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RATION REMINDER

FOOD—Red coupons X, Y & Z good for meat, cheese, etc., through Oct. 21. Blue coupons 2, 3 and 4 valid through Sept. 29, and U, V and W valid through Oct. 20 for processed fruits and vegetables. SUGAR—No. 14 good for 1 lb. through October. SHOES—No. 18 good for one pair through Oct. 21. GASOLINE—A book No. 7-A coupons good for 2 gal.

48 DIE IN TEXAS HOTEL BLAZE

Aged Workers Are Victims as Houston Structure Destroyed

HOUSTON, Sept. 7.—(AP)—The death toll from a fire that ravaged the small midtown Gulf hotel rose to 48 today, making the disaster one of the costliest in Texas history.

Others of the transient, old and crippled men who had crowded into the three-story structure, and who fought and clawed to get out through one exit, were in critical condition from burns.

Police and fire officials said they believed all bodies had been removed from the smoldering, charred wreckage of the brick-and-frame building. Thirty-two men were taken to hospitals. Sixteen were soon released. One of those who remained, identified as John Martin, died of his injuries at mid-morning.

Stories of horror came from the men who escaped the flames, which turned the building into a gigantic torch soon after midnight. Assistant Fire Chief George Richardson, for 50 years a fireman, said: "It was the most horrible thing I have ever seen in my career as a fireman."

The hotel register showed that 133 men were listed as lodgers last night. Presumably about 50 of them were absent when the fire started or managed to escape.

Eyewitnesses said many men jumped from the windows and a fire escape.

The blaze, discovered shortly after midnight, quickly blocked off one of the two fire escapes to the three-story brick structure. An inside stairway likewise was made impassable for those caught on the two upper floors.

Flames poured from every opening and crevice in the building. One of the oldest in Houston, firemen could not lay ladders against it.

W. A. Wheeler, occupant of a second-floor room, said he ran to one fire escape and found it cut off.

"Then I and three other men went to the third floor trying for the other fire escape. We ran stumbling over bodies.

"At the fire escape men were jammed together fighting to start down. We begged them to let each man take his time and they did. Men started pouring down the escape. I saw one man run to the window and jump head first. He dropped straight down to the sidewalk. As we went down we saw men jumping off the fire escape at every level.

"The Post added a description of men clawing and fighting like mad to reach the one avenue of escape left open to them."

The body of one man who struggled to a window but did not jump was seen hanging half out of the opening. He was seen by others as spectators below prayed for his deliverance.

What started as a small blaze, apparently in five minutes to a three-alarm disaster, but firemen arriving with equipment for a major fire were unable to save the victims.

William Bevil, who had lived on the third floor for two years, said: "The first we knew of it was the third floor was the screams of men. The fire ran up one of the third floor like it was running along a powder train."

"Men began piling out of cots and beds. They had been jammed in almost like sardines. The fire at the front cut us off from the front fire escape and there were only two ways out. One by the other escape and the other by jumping. Men could not wait to go down the fire escape and I saw several jump."

Leo Hartman, third floor resident, said there were "old men and cripples on the (third) floor. We ran along the hall stumbling over bodies in the smoke. Some were moaning. The crippled were down and couldn't get up against the men rushing toward the fire escape."

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Legion to Honor Two Commanders

OMAHA, Neb., Sept. 7.—(AP)—The American Legion will award its distinguished service medal to the army's chief of staff and commander-in-chief of the United States fleet at the 25th national Legion convention in Omaha, Sept. 21-23.

This was disclosed today by the Legion's national executive committee, which said both General George C. Marshall and Admiral Ernest J. King have accepted invitations to appear in person to receive medals from National Commander Roan Waring. Both will address the convention.

MURDER TRIAL OPENS IN UTAH

VERNAL, Utah, Sept. 7.—(AP)—Selection of a trial jury will begin tomorrow in the state's case against James Joseph Rosell, 26, of Okla. City, charged with the slaying of a California schoolteacher in October of last year.

The trial of Leroy Ritchey, 24, of Gowrie, Iowa, charged jointly with Rosell in the slaying of Mrs. Agnes Abigail Williams, 41, slated to follow.

Both were previously convicted in federal court for the alleged slaying but the verdict was quashed by and order of Federal Judge Tillman D. Johnson who held the court lacked jurisdiction.

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Today's Best LAFF

ORDERS IS ORDERS U. S. ARMY HEADQUARTERS, South Pacific.—In the final drive on Munda Maj. Gen. Robert S. Beighler refused to rest, so a higher officer drafted an aid to Beighler's disgust with orders to see that he stopped worrying and slept.

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Allied Armies Cutting Deeper into Italy

Heavy Aerial Smashes Hit Nazi Cities

(By The Associated Press) Searing, relentless aerial smashes at Nazi war sites and a report that American General George C. Marshall would command Allied armies in the European theater sharpens German fears today of invasion soon from the west, while in Italy invasion armies cut deeper inland and widened their hold on the "tee" coast to at least 45 miles.

In the east the Germans were falling back before dogged Russian attacks with Stalin's capture expected momentarily, and in the Pacific some 20,000 Japanese were trapped in New Guinea by a spectacular U. S. parachute troop vault to close off their valley escape route behind Lae.

The air war from Britain was reaching an unprecedented scale in pre-invasion softening assaults. RAP heavy bombers last night blasted the war city and Nazi shrine of Munich on the heels of a big Flying Fortress blow at Stuttgart. Huge swarms of U. S. heavy and medium bombers roared out against Europe by daylight again to maintain the offensive for the sixth consecutive day.

Although impeded by demolitions in their drive through difficult country, British and Canadian troops have captured Palmi six miles up the west coast from Baginara in Italy, and struck eight miles inland to capture Delianovo, about eight miles north of the already-occupied mountain foothill town of San Stefano. Allied headquarters announced today.

Allied troops also were extending their bridgehead to the south beyond Melito, and U. S. Flying Fortresses battered anew at airfields and communications near Naples yesterday while medium bombers hammered airfields at Capua and Grazzanise above Naples.

Moscow announced the capture of Konotop, rail junction-station 115 miles from strategic Kiev, and the killing of 10,000 Germans yesterday in six to 15 mile advances on a 600-mile front. Spearheads were

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\$30,000 Worth Of Bonds Sold

For the second time this year, Montgomery Ward & Company will purchase \$30,000 worth of Victory Bonds to be credited to Gray county's quota in the Victory loan campaign.

Last spring, the company, through its local store, bought \$30,000 worth of bonds and will duplicate that amount in the third campaign which starts Sept. 9.

A letter received here today, by Paul V. Gebert, local manager, from Harold E. Pearson, Chicago, vice-president and treasurer, dated September 1, said the company would purchase \$23,000,000 worth of bonds on Sept. 15.

This brings the unofficial and advance sale of bonds in Gray county up to \$150,000. Phillips Petroleum company has already notified S. D. Stennis, county chairman, that it was allocating \$100,000 to this county for bond purchases, and Zale's Jewelry store has sent in an advance application for \$20,000.

The Gray county quota is \$1,380,200.

Cudahy Is Killed Riding on Horse

MILWAUKEE, Sept. 7.—(AP)—John Cudahy, 55-year-old director of the Wisconsin council of defense and former United States diplomat was killed yesterday in following his favorite sport—horseback riding.

Cudahy was pronounced dead of a broken neck by Dr. T. R. Murphy, of the county general hospital, after his body was found on his 250-acre country estate.

Cudahy was named ambassador to Poland in 1933 by President Roosevelt and served until 1937 when he was made minister to Spain. He became ambassador to Belgium in 1940.

I SAW... Lee Harris, court house custodian, sweeping out the avalanche of dust that accompanied the high wind here early Monday morning and fashioned hair has come to Pampa, with cooler days, a tang in the air Monday morning was the prelude of fall in Pampa when high winds ripped trees, created a dustier. An electrical storm accompanied the wind and lights downtown were out for over an hour.

WELL, WELL! ANOTHER CHALLENGER



\$6,600 in Victory Bonds Sold During Three-Day Rodeo Here

A total of 3,686 persons attended the Top O' Texas Amateur rodeo, held Saturday, Sunday, and Monday at Recreation park, and \$6,600 was raised in the sale of Victory Bonds.

The rodeo was sponsored by the Pampa Junior Chamber of Commerce. Biggest attendance was at the Sunday afternoon performance, when 1,544 spectators saw the events.

A paint saddle horse, donated by Mrs. Vance Rhea, wife of the arena director and rodeo manager, brought \$228.55. This sum was given to the county polo fund. The horse was awarded to G. C. Black, Phillips Petroleum company employee, who resides south of Pampa.

Events and winners: 300-yard roping horse race, Aubra Bowers; 1 1/2-mile ladies race, Alice Cockrell; 300-yard roping horse race, Vance Rhea; 1 1/2-mile ladies race, (Sunday afternoon) Alice Cockrell; best dressed cowgirl, Alice Cockrell.

Ladies barrel race, Mrs. Sammy Whitley (Saturday night); Julia Marie Bell (Sunday afternoon); Julia Marie Bell, (Monday afternoon); Arline Patton (Monday night).

Wild cow milking, first go-round, C. H. Huff, first, Montgomery, second, Herndon Sloan and Perry Franks tied for third; second go-round, Siler Hopkins, first, Richard Butts, second, Tutor Henry, third, Average, Siler Hopkins, first, Tutor Henry, second, Bill Stockstill, third, Bulldozing, first go-round, Lester.

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Two Fliers Die In Pampa Crash

Two men from Pampa Field, an instructor and an aviation cadet, were killed when their plane crashed 3 miles west of LeFors at 5:15 p. m. yesterday.

Killed were First Lieut. Paul G. DeLong, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. John G. DeLong, 404 Third avenue, Southwest, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, instructor; and Av/c Vincent E. Liddy, 25, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lucien E. Liddy Jr., 1421 Schenectady avenue, Brooklyn, N.Y. Lieutenant DeLong was unmarried. He became an aviation cadet on Jan. 12, 1942 and took primary, basic, and advanced training at Randolph Field, San Antonio, and was sent to Pampa Field as an instructor.

He was only recently promoted to the rank of first lieutenant and See FLIERS, Page 8

Mrs. Roosevelt Now in Sydney

SYDNEY, Sept. 7.—(AP)—Australia's largest city welcomed Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt as she arrived today by plane from Melbourne and was immediately whisked off to a downtown luncheon.

Mrs. Roosevelt flew as the four-motored plane carrying the first lady slipped out of an overcast sky were Lord Wakehurst, governor of New South Wales, Lady Wakehurst and Alderman Bartley, lord mayor of Sydney.

Mrs. Roosevelt appeared radiant and happy, apparently enjoying every minute of her trip which has carried her 8,000 miles from home.

She has visited three of the four leading cities on Australia's east coast in five days.

20,000 Nips Trapped By Allied Troops

(By The Associated Press) Clouds of American parachute troops and Australian artillerymen poured from the skies behind Lae in New Guinea Sunday in a bold attack, capturing an airfield and closing a trap around some 20,000 Japanese troops at Lae and Salamaua, it was announced today.

The perfectly-executed attack—bringing into play the greatest air force used in the Pacific area and witnessed from the air by Gen. Douglas MacArthur—sealed off the broad Markham valley escape route for elements of four Japanese divisions.

"We have closed the ring at Lae and Salamaua," MacArthur declared.

Allied ingenuity was unfolding in full scope in this jungle battleground—a land drive is pressing up on Salamaua below Lae, an amphibious attack Saturday outflanked the Japanese east of Lae, and now this plunge by air cut behind their lines.

Again, as in the Saturday landing by Australians on Huon peninsula, the Japanese were caught by surprise, and not a single plane was lost as hundreds of Americans and Australians equipped with machine guns, mortars, and ammunition jumped near the unused enemy airfields under cover of a smokescreen. Enemy troops fired only a few wild shots.

"Beautiful! Wonderful!" Exclaimed MacArthur, who rode in a Flying Fortress to watch the operation and give his troops the moral support of sharing their danger.

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U. S. Destroys 29 Submarines

WASHINGTON, Sept. 7.—(AP)—The navy disclosed today that of the more than 90 enemy U-boats sunk during May, June and July, 29 were destroyed by American forces alone.

Twenty-four of the submarines were sent to the bottom by American naval forces, the navy said, and five were sunk by United States army aircraft.

The navy's disclosure came shortly after Secretary Knox told newsmen that although the submarine menace may appear to be less serious than a few months ago, the lack of enemy activity may be because Germany has withdrawn many U-boats to bases for repairs and rearming with additional anti-aircraft weapons before launching new attacks.

Three Trainmen Are Killed in New York

CANASTOTA, N. Y., Sept. 7.—(AP)—The eastbound Twentieth Century Limited, New York Central extra fare Chicago-New York train was wrecked today when the locomotive's boiler exploded, killing the three crewmen in the cab.

