

War Brings New Type Of Woman to Screen



See what the war has done to these three top-flight flicker stars: A welder's outfit (above, left) hides the charms which Paulette Goddard used to display—as at bottom of this panel. In the role of a disheveled scientist (center), Greer Garson makes no use of the glamorings glimpsed below at right. Claudette Colbert (above, right), now a welder and previously a smudge-faced nurse, no longer frolics frivolously as you see her below at left.



By ERSKINE JOHNSON
NEA Correspondent
HOLLYWOOD, Feb. 17.—Remember 1939—back in 1939 when the beautiful ladies of the screen were doing nothing more energetic than lifting Martini glasses? They were bachelors in dream worlds, running the gamut of falseness and folly. They were clothes-horses and social butterflies.
In 1939, Greer Garson was playing a spoiled beauty opposite Robert Taylor in a bit of nonsense titled "Remember," which she's still trying to forget.
Rosalind Russell and Paulette Goddard were holding open house every afternoon in a beauty parlor

Pampan Flying In Pacific Gets DFC

SOMEWHERE IN NEW GUINEA—Second Lieut. L. Earl Walker, son of Mrs. W. Mae Porter, formerly of Amarillo and Pampa, has recently been decorated with the Distinguished Flying Cross for meritorious action in the forward areas of New Guinea. This was made known through the fifth air force of the Southwest Pacific area.

Flying with a troop carrier outfit, Lieut. Walker, is ferrying supplies and material to forward areas where enemy interception is possible and even expected. He has been under Jap fire on numerous occasions.

Sometime during November, Lieutenant Walker and crew were supervising the unloading of cargo from their plane at an advanced base in the Pinschafen vicinity, when without warning a formation of Jap bombers appeared on the horizon. They had followed a returning formation of Allied planes. The ship's crew took to cover. Bombs were falling by this time and the Jap planes circled once again flying in for the kill. They deposited their load and sped off. Luckily there were no casualties though eight bombs had fallen in a 50-yard radius of Lieutenant Walker's slit trench.

Earl has been in this theatre of operations since June of last year. In six months time, he has 230 hours of combat duty, 1000 flight hours and 68 combat missions. Lieutenant Walker attended West Texas State Teachers where he was managing editor and associate editor of the paper. He was also elected president of his sophomore class. During his senior year he left college to join the air corps.

After serving as sergeant major at Mather Field, Calif., Earl was called to attend flight training school. He graduated as a second lieutenant and received his wings March 10, 1943.

BUY BONDS

Green Island Only 230 Miles off Rabaul

GUADALCANAL, Feb. 17.—(AP)—Allied landings in the Green Islands are viewed by Rear Admiral Robert Carney as "another step toward elimination of the Japanese from the South Pacific."

"The successful operation, he said, brings our forces within 120 miles of the enemy base at Rabaul, New Britain, and 230 miles of Kaveing, New Ireland. Chief of staff for Admiral William F. Halsey, commander of South Pacific forces, added that the occupation "also completes the encirclement of the Bougainville-Buka island group and effectively cuts off the Japs on those islands from aid from their more northern base."

Why Rosalind Russell now is impersonating Sister Elizabeth Kenny originator of a treatment for infantile paralysis.

"I consider Sister Kenny and Madame Chiang Kai-Shek the two greatest women in the world," Miss Russell says. "I had a commitment to RKO and I told Producer David Hempstead I wanted the picture to be a film version of Sister Kenny's book, 'And They Shall Walk.' They thought I was crazy, but they bought the story for me. It gives me the chance to play someone worthwhile."

Katharine Hepburn is playing a Chinese girl, Jade, in "Dragon Seed," not only because it is a challenging role, but because she feels that the part in the Pearl Buck story of China under the heel of the Jap invader is important today.

Claudette Colbert and Paulette Goddard, two of the most glamorous girls in Hollywood, deserted milk and orchids recently to play blood-spattered army nurses on Bataan in Paramount's "So Proudly We Hail."

Now both are shipyard welders. Miss Colbert, once a model of fashion, wears overalls and carries a lunch pail in "Since You Went Away." A typical middleclass woman of education and refinement, whose husband has gone into the service, she takes the job as part of her contribution to the war effort.

Also, she has consented for the first time to portray the mother of a grown-up daughter, played by Jennifer Jones, and another almost grown-up daughter, Shirley Temple. A few years ago Irene Dunne was playing zany comedy in "The Awful Truth" and "Theodora Goes Wild." Other day on the set at MGM, we saw her as a white-haired woman in the closing sequences of "The White Cliffs."

and trying to steal each other's husbands in "The Women."

