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News From Our Men In Service

Pvt. Edward Shields of Ocean-side, Calif. spent last week here.

Pvt. J. B. Garside of Wendover Field, Utah, is visiting in the A. F. Shields home.

Cpl. Herbert Foster of San Antonio is visiting home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Johnson have heard from their son Sgt. Byrham Craig Johnson, somewhere in France. He said that he had spent 75¢ on laundry, but that the laundress kept both mon- and clothes, so that he has decided to do his own washing.

St. Sgt. and Mrs. We don Simmons and daughter Lena Beth of Ardmore, Okla., are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Simmons of Hedley and Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Stout of Goodnight.

Pfc. Emory Stone left Wednesday for Mobe, Ala., after a fifteen day furlough.

Sgt. James B. Yates of Amarillo has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Ida Yates.

Cpl. Ansil Adamson of Long Island, N. Y., is at home on furlough.

Pvt. Harold Longan of Hot Springs, Ark., was at home Monday and Tuesday.

T-2 Henry McLaughlin has been sent overseas.

Pfc. Harold Clifton was at home on furlough last week from California.

Louise, John and Roy Hunter of Canyon are visiting their grandparents, Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Coffey

Mrs. Grace Laney of Wichita Falls is visiting here.

Cecil Thomas of Clarendon was a Hedley visitor Monday.

Mrs. Marvin Baker and baby have returned to their home in Dayton, Ohio, after a visit in the M. L. Baker home.

Christmas Mailing To Overseas Forces

This year the Christmas mailing period for both Army and Navy overseas forces is the same—September 15 to October 15. After October 15 no gift parcel may be mailed to a soldier without the presentation of a written request from him. More care must be taken in wrapping and packing parcels securely and addressing them clearly and correctly.

If the gifts are to be protected in transit they must be packed in boxes made of metal, wood, solid fiberboard, or strong double-faced corrugated fiberboard, reinforced with strong gummed paper tape or tied with strong twine. If both tape and strong twine are used, so much the better. If the outer wrapper is crushed—and this is likely to happen—the loss of contents may be prevented if fiberboard boxes are wrapped in heavy paper. We advise that everyone write the address of the sender and addressee inside the package as well as outside.

Because strong twine, heavy paper and boxes and fiberboard will prove of real help in making delivery of gifts possible I urge those at home to begin saving these materials now. As time goes on they are going to become even more scarce than they are now.

Cleaning Up

There is probably more cleaning up, painting up and fixing up going on in Hedley than there has been in years. In fact there is so many we haven't been able to keep up with them. However there is still lots of cleaning up to be done yet.

While we are on the subject of cleaning up why wouldn't it be a good idea to clean up some of the old taxes? Probably the most used excuse is that they can't see where the tax money is going. We know that we need the money for the schools and the city must have money to operate, pay bond interest, etc.

Somebody has to start the thing so why wouldn't it be a good idea now since the crop is laid by and hands are available for the city to clean up its streets and alleys and for us to clean up our back taxes. Then we could have a nice clean town and the city would have money in its treasury and no one would be hurt.

Some people spend a lot of time worrying, but most people just insure and let the insurance company do the worrying. Insure with C. L. Johnson at the bank.

Giles News

By Mrs. Arthur Ranson

Virginia Kelley has returned home from Amarillo where she spent the week visiting friends.

Those visiting in the E. H. Watt home recently were Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Sims, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bridges, Mr. Nash, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Rains and Mrs. Hunsucker.

The many friends of Mrs. Watt will be glad to hear she is feeling better at this time.

The J. T. Wylie family have moved back to their home in Pampa. Mr. Wylie was employed on the Ranson farm.

Mrs. R. O. Kelley and daughter Theresa, Clifford and Patsy Nell Hoggard attended the birthday party of Barbara Johnson in Hedley Saturday afternoon.

Cpl. Hubert Foster of Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio is here visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. George Foster.

J. M. Baker, G. T. Foster and Arthur Sandridge were Memphis visitors Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kay Autry are redecorating the E. W. Godfrey home in Memphis this week.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

In Giles
Mrs. Horace Curtis and children of Spearman visited in the J. A. Lemmon home Sunday.

Miss Thelma Eaton of Quanah is the guest of Miss Myrtle Huffmaster.

Mrs. Bert Washam of Amarillo is visiting friends here this week.

R. E. Harvey made a business trip to Ashtola, Thursday.

Mrs. T. C. Johnson and daughter Lovell, Miss Vivian Miles and Barney Johnson were visitors in Goodnight Sunday.

Robert Lemmon entertained about twenty of his little friends with a party Saturday night.

Mrs. Riva Burnett of Miami, District Deputy, Grand Matron of Dist. No. 2 was a guest in the Watt home one night last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Vivian Hawkins and daughter Margaret of Memphis attended the singing here Sunday night.

Lions Club News

Quite a few Lions were unable to attend last week's meeting of the Lions Club which was held at 8 p. m. on account of the revival meeting at the Church of Christ.

It is hoped that they will attend the directors meeting this week and make up their attendance.

The Lions will again eat at 8:05 p. m. at next week's meeting on account of the revival starting at the First Baptist Church. Let's all take off a little early that night and attend the Lions, then all go to church.

Grapes

We are picking and selling grapes at W. J. Luttrell orchard, two miles west of Hedley. Thank you. 393p

CITY SHOE SHOP

Have you seen the sandals that we are making? Come in and have your feet measured for a pair.

We also do shoe, harness and saddle repair work. 374p R. E. Beach, Prop.

