

# Japs' Drive Toward Burma Oil And Gateway To India Takes Menacing Turn

By ROGER D. GREENE  
Associated Press War Editor  
Japan's drive toward the oil fields of Northwest Burma and the gateway to India took a menacing turn today as British headquarters acknowledged that Japanese troops supported by traitorous Burmese natives had advanced within 10 miles of Prome.

The city is strategically important as a barrier to the rich Yenang-yeing oil fields, and also guards the Irrawaddy river route to Mandalay.

A British communique said the Japanese penetrated to Shwebo, 10 miles below Prome, in heavy fighting in which imperial Indian frontier troops inflicted 300 casualties and captured 70 prisoners.

The communique said British forces had launched an attack to clear enemy roadblocks in Shwebo. No information was available on the outcome.

Simultaneously, Axis reports said the Japanese had carried out heavy aerial raids on Mandalay and attacked other key points on the Toungoo-Mandalay road, evidently seeking to block the sending of reinforcements.

A Chinese army spokesman said 10,000 Chinese soldiers were holding the eastern part of Toungoo against 18,000 Japanese in the western section.

The spokesman said that Toungoo was important only as an outpost before the potential main battle area and that the mountains north of Toungoo could be more easily defended than the plains below the town.

Other developments in the Far East theater included: Philippines—a war department bulletin reported that Japanese planes attacked a base hospital in American-defended Bataan peninsula, inflicting a number of casualties. The hospital was plainly marked.

### The Weather

West Texas: Temperatures this afternoon and tonight will be warmer than yesterday afternoon and last night.

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MAKE EVERY PAYDAY BOND DAY

# 1,000 TROOPS COMING HERE FOR PARADE



WAR STRIKES THE PHILIPPINES—One of the first pictures received from the Philippine islands since the opening of hostilities is this view of blazing barges and dock installations at Cavite Navy yard following Jap raids on Dec. 12. In the lower picture U. S. soldiers are surveying the damage wrought by Japanese bombs striking in the heart of Parangue, Philippine islands. These pictures were brought out of the Philippines via Australia. (U. S. ARMY SIGNAL CORPS PHOTO FROM NEA TELEPHOTO.)

## Riom, France, Trial Ordered Suspended

(By The Associated Press)  
Russia's spring, pressing a relentless spring offensive amid the thawing snows of winter, were reported battering heavily at key German bases along the entire front today while the Nazi high command claimed aerial successes and the destruction of 183 Soviet tanks between March 23 and March 30.

The health program in Pampa school is functioning perfectly. It was revealed today in a survey made at the various schools.

That it was a sad Grover Seltz who left yesterday afternoon for Clovis to open spring training for his Clovis Pioneer baseball hopefuls. Grover was sad because he had lost his two pet bird dogs. One is lemon and white and the other is liver and white. One wore a collar on which was Grover's name and address. Anyone finding the dogs is asked to telephone 1780.

## Scrap To Keep Japs Dying Pouring In

Speed in collecting scrap metal in the city-wide Salvage-for-Victory campaign was the call of Supt. L. L. Sone, chairman, as two city trucks and one school truck started out this afternoon on the collection of bits of metal too heavy to be carried by students to school.



A Medium 37-ton Tank Requires 18 Tons of Scrap Metal.

"We must have this metal all in by Thursday, so we can collect it all in one big heap on the Junior high school campus, ready to be turned over to the junk dealers on the following day," Chairman Sone said.

## Plans For Opening Of Lake McClellan To Be Discussed

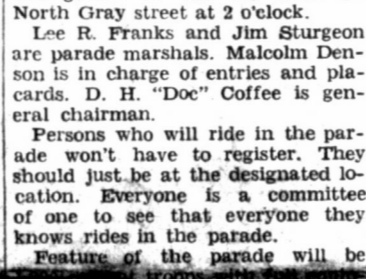
Plans for the formal opening of Lake McClellan this spring will be made at a meeting of McClellan Boat club members tonight at 7:30 o'clock in the county courtroom. Definite opening date has not yet been announced.



WASHINGTON GETS SEASONS HEAVIEST SNOW—More than a foot of snow blankets cars, streets and trees in the national capital in the heaviest fall of the entire winter season. (NEA TELEPHOTO.)

## 1,000 Horses Wanted For Army Parade

"Horses, horses, horses, everybody's crazy over horses," hummed Cal Rose this morning as he started out to get 1,000 horses for Pampa's monster Army Day parade Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.



L. L. SONE Chairman of Pampa's Salvage-for-Victory campaign, which officially opens tomorrow and continues for four days, is L. L. Sone, above, superintendent.

## Sadler 'Hot Air' Flayed By Electran

ELECTRA, March 31 (AP)—A long-distance feud between Railroad Commissioner Jerry Sadler and Mayor T. Leo Moore of Electra mounted in fury today.

## Tonight Deadline To Cast Absentee School Ballots

Deadline to cast absentee ballots in the Pampa school election is tonight. The office of the school business manager in the city hall will be open until 4 o'clock, after which Roy McMillen will be at home, 446 North Hill, excepting between 8 and 10 o'clock, when he'll be in the front row at the Junior high auditorium where the Pampa Lions club is staging its annual minstrel.

## Temperatures In Pampa

6 p.m. Monday	53
9 p.m. Monday	41
6 a.m. Tuesday	39
9 a.m. Tuesday	37
12 noon Tuesday	37
3 p.m. Tuesday	37
6 p.m. Tuesday	37
9 p.m. Tuesday	37
Monday's maximum	59
Monday's minimum	26

## 40 Parents Of Bataan Heroes To Lead Parade

The eyes of not only the Top O' Texas area surrounding Pampa but of the entire Panhandle were fixed today on Pampa after it was announced in a special radio bulletin that up to 1,000 war-equipped troops would come to Pampa this week-end for the gigantic Army Day parade here next Monday.

## 400 Parents Expected To Be In Parade

Forty parents of Bataan and Corregidor heroes had signed up today to lead the spectacular Army Day parade here next Monday, and there were indications that almost as many more would fill out the ranks before Thursday night, the deadline.

## You Are Proud Of Your Son In Service! March For Him In Parade

(Name of Relative in Armed Forces) \_\_\_\_\_ (Present Address) \_\_\_\_\_  
(Branch of Service) \_\_\_\_\_ (Company, Etc.) \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name of Parents) \_\_\_\_\_  
(Parents' Address) \_\_\_\_\_ (Town) \_\_\_\_\_ (Street or Route) \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name of person or persons who will represent relative in parade) \_\_\_\_\_  
(State whether you will ride or walk in parade) \_\_\_\_\_

## Attorney Knocks 'Em Over In Minstrel

A lawyer proved that the law is not behind medicine when it comes to acting.

## Sidelights On Army Day Parade Here

The Marine Corps of Girls, a recently organized Pampa group, will have a unit in the Army Day parade here Monday, April 6. The corps now consists of eight girls and three sponsors.

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Mrs. Clyde White, local oil company employe, arranging for decorations for her car which will lead the entire parade Army Day. She will honor her brother, Dick White, U. S. sailor, who was killed in action Feb. 4 and buried in Java. He was killed before his ship, the Ezzon, was sunk by the Japs. Dick lived with her from the time he was 14. His mother is dead. He attended high school here in Pampa. His mother, now dead, was a teacher.

### Senate Hears Of Dark-Horse Rubber Process

NEW YORK, March 31 (AP)—Invisible gases and water-clear liquids are the main stuff for making synthetic rubbers whose odd names appear on current front pages.

Seven of these are in a race to produce America's tires, and a eighth looms as the dark horse in the hearings of the Senate Defense Investigating committee.

Butyl rubber is number eight. It is an invention of the Standard Oil company of New Jersey, announced in April two years ago. Butyl is made of butadiene and styrene—both oil refinery products. Butadiene is a liquid up to 65 F., is gas when warmer. Butylene is a gas at 40, liquid when colder.

Butyl has not been reported as a tire rubber by Standard Oil. It is the synthetic which Thurman Arnold described as cheaper, better, and more plentiful than any the

Nazis had. In American chemistry circles it is notable for a remarkable property, it resists oxygen, which deteriorates virtually all known kinds of rubber.

Germany is short on petroleum to make butadiene and styrene. But butadiene can be made also from alcohol, molasses, grains, potatoes, straw, wood, and coal tars. Butylene presumably can also be made from these.

Buna S is a German rubber whose patents were acquired by Standard Oil. It is made of butadiene and styrene, the latter a liquid from coal tar. It has been called the least expensive of all the tire synthetics. It is the rubber which American chemists are informed has been Germany's main product since this war began.

Buna S is like, and may be identical with, the styrene rubber planned by the American government last summer when money was allotted to build four synthetic rubber plants.

BUY VICTORY BONDS—The iron pillar of Delhi was erected about 310 A. D., according to its inscription.

### Pampan On Program Of State TB Meet

W. E. James of Pampa, president of the Gray County Tuberculosis association, will tell the 33rd annual convention of the Texas Tuberculosis association in Austin Thursday morning, how Gray county conducted its record battle sale in the annual Christmas seal campaign.

The county association leader, Dr. R. M. Bellamy, Ursula McCarty, Pampa school nurse, and Mrs. Dwight Stubblefield of McLean, will attend the state meeting from this county, leaving tomorrow.

Dates of the convention are Thursday, Friday, and Saturday at the Driskill hotel in Austin.

BUY VICTORY BONDS—Tires on the right wheels wear out more quickly than those on the left side because the right wheels very often are forced off the road smooth pavement.

BUY VICTORY BONDS—Records show that passenger car owners in the United States drive their cars an average of 8,196 miles a year.

### Market Briefs

NEW YORK, March 31 (AP)—The stock market today tried a few early shots at recovery but the range was too poor for effective marksmanship.

Fractional advances were fairly well distributed at the start. Enough selling then cropped up to halt the move and irregularly lower tendencies were the rule from then on. While modest plus signs were in evidence at the close, declines of fractions to a point of some predominance. Dealers picked up a bit on the afternoon retreat and transfers for the five hours approximated 27,225,900 shares.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST (By The Associated Press)

Am Can	4 69 1/2	50	60 1/2
Am T & T	18 11/16	115 1/2	116
Amoco	22 1/2	29 1/2	30 1/2
A T & S F	35 3/4	36	36 1/2
Amalgamated	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Borden	6 1/8	18 1/2	18 1/2
Chrysler	29 5/8	54 1/2	55
Coca Cola	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2
Curtis Wright	13 7/8	7 1/2	7 1/2
General Electric	26 3/4	29 1/2	29 1/2
General Motors	35 1/4	34 1/2	34 1/2
Greyhound	6 1/8	11 1/2	11 1/2
Int Harvester	10 42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
Int Mercantile	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2
Oilco Oil	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Pan Am Airways	4 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Peeney	5 62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
Phillips Pet	2 3/4	23 1/2	23 1/2
Pure Oil	6 1/8	8	8
Poor & Co E	4 4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Radio	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Sears Roebuck	4 4 1/2	48	48
Shell Union Oil	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Society Vac	30	30	30
Sou Pac	23 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
S O Cal	13 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
S O Ind	13 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
S O N J	13 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
Texas Co	18 3/4	33 1/2	33 1/2
Texaco	18 3/4	33 1/2	33 1/2
Tex Gulf Sulph	13 3/4	29 1/2	29 1/2
Tide Wat Oil	10 9 1/2	9	9
U S Rubber	18 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
U S Steel	43 5/8	49 1/2	49 1/2
U Tel	10 26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
Wilson Co	2 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Woolworth	12 28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2

### 38 Tires And 25 Tubes Granted By Local Board

Certificates authorizing the purchase of 38 new tires and 25 tubes were granted by the Gray County Rationing board at its regular weekly meeting Saturday.

Trucks, trailers, tractors, farm implements, were the majority of vehicles for which new tires were sought, with passenger cars numbering less than a half-dozen, all in the eligible classes.

Certificates were issued to T. P. Lanham, Pampa, metal dealer, four tires; W. W. Johnson, Pampa, tool pusher, one tube for pick-up truck; Texas company, Pampa, one tire; Cambrian Oil Co., Pampa, one tire, one tube; E. H. Weinheimer, Groom, farmer, one tire, one tube; W. H. Bigham, LePors, trucking contractor, four tires; Cree & Hoover, Pampa, drillers, one tire, one tube; Noah M. Kite, Pampa, farmer, two tires, two tubes.

Loyal Bird, Pampa, farmer, two tires; A. W. Reiger, Pampa, wholesale petroleum, four tires, four tubes; J. E. Cheek, pipeline construction, four tires, four tubes, H. P. Urbanczyk, Groom, farmer, two tires, two tubes; T. A. Massey, McLean, farmer, three tires, three tubes.

W. F. Taylor, Pampa, farmer, three tires, two tubes; R. G. Lehnick, Groom, farmer, two tires, two tubes; J. A. Fowler, McLean, two tires, two tubes; H. A. Watts, Pampa, plumber, two tires, two tubes.

BUY VICTORY BONDS—It is advisable to switch to second gear when climbing a hill if the speedometer goes down to 20 miles an hour.

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BUY VICTORY BONDS—Since 1854, more than 1,760,000,000 net tons of rolled or cast iron and steel have gone into consumption in the United States.

The United States National Park Service had custody over 21,550,783 acres in 161 areas by July 1, 1940.

BUY VICTORY BONDS—The United States, during the second quarter of 1940, imported 16,711,418 pounds of whale oil.

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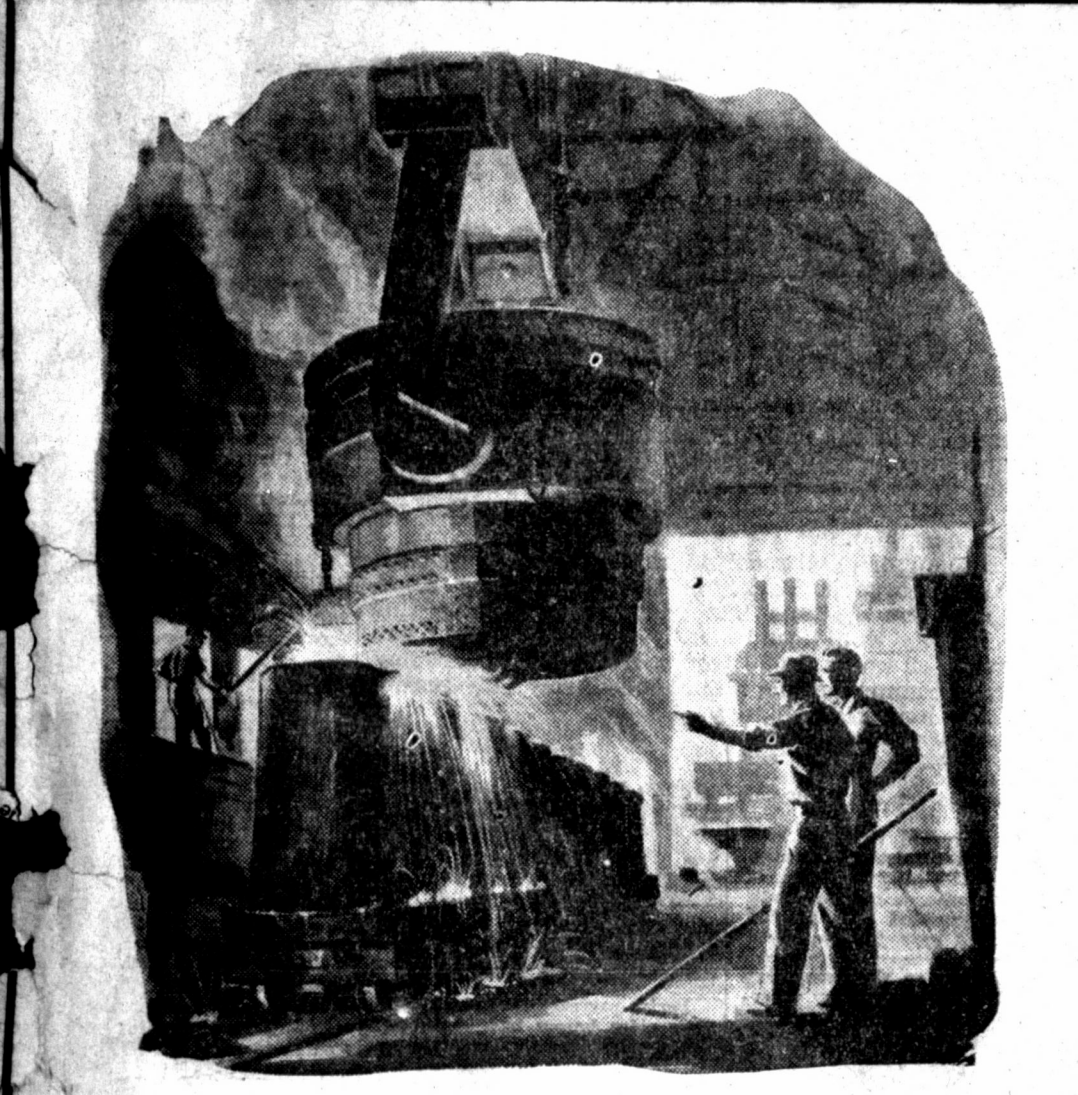


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CHICAGO PRODUCE  
CHICAGO, March 31 (AP)—Butter firm; market unchanged.

