

WEATHER

Scattered showers this evening. Little change in temperature tonight and early Friday.

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Ten Pages Today

War Bond Score

Quota for September \$1,791,400
Sales to Sept. 2 ... 673
Still to go ... 1,790,727

BIG SPRING DAILY HERALD

FD, Churchill Await Stalin's Word On Parley

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER
WASHINGTON, Sept. 2 (AP)—Prime Minister Churchill and President Roosevelt settled down to a discussion of war-generated political problems today while official Washington awaited some on-the-record response from Russia to Anglo-American overtures for a three-power conference this year.



Despite all that the president and the prime minister have said about meeting Russia there still was no indication from Moscow as to whether the suggestion was considered favorably there, nor was there much concrete evidence in Washington thus far of success in arranging a preliminary get-together of top diplomats of the three governments.

Bond Sales Off To Slow Start

Although formal opening of September's War Bond drive will not get under way until the ninth day of the month, sales of bonds beginning Wednesday apply on the quota.

East Running Out Of Gasoline

WASHINGTON, Sept. 2 (AP)—The prospect of dry gasoline pumps in the east "in a matter of days" was raised today by Interior Secretary Ickes who said trouble lay ahead for the entire nation unless rationing is held to essential travel.

Would Resume Draft Of Men Over 38

WASHINGTON, Sept. 2 (AP)—Asserting most future selectees will not be used for combat duty, Representative Snyder (D-Pa.) urged today that selective service resume the induction of men between 37 and 45 years of age.

Smaller Planes Keep Up Attack On Italy's Toe

Damaging Air Raids Carried On With Little Letup
By EDWARD KENNEDY
ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA, Sept. 2 (AP)—The Allied air offensive against Italy has been concentrated on the toe of the peninsula for the past 36 hours and has been carried on mainly by fighters and fighter-bombers, Allied headquarters said today.

Slain—Willie Stevens, Raping Army Wounds Injured

Slain—Willie Stevens, raping army wounds injured by a U.S. coast guard officer, Lt. Comdr. John F. Voght, in a police show-up room at New Orleans. Stevens was killed the next day by a detective who said the suspect began fighting in a police auto.

13-Year-Old Boy Is Arrested For Auto Theft, Gun Carrying

A 13-year-old Little Rock, Ark. lad's brief criminal career was interrupted here Thursday morning with his arrest by Assistant Police Chief Alfred Moody.

WAC Slain In 'Blind Fury'

INDIANAPOLIS, Sept. 2 (AP)—A taxicab driver brought to police headquarters today a 27-year-old woman who, he said, had told him she wanted to give herself up as the slayer of Corporal Maoma L. Ridings, 22-year-old Camp Atterbury WAC.

Smiles Goodbye

From an iron lung in which she has been confined more than two years, pretty Mrs. Dorothy Crim, 23, is shown above as she smiles goodbye at Toledo, O., to her soldier husband, Sgt. Charles Crim, who has returned to the South Plains Army Air Field at Lubbock, Tex., after a furlough spent at Toledo. Sgt. Crim expects to graduate as a glider pilot next week.

German Retreating

Quitting Donets Sector To Avert Further Losses
Russian Power Sweeping Over And Around Hitler Armies
LONDON, Sept. 2 (AP)—Hard-driving Red army forces, pushing the Germans back all along the far flung Russian front in one of their most successful weeks of the war, captured the important Ukrainian town of Sumy and the middle Donets town of Lisichansk today and drove the Nazis out of the entire Kursk region north of Kharkov, Moscow announced tonight.

Allied Pincers Are Closing In On Salamaua

Japanese Defenses Described As 'Rear-guard' Only
ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN THE SOUTHWEST PACIFIC, Sept. 2 (AP)—The coastal jaw of a slowly closing Allied pincer pressed nearer the Salamaua, New Guinea, airbase from the southeast today as Japanese defenses cracked.



Marcus Attack—Circle indicates Marcus Island, 1,200 miles from Tokyo, which the navy announced had been attacked by an airplane carrier task force. First report of the attack came from a Japanese broadcast. The Japs occupied the island in 1889.

Former Danish Minister Turns Nazis Down

STOCKHOLM, Sept. 2 (AP)—Eric Scavenius, Danish prime minister who resigned his post when Germany clamped a military dictatorship on Denmark last weekend, has declined an offer by the Nazis to form a new government.

Cattle Marketing Points To 'Famine' By Next Spring

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 2 (AP)—A near-record marketing of grass-fat steers in the next six weeks—and a famine next spring—is forecast by cattlemen from 24 states, meeting today to advance a new meat management plan.

City To Observe Holiday Monday

Business houses in Big Spring will observe Monday—Labor Day—as a full holiday.

Chemical Program To Be Presented For Guardsmen

Texas State Guardsmen from Colorado City, Midland, Odessa, McCombs and Crane as well as peace officers from a wide area will hear a lecture today by Lieut. Bernard Kleiner, head of the chemical warfare service at the Big Spring Bombardier School.

Volunteers Help In Ration Board Work

A plea for volunteer workers at the ration board to work Wednesday night brought out nine workers who handled a large volume of work, Sonora Murphy, chief clerk said Thursday.

Nation's War Casualty Total Stands At 103,992

WASHINGTON, Sept. 2 (AP)—Casualties in the United States military forces and the merchant marine since Pearl Harbor total 103,992.

Australia Planning To Greet Mrs. FDR

CANBERRA, Sept. 2 (AP)—In anticipation of an impending visit by Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, Australia's capital already is planning a series of functions in honor of the American president's wife, who now is in New Zealand.

DIES IN PLUNGE

ABILENE, Sept. 2 (AP)—A man identified by police as Houston Heltchow of Abilene, a great-grandson of Gen. Sam Houston, was killed yesterday when he plunged from a 14th floor window of an Abilene hotel.

TRAFFIC RESUMED

STOCKHOLM, Sept. 2 (AP)—Air traffic between Stockholm and Copenhagen, suspended since Sunday, was resumed today. This also restored air traffic between this capital and Berlin, since Stockholm-Berlin planes fly via Copenhagen.



# Society

The Big Spring Daily Herald

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## Visits And Visitors Reported By Wades, Walkers, And Williamsons

A. B. WADE—Mrs. C. R. Jenkins left this week for Seattle, Wash. to join her husband who is employed in the shipyards there. "Outside of this bit of news, I don't know much of anything else, since we have been staying at home this summer," says Mrs. Wade.

A. E. WALKER—Talked with Vera Dell at the Walker residence and she was telling us that she and her parents visited Mrs. Walker's mother, Mrs. G. B. Saylor in Littlefield recently.

A. E. B. WALKER—Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Walker of Lorraine were recent guests in the Walker home.

FELTON WALTERS—Mrs. A. F. Johnson at the Walters home was telling us that they had just received word from Rasty Fitzgerald, former resident of Andrews, who was believed to have gone down with the USS Houston. Fitzgerald writes that he is now a Japanese prisoner of war.

FRANK B. WILSON—Mrs. Wilson's daughter, Mrs. Ennon Lovelady, Donald Lovelady and Mrs. Jim Skalicky have returned from Abilene where they were guests in the W. E. Lovelady home. While there they visited with Pvt. Ray Skalicky at Camp Barkeley.

W. D. WILBANKS—"I've spent a busy summer, what with canning and all, and now I'm busy getting the children ready for school," says Mrs. Wilbanks.

G. F. WILLIAMS—Guests in the Williams' home are Mrs. J. E. Dickenson and children of Albuquerque, N. M. Mrs. Dickenson is Mrs. Williams' niece.

H. F. WILLIAMSON—Mr. and Mrs. Williamson will leave Sept. 15th for Randolph Field where they will visit with their son, Lieut. T. J. Williamson and family.

**Luncheon To Be Held At Church Friday At Noon**  
The Susannah Wesley class will meet at the First Methodist church Friday at 12 o'clock for a covered dish luncheon and monthly business session.

All members are urged to attend.

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## Lodge Has Business Meeting

The Ladies Society of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen met in regular semi-monthly session at the WOW hall Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. Florence Rose, president, in charge of the meeting.

The group voted to buy a war bond during the drive which is being sponsored here, and it was announced that the national organization of the Ladies Society of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen had bought an ambulance as a contribution to the war effort.

A donation from the local lodge was also sent to headquarters for the purchase of a station wagon which will be used in war areas.

Those attending the meeting were Annie Wilson, Mrs. Dora Sholte, Mrs. Ione Graddy, Mrs. Susie Weison, Mrs. Leah Brooks, Mrs. Mattie Muneke, Mrs. Irene Stegner, Mrs. Birdie Adams, Mrs. Billy Anderson, Mrs. Bessie Powler, Mrs. Betty Manion, Mrs. Minnie Barbee, Mrs. Doris Coats, Mrs. Alice Mims and Mrs. Mamie Lovelady.

## Miss Laneous Notes

Thoughts when we should be working... With socks, leg make up and a little summer tan, we've managed to get through the summer without resorting to rays but how about when the cold winds blow? Is it better to drop and bag at the knees and ankles and keep warm or not, that is the problem.

We've always had an open mind about crooners, even Bing, but the barrage of publicity that Frank Sinatra has been getting finally caught even our eye.

We spent a nickel, then another nickel, and still another on his juke box recordings. Result? We still have an open mind.

It's amazing the things women go through to look better. Things like cooking to a nice, rosy red under hair driers with the temperature way above the normal mark outside.

All of which might convince an unprejudiced bystander that the guys are smarter than the gals when it comes to things like personal appearance. But then what women would admit it? Not us.

Seems funny to hear people moaning that it took 15 or 20 days to get a letter from Africa from their man in the service. In the old days it took longer than that for mail to go from one town to another. These days we demand instant delivery regardless of the thousands of miles of transportation involved.

What a steamed-up condition we all live in these days. We want everything NOW.

**J. F. Counts, Father Of Big Spring Man, Dies At Lockney**  
Jacob Franklin Counts, 77, succumbed Tuesday at the home of her son, W. H. Counts at Lockney, and services were to be held this afternoon at the Church of Christ at 2 o'clock.

Following services here, the body will be taken overland to Abilene where Mr. Counts will be buried beside his wife, Mary Elizabeth Counts, who succumbed in 1940.

Mr. Counts, retired farmer, was born January 4, 1866, and resided north of Abilene until his wife's death when he moved to Lockney.

Survivors include six sons, Lee Counts, Big Spring; Hugh Counts, Lockney; Jim Counts, Fort Stockton; Amos Counts, El Paso; W. T. Counts, Fort Worth; Jesse Counts, Los Angeles, Calif.; four daughters, Mrs. Myrtle Duty and Mrs. Lorraine Lynch, Los Angeles, Calif.; Mrs. Edna Weed, Big Spring and Mrs. Leola Matthew of Lamesa.

The Rev. Paul Witt, pastor of the Highland Church of Christ will be in charge of services at Abilene this afternoon.

Eberley funeral home directed local arrangements.

## Series Of Parties Given Here For Lieut. Col. And Mrs. E. V. Spence

**Former Residents Visiting Here From Camp Swift**

A series of luncheons, coffees and other parties are being held here this week in honor of Lieut. Col. and Mrs. E. V. Spence of Camp Swift, formerly of Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. George Oldham entertained with a barbecue at their home Wednesday evening honoring Col. and Mrs. Spence.

The guest list included Mr. and Mrs. Cal Boykin, Dr. and Mrs. M. H. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Blomshild, Mrs. Lula Ashley, Mrs. Charles Frost, Dan Barrow of New York City, N. Y., Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hodge, Mr. and Mrs. Will Inkman and Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Whiskey.

Pink and orchid asters arranged in a crystal bowl centered the table at a luncheon given for Mrs. Spence in the Silver Wing this afternoon by Mrs. Carl Blomshild.

The affair was held at 1 o'clock and friends of the honored guest attended.

**More Showers Over The State**  
By The Associated Press  
Scattered showers yesterday brought some relief to drought-ridden Texas cities which for the third consecutive day fell shy of 100-degree temperatures.

Highest recordings were at El Paso and Fort Worth, which had 97, the Dallas weather bureau reported, while Galveston fell a drop to 83 degrees, accompanied by .82 inches of rain.

Although rain fell to the extent of .56 inches at Palestine, the thermometer registered a high of 94 degrees, and at Waco the reading was 93 degrees, despite a .39 inch shower.

Continued light showers were beneficial to the rangelands in the Austin area, further delaying cotton picking.

Reports received no rain, no prospects for rain, no new heat records made and no danger to crops which County Agricultural Agent A. L. Edmiston says are made.

He added that rain is needed for livestock, however.

The sky was overcast at Dallas today, which yesterday registered a maximum of 95 degrees. A trace of rain fell at Love Field, site of the weather bureau.

Scattered thundershowers were forecast for Houston this afternoon. Maximum there yesterday was 84, the minimum 77.

Scattered rainfall in the Plainview area last night was a relief to crops suffering lack of moisture. A fall of 1.12 inches was recorded in Plainview.

**New Designations For Generals**  
PALERMO, Sicily, (AP)—So many generals have been running through one Allied Mediterranean airbase that the boys who are on the information desk had to think up a new way to designate them. Corp Charles Morgan of Shelby Gap, Ky., explained it.

"We call a one-star general a 'private first class general' and a two-star general a 'corporal general.' When they get above two stars we just call them a 'general general.'"

The only hazard about these handy new designations is that the boys are afraid they will forget a one-star general as 'private general.' That would put somebody on KP duty quickly—and it wouldn't be the "private general."

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## Luncheon Held At Church

The Philathea Class met at the First Methodist church Wednesday afternoon for a covered dish luncheon and monthly business session.

Mrs. Oile Cordill, class president, presided over the meeting, and Mrs. H. D. Norris gave the devotional.

Those present were Mrs. J. D. O'Bar, Mrs. C. M. Weaver, Mrs. Albert Smith, Mrs. Frank Wilson, Mrs. Robert Hill, Mrs. S. R. Nobles, Mrs. M. L. Richards, Mrs. Garner McAdams.

