

Fall Of Venafro Believed Imminent

Soviets Claim 2,700,000 Germans Are Casualties

All Land East Of Dnieper Held By Reds

By HENRY C. CASSIDY MOSCOW, Nov. 5 (AP)—The Russians held virtually every foot of land east of the Dnieper today from its mouth below Kherson and along its 650-mile course through the heart of the Ukraine north of Gomel as the prize of their summer campaign, which they said bled the Germans of 2,700,000 casualties.



Film Star Gives Pointers—Capt. Gene Raymond, now an Army Air Forces pilot in the bomber training group at Randolph Field, Tex., central instructors' school, explains a point of interest to Mary Edith Fleeman, one of two girls who were the first AIR-WACS to enlist in the San Antonio, Tex., area for duty with the Army Air Forces.

Louisiana Attorney Nominated By FDR As Southern Judge

WASHINGTON, Nov. 5 (AP)—President Roosevelt today nominated Elmo Pearce Lee, Sr., of Louisiana, to be a judge for the fifth circuit court of appeals, covering Texas, Louisiana and several other southern states.

Lee is a prominent attorney of Shreveport, a member of the law firm of Cook, Lee, Clarke and Egan. Lee was named to the post for which the president originally nominated former Governor James V. Allred of Texas. Allred's nomination was blocked by a tie vote in the senate judiciary committee.

Rocket Gun Is Not Adequate

WASHINGTON, Nov. 5 (AP)—The Luftwaffe will have to come up with something better than airborne rocket guns to chase United States bombers out of German skies.

Military experts here, who have been watching the rocket gun since the Germans first mounted it on a fighter months ago, pointed today to recent big scale air raids. They noted especially Wednesday's attack by more than 500 USAF planes on Wilhelmshaven. The Flying Fortress and Liberators, with fighter escort, pushed across enemy territory to dump a heavy tonnage of bombs on the naval base—and lost only five bombers and two fighters.

It is a reasonable assumption to believe that rocket gun planes were sent up against that attack as they were in the Schweinfurt raid. The total bomber loss in that raid, from all forms of enemy action including rockets, was almost 20 per cent. The loss over Wilhelmshaven was one per cent. The enemy's loss was 34 fighters, 18 downed by bomber gunners and 16 by lightning and thunderbolt fighter escorts.

Heart Torn With Tears Does Not Stop Costello

HOLLYWOOD, Nov. 5 (AP)—Comedian Lou Costello's return to radio after nearly eight months' absence induced by illness was no festive occasion for the chunky little funny man with the high-pitched voice. "Butch"—Lou Costello, Jr.—was dead. The actor's infant son drowned in the swimming pool at the Costello estate in nearby Van Nuys a few hours before the broadcast. But Costello, following the trouper's tradition that the audience must not know what twirls in his heart while the show goes on, insisted upon making the scheduled appearance last night despite the tragedy.

Jap Officials Gather For Peace Meet

Allies Respond With Tabulations Of 14 Nip Warships Hit

By The Associated Press High officials of Japan met in Tokyo with representatives of five of her puppet governments in what they termed a step toward "permanent world peace" while Allied Naval forces counted 14 Japanese warships sunk or damaged as their own contribution this week toward the same goal.

Premiers of Burma, Manchukuo and occupied China, the president of the new Philippine "Republic" and the prince from Thailand meeting in "the assembly of greater east Asiatic nations" will undoubtedly be told of Japanese successes in China and the south Pacific. An imperial Japanese communique claimed five allied cruisers, three destroyers and two big transports were sunk off Bougainville island in the northern Solomons from Sunday to Tuesday. There has been no Allied mention of any ship loss in the area where the first of an expected series of naval skirmishes ended in complete rout of a Japanese task force.

Out of a force of 12 Japanese warships, Allied headquarters announced, and American task force sank a cruiser and four destroyers, damaged two cruisers and two destroyers in a pre-dawn engagement off Bougainville Tuesday and returned to Port with no losses and only light casualties.

FDR Predicts Other Meets

WASHINGTON, Nov. 5 (AP)—President Roosevelt today predicted that the Moscow post-war peace agreement undoubtedly will lead to other United Nations meetings abroad, but that the question of his own prospective conference with Marshal Stalin and Prime Minister Churchill was still undecided.

He added he was still very anxious to meet Stalin because it was always a good thing to know the other fellow. The other meetings he referred to, he said, would be of the two commissions set up at the Moscow conference and, earlier, that of the Mediterranean commission and a second to be held in London.

He said he looked for closer work on details to follow the historic meeting, touching on military operations and services of supply, as well as how to get better coordination of military forces. Mr. Roosevelt said Secretary Hull would be home soon.

In response to questions he said there was no attempt to bypass the senate requirement for ratifying treaties in reaching the Moscow agreement. He laughed when this question was put and said the answer is that the constitution still lives. Asked how he gets the advice of the senate, a constitutional requirement in acting on treaties, the president replied he simply asks for it. He added that such advice is involved in almost daily conferences with senators.

POAGE FLAYS APPEASEMENT OF LEWIS

WASHINGTON, Nov. 5 (AP)—Criticizing the government's dealing with John L. Lewis and the United Mine Workers, Representative Poage (D-Tex) asserted in a house floor speech: "Appeasement, which many of us have supposed died with 3,000 American boys at Pearl Harbor, marches on as the official policy of the government of the United States today."

He declared yesterday that strikes in coal mines since Dec. 7, 1941, probably have resulted in loss of more American lives in battle through lessened supplies than were lost in the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor, and added: "We are properly fighting Japan to the death, but we are rewarding John L. Lewis with a wage increase which the War Labor Board held just ten days ago to be unreasonable and inflationary."



War Dog Makes Mark—Pvt. Victor Schullaw, Martinsville, Okla., affixes the paw print of Chico, canine sentinel at the Hondo Army Air Field, Hondo, Tex., to a letter to the dog's owner, M. C. Barton, Salt Lake City, Utah, reporting that Chico is "in the best of health and does his job well." Pvt. Schullaw added, "I would like to know if you want him back after the war, because if you don't I sure would like to have him."

Western Germany; Northern France Raided By Planes

LONDON, Nov. 5 (AP)—American Flying Fortresses and Liberators, escorted by Thunderbolts and Lightnings, blasted targets in western Germany today while medium Marauder bombers attacked targets in northern France, U. S. airforce headquarters announced.

The daylight assault came within a few hours after RAF Mosquito bombers hit the same general area last night in the wake of the most devastating 24-hour punches yet thrown at the Reich. There was no official indication of the size of today's force, but on the basis of Wednesday's 2,000-ton daylight attack on Wilhelmshaven by around 1,000 American bombers and escorting fighters, it seemed likely that the new operation, coupled with the RAF's 2,000-ton attack on Duesseldorf Wednesday night, would boost the total tonnage loosed on the enemy within the past 48 hours to a new peak.

Last night's returning Mosquito fliers said fires still burned in Duesseldorf from the attack in which explosives were dropped at the rate of 74 tons a minute. The Wednesday night assault followed a raid by a record American force of around 700 bombers on Wilhelmshaven, it was disclosed. The two heavy RAF and American attacks in that 24 hours poured a combined total of 4,000 tons of bombs on the Reich, it was announced.

In turn, the Germans struck back weakly last night dropping a small number of bombs in East Anglia and doing slight damage. Fortresses bombed the west coast railway at numerous places between Ighorn and Civitavecchia, north of Rome, interrupting service on that important supply artery. Bomb-carrying P-38 Lightnings made simultaneous assaults on the railway viaduct at Terni, north of Rome, scoring direct hits on that key junction.

RAF Wellingtons, in the wake of these blows, pounded the freight yards at Orte, 53 miles north of Rome and a short distance southwest of Terni, and sent flames leaping into the sky. The yards lie in a bend of the Tiber where the Civitavecchia-Ancona route crosses the Rome-Florence main railway.

Clouds of steam arose from the punctured boilers of three locomotives on sidings at Avezzano, north of Isernia, after a sizzling Spitfire raid which hit the locomotive shed and many cars. A choice target—more than 100 enemy motor vehicles moving from the battlefield along the Avezzano-Isola road—was strafed and at least 16 vehicles were left smoldering. Other columns were strafed on the road from Formia via Arce and Avezzano to Rome.

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Courage Of These Men Is Example To Civilians

SOMEWHERE IN THE SOUTH PACIFIC (Delayed) (AP)—The battle for Suicide Ridge was a day of terrible fighting and a night of terrible suffering. Such is the picture brought back by navy corpsmen who accompanied marine raider units into the jungle of Bairoko, Jap supply base on northeastern New Georgia Island. The corpsmen are now at a rest camp here. There was no way to evacuate the wounded that night. So they lay out there in the night chill and jungle terror side by side with the dead and uninjured. For fear of a Jap counterattack, the lesser wounded moved up to the line, to fill the gaps of the dead. When the moonless night blacked out the jungle, the corpsmen crept among the wounded, relying on their sense of touch to treat them; to administer morphine for pain, blood plasma for shock, and sulfa drugs for infection.

Allies Advance In All Sectors Into Center Of Italy

By EDWARD KENNEDY ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, ALGIERS, Nov. 5 (AP)—Moving with hard, swift punches deeper into central Italy over the collapsed Massico-Trigno river defense line, Allied Fifth and Eighth armies advanced in all sectors, Allied headquarters said today.

The fall of Venafro, one of the two inland highway centers which held the line together, was believed imminent. (The BBC correspondent in Algiers said American troops "are fighting in the outskirts of Venafro.")