Eggs, unsettled; fresh graded, firsts, local 28 1/2; current receipts 27 1/2; dirties 26 1/2, choice 24 1/2; other prices unchanged.

Poultry live, 12 trucks; hens easy, balance steady; hens, 5 lbs. and down 24 1/2; broilers, 4 lbs. and down 24 1/2; White Rocks 26; other prices unchanged.

OKLAHOMA CITY LIVESTOCK  
OKLAHOMA CITY, March 31 (AP)—(USDA) Cattle 1,500; calves 500; killing classes slow, around steady; medium short fed steers 10.50-10.75; best held above 12.00; common and medium butcher yearlings 8.50-10.50; good light yearling heifers to 11.50; best cows 8.00-9.00; canners and cutters 5.50-7.50; bulls to 7.75; vealer top 11.00; slaughter calves 7.50-11.00; yearling calves 8.50-12.00; light steer calves to 14.00.

Hogs 2,200; total 2,720; mostly 20 lower; top 13.45 to city butcher; packer peak 13.35; 180-280 lbs. 13.25-13.45; light lights and pigs on down to 12.50; packing sows 12.00-12.25, few to 13.00; stock pigs to 12.50.

Sheep 1,700; fat lambs steady to strong; trucked-in native spring lambs 12.00-12.25; old crop weaned lambs 11.00-11.25; fat ewes to 6.00.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK  
KANSAS CITY, March 31 (AP)—(USDA) Hogs 2,500; uneven, steady to 10 lower than Monday's average closed active mostly steady, no shippers; top 13.60; good to choice 17.00-18.00; 13.40-13.60; sows 12.85-13.15; few 13.25.

Cattle 4,900; calves; salable 450, total 550; fed steers fairly active, strong to 25 higher; curtailed supply; consisting mostly of medium and good grades scaling downward from 11.50 lbs.; she stock steady to strong; bulls stronger to 15 higher; vealers fully steady, stockers and feeders steady to weak; 4 loads strictly good to choice light weight fed steers 14.00 medium and good grade fed steers 11.25-13.50; few short fed grades downward to 10.50; good to choice heifers 11.50-13.00 medium to good cows 8.50-9.50; good to choice vealers 12.50-14.50; few 12.00.

Sheep 1,000; lambs slow, about steady; few opening sales 98-108 lb. fed lambs 11.40-11.55; best 12.00.

FORT WORTH LIVESTOCK  
FORT WORTH, March 31 (AP)—(USDA) Cattle 2,800; calves 1,500; all classes fully steady; most common and medium beef steers and yearlings 8.00-10.50; good fed offerings 11.00-12.50, few club yearlings higher; best cows 7.25-8.00, canners and cutters 5.00-7.00; bulls 7.00-9.25; good and choice fat calves 11.00-12.12; vealers to 13.00; common and medium calves 8.75-10.75; culls 7.00-8.50; good stocker steer calves 11.00-13.00.

Hogs 4,500; around steady with Monday's average, or strong as compared with butchers not operating; top 13.45 paid for most good and choice 180-250 lb. average; good and choice 160-175 lb. 13.45-13.35; packing sows and pigs steady, 11.00 down.

Sheep 4,500; receipts mostly clipped lambs and springers; early sales fully steady, some clipped lambs strong to 35c higher; good spring lambs 13 down, choice grades held considerably higher; clipped lambs 8.50-9.00, weaned ewes 6.00, short aged ewes 6.00.

FORT WORTH GRAIN  
FORT WORTH, March 31 (AP)—Wheat No. 1 soft red winter 1.35 1/2-37 1/2; No. 1 hard 1.27 1/2-36 1/2; No. 2 1.25 1/2-35 1/2; No. 2 yellow milo per 100 lbs. now 1.11-17; No. 2 white kafir nom. 1.00-13.

Corn, shelled, No. 2 white 1.05 1/2-06 1/2; No. 2 yellow 97 1/2-99 1/2.

Oats No. 2 red 68-69.

CHICAGO WHEAT  
CHICAGO, March 31 (AP)—Wheat: High Low Close  
May 1.28 1.25 1.25 1.25 1.25 1.25  
July 1.28 1.25 1.25 1.25 1.25 1.25  
Sept. 1.30 1.29 1.29 1.29 1.29 1.29

BUY VICTORY BONDS  
**Parents To Serve Terms For Beating School Teacher**

LAFAYETTE, Ind., March 31 (AP)—The jury that convicted Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Leslie of assault and battery said they ought to be locked up for whipping a school teacher who scolded their son.

The verdict, read last night in a crowded but quiet courtroom, recommended that each be fined \$200 and imprisoned 30 days for the beating given prim and pretty Constance M. Davis, 33, in her fifth-grade room at Longlois school Feb. 27.

Leslie, a lean-faced 47-year-old locomotive foreman on sick leave, would serve his term on the Putnamville state penal farm, his plump wife, 45, in Indianapolis state women's prison. Circuit Judge W. Lynn Parkinson will pass sentence Saturday. Meantime they are free under bond.

Danny Leslie, bright-eyed 11-year-old cause of the whole case, was not in court.

BUY VICTORY BONDS—One-seventh of all the pupils transported to school in the entire United States are transported in North Carolina.

BUY VICTORY BONDS—An automobile traveling 200 miles an hour would need no air in its tires. Centrifugal force would keep the tires inflated.

BUY VICTORY BONDS—During the last 25 years, smoke and soot have done damage amounting to \$200,000,000 to buildings in Great Britain.



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<b>PRODUCE</b> SPUDS, Red McClures, 10 LBS. <b>10<sup>c</sup></b>	<b>CORN FLAKES</b> RALSTON 6 oz. Pkg. . . . <b>5<sup>c</sup></b>	<b>BAKERY</b> DONUTS fresh hourly <b>2 doz. 25<sup>c</sup></b>
<b>ORANGES</b> , Calif. <b>15<sup>c</sup></b>	<b>Cheese Spread</b> Kraft's Pimento or American, 5 oz. Jar <b>15<sup>c</sup></b>	<b>BREAD</b> fresh baked <b>2 for 15<sup>c</sup></b>
<b>JUICE</b> Tall 14-Oz. Can . . . <b>5<sup>c</sup></b>	<b>OATS</b> Leadway . . . <b>3 Lb. Pkg. 15<sup>c</sup></b>	<b>TISSUE</b> NORTHERN ROLL <b>5<sup>c</sup></b>
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# RUSSIA

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has been trapped for many weeks. Soviet front-line dispatches said Red army cavalrymen, attacking in the same region northwest of Moscow, beat off a stiff German attack, forced the Nazis to retreat and seized an important populated place.

A bulletin from Adolf Hitler's headquarters said German bombers again attacked the Soviet Arctic supply port of Murmansk, and claimed three British bombers were shot down "in an attempt to fly by night

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into occupied Norwegian territory." Other dispatches indicated a steadily growing battle along the United Nations' far north supply route to Russia.

The Berlin correspondent of the Swiss newspaper, La Suisse, said that the German fleet and air force were facing serious problems in Norway and Finland, and that a United States-British convoy had been able to continue its voyage despite Nazi air attacks.

The increased protection of these convoys has immobilized large numbers of German air units in Norway, and has necessitated the reinforcement of the army of occupation in Norway and the air force in Finland, said the Berlin correspondent.

The German high command said U-boats continued attacks against a convoy carrying supplies to Russia via the far north route, sinking two "heavily laden transports totalling 11,000 tons at the entrance to Kola Bay." A third ship was torpedoed in heavy seas at the approaches to Murmansk, the high command said. DNB, the German news agency declared earlier that four Allied ships totalling 27,000 tons had been sunk in the southern part of the Barents

Sea—presumably en route to Archangel—and that four other ships were heavily damaged.

On the north African front, stormy weather limited action to patrol sorties.

Orders for an Easterly suspension of the Rom trial have presented Adolf Hitler and Marshal Petain a means of halting an embarrassing situation and considerable doubt was expressed in Vichy that the hearing ever would be resumed.

The trial hearing for five leaders of the defeated French Republic will be suspended from April 2 to 15.

Originally intended to fix responsibility for France's entry into the war, it developed instead into a challenge as to the loyalty of the Petain-established court—a challenge the court overruled—and imbibed charges as to deficiencies in France's political, industrial and military preparations.

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Pete Scott of Pampa received a letter from his son, Private First Class L. T. Scott of the First Marine Brigade, the other day and it was dated "Such and Such a Place, January 29," all of which didn't tell Mr. Scott where his son was stationed. "I'm healthy, comfortable, well fed and optimistic. I have a lot of interesting news but can't tell it," he wrote. "I like the life and I know everything is going to be all right." L. T. was born in Oklahoma. He is half Indian and half Scotch. He attended Baker school, junior high school and graduated from high school here. He enlisted



Private Edward R. Sowder of Pampa is in the armed forces of his country but his mother has no idea where he is stationed. She has not received a letter from him since January 4. He is the son of Mrs. Jessie M. Sowder, 823 East Campbell street, and the grandson of G. Morse of Pampa. He attended school in Pampa for 10 years prior to enlisting in the air corps, ground division. He enlisted June 1, 1941, as a welder. He was born at Reydon, Okla.

sons and they want to sing them, as they march, directed by music instructors of the school.

There is a possibility also that bands from LeFors and Miami will take part, but this has not been definitely decided, the superintendent said.

The bands, and students above the third grade, will all be in addition to the representation of all glee clubs and singing organizations in the Pampa schools that will be seen in the parade.

## JAPS' DRIVE

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battles of the Dutch East Indies and the Philippines.

A bright report of performance and skill—backgrounded on the fact fresh Allied air units are still massing for the battles of Burma and Australia—was presented in an interview at U. S. Army headquarters in Australia by Col. Eugene L. Eubank, head of the U. S. bomber command which struck at invasion forces from Luzon to Java. "Our losses in action were extremely low, especially considering the long range of action," he said. "We lost only two planes through pilot errors, mistakes in landing, etc. This is a marvelous record and puts Japanese flying to shame."

United Nations aircraft fired buildings, damaged hangars, and pitted runways of the airdrome at Japanese-occupied Lae, New Guinea, in a high level attack through difficult weather yesterday, a Melbourne communique said.

It announced that seven Japanese planes had dropped from 25 to 30 bombs on the airdrome of Darwin, North Australian port, but said "no casualties or damage were reported."

India moved with apparent hesitation toward a decision on Britain's offer of full dominion status after the war in return for full assistance in the war and doubts arose among British observers as to whether she would accept despite invasion prospects.

Chances of success in Sir Stafford Cripps' effort to win the four major factions dominating the subcontinent were rated by the London Daily Express at 50-50. The London Mirror said the odds against the proposal were seven-to-five.

or on Corregidor, and every one of these parades is invited to be in the parade. The first unit in the parade will be the Philippine unit.

It is necessary for the blank to be filled out by Thursday night so that Mr. Denison and his sign-painters can finish the beautiful red, white and blue placards that are being painted to be attached on car doors and on banners.

It is necessary to state whether you will ride or walk at the parade, because two placards are necessary for cars and one for banners. Most of those who have filled out the blank to date have signified that they will ride in the cars.

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## Battle Awards Won By Three From Texas

U. S. ARMY HEADQUARTERS: Somewhere in Australia, March 31 (AP)—An official announcement from Gen. Douglas MacArthur's supreme command rounded up for the first time today the members of the U. S. army's bomber command who already have received or have been recommended for the following awards for action in the Philippines and the Dutch East Indies:

The names included: Distinguished Service Cross—Captain Fred Grimmas, Fort Worth, Tex.; Captain Alvin Mueller, New Braunfels, Tex. Silver Star Awards—Lieut. Cecil Gregg, DeQueen, Ark.; Sergeant Donald J. Miller, Greenville, Tex.



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## MINSTREL

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son's singing of "Little Brown Jug"; "Uncle Ned"; Lucille Johnson; "Chattanooga Choo Choo," by Ada and Betty Jo Simmons; "Sweet EVELINA," Terry Burns; "Old Kentucky Home," Royal Scott; "Old Dan Tucker," Captain Smith; "My Sweetheart's the Girl in the Moon," Jack Reed; "Roll On, Silver Moon," by Tri Smith.

"St. Louis Blues," sung as an encore by Georgia Nell Coldiron, and Director Ken Bennett's "This Land of Mine," were highlights of the solos.

Battleship gray was the dominant color of the stage settings, with U. S. marine corps anchor and globe emblem in gold, appearing in the background.

Boy Scouts served as ushers. The show will be repeated at 8 o'clock tonight at the same place. Proceeds go to the Lions club charity fund.

## PARADE

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country, and Pampa's request for troops was granted courteously and enthusiastically.

Today sponsors of the Army Day celebration here were making plans to entertain the visiting troops and to provide them with every courtesy.

"Pampa has a chance to show its true hospitality which can't be equalled," said W. T. Fraser, chairman of the Good Will committee.

"I am confident that Pampa and people in the surrounding towns will prove to the soldiers that they can't do too much for the visitors," said Commander L. R. Franks of the American Legion.

Mr. Franks suggested that Pampans get busy and plan entertainment for the uniformed visitors. "We want to make them glad they come to Pampa," said Mr. Franks.

When the news spread that the huge army force would come to Pampa, hundreds of people in the Top O' Texas area and all over the Panhandle immediately dropped all other plans and decided to come here next Monday.

As one man from Shamrock telephoned, "I live or no lives, I wouldn't miss seeing those soldiers and their jeeps and smoke-screens and their guns!"

## Mainly About People

Miss Louise Smith of Amarillo visited with friends in Pampa Monday night and attended the Lions minstrel.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lee of Skellytown, spent the week-end with John Lee, Jr., and family, of Amarillo.

Mrs. Delia McGonegal returned home yesterday following a two-week's vacation spent in Miami, Fla., where she attended the races and in Chicago, where she visited with friends. She made the trip by airplane.

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Mrs. Glenn Pool has returned following a two-weeks visit in Wichita Falls and Fort Worth. Also Mrs. Pool attended the Texas Garden club convention in Dallas.

Gray county sent one negro selectee, J. C. Woodward, a transfer from Colorado City, to the army induction station at Lubbock today. A group of white selectees are to leave tomorrow. There are 14 on the list.

Next benefit dance sponsored by the American Legion, will be held on Saturday night, April 11. At the fourth dance, held last Saturday night in the Junior High school gymnasium, proceeds amounted to \$43.92, which was turned over to the cafeteria fund. Music was furnished by players directed by Bill Jesse, Pinky Powell, Jeff Guthrie.

Public liability and tornado insurance policies of the city were extended to cover the two new garage trucks in an order passed by the city commission at its regular meeting today.

Name of First Lieutenant Dan E. Williams was inadvertently omitted from a story in yesterday's paper listing members of Company D, Texas Defense Guard, who inspected the rifle range near Canyon Sunday.

Marriage licenses were issued here Saturday night to Arnes Welch and Miss Dorothy Moore; and to Vernon W. Welch and Miss Dorothy Patrick. Arnes and Vernon are brothers. All were of Borger.

## Parents

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grandparents, brothers, wives, sweethearts of all boys in the armed forces whether at home or in foreign countries are invited to fill out the blank signifying that they will honor the boys in the service by marching for them.

It is estimated that there are about 75 boys from the Top O' Texas area, including the counties of Hutchinson, Gray, Carson, Hemphill, Roberts, Donley, Wheeler, Lipscomb, Hemphill who are either on Bataan

## Parents

Regular drill of Company D, Pampa, Texas Defense Guard, will be held at 7 o'clock tonight at the high school. At this meeting it is expected that an official announcement will be made concerning the local company's part in the parade.

Other parts of tonight's drill will be held at 7 o'clock tonight at the high school. At this meeting it is expected that an official announcement will be made concerning the local company's part in the parade.

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The same paper devoted an entire column on the front page to the story of the Amarillo Army Day parade. The previous day it was mentioned under a small head Pampa would celebrate army day April 6. The latter date, April 6, is correct.

