

FIFTH STAGES BLOODY ATTACK

"Give In Or Die" Germany May Be Ordered By Allies

8th Also Advances Toward San Vito On Adriatic Coast



D. D. Monroe To Address AAFBS Class

D. D. Monroe, secretary-manager of the Clayton Abstract Company, Clayton, N. M., will be guest speaker at cadet graduation exercises for Class 43-17 which will be held in the post theatre at the Big Spring Bombardier School Saturday at 9:30 a. m.

Rated as one of the outstanding speakers in this section of the country, Monroe has attained recognition as an author, fraternal leader and entertainer. The graduation program will open with the invocation by Chaplain Emeric Lawrence, followed by two vocal numbers, "My Heart Tells Me", and "Embraceable You" sung by Cpl. Sylvia Pederson.

Administration of the oath of office will be given by the post secretary, Lieut. Pierre W. Curie, and Col. Robert W. Warren, commandant, will award wings. The responding address will be given by Lieut. B. W. Cotton, wing commander of the class, and the program will close with the singing of the Star Spangled Banner and the benediction by Chaplain James L. Patterson.

Other class officers include Cadet W. R. Baker, wing adjutant; Cadet P. D. Williams, wing supply officer; Cadet S. S. Shimlock, squadron commander; Cadet James Cohen, squadron adjutant; and Cadet A. Campbell, first sergeant.

Pearson Called On Senatorial Mat

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3 (AP)—Washington columnist Drew Pearson was scheduled to explain to the senate finance committee today his assertion that an attorney for the U. S. chamber of commerce "boasts that he has Senator George's vote on taxes in his pocket," but his appearance was temporarily postponed when George (D-Ga.), chairman of the committee, showed up at the capitol with a sore throat and a temperature.

Pearson recently said in his column that Ellsworth Alford, U. S. S. C. of C. counsel, made the alleged boast.

George, who said he wanted to "get at the facts," was examined in the first aid room of the senate office building this morning after developing a sore throat. A nurse, who found he had a temperature of 101 degrees, recommended that he return home.

Pearson, notified of the circumstances, said he would appear at a later date.

Chairman George, whose committee is conducting hearings on the \$2,140,000,000 added revenues bill, had previously stated that a subpoena for Pearson would be issued, if necessary.

18 SHOPPING DAYS LEFT. Bought your cards? Buy Christmas Seals.

London Newspaper Reports Ultimatum Drawn Up At The Middle East Conference

By E. D. BALL. LONDON, Dec. 3 (AP)—The London Star said today a Roosevelt-Stalin-Churchill conference in the Middle East has drawn up a final "give in or die" ultimatum to Germany. "Stalin is at war parley; meeting with Churchill and Roosevelt; give in or die to Germany," was the way the afternoon newspaper headlined the article.

Earlier, Chairman Tom Connally of the U. S. senate foreign relations committee had declared in Fort Worth, that "another great conference is taking place in the Middle East" among the three United Nations leaders, and described the meeting as "of paramount significance."

"The Churchill, Roosevelt, Stalin meeting, about which there has been so much speculation, has taken place," the London Star said. "The three statesmen are now conferring somewhere in the Middle East. Some reports, axis and neutral, say the meeting place is Teheran; others say it is Tabriz, in the Russian military zone of northern Persia."

"The first definite news of this new conference was given to the world by Connally in a radio address from Fort Worth." Official Washington and London maintained a discreet silence, while continental radios told the world that President Roosevelt, Prime Minister Churchill and Premier Joseph Stalin were in Iran drawing up an ultimatum calling upon Germany to surrender under pain of being bombed to destruction.

The German-controlled Paris radio asserted that the conference was being held at Tabriz in northwest Iran, across the border from Russia, and said that Soviet troops had been concentrated there to assure the safety of the Allied statesmen.

Similar reports emanated from Bern, Vichy and Turkey. All agreed that the conferences were meeting somewhere in Iran, but some expressed belief the conference was being held in the capital at Teheran.

The situation closely paralleled the circumstances surrounding the recent North African conference, when axis and neutral sources proclaimed that Roosevelt and Churchill were conferring in Cairo with Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek several days before the official announcement of that meeting.

Jap Vessels Sunk In Pacific

By the Associated Press. Prime Minister John Curtin told Australia today that there is no short cut to victory in the Pacific, and widespread assaults on Japanese positions only served to emphasize the immensity of the task ahead.

Allied bombers, carrying the brunt of new attacks, sank a troop-laden 10,000 ton enemy transport and a large tanker, damaged two destroyers and shot down 21 Japanese planes in air battles from the Marshalls to the Solomons.

In ground fighting, more than 600 marines made a two-day raid inside enemy lines on Bougainville, northern Solomon, and the announcement said they killed upwards of 200 Japanese. The Americans, opposed by twice their number, destroyed considerable supplies and withdrew with 15 marines killed and 71 wounded.

On the Japanese credit side, however, was the loss to the United States of the 1,525 ton submarine Wahoo and the sinking of the escort carrier Liscome Bay in the Gilbert Islands campaign. The naval casualties announced yesterday brought to 132 the ships of all classes sunk during the war.

Curtin's statement on the Pacific struggle came in his disclosure that he had just completed an important three-day conference with General Douglas MacArthur, commander of Allied forces in the southwest Pacific.

Army Reservists Report For Duty

Six enlisted reservists have reported to Fort Sill, Okla. to begin their military service, the Howard county selective service board reported Thursday.

Included in the group were J. S. (Pete) Thomas, leader, Bitoriano S. Hilliard, George Patrick Miller, Manuel Alcaraz, Willie Earl Buckner and Clayton Webb Bettis.

BERLIN HIT AGAIN

Blockbusters Dropped On Capital City

By Gladwin Hill. LONDON, Dec. 3 (AP)—Britain's blockbusting armadas flew against Berlin last night for the fifth time in two weeks and fought their greatest battle yet in the relentless campaign to erase the Nazi capital.

Shooting toward a city already a third demolished, where fires still flared from the previous attacks, the squadrons of four-engine bombers drove through flare paths lighting the approaches to the city from as far away as 50 miles, pierced exploding walls of heavy anti-aircraft fire and slugged it out with scores of night fighters which the Germans had massed over the arena.

The British announced the loss of 41 aircraft in this and other operations, but at the end they left great sevens of flame shooting up from the stricken city, the world's fourth largest, and billows of smoke and flame which climbed to heights of three miles.

The fierce attack lasted half an hour and was over by 8 p. m. During this time at least 30 four-engine blockbusters—which can obliterate everything for hundreds of yards around—hurtled down among the bewildered defenders. The telephone lines to Sweden were knocked out almost at once, but they were shortly restored.

The bombers dropped nearly 2,000 long tons of explosives and incendiaries. This brought to about 15,000 the total dumped this year on the world's most-bombed city.

The Germans in their broadcast acknowledged that the attack blanketed the whole Berlin area, already in a great state of disruption with only a few transportation lines restored to service from previous attacks, with the streets still filled with debris and the people living from hand to mouth from temporary stores established in cellars and street stands.

But the Nazis, who apparently had concentrated every available weapon and fighter they could muster for the "battle of Berlin," claimed they had shot down 30 bombers.

Indications were that the RAF had achieved a destruction in Berlin to the extent that it was now spreading out its attacks to avoid bombing what had been hit before.

This was reflected in the German reports that the raid extended over the whole metropolitan area, and corroborated by Swedish correspondents' dispatches which said new fires were blazing all through the north central and southern sections.

Headquarters of the U. S. Eighth Air Force, meanwhile, disclosed that Britain-based American planes had set a new monthly record by dropping more than 7,670 tons of bombs on Germany or occupied territory and shooting down 257 enemy planes during November.

American losses for the month were 93 heavy bombers, six medium bombers and 42 fighters.

Fifth Air Force Service Repairs Airplanes In Jungle Stronghold

By BOB EUNSON. SOMEWHERE IN NEW GUINEA, Dec. 3 (AP)—When a Flying Fortress crashed in isolated bushland, a Fifth Air Force service unit beat its way through the jungle, spent two months getting the plane in shape to fly, then built an airstrip one thousand feet long and flew the needed bomber home.

When a B-24 crash landed several months ago, this same unit worked relay crews on the repair job 24 hours a day for 21 days to get the new Liberator back over Japanese territory, dealing in death.

Once when another bomber crash landed on a beach one crew of men worked 36 hours without stopping for a moment's rest in order to save the engine before the tide washed the big ship away.

That kind of spirit doesn't go unnoticed for long and here and there in New Guinea, wherever



Post-War Jeep—If you are one of those who have decided that you are going to be a jeep owner after the war, the Fifth Ferrying Group at Love Field, Dallas, believes it has the answer. With the expenditure of a few dollars for welding; four feet of plexiglass and some scrap cloth for the windshield; four feet of plexiglass and some scrap cloth for the door; and a few dollars for the radio car of the Guard Squadron gives a foretaste of jeeps to come, as well as comfort to those who use it.

80 Towns Fall To Reds In New Gains North Of Gomel

By HENRY C. CASSIDY. MOSCOW, Dec. 3 (AP)—While German infantry and tank divisions, heavily reinforced by mechanized forces rushed from western Europe, battered in vain against the Russians' Cherkassy bridgehead on the Dnieper river, Red army troops carved out new gains yesterday northwest of Gomel, where they captured more than 80 towns, a Soviet communique announced today.

Water Test Is Now Underway

The city's search for water was being pushed Friday with completion of one test well on the O'Barr ranch in northeastern Glasscock county and the starting of another. No test figures on the completed well, which went only to a depth of 129 feet in boring into the triassic, or on either of two tests on the Wm. B. Currie ranch to the north, were available.

Although the O'Barr well did not log a single water bearing formation, it curiously looked to be a good well. City Manager B. J. McDaniel said it probably was on the edge of a syncline in that general vicinity. Location is on the west side of section 27-30, W&NW, and the second test on the O'Barr land is to be drilled to the east.

Meanwhile, the city's application for Federal Works Agency aid in developing a supplemental water supply and transmission facilities was being pushed. Dr. George W. Cox, state health department head, joined in requests that the project be pushed, submitted letters to FWA and the War Production Board.

Both the Russian and German communiques were silent concerning the bloody fighting in the Kiev bulge east of Zhitomir and Korosten, where tank battles of unparalleled intensity were said to be raging. German broadcasts, however, reported a fresh Soviet offensive surging southwest along the Smolensk road toward Orsha and Minsk, capital of White Russia, at the intersection of the Moscow-Warsaw and Libau-Khar'kov railways. Berlin said the Red army drive had pierced the German lines in two places.

