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## DUESSELDORF, COLOGNE RAILROADS

### BABY INHERITS MOTHER'S FORTUNE



Wayne William Lonergan, 18-month-old son of Patricia Burton Lonergan, slain by her husband. Wayne Lonergan is photographed while taking the air on Park Ave. The will of Patricia Lonergan, in which on Aug. 19 she attempted to disinheri her husband, has just been filed in surrogate's court. The child now inherits mother's entire fortune of 5 to 7 million dollars. (NEA Telephoto).

### Congress Declaration Of Free Enterprise Is Asked by W.T.C.C.

ABILENE, Nov. 4. (AP)—Looking ahead, the West Texas Chamber of Commerce is urging congress to declare itself for free enterprise, free competition, private initiative and a private financing system of national post-war economy.

### Ceiling Prices On Beer Listed

Ceiling prices on beer here today known for the first time here today when the county rationing board received a circular from the Lubbock OPA district office, listing maximum retail prices on 26 different brands of beer.

### Allred Will Get \$5,000 from June

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Nov. 4. (AP)—Former Governor James V. Allred of Texas, was awarded \$5,000 in Pampa county chancery court as attorney fees for representing former Movie Actress June Knight in a divorce suit against Arthur A. Cameron, wealthy Texas oilman.

**I SAW...**  
Fire Chief Ben R. White, all wrapped up in a fireman's coat that looked too big for him, riding on No. 5 out to a fire reported on N. Dixie street early this afternoon.

## Japs Suffer Big Naval Loss

### Allied Air, Sea Power Hits Hard

SOUTHWEST PACIFIC ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, Nov. 4. (AP)—Allied sea and air power sank at least 18 Japanese ships, including six warships, and damaged 11 more in a single day.

### Foreign Policy Compromise Is Due for Action

WASHINGTON, Nov. 4. (AP)—Senator Langer (R-N.D.) blocked efforts of senate leaders to bring about a compromise post-war policy resolution, endorsing creating of an international peace organization and incorporating a significant part of the Moscow four-power declaration, to a final vote today.

### Community Chest Appeal Renewed

Officials of Pampa's Community Chest today renewed their appeal to firms not yet contacted in the current financial campaign to mail in their checks.

### Sour Gas Allowable In Panhandle Raised

Sour gas production in the Panhandle field for this month was hiked 8,532,000 cubic feet over the October allowable in an order passed by the Texas Railroad commission in Austin yesterday.

### Republican Leads In Kentucky Race

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Nov. 4. (AP)—Maintaining his advantage throughout the night, Simeon S. Willis, Republican, continued today to lead his Democratic opponent, J. Lyter Donaldson, by 5,228 votes in their contest for governor of Kentucky.

**WEATHER FORECAST**  
Partly cloudy this afternoon, tonight and Friday; slightly warmer tonight and Friday.

### 10 More Jap Vessels Sunk by U. S. Subs

WASHINGTON, Nov. 4. (AP)—Sinking of ten Japanese merchantmen and damaging of three others by American submarines was reported by the navy, bringing to 487 the number of Japanese ships sunk, probably sunk or damaged by undersea craft.

### Cafe Operator At Levelland Charged

LUBBOCK, Nov. 4. (AP)—Hockley County Attorney Sam H. Davidson said last night he had filed a charge of simple assault and one of "rudely displaying a deadly weapon" against C. N. Ticer, cafe operator at Levelland, in connection with Saturday's disturbance at a restaurant which displayed a sign that no Mexicans would be served.

### Brother of Pampa Man Reported Missing

Chief Petty Officer Chester Phipps Hill of Goodland, Kas., a brother of C. W. Hill of 218 E. Francis, Pampa, has been reported as missing in action according to information received here by the wife of the Pampa man.

### Chinese Army Calls For Land Attacks

CHUNGKING, Nov. 4. (AP)—The Chinese army mouthpiece Sao Tang Pao called today for an Allied air offensive against Japan coordinated with a drive by land and sea before the close of 1943.

### U. S. SAILORS FIGHT ON AMID DEAD SHIPMATES



Clean blankets over the cruiser USS Savannah's dead sailors but brought the fire under control and continued to bombard the enemy's shore installations. (Official Navy Photo from NEA Telephoto).

### He Chose Parking Place Very Well

BROWNSVILLE, Nov. 4. (AP)—Narciso Easton told us today that he will park his car from now on.

### Hoover Predicts German Defeat By End of 1944

WASHINGTON, Nov. 4. (AP)—Former President Herbert Hoover declared confidently today that "at the present moment we're certainly in the latter stages of the (European) war"—probably "the last winter of fighting in Europe."

### California Town Trips up Charlie

County Clerk Charlie Thut tried hard enough but he just couldn't spell or pronounce a California name. He said it was enough to whistle it.

### Plainview Soldier Decorated in Italy

WITH U. S. FIFTH ARMY, Italy, Nov. 4. (AP)—Ten men of Texas fighting with the armed forces of the U. S. Fifth Army in Italy have been decorated for heroism.

### Man Convicted Of Killing Wife

CROCKETT, Texas, Nov. 4. (AP)—A Houston county jury last night convicted Elbert Jones, 30, of the pistol slaying of his estranged wife, Miami, 25, and set his punishment at five years in the penitentiary.

### Fort Worth to Hire Pistol Packin' Mamas

FORT WORTH, Nov. 4. (AP)—The city council here, confronted with manpower shortage, today joined the ranks of other cities, who have taken such action, and voted to hire 10 women traffic officers.

### Mexican Oranges Go Into Canada

LAREDO, Nov. 4. (AP)—Lucious Mexican oranges, for years barred by the U. S. bureau of entomology and plant quarantine, are entering for consumption in this country, are passing through Laredo by the carload enroute to Canada.

**RATION REMINDER**  
MEATS, FATS, ETC.—Book 1 brown stamps G and H good through Dec. 4; stamps I and J valid Nov. 1 and 2; stamps K, Y and Z valid through Nov. 20. SUGAR—Stamp 20 in book 4 valid for 5 pounds through Jan. 15, 1944. SHOES—Book 1 stamp 18 good indefinitely; stamp 19 on "singles" sheet of book 2 good indefinitely.

### Allied Armies Push Ahead In Italy, Russia

British bombers "in great strength" attacked the German industrial cities of Duesseldorf and Cologne last night in swift sequence to a record blow by 1,000 U. S. planes at Wilhelmshaven.

### Turkey to Join Allied Parley

LONDON, Nov. 4. (AP)—U. S. Secretary of State Cordell Hull and British Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden go are homeward bound from the successful Moscow conference.

### RAF Fliers Like Dunking Habit

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, Algiers, Nov. 4. (AP)—A British air force statement today labeled two American Red Cross officers "Sweethearts of the RAF" because they introduced the coffee-doughnut dunking habit at a Spitfire base in Italy and made the tea drinking Brits like it.

### Today's Best LAFF

LETTER PERFECT  
WICHITA, Kans. — Capt. W. D. Butler, Wichita in North Africa, took his silver identification bracelet to an Arabic silvermith to have it shined.

### Hard Luck Ladies! We Have No More Coochie Coochie

Several days later the Arab, smiling and nodding, handed over the still dingy bracelet with these words: "Please remove tarnish."

### Lewis Goodrich Sees Plenty Of Action in Pacific Waters

Now visiting in the Panhandle while on a 40-day leave is Yeoman Lewis Goodrich, U. S. N., for three terms district attorney of the 31st district, who volunteered for duty in the navy shortly after the attack on Pearl Harbor.

He has been in a hospital in Idaho, will spend most of his leave in Tulsa where his wife is residing during his service in the navy. Yeoman Goodrich will report to Corpus Christi for a further physical check-up and assignment on Dec. 3. His daughter, Mayon, University of Texas student, came home to meet her father and spend a few days with him.

The former district attorney, who made his home here and in Shumrock, has been in five major battles.

Goodrich served in the navy in World War I.

Enlisting at America's start of the present conflict with the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor, Goodrich was assigned to the U. S. S. Woodworth, 21 months ago, when the ship was commissioned.

On Oct. 1, 1942, he was transferred to Pearl Harbor and assigned to the Aaron Ward. After it was sunk he was on the U. S. S. O'Bannon, which made history in the Munda area.

"I've been places and seen things all the way from the North Pacific to the South Pacific," Yeoman Goodrich admitted. "I've seen planes come out of a clear sky, Yeoman Goodrich said. "Seven of them singled out the Aaron Ward and things began to happen. Our gunners bagged one and possibly got three more which were seen to fall into the sea. Three bombs came close enough to open seams fore and aft."

The action started at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon. Pumps were started in an effort to keep the ship from sinking. Tugs pulled alongside and tried to pull the Aaron Ward into Takagi Bay but at 10:15 o'clock the task was seen to be hopeless and the order to abandon ship was given.

Yeoman Goodrich said he jumped into one of the tugs a couple of minutes before his ship went under. It was at that time that he bruised his hip. Soon after the Aaron Ward crashed into the tug, but it stayed afloat, while the destroyer went to the bottom. In all, 19 members of the crew were lost.

When the Aaron Ward was abandoned Yeoman Goodrich was burned, footed and was wearing only an undershirt and shorts. After hitting

land he rustled some clothes which included khaki trousers, a soldier's shirt an army cap, a marine coat and army shoes. He met his commanding officer the next day and he was one commander who really got a laugh out of one of his men.

"You asked for action instead of a desk job and you got it, didn't you," remarked the commander.

Yeoman Goodrich sent his assortment of clothes home after securing another navy uniform. He had a look at the assortment upon his arrival in Tulsa.

Yeoman Goodrich was in the battle of Munda in which nine out of 10 Jap vessels were sunk. His ship assisted in the rescue of survivors on the Helena and the Strong, lost during the action.

During all his travels Yeoman Goodrich met only two Panhandle men. He visited with Billy Sherwood of Shamrock at Noumea, New Caledonia and came home on the same ship with Dan Boone, son of the Lipcomb county treasurer.

**BUY VICTORY STAMPS**

**Negro Missing From Train Is Found**

Grant S. Wallace, 72-year-old Negro school teacher of Tulsa, Okla., who disappeared mysteriously from a westbound Santa Fe train near Canadian early Tuesday night, was found wandering in a dazed condition in a farmer's field near Canadian late yesterday afternoon.

The farmer brought the Negro into Canadian and reported the case to the sheriff there.

Meanwhile, the teacher's wife had remained in Pampa while the search was in progress for her husband.

Offie T. Hendrix, agent here for the Panhandle & Santa Fe railway, said that information he had gathered, the Negro had apparently risen from his seat and was walking up and down the aisles to "straighten out the kinks" of the train ride.

The Tulsa couple was en route to California to visit a daughter.

How Wallace happened to get off the train, and what happened to him in the period between his disappearance and the finding of the man yesterday afternoon by the Memphis county farmer, were facts unknown to Gray county officials.

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**Normandie Moved To Drydock**

NEW YORK, Nov. 4. (AP)—The former French liner Normandie, now the U. S. S. Lafayette, has been moved from its North river pier at the foot of 48th street for the first time since the war began.

A swarm of 20 tugboats pulled the giant 83,000-ton hulk to a drydock where it will be fitted out for naval service.

The removal climaxed more than a year of salvage work by hundreds of men since the ship was swept by fire and capsized at her pier on Feb. 6, 1942, while being converted for military service.

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**Preachers Must Travel Fast Now**

AKRON, Ohio, Nov. 4. (AP)—Deprived of the use of his automobile for 60 days after being charged by office of price administration officials with speeding 70 miles per hour, the Rev. Dallas F. Billington, pastor of the Akron Baptist temple, remarked:

"You have to travel fast these days to save souls."

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**Anonymous Writer Attacks Gas Station**

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**French Want in On Peace Settlements**

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This was an apparent reference to what many De Gaulle adherents regard as unwarranted interference by the United States and Britain in affairs of the national committee, which De Gaulle and Gen. Henri Giraud head.

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A demand by De Gaulle that Giraud publicly renounce all ties with Vichy set the stage for the assembly, France's first free political forum since 1940.

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**Texas Gets High War Bond Quota**

DALLAS, Nov. 4. (AP)—Texans responded so well in the Third War Loan drive that the state's quota for combined November sales of U. S. treasury E, F, and G bonds was set at \$22,000,000, eighth highest in the nation.

This was announced yesterday by Nathan Adams, chairman of the War Bond sales organization in Texas, who said that county chairmen are being informed by letter of each county's quota.

### Supreme Court Reviews Padre Island Claims

AUSTIN, Nov. 4. (AP)—The supreme court has agreed to review the state's claim to possession of Padre Island, the narrow strip of sandy land lying offshore in the Gulf of Mexico from Corpus Christi to Brownsville.

It granted the state's application for a writ of error against lower court holdings adverse to the state, because of the importance of the case. The suit is styled State of Texas versus Alberto Ball.

The original suit was brought in Nueces county district court, which ruled against the state. The court of civil appeals at San Antonio agreed with the district court.

The chief point at issue is the validity of a grant made by the Mexican government more than a century ago to ancestors of Ball and other relatives.

In addition to Ball, there are 245 defendants, including the Sun Oil company, Sinclair-Prairie Oil company and the King ranch. The island includes parts of Cameron, Kleberg, Willacy, Kenedy and Nueces counties. It has principally been a cat-ranching area, and its beaches are famous for fine fishing.

Six years ago the legislature authorized the state parks board to acquire the island and develop it as a public resort. The bill was vetoed by Gov. James V. Alfred, who declared that the dune-dotted island rightfully belonged to the state.

The suit incorporating this contention was filed by Attorney General Gerald C. Mann in February, 1940. It not only sought title and possession of the land, but also \$150,000 in damages.

The supreme court action not only re-opened the entire original matter, but included the state's supplemental claim for recovery of 6,000 acres in an alleged vacancy on the island.

This alternative ground for seeking review of the litigation was set forth in the supreme court Oct. 5. It did not purport to supersede the original claim to the whole of the island, but sets forth that the extent of the land now held by the defendants is only approximately eleven and one-half leagues and that the remaining leagues or approximately 80,000 acres is unsurveyed land which the state is entitled to recover.

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**Dallas Man Discovers Grandparents in Sicily**

DALLAS, Nov. 4. (AP)—First Lieut. Louis Tomaso, Dallas, stopped his borrowed jeep in a bomb-raked Sicilian town and inquired the whereabouts of Grandfather and Grandmother Tomaso.

Reported the incident in a letter to his mother, Mrs. Rose Tomaso here. Lieutenant Tomaso said excited, laboring crowds gathered all trying to give him directions. More townspeople joined the caravan as he proceeded.

"Grandmother was waiting out in the street with about half the town with her," Tomaso wrote. "I got so excited she didn't know what she was doing half the time."

