

Case Worker's Office to Close Next March 1

An agency established seven years ago will make its final bow on March 1 when the county case worker's office, a branch of the department of public welfare, is closed.

Termination of the office is, in accordance with a department of public welfare announcement that what is technically known as the "intake and certification" program, which has functioned through agreements between the department and commissioners courts will be closed.

This means that county case workers all over the state will be dropped, including the workers in the 10 counties of which Pampa, as area 31 center, is headquarters.

Mr. Wille Baines, county case worker here since 1936, has resigned and will take employment with the U. S. Employment Service.

Over the state, dropping the "intake and certification" division means lopping off the expense of 265 junior field workers, 12 field supervisors, 10 clerical workers. In addition, the various counties employing 110 clerical workers, which will be ended by the March 1 order.

At one time there were 500 relief cases in Gray county; now the number is less than 30. The carryover will be handled by the county commissioners in conjunction with the area office of the department of public welfare.

OCC, WPA Finished
Principal job of the intake branch was to certify persons for the Civilian Conservation Corps, Works Progress administration, food stamps, and surplus commodities.

The OCC is finished, WPA is being liquidated, the food stamp program changed some time ago from county distribution to a central "mail-order" deal with headquarters for Gray county at the Amarillo office, abandoned.

Surplus commodities have been cut down so much there is no benefit for the few families still remaining on the rolls from this source.

J. S. Murchison, executive director of the department of public welfare, said that the shut-down order should not affect the school lunch program.

Some food may continue to be available under the federal food program in certain regions but the welfare department will no longer certify families eligible to participate.

In short, the shut-down rule means that local agencies will again have to assume the burden of caring for needy families, just as they did in the days before the panic of 1932 and the avalanche of "initial bureaus."

Dropping the intake and certification work over the state means returning \$300,000 to the Texas general revenue fund during the current fiscal year. The decline in demand upon the program enabled the department to return over \$200,000 to the general fund last year.

No Call for Space
In Gray county, the paupers and indigent fund, largely handled through the case workers' office, dropped from \$14,677.20 in 1941 to \$9,836.35 in 1942, while conversion of the food stamp plan into a district setup made it possible for Gray county to recover \$3,000 of the \$4,000 originally spent for food stamp expenses.

What is to be done with the county case workers' office, which is really three offices, located in the northeast corner of the first floor of the court house, hasn't been determined.

Judge White said there had been no inquiries as to the space soon to be available. It is too small for use by the Gray County War Price and Rationing board which despite its county title, is located in the city hall.

Activities of the board have expanded to such an extent that it has been forced to make use of the city commissioners' room and of storage in the basement, as well as its own office, the former headquarters of the Adobe Walls Boy Scout council to transact its business.

Efforts are being made to get the federal government to aid in financing the removal of the GOWPERB to some other place if any should be available. Government "red tape" is so intricate that even if a place were found, it would be two months before the landlord could get his rent, unless some provision is made to care for this situation.

German Tank in the Hills of Tunisia



Evidence of heavy fighting in the rolling hills of Tunisia is this German tank knocked out by the roadside near Mateur. Our troops and tanks have engaged the axis in several battles here.

Americans Kill 10 Japs for Every Yank Lost on Guadalcanal Island

AN ADVANCED SOUTH PACIFIC BASE, Jan. 23 (AP)—Ten Japs have been killed on Guadalcanal for every American soldier lost, and their air losses in the Solomons have been seven to our one, Major General A. Vandegrift of the U. S. Marine Corps said today.

Italy Admits Empire Lost

LONDON, Jan. 23 (AP)—Mourning the loss of Tripoli, the Rome radio said today that "the great struggle which Italy has been waging for 23 months in North Africa is coming to an end."

In a broadcast recorded by the Associated Press the Fascist announcer admitted the Italians had suffered enormous losses in the desert campaign and attributed the Axis retreat to the British Eighth Army's superiority in men and equipment.

Emphasis was placed on the part played by the British Navy in hampering the flow of supplies to Marshal Rommel's forces.

"The sacrifice of so much territory certainly is painful, and it has been defended with so much valor and with the loss of so much blood. But in war the loss of territory is not the end of maneuver," the broadcaster said.

House Awaits Tax Suggestions

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23 (AP)—Belief that the treasury department experts would have their recommendations on the pay-as-you-go income tax collection proposal ready for presentation to the house ways and means committee "early next week" was expressed today by Chairman Doughton (D-NC).

In a letter to Rep. Treadway (R-Mass.), the committee's ranking minority member, Doughton said that he "individually" believed that consideration of the pay-as-you-go plan would have first consideration in the order of the committee's business.

His letter was in reply to one from the committee's Republican members demanding immediate public hearings on prospective tax legislation including the "question of adopting some form of pay-as-you-go collection of the personal income tax."

Ration Boards To Study New Regulations

Rationing boards of Gray and adjoining counties will meet in Berger at 10 a. m. Tuesday, February 9, to learn what they have to do about issuing War Ration Book 2, according to information received here by the Gray county board from the Lubbock district office.

Name of the instructor who will be sent out to conduct the school was not mentioned in the letter, nor was the place in Berger specified. Arrangements have not been completed in Berger for a meeting place.

It was announced a week ago that the supply of 24,000 war ration books for Gray county was on the way but so far the books have not been received.

Similar meetings will be held at Midland, Lubbock, Clarendon, and other points in the state.

Represented at the Berger gathering will be the boards of Gray, Sherman, Hansford, Ochiltree, Moore, Hutchinson, Roberts, Hemphill, Carson, and Wheeler counties.

The lowest spot on the earth's surface is the Dead sea, 1,290 feet below sea level.

Gray County Farm Boy to Instruct Tascosa Youths on Ways to Trap

A Gray county farm boy will instruct the "hands" at Boys Ranch, Tascosa, on the way to make money trapping.

He is Drew Word, 18-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Word of Alanreed, who sold one bunch of muskrat hides for \$150 in one-week's trapping along McClellan creek last December.

Drew will be accompanied to Boys Ranch by Glenn T. Hackney, Gray county farm agent, and David F. Eaton Jr., assistant, on Thursday of this week.

Trip of the Alanreed boy is being made at the suggestion of L. L. Johnson, Texas 4-H boys club agent, who visited the ranch Thursday, when in Pampa Thursday night.

A 4-H club has been organized at the ranch, which is in Oldham county and is located 15 miles south of Channing, county seat of Hartley. Directing the boys 4-H club at the ranch is Walter Grist, Hartley county agent. Due to road conditions Boys Ranch is not as accessible from Oldham as it is from Hartley, hence the county farm agent of the latter directs the work of the boys.

There are 65 boys who are residents of Boys Ranch, a Panhandle replica of Nebraska's "Boys Town".

Drew will show the boys how to catch coyotes as well as muskrats.

Date for Using Fuel Card Upped

Fuel oil consumers in 30 eastern and midwestern states, where the oil is rationed, can start using their No. 4 coupons a week earlier than originally scheduled.

The office of price administration last night advanced the effective date to aid householders whose supplies are running short and assist the oil industry with delivery problems.

A & M. to Receive Activity Center

COLLEGE STATION, Jan. 23 (AP)—A student activity center will be built at Texas A. and M. college following the war with a gift of \$50,000 in war bonds presented to the college yesterday as a gift from its sons.

The presentation was made by William J. Lawson, Texas secretary of state and president of the association of former students of Texas A. and M. The activity center will be a memorial to the thousands of A. and M. men on the college campus.

Front Page Fashion News

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Busy women are practically living in slacks today—Two feature suits at Anthony's are the "Western Girl" and "Butterfly"—made of two ply strutter cloth with gay embroidered designs. 12-20

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Governors Study Various Problems

BALTIMORE, Jan. 23 (AP)—Manpower and war emergency legislation problems occupied the spotlight today as hundreds of delegates to the annual meeting of the council of state governments, scheduled to open here tomorrow night, arrived on the scene.

The war emergency legislation program may steal the show, officials said, because 44 of the 48 state legislatures had sessions scheduled for 1943.

Canned Vegetable Rationing Explained

DALLAS, Jan. 23 (AP)—The regional office of price administration yesterday said no more than half the monthly ration will be torn out of any books, regardless of the amount of commercially canned foods the owner may have on hand when point rationing begins.

If half the book does not account for the total excess, a note will be made in the ration book and stamps will be torn out of the next canned food ration book when it is issued, the OPA said.

Canadian Steel Strike Is Ended

OTTAWA, Jan. 23 (AP)—The strike which has halted production in three Canadian steel centers for more than a week apparently was ended today after further conferences between the government and union officials.

Labor Minister Mitchell's office made this statement: "The way seems clear for resumption of steel production at once."

Rice Harvest Rises
The 1941-42 rice harvest of India has been estimated at 1,911,000,000 bushels, as compared with 1,655,000,000 bushels last season, according to reports from Calcutta.

