

BERLIN ADMITS SETBACKS

Pro-Roosevelt Forces Win, Governor Stevenson Speaks

Speaker Warns Of Enemies To Peaceful Life

The most important post-war job is to work out some method of ending the world of the Prussian military class to prevent a recurrence of world war, and other wars, Olin Culberson of Austin, member of the Texas Railroad commission, declared at the September monthly membership meeting of the Pampa chamber of commerce last night.

Culberson traced the highlights of the Prussian military war planning from the Teutonic Knights down through the days of Frederick the Great, Bismarck, the Kaiser Wilhelm, and Hitler.

Hitler's Mein Kampf is nothing more than a re-writing of the philosophy of Trotsky, Culberson declared.

Culberson quoted a statement party got into power in Germany made by Hitler long before the Nazi which declared their ultimate objective was to wipe out Christianity in the world.

"Your post-war plans would be of no avail if you had to put them into effect in towns and cities that have no churches," Culberson declared.

He urged every citizen to write his congressman and senators and demand that these who write the peace concentrate on some method of eliminating entirely for all future activities, the Prussian military leaders who have consistently tried to rule the world with no regard for anyone's rights.

Culberson was introduced by R. B. Bave, of Borger, president of the Pampa chamber of commerce, president of the Panhandle chapter of the American Petroleum institute. Bave complimented the Texas Railroad commission for its cooperation in assisting the oil and gas industry generally, and particularly in the Pampa handle, to do the outstanding job in war production.

C. A. Huff, president of the Pampa chamber of commerce, presided at the banquet. N. Atchison, director, introduced visitors and guests.

Among the out-of-town visitors were the following: M. O. Borner, production manager for the Gulf Oil corporation, with office at Fort Worth; Sneed Twaddell, member of the Railroad commission, from Amarillo; Howard Hodgins, member Railroad commission, from Vernon; and Carl M. Smith, natural gas operator, Amarillo.

Mrs. A. R. Killen, who recently moved here to operate the Adams hotel, was introduced to the members. She formerly lived at El Paso.

School Teachers Here Get Raise Of \$10 Monthly

Pampa teachers from ward school principals on down the line have been given a \$10 monthly increase in salary, L. L. Sone, school superintendent, announced today.

The salary raise total for the year will approximate \$16,000 and has been made as an emergency for the 1944-45 school year to help cover increased living costs in wartime, he said.

Victory Is Predicted By Speaker

(By The Associated Press.) Pro-Roosevelt democrats in Texas rolled on top today in the state's month-long wrestling match to determine whether party electors shall be bound to vote for the Roosevelt-Truman ticket in November.

Gov. Coke R. Stevenson addressing the convention, told the state democratic convention that he predicted "a complete victory for the democratic ticket from top to bottom" in Texas next November.

Earlier, the governor had said he would not speak at the session, which yesterday was taken over by pro-Roosevelt democrats determined to name a slate of presidential electors pledged to Roosevelt and Truman.

He changed his mind after conferences with convention leaders who urged him to make the address. Stevenson's reference to democratic victory followed his assertion: "I have always been a democrat. My record for party loyalty has been unbroken from my first vote to May last."

Most of the delegates arose to their feet, clapping and cheering. For sensation and excitement, the Texas' Dallas convention took place in political developments which otherwise found partisan disputes on what the republican victory in Maine means, a sharp attack on Thomas E. Dewey by one of President Roosevelt's cabinet members, and a continuation of Dewey's western travels.

In a vote counter's nightmare, the Texas democrats voted 799 and 9 140 to 799 and 131 140 last night to give state convention seats to the 10-man pro-Roosevelt delegation from Dallas.

This was followed by a howling vote establishing Robert W. Calvert of Hillsboro as temporary.

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Carbon Black Is Topic of Debate

AUSTIN, Sept. 13.—(AP)—The carbon black question which brought pro-Roosevelt board officials to Texas last spring in a futile attempt to get the Railroad commission to sidestep the Texas law and allow sweet natural gas to be used for carbon black, flared up here again yesterday.

The Colteco corporation appeared before the Railroad commission in an attempt to gain permission to install meters at the Smith Brothers refinery to measure both residue gas (which is legal for carbon black) and natural gas (which is prohibited for carbon black under Texas law).

Colteco said Jack Baumel, commissioner examiner, plans to deliver to oil lease of the Texas company and Sicely Oil company an amount of gas equal to the intake of high pressure gas which may be legally used for fuel and lease operations, on the grounds that this procedure will allow the carbon black plant to increase its output and supply many vitally-needed materials.

E. H. Foster of Amarillo, representing the Phillips Petroleum company, argued that the difference in price between the two gases is not very different from where they were headed all along. It has looked like a law suit since last May.

"If there is further disintegration of the democratic party and the pro-Roosevelts choose new electors and file them with me under the name of the democratic party, then it is up to this office to ascertain whether this new group or the group elected in May by the regular convention is the legal set of electors."

"Whoever group is left off will file mandamus suit and assume burden of proof."

Man Badly Hurt in Slugging, Robbing

DALLAS, Sept. 13.—(AP)—Gene T. Bradley, 21-year-old grocery truck driver, was in critical condition at a hospital here today, attendants said, after he was knocked in the head and robbed of about \$10.

F. P. Pate, service station operator, told deputy sheriffs that Bradley yesterday drove into his station, reported he had been beaten and asked Pate to call an ambulance. Bradley lost consciousness while Pate was telephoning.

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Big Naval Guns Turned on Half Dozen Islands Near Philippines

ANTI- AND PRO-ROOSEVELT LEADERS AT DALLAS



Leaders of the two warring factions of the Texas democratic party who have been holding secret conferences preliminary to the meeting in Dallas, are shown above. In top photo, are the anti-Roosevelt leaders (left to right): T. J. Brook, Galveston, elector-at-large...

Resolution to pro-Roosevelt chiefs, they are (left to right): Jesse Andrews, John Davis, Dallas; Bert King, Wichita Falls; George Eddy, Dallas; Alfred A. E. Rendall, Brownsville; A. M. Kent, Harrison; P. W. Seabury, Brownsville. AP (photo).

Japs Kept Busy Guessing Where Blow Is Coming

By LEONARD MILLIMAN Associated Press War Editor

The 16-inch guns of American battleships have joined in bombardment of pre-invasion in being poured on Japanese-held islands guarding the southern approaches to the Philippines.

New blows reported by the conquering forces of Adm. Chester W. Nimitz and Gen. Douglas MacArthur hit coastal defenses of half a dozen islands within 600 miles of the Philippines, keeping the Japanese guessing as to where assault troops will strike.

'A' Rations To Be Mailed Soon

Gray county war price and rationing board officials announced today that basic "A" gasoline ration renewals will be mailed out to applicants in time for their being put in use September 21.

The local board has been accepting applications for renewals for several days. The number of applications made was not available at the office here.

500 Attend Rites For James A. Reed

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 13.—More than 500 persons jammed chapel of a funeral home at 8 o'clock yesterday for James A. Reed, former United States senator from Missouri. Reed died Friday.

Jack Benny, With Nature's Help, Wins

HONOLULU, Sept. 13.—(AP)—Comedian Jack Benny, concluding tour of Pacific island bases, today addressed a naval audience yesterday here, predicting to become a father.

Four Officers Are Plunge Victims

PORT WORTH, Sept. 13.—Four officers of squadron 931 of Eagle Mountain Lake marine station were killed yesterday when two dive bombers locked wings, plunged into the Gulf of Mexico eight miles offshore, station official said.

Free We

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—(AP)—Premier American action toward posing international guarantees news freedom appeared probable today.

Gas Rationing Changes Soon

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—(AP)—Changes in gasoline rationing can be expected before the end of the month, the office of war rationing said today in a report on crude oil and gasoline supply.

Regular Dance To Held Thursday

The regular enlisted men's dance will be held at 9 o'clock tomorrow night with the post orchestra under Sgt. Albert Fish, playing for the band.

To Be Considered

id security. This linked the objective with the security organization talks going forward among British and Russian representatives at Dumbarton Oaks. There has been no evidence that the interest of safeguarding future peace.

WAR IN BRIEF

Western Front—Powerful American reinforcements pour into double invasions of Germany; Berlin raids says Americans capture outpost of west wall; two German counterattacks held; strengthen Third and Seventh army in junction trapping Germans in south.

THE ROAD TO BERLIN

- 1—Russian Front: 312 miles (from east of Budapest).
- 2—Western Front: 319 miles (from east of Eupen).
- 3—Eastern Front: 443 miles (from between Besancon and Belfort).
- 4—Italian Front: 383 miles (from below Rimini).

Siegfried Line Is Reported Dented

LONDON, Sept. 13.—(AP)—United States war planning chiefs were reported tonight to have established Oct. 31 as the tentative "outside" date for the collapse of organized resistance in Germany.

SUPREME HEADQUARTERS ALLIED EXPEDITIONARY FORCE, Sept. 13.—(AP)—A spokesman for Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower told foreign workers in northwest, west and southwest Germany today to flee the gestapo's manhunt for soldiers and trench diggers and to "leave the factories."

REOTGEN, Germany, Sept. 12.—(Delayed)—(AP)—American tanks and doughboys have broken quickly through the primary enemy defenses in this area and now are assaulting anti-tank obstacles and pillboxes just beyond this town.

Berlin acknowledged late today that powerfully reinforced armies closing in on the Rhineland "have captured an outpost of the west wall, and also announced a serious setback on the eastern front. The broadcast failed to say where the Siegfried line was dented.

The hot raze of war scorched the German borderland on the west as fresh American forces poured into invasion thrusts across the frontier in two sectors 65 miles apart.

The Berlin broadcast said a counterattack halted the forward momentum of the American drive. The context suggested the action might have been east of the Verriers-Eupen sector of Belgium, where the American First army was reported about 10 miles south of the German border stronghold of Aachen.