At least seven others were injured when the flyer left the track at 4:34 a. m. two miles east of Canastota and 20 miles east of Syracuse.

Joseph Endres, Syracuse district claim agent for the railroad, who said the boiler explosion caused the wreck, reported 173 passengers were on the train.

He identified the dead as George Pierce of Syracuse, engineer; J. Christian Larsen of Syracuse, fireman, and Clarence W. Riker of Albany, traveling fireman.

His wife, known in the entertainment world as Julia Sanderson, was at his bedside.

Ask your dealer for an Exide Battery when you buy a battery. Motor Inn Dist.—Adv.

Foreign Policy Agreement Is Argued by GOP

MACKINAC ISLAND, Mich., Sept. 7.—(AP)—A stiff fight in full committee meeting over a reported compromise agreement on a foreign policy declaration was conceded by some members as a strong possibility today before adjournment of the two-day session of the Republican post-war advisory council.

A tentative agreement by the committee was reported to call for American cooperation with other nations to preserve peace by any necessary means, but reserving American freedom of action within constitutional bounds.

While the resolution was said to have been approved unanimously by the committee of six headed by Senator Vandenberg of Michigan, a reservationist, and including strong international collaborationists, other council members were reported displeased and threatening to take sharp exception when the proposal reached the full council in executive session. One of these was Gov. Baldwin of Connecticut, one of those who seconded the nomination of Wendell L. Willkie in 1940.

The foreign policy group was the first to reach a tentative agreement when the two temporary committees created to formulate basic foreign and domestic resolutions for guidance of the Republican 1944 platform-makers.

The domestic committee, headed by Senator Taft of Ohio and including Governors Dewey of New York and Bricker of Ohio as members, remained in session until long after midnight, reminding veteran politicians of national convention platform labors.

Rome Demilitarized

LONDON, Sept. 7.—(AP)—The German-controlled Vichy radio broadcast a Rome dispatch today saying that measures to make Rome an open city had been practically completed, with everything of a military nature either removed or destroyed.

INDO-CHINA HIT

CHUNGKING, Sept. 7.—(AP)—American P-40 fighter planes attacked the important Japanese rail-way yards near Laokay in French Indo-China Sunday, starting many fires and causing extensive damage, Lieut. Gen. Joseph W. Stilwell's headquarters announced today.

SEVEN SUBS SUNK

LONDON, Sept. 7.—(AP)—Combined operations by American planes and British aircraft and warships operating in the Bay of Biscay area have resulted recently in the destruction of seven German submarines, the British air ministry and admiralty announced last night.

Previous Texas Disasters Listed

(By The Associated Press) Houston's hotel fire today ranked high among Texas disasters claiming large losses of life.

Others included: June 27-July 1, 1899—First Brazos river flood, Turnersville, Coryell county; 35 estimated dead; \$9,000,000 damage.

Sept. 8-9, 1900—First Galveston hurricane, estimated between 5,000 and 8,000 dead; estimated \$50,000,000 damage.

Dec. 1-5, 1913—Second Brazos river flood, resulting from storm; 180 dead; \$8,000,000 damage.

Aug. 17, 1915—Second Galveston hurricane; 275 dead; \$50,000,000 damage.

Sept. 14, 1919—Corpus Christi storm; 234 dead; \$20,000,000 damage.

March 18, 1937—New London school explosion; 294 dead; damage unestimated.

Donald Hughes Succumbs To Crash Injuries

Ordnanceman Donald M. Hughes, Jr., 22, U. S. N. son of Mrs. Vette Hughes Rose of Pampa, died Sunday in a Borger hospital of injuries suffered when the automobile in which he and Robert L. Herrod, an uncle, overturned 10 miles east of Borger on Highway 152 Saturday night.

Hughes arrived in Pampa Thursday on leave and with Herrod was on route to Liberal, Kan., to bring back a companion who was asked to leave. It had been planned for the three to come back to Pampa together.

Ordnanceman Hughes, former Pampa High school student graduate of an El Paso high school in 1937, attended the University of Texas, Austin, for one year, then enlisted in the navy in the fall of 1938.

He was trained at San Diego and



DONALD HUGHES

was at sea near Pearl Harbor when the Japs bombed Honolulu on Dec. 7, 1941. Hughes was in the battle area until June, 1942, when he was sent back to the States to attend aviation school, where he won the rating of aviation ordnanceman, first class.

He arrived in Pampa on leave Thursday accompanied by his sister and Miss Ernestine Crane with whom he had been visiting the past three weeks in San Diego. It was the first time since childhood that brother and sister had been together, and it was on the second day of his leave, the first he had had since several months before the war, that the accident occurred.

Survivors include his mother, Mrs. Vette Hughes Rose, Pampa; father, D. M. Hughes, El Paso; sister, June Marie Hughes, Pampa.

The accident in which Hughes suffered fatal injuries occurred when a right front tire of the Dodge sedan in which the two men were riding blew out, causing it to overturn. Hughes suffered fractures of both wrists, head injuries, and an injury to the left side of his body.

Herrod, 35, suffered two broken ribs, back sprain, cuts and bruises.

Frank Crumit Dies in New York

NEW YORK, Sept. 7.—(AP)—Frank Crumit, radio entertainer, composer, and former vaudeville star, died suddenly of a heart attack in his hotel apartment early today.

His wife, known in the entertainment world as Julia Sanderson, was at his bedside.

Five-One Garage, Quick Service—600 South Cuyler, phone 51.—Adv.

Miss Idabelle Wagon To Wed Walter E. Haynes September 25

Announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Idabelle Wagon to Walter E. Haynes, of Lubbock, Texas, a tea was given Sunday afternoon, September 5, by Mrs. L. M. Wagon, mother of the bride-elect, and Mrs. Wayne Phelps, a sister, in the Wagon home.

The marriage will be solemnized on September 25, at the First Baptist church in Borger, with the Rev. Paul B. Cullen officiating.

The house party included Mrs. Mabel Bullock at the registry and Mrs. Melynn Cullender and Miss Mildred Roberts serving from a table decorated with an arrangement of autumn flowers and tall white tapers in crystal holders.

They scrolls announcing the wedding date were attached to autumn leaves and presented to the guests.

The guest list included Mrs. R. G. Bayless, Mrs. Scott E. Neill, Mrs. Bert Gray, Mrs. Paul B. Cullen, Mrs. Mary Head, Mrs. Earl G. Coffey, Mrs. E. L. Keith, Mrs. M. Self, Mrs. H. H. Bassor, Mrs. W. M. Coffey, Mrs. W. E. Wiseman, Mrs. Buck Sanders, Mrs. Pansy Hawks, Mrs. F. R. Jennings, Mrs. J. A. Propst, Mrs. J. D. Williams, Mrs. J. O. Ward, Mrs. B. B. Cross, Mrs. Hudson Davis, Miss Joan Michael, Miss Margaret McGee, Miss Jerry Shaw, Mrs.



Miss Idabelle Wagon

Elmer Fite, Mrs. Willene Douce, Miss Freda Barrett, Mrs. Clinton Evans, Miss Marguerite Jones, Miss Jane Kerbow, Mrs. H. H. Stall, Miss Mildred Roberts and Mrs. Jerry Cullender.

Clara Hill Class To Meet Wednesday For Luncheon

The Clara Hill Sunday school class will meet in the home of Mrs. Walter Daugherty, 1212 Mary Ellen, Wednesday at 1 o'clock for a covered dish luncheon.

The class will furnish a dessert and drink. Members will sew after lunch, and those who have portable sewing machines are urged to bring them.

—BUY VICTORY STAMPS—

Loyal Women's Class To Meet Wednesday With Mrs. Mundy

Loyal Women's class of the First Christian church will meet Wednesday at 2:30 at 105 N. Wynne in the home of Mrs. B. H. Mundy.

Lesson to be studied is Exodus' chapters 16, through 19. Mrs. W. E. Sted will teach the lesson.

—BUY VICTORY STAMPS—



Above: Back to the Medieval period went Lilly Dache for the inauguration of this modern cart, sparkling with multi-colored patterns and bugle beads.



Above: This is another Sally Victory head fitting model. "De De" bonnet of beige panne—velvet, trimmed with black velvet cords. The turquoise crown has a laser band that fits snugly conforming to the shape of the head.

Miss Joan Given, Lt. Kenneth Dill Engagement Told

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Given, of Bartlesville, Okla., announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Joan, to Lt. Kenneth Dill, son of Mrs. P. F. Dill, of Belleville, Ill.

The marriage date has not as yet been set.

Miss Given is a stenographer at the Cadet Supply center at the Pampa Army Air Field, where Lt. Dill is also stationed.

—BUY VICTORY STAMPS—

The Social Calendar

TODAY

Beta Sigma Phi will meet with Helen Houston, 403 N. Russell at 8 o'clock. Cardus Bridge club will meet. Fraternal Sisters will meet. The executive board will meet at 7:30. Order of Rainbow girls will meet. Tuesday Bridge club will meet. Wednesday class of the First Christian church will meet.

WEDNESDAY

Women's Auxiliary of First Presbyterian church will meet. W. M. S. will meet. Loyal Women's class of the First Christian church will meet at 2:30 in the home of Mrs. B. H. Mundy, 105 N. Wynne. Hill Sunday school class will meet at 1 o'clock. Episcopal Auxiliary will meet. W. S. C. S. of the First Methodist church will meet. Central Baptist W. M. S. will meet. First Baptist W. M. S. will meet.

THURSDAY

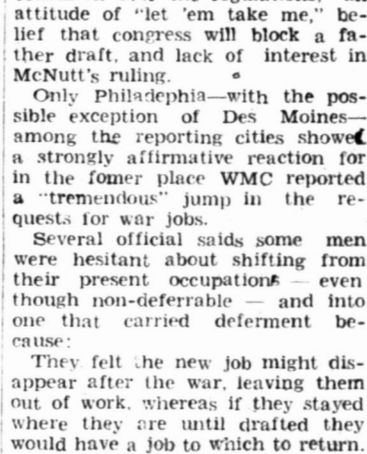
T. E. L. Sunday school class will meet with Mrs. George W. Keeling. Fellowship Club will meet. Sub Deb club will meet. La Bona society will meet. Friday Garden club will meet in the city club room at 2:30. Calico Home Demonstration club will meet at the company hall. NOTICE: B. and P. W. will meet as follows: 1st Tuesday level meeting; 2nd Tuesday business meeting; 4th Tuesday, social.

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The soft simplicity of this dress makes it ideal for an afternoon frock, in satin or one of the new crepes for fall. The bodice may be brightened with ruffling.

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STRAIGHT FROM NEW YORK



GOLDEN SCROLLS

Against the background of the exotic Monte Carlo Night Club, brunette songstress My Howard poses in a striking New York creation, in black crepe, slit all the way to the knee, which sleeves and pockets are embellished with swirls of golden sequins.

Mind Your Manners

Test your knowledge of correct social usage by answering the following questions, then checking against the authoritative answers below:

1. If you are having a meal on the floor of a train and passengers are standing in line to get into the diner, should you take time to smoke a cigarette after you finish your meal?
2. If a woman with a tiny child is waiting in line behind you to get into the diner, should you get your place to her?
3. In a crowded diner should one complain because service is slow?
4. If you can get a meal on arrival instead of on the train, and the diner is badly crowded, should you do so?
5. Should you complain all the while you are traveling about how crowded the trains are?
6. When you have a house guest and you are not sure whether or not he had dinner on the train, should you ask him in a manner that indicates you have something for him to eat if he did not?
7. Say, "I suppose you've already had dinner?"
8. Don't mention the subject.

Answers

1. No.
2. Yes.
3. No.
4. Yes. That helps to relieve the crowded condition.
5. No. That is a situation that can be helped.
6. Better "What Would You Do?"
7. No.
8. No.

Shamrock Receives First '43 Cotton

Special To The News. SHAMROCK, Sept. 7.—C. R. Overstreet of 15 miles southeast of Shamrock brought the first bale of 1943 cotton to town last Saturday about 10 days ahead of the usual arrival date of the first bale.

The bales weighed 422 pounds and was signed by the Shamrock Co-operative gin and purchased by Al Ryan for 18 cents per pound. The bale of seed cotton weighed 2,090 pounds and furnished 190 pounds of seed. W. B. Franks, manager of the gin stated.

Members of Shamrock, through the solicitation of Mrs. S. Q. Scott, secretary-manager of the chamber of commerce, presented the producer of the first bale of 1943 cotton with \$24.50 cash and \$15 in merchandise. The cotton was raised on the G. N. Adkinson farm.

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Epps-Zmotony Vows Are Said Saturday

Miss Kathleen Epps, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Epps of Pampa, became the bride of Pfc. Lloyd Zmotony, son of Mr. and E. J. Zmotony, also of Pampa, in a single ring ceremony on August 4, at 10 a. m.

