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Captures

Samree

lery barrage.

By JAMES M. LONG

Courtney H. Hodges' First

Army won the biggest tank

His 101st screaming Eagle Air-

The Germans were withdrawing

from the western tip of the salient,

and their peril was increased ap-

presiably by the loss of stoutly de-

fended Samree, whence a spider-

web of secondary roads lead into

The British took five towns in the

west and moved to within a half

mile of Laroche, which seemed

doomed by the fall of Samree, three

The Germans were declared to

have started " a measured, step-by-

step withdrawal" from the western

tip of the bulge, where the British

Second Army scooped up five vil-

lages in an advance of a mile or

was less than nine miles wide. Pat-

ton struck north into that neck

extending into Luxembourg almost

Far to the south, however, di-

within 14 miles south of Strasbourg

through the French First Army. By

dogged fighting, the Sixth Army

Group of Lt. Gen. Jacob L. Devers

slugged back into the Rhine bridge-

miles northeast of the ancient Al-

Deep snow and bitter cold hamp-

ered operations against the bulge,

but Alled forces "continued to make

McElroy Field Case

town of Gambsheim, nine

General Eisenhower's

to the German frontier.

satian City.

progress,"

communique said.

The neck of the Belgian bulge,

British Take Five Towns

miles to the northwest.

PARIS — (AP) — Lt. Gen.

Patterson Claims Need Of 900,000 Men In Army Plus 700,000 In Plants

By DANIEL De LUCE

the besieged garrison.

WASHINGTON—(P)—Undersecretary of War Robert P. Patterson told Congress Wednesday that inductions for the armed forces for the first six months of 1945 will total 900,000 men as a minimum.

Urging quick enactment of national service legislation, Patterson advised the House Military Committee that only through some form of national service could the manpower needs for the war effort be met during the next six months.

These needs, he declared, include 900,000 men for the armed services and 700,000 others for war production and war-supporting activi-

"The only complete and Germans Fail To adequate legislation," he adequate legislation," he said, would be national war Breakthrough To service legislation "of the most comprehensive nature." Besieged Garrison Such legislation, he stated, would shorten the war and minimize the

Work Or Fight Pending enactment of an overall ed increasing in fury Wednesday statute, Patterson said, the War while German relief columns, now Department favored "work or fight" menaced by a vast outflanking drive legislation for all men between the north of the Danube bend, had failages of 18 and 45. The committee ed in attempts to break through to is considering such a bill.

Patterson said "it will be neces- In the 13th day of street fighting, sary" within the next six months the Russians claimed control of to induct men between the ages of more than half of the once beauti-26 and 30 "in large numbers from ful Hungarian capital. industry," adding that the needs of Rapid Stride the Army and the Navy were for Northwest beyond the Danube men under 30. To replace these men Marshal Rodion Y. Malitnovsky s upon their induction, he said, some armor and infantry were making way must be found to shift older rapid studes toward Komarom. men into war jobs.

The legislation which Patterson which was one of the springboards endorsed as a substitute for a gen- for the German rescue offensive. eral national service law if Con- In advances of three miles gress will not approve that would more, his troops Tuesday captured subject to immediate induction any the riverpank town of Izsa, little man between the ages of 18 and 45 more than three and one-half miles man between the ages of 18 and 45 who leaves a job without draft other communities to the northeast.

Those physically fit would be used for regular military duty, the others going into special service units to going into special service units to perform what Patterson said would be "unattractive" assignments.

Patterson said the Army "would deplore the induction of large num- Governor Will Deliver bers of men for special service units, adding: "We don't need Biennial Talk Thursday in a chair in her bedroom, shot The primary purpose of the bill,

supporting the war effort imme- session Thursday at 11 a.m.

SO&GC To Drill 6,000-Foot Test NW Of Midland By JAMES C. WATSON

Oil Editor Location has been staked and

drilling is to start Jan. 13, on a 6,-000-foot wildcat oil test 13 miles airline northwest of Midland, in Southeast Andrews County. The project will be Stanolind Oil

& Gas Company No. 1-N Midland Farms. It will be 1,980 feet from south and west lines of section 15, block 40, TP survey, T-1-N, and is about four miles south of closest Mabee pool. Monahans Outpost

Shell Oil Company, Inc., No. Sealey-Smith, is a north extension effort for the Monahans-Ellenburger pool, in Northeast Ward Coun-Location is 1,981 feet from east and 1,979 feet from south lines of section 37, block A, G&MMB&A survey. It is 2,890 feet north and slightwest of same concern's No. 5 Sealey-Smith, a recent flowing completion from the lower Ordovician pay section. The new test is to drill to around 10,500 feet. The Norwalk Company No.

Nislar, lower Permian prospector in Southwest Lubbock County, in section 23, block AK, HE&WT survey, is to be plugged and abandoned as dry on a total depth of 6,313 feet, tered at any level Running Pipe

drilling ahead to around 6,000 feet. and daughters at another base.

D Walton, section 20, block 77, psi "If citizens of Midland, and many a room for even a limited time (Continued On Page 6)

Accidential Suicide Verdict Returned In Eleanor Schmid Death

chino, calif.—(P)—Mrs. Eleanor Schmid, 23, of Abilene, Texas, died from "accidental, self-inflicted" battle of the Belgian bulge campaign, capturing the sector treating from western tip of ed by stockmen, carried with bullet wounds" last Friday, a coroners jury decided Tuesday after hearing testimony that she was in good spirits prior to the shooting. Mrs. Schmid was found shot through the head in the home of he and Dr. Richard W. Winters

of Fort Worth were guests. The Brennans and Dr. Winters neck, the seasoned American Third told the jury they knew of no motive why she should end her life. Army of Lt. Gen. George S. Patton, Jr., gained up to a mile and a half Dr. Brennan, a veterinarian, and in an advance along a 20-mile front sorties. MOSCOW-(P)- Red Army as-Mrs. Brennan testified they were above Bastogne. saults within Budapest were reportawakened in their bedroom by a



