

DEMPEY DIVORCE CASE PRINCIPALS



Benny Woodall of Dallas, Lew Jenkins' flight manager, has a word with Mrs. Dorothy Gomez (above), sister of Mrs. Hannah Williams Dempsey (below) in the corridor of a White Plains, N. Y., during recess in Dempsey's divorce suit in which Woodall and Jenkins are named as correspondents. The trial was in recess today due to Mrs. Dempsey's illness. (NEA Telephoto.)

Mississippi Hits All-Time High In Missouri

(By The Associated Press) The mighty Mississippi river crested at an all-time record of 42.4 feet at Cape Girardeau, Mo., and began to creep slowly back to its bed today. The highest previous flood mark ever recorded there was 42.19 feet in 1844. The river's flooded tributaries were receding also and thousands of farmers in the rich valleys hopefully waited to start over on their wartime food production tasks, although Army officers estimated some of the land would not be tillable for another month. At Cape Girardeau the river had dropped 15 feet from the crest by 8 a. m. (est.) The city's power plant continued to operate. The great stream surged through an old levee protecting McClure, Ill., across from Cape Girardeau, knocking 50 buildings from their foundations and trapping 12 of the town's 300 residents. They took refuge on the second floor of a store and awaited evacuation by boat today. Beardsdown, on the Illinois river still faced the threat of a break in its concrete seawall, although the river was dropping slowly after reaching within six inches of the top of the wall, extended with sandbags and planking. Four new sandbags popped out in a 10-foot square area close behind the dike and troops hurriedly built sandbag wells around them and began covering the area with rock. The barriers were still holding at 35.8 feet today, a 24-hour drop of 1.2 and 3.14 feet below the crest it hit Monday. From Cape Girardeau downward the Mississippi flows between strong, high levees, easily able to hold the floodwaters.



It's Mrs. John Loder

Now, Not Hedy Lamarr

HOLLYWOOD, May 28 (AP)—It was Mrs. John Loder (in fact) and Hedy Lamarr (on film) that the studio call-sheet summoned back to a movie set today. The glamorous aura that pictures have cast around the Austrian-born actress was supplanted by an almost stark simplicity—and a candidly stated desire for privacy—when the real-life Hedy became a bride last night. There were no guests, no ostentatious settings in the wedding plan. And no honeymoon, presently at least. The nuptials took place in the Beverly Hills, Calif., home of Mrs. Lily Veidt, widow of actor Conrad Veidt. Loder, screen actor son of a retired British major-general, is 43 and the former husband of Michelle Cheirel, French actress. Miss Lamarr, 28, has been married twice before, to Fritz Mendl, Austrian banker, and later to Gene Markey, film writer and producer. Both marriages ended in divorce.

DeGaulle, Giraud Meet Due Tonight

ALGIERS, May 28 (AP)—Gen. Georges Catroux, liaison officer between Gen. Henri Giraud and Gen. Charles De Gaulle, arrived today from London to assist in the reception here soon of Gen. De Gaulle. (Informed quarters in London said Gen. De Gaulle was expected to meet Gen. Giraud tonight in Algiers to initiate talks which may bring about a union of French elements. This was the first indication that Gen. De Gaulle already had left London.)

I SAW...

Marion Parks, police department clerk, excitedly opening a package sent her by her son, Lieut. Bill Parks, U. S. M. C., stationed somewhere in the Pacific. The package contained a grass skirt, shell necklace, a teakwood astray, and a half dozen photographs of the place in the Pacific where the lieutenant is stationed. Look Fishermen! Nylon casting and fly lines, Lewis Hardware Co.

BYRNES IS NAMED HEAD OF OVERALL WAR BOARD

Essen Krupp Works Bombed Again

Eden Pledges Aerial Blows To Continue

(By The Associated Press) Giant RAF bombers, pursuing their mission in Allied Global strategy to smash German war centers into impotence, returned to Essen last night and dumped another great load of explosives among the Krupp, sinister buildings of the Krupp works, for years the source of munitions for German armies. Twenty-three bombers failed to return from the assault which was carried out "in great strength" indicating that the attack—the 56th on Essen—approached in fury the raid on Dortmund Sunday night in which 2,000 tons of bombs were dropped, and the massive assault on Duesseldorf Tuesday night. Essen is 22 miles northeast of Duesseldorf. Coming only a few hours after President Roosevelt's announcement that the combined British-American staffs in Washington had ended their meetings "in complete agreement on future operations in all theaters of the war," the assault must have given Germans in the Rhine-Ruhr industrial areas an unpleasant vision of the future. Nor could the words of British foreign secretary Anthony Eden that "today it is the turn of Germany and Italy" reassure the European Axis partners. Speaking at Portsmouth, Eden said "we did not start this business. It was Goering who gloated over the destruction of Warsaw and Rotterdam. We shall bomb the fascist and German military machine wherever it is to be found. Some of those who cry out against bombing were conspicuously silent when the cities of Britain were being bombed and destroyed by all the power which the Luftwaffe could muster. The foreign secretary added the comforting word that the battle against U-boats "continues to be encouraging," with Allied construction of ships mounting and the destruction of enemy submarines increasing. The Essen attack followed a twilight raid last evening on the historic University City of Jena in Central Germany, where the Carl See EDEN, Page 8

'Halo' Crowns Soldier's Head

COFFEYVILLE, KAS., May 28 (AP)—In a hurry to get to the movies, Pvt. Marvin Price, Wharton, Texas, grabbed a bottle of what he thought was hair oil from his foot locker at the army air field, dashed it generously on his head and hurried away to town. On the way it began raining. By the time private Price reached the show foam was rolling from around his cap. Private Price had used shampoo.

Long Filibuster Pledged Against Poll Tax Bill

WASHINGTON, May 28 (AP)—Senator Theodore Gilmore Bilbo of Poplarville, Miss., took a deep breath today and announced he is ready to conduct an 18-month, one-man filibuster against the anti-poll tax bill if, and when it is called up in the senate. He came right out and said "filibuster," too. Some statesmen shy away from the word even while engaging in oratory patently designed to kill time—but not the little demagogue from Poplarville who helped talk to death a similar measure in the closing days of last session. The current session ends in January, but the poll tax bill already approved by the house, could be called up any time it emerged from the judiciary committee. Hence Bilbo was committing himself to underwrite a year and a half of talk. "I could easily discuss the bill for a year and a half and I'm now ready to start," he said, clearing his throat. In fact, he intimated, that period would be barely sufficient to outline even his mildest objections to the legislation, which he considers an unwarranted invasion of state's rights, strictly unconstitutional, and provocative of disunity. The bill would make it unlawful to require the payment of a poll tax as a prerequisite for voting at a federal election. Mississippi, Alabama, South Carolina, Georgia, Virginia, Arkansas and Texas have poll tax laws. Bilbo said that if he did find it necessary to stage a filibuster he would stand ready to yield temporarily to legislation vital to the war effort—provided he got the floor back afterward.

Yanks Attack Jap's Third Atsu Position

WASHINGTON, May 28 (AP)—United States troops have attacked the third main position which the Japanese had held on Atsu Island south of Lake Corles, the navy reported today, and indications were that the entire enemy force on the island was being rapidly broken up into very small points of resistance. A communique said that on May 26th: "United States Army troops gained several important points along the ridge south of Chicago Corridor and that hard hand to hand fighting over rugged terrain was continuing. The United States Army's Northern force have penetrated a part of Fish-Hook ridge about one and five-eighths miles southwest of Chicago Harbor. Fighting continues in order to clear the Japanese from the high peaks in the vicinity," the bulletin stated. "An attack by United States troops to eliminate the enemy from the ridge south of Lake Corles is in progress." The communique related that army heavy bombers, medium bombers and fighters effectively supported ground operations, and disclosed that on May 26th medium bombers and fighters made three attacks on Kiska, bombing the Japanese main camp area and runway. Numerous hits were observed. The navy issued no reports on Atsu fighting later than Wednesday. A spokesman said, however, that "every bit of information we have indicates it is continuing." The high, mountainous area, won before the week-end, authorities said, or it might take two or three days longer to clear up the final pockets of enemy resistance. There are some indications in today's bulletin that Japanese opposition has, in fact, already been broken down into a number of small groups of men and had pretty well lost its character of organized fighting. This is a kind of situation in which the Japanese soldier fights most stubbornly, however, and the job of American troops became increasingly one of hand-to-hand combat with bayonet and grenade.

End of Strategy Talks Herald Beginning of War's Final Phase

WASHINGTON, May 28 (AP)—Conclusion of the strategy conference between President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill was viewed in some quarters today as marking the beginning of the final phase of this global war—a phase in which the United Nations are destined to undertake full scale offensives in both Europe and the Pacific. The end of the historic meeting was announced by Mr. Roosevelt late yesterday. He said simply that "complete agreement" had been reached on future plans. What those plans are will become known only as they unfold in action. The very wording of the President's statement, however, suggested that when the conference had been reached on questions of vast strategic importance which required answering to the satisfaction of both British and American leaders. The President's statement said only this: "The conference of the combined staffs in Washington has ended in complete agreement on future operations in all theaters of the war." That the war against Japan received the fullest consideration was made clear by Mr. Churchill in his address to congress. Yet it was equally clear that there had been no change in the grand strategy previously agreed upon to smash Germany first and Japan second. To everyone in Pampa tomorrow, this appeal will be made by members of the American Legion auxiliary committee. They have 3,000 people to sell. The sale is being held on Saturday as Memorial Day this year comes on Sunday. Money received from the sale will go to the Legion and auxiliary rehabilitation and welfare work.



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Memorial Day Rites Planned

Pampa's observance of Memorial Day, Sunday will have more of a military note than any similar observance for the past 25 years, with a band from Pampa Field, enlisted men and officers, and men now serving in the armed forces here on furlough all taking part in the ceremony. Paul D. Hill, chairman of the event, was appreciative today of the part that Pampa Field would have in the observance and stressed that he desired a big attendance from the army flying school. Major W. B. Marschner, field executive officer, will be the principal speaker at the ceremony to be held at Fairview cemetery at 2:30 p. m. Benediction will be by Lieut. Maurice P. Garner, chaplain. While emphasizing the attendance of the soldiers, Hill added he expects a large crowd of civilians. At 1:30 p. m. those participating will gather in front of the high school building, 100 Harvester, where a parade will be formed under the direction of Dan E. Williams, to march to the cemetery across the highway east of the high school building. In the parade will be the Pampa Field band, other soldiers from Pampa Field, soldiers, sailors and marines here on furlough, men in the armed forces who have received honorable discharges, members of the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign War 1, regardless of affiliation with veterans organizations, Company D, Texas State guard, and the public. Hill issued a special invitation to See MEMORIAL, Page 8

Weather Station Rating Raised

K. W. Matthews new official in charge of the Pampa station of the U. S. Weather bureau, announced today that the station is now rated "first order."

Greek Sub Sinks Two Nazi Ships

LONDON, May 28 (AP)—A Greek submarine has sunk two Nazi German ships off Crete, in the Mediterranean, a Greek government-in-exile communique said today. The submarine Panoplicus was operating with the British Royal Navy when it intercepted a small supply ship flying the German flag. It sank the ship with gunfire. Then it met and sank the second ship, and rescued a number of survivors from both vessels.

Drowns in Brazil

RIO DE JANEIRO, May 28 (AP)—A United States Army enlisted man identified as Claude W. Johnson, about 25 years old, drowned here Thursday while bathing at Copacabana beach. Authorities said they understood Johnson's wife lives near March Field, Calif.

Submarine Menace Is Being Whipped

LOS ANGELES, May 28 (AP)—Shipyard workers and executives had the assurance of Rear Adm. Emory S. Land today that the Axis submarine menace was being whipped and that ships now being built would stay on top of the water. Escort vessels and air patrols are making the sub raiders' efforts perilous and costly, the retired admiral, now War Shipping Administrator and chairman of the Maritime Commission, told shipping men.

Food Marketing System Probed

WASHINGTON, May 28 (AP)—Under a unanimous House mandate to investigate the Nation's food marketing system, the House Agriculture committee laid the groundwork today for an inquiry which chairman Fulmer (D-Sc.) said he expected to result in a number of the economic position of farmers and consumers. "Unless I am mistaken," Fulmer said, "we will be able to show that the high, in fact, already been broken down into a number of small groups of men and had pretty well lost its character of organized fighting. This is a kind of situation in which the Japanese soldier fights most stubbornly, however, and the job of American troops became increasingly one of hand-to-hand combat with bayonet and grenade." Fulmer said the committee, authorized to make investigation by a resolution adopted yesterday, probably would send subcommittees to various marketing centers to make firsthand studies. The House gave the committee full subpoena power. "There is no point in attempting to offer subsidies to hold down food costs unless we correct the wasteful and disgraceful manner in which farm goods are marketed. Many middlemen are absolutely robbing the public and food costs won't come down until these leeches are removed," Fulmer declared. As an example of the spread between retail costs and the price a farmer receives, Fulmer said a loaf of bread containing about one cent's worth of wheat costs the consumer 10 or 12 cents.

