

WORLD NEWS

Dr. Newton's Conviction Reversed

Case Involves Assault On Dr. Hunt

AUSTIN, March 15—(AP)—The conviction and seven-year sentence assessed Dr. R. Newton of Cameron in the May 21, 1942, attempt on the life of Dr. Roy Hunt of Littlefield was reversed and remanded today by a court of criminal appeals.

In sending the case back to Lamb county district court for a new trial the appellate court said the lower court on first trial admitted improper testimony.

The testimony was that given by friends of Dr. and Mrs. Hunt who were guests at the Hunt home on the night of May 20 when Dr. Hunt testified he received three telephone calls from a person he identified as Mrs. Newton, wife of Dr. Newton.

The opinion said there was sharp issue as to whether Dr. Hunt was correct in identifying the Newtons whose trial testimony was that they were not in Littlefield but in Houston, 700 miles from Lamb county, on the night Dr. Hunt was shot.

Mrs. Newton was also indicted with her husband but has not been tried.

In October, 1943, Dr. and Mrs. Hunt were brutally slain in their home. A convict is being held for questioning in the slaying of the Hunts.

The guests of the Hunts on the night of May 20 testified Dr. Hunt told them he had received three phone calls that evening from a person whose voice he identified as Mrs. Newton's. This testimony was introduced over the objection of the defense during the trial.

The appellate court said Dr. Hunt was positive and unequivocal in identifying Dr. Newton and his wife and other witnesses identified Mrs. Newton as the party who made a telephone call from a Littlefield service station about midnight on May 20.

The court said the issue of fact on appeal was whether or not Mrs. Newton was the party she represented herself to be and the question of law was on the admissibility of testimony reflected by the objections of the defense in light of the issue of fact.

It was Dr. Hunt's trial testimony that he was called to the outskirts of Littlefield at midnight by Mrs. Newton as a result of the phone calls.

About three miles from town he saw a parked car and Mrs. Newton was sitting in it, he said. She asked him to go in the car and as he did Dr. Newton came from a barrow pit at the side of the road and began shooting. Dr. Hunt testified. The wounded physician escaped by crawling through a field.

Continued Cold Forecast Here

What the weatherman calls "continued coolness" and the average man "cold" was in store for Pampa tonight and tomorrow as the cold wave drifted the second day here.

A freezing drizzle put a coating of ice on trees and sidewalks and sent the temperature down to an overnight low of 26 degrees. Near noon today the thermometer sank much higher, rising only 3 degrees to reach 29.

Fog blanketed Pampa last night and the sky was cloudy this forenoon.

Thincled trackmen of Pampa and Shamrock High schools shivered when the temperature was 42 degrees here yesterday afternoon in a track meet between the squads of the two schools, won by Pampa, 83 to 46.

Woods Opposes U. S. School Fund Aid

AUSTIN, March 15—(AP)—Texas has plenty of money to take care of its educational needs, says Dr. L. A. Woods, state school superintendent, who opposes additional federal control of public schools in this state.

Woods and local superintendents will attend a meeting in Fort Worth March 24 at which J. W. Studebaker, U. S. commissioner of education, wrote he would "discuss pending federal legislation bearing on education with its implications for Texas."

Army Will Hire Nurses Aides

DALLAS, March 15—(AP)—Red Cross nurses aides may now be employed by the war department on full-time civil service status, says Col. W. Lee Hart, eighth service command surgeon.

Col. Hart said an agreement had been reached with Red Cross officials to release aides in 18 states from Illinois to Texas from a promise to accept no remuneration for hospital assistance so they may be employed to care for wounded soldiers in 30 army general and station hospitals in the Southwest. Recruiting of nurses aides has begun at command headquarters.

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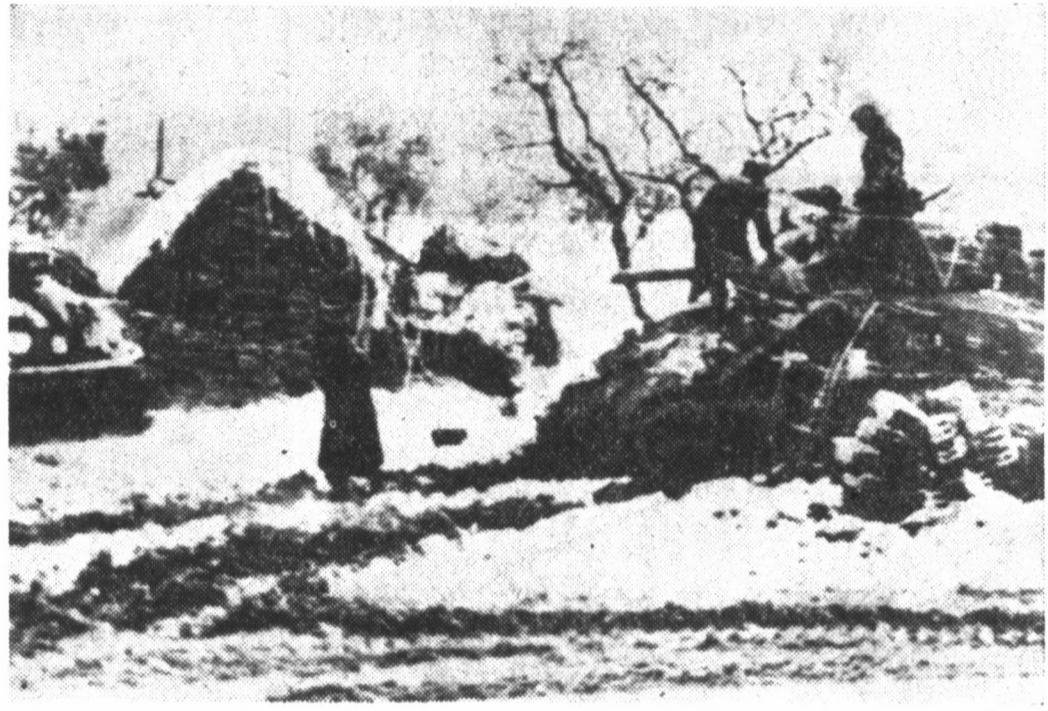
A 20-foot Chinese elm tree free to anyone who will dig it up. The offer has been made by C. O. Drew 788 N. West, at whose residence the tree is located.

Get tractor tires at Dixie Tire Co.—Adv.

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'SUNNY ITALY' IS CAUGHT IN SNOWSTORM



Blinding snowstorm on the 8th Army front in Italy makes tough going for this Canadian tank crew. They dismount, take look around, and plot their next move.—(NEA Telephoto).

Panhandle-California Gas Line Is Spurred

WASHINGTON, March 15—(AP)—Federal officials indicated today that any projected pipeline to move natural gas from the Texas Panhandle to California would have to be a postwar undertaking.

The Southern Counties Gas Co. of Los Angeles, subsidiary of the Pacific Lighting Corp., is reported to be considering construction of the line as a means of augmenting California natural gas supplies.

Early Marketing Of Cattle From West Is Sought

WASHINGTON, March 15—(AP)—Action designed to pull two or three million extra head of beef off Western ranges during the spring and early summer to augment short civilian supplies is being planned by government food officials.

That action may take the form of a special price premium to encourage earlier marketing, thus helping to prevent a possible market glut later in the year.

War food administration officials consider the beef cattle situation one of their most serious problems. Cattle numbers have been increased, they said, to a level beyond the feed supply. The expansion has been particularly heavy in the Western range country, and there is a serious question whether the range will be able to carry the pasturing load this summer.

"We shudder to think what might happen," said one WFA livestock expert, "should an early summer drought develop. There would be a great stampede to move cattle to market. Transportation and processing facilities might not be able to handle the movement. The result might be the loss of thousands upon thousands of head of cattle."

This concern extends beyond the war food administration to the governors of the Federal Reserve board. R. M. Evans, member of the board for agriculture and former agricultural adjustment administrator, has sent a report to banks in the cattle country urging them to use their influence in behalf of early marketings.

Over-expansion of the cattle industry and a subsequent collapse in demand for meat such as occurred shortly after World War I could, Evans said, have a serious effect on the whole agricultural as well as industrial economy of the Southwest.

Dissatisfaction with government price policies has been given by cattlemen as one reason for heavy accumulation of cattle on ranges.

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Military Service Plan Is Offered

HOUSTON, March 15—(AP)—Military training received in the R. O. T. C. and national guard would be credited against whatever service may be required under the proposed universal military training act before congress under a recommendation made by the Texas A. & M. Former Students association to the college board of directors.

Association President James P. Hamblen of Houston said the recommendation was one of seven concerning military training which has been submitted to the board.

Willkie Leads In New Hampshire

MANCHESTER, N. H., March 15—(AP)—New Hampshire voters, first in the nation to select national convention delegates, chose a Republican slate indicating a 4-3 leaning towards Wendell Willkie, and an unopposed Democratic slate pledged to a fourth term for President Roosevelt, incomplete returns indicated today.

With about 70 per cent of the returns tabulated in what was considered a test of convention strength between the 1940 Republican standard bearer and Gov. Thomas E. Dewey of New York, the voters in yesterday's primary apparently elected to the seven-man slate of delegates-at-large four who have announced they favored Willkie.

One Dewey-pledged candidate, Prof. Charles A. Holden of Dartmouth college, seemed assured of a place, while the other two at-large seats went to two unpledged political veterans, former Gov. Huntley N. Spaulding and former U. S. Senator George H. Moses. Burroughs said that the voters knew that six of the unpledged delegates elected would vote for Willkie "from the start."

The lone candidate pledged to Gov. Douglas MacArthur for delegate at large trailed the field.

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Civic Clubs Are Urged To Back Red Cross Fund

RED CROSS DRIVE
Gray County Quota \$29,000.00
Contributed to date 20,528.19
Still To Go \$8,471.81

With Gray county's Red Cross War Fund still lagging in four color figures, officials expressed the hope today that civic organizations and women's clubs would make special contributions.

So far, the only organizations which have given special donations are Lions club, Kiwanis club, Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary, Business and Professional Women's club, American Legion Auxiliary and the Junior Chamber of Commerce, board officials said. Club presidents and organization leaders are asked to contact their groups so that the remaining \$8,471.81 may be raised.

In commenting on the urgency of needs for Red Cross, Joe Wells, drive chairman, said yesterday, "Many of us who have been entirely self-sufficient in the past are going to have to call on the Red Cross this year, for this organization is the backbone for the armed forces and the civilians."

"It will bring us word of our men who are prisoners of war. We will ask it to help our men get emergency medical care, and to help us in cases of serious illness or death, and we will go to it to ask help for our little things relative to our loved ones in the services on which this time we are otherwise unable to help ourselves," declared Wells.

"The Red Cross will help in local emergencies, too, should there be cyclone, flood, fire or other disasters," he said. "But because every Gray county family has some relative or some close friend in armed forces, this year, when they need the help of the Red Cross, they will be helping that man or woman."

"Above all, don't let any Gray county man go to the battle front with the knowledge that his people at home have failed him. Organize your family, your neighbors and your social organizations to give to this fund," he concluded.

Pampa Bull Is First At Fort Worth Show

FORT WORTH, March 15—(AP)—The Texas Hereford association's criterion auction sale of 50 animals brought an average of \$772 at the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock show.

Thirty bulls averaged \$817 and 20 females averaged \$708.

Top bull of yesterday's sale and also the top animal, was Plus Blanche 10th, consigned by Combs and Worley, Pampa, that sold on a bid of \$9,000 to the A-B-T ranch, Medina.

Top female, an addition to the list, was a heifer bred by Harrisdale Farms, Fort Worth, and sold on a bid of \$2,475 to Albert Noe of Jackson, Tenn.

Postwar Monetary Pact Developing

WASHINGTON, March 15—(AP)—Early and complete agreement among Russian, British, American and Canadian treasury experts on a multi-billion dollar, gold-based fund to stabilize postwar foreign exchange was believed imminent today.

This belief grew following the disclosure that parallel conversations have been in progress here with British authorities while a Russian delegation was being acquainted with the so-called White currency stabilization plan.

Quintuplets Are Reported In Argentina

BUENOS AIRES, March 15—(AP)—Quintuplets were born eight months ago in a Buenos Aires suburb to a well-to-do rancher and his 42-year-old Italian wife, who kept the event secret to avoid public excitement such as attended the birth of the famous Dionne children, Buenos Aires papers said today.

Franco Diligenti, their father, declined to permit reporters to see his offspring—three girls and two boys—but exhibited photographs of them, remarking: "Look, gentlemen, a real house." Their names, he said, are Marie Fernanda, Maria Esther, Maria Cristina, Carlos Alberto and Franco.

Diligenti said the children were born at home last July 11, with only a wife in attendance on his wife, Valotia, who is the mother of three other children. He declared the quintuplets are in excellent health, each weighing between 20 and 25 pounds.

The story of the multiple birth was told first by Miss Lelia Shaw, society editor of the Buenos Aires Herald, an English language newspaper. She said she had seen the quintuplets and interviewed the mother. "We have had such a difficult time keeping the quintuplets secret," she quoted the mother as saying.

General skepticism followed first publication of the report. At the office of birth registry, where newsmen sought records of the births, clerks professed to know nothing except what was in the newspapers.

A neighbor of the Diligenti said that "everybody in the neighborhood will tell you that the quintuplets are genuine." And a gate man who stopped reporters attempting to see the parents, said he had been on duty since last June and that: "We remember how the Diligenti family came to this country."

One of Senora Diligenti's three other children is the surviving member of triplets. The trio are: Ana Maria, 6, and Mayra, three.

Joseph Eastman, ODT Head, Dies

WASHINGTON, March 15—(AP)—Joseph E. Eastman, 61, director of defense transportation and for 25 years a member of the interstate commerce commission, died today after an illness of several weeks.

Eastman, a bachelor, died at Emergency hospital shortly after 7 a. m. a native of Katonah, N. Y. Eastman was named to the interstate commerce commission in 1919 after service on the Massachusetts public service commission. In 1933, President Roosevelt named Eastman coordinator of the railroads and he sought to effect economies in operation at the depth of the depression.

In 1942, Eastman was named director of the office of defense transportation and given the tremendous task of bossing the movement of everything that pours through domestic channels into the war effort.

His physician said Eastman died suddenly from a coronary occlusion. He had suffered a previous attack about a month ago, and since had been confined to bed.

Eastman's death left vacant the job of running the nation's wartime transportation system. Temporarily his deputy, Brig. Gen. Charles L. Rogers, will be in charge.

Oil Discoveries Would Cost More

NEW YORK, March 15—(AP)—New petroleum discoveries will be less frequent and now production will be more costly, says the Texas company's president, W. S. S. Rodgers, "unless an entirely new or improved technique for locating oil deposits is developed."

Rodgers, writing in the firm's annual report, said his company's production, approximately 1,500,000 barrels, could be maintained in 1944 but that thereafter "the country can anticipate the beginning of a substantial decline in its ability to produce crude oil unless some large discoveries are made in the United States."

WEATHER FORECAST

Considerable cloudiness this afternoon and tonight; freezing rain in Panhandle this afternoon; partly cloudy Thursday.

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Heavies Hit Germany; Nikolaev's Fall Near

(By The Associated Press) American heavy bombers struck central German targets with medium sized forces today and the Nazis reported "major scale air battles" centering over Hannover in murky weather.

Strong fighter escorts flew with the four-engine craft in the Allied campaign of attrition to bring the German air force to battle and destroy the factories from which it is replenished. U. S. headquarters did not immediately name the targets of this 11th operation in March by the heavies. Hannover is 150 miles west of Berlin.

British Mosquitos attacked Dueseldorf on the Rhine, without loss during the night. The Germans struck London heavily with thousands of fire and explosive bombs which caused extensive damage and cost the raiders nine planes. Thunderbolt fighters shot up German installations on the French invasion coast by daylight yesterday.

