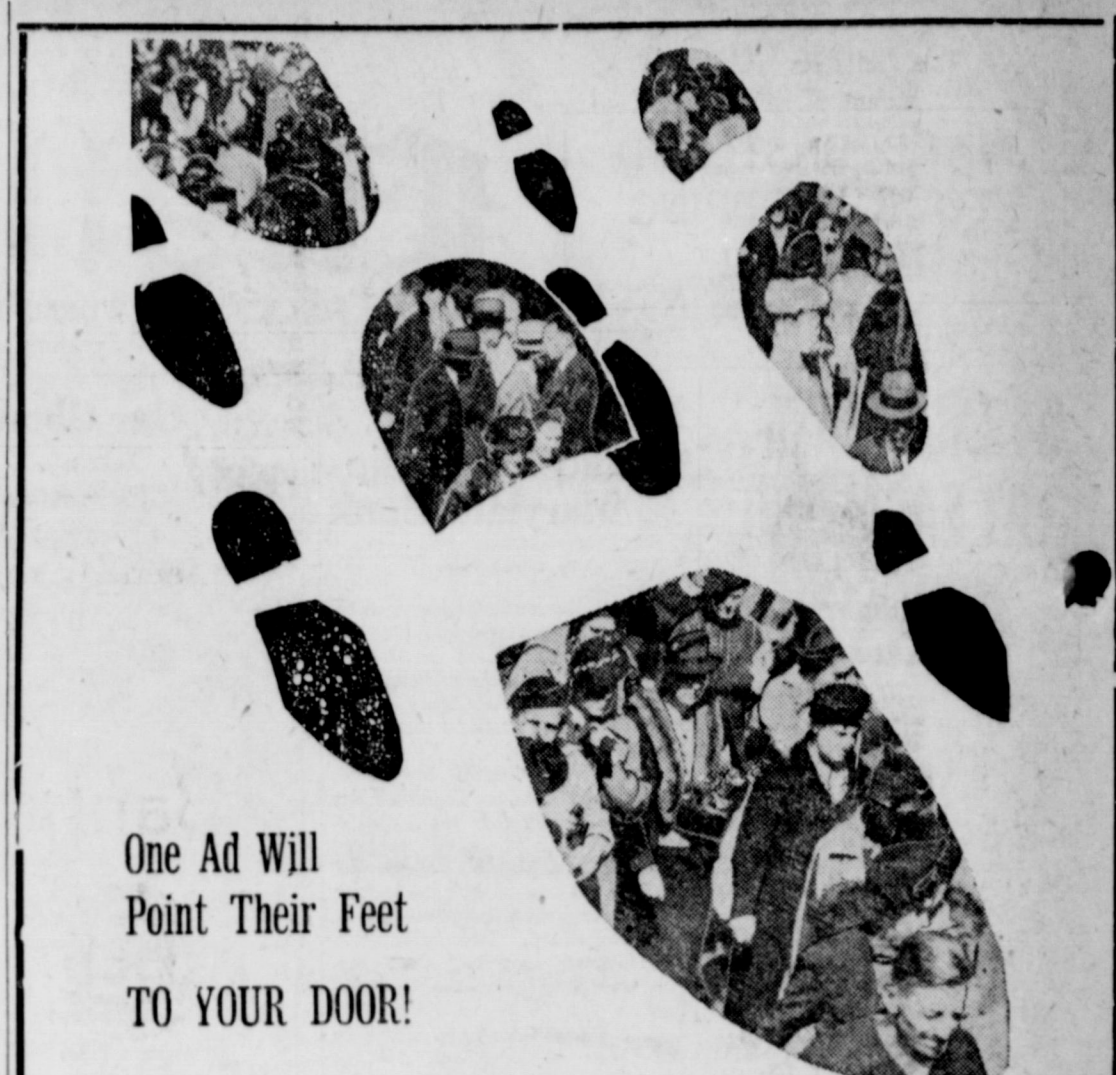
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MONDAY AND TUESDAY

Eastland National Bank



SERIAL STORY

CARIBBEAN CRISIS

BY EATON K. GOLDTHWAITE

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Illustrated by Carol Johnson

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CHAPTER I
IT was a little past noon when the mailboat reached Abas Island and Bill Talcott, who had been up since dawn, noticed with amazement the arrival of four visitors. He had no difficulty in spotting the new man Halsey, a rangy, lantern-jawed individual in his forties, and he guessed that the skinny little fellow with the voluminous briefcase would be the company auditor.