Mrs. Eleanor Schmid

through the temple. A pistol was

AUSTIN-(P)-Gov. Coke R. Stev- nearby. he declared is to "persuade and enson's biennial message to the leg-force, if you like," men not now islature will be delivered at a joint of the Texas Livestock Sanitary Commission, accompanied Mrs

Stevenson has announced that Schmid here recently from Texas. He testified to the following: in addition to this general message. He and Mrs. Schmid, both clad he will bring recommendations for emergency legislation in special mes- in pajamas, talked in her bedroom sages on the various specific topics. until about 4 a. m. about such subjects as his work and her children, Gay, 2, and Carlene, 8 University Offers months, who now are with her mother, Mrs. Eleanor DeVoll, Sale Of Mineral Leases Abilene. Then he laid on the bed AUSTIN—(P)—Mineral leases on 143 tracts of University of Texas lands in Andrews, Crane, Reagan, tire and heard a shot. He returned Upton, Crockett, Pecos and Cooke to find Mrs. Schmid dead.

The body of Mrs. Schmid, who Counties will be offered for sale in Austin Feb. 16 by the board for was the wife of Capt. Carl Schmid, paratrooper with the U.S. Army The sale is the first since August, in Belgium, was sent to Abilene 1944, when bonuses of more than accompanied by her father-in-law, \$3,000,000 were paid on lands then Fred Schmid of Denver, and her uncle, Elmon Hall of Abilene.

Midland Ticket Agents Tell Of Seeing Returned Veterans' Families Broken Up From Lack Of Accomodations

It is pathetic to see the wives of returned combat veterans buying tickets home and leaving their husbands because not even meager accommodations can be located for them in Midland, said A. T. Wheeler Greyhound Bus agent, and D. Davis, agent for the Texas and Pacific Midland has many homes which wholeheartedly have opened their

doors and welcomed these tiny families. Many more have vacant bedrooms which could housse the great majority of those leaving. Regardless of Army regulations, when a man has been riding a warplane deep into enemy territory and is at last permitted to come home

for a short time, it is only natural that he wants his wife with him, a bombardier was heard to say.

lease of University lands.

Many Midland homes, a Chamber in lime. No oil shows were encoun-Hunt Oil Company No. 1 Bomar, make no charge of any nature, tak- faces after they have given up all sub-division 6, Crosby survey No. 315, in Central Fisher County, was bottomed at 2,570 feet, in lime, and were receiving the consideration their homes to these men who are was running 10-inch casing, before they would appreciate for their sons risking their lives in the fight which

block 29, TP survey, T-1-N, in pect such treatment, for they are stands for," Davis said.

Northwest Howard County, had delighted to pay most any rent for Paul McHargue, pres their wives while they are stationed Commerce is serving as a clearing Continental Oil Company No. 1- at the Midland Army Air Field. of them have sons of their own

fighting on the battlefronts, could hear these young people when they come to our office to buy tickets home, sometimes several thousand one or two returned veterans and ment and grief written on their hope of a few short weeks together, I think a great many would open so vitally determines the very ex-Not that the young officers ex- istence of this country and all it

Paul McHargue, president of the the station were inspected. A ratresumed drilling from 3,884 feet, in simple accommodations, anything lime, after reaming pipe to that that will enable them to be with said Wednesday the Chamber of tion at an inspection last year. house and Midlanders who can rent pleased with progress at the station (Continued On Page 2) are in good condition.

PACIFIC FRONT-Powerful American invasion forces push rapidly inward on Luzon Island after almost bloodless landing. Men, materiel pour ashore from gigantic convoy.

WESTERN FRONT- Four icy weather; squeeze waist to ing on live cattle. ondary road center of Sam- Belgion bulge.

ree after 30 hours of violent EASTERN FRONT — Red tion. fighting in deep snow which included an all-night artilpest increasing, German relief \$17.50 as originally proposed. columns fail in attempts to On the south of the salient, now relieve besieged garrison. less than nine miles wide at its

> ITALIAN FRONT-Weather limits action to patrol

AERIAL—Hundreds of U.S. shot and found Mrs. Chmid dead borne Division moved to within heavy bombers roar out on choice beef from \$1 to \$2 a hunfour and a half miles of Houffalize, against targets in Western key road center near the center of Germany.

Police Declare War On 'Ditch 'Em'

Police Wednesday declared war on "ditch 'em," the game of many youthful automobile drivers in

Licenses of teen-age automobile drivers in Midland will be checked, Police Chief Jack Ellington declared. He explained that operators of motor vehicles must have drivers licenses. If not, their parents will be held responsible. "Reckless driving in Midland must be curbed," he told officers.

It recently has increased and the calls to police have mounted. In the "ditch 'em" game, one above Bastogne on a 20-mile front youthful driver will attempt to pass another car and force it to the curb or ditch. Complaints bave been numerous, especially versionary enemy attacks struck to on Friday and Saturday nights.

Licenses of youths who drive recklessly will be revoked, Ellington said, and the cases will be reported to the OPA ration board if the car owner has more than A gasoline rations. The Midland Safety Council, headed by Mrs. E. A. Culbertson,

is cooperating with the Police Department to halt the wave of reckless driving.

sioners' courtroom at the courthouse.

Officials And Food

fighter escorts.

ment official disclosed

nent government.