Several German divisions were trapped and being ground to bits in a new Russian encirclement north-east of the tottering Black sea port of Nikolaev. Moscow declared already, 10,000 Germans have died and 4,000 have surrendered in the pocket. The Soviets advanced within 21 miles east of Nikolaev and closed the port with artillery commanding the See HEAVIES Page 8

State Labor Office Investigation Opens

AUSTIN, March 15—(AP)—The legislative audit committee went into executive session here today to consider a preliminary auditor's report on the state labor department.

Labor Commissioner John Reed was called as a witness.

The labor department was the second to come under scrutiny of the committee created by a statute passed by the 48th legislature. Several weeks ago the committee, after an informal hearing, recommended that State School Superintendent L. Wood remove two employees.

Woods defied the committee, defended the two employees, and announced he had no intention of following the audit committee's recommendation.

Under the statute, when such deadlock results, the committee has recourse only to making recommendations to be presented at the next session of the legislature.

The committee voted unanimously today to put witnesses under oath, to exclude the press, but to make public its findings, if any.

Present were Lieut. Gov. John Lee Smith, chairman; Rep. M. A. Bundy of Wichita Falls, chairman of the house appropriations committee; and Ed Wiley, a Houston, chairman of the revenue and taxation committee; and Sen. R. C. Lanning of Jacksboro, chairman of the senate finance committee.

American Task Force Fails To Stir up Enemy

(By The Associated Press) A daring sweep of South Pacific Rear failed to stir up a single Japanese ship or combatant plane, an American cruiser-destroyer task force reported today, but Allied fliers found good hunting at New Guinea, where they bagged possibly 60 enemy planes during a three-day 500-ton assault.

The task force ventured unchallenged the farthest west in Japan's South Pacific island empire of any American naval unit in the war. Failure to find a single Japanese ship or to draw the attack of a single Japanese plane caused Rear Adm. Aron S. Merrill, task force commander, to comment:

"It demonstrated our naval as well as air superiority over a large section of the South Pacific. It also looks like the Japs have abandoned their forces in the South Pacific and left them to subsist on victory gardens."

From Gen. Douglas MacArthur's headquarters came the tabulation of 65 enemy planes "shot out of action" during the three-day smash at Wewak. Japan's main air and supply base in northern New Guinea. The last reported of three destroyers occurred Monday when 210 tons of explosives rained down on Wewak's four airdromes and supply areas. Two American planes failed to return.

Suicidal lunges against Americans on Bougainville by trapped Japanese continued, but latest reports indicated the high point in the assault came Saturday when since then all Japanese have been repulsed and all lines held firmly.

Marines fighting on New Britain, Wilaumez peninsula, had a small detachment to land on the coast to the west and pinch off Japanese stragglers from the Talauea battlefield. And Sixth Army troops rolled up their big guns to blast Manus Island, largest in the See AMERICANS Page 8

State Counties Must Send Out Ballots

AUSTIN, March 15—(AP)—Texas service men who have applied to the secretary of state for an absentee ballot in the 1944 primary will be sent a ballot including only the names of candidates for the national house of representatives.

Secretary of State Sidney Latham, replying to a war department questionnaire, said that a state absentee ballot can not be sent by his office, because state law provides that this is the duty of the county clerk of the county of residence of the voter. No senator is up for re-election.

Should the applicant fail to indicate his party affiliation, the Democratic ballot would go to him anyway since the party is the only one holding a primary in Texas this year.

The questionnaire and replies were based on the assumption that public law 712, which applied to the service men during the last general election, would again hold.

Thomason to Be Buried Saturday

AUSTIN, March 15—(AP)—Military funeral rites will be held in Huntsville Saturday afternoon for Col. John William Thomason, Jr., Marine corps officer and Texas writer who died in San Diego, Calif., after a brief illness.

Burial will be in Huntsville in the same cemetery in which Gen. Sam Houston is buried.

Lt. Col. Paul Wakefield of the state selective service staff will represent Gov. Coke E. Stevenson at funeral services. The state capitol flag will fly at half staff.

Have new handles put in garden tools and shovels now. Lewis Hardware.—Adv.

Allied Attack Greatest In All History

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, Naples, March 15—(AP)—Allied air power devastated Cassino today with history's greatest concentrated bombing attack, and Allied ground forces immediately charged in to drive the Germans from the rubble of the fortress town.

More than 1,400 tons of bombs were hurled on a target area of less than a square mile by every type of Allied plane in an armada of 3,000 sorties.

Its goal was destruction of this stronghold where the Germans have been blocking the main Fifth Army advance since early January.

British and American artillery smashed out in a heavy barrage after the morning-long bombing stopped.

Cassino, on a main highway to that capital, and some 60 miles east of the Anzio invasion beachhead.

Lt. Gen. Ira C. Eaker threw every plane of his Mediterranean Allied air forces into a gigantic blow to smash the German grip on this town once and for all. They started in shortly after daylight and continued pounding the town until noon.

Then the artillery opened its fearful barrage and the waiting infantry was flung into battle.

Allied troops who had been holding out about one-third of the city were withdrawn quietly during the night to give the bombers a free hand.

First reconnaissance photographs developed after the attack showed that Cassino was leveled.

The tremendous attack had one objective—to destroy every building in Cassino and pulverize the ancient stone houses concealing countless guns blocking the Fifth Army advance—and to kill every German in the place.

The rumble of the bombing shook windows and houses in Naples, 50 airline miles away.

Never before has such a weight of high explosive bombs been poured on so small an area in so short a time. In intensity the raid equaled any ever inflicted on Germany.

The first waves started at dawn then returned and reloaded to smash the same target a short time later. A continuous stream of "bombing operation unsurpassed."

Timed to split-second perfection the relays of bombers went over at intervals of only 15 minutes throughout the morning.

An army announcement said: "The large scale air effort against Cassino on the morning of March 15 was part of a coordinated plan with the land forces."

"Immediately after cessation of the bombing at mid-day, British and American artillery of the Fifth Army took up the pounding of the enemy's positions in and around Cassino and our infantry pressed forward, extending maximum pressure on the enemy."

The planes rained from single-seater fighters to great Flying Fortress and Liberators.

Londoners, who they showered on Cassino since destruction as the world probably never has seen before.

This operation against Cassino was but one phase of an all-out offensive that continued into the afternoon with increasing fury.

Approximately the same weight of bombs was rained on towns, bridges and communications center to the See BOMBS Page 8

Colonel Kearby Lost in Action

DALLAS, March 15—(AP)—Col. Neal E. Kearby of San Antonio, ordered to lead the Southwest Pacific with at least 21 Jap planes to his credit, is missing in action.

His father, Dr. J. G. Kearby of Dallas, said the war department advised the flier's wife at San Antonio that Col. Kearby has been unreported since March 5.

Stationed at the Fifth Air Force in the Southwest Pacific, Col. Kearby by last Jan. 22 received from Gen. Douglas MacArthur personally the Congressional Medal of Honor for shooting down six enemy planes in one day. He also was holder of the Distinguished Flying Cross, the Silver Star, the Air Medal and several Oak Leaf clusters.

He entered the army air forces after graduating from the University of Texas in January, 1937, and received his wings at Kelly Field, on Feb. 16, 1938. He has been on overseas duty since May, 1943.

A native of Wichita Falls, Col. Kearby spent his childhood in Minnott, Okla., and attended high school at Arlington and attended North Texas Agricultural College there.

His wife and three sons live in San Antonio.

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French Resistance Leaders Nabbed?

LONDON, March 15—(AP)—Philippe Henriot, Vichy government propaganda minister, today reported that French secret police had bagged "the entire general staff of the French resistance army."

Henriot announced the arrest in a Vichy radio broadcast.

"We are now in possession of a vital list containing the names of all leaders of the resistance inside France," Henriot said. "A courier who was just leaving for London was also arrested."

Change in Price Controls Urged

WASHINGTON, March 15—(AP)—Far-reaching changes in the price control and stabilization act are being sought by a large group of house members, including both Democrats and Republicans.

The latest was submitted yesterday by Rep. Kieberg (D-Texas), designed to end a "host" of "snooper" laws to set up a new method of determining the base price for commodities and setting up a board, named by the president and approved by the senate, to fix price ceilings.

Nazi Offensive In Bosnia Smashed

LONDON, March 15—(AP)—Yugoslav Partisan forces have smashed an attempted German offensive in Bosnia, Marshal Tito's headquarters announced today after a seven-day battle.

The invaders withdrew northward in the direction of Bosanski Novi, leaving behind 597 dead and many wounded.

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Five One Garage, 600 S. Chuyler, Ph. 51.—Adv.

DETAIL FOR TODAY: G.I. Brats



G I BRATS are officers' children. In a large post they usually live with their parents in or near the camp. They get much they don't know about the Army and they can generally give the non-coms a few pointers—which is not rebuffed by the non-coms. G I BRATS are especially adept at bright sayings, such as, "Daddy, when are you going to be a Captain?" when the Commanding Officer is visiting. They are raised in an Army atmosphere and it is a pretty good bet that the boys will don uniforms when they reach the proper age.

Mineral Rights To O'Connor Oil Field Debated

AUSTIN, March 15—(P)—Mineral rights to more than 20,000 acres of land in the Tom O'Connor oil field in Refugio county—with 80 production wells have yielded more than \$7,000,000 worth of oil—one at stake in litigation before the El Paso civil appeals court.

Appealed from a Refugio county district court, the case was transferred from San Antonio to El Paso on an equalization of dockets among civil appeals courts.

Attorney General Grover Sellers and Assistant George W. Barcus and Pagan Dickson are in El Paso to represent the state, an intervenor in suits brought in 1941 by Robert G. Harris and Thomas J. Devine of San Antonio and E. H. Hornburg of Refugio each of whom sought portions totaling 4,759.

They claimed the land was vacant and unreserved. The state intervened and sought recovery of 20,201, including the tracts sought by the three individuals.

All of the land claimed by the state and individuals is on the O'Connor ranch.

Principal defendants besides O'Connor are Humble Oil and Refining Co., Quintana Petroleum Co., L. A. Nordan and the children of Thomas O'Connor Sr., all of whom own a mineral interest in the tract.

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Hull Noncommittal On Badoglio Issue

WASHINGTON, March 15—(P)—Secretary of State Hull says Moscow's decision to exchange ambassadors with the Badoglio government in Italy is one of the kind of things that probably will be occurring everywhere in Europe as the war goes on.

The secretary would not explain what he meant.

He told a news conference that he had some information on the subject but did not care to go into it at this time. A reporter asked whether the United States also would exchange ambassadors with Premier Pietro Badoglio's regime. Hull replied that the government hadn't come to that question yet.

Diplomatic officials generally appeared somewhat puzzled by Russia's action in jumping ahead of the United States and Britain in the matter when the latter two nations have played the dominant roles in fashioning Italian policy.

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Curtin Won't Ask U. S. to Cut Pay

CANBERRA, Australia, March 15—(P)—Prime Minister John Curtin has refused a parliament member's request to ask the U. S. government to reduce the pay of American soldiers in Australia to the Australian soldiers' level.

"It is not a matter which properly falls within the Australian government's jurisdiction," he said. "I do not think the U. S. government would welcome such a recommendation."

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Women Constituted 25 Percent of Employees in Manufacturing Industries in 1939

WASHINGTON, March 15—(P)—A report issued by the Bureau of Economic Warfare shows that 25 percent of the employees in manufacturing industries in 1939 were women.

The report, issued by the Bureau of Economic Warfare, shows that the percentage of women in manufacturing industries has increased steadily since 1929, when they constituted only 15 percent of the total workforce.

The report also indicates that the percentage of women in the service industries has increased from 35 percent in 1929 to 45 percent in 1939.

Overall, the report shows that the percentage of women in the total workforce has increased from 20 percent in 1929 to 30 percent in 1939.

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'Color-Harmony' Music Presented For First Time



By EDWARD F. CREAGH
PHILADELPHIA, March 15—(P)—A new kind of music—"color-harmony"—was acclaimed today, following its first public performance, as possibly the greatest departure from musical tradition since Stravinsky's "Rite of Spring" touched off a riot in Paris 31 years ago.

But unlike the Paris premiere which was marked by fistcuffs between people who liked the new music and others who didn't, Monday night's debut ended in ringing applause for Louis Gesensway, the 38-year-old Canadian-born composer who says he developed "color-harmony" because conventional music "lied me into emotional knots."

The violinist explained to an academy of music audience that his new system is based on the theory that every note in the diatonic (do-re-mi-fa) scale has five "shades"—middle C, for instance, is used interchangeably with C sharp and C double sharp as well as C flat and C double flat.

There are eight notes in the diatonic scale. Multiplying each by five gives Gesensway—who laughingly admits he's better at composing music than at explaining it—the "40-tone scale" on which "color-harmony" is based. The "shades" are where the "color" comes in. "Color" in the sense of red or blue has nothing to do with it.

Played by a piano, two violins, a flute, an English horn and a cello the music alternated between the shimmering loveliness of a Debussy and the crashing dissonance of the "Masters"—but the critics held it to be pure Gesensway and the conductor's Edwin H. Schloss added that the composer "actually creates a new musical syntax."

Gesensway plays first violin in the Philadelphia orchestra. His colleagues attended the performance almost to a man. "Solid," they said.

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\$768,000,000 Is Sought for Road Work in Texas

AUSTIN, March 15—(P)—An examination of the Texas road system reveals that \$768,229,777 could be spent properly and logically in the immediate postwar period, state Highway Engineer Dewitt C. Green said in a statement prepared for presentation Monday to national house and senate committees.

Proposed national legislation would allot Texas \$81,000,000 in federal funds annually for the first three years after peace.

Greer told the house committee on roads and the senate committee on post offices and post roads that the estimate of Texas needs is a staggering sum but actually represents the actual needs at the present time.

"I can readily be seen that although the provisions of this bill (proposed federal legislation) would make great strides in the accomplishment of our objective, it would not satisfy the complete road needs of the state," the engineer asserted.

He pledged economical expenditure for permanent improvements from any federal appropriation for road building.

Greer gave this report of conditions and estimate of needs:

The indicated interregional road system proposed by the federal government includes 2,725 miles in Texas of which not a mile is constructed to proper standard of design. Not more than half is considered reasonably adequate in design. The cost of interregional construction in Texas would be \$211,500,000.

The regular federal aid system in Texas has been necessarily neglected because of war restrictions and \$208,706,777 is needed to make it accommodate its traffic.

To provide for actual needs on the federal aid secondary system and the state built system would cost \$88,023,000.

Proper development of farm-to-market roads in Texas needs \$190,000,000.

Against the need for \$768,229,777 Texas has \$25,000,000 invested in short term War Bonds for quick postwar conversion and plans and specifications have been developed for approximately \$26,000,000 worth of work.

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10,200 Civilians Leave Beachhead

WITH THE FIFTH ARMY BEACHHEAD FORCES, Italy, Mar. 15—(P)—A total of 10,200 Italian civilians have been withdrawn from the Anzio beachhead, ending the evacuation problem, Maj. Ridgway B. Knight has announced.

The senior civil affairs officer of the Allied military government in Italy said the remaining civilians are largely property owners or workers for the Allied forces.

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Toney Ridge Calf Carson's Champion

Special To The NEWS
WHITE DEER, March 15—(P)—Buster Gibbs of Toney Ridge won the \$25 war bond offered for the champion calf shown in the Carson County Fat Stock show held here recently by the P. F. A. and the 4-H boys of the county.

A total of \$116 was awarded as premiums at the show, which was under the direction of Walter Thompson, instructor in vocational agriculture in the local schools. Mike Britten of Groom was superintendent, and T. L. Leach of Texas Tech, judge.

Winners in Class 1, lightweight calves, were Estene Ketchum, first and fourth; Leonard Husted, second; Jackie Grimes, third, and John Boyd, fifth.

In Class 2, heavyweight calves, Buster Gibbs won first; Kenneth Sterling, second and third; E. Ketchum, fourth, and R. Homen, fifth.