Nazis Admit East Breakthrough

The German high command announced the stronghold of Lamza in north Poland 20 miles south of East Prussia was abandoned after "the hardest struggle," but asserted that a Russian breakthrough on a broad front was frustrated.

American forces which plunged into the Reich six miles beyond the Belgian border city of Eupen beat down a German counterattack. In the Moselle valley another counterattack was held.

Humble Plant Hearing Expected To Be Resel

DALLAS, Sept. 13.—(AP)—Federal Judge William H. Atwell today was expected to be asked to reset for Sept. 21 a hearing for a temporary injunction against the government to prohibit threatened seizure of two Ingleside, Texas, plants of the Humble Oil and Refinery company.

YANK MAQUIS



Isabel Townsend Peil, above, 43-year-old New York socialite, who for four years has aided the French underground, saved 16 Yank parachutists by guiding them through German lines in southern France.

FAIR

6 A. M.	54
7 A. M.	54
8 A. M.	55
9 A. M.	57
10 A. M.	58
11 A. M.	60
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1 P. M.	75
Yest. max.	75
Yest. min.	50

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Yanks and Detroit Tigers in Hot American League Race

Lead Would Be Detroit's If Yanks Lose

By JACK HAND
Associated Press Sports Writer

Connie Mack's lowly Athletics put the chill on Detroit all season long, winning 10 of 19 from the pennant contenders, but Tiger town today was 100 per cent behind Philadelphia for the A's tangled with the Yankees in a resumption of American league competition.

If the Mackmen, a step out of the cellar, can trip New York, Detroit would vault into the lead by October 20. The Yankees-Athletics tilt was the only game scheduled from Monday to Friday, but they are due for two more in New York over the weekend while Boston plays Washington, St. Louis entertains Chicago, and Detroit visits Cleveland.

American league teams, thinking of the world series, took heart from the Cardinals' continued slump as the Red Birds dropped a doubleheader to Pittsburgh for their ninth defeat in their last 13 starts.

No matter which team struggles through to oppose the Cardinals in the series, one fact was indisputable. It was the Athletics who started the Browns on the downward path. After Luke Sewell's crew had swept three of four from the Yanks and divided four with the Red Sox, Mr. Mack's Russ Christopher earned two decisions and Jittery Joe Berry grabbed another as the summer-long leaders began to crack. Next St. Louis stop was Washington, and another three out of four on the wrong side of the standings, followed by disaster in Detroit.

With nine home tilts scheduled against New York, St. Louis and Detroit, the grand old man of baseball who thought this might be the year for his A's still has a chance to dictate the outcome of the 1944 race.

Attendance figures reflected the tightness of the race. Chicago with New York showing the way at 727,285 and the entire league drawing 4,185,000 customers.

Rain washed out Cincinnati at Chicago and Philadelphia at New York, but the Phillies had taken a 2-0 lead in three innings of the opener. Boston at Brooklyn also was postponed.

The Cardinals fell before the Pirates' Fritz Ostermiller, 5-3, in the first game and then dropped the nightcap, 6-5 as Preacher Roe took the decision over Bud Byerly.

Owls, Says Coach, Must Mend Passing

WESLEY, Sept. 13.—Coach Fred Neely of the New York Owls scheduled a second successive day of practice on the club's passing attack today, commencing "We must improve our passing before the opener with Green Bay on Sept. 23."

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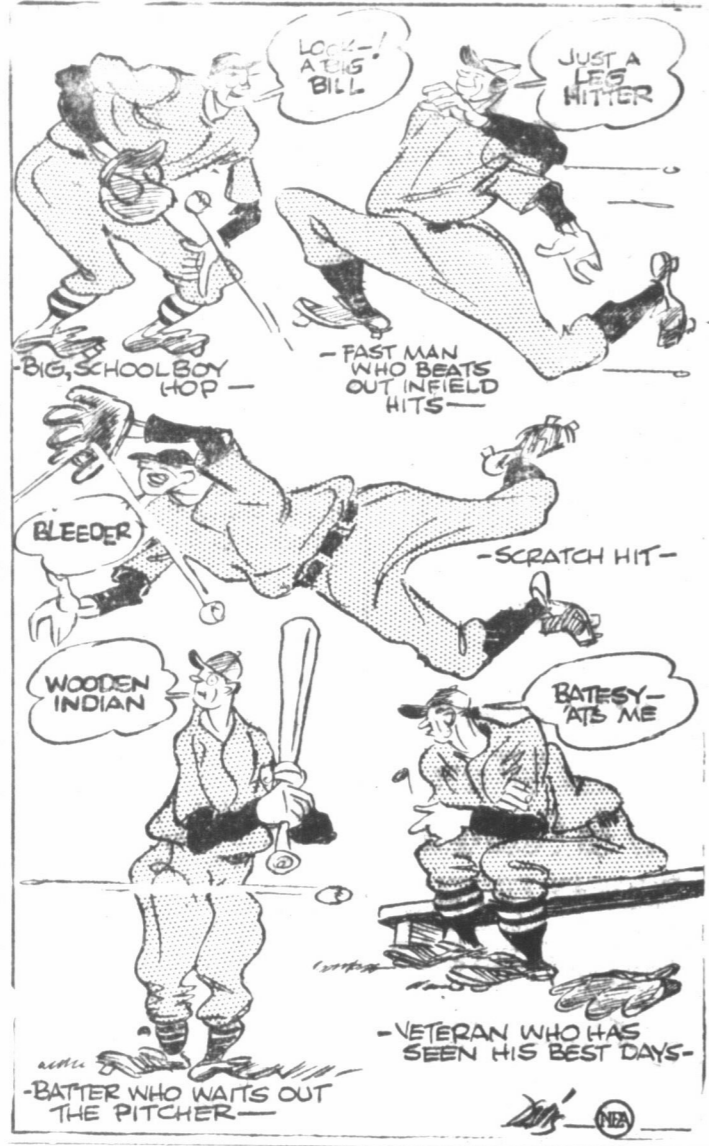


Illustration by [Name]

Sports Roundup

MUGH FULLERTON, JR.
From the Pampa, Tex. ...
When we came to play the kids had no life at all. Game didn't interest them. But a year or so all the kids were playing baseball, yelling, fighting, etc. ...
Even these fellows, RAF, etc., took us 4-1 in the game to cricket. ...
The ball players are afraid baseball will completely ruin their lives.

SPORTSPURRI
First game of the Cardinals line ...
The Chicago Cubs' front of ...
Ed ...
The Cardinals ...
The Cardinals ...
The Cardinals ...

RVICE DEPT.
For declining to quit football and ...
The Cardinals ...
The Cardinals ...
The Cardinals ...

All-Time Best Grid Team Was That of 1930

Even if the first games of the 1944 season is a fortnight distant, and it isn't really autumn yet, the tang of fall and of football is in the air, recalling the record of what Pampa High school football teams have accomplished in the period from 1909 through 1943.

Students at Pampa High school can see the record right before them for before the 1943-44 season ended, a huge panel listing each season's games, total points scored by the Harvesters and by their opponents, number of games won and lost, and percentage, was placed in the west wing of the first floor of the building.

Information for the panel was compiled by Scott Rafferty, district doubles in brass honors at The News by being an advertising salesman and also statistician and Good Man Friday to the sports editor.

Rafferty's data was gathered after a thorough check of file files of this newspaper. In some cases, the files were not on hand for certain years; in others, there was no record listed; but as far as it is possible to go, Rafferty's dope covers the entire period from 1909 to 1943, right up to the start of the 1944 season.

The 34-year record shows that the Harvesters have played a grand total of 131 games, winning 78, losing 49, tying four, and scoring 2,740 points to their opponents' 1,075, for a percentage of .614.

Included in the grand total is the record of District 1-AA competition, in which class Pampa High school started playing in 1930. The district total reads 53 games played, 31 won, 22 lost, 829 points scored to opponents 455, and a percentage of .689.

Miami 190, Pampa 0

The worst licking the Harvesters ever took was a 100 to 0 defeat from the Miami team, in 1920. ...

White Deer To Open Against LeFors

WHITE DEER, Sept. 13.—Beginning the season with a home game for the first time in several years, the White Deer Bucks will be host to the LeFors Pirates here Friday evening at 8:30 o'clock.

Paced by Jack London, the Pirates have experience, weight, and enthusiasm and are expected to go places this season. The Bucks have the benefit of the experience of seven lettermen and several squadmen. ...

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A look at the schedule shows that, beginning with the game with Phillips Friday night, five consecutive games will be played at home, two away, and the remaining three back in Pampa. The season will end with Plainview coming to Pampa November 30.

Here is the way the District 1-AA teams look before the starting gun sounds:

Borger—Out of the conference last year, the coaches must start from scratch and build a team around returning lettermen.

Amarillo—The Sandies are always tough but show a slight weakness of reserves in the result of an intra-squad game; a team 3B, B team 0.

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SPORTS for Victory

Major League Standings

Yesterday's Results
Boston at Brooklyn pp.
Philadelphia at New York (2) pp.
Cincinnati at Chicago (2) pp.
Pittsburgh at St. Louis (night).

Today's Standings

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
St. Louis	75	61	.552
Pittsburgh	77	54	.588
Cincinnati	73	57	.562
Chicago	69	70	.493
New York	61	72	.459
Philadelphia	55	78	.418
Brooklyn	53	80	.407
Philadelphia	52	79	.397

Enlisted Men Begin Second Half League

Two enlisted men's softball games are slated to be played on Pampa army air field diamonds this afternoon in the second half of the enlisted men's league in which Sections B and C are tied for top place.

Section C softballers who won the first half of the league will clash with the Medics, while Section C-X attempts to knock the Section B team from first place which is shared by Sections B and C.

Softball members of the Section B squad drummed the PLM team Tuesday afternoon to the score of 10 to 4, thus putting the PLM team in the cellar.

Following are the standings: Section B and C tied for first place, Section B having played and won three games and Section C played and won two. Section C-X played three and lost one as did the Communications team. The Medics, with two out of three lost, places sixth in the seven-team league, and the PLM squad trails with three played and lost.