Dealers Will Meet Culberson Presides A meeting of retail food dealers of Midland County will be held at 8 p.m. Wednesday in the commis-As Commission Hears

District officials from the Lubbock office will be present to explain With Chairman Olin Culberson various OPA regulations. presiding, and Commissioner Ernest O. Thompson sitting with him, the Weather Railroad Commission hearing regarding various proposals for potential tests, and other items connected with oil and gas production in the McElroy field, in Crane and War Bulletins Ipton counties, opened Wednesday norning in the Midland Courthouse The courtroom was filled with in-

Thursday Jack Baumel, director of production, Clark Lloyd, assistant director of production, and Miss Peggy Nicholson, stenographer, from the (Continued On Page 2)

erested oil operators. At noon Wed-

nesday only one witness had testi-

fied. Cluberson indicated that the

ssion might run over through

Col. Hardwick Pleased With Eighth Ferrying Station Inspection

Pleasure was expressed after a two day inspection of the 8th Ferrying Service Station at Midland Municipal Airport has been completed by Lt. Col. Emmit V Hardwick and his staff from the Central Ferrying Wing of the Air Transport Command at Kansas City, Capt. Wilbur L. Burall, commanding officer of the 8th Ferrying Service, announced Wednesday,

All departments and facilities of Colonel Hardwick said he was and that facilities and departments

First Army WAR AT Livestock Ceiling Is

Allied armies beat against The government Wednes-German Ardennes salient in day slapped a flat price ceil-

Army assaults within Buda- \$18 a hundredweight instead of Announced by Stabilizing Direceffective Jan. 29.

The new overall ceiling, covering calves as well as cattle, will be lowered to 17.50 on July 2. Vinson also directed:

1. The Defense Supplies Corporadredweight, and on good beef from cago basis. The subsidy payment on choice cattle will be cut by 50

2. OPA and the War Food Administration to increase the price of ONLY FEW SNIPERS the present stabilization range for choice cattle by \$1 and for good cattle by 50 cents a hundred pounds, live weight, over the stabilization range for choice cattle will be reduced by 50 cents a hundred pounds. offered the only obstacle. 3. OPA and WFA to issue a reguthe average grade and yield conpurchased and slaughtered over a faction. month's period. This provision does not include calves.

terer may kill or deliver over month's time.

"The purpose of the directive," the announcement said, "is to make t possible for OPA to secure more effective control of live cattle prices and continue to protect the conprice of meat.

ment added, any substantial reduction in live cattle prices "will be sunk prevented."

Capt. Edward Grimes Wounded In Germany

an Infantry officer, was wounded in action in Germany about December 18, his wife was informed Wednes-

The officer, now in a hospital in England, reports that he is on the IDEAL CONDITIONS road to recovery. He suffered shrapnel wounds. Captain Grimes, a graduate of

Midland High School, has been in the Army almost three years.

LONDON —(AP)— Eleven hundred U. S.

LONDON — (AP) — Norwegian parachutists

ROME—(AP)—British troops have driven

Liberators and Flying Fortresses bombarded

bridges, airfields, and road junctions behind the

Belgian bulge and along the Rhine Wednesday

in a daring daylight raid supported by only 300

tween Trondheim and Oslo, over which Germans were

being evacuated to Germany, a Norwegian govern-

a 30-man Nazi combat patrol back from the

south bank of the Reno River, along which the

Germans have dug in for a stand at the extreme

eastern end of the Italian battlefront, Allied

of Greece Wednesday promised his people a general

a new assembly and decide the question of a perma-

Headquarters said Wednesday.

Little Ground Opposition In **Luzon Landing** By LEONARD MILLIMAN

A powerful American invasion army pushed rapidly inland toward Manila Wednesday after an almost blood-The action, widely oppos- less landing on Luzon Island Tuesday morning.

Japanese soldiers deserted their meager beach deit a move to soothe opposi- fenses under a terrific three-day bombardment that knocked out all of their big coastal guns. They left grinning Filipino civilians to welcome the first assault waves pouring over a 15-mile stretch of shell-cratered sand dunes on tor Vinson, the measure becomes Lingayen Gulf in the greatest amphibious operation of the Pacific war.

Entire divisions of Lt. Gen. Walter Krueger's Sixth Army landed with few casualties, or perhaps none at all.

An 800-ship convoy—perhaps the greatest in the histion to increase subsidy payments tory of amphibious warfare—sent more than 3,400 landing craft, amphibious tanks, ducks and amphibious tractors \$1.45 to \$1.95 a hundredweight, Chi-scudding toward four landing beaches as soon as the climactic dawn bombardment lifted. The landing was anticlimactic.

unmanned. Beach trenches were shallowed and deserted. Barbed wire was stretched in single strands. A few shipers

The few pillboxes that weathered the shelling were

Japanese mortars opened up from flanking hills only lation "making it an OPA violation after American infantrymen occupied San Fabian. At the for a slaughterer to pay more, on some time Gen. Douglas MacArthur, smoking his cornsidered—than the maximum prices cob pipe, waded ashore and set up headquarters where he of the stabilization range for cattle received reports of advancing troops with obvious satis-

Absence of opposition on the beach was particularly WFA to delegate authority to astounding in view of Japanese boasts and a fierce five-OPA to issue an order establishing day assault on the 70-mile long convoy by planes, subthe maximum percentage of good marines and destroyers. Some American losses were susand choice cattle that any slaugh- tained in these attacks, but their extent was not disclosed.

COST NIPS 79 PLANES

The attacks cost the Japanese 79 planes, one midget submarine rammed by a U.S. destroyer as its torpedos went harmlessly through the convoy, and at least two desumer against any increase in the stroyers, one of which audaciously tried to slip in to the American and Australian columns under cover of night. At the same time, the announce- Press dispatches said three or four enemy destroyers were These losses were in addition to 73 ships and 262 planes

destroyed or damaged in three-day supporting sweeps over Luzon, Formosa and the Ryukyu Islands by Vice Admiral John S. McCain's fast carrier forces.

Timed with the invasion were successful Superfort strikes at Formosa, Tokyo and a half dozen other cities Capt. Edward Grimes of Midland, south and west of the Japanese capital. Three Saipanbased B-29s returned to Tokyo for harassing pre-dawn raids Wednesday as the emperor's high command claimed 29 Superforts were hit in Tuesday's foray over Japan.