The Fifth army followed up the Eighth army's capture of Isernia, the other highway hub in the demolished line, by smashing through German positions to reach the vicinity of the Garigliano river, 80 miles south of Rome. Its low banks along the Tyrrhenian had been flooded by the Germans to delay the pursuit.

On the Allied right flank, Gen. Sir Bernard L. Montgomery's eighth army routed enemy resistance in the San Salvo area after several days of fierce battling and captured that town and railway station with the assistance of the British destroyers Queensborough and Raider, which shelled the Germans out of their holes.

In the Montemitro area, some 12 miles inland from the Adriatic, Montgomery's British and Canadians made further crossings of the Trigno river and prepared to exploit the advantageous position gained when the fall of Isernia cut the Germans off from the westward road connections with their right wing.

Making further inroads in the center, American units crossed the upper Volturno river where it bends northeastward in front of Venafro, capturing all high ground dominating the upper valley, while other forces to the east seized San Agapito, three miles south of Isernia, and Carpinone, six miles east of Isernia. In an aerial offensive the new 15th United States air force joined with its older brother, the 12th, and with the RAF in smashing German communications.

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Texas Nurses Give Aid In Philippines

MORMUGAO, Portuguese India, Oct. 15 (delayed) (AP)—Dozens of army nurses left behind in the Philippines after the Japanese occupation have been administering to the ill of interned American civilians, repatriates who arrived here to board the exchange liner Gripsholm said. Among the nurses in the Santo Tomas camp in Manila were Eula Falls, Houston, Texas, and Berna Dvorsky, Hallettsville, Texas. Other army nurses were: Doras Eaterling, Abbot, Texas; Agnes Barre, Victoria, Tex.; Clara Bickford, Tivoli, Tex.; Earlyn Black, Groesbeck, Tex.; Hattie Brantley, Jefferson, Tex.; Myra Burris, San Antonio; Frankie Lewey, Dalhart, Tex.

Germany Bombings Doing Much Damage

STOCKHOLM, Nov. 5 (AP)—Swiss dispatches gave these figures today on Allied bombings of Germany: There are now 8,000,000 bomb victims homeless in Germany; 152,000 persons have been killed in Hamburg bombings and 42,000 in attacks on Cassel; 3,000 were killed and 12,000 made homeless by the RAF attack Wednesday night on Duesseldorf. How the figures were obtained was not explained in the dispatches to Swedish newspapers.

Mind-Reading Dog Ends Amazing Career

TAMPA, Fla., Nov. 5 (AP)—Death has ended the career of Bozo, the dog whose mind-reading feats amazed audiences and psychologists in 13 years of touring the United States and Mexico and won for him eight "honorary" university degrees. His owner and trainer, Capt. E. C. Lower, who held a \$10,000 insurance policy on him, buried Bozo in a specially-built silk-lined casket at the humane society cemetery here.



Calendar Of Worship

Sunday Services In Big Spring Churches Go To Church

FIRST CHRISTIAN Seery at Fifth J. E. McCoy, Minister Mrs. Fred Beckham, director of music.

W. K. Baxter, Bible school supt. 9:45 a. m.—Bible school and communion.

10:50—Morning worship. 6:30 p. m.—Youth meetings. 7:30 p. m.—Evening worship.

Monday, 3 p. m.—Women's Council meeting. Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., mid-week Bible study.

MAIN ST CHURCH OF GOD Corner 10th and Main E. C. Lee, Minister

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Morning worship at 11 a. m. Young People's hour at 7:15 p. m.

Evening evangelistic service at 8:30 p. m. Mid-week prayer service Wednesday, 8 p. m.

Ladies' Missionary Society Thursday, 2:30 p. m.

WEST SIDE BAPTIST Leon Frazier, Pastor Residence 1307 Main, phone 1513-W

Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. Training Union at 7:30 p. m.

Prayer meeting Wednesday at 8 p. m.

ST. THOMAS CATHOLIC (For English-speaking) Mass on Sundays at 9:30 a. m.

Mass on weekdays at 8 a. m. Confessions on Saturdays from 7:30 to 8:30 p. m.

Rev. Geo. Julian, O.M.I., pastor. Rev. M. J. Powers, O.M.I., asst.

PRIMITIVE BAPTIST E. R. Howse, Elder Services each Sunday evening at church building on old highway

immediately west of town.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD Rev. Homer Sheats, Pastor Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.

Morning worship, 11 a. m. Radio program, 12:45 p. m.

Evening worship, 8 p. m. W. M. C., Tuesday, 2 p. m.

Prayer meeting Wednesday, 8 p. m.

AIRPORT BAPTIST CHURCH (Extension of East Fourth) Two Blocks West of Ellis James J. Hollis Lloyd, Superintendent

Arthur Leonard, Training Union Director. Preaching Services 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Training Union Sunday 7 p. m.

Prayer meeting Wednesday, 8 p. m. You are cordially invited to all these services.

MT. ZION MISSIONARY BAPTIST 405 W. 10th St. W. W. Pettus, Pastor

Bible school at 10:30 a. m. Morning preaching at 11 o'clock. Evening preaching at 8 o'clock.

Meeting, Sunday, 8:00 p. m. Praise Meeting. Tuesday, 8 p. m. Members Meeting.

Wednesday, 2 p. m. Womens Meeting. Wednesday, 4 p. m. Band of Love (Small children).

Friday, 8 p. m. Holiness Meeting. Saturday, 8 p. m. Praise Meeting.

CHURCH OF GOD Fourth & Galveston E. M. Smith, Pastor

Sunday School 10 a. m. Preaching service 11 a. m.

Sunday: Evangelistic service, 8 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday, 8 p. m.

Young People's meeting Friday, 8 p. m.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST 17th and Runnels Services Sabbath (Sat.)

Sabbath school, 9:45 a. m. Divine worship or Bible study, 11 a. m.

Prayer meeting Wednesday night, 8:30 p. m.

Dorcas Thursday, 2:30 p. m. A Christian welcome awaits all.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH 6th and Main Rev. P. D. O'Brien, Pastor

SUNDAY—9:45 a. m. Bible school in nine departments. J. A. Coffey, superintendent.

10:55—Morning worship. 7:00 p. m.—Training Union. 8:00 p. m.—Evening worship.

MONDAY—3:00 p. m.—Weekly meeting of the W. M. S.

7:30 p. m.—Brotherhood will meet the second Monday in each month.

7:30 p. m.—T. U. program planning next to the last Monday in each month.

WEDNESDAY—8:45 p. m.—Cabinet meeting of superintendents.

7:00 p. m.—Department and class meeting.

7:35—General assembly, J. A. Coffey in charge.

7:35 p. m.—Prayer service led by Rev. P. D. O'Brien.

8:30 p. m.—Choir rehearsal, Irby Cox, director.

THURSDAY—7:45 p. m.—Boy Scout Troop 5.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE 400 Austin St. Rev. Ivy Bohannon, Pastor

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Morning worship, 11 a. m.

Young People's society, 7:15 p. m. Evangelistic service, 8 p. m.

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DOWNTOWN STROLLER

Met up with Mrs. A. B. PARTRIDGE, who was out with some Girl Scout posters to be placed around town.

Looks like the community-wide Armistice Day program coming up on November 11th is going to be quite an affair.

Visited a moment with Warrant Officer NEEL BARNABY, who is home on leave from Camp Perry, Va.

Got a kick out of HENRY JONES, who claimed that the new car business was a "has been, just like me."

Two Initiated Into The GIA

Two new members were initiated into the GIA Thursday when the group met at the WOW hall.

Mrs. Charles Vines was in charge of initiation ceremonies and new members are Mrs. W. R. King, and Mrs. E. E. Seary.

A membership drive has been conducted by the lodge with Mrs. S. N. Barbee and Mrs. A. M. Ripps as team captains.

Those attending were Mrs. W. C. Bird, Mrs. A. M. Ripps, Mrs. H. E. Mosley, Mrs. Lamar Smith, Mrs. Max Wilson, Mrs. Ned Boyle, Mrs. W. G. Mims, Mrs. R. D. Ulrey, Mrs. W. R. King, Mrs. E. E. Seary, Mrs. Sam Barbee and Mrs. Charles Vines.

Activities at the USO

FRIDAY—Bingo party. Friday GSO girls in charge.

SATURDAY—4:00-9:00—Canteen open, coffee served. 8:00—Recording hour.

The average time required for the cinchona tree to reach maximum yield of quinine is 10 years.

Y. W. A. 6:30 p. m. TUESDAY—Intermediate Girls' Auxiliary 6:00 p. m.

Youth Choir Rehearsal 7:45 p. m. Boys Scouts Troop 4 8:00 p. m.

Teacher's and Officers Meeting: WEDNESDAY—7:00 p. m. Prayer Meeting: 8:00 p. m.

Cub Pack 27, meets in 5 Den Centers. Soldier's Recreation Parlor: 8:00 P. M.

ST. MARY'S EPISCOPAL Fifth and Runnels R. J. Snell, Rector

Holy Communion at 8:30 a. m. Church School at 9:45 a. m.

Morning Prayer and Sermon at 11 a. m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST J. D. Harvey, Minister Fourteenth and Main Sts.

Morning worship, 10:45. Bible school, 9:45 a. m.

Radio services, 8:30-9 a. m. Evening worship (open air), 8:30 p. m.

Ladies' Bible class Tuesday, 9:30 a. m. Young People's Bible class, 7:30 p. m.