Mrs. Ralph Toler, Mrs. Oile Cordill, Mrs. V. H. Flewellen, Louise McClenny, Mrs. C. R. McClenny, Mrs. Louis-Murdock, Mrs. R. E. Satterwhite, Mrs. Chess Anderson, Mrs. E. A. Ingram of Fort Worth.

Mrs. W. B. Graddy, Mrs. Ennon Lovelady, Mrs. W. A. Laswell, Mrs. M. A. Cook, the Rev. and Mrs. H. Clyde Smith, Mrs. C. R. Moad, Mrs. S. H. Newberg, and Mrs. H. D. Norris.

**Roosevelt To Make Radio Talk On 8th**  
WASHINGTON, Sept. 2 (AP)—President Roosevelt will make a radio address on the night of September 8 as part of a program opening the treasury's third war loan drive.

The White House said he would speak for 10 minutes, starting about 8:40 p. m., CWT.

## Monthly Luncheon Held At Church

The Dorcas class met at the East Fourth Baptist church Wednesday afternoon for a covered dish luncheon and monthly business session.

Mrs. Ora Todd opened the program with a prayer and gave the devotional. Election of officers was held and Mrs. J. A. Kinard was named president.

Other officers include Mrs. Ora Todd, membership vice president; Mrs. J. W. Hollis, secretary, and Mrs. B. M. Harold, corresponding secretary.

Reports were given by the class committees and those attending were Mrs. Ora Todd, Mrs. Laura Wheat, Mrs. V. A. Masters, Mrs. A. J. Hill, Mrs. J. A. Kinard, Mrs. D. W. Anderson, Mrs. A. D. Harmon and Mrs. R. J. Barton.

**MRS. JACK SMITH IS HOSTESS TO THE KONGENIAL KLUB**  
Mrs. Jack Y. Smith entertained with a party in her home Wednesday afternoon, and members of the Kongenial Klub were guests.

Bridge was entertainment for the afternoon and high score went to Mrs. Bill Edwards. Mrs. C. S. Edmonds won second high, Mrs. J. O. Vineyard won guest high and Mrs. C. J. Staples binged.

Refreshments were served and guests attending were Mrs. Staples, and Mrs. J. O. Vineyard.

Members present were Mrs. Herschel Petty, Mrs. R. W. Halbrook, Mrs. Escot Compton and the hostess, Mrs. Smith.

Mrs. D. A. Watkins will be next hostess.

## Mrs. E. H. Smith Honored At Shower

Mrs. E. H. Smith was honored with a shower in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Earnest Wednesday afternoon.

Gifts were presented to the honored guest, and refreshments were served to Mrs. E. L. Patton, Mrs. Tom Bly, Mrs. D. W. Anderson, Mrs. T. R. Stevenson, Mrs. H. Rosco, Mrs. R. Elmer Dunham, Mrs. Laura Wheat.

Mrs. R. J. Barton, Mrs. W. E. Smith, Mrs. McNeill, Mrs. B. O. Rice, Mrs. Elmer Rainey, Mrs. Earnest, Mrs. H. C. Puckett.

Sending gifts were Mrs. Lena Greer, Mrs. Bill Olsen, Mrs. D. B. Cox, Mrs. Ruth Olsen, Mrs. Estella Yates, Mrs. Jessie Lamb of Odessa, Mrs. S. A. Callahan, Mrs. Holdeen, Mrs. J. G. Amett of Midland, Margie Preston, Mrs. Hollis, Mrs. J. E. Kennedy, Mrs. J. A. Kinard, Mrs. Turpin, Mrs. Swindale, Mrs. Cathey, Mrs. A. C. Preston, Mrs. Lula Andrews, Mrs. E. E. Ayers of Odessa, Mrs. Gilliland, Mrs. Bill Amett of Midland.

Betty Alice Nobles has returned from San Antonio where she visited with her sister, Mrs. Virgil Hubbs.

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# War Board News

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

## Growers Advised To Provide Storage On Farm For Cotton

A place to store this year's cotton crop was the paramount problem facing many Texas cotton farmers this week as picking season got underway in most parts of the state.

"Cotton is opening up in volume and as production reaches a peak the storage problem will become far more serious than it is now," Geo. Slaughter, chairman, Texas AAA committee, said in asking farmers to plan far enough ahead this year to provide for their own storage facilities.

Citing \$15 per bale losses in South Texas where farmers have been unable to get government loans because warehouses already are filled with cotton, the AAA official urged farmers in later producing areas to make immediate plans for storing their crop. In cases where farmers are not equipped to store cotton on the farm, he urged their renting or obtaining use of empty buildings to get cotton under cover and take advantage of ninety per cent of parity loans.

The farm-storage phase of the cotton loan program is administered by county AAA committees and buildings in which cotton is to be stored must meet minimum specifications before they can be approved, he said. Principal requirements are that buildings must protect the cotton from rain, snow, flood, ground water, poultry and livestock.

The loan rate for cotton stored on the farm is the same as for cotton stored in warehouses. The average loan rate in Texas is 19.90 cents per pound, which is higher than the open market price.

In addition to the regular loan rate, producers storing cotton on the farm also are entitled to 10 cents per bale per month storage allowance provided the cotton is delivered to Commodity Credit Corporation in satisfaction of the loan. If the cotton is repossessed by the producer, the storage allowance will not be paid.

## It's Time To Think About Fall Garden

COLLEGE STATION, Sept. 2.—Scattered showers over Texas forecast the turn of the season and the time to begin fall garden work in earnest.

J. F. Rosborough, horticulturist for the A. and M. College Extension Service, recommends planting mustard greens with the first good rain because this vegetable grows quickly and should be ready for the table in four weeks. Fall beans require about 45 days to mature, and if planted in August or early September in most parts of the state a good supply should be available before cold weather. The stringless green pod variety is high in quality and somewhat heat resistant.

Leaf lettuce should receive special consideration because it is more tolerant to heat than the head variety. Black seeded Simpson or Grand Rapids are good varieties. When the weather cools head lettuce may be planted.

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## Cooperative Buying Shows Big Increase

COLLEGE STATION, Sept. 2.—Nearly 90,000 fresh pineapples bought cooperatively by Texas home demonstration club women and their neighbors in 40 counties have added 103,425 pints of canned fruit and 18,135 pints of fruit juice to pantry shelves. In addition, a great deal of the pineapple was eaten fresh, according to reports from county home demonstration agents of the A. and M. College Extension Service.

This canned fruit and juice if bought from grocers' shelves would have cost about \$28,000 and nearly two and one-half million ration points.

A report compiled by Myrtle Murray, Extension specialist in home industries shows that 5,842 families pooled their orders for 7,230 dozen pineapples through marketing committees of county home demonstration councils. In most instances, the pineapple was bought through local merchants or truckers. Marketing committees in many more counties obtained cooperative orders but were unable to locate pineapple for sale.

## About Rationing Of Home Canned Foods

The Office of Price Administration has issued the following answers to questions on rationing controls of home-canned foods.

1. Q—Is there any limit to the amount of home-canned food I may sell?  
A—No, but you must collect ration points for all sales at the rate of eight points per quart (4 points per pound) for all home-canned food you sell.

2. Q—Must I also collect stamps for home-canned food I would like to give my friends?  
A—No. Each person in your family may give away up to 50 quarts of home-canned food during any calendar year without collecting ration stamps, but any food for which money is accepted is not considered a gift.

3. Q—Is home canned food which contribute to our local school lunch program included in the 50 quarts I may give away without collecting ration points?  
A—Yes.

4. Q—May I give away more than fifty quarts of home-canned food without accepting money, provided I collect ration stamps for all gifts in excess of 50 quarts?  
A—Yes.

5. Q—What should I do with the ration stamps I collect for home-canned foods?  
A—Turn them in to your local War Price and Rationing Board. You are not required to make any written report.

6. Q—If I put up most of the foods my family needs, what should I do with blue ration stamps I do not need.  
A—Destroy them. Any stamps you do not use to buy commercially processed food for your family leaves just that much more processed foods for persons who are unable to do any home canning.

## Food Production Placed Above The Record Of 1942

WASHINGTON, Sept. 2. (AP)—Asserting increases in livestock would more than offset a nine per cent decline in food costs, the department of agriculture predicted today that the total 1943 food production would be five per cent in excess of last year's record output.

With war requirements expected to absorb about a fourth of the total production, the department's bureau of agricultural economics declared the year as a whole would be only slightly larger than the consumption for 1935-39, when the average production was 32 per cent smaller than this year's indicated yields.

Revised estimates, the report said, indicate a total meat production of 24,000,000,000 pounds, by far the largest on record and accounted for mainly by an anticipated 20 to 25 per cent increase in pork production over 1942.

It said decreases were indicated for food grains, fruits, truck and sugar crops, while potato and dry edible bean crops are expected to be larger than last year.

## New Tire Panel In Mitchell County

COLORADO CITY, Sept. 2.—A new tire rationing panel of the Mitchell county War Price and Rationing Board has been named with J. M. New as chairman, A. D. Kiker, issuing officer, R. J. Wallace of Colorado City and J. M. Ramsey of Westbrook as members of the panel. One other member is yet to be appointed.

The new panel succeeds L. E. Candler, J. L. Ellis and Tom Goss. Goss will continue to serve as general chairman of the War Price and Rationing Board.

## Bureaucratic Bungling Hit By Smith In Latest Criticism Of Secy. Ickes

AUSTIN, Sept. 2. (AP)—The second round bell echoed today in a word battle between Lieut. Gov. John Lee Smith and Petroleum Administrator for War Harold L. Ickes.

Smith asserted in a letter to Ickes today if a gasoline shortage exists the fault lies with "bungling methods invoked and enforced arbitrarily and without reason by irresponsible custodians of great power."

Smith first contended in a letter Aug. 15 that the one-gallon reduction in coupon value was unwarranted because of vast oil supplies in the southwest.

Ickes came back Aug. 27 with a statement that "as you go vociferously forth, draped in the outer garments of patriotism and the underwear of self-interest, please remember that our tanks and trucks and jeeps cannot burn as fuel the crocodile tears that you shed."

Smith, replying yesterday, asserted: "We will never win this war x x x with anybody's crocodile tears—mine or yours. And most assuredly our planes, tanks and jeeps will not run on the type of gas which you so frequently generate, apparently under a 'war-time production schedule'."

Smith said Ickes first announced "with a considerable shedding of crocodile tears" that gasoline rations resulted from a shortage of rubber, adding:

"Now it is the shortage of gasoline. For dexterity in a dilemma a bureaucrat is an artist of superior genius."

Ickes: "Perhaps you have motives which blind you to the fact that the demand for petroleum products is rapidly rising as our military, agricultural and industrial users step up their activities to meet the increasing tempo of war."

Smith: "You fail to explain—if there is an actual gasoline shortage—why the maximum production of the large Texas refineries was pegged at 73 per cent of their 1942 production. If this gasoline is so urgently needed for planes, why did the halo-headed Washington

bureaucrats issue such an absurd order? x x x If the shortage exists, it was created by such foolish regulations."

Ickes: "The nation is running dangerously close to an overall shortage of crude oil."

Smith: "Texas is now producing more than 1,800,000 barrels of oil per day. Notwithstanding this, in excess of 100 refineries have ceased to operate in the last 18 months, due largely to the effect of orders issued by the petroleum administrator and OPA."

## Texans Included In List Of Prisoners

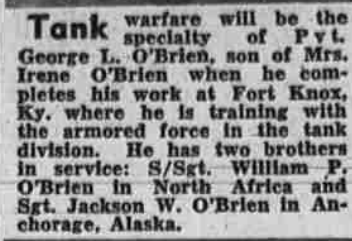
WASHINGTON, Sept. 2. (AP)—Three officers, two sergeants, two technicians and a private first class were Texans included in a list of 188 United States soldiers the war department announced today as missing in action.

Missing in the Asiatic area was Capt. Harrell R. Hoffman, son of Mrs. Lola B. Hoffman, 1803 W. 13th St., Texarkana.

Missing in the Middle East area: Tech. Sgt. Frank A. Norris, son of Robert W. Norris, Celeste; 2nd Lt. Ralph F. Perkins, Jr., husband of Mrs. Clara M. Perkins, Weslaco; Staff Sgt. Zerrill J. Steen, Jr., son of Zerrill Steen, Hereford; Maj. William M. Yaeger, Jr., husband of Mrs. Mary E. Yaeger, 1001 W. Chestnut St., Denison.

Missing in the North African area: Tech. 4th gr. Jack B. Brown, son of William L. Brown, 2511 Harris Blvd., Austin; Tech. 5th gr. Salvador S. Flores, brother of Miss Rafaela S. Flores, South 16th St., McAllen; Pfc. Jack W. Hopkins, son of Mrs. Claudia M. Hopkins, 201 N. Ward St., Pampa.

A statue of Ponce de Leon in Puerto Rico was cast in the bronze obtained by melting the cannon captured from the Dutch in their attack on San Juan in 1625.



## Tank Warfare Will Be Specialty of Pvt. George L. O'Brien

Tank warfare will be the specialty of Pvt. George L. O'Brien, son of Mrs. Irene O'Brien when he completes his work at Fort Knox, Ky. where he is training with the armored force in the tank division. He has two brothers in service: S/Sgt. William P. O'Brien in North Africa and Sgt. Jackson W. O'Brien in Anchorage, Alaska.

## Bids May Be Taken Sept. 15 On Sewer Plant Extension

Plans are progressing on sewer plant expansion and will be submitted for final approval at the city commission on Sept. 14. It was indicated Thursday by City Manager B. J. McDaniel.

He said that S. C. Cooper, city engineer, was putting finishing touches on the plans and that bids would probably be advertised on Sept. 15.