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Correspondents Just Like Other Soldiers: They All Want Mail!

By KENNETH L. DIXON
 WITH THE AEF IN SOUTHERN FRANCE, Sept. 3—(Delayed)—It is no story. It merely is a dull dissertation entitled "When it comes to getting mail from home, a war correspondent is just like other human beings, only maybe more so."
 For three weeks now we have been running wild in southern France, frantically following first this front and then that, sending copy back every which way. Periodically we get back to this butterfly press camp which flits from spot to spot so often the mail seldom catches up.
 But hope springs eternal, so we immediately confront Sgt. Bert DeShan of Rochester, N. Y., and query in loud, excited tones: "Where's my mail?"
 "No mail," says Bert. "Tough stuff."
 Since few of us had mail the final week prior to the invasion because of our isolation, it's been that way for about a solid month now. No letters from the wife saying "Who's that mademoiselle I saw kissing you in the newsreel?" No bills from creditors saying "Please remit promptly, if not sooner, or we shall be forced to take up the matter with your draft board." No messages from the home office.
 A solid month without such heart-warming missives makes the average newspaperman more morbid than a moribund at a medical convention.
 Such was the situation last night when most of the scribes sloshed back to camp through a drenching rainstorm—and now we know those African cloudbursts were merely little Mediterranean drips working their way up to the full-fledged French floods. We stood in the chow line in the downpour, swallowed supper shivering and lit-soaking silences, broken only by an occasional snarl.
 The morale, therefore, was simply marvelous up to the moment Maj. Hoyt D. Kline of Cleveland, Ohio, and Pfc. Henry Tom Smith of Chattanooga and Greenville, Tenn., came dripping into the correspondents' workroom in an old French chateau near the camp and dropped three bags of mail on the muddy floor.
 One minute a single, unnecessary remark would have resulted in murder. The next minute the entire room was a solid babble of noise and nonsense. Supposedly sophisticated correspondents acted like schoolboys around a Christmas tree.
 The Chicago Tribune's Sey Korman plied the unopened letters proudly beside his typewriter and boasted of willpower because "I'm going to finish this story first."
 Solemn-faced Joe Dyan of the Associated Press went around grinning from ear to ear.
 The Readers Digest's bluff, thundering Fred Patton strode back and forth shouting bits of news from home.
 Gervasi's grim-faced, intense Fran Gervasi was wreathed in smiles.
 The New York Herald-Tribune's phlegmatic Homer Bigart cordially scented to quit typing momentarily and start opening mail.
 Hilarious Henry Griffin, AP photographer, promptly plopped a stack of middle of the floor and started opening envelopes.
 Columbia Broadcasting's tall, serious Eric Sevareid also plied his corner reading a letter and smiling.

now and then to himself. He went around serving everybody to look at new pictures of my wife and waving a listful of letters. That's the way it was everywhere. The only unruffled countenance belonged to Carl Mydans of Time and Life, who surveyed the hectic situation with an air of superiority. After all, he got 12 letters from his wife a couple of days ago.

Employment Service Has Big Job Ahead, With Reconversion

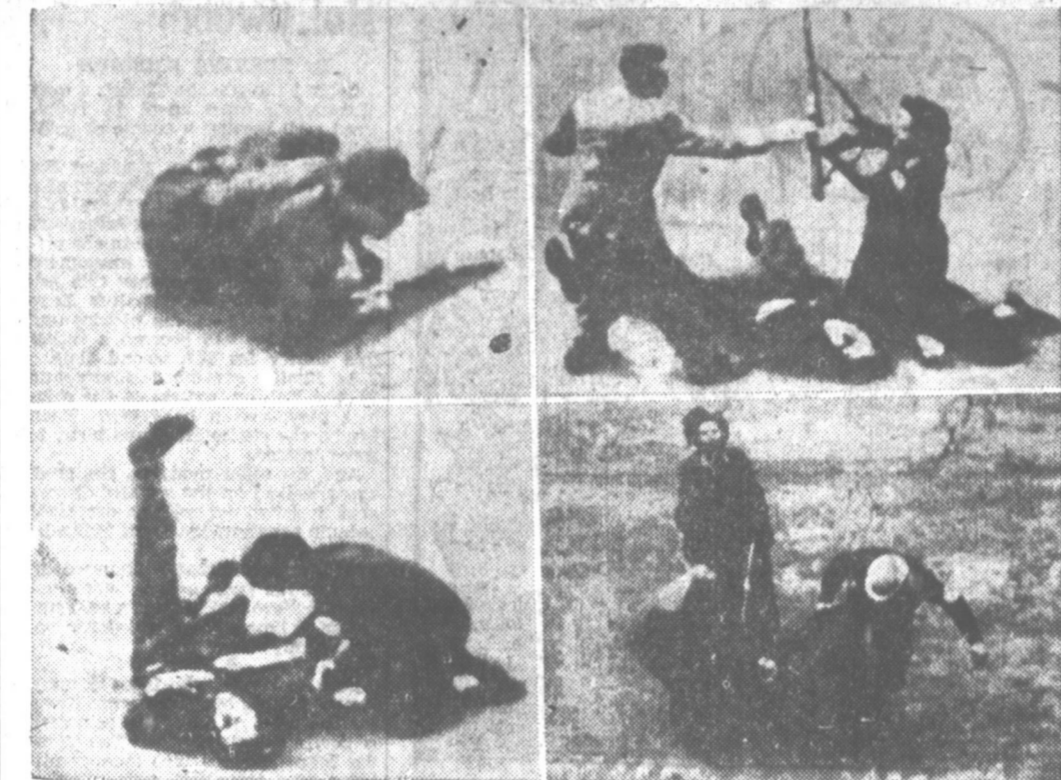
AUSTIN, Texas, Sept. 13—Redistribution of labor throughout Texas and the United States will become a major function of the United States employment service as industry begins to reconvert from war production to civilian production, C. E. Belk, State Director of the war manpower commission has announced following the war production board's decision to release material for civilian production as soon as Germany is defeated.
 "The priority referral program backed up by the Byrnes directive is the only conceivable means by which utter chaos in the labor market can be averted," Belk said, "and the placement of labor, whether in essential jobs or in the production of the channelling processes now set up and successfully operating throughout the nation and state."
 "Extreme pressure still exists on the WMO to fill labor demands throughout the country," Belk continued. "Our quota for urgency production during the next eight weeks is for 10,700 men. Every time production is curtailed in any area we have far more jobs to offer than there are workers to fill them."
 "We are also finding that civilian employers are turning to the employment service in far greater number than ever before in the hope of getting some of the workers laid off of war jobs who maintain homes in the community and cannot accept war jobs in other parts of the country because of the personal hardship involved."
 "Texas is in particularly good shape because of the highly localized operation of the war manpower commission. Our area director in most cities have, through the cooperation of the WMO management-labor committees, and employment committees set up to assist WMO in these areas have closed out backlogs of workers to jobs where they are needed most and are best suited to fill," Belk said.
 "One of the best examples of the way the employment service will assist in preventing employment bottlenecks and lags is shown in Dallas and Austin. As plants in these areas have closed out backlogs we have been able to offer a complete range of jobs to those affected," he said. "At present we are exposing these workers to the most urgent jobs in the nation and we are placing many of them on these jobs."
 "At the same time, however, we have literally thousands of jobs available at the bottom of the priority list—that is to say, less essential jobs—and when we cannot refer a man to a war job, he is placed in less essential activity."
 "Our staff expect 100 per cent use of the employment service by employees and employers," Belk added, "but it is obvious that the more use that is made of the employment service the less confusion we will have in the transition from war production to peace time operation."

"During the past 20 years consumption of cotton in the United States has never fallen below 19.5 pounds per person per year."
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The shooting, disarming and removal of a German soldier on a Paris street during fighting between FFI and the Nazis preceding the Allied entry into the city is graphically depicted in these photos made by Gaston Madru, newsreel photographer who served with the French underground in Paris throughout the Nazi occupation. In top left, Nazi struggles to rise, looking in direction of shot which felled him. In bottom left, a girl of the FFI, wearing identifying armband, dashes to him, quickly searches him, divests him of his weapons. In right top, Nazi writhes in agony as she takes his rifle from him and hands it to a FFI fighter, in civilian clothes, who comes to her aid. Then, bottom right, the pair pick up the limp form of the wounded enemy and hurry back to their shelter. (Newsreel Pool photo from NEA Telephone).