The vows were read at the home of Mrs. W. S. Fannon, 1006 East Fisher, sister of the bridegroom.

The Rev. S. D. McLean, pastor of the First Christian church read the vows. The couple stood before an improvised altar of palms and candleabra.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, and was attended by Mrs. W. S. Fannon, who wore a winter green suit and a corsage of red rose buds.

Pfc. Zmotony was attended by W. S. Fannon.

The bride wore a powder blue suit with black accessories and a corsage of white gardenias, and carried a white prayer book. For something old and borrowed she wore a gold locket belonging to the bridegroom's mother.

The bride attended Pampa High school and at the time of her marriage was employed at the Schneider hotel. Pfc. Zmotony is a graduate of Pampa High school, with the class of '43, and has been in the Air Corps for the past five months, and is stationed at Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls, Tex.

Guests at the wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Epps and daughter, Shirley; Mrs. Hattie Gatlin, Mrs. E. L. Glenn, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Zmotony and Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Fannon and Dale Ray.

Immediately following the ceremony, cake and punch were served to the wedding guests.

Pfc. and Mrs. Zmotony will make their home in Wichita Falls.

—BUY VICTORY STAMPS—

Top Billing Given Fur Lined Coats This Year

By ROSELEEN CALLAHAN NEA Staff Writer

Top billing is given to the fur-lined coat in this year's all-star line-up of fall coat fashions. In a season when extreme simplicity spells ultra smartness, and extra dollars are going into war bonds instead of into extravaganzas, the casual coat with its between-seasons look and warm-as-toast fur lining is a smart investment.

And it has budget-appeal aplenty, for it comes in a never-ending variety of fabrics and furs which range in price from as little as \$50 up to as much as a fur coat with a cloth lining would cost.

Most all the styles have an easy cut and deep armholes so that they may be worn over suits throughout the winter. And the pelts used for the linings are just as carefully matched as are the stripes of a well-tailored suit, especially in one medium-priced let-out silver tone muskrat lined overcoat of brown wool with raglan cut sleeves which was modeled over a brown worsted suit with white pencil stripes.

White lamb and lapin line most of the lower priced greatcoats, which come in bright colors, neutral shades and tweed mixtures. Novelty zebra stenciled lapin gives a lot of zip to the new black chaser-folds this year. Lock squirrel, which is what they call the belly and sides of the fur worked in a striped pattern, makes a smart contrast with a nutty gray tweed all-purpose topcoat.

As dramatic as it smart is the medium-priced coat of tomato red deep-lined wool lining of chet cat, which is also used for the deep revers.

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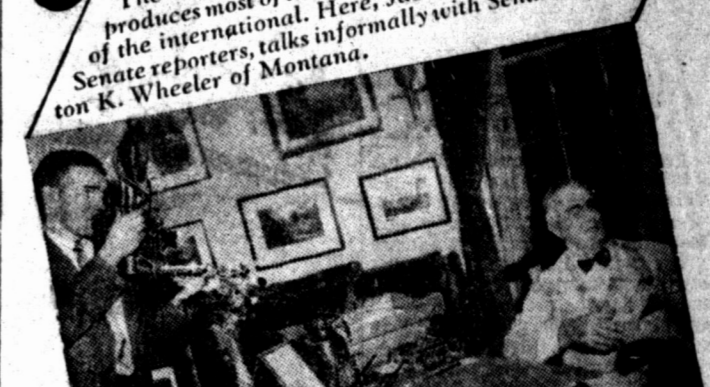
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How Community Property State Figures in Tax

(By The Associated Press)

Texas and the other seven community property states get a slight break in the matter of income-victory taxes for 1943—but they also get their first setback.

W. A. Thomas, collector of internal revenue for the 2nd district with headquarters in Dallas, pointed out that married Texans get a bargain insofar as the victory tax angle of the dual tax plan is concerned.

Married Texans, by virtue of their community property statute which permits the filing of separate returns by dividing the income of the husband, are favored in the computation of their victory tax by the following provision:

"A husband and wife filing a joint declaration may deduct a victory tax exemption of \$624 unless the income of one spouse is less than \$624, in which case the total exemption of both spouses is limited to \$624."

In explaining the provision, Thomas said:

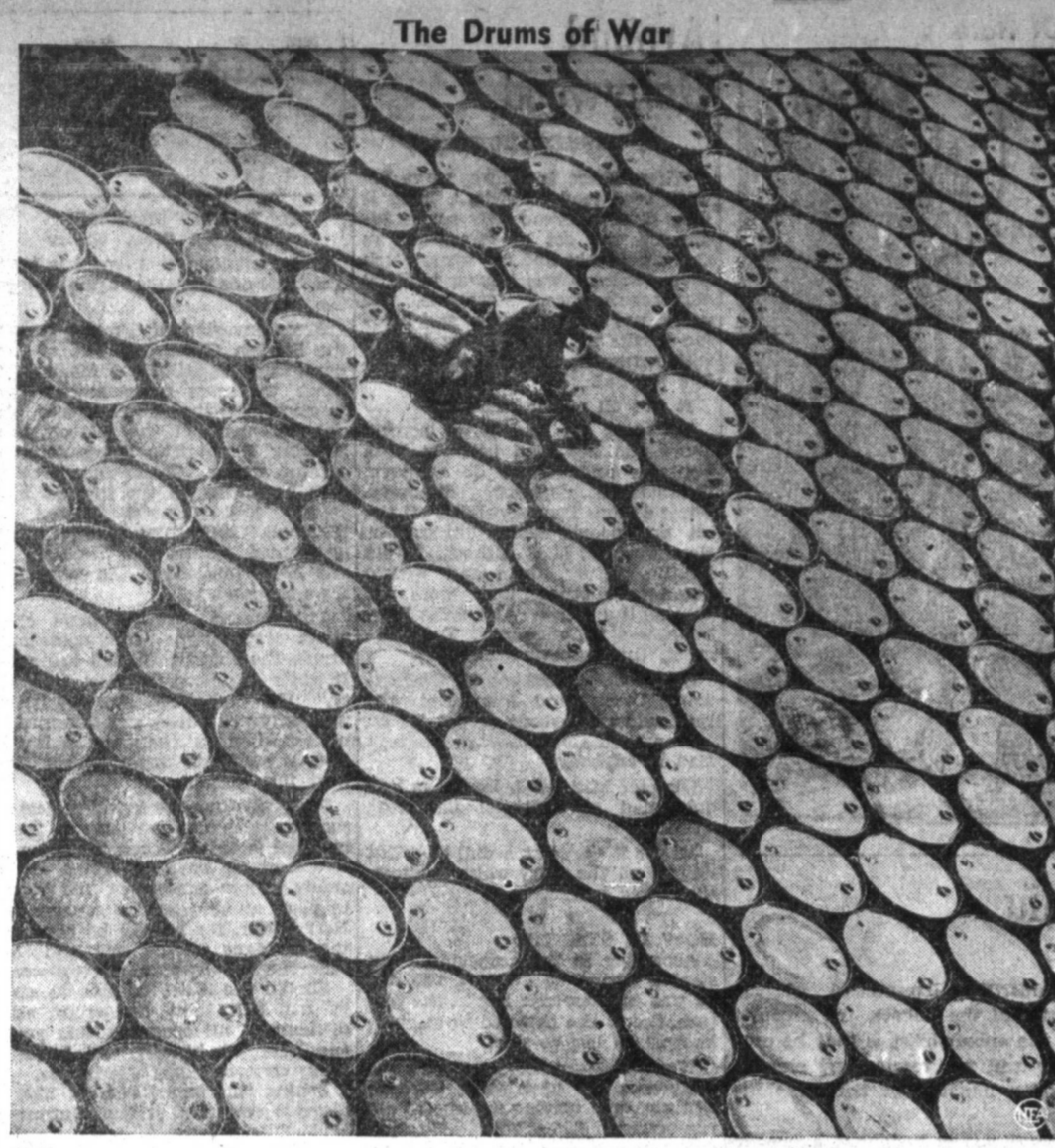
"In states where property and income are considered equally shared by husband and wife, though the wife has no private income of her own, each spouse is entitled to victory tax exemption of \$624. This applies against his, or her, community half of the income. So, if the same man and wife file a joint return they are entitled to an exemption of \$1,248.

"In contrast, a man earning his salary in a non-community property state can claim a victory tax exemption of only \$624, and his wife, if without income, can claim nothing."

The setback, Thomas said, applies to Texans in the armed services.

"In non-community property states, members of the armed forces may claim all exemptions to which they are entitled and their wives will not be required to file a declaration of their estimated income unless they receive separate incomes in excess of \$100 from sources other than salaries and wages," Thomas said.

"In community property states, however, the wives do not have such privilege and are required to file a declaration of estimated income, embracing one-half of their total



Endless rows of gasoline drums at a Pacific Northwest shipping center are filled with the high-test war fuel that will soon send bombers roaring over Axis strongholds on the world's fighting fronts.

Men Under Suspended Sentences Can Now Be Drafted into Service

Texas courts have received a break from the selective service system under a liberalization of the system's rule against induction of men under suspended sentences.

Under Texas law, a suspended sentence is not a final conviction as had been interpreted by the draft board.

Thomas went on to explain that an individual resident of a community property state in military service has been granted a blanket extension for filing estimated tax returns 1040 ES for such time as is necessary and not to extend beyond March 15, 1944.

"The wife of a resident of a community property state does not have the benefits of the extension and should file an estimated tax return if the combined earned income of both spouses (after exclusion of the first \$1,500 military pay) is \$3,500 or more," he declared.

"If an amount in excess of \$100 is received from sources not subject to withholding, the \$1,200 personal exemption may be taken in full by the wife, or jointly by both husband and wife."

Thomas emphasized that an estimate must be filed not later than Sept. 15, if the gross income of husband and wife from wages exceeds \$3,500. Community property states are allowed no out on this point whether returns are split or not.

Thomas said another advantage to living in a community property state, however, is that where a husband wife both work they can pool their total earnings and still divide the two sets of victory and withholding tax credits involved equally between them.

Community property states besides Texas are Louisiana, Arizona, California, Idaho, Nevada, New Mexico and Washington.

State Department Blasted by U. S. Food Official

WASHINGTON, Sept. 7.—(AP)—A week of innuendo, charge and counter-charge swirling around the state department, wound up today with a new batch of criticism aimed from within the administration itself by an official who quit in sharply worded protest.

James D. Lecon, former Des Moines, Ia., newspaperman, resigned as director of the food supply division under Nelson Rockefeller, coordinator of inter-American affairs. He is abided by President Roosevelt's orders that anyone who wants to air criticism of the administration should accompany it with his resignation.

Lecon flatly charged the state department with "interference, obstruction and unintelligent dictation." He said in a letter to Rockefeller that he was "unwilling longer to beat my head against the wall of incompetence and interference."

Lecon, a close associate of Vice President Wallace, was assigned to increasing Latin-American food output to help the overall needs of the United Nations. He contended:

- 1—That "interference" from the state department had been going on since his division was created.
- 2—Various officials, some in minor positions, were able to "harass and block our work because of divided authority, lack of administrative department."
- 3—In the face of congressional appropriations backing up the work of the division, and the support of South American governments, some of Secretary of State Hull's aides undertook "to tell us how many and what sort of agricultural experts we may send to countries with which we have agreements and hence obligations."

Lecon added that the state department's division of economic operations held up confirmation of an agreement with Paraguay for six weeks after it had been negotiated. It had been blocked for three months after it had been signed.

To all this, the department through a spokesman said only that Hull and Rockefeller were "in complete accord" on the food program. Rockefeller was not available for comment.

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Rain Benefits Wheeler Crops

SHAMROCK, Sept. 7.—Parched row crops and pastures of Wheeler county were stimulated Tuesday night and Wednesday morning by moisture ranging from one-half to one inch throughout the territory.

The precipitation in Shamrock, which started early Tuesday evening and continued intermittently through the night and early Wednesday morning, measured .55 of an inch. Ro Davidson, local rain gauger, for Amarillo Weather Bureau announced.

The rainfall was heavier in the southeast part of the county, with the Davis community reporting one and one-half inches and west receiving a heavier fall.

The territory surrounding Twitty received from one-half to one inch. The lightest fall in the county was in the Pagan community.

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HIGHBALL SCHOOL
LOS ANGELES—Imbibers who inquire about the absence of their favorite bartender may be surprised at the answer:

"He's in school."

It's a sanitation and disease control school run by the city health department in co-operation with the Southern California Tavern association.

Wheeler V-Bond Quota \$488,100

SHAMROCK, Sept. 7.—Wheeler county citizens are asked to buy \$488,100 worth of U. S. War Bonds in the Third War Loan Bond Drive starting September 9. Bob Holt, of Wheeler, county bond chairman announced today. Jack Montgomery, of Shamrock, is chairman in the south part of the county.