But the other two, a mustached character much the worse for the ride across Anegada Passage, and a slender blond girl in plum-colored slacks, were entirely out of place. It was only because the girl was so positive in ordering the transfer of her luggage that Bill Talcott decided she must be a relative of Halsey's who had come along to see him settled in his new home.

"I'm your successor," the rangy man admitted after he had gotten the dock under his feet. "Not surprised you didn't meet us in Saint Thomas. Had no idea it was such a long trip. This is Struthers, the auditor, and Mr. MacDowell."

The girl in the plum-colored slacks was fresh as a zephyr, as coolly unconcerned as a scudding cloud. "I'm June Paterson," she announced, wrinkling her pert nose. "Lowell Byrd's cousin. He called that you were expecting to return to the Continent. I've been spending a month with friends in Charlotte Amalie and Lowell's afraid I'll go native. You're to look after me."

"Wh-what?" Bill Talcott gasped. "Aren't you thrilled?" she murmured, lowering her lashes in exaggerated coquetry. And then she swept away to organize the confused scamping of houseboys for luggage.

That he had neither shaved nor changed his clothes. "I suppose you received Winters' cable?" Halsey was saying. "I presume your accounts are in shape for the customary audit?"

The new man's critical eye scanned the rocky, barren contour of the island. Already he was fretting in the closeness of the brassy, stifling heat; flaring his nostrils at the smell. "I'm all set," Talcott said. "We'll go up to the house for a drink. You'll be able to get in a swim before lunch if you like."

Halsey hesitated, a half-smile on his lips, and the sweating little auditor cut in. "Thanks for the invitation, Talcott," Struthers said in a thin voice. "But if you don't mind, Halsey and I will get directly to work. If you'll just show us to the office."

Bill Talcott nodded in mild surprise. Such eagerness to buckle down didn't seem just right, not after a 1600-mile steamship ride topped off with a night and a morning on the jolting mailboat. Still, auditors were creatures of habit more than whim and Struthers seemed set on living up to his role. Shrugging, Talcott pointed to a cluster of galvanized buildings on the ridge and, taking June Paterson and the wobbly MacDowell in hand, he set off along the path to his bungalow.

sisted of tough blacks; that she was the first white woman who had set foot there in more than a year.

The recovering MacDowell filled his mouth with ice and grunted. "Say, it's kinda nice here. This one o' the Virgin Islands?" Talcott smiled. "No. You're now in the Netherlands, or what's left of them. It's quite a job to keep track of the minor pawns in the strategy of international chess."

"Holland! Gosh!" Talcott would have liked to ask him his connection with Halsey and Struthers; there hadn't been any MacDowells mentioned in the hectic correspondence with Old Man Winters. But he kept his peace. After six years of sameness a new face, even a close-mouthed one, was welcome. June Paterson supplied the lack with an endless round of questions about the extraction of nitrates, and they were on a fresh round of drinks when Halsey came up the path.

The new man's jaw was grim and his eyes were both puzzled and appraising. "Struthers wants to see you," Halsey said abruptly. "So soon?" Talcott flushed. "Aren't you fellows in a bit of a rush?"

"I think you'd better go," Halsey said. Again his eyes held swift appraisal, mirroring perhaps incredulous disappointment. "Baffled, Talcott got to his feet. Turning to June Paterson he said, 'I trust you will excuse me. The boy will get you anything you need.'"

BENEFIT SHOW AT CONNELLEE AT 3:00 TODAY

"Regiment On Parade", showing at the Connellee Theatre in Eastland this afternoon at 3 o'clock features such outstanding artists as Bruce Bucknell, nationally known Marionette performer, and Carmen Intello Pionise of New York.