Claudette Colbert was vamping every male in sight as the French can-can dancer in "Zaza." Irene Dunne was going wild as Theodora, Katharine Hepburn was chasing Cary Grant and a leopard in "Bring Up Baby."

The list could go on and on, but these few actresses make good examples because each of them now is engaged in some highly purposeful or strictly non-glamorous endeavor. The times and the public are responsible.

Toward the end of the last war if you remember, movies dissolved into shallow, gaudy escapist films—which were just what the customers wanted. Producers and writers say that today the public is a lot more thoughtful. Looking ahead soberly to reconstruction and adjustment of the world, people are inclined to be more interested in honest pictures about personalities who have done or are accomplishing important things.

Thus Madame Curie—a role that Greer Garson recently completed. The actress won't win any pin-up awards with that one, but she's getting more fan mail than most of the oomph queens. Her current assignment is "Mrs. Parkington," from Louis Bromfield's lusty story of the empire builders. In it she star plays Susie Parkington from the age of 19 to 84.

Actresses themselves don't like playing frivolous females in their times, and that's the main reason.

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It is indicated that these services are not restricted to wives and infants of enlisted men who are or were legal residents of Texas. Anyone, irrespective of legal residence whose husband is an enlisted man of the fourth, fifth, sixth or seventh pay grade is eligible. It is emphasized that this service provides not only maternity care but also care for an infant under one year of age.

PAAF-Reading Tastes Bear Our N. Y. Times

GI reading at Pampa Field affirms the New York Times book review list of 10 best sellers. Records at the post library show that "A Tree Grows in Brooklyn" by Betty Smith is first in popularity and "The Robe" by Lloyd C. Douglas second.

Origin of Army's 'Retreat' Explained

If you've ever been out to Pampa Field and seen the evening formation called "retreat," you've probably wondered why such a name should be given to this beautiful ceremony.

Brown Returns to Braniff Air Official

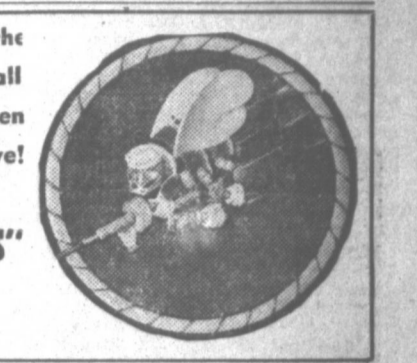
The appointment of Leslie G. Brown to the position of assistant to the vice president in charge of operations has been announced by R. C. Shrader, vice president Braniff Airways.

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MISSING IN ASIA



Cpl. Ralph E. Andrews, 23, of Stillwater, Okla., whose wife is the former Ruby Eldridge of Pampa, has been reported missing in the Asiatic theater of war.

CATALINA

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I was so busy that I forgot that; but when we got the second batch aboard I began to have nervous indigestion.

Another Mitchell radioed it had spotted more men on the water. This time the flyers were so near Kavieng that the Catalina had to overshoot the landing by 200 yards to keep from hitting land.

Mrs. Turner Dies Early This Morning

Mrs. Mary Ellen Turner, 68, a resident of Pampa for the past year, died at 12:40 a. m. today at her home, 415 Naida.

Date of the funeral has not been set, but the services will likely be held either Friday or Saturday in the chapel of the Dunkel-Carmichael Funeral Home.

Austin Toxicob Driver Murdered

AUSTIN, Feb. 17.—(AP)—City and county officers today pressed an investigation into the slaying of Henry Irvin Sites, Jr., 27-year-old taxi driver who was found shot to death on the Bee Cave road about 10 miles from the city limits yesterday.

Free Rio Grande Trade Is Urged

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 17.—(AP)—Free trade across the Rio Grande is urged by Ulises Irigoyen, auditor of the finance ministry.

Mrs. E. E. Chapman Dies in Lubbock

Funeral services for Mrs. Mildred Chapman, 38, who died at 2 p. m. yesterday in a Lubbock hospital, when she had been a patient the past two weeks, were conducted at 3 p. m. today at the Spirit Baptist church.

New Zealand To Ration Meat

AUCKLAND, N. Z., Feb. 17.—(AP)—Meat rationing will begin March 6 in New Zealand, with consumption reduced about one-third from normal.

Britain Pays Third of Loan

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—(AP)—The British have paid back \$100,000,000 of \$300,000,000 borrowed from the United States to pay for war supplies contracted for in this country prior to lend-lease, the house was advised today.

War Objectors On Increase

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—(AP)—For every 10,000 men inducted into the army during this year, there have been 385 men who have claimed exemption as conscientious objectors—as compared with 14 per 10,000 men during the first World War.