Grandpa was working at a well a couple of miles from the house and the grandson sent the jeep after him.

"The old man—81 years old and looking like he will live to be a hundred—look things very calmly and couldn't see why everybody was so excited."

Young Tomaso, native of Denison, found about 50 other relatives. Some of the girl cousins were pretty "and I didn't mind kissing them at all."

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<b>TOMATOES</b> No. 1 Lb. <b>15c</b>	<b>GRAPES</b> Flame Tokay 2 Lbs. <b>23c</b>
<b>SWEET APPLE CIDER</b> BRING YOUR JUG Gallon <b>39c</b>	
<b>LETUCE</b> Nice firm Hds. 2 for <b>25c</b>	
<b>Bulk Turnips</b> Purple Tops Lb. <b>2 1/2c</b>	

<b>COFFEE</b> 31c FOLGER'S Lb.	<b>RAISIN-BRAN POST BOX</b> <b>10c</b>
<b>Marmalade</b> Citrus, Ma Brown or Skully 2 Pound Jar <b>32c</b>	<b>OATS QUAKER</b> Large 3 Lb. Box <b>23c</b>
<b>FLOUR</b> Great West 25 Lb. Sack <b>89c</b>	<b>Black Eye PEAS</b> Nancy Lee No. 2 Can <b>15c</b>
<b>MUSTARD</b> Ma Brown 1 Lb. Jar <b>11c</b>	<b>TOMATOES</b> Red Crest No. 2 Can <b>10c</b>
<b>OLEO</b> 1 Lb. Package Blue Bonnett <b>25c</b>	
<b>Bakerite</b> Shortening, 3 Lb. Carton <b>66c</b>	
<b>MATCHES</b> Diamond 6 Box Cr. <b>27c</b>	
<b>LIMA BEANS</b> Large Size 2 Lb. Pkg. <b>32c</b>	
<b>GREEN BEANS</b> Treasure State No. 2 Can <b>13c</b>	
<b>BRAN FLAKES</b> Post 40% Large Box, 2 for <b>27c</b>	
<b>TOILET SOAP</b> Fine Art Bar <b>5c</b>	

<b>Sugar</b> 10 Lb. Cloth Bag <b>65c</b> PURE CANE	<b>Wheaties</b> Reg. Box <b>11c</b>	<b>Peanut Butter</b> 2 Lb. Jar <b>45c</b> Pecan Valley	<b>BUY BONDS and STAMPS EVERY PAY DAY</b>
<b>MILK</b> Arrow's Tall Can 3 For <b>25c</b>	<b>MACARONI or Spaghetti</b> Skinners 3 FOR <b>25c</b>	<b>PEACHES</b> Mojac Large 2 1/2 Can <b>17c</b>	<b>Bakery Specials</b>
<b>CORN</b> Nation-Pride Whole Kernel 2 12 Oz. Cans <b>27c</b>	<b>DOG FOOD</b> PARD BOX <b>12c</b>	<b>TISSUE</b> Gauze Roll 3 FOR <b>14c</b>	<b>CAKES</b> APPLE SAUCE 8 in., 3 Layer <b>74c</b>
<b>LAVA SOAP</b> Large Bar <b>9c</b>	<b>COFFEE</b> Schillings 2 Lb. Jar <b>59c</b>	<b>COFFEE</b> Schillings 2 Lb. Jar <b>59c</b>	5 inch <b>35c</b>
<b>DOG FOOD</b> PARD BOX <b>12c</b>	<b>COFFEE</b> Schillings 2 Lb. Jar <b>59c</b>	<b>COFFEE</b> Schillings 2 Lb. Jar <b>59c</b>	<b>BANANA NUT</b> Large <b>69c</b>
<b>DOG FOOD</b> PARD BOX <b>12c</b>	<b>COFFEE</b> Schillings 2 Lb. Jar <b>59c</b>	<b>COFFEE</b> Schillings 2 Lb. Jar <b>59c</b>	<b>ANGEL FOOD</b> Large <b>69c</b>
<b>DOG FOOD</b> PARD BOX <b>12c</b>	<b>COFFEE</b> Schillings 2 Lb. Jar <b>59c</b>	<b>COFFEE</b> Schillings 2 Lb. Jar <b>59c</b>	<b>COOKIES, Assorted</b> ..... <b>20c</b>
<b>DOG FOOD</b> PARD BOX <b>12c</b>	<b>COFFEE</b> Schillings 2 Lb. Jar <b>59c</b>	<b>COFFEE</b> Schillings 2 Lb. Jar <b>59c</b>	<b>POST TOASTIES</b> LARGE BOX 2 FOR <b>15c</b>

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**Graham Crackers** Blue Bonnet 1 Lb. Box **12c**

**Baking Powder** Calumet 1 Lb. Can **19c**

**Pancake Flour** Pillsbury Lg. 3 1/2 Lb. Box **28c**

**Grapefruit Juice** Large 46 Oz. Can **29c**

**SALAD Dressing** BLUE BONNET Pint Can **19c**

**TOMATO JUICE** Salamonic 24 Oz. Can **12c**

**OXYDOL** Medium Size Box **10c**

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### Pilot Gets First Jap Plane From Deck of Ship

By MARINE SGT. RALPH A. PECK  
SOMEWHERE IN THE SOUTH PACIFIC, (Delayed)—(AP)—2nd Lt. Foster H. Jessup, 23, of Oakland, Calif., a Marine fighter pilot, has downed his first enemy plane—from the sea.

Returning to his air base aboard

a small navy cargo vessel after his plane had been shot down in a dog fight over Munda field on the northern end of New Georgia Island and he had been fished out of Villa Gulf, Jessup learned the ship's crew was short of experienced gunners and he offered his services. Despite an injured right arm received in balling out of his plane, he was given charge of a 50-caliber machine gun, with one seaman as assistant.

The ship soon after was jumped by eight Japanese dive-bombers, coming in at about 2,000 feet and diving in a scattered formation.

"I held my fire until they were within 400 yards, and then I cut loose," said Jessup. "My tracers were striking in the engine of the first Jap plane and he started burning. About the same time a 20 mm shell clipped his wing. I then swung my gun to the left and raked a second dive bomber. He also smoked. As I passed, I swung on another one

—just in time to see him release his bombs. "The concussion of the bombs blew my helmet off. I was struck on the head by something and knocked unconscious. When I came to, I learned no serious damage had been done to the ship. The bombs had landed on either side in shallow water, spraying her from stern to bow with coral. I also learned that four of the eight bombers attempting to skip bomb us had been shot down, one of them by me. It was a fine way for a fighter pilot to get his first enemy plane."

Jessup enlisted in the navy May 22, 1942, and won his wings at Corpus Christi, Texas, Feb. 19, 1943. Soon after graduation he was selected for Marine aviation.

—BUY VICTORY STAMPS—  
Early in 1942 it was estimated that there were more than 21 million refrigerators in American homes.

### Little Growth Of Wheat Noted In High Plains

AUSTIN, Nov. 4 (AP)—Harvest conditions continued favorable in the week ended Oct. 31 as the 1943 crop season neared an end in Texas.

In its final weekly crop and weather report of the year the U. S. department of agriculture said that except in northwest counties gathering of corn, sorghums and hay crops was near completion. Sweet potato, peanut and pecan harvests continued.

The department noted in a supplemental report that average prices received by Texas farmers and ranchmen for most meat animals, except hogs, were lower on Oct. 15

than a month earlier. This was in continuation of a trend observed since July. Hog prices were generally steady. The average price received for cotton was lower but grains and hay registered moderate to strong advance and cottonseed averaged approximately \$2 per ton higher. Egg prices increased somewhat more than the usual seasonal trend and were at the highest level for October since 1930.

"Not much change was reported last week in moisture conditions in the High Plains and low rolling plains, the entire area being in need of surface and subsoil moisture. Wheat made little growth, and prospects for small grain pasture remained unfavorable. Some damage was caused to stands by continued dry weather. More wheat was dusted in. Soil moisture conditions are more favorable over the rest of the state, but more rains were needed for fall-sown grains in a num-

ber of central counties. Cotton harvest made good progress in the northwest High Plains and low rolling plains, but labor supplies were inadequate and caused concern in a number of counties.

Growing conditions in the commercial vegetable areas continued favorably, but planting were temporarily suspended in some of the dry land areas awaiting better surface moisture conditions.

Heavy worm infestation has reached into all vegetable areas, but losses have been minimized by intensive dusting.

Range feeds and pastures were in

fairly good shape except in the northwest parts of the state.

Outlook in the northwest districts is rather poor, with only spotted wheat pasturage in sight on the High Plains, and shortages of stock water a continued problem in some low rolling plains counties. In extreme South Texas worms are reported to be causing considerable local damage to pastures and fall feed crops.

Cattle were in fair to good condition over most of the state, although there is some shrinkage in the northwest section, with rather heavy culling of weak and old stock. Sheep were generally improved in condition. Movement of lambs to wheat pastures and feeding has been relatively light to date, with rather large numbers still on the range.

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### Marine Corporal Delivers Goods On Guadalcanal

By PFC. H. H. LEWIS  
Marine Corps Com. Correspondent  
(Distributed by The Associated Press.)

**SOMEWHERE IN THE SOUTH-WEST PACIFIC (Delayed)**—In civilian life he was a clerk in a ladies ready-to-wear store. On Guadalcanal as a marine corporal he worked at vaguely similar job in the supply.

"Give me a jeep and one hour and I'll get anything," is the boast of Corporal Robert I. Cohen, U. S. M. C., San Antonio, Texas, and former of Laredo.

Officers who needed food and equipment faster than orthodox channels could deliver it called on unorthodox "Bobby" Cohen. He could search out a needed cross-cut saw, a radio tube, special-sized cotter pins, typewriter ribbons, whole cases of fruit juices, water cans, nine hundred pup tents or a thousand mosquito nets.

In his jeep Cohen would first make the rounds of all friendly marine quartermasters. If nothing happened, if 1400 hundred mosquito nets weren't to be had to replace those of his battalion Cohen descended on army supply sergeants, newly arrived, with a sob story and a song. He would relate all the hardships and difficulties his unit was facing on the front lines, wring a tear from the hard faces of army men, and walk off with their surplus shirts.

On one occasion Cohen interviewed nine army colonels to get needed supplies.

Marines standing long observation post watches were blinded by the tropical sun. Cohen noticed this returned one afternoon with 100 pairs of polaroid glasses.

During an offensive move, transportation difficulties kept hot prepared food from reaching front-line fighters. Cohen loaded the food in an amphibian tractor and delivered the food by sea. That night his unit dined on spaghetti and meat balls within 50 yards of the front lines.

Big, smiling "Bobby" Cohen started out bargaining over the cost of a ladies-ready-to-wear store which he later managed in Laredo. He attributes all his success in and out of the Marine corps to the stern guidance of an uncle. He was graduated from Thomas Jefferson High school in San Antonio and while there half-backed the football squad.

—BUY VICTORY STAMPS—

### Sailor to Get Pair Of Flaming Shorts

OKLAHOMA CITY, Nov. 4.—(AP)—Naval personnel at Pearl Harbor—specifically Printer Third Class Robert W. McNeilly—had better get set for a shock of a peculiar and intimate nature.

The center of the disturbance, which hardly could be other than immediate and vigorous, will be a pair of silk rayon panties, beribboned and sachet-scented by McNeilly's mother in answer to his plea for more in college.

"Mamma," Mrs. McNeilly said her son wrote, "if you ever want to send me anything, how about some bright shorts? You know the kind I used to wear. The GI brand is hopeless."

Mrs. McNeilly, unable to find in stores the flaming patterns favored by the sailor, bought the silk rayon and made the shorts. She trimmed them with lace and pink ribbon inserts, completing the job by attaching a dainty sachet bag to the waist.

—BUY VICTORY STAMPS—

### Sale of Anti-Freeze Solutions Forbidden

WASHINGTON, Nov. 4.—(AP)—The war production board has forbidden sales of an estimated 500,000 gallons of what it described as "destructive" types of anti-freeze solution.

The 22 brands of anti-freeze named by the WPB said some or all of the inventory in dealers' hands might be purchased by "unsuspecting vehicle owners."

The solutions banned are generally cheaper than the two types designated as safe—alcohol and ethylene-glycol—but have been declared by the national bureau of standards, WPB said, to be injurious to radiators, rubber hose connections, ignition systems, and water pumps.

WPB listed the trade names of the prohibited anti-freezes as: All-Winter, Chem-A-Cool, Frozone, Permazone, Wonder-Solv, Lo-Zone, Alcotex, Ever-Flo, Bird Antarctic, Flexo, Gold Seal, Security, Anti-Artic, Neva-Freeze, Anti-Frost, Bond (Top Line), Fire-Zek, No-Freeze, 60-Below, Lo-Temp, Never-Freeze, and No-Boll.

It said the types prohibited are made with inorganic salts, including calcium, magnesium or sodium chloride, and petroleum distillates.

—BUY VICTORY STAMPS—

### Milk Man Turns Down Subsidy

DALLAS, Nov. 4.—(AP)—The Dallas county agricultural adjustment administration office reports it has found a patriot—a man who turned down part of a government subsidy.

Milk producers are paid a subsidy on milk they sell to help them meet increased costs of feed.

This producer brought in sales records which showed him entitled to a subsidy of \$196.

He grinned and took only \$92.50, explaining that represented what he had sold at wholesale. The other milk was sold in his own cafe.

—BUY VICTORY STAMPS—

### Armed Men Hold Up Mexican Bus

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 4.—(AP)—A band of about 20 armed and mounted men held up an Acapulco-Mexico City bus 25 miles from Acapulco yesterday and kidnaped a young woman passenger, the bus company reported.

The bandits, who surrounded the bus, took a gun from an army captain but did not rob the other passengers, according to the report.

### FLASHES OF LIFE

(By The Associated Press)

**SAD STORY**  
BELLEFONTE, Pa. — A 10-point buck scampered through the streets unscathed while meat-rationed hunters drooled. The deer season doesn't open until December.

**OLD FASHIONED WAY**  
DENVER — Dr. Bob Jones, an evangelist who believes he has a practical solution for juvenile delinquency, says:

"Those books that are being sold to parents telling them how to train their children would do the most good—if they were used flat side up."

**THIS UPSET ERA**  
MCCAMMON, Idaho.—For 15 years Mystery Lake has inundated a 20-acre field each fall on the farm of Warren Gibbs, then receded in the spring. By planting late and harvesting early, Gibbs always managed to harvest a crop.

But this year the water remained. So Gibbs departed for a war job—after harvesting his orchard crop from a rowboat.

**SHOES WANTED**  
OKLAHOMA CITY — Now that they've heard from Mrs. Cecelia Fields, the police won't be surprised at anything.

She said someone had stolen a pair of her shoes.

She was wearing them, in a nightclub, at the time; she must have dozed, she said.