All-Church Study, Wednesday, 8 p. m. WESLEY METHODIST 1204 Owens

W. L. Porterfield, Pastor Church school, 9:45 o'clock.

Girl Scouts Present A Radio Skit

"Girl Scout Week," a comic skit was presented over KBST Thursday evening by members of Mrs. Fred Schmidt's Girl Scout troop.

Assisting Mrs. Schmidt in direction of the program was Mrs. David Moody.

Taking part were Reta Fay Wright, Jean Pearce, Patsy Ann Young, Mattie Jean Queen, Mary Gerald Robbins, Janelle Beery, Lera Joyce Hale, Quepha Preston.

Caroline Smith, Marilyn Martin, Norma Jean Conley. Winding up activities which have been held here the past week in observance of National Girl Scout week, local troops will take part in field day activities which will be held at the city park Saturday.

The group will gather at the amphitheater at 10 a. m. for a general assembly and following a get acquainted program, recreational games for individual age groups will be played.

Stunt hour will be held from 3 to 4 o'clock at the amphitheater and activities will close with the Scout Promise, the allegiance and taps.

Mrs. M. A. Cook and Mrs. E. R. Magruder will be in charge of seven year old scouts; Mrs. George French and Mrs. Henry Covert, eight year olds; Mrs. Ruth Burnam, Mrs. R. B. Dunlap and Mrs. McClinton, nine year olds; Mrs. H. H. Rutherford, Mrs. Moody and Emma Cecil Nalley, 10 year olds; Mrs. Fred Schmidt, Mrs. Fisher and Mrs. Dan Conley, 11 year olds; Mrs. C. S. Edmonds and Mrs. A. B. Partridge, 12 year olds; Mrs. John L. Matthews and Mrs. McCrainie, 13 year olds ad Mrs. Warren N. Edson, Mrs. Ennon Lovelady and Mrs. Johnson 14 year olds.

Concluding the Girl Scout Week observance, "Scouts Own" an inspirational service for Girl Scouts and their leaders, will be held at the First Presbyterian church Sunday at 5 o'clock.

Scout of troop nine met with their leader, Mrs. John Matthews Thursday afternoon.

Second class badges were discussed, and 14 members attended.

Mrs. Bill Maxwell Is Hostess To The Friendship Class

The Friendship class of the First Baptist church was entertained with a luncheon in Mrs. Bill Maxwell's home Thursday afternoon, and Mr. James Jernigan was co-hostess.

Bowls of chrysanthemums centered individual tables and class yearbooks served as place cards.

During a business session, a Christmas party was discussed, and the group voted to have the entertainment December 10th in Mrs. Irvin Daniels' home with Mrs. W. D. Berry as co-hostess.

Those attending the luncheon were Mrs. H. J. Agee, Mrs. Vernon Logan, Mrs. Jack Hayes, Mrs. W. D. Berry, Mrs. M. E. Boatman, Mrs. Lorena Tuckness, Mrs. Irvin Daniels, Mrs. Hack Wright, Mrs. Theo Andrews, Mrs. John Knott, Mrs. Burgess Dixon, a new member, Mrs. Nell Freeman, Mrs. Tip Anderson, Mrs. Arnold Seydler, Mrs. Lois Rose, Mrs. Charlie Creighton and the hostesses.

Guests attending were Mrs. Leon Cain and Mrs. Charlie Maxwell.

CALENDAR

Saturday HYPERION CLUB meets with Mrs. Paul Dewell at 3 o'clock.

12:00 News Roundup. 10:15 Music As You Like It. 10:30 "Hello Mom."

11:00 News. 11:05 Dr. W. S. Palmer. 11:10 KBST Preview. 11:15 Army-Navy House Party. 11:30 Rhythm & Romance.

Saturday Afternoon 12:00 Henry Jerome's Orch. 12:15 What's the Name of That Band. 12:30 News. 12:45 Penn. vs. Navy Football Game.

2:20 T. C. U. vs. Texas Tech. 4:45 Jamaica Horse Race. 5:00 KBST Bandwagon. 5:30 Navy Bulletin Board. 6:00 American Eagle Club. 6:30 Variety Time. 6:45 Confidentially Yours. 7:00 California Melodies. 7:30 Football Scores. 7:45 News. 8:00 Chicago Theatre of the Air. 9:00 Sign Off.

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Child Delinquency Is Discussed By George Thomas At P-T. A. Meeting

Tri-County Health Unit Explained By Mrs. Ann Fisher

"How Schools Can Decrease Child Delinquency" was discussed by County Attorney George Thomas when he spoke at a meeting of the South Ward Parent-Teacher's Association which was held at the school Thursday afternoon.

He stated that the delinquent child is not always the mischievous child, but that delinquency is formed before a child reaches 12 years of age.

"A child can be taught in the proper manner, but if a poor example is set by the parent, he is likely to become a delinquent," Thomas stated.

Mrs. Ruth Burnam's sixth grade class presented a "Thank You" program and a letter from the district president, Mrs. J. C. Stewart, was read by Mrs. E. W. Williams, secretary.

Mrs. A. A. Porter, treasurer, reported \$53.25 in the unit treasury, and Mrs. T. E. Martin, member, and chairman, announced that 125 persons were new members of the South Ward P-T. A. budget and finance report for the year was given by Mrs. George French, chairman, and Mrs. J. B. Mull reported on the P-T. A. School of Instruction which was held here last week at the First Baptist church.

Mrs. Ann Fisher, county health nurse, explained the duties of the tri-county health unit.

Classes Win Awards Mrs. Curtis Driver's class were awarded \$2 prizes for a 100 per cent average in parent subscriptions to the P-T. A. and \$1 awards for paid dues which averaged 100 per cent went to Mrs. J. C. Coffey's and Mrs. S. M. Smith's rooms.

Room count for having the most mothers attending the meeting went to Mrs. Curtis Driver's class, and those attending were Mrs. Jack Reed, Mrs. C. H. Martin, Mrs. T. E. Martin, Mrs. Curtis Reynolds, Mrs. J. R. Lloyd, Mrs. L. E. Maddux, Mrs. Joe S. Carpenter, Mrs. Lena Greer.

Mrs. Justin Holmes, Mrs. Glass Glenn, Mrs. Paul Holden, Mrs. H. L. McCormick, Mrs. R. H. Snyder, Mrs. Bill Sheppard, Mrs. Carl Parker, Mrs. R. L. Pritchett, Annie May, Mrs. Ann Fisher, Mrs. Charles Boyd, Mrs. C. S. Edmonds, Jr., Mrs. Charles Staggs, Mrs. B. F. Petty, Mrs. Roy Odum, Mrs. John Knott, Mr. J. E. Fort, Mrs. Jack Hendrix.

Mrs. A. A. Porter, Mrs. Finis Bugg, Mildred Beck, Mrs. Irvin Daniels, Mrs. W. D. Berry, Mrs. M. E. Boatman, Mrs. C. H. Wasson, Mrs. R. O. McClintock, Mrs. F. R. Cowan, Mrs. Laura Christy, Mrs. C. W. Langley, Mrs. H. W. Wright, Mrs. W. A. Langley, Mrs. Earl Wilson.

Mrs. M. L. Richards, Mrs. Boone Horne, Mrs. J. E. Pritchett, Mrs. S. M. Smith, Mrs. Curtis Driver, Mrs. Ruth Burnam, Mrs. J. C. Roberts, Mrs. Shelby Hall, Mrs. S. C. Frazier, Mrs. H. Reeves, Mrs. J. W. Garrison, Mrs. Dewey Young, Mrs. C. W. Norman, Mrs. George French, Mrs. Annie Hall, Mrs. Jimmie Mason, Mrs. H. Neel, Mrs. J. A. Coffey, Mrs. Vernon Logan, Mrs. A. J. Hayes and Mrs. C. W. Williams.

Pvt. and Mrs. Grovella Malone of Fresno, Calif., are visiting here with Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Malone, Mr. and Mrs. Tulle Woods and other relatives.

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Tune In Sunday's THE PILGRIM HOUR 1:00 p. m. OLD FASHIONED REVIVAL HOUR KBST 6:00 p. m.

International Gospel Broadcasts Charles E. Fuller, Director

A WAC Says— Their Hearts Yearn For Fluffy Lovelies Which They Really Do Not Need At Camp

By LIEUT. BESS STEPHENSON (Eighth Service Command) DALLAS, Nov. 5 (AP)—Christmas shopping for a WAC?

Listen! Lay off that military stuff and buy her a white satin petticoat with deep bands of lace on it.

Buy her fine, white, hand-embroidered handkerchiefs so fragile they'd blow apart in one good, healthy sneeze.

Buy her a night gown so soft and thin that she'll wear it on cold nights at the risk of double pneumonia.

Buy her the rarest and costliest cologne in the range of your budget and buy her a red lipstick.

Surprised? You shouldn't be. WACs still are women and some of them have been in uniform for more than a year now.

Since Sept. 1, they have been in the army of the United States. That means they must stay in uniform for the duration and six months thereafter.

Being in full uniform means being in khaki-colored rayon panties and khaki-colored rayon slippers. These (ask any WAC) are the items of clothing that boe them most.

They're wonderful quality. They last forever. The lips fit better than most slips on the civilian market. But—

There comes a time in the life of every WAC when she wants to go out and squander her pay on a few frilly underthings that would lift her morale and wouldn't show up at formal inspection.

No sir, there's no rule against wearing such things. Christmas would be a nice excuse to save her the yearning.