"Back the Attack," will be the slogan of the local drive, coming as it does on the eve of an anticipated invasion of the Axis-European stronghold by armed forces of the United Nations.

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World's Greatest Storehouse Of Treasures Found in Italy

(AP) Features

When Allied troops march through Italy, they will find the world's greatest storehouse of cultural and religious treasures.

Rome for centuries was the hub of European civilization and with Vatican City, the home of the Pope, still remains a focal point of Christianity. Within its confines can be found memories of history, art and literature extending beyond the time of the coming of Christ.

Many of the "Roman" architectural treasures, more than two thousand years old, can still be seen. These include the foundations of the triumphal Arch of Augustus, the immense ruins of the Basilica of Julia, and the Palatine one of the many public baths that characterized the lavish greatness of imperial Rome.

Colosseum and Catacombs

Ruins also stand of the Flavian Amphitheater, the Colosseum, which was used to house the exhibitions of gladiators and battles of wild beasts, and which later became the scene of the public martyrdom of the early Christians. A family sight to the thousands of tourists who flocked to Rome before the war are the ruins of the Palatine underground tunnels beneath the city in which the first Christians hid to escape persecution.

Rome's art attraction are so great that it has been said a visitor could not view them all even if he took a lifetime. They include the Sistine Chapel in Vatican City, the masterful decorations of Michelangelo, and the immense paper picture galleries containing the works of Raphael, Leonardo da Vinci and Fra Angelico da Pisiole.

The Vatican libraries hold thousands of rare manuscripts including those of Vergil, Dante and the Greek New Testament, the world's most extensive historical collection, with letters and documents minutely covering the Christian era. The museum of ancient sculpture contains many of the Greek classics.

More than 300 churches—including St. Peter's, the world's largest—stand throughout the city. Many of these are more than a thousand years old, and the oldest—St. John Lateran—dates from the reign of Constantine, early in the fourth century.

Art Export Forbidden

The exportation of works of art and antiquities from Italy, without permission of the government, long has been forbidden. As a result the country is full of cultural treasures. Libraries and museums are common in even the smaller towns, while historic monuments may be found almost anywhere.

About 40 miles northwest of Florence is the Leaning Tower of Pisa, which tourists have flocked to see for generations. Completed in 1350, this 179-foot campanile leans more than 16 feet out of the perpendicular.

Near Naples, is the ancient town of Pompeii, buried by an eruption of Mt. Vesuvius in A. D. 79. Evacuations have been carried on since the middle of the 18th century.

Florence, a literary and religious shrine, contains five important state libraries and many famous museums, including the Uffizi, the Pitti and Accademia art galleries. Many important monuments of the middle ages have been restored to ancient splendor.

The northern provinces of Lombardy, Piedmont, Tuscany and Venetia were cradles of the renaissance, and the crowded, ancient cities between the Tyrrhenian sea and the Adriatic contain innumerable treasures of sculpture, glass, paintings, music and literature. Venice, home of the famous Borgias,

Coincidental

OAKLAND, Calif.—Claude Plenty Wounds, 22, Hon. Springs, N. D., Sioux Indian and a sailor, appeared at emergency hospital for treatment of numerous cuts and bruises inflicted by an unknown accident.

Funny Business

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CHAPTER VII

I WAS out of a job.

A few months after the Armistice the dry docks were as dead as a graveyard.

This seemed the time to go into my own business, but the money had been spent on my family that now included a daughter and a baby son. So I stood in the hiring line again, but there was no work in New York. Every week our bank balance dwindled. Finally we had to make a decision: should I take what was left and hunt in some other city, or should I risk everything and open my own shop on the chance that I could make a living at the work that I had always intended to do.

My wife voted for taking the chance.

In that first shop I learned the business and I learned people. Locksmiths fit into the scheme of modern life somewhere between confidential lawyers, detectives, firemen and police. We are called on missions to open safes or doors that more often than not are involved in dramatic conflicts in people's secret lives, jobs in which much depends on our trustworthiness and discretion. We must be ready to answer emergency calls with the speed of the police, because we can never be sure whether they are real emergencies—people suffocating in storage vaults—or only inconveniences—a key locked inside when some woman has taken the dog to walk. Both are likely to have the same urgency over the telephone.

SOMETIMES I panted from one emergency to another. A rush call came from a drugstore three blocks away; a man's agitated

Output of Tanks Sharply Reduced

WASHINGTON, Sept. 7.—(AP)—The army's tank production program has been cut back approximately 40 per cent in the last six or seven months, principally because of cancellations of British and Russian orders for medium tanks.

Major Gen. Lucius D. Clay, director of materiel for the army service forces, said today in an interview that the cut-back represents a dollar value reduction in this year's program of slightly more than one-third.

For 1944, the reduction will be about 50 per cent, he said, but production will be still slightly ahead of 1943. Original schedules were fixed nearly two years ago.

How if any plant shutdowns have resulted. The result, among the many thousands of sub-contractors is more difficult to determine, Clay added, but even among these the majority at least had shifted to other war production.

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CALDWELL, Idaho—H. H. Cheesbrough, manager, said he was closing his cafe because he no longer was able to obtain employes.

It was the best restaurant in Caldwell (pop. 7,372).

up the steps behind the firemen, who had already burst the door. A determined-looking woman led us through the hall toward the kitchen. She ran to the oven, opened it, and pulled out a roasting pan in which lay a goose done to a golden brown.

"Thank heaven," she gasped. "I was afraid it would burn. The fire department is so nice. I knew you would help me, and I couldn't wait for a locksmith. I thought he would never come."

SINCE time was my chief capital, I had to rely on my ingenuity to find short cuts. One of them was a way of making keys for the most complicated locks without taking them apart. It could be done by looking into the keyway and gauging the tumbler with my eye. This was more difficult than memorizing a key at a glance and copying it without examination, a trick with which I often mystify my friends.

Clients occasionally brought me problems that could not be solved by locks and keys. My most ingenious device was contrived for the use of one lone customer, but my friends tell me that it has limitless possibilities. This man slept so well that a thief could take the very pillow under his head, so he was at a decided disadvantage when his wife rifled his pockets. He had exhausted his own ingenuity; not even a white mouse in his pocket frightened her. I put clasps something like zippers in the pockets of three pairs of trousers and connected them with a small storage battery wired to a bell. When the clasp was opened, the bell rang, the man was awakened and could take what action he thought best. After several months his wife found out a way to disconnect the bell. Next, I tried an invisible rubber band that, when it was stretched, pulled a wire. This must have been successful, for my client never returned.

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(From the book of the same name written in collaboration with Thomas M. Johnson and published by Whittlesby House, New York City.)

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Curb on Milk Sales Planned

WASHINGTON, Sept. 7.—(AP)—Fearful the butter shortage may reach the danger point, the government is setting up machinery to hold milk sales at their current levels, without point rationing.

The new restrictions on milk—the only major dairy produce not now under distribution control—were promised by the war food administration last night with this warning:

"Should fluid milk consumption expand still further, production of cheese, butter, evaporated milk and other dairy products would decline below the amounts necessary to meet essential civilian requirements."

A formal order limiting milk dealers to their current allotments was reported in process of preparation. The plan, the WFA made clear, "does not involve point rationing" and does not contemplate "curtailment of milk consumption below recent levels."

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Most Loyal Blue Geese It is with pleasure that we pass on some information that has reached the Office of War Information, by way of the Office of Defense Transportation, but that because of the crush of other business has not been distributed generally to the nation's press.

Reverse Lend-Lease The average American, while approving Lend-Lease, has probably regarded the program as a rather altruistic, one-way arrangement, prompted by practical as well as humanitarian necessity.

Common Ground By R. O. BOILES "I speak the same word, I give the sign of democracy. By God! I will accept nothing which cannot have their counterpart on the same terms." —WALT WHITMAN.

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The Nation's Press (The Chicago Tribune) The latest order of the President, directed against what he calls recalcitrant unions and employers, is a dangerous abuse of power.

Common Ground (continued) "We who have contributed to its (public education) support for many years and feel that we have an equity in it are not willing to see it destroyed entirely because there may be included among the text books some authors who may leap far to the left."

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The National Whirligig News Behind The News

By ALBERT LEMAN ALARM — Premature announcement by N. Y. and Boston rationing administrators of the lifting of the pleasure driving ban not only gave away an official secret but also brought into the open a deep cleavage between the OPA and the Petroleum Administration for War as to the wisdom of the step.

FAMINE — Irrespective of the merits of the debate, the prospect for the automobilist is that he probably will not receive any sizeable gasoline increase in the near future.

DEMOCRACY — Because the 4th term managers do not intend to lose a single pre-Roosevelt vote, they are studying the method used last month by the Australian soldiers all over the fighting world took part in the recent election on the island continent. Lessons learned from this precedent may be the basis for legislation when Congress reconvenes.

BUY VICTORY BONDS — The Ickes outfit believes that the Brown setup is always meddling the PAW because the OPA wants supreme control of petroleum in addition to practically all other commodities.

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Peter Edson's Column: CONGRESS QUIETLY KILLS GOOD, OLD NRPB

By PETER EDSON Just as the time when everyone is all hot and bothered about post-war planning, the President's National Resources Planning Board was quietly killed by congressional order on Sept. 1, thereby providing further proof, if any is needed, of the funny way they do things in government.

LITERARY DISGRACE (The News-Courier, Charleston, S. C.) She slunk furtively out of the post office trying awkwardly to conceal in her handbag a large and official-looking envelope.

COMPLETING THE PICTURE (Daily Oklahoman) The announcement that our government has transferred 150 merchant ships to Great Britain coincides with the announcement that a Yale professor has been selected to set up an over all civil government in Sicily.

Around Hollywood

By ERSKINE JOHNSON

Where there is smoke, we're always been lead to believe, there is fire. But we found only smoke today on the set of "Frenchman's Creek."

HOW IT STARTED According to the grapevine, Joan started hating de Cordova the day after the big feud between Miss Fontaine and Arturo de Cordova.

THE LOWDOWN Joan told us: "I can't understand who started all this talk. There's no truth to it. Why, Arturo and I had dinner together every night for eight weeks while we were on location. I did object to one scene. They wanted me to say, 'Englishmen are terrible lovers.' I'm married to an Englishman. I refused to say the line, and the studio agreed. I've never walked off the set. I've never been late for work. I'm terribly upset by all this gossip."

BUY VICTORY BONDS — Blood tests have been developed by the Japs to determine "character and ability" for selection of workers in their war industries.

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Today's War Analysis

By DEWITT MacKENZIE Associated Press Writer

This past long week-end has been a notable one for Allied arms around the world.

KEEP SCRATCHES CLEAN The frequent scratches, abrasions and lacerations that come in the course of ordinary civilian and industrial life should be cleaned with an antiseptic or with soap and water.

BEWARE LAXATIVE "HABIT" The rarely needs to call a doctor for colds and minor illnesses unaccompanied by fever, is the use of a clinical thermometer—provided it is not used too frequently—will save considerable worry. Rest is the basic treatment for colds. Aspirin helps to make the situation tolerable.

BUY VICTORY BONDS — TIME TURNS BACKWARD RALEIGH, N. C.—North Carolina motorists who purchase automobile license plates after Sept. 15 may well reminisce of the pre-war days, for the registration division of the department of motor vehicles says they will issue 1941 plates.

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Your Health In Wartime

By DR. THOMAS D. MASTERS Written for The News

Your doctor may not always be able to answer your calls as promptly as he did in peacetime. For the care of the patients of colleagues who are now in uniform has been added to the burdens of his own practice.

KEEP SCRATCHES CLEAN The frequent scratches, abrasions and lacerations that come in the course of ordinary civilian and industrial life should be cleaned with an antiseptic or with soap and water.

BEWARE LAXATIVE "HABIT" The rarely needs to call a doctor for colds and minor illnesses unaccompanied by fever, is the use of a clinical thermometer—provided it is not used too frequently—will save considerable worry. Rest is the basic treatment for colds. Aspirin helps to make the situation tolerable.

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"I'm only 17, but if we get married you could quit—as a married man I would have a \$24 weekly tax exemption as soon as I'm earning that much!"

LIABLER

THAT MAN SAID HE'D PAY FOR A WEEK'S FEELING! STRIP-TEASE IS GOOD FOR THE SOUL! HE'S OUT IN THE OPEN!

FORWARD MARCH! NO BACK TALK!

COUSIN DAISY-MAE— WE GOT A FINE JOB FOR YOU! IT PAYS US WEEKLY!

PLEASE DON'T ARGUE WITH ME! I'M NOT A KILLER! I'M ONLY A HUMAN BEING! I'M ONLY TRYING TO MAKE A LITTLE MONEY!

OH, KISS ME! I'M NOT A KILLER! I'M ONLY A HUMAN BEING! I'M ONLY TRYING TO MAKE A LITTLE MONEY!

BOOTS

BUT— STEPHEN, COME ON! YES, LET'S LEAVE THEM ALONE!