Editors Protest Release Violation

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3 (AP)—American editors have protested to the White House and to the Office of War Information over the broadcasting by the British news agency, Reuters, of news of the Roosevelt-Churchill-Chiang Kai-shek conference more than 24 hours ahead of the release time in the United States.

A protest also was made by War Information Director Elmer Davis, to his British counterpart, Brendan Bracken.

Roy A. Roberts, managing editor of the Kansas City Star and president of the American Society of Newspaper Editors, in protest yesterday to the White House and the OWI, said:

"The whole episode hurts the war effort. Our war correspondents have too fine a record of devotion and sacrifice in this war in keeping the public at home informed to be brushed off as they were. The breaking of faith, if not the release, by Reuters, destroyed much of the effect of what should have been one of the epochal high-spots of the war."

PROTEST VICHY POLITICS

BERN, Switzerland, Dec. 3 (AP)—Vichy Ambassador Admiral Francis Bard's diplomatic staff in Bern resigned today in what was described as a protest against the Vichy government's political attitude.

By WES GALLAGHER. ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, ALGIERS, Dec. 3 (AP)—Lt. Gen. Mark W. Clark's Fifth army troops, after a long stalemate on the western Italian front, have cracked forward through machine-gun-raked fields and barbed wire in the Calabritto area in the wake of a rolling barrage of artillery shells and aerial bombs, Allied headquarters announced today.

The British Eighth army also continued to smash the Germans back beyond the Sangro ridge, and captured Castel Frentano, on a lateral road west of the important German defense town of Lanciano, and pushed on toward San Vito on the Adriatic coast, six miles beyond Wednesday's line. But Gen. Sir Bernard L. Montgomery's drive showed signs of slowing down.

Both the Fifth and Eighth armies took prisoners in their advance.

The air force reported heavy attacks around San Giorgio, Rocca and Cervano on the Fifth army front where the Germans were said to have "mounted guns on every strategic height around the road to Rome."

Allied air attacks were the heaviest in many days and 17 German planes were destroyed for a loss of eight Allied planes.

A force of Liberators, escorted by Lightnings, pounded Bolzano, on the Brenner Pass line in northern Italy, while the British destroyers Queensborough and Raider bombarded Nazi installations in the Albanian port of Durazzo at night.

The Liberators and Lightnings were engaged by strong formations of ME-109s and FW-190s and shot down four for a loss of three.

Pilots flying over the Fifth army battle area reported "fierce fighting" and great clouds of dust arising over large areas enveloped by battle.

Calabritto, which is five miles southwest of Mignano at the strongest part of the German line defending the main road to Rome, was the scene of the heaviest Fifth army fighting and reports were extremely reserved on how far Clark's army had progressed.

The Germans made a particularly determined effort to halt the Eighth army in the Lanciano area where they held a 900-foot ridge which dominates the surrounding country. The Germans were reported yesterday rushing reserves from northern Italy in an attempt to stem the drive.

Frontline advices said the Germans were trying to use crowds of refugees to block and hamper the Allied advance. They were reported to be taking the populations of small towns and driving them out toward the advancing Fifth and Eighth armies, then blowing up bridges behind them in an attempt to create conditions similar to those in France during the Nazi blitz.

Front line dispatches said the Fifth army's stab was the biggest Allied offensive since the landing at Salerno, but the Germans were fighting fiercely over every section of the front, and numerous minefields and heavy demolitions were being encountered.

Austin Named Masonic Chief

WACO, Dec. 3 (AP)—Claude L. Austin, member of the A. C. Garrett Lodge in Dallas, is new Grand Master of the Masonic Grand Lodge of Texas.

Austin had been acting in that capacity since last April for Grand Master Rogers Kelley of Edinburg and was elected to the office officially yesterday at the final meeting of the lodge's 108th communion. Lieut. Kelley's military duties had prevented his serving.

Lieut. Rogers Brannon, former Hillsboro pastor now serving as navy chaplain at New London, Conn., and a past Worshipful Master of the Laredo Masonic Lodge, was elected Grand Junior Warden, first in a series of positions which eventually leads to the Grand Mastership.

State Land Commissioner Bascom Giles of Austin was promoted from Grand Senior Warden to Deputy Grand Master. Former Governor Pat M. Neff, president of Baylor University, was advanced from Grand Junior Warden to Grand Senior Warden.

Re-elected were Grand Treasurer J. J. Gallaher and Grand Secretary George H. Belew. Both reside at Waco.

Lonnie Irvin of San Antonio was re-elected to the committee on work, on which he has served 25 years.

The lodge rejected a proposal to permit annual meetings other than in Waco, where they have been held for 48 years under the lodge's constitution. These appointive officers were named: H. Jack Heffner, Dallas, Grand Orator; T. O. Perrin, Greenville, Grand Chaplain; Ernest L. Ross, Fort Worth, Grand Marshal; C. D. Shoemaker, Jacksonville, Grand Senior Deacon; J. W. Stovall, San Angelo, Grand Junior Deacon; J. M. Wilten, Cisco, Grand Senior Steward; Fritz Werner, Laredo, Grand Junior Steward; W. W. Boothe, Paris, Grand Purveyor; Hugh Craig, Fort Worth, Grand Tiler.



OAKY DOAKES



D. D. Monroe To Address Rotarians

Rotarians and their guests will be addressed at 7:30 p. m. today at the Settles by one of the leading Rotary figures in the Southwest—D. D. Monroe, Clayton, N. M.

Baptists Pay Church Debt

The congregation of the East Fourth Baptist church Sunday will celebrate the attainment of a slogan—"Debt Free in Forty-three"—with all-day dedication services.

Here 'n There

Member of a class of aviation cadets now at Garden City army air field, Garden City, is Russell H. Weaver, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marcellus Weaver. He graduated from Big Spring high school, was employed at the Richmond Shipbuilding Corp., in California prior to his appointment. Cadet Weaver completed elementary flight training at Vernon, is now taking his basic course.



The AIRPORT BAPTIST CHURCH SERVICES EACH SUNDAY THURSDAY EVENINGS

MOUNTBATTEN RETURNS

NEW DELHI, Dec. 3 (AP)—Admiral Lord Louis Mountbatten, Allied commander in Southeast Asia, returned to India from the Middle East tri-power conference today and held an immediate conference on his military command.

Thousands Say TAKE SWAMP ROOT TO AVOID GETTING UP AT NIGHT

Kidney sufferers find fast relief with famous Doctor's tonic that helps wash away painful acid sediment. Feel better... sleep like a top!

Projects

Two evidences of the missionary spirit of the East Fourth Baptist church, which has its formal dedication Sunday on the occasion of retirement of its debt, are shown above. Top is the Boy Scout hut annex, erected in 1941 as a meeting place for troops 4A and B, and below is the Airport Baptist mission erected in 1942 with J. Hollis Lloyd as superintendent.

Safe-Crackers Rob Burr Dept. Store

Safe-crackers Thursday night lifted cash in excess of \$280 from the Burr Store. Sheriff A. J. Merrick and city police were investigating the case Friday but had little evidence on which to proceed.

Naval Flyers Are Injured In Crash

DALLAS, Dec. 3 (AP)—Three naval flyers were seriously injured Monday in the crash of two planes just east of the Dallas naval air station, the navy announced today.

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Weather Forecast

Dept. of Commerce Weather Bureau BIG SPRING AND VICINITY: Fair to partly cloudy this afternoon, tonight and Saturday; continued cold this afternoon and tonight. Slightly warmer Saturday. WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy today, tonight and Saturday; not quite so cold in the Panhandle, continued cold in the South Plains, slightly cooler elsewhere tonight; slightly warmer in the Panhandle and South Plains Saturday. Fresh winds in the Panhandle. EAST TEXAS: Mostly cloudy with occasional thundershowers near the coast and in extreme south portion, partly cloudy and cooler elsewhere today; partly cloudy near the coast; generally fair in interior; cooler tonight; temperatures near freezing in northwest and extreme north portion; Saturday partly cloudy, cooler in south portion. TEMPERATURES City— Max. Min. Abilene . . . . . 68 36 Amarillo . . . . . 48 22 BIG SPRING . . . . . 69 37 Chicago . . . . . 41 27 Denver . . . . . 58 32 El Paso . . . . . 44 22 Fort Worth . . . . . 70 41 Galveston . . . . . 67 81 New York . . . . . 50 40 St. Louis . . . . . 43 28 Local sunset today at 6:41 p. m. Sunrise Saturday at 8:32 a. m.

Livestock

FORT WORTH, Dec. 3 (P)—Cattle 1,200; calves '00; steady to strong; medium to choice fed steers and yearlings 11.00-14.00; beef cows 7.50-10.00; canners and cutters 4.00-7.50; fat slaughter calves 7.50-11.50; stocker steer calves 8.00-11.75; heifer calves and light weights 10.50; stocker and feeder steers and yearlings 7.00-11.00; stocker cows went to the grass at 9.00 down. Hogs 1,500; unchanged; top 18.65; good and choice 200-270 lb. butcher hogs 13.55-65; good 170-195 lb. averages 12.50-13.45; packing sows 12.00 down; stocker pigs at 10.00 down. Sheep 4,700; steady; good and choice fat lambs 12.50-13.50; common to medium lambs 7.00-11.00; slaughter ewes 3.50-6.50; and feeder lambs at 9.00 down.

Classic Bowlers Clash In Meet

The classic bowling league now numbering only four teams swung into action in the West Texas bowling center last night with the Harry Lester group winning two games from Park Inn. Total pins Harry Lester 2285 and Park Inn 2322. The Safeway tribe took three wins from the Texas Electric gang with total pins 2355 for the winners and 2072 for the losers. Oozier took high series with a 504 closely followed by Sgt. Ciperani with 498 and Womack who had 490 pins. Ciperani took high individual game with a 200 followed by Womack and Dosier who totaled 189 and 182 respectively. High team game went to Park Inn with an 830. Safeway had 875 and Harry Lester 776.



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Last Service Of Revival Stated This Evening

With more than 500 members for church membership—both by letter and by baptism in the co-operating churches—the city-wide all-church revival sponsored by the Big Spring Pastors association concludes with the 8 p. m. service today.