That waterproof canvas or leather pouch which serves as a cosmetics carry-all is the answer to a WAC's prayer—or any soldier's. But most WACs long since have bought their own.

It's the same with vending kits, manure sets, shoe shine paraphernalia, service diaries and other strictly military stuff that shows up on Christmas counters.

Of course, if you really love the girl, you can have a set of solid gold insignia made for her uniform. These run around \$100, counting hat eagle and all. This would be sheer extravagance, naturally, and she'd probably rather have a war bond—but it would be a gesture.

There are nice sterling silver chains for her dog tags, too (she's probably bought the 50-cent kind) and it's possible to borrow the dog tags long enough to have 'em nickel-plated for her—if she's stationed close at hand.

But this comes under the head of a gesture, also. She'd probably rather have perfume.

If it's grandma or Aunt Agatha who's worrying about a WAC gift, there's an even better dog tag idea. Just knit or crochet some little draw-string slip covers that fit over the metal tags. They keep the dog tags from tarnishing and from rattling around. The girls call 'em booties!

Buy a WAC a book to read, only if she's finished basic training and is not in officer candidate school. Otherwise, she probably won't thank you. She has all the reading matter. GI, that she possibly can cope with. Don't let this discourage you from buying a good

cartoon or picture book, but don't buy "Strength for Service to God and Country." It might arrive at an ironical moment. Buy that later when she's out of training. She'll cherish it then.

The general rule in Christmas shopping for a WAC is to remember that she has everything she could possibly need. Just go ahead and buy her some fluffy something she doesn't need—but would cherish. That's a good rule for pleasing any gal.

WACs are gals!

Fellowship Meeting Held In McCoy Home

Young people of the First Christian Church attended a fellowship meeting which was held in the home of the Rev. and Mrs. J. E. McCoy Thursday.

"America's Melting Pot" was the subject of discussion and during the social hour, games were played and refreshments served.

Those attending were Fannie Sue Hall, Doris Jean Clay, Eve White, B. B. Lees, C. L. Potter, Billy Crunk, James Harte, Patsy Holcombe, Alma Cannon, Marilyn Mills, Carolyn Mills, Mrs. C. Wiley, Mildred Creath, Marjorie Lock, Mrs. Cliff Wiley and the Rev. and Mrs. McCoy.

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# 3AA Officials Schedule Torrid Session Saturday

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# Aggies, Texas Will Likely Head Loop After Saturday

By Harold V. Ratliff  
Associated Press Sports Editor

## W. Ward Sews Up Grid Title

West Ward virtually sewed up the Ward School football league title again for the second time Thursday by coasting to a 27-0 victory over College Heights.

That gave West Ward a perfect record for the season with only one game to go. Only a rank-up next week could throw the loop into a tie in its final round.

Davis led the attack against College Heights Thursday afternoon accounting for 20 of his team's points. "Buster" added the other seven. South Ward played its best game of the season against East Ward, but the Midgits went down 21-0. Woods scored 20 points for East and Tubbs added the other.

Punkin' Jones punched across a touchdown as did Bobby Jenkins for Central in overcoming North Ward, 14-0. Martin and McMillan contributed the extra points.

Team	W	L	Pct.
West Ward	4	0	1.000
Central	3	1	.750
North Ward	2	2	.500
East Ward	2	2	.500
College Hts.	1	3	.250
So. Ward	0	4	.000

## Secret Hard To Keep, Wasn't It?

SPOKANE, Wash., (AP)—Golfers Shine McKenna's friends kept his secret well.

News that he scored a 199-yard hole-in-one in the middle of the summer didn't leak out until today.

When the ball hit the cup he didn't whoop with glee. He said: "Gosh, fellas, my wife doesn't know I'm playing golf today."

parade.

A. and M., with two victories under its belt, meets Southern Methodist's embattled Mustangs at College Station, Texas, with three wins, rests this week due to cancellation of an inter-sectional game with Naval Air Technical Training Center of Memphis—and the fact that Baylor, the team always played on this date, isn't participating this year.

Otherwise the schedule calls for Rice and Arkansas to hook up in a cellar fight at Houston and Texas Christian to entertain the five-times-beaten Texas Tech Red Raiders of the suspended border conference at Fort Worth.

While the Aggies are favored to down S. M. U. and remain the only undefeated, untied team over the full season play—in the circuit, it appears here's an excellent chance for an upset. A. and M. wasn't so hot against Arkansas, a team Texas ran over, while S. M. U. gave Texas a rough afternoon although losing by three touchdowns.

Probably the best chance of an Arkansas conference victory in three years is its game with Rice tomorrow. The Razorbacks have gone through 20 contests without a decision. It was Oct. 13, 1940, when it upset Baylor that Arkansas won its last game.

However, the Porker-Rice tilt looks no better than a toss-up and the one that losses will take over undisputed possession of last place for the time being anyway.

Texas Christian rates the nod over Tech but it's not likely to be decisive.

Last week we picked four winners and hit only two of them so don't take the following predictions too seriously (anticipated attendances in parentheses):

Texas A. and M. vs Southern Methodist at College Station, 2:30 p. m. (7,500)—a vote for the kids of Aggieland.

Arkansas vs. Rice at Houston, 3 p. m. (5,000)—Arkansas gets the nod in this one. We'll probably regret it.

Texas Christian vs. Texas Tech at Fort Worth, 2:30 p. m. (4,000)—taking T. C. U.

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## Eligibility Of San Angelo Star Is Issue

The district committee room, where the most terrific battles of district 3-AA have been waged for years, will be the scene of another torrid contest Saturday at 10 a. m.

V. Z. Rogers, Lamesa, district chairman, Thursday afternoon called the meeting after receiving a formal protest lodged by Murry Fly, Odessa superintendent, against the eligibility of Milton Rathbone, San Angelo Bobcat backfield star.

W. C. Blankenship, host committee member, made arrangements for the meeting at the Settles hotel.

Odessa, victim of a 13-7 football clash with Angelo last week, protested Rathbone on the grounds that he was taking two night classes in San Angelo Junior College. Angelo officials countered that these are not college courses and are being taught there for heating and lighting economy reasons.

Some observers felt that Fly might have more information on which to base his contest, else it stands on thin ice. There was a possibility that counter eligibility claims would be aired, some thought. Regardless of the outcome, all signs pointed to one of the most spirited sessions in recent years—and there have been many for Odessa has been declared ineligible for two years in succession after virtually sewing up the crown.

## Safeway Bowlers Stage Win Streak

Safeway's red-hot winning streak Thursday evening stretched to nine games in the Classic bowling league as the Grocers overhauled Harry Lester's team in the warming chase.

Elmo Wasson was the latest victim of Safeway, 3-0. At the same time, Park Inn upset Lester's appecart, 2-1, to make the league somewhat more interesting. Lee Hanson's keggers, warming up considerably since the start, took a pair off Texas Electric Service while dropping one, and Barrow Furniture sailed in with a 3-0 win over Key & Wentz on a forfeit.

Park Inn led Safeway in high game, 839 to 829 and for series 2,487 to 2,481. Jake Douglas was high on game at 219 and on series at 867.

Team	W	L	Pct.
Lester	11	4	.733
Safeway	11	4	.733
TES	10	6	.667
Park Inn	9	6	.600
Hanson	8	7	.548
Barrow	8	7	.548
Key & Wentz	2	13	.133
Wasson	1	14	.071

## Sun Bowl Fracas Still In Making

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., Nov. 5 (AP)—New Mexico University probably will delay a decision on a bid to play in the New Year's Day Sun Bowl football game at El Paso, Texas, until after the game against Denver University at Denver on November 13.

Although no one would say so, it appeared acceptance of the bid might depend upon a victory over Denver.

Meanwhile, George (Blanco) White, athletic director, announced he had sought a game against Oklahoma University on November 20 either here or at some such place as Amarillo, Texas, where the New Mexico team could comply with the 48-hour navy travel rules.

## Guida Claims New World Sprint Record

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 5 (AP)—A new world sprint record was claimed today by George Guida, former Villanova College track star who enters the navy Tuesday.

Clocked by three recognized A.A.U. officials, Guida ran 250 yards in 24.6 seconds, a tenth of a second under the recognized world mark set by Loren Murchison in 1924, in a handicap race at upper Darby High school yesterday.

## Tulane Official Dies Unexpectedly

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 5 (AP)—Claude (Monk) Simons, 56, Tulane University athletic official and beloved by a generation of Tulane football followers, died unexpectedly last night of a heart attack.

Father of Claude "Little Monk" Simons, Tulane's head football coach, "Big Monk" had not been active as trainer during the past two years because of his health. He collapsed and died at the home of a friend.

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## Reserves Hit Line Against Yearlings

A brisk workout by regulars while the reserves tangle at 4 p. m. with the Yearlings is in store for the Big Spring Steers as they polish off their first week of work for the San Angelo game on Nov. 11.

For the third successive day, half of the Steers had to stay in for classroom work and it was not until late Thursday that Coach John Dibrell was able to put them through their paces. They got more scrimmage, but nothing like the bitter dose which they gulped up with much relish Wednesday.

Only ailing member of the squad is young Bobo Hardy, who got a charley horse from his terrific blocking early in the week. He says he is ready and wants to get into the thick of more scrimmage, the coach reported.

Dibrell planned to go to Sweetwater Friday evening to witness the Sweetwater-Abilene game. It would afford him a chance to personally scout the foe for the first time this season. Big Spring meets Abilene in Abilene on Nov. 19 and then tangles with Sweetwater here at 2:00 p. m. Nov. 25.