For Sale—not to be moved, the T. R. Moreman residence, also the residence just north of my home. Terms if desired. Also For Sale—living room suite, bedroom suite and gas cook stove. See Ray Moreman

Would like to buy good used pre-war baby bed. 383p Mrs. Winfred McPherson

Peas to can at John Dickson's, long as they last.

Crop for sale on old Bill DeBord place at McKnight. 403p T. T. Whitson

For Sale—1937 Model B John Deere tractor, general purpose, excellent rubber, motor in good condition. See Clyde Johnson, 1½ miles east of Hedley. 404c

For Sale—living room suite, never been used. See J. A. Brogdon at Windy Valley or W. H. Mendenhall in Hedley.

For Sale—some Spotted Poland China weaner pigs, also some new cane bundles. Wes Banister 402p

J. B. Masterson left this week for Hot Springs, N. Mex.

Modena Spier visited in Amarillo Tuesday.

Revival Meeting

A revival will begin at the First Baptist Church Aug. 24 with Rev. J. Clifford Harris, pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church in Vernon, doing the preaching morning and evening, and Rev. A. B. Cockrell, the Methodist pastor, will have charge of the song service.

Rev. Clifford Harris is the son of H. T. Harris, the pastor of the local Baptist Church.

We extend a special invitation to all to attend the meeting. If you have a lost friend turn his name in to the pastor and church so we can unite our prayer for him.

We will be expecting you at the Church next Sunday for Church

H. T. Harris, pastor

Hedley School News

Junior and Senior High School Courses of Study

SEVENTH GRADE
Readers
Our Ways of Living
Twelve Bright Trumpets
A World Background for the U. S.
Exploring Science
Reading for Skill

Writing
Childrens Handwriting Guide 7
Drawing
Correlated Art Edition Bk. 7
Spelling
Let's Learn to Spell 7th
Mathematics
Champion Arith. Stepped Up Ed. 6
Language
Better English Usageities Bk. 1
Geography
United States in the Modern World
Physiology
Personal and Public Health
History
Texas History & Reader Above
Spanish
Mi Libro Espanol, Libro Dos
EIGHTH GRADE

Readers
Flying the Printways
Twelve Bright Trumpets
A World Background of the U. S.
Exploring Science
Reading for Skill
Writing
Childrens Handwriting Guide 8
Drawing
Correlated Art Edition Bk. 8
Spelling
Texas Modern Life Speller 8th
Mathematic
New Curriculum Arith. Bk. 7
Language
Junior English Activities Bk. II
Geography
The Nations at Work—Overton
Physiology
Personal and Public Health Bk. 8
History
The Building of Our Nation
Civics
Fundamentals of Citizenship
Agriculture
Fundamentals of Farming & Farm
Life

NINTH GRADE
Agriculture in the Southwest
Community Civics
English I
Gen. Science
World History
Home Ec. I
Spanish I
Geog., The Nations at Work—Overton
General Mathematics
TENTH GRADE
Algebra I
Agriculture II
Biology or Bookkeeping
Civics Home Ec. II
English II
Junior Business
History—Texas or American
Spanish I or II
Geog., The Nations at Work
ELEVENTH GRADE
Algebra II
Agriculture II
Junior Business
Civics Adv.
Home Ec. II
Economics Plane Geometry
English III
History—Texas or American
Spanish I or II
Shorthand
Typing
TWELFTH GRADE
Agriculture II
Algebra II
Biology
Adv. Civics
Economics
Home Ec. II

Old Settlers Picnic

Let's all plan to attend the Old Settlers Picnic at Tate Grove Friday August 18th. Bring a full basket and meet your friends and neighbors and greet the old timers coming in for the picnic. The Donley County Pioneers Association is a Hedley and Donley County institution that we should support and be proud of.

Many a boy on the fighting front when he thinks of home will be thinking of this annual picnic and the fun and good eats he had there and he will wonder if the folks are carrying on while he is away and that maybe next year he will be there to greet his friends. So folks let's not let down, let us keep the picnic, the schools, the churches and other institutions going until they come back and we can all be together again.

W. D. Franklin, W. C. Bridges, A. T. Simmons and W. H. Moffitt enjoyed a fishing trip to Buffalo Lake Tuesday and Wednesday. They were met at Umbarger by Umbarger by P. L. Dishman of Hereford, and all report a fine time, except that Mr. Bridges got all the fish—both of them.

Rev. A. B. Cockrell is conducting a revival meeting at Ring.

Anna Lee Hill of Amarillo spent last week end here.

Neal Carter of Alanreed spent last week in the Leon Carter home

Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Moffitt visited in Memphis Sunday.

Mrs. R. A. Lemmon and son of Memphis visited in Hedley last week.

Walter Hughes, Royce Hall, Jay Hunt, Earl Tollett, Ray Moreman R. E. Mann, J. A. Tollett and C. L. Johnson went to Lakeview Wednesday night and helped organize a Lions Club there.

Roy Key and family are moving back here from Lawton, Okla.

Jap Shaw and family, Edd Todd and family, J. W. Noel, Herman Kirkpatrick and Miss Myrtle Willis are visiting in Red River, N. Mex.

Mr. and Mrs. James Reid and son Don Gene of Amarillo visited in the C. H. Reid and A. G. Davis homes Sunday.

Ike Rains' horse took second place in the Amarillo Horse Show Sunday.

H. H. Hall and family are enjoying a visit to Denver, Colo.

Mrs. Frank Simmons left last Friday for Kansas City after a visit in Hedley and Turkey.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wiggins returned last Friday from a trip to Camp Crowder, Mo. Pvt. and Mrs. Oran Wiggins returned home with them.

Thanks to R. S. Thomas for a fine mess of peas.