Market Stronger At Livestock Sale

A stronger market Wednesday brought a \$28,000 volume for 650 head through the ring at the weekly sale of the Big Spring Livestock Commission Co. Fat bulls were bid up to 9.50 and fat cows up to 10.00. Butcher cows ranged from 6.00 to 8.50 while canners were stronger with a top of 5.00. Butcher yearlings were up to 11.50 and fat calves were worth 9.00 to 11.50. Rannles varied from 5.50 to 8.00 and stocker calves were from 10.00 to 11.00. Top for hogs was 13.00.

OPA Beer Meeting Called For Monday

An OPA meeting of beer distributors, wholesalers, and retailers has been called for next Monday in Midland, it was announced here Friday, and all beer sellers were urged to attend. The session will be in the district courtroom at Midland, beginning at 2:30 p. m., and is to be conducted by J. B. Mooney, OPA ceiling price executive. Notice of the meeting came through the local War Price and Ration Board, which said that all Big Spring beer handlers would find it advantageous to attend. Ceiling price regulations will be discussed.

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# Tarawa Takes 3,583 Toll Of Marine Corps

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3 (AP)—The costly conquest of Tarawa took a Marine Corps toll of 3,583 dead and wounded in 76 hours of bitter fighting. On Guadalcanal, in six months, U. S. forces lost 86 fewer men.

But from the Navy, and from Maj. Gen. Holland McTiere Smith, commander of the assault troops came the disclosures that, first, Japanese losses were estimated at more than 5,700 and second, invaluable knowledge was gained for future operations against similar atolls.

For one thing, said Gen. Smith, there must be longer concentrated preliminary bombing. He repeated that some of the Japanese blockhouses on Tarawa were of

concrete five feet thick, covered with railroad ties and 10 to 12 feet of sand and coral.

Eyewitnesses told of severe losses in which ill-luck had played a part, such as the entrapment of some of the landing boats on a reef, helpless, motionless targets for enemy gunners.

And the charging Marines were met with withering fire. Gen. Smith reported: "I counted 105 dead marines in a space less than 20 yards.

(Most, if not all casualties were believed to have been Marines, although the Army may have participated.)

The Navy's communique was terse, listing only the number of casualties and the duration of the fighting. But from it, and from other announcements, these comparative figures were available:

Tarawa—1,026 dead and 2,557 wounded.

Makin — 65 killed and 121 wounded.

Abemama—one killed and two wounded.

Guadalcanal—963 dead, 138 missing and 2,675 wounded.

Salerno (in the landing and six days of fighting)—3,497 total U. S. casualties.

get back on rock-bottom constitutional government.

Connally, who is chairman of the senate foreign relations committee, asserted that from such conferences as that of President Roosevelt, Prime Minister Church-

ill and Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek there probably shall emerge a spirit of cooperation which will bring about peace in the world.

A world peace organization, he said, "commands our highest hopes and best aspirations." He

asserted establishment of such an organization "will not be an easy task. Difficulties will be encountered. Obstacles will face us. But we need not despair. We have faced great national and international problems before. Ameri-

can genius and leadership and statesmanship will not be deterred by hardships and struggles. x x x The sublime objective of world peace is worth the effort."

The average width of Chile is 100 miles.

**MORE MACHINERY**

COLLEGE STATION, Dec. 3 (AP)—Farmers will be able to obtain more farm machinery, will get more timely deliveries and the distribution system will be better in 1944 than in 1943, B. F. Vance,

chairman of the Texas USDA War Board, said Thursday.

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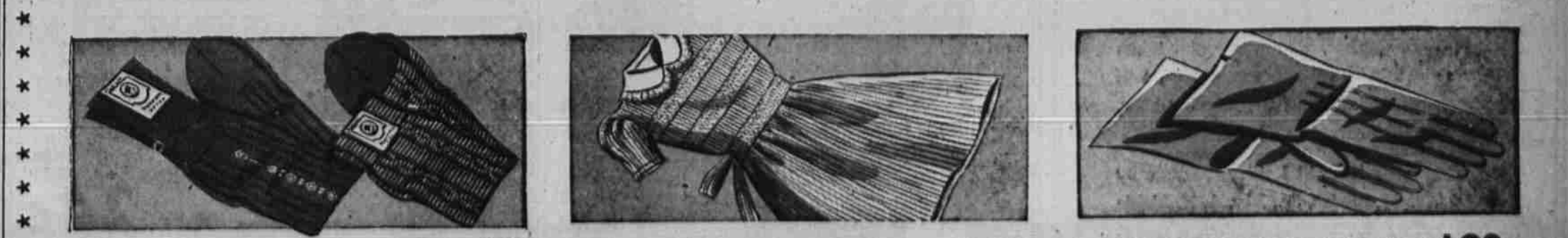
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## Connally Speaks At Masonic Meet

WACO, Dec 3 (AP)—There is no danger of domestic wartime measures bringing about a change in this nation's system of government, Senator Tom Connally (D-Tex) told the grand communication of the Masonic Grand Lodge of Texas. "War regulations are irritating and annoying, but fears that this country will go socialistic or get away from fundamental principles are erroneous," the Texas senator said Wednesday night, adding: "When the war is over we will

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## "The Right To Religious Life" Is Discussed By Rev. Dick O'Brien At South Ward P-T. A. Meeting

### Plans Discussed For Cake Walk And Bog Supper

The Rev. Dick O'Brien, pastor of the First Baptist church, was guest speaker at the Thursday afternoon meeting of the South Ward Parent-Teacher's Association which was held at the school at 3 o'clock. "The Right to Religious Life" was the subject of his talk which followed a song "In Old Judea" sung by Mrs. E. B. Blackburn.

A letter from the district P-T. A. president, Mrs. J. C. Steward of Law, was read, and Mrs. A. A. Porter reported \$43.23 in the P-T. A. treasury.

Plans were discussed for an old fashioned box supper and cake walk, and room count for having the most mothers present went to Mrs. Ruth Burnam's sixth grade class.

Those attending the meeting were Mrs. A. A. Porter, Mrs. George French, Mrs. Rex Edwards, Mrs. R. H. Snyder, Mrs. Charlie Boyd, Mrs. H. W. Wright, Mrs. Ruth Burnam, Mrs. H. L. Hoover, Jr., Mrs. W. B. Younger, Mrs. F. W. Bugg.

Mrs. S. M. Smith, Mrs. R. O. McClinton, Mrs. J. W. Denton, Mrs. Ray C. Clark, Mrs. J. B. Mull, Mrs. C. W. Williams, Mrs. Charles Stagg, Mrs. H. M. Rowe, Mrs. H. W. Smith, Mrs. M. E. Boatman.

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## East Fourth Baptists Invite You



Sunday is to be a Great Day with us, and we invite all our friends to attend. The Church will celebrate its being out of debt by having an all day service.

Rev. S. B. Hughes, who was pastor when the church building was constructed, will preach the dedication at the morning hour. Dinner will be served to all at noon.

Afternoon services will feature messages by Rev. Chester O'Brien, Jr., Rev. A. B. Lightfoot and by Mr. Preston Denton, a recent volunteer for the ministry.

Mrs. Orine Hughes Suffern will be in charge of music. The debt of \$9,000.00 being completely paid off, the mortgage will be burned as a part of the service. The pastor, Rev. R. Elmer Dunham will baptize during the afternoon and will preach at the evening hour.

## Officers Elected At GIA Meeting At The W. O. W. Hall

Election of officers was held Thursday afternoon when members of the GIA met at the WOW hall.

Mrs. R. D. Ulrey was named president; Mrs. W. G. Mims, vice president; Mrs. C. E. Gill, secretary; Mrs. Sam Barbee, treasurer; Mrs. R. L. Schwarzenbach, chaplain; Mrs. A. M. Ripps, sentinel; and Mrs. Ned Boyle, guide.

Officers will be installed at a Christmas party which will be held at the WOW hall on December 16th.

Those attending the meeting were Mrs. R. D. Ulrey, Mrs. C. E. Gill, Mrs. Sam Barbee, Mrs. R. L. Schwarzenbach, Mrs. Max Weisen and Mrs. Charles Vines.

## Square Dance Held At Local USO Club

A large number of service men from the Big Spring Bombardier School and hostesses attended a square dance held at the Big Spring USO club Thursday evening.

Music for dancing was furnished by a record player, and desk hostesses included Mrs. W. J. McAdams, Nellie Burns and Mrs. J. W. Maddrey.

Hostesses included Ruth Burnam, Gay Nell Yardley, Mildred Armstrong, Velda Sergeant, Jean Nixon, Ina Fay Fryer, Louise Murphy, Ann Glendening, Nita Chapman, Melva Ray Chapman, Robbie Elder, Ruth Griffin, Dorothy Dean Sain, Joyce Denny, Joyce Daniel, Sue Denny, Annie May and Polly Allgood.

## L. B. Pattersons Are Parents Of Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bale Patterson of Monahan are the parents of a daughter born Tuesday at the Big Spring hospital.

The infant, who weighed eight pounds at birth, has been named Elena Helen.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Koberg are maternal grandparents and Mrs. Frances Patterson of California is the paternal grandmother.

## Relationship Of Bible To Church Studied At Meeting Of Catholic Study Club

Our Lady of Wisdom Study club met with Mrs. H. J. Kelly Wednesday afternoon for a study of "The Relationship of the Bible to the Church" which was taught by the Rev. George Julian, pastor of St. Thomas Catholic church.

Opening prayer was offered by Rev. Julian, and it was announced that the group would meet with Mrs. James Reed, 209 W. 21st street, next Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Refreshments were served, and those attending were Mrs. Jack Cardoni, Mrs. Robert Recker, Mrs. Earl Jones, Mrs. James Reed, Mrs. Anna Bell McCreary, Mrs. H. J. Kelly, the Rev. George Julian and the Rev. Matthew Powers.

## Masonic Degrees To Be Conferred

DALLAS, Dec. 2 (AP)—James C. Jones, deputy for the supreme Masonic council in Texas, will confer the thirty-third degree of the Scottish Rite on a group of ten prominent Texans here Saturday.

Receiving the highest honor of the fraternity will be John L. Degrazer, Dallas; H. Ward Collier, Fort Worth; Alva Bryan, Waco; William Teifak, Port Arthur; William A. Woods and J. Dixie Smith, Houston; E. T. Green and Frank Stang, San Antonio; Frank C. Mel-lard, Marfa; and Charles R. Loomis, El Paso.

Fifty thirty-third degree Masons are expected to attend the ceremony at Scottish Rite temple.



Crocheted Christmas: A hat and muff-bag set like the one shown by this demure miss ought to delight any girl on your list. It is crocheted in rust yarn with green and brown fringe trim.