**PERSISTENCE**  
KANSAS CITY—Four months ago Engineer Earl J. Curran of Brookfield, Mo., lost a diamond valued at several hundred dollars in a cinder pile.

Day after day Robert Pool, railroad employe, searched the spot as he walked by.

The other night his light flashed on a sparkling stone—Curran's diamond.

**MAN-OF-THE-WEEK**  
WHITTIER, Calif.—Buck Taylor, window cleaning agency operator, worked 12 hours daily all week, as usual, because of the manpower shortage.

Then, on Friday, his janitress was run over by an automobile.

Saturday he was reclassified I-A, although he has four children.

Sunday his youngest son was stricken ill.

Sunday night nothing much happened except that Halloween pranksters soaped his windows.

**ON DUTY**  
TWIN FALLS, Idaho — Domino, the Dalmatian dog which escaped while being crated for shipment to a training center, is back in the army.

Credit for returning the K-9 recruit to the service of his country goes—of course—to William Dye, city dog catcher.

**OOFS, SORRY**  
NEW YORK—Fifteen college students, sporting red pork-pie hats, entered Kings county court as part of their fraternity initiation.

Judge Peter J. Brancato looked up, frowned on the hats atop the crew-haired heads. Told to remove them, the youths remained as immobile as wooden Indians. The judge held them in contempt, clapped them in a cell.

One of the collegians was Peter J. Brancato, Jr.—the judge's son. They finally were released.

**SAFE KEEPING**  
MERIDIAN, Miss.—K. G. Cannon of Meridian reported to police a year ago that his automobile had disappeared.

Passing a storage company this week, Cannon noticed the car and was told by a company representative that a man had brought it in for storage and never returned.

Cannon paid the storage bill and drove the car away.

**GOOD NEIGHBOR POLICY**  
LOS ANGELES—Mary Bischof, attractive 20-year-old telephone operator, told police she was walking down the street and a man clutched her from behind.

Quickly, she leaned forward, grabbed his ankle, reared back and plied him flat on the pavement.

Then she stamped on his face and fled.

"I don't exactly remember where I learned that stunt," the girl explained.

"Maybe it was from the boys in my neighborhood."

—BUY VICTORY STAMPS—

### Firm Not Responsible For Cow's Actions

AUSTIN, Nov. 4.—(AP)—The supreme court in effect has ruled that Carl Hill's cow only remotely transmitted the effects of a charge of dynamite allegedly injuring Mrs. Hill.

It upheld the contention of the Uvalde Construction company that it was not responsible for what Hill's cow did when the animal was disturbed at milking time by the "fearful noise" of a dynamite charge set off 765 yards away from Hill's barnyard in Eastland county.

Hill claimed:

That the construction company at 7:30 a. m. was blasting holes in which to set power poles.

That Mrs. Hill was milking at that time.

# TEXANS:

## Your fighting forces need more of Your Gasoline

Here's the story:

In Italy, England, the Aleutians, the Southwest Pacific, and all around the globe, our fighting men are exerting every effort to bring this war to an early, victorious end. To carry on the fight, they need huge quantities of petroleum products, particularly gasoline for planes, tanks, trucks, and jeeps. The petroleum industry is straining all its resources to deliver these products, but it needs your help to meet the military requirements.

Now that synthetic rubber plants are beginning to operate, it might seem strange to Texans, living in a State that produces 9 barrels of petroleum out of every 20 for the U. S., that they cannot have all the gasoline they want. There is some feeling that continued restrictions on gasoline represent bureaucratic bungling and are entirely unnecessary.

In part, this may be due to the fact that the whole story of the petroleum industry's operations cannot be told now, because it would reveal military information, although it certainly would not give any comfort to the enemy! The truth of the matter is that your gasoline has answered the call to colors, and there is not enough today to supply more than military requirements and essential civilian demands.

#### Note Well These Facts

So that you may better appreciate the real contribution of the gasoline you help save, bear these facts in mind:

1. The over all military gasoline requirements from the U. S. are now 600,000 barrels daily (one-third of the total quantity used in this country in 1941) and are increasing constantly.

2. In order to make vitally essential war products, such as 100-octane aviation gasoline, toluene for TNT, and butadiene for synthetic rubber, refineries in Texas can now make only 11 gallons of automotive gasoline from each 42-gallon barrel of crude oil compared with 20 gallons in 1941.

3. Stocks of automotive gasoline in Texas during the past several months have declined more than 7,000,000 barrels and have now reached critically low levels.

#### Production Up 50%

Texans have a right to be proud of the quantity and quality of petroleum

products being supplied from this State to the military forces, but more must be supplied.

The flow of Texas oil from Texas wells has been increased more than 50 per cent over last year. This increase amounts to 750,000 barrels daily which will fuel thousands of ships, planes, and other motor vehicles with which our fighting men are carrying the attack to the enemy. And our armed forces are asking for more.

#### Refineries Operating at Capacity

Texas petroleum refineries are now operating at near capacity, and are making a great contribution by manufacturing ever-increasing quantities of essential war products for the fighting front. They are producing more 100-octane and other aviation gasoline than refineries in any other State and they are also carrying a large part of the load in the toluene and synthetic rubber programs.

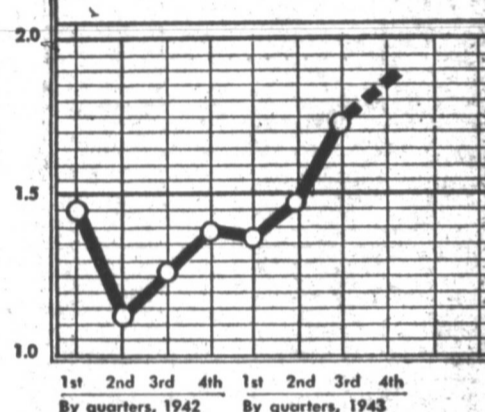
#### Oil is Ammunition

Oil from Texas is an essential weapon of war. Its place is alongside of Americans on the battle fronts all over the world. Think of that the next time you drive your car, and remember that the gallons of gasoline all of us can save today may provide the cargo that will help defeat the enemy in some engagement next month!

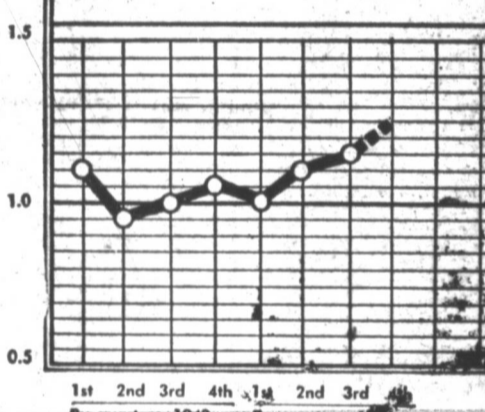
### How Every Texan Can Help

1. Make sure his car is properly serviced to use gasoline efficiently.
2. Do only essential driving.
3. Save gasoline by driving slowly.
4. Buy only gasoline authorized by his Government coupons.
5. Give away no coupons so that other motorists can do unessential driving.

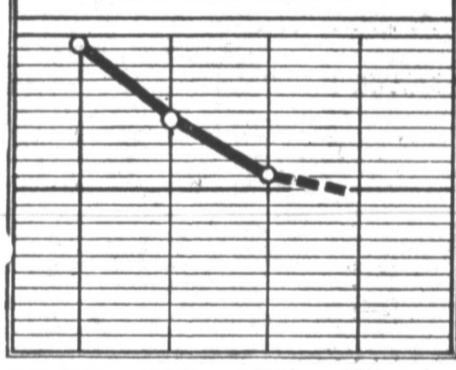
Texas Crude Oil Production (Millions of barrels daily)



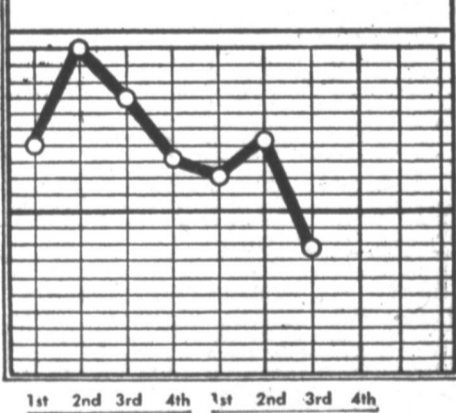
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Automotive Gasoline Stocks in Texas (Millions of barrels)



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# Dirty Gertie Washed Up For Radio, Comes Out Now as 'Flirty Gertie'

BY JAMES THRASHER  
NEA Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON, Nov. 4.—A sad fate has befallen Gertie from Bizerte, heroine of the soldier song that seemed to be becoming this war's "Mademoiselle from Armentieres." She isn't Dirty Gertie any more. She has been scrubbed and renovated.

The unwashed and unwhipped darling of the North African army is now Flirty Gertie. As such she soon will be heard on the air and seen in the music stores, equipped with lyrics about as racy as "Sweet Genevieve."

Gertie was doing all right as long as she stuck with the soldiers. The trouble started when her creator, William L. Russell, tried to introduce her to civilians by having a New York music house publish her exploits. The publishers took a look at Gertie's lyrics, raised their eyebrows, shook their heads, and trotted off to show the song to the radio people.

The radio people were aghast. "If we were to allow these lyrics to be

# Mainly About Pampa And Her Neighbor Towns

William Lynch, formerly of Pampa and LeFors, has received an honorable discharge after serving in the U. S. army for one year and six months. He will make his home in Pampa.

Wanted Beautician at The Charles Street Beauty Shop, Phone 160.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. (Bob) Triplehorn are the parents of a son, David Robert, born Nov. 3, weighing six pounds and 10 1-4 ounces.

Rummage Sale to be held on Nov. 13, by order of Rainbow Girls.

Arriving from Coffeville, Aam, yesterday were A/C and Mrs. Douglas Stong and A/C and Mrs. Frank Stong. They will make their home in Pampa.

Joe Niver underwent an appendectomy Tuesday at a local hospital.

Pvt. Floyd Grantham, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Grantham writes from somewhere in the Southwest Pacific that he recently left New Caledonia, that he is well and happy. The letter was the first word the Granthams had received since he sailed five weeks ago.

# Our Mr. Emerson Decodes Army Orders From Lubbock Induction Center Issued in Pampa

By BROWNWOOD EMERSON

You may think the alphabet agencies in the District of Columbia have exhausted all the initials and abbreviations known to man, but until you see the army's paper work, you ain't seen nuthin' yet.

For example, take the official code headed "Headquarters West Texas Recruiting & Induction District, Lubbock, Texas, 13 October 1943. Special Orders No. 254, Extract."

Headquarters, the title, and place is plain enough, but why 13 October? Why not October 13? The use of the Continental system in giving the date is due to an army filing system. Day of the month, in this setup, is more important than the month as the item can be more readily found in reference is first made to the date.

Why are the orders special? Actually, that "special" means nothing because anything pertaining to a certain group or a specific case is "special." The only "general" in this connection is that 11-point headache of soldiers, general orders, which starts off:

"My general orders to take charge of this post and all government property in view; to walk my post in a military manner."

Extract doesn't refer to lemon or vanilla but simply means that the document is an excerpt from another, a transcript, or partial copy.

This brings us down to the paragraph headed "6." All this means that five parts have gone before; in other words, this is the military

# ARMIES

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Saber-wielding Cossacks were spearheading the Russian drive across the Marshy Nogaisk steppe in the southern Ukraine and the beaten Germans appeared to be streaming toward the Bug river, last natural defense barrier before Odessa and the Balkans.

Yugoslav Partisans harassed the Germans in the Balkans as American bombers spanned the sea approaches to bomb a Greek airfield at Araxos.

The Germans, nervous and expectant about an invasion of southern France, were reported from Madrid to be moving strong reinforcements into the region.

From inside Germany, the Swiss weekly, Die Nation, reported conditions "much worse than 25 years ago." Allied air attacks were reported having a cumulative effect on German morale with a tenth of the Germans, were reported to be out or evacuated to spread their tales of woe and defeatism.

# JAPS

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may be joined. However, the Japs have not shown any disposition for such a sea fight since last fall.

Any naval engagement will probably be a spontaneous engagement between task forces, instead of fleets.

In the air there is a different story. The Allies, with their foothold on Bougainville, are in a position to hammer major enemy bases with ample fighter cover which has been lacking heretofore.

Rabaul and its environs soon should be at the mercy of Allied bombers whose repeated demonstrations of their effectiveness against formidable targets was topped by turning the entire shopping area of Rabaul into a scene of utter wreckage and destruction.

Shipping losses claimed were:

Sunk—Three destroyers, eight large merchant vessels, and four small coastal craft.

Damaged—Two heavy cruisers, seven large merchant ships and two large tankers.

The 85 airplanes destroyed in the air and on the ground crippled the Jap air force in the Rabaul area terrifically.

It lessened the possible effectiveness of enemy aerial interference on Bougainville where a land battle, probably as bloody and as long as the one that fought on Guadalcanal, looms.

The Japanese have many thousands of troops on the southern end of the island who must be supplied and reinforced by sea. The weather in this area is favorable at this time of year for such action. Troop and supply ships can easily take advantage of the heavy cloud banks that hang low over the water for hundreds of miles.

The Japs seem to be anxious for a fight and the Allies are determined to give it to them and drive them from the islands they have held for almost two years. Both sides are jockeying for positions in this early phase of the New South Pacific battle.

The Allies, by their surprise landing at Entress Augustus bay on Bougainville Monday, seem to have gotten the jump on the enemy whose plans and shipping losses are beginning to tell on him.

# CONGRESS

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one calling for establishment of a WTCC Washington bureau was defeated by a heavy vote. The other amendment to by-laws, a third vice president was named, M. C. Ulmer, Midland is president; George A. Simmons, Lubbock, first vice president; E. W. Hardin, Amarillo, second vice president; D. A. Bandeen, general manager, and Malcolm Meek, Abilene, treasurer. Hamlin Y. Overstreet, Farwell, was named third vice president.

District directors whose elections were ratified are:

R. E. Wertz, Amarillo; P. B. Ralls, Ralls; Jess L. Showers, Vernon; Amon G. Carter, Fort Worth; P. Edward Ponder, Sweetwater; B. Reagan, Big Spring; Dudley Yard, Peecos; George Baker, Fort Stockton; C. W. Meadows, San Angelo; Albert L. Clifton, Waco.

# STRIKE

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out a contract since May 1. There have been four strikes this year as a direct result of the wage arguments and President Roosevelt has ordered the mines seized by the government twice. Originally, the UMW asked approximately \$2 a day pay bonus; some operations offered 85 cents. The Illinois contract, offered as a model, provided \$1.50. The war labor board said \$1.12 could be approved but more than that would violate the hold-the-line policy against inflation.