English IV
History—Texas or American
Shorthand
Spanish II
Typing I or II
Plane Geometry

LOCAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Kinslow and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Whittington went to Amarillo Monday.

B. N. Mason and family are visiting in Colorado Springs, Colo.

Sid E. Harris of McAllen visited here this week.

L. P. Trimble made a trip to the Dallas markets this week.

Mrs. C. L. Johnson and son Charles Neal have returned from a trip to Snyder, Okla. and Dallas.

Jewel Ivey is vacationing in Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Horschler returned Tuesday from St. Louis, where they visited their son, Pvt. C. C. Horschler.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Darnell went to Pampa Sunday to visit her sister, Mrs. R. E. Andrews, and family.

Mrs. Gertrude Howard and daughters of Belton and Mrs. Boss Engle and daughter of Texoma visited in the W. H. Huffman home Tuesday and Wednesday.

Dale Edmonds of Fort Worth is visiting in the H. Hoggard home.

Short Saunders and family have returned from a successful fishing trip to Buchanan Dam.

Warren and Jay Neighbors are visiting in Olney.

Mrs. E. V. Hawkins is visiting in Tyler.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Simmons, Mrs. Hobart Moffitt and Mr. Myrtle Reeves visited in Amarillo last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Carter visited in McLean Sunday.

Birthday Party

Mrs. Barney Johnson entertained a group of children in her home Saturday afternoon with a party honoring her daughter, Barbara on her fifth birthday. She was assisted in entertaining by Sarah Ann Rains and Theresa Kelley who led in the playing of games.

An attractive refreshment plate was served with favors consisting of small United States flags and sticks of candy.

Those present were Beverly Myers, Donny Cox, Barbara Kay Darnell, Nancy and John Robert Nash, Nancy Hunsucker, Patricia Murray, Bill and Buddy Reeves, Jaunita and Glenda Anderson, Betty Joyce and Jimmy Stout, Jerry Fisher, Clifford and Patsy Hoggard, Steve Blackmon, Bobby Sharp, David Edward Boliver, Carolyn Sue McPherson, Janice and Scottie Lamberson, Tootsie Trns, Jack, Wallace and Pearl Johnson, Gail Williams, Merle, Berle and Willie Emma Owens, Betty Joyce and Doris Bilderbach, Theresa Kelley, Sarah Ann Rains, Jacque Johnson and the honor.

Barbara and Jerry Clifford Bridges, who were unable to attend, sent gifts.

BEAT THE HEAT Soothe, relieve heat rash and help prevent it with Mezzana, the soothing, medicinal powder. Contains ingredients often used by specialists to relieve these discomforts. Sprinkle well over heat irritated skin. Costs little. Always demand Mezzana.

SNAPPY FACTS ABOUT RUBBER

Millions of dollars will be saved by American purchasers of rubber items in post-war days because of the availability of synthetic and the influence of synthetic on the price of natural rubber. Rubber authorities anticipate that hereafter synthetic rubber prices will serve as a ceiling over charges for the plantation product.

Special rubber pipe lines have been developed which troops can string across rivers, ravines or gullies in battle areas to deliver fuel to motor equipment. The "pipes" yield to the force of concussion, but never break.

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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS Motorized Columns Spearhead U. S. Advance Across Brittany; Current Budget Tops 98 Billion

Released by Western Newspaper Union. (EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysts and not necessarily of this newspaper.)



France—With comrades covering their advance with gunfire, U. S. infantrymen sprint down village street in Normandy to new positions.

EUROPE: Drive On Smashing through weak, disorganized German resistance, U. S. forces bursting out of Normandy plowed into Brittany, with powerful motorized columns driving on the big seaport of Brest and the Nazi submarine base of St. Nazaire. While Lieut. Gen. Omar Bradley's U. S. forces put the foe to rout in the west, British troops smashed forward in the central and eastern sector of the front against stronger German resistance, with the enemy seeking to retard the advance with continual armored counterattacks. With prisoners streaming to the Allied rear, the bag was over 100,000 since D-day.

Disembarkation point for doughboys during World War I and second largest port in France, Brest, along with Cherbourg, would give the Allies important terminals for the convenient supply of their armies after repair of the Nazis' extensive demolitions to facilities. The once proud Polish capital of Warsaw became a flaming battleground for the second time during the war as Russian forces battered through its eastern environs on the central sector of the eastern front.

On the northern end of the front, the Reds strove to seal an estimated 300,000 German troops cut off in the Baltic states from other Nazi units sorely pressed around East Prussia by Russian forces under command of 36-year-old Gen. Ivan Cherniakhovsky. With the Russians only about 125 miles from central Germany on the southern end of the front, the Nazis were putting up a stand behind the Vistula river, while Hungarian and Rumanian troops guarded the mountainous gateways to the Balkans. In northern Italy, Allied forces girded for a full scale assault upon the enemy's vaunted "Gothic Line," with their advance on the new fortification system hewn in the mountainous terrain slowed by the foe's stubborn stand before the art center of Florence.

DIPLOMACY: Swing to Allies With the Allies battering in German defenses throughout Europe, neutral Turkey, with one eye closely cocked on the impending peace table, took another step toward the United Nations ranks by breaking off political and economic relations with the Nazis.

Meanwhile, little Finland moved to reassert her independence with Marshal Baron von Mannerheim assuming the presidency from Risto Ryti, who had bound the country to a finish fight against Russia by Germany's side. With the Nazis reported to be pulling troops out of Finland, there was talk of peace negotiations with Moscow, with the Reds demanding restoration of the 1940 border. With Allied victories in Europe consolidating their position in the Near East, Turkey sought to gain their favor by breaking with Germany, but not before it had obtained promises of military assistance in the event that the Nazis should attack the country.