There will also be an orchestra from Camp Bowie that is described as "tops" which is composed of men in the army. Cecil Barham, manager for the Connellee, states that "Regiments On Parade" is a benefit show and that one third of the door receipts will go to the Eastland Legion Hill Service Club.

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(Continued from page 1) progress toward catching the assassins and latest reports indicated that Heydrich was near death at Prague.

In the far east, the Chinese reported a new Japanese offensive pushing from Manchang, but said American volunteer pilots had again attacked enemy forces in Burma.

North of Australia, five Japanese planes were downed and three damaged in an air battle with the Japanese over Hood Bay, while new and destructive Allied air attacks were made on the Japanese at Dili and Rabaul.

ON A SPOT CHAPTER II

BILL TALCOTT'S hand was out for a chair, his foot poised for a step. Thus he remained as if frozen, staring at the man behind the desk. "What's that?" he gasped.

The auditor coughed. "Under the system established by my firm you are required to procure duplicate vouchers signed by the authorized agents of the various vessels with whom you ship nitrates. The total of vouchers signed during the past year is short by that amount from your company ledger. In other words, \$158,000 worth of business is unaccounted for."

Bill Talcott's reflexes automatically completed the task of capturing a chair and occupying it. Nitrate dust, smelly, all-pervading, eddied as he flopped down. "You say I'm short?" he gasped again. "But that's impossible! All my vouchers are cataloged, in numerical order. They're in regular form, consecutively numbered!"

Struthers leaned forward, pushing the pile stack aside. In his manner was the supercilious contempt of the brainy man for the brawny one. "They're NOT all here," he said flatly.

Dazedly Talcott accepted the vouchers, searched, discovered a gap in the numbers; another and another. Big shipments, all of them. His amazement deepened to anger. Holy he said, "I don't understand this. I went over the whole business as soon as I received Winters' cable that he was sending Halsey. We keep a monthly inventory. The vouchers were positively here no longer than a week ago."

Struthers lifted his shoulders. "Sorry, Mr. Winters' secretary particularly instructed me to check your vouchers. She said they hadn't received all the duplicates. Needless to say, I'm shocked."

Cisco District Of WSCS To Meet In Ranger June 9

The following is the program of the second annual conference of the Women's Society of Christian Service, of the Cisco District of the Methodist church, to be held in Ranger Tuesday, June 9. Theme of the meeting will be "Jesus, The Light of the World."

Mrs. C. E. May of Ranger will be song leader. The program follows:
9:45—Musical Prelude, Mrs. Frank Pearsall, Ranger.
Invocation—Mrs. W. E. Kimble Gorman.
Opening song
10:20—Business Session—Mrs. M. H. Hagaman, District Secretary, President.
Roll Call—Business Topics.
10:45—Talk—Mrs. B. B. Wedemeyer—Conference Cor. Sec.—Waco.
11:10—Echoes from Annual Conference—"What the Conference meant to me" by Delegates.
Presentation of guests.
11:45—Devotional—Mrs. Ed ward Snead, Conference, First Vice-president, Dublin.
12:00—Report from Assembly and Inspirational Address. Mrs. Gid J. Bryan, Conference President, Waco.
12:45—Lunch Hour.
1:45—Assembly Singing.
2:00—Memorial Service—Mrs. F. L. Willshire and Mrs. Joe Kennedy.
2:15—"Youth Education" Mrs. A. M. Tibbs, Conference Secretary, Young Women and Girls' Work in WSCS.
2:45—Brazil—Miss Mary Sue Brown, Conference Missionary to Brazil.



The Purple Heart U. S. Honor Medal Awarded Olden Boy

Staff Sergeant Joe F. Wilson is believed to be the first boy from Olden to receive the government honor medal, the Purple Heart. This was awarded him for gallantry in action during the Jap raid on Pearl Harbor on December 7.

Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wilson of Olden and a graduate from Olden high school, has been out of the states three years, but has returned to the United States for pilot training.
Technical Sergeant Fred E. Wilson, another son of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wilson and who is also in the United States Army, has been home for a few days on a furlough.
3:30—Pledge and Consecration Service, Conducted by Mrs. Gid J. Bryan.
4:00 Adjournment.
Mrs. M. H. Hagaman, Ranger, Secretary, Woman's Society of Christian Service, Cisco, District.