The basis of settlement provided no simple, categorical answer to the simple question, "who won?"

If the WLE approves, it will do so under its own interpretation of the wage stabilization policy. The miners will get more money but it will mean increased working time in most cases. They will get paid for underground travel time, but only after 40 hours a week. Another possible result is higher coal prices, a factor the agreement did not mention. Increases probably would vary between 15 and 45 cents a ton.

# Playmates Now In Opposite Camps

KANKAKEE, Ill., Nov. 4.—(AP)—Two Kankakee playmates who were separated nine years ago and became fillers on opposite sides of the war when they grew up now have changed sides again—as prisoners of war.

Gerhart Zelsler, now 24, was taken to Germany by his parents nine years ago. He flew in the German Luftwaffe four years, until he was captured when the Allies invaded Sicily. He has written friends that he is now in a prison camp at Camp Bowie, Tex.

His boyhood buddy, Lt. Paul Flickinger, American bomber pilot, was shot down over Europe several months ago. He is in a Nazi prison at Dresden, Germany, where Zelsler's parents now live.

# COMPROMISE

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approval in treaties.

As it now stands, the resolution represents a compromise between Connally's original draft and a counter proposal made by the bloc of 14 with the addition of the Republican-sponsored treaty-ratification reservation.

The Connally proposal pledging the United States to join with free and sovereign nations in the establishment of international authority

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# An Open Letter to the Women of Pampa!

"We would have liked nothing better than to call you personally... however that would have been a physical impossibility, therefore we have decided to publish this open letter which we believe is real news! Please read our letter... the reading time is only three minutes... and it will mean "triple" savings for you, not counting the many "breathless" styles, colors and the "just-what-you-want" items. Thank you so much for reading our letter!"

Signed,  
Leah Behrman

# First

... we had planned on re-styling the front of our store with new display cases, etc. They were ordered months ago. We had just set this idea to the side for we knew that war restrictions were such that possibly it would be after the war before we could carry out our plans... then... just as suddenly, we were informed that these cases could be shipped immediately! Lo', but we found ourselves in this predicament:

Merchandise that had been back-ordered many times was suddenly being shipped, and now at this very minute we are so stocked that the girls here at the store "kid" about getting lost, in the maze of merchandise we have... hung, stacked, and shelved around the store.

This merchandise is all new... the styles are the very latest... and fabrics that speak for themselves. To make our story short... we are so very OVERSTOCKED... Period! It means costly delay on our new equipment not to have our store ready in the next few weeks. We have analyzed this picture and believe that we will make money by reducing our prices immediately.

We have reduced prices by the high percentage of... from 25% to 50% OFF ON MANY OF OUR NEW CASUALS, COATS, DRESSES, SUITS, SLACKS... AND... oh we could just go on and on... but, to save your time, and to keep to our promise of only three minutes reading time on our letter... won't you just drop by today and see for yourself... you'll be glad you did! Bring your friend and you'll have a friend for life... for not missing out on our wonderful selection and at these savings. Yes! Believe us, 'ole man Inflation is really going to take the count of "Ten" on our prices as they are right now... don't walk... RUN... this is an emergency for us... and a "Find" for you.

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Mrs. Roy Sanders Is Shower Honoree

A lavete shower was given Monday evening in the home of Mrs. Carl Dickman with Mrs. Wayne Hutchens and Mrs. Mildred Spier as co-hostesses.

Mrs. Clayton Heare Is Complimented At Shower In Shamrock

Special To The NEWS. SHAMROCK, Nov. 4.—Flowers in rich shades of the season were used to decorate the home of Mrs. Rufus Dodgen, when Mrs. Clayton Heare was complimented Friday morning with a coffee.

The Social Calendar

FRIDAY
B. M. Baker "Fun-Food-Frolic" will begin at 8 o'clock.
Inclination society at Masonic hall at 8 p. m. of the Order of Eastern Star.

Tips From the Readers

This year many homemakers are urged to entertain servicemen from nearby camps for Thanksgiving dinner. Even though rationing of food items may not permit the delectable feast of other years, the boys will appreciate spending the day in a family atmosphere and eating their dinner at an attractively set table.

Thanks go to Mrs. D. A. Carter for her recipe for a new birthday new BIRTHDAY CAKE (Takes up shortening.)

2 egg whites
3/4 cup karo
6 tablespoons sugar
1 teaspoon vanilla
1/2 cup finely chopped Brazil nuts

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Minstrel Show Is Feature of Baker School Friday Night

B. M. Baker "Fun-Food-Frolic" night will be held Friday when serving will begin at 8 o'clock.

Play Is Given By Coltexo H. D. Club

Members of the Coltexo Home Demonstration club held a party last week when a play was given representing work done by the club this year.



By RUTH MILLETT
Boy, how times have changed! For instance, look at the want ad a job-hopper recently ran in the newspaper.

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"Paganism" Is Theme For W. M. U. Meeting

W. M. U. members of the Central Baptist church met Wednesday for a 1 o'clock luncheon at the church followed by a business meeting and Royal Service program.

Learn the Truth About BOWEL WORMS

Nobody is sure to escape. And roundworms can cause real trouble inside you or your child. Watch for the warning signs: uneasy stomach, nervousness, itchy nose or eyes.



By ANN STEVICK NEA Staff Correspondent WASHINGTON, Nov. 3.—The rayon stocking price tangle is not expected to be unraveled until January, although minor price changes may appear soon.



are trying to straighten out confusion between types of sellers. STAMP COLLECTION Shoe stamp 18 is expected to last at least through December.

BREAK FOR EATERS-OUT

You may see more variety on the menu at your favorite restaurant. Points deducted from restaurant quotes for processed foods on hand have been cut 22 per cent, so restaurateurs will have more points left to spend.

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POTATOES No. 1 Red 10 Lbs. 37c

- Pasteries FRUIT PIES Each 35c
PECAN PUMPKIN CAKES Each 40c
COOKIES Assorted, Doz. 23c
Tomato Juice 6 Oz. Can 5c
Cheese Spreads 2 For 35c
Corn Flakes KELLOGG'S Giant Size Okay Spaghetti 2 Lb. Pkg. 14c
PEANUT BRITTLE 1 Lb. 35c
OXYDOL Large Box 23c
JACOBS SPAGHETTI Creole 2 Pkgs. 35c
MOTHERS CORN MEAL 10 Pounds 47c
GOLD MEDAL FLOUR 24 Lbs. \$1.17
COFFEE Star State or Arnholz Lb. 27c

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Best Maid SALAD DRESSING qt. 35c
SUGAR CURE SALT Mortons 10 Lb. Box 94c
SOUP MIX Chicken Noodle 3 For 25c
OVALTINE Large Size Chocolate or Plain 69c
BUY WAR BONDS Pound 18c
Shortening Bakerite 3 Pounds 68c
Margarine Best Spread or Blue Bonnet 47c
Table Syrup Delta No. 5 Jar 47c
Crystal White SOAP Req. size, 6 for 23c

NABISCO GRAHAM Crackers Lb. 19c
Furniture POLISH Bingo qt. 25c
MEATS AA Beef Chuck or Arm Lb. 30c
Roast Meat Rond or Loin AA Beef Lb. 40c
LUNCH MEAT Ass't. Kinds Lb. 29c
HAMS Pinkney's Tenderized Lb. 29c
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### Panhandle Man Is Rescued By Aussie Plane

SOMEWHERE IN AUSTRALIA, Nov. 4.—(AP)—Those Australian air force boys were swell to risk their lives as they did to save us," declared Tech Sgt. David Statland, Buffalo, N. Y., one of four Liberator crewmen who were rescued at sea after a bombing mission last week to the distant Dutch Celebes.

Seven members of the bomber's crew were lost. The survivors included Tech Sgt. William M. Fannler, Amarillo, Texas, engineer.

The airman had been adrift for 48 hours in the two rubber dingies, following a crash landing at sea, when rescued. The Australians put their plane down on the water, loaded the castaways aboard and took off again.

Telling of the raid and of their tragic effort to return to their base with a damaged plane, First Lieutenant Robert Jones of Fort Wayne, Ind., a survivor, said:

"Our bombers did a good job over the target. When Zeros attacked

another Liberator which had an engine shot out we shot down a number of them but we got one engine damaged and another cut out, forcing us to cross the range at tree-top heights. We hit the treetops, damaging the tail.

"Everything was jettisoned—guns, ammunition and lots of other things. Even then we were down to 500 feet. The pilot did a wizard job. We held our own for 400 miles but the Japs must have been plotting our course because suddenly two twin-engined fighters appeared.

"All we had to fight them was 30 rounds in our top turret gun. They just played with us. Our pilot was hit three times—in the head, foot and chest. Another shell burst between the co-pilot's legs. Other members of the crew had been wounded, some fatally. The flight deck was covered with blood. The co-pilot's controls were shot away and we came down.

"Somehow the pilot leveled her off for the crash. The bomber cracked up. The pilot and three others were dead. What happened then is not clear. I must have been thrown on a wing. I saw five others get out but two of them disappeared in the water. Our two dingies didn't inflate immediately and that probably saved us as the Japs must have concluded that we were dead.

"We drifted all that night and all the next day. Twice we saw searchers but couldn't attract their attention. Then the following morning, down came Australians with food and water. They kept patrolling until a rescue plane came."

SHIP RECORD SET  
HINGHAM, Mass., Nov. 4. (AP)—A new world's record for ship construction was claimed today by the Bethlehem-Hingham shipyard with the lead-lease delivery of the 1,300-ton destroyer-escort Reynolds to the British navy only 25 days after the laying of her keel.

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**From where I sit . . .**  
by Joe Marsh

"Keeping store," Sam Abernethy says, "can teach a person plenty about human nature. Now coffee rationing's lifted, folks ain't a-breakin' their necks tryin' to buy all they can. Knowin' they can't have it if they want it, they ain't so all-fired anxious to get it."

Sam's right, as usual. I don't crave that second cup half as much as when I couldn't get it. But that's human nature . . . Like allowing moderate beer in the Army's post exchanges. Instead of leading to more drinking, the OWI report says it works out just the opposite—often as not the men choose soda-pop or milk, with beer right there and no restrictions on it.

But if it wasn't like, in the last War, the story might be altogether different.

From where I sit, that's how it is with Americans. Tell 'em they can't have a thing and by golly, they'll find ways to get it. But admit their right to have it, and their own good sense will lead to moderation.

*Joe Marsh*

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### Filipinos Are Still Pro-U. S., Writer Asserts

(Editor's note—In the following dispatch Raymond P. Cronin, chief of the Associated Press bureau in Manila when the Japanese invaded the Philippines, gives the initial firsthand account of conditions inside Japan's "greater East Asia co-prosperity sphere" since the first American repatriates returned from Japan in July, 1942. Cronin, returning home aboard the exchange ship Gripsholm, went to the Philippines in 1935 after serving in Associated Press bureaus in Pittsburgh and Columbus, Ohio. He covered the growth of the Philippine independence movement, the rise of the Japanese menace, Gen. MacArthur's defense preparations and finally the invasion of the islands.)

By RAYMOND CRONIN  
PORT ELIZABETH, Union of South Africa, Nov. 4. (AP)—A Japanese puppet government, headed by a Filipino attorney-politician who advocated the Nippon way of life years ago, rules the Philippines today, but critical observers of the situation feel the regime lacks the support of the masses of the people, who remain loyal to the United States.

As I left Manila on Sept. 26 after 21 months internment in the Santo Tomas camp, the Philippines were on the eve of receiving their "independence" from Japan with Jose P. Laurel installed as president of what the Japanese described as a "republic" operating within their sphere of influence.

It is quite evident to all that Japan created the so-called republic to serve her war purposes and aid her in making East Asia safe and self-sufficient for the Japanese.

The puppet government undoubtedly is functioning today, because the final step leading to the announcement of independence by Tokyo was taken as the repatriation ship Teia Maru reached Singapore.

This final step, according to the Singapore newspapers, was a visit to Tokyo by Laurel, Benigno Aquino, speaker of the puppet national assembly, and Jorge B. Vargas.

Vargas, who had served as chairman of the Philippine executive commission under the Japanese military administration, was slated for the ambassadorship to Tokyo in the new setup. He formerly was a secretary to President Manuel Quezon, now in the United States.

Just what this independence will mean is, in fact, impossible to say, but I am convinced that it leaves the Japanese military authorities in complete control of the country politically and economically and that Laurel and his few followers will dance to music written in Tokyo.

Some observers express the belief adopted by Laurel's machine last month contains sufficient loopholes to permit the Japanese to force the

### It's Triple Play For Water Office

Every time the city adds an employe it reads like Tinklers to Evers to Chance to read the changes that must be made in names on bonds.

For example, the city commission at its regular meeting this week had to deal with a three-way shuffle in water department employes.

Ellen Keough, former clerk, advanced to cashier, replacing Catherine Ernestine Francis, whose ill health caused her to resign, City Manager W. C. deCordova said; then Nina Taylor was employed as a clerk succeeding Miss Keough.

On the bonding angle, this means that Miss Keough's name is substituted for that of Miss Francis on a \$5,000 bond and the \$1,000 bond of Miss Keough as clerk is assumed for Miss Taylor.

An order approving these changes in policies with the American Bonding company was passed by the commission.

Other business at the meeting included a quartet of tax adjustments and approval of a two-year contract with the Texas Railroad commission for rental of offices on the third floor of the city hall.

Payment is to be \$75 a month and the contract is to date from Oct. 1, 1943.

BUY VICTORY STAMPS  
**37 Texas Counties Raise War Funds**

HOUSTON, Nov. 4. (AP)—Thirty-seven of Texas' 254 counties have gone to the top in their drives for the United War Chest of Texas and the National War Fund. George A. Butler, president and campaign chairman of the state organization, has announced.

Out of a total of \$4,641,492 to be raised, \$1,829,074.21 has been subscribed in the county campaigns now under way in Texas, Butler reported. This represents 39.41 per cent of the total to be raised for the USO and the 16 other agencies of the National War Fund.

The best report is from region 9-S, centering about Corpus Christi, where 93.1 per cent of the goal has been raised. All campaigns in that area are over the top except Corpus Christi.

puppet regime to draft Filipinos for war service in the interests of Japan.

The "government" in the form of an executive commission which the Japanese placed in power in the Philippines after the occupation of Manila looked like the Quezon cabinet of old-time politicians minus the fiery little president.

Vargas, who is known to his followers as "the little Napoleon," was made chairman of the commission by the Japanese military administration, with Laurel as his chief aide in the role of secretary of the interior. Laurel also was chief of the pacification and order drive by which the Japanese hoped to rid the islands of widespread guerrilla activities.

Filipinos were generally surprised when the Japanese named Vargas head of the commission. He had been looked upon in former years as highly pro-American.