Fortress Squadron Piles Up Records

MELBOURNE, Jan. 23 (AP)—One American flying fortress squadron operating in the South Pacific has flown more than 1,000,000 miles on 630 missions in the last six months, during which it has destroyed 33 Japanese fighters in combat and more than 20 ground, sunk a heavy cruiser, and sent two merchant ships and a transport to the bottom.

The disclosure was made in Sydney today by Sergeant Pilot Mervyn Bell of the Royal Australian Air Force, co-pilot of one of the planes in the squadron.

"The Yanks are the greatest team I've ever been with," Bell said.

Motorists Needed To Make Unique Gas Saving Test

Every patriotic Texas citizen interested in conserving our resources and saving gasoline for Victory will welcome the achievement of an American inventor. Already thousands of car owners are using his invention and they report gas savings up to 30% as well as more power, smoother pickup and quicker starting.

The device, called the Vacu-Matic Gas Saver, operates on the supercharge principle. It is entirely automatic and allows the motor to breathe. The manufacturers, the Vacu-Matic Carburetor Co., 7617-48.76 W. State St., Wauwatosa, Wisconsin, are offering a Vacu-matic free to those who will test it on their own cars and help introduce it to others. Write them today! (Adv.)

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Beach Peach



January is no time to talk of snows, but nevertheless we have Mary Donovan of Pampa, Calif., whose business is saving swimsuits.

Cincinnati Hires Tulsan in Effort to Improve Club's Weak Hitting

Bill Miller To 'Relax' Diamondmen

CINCINNATI, Jan. 23 (AP)—The Cincinnati Reds, whose hitting last year relaxed them to fourth place in the National league, think maybe their hitters didn't relax, so they've hired a specialist in buck fever.

West Never on Flag-Winner In 20 Years, But He's With One As Sergeant in Army Air Corps

By HOWARD GREEN LUBBOCK, Jan. 23—When Samuel Filmore West enlisted in the 4888 Central Postal Directory, the Army Air Corps last Oct. 29, few paused to author a major league obituary.



Sgt. Sam West goes to bat with pick and shovel.

Race Tracks Will Continue

NEW YORK, Jan. 23 (AP)—The two-buck bettors may have to walk for the privilege of feeding the "iron men," and things generally are going to be tough, but the nation's race tracks have about decided to put on a reasonable facelift of "business as usual" this spring and summer.

Naturally, something new will be added here and there, like changes in state legislation and shifting of some meetings to different tracks to make the whole layout fit into the war scheme of things. There's a possibility, too, a couple of the plants won't open their doors. But, generally speaking, the major horse havens will be available to anyone with the price of admission—and a way of getting to the track.

From reports reaching the Thoroughbred Racing associations, Inc., Delaware park and the great Garden state set-up in New Jersey.

Steers Eager To Play Navy Cagers Again

AUSTIN, Jan. 23 (AP)—So the Corpus Christi naval air station basketball team thinks it's too good for the southwest, eh?

Well, the Texas Longhorns, now setting the pace in the conference title drive, are going to go over that matter pretty soon and sweat chafing will benefit.

Lieut. Jack Gray, whose Comets are unbeaten in six starts with colleges and service teams, has at least one heavy date to fill before the season ends—and that will be Feb. 3 when Bully Gilstrap's Longhorns come out of final examinations retirement to resume operations.

Texas meets Corpus Christi NAS just before going to Houston for a battle with the rejuvenated Owls and it's no secret they'd relish with vigor beating the team coached by their former mentor.

Gray's boys eked out 55-50 over the Longhorns at Corpus Christi in late December but there have been some decided improvements in the Texas play since then.

Texas now leads the conference standings with five victories and no defeats and the Longhorns get powerful Arkansas in Austin for two games, but they have to go on the road for tilts with Southern Methodist, Texas Christian and Rice.

Baylor and Texas A. and M. will play at Austin in the championship "oak stretch."

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 23 (AP)—The St. Louis Cardinals, with the Browns the only major league clubs with a losing record, may not use that privilege.

All other clubs, to conserve travel, have agreed to remove sleet and sores east of the Mississippi and north of the Ohio and the Potomac rivers. The state of Missouri was included as fair game for the Browns and Cards in their hunt for a training site.

But President Sam Breadon of the world champion Cardinals has a different idea, literally, in Cairo, Ill.

Breadon has been told a cinder track would be available, and the city has agreed to polish its diamond until it has a major league glimmer.

The Browns apparently prefer Columbia, home of the University of Missouri.

Two Air Base Quints Split

Two cage teams from Pampa's air base, the Officers team and the Post team, split a double header with the Pampa Independents and the Bell Telephone teams Friday night at the gymnasium.

The Pampa Independents outpointed the Officers team 57-43, while the Post team evened up the score by taking the Telephone cagers 32-23.

High scorer of the night was a former Pampa Harvester star, Bob Andis, who sunk 32 points. Capt. Friedrichs of the Officers team scored 11 points for second honors.

With three years experience at the national tournament, Denver, Colo., and a referee of professional basketball games in the Southwest, Sgt. William McInturff, of the Pampa air base, was commended for an excellent job of refereeing for both games.

Summary: Post Team: Tibbits 1, Swicki 0, Witherspoon 3, Martin 1, Morris 1, Kuhn 2, Williams 2, Bunell 3, Klimbro 1. Officers: Tilly 2, Williams 2, Weathered 4, Mangel 1, Woods 1, Milron 0, Tuckwell 0, Stevens 11.

SPORTS for Victory

Masked Play



By way of becoming accustomed to them, members of Army Air Forces Technical Training Command wear gas masks while playing basketball at Chanute Field, Ill.

As Others Bury Baseball, Rogers Hornsby Goes on Selling Tickets

FORT WORTH, Jan. 23 (AP)—Straight-talking Rogers Hornsby had a few unkind words today for those who would bury baseball without even the benefit of a funeral.

"This is no time to quit," snapped the ex-big leaguer, often called the greatest righthand hitter in the game.

"The people need baseball and the government wants it. And we can have it if we'll quit hanging our heads."

While others have been predicting the 64-year-old Texas league would not be able to open this year, the Rajah, as general manager of the Fort Worth Cats, has been peddling tickets for two weeks.

"I have sold twice as many tickets as I did for the same time last year," said Hornsby. "The people here want baseball and I want to give it to them."

"I'm not convinced that this year will be a tough one for baseball. Why, the people will walk to the field to see baseball games. They did that before we had automobiles, didn't they?"

Hornsby said Fort Worth club was almost ready to go right now—that the infield and pitching staff were set and that a catcher and two outfielders would make the Cats tough to take.

The Texas league will decide whether to continue at the annual meeting Feb. 13 and 14 in Shreveport, home of the defending champion.

BY VICTORY STAMPS Army Cager Scores For Opposing Team

STILLWATER, Okla., Jan. 23 (AP)—Don Ferguson, Enid Army Flying school forward, may wind up in the guard house as a result of a spectacular shot in last night's game with the Oklahoma Aggies.

The soldier cager, tumbling over the sideline, made a beautiful retrieve of the ball, and sent it looping back into the court—and in the Aggie basket. The Aggies won the game, 43 to 35.

BY VICTORY STAMPS Eclipse Visibility

A lunar eclipse is visible to three-fifths of the earth, while a solar eclipse is only visible to one-fifth.

enough to shoot, then there'd be a couple of passes too fast to follow and the ball would be in the basket. . . . College rules may eliminate that, but the pros themselves will have to cure another fault, allowing college boys to pick up an occasional snubkick by playing under assumed names. . . . The fans usually know about it if college authorities don't, and a sport can't command much respect when the players and fans regard it as something you should sneak in the back door to see.

TODAY'S GUEST STAR J. P. Wynn, Lock Haven (Pa.) Express: "The two Philadelphia baseball clubs lead the major leagues. The A's have 19 men in the armed forces; the Phils 17. It appears the Quaker City boys will have done their best in the world series."

"BOWL FOR HEALTH" 8 Regulation Alleys For You To Play ON PAMPA BOWL H. J. Davis M. P. Downs 112 N. SOMERVILLE

PLAYERS TOO GOOD Our complaint then was that the players were too good, especially for the small courts they played on. . . They'd fool around in the back court until someone got near.

Masonic Home Will Continue Grid Game If Larger Boys Are Found

PORT WORTH, Jan. 23 (AP)—Whether Masonic Home will compete in Texas schoolboy football next fall remains a moot question.

It had been previously announced that the school would not make the race because the boys were too small. Then, it was decided to hold spring training and see what developed.

But, says Supt. Thomas Fletcher, "Our possibilities are very slim."

Supt. Fletcher declared there had been considerable pressure from the fans. "Our followers scattered over the state simply cannot believe that everybody in the Masonic Home and school, whether he is a six-year-old or a seventeen-year-old, cannot play football."

"I do not believe, however, that the officials would permit us to take time out for infants to take their bottles."

"We are going to put on some spring practice as a matter of physical fitness and if enough strength can be developed to make any kind of showing, we shall stay in the game."

Fletcher said it looked now as though there will not be more than 40 boys in the whole high school next year.