MEXICAN TOURISTS UP

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 17.—(AP)—Tourists to Mexico during January totaled 16,256, the government tourist department reported today. In January, 1943, the figure was only half as large.

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Mainly About Pampa And Her Neighbor Towns

A marriage license was issued here Wednesday to Leonard Belden and Miss Opal Mook, both of Berger.

Mrs. W. L. McAnally is visiting with her sister in Santa Fe, N. M. A large assortment of household furnishings and clothing will be found at the Rummage Sale to be held at 412 S. Cuyler St. Saturday

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Boynton received instruction in the electrical specialist course and in various technical operations vital to the maintenance of our fighting planes.

NAZIS HURL

Tartu, 25 miles away. Wave after wave of 400 Russian bombers pounded the Finnish capital of Helsinki for nine hours last night, perhaps to prod the Finns into surrender.

A Helsinki dispatch said Russian paratrooper troops had dropped behind German lines in Northern Estonia and that Russian warships were shelling Narva.

The death trap of the encircled German eighth army near Cherkassy was further contracted and 2,500 of the "tired Nazi infantry, fighting with the fury of despair," were killed, the Russian communique said.

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Although none would specifically promise it, most officials expressed the opinion that dairymen would get subsidies for the period between tonight and the time that new legislation is finally approved extending the CCC's authority.

They say administrative orders undoubtedly would be issued directing payments retroactive for that period. This opinion was based upon the assumption that a presidential veto of the anti-subsidy legislation would be sustained by congress.

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POSITION

have consolidated their positions on the Green Islands, 180 miles east of Rabaul, MacArthur announced. The little coral bases were occupied Monday and Tuesday to cut off supply traffic for the 22,000 Japanese in the northern Solomons.

On the biggest land front of the Pacific war, Indian troops fought off Japanese attempts to encircle Allied forces in the Mayu mountains of southwest Burma.

Galveston Bay Oil Field Is Opened

HOUSTON, Feb. 17.—(AP)—A new producing area was opened this week in Galveston bay when Standard Oil Co., of Texas No. 1-109 State-Galveston bay on preliminary tests flowed 13 barrels of 41 gravity oil per hour.

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Although none would specifically promise it, most officials expressed the opinion that dairymen would get subsidies for the period between tonight and the time that new legislation is finally approved extending the CCC's authority.

They say administrative orders undoubtedly would be issued directing payments retroactive for that period. This opinion was based upon the assumption that a presidential veto of the anti-subsidy legislation would be sustained by congress.

Another thing. The senate and house have passed a bill to invest \$30,000,000 in federal funds in plants to investigate possibilities of refining gasoline from coal.

Food Reserves May Emerge As Party Issues

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17—(AP)—Vast reserve stocks of food accumulated for emergency war purposes may become a political and economic hot potato this election year for those charged with the responsibility of allocating the nation's food supply.

It appears clear today that officials of the war food administration fully recognize the situation. They realize that every move relating to the distribution of food, particularly supplies from the emergency reserves, will be subject to close scrutiny for any possible effect on the November election.

(The reserve stocks, earmarked for a "contingency reserve," include supplies owned outright by the WFA, some being held by the food industry for the government, and some to be taken from production of the next several months.)

The reserve stocks could be handled in one of four different ways—(1) allocation to the military services and lend-lease recipients; (2) release to civilians; (3) division between war programs and civilians; or (4) held for disposition in 1945.

The possibility that these supplies might be released to civilians was suggested by the bureau of agricultural economics, the statistical arm

of the WFA. In a recent report on prospective meat supplies, the report said civilian supplies probably will be about the same as in 1943. WFA officials are inclined to dismiss such a possibility as academic. Pointing to potential military lend-lease as well as foreign relief requirements, they say they expect the bulk of the reserves will be needed eventually for non-civilian purposes.

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Freedom of Press Is Esquire Issue

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17—(AP)—Attorneys for Esquire magazine contend that freedom of the press is an issue in their suit to prevent Postmaster General Frank Walker from barring the publication from second-class mailing privileges.

They said in a supplementary complaint to federal district court that Walker revoked the privileges illegally and arbitrarily in the face of an examining board's decision that the magazine was entitled to them. Walker based his action on a contention that Esquire did not meet requirements for second-class rates. The board did not sustain contentions that the magazine was obscene.

The postmaster general's right to bar printed material from the mails on grounds of obscenity was upheld in district court Tuesday when Justice T. Alan Goldsborough sustained a prohibition against "Give Out," a booklet of songs.

BUY BONDS
Sound Petroleum Policy Advocated

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17—(AP)—A warning that the nation's future may depend on development of foreign oil reserves was sounded by the Truman committee today in calling for immediate congressional formulation of "a positive, vigorous American policy" on petroleum.