THINK IT'S THE SWEETEST THING THE WIFE SAYS TO HIM! AFTER HER POP KNOWS, HANDY COMES NEXT!

NOW YOU TELL ME! ABOUT YOURSELF! BUT FIRST, LET ME TELL YOU ABOUT ME!

SURE I ASKED YOU TO DON'T YOU TRY TO BE GOOD TOO! AND HANDY, I'VE SAID A PRAYER FOR YOU EVERY NIGHT! AND IT MUST BE WORKING! 'CAUSE HERE YOU ARE!

RED RYDER

SOURDOUGH DAN DECIDES TO COMMIT A PERFECT CRIME IN DOING AWAY WITH RED RYDER AND LITTLE BEAVER!

HELP-UM! QUICK! SAND! DON'T STRUGGLE, LITTLE BEAVER— YOU'LL NOT SINK SO FAST! I'LL GET RID OF YUH BOTH—

— AND WITHOUT A TRACE! YOU'RE NEXT, RYDER!

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ALLEY OOP

NOW DON'T WORRY, OOLA. I'M SURE I CAN WORK OUT SOMETHING TO COUNTER THAT EXPLOSIVE HE EAT!

— AND BE CAREFUL YOU DON'T FALL DOWN AND JAR YOURSELF. IF YOU WANT TO STAY ALL IN ONE PIECE!

AN' TO THINK I ALWAYS WONDERED HOW IT'D FEEL TO HAVE EVERYBODY SCARED OF ME!

LOOKS LIKE I'M GONNA HAPTA JUMP THIS...

BANG!

ON THE OTHER HAND I DON'T WANT TO GET ANYWHERE!

FRECKLES

MR. SMITH WANTS TO BORROW \$5000 FROM HUBERT'S FATHER, FOR BUSINESS PURPOSES. WHICH IS WHY HE'S PUTTING UP WITH HUBERT'S PRACTICAL JOCKES! — MEANWHILE LARD DOESN'T KNOW HUBERT IS HIS COUSIN!

HEY, YOU'RE WEARING MY ONLY SUIT!

THE GOVERNMENT TOLD ME TO KEEP AN EYE ON YOU AND HILDA GRUBBLE FOR TWO WEEKS!

SO I'M GOING DANCING WITH HILDA, AND WEARING YOUR SUIT TO MAKE SURE YOU DON'T LEAVE THE HOUSE!

BUT I HAVE THREE OTHER PAIRS OF PANTS!

I KNOW, AND SINCE YOU'LL BE HOME ALL EVENING, YOU MIGHT AS WELL SPEND YOUR TIME LOOKING FOR THEM!

WASH TUBBS

A NAZI PLANE, BELIEVED TO BE RECEIVING SIGNALS FROM A SPY, PAYS A RETURN VISIT TO A2 HEAD-QUARTERS!

WHAT DO YOU MAKE OF IT, EASY? I FIGURE THE SPY IS SIGNALING TO HIM, COLONEL, BUT I DON'T KNOW NOW!

MAYBE I CAN FIND OUT, IF I CAN USE A PLANE AND A CAMERA, SUH!

BY ALL MEANS, MY BOY!

CAPTAIN YANK

AT THE BULGARIAN OUTPOST...

HERE COMES THE ARMORED CAR BACK, KOPORAL! THE SCALLOPS ARE LATE! THEY MUST HAVE CAUGHT A GIRL ON THE ROAD!

GAIN THE GRIM CAR PASSES, PLAVING A GHOSTLY SILENCE IN ITS WAKE!

THERE'S THEIR HEADQUARTERS! AND THE TANKS PARKED JUST BEYOND— ALL AS TAKING THE AMERICANS TO US! THEY WOULD BE!

MEANWHILE... MAYBE I WON'T HAVE TO NOW— IN ANOTHER MINUTE OR TWO YOU SHOULD FIND OUT FOR YOURSELF!

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

EGAD! I TRUST YOU PASSENGERS DON'T PRESUME I'M SITTING HERE SIMPLY TO RELAX. — THE FACT IS I'M NOT A MOTORMAN BY PROFESSION, BUT A SCIENTIST, STUDYING METHODS OF OPERATING STREET CARS BY RADIO!

WITH THAT BIG WHALE SPOTTING, WHAT WOULD WE DO WITH A RADIO?

I'M A STRANGER IN TOWN— WE'VE BEEN HERE 45 MINUTES SO I THOUGHT I'D ASK— IS THIS A STREET CAR OR A CAMP MEETING?

I'M GONNA TELL MOM! YOU KNEW I COULDN'T SEE WITH SON IN MY EYES, SO YOU HANDED ME THE TOWEL WE'VE BEEN USING FOR A SHOE RAG!

AW, CAN'T YOU TAKE A LITTLE JOKE? IT'LL BE EASY FOR YOU TO WASH— YOU'RE NOT AS DIRTY AS YOU WERE THE FIRST TIME YOU WASHED!

A LITTLE OF BOTH, MISTER.

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Reds Won't Sign Separate Peace, Connally Says

DALLAS, Sept. 7.—(AP)—Senator Tom Connally, Marlin Democrat and chairman of the senate foreign relations committee, believes there will be no separate peace between Germany and Russia.

Speaking at a dinner in his honor here recently, he praised Russian military successes and predicted the Red bear would continue its war with the Nazis.

He will attend an appreciation dinner at Abilene tomorrow night, will speak at dedication ceremonies for Camp Fannin, Tyler, Monday, and will be honor guest at a Glade-water dinner Monday night. Tuesday, he speaks at Henderson and expects to leave for Washington Wednesday or Thursday.

Here last night, Connally predicted that Allied troops would make a "quick conquest of Southern Italy, including Rome" but warned that "no doubt there will be bitter fighting."

"Mussolini was forced out of office," he said, "but his policies seem to go marching on. Mussolini, Premier Badoglio and the king must be crushed unless they make peace promptly."

Connally said he hoped the United Nations would set up international peace machinery to preserve and enforce world peace.

"That," he said, "can be done only by using armed force where necessary."

Connally, reviewing results of the Connally anti-strike bill, said the bill had demonstrated its effectiveness, giving "strength and character to the War Labor Board."

He said "it is not an attack on labor. It is aimed at the few outlaws that would bring the cause of labor into disrepute and would risk our war effort for its own narrow and selfish gains."

"There is nothing in the bill to injure the honest, law-abiding, patriotic man who toils," he declared.

—BUY VICTORY STAMPS—

Killer of Five Faces Death

OGDEN, Utah, Sept. 7.—(AP)—Austin Cox, Jr., who was charged with killing five persons at two Ogden homes last July 23, has been found guilty of first degree murder.

A district court jury last night returned the verdict without a recommendation for clemency—which means, under Utah law, that a death sentence is mandatory.

Although Cox was accused of killing five persons with a 12-gauge shotgun, he was tried only for the slaying of District Judge Lewis V. Trueman, in whose court Cox's wife was awarded a divorce in February.

Sheriff John E. Watson's account of what happened that wild night of July 23.

Cox's first stop was at the Bert Stauffer home, where, Cox said later, he thought his former wife was staying. Before he left he had killed Mrs. Stauffer, her mother and two neighbors who had come to help. He then drove more than two miles to Judge Trueman's home, shooting the judge through a bedroom window.

Cox later stormed into the police station, but was overpowered after one shot had been fired.

Cox's attorney based his defense on a plea of insanity.

District Judge Glenn W. Adams will sentence Cox Wednesday. Cox will be allowed to choose his method of execution by hanging or shooting.

—BUY VICTORY STAMPS—

Hoover Offers Post-War Plans

MINNEAPOLIS, Sept. 7.—(AP)—A movement now to set up a trusteeship from among the leading United Nations to manage the peace was proposed last week by former President Herbert Hoover.

This was one of four steps he suggested to arrange peace, now that victory is "inevitable."

Mr. Hoover, who delivered an address before a capacity audience in the Coffman memorial union at the University of Minnesota, said the trusteeship, in arranging the peace, should eliminate the usual armistice or general peace conference.

As his second point, Mr. Hoover said the peace managers chosen by the United Nations should impose provisional peace terms on the defeated nations.

Thirdly, he said nothing else should be done until a period of a few years has passed "in which the world can cool off."

And, lastly, he said "some sort of a world institution to replace the managers and preserve peace" should be created after a cooperative spirit has developed within the world. This institution, he said, should be established to "preserve" the peace—not "make it."

—BUY VICTORY STAMPS—

States to Study Their Rights

DENVER, Sept. 7.—(AP)—Twenty-one Western and Southern governors will meet in Denver Sept. 17 and 18. Governor John C. Vivian said today, to discuss states' rights, freight rates and other matters.

Vivian said governors would attend from Georgia, Alabama, Louisiana, North Carolina, Arkansas, Oklahoma, Tennessee, California, South Carolina, Nebraska, Nevada, Arizona, Kansas, Washington, Idaho, Oregon, Utah, Wyoming and Montana.

—BUY VICTORY STAMPS—
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Today on the Home Front

By JAMES MARLOW AND GEORGE ZIEKLE
WASHINGTON, (AP)—"A secure peace."

You may hear those words again if an argument starts over whether lend-lease really means a loan or lease, or whether it means: "There is no charge."

The phrase is in President Roosevelt's quarterly lend-lease report to congress.

"The congress in passing and extending the lend-lease act made it plain that the United States wants no new war debts to jeopardize the coming peace. Victory and a secure peace are the only coin in which we can be repaid."

You may have come to take for granted that lend-lease aid is to be channeled up to war expenses—like the cost of bullets—and therefore erased from reckoning.

There are others who give lend-lease no such interpretation but believe it means we expect payment in actual material or the equivalent in money value.

Since the report to congress is in the president's own words, administration sources here decline comment publicly on his exact meaning but point out the words "and a secure peace" may be significant.

An agreement for bases may be worked out after the war, it is the clearly stated policy of the state department not to expect any repayment for lend-lease aid in cash or material.

Dean Acheson, assistant secretary of state, testifying last February before the house foreign affairs committee, said of lend-lease: "We shall not seek the method of settlement by payment in gold or goods which in the past has proved an insurmountable burden to the trade of the world. On such terms we would have no hopes for the revival of trade on which all our post-war plans must rest, and little hope for the survival after the war of the United Nations."

Total lend-lease aid so far in this war has been about 14 billion dollars Europe owed us after the last war at least 10 billion dollars.

By the time the second world war broke out, 13 nations—including Great Britain—still were paying on world war I debts to us or regretting that they couldn't pay.

The president and the state department have pointed out that we already have received reciprocal aid from our Allies in military assistance and service and supplies for our troops overseas.

The president apparently has wide authority under the lend-lease act.

It might be argued that the president could decide any attempt to collect payment in money or goods for lend-lease aid might jeopardize the economic restoration of the world and therefore jeopardize a "secure peace."

Under the interpretation it might be argued further that the president could decide a "secure peace" was part of the indirect payment specified by congress since without such peace America might not find world markets for its peacetime goods.

Court Review For Hawaiian Case Advocated

WASHINGTON, Sept. 7.—(AP)—Advocating a supreme court review of the Hawaiian habeas corpus controversy, Gossett (D-Tex.) said today he believes congress should keep out of the dispute until the civil courts act.

Gossett, a member of the territories committee, contended in a statement that if supreme court consideration of the case showed need for legislative amplification of the rights and conditions surrounding the writ of habeas corpus, congress should then clarify the legal "twilight zone" which has surrounded this issue in American and English jurisprudence.

"If in deciding the case the supreme court should say there is a hiatus in our present laws," the Texan maintained, "then it would become the duty of congress to act."

Gossett expressed belief the Hawaiian controversy should be passed on by the courts because it involves a

Canadian Troops Reach Britain

LONDON, Sept. 7.—(AP)—One of the largest convoys carrying reinforcements of troops for the Canadian army overseas has arrived safely in a British port, it was announced today.

The contingent, second of its size to leave Canada since the first division landed in Sicily, included men of all arms of the services, fit and ready to fight.

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That's the record set by Capt. Joseph H. Hart, one of Pan American Airways' ace pilots, in flying vital war cargo abroad. He's a former Army flier...and a Camel smoker for 20 years.

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82-City Property for Sale NICE 10 room, close in duplex, floor heat, central air conditioning, excellent condition...

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Save Tires Have your tires correctly aligned and balanced at Pampa Brake & Electric Service...

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American Flags Government Regulation Storm King Bunting size 4x6. Get yours now through V. F. W. Aux. 408 N. Cuyler, phone 353V.

4-Lost and Found LOST in Cretney's Drug Store-Ladies Plastic Fimmed, hairbrush style glasses...

EMPLOYMENT 7-Male Help Wanted WANTED-Eldest man for janitor. Apply office LaNora Theatre afternoons...