The program, in which the army is participating to the extent of \$55,000, will cost approximately \$100,000 and involves the use of the Hayes process in separation and purification of the effluent.

The enlargement is in fulfillment of an agreement with the army to add to sewage facilities to care for the volume which must be handled from the bombardier school as well as the community. Temporary enlargements have been effected pending the letting of contracts for the real program.



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## South Charged With Using 'Politics' In Freight Rate Case

ALBANY, N. Y., Sept. 2. (AP)—The state of New York says the southern states are threatening to leave the democratic ticket in 1944 in order to influence the decision of the interstate commerce commission in an inter-territorial freight rate case.

The accusation was contained in a New York state brief filed with the commission yesterday in the case involving a demand of southern states for mile-for-mile equality with other sections through a uniform level of class rates for transportation of manu-

factured goods. New York Attorney General Nathaniel Goldstein said the brief cited "political interference." The brief, in which New York was joined by New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Maryland and various commercial organizations in northern states, contended that industrial development in the south, contrary to claims it has been retarded by different class-rate levels, has been more rapid in the last ten years than that of any other section.

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War sure changes things fast. Long as I can remember this was the Boss' south pasture—and now look. Almost overnight, instead of cattle, windmills and barbed wire, there are roads and barracks and soldiers as far as you can see.

ALL over Texas thousands of acres of quiet grasslands have been converted into military camps. Under the capable direction of Army engineers, civilian contractors have rushed to completion the flying fields, army training centers, rifle ranges and navy bases where thousands of our fighting men are being trained.

Essential to the very existence of these military establishments are the streets and highways that form the transportation system within and between them. Petroleum asphalt supplied by Humble has been used for constructing many miles of these strategic roads. Economical, serviceable, and easy to apply,

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**FOOD NUTRITION and Point Rationing NEWS**

The Big Spring Daily Herald

**Point Type Changed On Tomato Sauce With Cheese**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 2 (AP)—After Sunday housewives won't have to give up their valuable red stamps to get a package of tomato sauce and cheese.

tion announced it would boost to four points the ration price of an 8-ounce package of tomato sauce in combination with cheese, but said they could all be blue. Before the change the same package cost one red point for the cheese and two blue points for the tomato sauce.

San Juan, capital of Puerto Rico, has a population of 170,000.

**JOINS U. S. C. C.**  
LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Sept. 2 (AP)—D. Hodson Lewis, secretary of the Little Rock chamber of commerce for 16 years, resigned last night to become regional manager of the southwestern division, U. S. chamber of commerce, with headquarters in Dallas.

Puerto Rico was first colonized by Ponce de Leon in 1509.

**Point Value Is Increased On Canned Fruits**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 2 (AP)—The Office of Price Administration today ordered the blue-stamp ration value of four types of canned fruit boosted, effective Sunday, in an attempt to slow down shoppers' demands.

The agency made point changes in 21 food items—13 up and eight down—as the result of a survey of the demand and available supplies of canned and processed foods. All the changes go into effect Sunday. It fixed the ration value of No. 2 (large) size canned apples at 10 points, an increase of three; 16 oz. cranberries at 10 points, up two; No. 2½ peaches at 27 points, up four and No. 2½ pears at 21 points, up six.

The same order returned dried prunes, raisins and currants to the ration list after a summer vacation. They were valued at four blue points a pound.

Point values were raised for canned and bottled beans, pumpkin and squash. Other types of canned beans—fresh shelled, green or wax and fresh soy beans—were reduced.

Frozen fruits and vegetables went up and, OPA said, the "supply is still far below the buying demand." It explained "a fairly sharp and general upward point revision is necessary in order to syphon off some of the demand into other foods in larger supply."

Following are the new ration values (all effective Sunday):

Canned or bottled foods:  
Fruits—No. 2 apples, 10 points; 16 oz. cranberries, 10 points; No. 2½ peaches, 27 points; No. 2½ pears, 21 points.

Vegetables—No. 2 fresh shelled beans (including black-eye peas) 10 points; No. 2 green or wax beans, 10 points; No. 2 fresh soy beans, 5 points; No. 2 canned and bottled beans (baked beans, pork and beans, kidney beans, etc.) 18 points.

No. 2 beets 8 points; No. 2 carrots 8 points; No. 2½ pumpkin or squash, 21 points; No. 2½ tomatoes, 21 points.

Frozen foods:  
One pound all fruits and berries, 12 points; 12 ounces green or wax beans, 9 points; 12 ounces lima beans, 9 points; 10 ounces cut corn, 9 points; 12 ounces peas, 9 points; 14 ounces spinach, 12 points.

Dried foods:  
One pound prunes, raisins and currants, 4 points; one pound beans, 2 points; one pound peas and lentils, 1 point.

**UNDER INDICTMENT**

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 2 (AP)—Carl Thomas Fuqua of Texarkana, Tex., civilian inspector for the Army quartermaster corps, was under a federal indictment today on a charge that he asked and received \$500 before he would approve saddles made for the Army.

**MINISTER DIES**

GRAND PRAIRIE, Sept. 2 (AP)—The Rev. Joseph B. Oakley, 69, retired Presbyterian minister, died at his home here after a short illness. He once held a pastorate at Marshall.

**Coffee Ice Cream Makes Welcome Dessert**

WHEN it seems too hot to cook and you are wondering what to serve the family for dessert, here is your answer... Refrigerator Coffee Ice Cream. There is nothing quite so welcome as a cold dessert after a hot and tiring day. Now that you no longer have to worry about where your next pound of coffee is coming from, you can indulge the family's craving for coffee flavor by treating them to this delicious ice cream. Serve it with tall glasses of refreshing iced coffee and you have a pair of thirst-quenchers that can't be beat. Don't forget to make your coffee extra strong for iced coffee, however, or you will lose some of the flavor and enjoyment that full-bodied coffee contributes to any meal.

No cooking is necessary when you make this mouth-watering Refrigerator Coffee Ice Cream. It's easy to make and delicious to eat.

When served with iced coffee you have a dessert that will win the approval of the whole family. A warm, sultry day is just the time to surprise them with an unbeatable combination such as this. Here is the way to make the Coffee Ice Cream.

**Refrigerator Coffee Ice Cream**  
1½ teaspoons unflavored gelatin 1 cup strong cold coffee  
¼ teaspoon salt 1 cup cream  
½ cup sweetened condensed milk  
Softened gelatin in ¼ cup cold coffee and stir over hot water until dissolved. Add salt and cream and place in refrigerator until mixture sets. Whip until smooth, and slightly thickened. Stir in condensed milk and remaining coffee and beat well. Place into refrigerator tray and freeze. When partially frozen, remove from tray, beat thoroughly, and return to tray. Continue freezing several hours until firm. Yield: about 1½ pints.

**Cream Sherberts And Other Desserts Made With Kool Aid**

Complete directions are given on every package of Kool-Aid for the making of Kool-Aid drinks, frozen suckers and ice cubes. Additional recipes are to be found on the inner envelope and there are many other uses for the product in frozen desserts, for coloring and flavoring, making imitation jelly, pies, cakes, cake icing, puddings, candies, etc.

**KOOL-AID CREAM SHERBET**  
Made in Mechanical Refrigerator  
1 Pkg. Kool-Aid (any flavor),  
1 cup heavy cream (well chilled),  
1 cup sugar,  
2 cups milk.

Yield: Over 1 quart.  
Dissolve Kool-Aid and sugar in milk; turn into freezing tray and freeze 3-4 to 1 hour (until slushy). Whip cream until stiff. Add partly frozen Kool-Aid mixture to whipped cream and whip just enough to mix well, but keep as cold as possible. Return quickly to freezing tray and freeze at coldest point. Requires no more stirring. When frozen, set control back to normal. If desired lighter, beat 2 egg whites fluffy with 2 tablespoons sugar and fold into above mixture before final freezing.

If made in hand freezer, use same materials as above but use 3 cups milk instead of 2. Place all together in 2-quart freezer (no whipping needed) and freeze in regular way.

**EVAPORATED MILK SHERBET**  
Made in Mechanical Refrigerator  
1 pkg. Kool-Aid (any flavor),  
1½ cup water,  
1 cup sugar,  
1 tall can evaporated milk.

Yield: Over 1 Quart.  
Place can of evaporated milk in freezing unit and chill one hour. Dissolve sugar and Kool-Aid thoroughly in the water. Place chilled evaporated milk in cold mixing bowl and whip with egg beater until about three times its volume. Then add the Kool-Aid mixture and fold in well; place quickly in freezing tray and freeze at coldest temperature. Do not disturb after it starts to freeze or it will be less fluffy.

**KOOL-AID FLUFF DESSERT**  
2 level tablespoons Kool-Aid,  
2-3 cup cornstarch,  
1 tablespoon butter,  
1-4 teaspoon salt,  
1 cup sugar,  
Juice of 1-2 lemons,  
2 eggs,  
4 cups water.

Place sugar and 3 cups water in pan and bring to a boil. To this, add 1 cup cold water to which has been added the cornstarch, egg yolk, butter and lemon juice. Cook until thick, stirring constantly. Remove from fire and add Kool-Aid, mixing well. Fold in stiffly beaten egg whites.

Puerto Rico has an area of about 3,400 square miles.

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**Cotton Opening Prematurely Over State**

AUSTIN, Sept. 2 (AP)—Harvest of rapidly-opening cotton and maturing feed crops was benefited by weather conditions in the week ended Aug. 29, but lack of moisture prevented preparation of soil for fall seeding, the U. S. department of agriculture reported today.

The USDA said that on account of serious drought cotton was opening prematurely in all districts, including the southern high plains, and late feed crops were suffering. In East Texas the corn harvest made progress with yields generally satisfactory, but in West and Northwest Texas the late crop continued to deteriorate. Though grain sorghum harvest began in the high plains, gathering was not general. Peanut hay yields continued to decline. With labor requirements increasing as dry weather prevailed, cotton pickers were in demand as far north as the central blackland counties. Cotton harvest

was near its peak in the north-central and eastern districts. Rains were needed in the high plains, but elsewhere the crop too near maturity to be helped materially.

The rice harvest continued under favorable conditions but more labor was needed. Peanut yields were reported light. Sweet potatoes continued to suffer.

Range feeds were becoming short and dry over most sections but livestock were in generally good condition except in severely dry areas.

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NOTE: Yes, Piggly Wiggly will have specials this week, but the operators feel the conservation of water to be of more importance than advertising their usual line of specials. Consult our windows for our values.

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**After-School Jobs For Boys and Girls**

The Herald will have routes opening right away—routes that may be handled by boys and girls attending school. Carriers have to work only a couple of hours in the afternoon and handle their collections on Saturday.

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<b>LIMA BEANS</b>	19c	<b>V-8</b>	29c	14c
Heart's Delight No. 2½ Can	Points 18	Points 4	Points 4	Points 2
<b>SPINACH</b>	22c	Del Monte Pineapple 46 oz. Can	Points 22	
Whole Green No. 2 Can	Points 11	<b>JUICE</b>	43c	
<b>BEANS</b>	18c	Ralston	12 oz. Pkg.	
Scott County Tomato No. 300 Can	Points 5	<b>RYE-KRISP</b>	27c	
<b>SOUP</b>	15c	Imitation Flavored	2 lb. Jar	
Del Monte Tomato 47 oz. Can	Points 6	<b>JELLY</b>	29c	
<b>JUICE</b>	29c	Lone Star	5 lb. Pail	
Grapefruit 46 oz. Can	Points 4	<b>HONEY</b>	1.49	
<b>JUICE</b>	33c	Prepared	Qt. Jar	
Snyder's 12 oz. Bottle	Points 13	<b>MUSTARD</b>	10c	
<b>CHILI SAUCE</b>	19c	Holms Prepared	3 oz. Jar	
No. 10 Can	Points 47	<b>MUSTARD</b>	10c	
<b>BLACKBERRIES</b>	98c	Carey's	10 lb. Bag	
		<b>SALT</b>	23c	

Mrs. Tucker Shortening 3 lb. Carton	62c	12 Red Points	<b>CRISCO</b> 3 lb. Jar	73c	12 Red Points	Meadolake Oleomargarine 1 lb. Pkg.	25c	4 Red Points	<b>BUTTER</b> Country Roll or Quarter	Lb. 52c	10 Red Points
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**CLOSED ALL DAY MONDAY, SEPT. 6—LABOR DAY**

**Quality MEATS**

Skinless WEINERS	Points 6	lb. 37c
Boned HAM	Points 11	lb. 78c
No. 7 Cui Beef STEAK	Points 9	lb. 30c
Beef Chuck ROAST	Points 9	lb. 30c
No. 1 Side SALT PORK	Points 6	lb. 23c
Boneless Perch FISH	Not Rationed	lb. 63c

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28 Size AVACADOES	ea. 19c
Firm Heads LETTUCE	lb. 12c
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AAFBS Notes—Officers Sent To Midland School

Public relations office at the Big Spring Bombardier School announced today that three officers had been transferred to Central Instructors Bombardier School at Midland.

The group includes 2nd Lieut. Emory Brown, Fort Worth; 2nd Lieut. Robert Steffan, Buffalo, N. Y.; and 2nd Lieut. Richard A. Tammlow, Chicago.

Second Lieut. Donald R. Whitman, former resident of Sumerville, Pa., has also been transferred to the Midland field.

Pfc. Harold F. York has been transferred from San Antonio, for assignment with the headquarters and headquarters squadron, 78th bombardier training group.

S-Sgt. Flinn D. Dunham, former resident of Parkersburg, W. Va., has been placed on detached service at Miami Beach, Fla., to attend non-commissioned officers' training school.

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Service Groups Backing Program Slated Friday

Members of the American Legion, the Veterans of Foreign Wars, the Texas Defense Guard and the Boy Scouts are joining with the intelligence department of the Big Spring Bombardier school in urging wide public attendance at a program Friday evening which will stress the importance of safeguarding all bits of wartime information.