"I have carefully checked our possibilities, and there are only about seven or eight that can really play football," he declared, "and with one exception they are small boys."

"I, personally, would not like to take out a team of small boys and have them defeated in every game after we have built such a fine reputation. Furthermore, we have no coach at the present time, and a good coach would hesitate to take over a team that seemed hopeless and thereby injure his reputation."

BY VICTORY STAMPS Army, War Workers Get Sports Goods

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23 (AP)—Three-fourths of the sports equipment now being produced is going to the nation's fighting men and a hefty share of the remainder is being allotted to defense workers.

That's the report of the war production board which added—for the benefit of sports enthusiasts who already haven't found out—that the present tennis balls don't have the old-time bounce, the new footballs and basketballs won't wear as well and wartime golf balls are little better than the poorest of pre-war grades.

Bladders for footballs, basketballs, squash, soccer and volley balls are now made of scrap or reclaimed rubber, which lacks resiliency. Even because lumbermen have a more tually even that rubber may not be available.

Ecuadorian Is Rated Fourth by Net Group

MIAMI, Fla., Jan. 23 (AP)—Pancho Segura, the Ecuadorian fireball of the tennis court, shrugged off today the action of the USLTA in knocking him out of third place in the national ranking with the comment:

"Third place—fourth place—what matters? All I want is play tennis."

The lawn tennis association's recent revision of rankings pushed Segura down a notch and elevated Lt. Gardner Mulloy of the Navy to the top of the list.

Mulloy being Segura's coach last year at the University of Miami. The rankings committee had recommended Segura for third place, but was overruled at the annual meeting of LTA.

AN AP man, W. A. M. Goode, climbed aboard Admiral Sampson's flagship, The New York, off Key West on April 20, 1898 and was greeted gruffly by the Admiral: "So you want to come aboard and get your head blown off? It's foolish!"

It was the first time a reporter ever had been allowed aboard a warship in action and it had taken presidential approval, over the navy's protests, to arrange it.

Such daring and resourcefulness set new journalistic records during the Spanish-American war—and before. As early as 1896, in fact, the AP assigned F. J. Hilgert to Havana where the natives were seemingly waging a hopeless fight for independence from Spain.

For two years Hilgert worked in secrecy, and in danger, smuggling for his graphic reports since General Weyler had forbade all newspaper work under threat of the firing squad.

With Hilgert's dramatic flash, "The Maine has been blown up," AP was ready. It assembled a trained war staff and assigned a flotilla of dispatch boats that made newspaper history. Correspondents aboard the dispatch boats with the blockading fleet off Santiago were under fire and frequently mistaken for the enemy.

Today AP men are making newspaper history again in the same tradition—AP men with the Mediterranean fleet, AP men in the Atlantic, in the Pacific, AP men wherever there's duty—and danger.

BY VICTORY STAMPS LUMBERJACKS WIN NACOGDOCHES, Jan. 23 (AP)—Scoring the winning points in the last minute and a half of play, Stephen F. Austin's Lumberjacks beat North Texas State cagers 45 to 43 here last night.

Savold May Box Lem Franklin

CHICAGO, Jan. 23 (AP)—Plans were in the making today to match Lee Savold of Paterson, N. J., sixth ranking contender for the heavy-weight boxing crown, against Chicago's Lem Franklin in Chicago stadium Feb. 6.

Both fighters scored knockouts in bouts last night.

Nate Bolden, the Chicago Negro who entered the light heavy class several months ago, was kayoed for the first time in his boxing career in the petting lefts Savold faced at him. Savold, holding a 22-pound weight advantage, flogged his foe twice before dropping him for the count in the third round of the scheduled 10-rounder.

Franklin, 20, needed only three terrific punches to nail Alton Allen, 18½, Chicago, in 19 seconds of the opening round.

FLYERS WIN ABILENE, Jan. 23 (AP)—Wick Mapheus, former Sam Houston State college cager, paced the Flying Kellys from Albuquerque, N. M., last night as they won the opener of a two game series with the Hardin Simmons Cowboys 42 to 36.

WORLD'S LARGEST VOLCANO Mt. Kilauea, Hawaii, is the largest active volcano in the world. Its enormous crater is three miles across.

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College 'Prexy' Goes to Army

FORT WORTH, Jan. 23 (AP)—Weatherford Junior college made a major contribution to the war effort last week. It gave up its president. The sacrifice was agreed to by the board of trustees, the faculty and the student body before the president left his post. So now he is loaned to the Fort Worth quartermaster depot for the duration. He will head all civilian training at the war supply house.

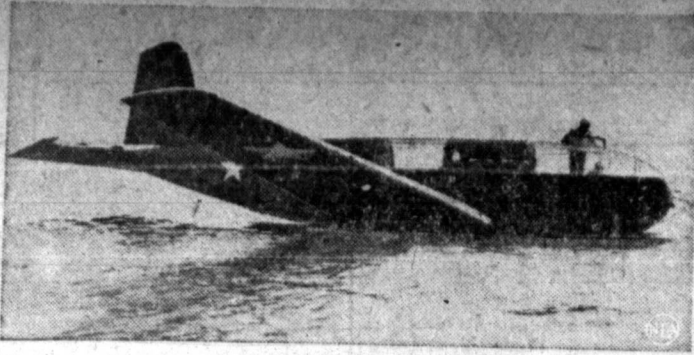
The college "Prexy" is Clarence A. Sutton. He was head of Westminster Methodist college at Tehuacana for seven years before his election to the presidency of Weatherford Junior college in 1941. He has a wide background of educational experience.

He was a Methodist pastor for five years before he took over the presidency of Westminster and devoted himself to the educational field.

John A. Carruth, a Weatherford Junior college faculty member, will take Dr. Sutton's place at the college for the duration.

Largest American Bear
The Alaskan brown bear is the largest bear on the American continent, exceeding even the famous grizzly in size.

Navy's First Seaplane Glider



(Official U. S. Navy Photo from NEA) For silent attack on the sea the Navy has developed this water glider, shown on trial flights on the Delaware river.

Texas Sailor Indicted In Death of Shipmate

NEW YORK, Jan. 23 (AP)—A county court indicted Earl Bryant, 22, of Valley Mills, Tex., a gunner's mate second class, U. S. navy, yesterday in connection with the death of a shipmate, Frederick Vaughn, Jr., Irvington, N. J., another sailor. Bryant was indicted for first degree murder and first degree assault.

Police said Vaughn was shot to

death and Kyrra Tokle, 39, Norton, Conn., a chief petty officer, was shot in the cheek following an argument between Bryant, Vaughn and Tokle.

Trial date was not set.

—BUY VICTORY STAMPS—

JAP CHATTER

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23 (AP)—A Japanese warning that Chile was "fully responsible for the consequences" of breaking diplomatic relations with the Axis brought from Secretary of State Hull today the comment that it sounded like characteristic Japanese chatter.

"We are highly pleased," Senator Moffett said, "because this is the first ray of hope we've had on this proposal."

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Grain Alcohol Plant in West Texas Studied

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23 (AP)—Rubber Director William Jeffers said today he would ask the war production board to inspect West Texas sites for a grain alcohol plant. Meeting with Senator O'Daniel (D-Tex) and a group of Texas Jeffers said he would ask the chemical branch of the WPB today to send engineers immediately to Texas.

For nearly a year Senator O'Daniel and the West Texas chamber of Commerce have been urging the location of plants in that area of the state for both processing of grains into alcohol and processing of the alcohol into synthetic rubber. They point to a large production in that area of wheat and grain sorghums suitable for manufacture of alcohol.

"I have been corresponding with Mr. Jeffers for some time over establishment of the plant," O'Daniel told reporters. "When we met with him this morning he saw that our cause was just, was highly interested, and promised immediate action."

"He said that if the inspecting engineer finds conditions down there as we pictured them a plant might be constructed there."

Meeting with O'Daniel and Jeffers were William Holder, Fort Worth; Marvin Nichols, Amarillo; John Womble, Abilene, Rep. Russell (D-Tex); State Senator George Moffett, W. P. Wright, Abilene, Rep. Fisher (D-Tex) and Ed Ponder, Sweetwater.

"We are highly pleased," Senator Moffett said, "because this is the first ray of hope we've had on this proposal."

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Three Men Injured In Boat Explosion

CHICAGO, Jan. 23 (AP)—Three men were injured today when a YP boat—a small naval patrol boat—exploded and sank in the Chicago river on the near North Side. Three other boats moored alongside caught on fire.

A navy spokesman said the cause of the explosion was undetermined. The fire on the three boats was quickly brought under control. Eighteen men were aboard the four boats, the navy said.

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TEPPER REPLACED

CAIRO, Jan. 23 (AP)—Air Chief Marshal Sir William Sholto Douglas assumed command today of the Royal Air Force in the Middle East, succeeding Air Marshal Sir Arthur William Tedder.

Hot Time in the Old Town



Firemen silhouetted by sky-scorching flames battle a five-alarm mattress plant blaze that tied up 50 blocks of traffic in downtown Philadelphia.