## North Side Clinches District Title In Schoolboy Playoffs

By The Associated Press

North Side virtually clinched the championship of the Fort Worth district in a scattering of games last night opening the week of play in Texas schoolboy football.

North Side nosed out Poly 14-12 to not only take undisputed leadership of District 7 but to remove one of the ten undefeated, untied teams from the state's list.

Other games were not important in the title race. San Jacinto beat Sam Houston 15-7 in Houston district—and Kerrville won over San Antonio Tech 10-0 in District 15.

In a non-conference game Cisco defeated Eastland 13-0.

Thirty contests are on the schedule tonight over the state, two of them having strong bearing on district races. Bryan battles Hillsboro for the top in the B division of District 10 and Austin meets Jefferson (San Antonio) with the District 15 leadership in the balance.

## Dogged Luck Helps Give Gilmer Row Of 28 Straight Wins

GILMER, Nov. 5 (AP)—Technically speaking, Gilmer High school's Buckeyes have won 28 straight football games—the top victory streak in Texas.

But in reality they lost one and might have lost another game had they played it. Here's how it was: They were unbeaten in 1941 and in 1942 reached the regional finals without a mark in their record. But the team had been so riddled with injuries there were not eleven men in condition to play Van for the championship, so they said they'd forfeit.

The inter-scholastic league, however, wouldn't let Van take the title without playing the game so neither team was awarded the championship.

This year the Buckeyes lost to White Oak by two points but later White Oak forfeited to Gilmer because it found it had played an ineligible man.

The team is a very good one and should win its district title but before the Buckeyes can play in the bi-districts their star end, Jimmy McKinley will be in the service. He leaves Nov. 10.

## Soldier Can Keep Dog Guard After War

SALT LAKE CITY, Nov. 5 (AP) Pvt. Victor Scullaw is welcome to keep his canine guard companion at the Hondo, Texas, Army Air Force Navigation School after the war is over.

The Martinsville, Okla., soldier yesterday said he had become attached to the army dog, an enlistee from Salt Lake City.

"We wouldn't think of separating them," Mrs. Melvin C. Burton, the dog's owner, said when advised of Private Scullaw's request.

## RUSSIA, JAPS ENEMIES

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 5 (AP)—"Russia and Japan have been enemies through the centuries and are enemies now," Senator Pepper (D-Fla.) said last night at a rally celebrating the 10th anniversary of Soviet-American friendship.

## FOOTBALL SELECTIONS

By ORLO ROBERTSON  
NEW YORK, Nov. 5 (AP)—Now that the Navy and Marines have completed their job of tearing apart several of the nation's best, we can't say we weren't forewarned in making the following football selections:

Notre Dame-Army — How can one go against a team that hasn't tallied less than 30 points a game and held six opponents to a combined score of 31 points? Notre Dame.

Navy-Penn.—We'll take Navy on rebound.

Purdue-Minnesota—The Boiler-makers should have no trouble handling the Gophers their third straight setback.

San Diego Naval Station-Southern Calif.—The Trojans.

Louisiana State-Georgia Tech.—The Engineers figure to have enough left to stop Steve Van Buren and his civilian mates.

Indiana-Michigan.—Michigan.

Northwestern-Wisconsin — The Wildcats lost one-half of their starting backfield but still have Otto Graham. That's enough.

Southern Methodist-Texas Aggies.—No argument, Aggies.

Del Monte Pre-Flight-U.C.L.A.—Too many pros at the Pre-Flight School. Del Monte.

Duke-N.C. State — The Blue Devils lost half their squad by transfers but there's still enough around to beat State.

North Carolina-South Carolina — The Tar Heels in a romp.

Ohio State-Pittsburgh—A battle of civilians with the Buckeyes winning.

Kansas-Oklahoma — Can't see the Jayhawkers stopping the Sooners.

Arkansas A. and M.-Southwestern (La.)—A couple of little fellows with big teams. Southwestern.

Brown-Yale—I'll take Brown.

Columbia - Dartmouth — This isn't the week for Columbia.

Illinois-Iowa—The Illini to spoil the Hawkeyes' home-coming.

Missouri-Iowa State — The Cyclones' home-coming will be a success—thanks to the Navy.

Okla. A. and M.-Tulsa—The Aggies haven't got what it takes to stop Red Wade.

Penn State-Cornell—Cornell.

Villanova-Princeton — Princeton should win.

Romping through the remainder of the schedule: Rice over Arkansas, Southwestern (Tex) over Bryan Air Field, Clemson over Davidson, Harvard over Camp Edwards, Nebraska over Kansas State, Holy Cross over Temple, Texas Tech over Texas Christian, North Carolina Pre-Flight over Wake Forest.

## Tommy Harmon Missing In Action

By JERRY LISKA  
ANN ARBOR, Mich., Nov. 5 (AP) Army Pilot Tom Harmon, Michigan's All-America football player who cheated death in the skies once this year, is reported missing in action over China.

The second lieutenant's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Harmon, were notified last night by the war department that their son, a fighter pilot, was unreported since Oct. 30.

Harmon, the sole survivor of a bomber crash in the Dutch Guiana jungles last April, was attached to the 23rd group of the 449th fighter squadron stationed in the Far East.

No hint as to whether Japanese guns or an accident cut down one of Michigan's greatest gridiron stars was contained in the telegram received by Harmon's parents. It said simply that Harmon "has been reported missing in action since Oct. 30. If further details or other information are received, you will be promptly notified."

Harmon was transferred to China last summer from North Africa where he was stationed after the crash of his bomber, "Old 98," named after his college football number, in the South American jungle.

Last to hear from Harmon was

## 'Possum' Grease Is Used For Glycerine And Other Products

DAVILLA, Nov. 5 (AP)—'Possum and 'aters (opossum and sweet potatoes, to you) is the fare here today.

It's 'possum-hunting time in the post oak country of Central Texas. This community, with a large negro population, takes its 'possum-hunting seriously this season—what with the meat rationing and all.

Milam County Salvage Chairman S. E. Brogden and County Superintendent of Schools Charley Hix decided to exploit the negroes' love of the sport. They called in salvage representatives from the War Production Board in Austin and staged a hunt.

John Powell, principal of the

his football coach, H. O. (Frit) Crisler, who said the All-America halfback of 1939 and 1940 had written in a letter dated Oct. 14 that the Japanese pilots were inferior to the Nazi fliers.

"Tommy wrote that he was in one of two American planes jumped by 17 Zeros and that they got two while the rest fled," Crisler said.

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negro school, and Booker T. Williams, mechanics teacher, passed the word around. Twenty-five negroes and five of the community's best "hound dogs" showed up.

They tread 17 opossums and cornered five armadillos. Rifle shots felled the animals.

Down here the edible flesh of the armadillo, a creature armored with bony plates, is frowned on, but the opossum, furry denizen of the post oaks, is relished. The traditional method of preparing this coupon-less meat is to roast it over a barbecue pit, permitting the dripping grease to feed the fire. The roasted opossum is garnished with sweet potatoes, which grow well in this sandy land.

But this season the fat is not in the fire. The grease from the armadillos as well as the opossums bagged in the season's first community hunt was rendered. Sold at 5 cents per pound, the cash proceeds went to the hunters. They still had the opossum meat and Uncle Sam got the wherewithal for glycerine and other war products.

Now government salvagers are hoping that the sport will spread,

# Whiskey prices in Big Spring

There is a nation-wide shortage of whiskey.

The whiskey now on hand is in no sense a "reserve."

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Blended whiskey, 86 proof  
The straight whiskeys in this product are 4 years or more old, 30% straight whiskey—70% grain neutral spirits  
\$3.07 4/5 Quart  
\$1.93 Pint  
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**Walker's Bourbon**  
Straight Bourbon Whiskey  
90 proof  
This whiskey is 4 years old  
\$3.60 Quart  
\$1.84 Pint  
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Editorial - - - Our Chance To Give Something

Howard county is making a woeful showing in the National War Fund. The appeal has been going on for a month, and we're only a third of the way toward the goal.

There isn't a valid reason why indifference to this important war cause should exist. There is plenty of money here, and certainly there is plenty of patriotism.

But the solicitors who have devoted so much time and effort in this campaign have run into a curious viewpoint on all sides. They have gotten this answer to their appeal.

Close Collaboration? 'Second Team' In Diplomacy

By JOHN E. CHESTER (P) Features LONDON — There's a new Anglo-American diplomatic "second team" in the making that holds as many promises of close collaboration as it provides points of sharp personal contrast.

The newcomers are Edward Reilly Stettinius, Jr., new under-secretary of state in the Roosevelt cabinet, and Richard Kidston Law, new British minister of state under Winston Churchill and Anthony Eden.

Both are young — Stettinius 43 and Law 42 — and both are the brilliant sons of brilliant fathers, but there the comparisons end and the contrasts begin.

Hollywood— Bette Davis Is Working Again After Tragedy

HOLLYWOOD — Bette Davis is back on the sound stages, throwing herself energetically into the business of acting like the good trouper she is.

She has been away eight months, most of the time at her farm near Sugar Hill, New Hampshire. Since she left, she has been widowed by the death of Arthur Farnsworth, but her sets are open to visitors, as always—with the one request, undramatized, that the subject of her bereavement not be brought up.

Her new picture is "Mr. Skeffington," from the novel by "Elizabeth." It's a meaty part for her, a gamut-running role—but with a decidedly Billie Burke-ish flattery flavor.