Clerks to Harvest Texas Berry Crop

LINDALE, Tex., May 28 (AP)—All business houses here will close next Tuesday morning so that clerks and other white collar workers may help harvest the 1943 berry crop. Merchants have announced that two half holidays a week, on Tuesdays and Thursdays, will be given through June in an effort to relieve the critical labor shortage. A neighbor of the relatives it developed, said he had heard of New-



RATION REMINDER FOOD—Red coupons E, F, G, H, J, for meat, cheese, fish, canned fish, and blue coupons C, D, K, L, for processed foods. COFFEES—No. 23 good for 1 lb. through May 30. SUGAR—No. 12 good for 5 lbs. through May 31. EGGS—No. 17 good for one pair to June 15. GASOLINE—A Book No. 6 coupon good for 4 gal. gas.

Home Front Efforts To Be Unified

Washington, May 28 (AP)—A six-man war mobilization board, with vast powers over the nation's war effort on the home front, was set up today by President Roosevelt. James F. Byrnes was named to head the new super-agency—and thus became the czar of cars in this war capital. The board's duty, President Roosevelt said, is to keep "both our military machine and our essential civilian economy running in team at high speed." Specifically, the board is directed to unify activities of federal agencies and departments engaged in or concerned with production, procurement, distribution or transportation of military or civilian supplies, materials and products and to resolve and determine controversies between such agencies or departments. The power to resolve inter-agency disputes means that Byrnes will be the arbiter in any future controversies such as that between rubber director Fred Byrnes and undersecretary of war Patterson. There has been recurring talk in Congress, and bills have been introduced to achieve the end, that there should be some central, over-arching agency tying in the various efforts of making war at home. President Roosevelt's action followed the general pattern, although not specifically going so far as some have suggested in calling for such things as a war board whose powers would include the drafting of workers. Byrnes' board is composed of these officials: Secretary of War Henry L. Stimson, Secretary of the Navy Frank Knox, Chairman Harry L. Hopkins of the Munitions Assignment Board, Chairman Donald M. Nelson of the War Production Board, and Judge Fred M. Vinson, who takes over the job Byrnes is leaving, the Office of Economic Stabilization. Byrnes is a one time South Carolina Senator who left the Supreme Court to become Director of Economic Stabilization. Apparently his further elevation leaves the President free to give more of his time to the unfolding problems of war strategy. Judge Vinson, now on the bench of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals in the District of Columbia, served in Congress from 1914 to 1918 and is considered an authority on taxation and economic matters. As Director of Economic Stabilization he will have the duty of carrying on the fight against inflation. Byrnes' new office, unparalleled in American history, was assigned this function: "To develop unified programs See BYRNES, Page 8

Farm Machinery Not Used Sought

WASHINGTON, May 28 (AP)—The war food administration embarked today on a nationwide search for idle farm machinery, announcing it would be requisitioned by the government and distributed where it is needed most to boost food production. The WFA promised farmers a reasonable price for such machinery. How much could be salvaged for release to active production areas has not been estimated. A spokesman said that a windfall of farm implements was left by Japanese removed from their west coast farms after Pearl Harbor and this probably will get the first attention in the campaign. The county war boards have been instructed to look around for machinery not being used now, or expected to put into service this summer. Their findings will be submitted to state headquarters with recommendations for acquiring specific pieces and the state war board chairman then is to proceed with the purchase. No ceilings have been established, and the equipment will be resold to farmers who need it.

Telephone Company Finally Gets Revenge

FORT KNOX, Ky., May 28 (AP)—A soldier who earned force replacement training center wages, frequented and dropped 30 cents into the coin box. "Why'd you answer the phone?" he growled. "It cost me my last 30 cents!" He left the booth and disgustedly told another soldier, "I call my wife this time every morning to wake her up in time to get to work. You see, we don't have an alarm clock—can't buy one any place. "She's not supposed to answer the phone. And I always hang up after the operator tells me nobody answers. That way it doesn't cost anything. But this morning that sleepy-headed wife of mine answered and the operator told me to deposit 30 cents!"

Greenville Relatives of Pampa Man Arrive For Funeral, Discover He's Very Much Alive

Three relatives of a Pampa man who resides near Greenville arrived here yesterday for the latter's funeral, only to discover that the Pampa resident was very much alive. T. R. Elmer Newton, La Nora theatre janitor was pleased to welcome his relatives but very much astonished to hear that they were in Pampa for his funeral. A neighbor of the relatives it developed, said he had heard of New-

Today's Best LAFF

VICTORY GUARDING OMAHA, NEB., May 28 (AP)—The man on the telephone said someone was shooting a gun in the neighborhood of 44th and S. streets and that somebody might be killed. Chief deputy sheriff Hugh Cutler called his two deputies and hurried to the scene, the three checking their guns on route. They found a woman victory gardener was sticking small firecrackers into small potatoes, lighting it's fuses and throwing them at 40's both-ering her garden.

Mrs. Grossman Is Honored With Post-Nuptial Shower

Complimenting Mrs. Max L. Grossman, the former Ima Jean Marney, a miscellaneous shower was given recently in the home of Mrs. L. L. Davis...

Ration Queen



Tiny starlet Pamela Blake has been chosen the 'girl they'd most like to share a ration book with'...

G. S. Day Camp To Open June 7

The 1943 Girl Scout Day Camp promises to be one of the most successful, and many Girl Scout leaders have been offered their time...

Quentin Archer Is Honored At Party

A party was given this week in honor of Quentin Archer who entered the army Tuesday, May 25, by Mrs. Archer and Mrs. Bob Bailey...

STRAIGHT FROM NEW YORK



FESTIVE FLOWERS Saturday Luncheon in New York is a festive vacation and the New York creations designed for the occasion are gay as this white crepe printed in multi-colored flowers.

Girl Scouts Have Luncheon In The D. A. Caldwell Home

Girl Scouts in troop 5 were entertained at a luncheon Tuesday in the home of Mrs. D. A. Caldwell...

Leake-Wiegardt Engagement Told

SHAMROCK, May 28—Mr. and Mrs. Howard Leake announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Cornelia Leake...

Party Given In Canadian For School Children

CANADIAN, May 28—Graduating eight graders were complimented Wednesday night following the exercise at the high school auditorium...

WCSA Combines Social—Business Meeting Wednesday

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist church met in the church parlor Wednesday afternoon with an executive meeting before the session...

Mrs. Gene Ray Is Complimented At Shower

Special To The News—Mrs. Gene Ray was complimented with a shower at the home of Mrs. T. D. Blund...

What are the terms Washington and London might be prepared to offer in exchange for 'unconditional surrender'?

Virginia Gayda, Italian editor.

Eleanor Roosevelt Study Club Meets In Skellytown

The Eleanor Roosevelt Study Club of Skellytown met at the home of Mrs. K. A. Sorenson for the last meeting of the year and annual home coming. Mrs. Ivan Reeder presided over the meeting...

What's the Answer?

If this were in Pine Ridge, Arkansas, and if Cleo Laude (left) and Norris Goff were the Ozark characters they portray on their Lum and Abner radio show...

Female Weakness AND HELP BUILD UP RED BLOOD! Lydia E. Pinkham's Compound TABLETS...

Deanna DURBIN as The Amazing Mrs. Holliday with EDMOND O'BRIEN, BARRY FITZGERALD, ARTHUR TREACHER, HARRY DAVENPORT, GRANT MITCHELL, FRIEDA INESORT, ELISABETH RISDON.

The Social Calendar

MONDAY Public installation of the Order of the Eastern Star will be at the Masonic Hall... TUESDAY B. K. G. will meet... WEDNESDAY Parish Council of Catholic Women will meet... THURSDAY Garden club will meet... FRIDAY Regular meeting of the Order of Eastern Star...

Twin Boleros



For these attractive patterns send 15c for postage for each in coins, your name, address, pattern numbers and sizes wanted to The Pampa News Today's Pattern Service, 530 South Wells St., Chicago 9, Ill.

JOHNNY MACK BROWN and TEX RITTER RAIDERS of SAN JOAQUIN with FUZZY KNIGHT, JENNIFER HOLT and THE JIMMY WAKELY TRIO.

TODAY AND SATURDAY! GEORGE ZUCCO and MARY CARLISLE in "DEAD MEN WALK"

TODAY AND SATURDAY! BUSTER CRABBE as "THE KID IN THE SHERIFF OF SAGE VALLEY"

TODAY AND SATURDAY! THE SECRET OF THE SAGE VALLEY STATE

WE'RE SORRY BUT WE'RE OUT OF HANGERS

Due to conditions beyond our control, we are forced to ask that you bring your hangers when bringing or sending clothes to be cleaned and pressed. At the present time there is no kind of a garment hanger available...

Dear Editor: The basic trouble with present-day Americanism is due to jitterbug thinking. Or, to use more academic language, we have allowed our educational system to accept without challenge the fallacy of empiricism...

Major's Medals



Four medals awarded posthumously to Maj. Allan J. Stewart, Jr., killed in Solomon fighting, are worn by his wife in Los Angeles while his baby daughter Barbara admires them.

Canadian WSCS Has Social Meeting

Special To The News—Canadian, May 27—Women of the Methodist church met Thursday afternoon in their monthly program and social meeting of the Women's Society of Christian Service...

FLAMES Would Be New Branch

ST. PAUL, May 28 (AP)—WAACS, WAVES, SPARS, WOVES, may be joined by the FLAMES, if the suggestion made by H. G. Weber, director of the division of forestry...

Alathea Class Has May Day Luncheon

Members of the Alathean class of the First Baptist church attended their annual May Day Luncheon, Thursday at 12:30, with Mrs. W. H. Scherer in charge of the social hour...

ENGLISH RIB ANKLETS

For real service... smart with the new shoes. All new shades. Navy Marine Blue, Yellow, Brown, Beige, Red, Green. Sizes 7 to 11. 35c Pair. Jones-Roberts Shoe Store.

Kate Smith swaps stories with Mr. Duckwall of Louisville, Ky.

HERE'S A MAN who has made baking a cheery, useful hobby. He's Mr. Richard Duckwall—Past Dept. Commander, Disabled American Veterans, Department of Kentucky.

"I'll bet your neighborhood's mighty proud of you, Mr. Duckwall," Kate writes back. "And I'm mighty proud to hear how much you like Calumet!"

Kate's Latest—Meat Pancake Roll-Ups

1 cup sifted flour, 1 teaspoon Calumet Baking Powder, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1 tablespoon sugar, 1 egg, well beaten. 3/4 cup milk, 3 tablespoons melted shortening, 1 1/2 cups chopped cooked meat, 2 teaspoons horse-radish or 3 tablespoons piccalilli, 1/2 cup medium white sauce.

SAVE! BUY BIG ECONOMY SIZE 25oz. CAN! CALUMET The Double Acting Baking Powder

In Britain a pack of 20 cigarettes costs 47 cents, of which 37 cents is tax.

**BUY VICTORY STAMPS**  
In England, boots which can't be repaired are converted into fertilizer.

**Attention Shriners**



**M. F. DOWNS OF PAMPA, TEXAS**  
YOUR candidate for the Shrine Ring at Khiva's Victory Ceremony, 312 East 5th, Amarillo, Texas, Monday, May 31st, 1943.

**Of Course You Do Know Ancient Arabic Order Nobles of the Mystic Shrine—Its Origin and History**

The order was instituted by the son-in-law of the Prophet Mahomed, Kalfi Alee, in the year of the Hegira, 25 (A. D. 644) at Mecca in Arabia, for the purpose of dispensing justice upon criminals who escaped their just deserts through the tardiness of the courts. The order took every precaution to preserve secrecy, and as it comprised men of sterling worth, who would, under the Star and Crescent, without fear or favor, try, judge and execute criminals, it soon caused alarm and consternation among the criminals. It is still one of the most favored societies in the Oriental countries and includes in its membership only a few of the best educated and cultured men in those countries. Its membership includes Christians, Moslems and Israelites. The ritual now in use was translated from the original Arabic, having been found in the Archives of the Order at Aleppo, Syria, and brought to London in 1860 by Dr. Walte Fleming. William J. Florence, a noted actor, collaborated with Dr. Fleming in this work. Authority to introduce the order in America was issued to Dr. Fleming and Mr. Florence. "Mecca" was organized in New York City on June 16th, 1871, when a number of Knight Templars and Thirty Second and Thirty Third Degree Masons assembled in Masonic Hall No. 114. An official divan, with Dr. Fleming as the first Potentate, was elected on September 26th, 1872.