Church Supported By Donations Put Into Ginger Jar

ORLEANS, Mass. (EP)—Cape Cod folks sometimes call the Holy Spirit (Episcopal) church here the "ginger jar church."

450 Get Canning Sugar Permits In Ranger This Week

Through Thursday evening the local sugar rationing board, which is issuing sugar certificates for canning sugar, had issued 450 such permits to buy sugar in Ranger. This represents 450 family units, composed of 1,460 individuals, and calls for purchase of 7,300 pounds of sugar for canning purposes.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD



The Payoff

NEW YORK—Fickle baseball has a bewildered Ellsworth Tennis Dahlgren mulling to himself. Babe Dahlgren can't understand his "sale" by the Cubs to the Browns, his subsequent return to Chicago—and then his trip to Brooklyn.

He batted in 89 runs for the Chicagos in 1941. Jimmy Gallagher gave him a raise.
The Braves got Dahlgren to replace Buddy Hassett. The Yankees sold him because he wouldn't do, and now Hassett has his job with the world champions. The Bostonians sold him to the Cubs, although they had no one to take his place.
Dahlgren has been buffeted about from the outset. He was purchased by the affluent Red Sox following three fine years in the AA Pacific Coast League and another whopper in the Arizona-Texas.

Guns, Gasoline and Social Goings-On Have Part In Cross Currents of Nation's Capital

There won't be a single wooden gun or dummy tank or imaginary airplane in the maneuvers which the Army will hold this summer and fall, and that is perhaps the best commentary that could be made on the improvement in equipment and training the past year.

The one big lesson to be learned from all the hullabaloo over gas rationing in the east is nothing more nor less than a fundamental precept of democracy which everyone should have recognized in the beginning and which should most certainly be remembered while future rationing programs are being planned. It is simply that any time you attempt to pick out one class of American citizens and give them rights and privileges not enjoyed by the remainder of the population, you are running into trouble.

All the little girl reporters who go to Mrs. Roosevelt's press conferences have become case-hardened to anything the First Lady may say or do, but the other day she pulled a new one that caused a few sob-sisterly eyebrows to rise above the pencil lines. Instead of referring to the President as "Franklin," she called him "Frank." It was the first time within memory of even the oldest gal there.



June Paterson whirled, and flushing hotly cried, "Being my chaperon doesn't include the right of possession. I'll go where I like!"

coughed significantly. "It would be out of the question."

TALCOTT choked back angry words and in baffled rage strode from the office. Avoiding his house he headed for the worn stone pier where, short hours ago, Halsey and the auditor had landed.

The new man's arrival should have meant happiness for Bill Talcott; release after six deadly years. Economic affairs had been none too good when he and Lowell Byrd received their degrees; taking up their commissions in the army had been a logical step. Another hitch had followed for both of them, and at the end Federal Chemical had made flattering offers. Lowell Byrd, a captain now, had decided that the army was his career; Talcott, with a mother to support, accepted the bait of more money.

When viewed from Federal Chemical's plush sanctum in New York, prospects of life in the tropics had been thrilling. Bill Talcott had planned to send for his mother as soon as he was settled; he hadn't seen, until the moment of his arrival, how he was trapped. Months of patient, questioning letters passed to years until finally Lowell Byrd wrote of Mother Talcott's death. So he stayed on at Plant Number Six.

Something of Talcott's first crumbling hopes had shown in Halsey's eyes the moment the new man stepped from the mailboat. Was Halsey, realizing that Winters' flowery rhetoric didn't correspond to the facts, attempting a rotten trick to save himself?
Bill Talcott had done a good job; had spent a sixth of his life on a blistering, rain-swept, wind-swept chunk of rock. Only his daily swims in the shark-infested waters of Anegada Passage had kept him from utter madness. Was it to end in disgrace and possible prison?