The twin Epstein brothers — Julius J. and Phillip G. — did the screenplay and are co-producers. They have switched the locale from England to New York, kept the characters of the book and built up a plot. It promises to be quite a production, with a shooting schedule of two months. Vincent Sherman is directing.

The first day Bette was on the set, one representing her "home," she made her usual "inspection." Set workers have come to expect it of her. The routine is something like this: "Hmmm," she says, looking around. "Hmmm, I think the flowers would look better on that table. And we'll move that light over here. And hmmm, those curtains are well. I guess they're all right. But that awful clock! Who would live with a thing like that in her home?"

After darting around to cover all the nooks and corners, she stops in front of Fred MacLean, the sex-dresser, with "It's a beautiful job, Freddie. Just beautiful. Those few little changes, maybe we'll make them later. Maybe they're not important. But I like it. I like it very much. Now, let's get along with a rehearsal." It's her way of getting acquainted with all her movie "homes."

So she went into her rehearsal for a 1910 scene of the picture. She dressed for a ball, and is putting on her jewels at her dressing table. She has lines with Abel and Waring, but her business with the jewels makes her forget them or perhaps it's merely the excitement of starting a new picture.

"I'm sorry," she says. "I haven't been so jittery in years." Joan Crawford, newly signed to the Davis lot, hasn't reported yet, but already the wags are playing with the idea of a feud between established queen Bette and new queen Joan.

After Bette has bobbed three times, wagsish producer Julius J. Epstein cracks in a loud stage whisper: "Better warm up Crawford!"

Washington Daybook— Several Agencies Want A Hand In Ending Contracts

(Second of Two Articles) By JANK STINNETT WASHINGTON — At the moment, the "contract terminations" program is in that state of flux which all big government projects go through in their infancy—that is, they are pulled this way and that to see what agency will gain control.

With billions involved, that is understandable. It's no secret that the General Accounting Office would like to have the job of winding up Uncle Sam's affairs with producers of war materials. It's no secret either that the Army, particularly, but also the Navy, Maritime Commission, Lend-Lease and several others would prefer they be given a free hand to terminate their contracts in their own way.

There's no doubt Congress is going to have a hand in it, probably, according to observers on the hill, by the creation of a new agency, to settle the 50 billion or so of unfulfilled contracts that may be outstanding when this war ends.

Right now a Senate subcommittee of the military affairs committee is holding hearings with legislation in mind. In the House the ways and means committee has a contract renegotiations subcommittee which already is talking of extending its activities to "contract terminations."

It's possible that the administration has beaten both of them to the draw. It recently established the war contracts renegotiations policy board, headed by Joseph M. Dodge, chairman of the War Department price adjustment board, with representatives from the Navy, Maritime Commission, War Shipping Administration, the Treasury, RFC and WFB. Although their duties were specifically set forth as renegotiation of contracts to eliminate excessive profits, it is being said that if they function effectively, the administration would like to hand over to them the vital program of terminations.

The Army already has and is continuing to hold a beautiful dress rehearsal for peace time contract terminations. They have terminated some 8,000 contracts worth about five billion dollars, and out of this, less than 500 cases have had to drag through as much as six months of red



Chapter 11 The conference did go down in history. Sally heard Donovan, head of the metals division, say as the group pushed out the door, "Boys, in the months I've been in Washington, that's the first time anyone has asked me what I thought about his ideas — and paid any attention when I told him. There's one guy who isn't going to go around just shooting off his mouth."

Langhorne evidently was pleased too. He came out of the inner office holding a half-burned cigar gingerly. He said to Sally, "I'm going downstairs to the cafeteria till the smoke of battle clears away." There was

a twinkle in his eye, and Sally knew the meeting had gone in his favor. Then he added, "That was a strategic move of yours, Miss Thayer. From now on, I think I will let you handle all public relations." He strolled out the door, preceded by a billowing cloud of blue smoke.

There still is controversy over that business, with some officials charging that contractors got only 14 cents on the dollar on outstanding contracts, and others claiming that Brig. Gen. J. R. Delafield and his staff did a whale of a job.



THE HUMORIST

Attention Mothers— Strap Baby To Back And Improve Posture DENVER, (P) — The Maurice Howes are bringing up their son, John, papoose-fashion.

Naturally, says the father, an anthropology student, "the cradleboard makes the baby more observant than if he lay on his back staring at the ceiling."

And, says Mrs. Howe, "just think what it does for the mother's posture and the figure."

Burns Opens Shop D. E. Burns today announced the opening of a new plumbing and heating concern at 807 E. 3rd street. The new business will do both contract and ordinary repair and installation work.

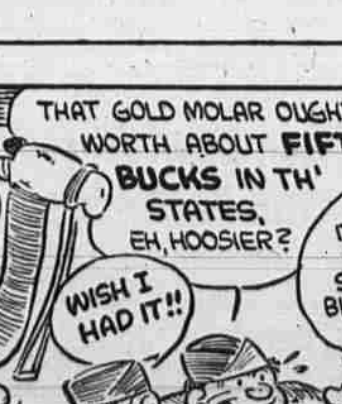
Working with Burns are S. P. Northun and J. H. Gross, local plumbers.

Stewart regarded her quizzically. "You're only twenty years behind times, my girl. Just because I ask you to have a drink with me, do you have to have a character reference? I have some time to kill. So do you, or I miss my guess. I'll bet your dates are few and far between. There aren't many single men in this town. I'm inviting you out because you're attractive, yes, but also because you probably haven't even had a squint a night spot. Have you been inside the Mayflower? No. Have you been to the Carleton? No. Have you been to the Shoreham? No. Good old Palmer Stewart, friend of the working girl!"

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Crossword Puzzle

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for Across and Down. Includes a solution for yesterday's puzzle.



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### For Sale

#### Miscellaneous

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#### Wanted To Rent

##### Apartments

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WANTED—Pasture through the winter in a good stalk field for one yearling and three large calves. Phone 480.

### SPORTS ROUNDUP

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.

NEW YORK, Nov. 5 (AP)—Now that the hockey season is under way, it might be a good idea for twitchy Dick Porter, the old baseball player who now is business manager of the Curtis Bay, Md., Coast Guard "Cutters" to enter a challenge for the Stanley Cup without delay.

The National Hockey League bosses, who control the playoffs for the "world championship" trophy, have a habit of turning aside ambitious teams with the explanation that their challenges come too late.

PIGSKIN PICKINS (Army vs. Notre Dame) To bet on the Ramblers is a habit of gamblers. We don't think the Cadets will make them lose bets.

(Navy vs. Pennsylvania) Those players of Navy's, Are pretty tough babies, But the boys from old Penn Don't know how to say "when."

ONE-MINUTE SPORT PAGE Branch Rickey definitely put

the finger on Dixie Walker as the "one player" Leo Durocher didn't like when the brain called a special press conference yesterday to announce that Dixie had signed three months ahead of the usual time. . . . And if that wasn't enough, Branch remarked that Dixie "spoke in high praise of Leo as a former manager." . . . Brigham Young and Oklahoma Aggies will be the first basketball visitors to the Garden this winter, arriving early in December. Oklahoma U. is due late in the season.

SERGEANTS Jim and Jack McCullough, identical twins who played the two guard positions on the "ann" freshman team, are playing different positions in the army air force's touch football league at Miami Beach, Fla. Jim is a back and Jack an end, but they get together on occasional touchdown plays. . . . When Bull Turo, chunky 152-pound For Sheridan, Ill., guard was playing against Patterson Field, O., recently, he remarked "those two guys I'm

playing against are mad at me because I block too hard." Teammates looked up and saw that one of the two guys was a mere 260-pounder.

TOUGH ON HORSES IDAHO FALLS, Idaho, (AP)—An automobile driven by Grant Jardine collided with a horse, which slid over the hood and

broke through the top of the automobile.

The animal landed, sitting, on the back seat while its forelegs slashed down over the front seat, one on either side of the driver. The horse was killed. Jardine was unhurt.

There are no railways and few roads on Borneo.

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## STORY

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stare at the glittering array of gold braid on display in the Mayflower cocktail lounge. There was everything from a Scotsman in beret and beautifully pleated plaid kilts to three Slavic-looking "lemen" in splendid in gold-embroidered red caps and red-lined cases. Those three had even Stewart stopped. He couldn't identify them.

It was after midnight when Stewart's party began to break up. T. J. squatty colonel who had barely spoken all evening said he had to get some sleep. Two others dropped off with him leaving a taxi. But Stewart managed to talk the rest of the group into having a final nightcap with him at his apartment.

To Sally, this was almost the most pleasant moment of the evening. The apartment, high and cool, looked out on the grounds of a heavily-wooded estate. Standing at the window, away from the shattering group, Sally thought how wonderful it would be to afford a place so attractive. Stewart came up behind her quietly. "Having a good time?" She'd had only the most casual conversation with him all evening.

Sally turned around, her eyes sparkling. "A very exciting time. It's been a perfect evening."

Stewart stood looking down at her, a half-smile on his handsome face. "Why don't you stay and spend the night? It would save me the trouble of finding a taxi to take you home."

To be continued.

## Schools To Observe Education Week

Big Spring schools will observe American Education Week here next week, Supt. W. C. Blankenship said today.

There will be comparatively little formal observance of the week, but the superintendent said that parents would be encouraged to visit schools during the week to see how they educate for world citizenship, for peace, for work, for the air age, for health, for world understanding.