The program will be presented at the municipal auditorium at 8:30 p. m. and is all free. Feature is a film, "Next of Kin," a regularly-produced drama which emphasizes the danger of passing on any information connected with the war effort.

Speakers from the Legion, the VFW and Scouts will be heard, as will an officer from the air school. All men at the bombardier school are being shown "Next of Kin," and the intelligence section regards it of sufficient importance to urge the public to view it too.

It shows that the passing on of bits of military information—no matter how insignificant they may appear—can be seized upon by enemy agents to the danger of this country.

Public Records Marriage Licenses: Orval E. Shultz, Loraine, and Jane Geraldine Rhyne, San Angelo.

W. M. Carson and Mrs. Mildred Carson, both of Midland.

John W. Miller, Ocean City, Md., and Margaret Anne Moore, Salisbury, Md.

70th District Court: M. P. Berry versus Rose Z. Berry, suit for divorce.

Alberta Neville versus I. L. Nevill, suit for divorce.

Building Permits: O. H. Derrington to add to building at 300 N.E. 2nd street, cost \$150.

Manuel Puga to build a porch at 507 N. Main street, cost \$75.

Here 'n There

De Alva McAllister will leave Friday for Mertzon where she is to teach this winter in the schools as public school music instructor. She was graduated this year from Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene where she majored in music.

In answer to some criticism from local residents, county officials explained Thursday that the courthouse lawn is not being watered except in accordance with the city's request that only enough water to keep shrubs and trees alive be used. The lawn itself, it was said, is not being watered and will not be until the city gives permission for such use of water.

The Rev. P. Marion Simms, Jr., educational secretary of the International Christian Endeavor Society, left Wednesday morning for Albuquerque, N. M., where he will attend a trustee meeting of the New Mexico Christian Endeavor Union. From Albuquerque, he will go to New York City, N. Y., to attend a meeting of the executive committee of the World CEU; and on to Detroit, Mich., for a similar conference. Following the tour, he will enter Harvard University at New Haven, Conn.

Second Lieut. Rennie L. Scudday, son of Mrs. John C. Scudday of Foran is a member of the tenth class of Liberator B-24 bomber pilots to graduate Saturday at the Fort Worth Army Air Field. Lieut. Scudday, 24, won his wings and commission at Altus, Okla., after completing preliminary flight training at Pine Bluff, Ark., and Winfield, Kas.

Mrs. Bruce Frazier passed through here Wednesday evening, en route from California where she has been visiting with her son, James Bruce, to Hillsboro to be at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. J. T. Frazier, who fell Monday and broke her hip. Cornelia Frazier, who accompanied her mother to California, returned here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Blount and daughter, Helon, have returned

from Canyon where they visited their son, Peppy, an aviation cadet trainee. During the week-end he received his rating of class sergeant.

Cpl. Omer R. Long, son of R. W. Long, 1005 Lancaster, has been promoted to the rank of sergeant at the Carlisbad Army Air Field, Carlisbad, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Mitchell have gone to Fort McKavitt where they will spend a fortnight.

Soldiers, who were alleged to have mauled a porter at a downtown hotel Wednesday afternoon, had troubles of their own to ponder Thursday. They were taken into custody by MPs and delivered to the provost marshal an hour after the initial complaint came in.

Firemen made a run Wednesday afternoon to the vicinity of the West Side Baptist church where a truck fire was extinguished.

Police were still waiting for Primrose Thompson, negro, to show up in city court. This complicated matters, for it was Helen Cook, negro, who got cut in an altercation, who reported Thursday to answer affray charges.

Jack Y. Smith, J. L. LeBlou, and Joe Progress of Houston observed official opening of the dove season by hunting Wednesday on land behind the refinery and had such good luck that they got their limit in about two hours.

P. O. Ie E. C. (Bud) Tucker is spending a ten day leave with his wife and parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Tucker. Following the visit here he will report to the naval base at Gulfport, Miss.

D-O Training Is Open For Youths, May Sign Up Now

Youths who are interested in securing industrial or commercial training under the diversified occupations program were urged Thursday to contact Pat Murphy, coordinator, from 9:30 a. m. to 11:30 a. m. Friday and Saturday at the high school.

For the first time, the state board of vocational education has made it possible for seniors to take a one-year D-O course, he said. This is an emergency development and the program is especially designed to meet the needs of seniors.

Not only will the program be open to students with junior and senior ratings, but it also is available for those who have graduated from school. Although employed graduates may not attend D-O classes, they nevertheless may be given the related work which they can master in their spare time, said Murphy. Those who have been out of school and wish to return should see the coordinator.

The D-O program is designed to place the student in classroom studying about his chosen job during the morning. In the afternoon, however, he is actually on the job, putting into practice what he has picked up in the classroom, plus the practical education which his employer imparts.

Weather Forecast

Dept. of Commerce Weather Bureau

WEST TEXAS: Little temperature change today, tonight and Friday forenoon; scattered thunder showers this afternoon and to night in Big Bend country and Pecos valley.

EAST TEXAS: Little temperature change this afternoon; tonight and Friday forenoon; scattered showers today and in interior of east portion tonight and Friday forenoon.

TEMPERATURES City—Max. Min. Abilene . . . . .96 69 Amarillo . . . . .87 61 BIG SPRING . . . . .94 68 Chicago . . . . .88 63 Denver . . . . .88 55 El Paso . . . . .97 70 Fort Worth . . . . .97 75 Galveston . . . . .83 78 New York . . . . .91 78 St. Louis . . . . .91 68

Livestock

FORT WORTH, Sept. 2 (AP)—Cattle 3,500; calves 1,200; generally steady; common to medium steers and yearlings 9.00-12.50; one load good fed heifers held above 12.50; beef cows cashed 8.00-10.50; canners and cutters 4.00-7.75. Bull prices from 7.00-10.25; good fat calves 11.50-12.25; common to medium calves 8.25-11.00; culls 7.00-8.00; stocker steer calves 12.50; stocker heifers up to 12.00; common to medium stocker calves 8.50-11.50; stocker steers and yearlings 8.00-11.50; stocker cows 9.50 down.

Hogs 1,200; most good and choice 190-275 lb. butcher hogs 14.35-14.50; good 160-185 lb. weights 13.50-14.30; sows 13.25-50; pigs 12.00 down, light weights 5.00.

Sheep 7,500; medium to good spring lambs 11.50-13.00; good yearlings 12.00; yearling ewes 10.00; good slaughter ewes 8.00-25; most ewes cull to medium grades 4.75-5.50.

Scout Workers Launch Drive

Crews, out on a "bombing mission" to raise Boy Scout funds for the year, were laying "em in the old pickle barrel Thursday morning following sounding of the zero hour for the attack. A. V. Karcher, "lieutenant-colonel" for the mission, gave orders to "take-off" following a breakfast session at which the Rev. P. D. O'Brien, First Baptist pastor and a troop committeeman, delivered a short inspirational talk. Also on the program were Dan Conley, assisted by Scouts H. W. Bartlett, Don Williams and Clifford Porch.

Crews, in charge of pilots, who were accountable to their squadron leaders, made their own selection of prospects, and by noon four had completed their tasks. Practically 100 per cent response was reported and the only refusal was a case where the party had been giving but was no longer able to give.

The special contributions committee was still in operation and receiving encouraging response. Dr. W. B. Hardy, district chairman, reported. Several contributions have been increased substantially this year.

Dr. Hardy appealed to all who are contacted to hear the workers and to give as liberally as possible. It may be possible, he said, that some will be overlooked, but such will be unintentional and he urged these persons and concerns to call scout headquarters in the chamber of commerce office and get their support on the rolls.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Wilson, Jr., have received a letter from their son, Billy, PO3c, who is a radio and radar soundman aboard one of Uncle Sam's fighting ships. The letter was mailed at sea and said that he was well. Billy visited here in July while on a short leave.

Evangelist Speaks On Reconciliation And Disobedience To God

Substitutes have been made for reconciliation, the Rev. C. G. McClure, evangelist, told a Main Street Church of God revival audience Tuesday, but he asserted that "all men must be reconciled unto God through Jesus Christ or be lost."

He also brought a message, "Remember Lot's Wife," in which he pointed out that she became a pillar of salt only because of disobedience. "How far can we go in our own way, disregarding God's way, and still be safe?" asked the Rev. McClure. He added that it is "always dangerous to disregard God's laws and commands."

In his message on reconciliation, he spoke from Eph. 2:8-20, using the 16th verse as his text. Besides the messages of the Rev. McClure, good singing is added to the success of the meeting, and the Rev. E. C. Lee, pastor, renewed his invitation to all to attend.

Aviation Unit Signs 10 Employees, Other Job Dates Announced

Wednesday a North American Aviation personnel representative interviewed 30 men and hired 10 for positions with the company at Dallas.

The Civil Service representative will be at the United States Employment Service Thursday and Friday to interview applicants, both men and women, of skilled trade and who are not employed in an essential occupation. Saturday a representative of the Consolidated Aircraft company will be at the USES to talk with applicants who are interested in work at an essential war job at Fort Worth.

The personal agent of the Boeing Aircraft Company will be at

the Employment Agency on September 17 to interview all interested in that essential work. O. R. Rodden, director of the local office, said that positions that require both skilled and unskilled workers are now open and all who are in need of work are asked to report to the local United States Employment Service as soon as possible.

Wall Street

NEW YORK, Sept. 2 (AP)—Assorted stocks continued in the plus column of today's market although many leaders wavered after a fairly encouraging start. Final prices were a trifle uneven. Dealings dwindled to around 500,000 shares.

In the resistant area were Electric Power & Light \$6 preferred and Allied Mills which edged to peaks for 1943; Chrysler, Goodrich, Sears Roebuck, Oliver Farm, Douglas Aircraft, American Can, North American and Southern Pacific. Occasional slipping tenden-

cies were shown by U.S. Steel, General Motors, American Telephone, Western Union, Boeing, United Aircraft, Great Northern, Southern Railway, Anaconda, Du Pont, Texas Company and Deere.

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# HOLLYWOOD TODAY

## Flash Preview

**"Young Ideas"**  
MGM presents rollicking comedy drama with Susan Peters, Mary Astor, Herbert Marshall, Elliott Reid, R. Carlson.



Susan and Elliott reunite with their mother, Mary, who has married for a second time. They have formulated a plan to break them up.



Marshall and Mary make plans for the kids who he has taken as his own; he can't understand them, even though he's a professor.



Susan and Elliott enroll in the college where he teaches and begin their plan. Much confusion is caused by their talks and pranks.



Susan bets she can date Richard Carlson the drama teacher. In so doing she falls in love with him and the events take a new turn.



All bets off, the kids decide to make a clean breast of the whole affair and once more everyone experiences happiness.

## Meet the Stars

With Luis Rosado  
"My friend here wants to get into the movies!"  
Those are words Sonny Tufts will never forget. And who is Sonny Tufts? He is the young man who crashed Hollywood—unheralded—and who has come through with a crack performance in Paramount's "So Proudly We Hail!" At least we think so and from the preview—audience reactions, he is the screen's hottest bet today. So certain is his future that when Dudley Nichols, who has written some of the best screen plays, started his career as a director he took a look at the one picture Sonny had made and immediately gave him the role opposite Olivia de Havilland in "Government Girl." And what's more, Director Nichols and executives at RKO are very pleased at the selection as the production rolls along with the young actor getting heaps of praise for his work.

But Sonny was not an actor two years ago, as a matter of fact he never thought of acting as a career. Of course he was interested in entertaining people, but never dreamt that while doing so it would call for him to have Olivia de Havilland in his arms and making love to her. It all started when in his prep school days he organized an orchestra in which he played the drums and sang. He was approached by a steamship company to put his musical group on one of those boats making summer tours to Europe and the Mediterranean. That was the beginning. After the twenty-sixth cruise, Sonny took his drums checked them at Grand Central station, and as his train pulled out, he tore up the checks and threw them out the window. That was the only way he could stop from making another cruise, besides while in Milan a voice teacher had heard him sing and gave him encouragement in an operatic career. After graduating, he went to Paris to study. Six months later he returned. He met Alexis Thompson, a friend who had been in some of the cruises. Thompson upon learning that Sonny had been studying opera, arranged an audition for him at the Metropolitan. Well Sonny didn't get to sing at the Met, but he and Alexis became partners in his career. Thompson would sponsor it for forty per cent of the money Sonny earned. The future looked bright, as per cent of the money Sonny earned. The future looked bright, as per cent of the money Sonny earned. The future looked bright, as per cent of the money Sonny earned.

Late last year the partners decided that Sonny should be a film actor—so to Hollywood they headed. Their first stop was Paramount. Thompson went to a casting director whom he had met previously and said, "My friend here wants to get into the movies!" Sonny's six feet four inches of height shrunk down to nothing and his two hundred pounds seemed to melt away. The casting director had another surprise and Sonny found himself with a scene in his hands to make a screen test. Sonny was himself on the test, playing it very lightly. After it was all over he was told it was a scene from "Love Affair." He is not the glamour boy type, but his personality is something new to the screen. Producer-Director Mark Sandrich saw the test and selected him for the role of "Kansas" a Marine private in "So Proudly We Hail!" From there on he is your discovery. Mr. and Mrs. Public.