Valentines Are As Sentimental But Simpler Than Back in 1918

CHICAGO, Jan. 23 (AP)—The greeting card industry, busy supplying Valentines to the men in the armed forces and their sweethearts at home, believes that American soldiers in this war are as sentimental and attached to home ties as were the boys in khaki 25 years ago.

But the card publishers, who are meeting here, also decided—and displayed their cards to back up their contentions—that while Johnny Doughboy might prefer the lacy cards of grandmother's day, he's going to get and send simpler ones ranging from "All out love messages" to the "only girl" types.

In their display the publishers contrasted the simple and patriotic cards of 1918 with the V-Valentines and "kiss-cards" of this season. The latter Valentine, sent by the "only girl," contains a rouge-tinted impression of her lips. One of the oldies depicted a 1918 soldier, complete with bloomer, britches and wide-brimmed hat.

The sentiment was: "A Valentine, **Sweeties**, for you "With cheers for the Red, White and Blue."

The 1943 counterpart was a paper imitation of a soldier's overseas cap with the lines: "Your time may belong to the U. S. A. "But your heart belongs to me."

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Locations for 26 New Wells Made in Kansas

(By The Associated Press) Locations for 26 new oil well tests were staked in 15 Kansas counties in the week ended Wednesday, compared with 19 starts made in the preceding seven-day span.

Completions, too, showed an increase, 15 others being brought in for a combined initial potential of 12,320 barrels daily against the previous week's seven completions for 4,581 barrels.

Completions for the week totaled 31 and in addition to the oil wells included 15 dry holes and one abandoned location. No new gas wells were reported.

Daily production of Kansas crude averaged 307,467 barrels in the week ended Jan. 18, up 6,826 barrels from the previous week.

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Read the Classified Ads

Driller of First West Texas Oil Well Is Dead

TULSA, Okla., Jan. 23 (AP)—Stephen S. Owen, 66, who made and lost two fortunes in the oil industry and drilled the first well in the great West Texas area, died last night.

The veteran prospector, who once associated with Harry F. Sinclair and other giants of the industry in Texas and Oklahoma developments, ended his career as a time-keeper for the Spartan Aircraft company.

Owen, a native of England, came to Tulsa in 1904 to enter the oil contracting business. Eight years later he joined with Sinclair and James P. Flanagan in organizing the Victoria Oil company, which developed the Bird Creek field near Tulsa.

Later, Owen sold out to his partner and went to Colorado City, Tex., where he drilled the discovery well in the Westbrook field of Mitchell county—the beginning of the tremendous West Texas development.

He formed another partnership with the late Sam Sloan and organized the Owen-Sloan Oil company, which continued to develop the West Texas region until it was sold in 1928 to the Magnolia Petroleum company.

Two years ago, Owen made another wildcatting venture in Texas but it was unsuccessful and after drilling several wells without finding production, he retired from the industry.

12,000,000 Bales Of Cotton Turned Out

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23 (AP)—The cotton bureau reported today that cotton of 1942 growth ginned to Jan. 16 totaled 12,000,262 running bales, counting round as half bales and excluding linters. Ginnings to that date a year ago totaled 10,225,179 running bales and two years ago, 11,930,932 running bales.

Ginnings to Jan. 16 by states, with comparative figures for a year ago, in running bales, included: Oklahoma 666,716 and 660,659; Texas 2,856,049 and 2,464,978.

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Need for Sugar Book Ends Long Hermitage

JAMESON, Mo., Jan. 23 (AP)—The new war regulations have practically made a sugar ration book.

For 54 years he lived within 15 miles of Gallatin—but never once visited it.

He finally made the trip. He needed a sugar ration book.

The present division of the world into five climatic zones was established in 640 B. C.

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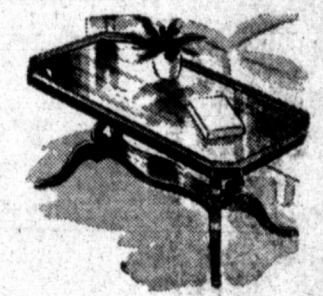
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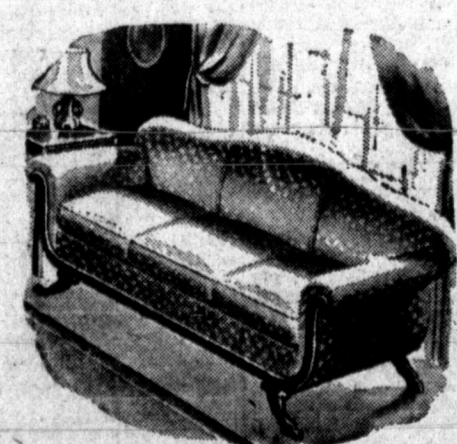
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Material for this page must be in by 10:00 a. m. on week days and 6 p. m. Friday

Items for the Woman's Page are welcomed from Pampa and surrounding territory

Miller, Sperry And Hawkins, Thompson Marriages Are Announced

Ceremony Read By Candlelight By Rev. Henshaw

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Sperry announce the marriage of their daughter, Imogene, to Pvt. A. C. Miller which was solemnized in a double ring ceremony in the St. Matthews Episcopal church Tuesday night, January 12. The nuptial vows were read by candlelight by the Rev. E. W. Henshaw.

The Wedding March was played by Mrs. Paul C. Jones, Mrs. E. W. Henshaw sang "Beloved It Is Mom" and "I Love You Truly". The bride was given away by her father, J. L. Sperry. Attending Miss Sperry as maid of honor was Miss Margaret Burton. James Carlisle served as best man to the bridegroom.

The bride was attractively dressed in a blue frock with black accessories and carried a white silk covered prayer book topped with a corsage of white carnations with white streamers entwined in the carnations.

The altar was adorned with white gladiolus and candles. The maid of honor wore a blue dress and a corsage of pink carnations. As the couple left the church they were shown with rice. After the wedding a reception was given for the couple in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Henshaw. The bride and bridegroom cut a three tier wedding cake topped with a small bride and bridegroom. Punch and cake were served to the guests.

A blue and white color scheme was carried out in decorating the dining room. The table was laid with a white lace table cloth and blue candlesticks with white candles and the living room was adorned with white gladiolus and carnations. Guests registered in the white marriage book from which the service had just been read and will later presented to the couple by the Rev. Henshaw.

Mrs. Miller is a senior in the Pampa High school. She is president of her class also vice president of the student council and sings in the A Capella choir. She is a member of the Kilt Kat Klub.

Private Miller is in the United States Air corps, stationed at Sheppard field. He is studying aviation mechanics at this field and plans to graduate in February. He graduated from Pampa High school in 1939 and played left half back on the Harvester football team. After graduating he attended West Texas State college at Canyon and was later employed by the Cities Service Oil company.

Mrs. Miller plans to finish school here before joining her husband.

Twenty Century Clubs Have Meeting Tuesday Afternoon

Twenty Century clubs will have their regular meetings Tuesday afternoon. The Twenty Century club will meet with Mrs. Raymond Harrah at 621 N. Frost at 2:45 p. m. Mrs. Clifford Braly will lead a panel discussion on "Should We Discuss Peace Now?" She will be assisted by Mrs. Roy McKernan, Farris Oden, and W. R. Campbell.

Mrs. Molley McDonald will be the hostess to the Twenty Century Progressive club in her home at 1029 Charles St. Mrs. Elizabeth Denhard will lead the discussion on Safety and Health.

Mrs. Garnet Reeves will be hostess to the Twenty Century Culture club at 818 N. West at 3 p. m. A historical sketch of Canada will be given by Mrs. Fred Thompson.

Mrs. T. A. Perkins will discuss the Provinces. A film on Canada will be shown by Paul Carmichael. Twenty Century Forum club will meet with Mrs. C. N. Barrett at 1111 Christine at 2:30. Mrs. Ed Dunningham will lead the program on Biography. She will be assisted by Mrs. Frank Perry.

Hopkins P-TA Elects Cub Scout Master

J. L. Jones was elected Cub Scout Master at a meeting of the Hopkins Parent-Teacher association Wednesday, Mrs. G. C. Blacklock, president, presided.



Pictured above are the members of the Kilt Kat Klub. Second row, Mary Terrell, Frances Crocker, Joella Shelton, Colleen Bergin, Elaine Carlson, and Doris Alexander. Third row, Anita Andrews, Evelyn Kidwell, and Anna Lois Charlotte Cline, Dorothy Johnson, Esther Mullinax, Martha Pierson, Helen Marlin, and Betty Culberson.

Officers Elected At Sub Deb Club Meeting Recently

Officers for the next six months were elected at a recent meeting of the Sub Deb club in the home of Dorothy June Johnson. Betty Culberson was elected president; Doris Alexander, vice president; Evelyn Kidwell, secretary; Anita Andrews, treasurer; and Esther Mullinax, parliamentarian.

Retiring officers are Martha Pierson, president; Betty Culberson, vice president; Esther Mullinax, secretary; and Elaine Carlson, treasurer.