While schools today are contributing their utmost to first winning the war on all battlefronts, for educational leaders realize the only alternative is to accept slavery. However, there is a dual responsibility which weighs heavily upon schools—that of educating youngsters for peace, a peace which will have no slackers and which will ultimately be based on application of the Golden Rule.

Possibly there will be educational programs before some of the service clubs, said the superintendent. Some of the schools and classes may have special programs.

## Navigator Survives Raids But Receives Injury In Play

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M. (AP)—Lt. B. M. Kennedy, army air force navigator of Pine Bluff, Ark., flew safely 80 bombing missions in the Pacific and won the Distinguished Flying Cross.

Back in the United States on leave, he was tossing a football with some youngsters recently. He's on crutches now with a broken ankle.

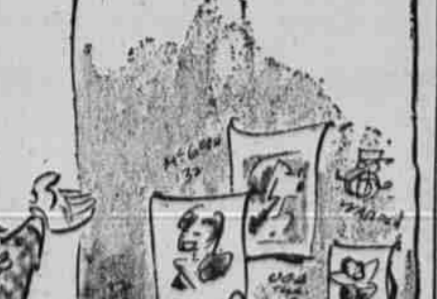
## GRIN AND BEAR IT

By Lichty



## LA-A-ADIES AND GENTLEMEN!

HEH, HEH! FELIPE OF FRANCE, WILL FIGHT WITH THE FOIL, AND SIR SLICK OF SCALAWAG, WILL SWING WITH THE SWORD!



## EN GARDE!

HEH, HEH! FELIPE, I'LL FRICASSEEE YOU!



## TOUCHE!

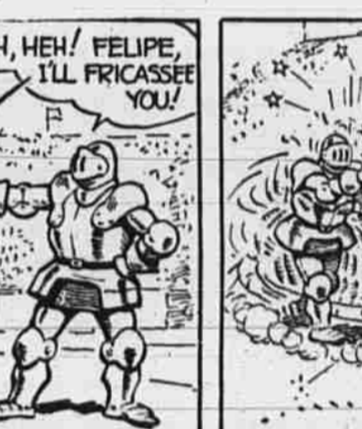
UNCLE!!



## MEAD'S fine BREAD



## ABSORBED IN THE IMPORTANCE OF HER JOB, FIN SING HASN'T NOTICED THAT DICKIE IS SLIDING AWAY



## HE'S MAKING DESPERATE EFFORTS TO CONTROL THOSE SKIS, BUT--



## -- DOWN HE GOES STRAIGHT FOR THE LAND OF THE WHITEHOODS!



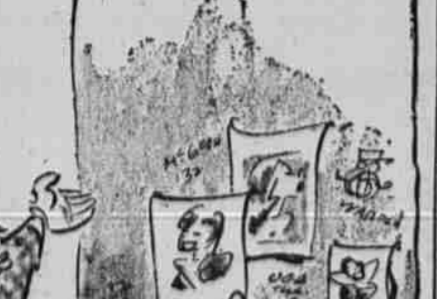
## THUPERMAN HATH TRICKED UTH MY THWEET!

PREPARE TO DIE SUPERMAN!



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## THAT'S THE MATH REASONABLE!

I DON'T CARE ONE WAY OR THE OTHER. LET HER GO IF SHE WISHES.



## I WON'T GO! IF SUPERMAN DIES, I WANT TO CO-OPEERATE!!



## GREAT SCOTT! LOS-WONT YOU EVER LEARN TO CO-OPEERATE!!



## SANDWICHED IN LAYERS OF CLOUD, HIGH OVER THE AEGEAN SEA...



## AHH-H! QUIET TRIP! AND I T'UGHT I'D GIT A CHANST TO USE DEM LITTLE POPGUNS ON A MESSYSCHMITT!



## BOY, I KIN JUST IMAGINE 'EM! SIXTY ENEMY PLANES! UH-UH-UH-- MOW 'EM DOWN!



## SCORCHY SMITH





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**Metro News — Cartoon, "Hiss And Make Up"**

### New Action For Chinese Area

WASHINGTON, Nov. 4 (AP) — President Roosevelt announced today that the United States, Great Britain, and China, had reached a complete agreement for new military operations in the Chinese theater and that it would mean bad news for the Japanese.

The president disclosed at a press-radio conference that the agreement had just been reached at an extremely successful conference at Chungking among General Stilwell, Chenault and Somervell for the United States; Lord Louis Mountbatten, new British commander-in-chief in the Southeast Asia area, and Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek and his Chinese military advisers.

He said the agreement was mostly on operational questions and that it concerned the methods for handling what he called the continental campaign in the Far East.

The president told reporters that he could not give any details at this time but that the presence of General Somervell, chief of the American army forces of supply, meant that supply problems were involved. He reported Somervell had returned to the United States.

### Lieut. Robert P. Currie, Veteran Bombardier, Is Flying Back Home

Perhaps the happiest two persons in Big Spring Friday were Mr. and Mrs. James Currie.

Reason: Their son, 1st Lieut. Robert P. Currie, a bombardier and veteran of more than 400 combat hours, is flying on his way home.

He is one of 10 American airmen who averaged more than 378 combat flying hours who are coming home for a brief vacation and barnstorming trip in America.

In the group are several of the first bomber group to go into operation at New Delhi, India when the American air force in India consisted of six rather "rickety" flying fortresses. Now the force is so large, wrote Preston Grover, Associated Press correspondent at New Delhi, that it is dropping more than 1,000 tons of bombs monthly on Japanese targets in Burma.

Lieut. Currie is holder of the Distinguished Flying Cross and of the air medal with oak leaf clusters. Besides having more than 400 hours to his credit, he was participant on the famous Liberator raid on tiny Nicobar Island, west of the Malay peninsula and north of Dutch Sumatra. This was believed to be the longest overwater combat mission on record.

Mrs. Currie had a letter a few days ago from him stating that he was going home, but the Associated Press dispatch was the first word she had that he was enroute home aboard a bomber.

Among those in the returning group are T/Sgt. Adolph Scoviano, 23 Providence, R. I.; S/Sgt. John E. Craigie, 26 West Haven, Conn. and S/Sgt. Edward M. Salley, Houston, who bailed out of a bomber enroute home from a Rangoon raid. They landed in the jungle 100 miles from Calcutta and walked out. Also in the group is Eric Severeid, CBS correspondent, who walked 100 miles out of a jungle after bailing out of a plane.

### Mother Hears From Son, Member Of Lost Battalion In Java

Mrs. Allene White has received a communication from her son, Sgt. Roger White, Jr., who is a prisoner of the Japanese, Mrs. J. R. Parks, his maternal grandmother, has been informed. Mrs. Parks received word before she left on a visit to Dallas.

It was the first word Mrs. White, who is in Amarillo, had directly from Roger, Jr., a member of the famous "lost battalion" in Java. She did, however, hear a recording of a Japanese broadcast in which Roger, as a prisoner of war, was permitted to say a few words of greeting. From this Mrs. White was virtually certain that Roger was alive, but she could not be certain until she received the card.

Because a transfer of the prisoners from Java to Japan had been reported in recent months, Mrs. White felt the letter was comparatively recent.

Roger White, Jr. also is a nephew of George and Bynnie White of Big Spring. He was well known here.

**LYRIC** TODAY - SAT.

**Wild Stampede Of Action!**

**SIX-GUN GOSPEL**

Johnny Mack Brown  
Raymond Hatton

**QUEEN** TODAY - SAT.

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**Even Queen Must Have Ration Book**

LONDON, Nov. 5 (AP) — Queen Elizabeth and the Duchess of Kent, visiting a disabled servicemen's handicraft exhibition yesterday saw several scarves they wished to buy.

The best they could do, however, was to ask to have them set aside—because both the queen and the duchess had forgotten to bring their ration books.

**Christmas Money But No Trees**

CORPUS CHRISTI, (AP) — "Who's gonna do something about Christmas trees? You may tell them I am," wrote W. C. James, Waukegan, Ill., after Waves and Bluejackets at the Naval Air Station here appealed for a tree.

James, recently discharged from the navy, enclosed a check. Says the Bean, station newspaper, "—and nobody has any for sale."

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**Rites Held For Vealmoor Citizen**

Funeral services for Mrs. Addie Bennett Clanton of Vealmoor, who succumbed at 1:15 a. m. Wednesday at her home, were to have been held Friday at 2 p. m. at the Vealmoor Baptist church with the Rev. Bob Creswell officiating.

Interment was in the local cemetery and Nalley-Reeder funeral home directed arrangements.

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### Lubbock Site For Conference

The annual Northwest Texas Conference of Methodist churches will open in Lubbock Tuesday, November 9th at the First Methodist church with Bishop Ivan Lee Holt of Dallas, presiding.

Bishop Holt and nine district supervisors who made up the conference cabinet, will make appointments of ministers to the 221 churches in this section.

The conference will hear yearly reports from the various district supervisors, and principle business to be brought before the parley will be the McMurry College endowment fund of \$1,750,000, for which solicitations will begin November 27th. Money raised during the drive will be invested in war bonds with \$1,000,000 solely for the endowment and \$750,000 for construction of new buildings after the war.

Two district supervisors who are completing their six-year term in office, and who will retire from the conference cabinet are Dr. C. A. Bickley of the Abilene district, former pastor of the local Methodist church, and Dr. O. P. Clark of the Lubbock district.

The Rev. H. Clyde Smith, pastor of the First Methodist church in Big Spring, will leave Monday afternoon for Lubbock to attend a meeting of the board of missions and church extension, of which he is a member. H. D. Norris, associate district lay leader, will serve as lay delegate at the meeting. The Rev. W. L. Porterfield will represent the Wesley Methodist church at the convocate.