Assuring that the war is depleting domestic reserves, the committee urged that the nation's Allies, particularly Great Britain, be asked to transfer to the United States "a commensurate volume of proven reserves outside this country."

BUY BONDS
Reynosa Railway Bridge Planned

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 17—(AP)—Mayor Rodrigo Gonzalez of Reynosa has reported to President Avila Camacho that an agreement has been reached with the National Railways whereby a large railroad bridge will be built over the Rio Grande at Reynosa.

Railroad Ticket Scalping Probed

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 17—(AP)—An investigation into the alleged black market sale of railroad tickets and reservations, commonly called "scalping," has been launched here by the FBI in cooperation with the office of defense transportation, R. C. Suran, in charge of the local FBI office, said.

Scalper purchase both regular and pullman tickets and then resell them at exorbitant prices to persons unable to get tickets for one reason or another, Suran stated.

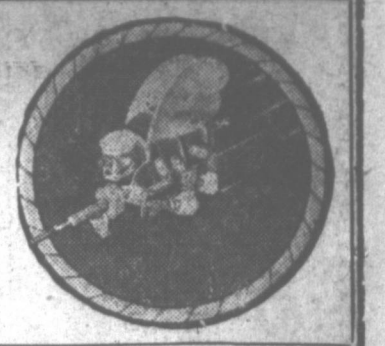
The farmers' war effort is drawing heavily on the nation's soil resources, say agricultural experts.

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LUX , 3 Bars 19c	Boraxo 2 Boxes 25c	Pork & Beans 2 17 Oz. Jars 25c
LIFEBUOY 19c	Pop Chemical Soap, 25c Box 9c	PRUNES NO. 10 CAN 49c
SOAP 10 Crystal White Bars 37c		Coffee Admiration, Pound 29c
LUX , 3 Bars 19c		Bake-Rite 3 Lb. Carton 67c
LIFEBUOY 19c		P'nut. Butter 2 Lb. Jar 39c
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YOUR INCOME TAX--NUMBER 12

COMPUTATION OF INCOME AND VICTORY TAX. (See Tax Computation Instructions) Page 4

1. Income Tax net income (Item 18, page 1)	\$ 3,249.99	K
2. Less: Personal exemption. (Form Schedule 1-10)	1,200.00	
3. Credit for dependents. (Form Schedule 1-10)	7.00	
4. Balance (surtax net income)	\$ 2,041.99	K
5. Less: Certain interest on Government obligations (Item 4 (c), page 1)	0.00	
6. Earned income credit. (Form Schedule 1-10) - 1-10	325.00	K
7. Balance subject to normal tax	\$ 1,716.99	K
8. Normal tax (6% of line 7)	\$ 103.02	K
9. Surtax on amount in line 4. (See Surtax Table, page 3 of Instructions)	\$ 75.50	K
10. Total Income Tax (line 8 plus line 9). (If Schedule B is used and alternative tax computation made, enter line 14, Schedule B)	\$ 178.52	K
11. Less: Income Tax paid to a foreign country or U. S. possession. (Attach Form 1116)	0.00	
12. BALANCE OF INCOME TAX	\$ 178.52	K
13. NET VICTORY TAX (line 6 of Victory Tax Schedule, below)	\$ 27.39	K
14. Total of lines 12 and 13	\$ 205.91	K
15. Income Tax paid at source on tax-free covenant bond interest. (See Footnote 1)	0.00	
16. Line 14 less line 15	\$ 205.91	K
17. Income Tax for 1942. (See Statement, Form 1125, from Collector) (First, see page 4 of Instructions)	\$ 227.33	K
18. Enter line 16 or 17 whichever is LARGER. (Members of the armed forces see page 4 of Instructions)	\$ 227.33	K
19. FORGIVENESS FEATURE (Don't fill in (a), (b), and (c) below, if either line 16 or 17 is \$50 or less):		
(a) Enter \$50 or three-fourths of (c), immediately above, whichever is LARGER. This is the FORGIVEN part of the tax.	\$ 97.59	
(b) Enter the UNFORGIVEN part of the tax which is the BALANCE (subtract (b) from (a)). (See Footnote 2)	\$ 129.74	
20. TOTAL INCOME AND VICTORY TAX. (Total of lines 18 and 19 (c))	\$ 357.07	K
21. Less: (a) Income and Victory Tax withheld by employer	\$ 223.20	
(b) Income Tax paid on 1942 income	\$ 65.06	
(c) Tax paid on 1943 income on account of Declaration of Estimated Tax	\$ 28.81	
(d) Total payments	\$ 317.07	K
22. UNPAID BALANCE OF INCOME AND VICTORY TAX. (If line 20 is larger than line 21 (d), enter the difference here and also on item 20, page 1; if not, see item 23, page 1)	\$ 40.00	K

FOOTNOTE 1—If you obtain a credit in line 11, disregard lines 15 (a) and (b), complete Schedule L-1 on page 4 of Instructions, and enter amount in line 19 or 22 of each schedule.