HIGHLIGHTS... in the week's news GIVE 'EM AIR: Firemen are credited with saving the lives of thousands of fish—pickarel, black bass, catfish and other varieties—that were slowly suffocating in the North Farms reservoir near Wallingford, Conn. The firemen pumped part of the water from the pond and then sprayed it back, thereby aerating it. This job took two days. Only 10 carp and one fish bays died. EGGS: Production of eggs will be considerably lower in the second half of the year than in the first, the department of agriculture estimates. Civilian supplies will not be affected, it was added, because of the record stocks in storage. Chickens will become less plentiful in the near future, the department went on to say. Eggs will be scarce because of military demands.

STRIKE: Philly Tied Up

Production of radar, heavy artillery, bombs and other ordnance was seriously hampered in Philadelphia when transportation lines running to the surrounding war plants were paralyzed by a strike of 6,000 bus, trolley and subway operators over the hiring of Negro drivers. Adding to the transportation tie-up, which was only partially relieved by OPA's increase in gas rations to permit use of automobiles, were scores of clashes between whites and negroes, flaring throughout the whole city and accompanied by extensive damage to property and looting.

Although the army took over operation of the lines upon President Roosevelt's orders to carry workers to their vital jobs, drivers persisted in striking unless the company discontinued its newly established practice of hiring negroes.

ROBOTS: Damage Reported

Over 4,500 persons killed; 14,000 seriously injured and many more only slightly hurt; 17,000 houses totally destroyed and 800,000 damaged to varying degrees—that was the toll taken by the Germans' robot bombs during a seven week period, Prime Minister Churchill said. Churchill revealed the extent of the robot damage during a speech in which he declared that the shape of military events throughout the whole perimeter of Hitler's Fortress Europe indicated a possible early victory, with continuing American successes in the Pacific also raising hopes for a shortened war against Japan.

Although admitting the severe damage from the robots, Churchill said that the shower of buzz-bombs would not crack British morale, adding: "There is no question of diverting our strength from the extreme prosecution of the war or allowing this particular infliction to weaken in any way our energetic support of our Allies."

ANIMAL KINGDOM



Tootsie, a six-year-old terrier owned by Rose Smith of Chicago, befriended Petunia, a stray cat, a year ago.

So when Petunia was too weak to nurse her kittens after bearing them recently, Tootsie nursed them for her, allowing the feline to share in the feeding when she bore puppies herself. Animal authorities say that it is unusual for a cat to permit a dog to nurse her kittens while she is around.

In Dedham, Mass., a 64-year-old attorney, Woodbury Rand, left \$100,000 for the care of his pet tomcat, Buster, constant companion of the millionaire lawyer during his last illness.

Not only did Rand leave \$60,000 to the cat and \$40,000 to a housekeeper for its care, but he also provided that his radio, sweaters, blankets, three electric fans and favorite chair should be used if they would contribute to Buster's comfort. Because of their "contemptuous attitude and cruelty" toward the cat, Rand cancelled \$20,000 in bequests to nine cousins.

BIG BROTHERS: Business Epic

More than 40 years ago, two of the Fisher boys from Norwalk, Ohio, came up to Detroit, Mich., to take a job with the Wilson Body company. Several years later, they started up a business of their own, bringing their four younger brothers in with them as they grew up. Building their business on the belief that people preferred closed auto bodies, the six Fisher brothers developed the famous body company bearing their name, over which General Motors corporation took control in 1919. Sticking with the company, they helped make "Body by Fisher" a byword in the auto trade, until last week when the last four brothers remaining with the firm resigned from active service. Wealthy in their own right with numerous investments in which a seventh brother is interested, the Fishers may again reenter the manufacturing field independently, it was rumored.

BABY SERUM

A method of immunizing infants against diphtheria and whooping cough by a single injection of serum has been developed by three doctors connected with the Evanston, Ill., health department. The physicians mixed diphtheria toxoid and pertussis (whooping cough) vaccine and injected 649 infants over a five-year period with a high degree of success. Doses were given at three-week intervals and one week intervals. The longer period gave more satisfactory results.

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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

Allies Move Ahead in Normandy; DeGaulle Visit to White House Poses New Diplomatic Problem

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Saipan—Wives and children of Japanese soldiers on Saipan island are pictured after being rounded up by Doughboys from caves and jungles back of their lines.

EUROPE: Yanks Gain

Developing their offensive on the western end of the French battlefront, U. S. troops drove through marshy land to envelop the communications hubs of La Haye and St. Lo against the bitter opposition of an enemy taking every advantage of the soggy ground and hedgerowed landscape.

On the eastern end of the front, British and Canadian troops battled large concentrations of German forces on the approaches of the defensive pivot of Caen, from which Field Marshal Rommel was sending out strong detachments in counterattacks to impede the Allies' thrust inland toward the important Paris region.

As the Allies nudged forward in Normandy, Berlin announced the replacement of Anti-Invasion Chief von Rundstedt by Field Marshal von Kluge, who led the Nazi sweep through France in 1940, and was at the helm during the drive on Moscow during the first year of the Russian war.

Other Fronts

Calling massed artillery into play from dominating heights, the Germans poured fire on Allied troop movements in Italy to slow their steady drive up the long peninsula to the rich agricultural and industrial regions of the north.

In Russia, German forces continued to give ground before strong Red armies massed along a 350-mile front in the north to escape encirclement and destruction. Near Wilno, the Reds milled on the threshold of the Baltic states, while farther to the south, their pressure forced evacuation of Kowel, bending the enemy line farther back toward Warsaw.