Ahead of the Sixth Army troops on Luzon lay a broad, flat, 120-mile-long valley, an ideal site for armored warfare. Krueger was ready for it with tremendous quantities of tanks, armor, guns and equipment rolling up from Gen. Tomoyuki Yamashita, "The Tiger," and perhaps

apan's greatest general, may try counterattacks from the flanking hills or at any of the many rivers crossing the valley. But, a MacArthur spokesman said, he missed his chance when he let the Yanks land unhindered. MacArthur said Yamashita was "not prepared for a

landing in the Lingayen sector," although this was the very spot 80,000 Japanese troops invaded the Philippines three

years ago.

Roosevelt Says No Strings To dropped into Norway have cut the main railway be- Big Three Talk

WASHINGTON -(A)- President he now possesses. Roosevelt has assured congressiondoor is closed." al leaders he will go into the forthcoming "Big-3" conference free of to sneak in reinforcements as they prior commitments on Europe's tandid at Guadalcanal and Leyte. Lygled political problems. ing in wait to annihilate any such With senatorial critics complainconvoys from Formosa or Japan

ing of this part of his handling of will be Admiral William F. Halsey's foreign affairs, the President told Third Fleet. his legislative lieutenants nothing A naval battle is inevitable, said promised at Quebec or Teheran will Gen. Masaharu Homma. commandtie his hand in attempts to reach er of the Nipponese 1941 invasion an agreement on such questions as of the Philippines. The balance of LONDON —(AP)— Premier Nicholas Plastiras Polands future borders.

The President was reported deter- ican. (Continued on page 2)

power is now overwhelmingly Amer-

Now, MacArthur said,

Yamashita's "main rein-

forcement and supply lines

to the Philippines are cut and his ground fight for Luzon will have

to be made with such resources as

The Japanese undoubtedly will try

mined to carry a closed hand into MacArthur, who left Corregidor election "at the earliest possible moment" to name the big three conference. He would nearly three years ago in a frail tornot expand now, it was said, on the pedo boat and returned at the head exposition of foreign policy laid of a mighty armada, now stands 75 miles from Bataan.

Roosevelt Says

In that he admitted concern about

advance of the non-holdsbarred de-

bate which was expected in the

by the Democratic steering com-

mittee as a new member of the For-eign Relation Committee, asserted

that any attempt at this time to

draw a blue print of American in-tentions "would only end in chaos."

Lucas was placed on the committee with Senators Hill of Alabama and Hatch of New Mexico, both

staunch Roosevelt supporters, to fill

Democratic Leader Barkley (Ky) told reporters the trend of public opinion on foreign policy questions

had been discussed when the legislative chieftains, accompanied by Chairman Connally (D-Tex) of the

Foreign Relations Committee, called at the White House Tuesday.

Two marriage licenses were issued

Tuesday at the office of County Clerk Susie G. Noble. They were

issued to Keith M. Canaday and Leta Mae Parker, and B. L. Cavin

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Take heed, and beware of covetousness; for a man's life consisteth not in the abundance of the things which he possesseth.—Luke 12:15.

Bureaucracy

According to the Bureau of the Census, it takes 155,000 separate agencies to perform all the complicated governmental functions in the United States today. At which point some acquaintance is bound to yell "bureaucracy."

But you can counter that, if you want to argue, by showing him the next figure, which states that federal and state government accounts for only about 20,000 of the total. The other 135,000 agencies are country, district, city, town and township organizations, including school boards and personnel.

And by a little figuring you can show this sufferer from bureauphobia that 155,000 agencies averaged out to only one for every 890 inhabitants of this country, and that obviously no community of that size could maintain health. American Airliner law, order and comfort with only a single governmental

If your bureauphobe friend sets up another howl at this point, you can be sure that he has seen the next Census La Crescenta, Calif. Bureau figure. This shows that the 135,000 local agencies plus all state governments employ only 3,168,000 persons, while the comparative handful of federal agencies have 3,335,000 on the payroll.

You may have to remind your worthy opponent that all the latter are not swivel-chair bureaucrats. Mid-1943 Civil Service figures show that of 3,188,000 in civil service jobs, only about 279,000 worked in the District of Columbia. Government work includes building ships and making munitions, as well as drafting OPA directives or typing

Meanwhile the bureauphobe has figured out that there is one grownup federal employe for every 41 Americans, including infants, adolescents, and the aged and infirm. This seems like a lot to him when he thinks of the many governmental concerns of daily living in which government plays no part.

Your opponent, pencil in hand, may also remind you that if every one of these government workers voted in a McCauley, 34, whose parents live at 50 million-vote election, they would account for one vote Boise, Idaho; Flight Officer Robert Covierd Bitter 25 of North Hollyin every 14 and maybe swing an election, especially with the votes in their families that they might control.

Then you could remind him that almost all these workers are civil service appointees: that some are voteless residents of Washington, and that others are under 21.

Whereupon the bureauphobe might insist that even civil service would not save a lot of them if some postwar administration should cut the government payroll to the clambering from his hammock to clamber from his hammock He might even voice the cynical suspicion that no party, in or out of office, would promise to do that cutting iob and thereby alienate a lot of votes, and that accordingly bigger and more expensive bureaucracy is here to stay.

And the argument might go on and on from there. We're sorry we ever started it—even though 6,503,000 government employes still seem like a lot.

Will Hold Easley Services Thursday

Funeral services will be held at 2 p. m. Thursday at the First Bap-Church for Frank M. Easley, 43, with the Rev. Vernon Yearby every room that we have had, there officiating. Interment will be at were at least ten families waiting Pairview cemetery with the Ellis for it. These young people do not Funeral Home in charge of ar- expect too much, in fact, they don't

Easley died suddenly Monday at be together. Almost any room that his home from a heart attack. He will be large enough for a bed and had been living in Midland since a suitcase will do."

Surviving are the widow, three daughters; Mrs. Alois J. Bauer, Joan Easley and Evelyn Easley of Midland; a son, Frank Easley of Midland; two sisters, Mrs. Nena Cochran of St. Louis, Mo., and Mrs. Ruby Hendrick of Tulsa Okla.