MacArthur Is Keeping Promise That He Would Avenge Stand at Bataan

By RUSSELL BRINES
 (AP correspondent formerly in the Orient who was captured by the Japanese in Manila)
 MacArthur is keeping his promise. A gaunt line of resolute men was stretched across the jungles of Bataan, holding a conqueror at bay.
 White-faced men and women crouched in the musty tunnels of Corregidor, while day and night the earth rumbled and trembled from bombs and artillery.
 Triumphant Japanese were looting Manila, with a heavy hand for interned Occidental men, women and children.
 Two thousand miles away, Gen. Douglas MacArthur gravely spoke to other frightened but still free willians.
 "The President of the United States," he said, "has ordered me to break through the Japanese lines and proceed from Corregidor to Australia for the purpose of understanding it, of organizing an American offensive against Japan. The primary purpose of this is the relief of the Philippines."
 "I came through and I shall return."
 This was March 17, 1942. The general and his family had completed a perilous flight through the Philippines, slipping through the Japanese naval blockade in a P-T boat.
 Japanese bombers were pouring like lava across the mountains and valleys of New Guinea, reaching out toward Australia, which was being bombed and ships already had track.
 The general did not say, "first, I shall save Australia," as his sense of diplomacy might have prompted. He did not mention the remoteness of his pledge. He spoke from an intense preoccupation which has dominated most of his utterances since "I, I."
 Douglas MacArthur wanted to Australia, and gradually the rest of the democratic world, took heart. His erect, square-jawed figure became a symbol of the distant power that some day would dispel the mists then hanging over Asia.
 This commander of a doomed army began to form a new striking force with the material at hand—one combat division and a handful of bombers and fighters. Men with courage and daring under him curbed back the Japanese menace in the Papuan jungles and the Solomon Islands.
 Australians honored MacArthur many times as the savior of their commonwealth. On one such occasion this year, the general deliberately reiterated his pledge to return to the Philippines.
 "On such occasion as this," he added, "my thoughts go back to those men who went on their last crusade in the jungle thickets to the north where they made the fight that saved this continent."
 He was speaking of Bataan as he did often. He noted the first anniversary of the peninsula's fall, April 1, 1943, with a prepared statement that outlined some of the reasons for his impetuosity to return: "Our flag lies crumpled."
 "The wrecks of what were once our men and women groan and sweat in prison toil; our faithful Filipino wards, 16,000,000 souls, gasp in the slavery of a conquering soldiery."
 "I was the leader of that lost cause," he added, "and, from the bottom of a seared and stricken heart, I pray that a merciful God may not delay too long their redemption, that the day of salvation be not so far removed that they perish, that it be not again too late."
 The general acquired sympathy and confidence in the Philippines from his father, Lt. Gen. Arthur MacArthur, first American military governor of the Philippines. He had participated against Filipino patriots during the insurrection.
 Douglas MacArthur began his military career as a lieutenant of engineers in the archipelago in 1903. He later served as district commander in Manila and as commander of the department of the Philippines.
 In 1935 he began to groom a Commonwealth army for the islands' then forthcoming independence. As Field Marshal he directed intensive training of Filipino conscripts.
 The general also consistently viewed the Philippines as a great strategic stepping stone, both as a springboard for a jump to China and as the base of sea and aerial power which could sever Japanese com-

munication lines to the war material regions of the south.
 Gen. MacArthur's impatience to



GEN. DOUGLAS MACARTHUR return to the islands was reflected in his efforts to shave down the

New Guinea timetable. He utilized air power to the fullest. He developed leap-frog landings which trapped whole Japanese armies and permitted advances without the slow liquidation of more than 100,000 Japanese still living within the areas he controls.
 Finally, after 17 months of back-breaking effort, he inserted in his communique of July 23, 1944, the first mention of the Philippines since the capitulation of Corregidor, May 6, 1942. He revealed then that long-range planes from newly-acquired bases were maintaining a constant patrol over southern Philippine waters.
 Doubtless that moment brought back memories which must have plagued him often during the past two years... the towering flames which destroyed the Cavite naval base, symbol of American Far Eastern naval power, the night he slipped from Manila... the concentrated hell of Corregidor and Bataan when his disease-weakened men prayed for help that never came... the gaunt, night-cloaked shadows of the islands, hunched like compliant shoulders, as his tiny escape boat veered toward Australia.
 Gen. MacArthur has a rendezvous with ghosts in the Philippines.
 Zinc is one of the few common metals which were not known to the Greeks and Romans.

Crummer Co. Is Denied Motion

WICHITA, Kas., Sept. 13—(AP)—U. S. District Judge Brower Broadbent denied Monday a motion by Roy E. Crummer company and the Crummer company, indicted last month by a federal grand jury at Topeka, that impounded books and records be returned.
 Judge Broadbent, sitting in the absence of Judge Guy T. Helvering, ruled the books and record be turned over to the court clerk at Topeka where they would be open to inspection by the defendants "at any reasonable hour." No date was set for trial.
 Two indictments were returned against the Crummer interests. One, refunding of Panama City, Fla., municipal bonds, charged mail fraud in 12 counts while the other, in nine counts, alleged security act violations and mail fraud in refunding \$1,245,000 of citrus original bonds were allegedly exchanged for refunding bonds after the collapse of the Florida land boom by methods which the grand jury said gave the brokers illegal profits at the expense of the original bondholders.

Refinancing Now Has Good Prospects

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 13—(AP)—The preferred stock refinancing of Gulf States Utilities company, Beaumont, Texas, can be accomplished at the present time "on the most favorable basis in the company's history," Richard N. Benjamin, New York secretary of the company, said Monday.
 Testifying at a securities and exchange commission hearing on Gulf States' plan to issue 120,000 shares of new preferred stock, Benjamin said that 99,994 shares are to be offered in exchange for \$6 and \$5.50 dividend preferred stocks and the balance will be sold for cash, along with any shares not required for the exchange.
 "The purpose of issuing the balance of these shares is to raise cash to pay off the balance of the bank

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loan to the Chase National bank and to build up working capital," Benjamin said.
 "The proposed program would result in an excess of current assets over current liabilities of \$691,996. We feel that this is a particularly good time to do such permanent financing and that it is advantageous to the financing," Benjamin said.

Jumpers from California



"A". Rayon gabardine, button front, coat style jumper—set-in waistband... embroidered pockets—red, pine, brown, navy, R. A. F. Sizes 12 to 20.
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 "B". Strutter cloth, ruffle trim from shoulder to pocket. Ser-in-belt. Nailhead and embroidery on pockets. Brown, navy, red, luggage, R. A. F. Sizes 9 to 17.
 895
 "C". Rivercools spun rayon, two insert breast pockets with multi-color trim to waistline, pleated skirt, grey, blue, tan. Sizes 10 to 18.
 790
 "D". Rayon gabardine, tailored breast pockets, self-lined belt, pleated front and back. Gold, grey, blue, green, navy, brown. Sizes 12 to 20.
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Rev. Robert Boshen

Pampans were happy to hear that Rev. Robert Boshen of the first Presbyterian church is going to a larger church and congregation in Fort Worth.

He is not leaving merely to go to a bigger church. That is not the reason. If it had been, he could have gone to a still larger church.

When Mr. Boshen came here in 1927 he began immediately to plan for a much needed new church building.

He has been able to put a finger on any particular advantage derived from Mr. Roosevelt's war time.

In this particular section of the country where we are near the line dividing the central and mountain time zones it works more of a hardship than any other.

Right now it is barely daylight at 7 a. m. and as we progress into winter and the short days of the year it doesn't get daylight until after 8 a. m.

If there is any gain in saving-of electricity in the evenings, it is all lost and balanced out in the morning.

The system used in the East might be all right. There in many states they turn the clocks up an hour on Oct. 1 every year.

Does anybody know any good reason why the clocks here shouldn't be turned back to regulation standard time?

The Nation's Press

QUT KIDDIN', LADY: (By Frank Waldrop in The Washington D. C. Times-Herald)

When it comes to pious availing couple with eye for fighting we give you as No. 1 Anna Eleanor Roosevelt Roosevelt, with long ago cut the role of first lady of the land for that of a New Deal politician.

Consider her syndicated column of yesterday on the Senate-War Department fracas concerning political propaganda to the troops.

On the one hand, Mrs. Roosevelt well said that she thinks "all of us rejoice" that the Senate has reworded the law which the War Department has been interpreting so strictly.

On the other hand, she said she didn't think it "fair" for Senator Taft, of Ohio, to name to this writer's War Department of having deliberately misinterpreted the original law and reduced it to nonsense by extravagant enforcement tricks.

The motive behind the original action by Senator Taft and the Congress was, of course, an entirely correct one. No voters should be so restricted that they do not get all possible information before exercising their franchise, and the information certainly should be impartial.

Mrs. Roosevelt neglected to tell her audience the background that caused the "original action" she mentions. But it so happens that only today there came to this writer's hands eight items that tell the story to anybody who looks at them.

These eight are representative samples of what the "original action" consisted of. It was a 500-ton (yes, six thousand ton) bundle of magazines and pamphlets dumped on a certain pier from a U. S. Army transport, with directions to let them go into circulation, at once, in one of the greatest assembly points for U. S. troops anywhere in the world.

Incidentally, we apologize for such roundabout language, but a closer description of the troop assembly point would be in violation of military censorship, and identification of the man who got the 500-ton bundle would put our source of information (a U. S. Government official) on the Washington hot spot.

We simply tell you the eight samples are there on the desk. This is written, seven of the eight.

Common Ground

"I speak the p. s. d. of the sign of democracy. By God I will not do it unless I am sure it is a part of the same team." —WALT WHITMAN.

Profit Motive Must Give Way! Invariably those people who believe in government ownership...

This is a statement that sounds beautiful. When analyzed, however, it has absolutely no rational meaning.

It means, when analyzed, that people must do things with the idea of benefiting someone else. They must never want any pleasure or happiness or consumption for themselves.

Under the profit motive one man can do more for another than he can do for himself. If he is not to be benefited, then we will reduce human labor necessary to satisfy a human want.

So the next time you hear someone talking about eliminating the profit motive, just put it down that he is intellectually lazy, and probably physically lazy, too.

He is not wanting to do the work that he does not have when things are measured by other people having the right of choice; that is, when things are measured by a competitive system.

Published by the Government of the United States of America. The eighth is a beautiful four-color photograph on a handsome backing, and only bears the signature of the man pictured—Franklin D. Roosevelt.

But that eighth handsome high something in common with each of the seven booklets, namely, that every one of those, too, has a handsome picture of Franklin D. Roosevelt. And further, they were put out by the Office of War Information, commanded by none other than Uncle Elmer Davis, the celebrated radio baritone reader of news bulletins.

Mr. Roosevelt did not inform her readers yesterday, though it is true, that Congress had to restrain Uncle Elmer from plastering the U. S. A. with many thousand tons of such Roosevelt propaganda.

For example, one of the eight samples on my desk is Vol. 1, No. 1, of the OWI publication, "Victory." It's a slick paper job made up something on the job of Life Magazine, except better and containing an article, "Roosevelt of America."

The opening sentence of this little ditty reads: "From out of America, cradle of democracy, there has come a new Declaration of Independence for the whole world."

But she, like all the other New Dealer politicians, has thrown restraint to the winds to seek a party, until they are at last dethroned.

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

President Roosevelt has done it again. He has blighted the cross-country start of Governor Thomas E. Dewey's campaign trip with the news of his meeting at the Prime Minister's Church in Quebec.