K. Sterling and E. Ketchum placed first and second in Class 4, pair of calves.

Royce McLaury of Toney Ridge took the prize for the champion pig shown and also won first in Class 6, lightweight pigs. K. Sterling won second in Class 8; Glenn Hess, third; Leroy Thornburg, fourth; Dean Lassiter, fifth, and Bill Burns, sixth.

In Class 7, heavyweight pigs, prize winners were K. Sterling, first, second, third and sixth; R. G. Burrell, fourth, and Bill Burns, fifth.

Sterling again took top honors in Class 9, pen of pigs, with Oscar Lee Williams, second, and Leroy Thornburg, third.

R. J. Murray won all six prizes for Class 11, fat lambs.

Marine Takes Care Of Talking Jap

CAPE GLOUCESTER, New Britain—(Delayed)—(P)—"I'm shot," screamed a Jap in English, on being winged by Marines on patrol. "Shot, hell, you're dead!" yelled back Marine Sgt. Phillip D. Mattola of Brooklyn, N. Y., sending home a burst with his Tommy gun on patrol.

And it was a fact, too, adds T. Sgt. Hans R. Johansen, a Marine corps combat correspondent, who witnessed the incident.

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Chuan Named Manager Mexico City

MEXICO CITY, March 15—(P)—Martin Dihigo, of Cuba, will manage the Nuevo Laredo club of the Mexican Baseball league, Jorge Pastuel, league president, said last night.

Two former major league men from the United States, Marty McManus and Frank Snyder, had been negotiating for the post.

Communications, Oil Policies To Be Investigated

WASHINGTON, March 15—(P)—Congress, some of its members fearful of international commitments by the administration, moved forward today with twin efforts to exercise control over United States policy in communications and petroleum.

The senate interstate commerce committee sought \$5,000 for an inquiry to determine how the government shall dispose of communications systems erected around the world by the army and navy.

At the same time, an 11-member senate committee to investigate petroleum resources and chart a future oil policy was being organized for a \$25,000 inquiry.

Interior Secretary Ickes' plans for a 1,250-mile pipeline to transport oil from the Persian gulf area to the Mediterranean will come under this committee's scrutiny.

Some of the eight members already named said Senator Connally (D-Texas) probably would be named chairman as soon as Vice President Wallace chooses the three additional members.

Chairman Wheeler (D-Mont) of the interstate commerce committee proposing a study of international communications, said it "is imperative for congress to determine now the course it is going to follow after the war with the communications system it has erected all over the world."

He said the committee would determine among other things, whether either a private or government international communications monopoly should be permitted.

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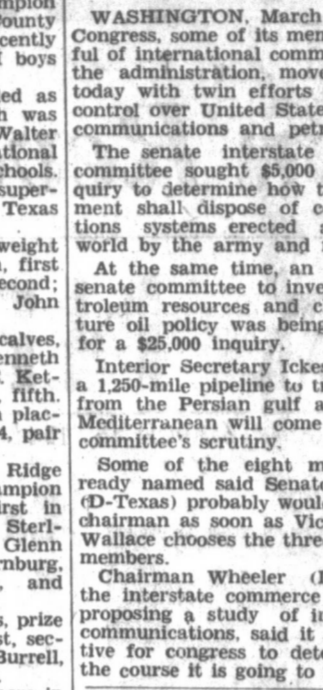
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Poletti Laughs At Assault Reports

NAPLES, March 15—(P)—Lt. Col. Charles Poletti, former governor of New York, laughed when informed of a report published in New York that four attempts had been made on his life in Italy.

"The report is absolutely false," he said.

Col. Poletti is with the Allied military government commission in Naples.

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Market Briefs

WALL STREET
NEW YORK, March 14.—(AP)—Customers today cashed some of their profits on the recent stock market bulge and, while there were scattered spots of resistance, leaders retreated fractions to a point or more.

Prices began to slip after a relatively steady opening. Dealings, fast in the morning, tapered slightly at intervals in the final three hours although transfers for the full proceedings ran to around 1,000,000 shares. While near-closing declines were widespread, a handful of new 1944 highs was in evidence.

Behind most of the time were U. S. Steel, Chrysler, General Motors, Santa Fe, Goodrich, International Harvester, Southern Pacific, Southern Railway, Westinghouse, Du Pont, Schenley, Hiram Walker, Allied Chemical and United Aircraft. Peaks for 1944 were recorded for United Rail and North American among others. Ahead now and then were Texas Co., Consolidated Edison, Woolworth and Am. Airlines. 1 1/2

Am T & T	26 1/2	107 1/2	107 1/2	107 1/2
Am Woolen	27 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
Amazons	24 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2
A T & SF	38 1/2	66 1/2	66 1/2	66 1/2
Aviat Corp	21 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2
Beth Steel	18 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2
Chrysler	20 1/2	85 1/2	85 1/2	85 1/2
Cont Mot	19 1/2	81 1/2	81 1/2	81 1/2
Cont Oil Del	19 1/2	81 1/2	81 1/2	81 1/2
Frederic Wright	3 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2
Gen El	53 1/2	85 1/2	85 1/2	85 1/2
Gen C & M A	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2
Gen Mot	62 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2
Goodrich	19 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2
Gulf Oil	9 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
Houston Oil	29 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2
Int Harv	9 1/2	73 1/2	73 1/2	73 1/2
Lockheed	29 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
No Am Aviat	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2
Monte Ward	9 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
Packard	29 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
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Pas Am Airw	12 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Penhandle P & R	4 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2
Penney	6 1/2	98 1/2	98 1/2	98 1/2
Pitt Oil	11 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
Phillips Pet	11 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
Pure Oil	102 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Repub Steel	48 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Sears	67 1/2	89 1/2	89 1/2	89 1/2
Shinlar	41 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
Sperry Vac	67 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Son Pac	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
S O Cal	66 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2
S O Ind	16 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2
W U Tel A	19 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
Wey Co	18 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2
Tex Gulf Prod	10 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Tex Gulf Salt	6 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2
Tex Pac C & O	29 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Tide Wat A Oil	13 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
U S Rubber	25 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2
U S Steel	82 1/2	53 1/2	53 1/2	53 1/2
W U Tel A	19 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
West El & MFG	4 1/2	98 1/2	98 1/2	98 1/2
Wilson	34 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2
Woolworth	10 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2

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factor appeared to be lack of interest on the part of traders.

Chasing at or near the day's low points, wheat finished 1/2 cent lower than the previous close, May \$1.71 1/2, July \$1.68 1/2, and September \$1.65 1/2. Corn, on the other hand, showed losses of 1/2 to 1 cent, May \$1.28 1/2, oats were off 1/2 cent, May \$1.14, and barley was 1/2 cent lower, May \$1.25 1/2.

CHICAGO GRAIN TABLE

May	1.71 1/2	1.71 1/2	1.71 1/2	1.71 1/2
July	1.68 1/2	1.67 1/2	1.67 1/2	1.67 1/2
Sept	1.66	1.65 1/2	1.65 1/2	1.65 1/2
Dec	1.66	1.66	1.65 1/2	1.65 1/2

FORT WORTH LIVESTOCK

1,400; calves 500; generally steady; medium and good fed steers and yearlings 12.90-14.50; beef cows mostly 8.50-10.50 with one truck lot at 11.00 and sold head to 12.00; good and choice fat calves mostly 13.00-14.00; most medium and good stocker calves and yearlings brought 11.00-13.50 with a few best yearlings to 13.75 and a few choice calves to 14.00. Stocker cows went back to the grass at 9.50 down.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK

—Hogs: 5,500; mostly steady; good and choice 200-300 lbs 13.80-90; few 13.95; 170-190 lbs 13.80-90; sows 13.00-15; 12.25.

Cattle 6,200; calves 50; largely steady market on all classes; bulk beef steers and choice good and choice grade 13.25-14.40; several loads choice 15.75-90; most good and choice heifers and mixed yearlings 13.75-15.00; one lot mixed 15.75; cows very scarce; most common and medium 11.00-75; stocker sizes mostly 8.00-8.50.

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8:30—Sveva Nisner Club.
4:45—Superman, MBS.
5:00—One Minute of Prayer.
5:01—Griffin Reporting, MBS.
5:15—Theatre Page.
5:20—Trading Post.
5:25—Interlude.
5:30—The World's Front Page, MBS.
5:45—10-2-4 Ranch.
6:00—News, Fulton Lewis Jr., MBS.
6:15—The Johnson Family, MBS.
6:30—Famous Army Air Field Band.
7:00—Goodnight.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT ON THE NETWORKS

7:00—Mr. and Mrs. North, NBC.
7:00—Sunny Kaye, CBS.
7:30—Watch the World Go By, NBC.
7:30—Beat the Band, NBC.
7:30—Battle of Bezes, Blue.
7:30—Dr. Christian, CBS.
8:00—Time to Smile, NBC.
8:00—Dinnering, Blue.
8:00—The Mayor of the Town, CBS.
8:30—Spotlight Bands, Blue.
8:30—Rock Caron Show, CBS.
9:00—Ray Kroyer Show, NBC.
9:00—Great Moments, CBS.
9:15—Listen to Lulu, Blue.
9:30—Crests Blues Carnival, CBS.
9:30—Raymond House, Blue.
10:00—Roy Porter, News, Blue.
10:00—1 Love a Mystery, CBS.
10:15—Lam and Abner.
10:20—Author's Playhouse, NBC.
11:00—Oliver's Orch, Blue.
11:00—Ray March's Music, NBC.

THURSDAY ON KPDN

7:30—Behind the News, Tex DeWesse.
8:00—Donkeys in Action.
8:10—Charmal's Music, CBS.
8:30—Early Morning Preview.
9:00—Memento of Devotion.
9:15—Lam and Abner.
9:30—Leta Dance.
9:45—Trading Post.
9:50—Organ Recital.
10:00—Mr. Good.
10:15—Jerry Sears Presents.
10:30—Central Baptist Church.
10:45—Tessury Star Parade.
11:00—Burger Hour.
11:15—Lam and Abner.
11:30—News with Tex DeWesse.
11:45—White School of the Air.
12:00—Ray Daily News, MBS.
12:15—Babe Rhodes Orch, MBS.
12:30—Leta Be Charming, MBS.
1:00—News, Cedric Foster.
1:15—La Conna, MBS.
1:30—Mutual Goes Calling.
2:00—Little Show.
2:15—Echoes of the Gay Nineties.
2:30—All Star Dance Parade.
2:45—Casa Loma Time.
2:50—Victory Marches.
3:15—Invitation to Romance.
3:30—Save A Nickel Club.
3:45—Superman, MBS.
4:00—One Minute of Prayer.
4:01—Griffin Reporting, MBS.
4:15—Theatre Page.
4:20—Trading Post.
4:25—Interlude.
4:30—The World's Front Page, MBS.
4:45—To Be Announced.
4:50—Fulton Lewis Jr., with the News.
5:15—Johnson Family MBS.
6:30—Francis Ave. Church of Christ.
6:45—Lani McIntire Orch.
7:00—Goodnight.

BUY BONDS

ELECTION ORDER
ORDINANCE NO. 236
STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF GRAY
CITY OF PAMPA

WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of Pampa, Texas, deems it advisable to submit to the qualified voters in said City, two amendments to the Special Charter for the City of Pampa, Texas, adopted by a vote of the people on November 8, 1927, as hereinafter mentioned;

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF PAMPA, TEXAS, that an election be held on the 4th day of April, 1944, at such election the following propositions shall be submitted:

"Shall Section 7 of Article 7 of the Special Charter of the City of Pampa, Texas, adopted by a vote of the people on November 8, 1927, be amended so that hereafter the said Section will read as follows, to-wit:

"SECTION 7. The regular municipal election of the City of Pampa shall be held on the first Tuesday in April in each year, commencing with the year 1944."

"Shall Section 2 of Article 7 of said Charter be amended so that hereafter the said Section will read as follows, to-wit:

"TERM OF OFFICE: The Mayor and each Commissioner, except for the terms hereinafter provided for, shall serve for a term of three (3) years and until his successor is elected and qualified, unless sooner removed from office as herein provided. At the regular municipal election of the City of Pampa, to be held on the first Tuesday in April in the year 1944, the Mayor shall be elected and shall serve for a term of one (1) year, Commissioner No. 1 shall be elected and shall serve for a term of two (2) years and Commissioner No. 2 shall be elected and shall serve for a term of three (3) years, and until their successors are elected and qualified, unless sooner removed from office as herein provided. At the regular municipal election of the City of Pampa, Texas, and Dan E. Williams is hereby appointed manager of said election.

Said election shall be held under the provisions of the Special Charter of the City of Pampa, Texas, adopted on the 8th day of November, 1927, and the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, and only qualified voters shall be allowed to vote.

All voters shall vote on each of the said amendments separately, and the ballot for said election shall be prepared in such manner that the voter may vote "yes" or "no" on said amendments separately.

The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the laws of the State of Texas regulating general elections, and the Special Charter of the City of Pampa, Texas.

A copy of this ordinance, signed by the Mayor of the City of Pampa and attested by the City Secretary of said City, shall be published in the Pampa Daily News, a newspaper published in the City of Pampa, Texas.

The City Secretary is hereby authorized and directed to mail a copy of each of said proposed amendments to every qualified voter in the City of Pampa, Texas, as appears from the Tax Collector's rolls for the year ending January 31 preceding said election.

The Mayor is authorized and directed to cause a copy of this ordinance, which shall serve as notice of said election, to be posted up at the City Hall and at three other public places in the City of Pampa, Texas, for at least thirty full days prior to the date of said election.

It appearing that said amendments, if to be adopted by the qualified voters of such city, should be adopted at the next regular municipal election of said city, which is also to be held on the 4th day of April, 1944, and that the required time for holding such election in compliance with the statutes of the State of Texas, in reference thereto, is limited so that the rules prescribing three separate readings of the ordinance cannot be complied with therefore an emergency is hereby declared and such rules are hereby suspended and this ordinance shall become of full force and effect on and after its passage and publication, as required by law.

Passed and approved this 29th day of February, 1944.
ATTEST: Mabel Davis, City Secretary.
Fred Thompson, Mayor.
15th and 22nd, March 44.

Unified Communications System Is Favored

WASHINGTON, March 15.—(AP)—Talk of government ownership of a unified American system of international communications is reported by FCC Chairman James L. Fly.

Some companies in this field now favor such a plan or some other "heavily weighted" with government ownership. Fly told the House committee which is investigating his agency.

He reiterated that he supports a unified system of international communications. The way it is now, he said, the government doesn't feel called upon to back up any single communications setup abroad. Put them all together, Fly declared, and the U. S. will have some weight in this field of foreign lands.

Congress, he added, is working toward the unified setup and he forecast that "in time" it will be authorized.

He emphasized he is not especially in favor of government ownership of such a system, notwithstanding his strong belief in nationalization.

The companies now in the field should be merged, or a new corporation superseding them in authority should be set up, he said.

Arabian Oil Pipeline To Be Debated on Air

NEW YORK, March 15.—(AP)—The controversy over the Arabian oil pipeline is expected to come in for debate when America's town meeting puts on its regular blue broadcast Thursday night.

The question is: "Should the U. S. government develop foreign oil resources?" On one side is Sec. Harold L. Ickes, who also is petroleum administrator for war, while on the other is Sen. E. H. Moore of Oklahoma Republican.

SCHOOL MAN REJECTED

AUSTIN, March 15.—(AP)—Dr. Russell A. Lewis was rejected superintendent of Austin schools for a three-year term by the board of education this week.

FARM PURCHASE APPROVED

AUSTIN, March 15.—(AP)—Texas A. and M. college directors may purchase farms near the college from unexpended balances in the pure seed fund, the attorney general's department said in an opinion sought by Dean E. J. Kyle.

Seven Estonian Cities Bombed

STOCKHOLM, March 15.—(AP)—Seven Estonian cities have been bombed by the Russians in the last 24 hours, the German-controlled Scandinavian telegraph bureau said today, naming them as Dorpat, Varu, Viljandi, Parnu, Paite, Rakvere and Tapa.