MAYOR HENDRICKSON

RETURNS TO CITY Mayor and Mrs. A. N. Hendrick-son have returned to Midland after a business trip to New York City

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ter" bombs for near misses. my mouth shut

The Blue Danube Waltz



Found Wrecked At

LOS ANGELES-(A)-The wreckage of an American Airlines plane carrying 21 passengers and three was the village cop, is 100 years old. crew members was sighted Wednesday about five miles north of Lockheed Air Terminal, Burbank a company spokesman announced. All passengers and crew were killed

trol tower operator at the airport through field glasses. The scene where the wreck occurred was in the vicinity of La

The debris was sighted by a con-

Crescenta, a foothill town north of No indication of whether anyone had survived the crash could be discerned, the spokesman added.

Ground searchers were immediatedispatched to the scene. The company said the crew members were Captain Joseph Russell wood, Calif.; and hostess Miss Lila A. Docken, 22, of Burbank, Calif.

Better Known As Just

Asking For It-WITH THE 24TH DIVISION IN cutters at 3.50-7.50; his Leyte Island foxhole four times cull kinds 6.00-8.00 as Japanese planes droned overhead, Capt. Clarence B. Folsom of Wichita Falls, shook his fist at the | weighing 180 lb. and up 14.55; good

fifth flight and admonished: you're going to.

Down came a series of "Daisy Cut-

Legislature Clerk Says Time To Quit At Last

ABILENE, KANSAS — (P) — J. E Edwards, a clerk in the Kansas State Legislature for the past 37

Has Anybody Seen Charlie's Hotel???

PORTLAND, ORE .- (A) -Charles J. Haney got off a bus from Los Angeles, managed to get a room few blocks away, left his suitcas and went out to eat. He's spent the last five days trying to find the Mild Temperature

Cotton

NEW YORK-(P)-Cotton futures at noon Wednesday were 60 to 75 cents a bale higher. March 22.21, May 22.14, and July 21.88.

Livestock

FORT WOR'TH—(P)—Cattle 2.700; calves 1,600; about steady; medium to good slaughter steers and yearlings 11.50-14.00; cutter and common kinds 8.00-11.00; good beef cows mostly 10.00-11.50 with odd head up to 13.00; common to medium cows 7.50-10.00; canners and

Hogs 1,600; active and steady good and choice butcher and choice 150-175 lb. kinds 13.25-Well, dammit, go ahead drop 'em 14.45; packing sows 13.50-13.80 and stocker pigs 5.00-12.50.

Sheep 3,700; slow, killing classes r" bombs for near misses. about steady; good and choice "Whew,' exclaimed Captain Fol-wooled lambs 13.50-14.25; medium som from his hole. "I'd better keep grade yearlings 10.50-11.00; slaugh-

Mary Bell Moore

Dies In Oklahoma

4:30 p. m. Thursday at the First years, has decided to retire.

Edwards, who was a young man | 4:30 p. m. Thursday at the First |
Baptist Church for Mrs. Mary Bell about the time Wild Bill Hickok was the village cop, is 100 years old.

Moore, 82, with the Rev. Vernon Yearby officiating. Interment will be at Fairview cemetery with the Rev. Vernon Yearby officiating. Mrs. Moore died Sunday at Yale Okla. She made her home in Mid-land with her daughter, Mrs. Forest Hunter, 407 West Missouri.

Midlanders Enjoy

Midlanders were enjoying mild weather Wednesday for January as the mercury ceased falling at 8 a.m. at the 40 degree mark, eight degrees above the minimum tem-perature for Tuesday when the mercury fell to 32 degrees.

holding there until 6

FDR Requests Return Of Anglo-American Petroleum Treaty

WASHINGTON —(A)— President Roosevelt asked the Senate Wednesday to send back to him an nesday to send back to him an Anglo-American petroleum treaty so that revisions may be made to the hearing except for a previous came much nearer the shadows remove misunderstandings.

club luncheon in Beaumont Wed- Hot Debate Expected to the Senate last August requesting its ratification. But it ran into the Spindletop field. Jester is to ed by administration supporters in difficulties, not only in the Senate but also in the domestic oil indusvisit Midland the last of January.

Accompanying Cololen Thompson is his wife, internationally known as a opera nstar, uder her profession-

In the message asking its return, Roosevelt said he had not changed as a opera nstar, uder her profession-his view that "the agreement con-al name of Mae Peterson. stituted an important step forward in removing possible causes of fric-tion in international trade in petroleum and promoting cooperation among the nations in the development of that trade."

He said he was informed, how-ever, of fears expressed as to its cope and effect as now worded. He said there was some concern lest it authorize acts by the petroindustry inconsistent with existing law, as well as fears that t might "hold potentialities harm-

The President regards these as unfounded, he said, and certainly no such possibilities were intended. Since there is general agreement that an understanding on international petroleum trade between this fight between a negro man and his country and Britain is desirable, girl friend, Persistance finally wor Roosevelt went on, it would be un-fortunate should it be delayed or "You know how hard sugar is to get. Well, she done spilled my sugven prevented through a misun-

were continuing.

Like To See More Of It

SMOKE SHORTAGE REASON

cigarettes moving toward the front from the United States dwindled at point before reaching Paris, a court martial witness testified Wednesday in the hearing which was the first of a series of trials involving two The temperature Tuesday rose officers and 182 enlisted men chargfrom 32 degrees at 9 a.m. to reach ed with pilfering supply trains and maximum of 64 degrees at 4 p.m., selling the goods on the French black market.