### Octane-Rating Of Civilian Gas To Be Reduced

WASHINGTON, Nov. 4. (AP)—The petroleum administration for war has reduced the octane-rating for civilian "premium" gasoline, set an octane-ceiling on "regular" gasoline and slightly reduced the volatility of both products.

The high-test grade of gasoline was cut to 76-octane, from the previous rating of 78-80 which has prevailed in most sections of the country.

Simultaneously a rating of 72 was fixed as the octane-ceiling of "regular" or "house brand" gasoline, used by the majority of motorists. This grade has had a rating "averaging 72."

Deputy PAW Administrator Ralph K. Davies said the action was necessary by increased military demand for aviation gasoline, and ascribed the drop in the octane number of premium gasoline "will be noticed by some motorists, but unfortunately we had no choice of action."

The volatility of both gasolines

was reduced somewhat, Davies said, because refiners were having difficulty in meeting the volatility demands of the military while maintaining civilian standards.

"However," he said, "the change in volatility is so slight that the motorist will notice it only during the colder periods when it may take a bit more time to get the motors warmed up."

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### Tradition Favored, Finds Mrs. FDR

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 4. (AP)—Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt, here to address the national CIO convention, was asked to comment on Philadelphia's mayoralty election, in which Republicans extended their 62-year control of municipal affairs.

"If I had any comment to make," she said, "I would say that evidently the people of Philadelphia want tradition."

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<b>CUT Green Beans</b>	2 No. 2 Cans	<b>25c</b>
<b>PRIMROSE CORN</b>	No. 2 Can	<b>15c</b>
<b>HEART'S DELIGHT TOMATO JUICE</b>	2 No. 2 Cans	<b>25c</b>
<b>GIANT BAR SWAN SOAP</b>		<b>10c</b>
<b>125 FT. ROLL WAX PAPER</b>		<b>23c</b>
<b>BAB-O</b>	Can	<b>10c</b>

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<b>PORK CHOPS</b>	Lean End Cuts, Lb.	<b>28c</b>
<b>Cured Hams</b>	Shank Ends As Displayed Lb.	<b>29c</b>
<b>PURE LARD</b>	4 Lb. Carton	<b>65c</b>
<b>Round STEAK</b>	Arm Cuts, Lb.	<b>30c</b>

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<b>NOODLES</b> Cello Pkg., Lb.		<b>19c</b>
<b>PEANUT BUTTER</b> Pecan Valley, Qt.		<b>55c</b>
<b>SALAD DRESSING</b> Miracle Whip, Pint		<b>29c</b>
<b>VANILLA WAFERS</b> Lb. Pkg.		<b>29c</b>
<b>PURE MUSTARD</b> Schilling's, 3 6 Oz. Jars		<b>25c</b>
<b>MATCHES</b> Diamond, 6 Box Carton		<b>29c</b>
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<b>KRAUT CABBAGE</b>	Lb.	<b>3 1/2c</b>
<b>ORANGES</b> Texas Lge. Size	Doz.	<b>29c</b>
<b>TEXAS PINKS GRAPEFRUIT</b>	3 For	<b>25c</b>
<b>FRESH BRITTLE CARROTS</b>	2 LARGE Bunches	<b>9c</b>
<b>ONIONS</b> No. 1 Yellow	3 Lbs.	<b>14c</b>
<b>APPLES</b> Fancy Romes	2 Lbs.	<b>21c</b>
<b>LEMONS</b> 360 Sunkist	Doz.	<b>31c</b>

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# North Side-Poly Game Tonight To Decide Fort Worth Area Title

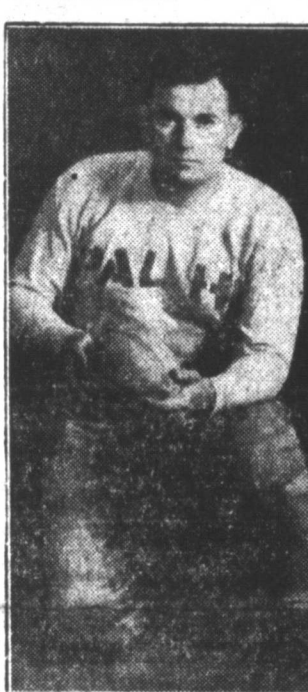
### The Champion—Football Version



There is no lack of attention as Red Grange, immortal Galloping Ghost of Illinois, returns to game as instructor at Chicago Sports Association football school for boys.

## Team Coached By Pampan Won 25 Out of 29 Loop Grid Games

Experience plus in athletics has Otis Coffey, Pampa High school coach.



OTIS COFFEY

Starting off, he won the 120-high hurdles championship of state in 1922 and was captain of the football team at Alvin, his senior year there.

At the University of Texas, he played fresh football, basketball and track in 1923-24; was appointed captain of the fresh basketball team; was on varsity football, basketball, and track teams in 1924-25, 1925-26.

He played forward on his high school basketball team, forward on the "fresh team" and guard on the varsity cage squad.

In college track, he stuck to hurdles; in football, was tackle on the fresh team, guard on the varsity when a sophomore and end as a junior.

He finished his work as a junior in 1928 and took a position as assistant coach at Rosenberg.

Later he secured his M. B. A. degree and B. B. A. degree from the University of Texas, majoring in accounting and having education and physical education as his minor.

Summed up, his coaching record has been 25 wins out of 29 conference football games at one school, three district championships and runner-up seven times in 13 years of football coaching.

Five district basketball championships in eight years; 10 straight county track championships.

Among the famous stars he has coached was William Wallace, all-American halfback of Rice Institute.

Coffey's coaching was built on his experience at the University of Texas under Clyde Littlefield, the late Dr. E. J. Stewart and Bill James.

Itemized by schools and sports, his coaching record:

**FOOTBALL**  
Eagle Lake High school, 1930-34, three district championships; the bi-district; one regional championship; won 25 of 29 district games played over a period of years; scored an average of 28 points per game in that period; while opponents scored an average of only 6 points.

lost two district games by one touchdown margins to finish third place in 1942; coached Bill Wallace, Rice Institute track and assistant football coach, who was all-state halfback his senior year in high school and all-American halfback his junior year in college.

**BASKETBALL**  
District championships in 1930, 1932, 1934; (did not coach basketball from 1934 to 1941 but kept in close contact with the game by officiating junior college and high school games and attending coaching schools); district championship in 1942 and 1943; was in play-off in 1941 after beating out Austin High school in the regional meet; lost to Austin for a chance to be in state play-off this year by a score of 31 to 29.

**TRACK**  
Ten straight county championships, 1930-40; three district championships; first place winners at state meet, Adolph Guyon, high jump; Bill Wallace, high and low hurdles.

Second place winners at state meet, Bill Converse, low hurdles; Homer Barr, discus; Albert Collier, shotput; placed men in finals of state track meet seven of 10 years.

Coach Coffey is a native Texan, born at McKinney. He is 40 years old, 6 feet tall, weighs 220 pounds; is married, and the father of two children, a daughter, 13, and a son, 2 months.

The coach is a member of the Christian church and doesn't tolerate profanity by his players, and abstains from alcohol and tobacco.

He has written four books on football and has had several articles published in national athletic journals.

The Pampa coach was assistant football coach and commercial teacher at Rosenberg High school in 1925, 1926, 1927 and 1928; principal of the high school, athletic director, and commercial teacher at Columbus, 1929; high school principal, athletic director and commercial teacher at Eagle Lake High school, 1929-1935.

Athletic director and chairman of the commercial department, Palestine high school, 1935-1941; director of physical education and athletics, Robstown High school, 1941-43.

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## Mighty Mites Missing From Champ Battle

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF  
Associated Press Sports Editor  
Something colorful and dramatic is missing from Texas schoolboy football today—missing for the first time in years.

Masonic Home's Mighty Mites, who wrote gripping chapters of the gridiron, are not battling for a district championship.

This year they really are the Mighty Mites—scrapping all but too little and too few.

Tonight North Side and Poly will meet with the Fort Worth district title on the line. The Masons, already eliminated, will be just interested spectators.

This is the feature game in the state for the week, the only contest matching unbeaten teams. Poly is undefeated and untied, North Side has only a tie to its record.

While this tilt will not definitely determine the title, the critics will consider the "winner as is" because Poly already holds a decision over Amon Carter-Riverside, the only other team in the district that hasn't lost as many as two games.

There is an important game tomorrow night in district 10 where Bryan meets Hillsboro with leadership of division B at stake; Woodrow Wilson and Crozier Tech meet Saturday night in a battle between two of the leaders of district 8; and two of the top teams of district 15 clash when Austin's unbeaten Maroons tangle with once-tied Jefferson of San Antonio, but otherwise the schedule for the state is rather slack.

In all there are only 36 games, 31 of them conference affairs but those mostly just the "leveling off" process in district races with few rated important barring big upsets. Only five of the ten undefeated untied teams of the state have games and only Poly appears to face trouble.

The complete schedule by districts:  
1—Friday: Brownfield at Lubbock (conference).  
2—Friday: Olney at Wichita Falls (conference), Burkburnett at Electra (conference), Quannah at Graham (conference).  
3—Friday: Abilene at Sweetwater (conference).  
4—Friday: Yaleta at Monahans, Bowie (El Paso) vs. El Paso High (conference).  
5—Friday: Bonham at Paris (conference).  
6—Friday: Arlington at Highland Park (Dallas) (conference), McKinney at Denton (conference), Greenville at Sulphur Springs (conference).  
7—Thursday: Poly (Fort Worth) vs. North Side (Fort Worth) (conference); Friday: Masonic Home (Fort Worth) vs. Paschal (Fort Worth) (conference); Saturday: Fort Worth Tech vs. Amon Carter-Riverside (Fort Worth) (conference).  
8—Friday: Forest (Dallas) vs. Sunset (Dallas) (conference); Saturday: Crozier Tech (Dallas) vs. Woodrow Wilson (Dallas) (conference).  
9—Thursday: Eastland at Cisco; Friday: Mineral Wells at Stephenville (conference), Arlington Heights (Fort Worth) at Weatherford.  
10—Friday: Sherman at Waco, Bryan at Hillsboro (conference), Corsicana at Mexia, Ennis at Waxahatchie (conference).  
11—Friday: Gladewater at Kilgore (conference), New-Boston at Texarkana.  
12—Friday: Henderson at Jacksonville (conference).  
13—Thursday: San Jacinto vs. Sam Houston (Houston) (conference); Friday: Reagan (Houston) vs. Jeff Davis (Houston) (conference); Saturday: Austin (Houston) vs. Milby (Houston) (conference).  
14—Friday: Orange at Goose Creek (conference), South Park (Beaumont) at Conroe (conference), Port Arthur at Galveston (conference).  
15—Thursday: Kerrville at San Antonio Tech (conference); Friday: Austin at Jefferson (San Antonio) (conference), Laredo at Corpus Christi (conference).  
16—Friday: Robstown at Harlingen (conference), Edinburg at Brownsville (conference).

**ANOTHER ENGEL ON IT**  
When E. T. Bales of the Chattanooga, Tenn., News-Free Press asked John Engel to explain why Branch Rickey first released Leo Durocher then re-hired him as Dodger manager, Joe remarked: "If a Southern League owner pulled such a deal, the majors would brand it as nothing more than 'typical bush league' but since I am a bush leaguer the only thing I can say is 'the Brooklyn deal is that it is 'typical bush league'."

## San Angelo Star Not Collegian, Officials Say

SAN ANGELO, Nov. 4.—(AP)—Milton Rathbone, San Angelo high school quarterback, is taking two night school courses taught in the San Angelo college building, but he is not enrolled in the college and the courses are not in the college curriculum, school officials here say.

This explanation was made last night in a statement by Bryan Dickson, superintendent of San Angelo schools, and Dr. Wilson H. Elkins, president of San Angelo college.

... An Edgewater, N. J., boy, Jim was captain of the district basketball and track teams at All Hallows Prep in the Bronx and the grid team used to practice in Macombs park, only a long Bertelli pass from the stadium.

... Supt. Dickson said the night school courses last year were taught in the high school building but were moved this year to the college building to eliminate necessity of heating two buildings.

Dickson said that Rathbone, in addition to taking five day courses in high school, was attending the two night school classes in an effort to acquire sufficient credits to graduate from high school at mid-term and before entering some branch of military service.

Rogers said that if it was agreeable to the executive committee, to Odessa, and to the San Angelo high school officials, a meeting of the committee to rule in the case would be set for 10 a. m. Saturday in Big Spring.

... Filling in the gap, Coach Otis Coffey of the Harvesters has arranged an intra-squad game to be played at 7:30 p. m. tomorrow under the lights of Harvesters field. Admission will be at no charge, and fans are invited to come out and see the team in action as it prepares for the game next week against Plainview, its second conference tilt.

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## Intra-Squad Tilt Slated For Pampa Gridsters Friday

There'll be no game for the Harvesters here Friday night against the Vernon eleven, champions in their district, but the Pampa High School football team will have a game anyway this week, filling in a hole in the schedule.

Vernon was to have informed Pampa school officials yesterday as to whether or not they would see their team here for a game, but failed to do so.

... The original suit was brought in to meet the manpower problem.

"There are enough old ball players not eligible for the armed services, 4-F's and youngsters to carry on," Gardner said. "The transportation situation is no major barrier since with night baseball there will be little need for pullman accommodations in the comparatively short trips of our compact circuit."

"I think use of the youngsters field running and at forward passing.

In choosing the teams for tomorrow night's intra-squad, the players were grouped by positions and from these selections the teams were picked. Larry Fuller, left end, will captain one team, and Joe Cret, also a left end, will captain the other.

The hyena's jaws are strong enough to crush hard bones.

## Texas League Chief Wants Play Resumed

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF  
DALLAS, Nov. 4. (AP)—President J. Alvin Gardner of the Texas League thinks it should—and considers chances good—of the circuit resuming operations next year.

"I am convinced that the people want baseball and that the league could operate successfully next season," said Gardner today as he mailed questionnaires to sports writers asking their views on the question of meeting the manpower problem.

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## White Deer Bucks Play Lakeview At White Deer Friday

Special To The News.  
WHITE DEER, Nov. 4.—Resting from conference, play after three successive games, the White Deer Bucks will play the Lakeview eleven from District 3-A, here, Friday night, at 8 o'clock.

The annual league meeting will be held here next week and at that time Gardner will submit the question of resuming operations. He anticipates action at this session.

A majority of the present members are expected to favor starting up again and Gardner revealed that there were several other cities interested in joining the league if places were opened.

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## Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.  
NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—(AP)—It's all in the viewpoint: Last week Pitt's Clark Shaughnessy came out with the idea of increasing the yardage required for first down in football from 10 to 15 yards to curb the offenses. . . . A few days later Harry Ahken of Princeton suggested that six-man lines ought to be made compulsory on defense so as to give the offense a chance. . . . As far as we've heard, Frank Leahy hasn't found any fault with the rules as they are. . . . Hal Trosky, who has been out of baseball since 1941 because of chronic migraine, has returned to the active list. . . . Maybe he figures two years of experience with headaches should put him in line for a manager's job.