The bureau quoted the Helsinki newspaper Uusi Suomi as saying 350 persons were killed, 600 injured and 1,300 residents destroyed on the last bombing of Reval, Tallinn, Estonian capital.

Suspension of Girl

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ATTEST: Mabel Davis, City Secretary.
Fred Thompson, Mayor.
15th and 22nd, March 44.

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School Candidates

It is encouraging to see the name of W. D. Kelley on the candidates list for election to the Pampa Independent school district's board of trustees. Mr. Kelley has served well during his first term and taxpayers of the district ought to be happy that he is willing to sacrifice his time to further serve his community. The job is without salary.

M. J. Ward also has filed for the second of the two vacancies on the school board. Mr. Ward, a former school teacher with two children in the schools, should be a good addition to the board.

Insofar as we're concerned, and that seems to be the general opinion, there are now enough candidates to take care of the school board's needs and Mr. Kelley and Mr. Ward should be elected without opposition.

But, what about the city commissioner?

Deadline for filing is March 24 and there still are no candidates for the job of mayor and two city commissioners.

BUY BONDS

Tale of Two Cities
As aop, in his highly instructive and elevating fables, used to teach a moral on the end, for fear the reader would miss the point of the allegory. But we are skipping that appendage in setting down the following contrasting tale of tabular manners and transportation, because of a conviction that the moral is uncomfortably evident.

From an Army transport bound for England, S. J. Woolf recently wrote: "This transport is a mess. Yet when the loudspeakers announce 'Fall in for food,' there is more courtesy and good humor on the steep companionships leading to the mess hall than one is likely to find among boarders at home when they hear the dinner bell."

And Evelyn Peyton Gordon, who covers diplomatic society for the Washington Post, writes in this way in her report of the Soviet embassy's reception in honor of the Red Army's 26th anniversary: "Real Russian caviar again graced the lavish buffets. It's been there since there has been fine, gray caviar for the Washington masses. And I may comment that it is high time somebody teaches Washington society manners; caviar feeds it before starting to a party."

The seven-year locust plague could be no more detrimental to a handsome buffet than the hordes that made their way across the Soviet embassy yesterday. The locusts entered the party. People stood in rows; elbowing, pushing, almost fighting for a dab of sturgeon roe. And when they got it they forgot about a dab, and nibbled as copiously as a farmer would dish mashed potatoes. Oh, the way of Americans with a food they've heard is rare!

Back again to Mr. Woolf aboard the transport: "Three tiers of bunks fill all available space; cabins built to hold two are crowded with 12 or even more; decks and squares serve as recreation halls. . . . Yet, despite these cramped conditions, there has not been a fight or brawl on the entire trip."

From Miami, where the war-weary vacationists' motto seems to be "Better death than a daycoach," comes the story of a particularly frantic woman among the thousands of frantic tourists seeking the luscious homeland passage toward the end of February.

"I simply must have a reservation on the streamliner," she wailed. "My daughter is at the point of death in Philadelphia."

The reservation clerks, compassionate, though swamped with calls, finally found a cancellation. They called the woman back:

"You can have a berth on the train leaving tonight."

"Oh," the woman sounded not only calmer, but somewhat peevish. "But I didn't want to go till March fifth."

BUY BONDS

The Nation's Press
COLDS AS A CHALLENGE
(The New York Sun)
A strong note of caution characterizes the report recently made in the Lancet, British medical journal, of tests of patulin, a cousin, so to speak, of penicillin, as a remedy for the common cold. A summary of the Lancet article, in Nature, does not disclose the number of British naval personnel who submitted to tests conducted by Commander W. A. Hopkins. It is possible that the limited extent of the tests dictated part of the caution. Part of it flows from the actual results. Of those with common colds who submitted to medication with patulin, 57 per cent recovered completely within forty-eight hours, whereas only 9 per cent of those who received no treatment recovered in the same period. A considerable number showed complete recovery within twenty-four hours after taking patulin as a spray or gargle in a weak solution. Five persons suffering with influenza received the same treatment with patulin, with no effect whatsoever on the course of the disease. In some cases severe sinus trouble followed the apparent cure of a cold.

Common Ground

By R. C. HOLMES
"I speak the language of the common man," says the man who will accept nothing which all cannot have their counterpart of on the same terms."
—WALTER WHITMAN.

Employers' Troubles
Few people realize the difficulties of operating a business under the present government control.

An illustration, one branch of the federal government, the wage and hour division, comes around and checks the employer's books to see if he is paying enough wages. If he is not paying enough, he is fined and subject to imprisonment.

Another branch of the government, the War Labor board and the Internal Revenue department, comes around in order to determine whether the employer has raised wages and is paying too much. If he has raised wages without the consent of some bureau, he is fined not only by allowing an increase in wages divided by the whole amount of wages the employer was getting before the raise disallowed and being obliged to pay taxes on the whole amount.

Besides this, in most cases the price of the commodity the employer has to sell is set. It seems that the government is planning to do with ordinary private businesses what it has done to the railroads.

If this process continues, it is only a question of time until private enterprise cannot compete with government-operated business which can operate at a loss and under which men dare not strike. Private business is forced by taxation to offset the loss of the government operation.

And then people wonder why employers have a hard time to find employees who are willing and able to stay in business and meet all these arbitrary bureaucratic controls. Well, we might be worried about unemployment after the war with the present policy restrictions and the employer being prevented by the government from using his judgment as to associating with capable men and as to rewarding them in proportion to their services.

Then if the employer should happen to be successful in complying with all the bureaucratic rules, he does not know what percentage of taxes the government will levy. He knows that the government will take his money, but if he wins the lottery part of it belongs to the government. Private enterprise cannot exist and grow under the present restriction.

The advantage of private enterprise is that it uses all the talents of all the people, and for this reason has always been able to reward the workers much higher than they can be rewarded when the government operates business. This is true because the government can use the talents of only fifty-one per cent of the people.

Who would have thought 10 or 15 years ago that the divine rights of the individual would have been so displaced by what we now regard as the divine rights of the majority? The divine right of the majority part of it is as absurd and just as tyrannical as the old idea of the divine right of kings.

It behooves every individual from his own self-interest to think over these matters and decide whether he wants to be a pawn of the state, as he is rapidly coming to be, or whether he wants to try to have the kind of a government set forth in the Declaration of Independence and the way of life as set forth by the Sermon on the Mount.

The tests is persuaded that further extended trials are necessary before definite claims can be made for patulin. The writer in Nature says that public interest in a cure for the common cold is so keen that caution in discussing possible cures is fully warranted. Any sufferer from a common cold knows from the advice of his friends how easily faith is established in a cure that is no cure.

BUY BONDS
DUES WANTED
(The Evening Star, Washington, D. C.)

The attempt by an AFL local union to make a check-off arrangement on prisoners of war working in New Jersey should occasion no particular surprise since this is the same union which demanded and received union dues when American soldiers were sent into South Jersey canneries to help save the 1943 tomato crop.

In this instance, however, there is a possibility that the union will not get the dues. Both union officials and the War department are agreed that dues payments should not come out of the 80-cent daily wage which is paid to war prisoners. The employer pays the difference between the 80 cents and the prevailing wage rate to the Treasury, but the War department is emphatic in insisting that the dues should be collected from the Treasury's portion.

That leaves the employer. If he wants to pay the prevailing wage rate for the prisoners and also pay the dues to the union he probably will get the laborer's wrath. But if he is not willing to pay the dues as well as the wages, the indications are that the union which has a closed-shop contract, will not permit the prisoners to work, and in that event the employer will have to get along as best he can.

In itself, of course, this incident is relatively unimportant, and the total of the dues involved is small. It is significant, however, of the extent to which some union officials will go in putting the interests of the union treasury ahead of any and all other considerations.

Around Hollywood

By ERSKINE JOHNSON
A thoroughly hep and sympathetic secretary, Elliot Paul said, is the most important item to a Hollywood writer.

"She must be young enough," he said, "to stand the gaff (for like aviators and professional athletes, secretaries begin to slow up after they are past 45) and she surely must have had 20 years hard and varied experience in the film industry in order to make up for what you cannot possibly know."

"The ideal age is between 40 and 42 but well-preserved," he said. Elliot Paul, eminent author of "The Last Time I Saw Paris," "The Life and Death of a Spanish Town" and other best sellers, agreed to give us his low-down on new film writers on one condition.

"None of it," he said, "must apply to myself; my agent, Donald Hyde, my producer, Hunt Slaughter, my assignment, 'Guest in the House,' or my secretary, Miss Josephine Woods. They," he said, "are all colossal."

We promised. "The last time we saw Elliot Paul he was fleeing Hollywood. That was three years ago. He had just wriggled himself out of a seven-year M-G-M contract after a year's unhappy bondage. He was tied up with Hollywood. He was going off somewhere to write another book."

Now he's returned to write the screen play of "Guest in the House" behind an office door on which, with a thumb tack, he has stuck up a penciled sign reading, "A Writer."

Paul is built along the lines of the gent who inspired the song, "Mr. Five by Five." His close friends refer to him as a gentle Henry the Eighth. And a very jolly gent he is, too.

Paul said he was very happy with his new assignment, that he was beginning to understand this place called Hollywood.

ABOUT AGENTS
"But about this guidebook for writers," he continued. Choosing an agent is the first step toward making good. If you have a general one who is not very busy, you can call him on the phone or lure him into a bar and chat with him when nobody else will talk to you."

Impressing your producer, Paul said, may not seem important at first glance, since you figure that either he will be impressed in advance or he would not have hired you for the assignment.

"But," he said, "one cannot allow count too much on this, since the busiest producers have the shortest memories and may have forgotten your name with that of Bret Harte or Balzac, so that when they find out who you really are, they are disappointed."

"The best kind of producer is a family man who is kind to animals, fond of sport (which takes him away on sunny afternoons) and likes to 'think aloud.' He will have so many ideas that you can snatch a few and offer them some time later as your own."

"Accepting assignments," Paul continued, "is a risky venture at best. If the story is good, you will win at what happens to it. If it is mediocre, everything will have to be changed. If it is the bunk, you will shudder when it gets by and your name is attached to it."

"If you have written long novels," suggests Paul, "go to the park in Beverly Hills and try to realize how beautiful the trees are, and repeat to yourself that for each ream of paper manufactured, a tree, which only God can make, must be chopped down. Scripts are judged first of all by weight and volume and if there are too many pages, none of them will be read."

As a matter of fact, said Paul, sadly, the chances are they won't be read anyway.

BUY BONDS
So They Say
Those who do not come immediately will be fetched by the Japanese soldiers and will be punished. This punishment will consist of (1) light punishment, viz., to be beaten half to death. (2) heavy punishment, viz., to be beheaded. —Jap labor order in the Netherlands Indies.

SIDE GLANCES



"I'll bet I have a swell season on the track this year, coach —my girl lives on the other side of town and it keeps me in great shape running over there and back every night!"

The National Whirligig
News Behind The News

By RAY TUCKER
DISCRIMINATION—Ninety-thousand dairymen in up-state New York have learned from experience why Federal price control, although a wartime necessity, will probably lose millions of votes for the same trials. Consumers, especially farmers, are especially resentful of the incident effected only a single product in a fairly limited area. It is not a local one. Producers all in the Southwest, feeders of cattle in the corn belt and coal operators in the anthracite and bituminous regions have undergone the same trials. Consumers, especially meat eaters, will eventually feel the effect in the form of scarcity of supplies. OPA's lopsided price structure has destroyed the incentive for maximum output.

The fact seems to be inescapable that, even with the best of intentions and personnel, the Office of Price Administration is doomed to make blunders for this or any other Administration.

New York's dairymen were allowed a subsidy in order to keep down the retail costs of milk in the large cities. These subsidies, which amount to a hundred-weight while others were paid forty cents.

The system was shot through with apparent discrimination. Farmers living outside Rochester or Buffalo, for instance, received the top amount, while their neighbors who lived in New York City hundreds of miles away were given only twenty-five cents. In many cases the differential applied to milkmen who lived across the road from one another.

PAYMENTS—The victims assumed at first that the difference in the amounts resulted from such economic factors as railroad rates and distribution charges at the point of delivery. But the practice provoked so much dissatisfaction that their organizations engaged accountants to study the matter.

Since most of the producers are Republicans anyway, it seemed obvious that politics did not lie behind the discrimination. It was only OPA's arbitrary rulings, and the lack of practical experts in this field.

The discoveries prompted Representative John Taber, Appropriations Committee watchdog from Auburn, N. Y., to assail the situation in a floor speech. When nothing happened, he visited Price Administrator Chester Bowles and said, "Do I have to make another speech to force you to make a change?"

He didn't. Next day Mr. Bowles issued new regulations designed to equalize the milk payments.

TAP—Representative Albert J. Engle's expose of juggling of funds in the construction of the Pentagon Building has goaded even Democratic leaders on Capitol Hill into demanding a closer check on Executive use of appropriations. Although this has been a subject of frequent stormy debates, previous movements of this kind have ended in nothing but sputtering on House and Senate floors.

A BAD WEATHER MAN
Chinn, the American-born Chinese pilot, is a veteran of 10 years of flying in the Orient for C.N.A.C.—during seven of which China has been at war with Japan. He has probably flown in more bad weather than any man alive. "We had to do it that way," he says "if we wanted to keep on flying and living. We just picked weather too tough for Japs to handle."

Exact number of planes on this run is of course a military secret, but the records achieved are explained by Chinn in this way:

MAYBE IT'S HERE: Leaves From The Editor's Notebook

The Red Cross campaign is lagging. This is true not only in Pampa, but in cities almost everywhere.

What is the explanation? All the blame can't be charged to the recent war bond drive and the income tax collection. These demands didn't sop up all the available cash. People still seem to have ample spending money.

And it's not because people have any fault to find with the Red Cross. There is almost unanimous praise for the splendid war work of the organization. Then why the meager giving?

Perhaps people do not realize that it's meager and that the standards of giving must grow along with the need. For instance, Pampa's \$29,000 quota is six to seven times that of pre-war years. Perhaps too many of us are like the parishioner in the story told by a clergyman.

One regular churchgoer grasped at the minister's hand, declaring: "Reverend, that was a wonderful sermon you preached this morning. I wouldn't have missed it for \$10." "That suppose you pay me the difference between \$10 and what you dropped in the collection plate," said the minister.

Being a good sport, the parishioner handed over \$9.75.

Allied victory is being aided greatly by the little-known British-American patent pool, under which manufacturers on each side of the water have free access to every talent and invention on both sides. Thus the full capacity of both nations' productive capacity can work with the full measure of both nations' inventive genius.

Aircraft, radio and ordnance have benefited particularly from the arrangement, the Army and Navy say. Some of the devices thus made available are fairly well known, while others are still on the intently secret list.

After the war there will have to be a general unscrambling that will pose many problems. But for now, it is good to know how completely the two English-speaking nations can co-operate to beat the Nazis and the Japs.

BUY BONDS
There were so many planes up there that we were choosy about which ones we shot down. —Capt. Don Gentile after Berlin air attack.

War Today

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
Associated Press War Analyst

Hitler's great army of the Ukraine, estimated at between 400,000 and 500,000 men, is in the clutches of fast-reaching disaster.

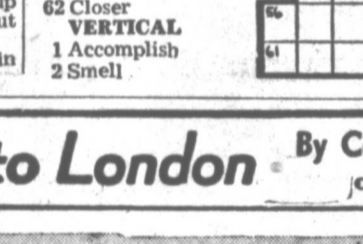
The battle now raging in the liquid mud of Russia's early spring is bringing the end of the European war appreciably nearer.

The Russians indicate they've killed or captured close to 100,000 Nazis in the last 10 days in this region, and have taken vast booty. If there's any silver lining to the fuhrer's cloud, it's badly tarnished. He has been banking on the fact that his water-boy, Marshal von Manstein, had created strong defenses along the Bug river which is the only natural defense in the German line of retreat. This empties into the Black sea at Nikolayev, near the strategic port of Kherchuk, which Red forces captured Monday and brought 29 salves from 224 guns in Moscow.