Mrs. Mastin Elected President of Club

Ladies at the Phillips Pampa plant met in the home of Mrs. T. A. Mastin, Wednesday to organize a sewing club. Officers were elected and plans to meet on the first and third Wednesdays of the month were made.

Officers elected were Mrs. Mastin, president and Mrs. J. A. Thurmond, secretary-treasurer.

Candy, coffee and cookies were served to Mmes. H. H. Hoke, J. L. Jones, John Litton, Joe Moore and Anita Mae, Joe Montgomery, R. C. Mason and Robert Clyde, C. O'Bryant, John Phillips, W. H. Phardt, T. A. Mastin and Teddy, J. A. Thurmond and Gwendolyn.

The next meeting will be at Mrs. Hoke at 2 p. m. Wednesday, February 4.

British Ship Sunk

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22 (AP)—The Navy reported today that a medium-sized British merchant vessel was torpedoed and sunk by an enemy submarine late in December on the South Atlantic off the east coast of South America. Survivors have landed at Miami, Fla.

The diameter of the world at the equator is 7,928 miles, three times the distance across the United States.

Unity H. D. Meets

Plans were made to complete the yearbooks at a meeting of the Unity Home Demonstration club when it met with Mrs. King Thursday afternoon.

There were six members present. The next meeting of the club will be held Thursday at Mrs. King's home at 520 N. Doyle with Mrs. E. N. Franklin as hostess.

Lighter Moments In Life of Indians Depicted In Play

What did the Indians do with themselves when they were home from war, had hunted for game, prayed for rain, and performed their campfire duties? Like the typical tired businessman, the Indian brave of a few centuries ago had his moments of leisure and relaxation. Maybe he couldn't pick up his golf club and go out on the course for a quick eighteen holes. But he had his own favorite sports, some of which were the forerunners of games we play today—and he also had his favorite dances. Not the usual war or worship dances, but joyous carefree "social" dances, seldom associated with the traditionally "stolal" Indian.

These lighter moments in the life of the American Indian are being depicted here when A. A. U. W. sponsors the production of "The Captive Maid of Old Carlisle". In preparing the play for the Children's Theatre company, author-director Clare Tree Major was instructed by the Indians themselves in some of the games and dances of the Iroquois tribe. Several of these will be reproduced on the stage of the Junior High auditorium next Thursday at 2 p. m.

On the more dramatic side, "The Captive Maid of Old Carlisle" tells the story of two little white girls captured in an Indian raid, who spend nine years in the camp of their captors before being rescued. It is while learning to talk, dress and live like Indians that they are introduced to Indian games and dances, and soon enjoy them as much as their own simple pioneer pleasures.

The Indian women, it turns out, long believed slaves to their teepees, also had their own games—and what is most surprising—their favorites were—of all things—shiny and football! Tickets are now on sale at each of the grade schools and at Junior High. They are \$2.50 plus a three-cent tax.

It would take 1,300,000 planets the size of the earth to equal the volume of the sun.

The earth is the fifth largest planet of the solar system.



Even the merest man ought to know by now that a bright, gray (even a bit giddy) bonnet is a first-class morale builder for the fair sex. Right under that head come the sprightly spring bonnets pictured above. They're both products of top-flight custom designers, made to be copied for modest purses.

At left is a sailor of white, perforated stiff material which resembles chair caning. It is piped with black velvet, while madonna blue velvet ribbon winds around the crown. The blue is complemented by two pink roses woven through the "caning."

Banquet Honors Officers of Odd Fellows and Rebekahs

Banquet was given honoring the officers of the Odd Fellows and the Rebekah lodges Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at the Odd Fellows hall. The tables are arranged in V formation and decorated with gladioli, sweet pea, and other cut flowers in an arrangement of lighted tapers in the lodge colors.

J. D. Yates gave the invocation and presided at the officers table as master of ceremonies. Harry Wahlberg, announcer for radio station KPDN, introduced the officers. Officers for the Rebekah lodge are Mrs. H. M. Cone, noble grand; Mrs. W. A. Spoonemore, vice-grand; Mrs. Roy Kretzmeier, lodge deputy; Mrs. Jim King, secretary and Junior past grand; and Mrs. Vernon Hall, treasurer.

For the Odd Fellows Bill Cole was noble grand; Hugh Braly, vice-grand; J. W. Crisler, finance secretary; Elmer Rupp, recording secretary; Emory Noblitt, treasurer, and Jim King, Junior past grand.

The noble grand and vice-grand of the Rebekah lodge presented their officers with corsages as they were introduced. Mrs. Roy Kretzmeier and Mrs. Emory Noblitt, right supporters; Mrs. Hugh Braly and Mrs. V. E. Wagoner, left supporters; Mrs. Elmer Rupp, warden; Mrs. Kelley Neighbors, conductor; Mrs. Alvin Phillips, chaplain; Mrs. Jess Clay, musician; Mrs. Oma Cole, inside guardian; Mrs. Dewey Voyles, outside guardian, and Mrs. Emory Noblitt, reporter.

A gift was presented to Mrs. Clay, active lodge deputy, by Mrs. King, Mrs. Alvin Phillips, Spoonemore. During the banquet music was furnished by Pvt. and Mrs. L. E. Colburn of the advanced flying school. Mrs. Colburn is the "Texas Singing Cowgirl" on radio station KPDN. A program was given by their husbands and friends Thursday night at the church. It was the eleventh birthday of the class. Mrs. T. D. Alford was toastmistress for the occasion. Mrs. R. W. Tucker reviewed the class history.

Rev. C. Douglas Carver gave two solos after which followed a sing song. Tribute was paid to those who had a son or relative in the armed services. The birthday cake was decorated with miniature flags and eleven candles.

Those present were Rev. and Mrs. Douglas Carver, Messers. and Mrs. R. W. Tucker, T. D. Alford, L. A. Baxter, H. H. Keyser, F. E. Leech, N. B. Ellis, O. R. Wasson, A. N. Thorne, Charles Kentling, W. D. Benton, C. L. McKinnley, Ben Barrett, E. L. Anderson, J. E. Reeves, Aaron Meek, T. L. Anderson, Don Edgerton, Bass Clay, and Clifford Williams.

Mmes. present were Ella Brake, E. Stidham, A. J. Young, A. A. Steele, J. H. Ritchie, Mae Wyckoff, L. W. Sanders, Emma Carroll, Cora Patterson, Ella Chapman, T. W. Jamison, and T. H. Baker.

Aline Vaughn, Louise Baxter, Bobbie Tucker, Joyce Williams, and Carolyn Carver served the dinner.

Central Baptist Missionary Society Meets in Circles

Women's Missionary society of the Central Baptist church met in circles this week. Mary Martha circle met with Mrs. Dayton White. Mrs. S. L. Anderson taught the Bible lesson to the 11 members present.

Mrs. L. O. Roenfeldt was hostess to the Lydia circle. Mrs. Joe Meyers conducted the business session and Mrs. J. L. Barnard taught the Bible lesson. There were five present.

Blanche Groves circle met with Mrs. Albert Taylor. There were six present and Mrs. C. C. McMinn taught the lesson.

Mrs. S. W. Brandt was hostess to the Anna Sallee circle. Mrs. H. O. Lawrence taught the Bible lesson. There were five present.



Mrs. A. C. Miller

Eleventh Birthday Of Bethany Class Celebrated at Party

Bethany class of the First Baptist church had a birthday dinner for their husbands and friends Thursday night at the church. It was the eleventh birthday of the class. Mrs. T. D. Alford was toastmistress for the occasion. Mrs. R. W. Tucker reviewed the class history.

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So the women of PAMPA may understand...

A MESSAGE FROM THOSE WHO MAKE AND WE WHO SELL AMERICA'S MOST FAMOUS FOOTWEAR

The President of the United States has asked that the name, "Red Cross," be discontinued in connection with any commercial product. Red Cross Shoes, as you know, have borne this proud name for over 50 years. In Pampa, we have sold them as Red Cross Shoes for over 12 years.

However, Murfee's is proud to join with the makers of this famous footwear in acceding, during this critical war period, to the wishes of our President.

This Spring, therefore, Red Cross Shoes will be known as Gold Cross Shoes. You will find them advertised as Gold Cross Shoes. You'll find them, as rapidly as possible, so labeled and marked in our store.

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V Notes RED CROSS VOLUNTEERS

BY MRS. FRED ROBERTS

The Victory Book campaign for 1943 is now underway. The Junior Red Cross in the local schools is taking an active part in this campaign. These are some of the slogans used by the Junior Red Cross as aids in collecting books: "Count Your Books and Give the Books That Count"; "Any Book You Really Want to Keep is a Good One to Give"; and "Give More Books. Give Good Books."

The type of books the Juniors are collecting are: Current best sellers, adventure and western detective and mystery. Technical books published since 1935 in the fields of: Architecture, aeronautics, chemistry, drawing, machine mechanics and design, mathematics, mechanical drawing, meteorology, military science, navigation, photography, physics, radio and ship mechanics. Numerous books and pocket books and other small sized editions of popular titles.