FOOTNOTE 2—If your surtax net income for 1942 or 1943 exceeded \$20,000, requiring you to complete Schedule L-2, enter here the amount shown on line 19 or 22 of each schedule.

Schedule K—VICTORY TAX. Computation

Entries marked with an X are basic figures taken from the schedules, as described in the preceding article. Other items are computations based on the fundamental figures, as discussed today.

By S. BURTON HEATH
NEA Staff Correspondent

Now we have the task of figuring up the things that have been reported already on Lines 1, 2, 3, 6, 13, 17 and 21 (d). If any reader has material for lines 5, 11 and 15, he should include it but I am ignoring these simply matters for most readers.

Subtract Line 3 from Line 1 and enter the difference on Line 4.

Subtract Line 6 from Line 4, and write the remainder on Line 7.

Now multiply the amount on Line 7 by 6 per cent (.06) and enter the product as Line 8. That is your "normal tax."

Near the lower right hand corner of page 3 of the instructions accompanying your blank is a Surtax Table. Referring to this, compute the surtax on the amount shown on Line 4 above. Enter it on Line 9. Everybody who pays any tax has to pay a surtax.

Add the amounts on Lines 8 and 9, and enter their sum on Line 10. If Line 11 is "0," carry the amount on Line 10 down to Line 12.

Add Lines 12 and 13 to get your total tax liability on 1943 income. This goes on Line 14, and for most of us is repeated on Line 16.

On Line 18 do exactly what the instructions say—write either the amount shown on Line 16 of that on Line 17, whichever is larger. The other—the smaller of those two amounts—goes on Line 19(a). Now take three-fourths of the amount shown on 19(a). If it is more than \$50, enter it on 19(b); if it is less than \$50, write \$50 on Line 19(b). Then subtract 19(b) from 19(a) and enter the difference on Line 19(c). If 19(b) is larger than 19(a), write "0" on Line 19(c).

Add Line 18 to Line 19(c). The sum, entered on Line 20, is your total liability March 31 both for 1943 and for the unforgiven portion of 1942 taxes.

Subtract Line 21(d) from Line 20 to get Line 22, which is what you have been working toward ever since you started this process. It is the unpaid balance now due the government for income taxes.

The amount on Line 22 may be positive—meaning that you owe the treasury whatever it shows. In that case enter it again as Item 20 at the bottom of page 1; write on Line 21 the portion of this obligation that you prefer not to pay until next year; and subtract Item 21 from Item 20 to get Item 22, the amount which you must pay March 15.

You can defer until 1945 the payment of any amount not exceeding half of line 18(c) on page 4.

If the amount on line 22 on page 4 is negative—that is, if 21(d) was more than 20—the treasury owes you money. In that case, ignore Items 20 to 22 on page 1. Enter the amount of line 22 (page 4) as Item 23 (page 1) and show, by checking the proper square, whether you want it returned or applied against your 1944 estimated tax.

Now fill in the blanks at the top of page 1, answer the questions at the bottom of page 3, sign the return, and send it—with anything you may owe—to the Collector not later than March 15. If both husband and wife report income or deductions on a joint return, both must sign.

With the return, you must send back Form 1125 to the Collector.

BUY BONDS
Eisenhower Promises Full Invasion News

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17. (AP)—Director Elmer Davis of the office of Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower has given "heartiest support" to the theory that plans for the new coverage of the European invasion should be woven into the battle plans.

David said he hoped that arrangements for the gathering and sending of news and pictures would be as well developed as those for the attacks on the Gilbert and Marshall island groups.

Davis revealed that plans for the transmission of day-by-day descriptions of the progress of the invasion had been "thoroughly discussed" with General Eisenhower.

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Pampan In England Proud Of Harvesters

From somewhere in England, Sgt. Ralph Proper writes to The Pampa News in a letter dated Jan. 29, 1944, mailed Feb. 1.

"I sure—like the way the Harvesters came through this year and sure wished they could have won the state championship, as they were a good bunch of boys.

"Give Charlie Boyles my regards."

Sergeant Proper is anxious to make contact with some of the Pampa boys overseas, and he writes asking that Pampans send army postoffice addresses of Pampans serving in the armed forces overseas.

"I know there are several Pampa boys over here but I have tried and cannot find them," the sergeant explains.