Von Manstein had intended to make a stand on the Bug in case of emergency. That's the meaning of the fierce battle now in progress at Tarnopol in pre-war Poland, at the end of what is now the marshal's left flank. The Germans are hanging to Tarnopol for dear life.

ACTOR
HORIZONTAL
3 Novel
1,6 Pictured movie actor
11 Lyric poem
12 Either
13 Arcades
14 Be in debt
16 Annually
18 Boat paddle
20 Mine
21 Feasted
22 Ampere
25 Rhode Island (abbr.)
26 On account (abbr.)
27 Prepares for publication
31 He is a star of many
34 Pigeon's cry
35 Exist
36 Expand
38 Transactions
41 Three-toed sloth
42 Indian army (abbr.)
43 Affirmative
45 Female sheep
48 Near
50 Encountered
51 Instructs
54 Mink
56 Twos (symbol)
57 Iridium (symbol)
59 Part of circle
61 Awakened
62 Closer

VERTICAL
1 Accomplish
2 Smell



Lightnings to London By Capt. Bernard W. Crandell
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B-17 Flying Fortress were to lead the way across the Atlantic to England via Labrador, Greenland and Iceland.

Shipping losses were up in March, 1942, and P-38 fighter planes were not getting to England in sufficient quantity. It was decided to fly them across the Atlantic via Labrador, Greenland and Iceland—a daring and novel project. Bombers had been flown over but never fighters. This is the story of how it was done.

TROUBLE OVER DAVIS STRAIT
LIEUTENANT TEAGUE'S bad weather experience with his B-17 over Greenland could only be accepted as an augury of things to come. What had been tough for the big Fortress would be tougher for the comparatively small fighters. Nevertheless, the first group of 80 P-38's was lined up and ready to go, awaiting flight to the other side.

On June 26, 10 B-17's of a Bombardment Group, under the command of Colonel Crouland, started out from Labrador with full loads and crews.

Couland's flight was 400 miles out over the Davis Strait when it hit thick weather; the cold, gray fog swallowed the bombers in a shroud that swallowed all visual contact between them. By this time Greenland had intercepted an incomplete plane-ground report that notified them planes were approaching from the west. Weather at this base was becoming progressively worse, and accordingly instructions were sent at once to the bombers to return to Labrador.

After milling around for a while, waiting for the weather to break, four of the bombers informed the base that they lacked the gas to return to Labrador. Three of them changed course and turned northward through the murk, each one for itself. The fourth kept circling over the southern tip of Greenland, searching in vain for a landing spot.

to prevent that flank from being completely turned. Watch Tarnopol! The Bug now is reported in spring flood and would make a formidable defense for the Nazis if Von Manstein could hold it. But what he intended to do, and what he can do, may not add up to the same thing.



Answer to Previous Puzzle

MOOSE
1. A
2. S
3. E
4. A
5. S
6. T
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Lightnings to London By Capt. Bernard W. Crandell
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B-17 Flying Fortress were to lead the way across the Atlantic to England via Labrador, Greenland and Iceland.

Shipping losses were up in March, 1942, and P-38 fighter planes were not getting to England in sufficient quantity. It was decided to fly them across the Atlantic via Labrador, Greenland and Iceland—a daring and novel project. Bombers had been flown over but never fighters. This is the story of how it was done.

TROUBLE OVER DAVIS STRAIT
LIEUTENANT TEAGUE'S bad weather experience with his B-17 over Greenland could only be accepted as an augury of things to come. What had been tough for the big Fortress would be tougher for the comparatively small fighters. Nevertheless, the first group of 80 P-38's was lined up and ready to go, awaiting flight to the other side.

On June 26, 10 B-17's of a Bombardment Group, under the command of Colonel Crouland, started out from Labrador with full loads and crews.

Couland's flight was 400 miles out over the Davis Strait when it hit thick weather; the cold, gray fog swallowed the bombers in a shroud that swallowed all visual contact between them. By this time Greenland had intercepted an incomplete plane-ground report that notified them planes were approaching from the west. Weather at this base was becoming progressively worse, and accordingly instructions were sent at once to the bombers to return to Labrador.

After milling around for a while, waiting for the weather to break, four of the bombers informed the base that they lacked the gas to return to Labrador. Three of them changed course and turned northward through the murk, each one for itself. The fourth kept circling over the southern tip of Greenland, searching in vain for a landing spot.

Of the first three, one found its way through the midnight skies to

Presbyterians To Have Circle Meet

Circle four of Women's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian church will meet tomorrow in the West room of the church at 8 o'clock with Mrs. G. W. McMullen as hostess.

BUY BONDS

The province of Katanga, in the Belgian Congo, produces gold, platinum, diamonds, radium, iron, tin and copper.

Girls! Don't forego this help because of an old TABOO

For 62 years many girls have sought relief in CARDUI's 2-way help. Some take it as a tonic; it usually stimulates appetite, aids digestion by increasing flow of gastric juices; thus helps build energy and resistance for needed days.

Rev. J. H. Gentry Is Miami Speaker

Special to The NEWS. MIAMI, March 14.—Rev. J. H. Gentry, Baptist pastor, was a guest speaker for the W. S. O. S. at their regular meeting Wednesday afternoon in the Methodist parsonage with Mrs. W. D. Allen, hostess.

Plans were completed for the zone meeting which will be Wednesday March 15, with representatives from six Methodist church societies in the Amarillo District in attendance.

BUY BONDS

Read Pampa News Classified Ads.

DRIVE OUT BOWEL WORMS. Roundworms can cause real trouble inside you or your child. Watch for warning signs.

Lutherans Hold Lenten Services In Chapel Tonight

This evening at 8 o'clock the fourth in a series of seven special Midweek Lenten services will be conducted at the Duenkel-Carmichael chapel, 300 W. Browning.

The Rev. Henry C. Wolter, pastor of Zion Lutheran church, will again be the speaker. "The reason for discussing the topic 'Observations in Court' is to avail ourselves of a number of truths which become apparent to whomsoever sits in the spectator's gallery, as it were, and observes what took place at the trial of Jesus some 1900 years ago," says Rev. Wolter.

The Social Calendar

WEDNESDAY. Women's Council of First Baptist church will meet at 8 o'clock.

THURSDAY. La Rosa sorority will meet at 7:30. Winona class of the First Baptist church will meet at 2:30.

FRIDAY. Coteux H. D. club will meet at 7:30. W.V. Auxiliary will meet at 8 o'clock.

MONDAY. Rebekah Lodge will meet at 7:30. Winona class of the First Baptist church will meet at 2:30.

WEDNESDAY. W.M.S. of the First Baptist church will meet at 8 o'clock.

Tes Trams Club Members Make Plans For Dance

The Tes Trams club met at the home of Avis Kelley Monday evening when plans were discussed for the dance to be held this Friday night at the Country club.

Crochet Bag

By MRS. ANNE CABOT. Have you admired the smart cord bags your friends are carrying this spring? Well, you can crochet the handsomest bag in town for yourself!

Savage Discusses Child Psychology Phase at Meeting

Winston Savage, principal of Junior High school, spoke last week when the Horace Mann Parent-Teacher association met.

"If you can't get a child to agree without a commotion, then you are not disciplining that child," Savage said.

Baptist W.M.U. Circles Meet In Members' Homes

Members of W. M. U. circles of the First Baptist church met this week in members' homes for Bible study.

Circle one and six met in the home of Mrs. A. N. Thorne with Mrs. E. L. Anderson, president.

Circle four met with Mrs. Gordon Fillman when opening prayer was given by Mrs. D. A. Caldwell.

Circle five met with Mrs. T. B. Solomon with Mrs. G. T. Hackney leading in prayer.

Circle seven met in the home of Mrs. A. L. Pignore with Mrs. A. Z. Griffin giving opening prayer.

So Little Time Reviewed At Miami Child Study Club

MIAMI, March 15.—Mrs. W. F. Locke reviewed "So Little Time," by John T. Marquand, for the Child's Study club Friday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. C. Carmichael, hostess.

Special guests were Mesdames E. M. Ballinger, M. W. O'Loughlin, C. C. Wilson, H. E. Baird, J. E. Kinney, J. A. Mead, and 13 members.

Kit Kat Klub Holds Open-house For Rush Week

Kit Kat Klub's rush week opened Monday when open-house was held in the home of Peggy Covey.

Members attending were: Peggy Covey, Joyce Pratt, Betty Holt, Helen and Flora Alexander, Kathryn Homer, Shirley Sone, Beverly Candler, Patsy Miller, Jean and Coletta Chisholm, Wanda Jay, Jean Beagle, Martha Bisset, Doris Davis, Janice Wheatley, Bobbie Posey, Libby Sturgeon, Winnie Cox, Marilyn Keck, Dot Wilgus and the sponsors, Mrs. Raymond W. Campbell, Gloria Jay, Jean Pratt, Zita Kennedy, Helen Kiser, Doris Shackelford, Orna McCarty, Ramona Matheny, Frances Gilbert, Anita Lane, Dorothy Jean Lynn, Joan Hawkins, Martha Sue Sheeley, Betty Jeanne Reynolds, Marjorie Ann Roth, Elva Jan Anderson and Betty Davis.

Skellytown 4-H Club To Sponsor Garden Exhibit

Members of Skellytown 4-H club boys and girls met Monday in Skellytown school when club members voted to sponsor a garden exhibit in the downtown stores.

FAIR EXCHANGE

LIBERTYVILLE, Ill.—Arnold P. Benson, state senator, opposed by State Treasurer William G. Stratton in the primary election for secretary of state, halted a woman while campaigning here, offered his campaign literature and said, "I'd like your vote."

Snails can go without food for about four months by living on reserves in their tissues.

Quintuplets Use Musterole For Chest Colds!

Whenever the Dionne Quintuplets catch cold—their chests, throats and backs are immediately rubbed with Musterole—a product made especially to relieve coughing, sore throat and tight, aching chest muscles due to colds.

Through the Day at Work or Play... FOOT-BUILDERS Help Keep You Feeling Gay!

Are you a business woman... a busy mother... active in clubs? This famous footwear will help you enjoy more comfort, poise and freedom from fatigue all around the clock.

Two famous extra features to help assure maximum arch support... and better weight distribution... and equal weight exclusive half hard, half soft rubber heels which resist "running over."

Recapping by Factory-Trained Experts

SMITH QUALITY SHOES

CHARGING ACROSS BATTLE-SCARRED SKIES TO YOU. RICHARD GREENE. Action drama direct from the action fronts!

"Screen Snapshots" "Behind the Big Top" CROWN LAST TIMES TODAY BOXOFFICE OPEN 6:00 P. M.

You'll HOWL 'til it hurts... when your laugh-champ proves a champ for love in a tangle with wangling women! Gildersleeve ON BROADWAY HAROLD PEARY, BILLIE BURKE, CLAIRE CARLETON, RICHARD LORAND, FREDDIE MERCER

Today and Thursday 25c - 9c REX BOXOFFICE OPENS 2:00 P. M.

You Are Cordially Invited To See— The All-American Cat Show MEOW! The wise cracks of these 10 dames sizzle on the screen in M-G-M's grand dramatic hit! Cry Havoc MARGARET SULLAVAN - ANN SOTHERN - JOAN BLONDELL - FAY Bainter - MARSHA HUNT - ELLA RAINES - DIANA LEWIS

Thurs. Thru Sat. 35c - 40c - 9c CALORA BOXOFFICE OPENS AT 2 P. M.

M-G-M presents GREER GARSON WALTER PIDGEON Madame Curie LAST TIMES TODAY BOXOFFICE OPENS 2 P. M.

Through the Day at Work or Play... FOOT-BUILDERS Help Keep You Feeling Gay! \$6.95 Smith Quality Shoes

Firestone HEADQUARTERS FOR FINEST QUALITY PAINTS AND WALLPAPER See These Values, But... Buy War Bonds First!

Sale! WALL-TONE AND Free TRAY 2.49 Gal. Reg. 2.89 Value. One coat covers almost any surface. Dries in one hour to beautiful, washable finish.

Takes a Shine to Kitchen or Bath! INTERIOR GLOSS 3.65 Gal. Leaves a smooth, beautiful, glare-free sheen.

No Paste! No Fuss! No Trim! No Mess! TRIMZ WALLPAPER & BORDERS 1.98 81-Ft. Roll. Just dampen, hang and smooth it out!

For a Smooth Finish! Rapid Drying ENAMEL 79c Pt. One coat covers. Flows on smoothly and leaves a high gloss finish.

When You Get a Tire Rationing Certificate Choose the Famous DELUXE CHAMPION. Extra Mileage • Extra Safety • Extra Strength.

OPEN A 30-DAY CHARGE ACCOUNT OR, IF YOU PREFER, USE OUR CONVENIENT BUDGET PLAN. FRIESTONE STORES 109 S. CUYLER, PHONE 2119

FREE! 28-Page GARDEN BOOK. Instructions for War Gardeners and 25c Pkg. Burpee's GIANT ZINNIA SEEDS. Come in Today!

Screen Enamel 39c Pt. Jet black. For both wooden frame and wire screening. Dries quickly.

Gives Rich, High Gloss! FLOOR & TRIM VARNISH 2.98 Gal. Sets dust-free in two to four hours.

1.98 Roll Cedar Closet Paper. Actually made of cedar. Roll is 48 feet long, 15 in. wide.

WALLPAPER CLEANER 3 12-oz. Cans 25c. Non-crumbly. Non-sticky. Leaves paper beautifully clean.

SMOOTHING BRUSH for Wallpaper 25c. Twelve-inch width with two-inch bristles. Helps do a smooth, professional job.

PATCHING PLASTER 2 1/2 lbs. 25c. Repairs cracks or breaks in interior surfaces. Will not shrink.

CALL ADS IN EARLY, 10 O'CLOCK IS DEADLINE TODAY

WANT AD RATES

THE PAMPA NEWS Office hours 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. ... Rates for classified advertising: 1 Day 2 Days 3 Days ...

Special Notices

NOTICE—See Bill Harwell at Combs-Worley Bldg to get your garden plowed. ... VASHTING, lubrication, polishing, care picked up, delivered, Magnolia Gas, your favorite oils, ...

Male, Female Help Wanted

McCart's Cafeteria needs dishwashers, bus girls and janitors. Apply in person to Manager of Cafeteria. No phone calls.

Business Opportunity

For Sale—One of best cleaning plants in city, fully equipped. Priced for immediate sale. Good terms. C. H. Mundy, Ph. 2372.

Turkish Bath, Swedish Massage

WATCH THIS space for opening date on Lattin's Bath House, 705 W. Foster.

Beauty Parlor Service

WANTED Beautician at Ideal Beauty Shop, 108 S. Cuyler, Ph. 1818.

Plumbing & Heating

ATTENTION! This is here. Let us check your home and office, before we check Des Moines, Ph. 102.

Painting, Paperhanging

PAINTING, Spray or Brush. Have portable equipment. Will go anywhere, ranch or town. Ph. 43. H. C. Simmons, White Deer, Texas.

Floor Sanding

MOORE'S Floor Sanding and Finishing—We do local and out of town work. 437 N. Yeager, Phone 62.

Cleaning & Pressing

HAVE YOUR clothes cleaned and pressed for the Easter vacation. Victory Cleaners, 2250 Alcock or Liberty Bus Station, Ph. 1743.

Tailor Shop

ATTENTION SERVICE MEN! Let us put your summer uniforms in ready wear about your home. Special on Hartshorn, 208 N. Cuyler, Ph. 820.

Mattresses

WHY not have a better mattress of your old one? We have plenty of White Staple Cotton or sea some new ones we have in stock now. Avers Mattress Co. 817 W. Foster, Ph. 633.

Musical Instruments

FOR SALE—Kimball piano, price \$125. Mrs. Ross Mathes, 109 N. Frost.

Nursery

LEAVE YOUR baby anytime with Aunt Ruth. Private home, close in. Inexpensive. Ref. furnished. Ph. 674-W.

Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—Used Fairbanks platform scales. Good condition. Baragan, Toledo and extra large white leather bookset on vigoro fertilizer. Plenty onion sets and plants at Grand Dads, 841 S. Cuyler.

Household Goods

FOR SALE—Murphy, full size in a door bed, also Simmons bed. Practically new mattress, ironing board. 517 S. Somerville.

Transportation

FOR careful packing and hauling call us—we are licensed for Kansas, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Texas. Bruce Transfer—Phone 884.

Male Help Wanted

TAXI DRIVERS wanted at Peck's Cab. Apply in person, 104 W. Foster.

Wanted—Several good sales girls, permanent positions, good starting wages, 48 hour week. See Mr. Murillo at Montgomery Ward's, Pampa.

MEN WANTED

REPAIRMEN WAREHOUSEMEN and LABORERS NEEDED In Local Plants

Cabot Shops, Inc. Also Need Men

Apply at The Cabot Companies Office 212 N. Ballard St. Pampa, Tex. U. S. Employment Service 206 N. Russell

Male, Female Help Wanted

WANTED MAN and wife on farm. Will pay \$100 per month and farm. Write J. L. Ross, Box 600, Pampa, Ph. 1176.

Feeds

SPECIAL AT Grand Dads, ground kafir \$2.50. Certified seed potatoes at wholesale prices. Every day in Bargain Day at Grand Dads, 841 S. Cuyler.

Baby Chicks

Munson, blood tested chicks. Book now for April. Harvester Feed Co.

5000 Started Chicks

3 weeks old and less. All blood tested from high egg producing flocks. Gray county Hatchery and Feed Co. Ph. 1151.

Baby chicks immediate delivery on 20 breeds. Blood tested stock. 10,000 started chicks. Clarendon Hatchery, Clarendon.

Just arrived all metal gas and kerosene chick brooders and feeders and fountains while they last. Harvester Feed Co.

Plants and Seed

GARDEN here is now available along with the first shipment of Violets. The garden seeds you are going to need for your Victory gardens are at Thompson Hardware, Phone 43.

Bulk garden seeds, onion plants, onion sets, vigoro. Harvester Feed Co.

Shrubbery

Shrubbery Specials Bush roses and climbers, evergreens, all varieties, juniper, cypress and red cedar. Victory Market, 321 S. Cuyler.

Lawr. grass seeds, flower seeds, onion plants, onion sets, vigoro. Harvester Feed Co.

Good Things to Eat

SHOP NEELE'S Grocery for best meats, fresh and staple groceries in town. Courthouse service. 328 S. Cuyler.

Day's Market, 414 S. Cuyler

For anything you need in fresh fruits, vegetables and dairy foods. SHOP AT Quick Service Market for lettuce, onion plants and seed potatoes. Across from James-Everette.

Dir Hauling

Rider Motor Co. for cement and gravel and driveway materials. Local Hauling Tractor for hire. Phone 760.

Wanted to Trade

WILL TRADE completely over hauled 1937 Ford long wheel base truck 4132 good grain bed and good rubber for small house and lot in Pampa. Inquire 222 E. Third.

Wanted to Rent

WANTED To rent two bedroom furnished house by officer and wife. Reference. Call 4232-J.

Wanted by couple permanently employed in civilian work, a furnished apartment or house. No children or pets. Ref. on file if desired. Call 2036-W.

PERMANENT COUPLE needs two, three or four room furnished house or apartment. Civilian employed by local firm. Call Mrs. Stroup at 666 or 1471-W after 6 p. m.

Apartment

FOR RENT—Apartments and rooms furnished. Private baths and garages. West on Highway 132. Behind Grocery Parker Courts, Ph. 881-J.

Several two room unfurnished furnished apartments remaining for eligible industrial employees. Phone 166. Henry L. Jordan Duncan Bldg.

CLEAN, FURNISHED apartments, very close in. Bills paid. Also sleeping rooms for rent. American Hotel.

For Rent—Two room furnished apartment. Bills paid. Apply Schafer Hotel.

CLEAN, MODERN, two room furnished apartment. Very close in. Inquire 218 N. Ballard.

Houses

FOR RENT—3 room unfurnished house. Semi-modern. 309 E. Brunson. Inquire 311 E. Brunson. Mrs. Lewis.

Wanted to Buy—Large med truck with tray. Call 2296-W.

For Rent—Four room modern unfurnished house and 3 room modern unfurnished house. Will rent separately or all together. Three rooms of furniture for sale. Inquire 219 N. Nelson.

Sleeping Rooms

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished bedroom, adjoining bath. Inquire at 217 N. Houston.

CAN RENT—Inquire. Front bedroom in private home (twin beds). Private entrance. Ph. 674-W.

Sleeping room for gentleman, adjoining bath, outside entrance. 900 N. Gray. Phone 1037-M.

Nice, clean sleeping rooms. Hot and cold water in all rooms. Two persons, \$5 per week. Schafer Hotel.

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE

81—Business Property for Sale The best business brick and tile building on South Cuyler for \$3500. M. P. Downs. Phone 336 or 1264.

Well equipped safe for sale. 319 South Cuyler.

For Sale—The best down town corner in Pampa. Approximately 16000 income annually. M. P. Downs, Ph. 1264.

82—City Property for Sale FOR SALE—Furnished or unfurnished by owner. Nice 6 room duplex, 3 garages, cellar, nice trees, 16x140 ft. lot, also five room modern home. Inquire 517 S. Somerville.

FOR SALE—By owner, my six room home, three bedrooms, rental garage apartment in rear, garage, fenced back yard. Well constructed. Inquire 711 N. Somerville.

Five room modern home on Charles St. Hardwood floors, venetian blinds. Priced for immediate sale. Owner leaving town. M. P. Downs, Ph. 336 or 1264.

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE

82—City Property for Sale 3 ROOM home, furnished, all modern conveniences, excellent lot, \$2500. Private owner, 701 N. Sumner.

See Stone and Thomason before you buy or sell city or farm property. Call 1766.

FOR SALE—5 room brick home, four furnaces, service quarters, place for chickens, 2 lots, private owner, 701 N. Sumner.

List property with John Haggard for quick turn over. We have nice homes for sale. Call 909. 1st National Bank Bldg.

Gurley's Leather Shop priced for immediate sale. Call M. P. Downs 336 or 1264.

Lee Banks, 1st National Bank Bldg. Can handle your property for quick sales. See him or call 388 or 52.

Today's Good Buy! Large five room house Christine (Flour) garage \$5000. \$1800 down payment, balance \$32 per month. Nice 6 room well furnished home with 3 room furnished rental house in rear. Possession with sale. Five room modern home on N. West St. \$2750. Five room modern home with 600 floor furnace, corner lot, possession with sale. Nice 5 room on East Francis \$2650. Large 5 room on N. Somerville. J. E. Rice, Ph. 1863 After 6:30 p. m.

Live in your brick home and let the rental from income property pay for it. \$145 per month income, \$7000 for quick sale. M. P. Downs, Ph. 1264 or 336.

Must trade this for Pampa property by Saturday. Late model complete farm truck, flat bed, grain bed, new tires, motor just overhauled. See M. P. Downs, Ph. 336 or 1264.

6 ROOM modern house with basement on Duncan St. Nice 4 room modern home on N. Wells St. \$990 cash. Balance \$20 per month. Nice 5 room home and garage on Mary Ellen. Six room home, 2 floor furnace, nice shrubbery, double garage, modern apartment in rear on East Francis. Priced for immediate sale. Call 2372, C. H. Mundy

Special! Four room modern house and full basement. Hot and cold running water. Priced for quick sale. Located on N. Hill St. Call M. P. Downs, Ph. 336 or 1264.

GOING TO SELL—Twenty-seven brick, frame and Spanish homes. Phone 976-J. Possession at once.

FOR SALE—Five room house 1080 Fisher Five room house 1026 Fisher Six room duplex, separate baths, 903 Twiford 1037 Ford coupe, 14 sales tax, room bulletin garage, 1054, Twiford Three large furnished duplex, W. Francis Telephone 2169-J. F. S. Brown, agent.

83—Income Property for Sale Five room house, 3 room house in rear, renting for \$32.50. Priced for \$4500. Tourist court 14 sales tax with four room house. Income \$400 per month. Price \$6500. W. T. Hollis, Ph. 175.

For Sale—13 units of rental property at present income which is normal times rent, will pay out in 4 years at sale price. Can be handled on part cash down. Balance monthly. M. P. Downs, Ph. 336 or 1264.

87—Farms and Tracts 157 ACRES, 12 miles east of Pampa on Highway 132. J. E. Rice, Phone 1831 after 6:30 p. m.

IF YOU are in the market to sell or buy real estate or city property, see S. H. Barrett, 109 N. Frost Ph. 341

88—Property to be Moved WANTED 5 or 6 room house to be moved. Phone 988. 119 S. Stark Weather.

90—Real Estate Wanted IF YOU have a 3 or 4 room house or house to be moved for sale, call M. P. Downs, Ph. 1264 or 336.

FINANCIAL

94—Money to Loan CASH IN ON YOUR GOOD NAME If you are steadily employed you can easily borrow \$5 to \$50 at SALARY LOAN CO. 107 E. Foster Phone 803

AUTOMOBILES

96—Automobiles FOR SALE—1936 Pontiac, four door Sedan, new rubber, good mechanical condition. Inquire 901 Twiford, Ph. 1137.

For Sale—'37 Oldsmobile. Owner called to service. A bargain. Call Lewis at 666.

FOR SALE or trade—Leasing makes and models of cars up to 41. Some changes. Will trade for real estate or what have you—See Marney for Special Bargains, 1st door East of Old Pampa Postoffice, 203 E. Francis, Ph. 1083.

Will pay cash for your automobile. Have some nice late model cars for sale. A. L. Lyons, Phone 547, 516 W. Foster.

FOR SALE—1939 Dodge 4 door DeLuxe sedan, radio, heater. Inquire at Orange County Cabin 9.

Special at Sparky Rider Motor Co. A 1942 Plymouth business coupe, heater, good tires, 1942 Packard convertible with radio, heater and all new tires. Call 760.

FOR SALE—1939 four door Model A. Tires in good condition. Inquire at 401 S. Starkweather Cabin 13.

NOTICE

Generators and starters for all cars and trucks. Heavy duty wheels for Chevrolet and Ford pickups. Transmissions for cars and trucks. Burned and wrecked cars and trucks bought. Highest prices paid. C. C. Matheny Tire Salvage, 818 W. Foster, Phone 1051.

AUTOMOBILES

A SPECIAL SERVICE

Take that spring fever out of your automobile now. We have a complete line of service in ALL types of REPAIR. A commodity we provide for the driver's convenience.

Coffey Pontiac Co.

6—PONTIAC—S 220 N. Somerville Phone 365

WE'RE PROUD THAT WE CAN SERVE PAMPA CAR OWNERS

Every car owner in America has been called upon to aid in the National effort—to conserve gasoline, oil, tires—to prolong the useful life of his car—to drive carefully and safely.

We're proud that we are equipped to help every car owner do his part.

To our Chevrolet owners, to owners of all makes, we pledge faithful, conscientious, painstaking efforts to keep their cars rolling right.

Culbertson Chevrolet

For Sale—By owner 1941 Pontiac 6 five passenger coupe, fully equipped, 15,000 actual miles, 5 extra good equipment tires. O. M. Johnson, Texas Co. Beneficial Lease, 4 miles southeast of Cayce Store, Phillips camp.

100—Tires and Vulcanizing

LARGE STOCK passenger and truck tires Firestone Store, 109 S. Cuyler. We make our own tires.

Complete stock tractor tires. Firestone Store, 109 S. Cuyler. We make our own tires.

Political Calendar

The Pampa News has been authorized to present the names of the following citizens as candidates for office, subject to the action of the Democratic voters, at their primary election Saturday, July 22, 1944.

For Tax Assessor—Collector: F. E. LEBCH

For County Clerk: CHARLIE THUT

For County Treasurer: GENEVA SCHMIDT

For County Sheriff: ROY PEARCE G. H. KYLE

For County Judge: SHERMAN WHITE

For County Commissioner Precinct 2: J. T. MCCREARY WADE THOMASSON HOWARD BUCKINGHAM G. C. STARK CLYDE E. JONES

For County Commissioner Precinct 1, LeFors: ARLIE CLARPENTER DWIGHT L. DAY JOE K. GARDNER

For County Attorney: B. S. VIA

For District Clerk: R. E. GATLIN DEE PATTERSON

For Constable Precinct 1 (LeFors): C. S. CLENDENNEN HENRY J. SHOFFIT

BUY BONDS

Television Seen As Big Industry

NEW YORK, March 15—(AP)—Television will be a postwar billion-dollar industry that should be helped to get under way directly after cessation of hostilities, Thomas F. Joyce, executive of the Radio Corporation of America says.

Joyce forecasts that, within 10 years of full commercialization, television should be available to approximately 112,000,000 people and said he believed it was a potential source of 4,600,000 jobs.

OWI Accused Of Sending Out 4th Term Data

WASHINGTON, March 15—(AP)—Rep. Brown (R-Ohio) has launched a new offensive against the office of war information with an assertion that "fourth term" political and ideological propaganda is being distributed in the armed services.

Brown declared that word has gone out from "high sources" to block his resolution to authorize an investigation of the dissemination of news, motion picture and broadcast material relating to public officials and candidates for office.

After quoting congressional hearings which he said indicated bias on the part of OWI in preparation of news for consumption abroad, Brown said:

"I want it clearly understood that I in no wise impugn the motives or the professional standards of the regular officers of our army or navy when I make the charge that fourth term, political and ideological propaganda is being distributed among our troops."

"I would trust the judgment, the discretion and the honor of General Marshall and Admiral King to the ends of the earth in this matter. But this congress in turn owes a duty to them to be sure that their operations are not interfered with by some who put politics and economic passions even ahead of a speedy winning of the war."

"I have noticed," Brown said, "the news releases from OWI and other governmental agencies, going overseas to our armed forces, carry what we call in newspaperdom 'reverse English' which means to play up or to so report news as to create a poor impression of the particular candidate, public official, or side or an issue opposed to the publisher. A clever editor can always stay within the confines of the exact truth and still so color the news as to favor one candidate or one point of view."

Brown said OWI controls motion pictures that reach the troops and furnishes a great portion of the news by radio and dispatch.

Soldiers Receive Roosevelt Buttons?

WASHINGTON, March 15—(AP)—Rep. McWilliams (R-Conn.) told the house he had a letter from a soldier overseas complaining that "we're being flooded with Roosevelt campaign buttons."

"The French mothers find them useful because of the shortage of safety pins," McWilliams quoted from the letter. "We use them for clips in games of chance, but seriously we resent it."

Rep. Fish (R-N.Y.) asked: "Did he say what they do with their Willie buttons?"

MOULDING and INSIDE TRIM

Burnett Cabinet Shop C. V. Burnett, Owner 315 E. TYNG Phone 1235

TODAY on the HOME FRONT

By James Marlow and George Zielke

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The government-supported school lunch program hangs by a thread. Efforts are being made to continue it. Congress seems in a mood to abolish it. The house has voted to do that. It will be asked to reconsider.

But the program will continue at least until June 30. The fight is over 50 million dollars the government is asking of congress to keep the program going through the fiscal year beginning July 1.

Uncle Sam started putting up the money for the lunches back in the depression days of 1933. It had two chief purposes:

To help the farmers by buying up their surplus food products; to provide meals for poor children.

The lunches now are served in 93,000 of the 238,000 grade and high schools to 4,200,000 of the 39,000,000 school children. It is estimated 40 per cent of the money is spent in communities of less than 2,500 population.

A school, an American Legion post or some other organization can sponsor a lunch program, ask government help to carry it through. The government signs contracts with the school or group individually.

The government bought food surpluses, when there were surpluses, and gave the food to the schools. Now, with practically no surpluses, the government lets the contracting parties buy the food locally and pays them. Top government payment is 9 cents a meal.