Yesterday afternoon, a man connected with the aforementioned Amarillo newspaper called up Sheriff Cal Rose and wanted him to bring all the horses in Pampa to the Amarillo parade, and of course if the sheriff did that, there would be twice as many horses in Amarillo as they ever had before. But Cal didn't hesitate in saying that all Pampa riders would probably be in the Pampa parade, and today the sheriff started rounding up the riders for the Pampa parade. Of course, Pampa always has the biggest horse section in a parade of any town in the Panhandle.

Amarillo should know that Kerley-Crossman post of the American Legion was making Army Day plans long before Amarillo announced their celebration. Pampa simply took the president at his word. The president said that he wanted every community to observe Army Day. So Pampa is not going to get mad at any town if they, too, observe Army Day, April 6, and if any town in the Top O' Texas area wants to observe Army Day, Pampa will not only publicize their celebration in print and over the air but will send them a band besides. Pampa doesn't claim to have the "All-Panhandle" celebration, but it does believe that it will have as good a parade, as thrilling a show as any town in Texas on Army Day.

Led by Captain Foster Fletcher, commanding officer, Flight D of the 11th squadron, Texas Defense Guard Air corps, will fly in formation over the Army Day parade in Pampa on Monday, April 6, Company B of the Texas Defense

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### Four Hostesses Compliment Miss Madeline Murray

Honoring Miss Madeline Murray, who will become the bride of Marvin Johnson on April 1, in Oklahoma City, Mrs. Volney S. Day, Mrs. George Walstead, Jr., Miss Madge Rusk, and Miss Mary Elizabeth Furlong were hostesses at a miscellaneous shower in the home of Mrs. Girtha McConnell, 1205 Charles street, recently.

After games were conducted, gifts, arranged in a wagon decorated in green and yellow, were presented to the honoree by Nina Ruth Robinson.

Refreshments of cakes topped with pastel flowers, coffee, and hot chocolate were served.

Guests were Misses, Finis Jordan, Allene Tipton, Vada Lee Olson, Truman Hobdy, Earl McConnell, Mabel Gee, Bob Robinson, Elton Lathrop, Preston Kromer, Finis Lathrop, Blanche Drescher, Etta Brittain, and Misses Ola Gregory, Elaine Tipton, Lucile Douglas, Lucille Saunders, Maurine Jones, and Catherine Ward.

Gifts were sent by Misses. Allene McConnell, Audrey Fowler, Bullard, Tom Wade, and Misses Eloise Taylor, Delece Miller, and Frances Craver.

### Easter Luncheon Given For Eleanor Roosevelt Study Club

Mrs. E. J. Haslam was hostess at an Easter luncheon in her home Monday for members and guests of Eleanor Roosevelt Study club of Skellytown.

Spring flowers and pot plants stressing the holiday motif decorated the rooms. A basket of Easter eggs flanked by toy rabbits centered the luncheon table.

Guests attending were Mrs. W. M. Coulson, L. Frary, H. B. Barron, and Tom McAdrian.

Members present were Mrs. W. Waggoner, W. N. Adams, Ivan Reeder, P. E. Stephenson, J. C. Jarvis, J. W. Lee, Stella Tomlin, A. Ackerman, K. A. Sorenson, Berry Barnes, H. Drummond, Earl New, John Beigle, Olen Statton, and the hostess.



MRS. F. A. RENDER is general chairman for the entertainment of delegates and visitors to the Eighth District conference of the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers meeting in Panhandle on April 9-10. Committees have been appointed and plans are well under way toward making this the best conference in district history. Mrs. Rander has been an active member of the local association for a number of years, serving as president in 1936-37. She was presented a life membership in the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers as a gift of appreciation by the local association. While serving as a vice-president in the Eighth District, she was honored by the Delta Kappa Gamma for her outstanding work and was elected an honorary member of the organization.

### New Mexico Coach To Be Guest At Presbytery Here

Presbyterian women from the entire Panhandle area will meet at the local church Wednesday and Thursday for the forty-first annual session of the Women's Presbyterian Missionary society of the Amarillo Presbytery at which Louis Hernandez, director of boys activities at the Menaul School of Albuquerque, New Mexico, will be guest speaker.

In an annual poll of sportswriters and coaches of the state of New Mexico, Mr. Hernandez, athletic coach of Menaul school, Albuquerque, was honored as one of the two coaches of the year 1941.

Mr. Hernandez is the whole athletic staff at Menaul school, coaching all the major sports—football, basketball, and track. In addition to these activities, he is the teacher of Spanish and is conspicuous in all campus activities that help to build Christian character.

As the son of missionaries, Mr. Hernandez early came to the decision that he would like to follow their example. This desire was solidified after graduate work at the University of New Mexico. At that time he became a member of the faculty of Menaul, and for almost 17 years has made contribution to the lives of hundreds of Spanish-speaking boys and girls.

"Seek Ye First the Kingdom," the presbytery theme for 1942, will be stressed throughout the two-day session which the public is invited to attend.

Tomorrow's program will be as follows:

10:00—Registration.

10:00—Executive committee—Presbyterial officers and presidents of local societies.

10:30—Formal opening, Mrs. John Olson, Hereford. Theme hymn, "I Love Thy Kingdom Lord." Prayer, Mrs. C. T. Crow, Amarillo. Greetings from hostess church, Mrs. Fred Roberts, Pampa. Response, Mrs. Jack Myers, McLean. Introduction of guests. Greetings from boards. Presentation of program, Mrs. Frank Bain, Plainview. Resumé of 1941-42. Mrs. Robert Boshen, Pampa.

Seeking the Kingdom through worship, "Seeking Jesus," Mrs. Harvey Cash, Canyon.

12:30—Luncheon—Basement of church. Served by Episcopals.

Wednesday Afternoon

1:30—Music, A Cappella choir of Pampa High school.

1:45—Worship service, "The Cross in Thine Own Heart," Mrs. Frank Travis, Childress.

2:30—Business—Recommendations from the board. Report from the nominating committee, Mrs. E. H. Reedy, Amarillo. Report of Children's home, Mrs. B. F. Jarvis, Plainview. Appointment of committees. Hymn, "Take Thou Our Minds, Dear Lord."

2:45—Seeking the Kingdom through Goals—Plans for quadrennial, Mrs. John Olson, Hereford.

2:45—"The Mission Situation Today," Mrs. D. H. Alexander, Hereford.

3:00—Seeking the Kingdom through Messengers. Address, Louis Hernandez, Albuquerque, N. M.

3:45—Clinics—1. President and Age Group workers, Doctors Olson, Allman, Hunter. 2. Social education and action, Hospital supplies and treasurers, Doctors Miller, Harris, Walker. 3. Spiritual Life, Stewardship, Membership, Doctors Cash, Dudley. 4. Missionary Education, Literature, program planning, Doctors McBride, Bain.

5:00—Reports from Clinics.

6:30—Fellowship dinner, high school cafeteria.

Wednesday Evening

7:30—Call to worship. Theme hymn, "I Love Thy Kingdom Lord." Prayer. Address, Louis Hernandez, Albuquerque, N. M. Vocal solo, Miss Elizabeth Sewell, Pampa. Miss Evelyn Thoma, violin obligato. Communion. Hymn, "Lead On O King Eternal." Benediction.

### The Social Calendar

**WEDNESDAY**

Kit Kat Klub will meet at 4 o'clock in the home of Mary Gueley.

LaRosa society will have a kid dance at 8 o'clock in the Country Club.

Women's Council First Christian church will meet in groups as follows: Two, Mrs. W. H. Burden, 1819 Mary Ellen, with Mrs. W. E. Riehrin as leader, at 2 o'clock; four, C. J. McMullany, 207 Ward street; five, Mrs. B. C. Fahy, 208 North Nelson, with Mrs. Burt Graham; six, Mrs. Walter Nelson, 515 North Sonerville, with Mrs. Ennis Favors assisting.

Junior High School P-T-A. will sponsor an all-school radio hour over station KPND at 5 o'clock.

LaRosa Club will meet at 8 o'clock in the home of Melvin Clark.

Woman's Missionary society of First Baptist church will have covered dish luncheon at 1 o'clock and a Royal Service program at 2 o'clock. The executive board will meet at 12:30 o'clock.

Bell Home Demonstration club will meet in the church. School P-T-A. will meet at 12:30 o'clock.

Central Baptist Women's Missionary society will meet at 1 o'clock for a covered dish luncheon. The executive board will be presented and business will be conducted. Executive board will meet at 12:30 o'clock.

Woman's Auxiliary of First Presbyterian church will meet at 2:30 o'clock in the church.

Woman's Missionary society of Church of Christ will meet at 2:30 o'clock in the church.

Queens of Clubs will be entertained.

Kit Kat Klub will have a regular meeting.

**THURSDAY**

Three-year-old nursery department of First Methodist church will have an Easter egg hunt at 8 o'clock in the church.

LaRosa society will meet in the home of Barbara Matthews, 215 East Arch street.

Women's department of First Methodist church will have an Easter egg hunt at 8 o'clock in the church. Each youngster is to take three eggs.

Susanah Wesley class of First Methodist church will meet at 2:30 o'clock in the home of Mrs. H. E. Carson, 722 West Kingsmill.

Thursday evening auxiliary of First Presbyterian church will meet at 8 o'clock in the home of Mrs. John Hines.

Thursdays evening auxiliary of First Presbyterian church will meet at 8:30 o'clock in the city club rooms.

Rebekah lodge will meet at 7:30 o'clock in the church.

Contract Bridge club will be entertained. Sub clubs will have a weekly meeting.

A meeting of Club Mayfair will be conducted.

Business and Professional Women's club will have a weekly recreation night at 8 o'clock in the Junior High school gymnasium.

**FRIDAY**

Fidels class of Central Baptist church will have a social in the home of Mrs. Frank Silcott, 1207 East Francis, at 2:30 o'clock. All members and those in service are invited.

Tarde Felice club will have a sports top dance.

Entry Nouns club will meet in the home of Mrs. A. B. McAfee.

Executive board of Pampa Garden club will meet at 2:30 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Bob McCoy.

A meeting of West Side Home Demonstration club will be held.

Order of Eastern Star will meet at 8 o'clock in the home of Mrs. J. L. Rogers.

Girl Scout Leaders association will meet in the Girl Scout office.

**SATURDAY**

Kit Kat Klub will have a sport dance at the Country Club at 9 o'clock.

**SUNDAY**

Tete-A-Tete club will meet at 7:30 o'clock in the home of Miss Oleta Rogers. Mother Singer group of P-T-A. will meet at 1:15 o'clock in room 217 of Junior High school.

Pythian Sisters, temple 41, will meet at 7:30 o'clock.



MRS. J. S. SPARKS, president of the Panhandle Parent-Teacher Association, is co-chairman with Mrs. F. A. Rander for the entertainment of the Eighth District conference to be held in Panhandle on April 9 and 10. Under her leadership the association has had one of the most successful years since its beginning in 1914. The membership has been 129. The association has received recognition from the state as an A association. Mrs. Sparks has been a delegate from the local unit to the district conference in Dallas and to the state convention in Austin.

### Woman's Union Has March Meeting

**SPECIAL TO THE NEWS**

CANADIAN, March 31—The March meeting of Canadian Women's Christian Temperance union was held recently with Mrs. Furman Williams presiding.

This is the day when the annual report of the library is read. The public library, housed in two rooms of the WCTU building, is open to the public for reading and checking out books each afternoon; 512 books have been accessioned the past 12 months, 169 of them purchased, the others donated.

Seven years of The Canadian Record were bound this month, completing files of the local newspaper for 31 years.

School children read temperance essays each year at the March meeting, the WCTU giving a cash prize for first and second places in each of the grades participating, fourth to eighth.

The following pupils read essays and received their prizes in silver dollars: Freda Zybach and Clara Belle Sipes, essays on tobacco; Josephine Puckett, Joyce Hill, and J. C. Bernson, essays on alcohol.

Piano numbers were rendered by Renetha Little and Frances Ellen Flewelling. Mrs. W. C. Isaacs awarded the prizes.

Hostesses for the social hour were Mrs. E. S. F. Brainerd, John H. Jones, F. N. Williams, Mary Hanson, and W. C. Isaacs. The children found an Easter rabbit and a basket of eggs at each plate besides the cake and ice cream served to everyone.

Mrs. Isaacs continues the custom of using lighted candles on this occasion, a custom which she and Mrs. J. F. Johnson, who died in 1939, began many years ago. Mrs. Johnson was president of the local WCTU for 36 years.

The public library was 19 years old on March 17, 1942.

### Four Circles Of Baptist W.M.U. Have Prayer Services

CANADIAN, March 31—Members of the Baptist church in the armed forces. The rest of the afternoon was devoted to making candies and cookies, a package to be sent to each of the following young men:

Corp. Perry E. Young, company G 38th Infantry, Fort Sam Houston; Corp. Kenneth E. Davis, U.S.S. Pennsylvania; Pvt. Perry D. McEreath, M.C.B. Sitka, Alaska; Pvt. Lloyd Hanna, 316, M.C.B. San Diego, Calif.; Lt. Incent Lockhart, Hqs. 36 inf. div. A.G.D., A.P.O. 36, Camp Blanding, Fla.; Cadet George O. Solsbery, 410 S.S. barracks 188, Sheppard field, Wichita Falls.

Cadet U. G. Weatherly, air corps reception center, company B, Kelly field, San Antonio; A. H. Dameron, Williams field, Arizona; and John Henry Brady and Carl Baker, new addresses to be learned.

The following, who have relatives in the Canadian Baptist church, will be remembered with Easter boxes also: Pvt. Jabez F. Cook, Jr., 7th cavalry, medical detachment, Fort Bliss, El Paso; Pvt. Lewis Sheriff, training sq. 2, marine air dept., N.A.S. Jacksonville, Fla.; and Sgt. Roy Moyer, C.C. 80th inf., tr. bn., Camp Roberts, San Miguel, Calif.

### Schools Part In War Effort Will Be Theme Of Radio Hour

On Wednesday afternoon at 5 o'clock an all-school radio program on "The School's Part in the War Effort" will be presented over station KPND under the sponsorship of Junior High School Parent-Teacher association.

Principals of the various schools will participate. They are H. A. Yoder, Woodrow Wilson; Kenneth Garman, Sam Houston; Aaron Meek, B. M. Baker; Miss Josephine Thomas, Horace Mann; Winston Savage, Junior high; and Doyle Osborne, high school.

Mrs. Tom Duvall, radio chairman of the unit, has requested that those taking part on the program meet at the radio station by 4:45 o'clock.

### Intermediates Have Sunrise Breakfast Following Hike

Members and guests of intermediate department of First Christian church were entertained as a sunrise breakfast and Easter egg hunt at recreation park following a hike.

Attending were Phyllis Ann Parker, Wanda Gordon, Maxine Bell, Estelle R. Graham, Evelyn Bunting, Louella Goodwin, Maudie Bell Stagers, Joe Pieratt, Sammie Haynes, Joyce Oswald, Barbara Norris, Alverna Miller, Carol Keyes, Marjory Lawrence, Margie Faye Taylor, Peggy Eckerd, Irma Lee Kennedy, Vera Slusher, Betty Ann Green, Neal Keyes, Jerry Stroop, Miss Eleanore McMillen, Miss Josephine Thomas, and Miss W. L. Parker, Billie Taylor, and Roy McMillen.

### Canadian Women To Attend Meeting In Pampa This Week

**SPECIAL TO THE NEWS**

CANADIAN, March 31—A number of women of the Presbyterian church here will attend the district meeting of the Women's Missionary society to be held in Pampa Wednesday and Thursday, April 1 and 2.

Mrs. J. L. Yockey is president of the missionary society of the Canadian Presbyterian church. Mrs. E. H. Snyder is a member of the nominating committee to select officers for the district.

Other Canadian women planning to attend the district meeting this week are Mrs. W. H. Drake, Frank Phillips, Frank Stone, Frank Shaller, Tom Abraham, Malouf Abraham, and Edward Balderston.

### Mrs. Kelley Visits In Homes Of Wayside H. D. Club Members

"If garden seed is frozen, it will come up about 50 per cent quicker," Mrs. Julia E. Kelley, home demonstration agent, pointed out when visiting in the homes of Wayside Home Demonstration club members recently.

"To freeze cover seed with water and place in refrigerator for 24 hours. Remove from refrigerator, add a little water and let set for 24 more hours. This softens the crust on the seeds and adds moisture."

"To rid your chicken house of mites, paint the inside at least twice a year with carbolenium."

Mrs. Kelley urged each member to put out a door-step planting, if possible, and instructed members on the types of shrubs suitable for the door-step of the individual members.

Most of the members are going to plant a garden and raise chickens and some are also doing a lot of yard improving.

Members attending the training school recently were Mrs. J. B. Fiquera, Lowell Osborne, and Harold Osborne.