"I know Joe B. Zimmerman is over here but I don't know his squadron."

Pampans are asked to write to the sergeant, giving him the information requested. Due to military censorship, the address of the sergeant cannot be published, as it contains his unit, and this specific information is banned. The address of the sergeant, however, can be obtained on request from The Pampa News sports editor.

Ebeye Island Mass of Dead Japs, Rubbish

EBEYE ISLAND, Kwajalein Atoll, Marshall Islands, Feb. 5.—(Delayed)—Pvt. Jesse Ogletree comes from Barnsville, Ga., and should know. He said the little pig would live despite shrapnel nicks in his back and hook.

"He can run like a rabbit," Ogletree said.

The little pig did not struggle much, but his eyes had a terrified appearance and now and then he let out a small squeal as Ogletree carried him under his arm toward the rear of our positions of Ebeye island today.

He had reason to be afraid. He was the only mammal to survive the American attack on this half-mile long island. There are a handful of miserable prisoners, once part of the proud Japanese imperial naval air force. But they gave up before the attack was over and spent the last part of it safe within American lines. The little pig never was safe until the last gun was fired.

Ebeye island is a little corner of cooled off hell, so terrible in its destruction that the effect of it on the observer is almost stunning.

Ships and planes bombarded it for days.

Hundreds of infantrymen pouring ashore with the crushing weight of tanks and mobile guns moved steadily northward along the length of the island.

No tree remains whole. No building is upright. The seaplane ramp is pitted ruin. The planes are burned pieces of junk, worthless even for scrap.

The dead are everywhere. There are some 450 of them, compared to eight deaths among the attackers.

The Japanese dead lie along the road in the ditches. Some lie dead in the pig pens; half buried by sitting coral dust.

These dead are torn. Legless trunks, heads without bodies are in this wreckage, and nameless and horrible chunks of human flesh.

The dead are stiffly posturing. Their arms are thrown out, their faces still hold their final grimaces. One man has his arms lifted high and one leg raised, as if in some military dance. He has no head.

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Cooperative To Buy Refinery

AMARILLO, Feb. 16.—(AP)—Consumers Cooperatives Associated has voted to purchase a \$2,000,000 refinery to serve farmer cooperatives in Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico and Colorado.

Delegates from 65 local cooperatives in the four states this week voted for the purchase at the organization's annual meeting, and local associations and individuals pledged \$128,500 toward the purchase price.

Associated officials said that if purchased, the refinery would be the first one owned cooperatively in Texas. There are nine refineries owned by cooperatives in the West and Middle-West.

Howard A. Cowden, North Kansas City, Mo., president of the Consumers Cooperatives Association, which owns three refineries and has an interest in a 4th told the meeting that "fifty-six war contractors and 300,000 small business men have been forced out of business since Pearl Harbor."

Leonard P. Cowden, a brother of the Kansas City co-op leader, reported that total sales of \$3,134,200 were registered by the CGA in Texas last year.

Three members re-elected to the board of directors were Wood Johnson, Brownfield J. H.; Leggett, Denton, and W. A. Alverson, Childress.

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How Senators, Worley Voted

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16. (AP)—Texas members of congress voted as follows on roll-calls for the week ending Thursday, Feb. 10.

SENATE
Amended by Senator Taft (R-Ohio) and others limiting federal ballot to servicemen here and abroad whose states fail to provide adequate absentee voting machinery. Failed, 46-42. Texas: Both for.

Amendment by Senator McClellan (D-Ark) to permit persons in the services under 21 years of age to vote. Failed, 67-19. Texas: For: O'Daniel; against: Connally.

Amendment by Senator Ferguson (R-Mich) to revise proposed federal ballot in form so that a vote for a candidate would have to be by name rather than designated party. Failed, 44-39. Texas: For: Connally; against: O'Daniel.

On first Overtan (D-La) motion to sidetrack federal war ballot and take up proposal leaving armed service voting to states. Failed: 44 to 42. Texas: For: Connally, O'Daniel.

On Bushfield (R-S.D) amendment to service vote bill to provide use of selective service rolls as basis of distribution of ballots rather than postcard applications. Rejected, 49-34. Texas: For: Connally; not voting: O'Daniel.

On second Overtan motion to take up house-passed "states rights" soldier voting bill ahead of Green-Lucas federal ballot measure. Adopted, 60-39. Texas: For: Connally, O'Daniel.

On Ferguson amendment to soldier vote bill which provides that overseas voters may use federal ballot if they fail to receive state ballot in time to vote. Adopted, 62-20. Texas: Against: Connally, O'Daniel.