Some congressmen opposing continuance of the program say: "Because of the hugely increased federal debt, the states can better afford to pay for lunches than the government."

The program has outlived its need. There is almost no unemployment. People have plenty of money. Let them spend some on their children's lunches.

Congressmen favoring the program say: "More than 11 million Americans depend on incomes of less than \$1,000 a year. The war has broken up many families. White collar workers have to live on fixed incomes while prices rise. There are hundreds of thousands of wives and widows of men in the armed services. People in all these groups are in poor position to pay for their children's lunches.

These congressmen ask: Why

Pope Protests Cardinal's Arrest

BERN, Switzerland, March 15—(AP)—The Holy See has asked the German ambassador to the Vatican to explain the recent arrest in France of Augustin Cardinal Houd, according to Catholic circles quoted today by the Swiss telegraphic agency. The Vatican was reported also to have demanded release of the cardinal, who is primate of Poland.

Man Mails Half Of Shirt with Tax

NEWARK, N. J., March 15—(AP)—The internal revenue bureau filed part of one man's income tax return in France of Augustin Cardinal Houd, according to Catholic circles quoted today by the Swiss telegraphic agency. The Vatican was reported also to have demanded release of the cardinal, who is primate of Poland.

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DANGEROUS CARGO

PHILADELPHIA—The thief who stole John Gillespie's automobile did his best to keep the law from tracing him.

Gillespie, a technician, said the car contained a large order of linographing equipment for the FBI.

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"The only reason I did not send the other half," he wrote, "is because I intend to forward it with my next payment."

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Indian Hurler Demonstrates Track Prowess

BY TED MEIER
 NEW YORK, March 15—(AP)—Bill McKechnie probably knows just how Lou Boudreau must have felt yesterday when Vern Kennedy, 35-year-old Cleveland pitcher, pole vaulted nine feet in the clear, landed on his neck—and came up smiling.

The Kennedy incident happened at Lafayette, Ind., after the Indians had concluded a workout at the Purdue university fieldhouse. Kennedy, who won 10 games and lost seven for the tribe in 1943, splashed the pole vault pit with the bar set at nine feet.

While Boudreau, his manager, and other players watched in startled silence Kennedy grabbed a pole, sprinted down the runway and sailed over.

After Boudreau regained his speech, he disclosed that pitcher Jack Salvesson intended to remain on his war job and would not play this year.

Other Major League News:
 Detroit Tigers—Rudy York, home run king in 1943, worked out and discussed salary terms with club officials.

Boston Red Sox—Catchers Bill Conroy and Roy Partee signed contracts, leaving only outfielder Bob Johnson and pitcher Lou Lucier unsigned. Relief pitcher Mace Brown sworn into naval reserve as Lt. (jg) at Raleigh.

New York Giants—Outfielder Buster Maynard was accepted by army while southpaw pitcher Ken Chase said his Oneconta, N. Y., home he planned to work on his father's farm this season. Shortstop Billy Jurges expected report Lakewood, N. J., camp today to discuss salary terms.

New York Yankees—Six players arrived yesterday at Atlantic City camp, boosting squad to 13. Pitchers Hank Borowy, Emerson Roser, Joe Page and Jim Turker checked in along with infielders Don Savage and George Stinweis.

Brooklyn Dodgers—First workout at Bear mountain camp scheduled late today. Only four players on scene, pitchers Curt Davis and Tom Warren; outfielder Luis Olmo and infielder Eddie Stevers.

Philadelphia Phillies—Unsigned first baseman Jimmy Woodell informed club he would report at Wilmington, Del. camp Monday and discuss terms. Infielder Glen Russell decided to stay on California farm.

Philadelphia Athletics—Bob Newson, Lum Harris, Russ Christopher, Jess Flores, Don Black and Luke Hamlin (if he signs) shape up as starting pitching staff.

St. Louis Cardinals—Regular outfielder Stan Musial and utility Johnny Hopp both announced they had been reclassified 1-A.

Chicago Cubs—Announced signing of Frank Le Roy, Chicago semipro right handed pitcher. He's 23, weighs 195, stands 6 feet 4 1/2 inches and has army discharge.

Washington Senators—Rookie pitcher Albertson and Cuban pitcher Santiago Ulrich suffered minor injuries at College Park, Md. camp.

Pittsburgh Pirates—Outfielder Vince DiMaggio was only player unaccounted for today as Cubs trained for Muncie, Ind. camp.

Cincinnati Reds—Outfielder Gee Walker will report at Bloomington, Ind. camp next week to discuss salary terms.

Chicago Relays Draw 181 Track Champions

CHICAGO, March 15—(AP)—Just about all of the country's track champions, near-champions and plain stars, numbering 181, will compete in the eighth annual Chicago relays at the stadium Saturday.

Ens. Cornelius Warmerdam, the pole vaulting champion, will be making his first appearance in competition this season. He will represent the Navy preparatory high school at Monmouth, Ill.

The athletes will compete for honors in eight special events and a variety of relays.



A costumed Charley Grimm takes stance at party celebrating 25th anniversary of Director Gus Christie's connection with Milwaukee Athletic Club. Everyone last night repulsed the vigorous challenge of Mexico City's Ernesto Aguilar, a clever and resourceful southpaw who made things violently interesting for the titleholder in the 15-round contest.

Sports Roundup

BY HUGH FULLERTON, JR.
 NEW YORK, March 15—(AP)—Leo (Dutch) Meyer, Texas Christian grid coach who just acquired 10 civilian players to go with four holdovers, says he'll use only a dozen or so navy trainees in spring practice.

"We do not plan to use navy men who will complete their work at TCU Nov. 1," Meyer explains. "Last season's experience of having our team wrecked in midseason cured us of that."

Remember those stirring speeches you used to hear about the value of football as physical training for the boys who were going off to war?

SHORTS AND SHELLS
 Reports reaching local soccer circles say an all-star English eleven will fly to Moscow soon for a series of games. . . CHIT (Mountain) Musson, Melton, who claims to be the Giants' best southpaw golfer, also owns the only set of left-handed clubs in camp so Phil Weintraub, who disputes the claim, can't prove it.

Parish 'Bluebeard' Escapes from Police

MADRID, March 15—(AP)—Paris dispatches reported that a mysterious "Dr. Pietro," named by the Paris press as a suspect in the killing of 25 persons, has escaped with his wife and 17-year-old son.

Parson Flynt Quits College For Pulpit

FAYETTEVILLE, Ark., March 15—(AP)—University of Arkansas basketball coach Gene Lambert says that Parson Bill Flynt, the ordained Baptist minister who helped Arkansas tie Rice for the Southwest conference basketball title this winter, will not return to school for the start of the spring trimester.

Flynt, an all-conference choice and fifth ranking scorer, wanted to move closer to his Perville pastorate and be missed in the NCAA tournament at Kansas City, March 24-25, Lambert said. He added several substitutes including George Kik, the new six feet 10 goal tender from Michigan, were showing promise.

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Paul Altman Kayoes Byrd Of Arkansas

HOUSTON, March 15—(AP)—It required a minute and 20 seconds in the third round here last night for Paul Altman to knock out Jackie Byrd of Arkansas with a crushing right to the jaw.

Byrd, 150, hit up at the count of nine but was still wobbling and went down to stay after two more blows from the 144-pound Houstonian. Three thousand fans saw the bout.

Ortiz Retains Bantam Crown

LOS ANGELES, March 15—(AP)—Manuel Ortiz still is the bantamweight champion of the world.

In their 15-round Mexican last night repulsed the vigorous challenge of Mexico City's Ernesto Aguilar, a clever and resourceful southpaw who made things violently interesting for the titleholder in the 15-round contest.

Twice Aguilar planned Maulin Manuel in a corner of the ring and kept him there. He was pinned in for most of the seventh round and about half of the fourteenth. A crowd of 10,500, sensing that perhaps a new champion was to be crowned, was cheering wildly in the two violent sessions, and the two-to-one verdict in favor of Ortiz was not popular with the spectators.

Ortiz, always bothered by southpaws, didn't show his usual advantage in his ninth defense of the title since he won it from Lou Salica. He didn't force the fighting. He stalked his adversary, but he didn't lead and he was content with scoring on counter punching.

In close quarters Ortiz got in the harder punches and at long range he tagged Aguilar several times with rapier rights to the head. Once, in the seventh, Aguilar went to the canvas from a stinging right, but he bounced right back.

It was a hot and cold fight. The action was slow in several rounds and in others, aside from an occasional exchange, it was feint and clinch, with no damaging punching evident. At the finisher Ortiz's nose was bleeding slightly and Aguilar had a minor eye cut. Aguilar showed ability to take all of Ortiz's unusually hard body punching without wincing.

Referee Charley Randolph voted the contest a draw. His card showed only one point separating the boxers, and he gave Ortiz that decision margin, 83-82. Judges Frankie Van and Reggie Gilmore voted for Ortiz, Van 80-76, and Gilmore 87-78.

Soldiers Ha-Ha As Cincy Reds Rhumba

BLOOMINGTON, Ind., March 15—(AP)—Soldiers who wandered into the University of Indiana fieldhouse to watch the Cincinnati Reds yesterday couldn't believe what they saw.

There were Manager Bill McKechnie's muscular athletes, "bump and grind" in an attempt to do the rhumba. They were tripping the none-too-light fantastic to the tune of an accordion played by a petite high school girl attired in an abbreviated costume.

The idea was McKechnie's. He claimed it was good exercise, although not necessarily a prelude to winning a National League pennant.

Teacher for the dancing session was recruit pitcher Tomas De La Cruz, a Cuban who played for Syracuse last year and who says he is one of the best rhumba dancers in all Havana.

The other players, who joined the enterprise with suspicious reluctance, neared a state of rebellion as the newness of the thing wore off, especially when the soldiers gave them out very large "ha ha" and made other uncouth noises.

When the team got around to baseball De La Cruz also held the center of the stage as the big right-hander threw a "fast one" to a battery mate. They had plenty of "smoke."

Actress Resigns To Wed Captain

NEW ORLEANS, March 15—(AP)—Miss Marjorie Deanne, movie actress, arrived here today for her wedding Sunday and said she would not return to Hollywood.

Miss Deanne plans to be married to Capt. A. Albert Manuek, attached to the L'Armand general hospital dental staff here, and expects to "settle down to a career of marriage with the captain."

She said she had obtained her release from the Actors Guild and from Paramount studio. Miss Deanne, born at Brownsville, Tex., was "Miss Texas of 1935" in a beauty pageant. Capt. Manuek is formerly of San Francisco.

Kamer Whips Budget

NEW YORK, March 15—(AP)—Lt. Don Budget was upset by coast guard cadet John Kramer, 6-3, 6-2 last night in the feature match of the Red Cross tennis show at Madison Square Garden. A crowd of 9,000 contributed to a gross gate of \$19,270.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE
 By J. R. WILLIAMS

IF YOU'RE INTERESTED IN ART, MACK, THERE'S A GLENDING STILL-LIFE SUBJECT BUT I STILL PREFER PAINTINGS OF APPLES AND BANANAS—THEY'RE MORE APPETIZING!

I'M TRYING TO COOK UP A SNAPPY TITLE FOR THAT RESTFUL SCENE ALL I CAN THINK OF IS "IT'LL BE A LONG WAR."

LISTEN, WORRY WART—YOU'LL HAVE YOUR FACE LIFTED IN EARLY YOUTH IF YOU DON'T CUT OUT THAT STRETCHIN' YOUR CHEEKS WITH TH' TOOTH BRUSH!

I AIN'T WASHIN' MY TEETH—AN' THEY AIN'T MY CHEEKS—THEY'RE MY ELBOWS!

Not EXACTLY A BEEHIVE

What I want is something that will leave one hand free for Whenties.

Ludwig's favorite instrument must be the spoon. He's really "in the groove" with a big bowl of milk, fruit, and Whenties, "break-

fast of Champions." That grand "second helping" flavor calls for encours. And luckily there's plenty of Whenties. Better get your share.

Harvester Track Squad Runs Over Irish, 83 to 46

Running up 83 points to their opponent, the Pampa Harvester track squad scored a clean-cut victory over the Shamrock Irish in the Harvester's first meet of the season here yesterday afternoon.

Cold weather made the day more appropriate for a football workout but some good records were made.

Coch Coach Coffey's boys gained nine first seven second, five third, and four fourth places in the meet with the boys of Coach Bob Clark.

Gene Robbins, 1944 basketball captain, showed he was equally as good in track, with the scoring of 25 points for Pampa High schools' total.

Results of the meet, first, second, third and fourth places in order, all names Pampa unless otherwise stated, and winning time, or distance:

High Hurdles—Dixon: Holder, Shamrock; Rankin, Shamrock; Derrell Robbins: 19 seconds.

100-yard Dash—Anderson, Shamrock; Neef, Cole, Shamrock; McKinley: 10:03 seconds.

440-yard Dash—Gene Robbins; Cox, Shamrock; Williams; O'Brien: 54 seconds.

880-yard Run—Clay; Cree; Cross, Shamrock; Noller, Shamrock; 2 minutes 27 seconds.

1 Mile Run—Campbell; Tate; Bird; Collingsworth, Shamrock; 5:46.

High Jump—Gene Robbins; Leland; Tate; Kilmen, Shamrock; Clark, Shamrock; 5 feet 4 inches.

12-pound Shot—Pete—Gene Robbins; Kilmen, Shamrock; McKinley; Callan, Shamrock; 40 feet 8 inches.

Pole Vault—Tate; Lane; Rouse, Shamrock; Cox, Shamrock; 9 feet. Shamrock won the mile relay and Cole of Shamrock placed first in the low hurdles. Cree and McKinley both of Pampa, won second and third places in this event, and Rankin, Cole's teammate, was fourth.

Broad Jump—Gene Robbins; Cole, Shamrock; Moore, Shamrock; Tate; 17 feet 11 inches.

Discus—Gene Robbins; Cochrane; Clay; Kilmen, Shamrock; 109 feet.

Store Official Accused Of Stealing \$275,000

NEW YORK, March 15—(AP)—A \$6,000-a-year executive of a department store management firm was under arrest today in Vancouver, B. C., charged in an indictment here with the theft of \$275,000 from stores operated by the company throughout the United States.

The man, Ralph M. Wilby, 39, assistant treasurer of the Wilby Knott Co. Inc., was apprehended Monday by Canadian police on a Victoria-Vancouver ferryboat. District Attorney Frank S. Hogan's office announced, and is being held for New York authorities.

Wilby left his New York City home for Canada two months ago when an audit of the firm's books was begun, the district attorney's office said.

He was indicted here Feb. 25 on 17 counts of grand larceny, according to the district attorney's announcement which added that total alleged thefts may exceed \$500,000.

The district attorney's office gave this account of Wilby:

Using the name Alexander Douglas Hume, he obtained a job with the Knott company, which operates 15 department stores in the Mid-West and South, four years ago. In September, 1943, he was named assistant treasurer.

He pilched the company by establishing four fictitious mills in New Jersey and appropriating money paid by the firm's stores to the mills for supposed materials.

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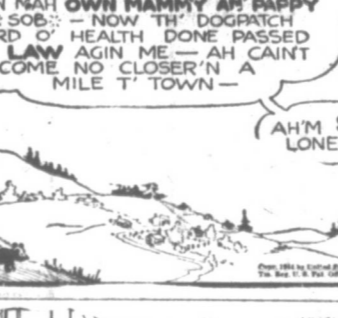
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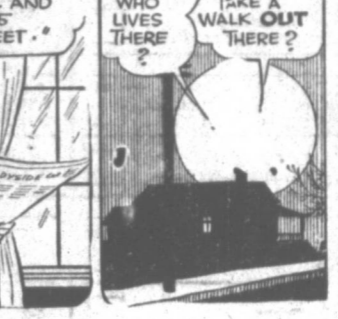
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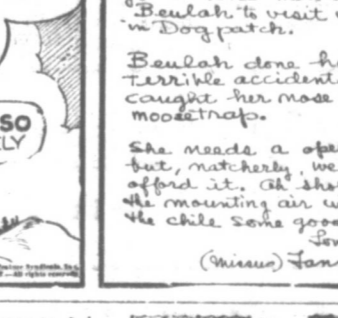
ONCE I ADMIRED YOU AS A PRINCE! NOW I SEE YOU AS A TRAITOR AND A COWARD!