Next club meeting will be with Mrs. Harold Osborne on April 10 at 2 o'clock.

### Young Dirndl

From all ages up—girls want dirndl dresses—and we present one here for the 4-to-12's. It is truly a dirndl, too, with a long torso top, smoothly dart fitted and buttoning down the front, and a skirt with gathered fullness in the front. And, it can be made two ways—with a high neck and contrasting round, white collar, or with the low neck, tie-rac edged.

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### Tete-A-Tete Club Entertained At Bowling Party

Tete-A-Tete club entertained with a bowling party Monday afternoon. The team bowling the highest score was composed of Beth Bailey, Lavae Mitchell, Audrey Short, and Beatrice Stotts.

After the bowling party, the club members met in the home of Miss Mary Alice Board. During the business session plans were made for a box supper to be held Friday, April 10. Miss Oleta Rogers will be hostess next Monday at 7:30 o'clock.

Members attending the meeting were Audrey Short, Dorothy Duff, Betty Jo King, Beth Bailey, Lavae Mitchell, Alice Ferguson, Roberta Lovett, Billy Jo Hopkins, Inez Baird, Marcelline Drake, Beatrice Stotts, Norma Lutz, Oleta Rogers, Doris Jarvis, Gladene Farmer, and the hostess.

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### Clara Hill Class Members Have Gay Easter Social Event

Entertaining members of Clara Hill class of First Methodist church, a party was given in the home of Mrs. E. P. Hollingshead recently with Meses. Roy Kilgore, R. O. Pearce, J. C. Payne, and L. C. Lockhart as co-hostesses.

Spring flowers decorated the rooms where Mrs. Harry Hoyer directed clever games following a business session conducted by Mrs. Glenn Radcliff.

Clothes were displayed for a girl in the orphan's home at Waco, whom the class clothes.

A colorful refreshment plate of orange sherbet, red punch, and pastel colored cake logs with Easter favors were served.

Attending were Meses. Harry Hoyer, A. E. Marlow, Emmett Osborne, H. P. Snyder, Don Losher, Dan Leitch, I. T. Goodnight, C. F. Walton, Glenn Radcliff, J. B. White, members, and Meses. J. C. Cox, O. O. Fee, the Rev. and Mrs. E. B. Bowen, and Miss Barbara Kilgore.

### GLORIFYING YOURSELF

By ALICIA HART

Going parading Easter? Then you ought to be getting in your beauty routines right now. This year you can accomplish more than usual by taking a course or a class in a good salon, for everywhere they are offering double-duty services for wartime.

For instance, one outstanding house is giving special courses in wartime beauty techniques that even include schedules for balanced meals.

**GUARDING HEALTH EMPHASIZED**

The salient points of home care of the face, neck and hands are also taught right along with the principles of make-up. In the same course, which lasts four weeks, the client gets salon treatments that include re-styling of the hair and a private physical-fitness and posture lesson.

Of course, as any good salon expert will tell you if you're interested, all the treatments in Fifth Avenue are no substitute for those three essentials of health—adequate sleep, regular exercise, and a balanced diet. So you might begin your conditioning-for-Easter-and-then-into-treating-yourself-to-those-beauty-requisites.

Sleep and exercise needs are pretty universally recognized, but the demands of a good diet still are not. Just to remind you, here's what experts agree is essential—and for every single day:

One pint of milk, a serving of meat or fish or poultry, with servings of fruit, including one of citrus fruit or else tomato juice, two servings of vegetables, including at least one green or yellow vegetable, two servings of bread or cereal, butter, and six glasses of water.

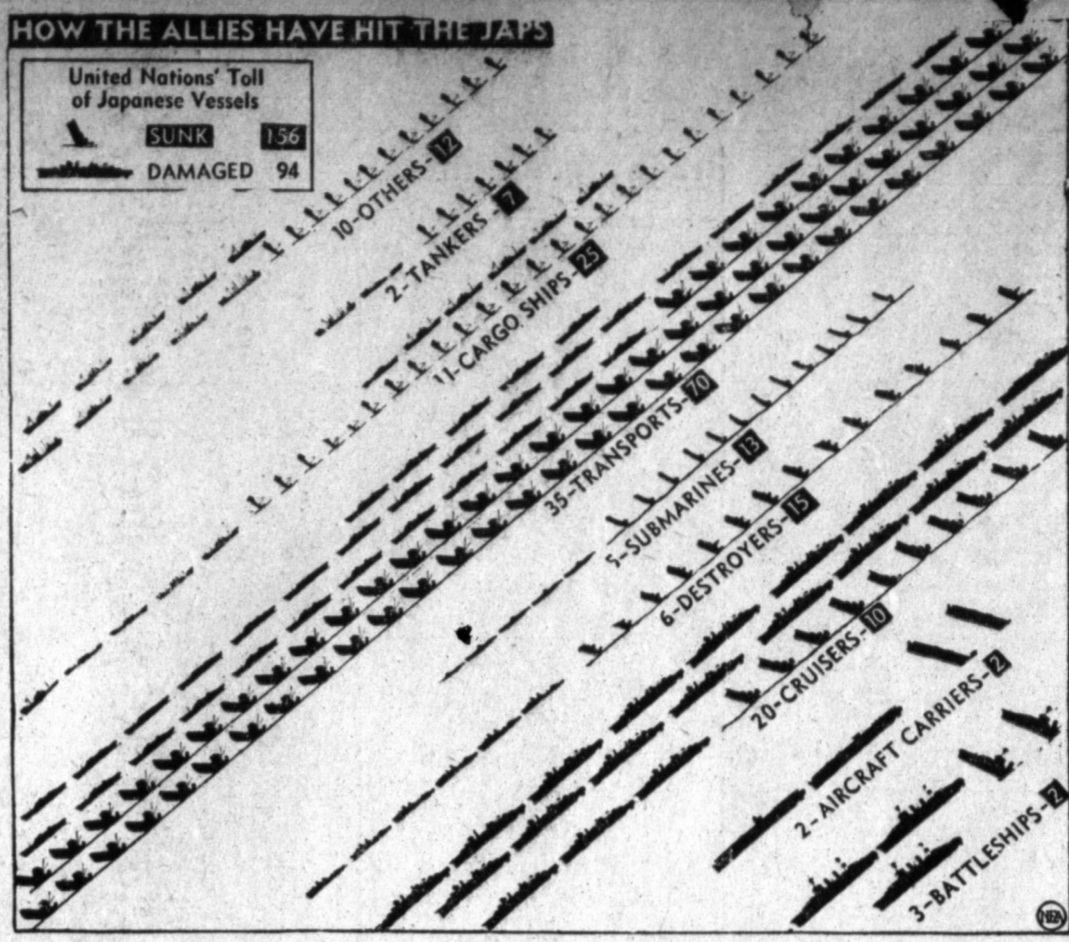
**BUY VICTORY STAMPS**

**ELIMINATE DUST**

Keeping the floor of clothes closets clean will prevent dust rising and settling on clothing stored therein. Wipe up the floor occasionally with a clean cloth wrung out of warm soapy water.

**BUY VICTORY BONDS**

Coconut, chopped nuts or minced candied fruits sprinkled on top, puts a breakfast food in dessert class when topped with maple cream, lemon sauce or brown sugar and cinnamon.



Besides these 250 ships sunk or damaged by United Nations forces, Japan has lost more than 500 airplanes and thousands of troops since the Pacific war began. U. S. planes and warships have accounted for about half of the Jap vessels hit; a third of them went down in Macassar Strait and Java Sea battles.

### Farish Denies Standard Delayed Rubber Production

WASHINGTON, March 31 (AP)—W. S. Farish, president of the Standard Oil company of New Jersey, described today as without "a shadow of foundation" testimony that the company had prevented or delayed development of synthetic rubber in the United States.

"The facts and the record," he told the Senate Defense Investigating committee, "are exactly to the contrary."

Farish appeared before the committee to reply to testimony by Thurman Arnold, assistant attorney general in charge of anti-trust enforcement, that the company had frustrated development of synthetic rubber in the United States as a result of cartel agreements made with I. G. Farben of Germany before the United States entered the war.

"Any charges that the Standard Oil company or any of its officers has been in the slightest respect disloyal to the United States as a result of cartel agreements made with I. G. Farben of Germany before the United States entered the war," Farish asserted, reading from a statement.

"I repel all such insinuations with all the vigor at my command. I do so with indignation and resentment. Moreover, I wish to assert with conviction that whether the several contracts made with the I. G. did or did not fall within the borders set by the patent statutes or the Sherman act, they did insure greatly to the advance of American industry and more than any other one thing war activities in aviation gasoline, toluol and explosives, and in synthetic rubber itself."

Arnold had testified that the cartel agreements had "frustrated the creation of an American synthetic rubber industry."

Farish said it was "entirely untrue" that "as late as 1939 Standard was engaged in an effort to establish hydro-generation plants in Occupied France."

He testified also that it was untrue that after the fall of France, Standard assisted German interests to establish hydro-generation plants in Occupied France.

He described as "unfounded" any allegation that "Standard made shipments to Italian and German air lines in Brazil, contrary to the wishes of the state department."

He acknowledged that Standard had a subsidiary, planned in 1938 or 1939 to erect at Hamburg, Germany, a plant for producing aviation gasoline.

"As a German corporation, operating in Germany (with which country we were not then at war)," Farish said, "it could not have done otherwise."

Farish also told the committee that in July, 1941, Standard received from I. G. Farben an offer of \$24,000,000 in gold, to be delivered at Lisbon, for its Hungarian properties.

"Under advice from the state department and the economic defense board," he testified, "the offer was not accepted."

Farish also took cognizance of testimony that "in 1939 Standard entered into an arrangement with I. G. called the Hagie agreement—adjusting their relations to the situations brought about by the war in Europe; in which he it noted the United States was not then involved."

"This arrangement," he said, "was both reasonable and expedient and in the interests of the United States."

Farish asserted that "Standard has no apologies to make for the part it has played and is now playing in the development of synthetic rubber," adding that, "continuously, from January 1939, Standard has been in the forefront of those advocating an adequate government synthetic rubber program to provide tires for American automobiles."

### Placards Can Be Obtained At C-C On Friday

Beginning Friday, Pampans and others who have filled out the registration blank printed in this newspaper for persons who wish to obtain Army Day placards, can obtain placards at the chamber of commerce in the city hall.

You don't have to fill out a blank to march or ride in the parade here on Army Day, April 1, if you want a placard with the name of a relative in the armed forces to be seen in the parade, you will need to fill out the blank.

Now, here's what you do:

1. Fill out the Army Day parade placard blank in this paper.
2. Bring the blank, when completely filled out to The Pampa News.
3. The News will then turn over your blank to Malcolm Denson, who is parade arrangements chairman.
4. Chairman Denson will see to it that a placard is painted for you, mercer office Friday and pick up your placard.
5. Call at the Chamber of Commerce.
6. You will receive two placards, one for each side of your car.
7. Remember, if you intend to walk in the parade, you will get a placard, but you will have to supply your own pole or standard.

The placards are of large size, approximately 30 inches long by 22 inches wide. There'll be no difficulty in reading the names as the letters are 4 inches high. A sample one reads as follows:

R. S. MARLIER  
COAST ARTILLERY  
HAWAII

Upper and lower lines are in red; center, designating branch of service, in blue.

The time is drawing short, so hurry up and get your blanks in now. It requires time to make these placards, and if you want to honor a relative in service, it's up to you.

Remember, there's going to be a thousand soldiers from Camp Barkeley, Abilene, in this parade, and you'll sure want to join in the biggest and best parade of all time in Pampa. The parents of the boys who are serving on Barkeley, the army navy and marine corps men, will lead the parade, while the contingent from Camp Barkeley will be last. Reason for this is that such an arrangement will permit those others who march in the parade to have time to see the soldiers.

**BUY VICTORY BONDS**

Lake of the Woods county, Minn., lies farther north than any other section of the United States.

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The ananas fish of India keeps trees to seek water in the leaves when streams go dry and it is unable to find any elsewhere.



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You'll understand why we're so proud of these new spring suits when you see them and try them on. They're the kind of suits that go beyond ordinary comfort and style—they're the suits that are tops for practicability and all-around service—a big point now that clothing may have to last us a little longer due to Defense requirements. So buy the best suit you possibly can. See our collection of worsteds, coverts, tweeds, gabardines and flannels.

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### Gulf Discontinues All Special Events And Award Days

Gulf Oil corporation has discontinued for the duration of the war all special dinners, "Service Award" days, and outings in connection with the presentation of service award certificates and emblems to employees.

The company has announced, however, that it desires to preserve the "spirit and purpose of the Service Award Plan"; and that all employees entitled to the jeweled emblems and certificates will receive them this year.

In line with this change in policy due to the war emergency, awards and certificates will be informally presented this week to 32 Panhandle employees of the pipe line and production departments.

The Panhandle men honored in this presentation are among the 2,496 Gulf employees throughout the country who currently are receiving their awards for having completed 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35 and 40 years of service with the company. During the three years that have elapsed since Gulf started its service award plan more than one out of three of Gulf's 33,000 employees have been recognized for their service records of 10 years or more. The average term of employment for all Gulf employees is slightly more than seven and one-half years.

The following Panhandle employees will receive 20-year awards: James R. Duff, Ray Ragland and Charles Vavirka of the production department and Jerry R. Wilson of the pipe line department.

Included in the list of those receiving 15-year awards are: William F. Beadle, John L. Burba, Leonard Cannon, Robert N. Dodd, James H. Fish, Clarence P. Gibson, William H. Glenn, Jay L. Hawley, Cleon G. Hucksins, Otis L. Lester, William H. Mays, Fontaine M. Parker, Vern E. Reichard, William Alexander Roberts, David F. Russell and Cleaton B. Stubbs of the production department and Clarence W. Atkins and James W. Richmond of the pipe line department.

### Troop 14 Far In Front At Honor Court

Boy Scout troop 14 of the First Presbyterian church jumped far in front on the district Court of Honor Ladder last night with three boys receiving star rank, their assistant scoutmaster receiving a 10-year award, and 18 boys receiving a total of 23 merit badges.

The Rev. Robert Boshen, chairman, presided, assisted by Dr. C. H. Schulke, George W. Briggs and L. E. Frary.

The court was the largest of the year and was well attended by parents of boys and scouters.

The following awards were made: Second class—Ivan Marlin and James Kinzer, Troop 4; James Niver, Sammy Haynes, Richard Scheig, Harold Kennedy, Vernon Valentine, Troop 15; Tommy McLaughlin, Joe Ogden, Vernon Wood, Jr., Troop 19; Johnnie Winget, Troop 27.

First Class—Charles Laffoon, Troop 21.

Star—Wayne Fahle, Jack Roberts, Richard McCune, Troop 14; Lonnie Williams, Troop 19.

Life—Doye Ray Bridges, Troop 21; Ten year veteran award—James A. McCune, assistant scoutmaster Troop 14.

Merit Badges—Troop 14—Richard McCune, scholarship, first aid, reading; Brent Blankvist, handicraft; Warren Fathere, firemanship, pathfinding; C. A. Huff, Jr., music; Cecil Link, animal industry; Gerald Bedenbender, animal industry; Jack Roberts, art, pathfinding; Dale Thul, civics; Neely Joe Ellis, dog care; Frank Perry, Jr., public health; David Levine, personal health; Tom Darby, Jr., personal health; Wesley Geiger, personal health; Jack Perry, personal health; Billy Dixon, stamp collecting; Wayne Fahle, firemanship; Frank Fraunf, pathfinding; Troop 15—Don Humphreys, reading; Troop 19, Lonnie Williams, public health, wood carving, civics; Troop 21—Virgil Fish, first aid; Doye Ray Bridges, athletics; Troop 30—Billy Hutchinson, animal industry.

The runs on the Court of Honor Ladder were placed as follows: First, Troop 14; second, Troop 15; third, Troop 19; fourth, Troop 20; fifth, Troop 18; sixth, Troop 27; seventh, Troop 4; eighth, Troop 21; ninth, Troop 16; tenth, Troop 30; eleventh, Troop 17.

**BUY VICTORY BONDS**

A servant pours scented water over the "eating heart" before a meal in Morocco.

### SADLER

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those who opposed the order were people who created wealth by hard work and that oil shutdowns injured the citizenship at large.

Sadler relayed his answer to Moore by way of Austin newsmen: "There is a pipeline running from your district to Chicago, and if you will place your mouth on one end x x and suck as hard as you have been blowing x x x you will have a canal excavated that will relieve the transportation problems regarding oil caused by Axis submarines."

"We also have a line running from here to New York State," Moore retorted last night, "and if I sucked on that line to pull the oil through, from your kind of proration, we wouldn't get anything but your hot air."