**QUOTE, UNQUOTE**  
Clell Barton, Camp Edwards (Mass.) coach, to Boston football writers: "Before I came here today I said to the players 'I shall go up there and tell them we are going to beat Harvard? There were 33 at the table. Thirty six hands shot into the air. The 36th belonged to me.'"

**SHORTS AND SHELLS**  
Credit an assist to Dud de Groot, Rochester U. coach, on Sammy Baugh's new pro football passing records. It was deGroot, spotting from the stands, who saw that the Dodgers' defense was bunched and tipped Sammy to throw long passes instead of short ones. . . . Boston football scribes are considering a Tufts-Boston College "Greater Boston Championship" grid game as a war fund benefit. . . . The New York writers also expect to sponsor a game but plans aren't complete.

**HOME TOWN STUFF**  
Jim White, Notre Dame's big tackle, who is expected to do some considerable damage to the army line in Yankee stadium Saturday, should feel right at home there.

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RECOGNITION AT LAST

War has one virtue. It reawakens a people's sense of values. For example, in practicing everyone takes the local newspaper pretty much for granted. Its value to the community and to the ideals of freedom which the editor symbolizes with every opinion he expresses, is almost wholly lost to sight.

In ordinary times the editor is painfully reminded of the arbitrary value placed on his services. Advertising is hard to obtain. When it is obtained it is strictly on a basis of getting so many customers for so-and-so's gadget. Any advertising manager who bought space in newspapers with the partial objective of encouraging a free press and free enterprise would, a few years ago, have been looked upon as light-headed by his colleagues.

But today circumstances have changed. The nation is at war. It is at war to restore freedom to other nations and to perpetuate our country. Our people have had abundant opportunity to contemplate the horror of nations where freedom is dead.

Our business men, all of us, have observed that in those nations disappearance of personal liberty was accompanied by the disappearance of the virtuous free thinker and free speaking editor. After the disappearance of the editor came the iron hand of dictatorship. It is not surprising that we have been looking out the editor and the free press he represents as something to be preserved at all costs in this country.

Industry realizes at last that without our free press there could be no free enterprise. Industry realizes now that if it wants to do business at the same old stand after the war, it will have to help preserve a system of government that will let private enterprise live. War has reawakened industry to the value of the editor. Its representatives have discovered that the American press renders a service far beyond selling a few yards of Blank Company's checkbook. The editor is the keystone of a free society—cannot be measured in dollars and cents, or bought by the inch.

MAYBE ANOTHER SURPRISE

The American people were long suffering at the hands of the European trouble makers. Our amiable disposition caused the bullying bosses of enslaved peoples to think they could kick us around with impunity. Well, they have had their eyes opened.

A somewhat parallel situation exists at home. We have been kicking out labor field. Under the conditions workers have a right to join a labor union if they choose, or the right not to join, although this latter right has been abrogated in many cases.

But labor unions have gained such power that in our country's crisis some of them have been kicking out people around after the pattern of the European dictators.

The people have endured coal strikes, war industry strikes, and a manner of work stoppages which have deliberately defied our government, as did the Axis nations.

Now with the coal strike in progress, and with a rail strike threatened, the gang which has prospered under labor dictatorship in the United States may be given a surprise party by a disgruntled American public, as unexpected as the one given the European bullies.

The Nation's Press

ALLIANCE OR WORLD STATE? (New York Daily States) Immense tasks of reconstruction for the management of the world after the war, but among them two are outstanding.

One is the plan of a military alliance between the United States and the British Empire. The other is the plan for a world super-state. It looks to us as if the League of Nations-British alliance (or collaboration) plan is the better of the two.

In case Americans have to choose between them after the war, the League of Nations-British alliance is the better of the two. In the event of the Alliance victory which now seems certain though not near, Russia will emerge as the dominant power of both Asia and Europe. The League of Nations-British alliance (or collaboration) plan is the better of the two.

Who'll Police World State? The world state plan appears to have been originally Mr. Roosevelt's conception. In this proposed postwar organization, America, Britain, Russia and China would be the Big Four. The other nations would belong, but in inferior capacities. The Big Four would really run things, spreading happiness and peace to the Four Emperors and a quart of milk per person per day all over the world.

Common Ground

By R. C. HOLLES "I speak the post-war universal. I give the editor's opinion. By God! I will look nothing which all cannot have their counterpart on the same term."

The War Food Administration's Propaganda

The head of most every business department in this newspaper has received two or three letters from different branches of the government telling how important it is that the newspapers go out and solicit local merchants to pay for advertising the War Food Administration program.

The bureaucrats in Washington seem to think that the mothers in each home do not have enough sense to feed their families. The bureaucrats in Washington are printing up and distributing twenty-million kitchen plans on charts to give to the housewife.

They are perturbed about our food situation, and well the administration may be. They say it is important to obtain when it is obtained it is strictly on a basis of getting so many customers for so-and-so's gadget.

Yes, the newspapers should pay up their part better than they have in the past. They should explain to every voter that if we continue to follow our present course, the bureaucrats at Washington, and keep several million unnecessary employees on the government payroll producing nothing but telling the private citizens how to work and how to save, there is nothing in front of the people but a mere subsistence level.

This scarcity of food is a direct result of the government encouraging labor unions to establish artificial wages in the city and with a ceiling price on food so that the worker on the farm only gets about one-fourth or one-half as much for his work as the city worker.

Rome, the food is scarce. The politicians promised free bread and free circus. It drew the people from the country. Mass starvation followed.

The one thing that to avert this for our country is for the people themselves to take into their own hands the establishment of the values of different things on a free market basis.

We are short of milk and butter and meats and many other things and it will only be a question of time until we are short even of the necessities of life. The bureaucrats in Washington permit them to plan our economic lives. Let price be the guide as to what we should want produced and it will be produced.

Our Children Pay Us to Miseducate Them

The federal government is considering \$800,000,000 of federal aid for the schools. It is to be used for anything in the world that is ridiculous. It is for us to be so sure we know what is right and should be taught to our children.

It is most irrational and absurd to be borrowing money to teach our children. We are so short of money or so dumb that we do not know how to run a government that pays its bills as it goes.

Mr. Churchill Prime Minister. And Stalin? Stalin could be Secretary and Treasurer. Let them appoint our children will have to repay so that we can educate them to be as inefficient and as dishonest as we are.

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We Are "Energetically Reversing The Fighting Direction" (Nazi Report)

ABOUT FACE! CHARGE! The image shows a soldier in a trench with a rifle, looking towards the camera. The text "ABOUT FACE!" is written above him, and "CHARGE!" is written below him. The background shows a trench with other soldiers and equipment.

News Behind The News

The National Whirligig

By ALBERT LEMAN BUREAUCRACY—National political megalomaniacs are bullying tomorrow's New York State election as a test of strength between the President and Governor Dewey.

If Senator Joe R. Hanley, Republican, trounces Lieutenant Governor William N. Haskell, Democrat, at the office of Lieutenant Governor, it augurs ill for Squire Roosevelt of Hyde Park, who, incidentally, never carries his own Dutchess County. Most professional prognosticators are betting on a Hanley walkover.

A less superficial analysis warrants no such cocksureness. Washington may look upon the affair as an event of magnitude but a realistic appraisal is that the citizenry of F. D. R.'s home commonwealth does not give ainker's damn about the contest. Only strenuous buttonholing by precinct workers will drag it to the polls.

This apathy makes it difficult for unbiased forecasters to predict the outcome. The crux of the matter is: How deep-seated is animosity against the New Deal?

The G. O. P. has tried to capitalize on the irritations caused by Federal regimentation, taxes and bureaucracy. For the most part, they have contained their exhortations to state issues.

POWER—F. D. R. will cast his ballot for Haskell but the retired Army man was not the first choice of the White House. The candidate was picked by James A. Farley and the President accepted him.

Jim has been the Party's most effective campaigner. At a late hour former Governors Herbert Lehman and Al Smith were brought to the stump to prove that Jeffersonian Democrats, as well as Harry Hopkins' hoozanna boys, are solidly backing the brass hat.

Effulgent prophecies of victory by outside G. O. Press agents are disputed by many local dopesters. Registration in the upstate "hate Roosevelt" belt dropped less than in metropolitan boroughs. But it has been demonstrated again and again that persons whose names are on the permanent lists in the rural districts do not flock to the booths in off years.

In addition to regular Democratic stalwarts, Haskell has been promised two hundred and fifty thousand voters by the American Labor Party. This conglomeration of Left Wingers holds the balance of power. Its wheel horses are working hard to prove its strength, to impress both the donkey and elephant Warwicks in 1944.

SHENANIGANS—Sidney Hillman's Political Action Club and the C. I. O. are rounding up the unions for F. D. R.'s candidate, particularly in factory centers, although the political discount the affords the A. F. of L. has endorsed the Republican rival.

Dewey and Willie have kissed and made up; both are now cheer leaders for Hanley. But certain of Wendell's worshippers, without his knowledge or consent—whether that the surest way to trip the Governor and keep him from grasping into Willie's Presidential campaign is to knife Hanley.

The absence of a million soldiers will hurt the Democrats as sixty per cent of these men are on their boots.

REACTION—The key man is Farley. He remained a bystander in the third term race but he is out in the hustings for the General.

He delivered one of his most important addresses in Queens, the hotbed of anti-Roosevelt sentiment in Democratic silt. He thanked his friends, especially lukewarm voters of Irish extraction, that the New Deal is not an issue in the contest.

On Wednesday the results of the election will be magnified by the press portending the fates of Roosevelt, Dewey, Willie—and all creation. But, in the closing hours of the campaign, the typical reaction of the Empire State is an unexpressed yawn.

NO political and security structure of international organization could stand for long if economic relations were characterized, as they were after the last war, by trusts and counter-thrusts of high tariffs, restrictive quotas, embargoes and discrimination. Political co-operation and economic isolation simply will not mix. —Sumner Welles.

Peter Edson's Column: TRUCKERS HARD HIT BY TIRE PINCH

By PETER EDSON By far the blackest part of the tire shortage picture now developing covers truck tires. This is unfortunately the most important part of the picture, for a breakdown in commercial trucking today means a complete breakdown of all transportation. The war and the need for relieving rail transportation on the short hauls so that the railroads could concentrate on long hauls, and vice versa, have thrown a chiasis-breaking burden on the truckers.

Around Hollywood

By ERSKINE JOHNSON For a scene in "Rainbow Island," Devoe would not be expected to be invited on a huge sacrificial funeral pyre. The labor department at Paramount constructed the affair with a hook-in to a gas line so the fire could be turned up and down at will. It's one of those things which will look real enough on the screen, of course, but what the public won't know is that Dorothy Lamour is cooking ON gas.

Understand that conditions are getting bad in the matter of essential materials, that Cecil B. DeMille will be forced to use a plastic bathtub in his next picture.

Slight of the year: Bing Crosby, garbed in the robes of a Catholic priest for his role in "Going My Way," reading his morning paper to the Racing Form.

For the first time in 20 years, Lloyd Bacon, the director, turned the other day to his own picture, "The Sullivans," at 20th Century-Fox. Bacon played a mail man walking down the street, with only one line of dialogue, but the memories, Bacon said, "We used to do a lot of things when I was an actor—a lot more than any thespian I know." Bacon played the hero's scapage brother, the sheriff who shot him and the doctor who pronounced him dead. We had a few memories in those days," Bacon grinned.

NECESSARY ITEM Funny story behind the retakes on a new movie. The leading lady has seven children in the picture, but after seeing the completed film, somebody noticed that the writers had omitted to mention that they had been married! Col. Felix Henderson, commander of the famed flying fortress, the Sussie Q., read Robert D. Andrews' screen play of the picture in which I played the hero's scapage brother, the sheriff who shot him and the doctor who pronounced him dead. We had a few memories in those days," Bacon grinned.

JOAN Fontaine has leased a home in New Hampshire for a month's vacation. Then goes to New York for a series of radio shows and then hopes to go on an overseas entertainment tour.

Now they're even setting Shakespeare to live. Tennessee's Kim Gaudin and the Kent have written a biting version of "Taming of the Shrew" for the finale in a new Republic film, "The Return of Casanova."

The Bob Mitchell Boy Choir has been signed for another movie at Paramount. Lester Mitchell, who received a letter from the navy has been appointed to the ship's company staff, at the Farragut, Idaho, training station, as arranger.

COLORFUL CHARACTER Add first meeting: As a youngster, Alan Marshall was introduced to John Deere by a friend named, little Alan said, "How do you do, sir. I've admired everything you've ever done."

Dewey said, "Humph, you aren't old enough to have seen me in everything I've ever done, but thank you for your extravagant compliment and thank God, you resemble your mother instead of your father."

There's a new army circular out which reads that military personnel will not participate in military pageants or shows which are designed primarily for the entertainment of the public, and which require an absence from their normal military duties for a period in excess of 14 days, without the specific approval of their command.

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In a free system, success can never be guaranteed. But in no other system is it worth the having. —Frederick C. Crawford, president National Association of Manufacturers.

THE STORY: When Doctor Hall announces his intent to engage a young assistant, Emily, in his daughters are interested. Emily, a Visiting Nurse, is loved because it will relieve her father of night calls. Nancy, home after her travels under wealthy Aunt Martha's patronage, went out short by that the nurse's remarriage, it may be an antidote to boredom. Mrs. Hall, however, is displeased to see her youngest daughter will live in her home. "Because of Nancy..." she says.

"But she's been away so much," Millicent said, "first at school and then with Martha. With Martha, she led an entirely different life from the life she'd be expected to lead here. You can't blame her if it's difficult for her to readjust herself. It's a terrific letdown, after all."

"It was our mistake," said the doctor, careful to use the plural pronoun, "letting Martha have her in the first place."

"Nonsense," said Millicent with one of her lightning changes, "it was the best thing that could happen to her!"

"The gong rang for supper and Millicent rose just as David shrugged himself into his coat. He said, ruefully, 'I hope I haven't a heavy office tonight. I've some calls to make.'"

"As usual," his wife said, "I thought perhaps you'd be home one night, at least. You haven't been since Nancy returned."

War Today

By DeWitt MacKenzie Associated Press War Analysts Japanese militarists and the real rulers of Nippon are said by competent observers in the Orient to recognize that they will lose this war but are hoping to secure a liberal peace and meantime to create an Asiatic bloc of countries which they can lead against the white races 25 years hence.

My own observations in the East have convinced me of that. There's real danger of the formation of an Asiatic bloc. The Japs are working the "big brother" game rather smartly in spots.