Since the organization of this Mother Temple, the order has steadily grown until now there are 159 Temples of the Mystic Shrine of North America with a total membership of approximately 3,500,000. Don't forget—I am YOUR candidate for the Shrine Ring next week. I know a lot about the cattle business, but cattle I have dealt with have been alive—live-stock, not beef. **BUY MORE VICTORY BONDS**  
**PAMPA COMMITTEE**—Charlie Thut, John Sturgeon, Emmett Forrester, Pete Ballard, Fred Radcliff.  
**AMARILLO COMMITTEE**—Norris Ewing, W. E. "Pa" Ferguson.  
**MCLEAN COMMITTEE**—Henry Boyd, L. J. Coffee.  
**SHAMROCK COMMITTEE**—W. H. (Bill) Walker, O. T. Nicholson.

**Per Cent Owns 90 Per Cent**

In a recent "Wake Up, America" debate on "What Would Thomas Jefferson Do Today", I argued a return to Jefferson's (and Lincoln's) concept of a free society. My left-wing opponent asked if I meant a society in which "1 per cent of the population owns or controls 90 per cent of the nation's wealth."

In the minute allowed me, all I could cover was a brief reference to the 1939 Notre Dame University's masterly study of the concentration, or rather distribution, of wealth. This was the first exhaustive exposure of this old fairy tale which originated in a campaign speech 52 years ago and has been parroted, with variations, ever since. I recommend the Notre Dame study to everyone who is sincerely anxious to know what the facts are before he fans the flame of class warfare.

Briefly, it estimates the wealth of the nation in 1930 at \$420 billions. (It is less now). Twelve per cent, or \$50.4 billions, was distributed among 6 million farmers. Twenty-four per cent, or \$100.8 billions, was distributed to 30 million owners of residential properties. Fifteen per cent, or \$63 billions, was in the form of personal property, household goods, automobiles, merchandise, etc., also owned by not less than 30,000,000 families.

These three items alone equal 51 per cent of the total, or \$214,200,000,000. Another 20 per cent, or \$84 billions, is represented by 400,000 business concerns from the corner grocery to General Motors, which in turn, are owned by over 8,000,000 stockholders. Then you have the railroads with over a million owners; the other utilities, deposits in savings banks, credit unions, building and loan associations, assets of life insurance companies, etc. In 1941 the latter had \$32.6 billions, representing premiums paid in by 65,000,000 policy holders.

Then you have a grand total in 1941 of \$97.4 billions, represented by "public assets", such as public lands, post offices, school houses, parks, playgrounds, battleships and cash balances held by federal, state and local governments to meet their obligations, including the interest on billions of war bonds held by millions of patriotic people. These public assets are "owned" by all of us.

Another way of looking at this is to ask who gets the money paid out by employers. In 1940, 65 per cent of national income was paid out in wages and salaries to 30,000,000 separate individuals. In 1929, the percentage was 64. Total wages paid in about 12 times total dividends. In 1936, dividends paid for the use of tools and plant facilities supplied to workers as a result of savings and thrift was less than \$5 billions, and of this more than half was paid in sums less than \$5,000 to 7,900,000 different individuals. The old chestnut that 1 per cent owns 90 per cent, or 3 per cent own 97 per cent, etc., is seen to be pure fiction.

What, then, is the truth about the concentration of wealth? According to the National Industrial Conference Board, a highly respected statistical organization, in 1937 (the last year available) the wealthiest two-tenths of the population, or families totalling 26,000,000 people, own 48.5 per cent of the wealth of the nation. The other 80 per cent own the balance, or 51.5 per cent. The richest 10 per cent own 34.4 per cent of the nation's wealth. This is a far cry from "1 per cent of the people own 90 per cent". In terms of social ethics it may be argued that 34 per cent is an unjust distribution. If so, it is before taxes. After income, inheritance and other taxes it is not likely that the richest 10 per cent have left much more than 20 per cent of the nation's wealth. **SAMUEL B. PETTENGILL**  
**BUY VICTORY STAMPS**

The sinking of the Titanic in 1912 focused public attention upon use of wireless at sea.

**Juvenile Delinquency Problem to Be Aired**

How to deal with the juvenile delinquency problem in Pampa this summer in view of the lack of a supervised play program as has been the arrangement in the past will be a part of the forum discussion to be held by the Pampa Kiwanis club's youth service committee and representatives of parent-teacher associations and other clubs to be held tonight.

The meeting will be at the chamber of commerce committee room, starting at 8 p. m. R. B. Saxe is president of the Kiwanis club and the Rev. Robert Boshen is chairman of the youth service committee.

**BUY VICTORY STAMPS**  
Six hundred British naval vessels are constantly on duty over 80,000 miles of sea routes.

**Jap Diet Calls Special Session**

The Japanese Diet has been summoned to an extraordinary three-day session beginning June 15, a Tokyo broadcast recorded by the Associated Press announced today.

The broadcast recalled that it would be the fourth extraordinary session since General Hideki Tojo assumed the premiership on Nov. 18, 1941. The 81st regular session was adjourned on March 26.

The Office of War Information said a Tokyo broadcast recorded by the Federal Communications Commission reported the special session had been called to consider a supplementary budget system and "other wartime measures."

**BUY VICTORY STAMPS**  
Dominica was called Sunday island by Columbus because he sighted it on that day in 1493.

**More Public Bond Sales to Be Urged**

WASHINGTON, May 28 (AP)—Secretary of the treasury Morgenthau announced a reorganization of the treasury's war bond program today under which public and bank offerings will be separated.

From now on, the secretary said, the treasury will concentrate on the sale of bonds to individuals and non-banking sources. Bond offerings to banks will be made separately, with the federal reserve system acting as fiscal agent for the treasury.

The change in the treasury's bond selling program was regarded by some observers as a victory for Mariner S. Eccles, chairman of the federal reserve board, who has urged separation of bank and public offerings and greater concentration in the war loan drives on sales to individuals.

**BUY VICTORY BONDS**  
**Some Victories Too Costly—McNair**  
MOBILE HQ THIRD ARMY SOMEWHERE IN LA., May 28 (AP)—Lieut. Gen. Lesley J. McNair, army ground forces commander, believes some victories have been won at too high a price but said "there is nothing to be discouraged about."

Fully recovered from the severe wounds he received in Tunisia, General McNair came here by plane yesterday to inspect the Third Army now on maneuvers.

**BUY VICTORY STAMPS**  
**Oakland District Swept by Blaze**  
OAKLAND, Calif., May 28 (AP)—A six-alarm fire in Oakland's warehouse district today swept over a

square city block and threatened the huge Moore Drydock Co.'s shipyards.

Every available piece of fire-fighting equipment in the city turned out to fight the blaze.

**Pacific Hero Has Never Seen Japs**

ROSELLE, N. J., May 28 (AP)—Captain Frederick F. Wesche, 3rd, holder of four decorations for bomber attacks against the Japanese in the South Pacific, said yesterday that he has never actually seen a Japanese.

"I knew there were hundreds of feet below me. I knew they were around me when they attacked my ship," he said in an interview, "but I never saw a single one."

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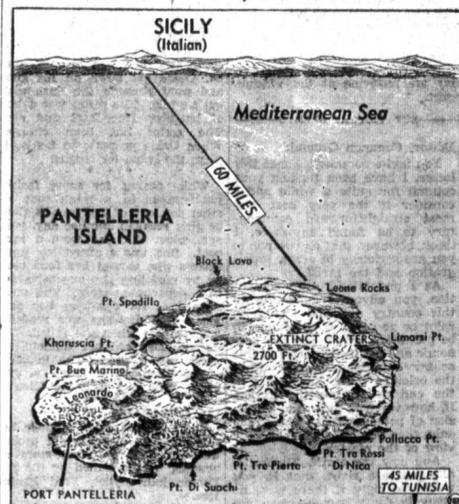


**TEAMWORK.** Mrs. Eric Brotherson prepares a cake, but there's a hitch. Her husband, who plays the comedy lead in Gertrude Lawrence's "Lady in the Dark," looks on but later will pitch in. Eric, you see, is an expert in the kitchen. Using glassed syrup he will prepare icing for the cake.



**ST. LOUIS, Mo. . .** "Take one bullet, about two tablespoons of smokeless powder and load into cartridge case. Place in gun, aim at nearest Nazi and pull trigger." This prescription for Hitler is recommended by pretty Mrs. Louise Barringer, who weighs test loads of new batches of gun powder at the mammoth St. Louis Ordnance Plant, one of the world's largest producers of machine-gun and rifle ammunition. The big plant is operated by the United States Cartridge Company.

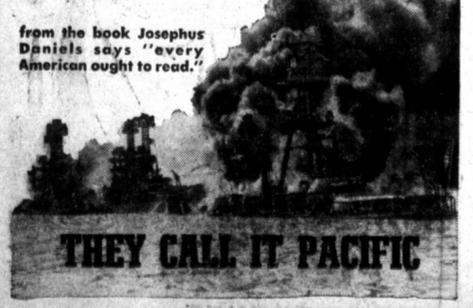
**Pantelleria: Italy's Little Malta**



Pantelleria, fruit-growing Italian island now honeycombed with underground forts and airfields, may be the first target of the allied trans-Mediterranean drive. Already heavily bombed, this Malta-like isle is a stepping stone to Sicily, which in turn is a stepping stone to Italy.

**What DID we lose at Pearl Harbor?**

"The men whom we lost at Pearl Harbor were martyrs to unpreparedness. The battleships that we lost there were ready for the scrap pile before they were ever hit by a Japanese bomb. . . Why then did we take so long to get into action against the Japanese?"



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PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE—"I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation indivisible, with liberty and justice for all."

Home To Roost AFTER extensive first-hand survey the Office of War Information has confirmed that the recruitment of physicians and surgeons by the armed forces was done in a helter-skelter, hit-and-miss fashion which has created serious problems.

Of eight generalized conclusions based by the OWI on its studies, one stands out: "In too many cases physicians were recruited for the armed services without sufficient regard for the welfare of the civilian population."

This has nothing to do with the number taken, which already reaches close to 45,000, or approximately one-third of the nation's active full-time doctors. If the Army, the Navy and the other services need 45,000 doctors or 75,000, they must have them.

The complaint is that, in the absence of even a pretense of advance planning, and without any statutory plan for handling the emergency, Uncle Sam stepped out and swung a bullwhip. Physicians and surgeons who were enthusiastically patriotic, and those who were susceptible to quick draft, and those whose dependents would have suffered severely if the breadwinner were to be taken on a private's \$50 a month, were rushed into uniform.

CIVILIAN health is of vital importance in the arsenal of democracy. But no effective effort was made to select doctors so that, while the services were getting their fill, communities at home would be left with medical protection.

There was a pretense of this. How shallow the pretense was can be attested by millions of persons who saw the system at work in their own communities, and is typified by the OWI's story of one 12,000 middle Southern area which has no doctor and the nearest hospital—a small private one—twenty miles away.

There used to be one doctor to serve this entire area. He was declared non-essential. All efforts to have him released by the Army were futile. Before leaving, the doctor brought in a friend to take his place. But the friend was 28, and within a few months he, too, was taken into the Army. A druggist, assisted at times by the mayor, is practicing medicine illegally rather than see his neighbors die for lack of care.

WHY do we drag this up? To cry over spilt milk? Not at all. This is not ancient history. It is going on today as more and more doctors are torn loose, without plan or much consideration, while the boys in Washington say there is no need for a manpower draft, and urge that we try "the voluntary approach."

BUY VICTORY BONDS THE Carrier Ranger HERR GOEBBELS appears at last to have succeeded on one of his fishing expeditions, and the incident demonstrates why Nazis and Japs make silly and sometimes obviously phony claims.

The Germans claim to have torpedoed and sunk the American carrier Ranger. Our Navy department came through almost immediately with a flat denial that the Ranger, or any other U. S. carrier, had been sunk recently. The American disclaimer stopped there, properly.

But down in Lisbon Portuguese fishermen, unversed in the ways of military intelligence or disinterested, reported seeing the Ranger 400 miles from North Africa launching planes with troops and materials for our forces there. Attacking submarines were driven off by depth charges, they said.

Thus, if the fishermen spoke truth, by his spurious claim Goebbel's succeeded in learning where the Ranger is and what she is doing.