Notice Men MEN WANTED For carbon black and ordnance production plants immediately. Steady work-Good pay.

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EMPLOYMENT 8-Female Help Wanted PART TIME book keeper wanted. Phone 668S.

BUSINESS SERVICE 14-Turkish Bath, Swedish Massage IF YOU are suffering from rheumatism, lumbago, and other muscular ailments...

17-Situation Wanted THERE are plenty of jobs open today. Let this paper be the medium by which you find your place in this busy world...

18-Plumbing & Heating SHEET metal and tin work of all kinds. Check your heating. Service on floor furnaces...

20-Painting, Paperhanging FOR ALL KINDS of painting including interior and exterior. Also wallpapering, papering, for less cost and quicker service...

21-Floor Sanding HAVE YOUR floors sanded by Lovell's A-1 floor sanding Service. Phone 622.

26-Upholstering NEWLY Upholstered, Overstuffed Living room suites, spring construction, exactly like new. Price \$125.00 and up. J. W. Brummett Furniture Repair Shop, 408 S. Cuyler, phone 1425.

29-Cleaning & Pressing FOR SUPERIOR workmanship and quick service on your school clothes bring them to Victory Cleaners 2200 Alcock, phone 1288.

30-Laundryng LAUNDRY done reasonable-Flat work finished 5c; rough dry 25c. Cash work done. 620 E. Murphy.

32-Professional Services LET ME make your Sept. 15, 1943 Income Tax Report for you. Bring your March 15, 1943 report with you. Tax Attorney, 208 S. Cuyler, phone 1644.

34-Mattresses BUY YOUR NEXT mattress and see it made. Be sure it is made in Pampa by the Mattress Factory. 817 West Foster, phone 635.

36-Nursery WILL care for children in my home by hour or day. Phone 1804H.

37-Personal NOTICE-On and after this date I will be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife-Ruth Kreis-Signed Len Kreis 8724S.

38-Miscellaneous FOR SALE-Three dozen birdseye diapers at \$1.00 per dozen. Call 318. Apply 433 S. Banks.

37-Farms and Tracts FOR SALE-1400 acre highly improved ranch, running water, 24 acres alfalfa, 200 acres corn, 200 acres alfalfa. Priced \$22 per acre. See Stone & Thomason, Rose Hill, phone 1766.

37-Farms and Tracts 150 ACRES within three miles of the post office of Plainview, Texas. This is an irrigated farm, 80 acres now ready for alfalfa. Call for more information. No waste land. Can give possession now. Nishet-Ludeman, Plainview, Texas, agents.

73-Wanted to Buy PARTY wants to buy 3 or 4 room modern home unfurnished. Can make small cash down payment, and balance on terms. Phone 205.

74-Wanted to Rent \$25 REWARD for information leading to renting of modern furnished house, 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, phone 1896M.

77-Apartments TO ADULTS only, Semi-modern furnished apartments, close in-responsible rent. 623 South Cuyler.

78-Houses FOR RENT-Three and two room furnished houses semi-modern. Bills paid. Inquire 545 S. Somerville.

79-Sleeping Rooms TWO Comfortable sleeping rooms for employed couple. 1214 W. Foster, home Modern Drive, The Abbott Building.

82-City Property for Sale FOR SALE by owner-four room house with full bath in new home. Nice trees and shrubbery. 507 South Somerville.

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85-Suburban Prop. for Sale 4 ROOM house, 3 1/2 baths, fenced, furnished, modern. Chevrolet Sedan, trailer, milk cans. Corner Denver-Tally.

85-Suburban Prop. for Sale MODERN 5 room house with 2 1/2 acres of ground. 2 large cattle barns, near high school. Suburban Pampa. Call Henry L. Jordan, phone 156.

85-Suburban Prop. for Sale 11 acres on pavement at edge of city limits - accessible to all utilities. Not improved. A real buy. S. H. Barrett, N. Frost, phone 841L.

85-Suburban Prop. for Sale FOR SALE-East 1/2 section of 2 tract 87 Cretney Road, 16 and F. Survey. The Agee Estate 3 miles north of Alameda. Write Mrs. Doris Agee Huddleston, 1304 N. 4th St. Alameda, N. Mex., 250 ACRES Wheeler county, well improved. 5 acres grapes. 2 wells; windmill. 4000 ft. water. L. T. Ward, P. O. Box 1883, phone 949.

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97-Trucks 1929 CHEVROLET truck-motor just overhauled. For sale cheap. Mack and Paul Barber Shop, Phone 230 ask for Harvey Downs.

97-Trucks Boxing enthusiasts at Pampa Field had their first taste of "C. I." boxing at the newly-erecited arena near the recreation hall Wednesday night...

97-Trucks The Boston Red Sox swept a doubleheader from the Washington Senators 5-1 on Tex Hughson's fourth hurling and 4-1 on Bobby Doer's three-run homer in the sixth.

97-Trucks Cleveland clipped the St. Louis Browns 3-2 in 10 innings and 2-0 in five frames with weather interfering in both games.

97-Trucks The same elements caused postponement of the scheduled doubleheader at Detroit and as the result the Tigers will entertain the Chicago White Sox in two games today, the only games on the calendar.

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Cards Take Twin Bill From Bucs

By JUDSON BAILEY Associated Press Sports-Writer Labor Day, traditionally a big day for the major leagues, passed with nothing more than modest notice from the fans this year...

Special Notice Car Owners IF YOU have a car to sell see us. We buy any kind and model and we pay cash. Call 817 W. Foster, phone 1051.

ONE STOP SERVICE We have complete Serv. Crew. For Shop & Body Shop. For Quick Service on Overhaul Jobs or Complete Body Repair. See LEWIS-COFFEE PONTIAC CO. 6 PONTIAC 220 N. Somerville Phone 365

Motor Factory built Motors for Dodge, Plymouth, DeSota and Dodge Trucks. Pursley Motor Co. Dodge, Plymouth and DeSota Cars and Dodge Trucks 211 N. Ballard Phone 113

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40 Boys Report For Irish Team Sept. 17-Canadian, there. Sept. 24-White Deer, there. Oct. 1-Phillips, there. Oct. 8 - Memphis (conference) here. Oct. 15 - Wheeler (conference) here. Oct. 22 - Lakeview (conference) there. Oct. 29 - Mangum, here. Nov. 5-Altus, there. Nov. 11-Wellington (conference) there. Nov. 19-Open. Nov. 26-McLean (Thanksgiving conference game), there.

40 Boys Report For Irish Team BUY VICTORY BONDS But if that one-time gambler shifted into the war plant cramp-lifting job in an area where labor was plentiful and an over-age man or woman was available to take over his duties, the draft board might decide to send him to the army.

Pampa Fliers Split Doubleheader With Lubbock Army Air Field Nine

Pampa Field laid the baseball season away in a doubleheader, splitting the games with Lubbock. Pampa at Lubbock this week-end, but not before the South Plains nine, in a dramatic, last-inning rally, nearly won the second of the two games.

With the pitch 3 and 2. Tankersly, Lubbock left fielder, rapped out a home run, bringing the score up to 9 for Lubbock, only one behind Pampa. Tankersly's twin brother was up next but the Pampa hurler, S/Sgt. Fred (Sad) Sams, managed to throw him out and put the game away for Pampa, 10 to 9.

Sports Roundup By HUGH FULLERTON JR. NEW YORK, Sept. 7.—(AP)—Col. Ross Newland, who called the turn on Hank Armstrong's retirement long before Henry announced it himself, warns one and all not to be too confident that Lou Nova will remain on the flatie shelf...

HE METZ HIS MATCH Al Del Greco, the Hackensack, N. J., sports scribe, tells this one about the time Sgt. Vic Ghezzi and Dick Metz played golf on New Jersey's famous Pine Valley course...

STOATS AND SHELLS Kansas U. had a turn-out of 65 to start football practice and observers report that it was the first time that the Jawhaws had that many boys who could get on the field...

Major League Standings AMERICAN LEAGUE Yesterday's Results: New York 2-1, Philadelphia 11-4, Boston 5-4, Washington 1-1, St. Louis 3-0, Cleveland 2-2, Chicago at Detroit, pp. Today's Standings: Won Lost Pct. New York 68 49 .580

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Major League Standings Pampa Bus Terminal

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75 Employees Are Needed By Pampa Army Field Subdepot

Immediate need for 75 additional employees in the maintenance division of the 382nd subdepot, Pampa Army Air Field, was announced yesterday by Major Ray D. Casey, subdepot commander.

The type of personnel most urgently needed, it was emphasized, is men with experience in mechanical crafts. Six months' experience will qualify persons for employment as mechanic helpers under civil service regulations, Major Casey said.

To make it as convenient as possible for prospective applicants to determine whether they have the necessary qualifications, and whether they wish to take a job at the subdepot, a list of the names of the subdepot foreman for the subdepot and a civil service representative will be in the office of the U. S. Employment service, 206 N. Russell street, from 7 to 9 p. m. Wednesday evening, Sept. 8, to interview applicants who may be interested. Qualified applicants will be hired and put to work without delay, it was explained.

The interviewers from the subdepot will include M. R. Pickett, general foreman; Leland Hanks, assistant foreman; Fred Brownlee, machine shop foreman; R. J. Cecil, aero repair foreman; and Ralph Hibbs, engine installation foreman.

Vacancies in the maintenance division which will be discussed with prospective applicants Wednesday evening at the U. S. Employment service include jobs in the machine shop, paint and dope department, wood mill, aero repair Langar, and propeller, welding, hydraulic, engine installation, drafting, electrical, and fabric departments.

Persons who have as much as six months' acceptable experience, in appropriate lines will be hired as mechanic helpers in all the departments mentioned above. Those with better qualifications will be accepted as junior mechanics or journeymen.

In general the basic pay scale ranges from \$1,500 a year for mechanic helper to \$2,300 for senior mechanic. These rates are based on a work week of 40 hours. Subdepot employees, however, work 48 hours each week, receiving time and a half for all hours worked in excess of 40. Thus, with at least eight hours of overtime each week, the basic annual pay rates, mentioned as examples above, are increased to \$1,800 and \$2,798.24, respectively.

Six Intentions To Drill Filed In Gray County

Gray county took the spotlight in the Panhandle oil field for the week ending Sept. 2 with all of the seven intentions to drill filed being Gray county locations, and three of the six tests also being in this county. Hutchinson had the other three.

Two of the three tests in Gray, however, were re-tests. These were Cambrian Oil company's J. B. Barrett 1, potential 40 barrels, and Texas company's J. C. Short 5, 84 barrels. The other was Cities Service's Shields 10, 78 barrels.

In Hutchinson, Panhandle Producing company brought in its W. H. Carver B-3 for 111 barrels; Continental, its J. M. Sanford D-4, 42 barrels in six hours; Shamrock, its W. L. Stewart 13, 277 barrels.

Intentions to drill: Christie Erickman Drilling company 5, E. E. Gething lease, 330 feet from the north and 330 feet from the west lines of the southeast quarter of Section 48, Block 4-9, H. & G. N. survey, 4 miles northeast of LeFlore.

Cities Service Well B-4, 330 feet from the east and 990 feet from the south line of southeast quarter, Section 182, Block 3, I. & G. N. survey, 4 miles west of Pampa.

Skelly Schafer Ranch 168, 440 feet from the west and 1,320 feet from the north lines of the southeast quarter of Section 195, Block 3, I. & G. N. survey, 6 miles northeast of Skellytown.

Texas Benedict 7, 2,429 feet from the west and 330 feet the south lines of Section 55, Block B-2, H. & G. N. survey, northwest quarter.

Texas William Jackson 6, 662 feet from the east and 1,262 feet from the north lines of the southeast quarter of Section 94, Block B-2, H. & G. N. survey.

Texwell Oil corporation's Myrtle Davidson 5, 1,320 feet from the south lines of the northwest quarter, 330 feet from the west, northwest quarter of southwest quarter, Section 65, Block B-2, H. & G. N. survey.

Cigarette Money Sent to New York

Fire Chief Ben R. White mailed a check for \$75 Friday to the over-land shipment of Liggett & Myers Tobacco company, 630 Fifth avenue, New York.

This pays for three cases of cigarettes that are to be sent to soldiers stationed in the Pacific area. With the three cases, the tobacco company will add five cartons free with each case, or 15 cartons in all, a total of 150 free packages.

Donations of Pampans who put pennies, nickels, dimes, quarters, and currency in glass jars in downtown stores, made the gift possible.

Chief White said the project would be continued.

Telephone Directory For 1943 Issued

The husky guy, labeled "spirit of communication," who apparently is invulnerable to electric shock, since he is connected to a trio of high power electric flashes, is back with us Pampans again.

Copies of the September, 1943, telephone directory of the Southwestern Bell Telephone company, were issued in Pampa Friday. Adorning the cover is the winged "spirit."