## MRS. JOHN DAVIS ENTERTAINS THE ENTRE NOUS CLUB

The Entre Nous Bridge Club was entertained with a party in Mrs. John Davis' home recently.

and a Christmas motif was used in tallies and table decorations. Red and white mums and ivy were placed at vantage points about the entertaining rooms and refreshments were served.

Mrs. Herbert Keaton won high score in bridge and Mrs. H. V. Crocker and Mrs. R. F. Bluhm binged.

Others playing were Mrs. R. L. Pritchett, Mrs. Garner McAdams, Mrs. Guy Stinebaugh, Mrs. C. Y. Clinkscales and the hostess.

Names were exchanged for a Christmas party which will be held in the Herbert Johnson home on December 17th. Mrs. Johnny Garrison will be co-hostess.

## Many Cash Illegal Government Checks

DALLAS, Dec. 3 (AP)—Assistant U. S. District Attorney Joe H. Jones says "there are so many cases now" of persons illegally receiving and cashing government military allotment checks that "it is becoming a headache."

He made this comment yesterday in announcing that Major C. A. Doster had been assigned to the Eighth service command and would help federal officials bring prosecution in such cases.

## Tahoka Infant Dies In Albuquerque, N.M.

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., Dec. 3 (AP)—Aneel Dean Thomas, 18 months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Arol Thomas, Tahoka, Texas, died yesterday after being flown from Arizona for removal of a bean from his throat.

The bean was removed, but infection caused death. The child's condition became serious while the Thomases were on an automobile trip.

The body was sent to Tahoka.



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## Birthday Party Given For Doris Ann Daniels

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Daniels honored their daughter, Doris Ann, on her seventh birthday anniversary with a party Thursday afternoon.

Games were played and gifts presented to the honoree. Birthday cake was served and with other refreshments and pictures of the group were taken.

Those present were Helen Jean Maxwell, Patsy Dunn, Charleen Boyd, Nelda Boatman, Charleen Watson, Luu Currie, Mrs. C. M. Harrell, Mrs. Denver Dunn, Mrs. Bill Maxwell and Mrs. M. E. Boatman.

Mary Lou Hamel of Fort Worth sent a gift.

## Lutheran Church Honors The Rev. and Mrs. Horn

Members of St. Paul's Lutheran church gave a surprise gift party for the Rev. and Mrs. O. H. Horn at their home recently.

Refreshments were served and those attending were Pvt. and Mrs. John R. Foster, Mrs. B. Rueckart, Mrs. Albert Hohertz, Avelyn Hohertz, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Pachall, Mrs. Henry Fehler, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Heckler, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Pachall, S/Sgt. and Mrs. Frank M. Auringer, Mr. and Mrs. H. Weinkauff, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Weinkauff, Mrs. W. McDougle, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Grothe, Adell and Earnestine Grothe, Mrs. A. Grothe, Ruth Pachall, Pug Heckler, Charles and Gilbert Pachall, Gerral, Geneva and Tommy.

Mrs. R. A. Pachall sent a gift.

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## Cadets Honored At Hotel Dance

Cadets of Class 43-17 were entertained with a informal graduation dance in the ballroom at the Settles hotel Thursday evening.

Members of the class are candidates for graduation, and will receive their commissions at exercises which will be held in the post theatre Saturday morning.

Music for dancing was furnished by the post orchestra, and a large number of cadets, invited officers and guests attended.

## November Bond Sales Over Top

Howard county was "over the top" by more than \$13,000 in its sale of war bonds for the month of November, a check of issuing agencies revealed Friday.

Total sales, as indicated in reports to The Herald, were \$123,370, as compared with a quota of \$110,100.

An allotment for the month of December has not yet been received, County Bond Chairman Ira Thurman said Friday.

## Activities at the USO

Eight hostesses from the local USO club visited the post hospital at the Big Spring Bombardier school Wednesday afternoon.

Books, magazines and refreshments were distributed in the wards, and the group included Patay Stalcup, Elizabeth Moody, Helen Duley, Maxine Moore, Billie Ragsdale, Mrs. Winston Harper and Mrs. F. V. Kimzey, chairman.

## R. V. Foresyths Are Parents Of A Son

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Foresyth are the parents of a son born Thursday at the Cowper Clinic.

The infant weighed seven pounds at birth, and has been named James Doyle.

Mother and son are doing nicely.

## Couple Married At AAFBS Post

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Helen Korzun of Hartford, Conn., and Lieut. Earl Shoaf in the post chapel at the Big Spring Bombardier School Tuesday evening.

The single ring ceremony was read at 8 o'clock by Chaplain Emeric Lawrence, and the bride was attired in a pale blue crepe dress with a shoulder corsage of roses and carnations.

She was attended by her mother, Mrs. Josephine Korzun, who was attired in a black silk ensemble with a corsage of white carnations.

The bridegroom, attended by Lieut. Charles Rich, is stationed at the Big Spring Bombardier School as a post engineering officer.

Other guests at the wedding were Lieut. and Mrs. Roy Samuels.

## Luncheon Held In Sid Woods' Home

The Homemakers class of the East Fourth Baptist church met in the Sid Woods' home Thursday for a covered dish luncheon and business session presided over by Mrs. Bob Wren, president.

Plans were discussed for a Christmas banquet which will be held at the church December 13th for members, associate members and husbands.

Those attending the meeting were Mrs. W. W. Bennett, Mrs. Joe D. Williams, Mrs. John Porter, Mrs. W. O. Leonard, Mrs. Otto Couch, Mrs. T. B. Clifton, Mrs. N. O. Decker, Mrs. H. T. Moore, Mrs. Ocie Chapman, and guests, Mrs. Lula Satterwhite and Mrs. Oscar Steward of Fort Worth.

BE PREPARED  
MEXICO CITY, Dec. 3 (AP)—Mexico should be prepared for "any eventuality," although her Allies have not yet requested that Mexican military forces be sent to the war fronts, presiding Avila Camacho said yesterday at a press conference.

CHARGED WITH MURDER  
WICHITA FALLS, Dec. 3 (AP)—Murder charges have been filed against Corporal Leroy Chestnut, 24-year-old negro soldier, in the fatal stabbing Tuesday night of city bus driver Raymond C. Chitwood. Major T. Austin Gavin, post judge advocate of Sheppard Field, announced.

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## Tulsa OPA Serves Notice On Team To Observe Ration Rules In Play

TULSA, Okla., Dec. 3 (AP)—The Tulsa office of price administration served notice on the Tulsa football team today that it should observe certain government regulations in the Sugar Bowl game next New Year's day.

"Pork and pork products are on the list of rationed items," the notice said, "so these cautionary points should be observed by the team:

"1. The football should not be kicked or otherwise propelled toward the Georgia Tech goal in a careless manner. Each punt should average 60 yards and should be a twisting spiral. This lessens the friction and conserves material.

"2. The ends of the team are enjoined to be especially vigilant in catching any balls thrown through the air. A football striking the earth deteriorates in both substance and quality.

"3. It is desirable that the rationed article used in the play be retained in Tulsa's possession as

long as possible. Georgia is a cereal-minded state (I. E. 'Georgia cracker') and possibly will not be attuned to the conserving of meat products."

The notice added that although pigskin is rationed, "the point values are unlimited. The Tulsa team may compile as many points as they deem prudent."

In a postscript, employees of the OPA office enclosed a check for \$22 as their contribution to the campaign to buy sugar bowl tickets for service men.

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1. Empty the dust bag after each cleaning. Once a month, open the bag inside out and give it a good brushing.
2. Don't run cleaner over pins, hairpins, and other metal objects. They can puncture the bag or damage motor.
3. Keep brush free of oil, dirt, hairs, and threads.
4. Adjust nozzle and brush. Brush should touch carpet and should extend 1/4" below lips of the nozzle.
5. Oil vacuum cleaner according to manufacturer's instructions.
6. Don't jerk cord from wall outlet. When not in use, wind cord loosely around hooks on cleaner handle.
7. Use your attachments if you have them.
8. If cleaner does not operate properly consult your dealer.

**How to reline a lamp shade**

Roll your own. Lighting benefits can be noticeably increased by relining existing dark-on-the-inside shades with good white paper. Roll the lamp shade on white paper, and pencil mark to cut. Fit this lining inside the shade and fasten seam with Scotch tape.

**OTHER WAYS TO CONSERVE LIGHT**

1. Clean lamp bulbs and reflectors (unlighted) regularly with a damp cloth.
2. Use shades with white linings that reflect light instead of absorbing it.
3. Keep all lights properly shaded to avoid glare.
4. Arrange furniture so one lamp serves two or more people.
5. Always turn off lights in unoccupied rooms.
6. Have eyes examined regularly by a competent eye specialist.

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# Sports

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## B. C. Takes Lead In Football Scoring Of Nation's Best

By ORLO ROBERTSON  
NEW YORK, Dec. 3 (AP) — Although playing only an informal schedule, Boston College moved front and center in the five-year football scoring records of the nation's leading colleges compiled today by the Associated Press.

With Tennessee, the 1942 leader, not playing this year, the Eagles advanced from second place to take the lead with an average of .844 for 38 victories, seven defeats and one tie since 1939. They won three of their four games this season and tied the other.

While their average was ten

points under last season's figures, the New Englanders won the top spot by a margin of three percentage points over Notre Dame, which used nine victories in ten games to boost its five-year standing from .837 to .841. The Irish have a five-year record of 37 victories, seven setbacks and three ties.

Three Southwest schools showed the biggest improvement in comparison with the figures covering the five-year period ending in 1942. The Texas Aggies, who'll meet Louisiana State in the Orange Bowl, jumped from 14th to 3rd place with an .813 average. Texas, host to Randolph Field in the Cotton Bowl, vaulted from 32nd spot to seventh with a percentage of .783 and Tulsa, headed for the Sugar Bowl after two unbeaten seasons, took over eighth as compared to 23rd in 1942, with a figure of .773.

Six teams have scored more than 1,000 points during the span with Duke's Blue Devils showing the most prolific offense. Largely because they rolled up 335 points in nine games this season, the Southern conference champion tallied 1,249 points in 47 games. Although Georgia had a bad year the Crackers are second with 1,241 points in 53 contests. Then comes Boston College with 1,224 points in 46 games and Tulsa with 1,202 in the same number of games.

Defensively, the honors go to the Texas Aggies, who held their opponents to 277 points, an average of only 5 1/4 points for 50 contests.