Focal point of German resistance in Italy was below the famed port of Livorno (Leghorn), whose capture promised to give the Allies another good Mediterranean harbor for the easier transport of troops and supplies for the crucial fighting in the north.

DIPLOMACY: French Problem

U. S. support of the De Gaulle administration of liberated French territory without formal recognition of it as a legal government was the latest diplomatic problem up for settlement in Washington, D.C., with De Gaulle's arrival in the nation's capital for discussions with President Roosevelt.

De Gaulle winged his way over from North Africa to seek approval of his negotiations with Britain, under which his administration would take control of liberated territory, arrange for supply and equipment of underground forces through lend-lease, and settle disputed property rights caused by transfers of ownership under Nazi occupation and Allied requisitioning for military purposes.

Although long complimentary to De Gaulle's Free French movement, the U. S. has been cautious in recognizing it as the legal representative of the people, declaring that only an election could determine their choice when circumstances permitted.

HIGHLIGHTS . . . in the week's news

FARM HANDS WANTED: The War Food Administration estimates that 700,000 extra workers will be needed during the harvest season. Many cities. A WFA official said from will need approximately 12 million workers on farms to meet peak October requirements in harvesting. That means about 700,000 more workers will be recruited.

TRAGEDIES: Circus Fire

Overhead the famed Wallandas prepared for their celebrated tightwire act on bicycles as 6,000 happy spectators awaited the performance under the big canvas tent of the Ringling Brothers and Barnum & Bailey circus in Hartford, Conn.

Near a sidewall of the tent, a small flame was noticed. Suddenly, it flared and leaped upward, with great patches of burning canvas falling when fire had seared them off. The cry of "Fire! Fire! Fire!" spread through the panic-stricken spectators, and their frantic shouts mingled with the din of roaring animals in the corral outside.

As the great sheets of burning canvas fell on top of the milling crowd below, adults and children struggled to make their way to safety, but scores were trapped, with some running into the steel ramps through which animals were led into the arena.

As rescue workers dug into the debris, they extricated the bodies of 135 victims, mostly children, and more seriously injured.

Miners Trapped

As scores of relatives of 64 miners trapped in the Powhatan pit near Bellaire, Ohio, waited hopefully at the mine entrance, officials grimly announced that the shaft would have to be sealed off to prevent the flow of oxygen feeding the raging flames underground.

In one last desperate effort to free the men entombed in a dead-end tunnel when a rock fall broke a high-voltage trolley wire along the main passageway and sizzling sparks ignited coal, skilled crews prepared to drill down 350 feet to open a shaft for lowering food and water.

In a previous effort to free the entombed men, rescue workers were cutting a new 500-foot tunnel through coal and rock to bypass the flames and reach the victims, when new fires halted their work.

Train Wreck

Climaxing the string of major tragedies was the derailment of a Louisville and Nashville train in Clear Fork River gorge near Jellico, Tenn., with early reports listing 25 dead and many injured.

Casualties on the troop-carrying train resulted when the locomotive and two coaches left the track and plunged 50 feet into the gorge, and two other cars overturned on the edge of the decline and caught fire. Although hindered by darkness, rescue workers used acetylene torches to probe the wreckage and remove victims, while mountaineers hoisted the stricken up from the gorge with block and tackle.

CHINA: Bloody Fighting

Fighting with their backs to the wall, Chinese troops stiffly resisted strong Japanese efforts to seal off the embattled country's whole eastern seacoast and strengthen their grip on the Asiatic mainland.

Chinese forces far to the southwest sought to join up with Allied troops driving through Burma to open up a new supply route to China from India. Only 25 miles of mountainous terrain stood between the two armies.

The 14th American air force joined in the savage battle in China, bombing and strafing the enemy and dropping tons of ammunition to the valiant defenders.

UNREST: Uprisings in Honduras and Nicaragua are reported as spreading throughout the small nations of Central America. A dispatch from San Salvador stated that the president of Honduras had already resigned, and the massive resistance movement developing against the president in Nicaragua, Guatemala too, was a scene of rioting.

PACIFIC: Subs Take Toll

With the Allies pressing closer to Japan's inner supply lines feeding her booming war industry, U. S. subs and air forces can be expected to take an increasing toll of enemy shipping, navy secretary James Forrestal declared.

In reporting that U. S. subs recently had sent 15 Jap cargo vessels and two warships to the bottom, Forrestal said such losses crimped the enemy's whole war program, since he must move about 75 million tons of water-borne freight into the home islands yearly, including 75 per cent of his oil and gas supply from the East Indies.

Despite heavy marine losses, Forrestal said, the Japs have lightened the effects through use of huge stockpiles of materials built up before the war, lessening of transport to encircled South Pacific areas, and the utilization of surplus prewar shipping tonnage.

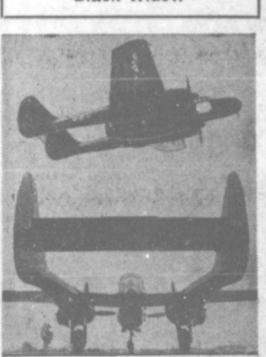
LEND-LEASE: Steady Shipments

Lend-lease shipments of food to the Allies continued at a steady pace during the first five months of 1944, with some commodities being sent in larger volume and others in smaller amounts, with little net effect on domestic supplies.

During the period, 9.3 per cent of the total U. S. meat supply was shipped under lend-lease, with the major portion consisting of pork. About 15.6 per cent of the nation's pork was sent abroad.