On first Taft amendment to service vote bill which would permit use of federal war ballots if states failed to pass their own absentee voting laws by June 1. Defeated, 45-41. Texas: For: Connally, O'Daniel.

On Barkley (D-Ky) amendment to attach federal war ballot to adopted 46-49. Texas: Against: Connally, O'Daniel.

On second Taft amendment to service vote bill which would send ballots only to those voters whose states failed to provide state ballots. Defeated, 45-41. Texas: Both for.

On passage of revised Green-Lucas soldier vote bill providing federal ballots to soldiers within United States only if their state fails to provide them by August 1, and federal ballots to men overseas if their state ballots are not available in time to vote. Passed, 47-38. Texas: Against: Connally, O'Daniel.

On Maloney (D-Conn) amendment to anti-subsidy bill to extend food subsidy program for one year and to make \$1,500,000,000 available for this purpose. Rejected, 49-25. Texas: Against: Connally, O'Daniel.

On Taft amendment to anti-subsidy bill to provide \$950,000,000 limited program of government price control on foods in 1944. Defeated, 63-15. Both Texas senators voted against it.

HOUSE
On conference report on compromise \$2,215,000,000 tax bill. Adopted, 238 to 101. Texas: Against: Worley.

On motion to recommit \$1,318,305,880 treasury-postoffice appropriation bill for 1945 fiscal year. Rejected, 163 to 162. Texas: For: none; against: all except Lanham and Sumners, who were listed as not voting.

On passage of \$1,318,306,980 treasury-postoffice bill, passed 320 to 6. Texas: All for, except Lanham and Sumners, who were listed as not voting.

BUY BONDS
The wage loss, medical expense and overhead cost of insurance associated with 1942 national occupational accidents amounted to \$1,000,000,000.

SIDE GLANCES



"What's so funny about this hat? Come to the mirror and take a look at the one you're wearing!"

TODAY on the HOME FRONT

by James Marlow and George Ziel-

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—The government's efforts to find a way of reconverting American industry to civilian production after the war have moved on a bumpy road so far.

There have been plenty of ideas and talk, and some action.

Now the senate's postwar planning committee offers a program without any comment on the fact that War Mobilization Director Byrnes has the government's veteran trouble-shooter, Bernard M. Baruch, working on a program.

Baruch reportedly favors having the war production board handle industrial demobilization. But the senate committee suggests a law creating an independent office of demobilization.

This office would be supreme on reconversion problems after the war, although remaining subordinate to Byrnes till war's end, and would have a director appointed by the president with senate approval.

To help him, the director would set up a board with which a congressional committee of three senators and three representatives would consult on broad policies.

Already there has been this criticism of the senate committee's idea: "Creation of a demobilization office means one more federal agency on top of all the others. Since manpower is short, where would it recruit its staff except by raiding present war agencies?"

Here are the suggestions upon which the committee wants congress to act:

The demobilization office should not be an operating agency in the sense that it cancels government contracts with war plants after hostilities.

It should draw up the rules and regulations, oversee the entire job and issue directives under which cancellations can be carried out by the procurement agencies, such as

WAKE-UP AMERICA

SOLDIER VOTE

A piece of a ballot with only three candidates on it, all Federal, gives the soldier "his right to vote." A complete ballot to vote for every candidate denies them the right to vote: The latter is "a fraud on the soldier and sailor!" This is the logic of one of the three federal candidates.

Mr. Roosevelt says "I have been informed that it would be possible, under the rules of Congress, for a soldier's vote bill to be rejected or passed without any roll call, thus making it impossible for the voters of the country—military or civilian—to be able to determine just how their own representative or senator had voted on such a bill."

Mr. Roosevelt knows better than this. He knows that the Constitution of the United States provides that "the Yeas and Nays of the members of either House on any question shall, at the desire of one-fifth of those present, be entered on the Journal."

Being in the Constitution, no rule of either House or Senate could prevent a roll call vote on the "rejection or passage" of any bill, if twenty per cent of the members demand it. Congress has not yet repealed the Constitution, whatever may be said of the bureaucrats, big or little.

The procedure is as follows: The Speaker says, "The question is on the passage of the bill." At this point any member may rise and say, "Mr. Speaker, on that question I demand the Yeas and Nays."

The Speaker then says, "The Yeas and Nays are demanded. All those who demand the Yeas and Nays will rise." If one-fifth of the members rise, the Speaker says, "One-fifth having demanded the Yeas and Nays, the Clerk will call the roll." The Clerk then calls each member by name. As his name is called, each member votes Ye or Nay, and his vote is recorded in the Journal, as a permanent and public record.

If the bill is an important one, within half an hour the newspapers across the nation will be setting those names and votes in type for the people back home to read.