## Italy To Receive Red Cross Clothes

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA, Dec. 3 (AP) — The American Red Cross announced today that more than 1,000,000 articles of clothing made by Red Cross chapters in the United States will be distributed to the needy in Italy within the next month.

William Giblin, field director for the Red Cross war relief which is working with the AMG, said the clothing would be distributed mainly among refugees left destitute by the Germans in their retreat.

College  
Oklahoma 84, Childress (Tex.)  
Air Base 51.  
Whitman 41, Washington State 87.

## SPORTS ROUNDUP

By HUGH FULLERTON, Jr.  
NEW YORK, Dec. 3 (AP) — While Judge W. G. Bramham emerged as the dominating figure of the four-day gouging and slugging match known as the minor league baseball meetings (and didn't he tear into the opposition in that concluding spasm?) The behind-the-scenes operatives are worth a little more attention. . . . Nearly everybody admits that Bramham has done a swell job as head of the minors and they don't blame him for wanting to keep a \$25,000 a year position. . . . So today we give you Elmer Daily and Branch Rickey, Jr.

**Inkeeper**  
Daily, a hotel man from Ebenburg, Pa., officially is minor league promotional director and head of a couple of non-operating bush leagues. . . . He admits he has been rather busy with undercover work this week and from what we hear, he's the one who looked after the details of preserving the Bramham regime. . . . Around the baseball meetings he's inclined to talk about the difficulties of running a hotel; at home, he'd probably discuss baseball first. . . . At any rate, Elmer apparently proved the theory that it takes a country boy to out-slick the city slickers.

**Twirl Off the Old Branch**  
Young Rickey, a short, stocky man with a top-sided hat and a twinkle in his eye, provides a contrast to his placid and pontifical parent. . . . Branch, Jr. only appeared on the convention floor a couple of times, probably because of the danger that someone would yell about "chain store domination," but he left the impression that he could have presented the "insurgents" case a lot better than some of the spokesmen and that he'll really go places in the baseball business.

**Lobby Patrol**  
Although Luke Appling is in the Army, the White Sox feel that he will be out again by next season. His right ankle, where into use in the seventeenth century held together by wire. . . . For the same reason, Cardinal officials aren't worried about Marty Marion's 1-A classification. He fell off a cliff when he was a kid and his right leg is wired up like a radio set. . . . Best laugh of the trade talk came when Steve O'Neill, chinning over a Doc Doc Cramer for Jim Bagby trade with the Indians, was told that it would go through if he'd throw in Dizzy Trout with Cramer. Dizzy only won 18 games last summer. . . . Incidentally, most of the trading rumors fell flat when it was learned that Al Smith was 1-A. That means the Indians won't be so eager to get rid of Bagby.

**Cleaning The Cuff**  
Joe Reardon turned down an offer to take Herb Pennock's place as Red Sox farm boss and the current report is that he'll follow Pennock to the Phillies. . . . When yesterday's American league meeting ended, Prexy Will Harridge asked if there were any further suggestions. Jack Zeller of the Tigers spoke up: "Yes, let's all sit here until some one makes a deal". . . . If any one had agreed they probably still would be sitting.

**Old Age Checks Average \$20.95**  
AUSTIN, Dec. 3 (AP) — Average payment of \$20.95 will go to 180,511 old age assistance recipients in December.

Executive Director John Winters of the public welfare department said a \$2.64 horizontal cut — the difference between the authorized grant and amount of money available — in effect several months would thereby be reduced to \$2.44.

With the ancient Assassins of the middle east, murder was a religion.

## Honor Service Teams Named

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF  
DALLAS, Dec. 3 (AP) — Randolph Field's Ramblers, who played a heavier schedule than most of the colleges and did well enough to land in the Cotton Bowl, came up with three men on the first All-Southwest Service football team ever selected in football history.

Glenn Dobbs, that passing man who led the Ramblers to nine victories, heads the Randolph trio given places on the All-Star eleven picked from an area of four states—Texas, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Arkansas.

There are few service teams in New Mexico, Oklahoma and Arkansas—which accounts for the Lone Star state hogging eight positions.

Dobbs, the former Tulsa All-American who threw 105 passes for 1408 yards, turned in some of the greatest punting Texans have feasted their eyes upon and sparked the Randolph running game, was everybody's choice for a spot in the All-Star backfield.

Jack Russell, former Baylor standout who played for Blackland Army Air Field of Waco, Tex., and John Svenson, ex-Lafayette star now at Norman, Okla., naval air station, got the end jobs.

Al Baisi, former West Virginia University and Chicago Bears performer who did his footballing for the 66th Division Panthers of Camp Robinson, Ark., and Big Rafe Nabors of Lubbock, Tex., Army Air Field, former Texas Tech and Detroit Lions Star, were the tackle selections.

At guards were Marion Rogers, who was Little All-America at Maryville, Mo., State Teachers and who had West Texas talking about his great performance for South Plains Army Air Field and Delbert Davis, the watch-charm guard of Randolph Field who did his college playing at Southwest Texas State.

The center spot went to Leland Killian of Randolph Field by way of North Texas State.

Working with Dobbs in the backfield—if this team ever could be gotten together on one field—would be Rogers Smith, the triple-feater of Lubbock Army Air Field; Connie Sparks of Kirtland Field, Albuquerque, N. M., and Leroy Fry of Abilene Air Base.

Smith was a star at Texas Tech before going across town to LAAF, Sparks did some Hefty fullbacking for Texas Christian not so long ago and Fry, as quarterback of Texas A. and M. in 1938, led the nation's scorers.

**FIRST TEAM**  
Jack Russell, Blackland Field, Tex., end, 215.  
John Svenson, Norman, Okla., Naval, end, 158.  
Al Baisi, Camp Robinson, Ark., tackle, 225.  
Rafe Nabors, Lubbock Air Field, Tex., tackle, 215.  
Delbert Davis, Randolph Field, Tex., guard, 178.  
Marion Rogers, South Plains Field, Tex., guard, 185.  
Leland Killian, Randolph Field, Tex., center, 195.  
Rogers Smith, Lubbock Air Field, Tex., back, 185.  
Glenn Dobbs, Randolph Field, Tex., back, 195.  
Connie Sparks, Kirtland Field, N. M., back, 185.  
Leroy Fry, Abilene Air Base, Tex., back, 175.

**SECOND TEAM**  
Leon Leinweber, Randolph Field, end, 190.  
Billy Carruth, Blackland, end, 185.  
Norbert Harring, Randolph Field, tackle, 202.  
James McWhorter, Lubbock Air Field, tackle, 235.  
Joe Vaughan, Randolph, guard, 200.  
Dan McGlasson, Blackland, guard, 201.  
Robert Dutcher, Blackland, center, 195.  
Walter West, Randolph, back, 195.  
Dick Geser, Ward Island, back, 160.  
Buster Dixon, Lubbock Air Field, back, 185.  
Dave Currie, Norman Naval, back, 185.

**Union Rights Asked For Mexican Workers**  
MEXICO CITY, Dec. 3 (AP) — Vicente Lombardo Toledano, president of the Latin American Workers Federation, has written President Avila Camacho asking the government to assure union rights for Mexican laborers who may go to the United States to work in fruit and vegetable preserving plants.

Lombardo Toledano said he understood the United States and Mexico were negotiating an accord for Mexican laborers for canning, freezing and refrigerating plants and asked that the accord "give our compatriots the right of joining unions where they work."

## Schoolboy Titles Are At Stake Today

By The Associated Press  
The battle for the Texas schoolboy football title begins today with games on three fronts—Pampa at Vernon, Highland Park (Dallas) at Sherman and Marshall at Lufkin.

Tonight four more games will be played to cut the field of contenders to nine, while tomorrow another team will be ushered out as the quarter-final bracket is completed.

Tonight's contests send Sunset (Dallas) to Fort Worth to play North Side, Breckenridge to Waco, Goose Creek to Houston to battle Jeff Davis and McAllen to San Antonio to meet Thomas Jefferson.

Tomorrow afternoon San Angelo and Yaleta collide at El Paso. More than 80,000 fans are due to see the eight games with crowds as follows:  
Pampa at Vernon, 10,000.  
San Angelo vs. Yaleta at El Paso, 12,000.  
Highland Park at Sherman, 8,000.  
Sunset at North Side, 17,000.  
Breckenridge at Waco, 10,000.  
Marshall at Lufkin, 6,000.  
Goose Creek at Jeff Davis, 10,000.  
McAllen at Thomas Jefferson, 10,000.

## Golf Greats To Tour In South

NEW YORK, Dec. 3 (AP) — Pro golfer's winter tour of the sunny climes, a war-time casualty last year when only one event was held, will be revived with a compact two-month schedule running from December to February, according to an announcement today by Fred Corcoran, tournament manager of the professional golfers association.

With the pro mashie swingers competing strictly for war bond prizes, Corcoran has lined up four definite tournament dates and has persuasive, if tentative, plans for six more.

The Junket will open as usual with the \$5,000 Miami Open to be held this time at the Miami Springs golf course from Dec. 16 to 19.

Although many of the top names will be missing, the fans will be able to watch the likes of Craig Wood, Gene Sarason, Byron Nelson, Sam Byrd, Ed Dudley, Johnny Revolta, Harry Cooper, Jimmy Hines, Tony Penza and Olin Dutra.

Definite dates include: Miami Dec. 16-19; Los Angeles, Jan. 7-10; San Francisco, Jan. 14-16, and Phoenix, Feb. 4-6. Two tentative January dates have been saved for California and it is hoped that the late schedule will include Texas, New Orleans, Pinehurst, N. C. and Greensboro, N. C.

## Christmas Tree Comes From Berlin

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 3 (AP) — Berlin will provide President Roosevelt's Christmas tree this year.

The state conservation department announced today a 30-foot tree from the New York town bearing the name of the German capital is on its way to Washington. The department has made the presentation each year since Mr. Roosevelt was governor.

Harvey To Hold Colorado Meeting  
J. D. Harvey, minister of the Church of Christ, will begin a meeting at Colorado City Sunday to continue through two Lord's Days.

Colorado City is where Harvey served as minister from 1925-35, and he expressed delight that he was permitted to serve that church once again. Charles L. Heron, minister of the Colorado Church of Christ, will fill the pulpit here during Harvey's absence.

## Record Audience Hears Sinatra Sing

BOSTON, Dec. 3 (AP) — Crooner Frank Sinatra broke all attendance records at the RKO Boston theater yesterday and only one of his 17,000 admirers swooned—strictly from hunger.