The Nation's Press

THE PEOPLE'S PRESS (Dallas Morning News) One reason for the alarm now felt over freedom of the press in America is the apathy of a large part of the public on this subject. Many people apparently feel that press freedom is a special interest of newspaper owners and writers and that it does not directly concern them.

That view, of course, is erroneous and dangerous. The newspaper publisher and his employees might be as well off financially if their publications became funnels for official propaganda and were subsidized for this purpose. That has been true in the axis nations, where fortunes have been made by newspaper publishers, and it might easily be true here.

The reason newspaper men are so concerned over freedom of the press is that they see more clearly than most of their readers that restrictions on publications would be a major step in the enslavement of the whole American people. The kind of censorship now threatened in Washington would deprive the newspapers of their news sources and force them to fill their columns with propaganda handed out by bureaucrats as in the axis countries. The loss would be not in the newspaper man's income but in the reader's ability to get a full and true picture of national and world events.

That is why many American newspaper publishers do not wish to accept paid advertising from governmental agencies and thus be in danger of compromising their independence. That is why they are fighting the proposed restrictions on the forthcoming food conference. That is why they are trying to get access to more detailed and more accurate war news and to get it more promptly.

ROOSEVELT AND THE SON OF HEAVEN

Americans are highly amused that the Japs regard their emperor as the Son of Heaven, yet President Roosevelt's followers look upon him in exactly the same way. He can do no wrong. Even when he advocates the abandonment of the principles of democracy, in time of peace as well as in time of war, they hold that it is sacrilege to criticize his acts. These people make Hitler happy. Anyone believing in democracy must feel that we have as much right to criticize our President as we have to criticize our gardener. Both are our employees. Both are on our payroll, and it is up to us to tell them what we want them to do. For example, when Mr. Roosevelt cites the Four Freedoms, and does not include freedom of enterprise, which has had more than anything else to do with making the United States the world's leading nation, we have a right to ask him why. Hitler and Stalin do not believe in freedom of enterprise, either.

Common Ground

By E. C. BOILES "I speak the plain-word principle. I give the sign of democracy. By God! I will accept nothing which all cannot have their counterpart of on the same terms."

A MERITORIOUS PRESENTATION OF THE GREATEST COMMANDMENT

I want to present one of the entries in the Greatest Commandment Contest that did not win a prize. Had I been the judge, it would have been given one of the prizes. One of the judges in the rational committee marked it for first place. He was outvoted however by the other two members.

The only weakness in the article is that the author of the manuscript does not follow through and reduce truth to axioms or principles or mathematics. He leaves the reader up in the air as to what truth is.

However, it is a very thought-provoking article and I only wish that it had been awarded one of the prizes. Here is the article:

Thou Shalt Love the Lord Thy God (if possible)

The question is vastly more complicated than simply what did Jesus mean when he said: "Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, with all thy soul, and with all thy mind." For instance, did His biographer quote him correctly? Did the interpreters translate His language replete with all its nuances? Did Jesus employ a figure of speech, which is still in common use, to emphasize the imperiousness of that first and greatest commandment?

You know, right up close to our time it was held that the heart was the seat of our emotions. And most people still believe that the soul is an immortal part of our body which we can teach to love God. Have you ever sensed its presence?

A quotation in the dictionary states that "The soul is a created, living, thinking... percipient entity." That should make it able to act independent of our intention, but that is a poor defense in law. I look on that as a field beyond our perception yet.

In His talk with a woman of Samaria Jesus told her: "God is a Spirit." What is a spirit? Have you personally ever seen, heard or felt one? Have you been made conscious of one otherwise so that you can describe its form, substance and compare it with something we can understand? I anticipate your answer will be like mine. No, I have not.

But it would be foolish for anybody familiar with the hunt for microbes to deny the existence of spirits. It proved that every speck of dust was in reality a space ship teeming with invisible but living entities capable of both benefiting and destroying us.

On the other hand it is reprehensible to admit the existence of spirits in mere conformity with tradition. That kind of faith bars us from proving it. The gift of a creative mind naturally obligates us to seek the truth diligently. "Be ye doers of the word, and not hearers only, deceiving your own selves." Also "Faith without works is dead."

God is still the unseen and inconceivable Power that created and controls everything we cannot explain otherwise yet. God is still as undefinable as the whereabouts of heaven was to one of Jehovah's Witnesses. I asked her: "Where is heaven?" "Why, up there," she deprecated in shocked surprise, patently intended to achieve his own freedom by the gift of a mind able to profit from experience as fast as it could acquire the talent to perceive the truth. There is no other road or way to freedom.

When the time comes that each one of us feels obligated to "Prove all things; hold fast that which is good." Thess. 5-31 then, and not before, we may be able to appreciate God and to love Him with all our soul. May God speed the reign of truth.

J. M. MILLER, Laguna Beach, Calif.

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But do not hasten to scoff at her innocence, the writers of it made the same slip throughout the Bible. They even had Joshua command the Sun instead of the Earth to stand still, which was a perfectly natural mistake considering their false conception of the universe.

And it is childishly presumptuous to deny the existence of God, at least until you are able to prove which was first, the egg or the hen. Also who taught the unteachable insect their marvelous and unvarying ways of life which seems to be inheritable because many if not most of the parents die before their offspring are born. Imagine what man would be like if he was born with the accumulated wisdom of all his ancestors without losing his free agency. What a field for those who love to explore the mystery of life!

Love is the flower of those tender emotions we call liking, fondness, affection, etc. A benign craving to be near, join or possess the object, and a passionate desire to serve it, defend it, and promote its welfare, even at the expense of the smitten one's own welfare.

Jesus illustrated the sublime sacrificial nature of love by declaring: "Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends." We can understand that, but we cannot understand a craving to be near, to join, or to possess a spirit, that would lead to suicide. The fact is that we cannot love the inconceivable. We can love to seek but we cannot love what the search reveals until we see it or otherwise perceived that it was adorable or likeable.

Therefore I am convinced that an over-zealous writer substituted God for the object which Jesus directed us to love and thus concealed a precept which is absolutely indispensable to the progress and welfare of man. The one precept which will lead us to God eventually if we follow its direction.

If that shocks you, we are even, because I was also profoundly shocked to find that His biographers claimed Jesus had two absolutely different sets of paternal grandfathers. Compare Mat. 1-1 with Luke, 4-23. One shows his descent from David in 28 generations, the other in 43 and they agree only on David and Joseph.

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JUST OVER THE NEXT HILL



The National Whirligig

News Behind The News

By ALBERT LEMAN

HELP—Instead of wringing their hands in despair, or waiting for a remote Federal bureaucracy to do the job, some of the more progressive states are attempting to solve their agricultural problems by their own efforts. A good example is Oregon, showing the same independent spirit which won the Far West.

The program is based on common sense, organization and cooperation between rural and urban communities. Last year nearly one hundred thousand workers were placed in the fields or in the processing plants, one-third being boys and girls under eighteen.

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Around Hollywood

By ERSKINE JOHNSON

The other day we said that Alfred Hitchcock's next picture, "Lifeboat," sounded like a talkie to end all talkies. After all, we figured, there isn't much chance for action when you film an entire picture in a 25-foot lifeboat with a cast of seven men and two not-so-attractive, middle-aged women. But today we take it all back.

With a promise not to reveal the story, Hitchcock entrusted us with the plot. It's just as suspenseful as Hitchcock's other memorable movie, "Rebecca." It's a honey. You can't reveal the big one of those seven men, whose fate motivates the plot, is the captain of the Nazi sub which sunk their ship; that a mother commits suicide after holding her dead baby for three days and that there's a psychological twist that should make it one of the year's most-talked-about films.

"After all," says Hitchcock, commenting on his one set, "the backgrounds in films usually are out of focus anyway. My characters may not be able to move as freely, but I can still move my camera." And when Hitchcock moves his camera, as you'll remember in "Rebecca," plenty can happen.

It's Sam Jaffe's story about the quickie producer who was told by his art director that they would need eight gondolas for a sequence in their next film. "Why eight gondolas?" asked the producer, blankly. "Well," explained the art director, "they'll make the scenes authentic, floating in the background." "Look," said the penny-pinching, not-too-bright producer, "this picture doesn't start for a month. Can't we just get two gondolas, put 'em in the water and let them multiply?"

COMEDY CURSE Jack Oakie's first venture into serious screen drama will be his script of "Winter of the Gods," called for facts to propose marriage to Sonja Henie. The studio thought it would be unusual and provocative for the comedian to play the scene straight. The camera started, Oakie got down on his knees and went through the lines without a smile. The result was a howl of laughter from cast and crew. The script has been changed. When Oakie proposes to Sonja, he plays the scene for laughs.

While posing for some fashion photographs in a mink coat the other day, one of Hollywood's glamor girls recalled another day, years ago, when she also wore a mink coat. She was a struggling young actress who earned her food money by modeling the expensive furs in a department store. The mink seemed as far apart as her stage job. One day she was modeling a mink coat when she failed. The doctor diagnosed her ailment and prescribed a cure. The malady—malnutrition. The cure—a good meal. The girl—Marlene Dietrich.

WI BRIGADE Don't let the color of their hair fool you. In current film productions, ten top-notch stars are wearing wigs designed by the Max Factor hair stylist, Fred Fredericks.

Blonde Ingrid Bergman is dark haired in "Saratoga Trunks"; Charles Laughton wears a red and gray wig in "The Man Down Under"; Binnie Barnes goes platinum blonde for the same picture; Gene Tierney and Don Ameche don gray wigs for "Heaven Can Wait"; Margo has a jet black wig for "Behind the Rising Sun"; blond Nelson Eddy has a brown wig in "The Phantom of the Opera"; Claude Rains goes gray in the same film; Greer Garson is gray haired in "Madame Curie"; and Ginger Rogers dons a blonde wig for "Lady in the Dark."

BUY VICTORY BONDS The English have had it their own way again in Essen. It is simply horrible. The raids become more and more intense every month. Houses are crushed like match-boxes.

—Letter from home found on German in Russia.

Unharvested Potato Racket

By PETER EASON

Pampa News Washington Correspondent

Certain smart California dealers are credited with a new cute trick to beat the maximum ceiling price on potatoes, but they may not get away with it. The case is interesting though, because if unchecked, the racket might have spread to other food commodities. It shows the ingenuity of some of these operators in evading price regulations, and it's a good example of why all bureaucrats are gradually going nuts, trying to keep ahead of the chisellers.

The story begins with Maximum Price Regulation No. 271, covering potatoes and dry onions. The onions are just for seasoning as far as the story goes, potatoes being the principal dish under discussion. MPR 271 sets specified dollars and cents ceiling prices on potatoes at the country shipper level, packed and loaded on a carrier, plus specified fixed markups for transportation to market, plus wholesalers' and retailers' profits, giving the final maximum price for consumers. But at the beginning, the ceiling is an F. O. B. price at the growers' shipping point.

Out in the California potato country, certain slick citizens read over this regulation and they say, "Humm! What a maximum price from buying potatoes in the ground? There isn't any ceiling price on potatoes in the ground. So we could buy the potatoes before they're dug, before they're sacked, before they're loaded on a truck or freight car, at the country shipper's F. O. B. point. We could pay the farmer above the ceiling price, which will make him happy. We'll be happy because we'll have potatoes to sell. We can bypass the wholesalers' markup, sell directly to the consumer at ceiling prices. If we had no, or at least market prices if we can, and boy how the money will roll in."

LEGALLY RIGHT, MORALLY WRONG As a smart dodge to beat the price ceilings, this is about as neat a trick as the Office of Price Administration enforcement officials have run into yet. It isn't legally wrong perhaps, but it is a technical evasion of the OPA regulations prompted only by greed, and the most vicious kind of war profiteering at the expense of the potato-consuming public. It is dirty pool in war time, but what can be done about it?

Now consider part two of the story, or what happens next. OPA enforcement officials hear about this slick evasion of their order 271. They decided to issue an "interpretation" of the order which will stop further sales of potatoes in the ground at higher than ceiling prices. Hooking up their 118 regional offices on a teletype circuit, they send out from Washington their interpretation to the effect that sales of unharvested potatoes above the country shipper's ceiling price violate the letter as well as the spirit of MPR 271 and should be prosecuted because such buyers are in effect country shippers selling to themselves as intermediate sellers, and therefore their net costs may not exceed the country shipper's maximum price plus the cost of transportation to the customary receiving point.

Just to play safe, OPA decides to issue a revision of MPR 271 to tighten up this and other loopholes in the original potato order, and to incorporate the interpretation. They even put in an example to show how potatoes in the ground may be legally sold by the acre, providing the contract specifies that the ultimate selling price will be the per-acre price, or the ceiling price per hundredweight, whichever is lower.