His eyes were thoughtful as he came up the path. With a start of memory he saw, on the terrace, the lax figure of June Paterson. She too had arrived on the mailboat. Was she who claimed to be his best friend's cousin also in the game?

As quickly as it had come he dismissed the suspicion and, avoiding the terrace, went down for a swim.

DINNER was a complete farce. Despite excellent drinks and marvelous viands conjured up by Black Sam, conversation was unbearable. Halsey was reluctant and hostile; Struthers gloomily silent. The mustached MacDowell, too, was preoccupied and Talcott repeatedly felt his searching, cold-eyed scrutiny.

At long last June Paterson became openly rebellious. "I'm going for a walk," she announced. "Alone. I enjoy my conversation. I think I'm the brightest person I know. You gentlemen may continue your stupid game, whatever it is. Don't bother to wait up for me."

Halsey sprang to his feet and grinned ruefully. "Really, Miss Paterson, I'm dreadfully sorry. Been preoccupied, you know. New job and all that sort of thing. Can't I accompany you?"
"I wouldn't think of tearing you away."
Halsey captured her arm firmly. "I have been a terrible bore. I shall make it up to you. Please let me."
Her sullen, long-lashed eyes swept Bill Talcott. "If you insist, come along then."
Arm in arm they had reached the door when Bill Talcott said coldly, "Please don't go out."
Halsey turned in surprise. "And why not?"
"Because it's scarcely safe."
"Rubbish! Do I look like a child?"
Talcott straightened a little in his chair. "I must insist that you do not leave here at night unless I accompany you."
June Paterson whirled, and flushing hotly cried, "Being my chaperon doesn't include the right of possession. I'll go where I like!" And pushing Halsey ahead of her she slammed out.



Edson

WASHINGTON arrivals of princes, presidents, prime ministers and new ambassadors are getting to be a dime a dozen these days; so the biggest recent social event in the capital was the wedding of Maria Teresa Escalante, sleek and sassy-sophisticated debutante daughter of the Venezuelan minister to the United States. It rated two columns of type in Washington papers; with photos up to six columns. One of the society scribes devoted considerable space to the lavish array of wedding gifts that filled two big rooms on the second floor of the modernistic Venezuelan embassy. Gold flat table service chased silver tea sets with matching punch bowls and cups. Instead of referring to the President as "Franklin," she called him "Frank." It was the first time within memory of even the oldest gal there.

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Society, Club and Church Notes

JACK TEATSORTH AND BETTY KRAUSE WED

Jack Teatsorth, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Teatsorth, 509 Hal-bryan, who is in the Navy Cadet corps, was married to Miss Betty Krause of Miami, Florida, May 10.

The ceremony took place in Chapel Hall, Brooklyn, New York, with R. T. Bloomquist, chaplain, officiating. Attendants were Mrs. Edna Krause, mother of the bride, and Charles D. Cook of Miami, Florida.

The bride wore an ensemble in navy blue with orchid corsage, and the groom wore full military uniform.

After a short wedding trip and a visit to his parents on June 7, the couple will go to Norman, Oklahoma, where he has been stationed.

ALPHA DELPHIANS CLOSE CLUBYEAR WITH LUNCHEON

Installation of new officers was held Thursday at the final meeting of the year of the Alpha Delphian Club who entertained with a luncheon at that time at the clubhouse. Mrs. K. F. Page was installed as new president and others inducted were Mrs. H. H. Durham, vice-president; Mrs. J. LeRoy Arnold, recording secretary; Mrs. L. C. Brown, corresponding secretary; Mrs. D. J. Fiensay, treasurer.

A patriotic theme with flowers in red, white and blue was featured in decoration of the luncheon tables. Hostess committee were Mrs. Iola Mitchell, Mrs. D. J. Fiensay, Mrs. H. M. Hart, Mrs. Gerold Wingate, Mrs. Arnold.