It is understood that the Commander in Chief will frequently resort to this strategy in the later stages of the contest, just as he made "inspection trips" when his aides in 1940 feared that Wendell Willkie was taking headway in the scrap for votes.

It would not be dignified for the Republican nominee to suggest that the meeting with Churchill and future parleys with United Nations leaders were arranged for their political effect. But National Chairman Herbert E. Brownell or some lesser light may decide to cast verbal doubt on the necessity for and genuineness of these periodical get-togethers.

We cannot verify this, but we hear by way of the grapevine that Mr. Willkie will make no pronouncement of this Roosevelt versus Dewey attitude until about the middle of October. He will go through the motions of listening to the two candidates' speeches, according to their information, and then announce his stand. He may also do some campaigning on his own.

The opinion seems to be that Mr. Willkie will declare for the President. As a reward, if F.D.R. is re-elected, he may receive cabinet post, a major ambassadorship or a seat at the peace table.

Mail—more than anything else—can mitigate the loneliness of our service men overseas. In Iceland, for instance—

A lad, typical of the southern mountaineers, could drill a dime at a hundred yards with an Army rifle and outmatch any G.I. in his outfit. But he was the only man in the company who never received even a postcard.

His friend showed him a message from a Greenwich village girl, filled with bright gossip. The other devoured every word and finally remarked wistfully, "It's sure right nice, ain't it?"

The New Yorker described the episode to his girl correspondent, who made it known to some of her chums. A few weeks later when the mailbag arrived in the States, they contained a dozen envelopes addressed to the lonely hill billy. His hands shook so with happy excitement that he could scarcely read.

Should a period of unemployment occur, young persons should not become embittered and feel that they are unwanted members of society, as was frequently the case in the past. The time should be spent in improving themselves.

We are not responsible for making the work, but it is our responsibility to remove every obstacle that may prevent American industry from going boldly ahead when materials and facilities can be released.

CURE FOR JAWWALKERS: ALAMEDA, Calif. (AP)—City police agreed C. L. Bolander had a sure cure for jawwalking but a \$100,000 special fund for lawsuit settlement would have to be enacted first.

By way of a checkup, here are a number of the recommendations of the Baruch committee, the actions of government agencies in carrying out these recommendations, and what actually happened.

Suspect Americans Plan To Invade Soon



NEWS BEHIND THE NEWS The National Whirligig

By RAY TUCKER FORCES—A permanent, professional army of at least five hundred thousand fighting men and a reserve of an annual million young trainees in the national defense program...

The jump in actual annual expenditures from 1932 to 1939 was only twenty-four million dollars, according to the official figures. Tonnage was raised in that dangerous era by only fifty-four thousands—four to two million forty thousand.

DEFENSE—Indeed, when in 1940 Admiral Ernest J. King was given command of an Atlantic fleet consisting of a few training ships and outmoded vessels, he complained bitterly to his old friend, President Roosevelt.

The proposed army-navy-air setup for the future may easily cost the taxpayers some billion dollars annually, although that figure can be pared down gradually as prices fall and service pay is reduced.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—The submarine Gudgeon with her crew of approximately 65 officers and men is overdue and presumed lost, the navy announced Tuesday.

Peter Edson's Column: CHECKUP ON THE RUBBER PROGRAM (By Peter Edson)

Here on the home front, this is the stage of the war when you can begin to laugh at a lot of the isms that needless frenzy that people worked themselves into, worrying about crises that never quite developed.

1. The Baruch report called for no production of more than 1,000,000 tons of synthetic rubber in the United States in 1944. It recommended national restrictions on mileage and gas rationing were imposed on a 5,000 mile per car per year basis.

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Around Hollywood

By ERSKINE JOHNSON Behind the screen: There's a very discolored press agent in Hollywood. All because a couple of goldfish had twins.

A few months ago, producer Sol Lesser started filming a comedy of a careless stork titled, "Three is a Family." The theme was infectious. Hattie McDaniel was cast in the picture and immediately announced she will become a mother this fall for the first time.

Col. Robert Lee Scott, the much decorated veteran of the Flying Tigers and author of the book "God I My Co-Pilot," was a visitor on the set of "Hollywood Caliente."

Suey Welch is a former fight manager who once handled such expert ring masters as "Gorilla" John He's in the theater business now occasionally he shakes his head sadly as he considers a champion that might have been.

SHIRLEY TEMPLE'S "FATHER" Joel McCrea plays the father of a 6-year-old son in the film "Hold Autumn in Your Hand." His wife Frances Dee is co-starred. He says it brings back memories of the day when Shirley Temple was the queen of Hollywood.

Winfield Sheehan, then the head of Fox, called me in one day. "Joel," he told me he wanted me to play Shirley Temple's father in a picture. I said that was swell.

THE STORY: Len and Sue Beckley are entertaining Joel McCrea at Staton, at dinner. Len has been a very busy man. He has been seen Margaret Hilyard in 20 years. He is in thundercrack and get it over with. He is a beautiful girl. She is fat and overwedged and she takes a delight in making other people feel ill at ease.

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War Today

By DEWITT MacKENZIE Associated Press War Analyst

When we see Allied forces battling on the soil of an already defeated and tottering Germany, it gives to wonder that the United Nations in such a comparatively short time should have achieved this triumph over a militaristic nation which came close to conquering much of the eastern hemisphere—and maybe the whole world.

There are, of course, many reasons for our success but an important one is the superior skill of Allied generals who at decisive moments have outsmarted the best brains that Prussianism could produce. In recording his we get double satisfaction from the fact that German military leadership, taking it by and large, always has been of high order.

One doesn't make such a claim lightly, and before setting it down in his column I checked it against the observations of my friend, Brig. Gen. "Orange" Sewell, the distinguished British military expert. He was by the way, the youngest brigadier in the British army in the last war and holds high decorations.

GENERAL MEETS "GENERAL" Col. Robert Lee Scott, the much decorated veteran of the Flying Tigers and author of the book "God I My Co-Pilot," was a visitor on the set of "Hollywood Caliente."

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their elastic strategy of withdrawing and then striking when the Germans were overextended. Sewell writes a book on the superiority of Allied generalship but I'll give Sewell the last word with comment on D-Day in Normandy. He points out that this invasion was a surprise in two ways, first because the enemy expected the attack at another place, and second in the way the Allies built up their positions and channels of news through beaches which were supposed to be invulnerable.

Senator Favors World Free Press

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—(AP)—A resolution calling for a congressional declaration in favor of opening "all channels of news throughout the world" to the responsible press and radio was introduced in the senate Tuesday by Senator Taft (R-Ohio).

Taft told the senate his proposal was somewhat similar to another resolution offered in the house last week by Representative Fulbright (D-Ark.) and had as its object the agreement respecting freedom of news exchange.



"I hear East has a fifth column" "I hear East has a fifth column"

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE



band and a correcting wife. He began: "Well, it's about two Swedes in Minneapolis. They—" "It's really about three Irishmen in Chicago," Margaret broke in.

"That was my other story, my dear," Walt groaned.

"What is sadder than the funeral of a good story murdered in its cradle? A pall fell over the struggle for laughter. The obsequies were interrupted by a violent ringing of the doorbell, and Violet, on the door, and a loud voice shouting through: "Open in the name of the law!"

"Sue and Len stared at each other in disbelief, then leapt to their feet. Sue gasped: "Tom! But it couldn't be!" "Host and hostess fled from their guests and ran out into the hall. Walt explained: "Tom is their son. The last they heard of him, he was in the South Pacific with his regiment. They've been worried sick ever since."

There was a hubbub in the hall a confusion of Sue's shrieks of delight and Len's booming voice mingled with the uproar of an overgrown youth who had spent a year in the hell of jungle warfare, and was a boy again at the sight of his parents. The guests could hear his berserk laughter. "Our transport got in yesterday. I've traveled all night and all day I wanted to surprise you. I've got a whole month's leave. Hot damn, God, but you're sweet. Mom. And Dad, Lord love you!"

Parents Honored At Party Given by Boy Scout Troop

Under the direction of Scoutmaster D. B. Wallace, the Boy Scouts of Troop 22 started their fall program by honoring their parents with an outside wailer roast. There were 28 Scouts and their parents present.

Scoutmaster Wallace gave an outline of the fall program, naming braiding, Indian costume work, and bead work as some of the crafts to be worked on during the winter.

Mr. Olson, the scout executive, gave a short talk, expressing his appreciation for the fine work and advancement being accomplished by the scouts.

The meeting was closed by all singing "God Bless America," followed by "Taps" played by the bugler, and a prayer led by the scoutmaster.

B. M. Baker P.T.A. To Meet Thursday

Executive board members of B. M. Baker P.T.A. will meet Thursday at 1 o'clock to elect officers in recently created vacancies.

A general meeting will be held at 2:45 in the school auditorium.

All parents are asked to attend the meeting to become acquainted with teachers and to learn the purpose of P.T.A. work. Tea will be served.

The Social Calendar

THURSDAY
Laborers class will meet with Mrs. Dorothy Parker, 1322 Mary Ellen.
Horace Mann P.T.A. will meet at 2:30.
G.I. Widows club will meet at 2 o'clock at the USO.
First Christian Women's Council will meet at 2 p. m. with Mrs. C. H. Mundy, 105 N. Wayne; 2:30 with Mrs. E. E. Smith, 115 N. West; at 2:30 with Mrs. H. Gledhill, 105 S. Wayne.
Woodrow Wilson P.T.A. will meet at 2:30 when a tea will be given.
San Houston P.T.A. will entertain at 2:30 p. m. honoring teachers.
Wishkah Ladies will meet at 7:30.
Winsome class of the First Baptist church will meet.
Hopkins W.M.S. will meet at 2 p. m. at the Community hall.