The United Kingdom and Russia continued to receive most of the lend-lease food, with the U. S. supplying 10 per cent of British needs.

'Black Widow'



Although military officials have concealed details, a full and rear view of the new twin-fuselage "Black Widow" fighter plane with a central cockpit, was released. Said to be the largest and most powerful pursuit plane built, the "Black Widow" is especially equipped for night fighting. Blank spots indicate censor's deletions.

BUGS: Man's Allies

Acting in conjunction with the U. S. department of agriculture, the nation's farmers are turning predatory bugs upon destructive insects to assure crop growth.

In Illinois alone, more than 40,000 wasps and flies were released to combat corn borers threatening the state's rich grain fields. No sure-fire remedy in themselves, however, the work of the predatory insects can only complement clean farming and deep plowing, agronomists say.

When turned loose, the predatory insects crawl through the corn borer's tunnel in the stalks, with the wasps penetrating its body to lay eggs in it, and the flies depositing eggs on the outside. As the eggs feast on the borer even in the pupa stage, they eventually destroy it, while emerging themselves.

ROBOTS: Inflict Casualties

With all Britain stirred by the robot menace which continued to exact its toll of casualties and damage, Prime Minister Churchill told the parliament that over 10,000 people had been killed or wounded by the flying bombs and he could give no guarantee about the future of this form of attack.

Although declaring that the Allies would not be goaded into diverting attention from the Normandy battlefront by the robots, Churchill said that considerable numbers of U. S. and British planes have been hammering the French coast from which the flying bombs are believed to be launched.

Powered by fuel and compressed air and automatically piloted by gyroscopes, the robots have been buzzing over southern England at speeds of 300 m.p.h. or more and altitudes of about 3,000 feet, to suddenly break off into a 30-degree glide and crash to earth with an explosive force of 1,000 pounds.

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Keep Machines Going Is Job of Ordnance 12-16-Hour Day Under Fire

By Ernie Pyle

SOMEWHERE IN NORMANDY—I moved over to an ordnance evacuation company.

These men handle the gigantic trucks, the long, low trailers and the heavy wreckers that go out to haul back crippled tanks and wrecked anti-tank guns from the battlefield.

The ordnance branch's policy on these wrecking companies is that if they don't have a casualty now and then, or collect a few shrapnel marks on their vehicles, then they're not doing their job efficiently.

Tanks must be retrieved just as quickly as possible after they have been shot up. In the first place, we don't want the Germans to get them; secondly, we want to get them repaired and back in action for ourselves right away.

The job of an ordnance evacuation company is often frightening, although this company's casualties have been amazingly low. In fact they've had only four and it's still a mystery what happened to them.

The four left one day in a jeep, just on a normal trip. They didn't come back. No trace could be found. Three weeks later two of them came in—just discharged from a hospital. On the same day a letter came from the third—from a hospital in England. Nothing yet has been heard from the fourth.

And the strange part is that neither the two who returned nor the one who wrote from England can remember a thing about it. They were just riding along in their jeep and the next thing they woke up in a hospital. All three were wounded, but how they don't know. Friends suppose it was a shell hit.

At any rate, a sergeant in charge of one section of the mammoth movers, known as M-19s, took me around to see some of his crewmen. They all go by the name of "The Diesel Boys."

Their vehicle is simply a gigantic truck with a long, skeletonized trailer behind.

Like all our army over here they were strung out around the hedgerows of the field under camouflage nets, with the middle grassy fields completely empty.

My friend was Sgt. Milton Radcliff of Newark, Ohio. He used to be a furnace operator there. He and all the other former employees still get a letter every two weeks from the company, assuring them their jobs will be there when they return. And Radcliff, for one, is going to take his when he gets back.

Sgt. Vann Jones of Birmingham, Ala., crawled out of his tent and sat Indian fashion on the ground with us. On the other side of our pasture lay the silver remains of a transport plane that had come to a mangled despair on the morning of D-day.

It was a peaceful and sunny evening, quite in contrast to most of our days, and we sat on the grass and watched the sun go down in the east, which we all agreed was a hell of a place for the sun to be going down. Either we were turned around or France is a funny country.

The other boys told me later that Sergeant Jones used to be the company cook, but he wanted to see more action so he transferred to the big wreckers and is now in command of one.

His driver is a smiling, tall young fellow, with clipped hair, named Dallas Hudgens from Stonewall, Ga. He was feeling stuffed as a pig, for he'd just got a big ham sent him from home and had been having at it with a vengeance.

There are long lulls when the retriever boys don't have anything to do besides work on their vehicles. They have these periods and get restless. Some of them spend their time fixing up their tents homelike, even though they may have to move the next day.

One driver even had a feather bed he had picked up from a French family. The average soldier can't carry a feather bed around with him, but the driver of an M-19 could carry 10,000 feather beds and never know the difference.

The boys are all pretty proud of their company. They said they did such good work in the early days of

the invasion that they were about to be put up for Presidential citation. But one day they got in a bomb crater and started shooting captured German guns at the opposite bank just for fun, which is against the rules, so the proposal was torn up. They just laugh about it—which is about all a fellow can do.

Corp. Grover Anderson of Anniston, Ala., is one of the drivers. He swears by his colossal machine but curses it, too. You see the French roads are narrow for heavy two-way military traffic and an M-19 is big and awkward and slow.

"You get so damn mad at it," Anderson says, "because convoys pile up behind you and can't get around and you know everybody's hating you and that makes you madder. They're aggravating, but if you let me leave the trailer off I can pull anything out of anywhere with it."