A similar practice prevails in every state legislature. Mr. Roosevelt served in the New York legislature and has witnessed this process scores of times. In short, a minority of twenty per cent can compel Congress to "face the music" in a roll call vote. It was the men who wrote the Constitution, and not Mr. Roosevelt, who should be given credit in this matter. No rule of either House could prevent it. There is no such rule. Mr. Roosevelt knows this.

It is the rule of the Houses of Congress has rules to expedite business and to prevent senseless delays or filibustering. For example, only one motion to recommit a bill is allowed. But a roll call vote may be had on the motion to recommit. If Congress permitted a dozen or a hundred members to offer separate motions to recommit, each airing his personal substitute for the bill before the House, Mr. Roosevelt would then complain that Congress was talking the country to death.

What Mr. Roosevelt wanted was a special and extraordinary rule not on the books, to permit a third roll call on a particular substitute which he favored.

The fact remains that no bill can be passed by either House without a roll call, if one-fifth demand it. And it is the important thing as to which the people want to know how their Congressman voted.

If Congress is to be charged with political cowardice when it acts strictly in accordance with constitutional provisions, what shall we say of a president who permits bills to become law without his signature, as he can and does doing nothing for ten days?

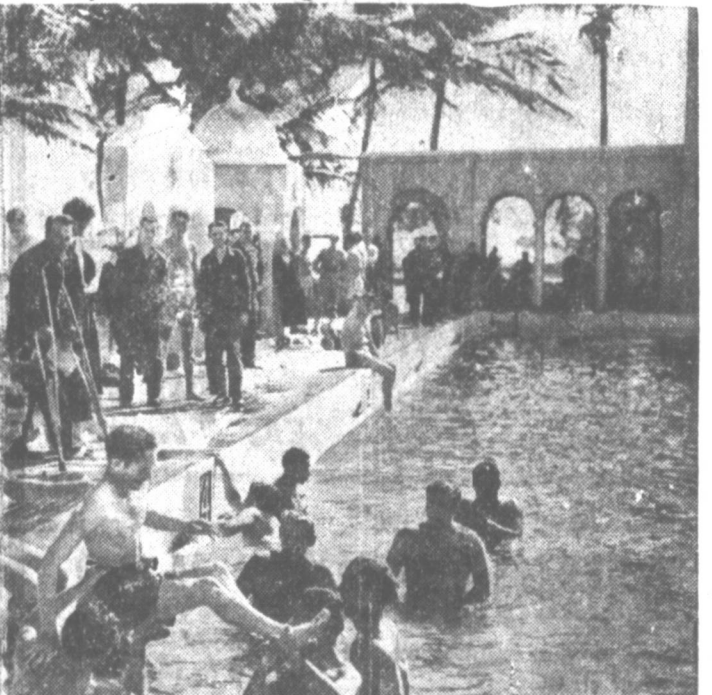
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Jap-Americans Baffled Germans

FORT DEVENS, Mass., Feb. 17. (AP)—When the 100th Infantry battalion of the American army, composed of Japanese-Americans, captured German prisoners during the Italian invasion, the Germans thought their Axis partner had forsaken them.

The bewilderment of the Germans was told by the only New Englander to serve with the 100th, Lt. Edward D. Chasse, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Chasse of Millanocket, Me.

Tourists May Bask Here Again Soon



Some 800 wounded and nerve-shocked fighting men, now recuperating at the Army's Roam General Hospital, in the Breakers Hotel, Palm Beach, Fla., may soon have to move if current negotiations to return the former luxury tourist's paradise to its original owners are concluded. The exclusive photos above show some of the men undergoing neuro-psychiatric treatment. Top: They enjoy strengthening exercise in the sun-warmed pool; bottom, left: John Rudell, Wausau, Wis., and Julio Castellotti, San Jose, Calif., air gunners wounded in Ploesti oil fields raid, soak up sun vitamins; right: An operation in modernly equipped surgery.

Revelation Promised In Socialite's Murder

CHICAGO, Feb. 17. (AP)—Police Capt. Frank J. Reynolds told reporters he expected to have an announcement "that will knock your eyes out" in connection with the slaying in the Drake hotel Jan. 19 of Mrs. Frank Starr Williams, wife of a state department attaché.

The captain, whose Chicago avenue district was the locale of the mystery, said investigators were working on a sex angle and that while the motive might not have been the motive, the nature of which he declined to divulge.

The victim's daughter, Mrs. Patricia Goodbody, only witness to the shooting, said her mother was slain by a middle-aged woman wearing a black Persian lamb coat who leaped from behind a bathroom door.

HOLD EVERYTHING



"So you finally decided you can't run this battleship without me, eh?"