Differing from the September, 1942, edition, the new directory has a pale green cover in contrast to the pale grey of last year's. The new book is also larger, containing 73 pages, whereas 1942's book had 69 pages.

The classified section, No. 19 in 1942, 20 in the new one, contains 52 pages this year in contrast with the 40 of '42.

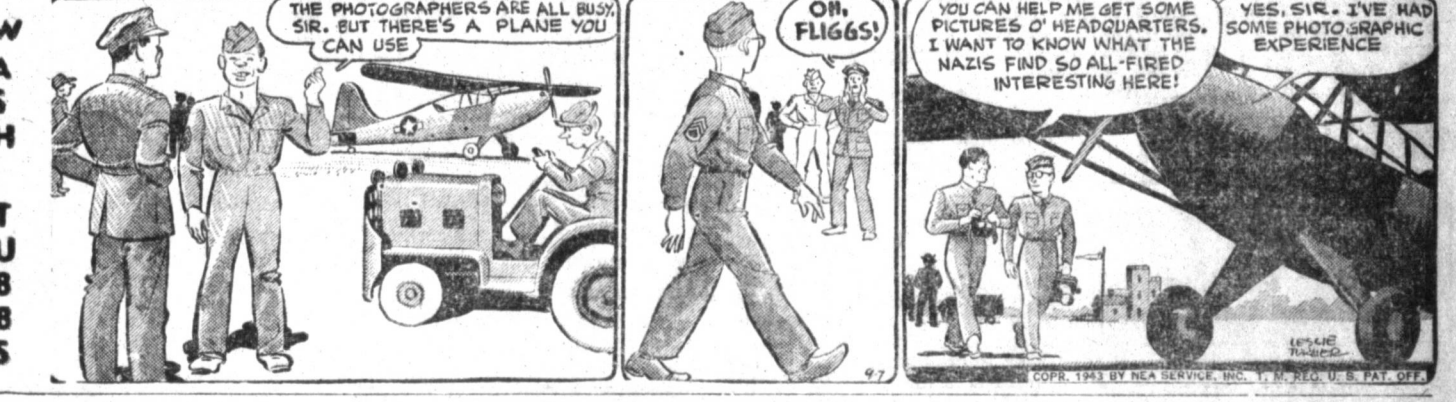
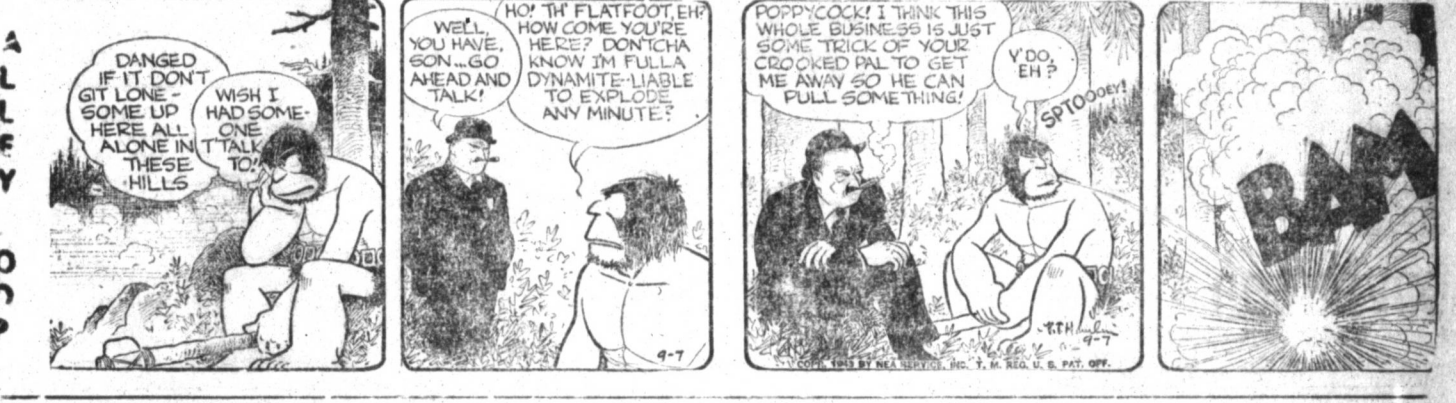
Indicative of changing Pampa is the listing of eight numbers under U. S. government in contrast with the five in the 1942 volume. For the first time, the office of administration, military police, rent control office and Pampa Fire are now "on the record."

A hasty check-up shows that the Smiths led in number of listings with 22. Jones is runner-up with 18. Next comes Williams, 14; Wilson and Moore, 12 each, and 11 Whites.

Every letter of the alphabet is included except "X" which apparently is reserved for algebra books and for a symbol of where the body was found in murder stories. There's even two listings under Q, and four under Z.

KPND

1943 ON YOUR DIAL PAMPA NEWS STATION
TUESDAY AFTERNOON
6:00—Save a Nickel Club.
6:30—Fun in America.
6:45—Four Notes.
6:50—Trading Post.
6:55—Marching with Music.
7:00—News.
7:10—Movie on the Air.
7:15—Sunday Service.
7:30—Sports Review.
7:35—According to the Record.
7:45—Lam Abner.
7:00—Goodnight.
TUESDAY NIGHT ON THE NETWORKS
6:00—Fred Waring's Orch. NBC to Red network.
6:15—Men, Machines, and Victory, Blue network.
6:30—The Rines Orchestra, Blue network.
6:35—Romance in Three-quarter Time, NBC to Red network.
6:45—Lam and Abner, Blue network.
6:50—Johnny Presents, NBC and Red network.
7:00—Watch the World Go By, to Blue network.
7:10—Lam and Abner, Blue network.
7:20—Noah Webster Says, Blue network.
7:30—Horace Heidt's Orchestra, NBC and Red network.
7:35—John Cannon, CBS to full net.
7:40—Famous Jury Trials, NBC to Red network.
7:45—Battle of Exeter via NBC Red network.
7:55—News, Here and Abroad, Blue network.
8:00—Spotlight Band, Blue network.
8:10—John Neshbit's Parade, NBC and Red network.
8:30—Suspense, CBS and network.
8:45—Johnny Mercer's Music, NBC to Red network.
9:00—Raymond Gram Swing, Blue network.
9:15—To be announced, Blue network.
9:30—Public Affairs, CBS to full net.
9:35—Beat the Band, NBC to Red network.
9:45—This Nation at War, Blue network.
9:55—To be announced, CBS.
10:00—I Love a Mystery, CBS to network.
10:30—St. Louis Serenade, NBC to Red network.
10:45—Harkness of Washington, NBC to Red network.
10:55—Sunny Dunham's Orchestra, Blue network.
WEDNESDAY ON KPND
7:30—Morning Devotions.
7:45—Spectator Trails.
8:00—What's Behind the News with Ted DeWeese.
8:05—Hedda Revelle.
8:30—Early Morning Club.
9:15—Organ Solo.
9:30—Let's Dance.
9:45—News.
9:50—Mooding Moods.
10:30—Trading Post.
10:35—Sunday Service.
10:45—News.
11:00—Burger Hour.
11:00—Hedda Revelle.
11:45—Bob Murphy at the Keyboard.
12:00—Jerry Sams.
12:10—Jerry's Exchange.
12:15—U. S. Army.
12:30—News Review.
12:45—Chisholm Trail.
1:00—A Song is Born.
1:30—Romantic Romance.
1:45—Moods of Devotion.
2:00—Gems of Melody.
2:15—Music and Lyrics.
2:30—All Star Dance Band.
2:45—KPND Concert Hall.
3:15—To be announced.
3:30—Save a Nickel Club.
5:00—Pan American.
6:15—Songs of Herb Jeffrey.
6:30—Trading Post.
6:45—Theater Page.
6:55—News.
8:00—10-2-4 Ranch.
8:15—Sports Serenade.
8:30—According to the Record.
8:45—Assembly of God church Orchestra.
7:00—Goodnight.
BUY VICTORY STAMPS
Don't drive fast at night after leaving a brightly lighted room. It takes the eyes 10 to 15 minutes to become accustomed to the dark.



'HOP-A-LONG'

HORIZONTAL
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16 Oil (comb. form)
18 Girl's name
19 Ship
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21 Symbol for tellurium
24 Australian bird
25 Proboscis
27 Small pies
29 Symbol for tantalum
30 Suffix
31 Proofreader's mark
34 He is moviedom's cowboy star
37 Exist
38 On account (abbr.)
39 Fury
41 Scheme
44 Native of Latvia
46 Ages
47 Division of geological time
48 Ardent affections
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15 River in Latvia
17 Burden
22 Flight
23 Pilfer
26 Shoshone Indian
28 Limb
31 Concern
32 Biblical mountain
33 Gratify
35 Makers of notations
36 Guns (slang)
40 Italian family name
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45 At all times
48 Varnish ingredient
50 Electrical term
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UNLOCKING ADVENTURE

By Charles Courtney

Charles Courtney is the world's highest paid legal Jimmie Valentine. This is the true story of his many adventures unlocking safes around the earth and under the sea.

CHAPTER VIII

KEYS seem to be the accepted way of expressing the stormy emotions. When we are in love, we give keys; when we hate, we use them to lock out the people we dislike or to lock up our secrets from their prying eyes. Although I was much later that I was called the golden key king of Hollywood, because I was discreet and never talked about the affairs of clients who brought me gold key blanks to cut for their current suitors, I had plenty of this heart business from the time that I opened in the plumber's shop.

In my office now is a small carved oak chest that once held under its lid the happiness of a wealthy shipping magnate. This heavy, graying, imperious man came nervously into the shop with the chest under his arm and asked to see me privately. Putting the box on my desk he gestured hurriedly toward it.

"Can you open it? Can you open it right away?" "Is it your chest?" I asked. "We always want to identify the owner." He drew from his pocket an inscribed alligator cigarette case, letters, three car licenses, then hesitated a moment before he answered.

"No, it isn't really mine. It belongs to my wife." Restlessly moving about the desk, he told me why he must know what was inside. Less than a year earlier he had married a girl about whom he knew very little. She was young and very beautiful and he had rushed into matrimony. For several weeks she had received letters that she read hurriedly, then locked in this chest. He dared not ask her for explanation, out if he did not

the side, but not until I felt the hull under my soles did my confidence return.

All the valuables were in the safes in the captain's and purser's cabins. Under a submarine lamp I examined them, tried the combinations that the company had given me, and found that the locks had been forced out of alignment.

In the afternoon I went down again, worked an hour with my legs braced to keep my footing on the silny floor, and got the combination open. Quickly I stuck the contents of one of the safes into a headed canvas bag and passed it back to the diver nearest me, who gave it in turn to the next one stationed to watch the line, and so on to the man who put it on the hoist.

When I climbed on board and came out of the iron doctor, the agent of the insurance company and the captain of the salvage ship had sorted out the contents. It lay stacked up in the captain's cabin, a million dollars, they told me, in money and securities. This was the first million dollars that I had ever seen and it was disappointing: stacks of bills and packages of limp folded papers with water-soaked edges. It seemed unbelievable that these dull piles represented all the ease and glamor that money could buy.

Depressed and tired, I went outside and leaned against the rail. The captain and the agent, in high good humor, placed guards over the cabin and took me down to dinner.

"A good stiff drink is what you need," they said, pouring out for each of us two fingers of Scotch. Revived by the sting in my throat, I buttered a stick of cornbread, but at the first bite I doubled up with excruciating pain. The doctor said it was the bends. For days I suffered agonies, then the pain went away as quickly as it came, but it was my warning. I never intended to give the sea another chance to get me.

(To Be Continued)
(From the book of the same name written in collaboration with Thomas M. Johnson and published by Whitteley House, New York City.)

Feeling strange and awkward, I planted my cumbersome booted feet on the ladder and went over

BONDS

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tar Durham, first, George Smith, second, Ace Elmore, third; second go-round, George Smith, first, Ace Elmore, second, Jack Will, third, Average, George Smith, first, Ace Elmore, second, Lester Durham, third.

FLIERS

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a month ago observed his 22d birthday anniversary. Lieutenant DeLong was a graduate of Charles City, Iowa, High school, and attended Upper Iowa university for two years, prior to entering the service.

GOVERNOR

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for a long succession of interviews with governors, mayors and other officials upon a background of barbecues, state dinners, fiestas and like expressions of Mexican hospitality.

JAP BARRACKS HIT

NEW DELHI, Sept. 7.—(AP)—Medium bombers of the 10th U. S. air force blasted Japanese barracks at Maymyo, 40 miles northwest of Mandalay, yesterday causing heavy damage and leaving fires from which smoke rose to 1,500 feet, a headquarters communicate said today.

TRYPAMA NEWS WANT-ADS.