"I also want to tell you that if the way you help labor is by flying round in an airplane, this next month's order would help them all out of a job."

Moore had asserted that he was giving his salary back to the city, and Sadler replied that he had paid over more than his salary to travel by plane to Washington in an effort to help "the working oil man."

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### EASTER BONNETS

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### Marriage Of Edna Neath And A. H. Brewer Solemnized

In a simple ceremony solemnized at the Mayo hotel in Tulsa on March 28, Mrs. Edna Neath became the bride of A. H. Brewer. The Rev. W. H. Murphy, Jr., Presbyterian minister, officiated.

Attending the couple were Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Cornell.

The couple is now at home in Pampa, where Mr. Brewer is superintendent of Dyke Oil company.

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59-Money to Loan
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Political Calendar The Pampa News has been authorized to present the names of the following citizens as candidates for election.

70-Repairs-Service
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71-Repairs-Service
FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE: J. C. CLENDENIN, G. J. JAKE, G. J. JAKE, G. J. JAKE.

72-Repairs-Service
FOR CONSTABLE PRECINCT 1: C. S. CLENDENIN, G. J. JAKE, G. J. JAKE, G. J. JAKE.

73-Repairs-Service
FOR CONSTABLE PRECINCT 2: JACK ROSS, ROY PEARCE, EARL LEWIS.

How U. S. War Production Will Zoom in '42 and '43



Planes, tanks, guns and ships—U. S. war industries will turn them out with skyrocketing increases in 1942 and 1943.

ANSWERS TO CRANIUM CRACKERS

Questions on Editorial page
1. Lieut. John D. Billekey commanded tiny torpedo boat which slipped into Jap-held harbor.

YOUR CHANCES OF BEING DRAFTED IF THE WAR LASTS FOR FIVE YEARS. Illustration of soldiers and a chart showing draft ages.

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## No One Owns More Than Single Share

Deadline for Pampa baseball fans to say "yes or nay" regarding the moving of the Big Spring franchise to Pampa has been extended to Wednesday night by President Milton Price of the West Texas-New Mexico league. Men raising the necessary \$5,000 and all fans interested in a team for Pampa will meet in the county courtroom at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday night to make final reports after which Chairman Ray McKernan will call President Price.

Up to last night \$4,000 of the necessary \$5,000 had been laid down in cash and several promises had been received. They will not be counted until the cash accompanies the promise, Chairman McKernan said today.

Up to the present no one owns more than one share of stock in the club. Shares sell for \$50. In this way no person has a chance to dictate. If a person cannot purchase a full share he and a friend, or friends, can buy a share but it is placed in one man's name.

Should the deal go through, and everyone is optimistic, Dick Ratliff

## Detroit Sells Buck Newsom To Washington

**BUCK NEWSOM**  
LAKELAND, Fla., March 31 (AP)—Friend Louis (Buck) Newsom, the loquacious baseball pitcher, will do his talking now from Washington.

will move to Pampa from Big Spring on Thursday and will immediately call for spring training to begin. He has several of last year's players on the dotted line and he has a bunch of rookies on call.

President Price has announced that Pampa will play the Big Spring schedule and that another schedule meeting will not be necessary. He said that the Big Spring schedule would benefit both Pampa and Borger since neither would be playing home games at the same time more than once or twice during the season.

The schedule calls for Lamesa to open in Pampa April 28 and 29 with Pampa going to Lamesa the following two days.

Chairman McKernan has issued a plea for all workers to "get out and beat the bushes" so that the necessary \$5,000 will be available Wednesday night. If there's more than that amount in the kitty it will be welcome.

## Basehit Gives Richardson A Contract

**LOS ANGELES, Calif., March 31 (AP)—**One timely basehit plus Connie Mack's sentiment—has finally landed a major league contract for Kenneth Franklin Richardson.

The 26-year-old rookie filled in at first base for the Athletics all spring during Dick Seibert's long holdout.

When Seibert agreed to terms Sunday, Connie told Richardson there was no place for him on the club roster and ordered him back to the Williamsport, Pa., Interstate league team.

It was another in a series of bad bounces for Kenneth, a native of San Bernardino, Calif. He thought at last he had made the big time after eight years of minor league baseball in Los Angeles, Ponca City, Okla., Moline, Ill., Jersey City, Minn., and Chattanooga, Ga., and Williamsport.

"Is there anything I didn't do?" he asked Connie. He's played three infield positions and the outfield.

"No," replied Mack, "you did a great job—but with Seibert back I can't use you."

"Okay," said Richardson, "but I'd like to stay in Los Angeles for a few days to make arrangements for Mrs. Richardson. We expect a baby in a August. And do you mind if I go with the team to San Quentin tomorrow?"

Mack said that would be all right. The prison team battled the A's to a standstill and Connie was irked when the game went into the eighth with score 1-1. He sent Richardson into left field.

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On Sunday afternoon Pampa's traveling women's team topped 2,412 pins to take three games from Guyton, Okla. Mrs. Hines blasted 519 pins and Mrs. Murphy 508. A men's team representing Pampa won two out of three from Borger while another Pampa team composed mostly of new bowlers lost two out of three to Guyton.

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### Reporter Dives With Submarine, Calls It Thrill

By JOHN A. MOROSO, 3D  
 ABOARD AN AMERICAN SUBMARINE IN THE ATLANTIC. (AP)—The admiral told me going down in a submarine was like going down into your cellar.

"I found it just as easy. The main difference is that the sub is a darn sight cleaner."

Sailing along 140 feet below the white-capped waters is almost like nothing at all. The fearful things I had heard about submarines evaporated rapidly as I watched the teamwork of an American crew send the depth gauge spinning slowly around.

There was no particular feeling of pressure or movement.

There is a tense feeling of excitement and a thrill in the scores of gadgets being manipulated by the 13 men in the control room.

I got a scare when I leaned against the diled periscope and suddenly felt water trickling down my sleeve. Lieut. Commander J. F. Davidson, 33, laughed and explained that it was normal for a little water to come in when the oil coagulated.

A group of war correspondents and I, realizing that we will soon be exposed to the exterior end of a torpedo tube, decided that it would

### UNCLE SAM'S 'INVASION TROOPS' MAKE A PRACTICE LANDING



Troops of the 9th infantry division, being trained in landing operations and establishment of bridgeheads, paddle toward shore under simulated artillery fire during drill near Fort Bragg, N. C. Boats carry 10 soldiers each.

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be informative to go down in a friendly ship to see what it was like. There's nothing like knowing just how the enemy operates when he is trying to plug you with 2,500 pounds of metal and TNT.

Operating with its usual efficiency, the navy whisked us from our flagship at an eastern port to a submarine base and a few hours later we were steaming for blue water at 10 knots.

The presence of some dive bombers practicing nearby didn't make us feel too well but Commander Davidson, a resident of Warren, Pa., assured us we were safe.

This lanky officer and his 49 associates put on an excellent demonstration of clockwork as they prepared to dive.

Orders, crisp and fast, crackled

out as we huddled on a freezing, spray-swept deck.

Less than a minute after the order to submerge was given our craft was below the surface and ready for action.

It was a thrill to look through the periscope and to realize that some day one of the Axis henchmen might look through a similar device at the ship I would be on.

We spotted a medium-sized freighter a short time after diving and at 4,000 yards she looked like our periscope and although he knew he was in friendly water he put his stern to us and changed his course.

At 50 feet we had a half-pound of pressure inside the submarine and it wasn't noticeable. At 140 feet

we had about 65 pounds of pressure outside the ship.

Most of the crews in American submarines are volunteers who love the work. They are unhappy when given surface or shore duty and they like the chance for rapid promotion and the authority given a commanding officer.

"It's a thrill to gamble your experience and skill against the sea and the enemy," one officer said.

Some men like the informality in the submarine. Dress is not so important and first names are used.

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### Jap Fliers Put To Shame Over Bataan

By VERN HAUGLAND  
 UNITED STATES ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN AUSTRALIA, March 31. (AP)—Col. Eugene L. Eubank, head of the U. S. bomber command in the Philippines and the Netherlands East Indies, smashed Japanese claims to superior flying ability with a report today that his men shot down 50 enemy pursuit planes in action and sank or seriously damaged 46 transports and 16 warships up to March 1.

The officer gave the first detailed report of bombing operations from the start of the war in the Pacific until the fall of Java, bearing out the previous assertion of Lieut. Gen. George H. Brett, commander of Allied air forces in the Pacific, that the Americans had shot down more than three planes to one.

Col. Eubank, of Fort Arthur, Tex., and Albuquerque, N. M., said the Japanese losses he listed did not include numerous planes destroyed on the ground.

"Our losses in action were extremely low, especially considering the long range of action," he said at a press conference.

"We lost only two planes through pilot error, mistakes in landing, etc. This is a marvelous record and puts the Japanese flying to shame."

He described the heroic work of the bomber command in the Philippines and the Netherlands East Indies, praising officers and enlisted men alike.

The officer did not refer to his own achievements but his name is on the list of many bomber command members mentioned for various awards.

Col. Eubank said the Philippines were not caught unawares by the war. They had been on war alert and ready for enemy operations. A number of missions were carried out Dec. 8 when Clark Field, in the Philippines, was bombed.

He commended the heroic work on that day of Maj. David Gibbs, of Albuquerque; Lieut. Chaplain Joseph Laflair, of Opelousas, La.; Maj. Luther Heidiger, of Richport, Conn.; and Sgt. Anthony Holub, of Coronado, Calif.

Capt. Ray Cox, of Riverside, Cal., and Fred Cummings, of Fort Worth, Texas, went into the burning hang-

ars, started planes and removed many to safety.

The first major American attack on Dec. 10 in the Lingayen Gulf and Vigan area destroyed seven enemy boats, including two warships, and five transports.

The late Capt. Colin Kelly hit a battleship and was shot down on returning to his field.

Others in this action were Maj. Cecil Combs, of Arlington, Tex.; Capt. Donald Kelsor, of San Francisco; Walter Ford, of Albuquerque; James Connally, of Waco, Tex.; Elmer Parsel, of Macon, Ga.; and Edward Bohmker, of Plattville, Wis.; and Lieut. S. Earl Tash, of Walla Walla, Wash., and Elliott Vandevanter, of Washington, D. C.

One instance of good work was a raid against the enemy landing party near Legaspi Bay on Luzon island by planes commanded by Lieut. Vandevanter, Capt. Hewitt Wheelock, of Fresno, Calif.; and Jack Adams, of Anadarko, Okla., said Col. Eubank. "Four enemy fighters were shot down in this encounter, which was in bad weather."

Another nice job was that of Lieut. George Schaezel and Capt. Alvin Mueller, of New Braunfels, Tex., who raided enemy shipping in the Davao Gulf area, he said. "Attacked by enemy aircraft, one of Schaezel's engines went out of commission and he was forced to reduce speed greatly."

Mueller put his plane between Schaezel and the enemy, defend-

ing Schaezel during the entire attack at 20,000 feet altitude. The planes flew nearly 1,200 miles over the open sea, with Mueller's badly damaged by machine-gun fire and Schaezel's slightly damaged. They lost a fine gunner on this operation, Staff Sgt. James Cannon, the colonel said.

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Transparent plastic wing-tip sections, lighted inside, are now being tested as a replacement for ordinary wing-tip lights, now that airplane speeds are rising to a point where the usual red and green running lights need greater range.

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Australia has the only known black opal field in the world.

The 3,056,000 miles of highway in the United States are nearly three times the total road mileage of Great Britain, France, Spain, Italy, and Germany.

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There are still billions of tons of scrap metal lying around our homes, farms, and places of business throughout the nation. The Pampa area is literally saturated with this precious metal that is now the most valuable resource possessed by our nation. We sold the Japs over 12,000,000 tons of this precious metal during the past 10 years. They're shooting it back at our boys now, while our boys in uniform face destruction because of lack of materials and armament. We can get them that armament if we gather our scrap this week.

If you have enough—Sell It! If you have just a little—donate it to the Civilian Defense Council. But—whatever amount you have—GATHER IT TODAY FOR UNCLE SAM!

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## SALVAGE for VICTORY!



# SAVE A SOLDIER'S LIFE BY GETTING IN THE SCRAP

## City Trucks To Call For Junk Metals

Trucks of the city of Pampa are to gather in Pampans' contributions to the cause of freedom as the collection of scrap metal is made this afternoon and tomorrow. Persons having large pieces of scrap metal are asked to telephone the office of the city manager at the city hall.

Sponsored by the Pampa Civilian Defense Council, the Salvage For Victory scrap metal collection is a part of the drive being carried on simultaneously in 10 Panhandle counties during the period starting tomorrow and ending April 5.

L. L. Sone, superintendent of Pampa schools, is chairman of the campaign.



A 2,000-lb. Axial Bomb Requires 100 Pounds of Scrap Metals

When the campaign is over, there shouldn't be a single bit of scrap

metal left in Pampa. It's all needed—every pound of it.

Comb your yards, your attics, your lots. Clean out the lawn-mower that you always intended to repair years ago and never did—the dilapidated iron stove—if you have one of those relics of pre-gas days in Pampa; the broken, worn-out bicycles, tricycles, scooters.

There are lots of things you'll discover, if you get busy at it—lots of articles that accumulate and all of a sudden your storage places are jammed with a lot of junk that is doing you no good, nor anyone else.

Besides giving you this opportunity to clean up, the important thing is that your country needs it, and that metal you contribute may save some American boy's life.

Thousands of Pampa school children have already been at work in the drive, collecting scrap metal and carrying it to their schools, where trucks will pick it up Thursday and move it all to one huge pile on the Junior High school campus.

Friday night, the pile will be lighted. From there it will be taken in trucks to the junk yards, where it will be sold to the dealers. The scrap will be hurried to government channels where it will be made into armaments. Money received from

the sale of scrap metal will go into the local defense council's emergency relief fund.



A 75-mm Howitzer Requires Half a Ton of Scrap Metals

Uncle Sam needs every gun, shell, tank, ship and plane that the American war industries can produce to win this war. The present shortage of scrap metal in this country threatens to slow down war production. You can help speed it up by collecting every piece of scrap iron and steel you have and having it available where it can be picked up.

Scrap metal is needed now more than any other material because it is the No. 1 ingredient. For every three tons of metal in a battleship, tank, howitzer, or anti-aircraft gun, a ton of scrap metal is needed.

Unless more scrap is forthcoming at once, war production will slow down and months, even years, will be added to the conflict.

Beginning at the north, the Nazis are hanging on by their teeth in the Leningrad sector, where the Reds have hammered them back. Remember how some seven months ago Hitler boasted that he had in a sack this great industrial city which is at once the gateway to the Baltic and the heart of Communism?

Southward lies Staraya Russa, where the Bolsheviks have what is left of a Nazi army surrounded and in sorry state. Below and opposite Moscow you will see Rzhev and Vyazma, which lie unhappily within a deep salient and are threatened with encirclement. Next we have Orel, Kursk, and Kharkov—the latter two-thirds surrounded by the Reds—strong points in the line protecting the Nazis in the Ukraine—below this into a great Russian salient reaches out towards Dnieperpetrovsk and then swings back to Salinov.

And finally there is Taganrog, German key position on the Sea of Azov along the route to the Golden Caucasus. It's into the Caucasus that Mother Hubbard Hitler would go in search of oil for her badly lowered crest, and of grain for her empty cupboard.

So there you have some 10 positions along the attenuated line, each the crater of a flaming volcano into which the Nazis are feeding men and materiel with frightful profusity. If the Bolsheviks get those springboards they will have imposed a mighty handicap on Hitler for his offensive, which may easily be the turning point of the war.

But whether the Muscovites capture all these citadels or not—and this should be emphasized—they are making the Germans pay a huge price in lives and equipment. Oh, yes, the Muscovites also are losing many men, but their reservoir of man power is unlimited, and their loss of materiel has been nothing like as heavy as that of the Nazis.

There was a time early in the war when men's lives meant little to the German high command, and when the Nazis were flush with war machines, but that day of plenty is past. We have reached a period when every man and every machine and every ration of food is of much consequence. That's why 1942 is likely to be the crucial year.

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## Today's War Analysis

By DeWITT MacKENZIE  
Wide World War Analyst

We talk a lot about Hitler's spring attack along the Russo-German front, as though it were an event which would arrive on schedule like the five o'clock express, but actually the Fuehrer and Muscovite Stalin are already ironing out their differences in a string of bloody Communism-out-come will vitally influence the trend of the much heralded offensive.

What is going forward now is a series of ferocious encounters for control of key positions which the Nazi chief now holds and needs as springboards for his grand offensive. If you please will glance at your maps of the fighting front we will name these strategic points upon which so much depends.