WHY YOU'RE SELANGA!



WHEN OL' MAN COOP SWINGS, SUMPIN'S GOT TO GIVE!



OH, DUCHESS! MY RIFLE, QUICK!



WELCOME TO DOGGATCH! SEULAH MFBUGLE!!



AKH! HAFTA TAKE YU WORD FO' SINCE AH GOT MAH NOSE CAUGHT IN BLOSSOMS! T' MOOSE TAP DON'T THEY? AH CAN'T SMELL NOTHIN'!



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PAMPA BUS TERMINAL

Gas Pipeline Case Entered By Uncle Sam

AUSTIN, March 15—(AP)—Gov. Coke R. Stevenson will make inquiries of the federal government concerning its apparent participation in condemnation suits involving land in Harris, Waller and Fort Bend counties for right of way in behalf of Tennessee Gas and Transmission Co.

The company is constructing a line from South Texas to West Virginia for export of natural gas.

The governor announced his decision after Francis Young, Waller county land owner, informed the governor he had signed a right of way easement with the company for which he was paid \$246.

Young asserted that after the \$246 check was deposited payment was stopped. He then received an order from the Houston federal district court, signed by Judge T. M. Kennerly, condemning his land for pipeline use. Young asserted United States of America was listed as the plaintiff. He said he had received no citation of the pendency of the condemnation proceedings.

The order, exhibited by Young also condemned other tracts of land for pipeline easement.

Governor Stevenson has opposed the principle of exporting natural gas from Texas on grounds that it would discourage industrial development at home.

The South Texas-West Virginia line had the approval of the war production board and other federal agencies as a war-time necessity.

Young said he would not oppose the condemnation since apparently the government needed the line but that he might do something about it after the war.

The governor's comment was that he could not understand how the land could be condemned without advance notice to the property owner.

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New York Ready For Postwar Era

NEW YORK, March 15—One billion, three hundred million dollars says New York City will escape a postwar industrial slump.

That amount, according to a current survey by the city's postwar industrial committee is going to be spent by 1,003 New York business firms in re-furnishing and retooling as soon as the war ends. One tenth of the amount already has been placed on contingent orders.

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Spokane's irrepresible Athletic Round Table is up to its favorite sport of needling Congress again—remember its famous "Bundles for Congress" campaign. While the national and state legislatures bat that political hot potato—the servicemen's vote—around, Round Tables got out their own Servicemen's Ballots, reproduced above. As can be seen, the ballot gives the boys a chance to vote on such internationally critical questions as blondes, brunettes, sweater girls, income tax reform and "Whither Sinatra?"

'Food Constitution' For Allies Offered

WASHINGTON, March 15—(AP)—A proposed "food constitution" for the United Nations was ready for submission to the senate foreign relations committee today.

One of its functions would be to ease shortages in some areas with supplies from regions having surpluses, a sort of ever-normal granary plan on a world basis.

BUY BONDS
INJURIES ARE FATAL

DEL RIO, March 15—(AP)—Injuries he received Sunday in an automobile accident near here resulted in the death yesterday of March Shelton Martin, 41, of Austin, vice president of the Southwest Texas Grocery Corp. His wife and son, March Shelton Martin, Jr., were hurt in the accident.

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(By The Associated Press)

MEATS, FATS, ETC.—Book three brown stamps Y and Z valid through March 20 and retain old values of 8, 5, 2 and 1 points. Book four red stamps AB, BC, CD, DE, EF and FG good through May 20, worth 10 points each. Red tokens and brown one-point stamps may be used as change.

PROCESSED FOODS—Book four green stamps K, L and M valid through March 20 and retain old values of 8, 5, 2 and 1 points. Book four blue stamps AB, BC, CD, DE and EF valid through May 20, worth 10 points each. Blue tokens and green one-point stamps may be used as change.

SUGAR—Book four stamp 30 (previously scheduled to expire March 31) good indefinitely for five pounds. Stamp 40 valid for five pounds for home causing through Feb. 28, 1945.

SHOES—Book one stamp 18 valid through April 30. Book three "airplane" stamp 1 good indefinitely. A new stamp becomes valid May 1.

GASOLINE—In Southwest 10-A coupons valid for three gallons through March 21. B and B-1 and C and C-1 coupons good for two gallons. B-2 and C-2 coupons good everywhere for five gallons.

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Mainly About Pampa And Her Neighbor Towns

Mrs. Vernon Van Bibber has returned to Kingman after a visit with her husband, a sergeant stationed at Frederick, Okla. Beautician wanted at once at Hills' Persian Beauty Shop.

Frank Miller here for Galveston and Wharton this week to meet his wife and children and to visit friends there.

Lead several keys on chain with staff containing name and address of H. C. Coffee. Call 1338.

Cadet W. T. Ballard of Wentworth Military Academy, Lexington, Mo., has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Mitchell, during his spring vacation.

Wanted woman to assume responsibility of home for business woman. No laundry, excellent salary. Call 353 or 791.

T/Sgt. Raymond Vaughn is home on furlough from the O'Reilly General Hospital in Springfield, Mo., where he has been patient for the past few months as a result of a knee injury. Sgt. Vaughn is the son of Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Vaughn of LeFors.

Mrs. George Miller and son, George, Jr., have been guests in the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Charles Macdonald, 1016 E. Fisher. Mrs. Miller is from Pampa, Pecos, Rico, and this is her first trip to the state. Her husband, Sgt. Miller, is stationed at Westover Field, Mass. Mrs. Miller is leaving today to join him there.

AMERICAN

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Admiralty group, after completing their conquest of two small islands lying 1,000 yards offshore.

Rabaul, New Britain, 170 airline miles from the Talasea battlefront, took a 121-ton aerial pounding Sunday, and Catalina flying boat pilots destroyed a three-ship convoy off the New Guinea coast.

Other airmen pounded Kusale, Japan's base in the eastern Caroline Islands, Sunday and hit six enemy bases in the Marshall Islands east of Kusale.

Fliers from the 14th airforce in China pounded an airbase and seaplane base on Japanese-held Hainan island off the South China coast Monday and shot down five of 12 intercepting fighters.

Mopping up operations by Allied forces in northern Burma accounted for 120 enemy dead in fierce fighting near Butheung, headquarters communicated.

Black Dragon pass, gateway in southwestern Shansi province, China, has been recaptured by Chinese forces, Chungking reported. The Japanese had held the pass for six years.

BUY BONDS
Two-thirds of the world's people spend their whole lives producing food.

CATTLE

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Normally, a large portion of the cattle moves to Midwestern feed-lots for fattening and improvement of quality. The number moving to such feed-lots has decreased sharply this year. Cattle men blame a narrow price margin for quality grade beef cattle. Thus, most of the cattle which would have moved to feed-lots is being held on the range.

Mrs. Weston Joins Two Farm Offices

Mrs. M. Howard Weston, county emergency crop and seed loan supervisor for the Farm Credit Administration in Gray county from 1926 to 1942, today began work in her combined job of labor clerk for the county farm agent and secretary to the county home demonstration agent.

She will work for the county farm agent in the mornings and for the home demonstration agent in the afternoon.

Mrs. Weston is an experienced farm agent office worker, as she was employed for three years by Tom R. Thoms, former county farm agent, when his office was located in the basement of the post-office.

Reason for her dual job is the shortage of experienced workers and the fact that she is experienced and can handle the work in both offices.

BUY BONDS
Breining Services Set for Thursday

Funeral services for Miss Bernadine Breining, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Breining, formerly of Pampa, will be held at Winchester, Va., where the family has resided the past three years, will be conducted at 4 p. m. Thursday at the First Baptist church, by the Rev. E. Douglas Carver, pastor. Burial will be in Fairview cemetery. Arrangements are by Duenkel-Carmichael Funeral home.

BUY BONDS
Admiral Lewis Is Honored Again

WASHINGTON, March 15—(AP)—The navy announced today award of a Gold Star in lieu of a second Legion of Merit to Rear Admiral Spencer S. Lewis for services as chief of staff to the commander of the western naval task force in planning the amphibious assault on Sicily in July, 1943.

Lewis is a resident of Calvert, Tex.

BUY BONDS
State Telephone Officials Elect

DALLAS, March 15—(AP)—Oscar Burton of Tyler has been re-elected president of the Texas Telephone association which ended a meeting here yesterday.

Other officers named included Sam H. Shutt, Sherman, first vice president, and Jean Shotwell, Lufkin, treasurer.

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Five Minutes Over Toulon



(USAAF photo from NEA)

When USAAF Flying Fortresses raided Toulon, great naval base on the south coast of France, recently, they spent just five minutes over the target—but with devastating results. Photo above shows submarine pens and repair installations, lower left, hidden by flame and smoke from hundreds of tons of high explosives. Wings of U. S. bomber appears at upper right.

BOMBS

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north and northwest—places where the Germans might attempt another delaying stand as at Cassino.

German troops in the Arzio beachhead also were hard hit at the same time.

The Allied fliers hitting Cassino turned against the Germans one of the Luftwaffe's own most frightening psychological weapons—whistling devices attached to as many bombs as possible—to see how the enemy stood up under his own type of "screams."

Mitchell bombers began the assault at 8:30 a. m. (2:30 a. m. C. W. T.) and after two formations had gone over the target, Flying Fortresses and Liberators came in to pound it from 8:50 a. m. to 11:15. Then B-26 Marauders swarmed over the town.

Allied beachhead troops have wiped out a German pocket of resistance and improved their positions south of Carroceto 21 miles below Rome where the Germans last month launched some of their fiercest attacks against the Allied lines, headquarters announced today.

The attack was made by British troops who at last reports still were mopping up the enemy in the area headquarters said. In an adjacent region other British troops tested the German positions and brisk fighting followed, but no ground changed hands.

Allied assumption of an offensive role in the valley south of Carroceto came as bright sunshine replaced bad weather, but the ground still was soggy. Elsewhere along the perimeter of the beachhead there was an active patrolling by American and British troops and harassing artillery fire.

The Germans have been observed regrouping around the beachhead for the past week as they had been expected to launch a fourth offensive but so far this has not materialized.

On the main Fifth Army front New Zealanders earlier shelled and mortared enemy vehicles in the Cassino area and British troops in the lower Garigliano valley drove off an enemy patrol with small arms fire, and captured equipment. Patrols were active on the Eighth Army front.

Airforce headquarters said photographers showed that 100 railroad bridges were destroyed or damaged in yesterday's Marauder raid against the Pretestina rail yards in Rome—the eighth attack on the eternal city. CBS quoted an Allied headquarters announcement as saying large stretches of track were torn up and a chemical plant and warehouses were hit.

German planes raided Naples early today, dropping flares which brightly illuminated the city and its waterfront with an eerie orange glow which was reflected as far away as the slopes of Vesuvius. Anti-aircraft batteries sent up a heavy curtain of fire.

Warhawks bombed German gun positions northwest of Cisterna and south of Littoria.

Spitfires over the Yugoslav coast hit a small ship in Rogoznica harbor. Bostons made night attacks on rail and road traffic at Cisterna and Terracina.

Thunderbolts dive-bombed the station and yards at Para Sabina, 15 miles north of Rome. Two of three attacking Pocke-Wulfs were shot down.

BUY BONDS
HEAVIES

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mouth of the Bug river at Skirokaya Balka, 10 miles away.

The fall of Skirokaya Balka appeared near because it lies on the vulnerable east bank of the Bug. Further up that river, the Russians crossed its middle course shattering German hopes of a stand along its natural defenses. The whole German line in the Ukraine was receding toward the Dniester river which separated Russia and prewar Rumania.

The great port of Odessa was threatened, too, but Odessa has powerful natural defense. Virtually surrounded by lakes, the city held out two months in the violent opening German attacks of the war. The nearest Russians were about 70 miles away. Berlin reported new Soviet attacks on two sides of the Crimean the by-passed Black sea peninsula which the Germans are defending like an island.

Despite convincing German defeats in the south, Finland seemed veering toward rejection of Russian peace terms and probable suicide for the sake of seven German divisions. The Russians promised "terrible bombings and operations from the land and sea."

BUY BONDS
The swastika on a flag was worn as a charm to ward off evil spirits.

Board Investigates German's Hanging

PHOENIX, Ariz., March 15—(AP)—A board of officers today were investigating the hanging at the Pampa Park internment camp Sunday night of a German prisoner of war identified as Werner Dreschler.

Dreschler "was found hanged in an empty building situated within the prisoner of war enclosure," Col. A. H. Means, camp commandant announced, adding the board "is investigating the matter and will render the usual report of their findings."

No details of the hanging were given.

The dead prisoner had arrived here from another camp Sunday. His body was discovered about 7 a. m. Monday, hanging in a camp latrine. Means said.

Eleven prisoners have fled the

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Pampa camp within the last two months, but all have been recaptured.

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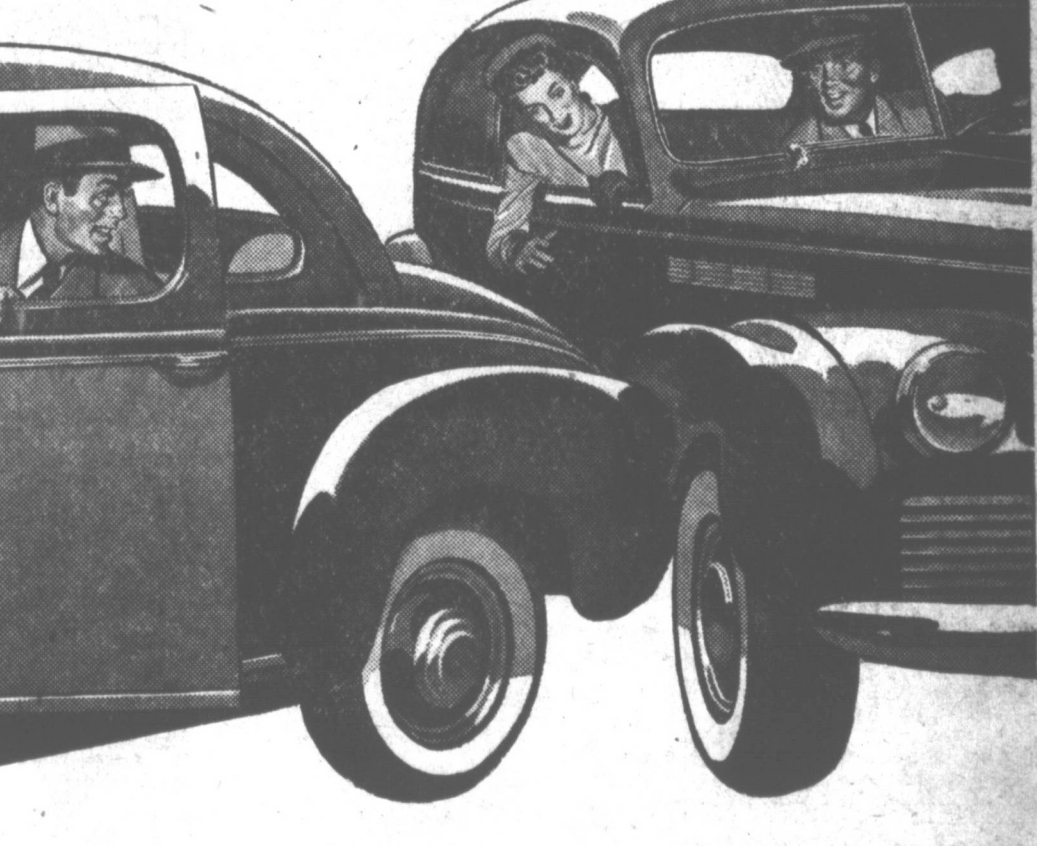
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