FRIDAY
Kit Kat club will sponsor an informal dance at the Country club.
Entre Nous club will meet.
Victory H. D. club will meet.
O.E.S. will meet.
Merten H. D. club will meet.
Entre Nous club will meet.
Victory H. D. club will meet for a party honoring members of the Merten H. D. club.
W.M.U. of Central Baptist church will meet.

TUESDAY
Merten club will meet.
Moorville club will meet.
Rainbow girls will meet.
Business and Professional Women's club will have a social meeting at the City club room.
Kit Kat club will meet.
G.I. girls will meet.

WEDNESDAY
W.M.S. of First Methodist church will have circle meetings.
Parish council of Holy Souls will meet, 2:30.
Queens of clubs will meet.
Presbyterian Auxiliary will meet for study in homes of members.
Women's council of First Christian church will meet.
Viernes club will meet at 3 o'clock with Mrs. F. A. Hukill.
Farrington H. D. club will meet.
Hell H. H. club will meet.
W.M.S. of First Methodist church will meet.

Tailored Toppers



Soft touches on new fall suit hats have put them into the running with fussiest of after-five bonnets. Women who walked they looked a fright in the strictly tailored models of yesterday, now are taking to high-styled felt toppers for round-the-clock wear.

Two of the season's anytime, anywhere favorites are shown above. The Knox-designed modified tricorne (left) with grosgrain ribbon and braid pom trimmings takes on an air of elegance with the simple addition of a dog-collar veil.

The parma blue triple-brimmed felt sailor (right) with a flirty cyclamen grosgrain bow complements soft suit and tailored blouse ensembles as perfectly as it does classic crepe after-dark frocks. Ring-sized loop trimmings on the three brims adds a final feminine touch.

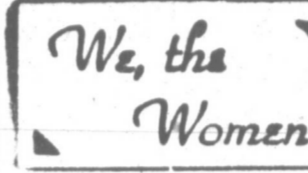
Horace Mann P.T.A. To Meet Tomorrow

Horace Mann Parent Teacher association will meet tomorrow at 2:30, according to announcements made today.

The Rev. H. G. Gantz, First Christian church evangelist, will bring the devotional. Mrs. Roy Holt will speak on the value of P.T.A. work and an informal tea will be held following the meeting.

"All parents who have children enrolled in Horace Mann are urgently requested to be present at this meeting. It is important that they become acquainted with teachers and to understand the aims and purposes of parent-teacher cooperation."

said Miss Josephine Thomas, principal of the school.



By RUTH MILLETT

Their farm is near an army camp and in the two years of its existence they have entertained more than 400 soldiers.

Maybe "entertained" isn't quite the word. For this farm couple, with a large family of children of their own, invites the boys to make themselves part of the family for a day.

On Sunday afternoons the farmyard is full of khaki. Some times there are 20 or 30 on the farm at one time.

They come in time for Sunday dinner and stay on for supper, and then the boys who have been there before get out the potatoes and get the potatoes peeled and the dishes set out before the family gets home from church.

Church, by the way, is where the couple run into a lot of the boys they invite out for the first time "but not all." The farmer says, "We have boys of all faiths. We don't care what their religion is. After all, we figure it's enough that they're in uniform. As far as we're concerned that makes them all members of the same lodge."

The boys who have spent Sundays on that farm have come from every state in the union. Some are farm boys who insist on helping with the chores because it seems like home, and some are boys from eastern cities who admit they have never been on a farm before in their lives.

THEIR "THANK YOU!"

That couple isn't known in war work. But they have probably done more than anyone in their community to show the boys training to go overseas just how much they are appreciated.

A lot of the country club set in the same town are known for their war work. Yet the country club has closed its doors and its golf course to G.I.s—for fear they might overrun the place.

But this farmer and his wife—to whom feeding so many soldiers means extra hours in the fields, and extra hours in the kitchen canning food, love to see their farmyard overrun with boys in uniform, rich boys, poor boys, Jews, Protestants and Catholics.

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Miller-Canady Vows Said in California

Marriage vows were exchanged between Miss Mary Joan Miller, and Roy A. Canady, Jr., September 8, in San Diego, Calif., with Father R. G. Randolph reading the ritual in the home of the bridegroom's sister, Mrs. E. L. Valligou.

The bride wore a two-piece white flannel suit, with black accessories. Her corsage was of tiny red rose buds. For travel, they both wore midnight blue suits made alike.

Mrs. Canady made her home in Pampa for several years.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Canady graduated from Richfield, Tenn., high school.

Mr. Canady has been in the grocery business in Dallas for several years.

After September 15, the couple will be at home in Dallas.

Woodrow Wilson To Hold P. T. A. Meet Tomorrow at School

A social hour and tea for new members and teachers will be given at the regular meeting of Woodrow Wilson P.T.A. to be held tomorrow at 2:30 at the school.

Mrs. Rufe Jordan will give the devotional and the executive board is scheduled to meet at 1:30.

Mrs. Carlton Nance, president, has urged all parents to attend.

Ration Calendar

(By The Associated Press)

MEATS, FATS, ETC.—Book four red stamps A8 through Z8 and A5 through C5 valid indefinitely.

PROCESSED FOODS—Book four blue stamps A8 through Z8 and A5 through L5 valid indefinitely. Use of blue tokens will be discontinued Oct. 1.

SUGAR—Book four stamps 30 through 33 valid indefinitely for five pounds each; stamp 40 good for five pounds for home canning through Feb. 28, 1945.

SHOES—Book three airplane stamps 1 and 2 good indefinitely.

GASOLINE—12-A coupons good for three gallons through Sept. 21. B-3, B-4, C-3 and C-4 coupons good for five gallons.

Poultry Raisers Face Possible Fine

FAYETTEVILLE, Ark., Sept. 13.—Fifty-six poultry raisers and dealers in the Ozark market area were under probationary fines and jail sentences today after they pleaded guilty before federal judge John E. Miller here to charges of violating office of price administration price ceilings in sale of poultry.

The fines ranged from \$15 to \$500 and the jail sentences ran from 60 days to six months.

Cases of 14 who pleaded innocent were transferred to Fort Smith and set for hearing during the week of October 30. Of the other cases five were not-prosecuted and one was dismissed. Warrants were issued for arrest of five defendants who failed to appear.

Operators involved were from Arkansas, Oklahoma, Texas and Louisiana.

Episcopal Auxiliary Will Meet Tonight With Mrs. Parks

Members of St. Matthew's Episcopal Auxiliary will meet tonight in the home of Mrs. S. E. Parks, 1305 Mary Ellen, to begin another year of activities.

All members of the Auxiliary have been requested to attend this first meeting as plans will be made for activities to be held through the year.

Baring the Tax Facts

NEWTON, Mass.—(AP)—Citizens here found something new in the envelope with their real estate tax bill this year. City fathers enclosed a leaflet showing how tax money is apportioned to pay various city costs. This breakdown showing how the money is spent also is expected to help municipal department heads answer complaints of residents.

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'Lieutenants Most Romantic at PAAF; Privates Trail Dewey-Eyed Second'

Most romantic military personnel at Pampa army air field are second lieutenants with the private soldiers trailing a dewey-eyed second.

A survey of marriages at the local air base chapel from the first wedding on Jan. 10, 1943, until the last on Sept. 10, 1944, indicated that of 90 couples united in marriage 26 second lieutenants said "I do" while 14 privates repeated the fateful words.

Sixteen Pampa girls took vows in 1943 and six this year before the post chapel altar.

Corporals, sergeants and staff sergeants held third place with six grooms each of those ranks. Fourth place among the newly married men goes to the privates, first class, and fifth place to first lieutenants and flight officers, three of each taking the solemn vows. Only one each of technical, master and first sergeants pledged their troth during the period. No other ranks are represented.

The traditional marriage month of June has been shunned this year.

with only four couples taking vows. January, February and April are the most romantic months for local air base personnel with six couples being married in each month. In March and April five couples were united in marriage and two each in May, July and September.

Fifty-five marriages were performed in the chapel during the year of 1943. Enlisted men who took vows numbered 27, with 14 officers and aviation cadets using for a romantic second. Since January of this year, 19 officers, 11 enlisted men and six aviation cadets have entered on the path of wedded bliss, making a total of 50 since the first wedding took place.

STEADY SHAVER

FLORA, Miss.—(AP)—A soldier stationed at the Army Service Forces Training Center here is using an American safety razor blade which was found on the body of a dead German in the first World War. He says the blade, discovered in the battle of Meuse Argonne, has been used daily for the last 20 years.

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31-a-Tailor Shop
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51-Good Things to Eat
CAN WHAT you can't use now. You'll like this winter. Finest foods for your consumption. Quick Service Market. Ph. 2592.

56-a-Women's Exchange
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66-a-Sand, Gravel, Etc.
Notice! The Pampa Sand and Gravel Co. office at 301 S. Cuyler will be closed until further notice while waiting on new equipment.

73-Wanted to Buy
I WILL pay cash for your auto, truck, boat, etc. or trade for a new one. Write Box 1436, Pampa, Texas.

74-Wanted to Rent
SPEARS FURNITURE Co. wants to rent a 4 or 5 room modern house for a 2 month period. Inquire only in person from Houston. Call 635.

77-Apartments
SEMI-MODERN 2 room furnished apartment, close in. Apply Alamo Hotel, 405 South Cuyler.

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FOR RENT-Outside bedroom with shower. Couple only. 711 N. Somerville.

82-City Property for Sale
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Two 6 room duplexes. One 3 room modern house. One 4 room modern house. One 5 room apartment. All furnished. Priced for quick sale. Half cash. Balance easy terms. One good tourist truck. Will sell on credit. Inquire 810 N. West.

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Oil Production In Increase for Week
TULSA, Okla., Sept. 13-(AP)-United States crude oil production increased 48,000 barrels daily in the week ended Sept. 9 to 4,696,800 barrels daily, the Oil and Gas Journal said today.

CONSIDERATE ROBBER
CHICAGO - A thief who had ransacked Miss Helen Wallace's home took pains to return what apparently he thought she was entitled to retain. He returned a small cedar chest, six \$25 War Bonds and some financial papers - all by registered mail and a diamond ring. He kept \$150 and a diamond ring.