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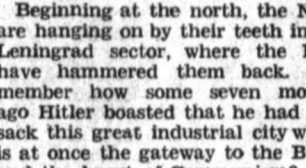
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A 16-inch Naval Shell Requires Half a Ton of Scrap Metals

From 1931 until war began in Europe, we were wearing out our equipment of all kinds and not replacing it. Naturally the makers of equipment slowed down or stopped production and the making of steel dropped as low as 30 per cent of capacity.

During such periods of slack production, worn out metal accumulates in the yards and cellars of individuals, contractors and industries to be brought out and sold when steel production is on the upward swing.

During the latter part of the pre-war period potential enemies came into this country and bought up 17,000,000 tons of our vital scrap. We did what we could to prevent it but the fact is that Japan alone got more than 12,000,000 tons.

Our reservoir of scrap was drained down to the dangerous level before our lend-lease effort started industry on the up-swing.

BUY VICTORY STAMPS

Although official figures for the 12-month period had not been released at this writing, the monthly average passenger volume indicated the airlines carried roughly one million more passengers in 1941 than in 1940.

BUY VICTORY STAMPS

For a different biscuit flavor put some grated orange rind into the dough—one teaspoon for two cups of flour. Use orange juice in place of milk if the biscuits are to side up to fruit salad.

## THIS WEEK IN PAMPA THEATERS

**LaNORA**  
Last times today: Jack Benny and Carol Lombard in "To Be or Not To Be."  
Wednesday and Thursday: Joan Carroll and Edmund O'Brien in "Obliging Young Lady."  
Friday and Saturday: "The Corsican Brothers," with Douglas Fairbanks, Jr.

**REX**  
Last times today: Wild Bill Hickok Rides, with Constance Bennett, Bruce Cabot.  
Wednesday and Thursday: Grace Allen in "Mr. and Mrs. North."

**CROWN**  
Last times today: Chocolate Soldier, with Nelson Eddy, Rise Stevens, Nigel Bruce.  
Wednesday and Thursday: "The Lone Wolf Keeps a Date," with Warren William.  
Friday and Saturday: "Radio Rhythm," with Fred Scott.

## Friday and Saturday: Gene Autry in "Cowboy Serenade."

**STATE**  
Today: Lloyd Nolan and Lynn Bari in "Pier 13."  
Wednesday and Thursday: "International Squadron," with Ronald Reagan.  
Friday and Saturday: "Underground Rustlers," with the Ransome Busters.

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## SCRAP IS ARMAMENT

A critical shortage of scrap metal now exists in Uncle Sam's war industries. Unless more scrap is forthcoming, war production will slow down. It is of the utmost importance that we get that needed scrap in now. The local "Salvage for Victory" drive is from April 1 to April 4. LET'S ALL GET TO WORK!



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## Dies Faces Threat Of Libel Suit

WASHINGTON, March 31 (AP)—The threat of a libel suit, faced Chairman Dies (D-Tex.) of the house committee on un-American activities today as a result of his charges that "at least 35 high officials" of the Board of Economic Warfare had been affiliated with Communist-front organizations.

David B. Vaughan, chief of the board's administrative management division, said in a statement: "I am making inquiries through my attorney to see whether Mr. Dies' statement is privileged. If it is not, I will ask that action be instituted against Mr. Dies for libel."

Dies made public his charges Sunday and Vice-President Wallace, chairman of the Economic Warfare board, to whom Dies wrote demanding removal of the officials, immediately defended those charged and contended Dies' statement was worthy of having been made by a German propagandist. The letter was put in the appendix of the Congressional Record yesterday by Rep. Cox (D-Ga.).

Last night Dies announced he would recommend that the committee invite Wallace to appear before it and also that it supply him with all data available to it to support the charges.

MOVIES AND DRIVE TO NAB PICKPOCKETS

MEXICO CITY (AP)—Movie-goers here can look over the pictures of the city's most notorious pickpockets and sneak thieves now while they wait for seats at a super-production.

The police force, which posts pictures of a new cast of characters every week in the movie lobbies, put this notice under the photographs: "Possibly this criminal is beside you now. Be careful!"

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## RED GOOSE SHOES FOR BOYS AND GIRLS

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It's Easter-time Dress Up! Buy Your Shoes Where the Choice is Big

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# Get Your Scrap Metal For Them So They Can SCRAP FOR YOU



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You Are Helping The Japs And Nazis When You Keep That  
**MACHINE GUN**  
**HIDDEN IN YOUR BACK YARD**

**TURN YOUR  
SCRAP  
INTO  
"BULLETS  
For The Japs"**

Whatever you do, don't overlook the smallest piece of scrap metal! In itself, that one small, insignificant piece is probably worthless --- but it's the accumulation of all such pieces that is urgently needed right NOW! When one or more of Pampa's 3000 school children call on you during the next few days, give them that small amount of metal. They have been doing a grand job buying stamps and bonds, but now they and you actually have something to do with this war --- something that you can do with your hands --- so pitch in and help! And remember --- the smallest piece will go a long way in helping to "Set The Rising Sun."

**MAKE YOUR  
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SERIAL STORY

MEXICAN MASQUERADE

BY CECIL CARNES

THE STORY: Allan Steele posing as a magazine photographer, seeks Dr. Sargent and daughter, on U. S. station in Mexico's Peninsula, who have disappeared; also news of Harry Bishop, mentioned by mysterious injection while on same mission. Bishop, found, is noted only as "the yellow devil"; Allan, after meeting with assistant Col. Escobar, is taken to the Guard, checks in at Inn of Thousand Delights, quizzes its proprietor, Sun Su, an "Oriental working with U. S. Sun Su tells him there is Japanese cannery on nearby island that "obscured and evil" Eurasian girl connected with it is often seen with Col. Escobar. Allan meets here—Senator Steele, Miss Minor.

THE COLONEL—TRAITOR?

CHAPTER VI

"YOU are most polite, senator!" she acknowledged, and while her dark eyes held his, the smile grew faintly provocative. "We will meet again—later!"

Then she and the smile and the delicate fragrance were gone, tapping toward the patio. Sun Su touched a bell, and when an Indian boy answered the call, directed him to get Allan's bags from the car and place them in room 7.

"What's her name—Minor?" "Asia Minor." The Chinese must have noticed the half-trilling lift of the American's brows for he spread his hands again in deprecatory fashion. "It is not a jest, senator. I have seen her passport; it was issued by the British government in India and is quite in order. From another source I have learned her father was an English ship captain who married an Indian woman in Calcutta. No doubt he had a sense of humor, for he insisted on naming their daughter 'Asia.'"

"Well—no matter what she's called, she belongs up in Hollywood," said Allan with conviction. "She'd knock them cold. If you have an opportunity, you might mention to Senator Minor that I'm prepared to be her slave!"

Whereupon it was the proprietor's brows that went up. Allan left them there and snatched himself an hour's rest in the Indian boy and the bags. In a wall mirror, as he left the lobby for a narrow corridor, he had a fleeting glimpse of Sun Su leaning across the desk and staring after him in obvious perplexity.

Asia! It sounded strange at first, but after he had repeated it a few times it began to be rather attractive. A Eurasian, he mused, starting to shed his damp garments when the boy had led him to the privacy of a cool dark bedroom.

A British subject, and something of a pariah in his native land; cast out by the Indian government and cold-shouldered by

the British. That meant she probably hated the English, mused Allan, which would account for her throwing in with a Japanese outfit, especially if the wily Nipponese were up to something which would be to the detriment of England.

"It all fits in!" he muttered, slipping into a bathrobe. He laughed at the recollection of Sun Su's disapproving countenance. "Watch out for your laurels, my gallant Colonel Escobar! Until I find out if she knows anything about the Sargents or poor Harry Bishop, I'm going to make a strong bid for your Asia's tenderest affections!"

He wandered down the hall, tracing the noise of running water to its source, and in another minute was stretched out in a tub of cool water.

He believed he was on the track of something, though of just what he couldn't yet determine. "The yellow devil!" That was the one lead he had from poor mad Harry, but what better description could you want of a mysterious Japanese group who objected to anybody spying on them?

What could be their secret racket, if any? He weighed some of the more obvious possibilities. A submarine base? No, hardly that way up in the Gulf of California. A heavily fortified depot for war materials? Perhaps, though again the location did not suggest such a scheme. A supply base for sea-planes and bombers? A base complete with repair shops, oil tanks and ammunition?

"More like it!" he decided, finishing his ablutions with a shower. "But what would that have to do with the missing Sargents?"

He had to give that one up for the time being, he told himself. Dry and deliciously cool, he went back to his room, threw himself on the snowy bed and relaxed.

He began to formulate several plans of campaign. His first care would be to check up on the fishing company, working always cautiously if only from respect for what had happened to Harry Bishop.

There were various promising angles of approach—and easily the most appealing was the alluring Asia! He might get some hint from her of what was afoot if he played the game carefully. At least it would be no hardship to have a mild flirtation with the lady in the hope of sneaking a fast one through her defenses.

Presently he heard the sound of a measured step and the ring of spurs from the patio, upon which the window of his room opened

Came the scraping of chairs, followed by the murmur of two voices, a man's and a woman's.

HE stole to his window and looked cautiously through a crack in its shutter. Yes! Asia and Colonel Escobar, nose to nose at a small table some twenty yards distant. They were talking earnestly, and Allan would have given much to know the subject of conversation. He saw Escobar take a long white envelope, backed with sealing-wax, from the breast pocket of his tunic and slip it across the table to Asia; and he saw the young woman put it carefully in her handbag and close the catch securely.

He did a quick problem in angles and distances. If he wasn't mistaken, the bathroom down the hall might easily be within earshot of the couple.

He sped down the deserted hall, his bare feet soundless on the red-tile flooring. Into the bathroom—lock the door—across the room to the window! It was all a matter of seconds. Then he was listening—hard! Escobar was speaking, his voice light but with an undertone of seriousness.

"And when, dear lady, am I to receive the reward you promised me? Could I do more than I have to prove my devotion?"

"It will be soon—now!" Allan had to strain his already strained ears to catch the low response. "You'll have no reason to regret your kindness to me, Alfredot This—what you have done for me—will literally save my life!"

"I hope it won't cost me mine," said the colonel good-humoredly. "For my sake, querida mia, never let anyone guess who gave you what's in that envelope. Even for your dear sake, I've no desire to face a firing squad at dawn. And now—let's talk of more agreeable things. My reward, for instance. . . ."

Allan found himself curiously uninterested in the colonel's reward. He went back to his bedroom and started dressing.

So Sun Su had sized up Escobar correctly, he reflected. Moreover, the shrewd Chinaman's comment and the remarks Allan had just overheard matched perfectly with the incident of the "friend" who had hurled the epithet "Traitor!" at the colonel of rurales. No reasonable doubt of his perfidy could remain.

"Seemed like such a decent fellow, too," summed up the American half regretfully. "As he said himself, you can't believe in anybody any more, or figure what they may be up to!"

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L'L ABNER

A Jerque At Work

By AL CAP



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What About Present Company?

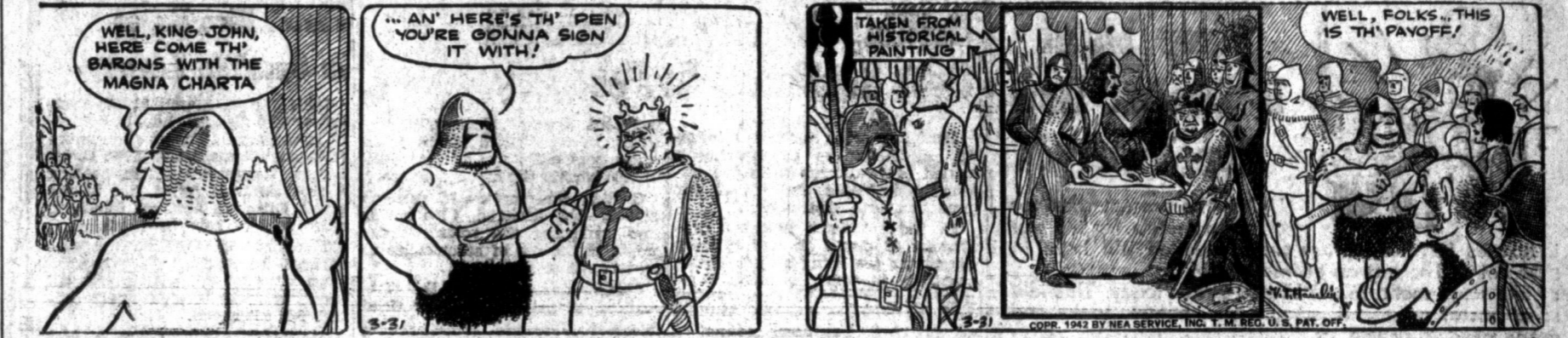
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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

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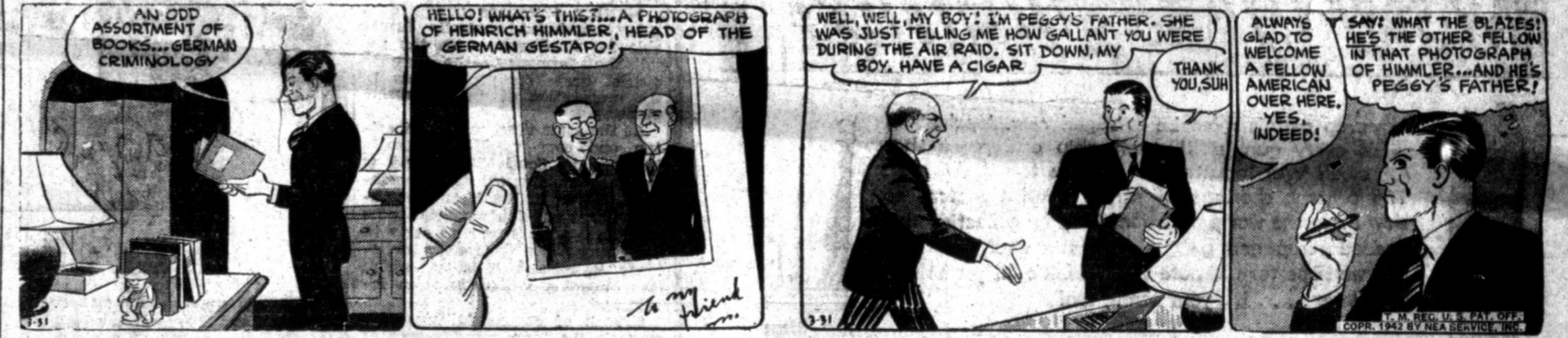
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BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

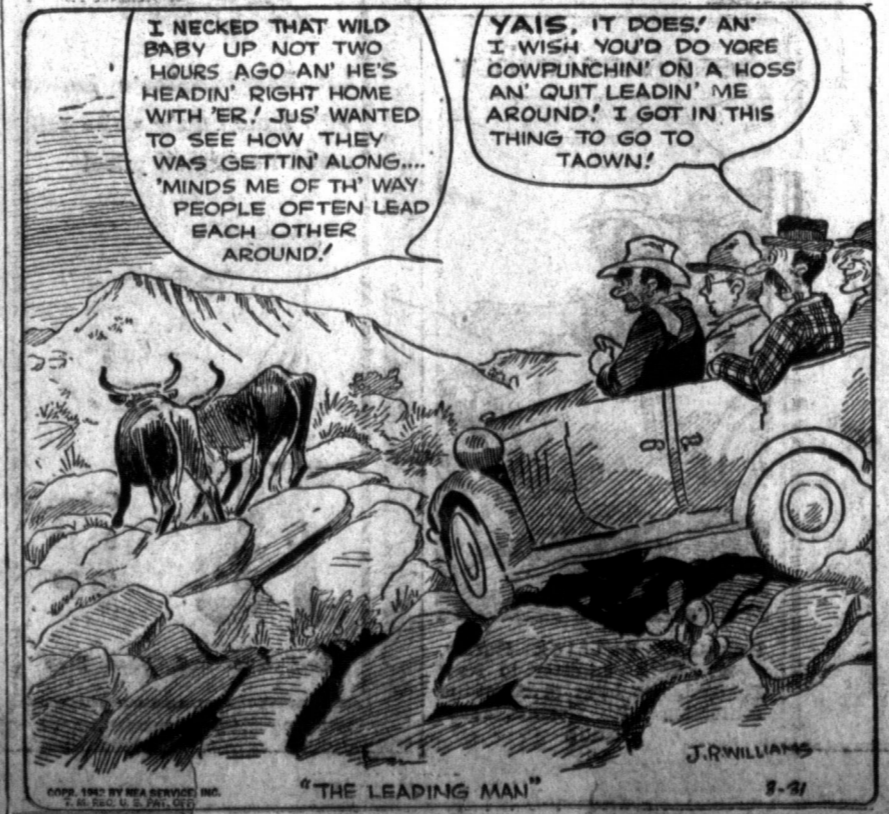
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OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. WILLIAMS



OUR BOARDING HOUSE

with MAJOR HOOPLE



Lew Ayres Leaves For Conscientious Objector's Camp

HOLLYWOOD, March 31 (AP)—Lew Ayres as the boyish, war-hating German soldier who died trying to catch a butterfly on No-Man's land made screen history a dozen years ago in "All Quiet on the Western Front."