Teen-age girls packed the house all during his six shows, screaming and sighing ecstatically.

Two years ago Eddie Cantor and Deanna Durbin attracted 18,000 persons with seven shows. Frankie's one less show and 17,000 fans established the new record, theater officials said.

## TELLS OF DEMONS

CHICAGO, Dec. 3 (AP) — "Priorities, rationing and subsidies are the three demons by which bureaucracy is extending regimentation and control over the economic life of America," Fred H. Sexauer, Auburn, N. Y., president of the dairymen's league, said today.

## 6-Man Teams To Tangle Here In Title Test

A bi-district championship in six-man football will be at stake at 8 p. m. today at Steer stadium when the Forsan Buffaloes, champions of district No. 5, tangle with Van Horn, winner in district No. 6.

Van Horn, arriving here Thursday, went through one day workout and then had a fling at running and passing under the lights last night. While lighter than the Forsan team, Van Horn has a fast squad with a good aerial arm.

Since Forsan has a potent offensive that has averaged 30 points to the game in seven tilts this season, it appeared that tonight's set-to under the lights would be a free-scoring affair. The Buffaloes have a well balanced squad with power on the ground as well as through the air. Either Harley Grant, quarterback, or J. B. McDonald, half back, is capable of breaking loose from any point in the field. Grant is more of the power type while McDonald is speedy.

Coach Frank Masten of Van Horn is due to start Kiko Calderon, 145 pounds, at fullback, Bill McKenzie, 145 pounds, at halfback, and Artemio Luna, 125 pounds, at quarter. On the line his starting choice may be C. A. Morris, 115 pounds, end Eugene Carr, 130 pounds, at ends and either Homer Lee Scarbro, 102, or Bobby Wilson, 150, at center. A. D. Morris is his only other man. Calderon, who is co-captain with McKenzie, Luna and Wilson are three-year veterans.

The usual starters for Forsan will be inserted by Coach Joe Holladay — Harley Grant, 150 pounds, McDonald, 145, Sammy Porter, 140, in the backfield; Darwell Peacock, 145, Dwight Painter, 136, and Robert Milliken, 128-pound center, on the line. Subs are Gene Patterson and Willie Howard.

Officials will be Walker Bailey and Ted Phillips. Tariff is 25 cents for students, teachers and servicemen, and 50c for civilian adults.

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In fact, so far as anything popping was concerned, there wasn't enough wind left in the week-long hot-air derby to blow the ashes off the end of your cigarette. And the most "windless" thing around was the chance of a player trade, now that Uncle Sam has his eye on Lefty Al Smith, the bellcow of the Cleveland Indians' staff.

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## High School Game May Draw Record Crowd Of 50,000

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 3 (AP) — A crowd of 50,000 is expected to witness the playoff for the city scholastic football championship tomorrow between Northeast, defending champions of the public high conference, and West Catholic, undefeated titlists in the Catholic league.

## BIG TEN SATISFIED

CHICAGO, Dec. 3 (AP) — The 1943 Athletic path to which the Big Ten committed itself with some apprehensions a year ago has proved so smooth that the Midwest intercollegiate body was downright vehement today in declaring its intention of using the same program next season — or even enlarging on it.

## 16 Steer Players Slated To Receive Athletic Letters

Sixteen youths on the 1943 Steer football squad to receive letters were announced Friday by John Dibrell, coach and athletic director.

Included was Gene Smith, right end, who died as the result of an accident Nov. 11.

Other lettermen announced by Dibrell were Pete Cook and Pete Huggins at ends; I. B. Bryan, Lee Christian, and Ed McConnell, tackles; Harlen Morgan and Ray Thomas on guards; Barkley Wood at center; Bobo Hardy, Leo Bush, Bobby Barron, Hugh Cochran, John McIntosh and Dewey Stevenson as backs.

Woody Baker, manager, was the other letterman.

Five of the lettermen definitely will not return. Besides Smith, these included Lee Christian, McConnell and Ray Thomas in the line. Morgan is eligible to return but it is uncertain if he will.

In the backfield, the only loss is Dewey Stevenson—but this is a powerful lick. Stevie has finished all except one course, which he winds up at mid-term, and goes to Lubbock Tuesday for his V-12 navy examination.

The total announced by Dibrell was the smallest he had given in several years, but it was based strictly upon a required amount of play. Only exception was in the case of McConnell, whose fidelity in coming out for the team without ever becoming a starter during his high school career was described by the coach as being the "real hard way to earn a letter."

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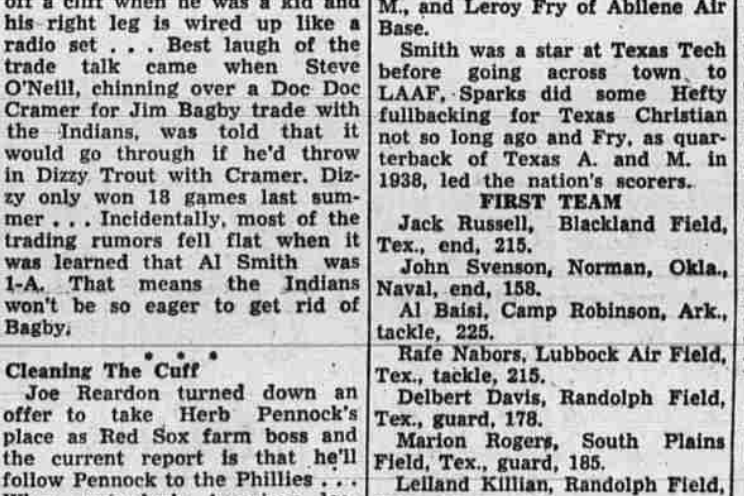
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# Excessive Drains On Our Petroleum Pools

In Collier's of last week Petroleum Administrator for War Harold L. (Curmudgeon) Ickes says in elegant language and with authority what this newspaper has been saying for quite some time, namely, that the oil industry will never be the same again due mainly to the excessive drains put upon it by war demands.

Because known pools are being exhausted at a fast clip, because it is getting harder and harder to find new pools, because the price situation—through no fault of the Curmudgeon—is hampering wildcat operations, we are drawing within sight of the end of our tremendous petroleum resources. We could not find the oil and gasoline to fight another war of the stature of this one; postwar demands will be tremendous, thus continuing the heavy drain on existing pools; we could no more import petroleum in case of war than we could import rubber; and unless an answer is found promptly the Gasoline Age will die a-borning.

Ickes thinks his experts have the answer—coal and oil-bearing shale. Experiments have been under way in this country for eight years; pilot plants are in operation. A ton of coal yields 50 to 70 gallons of the stuff gasoline is made of.

There is enough shale oil in this country to run us for 65 years, enough coal and lignite for another 1,000 years; so the Gasoline Age need not necessarily die. The point is, and this is what we have been talking about for months, that the life of the petroleum industry—as we know it today—is definitely limited. It will get smaller and smaller in years to come—the process of drying up being hastened by war's demand and by blind bureaucratic mis-handling, by reckless waste, by political cowardice in safeguarding this most precious of our irreplaceable resources in the public interest and by the elemental fact that you can send a pitcher to the well once too often.

# Capital Finds It Still Has A Sense Of Humor

By JACK STINNETT  
WASHINGTON — Your capital in wartime:

In spite of the grim realities of war, Washington's sense of humor trudges merrily along. Here's a lift from some of the stories now going the rounds.

This one is Donald Nelson's favorite and proof that the genial chief of WPB learned a lot about the literalness of the Russian mind. "If you don't want the Russians to take you at your word, don't say it," says Nelson.

On his recent trip to the U. S. S. R., Nelson attended one of those huge banquets of which the Russians are so fond. There were toasts and toasts far into the night. As the party was breaking up, Nelson was telling Premier Stalin how much he had enjoyed the evening. Smilingly, he rubbed the back of his neck. "I've drunk so many toasts," he said, "I have a stiff neck."

The next morning, he was aroused at an early hour by a knock at the door. He shouted "Come in." A Russian husky entered and explained: "I'm the masseur. I've come to fix your neck."

In a recent debate (the senators call it colloquy), Sen. "Cotton Ed" Smith of South Carolina, the dean of the upper chamber humorists, both in years and service, arose to protest that he couldn't understand what the matter in hand was all about.

"Of course," he added, "maybe that's just because I'm an ignoramus."

At once, chivalrous majority leader Alben Barkley was on his feet. "I move to strike that out," he said. "The members of this body are all aware that our beloved colleague from South Carolina is no ignoramus."

### Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

1. Gained
2. Press
3. Arrived
4. Playing card
5. Black
6. Boost
7. Congealed
8. Water
9. Entreaties
10. Continent
11. Abbe
12. Mingle
13. Paston
14. Near
15. Chinese coin
16. Flower
17. Set in from the margin
18. Take for one's own
19. Prod
20. English school
21. Tribunal

DOWN

1. Horn
2. Bodice
3. Occurring now and then
4. Small round mark
5. Cuts with scissors
6. Mixed
7. Fust
8. West African monkey
9. Roman race
10. Writing fluid
11. Chinese coin
12. Roman emperor
13. Territory ruled by a prince
14. Walked
15. Swine
16. Moving implements
17. Landed property
18. Sensible of honor
19. Inhabited by the Pacific
20. Roman bronze
21. Killer whale
22. Tidier
23. Kind of wine
24. Acid fruit
25. Recipient of a gift
26. Entrance
27. Belonging to me
28. Not so much
29. Ocean
30. Kind of pastry
31. Young bear

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# FINAL ASSEMBLY

Chapter 11  
A few days later, Kitty, smiling, went through the gate and off to one side toward a tall stalwart looking figure who stood looking about impatiently. "Here I am, Pete," she said.

"You're late," Pete said, looking at his watch. "I was beginning to think you were working overtime, again. You . . . say! What's the matter with your face?"

Kitty put a hand to one cheek to touch a small strip of fresh adhesive, just below an eye. "Oh, that," she said. "I ran the wrong end of a paint brush across my face, and had to go to first-aid on the way out . . . that's why I'm late."

She took a deep breath, turned and looked at the blue glow cascading from the plant windows. A drop-hammer whanged against its bed, its exhaust drowning out all sounds from the workers, while even on the outside, the constant chatter of the rivet-guns were like a thousand woodpeckers working on a tin roof.

"I love it, Pete! I love every bit of it . . ."

"And," put in Pete, "you forgot to mention the people. You love all the people, too."