Present: Meses. Herman Hague, Marvin Hoop, K. F. Page, G. Wingate, C. E. Moore, Clint Jones, Geo. E. Cross, Leroy Patterson, J. W. Lacy, John Harrison, Robert Vaughn, Iola Mitchell, H. H. Durham, D. J. Fiensay, J. L. Arnold, H. M. Hart, L. C. Brown.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Bert McGlamery and Miss Dorothy McGlamery will be in Denton this week-end for the graduation exercises of Miss Mildred McGlamery from North Texas State Teachers College. They will attend baccalaureate services tonight and the commencement Monday evening. Mildred was in Eastland Friday to attend the graduation of her sister, Dorothy, and returned to Denton with her parents.

Dr. and Mrs. L. C. Brown will attend the graduation of their son Jack, from Texas Tech Monday, June 1. Jack will receive his degree as bachelor of science in mechanical engineering.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lovett of Eastland and Mrs. L. E. Cates and daughter, Mary of Breckenridge, will attend the graduation exercises at Baylor Medical School in Dallas Monday evening, June 1, at which time Frank Lovett Jr., receives his degree.

Mr. and Mrs. Layton Eppler of Houston, formerly of Eastland, is visiting in Eastland as the guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Richardson and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Toombs.

Mrs. Annie Ramsey Robey of Aupatin in visioinaethpiddto Austin is visiting in Eastland in the home of Mrs. Len Hightower.

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INVITE ONE

You will be off to church school Sunday morning to be with your friends for an hour. You will be led by a teacher who has given time and thought in the preparation of the lesson. The chances are you will enjoy and be benefited by the meeting. Not a few hours before the church school meets would it not be a kind and neighborly thing were you to invite a friend or an acquaintance to go along with you?

ALL THE WAY

Kind parents, there is a place for you in the church school, as well as the children you love and bring or send to the school. CHILDREN IN CHURCH It is a shame of the church and many parents that we have trained our children to attend the school of the church and not to attend its services of worship. The church school is useful but alone it is not sufficient to meet the growing religious needs of children and youths. They ought to be in its worship services and if they are not there they are missing more than we have the right to deny them.

CHURCH GOING FAMILIES

Church going families are happier. So say the psychologists. So say social workers. So say pastors. So says anyone who will investigate the matter. The happiness of your family will be increased beyond measure through regular worship in the church. Just try it!

SERMON SUBJECT

The pastor's Sunday morning subject will be The Point of No Return. You will be interested in considering what we can do about the fact there are points in our lives from which we cannot turn back. As usual the choir will lead us with grand music and the other elements of the service will be enriching. Tell someone about this hour and bring them with you.

YOUNG ADULTS

The young adults will meet at the parsonage at six, one hour preceding the vespers. The discussion of the sermon on the mount will be concluded and plans

Mrs. Alvis Wood left Saturday morning for Wichita Falls to visit her husband who is stationed at Shepperd Field there. She was accompanied by Mrs. C. H. Yeager. They will spend the week-end there.

For further studies and activities presented.

END OF THE WORLD

Is this the End of the World? That will be the question to which the pastor will direct the attention of those in the vesper service at seven Sunday evening. He believes everyone needs the insights and attitudes which this message will attempt to create. For the past several Sundays rats have interfered with the vesper service attendance, in fact, the services have all but been washed up. We shall endeavor to have things worth your time in this worship at the close of the day.

NEW LITERATURE

Teachers and officers of the church school, the literature for June is in your hands. It is an excellent thing to read through the entire material for the month before the month begins. Get a picture of the whole before you work on a part. Then there are plans which require advance assignments, which, therefore, cannot be worked if we work one piece at a time. Sometimes the material is difficult to handle or is off the point, to our way of thinking. But we shall hurt ourselves and the work as a whole if we hastily cast away the rich sources to be found in the literature from month to month and year to year.

SOCIETY LUNCHEON MONDAY

The Woman's Society of Christian Service will have their monthly luncheon (covered dish) at 1:30 Monday at the church. This will be followed by a study period led by the pastor under the direction of Mrs. W. P. Leslie. The monthly luncheon, a new feature, is well attended and another large group is expected Monday.

CHILDREN'S CHOIR

Plans are afoot to train a children's choir in the church. Mrs. F. L. Drago, superintendent of children, and the pastor are anxious for this to be done. When the time comes parents will do well to encourage their children to be in it.