Anderson has grown a red goatee which he is not going to shave off till the war is won. He used to be a taxi driver; that's another reason he finds an M-19 so "aggravating."

"Because it hasn't got a meter on it!" I asked.

"Or maybe because you don't have any female passengers," another driver said.

To which Brother Anderson had a wholly satisfactory GI reply.

He said, "(remainder of column voluntarily censored)."

It was just beginning dusk when the order came. A soldier came running up the pasture and said there was a call for our ordnance evacuation company to pull out some crippled tanks.

We had been sitting on the grass and we jumped up and ran down the slope. Waiting at the gate stood an M-19 truck and behind it a big wrecker with a crane.

The day had been warm but dusk was bringing a chill, as always. One of the soldiers loaned me his mackinaw.

Soldiers stood atop their big machine with a stance of impatience, like firemen waiting to start. We pulled out through the hedgerow gate onto the main macadam highway. It was about 10 miles to the frontlines.

"We should make it before full darkness," one of the officers said. We went through shattered Carentan and on beyond for miles. Then we turned off at an angle in the road. "This is Purple Heart corner," the officer said.

Beyond there the roadside soldiers thinned out. Traffic ceased altogether. With an increasing tempo, the big guns crashed around us. Hedges began to make weird shadows. You peered closely at sentries in every open hedgegate just out of nervous alertness.

The smell of death washed past us in waves as we drove on. There is nothing worse in war than the foul odor of death. There is no last vestige of dignity in it.

We turned up a gravel lane, and drove slowly. The dusk was deepening. A gray stone farmhouse sat dimly off the road. A little yard and driveway semicircled in front of it. Against the front of the house stood five German soldiers, facing inward, their hands above their heads. An American doughboy stood in the driveway with a tommygun pointed at them. We drove on for about 50 yards and stopped. The drivers shut off their diesel motors.

One officer went into an orchard to try to find where the tanks were. In wartime nobody ever knows where anything is. The rest of us waited along the road beside an old stone barn. Three jeeps were parked beside it. The dusk was deeper now.

Out of the orchards around us roared and thundered our own artillery. An officer lit a cigaret. A sergeant with a rifle slung on his shoulder walked up and said, "You better put that out, sir. There's snipers all around and they'll shoot at a cigaret."

The officer crushed the cigaret in his fingers, not waiting to drop it to the ground, and said, "Thanks."

"It's for your own good," the sergeant said, apologetically.

SEWING CIRCLE PATTERNS

Frock for the Fastidious Matron Jiffy Play Set Is Simple to Make



1968
34-48
A GRACIOUS, slim-lined and pretty frock for afternoon wear! It's particularly attractive for the matron and older woman as the well-cut front panel treatment of the skirt gives you that trim look through torso and hips which is so desirable in this type of frock.

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Jiffy Play Set
EVEN though you've never cut out a single garment in your life, you can make this one-piece play frock and matching one-piece sun hat in an afternoon! It's the simplest set to cut, sew and launder you've ever seen.

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Due to an unusually large demand and current war conditions, slightly more time is required in filling orders for a few of the most popular pattern numbers.

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Vanity Table Can Be Made From Old Mirror and Odds and Ends

By Ruth Wyeth Spears

tain to make the adorable frilly vanity shown here. Two orange crates or a pair of boxes; some odds and ends of lumber; a curtain rod; hooks and a little wire for hanging the mirror; a pair of cup hooks to hold the curtain tie-backs; a pair of hinges for the arms to which the swing-back skirt is fastened; screws and nails—that is all you need. You probably have it all around the house right now. The sketch gives all the details, and it won't make any difference how crude your carpentry may be. The curtains and skirt will cover a multitude of uneven edges and hammer dents.

NOTE: This dressing table idea is from BOOK 5 of the series of homemaking booklets offered with these articles. This book also shows how the dresser to match the mirror was combined with a fish bowl, an old postcard and a chrome from the attic to make an important piece of furniture for the living room. Copy of BOOK 5 will be mailed for 15 cents. Send your order to:

MRS. RUTH WYETH SPEARS
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Enclose 15 cents for Book No. 5.
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Frequent Famines in India Due to Failure of Rains

Because the food crops of India are destroyed by the failure of either of the two annual monsoon rains, a disaster which has occurred at frequent intervals throughout history, the people of India have suffered from famine far more than those of any other country, says Collier's. In fact, they constitute more than half of the 200,000,000 persons who have died of starvation in the entire world during the past 1,000 years.

FAULTLESS FUNNIES SUNDAY MORNING VISITING



Household Hints

Hang a good-sized bag in the sewing room to receive scraps from sewing to be used for weekly mending.

Quartered lemons add the "something sour" that baked beans need and make a good looking garnish as well.

When making feather mattresses and pillow ticks, dampen a bar of laundry soap and rub all over the inside of the ticking. This prevents the feathers from working out through the cover fabric.

Pack all apples individually in newspapers before putting in a barrel. They keep better this way.

Lighter Fairer Skin

Those with tanned—dark skin, naturally sunken, who want it lighter, smoother, softer, should try Dr. FRED PALMER'S Skin Whitener. Use frequently. If not satisfied MONEY BACK. Ask at drug store. Free literature. Send 5c postage to GALENOL, Dept. 4, Box 10, Atlanta, Ga. Dr. Fred Palmer's Skin Whitener

Buy War Savings Bonds

SKIN IRRITATIONS OF EXTERNAL CAUSE
Acne, pimples, eczema, factory dermatitis, simple ringworm, tetter, salt rheum, bumps, (blackheads), and ugly broken-out skin. Millions relieve itching, burning and soreness of these miseries with simple home treatment. Goes to work at once. Aids healing, works the antibiotic way. Use Black and White Ointment only as directed. 10c, 25c, 50c sizes. 25 year success. Money-back guarantee. Vital in cleaning is good soap. Enjoy famous Black and White Skin Soap daily.