BUREAUCRATS HEADACHE OPA lawyers send this revised draft over to the Food Distribution Administration for their checkup. FDA potato experts keep it a couple of days, then send it back with a lot of reasons why the revised order is no good, too, and a lot of suggestions as to what will have to be done to make the order workable.

Eventually, a revised potato order will be issued which will control these smart-guys who are so clever at finding ways to evade price regulations. But here you have a perfect example of just one of the headaches which daily confront the much-maligned bureaucrats who on the one hand are trying to encourage production of more potatoes from the other hand they're trying to keep prices under control and prevent inflation. They may never be entirely successful but they think it's fun trying. If they can just control the less-than-5 per cent of chisellers, a good start will have been made.

Today's War Analysis

By DEWITT MACKENZIE

Associated Press Writer

Herr Hitler's brain trust appears to be wandering about in foggy notions—a strained state of mind not relieved any by President Roosevelt's unamplified announcement that the conference of the combined staffs in Washington has ended in complete agreement on future operations in all theaters of the war.

As an illustration of the position, important circles in the Boche capital yesterday produced these divergent ideas.

The Allies are getting ready for invasion and Germany must go on the defensive. There will be a Russian offensive for at least a month. There won't be any Russian offensive this summer. Stalin won't be sure whether the Anglo-American combination is ready to invade western Europe.

Then came word of the successful Red attack against the German bridgehead on the Kuban Delta opposite the Crimea. The Germans have been hanging onto that sector hoping to land an army there from the Crimea, which lies just across the narrow strait of Kerch.

Therefore the Red move, if successful, immediately puts the Bolsheviks in position to capitalize it in a major offensive against the entire right wing of Hitler's forces anchored at Rostov.

But is Stalin going to undertake a major offensive, or does he indeed intend to wait until John Bull and Uncle Sam have clambered ashore in Western Europe?

If America and Britain are to invade Western Europe in the near future, then it wouldn't be surprising if it has been agreed that Stalin shall hold his hand so that concerted offensives can be made on both the eastern and western fronts.

If the Allied high command isn't prepared to undertake a major invasion anywhere in Europe in the near future, then it's likely that Stalin will strike at Hitler, or that the latter will have one more great filing at trying to destroy the Red Military machine. One would scarcely expect the eastern front, looking for a main line of comparative inaction throughout the good fighting months of the summer.

Actually Hitler and Stalin are sparring with each other up and down the entire length of the thousand mile battle-front, looking for an opening that may permit of more offensive operations. Hitler, of course, is having to be doubly cautious so as not to get caught with a big offensive in western Europe while he is launching an attack against Russia.

BUY VICTORY BONDS

So They Say

We Americans have had to learn a lesson in modern warfare. The Japs surrendered with their hands in the air and, as soon as they were ordered by American officers to lower them, they pulled off hand grenades on a belt cord, tossed them among their captors without warning. Now we don't bother to take them as prisoners.

—Capt. Gerald J. Crosson, back from the South Pacific.

The person who must heal the body must minister to the whole personality. To be the bringer of comfort in a day of bombs and blood-letting, that is the privilege of your profession in your time.

—Rev. Dr. Ralph Stockman of New York to graduating nurses.

price regulations. But here you have a perfect example of just one of the headaches which daily confront the much-maligned bureaucrats who on the one hand are trying to encourage production of more potatoes from the other hand they're trying to keep prices under control and prevent inflation. They may never be entirely successful but they think it's fun trying. If they can just control the less-than-5 per cent of chisellers, a good start will have been made.

SIDE GLANCES



"I can't help being late—I've got some three-star mothers on my route, and when I haven't any mail for 'em, I have to stay and talk it over!"

# In the CHURCHES

**CHURCH OF THE NAZARENS**  
222 West Francis  
Rev. L. L. James, pastor, 9:45 a. m., Sunday school, 11 a. m., morning worship, 7 p. m., N. Y. program; H. M. Young, 8 p. m., evangelistic service, Tuesday, 2:30 p. m., W. F. M. S. meeting, Wednesday, 8 p. m., mid-week prayer meeting.

**PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS CHURCH**  
522 North Roberts  
Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Howard, pastors, 10 a. m., Sunday school, 11 a. m., preaching, 7 p. m., Young People's service, 8 p. m., Friday, week night service.

**MCCULLOUGH METHODIST CHURCH**  
2100 Alcock Street  
Rev. R. L. Gilpin, minister, Church school, 9:45 a. m., Morning worship, 11 a. m., Youth Fellowship, 5 p. m., Evening worship, 7:30 p. m., Women's Society of Christian Service, Wednesday, 2:30 p. m.

**THE HOUSE OF PRAYER**  
1087 South Barnes Street  
Rev. P. C. Kirby, pastor, 10 a. m., Sunday school, 11 a. m., preaching, 7:30 p. m., Evangelistic service, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., Prayers meeting, Friday, 7:30 p. m., Young People's service.

**ST. MATTHEW'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
Rev. Edgar W. Henshaw, Minister  
Services for each month  
First Sunday, Communion Service at 8 a. m., Junior Church, 9:45 a. m., Evening Prayer at 8 p. m.; Second Sunday, Communion Service at 8 a. m., Junior Church, 9:45 a. m., Evening Prayer, 8 p. m.; Third Sunday, Junior Church, 9:45 a. m., Evening Prayer, 8 p. m.; Fourth Sunday, Communion Service at 8 a. m., Junior Church, 9:45 a. m., Communion and Sermon at 11 a. m.

**CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. E. D. Sumrall, pastor.  
James E. Frost, enrollment music; J. B. Hilburn, Sunday superintendent; C. V. Newton, training union director.  
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; morning worship, 10:45 a. m.; training union, 7:00 p. m.; evening preaching, 8:00 p. m.

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH**  
9:30 a. m., Sunday School, 11 a. m., Sunday service, 8 p. m., Wednesday service, The Reading Room at Room 313, Rose Building, is open daily, except Sundays and legal holidays, from 3 until 7 p. m.

**ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Dunkard Cathedral Chapel  
300 W. Browning  
The Rev. Henry G. Wolter, pastor, 10 a. m., Sunday school, 11 a. m., church service, 11 a. m., church service, 7:45 p. m., evening service. Every Lutheran and all other interested persons are invited to attend.  
Contact Rev. Wolter at 911 E. Browning or Call 355-W.

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
S. D. McLean, Minister  
9:45 a. m., Church school for all ages, 10:50 a. m., Morning worship, 7 p. m., Christian Youth Fellowship meetings, 8 p. m., Evening evangelistic service.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
526 N. Gray St.  
Rev. Robert Bowen, minister.  
9:45 a. m., Church school, 11 a. m., Nursery department of the church school.

**SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH**  
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Editor's Note: Notices to be added to this church calendar and any changes which are to be made in the calendar should be typed and mailed or brought to the News office by 9 o'clock Friday morning. Deadlines for church stories, which are to be typewritten also, is 9 a. m. through-out the week.

**FRANCIS AVENUE CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Guy V. Caskey, minister, 9:45 a. m., Bible school, 10:15 a. m., Preaching, 11:45 a. m., Communion, 7:30 p. m., Evening service, Tuesday, 2:30 p. m., Ladies Bible class, Wednesday, 3 p. m., Mid-week Bible classes.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Corner West and Kingmill streets.  
E. Douglas Carver, pastor; H. Paul Briggs, associate.  
An old-fashioned, New Testament, missionary Baptist church, "where the visitor is never a stranger" invites one and all to the following services:  
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m. J. Aaron Meek, Superintendent.  
Morning Worship, 10:55 o'clock.  
Training Union, 7:00 p. m.  
Evening Evangelistic Service, 8:00 o'clock.  
If you enjoy great gospel music and powerful Bible preaching, you are invited to appreciate the services of the First Baptist church.

**FIRST METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. E. B. Bowen, pastor, 9:45 a. m., Church school for all ages, 10:55 a. m., Morning worship, 7:30 p. m., Junior high and high school fellowship, 5 p. m., Evening worship.

**ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH**  
509 S. Cuyler  
Rev. Bruce Greer, pastor, 9:45 a. m., Sunday school, 11 a. m., Preaching, 7 p. m., Sunday night evangelistic service, 7:15 p. m., Wednesday, preaching, 2 p. m., Evening service, 7:30 p. m.  
Also everyone is invited to listen to the Full Gospel singers from 9 to 9:30 a. m., each Sunday over Station KPDM.

**MARINA METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Eugene L. Naule, pastor, Church school, 9:45 a. m., Morning worship, 11 a. m., Evening service, 8 p. m., W. R. G. S., Wednesday, 2:30 p. m.

**HOPKINS NO. 2 SCHOOL HOUSE**  
Ten miles south of Pampa at Phillips Pampa plant camp.  
10 a. m., Sunday school, 11 a. m., Preaching.

**CHURCH OF GOD**  
601 Campbell  
Rev. Oscar Davis, pastor.  
Sunday school, 10 a. m.; preaching, 11 a. m.; Willing Workers band, 7:30 p. m.; Morning worship, 9:30 p. m.; Group meetings, 7:45 p. m.; Thursday, young people's service with Mrs. Vivian Ruff, president, in charge, 7:45 p. m.

**CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. E. M. Dunsworth, pastor, 9:45 a. m., Sunday school, 10:50 a. m., Morning worship, 6:15 p. m., Men's prayer meeting, 7 p. m., training union service, 8 p. m., Evening worship, Wednesday, 8 p. m., Prayer meeting and song program.

**CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN**  
600 North Front Street  
Rev. Russell G. West, minister, 10 a. m., Sunday school; classes for all, 11 a. m., Morning worship, 6:30 p. m., Group meetings, 7:30 p. m., Evening worship.

**MACEDONIA BAPTIST CHURCH**  
9:45 a. m., Sunday school, 10:50 a. m., Morning worship, 6 p. m., B. T. U., 7:45 p. m., Evening worship.

**THE SALVATION ARMY**  
831 South Cuyler Street  
Capt. Ivor Williams, 9:45 a. m., Sunday school, 11 a. m., Rollment meeting, 6:45 p. m., Young People's meeting, 7:30 p. m., Sunday night service.

**CENTRAL CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Jimmie Bays, Minister  
SUNDAY—Bible school, 9:45 a. m.; classes for all, Preaching, 10:50 a. m., Communion, 11:45 a. m., Diamond, 12:00 p. m., Evening service, preaching.  
TUESDAY—Ladies' Bible Class, 2:30 p. m.  
WEDNESDAY—Mid-week study, 8 p. m. Worship where your labor is not in vain. Matt. 19:24.  
Service men will find a hearty welcome.  
There will be a gospel service starting tonight at Laketon. Rev. George Bailey will speak to the Pampa congregation.

## ● Sunday School Lesson

Text: 1 Peter 1:1, 3:11-25  
BY WILLIAM F. GILKRO, M. D., Editor of Advance  
THE words of Jesus to Peter (Luke 22:31-32) should never be forgotten: "Simon, Satan hath desired to have you that he may sift you as wheat, but I have prayed for thee that thy faith fail not and when thou art converted strengthen thy brethren."  
The prayer of Jesus was effectual. Weak, impulsive, impetuous Peter, who did not know either the strength of his own strength, became the great leader in the newly established church. Here is our lesson he is giving helpful counsel to the Christians who have now become scattered widely in various parts of the ancient world.  
These Christians found themselves in a peculiar situation. Believers in God, they were subject to the charge of being atheists because they did not worship the heathen deities of Greece and Rome. Followers of the way of righteousness and believers in a gospel of love, they stood out from the crowd of those whose lives were in accordance with the heathen surroundings in which they lived, and the lax and licentious practices that their pagan religions encouraged.  
In every way these Christians were being subjected to the charge of being atheists because they refused to worship the gods of their environment, and they were subject to the enmity of evil-doers if they were faithful to their Christian profession.  
Hence it is that Peter stresses the importance of their conducting themselves well. Peter, who had assured his own persecutors that he must obey God rather than men when they tried to stop him from preaching the Gospel, urges these Christians to obey every rightful ordinance of man.  
If they are buffeted, let it not be for their sins and faults, but because they have acted honorably and wisely.  
To suffer because of wrongdoing is ignominious, but to suffer wrongfully is to find the true glory of the Christian and to have fellowship with the sufferings of Christ.  
It is the Christ, Peter reminds these Christians, who is our great example, and Peter calls attention to the way the Master lived among His enemies. His patience and goodness when he was reviled, and threatened, and crucified, Peter cites as an inspiration to these disciples as they bear witness to their faith under trying conditions. They may be true and steadfast in spite of all that would weaken their wills or rob the strength and purity of their daily lives.  
And it is all good counsel even today when so many Christians are again living in the midst of evil and hostile environments, and when temptations of various sorts assail us, just because the times demand high character and action. At a time we must rise to the heights of fine, courageous living.