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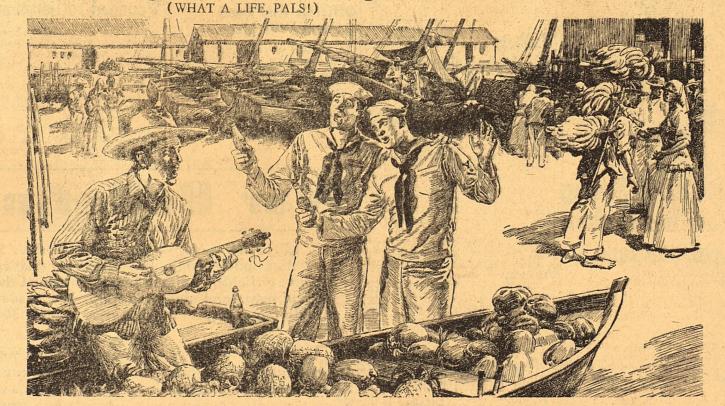


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Culberson -(Continued from Page 1) Austin headquarters of the commission are assisting in the hearission are assisting in the hear-

Retiring Colorado

State Auditor Drafted

official in Colorado's history:

Ration Regulations

was all about.

ar," the man said.

ambassador to Brazil.

VISITS FATHER

Cause Midland Fight

DENVER-(A)-Two signal events

occurred Tuesday in the life of James L. Bradley, retiring state au-

He went out of office at noon and

then received a notice to report

Jan. 17 for induction into the Army.

Police had difficulty Wednesday morning learning the cause of a

and the man told what the trouble

BERLE IS NEW AMBASSADOR

WASHINGTON-(P)-Adolf Berle

Allen Wallace of Decatur, Ala., is

here visiting his father, W. E. (Cap)

Jr., until recently an assistant sec-

he would have been in Midland for ers and to "our major Allies who

Roosevelt sent the oil agreement

ul to the industry."

derstanding as to the purpose and scope of a particular document.

China Recognizes Exiled Polish Government Only

retary of state, was nominated by President Roosevelt today to be CHUNGKING -(P)- K. C. Wu, vice-minister of foreign affairs, said Wednesday that China would continue to recognize the Polish government in exile in London.

Wang Shih-Chieh, minister of

information, said negotiations with the Communists of North China

Yeah-And We Would

NEW YORK-(A)-As a reminder that "the war won't last forever," a taxicab firm has sent a notice to its drivers advising them not to be too chocsy in picking up fares.

PARIS-(A)-A huge stream of



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that's his pre-war car . . . Second, it became his wartime car ... And third-long may it live postwar! For not even record-smashing new car output in 1945 can keep millions from being forced to wait until 1946 or so-most likely including you.

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dred years of WMU work was given ma.' with Mrs. Ernest Neill, Mrs. Thur-man Pylant, Mary Louise and Ruth Anne Erskine, Harriet and Rozanne Yearby, Andra B. Cole, Sandra White and Linda Cheves taking

The meeting closed with a prayer by Mr. C. M. Dunagan. Following the meeting, Mrs. S. M. Erskine conducted a short business session.

The Lockett Circle was hostess at

Rachel Circle Has Bible Meditation

The Rachel Circle of the First Presbyterian Church met Monday afternoon with Mrs. Harry Adams and Miss Iola Hopkins, 606 North Marienfield, for a Bible meditation "Ourselves, Ambassadors." It was led by Mrs. Ray Pool who was assisted by Mmes, L. C. Link, W. G. Whitehouse, Fred Turner, R. Crabb, and R. A. Doran.

Mrs. N. A. Lancaster presented a supplementary lesson, "I Discovered A Missionary."

Refreshments were served to Mmes. Crabb, Bill Collyns, Doran, John Chink, Lancaster, Pool, P. R. Pattison, Turner, Whitehouse and a visi-Odessa. tor, Mrs. B. C. Albert of Beatrice

Ruth Circle Meets With Mrs. Miller

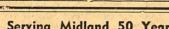
The Ruth Circle of the First Presbyterian Church met Monday afternoon at 911 West Michigan with Mrs. R. L. Miller as hostess and Mrs. Ora Holzgraf co-hostess. Mrs. R. L. Foulks conducted the program "Ourselves, Ambassadores," assisted by Mrs. William Osburn.

Refreshments were served to the members present.

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Christian Ladies Have Program On Religions Of Burma

The Baptist WMU had as its topic "Working Together for a Century," at its Monday meeting. Mrs. Mrs. Delbert Downing was the leader of the regular missionary meeting of the Woman's Council of G. Epley of the Lottie Moon the First Christian Church Monday afternoon when Mrs. M. M. Pruitt discussed "Religious Mind of Bur-

The program marked the begin-ning of a new series of study, 'Christian Pageant in the Pacific. Mrs. S. P. Hall, social service chairman, made her report for the first half of the year; 395 new and used garments were sent to Juliet Fowler Home, 52 jars of canned fruit and jelly, and 20 dozen sookies also went to the Juliet Fowler Home, 28 individual Christmas gifts were sent to the aged at Juliet Fowler the social hour which followed. Home, 10 Christmas gifts sent to Twenty-eight persons were present. the War Relocation Center, and \$10 was sent to Leonard Wood Memorial Research for leprosy.

To Pack Box Of Supplies Announcent was made that on February 12 a box of supplies will be packed for Mexiran Christian Institute of San Antonio.

Mrs. F. R. Schenk gave the devotional and a discussion was given by Mrs. J. R. Crump on "A Heartfelt Prayer Meeting."

Following the missionary benediction, the Rijnhart Circle was hostess for a tea hour. Members at-tending were Mmes. Charles Klap-proth, J. H. Elder, Pruitt, Crump, E. M. Marvin, R. J. Auld, J. F. Tuck-er, J. M. Johnson, Hall, W. E. Price, Al Boring, Schenk, Downing, B. W. Recer, J. E. Pickering, Ivan Hood, John Casselman, Glenn Brunson, and a guest, Mrs. George Wright of

Mrs. John D. Bowden Jr. Honored With Bridal Shower By Miss Banks

Miss Glenna Banks honored Mrs John D. Bowden, Jr., the former Miss Doris Jean Shockley, with a bridal miscellaneous shower in Mrs. Owen Cochran's home, 521 West Leads Dorcas Program Wall, Monday evening.