It was a poignant scene, that death on the battlefield—a dramatic summation of the hate that young soldier had for war.

Today handsome, moody Lew Ayres was speeding by train to Wythe, near Portland, Ore., to take his place in a camp for conscientious objectors to war.

Ayres, better known in recent years as the humanitarian young physician in the "Dr. Kildare" series, left quite a last night. Even his studio didn't know of his plans—or of his plea for classification as a conscientious objector.

It was left for the chairman of his draft board, A. H. Peir, to confirm the fact. Ayres, 33, had been classified as 1-A. He asked for the other rating because of religious reasons—"A sort of religion of his own," Peir said.

"The plea is the hardest of all for a board to decide. We finally came to the conclusion that his objections to army service were sincere. That's about all there is to the matter."

He did add that Ayres case had been reviewed by the Department of Justice and the United States attorney general's office, usual in cases of this kind.

Wallace Angrily Replies To Dies

WASHINGTON, March 31 (AP)—Two representatives, Cox (D-Ga.) and Mason (R-Mt.), Monday criticized the employment of Maurice Parmelee as principal economist for the board of economic warfare and said that charges made against Parmelee by Chairman Dies (D-Tex.) of the house committee on un-American activities were "amply supported."

Dies made public a letter yesterday directed to Vice President Wallace, head of the economic warfare board, containing charges that at least 35 high officials of the board had been connected with Communist front groups and demanding that they be removed from their jobs.

Wallace immediately issued a statement describing the Dies charges as worthy of having been made by an Axis propagandist.

Cox told the house he regretted Wallace's "rather bitter attack" on Dies and expressed hope that vice president would not be "jockeyed into the position" of defending Parmelee, who is the author of a book on nudism.

Exhibiting what he said was a copy of Parmelee's book, Cox commented that Dies' "remoteness"

HOLD EVERYTHING



"Well, well! It's a pleasure to look into your bright and shining faces!"

FUNNY BUSINESS



"It's the doctor's wife buying eggs again!"

### Supreme Court Rules On Unions And Picketing

WASHINGTON, March 31 (AP)—The supreme court divided 5 to 4 today to uphold a Texas state law which restricted picketing to the area within which a labor dispute arises.

In another labor decision, the court ruled 8 to 1 in favor of a labor board contention that the National Labor Relations act prohibits a company and a union from entering into a closed shop contract if the union had been assisted by any "unfair labor practices" by the company.

Justice Reed delivered this decision, applying to a closed shop agreement between the Electric Vacuum Cleaner Company, Inc., of Cleveland, Ohio, and five American Federation of Labor affiliates.

In the Texas case, Justice Frankfurter spoke for the majority in ruling that two labor unions had no right to picket a Houston cafe in order to present to the public contentions that the owner had granted a contract for construction a mile distant to a person asserted to be unfair to the unions. Frankfurter said the picketing constituted a violation of the Texas anti-trust law.

"Recognition of peaceful picketing as an exercise of free speech," Frankfurter asserted, "does not imply that the states must be without power to confine the sphere of communication to that directly related to the dispute."

"Restriction of picketing to the area of the industry within which a labor dispute arises leaves open to the disputants other traditional modes of communication."

"To deny to the states the power to draw this line is to write into the constitution the notion that every instance of peaceful picketing—anywhere and under any circumstances—is necessarily a phase of the controversy which provoked the picketing."

Justices Black, Douglas, Murphy and Reed dissented on the ground that restriction of the picketing by Texas violated constitutional guarantees of free speech. Black contended that the information which the picketers sought to give the public was information which they "were privileged to impart and the public was entitled to receive."

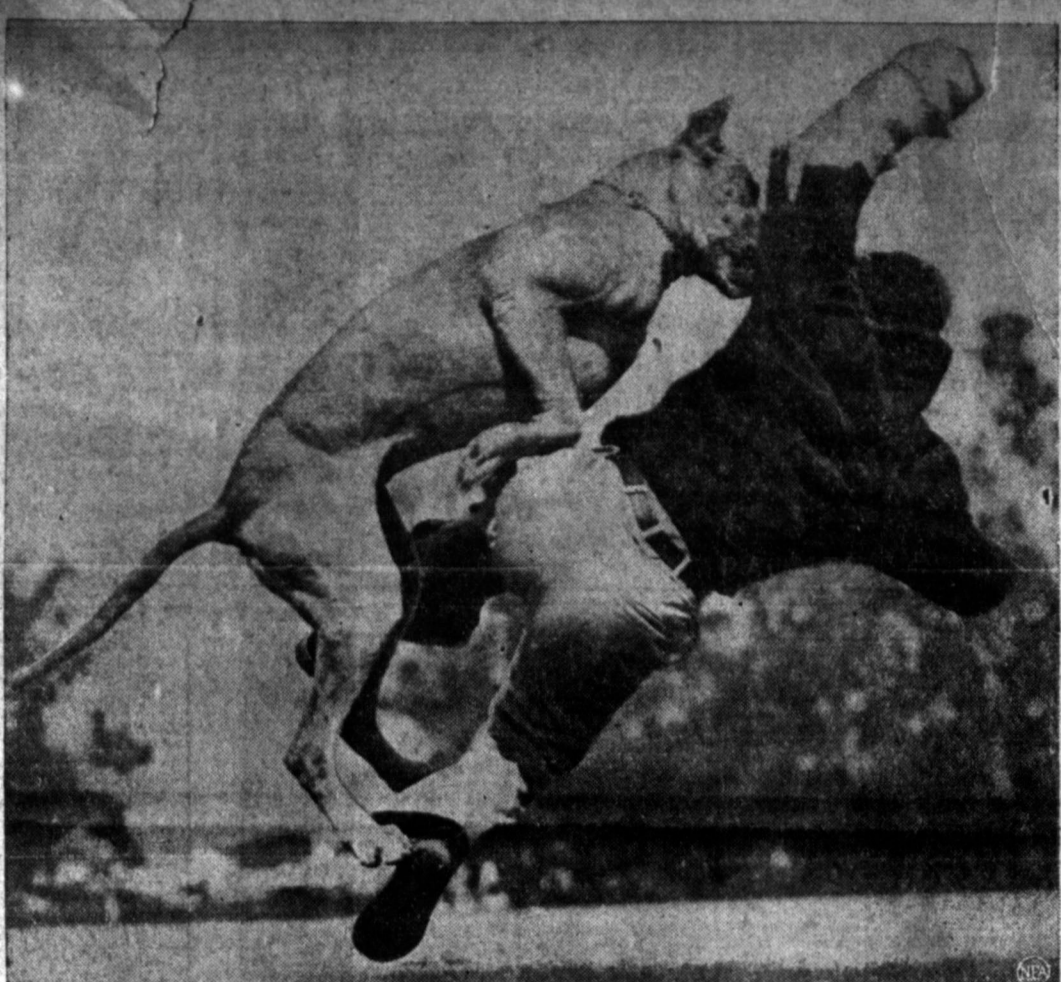
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### Icelanders Aren't So Cold Says LaGrone

HOUSTON, March 31 (AP)—Sgt. Michael Stefanowicz, who reported from Philadelphia that the climate and girls in Iceland were exactly alike, must not have gotten around much, said Marine Lieut. Max LaGrone today.

LaGrone, who returned yesterday from a six-months tour of duty on the island, said Stefanowicz possibly had gained that impression from the fact that native Icelanders last November began shearing the heads of all girls seen in the company of marines or soldiers—an effective way of retarding romance.

"This antipathy quickly disappeared, however, Lieut. LaGrone said, and now Icelanders are frequent guests at soldiers' parties and soldiers and marines are in turn invited to the homes of natives."



HITLER HASN'T CONQUERED THIS DANE — Prince Carl, a great dane, shows how he'd like to handle the conquerors of Denmark as he demonstrates tactics he's learning as an Army dog. Beverly Allen is the victim in Pasadena.

### JAPS' POCKET SUBS OF MEXICAN ORIGIN?

MEXICO CITY (AP)—A Mexican banker says the pocket submarines the Japanese used in the attack on Pearl Harbor appear similar to one he invented and turned over to the foreign ministry in 1935.

Gonzalo Saunano Anita, of the Agricultural Credit bank, said the published descriptions and pictures appear to describe the same machine he invented. He said if they were built from his plans, the plans must have been taken from the Foreign Relations files because he did not discuss them with any foreign government.

### Sadler 'Gets Back' At Electra Mayor

AUSTIN, March 31 (AP)—Member Jerry Sadler of the Railroad commission today made public an answer to Mayor T. Leo Moore of Electra who had taken issue with the commissioner's assertion that oil men who protested the April crude production slash were motivated by dollars rather than patriotism.

"There is a pipe line running from your district to Chicago," Sadler wrote the mayor, "and if you will place your mouth on one end of this pipe line and suck as hard as you have been blowing, in a short time you will have a canal excavated that will relieve the transportation problems caused by Axis submarines."

Asking Sadler several questions, the mayor said he was giving his salary back to the city and that citizens in his area had "built and created what we have by hard work."

He added "we hate to see it go down with the stroke of a pen."

Sadler answered that for three years he had paid his own expenses in traveling more than 6,000 miles monthly by plane in effort to "help the working man, the oil operators" and to aid "those in Washington interested in the welfare of our state and nation."

The commissioner asserted the federal bureau of mines selected the oil fields which, providing crude suitable for aviation fuel, were permitted to flow more oil than others.

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### Scrap Metal Is Needed Now For Victory!

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### Drilling Activity Declines All Over Southwest In February

(By The Associated Press)

Business, agriculture, and industry in Texas are undergoing a period of readjustment to the nation's coordinated program of war production and distribution.

In the petroleum industry, production of crude oil and refinery operations are being curtailed substantially in order to bring about a better alignment between supplies and the effective demand. Drilling of new wells has been reduced in order to conserve strategic materials.

At the same time, construction activity is being well sustained due chiefly to large awards for publicly-financed defense projects. Shipments of lumber continued to expand coincident with substantial increases in the volume of new orders.

Cotton consumption at processing establishments in Texas during February was at a slightly slower rate than in that month a year earlier.

Consumer purchases continued well above those of a year ago.

The Federal Reserve bank, analyzing the influence of the war effort upon industry in its monthly business review, reported stocks of motor fuel in Texas increased 18 per cent during February. Inventories in the United States as a whole rose eight per cent to 106,000,000 barrels, the highest of record.

Civilian consumption of gasoline already has declined, the review says, reflecting the voluntary decrease in the use of automobiles to conserve tires and tubes.

Further dislocations in the distribution of petroleum and refined products, resulting from tanker sinkings by enemy submarines and diversion of many additional tankers for military purposes, are having pronounced effects upon operations in the petroleum industry in the southwest.

Rate of drilling activity in this district—comprising all of Texas and parts of Oklahoma, New Mexico and Louisiana—and in the United States further declined in February.

A further expansion in the demand for cotton textiles to supply military requirements was experienced by cotton mills in the United States during February and the first of March.

Value of construction contracts awarded in the eleventh district expanded sharply from January to February, due largely to an increase in awards for publicly-financed projects, most of which will be used directly or indirectly in the war effort.

Weather conditions during February continued generally favorable for field work, with the result that farmers in the eleventh district made further progress in the preparation of soil for spring planting.

At the same time, seeding of cotton and corn made considerable headway in South Texas, and is being gradually extended northward. Snows in North and Northwest Texas and fairly general rains in several areas elsewhere early in March partially relieved a deficiency in surface moisture, which was becoming serious in some localities.

Growth of commercial vegetable crops in the truck growing area of South Texas, which had been good in February, was retarded by low temperatures early in March and some crop damage resulted from frosts and high winds.

Livestock ranges, particularly in the sheep producing area of Southwest Texas, deteriorated further in February as a result of insufficient rainfall and cold nights.

Wheat pastures in North and Northwest Texas are supplying feed for livestock, though not to the extent that was anticipated earlier.

Mohair production in Texas, New Mexico and Arizona during the past year increased three per cent to a peak of 20,800,000 pounds, and cash income of farmers and ranchmen from that source totaled \$12,000,000, compared with \$10,140,000 in 1940.

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More than 300 eggs each are laid by the giant loggerhead turkeys of Florida.

### Forest Fire Rages In Ouachita Range

MENA, Ark., March 31 (AP)—Volunteer fire fighters, hastily recruited from western Kansas and eastern Oklahoma towns, joined U. S. Forest Service Rangers today in battling a six-mile wide forest fire in the scenic Ouachita national forest, 20 miles west of here in Oklahoma.

The Forest Ranger station at Heavener, Okla., reported that "the wind is on our side" and said it expected the blaze to be brought under control this afternoon.

At forest headquarters in Hot Springs, Ark., Jack W. Phillips, administrative assistant to the forest supervisor, declared the conflagration was of incendiary origin and asserted "strong measures have been taken and will be taken to apprehend the guilty parties."

The Heavener Ranger station said the fire had destroyed approximately 2,000 acres of short-leaf pine in a cut-over area along Beech creek, and added that another 1,000 acres might be destroyed before the blaze was brought under control.

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### Sees MacArthur



Brig-Gen. Patrick Hurley, above, U. S. minister to New Zealand, has been in Australia conferring with General MacArthur.

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Want to do something and here's an important job we can do. If you have not already started, get out today, RIGHT NOW, your old scrap metal. Just think—50 pounds are re-usable in a machine gun. Do you have one hidden in your back yard or in your garage? You are aiding the Japs and not your own country. Maybe your son will be needing this machine gun—will it be your own son who will be needing this machine gun? So, don't put the job off, do it NOW—TODAY!

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**Likely Soon**

By STERLING F. GREEN

WASHINGTON, March 31. (AP)—Take it easy, men. The office of price administration says there won't be a razor blade shortage, after all, and it is unnecessary to stock up with them.

People who do that are hoarders, said Dan A. West, director of OPA's consumer division, and besides, "in this case there isn't even a shortage."

The rush for shaving tackle was touched off by last week's war production board order curtailing output of safety razor blades to the monthly average production in 1940. What confused shavers was that the announcement said in one place that an "ample supply" would continue to be available, whereas in another place it said that only "an average of a blade per week per shaver."

West clarified matters today, however, when he reassured shavers that the curtailment order would permit a "completely adequate supply," because it will mean manufacture of at least 2,400,000,000 blades this year. This compares, West reported in a formal statement, with 700,000,000 in 1932, 1,600,000,000 in 1937 and 2,000,000,000 in 1939.

The consumer division spokesman did not explain whether the periodic fluctuation in output was due to shifting styles in facial adornment, prosperity periods, or changes in quality which made blades last longer in some periods than in others.

To complicate OPA's problem in curbing the run on razor blades, WPA yesterday announced that manufacture of electrical dry shavers would be halted May 31, along with about 50 other electrical appliances. Incidentally, lawn mowers were put on the proscribed list effective June 30.

West said the razor blade curtailment could be "three or four times as great" without creating a shaving problem. "A little extra care in shaving and in handling will yield many more shaves per blade," he pointed out, and offered these recommendations:

Before shaving prepare your beard carefully so that hard whiskers, grit and skin oil won't break down the blade. Careful washing and lathering soften the beard and make shaving easier on the blade. Rinse your blade in hot water before using. Rinse the razor with hot water frequently while shaving. Rinse razor and blade well after shaving.

Shake the blade vigorously and dry carefully to avoid rust. Wrap the blade in its own paper covering, "especially if you live in a coastal climate where salt air may erode the metal."

If you have a good blade sharpener at home use it.

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The earth, although vastly large and important to us, is not of much consequence in the solar system. It would be an almost invisible speck to the imaginary inhabitants of Jupiter, Neptune, Pluto, Saturn, or Uranus.

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King George V of England was an ardent philatelist and had agents throughout the world on the lookout for desirable stamps for his collection.

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Pineapple, crushed or cubed, and apples in equal portions make a delicious new member of the Betty pudding group. Serve warm with maple hard sauce, lightly flecked with nutmeg and cinnamon. Put a little grated orange and lemon rinds into the pudding for extra flavor.