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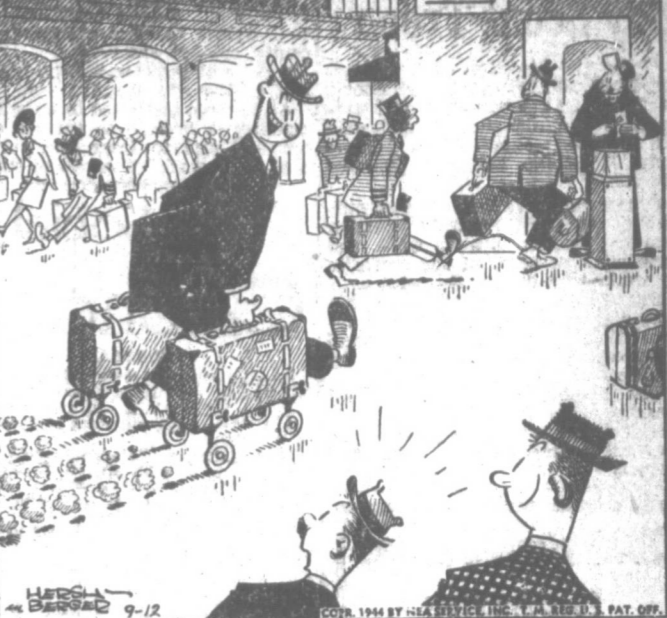
Many Things To Consider in Law For Sex Equality
By JAMES MARLOW
WASHINGTON, Sept. 13-(AP)-The proposed constitutional amendment to give women equal rights with men has been stymied for years.

It first was introduced in congress in 1923. It's still there. It never has reached the floor for debate. A number of women's organizations-particularly the National Woman's Party (NWP)-have fought to get it through.

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8:05-Trading Post.
8:10-Introduce.
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8:30-Moments of Devotion.
8:45-Let's Dance.
9:00-What's Hot from the News.
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9:30-Shady Valley Ball.
10:00-Artist.
10:15-Do You Need Advice?
10:25-What's Your Idea?
10:45-Charlotte Debin.
11:00-Boake Carter.
11:15-Hank Lawson's Music Mixers.
11:30-News-Tex De Weese.
11:45-Dance Music.
12:00-Pursley Program.
12:15-Lum and Abner.
12:45-American Woman's Jury.
1:00-Radio News.
1:15-Jane Cowell.
1:30-Open House with Johnny Nebbett.
1:45-Real Story from Real Life.
2:00-Morton Downey.
2:15-Palmer House Concert.
2:30-The Smoothies.
2:45-News from the World.
3:00-Walter Compton.
3:15-The Johnson Family.
3:30-Zeb Carver's Orch.
3:45-The Handy Man.
4:00-All Star Dance Parade.



Uncle Sam Says Duck Hunters Must Know Their Ducks, or Get in Clink
By DAVE CHEAVENS
Associated Press Staff
You duck hunters interested in staying out of the U. S. clink had better learn the difference between a wood duck and widgen-widgen, not pigeon-before Thursday, November 2.

The various states and the federal government have virtually let the bars down on the hunting of migratory waterfowl. Analysis of the new regulations for the November 2-January 20 season shows that a hunter, if he's man enough and can get the shells, and if he's enough of a naturalist to identify what he is shooting at, could claim a total bag of 65 waterfowl in one day and not break a rule.

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Pros Moved to the Main Floor, While the Antis Went Home in Huff

By JACK BUTLEDGE

DALLAS, Sept. 13—(P)—Anti doesn't live here any more.

For the first seven hours of the democratic state convention yesterday were turbulent, tempestuous and temperamental. They were confused and complex, with the pro-Roosevelt and the anti-Roosevelt factions bitterly battling for supremacy.

Even the votes were complicated—774 13/70ths to 883 57/70ths on a motion to table an amendment to a temporary organization report and 799 9/40ths to 789 31/40ths on an amendment enabling the Dallas county pro-Roosevelt delegates to be seated.

But by 8 p.m. the antis were definitely defeated, the pro-Roosevelt faction took over and even the atmosphere changed.

During the recess a stray butterfly flitted across the stage, symbolic of the new peace.

Booing, catcalls and heckling were accepted procedure during the morning. Martin Dies from Orange wasn't allowed to make a speech, Lloyd Price of Fort Worth was interrupted, others were drowned out. Tedious roll calls were delayed by challenges and protests, placards were torn up. Seating of delegates was challenged and fought and held up the convention opening from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

But from the minute James V. Alfred stepped through the back door on the stage and held up his

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chairman and keynote Calvert named as his No. 1 objective to be sure that Texas' 23 democratic electors vote for President Roosevelt in November.

Dewey's itinerary west called him, meanwhile, from Valentine, Neb., to Billings, Mont., and thence to the Pacific coast where he is to make his third major campaign speech at Seattle Monday night.

Interior Secretary Ickes, in a vigorous attack on Dewey, pictured the republican candidate as a confused politician who "has had to reverse himself on almost everything," including lend lease, Russian relations and possibilities of war production.

Ickes who spoke before a convention of the United Automobile Workers (CIO) in Grand Rapids, Mich., pointed his bitterest comment at Dewey's charge of last week that the Roosevelt administration does not intend to demobilize the armed forces as rapidly as possible.

By making such a statement, said Ickes, Dewey "has stopped to pluck the heartstrings of every American mother, wife, sweetheart and child of every soldier and sailor throughout the world with charge that is as false as any ever promulgated by Goebbels."

Col. Francis V. Keessling of selective service was asked at a house committee in Washington about Dewey's attributing to draft director Lewis B. Hershey a remark that it would be about as cheap to keep men in the army as to maintain them "under another agency" for a while.

Keessling replied that the statement was made last month and is "water over the dam now." He asked that the draft be kept out of the political campaign.

The republicans' easy triumph over democrats in Maine Tuesday was received by Dewey as further evidence of "a rising confidence in the leadership of the republican party." But Rep. Ramspeck of Georgia,

democratic party whip in the U. S. house, said the results in Maine "don't prove a thing" and that "we believe that with a little work" the democrats can carry the traditionally republican state in November.

On the labor sector of the political front, a house committee investigating campaign expenses announced at New York that it would undertake a spot check of \$1 contributions from CIO members to the political action committee to learn whether any coercion was used.

In Louisiana, Senator Overton, democratic incumbent, now renomination and it appears that the entire incumbent Louisiana house delegation, with the exception of Rep. James H. Morrison, won renomination. Unofficial returns indicated their success and indicated that Morrison will be forced into a runoff with H. Alva Brumfield of Baton Rouge.

At Denver, in Colorado's only contest, unofficial tabulations from 354 of the 479 precincts gave David Miller, Greely attorney, 2,750 votes to 2,521 for Maj. Homer G. Preston, democratic county judge, in the second Colorado district democratic race for representative.

Stevenson for Any Plan Suiting Valley

AUSTIN, Sept. 13—(P)—Gov. Coke R. Stevenson declares he would favor whichever plan for division of the waters of the Rio Grande between Texas and Mexico "that would be the best for the people of the Rio Grande valley."

Recently the Texas governor had said he was more in favor of a compact commission plan for allocating the river's water, than for a treaty between the nations. Today he added:

"I was inclined to the compact commission plan because its success in allocating waters of the Rio Grande and Pecos rivers (between Texas and New Mexico)."

"Those interstate compacts have worked well, but if such plan would not work in this case, my attitude would be to do the best for the people of the valley."

He said he had discussed the matter with Rio Grande valley citizens, but that it was only touched upon in his recent visit to Washington.

"I did not talk to anyone there who knew much about it," the governor said, noting that he had intended to discuss it fully with Sen. Tom Connally, but had not done so because of limitation of time.

He suggested since the division of waters of the stream between Texas and Mexico was an international affair, that his feeling and influence was not of as much significance as that of Texas' congressional delegation.

Maj. Clure Smith Participates in Blasting Germans

AN ADVANCED NINTH AIR FORCE FIGHTER BASE, France—Major Clure E. Smith, Jr., Skellytown, Texas, squadron leader of the "Trouble Shooters" squadron, landed his P-47 Thunderbolt and calmly told of continued attacks on German troops and motor transport just completed in which the squadron commanded by him led a Ninth air force group in destroying or damaging the equivalent of a battalion's equipment.

The day's grand total of more than 180 motor vehicles destroyed and more than 80 damaged includ-



MAJ. CLURE SMITH

Maj. Clure Smith, pictured above in his Thunderbolt fighter plane with which he has been blasting German communications and personnel. He has been promoted to his present rank since the picture was taken. At that time he was captain.

ed over 30 tanks destroyed, more than 135 trucks put out of action, and 10 half-tracks destroyed or damaged. Three important enemy headquarters buildings and more than 40 troops were also blasted.

The enemy suffered these huge losses while Major Smith's squadron and other squadrons of Lieutenant-Colonel Harold N. Holt's Hun Hunters group were engaged in close column cover support for fast moving American forward ground elements.

The Germans were flushed out of their cover, blasted with bombs, and mowed down with 50 caliber guns, Major Smith reported.

Major Smith has flown more than 90 missions since his arrival in the European theater of operations. He wears the Air Medal and 14 bronze oak leaf clusters.

Major Smith is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clure E. Smith, Skellytown, Texas. He entered the air forces in August, 1941.

Mainly About Pampa and Her Neighbor Towns

Edward Lee McCormick and his wife, the former Wanda Howe, are making their home at 517 S. Sumner. Mr. McCormick, the nephew of Mrs. E. W. Southard, is employed as General Atlas Carbon Co. See Foxworth-Galbreath Lumber Co. about their special prices on discontinued patterns of wallpaper.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Rutherford will travel today from Kerville where they attended the funeral service of Mr. Rutherford's father, W. B. Rutherford.