Crispness you can hear!
Kellogg's RICE KRISPIES
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Kellogg's Rice Krispies equal the whole ripe grain in nearly all the protective food elements declared essential to human nutrition.

THE MALARIA MOSQUITO IS AFTER YOU!
Get her with FLIT... before she has a chance to spread chilling-burning miseries from a sick man to you: Spray FLIT in dark corners and on stagnant water... where the malaria carrier lurks and breeds. Spray it on every mosquito you see. It's a quick and easy way to wipe out all mosquitoes. Buy FLIT... today!
FLIT kills flies, ants, moths, bedbugs and all mosquitoes.
BE SURE IT'S FLIT!
ASK FOR THE YELLOW CONTAINER WITH THE BLACK BAND!

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"80.6% of sufferers showed CLINICAL IMPROVEMENT after only 10-day treatment with SORETONE"
Foster D. Spill, Inc., well-known consulting chemists, have just completed a test with a group of men and women suffering from Athlete's Foot. These people were told to use Soretone. At the end of only a ten-day test period, their feet were examined in two ways: 1. Scrapings were taken from the feet and examined by the bacteriologist. 2. Each subject was examined by a physician. The report says:
"After the use of Soretone according to the directions on the label for a period of only ten days, 80.6% of the cases showed clinical improvement of an infection which is most stubborn to control."
Improvements were shown in the symptoms of Athlete's Foot—the itching, burning, redness, etc. The report says:
"In our opinion Soretone is of very definite benefit in the treatment of this disease, which is commonly known as "Athlete's Foot!"
So if Athlete's Foot troubles you, don't tamper with this assay, devilish, stubborn infection. Get Soretone! McKesson & Robbins, Inc., Bridgeport, Connecticut.

GIs Sweat Day and Night but Deliver

At the edge of a pasture, sitting cross-legged on the grass or on low boxes as though they were at a picnic, are 13 men in greasy soldiers' coveralls. Near them on one side is a shop truck with a canvas canopy stretched out from it, making a sort of patio alongside the truck. And under this canopy and all over the ground are rusty and broken rifles. This is the small arms section of our medium ordnance company. To this company comes daily in trucks the picked up, rusting rifles of men killed or wounded, and rifles broken in ordinary service. There are dozens of such companies. This company turns back around a hundred rifles a day to its division, all shiny and oily and ready to shoot again.

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We will close at 11 A. M. Friday, August 18th, in order to allow our employees to attend the picnic dinner.



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- Onions, nice, 2 lb. **13c**
- Crackers, 2 lb. Krispy **31c**
- Toilet Tissue, 4 for **19c**
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- Vanilla, 2 oz. **35c**
- Syrup, Maple, bottle **25c**
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- Steak, lb. **33c**
- Kraft Dinner, two for **19c**

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Clarendon, Texas

Last Times Friday Aug. 18

Anne Baxter and
Walter Huston in
The North Star

Saturday Only Aug. 19

Roy Rogers in
The Song of Texas

Sat. Prevue Sun. Mon. Aug. 19-21

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Fred MacMurray in
And The Angels Sing

Tuesday Only Aug. 22

Anna Sten in
Three Russian Girls

Wed. Thur. Fri. Aug. 23-25

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Ingrid Bergman in
Gaslight

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PHONE: Office 65-2 rings
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LOCAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Tucker and son Lanny from Estelline and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Threet of Roswell, New Mexico visited in the R. E. Newman home last week.

Mrs. Jerry Garside of Ringgold is visiting A. F. Shields and family

Mrs. Benney Sluder of Atoka, Okla., visited here last week on her way to Oakland, Calif.

Peggy Zoe Stotts and Peggy Nell Everett were Clarendon visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Neely and Mrs. Sudie Jones were Amarillo visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Kennedy and children of Kilgore and Mrs. Blanche Tomlinson and daughter Dorothy of Dallas visited in the Roy Darnell home last Friday.

Mrs. J. E. Garside of Oakland, Calif., is visiting here.

Vernon Ford and family of Amarillo are spending this week here.

J. W. Hicks of Clinton, Okla., visited in the E. P. Ford home over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Weaver have returned from Seattle, Wash. where they spent the summer working in the Boeing plant.

Mrs. R. B. Adams of Childress was in town Wednesday.

Mrs. F. A. Finch was up from Memphis last Thursday.

Leon Reeves and Charles Rains made a business trip to Ft. Worth this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wyninegar and Mrs. Edith Wood and son have returned from a trip to Fort Worth and Bridgeport.

Mrs. Jewel Chennault and son of Clarendon visited relatives here Sunday.

QUALITY FOODS



BRING US YOUR CREAM AND EGGS

- POTATOES, peck **48c**
- CHOCOLATE SYRUP, 20 oz. **32c**
- BROOMS, each **76c**
- TEA, 1/4 lb. **24c**
- ICE TEA GLASSES, each **8c**
- P. A. TOBACCO **10c**
- W. S. PORK & BEANS, 1 lb. 8 oz., 2 for **25c**
- VINEGAR, quart jar **10c**
- WHITE SWAN COFFEE, glass, 1 lb. **34c**

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"The House of Service"

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Before you make plans to send your children to College or before you decide they can not go at all this year, why not investigate the possibilities of sending them to Clarendon Junior College?

You can give them two years of fully accredited college work that will better prepare them for a University at the lowest possible cost.

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