The gifts were concealed in a large box wrapped with pink paper to tied with a blue bow. Individual gifts afternoon with Mrs. A. Kinese were wrapped in the traditional bocker, 103 Club Drive, for a propose were wrapped in the traditional gram "Ourseleves Ambassadors," G. Byerley. had silver pilot's wings of paper printed with "Doris Jean' 'on one side and "Johnny" on the opposite. Games were played with first prizes going to Miss Marie Watson and Mrs. Bowden. Booby prizes went to Miss Norma West and Mrs. Roy rison, T. Wilson, Ralph Pickett, M.

Franks. Marge Harwell, Mrs. Emma Rotan, Mrs. Watson, Miss Marian Newton, Mrs. Lois Carter, Miss Frances Guffey, Miss West, Mrs. Betty Foster, Mrs. Sally Crago, Mrs. Roy Franks of Oklahoma City, Miss West, and Mrs. Cochran.

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ng of Psalms.

conducted by Mrs. L. G. Byerley.

Mrs. C. S. Longcope, chairman, opened the program with the read-

Members attending included Mmes. Andrew Fasken, P. W. Mor-

B. Bell, M. T. Hartwell, C. S. Long-

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Coming Events

THURSDAY-

The Midland Garden Club will meet at 10 a.m. with Mrs. Frank Stubbeman, 1502 West Texas. New officers for the new year will be

Mrs. R. S. Anderson of 1003 West Storey is giving a coffee for the room mothers of North Elementary School from 9:15 a.m. to 10:15 a.m All room mothers are urged to at-

Girl Scout Troop 8 will meet at the Presbyterian Church at 4 p.m.

Junior Canteen Hostesses will be Mrs. Ellis Conner from 4 'till 6, and Mrs. M. T. Hartwell from 7 'till 9.

The Rev. Paul H. Coxe will present a talk on "A Preacher Looks At Books and Reading" over KRLH at 4 p.m.

FRIDAY-

Belmont Bible Class will meet at p.m. in the Scharbauer Educational Building of the First Methodist Speaker Tells Lions

The Grace Lutheran Young People's Society will have a meeting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Synatschk at 8 p.m.

Mrs. S. I. Catalani and Mrs. C. W. Allen's group is responsible for the rolling of bandages at the Salvation at their meeting Wednesday noon, Army USO at 9:30 a.m. All wives in the crystal ballroom of the Scharof military personnel are invited to bauer Hotel to urge their wives and

Junior Canteen hostesses will be Mrs. L. L. Butler from 4 to 6, and Mrs. E. R. Osburn from 7 to 9.

Uncle Sam has issued an urgent SOS to American women to respond to the Army's critical need of 10,000 more nurses. Com-

bat casualties are mounting at an unprecedented rate on battle

fronts, and the ratio of nurses needed lags far behind. In 1941, Army detailed 120 nurses to each 500 men in 1000-bed military

hospitals. Today the ratio averages 83 nurses and their assistants

to 450 enlisted men. Eleven Army hospital units had to be sent

overseas without nurses, an unprecedented condition in this war. To answer Uncle Sam's SOS, see your Red Cross chapter chairman.

The Dorcas Circle of the First Dr. Will C. House was the featur-Presbyterian Church met Monday ed speaker at the WSCS meeting afternoon with Mrs. A. Knicker- of the First Methodist Church Mon-

For A Young Miss dent, was in charge of the progam.

DR. WILL C. HOUSE

Mrs. George P. Bradbury, presi-

Joe Roy Howard, 18, son of Mr.

Ration Calendar

By The Associated Press

MEATS, FATS, ETC. - Book

Four red stamps Q5 through X5.

No termination dates have been

set; OPA says none will be in-validated before March 1. Next

series will be validated Jan. 28.

PROCESSED FOODS - Book

Four blue stamps X5 through Z5 and A2 through G2 now good. No termination dates set; OPA

says none will be invalidated before March 1. Next series will

SUGAR-Book Four stamp 34

good for five pounds. No termination date set. A new stamp for five pounds will be valid Feb. 1; must last three instead

GASOLINE - 14-A coupons valid everywhere for four gal-

lons each through March 21. B-5, C-5, B-6 and C-6 coupons

good everywhere for five gal-

NEW PACKAGE

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of two and a half months. SHOES-Book Three airplane stamps 1, 2 and 3 valid indefinitely; OPA says no plans to

be validated Feb. 1.

ARRIVES AT WOLTERS

IS WSCS SPEAKER

led the devotional.

The Treble Cleff Music Club of the Watson School of Music will meet Saturday morning at 11:00 nurse's aide helps to make more at the school.

Hostesses for the Junior Canteen will be Mrs. J. D. McClure from 3:30 Would Avoid Draft to 6, and Mrs. Milward Miller from

The AAUW will have a luncheon meeting in the Scharbauer Educational Building of the First Methodist Church at 1 p.m.

day afternoon. His subject was "Crusade for Christ." The program Ferry Non-Com Club vas opened by Mrs. George Vanna-Chooses Officers man's piano music. Mrs. O. L. Crooks

as nurse's aide in the hospital at Midland Army Air Field, described The four circles in separate meet-Officers for the non-commissionings, made plans for the coming ed officers' club at the 8th Ferry-year. ed officers' club at the 8th Ferry-ing Service Station at Midland The Belle Bennett Circle will Municipal Airport were elected at serve luncheon to the AAUW Satur- a meeting held Tuesday in the the maternity ward they bring baenlisted men's day room.

S/Sgt. Louis Slivers was chosen are on call in case of disasters. as president; T/Sgt. Martin Browne, vice president, and T/ Sgt. Wayne in a contest with Jack Ellington in Showalter, secretary and treasurer. determining which could nail knock-Special committees of the Mid-ed-down orange crates together

land Rotary Club and the Junior while wearing boxing gloves. and Mrs. Joe Howard, has arrived at Camp Wolters to receive his basic training as an infantryman. Chamber of Commerce are working with members of the NCO club to find suitable quarters for a club-He has been assigned to a rifle 100m in Midland.