Fresh word of this trend has been brought out of a Jap internment camp in the Philippines by Raymond P. Cronin, who was chief of the Associated Press bureau in Manila when the Nipponese invaded the island.

The A.P. correspondent says his informants express the belief that Jap military men in the field are attempting to sow the seeds of brotherhood among the Asiatic races in general and the Chinese in particular. A similar report comes from another A.P. correspondent, Russell Brines, who also is on the Grijalva after nearly two years internment in Shanghai and Manila.

Brines reports that the Jap militarists are conducting an extensive propaganda campaign among the natives to sell the idea of protecting Asia against British-American "imperialism." A lot of this "imperialism" talk sticks, too, for I found it myself.

Both Cronin and Brines believe the Japanese military machine is capable of waging a long, hard war and intends to fight to a finish. While the leaders recognize that they must surrender ultimately, this fact is being kept from the Japanese people whose morale appears to be good.

This Japanese effort to establish an Asiatic bloc isn't a thing to be brushed aside lightly, because we can't say in advance that victory by arms over the Mikado's forces will eliminate the political danger. There are other disquieting factors in the situation. You know, we shouldn't fool ourselves into believing that all the peoples of the Orient are in love with either America or Russia. A lot of folk out there don't like us.

As I've reported in this column previously, there is a widespread feeling in the Orient that the four big powers and the Atlantic Charter aren't intended for the peoples of the East at all, but only for the West. Even China, our ally, has been much concerned over this, as has neighboring India.

The situation has been complicated by India's bitterness over the political quarrel with Britain, an imbroglio in which high Chinese personages sympathize with India.

From my own investigation in India I know that day and night the Nipponese are pouring a flood of anti-British propaganda into that country with the idea of capitalizing the political crisis. Lavish promises of "freedom" are being made by them.

Both China and India want to be included among the United Nations—but the necessity of removing all suspicions regarding the Western Allies is quite apparent. It's doubly so when one stops to consider that these two vast countries together have a population of some 900,000,000, which is close to half that of the whole world.

LOS ANGELES—Attorney Joseph Scheeter asked that his case be called ahead of several others. "Your case will last two hours," protested the judge.

"Your honor, we'll be through in 20 minutes," Scheeter promised, "or I'll pay \$1 for every minute over that to the War Chest."

THE DOCTOR'S DAUGHTERS By FAITH BALDWIN COPYRIGHT, 1943, NEA SERVICE, INC.

"But she's been away so much," Millicent said, "first at school and then with Martha. With Martha, she led an entirely different life from the life she'd be expected to lead here. You can't blame her if it's difficult for her to readjust herself. It's a terrific letdown, after all."

"It was our mistake," said the doctor, careful to use the plural pronoun, "letting Martha have her in the first place."

"Nonsense," said Millicent with one of her lightning changes, "it was the best thing that could happen to her!"

"The gong rang for supper and Millicent rose just as David shrugged himself into his coat. He said, ruefully, 'I hope I haven't a heavy office tonight. I've some calls to make.'"

"As usual," his wife said, "I thought perhaps you'd be home one night, at least. You haven't been since Nancy returned."

WARTIME HEALTH: Worry and Fear May Cause Body Pain, Stiffness

By DR. THOMAS D. MASTERS Written for The News The world is filled with overworked, overanxious, and emotionally disturbed people, and at the moment with obvious and adequate reason. The stress and strain of war is mental as well as physical. Nature, however, has a way of protesting, regardless of the cause, against both physical and emotional excesses with definite body symptoms.

One of the most annoying and distinct warnings of emotional disturbance is pain, stiffness of certain muscles, and restriction of movement of the involved part. These symptoms suggest what is frequently called neuritis, lumbago, or muscular rheumatism. Although the symptoms are similar, the conditions must be differentiated.

Relief is obtained by recognizing the problems and worries, and facing them objectively. Medical help is often necessary to succeed in doing so. Rest and relaxation are indicated as a first approach to relief. Medicine and massage play a minor role.

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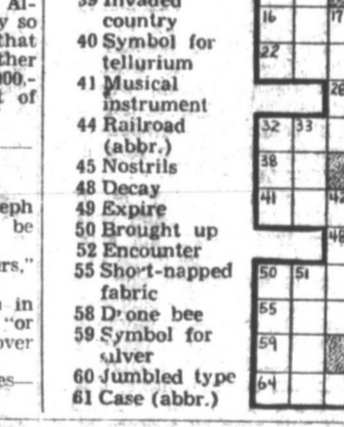
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SCREEN STAR

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Psychological Causes

Often, the causative factors are lacking, and the objective findings cannot be found. In their stead is a tired, worried and anxious individual. Worry or fear can keep the shoulders and neck stiff and rigid for hours, and even days.

The back and the chest are the most frequently involved portions of the anatomy. The reduction of blood supply because of muscle spasm or even direct pressure on nerves are capable of causing the pain. This type of muscular rheumatism, due to psychic causes, is common. The pain lasts as long as the muscle tension, which may persist for weeks.

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At the supper table they talked about Jim Thompson and Frank Edgar...

"A hat," said Nancy firmly, wrinkling her nose, "used to be the most dreadful practical joke. I hated it."

"He was nice," she said thoughtfully. "Remember the time old King broke his leg, Dad? You set it and Frank helped? I tried to help, but I was too upset... he'd been my very own dog for so long."

Craberry had seen very little of Frank Edgar, heir to the Edgemoor Mills, since his preparatory school days. From school to college and on to Oxford and travel. Then the army. Now, according to Millicent, he was coming home on honorable discharge and going into the mill.

He was a very eligible young man. The Edgemoor stock was well known all over the United States. Ellen, passing the salad, took a hand in the conversation. She had been maid of all work—with a laundress-cleaning woman in two days a week—for the Halls since their marriage. Millicent had never been able to break her of her participation in family affairs. In recent years she had not tried. Why should she? Ellen never took a day off, and she was the best cook in Cranberry.

"That Frank," she said, "many a handout I've given him when he knocked down. Once he stole the pies off the window sill. I gave him the flat of my hand when it would do the most good."

The Halls, including Millicent, dissolved into helpless laughter. "Well," said Nancy, picking at her food, mindful of her figure, "at least something's happened in Cranberry. Two new men."

"Two?" repeated Ellen alertly. Her employer explained. Ellen, tall and spare, nodded. "It's about time," she said, and vanished from the dining room. (To Be Continued)



### West Texas C. C. Announces Achievements in War Projects

ABILENE, Nov. 4 — (AP)—Albany was awarded first prize in the West Texas Chamber of Commerce inter-community war and preservation contest which was devised in September 1941 and officially closed at the WTCC's referendum convention here Wednesday.

Second prize was awarded to Hereford. Vernon ranked third and Brownwood fourth. Honorable mention went to Sweetwater, Breckenridge, Lamesa, Kermit, Midland, Mineral Wells, Hamlin, Ohney, Roman and Snyder.

Results of the contest were announced and prizes presented by C. M. Caldwell, Abilene, chairman of the WTCC's national security and

ments 13 times greater than for state as a whole.

Every county met or exceeded its food production goal, it was reported. Forty towns supported WTCC campaigns before the Commodity Credit Corporation which resulted in diversion of 70,000 tons of Midwest soybeans to West Texas crushing mills and promised that 500,000 tons will be diverted to Texas this year.

### Corpus Christi Sailors Long For White Christmas

CORPUS CHRISTI, Nov. 4 — (AP)—Halloween passed uneventfully and Thanksgiving, with memories of mother's festive board and family gatherings, will be overshadowed by the daily work at hand.

But, there's one event coming — the home-celebrated occasion that looms larger daily in the minds and conversations of Uncle Sam's Wives and bluejackets here at the naval station on the Texas Gulf coast.

newspaper, The Beam.

And a diminutive Wave from Vermont remarked: "It's sure going to look funny next month when we start stringing trinkets and tinsel on these palms. But I'm going to do it, so help me."

Christmas," said one bluejacket from Idaho, heart of the Christmas scene country.

An aviation cadet summed up the unspoken thoughts of most of them when he said: "Christmas symbolizes everything we're fighting for. Give us a Christmas tree as a last link with home and we'll prove with our lives that we fight for things worth preserving."

### Pipeline Construction To Start Next Month

WASHINGTON, Nov. 4 — (AP)—Construction is expected to begin next month on the 16-inch Standard pipeline which will move 65,000 barrels of crude oil a day from the rich West Texas-New Mexico petroleum basin, to Drumright, Okla.

from Beaumont, Texas, to Norris City, Ill., now is receiving its high pressure water testing and that oil would begin flowing eastward in about a month.

Remains of a stone temple that dates back more than 1,000 years have been found in southwestern Colorado.

Advertisement for 'GUDERSTREIF'S RED DIV' featuring Harold Peary, Jane Darwell, and Nancy Gates. Includes showtimes and prices.

Advertisement for 'CROWN ALAN LADD IN LUCKY JORDAN' featuring Alan Ladd. Includes showtimes and prices.

Large advertisement for 'BOMBARDIER' featuring Pat O'Brien and Randolph Scott. Includes showtimes and prices.

### Flier Who Remained On Bataan Reaches Home in Texas

ALBANY, Texas, Nov. 4 — (AP)—Lieut. Col. William E. Dyess, who remained on falling Bataan and, after his squadron's planes were shot up, led a force into the hills against the Japanese, is back home and has had the steak he asked for.

### Hackney Trains 13th Contest Winner

Glenn T. Hackney, county farm agent, established two new records today.

### Community Sing Somewhere in Egypt

Community Sing Somewhere in Egypt Latest News

A MESSAGE ABOUT ORANGE COUNTY, CALIFORNIA, AND ITS PRODUCTS

Large advertisement for Orange County Lemons. Includes a large image of a lemon, text about health benefits, and recipes for Baked Fish With Lemon, Lemon Smothered Chops, and Lemon Mint Sauce.

This Message Published by The SANTA ANA REGISTER "Orange County's Leading Newspaper for Over 58 Years"

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Remember Me?



I'M THE GUY who looked at you from a USO poster little over a year ago.

I'm the guy you forked over \$34,000,000 for—so that, through the USO, you could let me and all my buddies know that someone home still thought about us—still cared enough not to want us to miss out on any of the things we were in uniform fighting for.

A hot cup of coffee for example, when you come in all grimy and tuckered out from a little "business" trip.

A club house with easy chairs to melt into and desks to sit at and write home and a dance floor

and some decent girls to give us out here a little reminder of what it's still like back there

You remember, don't you?

You probably dug deep for a lot of other things that year, too...for British War Relief, United China Relief, and so on. Well, this year it's going to be simpler for you. Because this year, seventeen war relief agencies have banded together into one great big campaign—to make it easier for you to give, and easier for them to distribute the funds.

They're calling this one big campaign the National War Fund, and it includes most of the major war relief agencies. Because it does, this time you are only asked to give *once* for all seventeen.

And take it from me, as one who ought to know, that contribution you're going to make is one of the greatest things you can do to bring about victory. Not just because part of it's going to USO to do wonders for the morale of the fellows under arms, but because a good deal of it is going to help relieve distress at home through local agencies—as well as abroad, to help keep our allies in the fight.

So when you're asked to give to the united campaign of the National War Fund and our community's own war fund this month, remember me! Every dollar you give to the National War Fund helps me out in countless ways, and does its bit to bring me home sooner.

Give in a big way, will ya?

IN PATRIOTIC COOPERATION IN THE WAR EFFORT THE FOLLOWING SPONSOR THIS MESSAGE

GIVE ONCE FOR ALL THESE

\* WAR FRONT \*

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- United Seamen's Service
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- British War Relief Society
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- French Relief Fund
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- Greek War Relief Association
- Norwegian Relief
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- Russian War Relief
- United China Relief
- United Czechoslovak Relief
- United Yugoslov Relief Fund
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- LEGION CHARITIES
- SALVATION ARMY
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- Gilberts Ladies Store
- Montgomery-Ward
- S'western Pub. Serv. Co.
- Friendly Men's Wear
- Pursley Motor
- Furr Food
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Let Your Heart Decide Give a Pampa, Texas Share

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NO MAN'S LAND



Man Who Sold Groceries Point Free Is in Army

DALLAS, Nov. 4.—(AP)—Bill Whiting, Denison grocer who made rationless shopping dreams of housewives come true, for two days any way, is in the army, and indications here were strong that nothing will ever come of the OPA case against him. Inducted into the army Oct. 27 and given a two weeks' furlough Whiting wanted to get rid of his grocery stocks as soon as possible. He contacted the ration board at Denison about holding a point-free sale, but the board was unable to furnish a ruling. So he held the sale—meats, and canned goods, point free! No advertising was done, but the glad word spread faster than a panther on wheels and soon Whiting's store was sardined with customers. After a few hours a line of housewives a block long waited outside for their chance at thick juicy steaks and precious canned goods. That's the way it went that day and the next. Then, at 4 o'clock on the second afternoon, an OPA inspector from Dallas wormed his way in through the crowd and finally reached Whiting. He ruined everything. Whispers flew around that the stranger was the law and no one

there wanted to get pinched. Housewives dropped their bundles and ran—there was a great noise of rattling canned goods and stampeding feet. At Sherman, Texas, Whiting was hauled in federal court with selling rationed goods point-free in violation of OPA Regulations. He promptly posted \$500 bond and went back and sold his store to another grocer. Dallas OPA officials heaved a sigh when questioned about the case to-day. "Well," one of the men said, "Whiting's in the army. I guess his case will just be turned over to the army, for anything the army might want to do about it." "What would the army want to do about it?" he was asked. "That," he replied, "I can't say."

Halsey Praises Latest Venture

SOUTH PACIFIC ALLIED HEAD-QUARTERS, Nov. 4. (AP)—The Allies' latest venture in the South Pacific—the invasion of Bougainville island in the northern Solomon Monday morning by picked Marine assault troops—was a major step toward the heart of Japan, Admiral William F. Halsey, Jr., commander of the South Pacific, asserted to-day. "You cannot measure in mere miles the advance we thus made toward our ultimate objective—Tokyo," the admiral said.

Prisoners Lack Sufficient Food In Philippines

By RAYMOND P. CRONIN Former Chief, Manila AP Bureau PORT ELIZABETH, Nov. 4.—(AP)—The general health in the Santo Tomas internment camp in Manila where I was a prisoner for 21 months, the largest concentration of civilian prisoners in the Far East, is gradually deteriorating because of the lack of essential foods. A heavy cargo of relief supplies, totaling some 30,000 cases of all kinds of food, medicines and clothing—is going to Manila aboard the Japanese repatriation ship Teia Maru. If it reaches the internment it will stave off the serious situation for at least a few months, but a long-range sure-fire food and medical supply program is necessary unless speedy repatriation is planned. At Santo Tomas camp, doctors, among them Dr. Earl B. Leach of the Rockefeller foundation, who organized and managed the camp hospital—say the general diet is now less than 1,800 calories daily as compared with a normal diet of 2,500.