## First Baptist To Honor 'Cradle Roll'

Sunday will be "Cradle Roll" day at the First Baptist church when children up to three years old will be honored. The cradle roll department of the Sunday school under the direction of Mrs. John Evans is working for a record attendance for the day. Parents of the children in the department will be guests of honor at the morning worship service when the Rev. E. Douglas Carver, pastor, speaks on "Jesus and Little Children." The service begins at 11 o'clock.

The popular "hymn-sing" will be a feature at the evening evangelistic service scheduled to begin at 8 o'clock. Special chorus numbers will be an added attraction.

A companion sermon to the one delivered last Sunday night will be preached by Pastor Carver Sunday evening, when his topic will be "A Rendezvous With Life."

The Training Union services start



Should a building collapse, war workers must know how to wriggle through and under fallen debris. Above, in a recent demonstration at Teachers College, Columbia University, high school girls show how training enables them to do it with speed and minimum effort

Pampa Air Base will bring special renditions for the Training Union and evening preaching services. All who do not regularly attend church services elsewhere in the city are cordially invited to worship at the Central Baptist church.

## Calvary Baptist Church Program

The Sunday program of the Calvary Baptist Church, will be Sunday School, 9:45; Morning worship, 10:50 o'clock; Training Union Service, 7:00 p. m.; Evening Worship, 8:00 o'clock.  
The pastor's sermon subject, of the morning hour will be "My Church." The Church of the Lord Jesus Christ is the stay, or the anchor, that stabilizes and holds together this old world. Were it not for Christianity promoted by our churches, this world would go the route of Sodom and Gomorrah. The messenger of the Lord called by and told Abraham that he was going down to destroy this great wicked city, Abraham pled with him to save the city. The messenger said, if I find even ten righteous people there I will spare the city; but that number was not found, hence God removed from the city those that were found righteous and destroyed the city. Jesus said: "Ye are the Salt of the earth," the saving power.  
Lt. J. C. McGraw will preach at the evening worship hour. The public is invited to hear Lt. McGraw. He will be leaving for Cambridge, Mass., Saturday, June 5th, to take up his duties as Chaplain in the armed forces.

## Central Baptist Church Services

Filling the pulpit of the Central Baptist church Sunday, in the absence of the pastor T. D. Sumrall who is in a revival at Groom, will be the young dynamic preacher Hal Upchurch, pastor of the First Baptist church of Stamford, Texas. Rev. Upchurch is considered by Baptist leaders as one of the most outstanding among the young pastors of District 10, and comes to this church highly praised by those who heard him speak at the Palo Duro Association of the Workers Conference.  
The subject for the eleven o'clock hour will be "My Church," a sermon which, every church member should hear. At the evening hour, Rev. Upchurch will bring an evangelistic message on "Rejected Overtures."  
Special music will feature both services, and as an added spiritual treat, the "Victory Four" male quartet of colored singers from the

living children of our heavenly Father, can face and will face life with the sort of devotion to the principles of Jesus, then we will finally achieve victory, for it is righteousness that exalts a nation.  
—BUY VICTORY STAMPS

## Christian Science Church Services

"Ancient and Modern Necromancy, Allias Mesmerism and Hypnotism, Denounced" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, May 30.  
The Golden Text is: "The Lord God will help me; therefore shall I not be confounded; therefore have I set my face like a flint, and I know that I shall not be ashamed" (Isaiah 50:7).  
Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Thou art my hiding place; thou shalt preserve me from trouble; thou shalt compass me about with songs of deliverance" (Psalms 32:7).  
The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passages from the Christian Science textbook: "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "The power of God brings deliverance to the captive. No power can withstand divine Love" (page 224).  
—BUY VICTORY STAMPS

## 15 School Boys Ask Farm Jobs

Gray county farmers who need hands are advised to see Mrs. Rudolph Fijovitch at the county farm agent's office, as she has been assigned the job of handling the registration of farm workers.  
To date, three farmers have made application for workers to be supplied, and 15 Pampa High school and junior high school boys have been listed as seeking farm jobs.  
The boys 14 years and older will be used in taking care of chickens, hogs, and cows, and in doing other farm chores during the summer.  
Plans for recruiting farm labor follow a series of conferences and meetings, directed by Glenn T. Hackney, county farm agent, extending from May 20 to May 25, and with these individuals and agencies participating:  
County Judge Sherman White, Agent Hackney, David F. Exton Jr., assistant county agent; Mrs. Julia E. Kelley, county home demonstration agent; Supt. L. L. Sone, Pampa schools; Hood Willis, agriculture teacher; county agricultural victory council, county war board, Federal employment service.  
—BUY VICTORY STAMPS

## Zion Lutheran Sunday Service

The Memorial Day address given by Rev. Wolter at 11 o'clock in Zion Lutheran church is to be based on 1 John 5, 4, 16 will summarily urge that we be Christians, on this Memorial Day of 1943, think with gratitude on all that God has done for us in the past, and of the sacrifices which have been made on our behalf by those who have gone before and especially those who have given their lives. Let us go forward courageously in the full assurance that "this is the victory that overcometh the world, hat meets human problems, changes human lives, fills despairing hearts with a sense of heavenly peace, even our faith," by so doing we will best honor God and most fully honor those thru whose sacrifices He has so richly blessed us.  
"Righteousness exalteth a nation; but sin is a reproach to any people." Proverbs 14, 34, will be the topic of Rev. Wolter's address at the 7:45 p. m. service, in which he will point out that one of the European leaders has repeatedly said to his people, "We must be fanatically devoted to the principles in which we believe and hope," and if you and I, as disciples of Jesus Christ, as be-

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**COOKERS AVAILABLE**  
WASHINGTON, May 28 (AP)—Pressure cookers for preserving victory garden products will be available in increasing numbers as the harvest season gets under way, the war production board announced last night.

**BRITISH BELLS RING**  
LONDON, May 28 (AP)—Britain's church bells, reserved as an invasion signal during the early war years, may now be rung at any time, Herbert Morrison, home security minister, informed the house of commons today.

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This statement, reported in the Lyons, Kansas, News, is from Joe U.S. Destroyer DeHaven sunk off Guadalcanal.  
Joe is typical of the millions who believe day in, day out, in AP news—the Chicago mother who was satisfied her son was safe in New Guinea only "because The AP said so," the United States senator who states authoritatively, "I see by The Associated Press . . ." the readers everywhere who have learned "AP" stands for truth wherever papers are printed.

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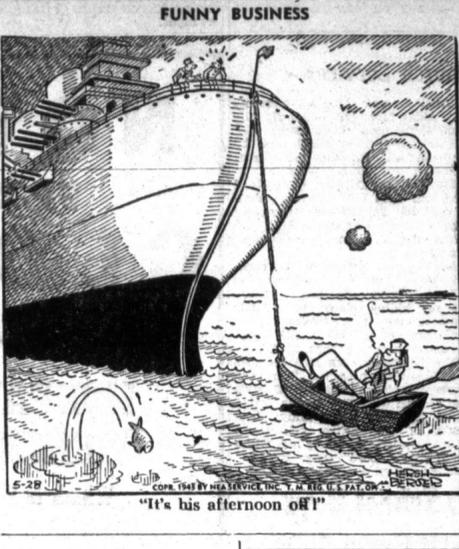
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## Foe Goes Boom

Blasted out of the water after a brief battle with a U. S. sub, this is the end of a Jap trawler in the Pacific. The sub first tried to sink the enemy vessel with shell fire, but it fought back and had to be finished off with a torpedo. (Navy photo.)

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Near Riot Ensues As Bums Lose
By JUDSON BAILEY
Associated Press Sports Writer
The major league pennant porridge is coming to a furious boil for the memorial day week-end with the heat turned up as high as it will go.



Attention Goes Up On Block Today

NEW YORK, May 28 (AP)—They're putting Attention on the block at Belmont Park today, and if all you hear is true everybody but Old Man Mose will be in on the bidding. Attention is the tall bay galloper who beat Whirlaway twice and who is no worse than a photo finish with Shutout for the title of Equipoise's best son. He has won \$115,135 in his racing career. The result is the bidding price is expected to run up to \$30,000 or \$40,000.

The American league the Washington Senators moved into first place last night to give the junior circuit its third pennant in five days and in the national league the St. Louis Cardinals moved within a game and a half of the Brooklyn Dodgers, who were trounced for the second straight time at Pittsburgh and were so incensed they almost started a riot.

Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON JR.
NEW YORK, May 28 (AP)—Remember when fighters used to just fight?—well, lightweight Bobby Ruffin is scheduled to make his debut as an actor in "Is zat so", in Trenton, N. J., June 15 and Chalky Wright recently received an offer to go on the stage with Canada Lee the most successful example of a boxer turned actor.

Senators Hope To Remain In Top Position

WASHINGTON, May 28 (AP)—The Washington Senators took their role as American League leaders—a part utterly strange to them—in stride today with a straight-faced declaration that they had no intention of folding up.

Attention is eligible for the \$30,000 Surburban at Belmont Monday and the \$50,000 Massachusetts Handicap at Suffolk later. If he should get hot for either of these, the new owner will get his money back right then. And after he retires Attention will be worth his weight in "T" coupons for stud purposes. He looks now like the most likely candidate to pick up the production line where Equipoise left off.

Marines Will Not Study At Rice

HOUSTON, May 28 (AP)—Rice apparently had lost almost its entire football squad, it appeared today, as word from Washington came to Houston to the effect that the Marines had decided not to designate Rice as a Marine war college.

British Planes Aid Slav Troops

LONDON, May 28 (AP)—British planes have been aiding Yugoslav guerrillas in their battle against Axis occupying armies, a German broadcast recorded by the Associated Press asserted today.

Texas Military College Suspends

TERRELL, TEX., May 28 (AP)—After 28 years of operation, Texas Military College has suspended for the duration.

Major League Standings

Table with columns: TEAM, Won, Lost, Pct. Includes American League and National League standings.

Texas Grid Star Enters West Point

AUSTIN, May 28 (AP)—Wingback Max Minor of the University of Texas football team has made his last appearance on a Texas football field.

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U. S. ARMY LEADER

**HORIZONTAL** Answer to Previous Puzzle

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16 On account (abbr.)

17 Toward

18 Cleaning device

19 Virginia (abbr.)

11 Gape

33 Expunged

35 Sun god

36 Jumbled type

37 Appears

40 Ditch

44 Either

45 Parent

46 Atmosphere

47 Ruthenium

48 Honey maker

50 Small dog

53 Ampere (abbr.)

54 Grain

55 Vice president (abbr.)

57 Incline

59 Palm lily

60 Behavior

62 Female sheep

63 Parts of

65 He is commander of U. S. troops

66 Stratrum

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37 Cry

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39 Tree fluid

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41 Tear

42 Weep

43 Color

45 Wrong

51 We

52 Entreaty

53 Animal

54 Cereal grain

56 Vegetable

58 Possess

59 Attempt

60 Mother

61 Nova Scotia (abbr.)

63 Rough lava

64 Senior (abbr.)

All Quiet on the Tunisian Front



Symbolic of the finality of the axis defeat in Tunisia is this German soldier lying dead in an observation post, his hands splayed, his fighting over.

Raid On England Kills Six Yanks

SOMEWHERE IN SOUTHERN ENGLAND, May 26—(Delayed)—(P) six United States soldiers were killed last Sunday in a German raid on a southeast coast town when a bomb smashed a hotel, it was announced today.

The dead: Sgt. James C. Ashford, Laurel Run Borough, Pa. Corp. Raymond J. Berwind, Rochester, N. Y. Private Harry L. Parker, Maryland, Park Md. Private Tony Rellick, McIntyre, Pa. Private Stanley L. Bodzioni, Swerson, Pa. Private Samuel C. Arone, Homer City, Pa.

The Americans were spending a period of leave in the town.

—BUT VICTORY STAMPS—

2nd Jap Admiral Reported Lost

By The Associated Press

The Berlin radio, in a dispatch from Tokyo, has reported the death in action of Read Admiral Ryusaku Yanagimoto, who "was drowned with his crew when his ship was sunk after a heroic fight."

No details as to when or in what theater of operations Yanagimoto died were given in the broadcast, which was recorded by the Associated Press.

Yanagimoto was listed as one of 75 naval officers killed in action awarded decorations during the celebration of Japanese navy day today.

As a commander of a Japanese aircraft carrier, he distinguished himself in operations against Wake Island and in the Indian ocean, the broadcast said.