"I do. All of them. They're swell!"

"Even Charles Brackmyde?"

"Of course. Charley is swell. He's been nice to me."

"I suppose he has. Everyone is nice to you, but . . ."

"But, what?"

"Oh, nothing." Then, "Here's the bus. We'll drop off at the 'Juke-box,' and dance a while. Les Graham is already there. He'll take us home, afterward, in that Model A of his . . . the one he just fixed up."

"Fine. I could go for a little jive."

After two months, the 'Juke-box,' official hang-out for Melvin employees was nothing new to Pete. Located a mile from the plant on the highway which led to town, it was frequented nightly by the second shift.

Pete and Les had been there several times and twice before, Pete had dated Kitty for a few dances there on the way home.

"I'm afraid," Kitty told him as they stood hanging to the straps in the over-crowded bus, "that the 'Juke-box' is due to be closed before long."

"Why?"

"Well, there's too many foreigners going to the place, lately."

"What do you mean . . . 'foreigners'?"

"Oh, that's what we call outsiders . . . people who don't work at Melvin."

"Yes, and all this time we've had it to ourselves, but whenever the foreigners start coming to a place, it begins to get tough."

About half the workers left the bus when it pulled up and stopped at the "Juke-box." As Pete and Kitty merged with the crowd, the rhythmic strains of, ". . . he don't measure no more from his head to toes . . . than he do from side to side . . ." blared forth at them from dirty half-closed windows.

A very young girl with a day-shift badge, very much intoxicated, was sobbing in the arms of a zoot-suited "foreigner," both leaning against the porch rail.

Inside, a smoky haze and odors of stale beer and sweating humanity greeted them as they forced their way through the closely-packed dancers. Pete's eyes covered the room quickly, searching for Les. He saw him in a dark corner with two "foreigners." A quart whiskey bottle, nearly empty was on the table.

Pete decided, instantly, that he didn't like the looks of the men. Les was talking too much and too loudly and the men seemed to be eagerly taking in his every word. "Wait, here," he told Kitty. "Les is drunk. I'll get him and we'll all go home."

"But, Pete . . . I'm in the mood for dancing," Kitty pouted.

"But, I've got to take care of Les," Pete said.

"Of course you do, but I can still stay a while, Pete."

"How will you get home?"

"Charley will take me home . . . he's here, now."

Pete's eyes narrowed. "You had a date with me. Now, you're leaving me and going home with Brackmyde."

"You needn't be unreasonable about it. I want to dance and you want to take Les home . . ."

"Unreasonable? I'll tell you something, Miss Ambrose; when I come from, when a girl has a date with a man, she has a date with him. Next time, you can go with Brackmyde in the first place!"

He turned on his heel, face red. He pushed his way through the crowd and grabbed Les by the shoulder. "I'm taking you home," he said.

### Amherst Marine Gets Honor Cross

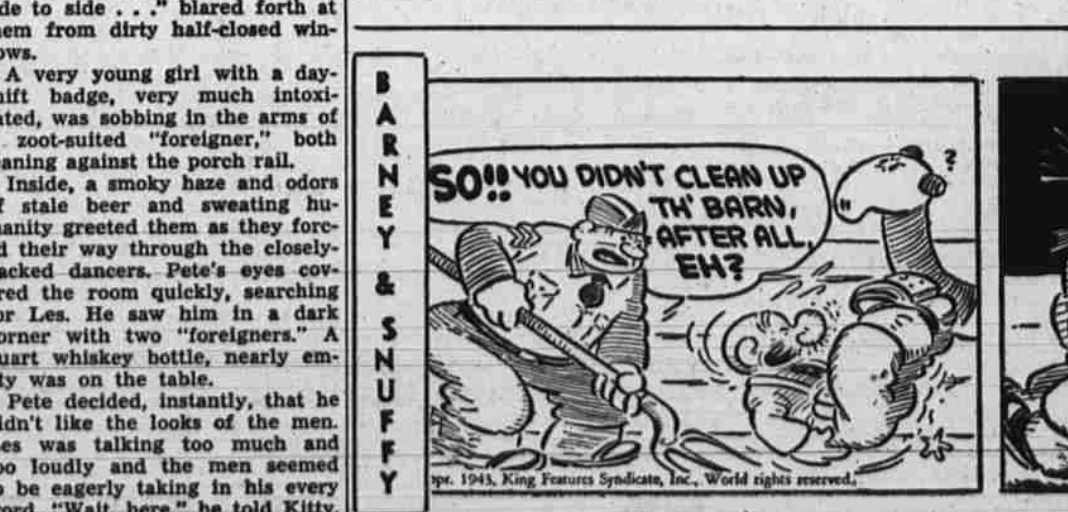
WASHINGTON, Dec. 3 (AP) — For heroism and extraordinary achievement in an action against nine Japanese destroyers in the Solomon Islands last January, Marine Capt. Austin Wiggins, Jr., of Amherst, Tex., has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross, Marine headquarters said Thursday.

As a pilot with a Marine scout-bombing squadron, Captain Wiggins made a direct hit on the bow of a destroyer, despite damage to his plane inflicted by anti-aircraft fire.

Captain Wiggins, 25, was born in Crowell, Tex., and is a former member of the Texas national guard. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Wiggins, Sr., live at Amherst and his wife, Mrs. Gloria F. Wiggins, lives at Santa Ana, Calif.

It is estimated that a 10 per cent saving in home use of electricity would save 2,000,000 tons of coal.

### Bridge



# Washington Shaken By Sudden Death Of Three Congressmen

By GEORGE STIMPSON  
When I came out of my Capitol Hill hotel the other morning I noticed that all the flags on the Capitol and the House and Senate office buildings were at half-mast.

I asked the first man I met, Ewing Thomason, of El Paso, who had died. He said it was Cong. J. William Ditter, of Pennsylvania, one of the most promising, up-and-coming republicans in the House.

A few minutes later I met Mr. Nat Patton, write of the congressman from Crockett, and she told me of the sudden death of Cong. Henry Steagall of Alabama, the 70-year-old chairman of the House Banking and Currency committee.

Within 24 hours I picked up a copy of the local Washington paper and learned that Sen. Warren Barbour, New Jersey Republican, was dead.

Three members of Congress had died within a day of each other and the flags on Capitol Hill are flying at half-mast for all three of them.

I knew all three of these men quite well and felt blue as a result of the passing so suddenly of three good men and public officials.

Senator Barbour used to be a professional prize-fighter and was a giant of a man physically. Jack Garner, when he was vice-president, used to refer to Barbour as his "personal bodyguard."

I had known Henry Steagall intimately for more than 20 years. When I came to Washington he and his family lived at Congress Hall hotel, where I also lived for many years.

I also had known Congressman Ditter ever since he came to Congress 10 years ago and admired him very much. Killed in an airplane accident at 55, he was cut off from what appeared to be a very promising political future. Energetic, able and fearless, he was chairman of the Republican Congressional Campaign Committee and, had he lived, would probably have become a member of the cabinet in the event of Republican victory.

I got over to the House press gallery just in time to hear Speaker Rayburn saying: "After nearly 30 years of close association with Henry Steagall, I can say truly that he was a kindly and lovable man. He had character, ability, statesmanship and patriotism of a high order. With unnumbered thousands I shall miss him always. His friendship was an enriching treasure in the memory of which I shall not be poor."

Fritz Lanham, of Fort Worth, said what many of the rest of us felt but could not say so well as he. "Words had not been coined to express at a time like this the emotions of the heart. We are doubly sad in the passing of two distinguished and beloved friends and fellow workers. They are gone, through the guidance of their faith, to the home of the faithful. They have departed from this House to a house not made with hands, where all are of one brotherhood."

"At such a time, Mr. Speaker, we realize the vital fact that the basic values of life are spiritual, and as we mourn our loss of these two beloved colleagues, one from each side of the aisle, I can think of no more fitting tribute for us to pay their memory than to carry on together in promoting, personally and governmentally, the teachings of the Master for a better America and for a better world."

Early day Mexicans indicated their wealth by the amount of decorations on their sombreros.

### Hollywood Sights And Sounds—

## Bette's Sleeping Habits

By ROBBIN COONS  
HOLLYWOOD—All the wives in Hollywood don't belong to the sirens and charmers. Even a make-up man has an occasional wife. The one who was working on Maria Montez recently, for instance.

Every morning the greasestrip artist had difficulty with the Montez, she being a lady who is fascinated by herself. The Montez would keep turning to the mirror to keep her lovely reflection under scrutiny. Instead of staying put under his ministrations. One day he used his wife. He placed a huge portrait of the Montez on the wall away from the mirror—and after that had no more trouble. She stayed put in that direction . . .

Bette Davis in "Old Acquaintance" has a couple of scenes which doubtless will make fans wonder about her personal sleeping habits. The first establishes that the lady, an individualist, wears only the tops of her pyjamas when she sleeps. The second shows she hasn't lost the habit some 15 years later. If fans react as they often do, Miss D. soon will be receiving via the mails a fancy assortment of pyjama tops as well as letters on sleep.

She hopes that she won't. "I hate to see good suits broken up," she says, "and I've plenty of complete sleeping costumes of my own. And if I had any good tips to give on how to fall asleep quickly and sleep soundly, I'd be glad to pass them on, but I haven't. . ."

A friend came upon Samuel Hoffenstein the scrivener, drinking a melancholy toast to himself in a local bistro. Asked the inspiration, Hoffenstein replied: "My 50th birthday — and I am older than any man, woman, or empress."

Which reminds of the time Sam Marx, then story editor at Metro, had a letter from a theater manager which began: "This letter comes to you from Wileks-Barre, Pa. the town that gave you Louis Weitzenkorn, Samuel Hoffenstein, and Herman Mankiewicz. . . ." and went on to offer, for \$1,000, a great movie idea—the life of Irving Berlin. It concluded: "Don't forget, Mr. Marx, that this letter comes from the town that gave you Louis Weitzenkorn, Samuel Hoffenstein, and Herman Mankiewicz."

The Marx reply was memorable. He combined his thanks with his regrets that the idea had already been considered, that Irving Berlin (unfortunately) still owned the rights to his own life, and therefore Metro could not send the \$1,000. "But I tell you what we will do," he wrote. "We will give you back Louis Weitzenkorn, Samuel Hoffenstein, and Herman Mankiewicz."



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FOR SALE—Suburban grocery, stock and fixtures. Good business. Will sell, lease or rent building. Address Box Z. W. 7 Herald.