### AAFBS Artists To Produce Show Here Wednesday

"What the Well Dressed Woman Will Wear" is the title of a song written especially for the AIR-WAC show which will be presented by soldiers and WACs of the Big Spring Bombardier school Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in the city auditorium.

The post band, a detachment of WACs and other soldier personnel will parade in the downtown section at 7:15 p. m. and end their review at the auditorium where the variety program will be presented. The entertainment is sponsored by AAFBS in connection with the AIR-WAC recruiting drive which is being held here.

The entire WAC detachment will be featured in the song which was written for the show by Sgt. Dale Francis and Cpl. Edd Todd of special service section.

Cpl. Phil Tucker will act as master of ceremonies, and special numbers will be presented by Pvt. George Bauer, Cpl. Rose Fineberg, Pfc. Bernice Sciorra and Pvt. George Jay.

The public is invited to attend the free entertainment.

### Weather Forecast

Dept. of Commerce Weather Bureau

WEST TEXAS: Generally fair this afternoon, tonight and Saturday, slightly warmer tonight except in Panhandle, otherwise little temperature change.

EAST TEXAS: Mostly cloudy in south, partly cloudy in north portion this afternoon, tonight and Saturday; warmer in extreme east portion this afternoon and in extreme northeast portion tonight.

TEMPERATURES		
City	Max.	Min.
Abilene	81	57
Amarillo	75	43
BIG SPRING	80	45
Chicago	54	40
Denver	59	45
El Paso	75	37
Fort Worth	78	57
Galveston	79	68
New York	55	32
St. Louis	67	—
Local sunset 6:53; sunrise at 8:07.		

### Presbyterial To Hold Sunday Rally

The regular fall rally of intermediate and senior young people of this district in the El Paso Presbyterial will be held at the Coahoma Presbyterian church Sunday afternoon from 3 to 8 p. m.

Representatives from Odessa, Midland, Big Spring, Coahoma and Colorado will attend the conference which will be directed by the Rev. H. H. Hopper of Midland.

"Facing Life With the Living Christ" will be the keynote of the meeting, and worship will be conducted by young people of the Big Spring Presbyterian church under the leadership of Mrs. L. C. Majors.

### The Rev. Moore Back At Pulpit

The Rev. James E. Moore will return to the pulpit at the First Presbyterian church Sunday, and will speak on "Spiritual Paralysis" at the morning service.

Family and Decision Day will be observed Sunday, and the Rev. H. H. Hopper of Midland, will speak at evening services on "An Invitation to Disaster."

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### Here 'n There

Sonora Murphey, chief clerk at the local ration board, is visiting in Pecos over the weekend on a few days vacation.

Pfc. Joseph C. Woods, qualifying as an expert B-24 bombardier, will be graduated from Keeler Field, Bloxi, Miss., on November 10th, the field announced today. Pfc. Woods is the son of Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Woods, 603 Temperance Street, Big Spring. After completing the 17 week course, he will either be assigned to duty servicing one of the great four-engined Liberators, sent to a school for advanced study, or sent to an aerial gunnery school.

Recent promotions have been announced from the Big Spring Bombardier School and include that of Cpl. Clarence A. Murdock, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Murdock, who has been promoted to sergeant. Sgt. Murdock was graduated from Big Spring high school in 1938, attended the University of Texas and Draughton's Business college in Abilene. He is now a clerk in the intelligence office.

Cpl. Arthur W. Storrs, stationed at the Big Spring post, has been promoted to the rank of sergeant. He was formerly an accountant at the Big Spring state hospital. He is a member of the Lions club, attended Terrell Commercial college and SMU. He is attached to the 365th Squadron and is a motor transport clerk.

Pfc. George E. Neely, Sterling City route, stationed at the Big Spring Bombardier school, has been promoted to corporal. He received his schooling in Foran and worked in Odessa for the Gulf Oil Co. He is now mail clerk in the recruiting detachment and is attached to the 365th squadron.

Firemen Friday morning made a run to the T. & P. freight depot where a truck was reported afire. The blaze was quickly brought under control and there was very little damage.

J. H. Greene, chamber of commerce manager, had returned Friday from attending a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce Managers Association of West Texas in Abilene, where he also joined with E. Reagan, district director, and Grover C. Dunham, local director, in participating in the West Texas Chamber of Commerce autumnal convention.

Av/S Ralph E. (Peppy) Blount, Jr., is now in Santa Ana, Calif., where he is to be classified. From there he will go into the particular branch of the air corps for which the examination board thinks he is best qualified.

Examination of gin trash by field crews from the department of agriculture's bureau of entomology have been hurried up this year due to manpower shortage, but in the short time they operated, here, no pink bollworms were found. Some worms were found in gin trash near San Angelo. Last year there were none. The bureau is having to concentrate its check efforts in the lower valley because of the alarming spread of the infestation in that area.

James H. Walker of Big Spring was among the graduating pilots from Brooks Field, San Antonio, Wednesday who received his pilot wings after weeks of intensive training. Following a few weeks of transitional training, he will pilot either a speedy pursuit ship or a giant bomber. He received a commission as second lieutenant.

Mrs. Joe D. Williams has received word from her son, Pvt. Floyd Williams, who is now stationed in Hawaii that he has been accepted for cadet training, and will return to the United States soon.

### Slav Partisans Take Stronghold

LONDON, Nov. 5 (AP) — Yugoslav Partisan forces reinforced by a constantly increasing number of recruits, have captured a stronghold from the Germans in Montenegro, have put the Nazis to rout in another clash and are cutting surviving remnants of some enemy columns to pieces, a communique of the Yugoslav liberation army announced today.

At the same time dispatches from Ankara, quoting advices from the Balkans, reported hard fighting on the mountainous Yugoslav-Bulgarian frontier between Yugoslav partisans and Bulgarian occupying forces. The patriots were said to have captured the village of Yalovik from the Bulgars, and the dispatches added that fighting appeared to be increasing throughout the Drenova mountain region.

Partisan mountain fighters were credited with the seizure of Biocce, a Nazi-held stronghold seven miles northwest of Podgorica, near the Albanian frontier in Montenegro, while a second decisive success was scored by units which smashed the Germans in a battle near Kolasin and Matesevo. Remnants of the fleeing enemy were being rounded up in densely wooded regions, the partisan communique said.

### Road Controversy Has Been Settled

Condemnation proceedings for right-of-way on the Big Spring-Garden City road on land belonging to Bernard Fisher and Joye Fisher, with the Federal Land bank of Houston as lien holder, will be dropped following settlement on damages with commissioners Thursday.

A jury view commission composed of R. L. Cook, Frank Hodnett, and W. J. Garrett, was appointed Tuesday to hold a hearing on November 12th at the courthouse. With the settlement of the Fisher property, the only suit remaining is that of the State of Texas versus J. F. McKinnon, condemnation on land for state highway, which will be heard on November 12th.

Deeds to the right-of-way were signed Thursday by the Fishers, and although the commissioners court declined to state the terms of the settlement, it was understood from reliable sources that it was for \$3,000.

### WMC Officials Make Survey Here

C. H. Culepper, of the War Manpower Commission apprentice training service, and Roy Barton, Abilene, an area WMC representative assigned to the training program, were here Friday making a survey to determine the need for a training program here in essential industries.

Also here Friday on a routine visit was E. C. Logsdon, Abilene, area WMC director, who planned to confer with O. R. Rodden, local district director. E. H. Banks, state farm placement specialist for the US Employment Service, was here Thursday evening and Friday morning on his annual inspection in this section of the state.

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### Four Dairy Producers Apply For Subsidies

Four milk and butterfat producers had applied Friday at the local AAA office for the subsidies provided by the government in lieu of raising ceiling price of the products.

Evidence submitted by the producers showing sales for the month of October will be checked by county committeemen for accuracy and those approved will be paid each Saturday from the AAA office. Milk and butterfat producers, however, must apply during November for October sales payments.

The office will make its first payments tomorrow to those who have applied and been approved. The least of the payments will probably run around \$50, it was understood.

### Public Records

**Marriage License**  
Manuel Rodriguez and Juanita Flores, both of Sterling City.  
Tracy T. Smith et ux to Martin Dehlinger, \$3,250, all of lot 12 Block 5, Highland Park Addition to Big Spring.  
M. G. Riggan and wife, Ruth, to H. L. Derrick, \$9,036.22, all of north one half of section 1 in block 32, 1st 1-S, T & W Ry. Co., comprising 320 acres.

### Livestock

FORT WORTH, Nov. 5 (AP) — Cattle 1,400; calves 1,200; steady; common and medium steers and yearlings 8.00-12.50; cutter grade yearlings downward to 6.00; beef cows 7.75-9.00; good fat calves 10.50-11.25; common to medium calves 7.50-10.00; stocker calves stocker cows 9.00 down.  
Hogs 9.00; steady to 10c lower; good and choice 185-300 lb. butcher hogs 13.90-14.00; good and choice 150-175 lb. averages 12.75-13.75; cows 12.50-13.00; stocker pigs 10.00-12.00.  
Sheep 5.50; steady; medium grade lambs 11.50 down; medium grade yearling ewes 10.00; cull to good ewes 4.25-5.25; feeder lambs 8.50 down.

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**INTOXICATED DRIVER FINED**

Sherman Willie Johnson, pleading guilty to charges of driving while intoxicated, was fined \$50 and costs and given six months suspension of driver's license in county court Thursday.

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