Those having books of the above types may assist in the Victory Book campaign by turning them over to a Junior Red Cross member or taking them to the City Library in the city hall.

Expenditure of \$62,000,000 by the American Red Cross for foreign relief, touching the lives of nearly thirty million persons, was announced today in a report received by Joe Key, new chairman of the Pampa Red Cross Chapter. In addition a sum of \$5,000,000 has been disbursed for relief to prisoners of war of the United Nations.

Greater Red Cross accomplishments have been realized so far in this war with a smaller expenditure of funds than during the first year of the last war.

Two achievements cited as outstanding were training of 5,500 persons in First Aid, and the creation of the blood plasma project. In 1941, the Red Cross collected 50,000 units of blood plasma, while in 1942 donations went up to the 1,000,000 mark.

Other realizations since Pearl Harbor were the training of 500,000 women in Home Nursing, the enrollment or completed training of 60,000 women as Volunteer Nurse's Aides. He cited the outstanding production by volunteers of 350,000,000 surgical dressings besides millions of sewed and knitted garments and other articles.

Pampa men were among the 2,000,000 in the armed forces who were aided during the year by the Red Cross in solving personal problems. Under the new Red Cross program of providing recreation for

task forces, 75 overseas recreation clubs have been established in many nations and the Red Cross plans additional clubs as more troops are sent abroad.

Approximately 3,600,000 volunteers are giving a significant part of their time to Red Cross services, and for every one member of the regular full-time paid Red Cross staff there are 350 volunteers, this report states.

"Without our loyal volunteers we would be unable to carry on our program, locally, nationally, or internationally with the funds available," Mr. Key said. "Their work has been an invaluable contribution to the war effort."

Because the first Red Cross War Fund which was announced the day after Pearl Harbor, was oversubscribed by \$20,000,000, no further appeal for funds has since been necessary, but with the approval of President Roosevelt, the Red Cross will conduct a second War Fund appeal next March.

Norman H. Davis has been re-appointed by President Roosevelt as chairman of the American Red Cross.

Dr. Oliver C. Carmichael, chancellor of Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tenn., and Arthur H. Sulzberger publisher of the New York Times are the two new members of the Red Cross Central committee. Re-elected members are Harry Hopkins, George L. Harrison, president of the New York Life Insurance company, and James B. Foygan, Chicago banker.

President Roosevelt reappointed five members representing the government: Summer Welles, undersecretary of State; Maj.-Gen. James C. Magee, surgeon-general United States Army; Rear Admiral Ross T. McIntire, surgeon-general, United States Navy; Daniel W. Bell, undersecretary of the Treasury; and Francis Biddle, attorney-general.

C.I.O. President Philip Murray became one of the new members of the Board of Incorporators, William Green, president of the A.F. of L., and John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers of America and former C.I.O. president, also are members of this 65-man board.

This week Mrs. Raymond Harrah, comfort kit chairman, shipped another 100 kits, bringing out total of bags so far to 250. This keeps us right on schedule for we agreed to send 50 bags a month beginning last September.

Millions of these khaki and navy blue comfort kits are being distributed without charge to servicemen embarking for foreign service or sent to units already stationed abroad.

Each kit, measurements and contents of which are specified by the War Department, contains articles needed by servicemen, although not supplied by the Army and Navy. At an approximate cost of \$1 each, the kits provide soap, playing cards, cigarettes, shoe polishing cloths, pencils, envelopes, writing paper, chewing gum, shoe laces, waterproof matches, razor blades, pocket-sized novels, and sewing cases. The contents are purchased at wholesale prices through the Red Cross.

"We are working hard to fill the chapter's quota of 400 kits by the

end of next May," Mrs. Harrah said. "The Red Cross goal is a kit bag for every man going overseas."

Proof that the kits are appreciated by servicemen is shown in these excerpts from a letter written by Private John B. Jellema to the Des Moines, Iowa, Red Cross Chapter: "I am one of the Marines on Tulagi Island who was fortunate enough to receive a kit bag assembled by your chapter. I am grateful to you. I had a torn pair of trousers that I have sewed with the sewing kit and it is the first time my mother got out of that job since I can remember. Thank you again for the bag that makes living more comfortable. It was a contribution on your part of time, energy, money, and sacrifice that only proves we Americans can make democracy work."



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Recruits for duty, or for keeping you pretty around the hearth. Nelly Don's colorful, washable, wear-forever cottons in becoming 1943 lines. Left—Check tissue ging. Sketched above—

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Three charming versions of the new pinafores, which, easily washable, are ideal for saving daughter's dresses.

By NEA Service

NEW YORK—The pinafore, beloved of our Victorian parents, is lining up on the home front to do its bit for the "makes it last" campaign. When little daughter squats on the floor playing with her dolls, romps outdoors with her friends or helps mother with broom or dish towel, cover her good dress with one of these charming super-aprons.

There are some new ones you'll see among the spring things that are as cute as any Alice ever wore in Wonderland—plus the practical virtues of inexpensiveness and washability.

An attractive pinafore for wees (size 3 to 6 1-2) is of white lawn, with deep border of red-and-white, or blue-and-white peppermint stripes in the wide skirt. Atop the border are set floral appliques of the same stripes. The neck and shoulder ruffles is peppermint piped. The top buttons in the back and ties with a bow at the waist.

Another that comes in the same small sizes is of pastel blue or peach-colored lawn, with wide Applen embroidery. A bit dressier one comes in maize, pink or blue dimity. Matching, high-flaring shoulder ruffles (called "shoulder-ettes") are edged with Val-type lace.

Simplicity keynotes another pinafore, for bigger girls (7 to 12), which is of plain white lawn with contrasting applique on the shoulder straps and narrow piping on the ruffles and pockets.

For the added advantage of double duty, consider the pinafore dress, which differs from the pinafore in that the skirt is sewn together so that it may be worn as a dress with a blouse or as a pinafore over a dress. The top buttons down the back and there is no bow-sash.

This comes in little and big-sister sizes, from 3 to 12. The pinafore part is of candy-striped chambray, with peasant heart-and-fleur-de-lis on the bodice in solid color to match the stripes. These are red-and-white or blue-and-white. The separate blouse is of dotted swiss, with collar and sleeves piped with the striped chambray.

High-standing shoulder ruffles give a festive look to this pinafore of pastel dimity.

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It would be wonderful, wouldn't it, to have this style in both versions! When a formal occasion presents itself, what could be more fitting than this lovely square-neck, short-sleeve, basque-top evening gown? When the occasion is informal, can't you see the day-length model as the perfect answer?

Patern No. 8350 is in sizes 10, 12, 14, 16, 18 and 20. Size 12 takes 3 5/8 yards 39-inch material for street length short sleeves, and 4 3/4 yards for evening length. 1 3/4 yards eyelet embroidery.

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The Social Calendar

SUNDAY
Ladies auxiliary of the Zion Lutheran church will have their monthly social in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Erwert at 1018 E. Frederick at 9 p. m.

Veterans of Foreign Wars auxiliary will meet at 7:30 o'clock in the American Legion hall.

Parent Education club will meet with Mrs. L. N. Atchison.

TUESDAY
Clara Hill Class of the First Methodist church will have its monthly party at 8 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Glenn Kaskidell at 1237 S. Wilcox. All members are invited.

Business and Professional Women's club will have a social meeting at 7:30 o'clock in the club rooms.

Royal Neighbors will meet at 2 o'clock in the L. O. O. F. hall.

Kit Club will meet at 4 o'clock.

Mrs. J. G. Doreget will be hostess to Varietas Study club.

Circle Culture club will meet with Mrs. Claude Lord as hostess.

Mrs. W. W. McDonald, Jr., will be hostess to Twentieth Century Freerziers club.

Twentieth Century Culture club will meet at 8 o'clock with Mrs. Garret Reeves as hostess.

Mrs. Raymond W. Harrah will be hostess to Twentieth Century club at 2:30 o'clock.

Twentieth Century Forum will meet in the home of Mrs. Clarence Barwell.

Deb club will have a weekly meeting.

Women's auxiliary of Civic Service company will meet at 8 o'clock in the club house at the production department.

B. G. C. church will have a weekly meeting at 8 o'clock.

Amicus Bridge club will be entertained, members of Tuesday Bridge club will meet.

A meeting of London Bridge club members will be held.

Sub Deb club will have a weekly meeting.

WEDNESDAY
Women's Missionary society of the Central Baptist church will meet an evangelist Mr. J. W. H. Harkness at 7:30 o'clock at 624 Warren; Lydia circle with Mrs. Joe Meyers at 411 S. Faulkner; Bluebonnet Grove meets with Mrs. Clyde Ives; Anna Sallee with Mrs. H. G. Lawrence; and Lily Handley with Mrs. John Albridge.

First Methodist Woman's Society of Christian service will meet at 2:30 o'clock.

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

First Baptist Woman's Missionary society will meet.

Woman's Missionary society of Central Baptist church will meet at 2:30 o'clock.

Women's Missionary society of the First Baptist church will meet in circles.