**COME DOWN TO EARTH.**

CHUM—Six feet and seven inches of air corps photographer is Pvt. Merlin "Tiny" Vandeweghe of Lincoln, Neb., stationed at Moore Field, Mission, Tex.

as and believed to be the tallest man in the United States air forces, Pvt. Vandeweghe's charming assistant, stenographer and beast of burden is Miss Sue Peavy of McAllen, Texas.

**Texans At War**

WASHINGTON, March 31. (AP)—The location of an air force school, costing more than \$5,000,000 at San Angelo, Texas, was announced by Representative South (D-Texas), who said a contract for architectural-engineering services had been awarded Myers and Noyes, and Mark Lemmon of Dallas.

Construction will be under direction of the Galveston office of the corps of engineers, South said he had been informed by the war department.

DALLAS, March 31. (AP)—Several scrap dealers in the southwest are hoarding valuable tonnage of vitals, Thomas L. Mullican, war production board "graveyard" salvage specialist said, adding that he was prepared to take action to move such hoard of scrap.

DALLAS, March 31. (AP)—Finished trousers stock in stock may be sold as they are, cuffs and all, provided no alterations are necessary, J. B. Joyce, manager of the priorities field office of the war production board said.

If there are any alterations—even the sewing on of a button—the trousers are considered unfinished and the cuffs must be removed before they can be sold.

If the trousers are not already cuffed, cuffs may not be made under the WPA order which went into effect yesterday, Joyce asserted.

DALLAS, March 31. (AP)—George Koltanowski, Dallas chess club director, can't send any more lessons to his students in South America.

War-time mail regulations prevent mailing abroad any abbreviations, nicknames, and codes, Koltanowski was told by Postmaster J. Howard Payne.

- 6:30—Melody Parade
  - 6:45—Music From Many Lands
  - 7:00—The Trading Post
  - 7:15—News-Studio
  - 7:30—Treasury Star Parade
  - 7:45—Western Serenade
  - 8:00—Monitor Views the News
  - 8:15—Tune Tabloid
  - 8:30—Let's We Forget
  - 8:45—Bordertown Barbecue
  - 9:00—Sunbora Serenade
  - 9:15—Jeff Guthrie—Studio
  - 9:30—Life of Paradise
  - 9:45—Best Bands in The Land
  - 10:00—Lone and Abner
  - 10:15—Goodnight!
- WEDNESDAY**
- 7:30—Rise and Shine
  - 7:45—What's Behind the News
  - 8:00—Melody Mart
  - 8:15—Timely Events
  - 8:30—Yacht Serenade
  - 8:45—Sam's Club of the Air
  - 9:00—What's Happening Around Pampa, Studio
  - 9:15—Dance Tempo
  - 9:30—News with Jack Calvin
  - 9:45—Woman's Page of the Air
  - 10:00—Trading Post
  - 10:15—Interlude
  - 10:30—News-Studio
  - 10:45—The Burger Hour
  - 11:00—Let's We Forget
  - 11:15—Light of the World
  - 11:30—White's School of the Air
  - 11:45—Novelty in Swing
  - 12:00—Hiss and Encore
  - 12:15—News with Tex DeWesse
  - 12:30—Music of Bob Willis
  - 12:45—Musical
  - 1:00—Trouble Shooters—WKY
  - 1:15—Aunt Susan—WKY
  - 1:30—Low Preston—WKY
  - 1:45—Sign Off
  - 2:00—Sign On!
  - 2:15—Melody Parade
  - 2:30—Music From Many Lands
  - 2:45—The Trading Post
  - 3:00—News with Jack Calvin
  - 3:15—Studio
  - 3:30—10-24 Ranch
  - 3:45—Dance Serenade
  - 4:00—Monitor Views the News
  - 4:15—Tune Tabloid
  - 4:30—Stage Ace
  - 4:45—Our Town
  - 5:00—The Yellow Jacket
  - 5:15—Bordertown Barbecue
  - 5:30—Harlem Hippodrome
  - 5:45—Echoes of The Opera
  - 6:00—Best Bands in the Land
  - 6:15—Front Page Drama
  - 6:30—Goodnight!

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**DRIFTING POSTOFFICE**  
 St. Kilda, one of the Outer Hebrides, has no postoffice, so stamps cannot be purchased there. Letters are put in tin cans with the necessary amount of postage fastened to the sheepskin buoys. These are cast into the water and allowed to drift until picked up.

**BUY VICTORY STAMPS**  
**DAY-LONG RAINBOWS**  
 In Siberia, a rainbow may sometimes be seen all day long in a cloudless sky. This is said to be due to the reflection of the sun on fine particles of snow in the air.

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Well . . . if you're like we are, and many others that we know, who have been itching to do something to Whip the Japs . . . here's your chance:

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So, if you want to "Get Your Jap," start hunting today! Gather up all the scrap (armament) metal you can find. If you have enough sell it! If you don't have much, pile it in the alley, or give it to a school child during the next four days, donate it to the Civilian Defense Council. It doesn't matter what you do with it, but get it! There are still tons left in America, even after we sold the Japs 12,000,000 tons. Be Patriotic . . . Get out and Gather Scrap Today!

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### Japan Faces Growing Odds

The first step which must be taken in carrying the war to Japan is an obvious one—to disrupt and to break the long-extended Japanese supply lines. Hundreds and in some cases thousands of miles of water lie between Japanese bases and areas she has conquered. Her life line consists of her merchant fleet and naval convoys. So long as she has enough protected tonnage to carry the immense quantities of supplies needed by her expeditionary forces, she will hold the upper hand. Once substantial inroads are made into her transport and fighting fleets, she will have to battle against steadily mounting odds. And the farther she goes across the wide Pacific, the more shipping she will require.

Therefore, there is encouragement in the casualties our military forces and those of other United Nations have been inflicting on Japanese shipping. Much of this news has never made the headlines, which have been largely occupied by accounts of Japan's success in taking and mopping up Pacific positions. But it is the kind of news that, in the long run, will do much to determine the outcome of the war. As Paul Mallon puts it, "Day by day, in every way, our navy and army have been pecking away, mainly at the indispensable but unspectacular phase of the Jap attack—the transport, supply and tanker ships and their convoy protection."

The toll of Japanese losses is impressive. Up to March 19, the United Nations officially reported the sinking of 110 supply ships and damaging of 84, or a total of 194 put out of action. That, according to the most reliable estimates, is in excess of 20 per cent of all Japanese shipping which can be used for supply purposes.

The United Nations further reported the destruction of 17 Jap cruisers, along with 27 damaged, and the sinking of 22 destroyers plus 12 damaged. Two Jap battleships have been sent to the bottom. And so have three aircraft carriers.

The United Nations' ship losses have, of course, also been great. But the military importance of losses can only be judged in the light of replacement capacity. According to Mr. Mallon, Japan's merchant shipping capacity is 300,000 to 400,000 tons per year. We will build in the neighborhood of 6,000,000 gross tons this year and almost as much next year. In addition to that, our Allies will produce a considerable tonnage.

This does not mean we should run the danger of minimizing Japan's existing fighting fleet and merchant navy. Her main battle fleet has not yet been in evidence in this war, and is perhaps being held in reserve for a major engagement. It is likely that she has more fighting craft than used to be generally believed—there is certainly no reason for thinking that she carried out her part of the naval limitation agreements which she and all other naval powers signed back in the '20s. What this does mean is that, unless all authorities are wrong, Japan does not possess a ship replacement capacity in any way comparable to ours. Japan probably spent twenty years preparing for this war, and she had a big edge at the start. Our job is to overcome that edge.

**BUY VICTORY BONDS**  
**Move Over, Ya Bum**  
There must be few Americans who have not cussed out a taxi driver or truck herder, or been told off by one of those cactus-tongued gents. Right now 43 American taxi and truck drivers are doing a new kind of fender-smashing.

Their job is to patrol roads into China and help Chinese drivers when they have a wreck, and there is an average of 85 mishaps for every 50 miles of that dangerous highway. Everything our boys cannot salvage they destroy. Here's hoping they get to employ their destructive talents on any Japanese luckless enough to encounter these worthies. Or maybe it would be better for the Sons of Heaven to attempt to run a red light on them. More than that would be smashed.

**BUY VICTORY BONDS**  
**The Nation's Press**  
THEY CAN TAKE IT  
People Want Facts Not Propaganda  
(Examiner, Los Angeles)

"Whenever the people are well-informed they can be trusted with their own government."—Thomas Jefferson, in a letter to Doctor Price in 1789.

What Jefferson urged 153 years ago should be the rule at Washington today. But it isn't.

"The people are not 'well-informed' on what's going on... They are beginning to wonder whether anything is going on at all. Or whether they are not being treated like rude children. The people are at their posts. They are all attention. They pay their taxes, they sweat in mill and mine and store and in a thousand defense projects. They are backing up their heroic fathers, brothers, husbands and sweethearts in the air, on the land, on the sea one hundred per cent—with defense bonds, labor and prayers.

They are "taking it." They are prepared to "take it" to the limit. But if the Washington leaders discern a kind of silliness on the part of the American people it is because they object to being spanked and sent to bed when they ask for information as to what is being done, what has been done and what will be done.

The people want the facts. They are not getting them. They want the full facts on Pearl Harbor. They want the full facts on the Normandy. They want the full facts on national defense.

WE WILL BEGIN TO UNDERSTAND ABILITY-TO-PAY

What most people who believe in the "ability-to-pay" tax theory, have failed to understand in the past, is that this "ability-to-pay," discriminatory tax theory eventually dries up the source of income taxes from the big producers.

There is a concrete example: The proposed new federal income tax would leave a man living in California with \$100,000 income, \$22,000 after he had paid federal and state taxes.

And here I hear the advocate of ability-to-pay tax theory contend that certainly is enough for anybody.

But listen: on the second \$100,000, for the man living in the State of California, under the proposed law, the government would take 103 per cent. In other words, if the individual made the second \$100,000, he would be \$3,000 poorer than if he had not made the second \$100,000.

Of course, he will make no effort to produce, the second \$100,000 worth of wealth. And the country will be poorer by this amount. If anybody believes he will continue to try to create wealth—make profits, when the more he makes, the more he loses, they are in for a rude awakening.

Since we have dried up practically all the income from the big producers, all this additional government war expense and payment for the war and payment off our debt will not come from the rich, it will come from Tom, Dick and Harry—from the working man.

After the working man in the past has been out of a job and the costs of his necessities have been up, largely due to discriminatory laws, like penalizing the efficient by taxation, and laws that permit labor racketeers to have monopolies in certain lines of work.

### FINING EMPLOYERS FOR HELPING WIN THE WAR

The President of the United States and the labor unions are, by demanding time and a half and double time for more than 40 hours a week work, in reality putting a fine on the employer who makes it possible for a worker to help win the war.

It is almost unbelievable that we, in America, are so confused and bewildered as to have a law on our statutes that penalizes an employer for making it possible for a worker to benefit every other worker in the land. The law does this by requiring the employer to pay a half more for over 40 hours or double time for holidays and Sundays.

And when any worker works more than 40 hours, he is not only benefiting himself but he is making the fruits of labor of all other workers exchange for free.

Yet our President, because he thinks that it is popular, or he is so stupid that he does not really understand that we have to add more in order to have more, insists on this law being retained on our statutes.

A country is in a precarious position when its leadership is either so stupid or so unprincipled that the leaders have to be educated or coerced to do things that will help win the war.

It is time that the wrath of public opinion be expressed so that the Administration will consent to repealing the 40-hour week law that does nothing else but fine or penalize an employer for making it possible for workers to help win the war.

They want the full facts on sixth column boondoggling and nondefense political pie-counters. Walter D. Fuller, publishing executive and chairman of the National Manufacturers' Association, told an Indianapolis audience the other day in regard to the withholding of facts:

"Facts in the hands of paid propagandists in Washington are one thing. Facts in the hands of sincere, trained reporters of American journalism are another. One breeds distrust; the other breeds confidence.

"People who are treated as children may be expected to act as children. Either the American people are full-grown men and women who can face facts squarely—or they are not mature enough for the blessings of democracy."

That's it—straight from the shoulder! There is in Washington, a distrust of the press as well as a distrust of the people.

"Facts" handed out by New Deal propagandists and historians in Washington are not "facts" at all, in the newspaper sense.

They are merely porridge and molasses for the "people," which this Administration has never trusted and which the great founder of the Democratic Party, Thomas Jefferson, relied on entirely.

The American people have a profound faith in the American press.

They have very little faith in paid political propagandists, offices of "facts" and "figures" and poet-censors.

If the Administration wants the "full confidence" of the people it must give the people, in exchange, just that—its full confidence.

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### Around Hollywood

By PAUL HARRISON

**HOLLYWOOD**, March 31—Behind the screen: The Dorothy Lamour-Woolworth Donahue romance seems to be getting on glitteringly; at least, the actress is wearing a big diamond on her engagement finger, and movie colony gossip is, as usual, putting one and one together.

Less known is the story of how the romance began: During her last vacation, Miss Lamour stayed in a New York hotel suite adjoining that of the millionaire. Her maid, the Donahue's butler had a few dates, Donahue was out of town, but he hurried back when the butler mentioned during a long-distance call that the star was their neighbor.

Special newswreps for exhibition to troops are to be issued soon, under control of Major Frank Capra, of the Signal Corps. Also documentary pictures showing operations on various war fronts, plus training and work of different branches of the service. . . . Survey shows approximately 1,500 movie men now are in uniform. . . . USO reports that in addition to star and band appearances at camps, 25 shows are given every night with large casts of entertainers and are seen by some 250,000 service men.

**BEST TITLE**  
Now that Warners have completed an Ann Sheridan-Ronald Reagan picture called "The Shadow of Their Wings," Metro is scheduled using a Clark Gable feature titled "Shadow of the Wings." . . . For a reported \$5,000 a week, Grace Moore has agreed to star for Paramount in a musical called, extra-appropriately, "Prima Donna." . . . Best title of the year will go on a story thought up by Orson Welles and Charlie Chaplin. About Landru, the French Bluebeard, it'll be named "Lady Killer."

Deanna Durbin's next will be "Three Smart Girls Join Up," about women in war work. "Botany Bay," dealing with the early settling of Australia, has been shelved until Australia's emergency has been settled. . . . Rushing back and forth between Warners and Metro, Kaye Lake is playing a Japanese plotter against Pearl Harbor at one studio, and a Chinese Red Cross worker at the other.

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### People You Know

By Arch Fullingim

The radio really came in handy the Sunday morning about a month ago when nigro was about a foot deep all over the ground. That morning only 19 people showed up at First Baptist church, and the Rev. C. Gordon Bayless called all their names over the radio. A h-d had them come up to the front seat; then he turned his attention to the sartorial perfection of his assistant pastor, the Rev. Paul Briggs, including the latter's fancy cowboy boots. . . . Rev. Bayless loves to get on the subject of Rev. Briggs' attire, and he'll probably have something kidding to say about Paul's new red tie, and I do mean red, which he was wearing Sunday. However, Rev. Bayless is a snappy dresser himself, and I've never seen him baggy at the knees or slouching in the hat. . . .

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### HIGH LIFE And low life in The BIG City

By Stella Holit

There is more rejoicing in a bookshop over a plug sold than there is over a sinner reclaimed to heaven. Nobody knows exactly what makes a plug. They are often good books, well advertised but they just don't sell. All booksellers have some and the person who buys a plug endears himself out of all proportion to the cost of the book.

Books, unlike cats, have one short life, that is the vast majority of them. A month is a long time for a book to be in active demand in New York book shops. A book's life is terribly brief in comparison to all the work that has gone into it, and unless a book starts well there is no hope for it. There are such floods of new ones that the slow starters are crowded off the counters. An author will know all there is to know about the selling possibilities of his book when it has been on sale two weeks.

Not a single book was published on Friday, March 13th. Friday is not such a good day in any case. Monday is the best day for the reviewer all come out in the Sunday papers and people buy the new book the following day.

Days of the week are not so important as the season. Books of topical interest must of course be offered as fast as writers can. Editors have their psychological entrances. A good light novel should come out in early summer, anthologies and reference books in late October to catch the Christmas trade. Anthologies are always gifts. Nobody buys himself an anthology. Thoughtful works might do better in January than in December, certainly they would be wasted in the heat of summer.

Books on how to redecorate your home or how to catch your man have their seasons. An author asks how he arrived at this magic number nobody knew.

A novel by an Irishman came out on Tuesday, March 17th. Biographies of famous men are often published on their birthdays.

A fine book at the wrong moment might bore you. A bad book at another time might entertain you.

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The Bill of Rights will outlast "Mein Kampf" just as the scientist's objective search for truth will outlive all the regimented thinking of totalitarianism. —RAYMOND B. FOSDICK, president of the Rockefeller Foundation.

On the Soviet front the initiative has been forced from the Germans. They have not the slightest idea of letting this initiative slip. —JAN

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