Essential foods now are unavailable in the local markets, because the Japanese not only are living off the country but are removing supplies, especially rice and sugar, to other areas, perhaps to Japan proper and to occupied regions further south. The same conditions undoubtedly exist in other Philippine civilian internment camps at Baguio, Los Baños and Davao. The food situation in Manila outskirts, the camps and supposedly throughout the Philippines, also is critical, as the Japanese failed to bring in major food supplies to feed their own army plus the populace. Former heavy food imports from the United States, in addition to rice from China, have been shut off for almost two years. The Japanese, while hammering on an increased food production campaign, are devoting much of the planting area to cotton, with which they have had some success, especially in Pampanga, which before the war was called the granary of the Philippines.

Severe Meat Shortage Predicted by Texan

WASHINGTON, Nov. 4.—(AP)—severe meat shortage early next year as a result of the new livestock price control program is predicted by Rep. Kieberg (D-Tex). The Texan made this forecast yesterday in an address to the house in which he asserted that not a single man in the office of price administration who handled the livestock program "knew one little thinker's muddle" about cattle production. He called them "dreamers and star gazers who see a brave, new world, a new planet which they then Kieberg demanded: "This congress, Mr. Speaker, must take definite and immediate action to rectify these perversions of a government of law and of a government operating as a representative democracy."

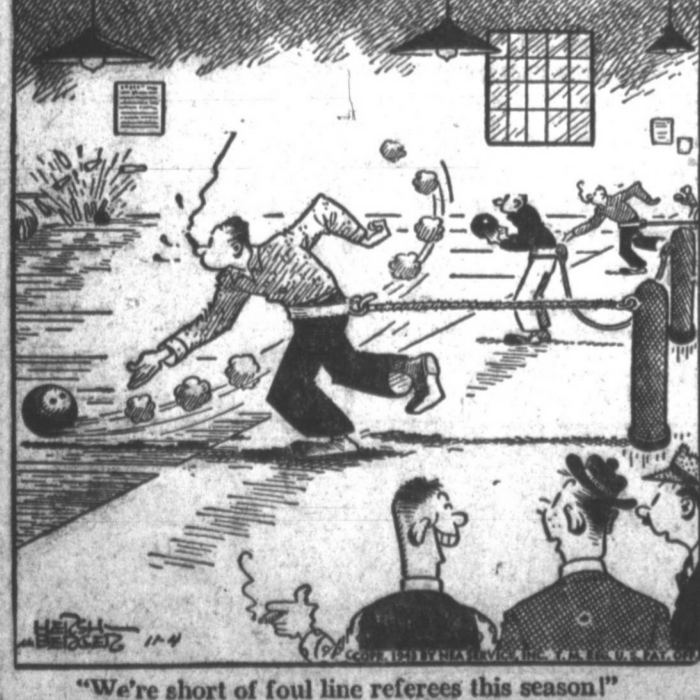
11 Mosquitos Lost In 1,000 Attacks

LONDON, Nov. 4.—(AP)—Crediting the RAF's Mosquitos with playing an important part in the effort to smash Germany, though their work has been shoved into the background by the spectacular raids of Allied heavy bombers, the air ministry announced today that these planes had made more than 145 attacks on Nazi industrial targets in the last six months. In a review of the activities of the fast, plywood Mosquitos, the ministry disclosed that since May 1 small formations had hit Cologne 33 times, Düsseldorf 15, Aachen 8 and Dortmund 6. Thirty other German cities also have had one or more "Mosquito" bites in this period. Out of at least 1,000 sorties flown by Mosquitos, only 11 planes are listed as missing.

SIDE GLANCES



FUNNY BUSINESS



THE MONEY FLOOD

Some Administration leaders are making a praiseworthy effort to check inflation but they are not dealing with the main cause which is enormous government spending. New Deal economists say that a Nation can safely carry a public debt two or three times its annual income. Assuming a national income of \$100 billion a year they say we can carry a debt of \$300 billion. In proof they point to such countries as France and Great Britain before the present war broke out. Their argument is intellectually dishonest for the following reasons: They neglect to tell you that the debts of these countries were practically all in long term bonds. France, for example, had the highest per capita national debt in the world. It was, however, represented by obligations which could not be cashed by the holders for many years. In Britain, not more than one-eighth of the debt ran for two years or less. The balance had long term maturities.

It is obvious that a debtor can carry a tremendous load if his creditors cannot demand payment for from twenty-five to fifty years. Hal of our present debt of about \$150 billion is payable within two years, and a half of that can be cashed by the holder in a period of months or days. A comparison with France and Britain fails also by reason of the fact that France devalued the franc following World War I about 80 per cent. She also failed to honor her debt to the United States. Devaluation, of course, enabled the French Government to lighten the burden of its obligations at the expense of its creditors.

In order to lull us to sleep with reference to the continuous post-war deficits which they are planning, the New Deal economists also point to the enormous potential productivity of American industry. They say we can produce so much goods that they cannot rise in price. They neglect to tell you, however, that you cannot produce \$100 billion worth of goods without disbursing \$100 billion worth of wages, interest and dividends. The two sums balance. The trouble with the depression in 1932 was not so much that we produced only \$40 billion worth of goods, but also that we had only \$40 billion to spend.

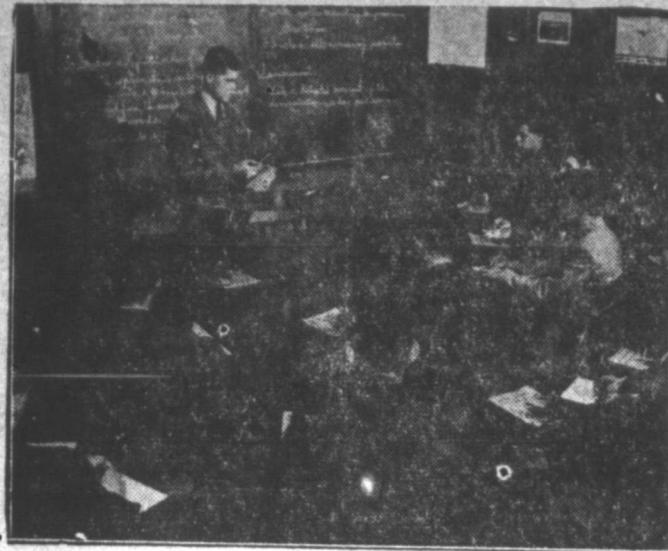
There may be a surplus of one commodity or the other, but on the whole it is impossible to out-produce the money flood. There is no magic whatever in this theory. It is economic camouflage for a desire to stay in office. If there were anything in it, it would mean that the people would not get sufficient money from producing the goods with which to buy them. And who wants that? There is, however, real magic in American productivity. It consists in constantly bringing down the cost of goods through science, invention and new processes. We raise the standard of living by reducing the cost of living; we lower the standard of living by increasing the cost of living. The latter is now going on and is the real damage done by inflation—it means that all dollars saved, whether in insurance, social security cards or government bonds, constantly buy less and less.

For the same amount of human effort, science offers a constantly increasing amount and a better quality of the goods and comforts of life. When the cost of making radios is brought down from \$300 to \$30, as has been done in the last twenty years, it operates as a wage increase of \$270 to every radio buyer.

There is hope even if fantastic deficit spending panaceas are not resorted to. We need but create a political climate favorable to enterprise, progress and plenty. A Texas rancher recently said: "There's nothing wrong with America that a good rain and a good election won't cure!" SAMUEL B. POTTENGIILL



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Bureau of Public Relations, U. S. War Department  
**WARTIME SCHOOL ROOM**—The Civilian Pre-Induction Training Branch of the War Department, in conjunction with the U. S. Office of Education, defines skills needed by future servicemen. One of these skills is the ability to speak with clarity and precision. These boys are practicing oral explanation in a high-school English class.

### Market Briefs

**WALL STREET**  
NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—(AP)—After moving up a little at the start today the stock market abruptly reversed its trend with steel, rails and rubbers leading the downward.  
Near the close prices generally were off fractions to around 2 points. Volume picked up on the decline reaching approximately a million shares for the five hours.  
The first hour rise which lifted a number of industrial pivots fractions to around a point mirrored optimism over the electrical results and better tax outlook although hesitancy in the steel focused attention on the serious labor situation in the soft coal industry.  
Stocks in the loss column near the end included U. S. Steel, Bethlehem, Youngtown sheet, Chrysler, Goodrich, U. S. Rubber, Case, Western Union, International Nickel, Postal, Union Carbide, Santa Fe, Great Northern, Southern railway, and Southern Pacific. A few of the so-called peace stocks held moderate gains. American distilling rose several points at the best.

**NEW YORK STOCK LIST**  
(By The Associated Press)

Am Can	88 1/2	86
Am T&T	29 1/2	106 1/2
Am Woolen	3 1/2	6 1/2
Anacostia	39	22 1/2
AT & SF	28 1/2	56 1/2
Brantiff Airways	37 1/2	12 1/2
Chrysler	46 1/2	78 1/2
Cont Mot	8 1/2	5 1/2
Cont Oil Del	35 1/2	31 1/2
Curtis Wright	7 1/2	7 1/2
Gen Ed	40 3/4	36 1/2
Gen Mot	40 1/2	51 1/2
Greenwood	19 1/2	15 1/2
Gulf Oil	36 1/2	47 1/2
Houston Oil	25 1/2	24 1/2
Int Harvester	20 1/2	67 1/2
Ohio Oil	38 1/2	17 1/2
Packard	22 1/2	25 1/2
Pan Am Airways	19 1/2	32 1/2
Panhandle P&R	4 1/2	4 1/2
Phillips Pet	33 1/2	46 1/2
Plymouth Oil	1 1/2	15 1/2
Pure Oil	43 1/2	15 1/2
Radio	137 1/2	9 1/2
Seas	18 1/2	8 1/2
Stearns	82 1/2	11 1/2
Socony Vac	125 1/2	12 1/2
So Pa	235 1/2	27 1/2
S O Cal	23 1/2	27 1/2
S O Ind	59 1/2	34 1/2
Texaco	107 1/2	58 1/2
Tex Co	17 1/2	48 1/2
Tex Gulf Prod	5 1/2	5 1/2
Tex Gulf Subst	8 1/2	26 1/2
Tex Pac C&O	15 1/2	15 1/2
Tide Wat A Oil	25 1/2	13 1/2
U S Steel	85 1/2	23 1/2
W U Tel	104 1/2	45 1/2
Wilson Co	29 1/2	7 1/2
Woolworth	25 1/2	37 1/2

### Today on the Home Front

By JAMES MARLOW AND GEORGE ZIELKE  
WASHINGTON, (AP)—Uncle Sam is making plans to help mama with the wash and help papa keep the beer cool.  
The government is working on a program to permit manufacture of mechanical refrigerators and washing machines again.  
Production of both was halted after Pearl Harbor because of the war needs for the materials and facilities used in making them.  
Now the office of civilian requirements has found in a national survey that both types of machines are badly needed in American homes.  
One official of OCR, who is drawing up the program, gave as his "reason" the machines would not "appear on the market" before mid-1944.  
OCR is part of the war production board. Its program will have to be approved by WPB's requirements committee before it can be put into operation.  
Since there are some "ifs" and "buts" involved, the plan is not yet shut-and-closed. But this is it in outline:  
Right now there is a demand for perhaps 5 million mechanical refrigerators and 4 million washing machines. Only about 1 million of each are calling for materials.  
They will have to fill, not demands of people with money itching to be spent, but essential needs.  
Prime factors to be considered: The amount of manpower, materials and facilities which can be spared to do the job.  
Depending upon them, the program for washing machines might have to be revised downward.  
Meantime refrigerators and washing machines now in American homes must be kept in use. OCR gives this picture on maintenance:  
There are enough spare parts available to keep popular makes of refrigerators and washing machines in operation.  
The only bottleneck in maintaining present equipment is not lack of parts but lack of repairmen, many of whom have closed down their shops, gone into war plants or into the armed services.  
And this was the picture given at OCR on kitchen amenities:  
The manufacture of enameled pots, pans, kettles, tea and coffee pots has been greatly stepped up; the increased production is now under way; the result will appear on the store shelves about Christmas time.

food suggests that American civilians may have to be less and less choosy about what they eat in days and months ahead.  
While the chief executive says "there will be a sufficient amount of good wholesome food for the people of the United States," at the same time he declares:  
"As our army grows, as more men are sent overseas, larger food reserves will have to be accumulated and civilian belts will have to be tightened.  
"Furthermore, our armed forces require more of the so-called 'protective' foods such as meat, fats and oils, milk and canned goods—foods which are, therefore, bound to run short for the increased civilian demand."  
Now, however, Mr. Roosevelt declares:  
"I am confident that the civilian population of the United States is ready to give up certain eating habits and accept certain shortages. They know that they must, if the war is to be won.  
"A sharp line will have to be drawn between the luxuries of life and the necessities of life.  
"A shortage in sirloin steaks or in choice fruits does not mean that the war food program has failed."  
The president, then, puts his guarantee of "an ample and healthful diet" for the civilian population on a nutrition basis, as contrasted with compare favorably with "From a nutrition standpoint," he says, "the civilian per capita food supply during this year of 1943 will compare favorably with the average for the pre-war period 1935 to 1939."  
The main trend of the president's message is his argument that subsidies are the answer to the twofold problem of getting ample food production by permitting assurance of certain minimum prices to farmers for the duration and two years thereafter; and of keeping living costs in check.  
Payment of 800 million dollars in food subsidies this year, he says, "directly and indirectly, has saved the government and the consumers billions of dollars."  
From a federal financing standpoint, his position is that the federal government really is saving itself money by paying out these subsidies as an alternative to paying increased amounts all along the line for materials of war.

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**Nazis Tighten Austrian Control.**  
STOCKHOLM, Nov. 4.—(AP)—Caught "flatfooted" by the Moscow conference's promise to restore Austria's independence, the Nazis have clamped rigorous police control over that country to prevent disturbances and uprising, dispatches to the Swedish press said today.  
Speakers for the free Austria movement said in London yesterday that hundreds of Austrian soldiers were reported to be deserting and a "gigantic" uprising was predicted when the Allied armies near the country's border.  
Gestapo Chief Heinrich Himmler called a special meeting yesterday to discuss the situation as word of the Moscow declaration spread rapidly through the country by the underground grapevine. The Swedish newspaper Social Demokrat said it had learned.

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**Long-Time German Occupation Seen**  
WASHINGTON, Nov. 4.—(AP)—Complete long-term military occupation of Germany and destruction of all major German armaments industries after the war were among the possibilities mentioned in speculation here today on what was decided at the Moscow conference.  
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