Circle 2 will meet with Mrs. Thelma Bell.

Circle 3 will meet with Mrs. T. J. Watt at 415 Davis.

Circle 4 will meet with Mrs. O. B. Schifman at 401 N. Banks.

Circle 5 will meet with Mrs. W. E. James, 615 N. West.

Circle 6 will meet with Mrs. John Jett at 625 N. Warren.

Circle 7 will meet with Mrs. E. L. Anderson at 112 S. Wayne.

Circle 8 will meet with Mrs. W. F. Younger at 1252 Charles.

Women's Society of Christian Service of the McCulloch Methodist church will meet with Mrs. L. E. McDaniel.

THURSDAY
Rebekah lodge will meet at 7:30 o'clock in the L. O. O. F. hall.

Sizemore social club will meet at 2 o'clock in the Stanwood hall.

A weekly meeting of Latona sorority will be held.

Sub Deb club will have a weekly meeting.

FRIDAY
Gray County Home Demonstration Council will meet at 2:30 o'clock in the office of Mrs. Julia E. Kelley.

P-TA Activities

High School

The Pampa High School Parent-Teacher Association will not meet the fourth Thursday of January. The program to have been prepared and presented by the teachers under the leadership of Mrs. G. H. Alexander will be given at the February meeting.

The current issue of "Texas Parent-Teacher" the official publication of the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers carries an editorial on "Findings of the 1942 Texas Congress Convention" held recently in Houston. The following is taken from this editorial—

"It has accomplished its purpose and more. With every section of the State well represented, the ideas and enthusiasm gained by the attending will be carried far and wide and will touch countless individuals and affect the life of hundreds of communities.

The intangibles we carry home with us are many—

—the feeling of warm friendliness and unity of purpose which unite us;

—a new sense of the need of faith in a Power higher than ourselves which will guide and motivate our whole life if we will but let it;

—a recognition that in the midst of war and its destruction, there are very real values which abide forever; for they are deep within the human spirit; the 'things of the spirit' do not change from age to age, but outlive all despotism;

—a new appreciation of the meaning of 'freedom'—that it was bought for us at a great price, but has to be guarded with all we possess; that it must be shared by all or have little value to any; that if it should go, everything that we hold

MODERN MENUS

By MRS. GAYNOR MADDOX

Let's face the need of economy and no waste of food with a smile. Teach the youngsters to eat what's put before them and like it. You might even make your cheaper cuts of meat dishes "smile" now and then. Here's a recipe for Happy Patties. That's something to grin about—and good to eat, too.

HAPPY PATTIES
(Makes 6 to 8)

One and one-half lbs. ground lamb (breast, shank or shoulder), 1 tsp. salt, 1-4 tsp. pepper, 1-4 cup tomato juice, 1 egg, well beaten, 6 to 8 strips bacon, pearl onions, green pepper, onion rings.

Mix ground lamb well with salt, pepper, tomato juice and beaten egg. Form into patties 2 inches wide and 1/2 inch thick. Wrap each patty in a strip of bacon, fastening the ends with a toothpick. Arrange 2 pearl onions on

each patty for the eyes; cut green pepper in small cubes and arrange for the nose; cut onion rings in half and arrange for the mouth. Bake patties in shallow pan in moderate oven (350 deg. F.) 25 to 30 minutes.

If you make the patties out of left-over meat, bake only until heated through and bacon is thoroughly done.

Here's another gay dish, nourishing and economical, that will add a party note to luncheon or a late supper during the holiday season.

GAITY SALAD
(4 servings)

Four kumquats, sliced thin, 1 cup diced cooked (left-over) poultry meat, 1 cup diced apple, 1/2 cup cut celery, lettuce leaves, shredded, French dressing or mayonnaise. Mix kumquats, poultry meat, apple and celery together. Pile on shredded lettuce and serve with French dressing or mayonnaise.

BUY VICTORY STAMPS
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KPDN
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SUNDAY
8:30—World of Song
8:45—Soldiers of the Press
9:00—Assembly of God Church
9:30—Jungle Jim
9:45—News
10:00—All-Star Dance Parade
10:50—First Baptist Church
12:00—Music for Sunday
12:30—Let's Dance
1:50—World Observer
1:15—Front Page Drama
2:30—Ministerial Alliance
2:15—Boss' Town
2:45—Let We Forget
3:00—Old Fashioned Revival Hour
4:00—Good Afternoon

MONDAY
7:30—Stagebrush Trails
7:45—Wedgeworth Sisters
8:00—What's Behind the News with Tex DeWesse
8:05—Musical Revue
8:30—Early Morning Club
9:00—Treasure Star Parade
9:15—What's Happening Around Pampa with Ruby Cook
9:30—Let's Dance
9:45—News with Harry Wahlberg
10:00—Woman's Page of the Air with Betty D-nar
10:15—Morning Melodies
10:30—Trading Post
10:35—The Burger Hour
10:45—News with Tex DeWesse
11:00—The Burger Hour
11:15—Woman to Woman, with Ruby Cook
11:30—Minn's Melody
11:45—Why's School of the Air
12:00—Sports Review
12:10—Famous Exchange
12:15—Lum and Abner
12:30—News with Tex DeWesse
1:00—Music Just for You
1:30— Rendezvous with Romance
1:45—Let's Dance
2:00—Gems of Melody
2:15—Sun Back and Lutes
2:30—All Star Dance Parade
2:45—KPDN Concert Hall
3:00—Sports Review
3:30—Save a Nickel Club
5:00—Little Show
5:15—Treasure Star Parade
5:30—Trading Post
5:45—Marching with Music
6:10—News with Harry Wahlberg
6:00—10-2-4 Ranch
6:15—Our Town Forum
6:30—Sports Review
6:40—Home Front Summary
6:45—Lum and Abner
7:00—Goodnight

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WHY IS 'DUNBAR'?' CHAPTER XVIII & LIEUTENANT THATCHER of the State Police sat now, in Vaughan Dunbar's hotel room...

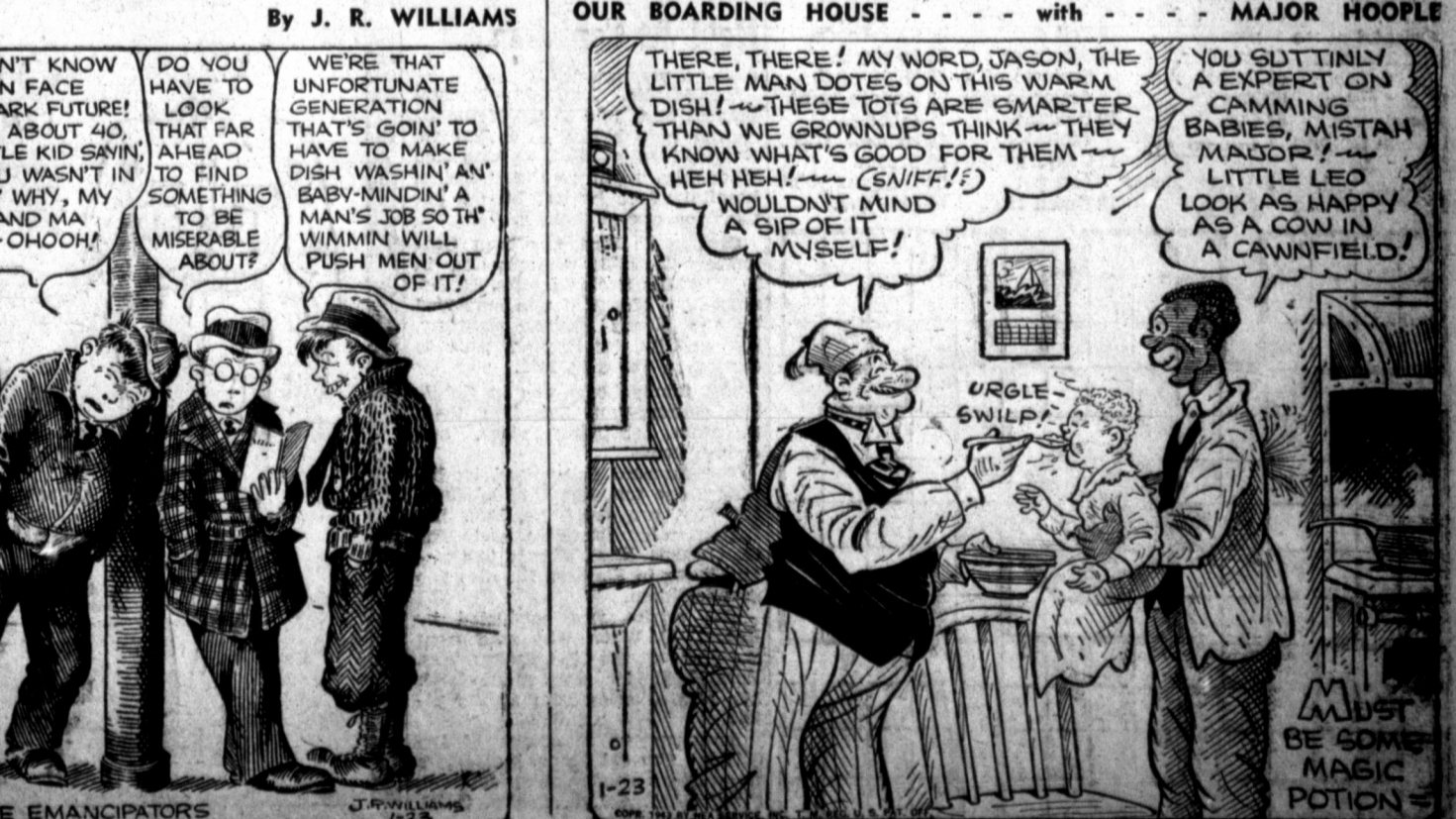
sat in the drawing room at Stone House, looking at Cynthia Merriwether, and Fred West, and Fred's cousin Anne, and Mitchell Grace, and Henry Preeniss, and Dr. Fleming...