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OKLAHOMA CITY — A cafe operator returned ration-banking blanks to the county ration board—still blank—with this note attached: "Too deep for me. Am quitting."

COUNTERFEIT COUPONS

DALLAS, Dec. 3 (AP) — Gross irregularities in gasoline rationing including some counterfeit coupons, have been found in the Dallas region of the office of Price Administration and a "stringent investigation" is underway, William E. Remy, assistant OPA regional enforcement attorney, asserted last night.

CHILD CARE FUNDS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3 (AP) — The federal works agency announced presidential approval of an increase from \$4,297 to \$10,541 in child care program funds for Hooks, Texas.

NAZI PROPAGANDA

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3 (AP) — AFL President William Green asserted last night that what he termed "disturbing rumors . . . of a Soviet plan to enslave a million German workers for forced labor in Russia" bore the "earmarks of German propaganda."

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### Cub Scouts To Have Saturday Field Meet

A field meet is to be held for all packs of the Cub scouts at the city park Saturday morning at 10:30 and will continue until 3 p. m., according to H. D. Norris, Scout field executive of the Big Spring district.

All cubs in Big Spring are urged to be present. Those not having a way to get to the park are to meet at the Texas Electric company at 10 a. m. where rides will be provided for them.

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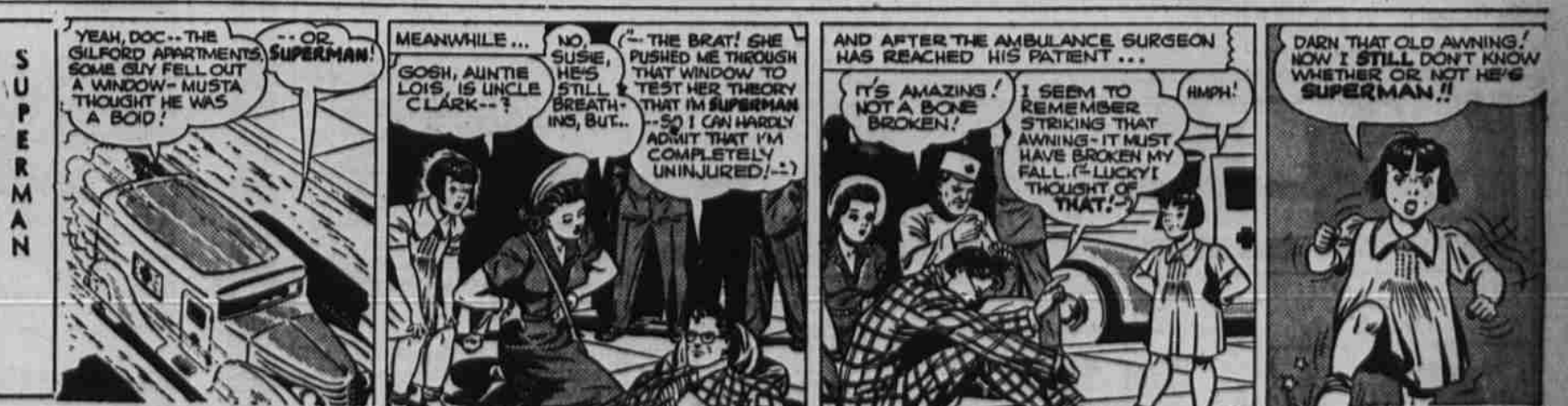
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5:00 Minute of Prayer.	12:00 Henry Jerome's Orch.
5:01 Phillip Keyne-Gordon.	12:15 What's the Name of That Band.
5:15 News.	12:30 News.
5:30 The World's Frontpage.	12:45 Luncheon With Lopez.
5:45 Superman.	1:00 Memo for Tomorrow.
6:00 Fulton Lewis, Jr.	1:15 Liten Ladies.
6:15 The Johnson Family.	1:30 To Be Announced.
6:30 To Be Announced.	1:45 The Norton Sisters.
7:00 Let's Dance.	2:00 Paul Martell's Orch.
7:30 Treasury Star Parade.	2:30 San Angelo vs. Yaleta.
7:45 News.	<b>Saturday Evening</b>
8:00 Gabriel Heatter.	5:00 KBST Bandwagon.
8:15 Will Bradley's Orch.	5:30 Hawaii Calls.
8:30 Double or Nothing.	6:00 The Return of Nick Carter.
9:00 John B. Hughes.	6:30 Variety Time.
9:15 Vaughn Monroe's Orch.	6:45 Confidentially Yours.
<b>Saturday Morning</b>	7:00 California Melodies.
7:00 Musical Clock.	7:30 Boogie Woogie.
7:15 Creighton News.	7:45 News.
7:20 Musical Clock.	8:00 Chicago Theatre of the Air.
7:30 News.	9:00 Sign Off.
7:45 Rhythm Ramble.	
8:00 Vocal Varieties.	
8:15 Morning Devotional.	
8:30 KBST Bandwagon.	
9:00 International Sunday School Lesson.	
9:30 Rainbow House.	
10:00 News Roundup.	
10:15 Music As You Like It.	
10:30 "Hello Mom."	
11:00 News.	
11:05 Dr. W. S. Palmer.	
11:10 KBST Previews.	
11:15 Treasury Star Parade.	
11:30 Rhythm & Romance.	
<b>Saturday Afternoon</b>	

**Soft-Hearted Car Thief Gets In Jam**

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) — A youth jumped into Mrs. S. E. Vaughn's car and drove off. Then 17-month-old Deanna Sue Vaughn, whom he had not seen in the back seat, began wailing loudly.

Fearful of a kidnapping charge, the youth took the car back to the original parking place — just in time to be arrested by police accompanying the child's mother.

**Plans Formulated For Treasure Hunt**

Arrangements are being shaped rapidly for the annual Treasure Hunt in connection with the pre-Christmas shopping season.

Merchants are cooperating by placing their gifts on display so that people may see them in advance of the treasure hunt, which starts at 6:30 p. m. Monday.

Those who wish to participate in this and in Santa's Bond Brg must be on hand at that hour on Main street in the 300 block. Instructions will be given at that time. Santa Claus will give away a \$50 and \$25 bond, and \$10 in stamps.

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**National 4-H Champion Is Texas Farm Wizard**

CHICAGO, Dec. 3 (AP) — Billy Sol Estes, 19-year-old Clyde, Tex., farm wizard and national 4-H Achievement champion, today told how to start with one ewe lamb and gross \$28,000 in six years.

With him were four other national champions of 4-H club contests, none surprised that the Lone Star state had outdone the other 47 by sending more top winners to the National 4-H Congress this year than anyone else.

The outline of Billy's success story sounds pretty simple. He started with a ewe lamb—"Santa Claus brought her to me in 1936 and I named her Merry Christmas," he said in a voice that twanged like a banjo.

He sold her wool to buy a ram for \$7.50 and disposed of the resulting flock in 1940 for \$900. "A lot more than they were worth, I thought," Bill confided.

Then, he explained, he went in the hog business and he's been "bunching hogs and cattle ever since." He has 1,600 acres leased in his own name, adjoining his father's two sections of Grass land, and 200 acres under cultivation.

The four other champions were James Hutchins, Memphis, Tex., 19 year old National Safety winner; Robert C. Vest, Jr., Midland, Tex., 191 Nations, dairy production winner; Leon Bernsen, Violet, Tex., 17, Rural Electrification

winner and 18 year old Johnny Harrison, Cleburne, Tex.; winner of the National gardening contest.

All those winners of draft age have been deferred to do farm work. Some have been to college and all expect to go to one of Texas' Agricultural schools "after the war's over." Right now, however, they're very serious about their war jobs.

James Hutchins, a Panhandle resident, is not only a national 4-H champion, but also holds the American farmer degree, highest award of the Future Farmers of America. He estimated that his farm production last year had fed 89 fighting men.

Young Vest has a herd of 14 Jerseys, and is raising most of his own herd.

Leon Bernsen wired the barn on the Bernsen farm, installed outdoor lighting and wired a chicken brooder.

Johnny Harrison gardens 65 acres with double and triple crops which means, he explained, that he plants two or three times a year. He fed 27 fighting men, he said, and "raised more stuff but couldn't get it in on account of the labor shortage."

"When it comes to feeding the world," said a Texan-champ confidently, "Texas will do it."

The National Congress ended last night with a banquet.

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**Letter Sent To Wrong Palestine**

BETHLEHEM, Pa., (AP) — A V-mail letter to a soldier stationed at Lehigh University has reached him—three and one-half months after it was mailed in London.

It was first sent by mistake to Bethlehem, Palestine.

**He Registered—But Not For The Draft**

ATLANTA (AP) — A negro was arrested by the FBI on charges of failing to sign up for selective service.

"Why didn't you register?" asked Assistant U. S. Attorney Raymond W. Martin.

"I did," the man replied, "but I don't know whether it was for the draft or for sugar."

The U. S. Department of Labor was created in 1913.

**Tuberculosis Association Hikes Its Goal Of Tests For Children**

Numbers of Big Spring residents were unintentionally omitted from mailing lists when supplies of Christmas seals were dispatched, officials of the Howard County Tuberculosis association, said Friday.

"We regret this extremely," said Mrs. Ira Thurman, heading up the drive, "but we had no means for compiling a complete list."

She urged that those who did not receive supplies through the mail to buy them at the desk in the Douglas hotel, at the chamber of commerce office, or to call her at 1242.

Response has been gratifying to date, approximately half of the \$2,500 objective having been raised.

Mrs. Thurman said that association officials had conferred with Dr. J. A. Olean, director of the Midland-Ector-Howard county health unit, and that instead of an originally planned 1,000 TB tests, 1,500 of these will be ordered for children in certain grades of Big Spring and rural schools.

These tests are by a patch method whereby dried tuberculin microns are held against the skin for a few days. If the child has tuberculosis or an arrested case of it, a red welt arises on the skin.

In such cases, the association will attempt to follow up the diagnosis with X-ray, which gives a sure answer. The case is followed through to encourage treatment and in some cases to secure admittance to the state sanatorium. Moreover, the association carries on a program designed to encourage generally more healthful habits.

Realizing the need for more support, many local business concerns have responded nobly thus far, said Mrs. Thurman, and several are placing these on all bills and correspondence. Others were invited to do likewise.

Because correspondence will continue unless the records are closed, donors are urged to include their names with their gifts. "We send reminders to many people who already have paid," said Mrs. Thurman, "because they did not include their names with their gifts."

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