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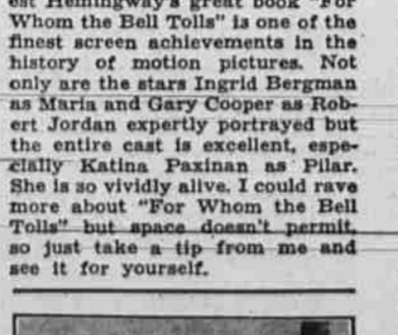
## Speaking of Glamour

By Frances Scully  
DIM-OUT PREMIERE

Not since dim-out regulations went into effect has Hollywood experienced such a glamorous premiere as Paramount's "For Whom the Bell Tolls." The thousands of fans who packed the bleachers outside the Carthage Circle Theatre weren't a bit disappointed either because the big name stars were there and were introduced by emcee Walter Abel over the microphone. Frances Scully

There were no klieg lights but lighting effects were so arranged to spotlight the celebrities and at the same time keep within dim-out rules. Ginger Rogers in a short black dress and wrapped up in silver fox arrived with hubby Jack Briggs of the Marines. The minute Ginger stepped from her car the crowd started cheering. Personally I've never seen Ginger looking more beautiful. Her pompadour reddish blonde hair was covered with a wisp of black veil and she completed the glamour touch by a corsage of deep purple orchids. Ingrid Bergman arrived simultaneously with Ginger but it wasn't until she was introduced by Abel that the crowd recognized her. Then came the shouts and cheers for the tall slim beautiful Swedish girl. Ingrid was dressed in a long pale pink crepe evening gown with a short black bolero and a corsage of orchids. Her only adornment was a necklace and ring of blue aquamarines and diamonds. Her hair was swept very simply away from her face and parted in the center. The Gary Coopers were next to arrive and Mrs. Cooper contributed to the glamour of the occasion by wearing a stunning long black dinner gown accented by John Frederick accessories. . . . roses in her hair and a black shawl with a shocking pink yarn looped border.

Other celebrities who attended were Sonja Henie with hubby, Capt. Dan Topping of the Marines. . . . Sonja's evening gown was a blue crepe with an all over floral design outlined in sequins. She wore flowers in her short blond hair and carried a platinum fox jacket. Paulette Goddard in a long grey evening gown with the bodice encrusted with mother of pearl sequins and tiny seashells. A long flowing oyster white crepe cape complete the costume. Paulette came with Jinx Falkenburg who was all in red with a long white fox cape. Jinx' only jewel was a gold pin with the name Jinx embellished with rubies and diamonds. Both of these Hollywood glamour girls had services men as escorts. . . . Veronica Lake in a pale pink flannel dress suit and brown accessories. . . . Joan Leslie in pale blue. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Bill Boyd (Hopalong Cassidy) and Mrs. Boyd (Grace Bradley) wore a stunning high crowned narrow brimmed hat made entirely of white eyelet embroidery. Yes flickerville really turned out en masse to pay tribute to a superb production. Paramount's technicolor picture of Ernest Hemingway's great book "For Whom the Bell Tolls" is one of the finest screen achievements in the history of motion pictures. Not only are the stars Ingrid Bergman as Maria and Gary Cooper as Robert Jordan expertly portrayed but the entire cast is excellent, especially Katina Paxinos as Pilar. She is so vividly alive, I could rave more about "For Whom the Bell Tolls" but space doesn't permit, so just take a tip from me and see it for yourself.



This pretty red-head answers to the name of Susna Hayward. She's now in Samuel Bronston production of "Jack London" for U. A.



Jane Randolph's next picture will be a thriller titled, "The Curse of the Cat People," which RKO is now filming.

## Reviews of Previews

By Jerry Cahill  
"THIS IS THE ARMY"

This is the picture you have been waiting for. A picture which embodies every element that spells entertainment plus. It has music, dancing, comedy and plenty of romance; and a story with plenty of appeal. The story begins during the days of the first World War. George Murphy, a favorite Broadway dancer, is drafted leaving behind, not only his career, but a beautiful wife who is about to become a mother. In the camp where he is being trained he gets the idea that the boys need some kind of recreation, despite the fact that Sgt. Alan Hale objects to it. The idea becomes a reality and a terrific show is put together. The show is a success at the opening night when the boys receive their embarkation orders. George is hurt in battle; he can't dance anymore and after the war he becomes a producer of shows on Broadway. The years pass and the world once more is thrown into conflict. His son Lt. Ronald Reagan enlists as well as some of the other children of some of the men who had been in the first show. But Reagan has fallen in love with Joan Leslie, who does not want to wait until the war is over to get married. Reagan tries to reason with her, but she follows him everywhere. There's talk about putting on another show. "This Is the Army" is the show that emerges. The show proves a success under the management of Reagan, who is forced to listen to Joan and they get married at the stage entrance of the National Theatre in Washington.

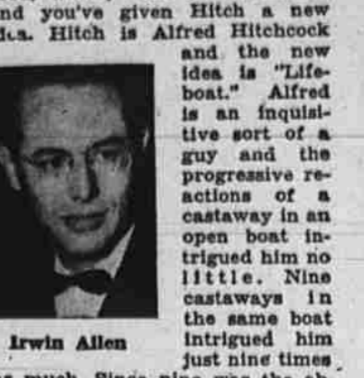
The picture is full of elaborate and tuneful musical numbers. From the first show, "Tip, Yap, Yaphank" are "How I Hate to Get Up in the Morning," "Poor Little Me, I'm On K. P.," "We're On Our Way to France." From the new show are "This Is the Army, Mr. Jones," "I Left My Heart at the Stage Door Canteen," "I'm Getting Tired So I Can Sleep," "What the Well Dressed Man in Harlem Will Wear," "How About A Cheer for the Navy," "God Bless America," and many more. Executing these numbers are Kate Smith, Frances Langford, Gertrude Niesen, Irving Berlin, George Tobias, George Murphy and Alan Hale. Besides those mentioned the cast includes the 350 soldiers from the original show, "This Is the Army." Dolores Costello, Una Merkel, Rosemary De Camp, Sgt. Joe Louis, Cpl. Herbert Anderson and many more Hollywood favorites. Irving Berlin wrote the entire score, which consists of 19 songs that have been spotted in the picture very cleverly under the direction of Michael Curtiz. All in all Warner Brothers have given this production every detail to insure its success. This is the type of a picture you will want to see over and over again.

RKO has a sure bet in their new comedy team of Wally Brown and Alan Carney. They make their screen bow as a team in "Adventures of a Rookie," which has been designed for laughs, and believe me you'll get plenty of them when these two take you through their adventures. The course of events they involve every one that comes in contact with them which is good for added laughs. The two boys are in top form, never giving too much of their antics, just enough to make you want to see more of them. Richard Martin is one of the victims they carry along with them, and he does a fine job. Erford Gage as the tough sergeant gives a swell performance. In the feminine interest Margaret Landry, Rita Corday and Patti Brill give very good accounts of themselves. If it's laughs you want, "Adventures of a Rookie" will supply them for you.

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## On the Sets

With Irwin Allen  
Stick the average guy in a lifeboat somewhere in the middle of the Atlantic Ocean, take away his food, water, most of his clothes and you've given Hitch a new idea. Hitch is Alfred Hitchcock and the new idea is "Lifeboat." Alfred is an inquisitive sort of a guy and the progressive reactions of a castaway in an open boat intrigued him no little. Nina Castaways in the same boat intrigued him just nine times. Irwin Allen



As much. Since nine was the absolute limit, he had to content himself with the saturation point of being intrigued. I sincerely doubt that there is anything of the sadist about the corpulent director and yet glowing over the artistic attributes of such a setting might give rise to such a suspicion. Alfred gloated no little. The Hitchcock "touch" has for several years been a genial topic of conversation at most local bars. The "touch" was in reality a formula for the making of motion pictures crammed with scenes of great suspense. The formula was as simple as it was fool-proof. Alfred would go about in a daze (some writers have called it sleeping-while-standing-up) for weeks at a time, conjuring a mental picture of gruesome, gripping incidents which had absolutely nothing to do with each other. For instance: A scene in a windmill with Nazis chasing an American right into the grinding presses; a crash of a trans-Atlantic plane; the death of a diplomat on a rain-soaked stairway; Hitchcock decided that these were great scenes. All they lacked was a story. So a story was written to give continuity to the startling incidents. Result: "Foreign Correspondent."

The formula has been the same in all of Alfred's pictures. At least they have been up until now. In "Lifeboat" the Hitchcock touch has been rationed. There will be only one gripping scene. As a matter of fact, there will be only one scene. All the action takes place in said lifeboat containing the nine survivors of a torpedoed freighter. Tallulah Bankhead, William Bendix, Henry Hull, Canada Lee and Heather Angel are among the nine who share the crowded comfort of the little boat. This is La Bankhead's first picture in eleven years. Hitch's reason for casting the actress in the leading feminine role is typical of Alfred. "What," he reasoned, "could be more startling than to reach out over the side of a lifeboat somewhere in the middle of the Atlantic, grab hold of a soaking, bobbing head and suddenly discover that you've saved Tallulah Bankhead." He had me. I couldn't think of anything more startling. The story for "Lifeboat" started off as a mist in one of Alfred's dazes. John Steinbeck turned the mist into a script and, so before very long, you'll find yourself in a lifeboat at one of your local theatres and get the wits started out of you by dragging Tallulah Bankhead out of the middle of the Atlantic Ocean. I can just see Alfred gloating.

## Quiz Box

With Dale Drum

Q: Sheila Smith, Long Beach, Calif.—Will you please tell who was "Oswell" in "Mr. Big." Also how old is he and is he one of the Jivin' Jacks and Jills?  
A: "Oswell" was played by Dickie Love who is 9 years old. He occasionally sings a n d dances with the Jivin' Jacks and Jills but is not a regular member.

Q: Bernice Mantony, Albuquerque, New Mexico: Would you please give me a short biography of Rita Hayworth? Is it true she is Spanish?  
A: Rita Hayworth was born Rita (Marguerita) Carmen Cansino, in New York City. Her father was a famous Spanish dancer while her mother was an English actress. Her father wanted her to be a dancer and her mother wanted her to be a dramatic actress. Her father won the first round and she began to dance with him in his act. It was not until her dancing took her to Agua Caliente that she had a chance to do what her mother wished. A talent scout from a studio offered her a contract and she took it. Her first important picture was "Only Angels Have Wings" with Cary Grant. Later she did "Music in My Heart," "Blondie on a Budget," "Susan and God," "Strawberry Blonde," "Blood and Sand," "You'll Never Get Rich," "My Gal Sal," and "You Were Never Lovelier." She is five feet five inches tall, weighs 118 pounds, has dark brown eyes and reddish brown hair. She spends much of her time quietly reading.

## Inside Hollywood

With Edith Gwynn

What has happened to all the Pan-American good-will pictures that were planned here months ago? Certain Government biggies, who would like to see them made, would like to know. It's true that some of the attempts, via the musical route, have fallen far short of the mark. . . . But this fact shouldn't discourage anyone from tackling such a fruitful and vital story field as is embodied in the lands to the south. . . . Bob Hope, who was so unfairly castigated by Time Magazine the first time they wrote him up, will get a personality story AND that mag's cover in an early September issue. . . . Ballerina Alicia Markova is turning down all movie tests because of illness. And besides, she doesn't want to be an actress. . . . Isn't Bob Alda setting some sort of a record for retinue on the Gerahwin sets? He has two stand-ins; a double and a piano teacher constantly on hand. . . . Cully Richards, about to be out of uniform because of ticker trouble. . . . That long-time romance of Wendy Barrie's with someone who can't be hers, is still on full force. . . . No fooling—Franchot Tone, allowed to touch his baby for the first time since it came home from the hospital, was so nervous and shaky that Bill Gerard had to hold his hand! When they kidded him and asked, "Haven't you ever touched a baby before?" Franchot answered (with quavers) "Yeah—but not my OWN!" . . . Warners may do a re-make of "So Big"—starring Bette Davis. She did a bit in it the last time. . . . Greg Bautzer has been transferred from Lakehurst to the Combat Lighter-than-air Base near Savannah, Ga. . . . Looks to us like Veronica Lake and Garbo could swap shoes any time they wanted to! . . . Bill Hawks, talking to George Brent about making some pictures down in Mexico City. But maybe it's just conversation. . . . Arleen Whelan's next will be Hugh Owen. Para. Eastern district manager.

Buddy DeSylva wishes they could get Edward Hughes to play Rudolph Hess in "The Hitler Gang"—even though he knows it's wishful thinking. From the photographs of the ex-Nazi No. 2 man the two look exactly alike. And the more the studio studies the pictures—the more they long for Hughes! . . . Frances Farmer has just about completely recovered; is out of the sanitarium and staying with friends in Santa Monica. . . . Mack (the Killer who wouldn't kill a flea) signing autographs like mad at the Hollywood Canteen. He's taking cooking lessons from the Hollywood household can't find a maid. . . . Walter Pidgeon and Raft Clurman are having something to say out loud very soon? . . . Earl Carroll has purchased the Wilkerson acres in the Valley. . . . Shirley Temple went to the Cocoman Grove and wasn't allowed to get on the dance-floor because of her under-age. Go west of there, young gal—go west! . . . There was an O.P.A. dinner at the House of Murphy the other night, attended by Bob Cobb, Mike Lyman and a lot of other restaurateurs. They talked about the help-shortage and the fact that china-breakers is up three hundred percent! And that silver-ware is disappearing so fast that we'll all be lucky to be lifting even a tin spoon soon. . . . Walter Pidgeon, back from his camp tour through Louisiana—hotter than ever. . . . No truth to those rumors that Dorothy McGuire is giving up screen and stage to be just Mrs. Johnny Swope. . . . A well-known p.a. and the wife of a big agency exec are secretly carrying on in the manner terrific. But it's one of those things that will build up to absolutely nothing. . . . Hear that Fox is considering doing the life of the Dolly sisters with Betty Grable playing both roles. For one salary?

Clarence Brown bought the novel, "Our Vines Have Tender Grapes" a few months ago for two thousand dollars. Sold it to MGM for twenty-five thousand smackers—which is nice trading. . . . Tim Dura: it is now taking Katherine Dunham to the swankier spots with him to dine. However, there's one place they won't be playing "That Old Black Magic" when he makes his entrance! . . . Glen Billingsley, a nephew of Sherman, now here, says he's decided to become a native.