Attacker Strikes Again In Tulsa

TULSA, Okla., Jan. 22 (AP)—Police redoubled their efforts to capture Tulsa's elusive north side sex-killer today after a 61-year-old woman and attempted to attack her...

Army Transport Officials Move

DALLAS, Jan. 23 (AP)—The trouble shooters for the army, as far as transportation matters are concerned, have arrived from San Antonio, taking over the second floor of the Southland Life annex as headquarters...



When Reporting Fire, Indicate What Kind

When you call the fire department to report a fire, tell the firemen what kind of a fire it is. That was the admonition given Pampa today by Fire Chief Ben White.

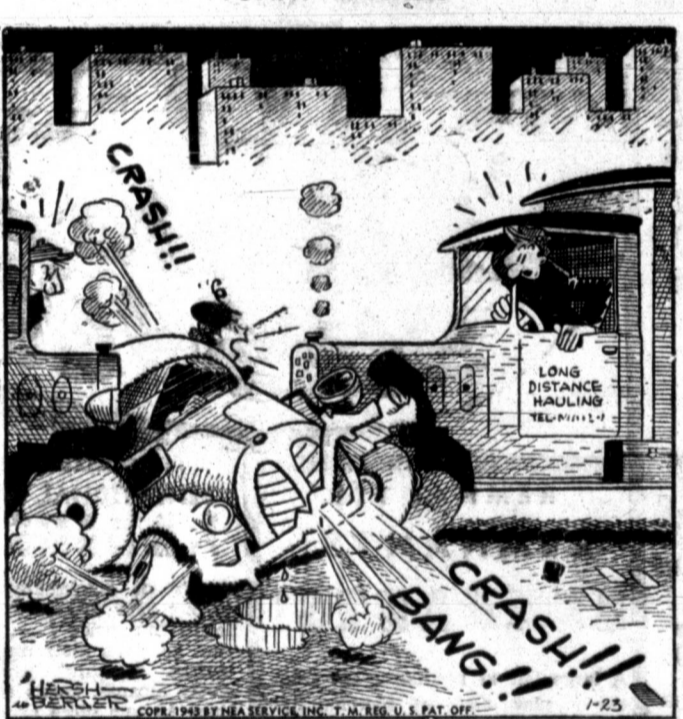
Cleanup Begins Early At Sheriff's Office

January, instead of March, is cleanup month at the sheriff's office and the county jail. Sheriff G. H. Kyle has had work started on repainting the sheriff's department and also has begun a cleanup of the jail, located on the fourth floor of the court house.

HOLD EVERYTHING



FUNNY BUSINESS

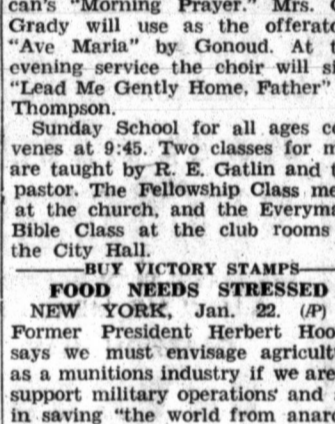


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Former Soldiers Can Receive Aid From Red Cross

Soldiers discharged from the service at the Pampa air base because of physical disabilities can obtain assistance from Red Cross chapters in their hometown...

Photos Show Even The Maltese Cats Are Well Fed On This 'Most Bombed' Island



The Maltese youngsters in the photo at top are quick to take advantage of a few bomb-less minutes to enjoy a walk with a British sailor...



A view of Malta's Grand Harbor, target of incessant bombing, showing Allied war and merchant ships.



Streets of Malta piled high with masonry and rubble attest the terrific punishment this tiny stronghold has taken from the Axis aerial bombs...

Latest Draft Takes 40 Men From Wheeler

Special to The NEWS. SHEARROCK, Jan. 23—One of the largest quotas of men ever called from Wheeler county left this week for reception center at Ft. Sill, Okla.

Power Chief To Get Test

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23 (AP)—The nation's new power director, taking over today the job of directing the war production board's projected expansion of utilities, may get his first major test in trying to obtain pipe lines and other facilities to avert a natural gas shortage next winter.

Market Briefs

WALL STREET NEW YORK, Jan. 23 (AP)—A handful of blue chips continued to attract investment buying in today's stock market but further profit catching on the long upward drive stalled many leaders.

CHICAGO GRAIN TABLE

Table with columns for grain types (Wheat, Corn, Soybeans) and prices (High, Low, Close).

New HD Agent Goes To Wheeler County

SPECIAL TO THE NEWS. SHAMROCK, Jan. 23—Miss Murle Scates has been transferred to Wheeler county by the extension service to take over the duties of home demonstration agent.

Paul Fackler Promoted to Major, Carl Witus to Captain at Air Base

Two Pampa air base officers have been promoted to higher ranks. Lt. Col. Daniel S. Campbell, commanding officer, announced Saturday.

WPB Operations To Be Decentralized

DALLAS, Jan. 23 (AP)—Wendell Lund, director of the war production board's labor production division in Washington, announced today that problems affecting labor participation in war production hereafter will be handled as completely as possible through the WPB regional director's office.

Following the appointment of J. A. Krug to the newly-created post, WPB officials expressed the opinion that unless he is successful in obtaining pipe lines and other facilities to avert a natural gas shortage next winter...

NEW YORK STOCK LIST (By The Associated Press) Am Can 3 76 1/2 76 1/2 76 1/2

OKLAHOMA CITY LIVESTOCK OKLAHOMA CITY, Jan. 23 (AP)—US Dairies—Cattle 60 calves 29 1/2 to 30 1/2...

HARRISBURG, Pa.—Pennsylvania's new governor, inaugurated Tuesday, ought to feel at home in his official residence.

Major Fackler, son of Mrs. Hannah Fackler of Tolono, Ill., is a graduate of Tolono high school and earned his bachelor of science degree in education at the University of Illinois.

Canadian shoe factories last year produced 31,500,000 pairs of shoes, an increase of 22 per cent.

Mrs. Housewife is doing a lot of home sewing these days, and since her sewing machine is a hard-to-replace piece of equipment, she cares for it intelligently.

PORT WORTH LIVESTOCK PORT WORTH, Jan. 23 (AP)—Wheat, No. 1 hard winter, according to present and billing, 1.46-1.51.

ATTENTION SOLDIERS! WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED A NEW SHIPMENT OF MILITARY SHOES \$3.98

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PRICES SLASHED We Cash Payroll Checks

ARMY AIR INSIGNE

Crossword puzzle grid with clues and a central illustration of an Army Air Insigne.

Charles Bird Rites Held At Canadian

SPECIAL TO THE NEWS. CANADIAN, Jan. 23—Funeral services were held in the Methodist church here Friday afternoon for Charles Newton Bird, 69, who died Wednesday night in the Canadian hospital where he had been a patient for several months.

WORK CLOTHING MEN'S KHAKI SUITS

Advertisement for men's khaki suits, pants and shirts, priced at \$3.08.

SALE! MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS

Advertisement for men's dress shirts, priced at \$1.19.

REMNANTS! REMNANTS!

Advertisement for remnant sale of men's dress shirts, priced at 1/2 price.

SENSATIONAL SALE OF BETTER QUALITY LADIES' DRESSES

Advertisement for ladies' dresses, priced at \$3.

Large crossword puzzle grid with clues.

Charles Bird Rites Held At Canadian

Charles N. Bird was born September 12, 1873; was married in 1904 to Miss Rachel Landis. Dr. Joseph, Mo. Mr. Bird was employed by the Morris Packing company, Kansas City, for 12 years prior to coming to Texas in 1931.

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Advertisement for men's khaki suits, priced at \$3.08.

PURREY BLANKETS by Nashua

Advertisement for Purrey blankets, priced at \$6.45.

LADIES' NEW SPRING BAGS \$1.00

Advertisement for ladies' bags, priced at \$1.00.

CHILDREN'S NEW SPRING WASH DRESSES \$1.39

Advertisement for children's wash dresses, priced at \$1.39.