ART GLASS WINDOWS

Good news! Contributions to repair our art glass windows are coming in from the people. Grand! We still lack, however, more than \$100 having enough to pay the workmen who may start any day now. Looks like everyone is going to respond to the plan for each member to do a little bit rather than to get a few to pay it all. A wonderful people, we think. We thank you for your part, whether it is in or on the

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WANTED — You to remember that we will appreciate and endeavor to merit that next order for job printing that you have. Phone 601. Eastland Telegram.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Mr. Bert McGlamery intends to call a meeting of the Board of Education to be held one evening next week. Important matters will be discussed and passed on. A full attendance is urged.

VACATION SCHOOL

Though we have reached the point of setting the date for a vacation church school, it is reasonable to assume we shall have one. Doubtless the Board of Education will pass on this matter next week. The school was held in July last year.

IT IS EASY WHEN

It is easy to finance the work of the church when the people pay weekly as they are able. Most of our people do that; so we go along month after month with all our obligations paid. Were there those among us who are unable to pay anything they would be as welcome in the church as those who pay generously. A penny a week is a respectable and sufficient amount to pay to the church in those cases where a penny a week is all a person is able to contribute. It is not the amount that matters—it is the honest giving regularly of that which we are able. Few things add to the morale of a Christian more than the simple things of doing his part in the support of his church in those cases where a Christian more than to fail at this point.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

I. W. Justice, Pastor
We feel that last Sunday was a very profitable day, with Dr. McGraw as our guest preacher. The message on Biblical Prophecy and World War No. 2 was very convincing and inspirational.

I believe the attitude we take toward God will have much to do with the outcome of this present world conflict. So while we are changing our ways of living because of war conditions, let us not forget that all of our strength cannot be measured by the number of young men that make up our army and navy. Nor by the millions of dollars we spend in the building of warships. A permanent society cannot rest upon the genius of its members alone, nor human treaties of peace. Such must rest upon the foundation of righteousness which alone can stand the storms, criticisms and attacks of the enemies through the ages.

Church School 9:45 a. m.
Preaching hour 11:00 a. m.
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Cecil Walters From Eastland Is Member Of Biggest Randolph Class