Belvedere sells Beer to take out. By the bottle or by the cases.

Miss Betty Lee Dulaney is recovering in the Worley hospital from an emergency operation Monday morning.

Wanted: Boys for Pampa News routes. Apply at Pampa News Circulation Dept. after school hours.

Mrs. F. R. Gilchrist, 105 S. Wynne, was hostess to the Christian church prayer group at Kerville. This group is meeting weekdays throughout the revival in various homes. The revival will be held two weeks.

Beulah wanted at Orchid Beauty Salon, Combs-Worley Bldg. 711, 654.

Miss Jane Hicks, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. L. M. Hicks, 1207 Charles, leaves Sunday for TSCW, at Denton, where she will enroll as a sophomore.

Brownlee Machine Shop, machine work, blacksmithing, welding, 501 W. Brown, Ph. 2235.

The young people of the First Methodist church who participated in the Kiwanis Softball league were entertained last night by the adults with a picnic. Barbecued weiners and cokes were served to the three teams.

Courtesy Cab, 24 hr. taxi, Ph. 441.

Miss Pat Lively, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Lively, and Miss Janice Wheatley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wheatley, left yesterday for Texas Tech where they will enroll as freshmen. Both graduated last year from Pampa high. Miss Wheatley worked on the editorial staff of The News this summer.

Rev. E. Douglas Carver, minister of the First Baptist church, returned yesterday from Wichita Falls where he had been conducting a meeting in the Lamar Baptist church.

Sam Houston Executive Board will meet tomorrow at 1 o'clock at the school.

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New Organ Will Be Dedicated

Plans are being completed at Pampa army air field for dedication of the new Hammond electric organ installed in the post chapel recently. Colonel Charles B. Harvin, commanding officer, said today.

A musical dedicatory service will be held soon which will consist of instrumental music, singing, and organ music played by Pfc. Albert V. Kruse, member of the post band who in civilian life earned his bachelor of music degree at Simpson college.

Estimated cost of the new organ is \$1,700. Especially designed by the Hammond company for the army, the organ has a number of special stops one of which duplicates the echo of a huge cathedral organ.

"The army has made a real effort to provide for the spiritual welfare of its personnel," Col. Harvin said, "and we frankly believe that opportunity for religious worship is equal to that in civilian life."

NAVAL GUNS

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have been interspersed with carrier raids, smashed anew at Negros island on this island fortress 600 miles east of the Philippines.

Liberators poured a record 202 ton load of explosives on the Manado area of the northern Celebes, 300 miles south of the Philippines. Night patrols followed up with attacks on shore defenses.

Halmahera, another southern stepping stone 300 miles from the Philippines, was raided by Allied "heavy units in strength." Tiny Talaud island, midway between Halmahera and the Philippines, was also bombed. So were Timor, Kai, Ceram and Boeroe to the south.

Tokyo reported fresh air blows from the Aleutians at the Kurile Islands north of Japan, and from the Marianas at Marcus island to the southeast. American commanders announced a strike at Iwo in the Volcano Islands south of Tokyo.

With the bombers striking from all directions a Tokyo broadcast said 1,000,000 of the Nippon capital's 7,000,000 residents had been moved out of the area to escape air raids.

A London broadcast speculated that an overall commander for the war against Japan would be named at the Roosevelt-Churchill conference in Quebec. It said he would probably be an American and a naval officer.

In land action MacArthur reported 704 more Japanese had been killed and 116 taken prisoner on New Guinea.

Church Attendance Of Personnel High

In number and regularity military personnel church attendance at Pampa army air field post chapel equals and is better than civilian with a comparable number of church church attendance in most towns members. Col. Charles B. Harvin, commanding officer, said today.

A summary of army chaplains' activities, released by headquarters of the army service forces, office of the chief of chaplains, received at the local air base indicates that religious attendance of army personnel on a whole is equal or better than national civilian attendance.

The following information concerning attendance from July, 1943, to June, 1944, was received: 1,644,042 religious services were held with a total attendance of 59,701,108 and 1,053,229 communions, guard house and hospital visits by chaplains numbered 9,855,263; and the total number of visits and contacts made totaled 86,515,160.

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BERLIN

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face of a counterattack eight miles south of Metz.

Eisenhower's headquarters announced that Lt. Gen. Alexander M. Patch's Seventh army driving up from southern France had effected a full-scale juncture with Patton's Third on the Seine river at Chateaufort. Substantial numbers of Germans were said to have been cut off.

The position of Simpson's army was not immediately disclosed.

The Germans apparently were attempting desperately to prevent the First army from developing a pincers operation toward Rhineland strongholds from the Eupen salient and from the original crossing into Germany in the Trier area east of Luxembourg.

The First army threw a new spearhead at the German frontier mid-way between the two earlier breaches.

The British Second army along the northern flank of the Allied line won new ground beyond the Albert canal and sent one spearhead well into Holland. The Canadian First army was mopping up the north sea coast after a British division captured Le Havre.

The Russians were reported steadily gaining ground in north Poland toward the German East Prussia frontier despite strong defenses.

Red army tank forces and Romanian infantry emerged from the western foothills of Transylvania and fought the Germans and Hungarians for control of the rail network radiating from Timisoara, 40 miles south of the pre-war Hungarian border.

Allied headquarters in Rome announced that Fifth army forces driving against the central sector of the Gothic line had reached within a mile of Pavia pass, one of the main avenues through German fortifications barring the path to northern Italy.

AN INDISPENSABLE MAN

SPOKANE, Wash.—(P)—Steen Ferguson, who started in the lumber business at 12, is now an 80-year-old sawyer at the Priest Lake outlet saw mill. He was called back into service last year when the mill would have closed for lack of an experienced sawyer.

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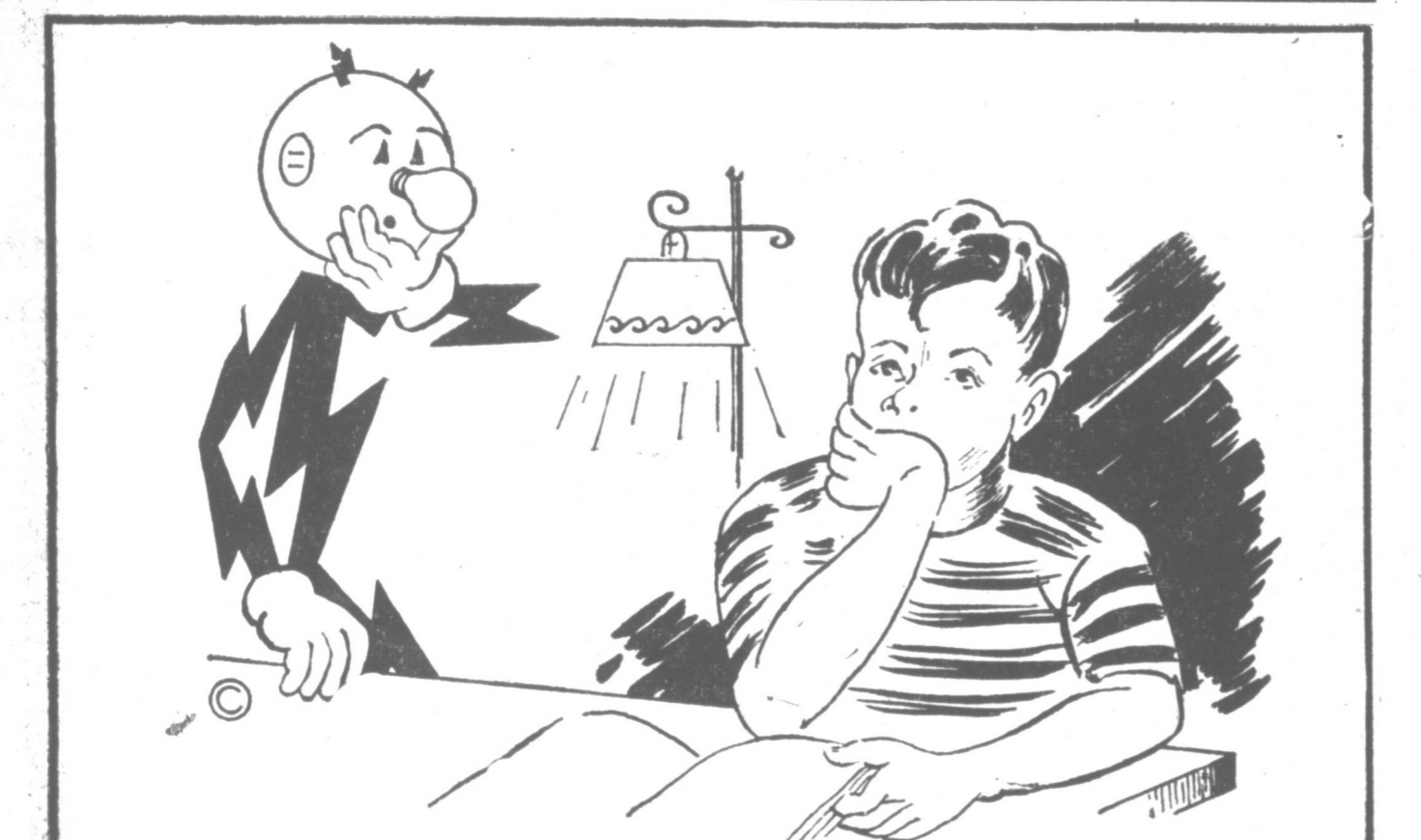
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- Use the RIGHT SIZE bulb in each lamp or fixture.
- Use flaring shades (wider at bottom than top) instead of straight-sided ones on your lamps. See that the shades have white or light-colored linings, to reflect more usable light.
- Move lamps closer to points of use, so they shed light directly on the work. Light should come from the left side for right-handed persons, from the right for left-handed persons.
- Keep bulbs, reflector bowls and shades clean. Dust and dirt cut down light output.
- Make your good lamps do double duty by rearranging furniture so that more than one person can use each lamp.

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