—BUT VICTORY STAMPS—

A strong centralized government, with business weak and disorganized, is deplored. The two must learn to work harmoniously together, with government remaining sufficiently strong and centralized to act for the whole economy.

—American Business Congress.

"Tell me all about it while the captain works on my ankle," Beth said.

"I got down within a few minutes of the time your radio message came through—they signaled to me to let me know that my identity was established. You can imagine I was spending some pretty bad minutes up there."

"You were in a dangerous place," Beth said. "I heard the anti-aircraft guns."

"I wasn't thinking of myself," Brit said, and he took her hand in his. "I was thinking of how you might have been killed in that jump."

"Anyone would have done the same thing. I couldn't fly a plane, so there was nothing left for me except to jump."

"Have it your way—I'm going to tell a different story in dispatches. What I have to tell the general will read like fiction."

He looked at her. She couldn't succeed in keeping a blush from her cheeks.

"It's not over yet, though, Beth," Brit said. "We're expecting a raid within a few hours. I haven't been able to get much out of Lita's pals, but I believe the Jap put a message through to his base, whenever it may be. I'd say there will be a raid by tomorrow evening at the absolute latest, any, maybe by tonight. By the way, how do you feel?"

The medical captain interrupted.

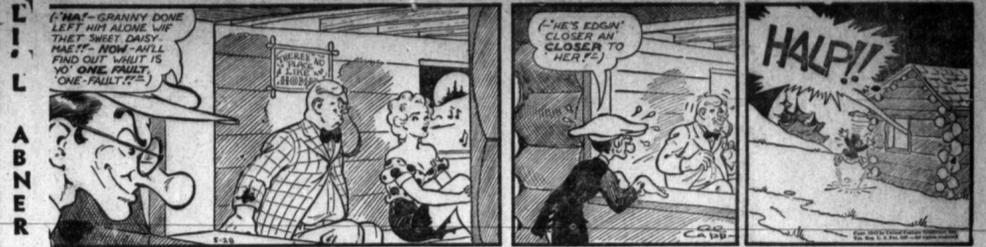
"If you think I'm going to give this girl a CC pill and mark her duty you're wrong, Major."

"Of course not," Brit agreed.

"We'll compromise," Beth said.

"We'll cut out the CC pill, but I'll be marked duty. I'm able to sit up, and when I get some nourishment I can answer a telephone or watch a spotter's chart or do something else. You need every man you can get out in the field, Major. I know darned little about this island's defenses, but I know this much. I'm in this fight to the end."

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SIDE GLANCES



"Wonder if we ought to tell her we used her ration book to buy these winners for our fishing trip? Mom hasn't much sense of humor!"

SERIAL STORY Beth Carter, WAAC

Then she saw the sentry unstrap a case from under his arm. He turned a knob. Her eyes, becoming more accustomed to the dark, saw that he was operating something which appeared to be a portable radio. Then she recognized the instrument—it was one of the United States Signal Corps walkie-talkies.

"Can you get headquarters?" she asked.

"Yes, sir. That's what I'm doing."

"Then..." and the order came clearly and distinctly, for Beth knew now what the answer to the situation was... "tell them that the airplane they're shooting at is piloted by Major Brit Jackson, who is trying to land."

The sentry looked at her for a moment, as though unable to believe what she said.

"Quick," Beth ordered. "There isn't a minute to lose."

THREE hours later Beth was placed on a stretcher, carried by two husky Medical Detachment bearers.

It was noon when she was deposited at the island hospital and a doctor unwrapped the bandage the sentry had put on her ankle. He regarded it with a diagnostician's eye.

"It's not broken, thank goodness," the medical captain said, "but it will cause you some trouble for a few days. You'll be on crutches for a week, anyway."

Just then Brit came in. He saluted her snappily.

"Brave girl," he said. "You saved my personal bacon, Lieutenant Carter; and what's more important, you gave the American forces on this outpost a fighting chance."

FRIDAY AFTERNOON

- 5:30—Save a Nickel Club
- 5:00—High School Notes—Studio
- 5:15—Treasury Star Parade
- 5:30—Trading Post
- 5:45—Theatre Page
- 6:15—News
- 6:30—10-24 Ranch
- 6:45—Our Town Forum
- 6:50—Sports Review
- 6:55—Home Front Summary
- 7:00—Lum and Abner
- 7:00—Goodnight

FRIDAY NIGHT ON THE NETWORKS

- 7:00—Lucille Manness and Frank Black's concert orchestra, NBC to Red network
- 7:00—Kate Smith, CBS to network
- 7:00—Earl Godwin, Blue network
- 7:15—Gibbs & Pinner, Blue network
- 7:30—Adventures of the Thin Man, CBS to network
- 7:30—Treasure Time Hit Parade, NBC to Red network
- 7:30—Most Your Navy, Blue network
- 7:30—Gang Busters, Blue network
- 8:00—Playhouse, CBS to network
- 8:00—Abe Lyman's Waittime, NBC to Red network
- 8:30—That Brewster Boy, CBS to WABC and network
- 8:30—Spotlight Bands, Blue network
- 8:30—People are Funny, NBC to Red network
- 9:00—Tommy Ricks and Betty Lou, NBC to Red network
- 9:00—Caravan, CBS to network
- 9:00—John Gunther, Blue network
- 9:15—Gracie Field's Victory Show, Blue network
- 9:30—To be announced, NBC to Red network
- 9:30—Templeton Time, Blue network
- 9:30—To be announced, CBS to network
- 9:45—Bobby Tucker Voices, CBS to network
- 9:45—Elmer Davis, News, Blue network
- 9:45—Gibbs & Pinner, Blue network
- 10:15—Richard Harkness, NBC to Red network
- 10:15—Wald's Orch., Blue network
- 10:30—Luce Brothers' Orchestra, Blue network
- 10:30—To be announced, NBC to Red network
- 11:00—Dance Orchestra, CBS available to Midwest
- 11:00—Ray Kenney's Orchestra, CBS to WABC and network
- 11:05—Paul Martin's Orchestra, NBC to Red network

SATURDAY ON KPND

- 7:30—Sagebrush Train
- 8:00—This and the News with Tex DeWesse
- 8:05—Musical Revue
- 8:30—Early Morning Club
- 9:00—Treasury Star Parade
- 9:15—What's Happening Around Pampa with Ann Clark
- 9:30—Let's Dance
- 9:45—News
- 10:00—Woman's Page of the Air with Ann Clark
- 10:15—Red Cross-Studio
- 10:30—Trading Post
- 10:35—Varieties
- 10:45—News
- 10:50—Burglar's Hour
- 11:15—Alpine Troubadors
- 11:30—Shoulder to Shoulder
- 11:45—What's New
- 12:00—Extension Service
- 12:15—U. S. Army
- 12:30—New Review
- 12:45—John Kirby's Big Little Band
- 1:00—Little Show
- 1:15—Bob Chester & His Band
- 1:30—Merle Pitt and His Five Shades of Blue
- 1:45—Let Me Forget
- 2:00—Moments with Great Composers
- 2:15—Four Notes
- 2:30—This Is Our Enemy
- 3:00—Sunny Days
- 3:15—Save a Nickel Club
- 3:30—Songs in a Modern Manner
- 3:45—Bob Chester Star Parade
- 5:30—Trading Post
- 5:45—Anything with Music
- 6:45—News
- 6:00—Movietime on the Air
- 6:15—Our Town Forum
- 6:30—Sports Review
- 6:45—Sundown Serenade
- 7:00—Goodnight

REY VICTORY STAMPS

HOLD EVERYTHING



OUR BOARDING HOUSE

SUPPOSE MISS FRANKNEY DOES KNOW YOU GOT PUNCHED IN A BOOKIE RAID, POP? GO TO SEE HER—WALK IN GEE HAIR AND PRE-TEND THE JOKE'S ON YOU, LIKE GETTING CAUGHT IN A FOLDING BED!

OH NO! I'D TRY THE MUSCULAR APPROACH TO GIVE HER A FROWN TREATMENT, LIKE A COP LECTURING A JAW-WALKER!

YOU'RE BOTH THROWING TO THE WRONG BASE, I WENT TO SEE MADGE AND SHE WANTED ME AWAY LIKE SPOILED FOOD—ALL I COULD STICK IN THE DOOR WAS MY NOSE!

GIMME SOME MORE DRILLS, I'VE BROKEN ALL THESE! WHAT DO THEY MAKE 'EM OUT OF, SODA STRAWS?

NOT ONE THOUGHT OF ALL THE TOLL BRANS AN' CARE IT TOOK TO MAKE THOSE FINE STEEL TOOLS—JUST BLAM! GIMME SOME MORE! AN' NOT ONE THOUGHT!

WELL, YOU CAN'T SAY MUCH! I DOUBT IF YOU EVEN CAST A THOUGHT ON TH' FORKFULS OF HAY IT TOOK JUST SO YOU COULD STICK A FORK IN A STEAK!

WE'RE ALL DOING IT

'THE LONG, LONG TRAIL--'



After being left to take the heat by the fleeing Nazis, 2000 Italian prisoners trudge along behind a British Bren gun carrier on the long footrek from El Hamma to Gabes, Tunisia.

MEMORIAL

(Continued From Page 1) all ministers of Pampa to attend the ceremony. He explained the difficulty of extending a personal invitation to more than a score of clergymen and said he wanted it known that all were invited to participate.

Invocation will be by the Rev. William J. Stack, pastor of Holy Souls Catholic church, followed with prayer by the Rev. Sam McLean, new pastor of the First Christian church.

Commander H. G. Lawrence of Post 1657, V. F. W., will be in charge of the special ritual of the organization conducted at a specially designated grave at the cemetery. This is customarily at the grave of the last veteran of World War I buried in Fairview.

Auxiliaries of the V. F. W. and the Legion will be represented in the rites.

The speech by Major Marschner, benediction by Chaplain Carner, firing of a salute by a Texas State guard squad led by I. Sgt. Paul Blankenburg, the blowing of taps with echo, will be other parts of the ceremony.

Since Memorial Day this year comes on Sunday, the annual poppy sale will be held tomorrow by members of the Legion auxiliary committee.

The Pampa postoffice will remain open Monday, but city hall and court house offices, the Southwest-ern Public Service company and the Texas Gas and Power corporation will be closed all day Monday. Both banks also will be closed Monday.

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THE OLD JUDGE SAYS...

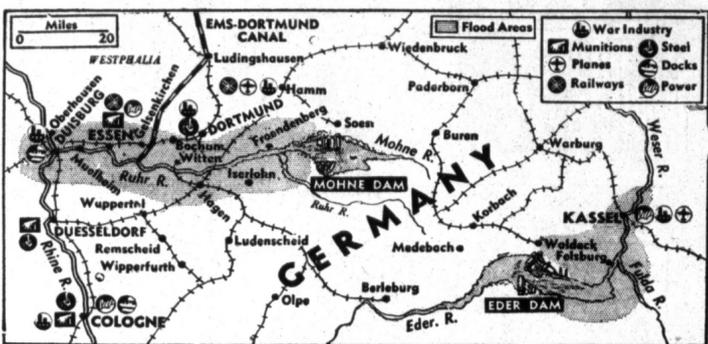


"Anything new, Bert, on that black market trial up at the county seat?" "The jury came in 'bout an hour ago, Judge. The verdict was 'guilty.' I understand the sentence is going to be a mighty stiff one."

legally instead of legally in this country. Just like the bootleggers did during the 14 years when liquor was sold illegally instead of legally. "Unless this black market in meat and other commodities is stamped out and stamped out quickly, Bert, we're in for another dose of the crime, corruption and lawlessness we had following the last World War."

Conference of Alcoholic Beverage Industries, Inc.

Flood of Bombs and Water Hits Germany



All axis Europe is taking a flood-tide pounding from allied bombers and two of western Germany's big industrial areas are flooded as the result of a dramatic RAF raid. Blasting of the Mohne and Eder dams has inundated cities and war factories, washed out railroads, bridges, docks and communications systems, and threatened use of many of Germany's canals. M-10 shows flooded areas.

EDEN

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Zenon optical works manufacturers precision instruments and tools. Important chemical and machine factories also are in Jena.

The offensive was continued today as fighters swept across the channel for offensive sweeps over Ger-

man-occupied countries and, in the Mediterranean theater, there was no rest for the harassed defenders of Italy's island invasion outposts—Sardinia, Sicily and Pantellera.

Allied headquarters in North Africa announced that the bombarded airfields of Villacidro and Decimomannu on Sardinia were plastered again yesterday by medium bombers and that 13 defending Axis fighters were shot down in dog-fights with escorting allied fighters.

Fighter-bombers returned to the tiny island on Pantellera to blast the airfield and small Axis garrison there.