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Mary Beth Hughes adds her charms and displays her singing voice in the Pine and Thomas picture, "Timber Queen"



# Steers Get Some Knocks In Season's First Drill

## Most Positions Appear Fairly Well Filled

With a few grunts and groans the '43 football season was officially opened yesterday afternoon as the Big Spring Steers hit the grid for their first all-out practice in full uniform.

Only about five lettermen were there to meet the toot of the first whistle, but a simple by-stander could notice the smiles of Coach John Dibrell and the way the entire squad handled the pigskin, and tell most anybody that the Steers would win his choice for spirit, anyway.

Equipment was issued to the squad at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning and they hit the field at 4 o'clock with the spirit and determination that would pave the way for a team to notice in the district race that is just around the corner. Two workouts a day for the remainder of the week and then one each afternoon after the start of school is the choice of Coach Dibrell.

Every position is well filled with either last year's letterman or with former squad members. The backfield is composed of Leo Rusk, shifted from guard to the quarterback spot, Bobby Barron, Hugh Cochran and Dewey Stevenson, all lettermen who are backed up by some well-seasoned squadmen in Ike Davidson and John McIntosh.

The line is light but well balanced. Barclay Wood, center, is the only letterman on the line but with Winifred Cunningham, Pete Huggins, Pete Cook, and Gene Smith at end; I. B. Bryan, Dopey Anderson, Billy Underhill, and Lee Christian at tackle; Ray Thomas and Horton Morgan, the stand-outs at guard, who are pushed by Ike Robb, Tuffy Anderson, and Harry Middleton, there is little worry.

Bobby Wright, although light, shows signs of making a good center prospect, the spot being held down at the present by Letterman Barclay Wood.

The Steers have a well-balanced backfield and a line that may turn out to be stronger than the one of last year and with the fine coach the boys have to keep them on the go, the '43 Steers have much in store for their competition in the future interscholastic league play.

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# Sports

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## Western Schoolboys Get Breaks To Beat North Team, 13-6

**WICHITA FALLS, Sept. 2 (AP)**—Judging from statistics, the North looked like the stronger team, but the Western eleven, led by former high school football players from Lubbock and Breckenridge, took the breaks and won the sixth annual Oil Bowl game, 13 to 6.

It was a neck-and-neck battle before an estimated 7,500 spectators who filled Coyote stadium last night. The North gained 206 yards from scrimmage to the West's 195; North gained 116 yards on nine completed passes; West attempted no passes but intercepted three; West made four first downs.

### SPORTS ROUNDUP

**By HUGH FULLERTON JR.**  
NEW YORK, Sept. 2 (AP)—Beau Jack, whose tastes aren't exactly conservative, admired Manager Chick Wergeles' big, gaudy sedan so intensely that Chick and Co-manager Bowman Milligan have decided to give it to the Beau if he regains the lightweight title from Bob Montgomery Sept. 10.

**Philadelphia Story**  
Philly sport scribes tell this one in explanation of the break between Bill Cox and Bucky Harris—which ought to be forgotten about now. . . Seems that Cox insisted that 17-year-old Bob Finley should be the club's regular catcher and Harris held out for Tommy Livingston not only was more experienced, but that he was a better catcher and smarter than Finley. . . "How do you figure that out?" asked Cox. "Livingston never went to college."

**Today's Guest Star**  
Tommy Fitzgerald, Louisville Courier-Journal: "Before the war, a football coach had aspirants for his team, now he takes them to relieve his headaches."  
**Service Dept.**  
Ensign John Tripson, former Mississippi State and Detroit Lions tackle who was awarded the navy crocodile during the North African invasion, is an instructor at the navy's amphibious training base at Fort Pierce, Fla. . . After noting Connie Mack's statement that baseball should continue because of the interest shown by the boys on the fighting fronts, Pfc. Leon Kay of Sioux Falls, S. D., suggests that Connie should take steps to give the Philadelphians over there something to cheer about.

**Foresight**  
When the Winged Commandos of the South Plains Army Air Field at Lubbock, Texas, scheduled two football games within three days this fall, they weren't taking as big a chance as you might expect. . . The second will be played against the station hospital team of Fort Bliss.

### Army-Navy Classic To Be Renewed

**WASHINGTON, Sept. 2 (AP)**—The army and navy football classic will be played this fall. The decision was made known today by Assistant Secretary of War John J. McCloy.

Asked at his press conference whether any decision had been reached on the west-point-Annapolis contest, McCloy replied: "It is my understanding that the game is to be played, but there is no decision yet as to where it will be played."  
There has been no question on the remainder of the West Point schedule, McCloy added, and "they are going to play that out."

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## Few Lettermen In Southwest Grid Lineups

**By The Associated Press**  
Four Southwest conference schools began fall football practice yesterday with a distinct shortage of returning lettermen and many strangers in the fold—players from other schools shifted through various war training programs.

Only one letterman was among the 36 candidates for the Texas Christian University squad which reported to Coaches Dutch Meyer and Hub McQuillian. He was Clyde Flowers, senior tackle. Nine players from last season's freshman squad reported.

Four lettermen were among the 60 players at Southern Methodist University's practice opening. Abe Gonzales, Wayne Shaw and C. C. Allen, backfield men, and Ray Razor, guard, Tom Johnson, letterman at Baylor last year and W. A. Shaw of Hardin-Simmons University were among those reporting.

**Big Entry List For Tennis Tournament**  
The period of registration for the city tennis tournament closed today at noon with a much larger number of entries than was at first expected.

**BASEBALL CALENDAR**  
**YESTERDAY'S RESULTS**  
**National League**  
Chicago 12, Cincinnati 9 (10 innings).  
St. Louis 8, Pittsburgh 6.  
St. Louis 6, Pittsburgh 5 (playoff suspended game July 18).  
(Only games scheduled.)  
**American League**  
(No games scheduled.)  
**STANDINGS**  
**National League**  
Clubs— W. L. Pct.  
St. Louis . . . . . 82 43 .656  
Cincinnati . . . . . 69 54 .561  
Brooklyn . . . . . 65 58 .528  
Pittsburgh . . . . . 67 63 .515  
Chicago . . . . . 60 64 .485  
Boston . . . . . 54 65 .454  
Philadelphia . . . . . 54 70 .435  
New York . . . . . 44 78 .361  
**American League**  
Clubs— W. L. Pct.  
New York . . . . . 77 46 .626  
Washington . . . . . 69 58 .543  
Cleveland . . . . . 65 57 .533  
Detroit . . . . . 63 53 .521  
Chicago . . . . . 64 60 .516  
Boston . . . . . 59 67 .463  
St. Louis . . . . . 56 66 .459  
Philadelphia . . . . . 41 82 .333

### Other Golfers Post Scores

The field for the golf tournament to be held at the country club course Sunday and Monday is growing larger each day as the qualifiers are making the rounds with little trouble.

Although the regular qualifying rounds will be held Saturday, 18 have already toured the course to add their names to the entry list. Three qualified Tuesday and one Monday. The following: Sgt. Jim Moon, Dave Duncan and V. V. Strahan shot 74, 79 and 87 respectively, yesterday and Sam Heafner shot a neat 74 Monday.

### S'west Football Games To Be Put On Air By Humble

The Humble Oil & Refining company will sponsor the broadcasting of the Southwest conference football games this fall for the ninth consecutive season, according to an announcement in the September issue of the Humble Lubricator, official company magazine.

The announcement also states that pocket-size schedules will be available to fans again at Humble stations, and that placards giving game time, announcers, and stations carrying each game will again be posted in all stations each week. The same seasoned announcing staff, headed by Kern Tips, Yes Box, Charlie Jordan and Bill Michaels, will bring the weekly play-by-play reports of Southwest Conference games to travel-related Texas football fans.

**40¢ MINIMUM**  
NEW YORK, Sept. 1 (AP)—The wage and hour division announced today that an industry committee had voted a minimum wage of 40 cents an hour for the logging, lumber, timber and related products industries.

## Plenty Confusion Results In Finishing Makeup Tilts

### Sewell's Mark Questioned By Latest Playoff

**By JUDSON BAILEY**  
Associated Press Sports Writer  
The business of picking up games in the National league at a given point and playing them to completion at later dates still is causing headaches for the figure cubers.

The senior circuit has had four contests in this category, it may be remembered, two of them protested games involving the Phillies and two others suspended games which were halted because of Sunday curfew laws in Boston and Pittsburgh July 18.

The protested games were entered in the standings at the time they were played, but when League President Ford Frick ordered the contests resumed later from the point of argument, the Phillies won the game they had been charged with losing to the St. Louis Cardinals and lost the game they had been credited with winning from the New York Giants.

**THE CLUBHOUSE**  
**By PAF**  
AP Features Sports Cartoonist  
Most golf clubs boast at least one strong-backed young amateur who can knock a golf ball a country-mile. But the Seaview Golf Club at Absecon, N. J., site of the 1942 P.G.A. championship, tops them all with James E. (Sonny) Fraser. Fraser's supporters insist he is the longest-hitting golfer in the country—pro or amateur.

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### Livestock Commission Company's Sales Are Over A Million

The Big Spring Livestock Commission Co. passed the million dollar mark in volume Wednesday, almost three months ahead of last year.

A total of 450 head of cattle moved through the ring for \$32,000, which ran the year's dollar volume to \$1,016,000. The million mark was not passed until Nov. 25 last year.

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were run off neither team made a move and the July 18 score became the September 1 score.

What did happen was that Rip Sewell of the Pirates, who had started the contest on the seventh inning, in a relief role and returned to the mound to complete the game, was charged with his seventh defeat against 19 victories. This now raised the question of whether Sewell had an 11-game winning streak in July, or whether it was broken at seven games on July 18.

Manager Billy Southworth, instead of resuming the game with George Munger, who was on the mound for the Cards when play stopped, used Mort Cooper to pitch the two final innings and hold onto the margin of victory.

But when Cooper also was chosen to start the regularly scheduled game that filled out yesterday's program, he was tagged for three runs on three hits in the second inning and relieved by Murry Dickson.

The Cardinals subsequently rallied with Danny Litwiler hitting a homer and Martin Marion getting two triples to win 8-6. Dickson received credit for the win.

The other suspended game of July 18 involved the Boston Braves and Brooklyn Dodgers and is to be finished September 13. This game was tied at 4-4 in the sixth inning when play was interrupted.

Only one other contest was played in the major leagues yesterday and in it the Chicago Cubs took a slugging session from the Cincinnati Reds 12-9 on Phil Cavaretta's three-run homer in the tenth inning. The Cubs made 22 hits and the Reds 14, including home runs by Bert Haas and Estel Crabtree.

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## Biles' Andrews Well Gauges 460 Barrels

Union Oil Co. of California No. 1 J. B. Biles (of Big Spring) gauged 460.42 barrels of 41.9 gravity oil Wednesday on a 24-hour flowing test in Andrews county.

The well is bottomed at 7,446, plugged back from 7,530 feet. Casing was set at 7,455 feet originally and the well was treated with 12,000 gallons of acid through 606 gun perforations in the string. Oil gas ratio was 260-1. Location is in section 19-A31, psi, and is 4 3/4 miles northwest of the Fullerton

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WILLIAM F. BONI  
JOHN A. MOROSO, III  
**Suffered brain concussion in an airplane collision on the ground at the Tunisian front. Flown to New York from Africa for an emergency operation.**  
GEORGE TUCKER  
J. WES GALLAGHER  
**Decorated by General MacArthur with the Silver Star for "devotion and fortitude" after being lost for 43 days in the jungles of New Guinea.**  
VERN HAUGLAND  
CHARLES McMURTRY  
**Commended for courage by the captain of a U.S. carrier because he stood to his post despite nearby crash of a Japanese plane. He was badly burned.**



Editorial - -

# Schools Face A Post-War Problem

Approach of school opening over the Nation brings closer the check by National Education Association, which it is reported shows a probable shortage of fifteen to twenty-five thousand teachers who have been taken into the armed forces or are engaged in war work of one sort and another.

This, the Association survey believes, will result in closing many school rooms and consolidation of others, and of a more liberal practice of employing teachers, taking those who do not have the rigid requirements that obtained before we entered the war.

The school system of course cannot escape what all other enterprises and occupations are experiencing—a dislocation of ordinary and usual operation due to the demands of the war. The

schools will go through with their part just as others are doing which is to do the best they can. It will give the executives opportunity to show that education can meet the challenge and carry on under difficulties.

The great problem of the schools will come when the war is ended, and the teachers are released from the armed forces and the war work. Not all of them will go back to the school room, but many will, and there will again be a surplus of teachers as there was some years ago. One problem will be to adjust the returning teacher to the current conditions. With one or several years out of the school room, will they be able to engage in the changed program that is sure to follow the war?

That is something to worry about hereafter.

# THE LONG NIGHT

By Eleanor Atterbury

Chapter 9

Bette and Sue were both on duty the next mid-afternoon when they brought in Scott and his crew. To Bette the whole day had been like the last hours before an execution. Automatically, she had carried on her duties skillfully and well. Constantly, her anxiety for Scott absorbed her conscious attention. Six hours in an open rubber raft on the North Pacific. Exposed to freezing weather, soaked with icy water—

Time after time she caught back her imagination, tried to forbid its torturing her like this. And never quite succeeded.

When they finally carried him in, Bette forced herself to professional calm, acted quickly almost anticipating Dr. Farrell's orders as he made rapid and thorough examination.

She even managed a quiet, reassuring smile when Scott's eyes opened once, looked up inquiringly into hers for a brief second. Before they closed again, she was quite sure she'd seen a flicker of pleased relief.

"Nothing serious," Dr. Farrell pronounced diagnosis. "Suffering from shock and exposure. Rest and sleep are what he needs now. Keep him warm."

Bette nodded. Two orderlies wheeled Scott away.

It wasn't until a little later when Bette had satisfied herself that Scott was comfortable, settled for the night, that Sue opened the door, slipped quietly into the sick room.