The Hillson Coffee Shop Where Friends Meet To Eat Open From 5 A. M. to 10 P. M. Hillson Hotel Coffee Shop

ODD FELLOWS

Pampa Lodge 824 Regular Meetings: Every Monday at 8:30 P. M. 210 West Brown Visitors Welcome Hugh L. Brady Noble Grand

Mainly About Pampa And Her Neighbor Towns

Visiting in the home of Mrs. E. L. Yeargin is her mother, Mrs. W. F. Sawyer of Rockdale, Texas, and Mrs. Yeargin's sister-in-law, Mrs. F. H. Sawyer of Rotan, Texas.
Belvedere Dancers—Enjoy Beer. Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Fink have moved from Pampa to Enid, Okla., where Mr. Fink will attend Phillips University. Prior to moving he was associate pastor of the First Christian church here.

BUY VICTORY STAMPS

GLIEN T. HACKNEY, GRAY COUNTY FARM AGENT, AND DAVID P. EATON, JR., HIS ASSISTANT, WENT TO AMARILLO TODAY TO ATTEND A TWO-DAY GATHERING OF AGENTS OF DISTRICTS 1 AND 3, TEXAS EXTENSION SERVICE, WHICH THIS YEAR REPLACES THE REGULAR ONE-WEEK CONFERENCE AT COLLEGE STATION.

MARRIAGE LICENSE WAS ISSUED HERE SATURDAY TO LLOYD EDWARD ZMOTNY AND MISS BETTY KATHLEEN BEER.

A meeting of the Lake McClellan Fishing club will be held at 8:30 tonight in the district court room.
Enio's Laundry formerly West Dancer tonight—Beer's at Belvedere. Income Tax returned Sept. 15 properly prepared could save you money. Tax Service Room 13 1st National Bank Building. Bring your 1942 returns.

CRASH

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wreckage for six hours, calmly telling rescuers "take your time, I can stand it."
Robert Calvert, of Birmingham, Ala., a volunteer of the fighting in North Africa, who was walking in the aisle of the third car, said something hit him in the stomach and—
"it seemed a million people were on top of me. I couldn't get my breath. I thought, 'this is it. I will die now.'"

WASHINGTON, Sept. 7.—(AP)—The federal bureau of investigation after an investigation on the scene, said today "there is no evidence of sabotage" in the wreck of the Pennsylvania railroad's Congressional Limited near Philadelphia.

BLAZE

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"There wasn't a chance for them."
Police Chief Percy Heard said the hotel had 87 rooms, 87 beds and 46 cots. The hotel was filled when the fire broke out, he added.
Deputy City Fire Marshal H. L. Matthews said the building was "very old, and there were many wooden partitions. The wood was dry and caught fire easily and threw off clouds of smoke. It looked like many of the men were overcome by smoke and became panicky."
Rain pressed down the pall of rolling smoke and firemen gasped as they walked through it laying hose.

BUY VICTORY BONDS

Seventeen per cent of 1941 traffic fatalities occurred between 5 p. m. Saturday and 4 p. m. Sunday.

Soviet Ace Makes a Kill



(NEA Radiophoto) In one of the few photos showing air action by Soviet forces a Russian plane is seen, top right, as it dives down on Messerschmitt 109 over the Kuban river front. The flaming Nazi craft crashed in a cloud of smoke—the 19th enemy plane shot down by Soviet ace Capt. Ivan Tarasov.

ARMIES

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pushing beyond Konotop toward Kiev, while in the south the Soviets were at the gates of the steel center of Stalino.
Slavyansk, Kramatorskaya and other points on the Stalino-Slavyansk railroad were taken, the Russians said, cutting one escape path from Stalino. Moscow said land drives and air attacks were demoralizing what the Nazis termed a "planned retreat" toward the Dnieper river.

NEWS OF OUR MEN AND WOMEN IN UNIFORM

Cadet John B. Shaw, Jr., formerly of Pampa, and son of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Shaw, 411 Ward, Hot Springs, Ark., is a member of the class of student officers and aviation cadets who will be graduated from the academy this school at Stockton Field, Hot Springs, Ark. Before entering the final and advanced course at Stockton, Cadet Shaw completed 18 weeks of primary and basic training at Oxnard and Lemoore, Calif.

ORDERED FOR ACTIVE DUTY WITH THE WOMEN'S RESERVE OF THE MARINE CORPS HAS BEEN LETHA MAE TROSTLE, NEAR HARLESON, OF 210 E. BROWN, PAMPA.

She is receiving her six weeks basic training at Camp LeJeune, New River, N. C. She is a graduate of Pampa High school.

MIAMI—Cpl. Irvin Cunningham arrived home Thursday to attend the funeral of his mother, Mrs. Margaret A. Cunningham.

AV/C ROSS N. BUZZARD OF PAMPA, CLASS OF 43-35, SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED THE FLEXIBLE AERIAL GUNNERY COURSE AT THE ARMY AIR FORCES SCHOOL AT LAREDO FIELD, LAREDO, AUGUST 28.

He received the rating of aerial gunner and will continue his training as navigator or bombardier at another training post.

ANOTHER WAC HAS COME TO PAMPA TO LIVE. SHE IS PVT. DOROTHY M. HANCOCK, A NATIVE OF LEECHBURG, PA., AND SHE IS ASSIGNED TO THE U. S. ARMY RECRUITING OFFICE IN THE BASEMENT OF THE POST OFFICE.

Pvt. Hancock is the second Wac on that staff, the other Wac being Second Lieut. Emma A. Yukna.

After graduating from Leechburg, Pa., high school, Pvt. Hancock attended Tarentum Nursing school and New Kensington Business college. She joined the Wac the last day of June 1943, and completed her basic training at Ft. Oglethorpe, Ga. Her next assignment was to recruiting school at Oglethorpe. She arrived in Pampa Thursday.

Herbert E. Putnam, 23, son of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Putnam, Sr., 424 N. Ballard, graduated last week from the factory training school operated by the army air forces training command at the Glenn L. Martin company, Middle River, Md.

He is now a specialist on the B-26 Marauder. A graduate of Pampa High school, Putnam was assistant manager for F. W. Woolworth company here before his enlistment, Jan. 16, 1942. His brother, John, is also in the service.

Eight women from Gray county, seven of them from Pampa, are now in the women's reserve of the navy, Ensign Ulane Zeek, former Pampa school teacher, now WAVES procurement officer, 240 Amarillo building, said today. Need for women to serve in the navy is still being stressed. WAVES are now capable of filling 246 of the navy's 732 classified jobs.

Women in the navy blue are now doing clerical work, communications, supplies, accounts, disbursing, link-trainer instructors, parachute rig-

Continued Good Texas Business Given in Report

DALLAS, Sept. 3.—(AP)—War impact is reflected in facts and figures given in the monthly review of the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas. The review reports:

The federal reserve notes of this bank in actual circulation reached a new peak of \$341,000,000 during the first half of August.

Approximately 332,000 workers were employed in July in the major war industries of Texas, with an increase of 30,000 in this labor force scheduled by July next year.

Texas Gulf coast shipyards delivered 26 cargo vessels from May through July, according to the U. S. maritime commission, as compared with 475 cargo vessels delivered by all shipyards in the nation for the same period. Contracts for construction of an additional 106 Liberty ships were placed with a Texas shipyard in July.

The August allowable for crude oil—much of it going to war machines—for Texas of 1,813,000 barrels daily was the largest production authorized in the state since proration was initiated about 12 years ago. Subsequently, the August allowable was increased, and the September allowable has been set at 1,940,000 barrels daily.

The rate of increase in dollar volume sales in department stores continued to be larger than in other federal reserve districts. These sales fell off 5 per cent in June and 9 per cent in July, (this decline is smaller than usual at this time of year) but sales for the two months were 50 per cent above those in comparable months in 1942.

The demand for merchandise at reporting wholesale trade firms was seven per cent above that of July a year ago, but inventories of the wholesale firms averaged 13 per cent below those last year.

There was a small increase in construction contracts during July, but their value was 85 per cent below that in July last year.

On July 15 average prices at Texas farms of all principal agricultural products, except hogs were appreciably higher than on the comparable date in 1942, despite a slight decline between June 15 and July 15.

Taromina, on Sicily's eastern coast, was established by Greek settlers about 700 B. C., and until World War 1 was a tourist resort.

gers, control tower operators, in the navy hospital corps.

Being trained in the 21 women's reserve schools to release bluejackets for sea duty are young women between 20 and 36 years of age.

WAVES from Gray county are Pearl Green, Margaret Tomberlin, and Ulane Zeek, all officers, and all of Pampa, and Wanda Lee Fender, Pauline Johnson, Mary Louise Martin, Beulah Mae Vanderlinden, all enlisted personnel and all of Pampa, and Mattie Bell Tempieman, enlisted, of McLean.

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Road to Italy's Conquest Rocky, But History Points Four Routes

(AP) Features
All roads—of conquest—have led to Rome for 2,000 years and have provided the Allies with historical precedents for four well-defined invasion routes from across the Mediterranean.

Nature placed many stumbling blocks in the path of armies by forcing Italy from limestone crags, precipitous granite peaks, rushing mountain torrents and volcanic cauldrons. The northern, richer section of the country is cut off from the Italian peninsula by the mile-high Apennine chain that stretches from Genoa to the Adriatic. The Adriatic coast is separated from the west by the thick ridge of Apennines, which stretch the length of the 700-mile peninsula at a distance of 30 miles from the east coast and reach a height of 9,170 feet in Monte della Mafella.

At its widest, the peninsula is 150 miles across and averages 100 miles.

River Navigation Small
Industrial development—and military desirability—of the central section has been handicapped by lack of ports. The Adriatic shore further is devoid of islands which might give toeholds to an invader but a chain of isles runs from Sicily to Eba along the Tyrrhenian coast.

Particularly in recent years, man has attempted to overcome geographic handicaps by tying the isolated sections together by railroads and motor roads. The mountainous terrain rules out almost completely any development of river navigation.

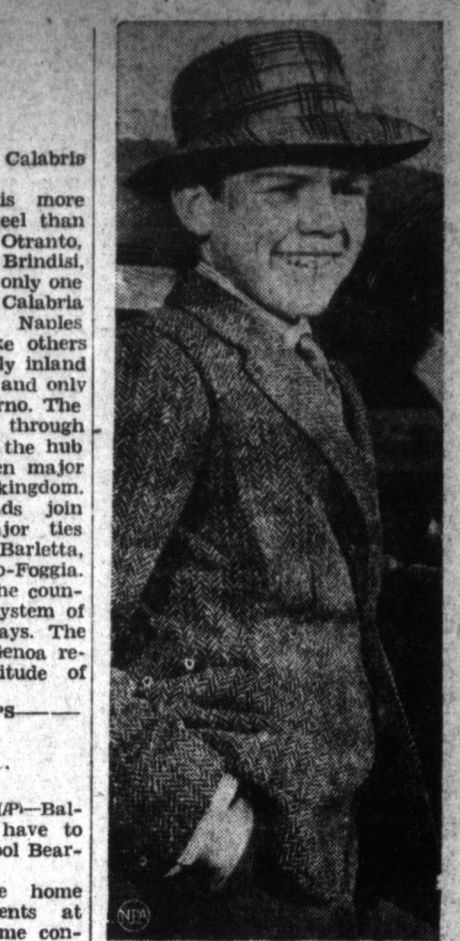
Historical conquests have avoided geographic barriers ever since the day of the Etruscans (800 B. C.) by striking from the sea directly at populous centers and then moving inland to solidify gains.

Etruscans Invaded First
The Etruscans moved through the Straits of Messina into the Tyrrhenian sea, landed in Tuscany. The armies of the Greeks in the 8th century B. C. struck directly into Sicily and the southern shores of the Calabria "toe." The Hlyrians 400 years later moved across the Adriatic for the only invasion of the eastern side of the peninsula, then moved north and south towards Ravenna and Bari.

Pyrrhus, in 280 B. C., landed on Sicily and won a costly battle at Heraclea, not far from present-day Taranto in the "heel" of the boot.

Invasions by the Vandals and Byzantine Empire in the 5th and 6th centuries A. D. struck first at Rome. The armies of the eastern empire moved ashore near Naples and worked up the coast. The Byzantines made the first important cross-peninsula drive, moving northeast through the Apennines on Ravenna. In the 8th century the Saracens drove across Sicily into the Calabria toe and across to Bari on the east.

Two Railways in West
Today two main railway lines run the major length of the western coast and are connected to a main line along the Adriatic by numerous cross-country tunnel ties. One



Neither "sissy" or "old-manish" is this new fall hat for boys. It's of water-repellent tweed in red and tan plaid, with telescope crown and stitched brim.

TARDY JUSTICE

WASHINGTON—A balliff in landlord and tenants court edged up to Judge Drice Clagett and whispered, as court attaches and principals fidgeted.

Time went by, and the judge explained that he was awaiting the clerk who calls the cases.

Proceedings will be delayed a few minutes," said the judge. "I have just been informed that my clerk's feet are swollen and he can't get his shoes on."

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