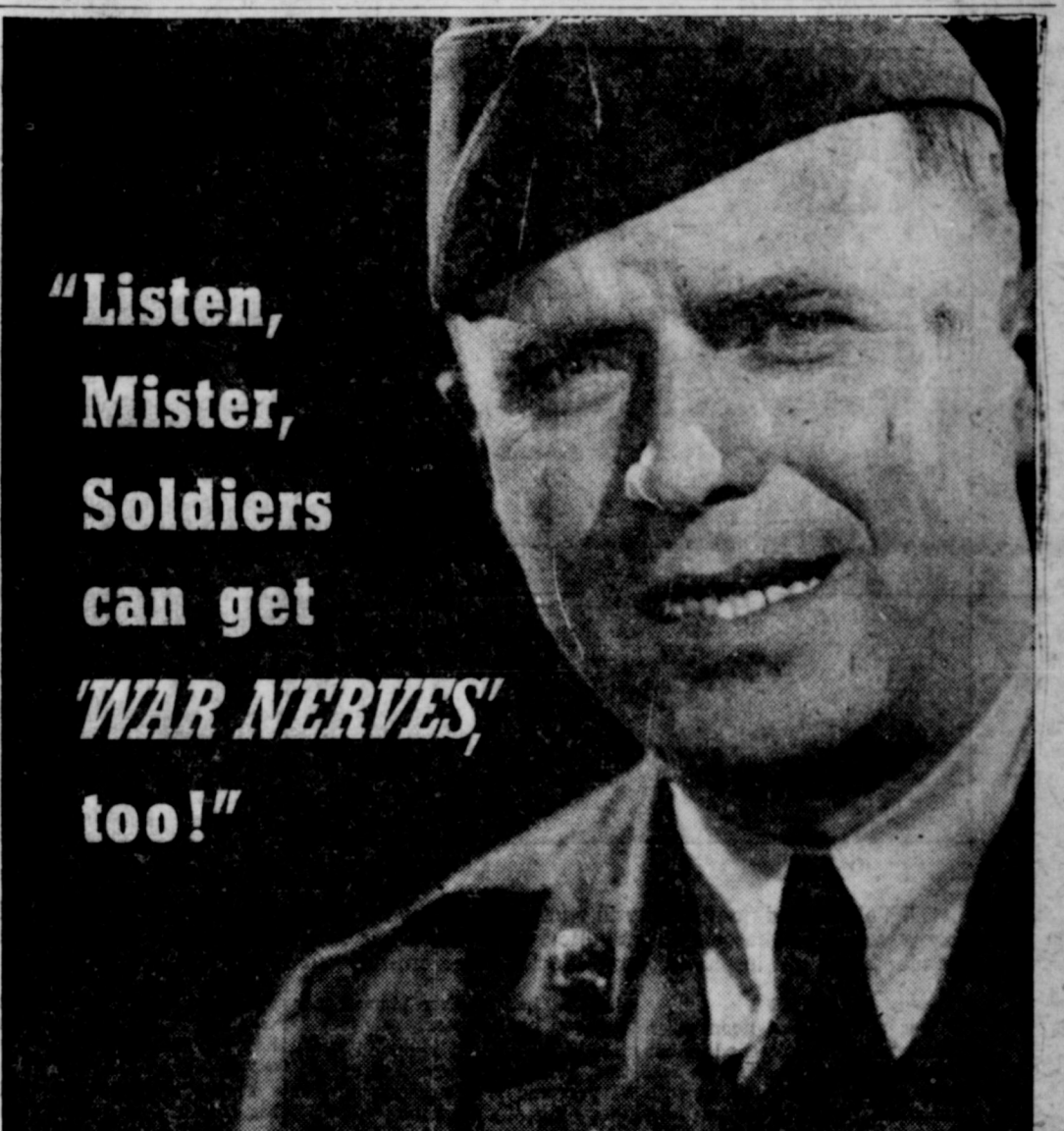


Cecil (Snooks) Walters, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Walters of Eastland, is one of the cadets that go to make up the largest class the Lone Star State ever has sent to the "West Point of the Air", at Randolph Field.

The current class is composed of 222 Texans who are learning to fly during nine weeks of basic instructions. Soon they will go to advanced schools to receive wings and commissions.

Young Walters graduated from Eastland High school with the class of '39.

Here are three Randolph Field cadets, one of whom it Worth; Cecil Walters, Eastland, and Mack A. McWorth, who go to make up one of the largest classes from Eastland and two of whom are from Fort Air." Left to right they are James R. Siemoneit, Fores of Texans ever to attend the "West Point of the Lain, Fort Worth.



"Listen, Mister, Soldiers can get 'WAR NERVES' too!" (A sergeant speaks his mind)

"I'm going to give it to you straight. "We read a lot of stuff about how civilians are fighting 'war nerves.' Going to shows...dancing...reading...having fun to relax from all the grimness today and keeping up their morale. "So listen, all you folks. Next time you see a show or do a little rug-cutting or read a book or light a smoke or just sit down to play a game of gin rummy or listen to the radio in your nice comfortable living room, just remember that there's lots of guys in O. D. and blue that can also use some of same. "It all adds up to this...we like the job the USO is doing for us...and we hope you on the home front, keep it rolling!" The war chest against "war nerves" needs replenishing. Soon you'll be asked to help. Well, you heard what the sergeant said! * * * Send your contribution to your local USO Committee or to National Headquarters, USO, Empire State Building, New York City. "They're putting on swell shows...running club-houses...providing read-

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For County School Superintendent
T. C. WILLIAMS
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For County Judge:
W. S. ADAMSON

For Sheriff:
LOSS WOODS
JOHN HART
JOHN C. BARBER

For Collector-Assessor
CLYDE KARKALITS

For County Clerk
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Representative of 106 District:
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... when the storm comes. This is tornado and hail season, and do we know it! We are busy day-and night adjusting hail losses and writing storm insurance. May we serve you? It is better to have it and not need it than to need it and not have it!
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