"I'll stay with him, Bette," she whispered as Bette adjusted the soft flowing night lamp.

Bette realized then that Sue had been gone for over an hour. "Where have you been?"

The younger girl shrugged. "Oh, out in the back yard. I heard them say they were bringing Scott in. I just couldn't bear

to stay."

Puzzled Bette stared at her. "Why not?"

The girl's lovely dark eyes opened wide. "What if he'd been horribly wounded—smashed up, crippled, blinded or something?"

Sue's eyes travelled to the sleeping man in the narrow hospital bed. As if he felt her eyes, Scott stirred in his sleep.

"You don't need to stay," Bette whispered, moved toward the door. "Dr. Farrell said he only needed rest. He's in no danger."

Sue knelt beside the bed, laid her cool, slim hand on the big, tanned one that plucked restlessly at the bed cover. "I'll stay. I want to."

"But you're still on duty. You'll be needed." Bette reminded her crisply.

Sue didn't bother to turn her head. "You'll look after it won't you, darling?"

Indignation flared in Bette's weary brain. Why should she? After all—

The sleeping man stirred again, opened his eyes. "Darling, Darling, don't leave me. Please."

Sue bent over him, a lovely hovering angel of mercy. "I won't, Scott. I'm here. I shan't leave you."

The little nod she gave Bette dismissed her with an unmistakable air of triumph.

She heard the radio in the hospital office as she walked down the hall. But her head and her heart were so full of furious rebellion that she didn't heed the words until she saw Dr. Farrell's white face.

"What's the matter?" she demanded instantly.

"Some Japs broadcasting from a new radio station," he jerked his head toward the radio, went on buttoning himself into a clean white coat.

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## Crossword Puzzle

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20		
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
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**ACROSS**

1. Epoch  
4. Flow of land  
5. Bitter yach  
11. Russian vil-  
lage commu-  
nity  
12. More palin  
13. Shelter  
14. Teaching of a  
certain philo-  
sopher  
17. And so forth  
abbr.  
18. Gist  
19. Serpent  
20. Send forth  
21. Number  
22. Warning signal  
23. Compass point  
27. Aster  
28. Threaded  
metal fas-  
tener  
29. Like  
30. Battery termi-  
nal  
35. Old musical  
note

38. Small dog;  
colloq.  
37. East  
39. Congealed  
water  
40. Namelessness  
42. Near  
43. Public an-  
nouncements  
44. Final digit  
45. Syllable of  
hesitation  
46. Battleship  
decks  
49. Rubber tree  
50. Stumble  
51. Roman goddess  
52. Statute  
53. Chance  
55. Scornfully  
frontal  
60. American  
Indian  
61. Bar of cast  
metal  
62. Early English  
money  
63. Lair

**Solution Of Yesterday's Puzzle**

64. Cubic filler  
65. Mixed fabric

**DOWN**

1. Electrical  
unit; colloq.  
2. River in New  
Mexico  
3. Muse of lyric  
and satirical  
poetry  
4. Philippine  
mountain  
5. Gen. of the  
frog  
6. Tipping to one  
side  
7. Low-spirited  
8. Limb  
9. Gum resin  
10. Kind of mi-  
neral  
11. Party  
15. Holding ac-  
bridge  
20. Superlative  
ending  
22. Salamander  
23. Intimation  
25. Color  
26. Body of voters  
28. Set in other  
soil  
31. Woodland  
demi-god  
32. Piece out  
34. Mountain  
comb. form  
35. Yalo  
36. Odors  
40. Bustle  
41. Frown  
42. Mountain  
43. Maturity  
46. Yings  
47. Maturity  
48. American gen-  
eral and  
admiral  
51. Dull sound  
52. Acidity  
53. Metal thread  
56. Get away!  
58. Yet name for a  
slow rela-  
tive  
59. Devoured

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## Washington Daybook—

# Don't Be In Big Hurry For Post-War Fancies

By JACK STINNETT

WASHINGTON — Post-War planning is so full of trial balloons, it could well explode in our face any minute now.

For the most part, industrial plans are going to be long delayed by the change-over from wartime to peacetime tooling. The automobile industry, for example, already has served notice that the tear-drop models are well in the future and that manufacturers will pick up just about where they left off. If you are flight-minded, you will be traveling a long time in the air in remodeled Army and Navy transport planes before you'll get a glimpse of the interior of tomorrow's strato-liner.

There is one industry, however, that is ready and waiting for the peace. It's home building.

Almost all industrial surveys agree that when war ends, a wave of home buying and building will start sweeping the land.

These industrial engineers estimate that the post-war demands for new homes will amount to something like 1,500,000 a year—more than twice the 650,000-a-year prewar requirements—and that this demand will last for at least ten years.

In spite of certain troubles that the forest industries have had in meeting wartime demands (due to shortages of wartime labor, transportation and other things), they estimate that there are at least one trillion, 500 billion board feet of saw-timber size in our forests just waiting to be used. That doesn't include timber earmarked for use as fence posts, railroad ties, pulp, shingles, fuel, etc.

Out of that forest backlog, the industry claims, we could build approximately three houses for every family in the nation.

That brings us down to the probability that post-war housing will provide the greatest single source of employment immediately after this war. I haven't been able to obtain exact estimates on the number to be employed, but when you think in terms of 1,500,000 homes a year, with all the nails, bolts, electrical supplies, bathroom fixtures, plumbing, hardware, new furnishings, and what-not that will go into them, you can find little reason for prospects of unemployment. Some say that the whole of our armed forces could be used in constructing post-war homes.

As for the home of tomorrow, don't look for any freakish designs. Building industry leaders here say they will be strictly utilitarian, with all the modern conveniences, considerable prefabrication, one and two-car garages attached, possibly movable interior walls. The average house will be smaller, but it will be a private, resident-owned dwelling, detached from its neighbor.

Here is one industry that needs no elaborate planning. The tools of the trade already are available: hammers, saws, trowels, shovels, pliers, screwdrivers, wrenches and pipe-benders are all over the place and good for most of those ten years.

Bricks, stone, mortar, and plaster can be had in almost any community at a moment's notice.

## Hollywood— Note To The Hays Office: Mae West Is Working Again

By ROBBIN COONS

HOLLYWOOD — Mae West, who recently got rid of a husband and a chunk of diamonds — the latter for patriotic reasons — was making a movie again. She was still plastered with diamonds, sitting in her dressing room, but they weren't the real thing.

"I never wear any of my good stuff any more," she drawled, holding out a finger-rock for inspection. Real or phoney, it had flash, just like Mae.

You've heard about the husband, the one Mae insisted wasn't hers until she filed for divorce, and you've probably heard about the diamonds too. How Mae was sittin' around wonderin' what to do for the war effort and thought about those cool rocks of hers, one of her favorite thoughts. Should she sell some and buy war bonds or turn 'em over for defense factory use? Well, she asked the War Production board and they said to ask Army ordinance and AO said in effect, "Sure," so Mae will turn 'em over, but how many or how valuable she isn't permitted to say.

Today Mae was sittin' around in her dressing room, waitin' for Gregory Ratoff to call her to work in "Tropicana." That's her new picture. She was sittin' by her dressing table, wearing a truly pink negligee, and she was reflectin' in the big mirror—pink-white face, big blue eyes with the extra-length black lashes added, and flowing mop of curled, white-gold hair.

"Tropicana," she said, had nothing to do with the tropics (naturally!) but it was going to be all right, she thought. Backstage story, which wasn't what it started out to be, but then you couldn't use a Latin American country as a background because, well, you couldn't have a plot about Nazis down there, might offend somebody, and so they'd changed it to this. She was going to have a dance in it—a snake dance, wearing beads and things. But what she really had her mind on, and what wanted to do before this, was "Catherine Was Great," her own script about the ever-loving Russian empress.

Mae said she was going to do "Catherine" on the stage first—her return to Broadway after nine years—and then make the movie.

"I just want to see it make a hit there," she said, "but I don't know how long I'll run it. You get tired, night after night the same show, and I'm lazy—that's why I like it out here. But 'Catherine' will give me a chance at some emotional acting and let me really do my stuff. There was a woman — she had all those lovers and she learned everything they knew and she put it all to use for Russia."

Somehow I can see busy times ahead for the Hays office.

## Texas Today

# State's High Courts Have 'Caught Up'

By DAVE CHEAVENS  
Associated Press Staff

Next time you have a lawsuit that seems to be taking too long to come to a final resolution, don't blame the court of civil appeals or the supreme court.

Ask your lawyer what's holding him.

For the first time in half a century, Texans with lawsuits on appeal can get immediate hearings in the intermediate civil appeals courts or the supreme court. Or, says Chief Justice James P. Alexander, such hearing may now be obtained by a client "as quickly as his attorney can prepare it."

The supreme court itself took the lead in getting caught up with its work. It came abreast of its docket in the spring, and the June report of the clerks of the eleven courts of civil appeals also showed that they were in the same liquid condition.

It prompted Justice Alexander

to write:

"This is the first time the supreme court and the courts of civil appeals have been current with their dockets in over 50 years. This condition is due largely to the hard work of the judges, and I congratulate them on their splendid accomplishment."

The time required to push a case through to final determination was the object of an exhaustive research by Robert W. Stuyton of the University of Texas law school and Philip P. Brown.

They found that the average pendency of civil cases, between the time of filing in the district courts, through the court of civil appeals and the final disposition in the supreme court, was 4.51 years.

This hypothetical average case spent 1.25 years in district courts; 0.25 years between the district

court and court of civil appeals; 0.85 years in the court of civil appeals; 0.09 years between the court of civil appeals and the supreme court; and 2.07 years in the supreme court.

Thus, had the case involved some farmer's litter of pigs, they would have: 1, long since been converted into sausage, ham or bacon; or, 2, eaten their heads off before the courts finally decided upon their legal destiny.

The study, however, does not include any cases beyond 1939, and the current condition of the dockets of the supreme court and the lower appeals courts indicates that if the present speed rate is maintained, this average pendency should show a great drop.

The research covered a period of 30 years, including 4,033 cases that finally reached the supreme court. It made NO attempt to reflect anything but facts, noting: "At the outset it should be observed that the present paper is purely factual and objective; it does NOT attempt to ascertain or deduce causes. One should withhold until careful study any conclusions respecting the causes of the results shown x x x. The influences bearing on the pendency of litigation are so numerous and frequently so inconsistent that hasty judgment about them is inadvisable. Before any dependable conclusions upon the subject can be reached, one must consider, along with any information which may be here given, potent economic and social factors such as changes of population and load and character of judicial business, and potent factors also of constitutional and statutory provision and regulation ranging from limitations or expansions of jurisdiction x x x to purely procedural facilities and deterrents."

"In addition, there are to be considered influences growing out of personnel, including the varying numbers, conditions and characteristics of judges and lawyers."

The study encountered one case that knocked around in the courts for more than 11 years, another that skipped from the lowest to the highest bench in a mere two-thirds of a year.

The former case would now be an impossibility in view of the courts' present fluidity unless the lawyers just weren't in any hurry about it, and the latter would NOT be such a rarity in view of Justice Alexander's statement that immediate hearings may now

be obtained.

Almost any lawyer will tell you that Texas has an ex-cart legal system, not geared to the state's growing position as an industrial section, but changes are gradually being brought about.

The 48th legislature, for example, wrote into law the declaratory judgment plan under which bona fide legal disputes may be adjudicated prior to their reaching the damage-suit stage. In other words, if you and I disagree over what a contract really means, we can take it to the judge before the disputed instrument becomes effective.

Under this act, labor unions are now contesting the constitutionality of the state union control act. The judgment to be rendered by a district court may be appealed, just as in any other court case.

The declaratory judgment system has been used for many years in England and in many states in the United States, with consequent speeding up of some legal processes to the benefit of the public.

"There is general agreement among those who have written on the question upon the need for re-planning the Texas system of courts," says Dean Charles T. McCormick of the University of Texas law school. In the Texas Law Review, he notes that the judiciary article of the constitution has remained untouched since 1891, "when the courts of civil appeals were grafted upon our judicial tree."

He says that the most frequent criticism heard involves the number of judges, "and the consequent excessive cost to the state of the administration of justice."

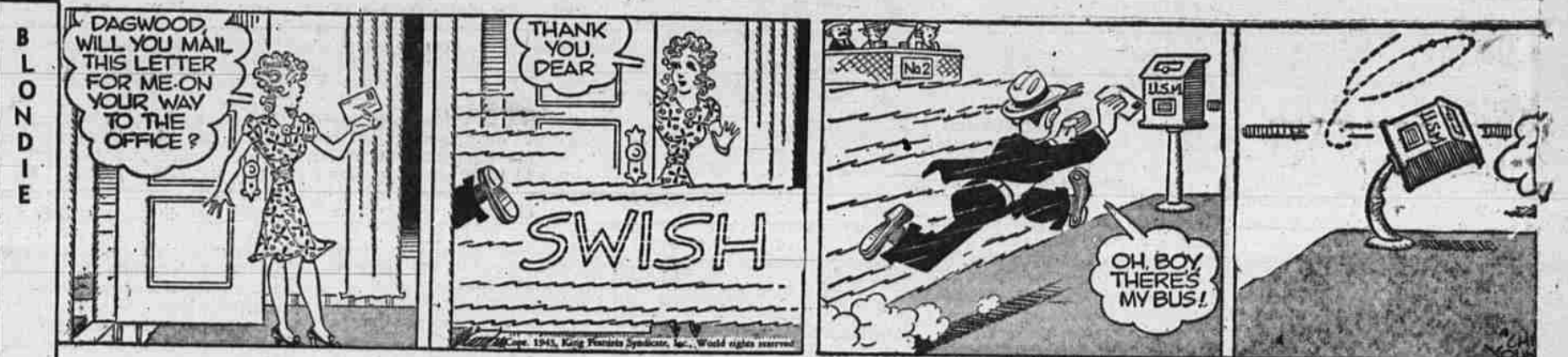
He referred to figures which showed Texas now has about 450 judges; Great Britain has 88 in the same bracket. Texas has less than six million people living in an agricultural type of society and Great Britain has more than 40 million in a highly industrialized society; Texas spends around \$2,500,000 annually on the judiciary in fees and salaries, and Great Britain \$1,265,000 annually.