Long-range fighters of the middle east command continued their patrol of the Aegean sea, keeping Axis eyes anxiously trained on the Balkans. They shot down at least one enemy plane.

Nazi spokesmen found occasion to warn Axis peoples against the Allied "nerve war," especially in Italy and the Balkans. A Swedish correspondent in Berlin said German sources told of propaganda leaflets spread over Italy in the past 48 hours.

Official Russian communiques continued to ignore the situation in the Kuban Delta area of the Caucasus, where the Germans report that an army of 150,000 Russians is attempting to drive through Nazi positions to the Kerch strait.

The German radio said the Russians had thrown 300 planes into the battle to cover 10 Russian divisions and a great concentration of tanks, but dispatches gave no picture resembling the German version.

The Russians reported they took the initiative in local attacks west of Rostov, but otherwise told only of artillery exchanges and scouting activities on the long battle line.

The RAF raid on Jena was executed by the speedy, plywood mosquito-bombers and involved a round trip of more than 1,600 miles—one of the longest ever made by the mosquitoes, which also have been used to attack Berlin.

The Berlin radio acknowledged that "considerable damage" had been caused in Essen by the block-busters tossed down last night.

HOLD THE LINE

For striking in wartime John L. Lewis is apparently to get his reward. Public protest against surrender by the United States of America to Mr. Lewis may prevent it. However, as I write, everyone's fingers are crossed.

The cold judgment of the stock market following the President's radio speech, a judgment that is wholly divorced from political sentiment, reflects that a deal is in the making in which Mr. Lewis will emerge a winner.

If he wins, the battle against inflation is lost. The biggest stock market day in a long time reflects the view that the battle has been, or will be, lost and that inflation is on the way. Certainly that's the only explanation for a bull market.

Mr. Roosevelt's previous record in dealing with organized labor creates no confidence that he will not capitulate now. A month before Pearl Harbor Mr. Lewis demanded a closed shop. Mr. Lewis' loyalty was rewarded by the government would not force a closed shop on any American.

Never, so help me, Mr. Lewis threatened to strike. Mr. Roosevelt named one Steelman to cast the deciding vote. Steelman gave John his job today.

A month ago we heard the brave words, "Hold the line." Today the line is retreating to "previously prepared positions."

Last October Mr. Roosevelt pounded the floor and demanded that Congress stabilize prices or else! In return Mr. Roosevelt said that he would stabilize wages. He would do that himself. He needed no help from anyone. Since then his War Labor Board has boosted wages in scores of cases and in many instances beyond the "little steel" formula, the previous "line" which was to be held.

The United Mine Workers have already had the benefit of increased earnings far beyond the "little steel" formula. Because the strike the miners were making at the rate of \$47.50 for 38.5 hours' work. That is 60 per cent more than two years ago and is much more than the advance in the cost of living.

The anticipated surrender by the United States government to Mr. Lewis will no doubt come in some fashion designed to cover up the fact. Mr. Ikes immediately ordered a 48-hour workweek. That it is to be made permanent is now denied. Still the question arises why Mr. Ikes took this particular time to freeze the mine workers into the biggest pay they have ever enjoyed.

Or, the peace treaty may be written around such a phrase as "to port to port," but the result is more dollars in the pay envelope. Whether you pay a man 40c an hour for every one of the 24 hours in a day or \$1.20 an hour for 8 hours, the amount is \$9.60. The method would be nothing but hocus-pocus to cover up political cowardice.

Mr. Roosevelt said in his radio speech, "The responsibility for his crisis rests squarely on the national officers of the mine workers." For once he did not put the blame on the owners. Yet it is the property of the owners which is taken over, not the union's or John L. Lewis's.

If the government intended, under sufficient pressure, to make a deal, straight-thinking Americans will wonder why Mr. Lewis was not given his raise in the first place and not less for days' production of coal and advertise to the world that half a million men are not enough interested in the war to maintain production despite wage disagreements.

The owners refused to grant Lewis the raise because they thought (poor innocents) that Mr. Roosevelt really meant it when he said, "Hold the line." Will the owners now find that Lewis gets his raise and the government gets the mines? If the raise comes the consumers of coal, most of whom are working men's families, will pay it. The OPA has already

A LONG TRAIN

Jefferson, in the Declaration, spoke of "a long train of abuses and usurpations." If living, would he find any today? Is there a need for a modern Jefferson to defend "the rights of man"? One would not think so after listening to Felix Frankfurter and others who praise the Jefferson who is dead.

There is the recent order of Secretary Stimson that "no person on active duty shall become a candidate for, seek, or accept election to any public office" etc. Every one concedes that no man worthy of a commission should "seek public office while on active duty. But Mr. Stimson says no such officer can "accept" election.

Who is Mr. Stimson to tell the American people whom they can not elect to public office? Would he exercise a veto on the result of an election and subject the winner to military discipline?

What legal justification does Mr. Stimson have for dragging civilians before a set of military courts for an inquisition as to their views before Pearl Harbor or about Communism, with a view to deportation from their homes? But it is reported that this is going on and in areas which have not been declared to be under martial law.

When Jefferson lived, it was a basic principle that the military was subject to the civil power, and in the famous Milligan case during the Civil war, that the military could not exercise jurisdiction over civilians, except in the area of actual hostilities.

If any civilian is aiding the enemy, he will be indicted by a grand jury and tried by a "jury of his peers." That this remedy is ample to protect the public has been demonstrated by the recent convictions of saboteurs in Chicago and Detroit.

There is the "Gestapo" bill, in view of the fine record of the FBI under J. Edgar Hoover the word "Gestapo" seems extravagant. But Jefferson would reply, "Eternal vigilance is the price of liberty."

But, despite amendments made in the House, still makes it a crime if a citizen wilfully fails to report a suspicious act. The penalty is 10 years.

Contrast that with what happened in Norway recently. The Nazis in cold blood killed every member of 10 families who lived near a man suspected of sabotage. Outside of plain horror or "schrecklichkeit," the idea, I suppose, was that these neighboring families must have had reason to be suspicious of the alleged saboteur, and because they did not inform the Nazis they were themselves murdered.

Is it any wonder that Senator Wheeler and others still think this is a dangerous bill? And Wheeler was a U. S. District Attorney during the World War and saw then how the hysteria of wartime functioned against innocent men. A farmer, for example, is seen talking to a stranger. This bill, if it becomes law, puts his neighbors in a terrible dilemma. If they fail to tell, and the farmer is guilty, they too may be convicted. If however, they tell, he is in fact innocent, but learns that he has been informed against, bitterness will split the neighborhood, and a friendly, tolerant people taught suspicion and hate.

It is a sobering thing to visit "Hangman's Hill" at Salem, Massachusetts, and reflect upon the innocent old women who were hung or burned to death, because some child, perhaps, heard them muttering to themselves. The age of witchcraft is not over even in our own land. What this bill may do to national unity, no one can estimate.

And now the press and the people are to be excluded from the international conferences soon to be held on food and refugees. Just another one of the four freedoms put in iron for the duration, and a powerful precedent established for future tyranny.

No, we need living Jeffersons today more than monuments to the dead patriot.

BUY VICTORY STAMPS

STRATEGY

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land bases, now that the supply lines to the southwest pacific have been secured, is secondary to that purpose.

The weakest spot in the Allied ring around China at present, observers here agree, is on the continent of Asia. China, which could be made a formidable offensive base, is isolated from British and American arsenals except by air transports from India. Reopening of the Burma road remains the number one task of the Allied forces in India in order that bulk supplies may be moved into China rapidly.

Because of the monsoons which flood Burma's valleys in the summer, the job cannot be fully done before next fall or winter.

agreed to "up" the price of coal. Mr. Roosevelt promises to "roll back" the cost of food the miners eat. He rolls up the cost of coal that all Americans burn.

No one who has ever been in a coal town can have anything but a friendly feeling toward men (and their wives and children) who do the dirtiest job in the world and one of the most dangerous—no sunlight, mine damp explosions, cave-ins, dust-caked lungs and T. B.

But there are times when you are wrong no matter how right you are. This is one of those times. With machinery set up by government to adjudicate labor disputes, no strike can be just-

Mainly About Pampa And Her Neighbor Towns

Mrs. Howard Boyd has returned from Oxnard, Cal., where she visited her husband Howard Boyd in the Construction Battalion of the Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler Carter and family of Eldorado, Ark., left today for Oklahoma after visiting in McLean with her mother. They will visit Mr. Ray Carter in Oklahoma City and Mrs. J. Carter in Beggs. The Carters formerly lived on the Phillips lease.

WANTED—Boys and girls for Pampa News routes. Apply at News office.

Mrs. J. G. Stroup Jr., and daughter, Allene, left this morning for Richmond, Va., to visit J. G. Stroup at Camp Perry, and Jerry Stroup at Norfolk, Va.

FOR SALE—4 room modern house, garage and storage room 50x140 ft. lot. Furniture optional. Bargain for cash. Owner leaving. Located 917 West Wilcox. Inquire 1307 Ninth Barnes.

Fifth Sunday meeting of the Gray County Singing Convention will be held at 11 a. m. Sunday at the Alameda gymnasium. This will be a regional gathering with five counties represented. The program will start after the 12:30 lunch and continue for the remainder of the afternoon. Persons attending are to bring their own lunch and are asked to stay all day.

LOST—One post office key attached to giant size paper clip. Please leave at Pampa News.

A marriage license was issued here Thursday to Orman E. Blythe and Dorothy Mae Watkins.

Draft and ration board members had a part on the program of the Pampa Lions club at their regular weekly luncheon at noon yesterday. Attending the Lions luncheon were

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C. F. Buckler, chairman, O. H. Walker and Arthur M. Teed, members, composing the draft board; Roy S. Bourland, consumer relations member, Walter J. Daugherty, chief clerk, of the ration board, and Clyde Jarruth and Charlie Duenkel, members of board panels.

A chicken house and numerous chicks were destroyed in a fire occurring at 12:50 p. m. yesterday at 252 Wilcox. Pampa firemen had the fire out at 1:10 p. m.

In corporation court today, there were five intoxication cases. Fines of \$10 each were paid by two men in two of the cases.

BYRNES

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and to establish policies for the maximum use of in emation's natural and industrial resources for military and civilian needs, for the effective use of the national manpower not in the armed forces, for the maintenance and stabilization of the civilian economy, and for the adjustment of such economy to war needs and conditions.

"We are entering a phase of the war effort," Mr. Roosevelt asserted. "When we must streamline our activities, avoid duplication and overlapping, eliminate interdepartmental friction, make decisions with dispatch, and keep both our military machine and our essential

civilian economy running in team and at high speed." The President said the committee has been kept small so it can function effectively, but that heads of Governmental departments and agencies would sit in with it whenever matters especially concerning them received consideration. He said the committee sometimes would meet with him in the cabinet room at the White House.

The President created the new top war agency by invoking his powers as President and Commander in Chief and his authority in the Constitution and Federal laws, particularly the first war powers to act of 1941.

BUY VICTORY STAMPS The world's largest known deposit of beryllium ore has been discovered in Oregon.

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PENNEY'S J. C. PENNEY CO., INC. SMART SUMMER FASHIONS

Advertisement for Penney's Women's Flowered Dresses. Features illustrations of three different dress styles. Text includes: "Rayon Jersey Points... a Grand 'Duetton' Ideal!" "Delightful Fashions For A Smart Summer! WOMEN'S FLOWERED DRESSES" "Newest Peg Top Models", "Smooth Draped Blouses", "Popular Two-Piece Types". Price: 7.90. "Stimulating new frocks that will make your summer gayer! Smoothly cut rayon jersey, suitable for casual or dressy wear! Brilliantly colored flowers scattered on white grounds. One or two-piece types with trimming tricks you'll like! 12 to 20."

Advertisement for Penney's Swim Suits. Features illustrations of women in swimwear and a man in swim trunks. Text includes: "Sue Yourself in a Swimaway", "Smart, Sleek And Comfortable! WOMEN'S SUITS 2.98", "Figure moulding fabrics that will give you freedom in the water! Novelty prints or patterns. Trim styles. Sizes 32-40.", "Swimaway\* Suits FOR GIRLS 1.19", "Grand for play-time in the sun as well as swimming! Sleek fabrics in grown-up styles. 10 to 16.", "For Water Babies! SWIM SUITS 79¢", "Little one piece knit suits they'll wear for sunning, colorful styles in rayon, too!" "Smooth Fits in Pure Worsted! MEN'S SWIMWAYS 1.98", "Streamlined knits, as smart on the eye as they are sleek in the water! Handsome, stretchy knits that shape perfectly to the body and give full freedom of motion. All have built-in supports and web belts. Many other