"The time is NOT distant when an effective demand will be made for the drawing of new ground-plans for the Texas judicial system," Dean McCormick believes. "It is probable that only a constitutional convention can offer any substantial prospect of achieving this aim."

## How To Torture Your Wife



A HORSE SHOE GAME AT THE PEAK OF THE LAUNDRY CRISIS



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### Robertson Infant Claimed By Death

Joy Elane Robertson, infant daughter of Pvt. and Mrs. J. E. Robertson, succumbed in the AAFBS station hospital Wednesday at 12:40 p. m., three days after birth.

Services were to be held in the Eberley funeral chapel this afternoon at 4 o'clock with the Rev. Goodman of the Ackerly Baptist church officiating, and interment will be in the Ackerly cemetery.

Survivors include the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Robertson of Ackerly.

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### Announcements

Lost & Found  
LOST in State Theater Wednesday afternoon, red purse containing ration books, pass to Bombardier School, other important papers and \$9 in cash. Finder keep money, return papers to State Theater or call 741.

Personals  
CONSULT Estella The Reader. Heffernan Hotel, 305 Gregg. Room Two.

Instruction  
PREPARE yourself for government or industrial jobs by learning shorthand and bookkeeping, and Monroe Calculator courses. The demand for employees is far greater than we have been able to supply. Why not start now? Big Spring Business College, 611 Runnels. Phone 1892.

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**Cosden's Read Rates 260 Bbls.**

Another producer was added to eastern Howard county Tuesday with completion of a test on the Cosden No. 1 Willard Read, half a mile western outpost to the new Read pool on the eastern county line.

While complete figures were not immediately available, the test run was estimated at 11 barrels hourly or for more than 280 barrels during the 24-hour period. Location is 330 feet from the south and west lines of section 48-30-1n, T&P. The test was shot with 1,250 quarts from 2,680-2,908 feet.

Cosden and Guthrie No. 1 Etta M. Conrad, in the center of the northwest quarter of section 79-20, LaVaca, three and a half miles north of the Vincent pool, was having liner run Thursday to shut off water. Deepened from 3,874, where it was previously abandoned, the test has had a hole full of water and a show of oil from 4,008-4,072 feet. Best show, however, was from 4,146-49 feet. The 7 1/2 is bottomed at 4,184 feet.

In the Vincent area, the Cafield and Guthrie No. 1 Guffey, in the southwest corner of section 59-20, LaVaca, was below 3,515 feet in line. Magnolia No. 1 Willis Winters, in the northeast corner of section 6-25, H&TC, was past 3,384 feet in line.

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Help Wanted—Male  
EXPERIENCED grocery hand wanted. Call in person Whitmire's Food Market, 1018 Johnson.

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Help Wanted—Female  
WANTED: Lady to keep house and care for 10 months old baby for working mother. Good hours and good pay. Phone 974-J.

WANTED: Colored maid to keep house and cook one meal for small family. Mrs. Alec Miller, phone 1474-W.

Employment Wanted—Female  
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AN' I'VE THOUGHT O' SOMETHIN' EVEN WORSE! MY BOAT! MY LOVELY NEW BOAT I WUZ GONNA CRUISE IN!

**DICKY DARE**

MY CAREER IS ALL WASHED UP! AW GEE -- HEY, HERE COME ALL THOSE ESKIMOS BACK AGAIN!

**DICKY DARE**

THEY'VE GOT THOSE CRAZY ESKIMO CLOTHES AN' SOME KINDA SMELLY OIL FISH TA EAT!

**DICKY DARE**

NO, THANKS, MISS, I'M -- I'M JUST NOT HUNGRY

**DICKY DARE**

MORGANA HAS PUT MERLIN'S POWERFUL POTION INTO OAKY'S COFFEE IN HOPE OF ENSLAVING HIM TO HER CHARGES-- AND THUS WIN A KINGDOM...

**DICKY DARE**

I HOPE HE PROPOSES RIGHT AWAY!

HERE'S YOUR COFFEE, OAKY--

ER, THANKS!

IT'S SWEET COFFEE, MORGANA!

WONDER HOW SOON THE STUFF WILL WORK?

**DICKY DARE**

GOODY! IT'S STARTING TO TAKE EFFECT!

**DICKY DARE**

WHILE BACK WITH THE EVAN DOLLEY...

IT WATH THAGGERING! THUPERMAN ALMOHTH THICAZED ME THTHIFF! THHILL I DIDN'T THPEAK-- NOT A THOUND!

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**SUPERMAN**

WITH THE SPEED OF LIGHT SUPERMAN RETURNS DOUT TO THE APARTMENT...

THAT DRAFT AGAIN...

**SUPERMAN**

FOR ONCE, EVEN SUPERMAN DOESN'T SEEM SUPER ENOUGH TO ANSWER A SIMPLE QUESTION LIKE "WHERE IS LOIS LANE?"

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**SCORCHY SMITH**

THAT'S THE STREET! WITH TEN SECONDS LEAD I CAN MAKE THE HIDDEN BRANCH-OFF MAY ONCE SHOWED ME...

**SCORCHY SMITH**

SHE'S TURNED INTO THAT ALLEY! SCHNELL! SHE MAY BE GOING INTO ONE OF THE HOUSES!

**SCORCHY SMITH**

WE'VE LOST HER!

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"I see old Doctor Perkins is coming out of retirement--I suppose it doesn't matter if he remembers much, as long as he uses sulfa drugs!"



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**Six Men Killed In Crash Of Bomber**

SHREVEPORT, Sept. 2 (AP) — The crash of a Barksdale Field medium bomber, on a routine training mission, near Kirbyville, Tex., killed six fliers, it was announced yesterday by Barksdale public relations office.

The dead were identified as First Lt. Hugh R. Jackson, pilot, Covina, Calif.; Lieut. Wallace W. Kettle, co-pilot, Minneapolis, Minn.; Lieut. Vernon J. Kempson,

navigator - bombardier, Roselle Park, N. J.; Staff Sgt. Robert E. Hayward, engineer, Peoria, Ill.; Sgt. Francis C. Strickland, Jr., gunner, Rockfall, Conn., and Staff Sgt. John W. Arnold, gunner, of Irvington, N. J.

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**EDITOR'S NOTE:** Taxpayers whose yearly income is more than \$2700 if single, or \$3500 for a married couple, or who aren't subject to pay roll deductions for federal income tax, or who have outside income or are earning less than they did last year, must file new tax reports by Sept. 15. This is the third of three daily columns explaining the new requirements.

By JAMES MARLOW AND GEORGE ZIELKE

WASHINGTON, Sept. 2 (AP)—Taxpayers who want to do a precise job of estimating their 1943 income taxes for the Sept. 15 declaration will need the long form work sheet which internal revenue offices will supply.

Any taxpayer whose income is more than \$10,000 must use this kind of work sheet, but others will find it more suitable than the short-form being sent out to them.

**THE LONG NIGHT**

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white linen coat.

Bette instantly gave her attention to the smooth, clearly enunciated speech coming in over the air. In perfect, unaccented English.

"It is our desire to give you ample opportunity to surrender the forces at the base on an island in accordance with the Japanese policy of the magnanimous victor. Therefore, we have set the time ten hours from now—at six o'clock tomorrow morning—as the last moment for complete surrender. If by that hour, you still do not have the good judgment to take advantage of Japan's generosity..."

The voice hesitated dramatically. Then, drawing the dagger. "Then your base will be blasted off the face of the earth, unmercifully, relentlessly. Be warned, Americans. Be wise."

There was more, but Bette turned away, furiously. "They surely don't expect us to wave the white flag—not really," she scoffed.

An orderly looked up from a magazine he was reading. "Sure. If we did, it might help them locate this base!" He grinned with superb confidence that Bette wanted, but couldn't share.

"They've located it, all right," Dr. Farrell said dryly. "We'll just hope our boys blast that new base before they get around to their 'zero' hour."

"Are they going to try?" Bette felt the same depressing anxiety that accompanied every flight. She'd have to get over that. In this war, it was kill or be killed.

"Listen!" The orderly jerked a thumb in the direction of the flying field.

"Won't the Nips be surprised when we interrupt that broadcast—for keeps!" The orderly grinned again. "Wish I were in on the fight!"

And—with sudden insight—Bette realized how desperately Scott would want to be 'in on the fight' too. And in the between two sighs, Bette suddenly found assurance in a turbulent war world. Only one thing mattered now. All the old values had been out-moded, out-grown. The value of human life was one of them.

That she, Bette Stuart, should deliberately wish a man the opportunity to risk his life seemed incredible. Yet—it was so.

To Be Continued.

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5:15 News.

5:30 Overseas Reports.

5:45 Superman.

6:00 Fulton Lewis Jr.

6:15 The Johnson Family.

6:30 WACTivities.

6:45 Confidentially Yours.

7:00 Listen Ladies.

7:05 Lazy River.

7:15 Voice of the Army.

7:30 Harmony Hall.

7:45 News.

8:00 Gabriel Heater.

8:15 Fight Night.

8:30 "U-Tell-Em-Club."

9:00 Raymond Clapper.

9:15 Songs by Sunny Skyler.

9:30 News.

Friday Morning

7:00 Musical Clock.

7:15 News.

7:20 Musical Clock.

7:30 News.

7:45 Rhythm Ramble.

8:00 Morning Devotional.

8:15 Vocal Varieties.

8:30 KBST Bandwagon.

9:00 Ian Ross MacFarlane.

9:15 Radio Bible Class.

9:40 Shady Valley Folks.

10:00 Stanley Dixon.

10:15 Kentucky Carnival.

10:30 Happy Joe & Ralph.

10:50 Musical Moments.

11:00 News.

11:05 Dr. W. S. Palmer.

11:10 KBST Previews.

11:15 Bill Hay Reads the Bible.

11:30 Album of Familiar Music.

11:45 Edgewood Arsenal Band.

Friday Afternoon

12:00 10-2-4 Ranch.

12:15 What's the Name of That Band.

12:30 News.

12:45 Luncheon Dance Varieties.

1:00 Cedric Foster.

1:15 Nashville Varieties.

1:30 Today's Devotional.

1:45 Century Room Orchestra.

2:00 Morton Downey.

2:15 Palmer House Orchestra.

2:30 Maxine Keith.

2:45 Quiz Wizard.

3:00 Walter Compton.

3:15 Dance-time.

3:30 Full Speed Ahead.

4:00 Shellah Carter.

4:15 The Black Hood.

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7:15 George Hamilton's Orchestra.

7:30 Treasury Star Parade.

7:45 News.

8:00 Gabriel Heater.

8:15 Double or Nothing.

8:30 Grace Fields.

9:00 Ray Robinson vs. Lou Nova.

**HIGHWAY REQUESTS**

AUSTIN, Sept. 2 (AP) — The docket of the state highway commission for Sept. 6 includes hearings on requests for road improvements from Lamar, Liberty, Fannin, Grayson, Mitchell, Bosque, Sabine, San Augustine, Fayette and Gonzales counties.

**MANY NEVER SUSPECT CAUSE OF BACKACHES**

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Many suffer relief nagging backaches quickly, once they discover that the real cause of their trouble may be tired kidneys.

The kidneys are Nature's chief way of taking the excess acids and waste out of the blood. They help most people pass about a pint a day. When disorder of kidney function permits poisonous matter to remain in your blood, it causes nagging backaches, rheumatic pains, leg pains, loss of sleep, nervousness, itching, and swelling, puffiness under the eyes, headache and dizziness. Frequent or scanty passage with smarting and burning sometimes shows there is something wrong with your kidneys or bladder.

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1. Don't engage your doctor in long telephone conversations!
2. Don't ask him to come at one, unless it's a real emergency!
3. Don't wait 'til night to call him to see a patient who has been sick all day.
4. Don't make your doctor spend time collecting accounts!
5. Don't ask to see your doctor right away, because you have another engagement.
6. Keep yourself well!

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**THE WAR TODAY: Marcus Raid Shows Our Growing Strength**

By DEWITT MACKENZIE

The mystery surrounding our assault on Japan's Marcus Island is of course purposeful and a part of the high command's strategy, but we are warranted in regarding this operation as a colorful advertisement that Uncle Sam is rapidly approaching the time when he can do business on a big scale in the Pacific.

This doesn't mean that we are to expect the opening up of grand offensives immediately. It does mean that our strength in the Orient has increased to the point where our fighting forces are wearing their caps cocked at a rakish angle. That strength is cumulative and is mounting more rapidly each day.

All sorts of speculation is going the rounds as to the exact meaning of this startling move in which our task force has boldly sailed in and taken a punch at a point in the very perimeter of the defenses of the Japanese mainland. One guess is about as good as another, but there are some things which we can pin down.

For instance, we know that Marcus Island, while only a pimple on the face of the Pacific, is highly important to the Japs for both defense and offense. Lying as it does some 1,200 miles from the Japanese mainland, it's a vital listening post—a sentinel to warn of the approach of danger. It also is a strong air-base, and is a stepping stone between Japan proper and her islands in the southwest Pacific. That's part of the spade work which naturally would be done in preparation for a big-scale offensive. It's a step in the preparation of the big pair of pincers which the Allies are going to clamp onto the Japanese in due course—an attack from the south and from the Aleutian Islands in cooperation with a drive against Burma by United Nations forces under Lord Louis Mountbatten.

The psychological effect of the Marcus Island expedition already has been top-hole. We have succeeded in scaring the stuffing out of the little men of the rising sun who yesterday rushed their spokesmen to the microphones to warn the public that their island kingdom was in peril. The radio

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