Fain Provides Unit With Shower System

Sgt. Earl Fain Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fain of Route 1, Midland, spends his spare time in France helping make his buddies comfortable because of his knowledge of welding.

Fain is a welder with an ordinance unit. In his spare time he provided members of his unit with shower system and with tent stoves. For the shower system he converted a 12,000 gallon tank capured from the Germans into a water tank.

Records show no airplane casualties definitely due to lightning.

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that she's all confused about her

future. She wants to quit acting and become a full-fledged writer, because, she says, she's

tired of getting up at 5 a. m. and

starting a day of dashing hither

and you about the studio.

At Lions Club Meet

Midland Lions were called upon

daughters to take a nurse's aide

Mrs. Harvey Sloan, nurse's aid

chairman for the Midland County chapter of the Red Cross, pointed

out the increasing number of

wounded who are being sent back

to the United States, and said each

trained nurses available to help

If there were more nurse's aides

probably there would be no talk of

the need for possible drafting of

The nurse's aide course is open to

women of good physical condition

and character between the ages of

18 and 50. Eighty hours are requir-

Mrs. Rose Marie Clayton, serving

some of her duties. Nurse's aides

do not give medicine, the speaker

said. They help with bed baths

bedside tables and serving trays. In

bies to their mothers. Nurse's aides

E. N. Stracener was the winner

Frank Monroe, J. H. Biggs and

W. E. Neely was in charge of the

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program for the day. Clint Dunagan presided.

T. E. Neely were named as team

captains for a membership cam-

paign to be held this month.

any other American city.

ed to complete the course.

nurses for the services, the speaker

care for the wounded.

declared.

Bank of Odessa, second for the city will open by April 1, with capital stock of \$100,000. The president will be Jim Key, real estate and loan company official. The charter has been approved by the Texas Banking Board.

Midland Youth Is Page In Legislature

Ray Pool Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pool Sr., 801 North Main, was present in Austin Tuesday for the opening of the legislature. He has been chosen as a page in the senate. He will return to Midland when the legislature adjourns.

Republicans Reassured Concerning Shoes

PORTLAND, ORE. - (P) - After weary clerks had spent hours trying to convince customers that there was no imminent danger of shoe ration stamps being cancelled, one store finally put this sign in the window:

"All you Repulbicans-don't take it too seriously. . . . There WILL be shoes."

War Bond Sales Here Total \$2,300,020 Midland War Bond sales in the recent Sixth War Loan campaign totalled \$2,300,020, M. C. Ulmer,

campaign chairman, announced Wednesday. He had just received a final report from the Treasury Department.
Midland's quota was only \$1,370,-

000 and purchases were 168 percent The Series E Bond sales totalled \$648,930 or 206 percent of the quota of \$315,000.

War Bond sales in Texas during the drive exceeded the quota by 143 percent and the Series E sales were 120.5 percent of the stat's quota

Good News! Head Colds

Double-Duty Nose Drops Works Fast Right Where Trouble Is! Va-tro-nol, A few drops up each nostril soothe irritation, relieve congestion. Also helps prevent many colds from developing if used in time. Just try it! Follow directions in folder.

The Midland County Tuberculosis Association is offering free to all household help of Midland a Tuberculin Patch Skin Test. The public is urged to cooperate in having the household help of Midland tested for possible tuberculin infection. Tests will be given at the Midland County Welfare Clinic on Saturday mornings for the next three months.

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WAY OUR PEOPLE

MISS FRASER was a slender woman of about 32. Her hands were large, her features were plain and her blue eyes shone with a quick and lively intelligence. Living in an era when sidered an old maid, Miss Fraser soupwas a spinster who expected to

She wore a sage green cloak that covered her from head to you crossed the Kissing Bridge who kissed you?" silk cap of bonnet shape. When she had it on only her face was visible. It was fastened by rib- "I knew ou'd ask that question, bons tied under the chin. Upon Why do men always think of such the was carrying. Her bell-shaped skirt, made of dark linsey-to answer our questic Major Lone sewed into the skirt itself coming and going. and not separately as a hoop. Her creen silk bodice was plentifully the pilet with lace on the collar and the sleeves. The skirt was not long; it showed about three inches of leg above the shoe tops.

r inquired. He glanced at the lelicate, high-heeled shoes, made 'l' damask. "Didn't walk, I hope."
"Oh, door me, no!" she replied.
"With these shoes!" She held out her feet, "Ned and Fanny numphrey took me for a sleigh ide-a lovely ride over the clean, glittering snow-and I asked them o let me down here on the way of excitement in her voice, in everything she said. The Major and often noticed it, and won-dered as to the cause. "They had ust room enough for me to Major. Miss

It's a fine day for sleighing, he Major said.

answered Miss Fraser

THE WAR

TODAY

By DEWITT MACKENZIE

has been joined.

No Gauge

Associated Press War Analyst

With consummate audaciousness

ago. He hit straight for the strate-

Tokyo says we have landed 60 000 ray.

troops from the 70 mile long convoy

of assuming that because the ini-

tial landing was easy, this is the

gauge of the fight to come. This closing phase of the Battle of the

Philippines bids fair to be long and

sanguinary. For the first time in

the Pacific conflict we have two

big armies facing each other in territory which is sufficiently open

so that there can be a full scale

The Japanese are powerfully set

for the clash, and may be expected to make a last-ditch stand for this

island. Their light resistance

against our landing may have been

due in part to doubt as to just

where MacArthur expected to put

We may be sure that Gen. Yam-

ashita, the enemy commander has

war of movement.

his main force ashore.

WHEN NEW YORK WAS YOUNG | me in the Humphreys' sleigh, and | tributions from the six trustees. I was squeezed almost flat be-tween Alice Knight and Mr. Stev--you know Mr. Stevens—the lawyer—"

"Did you cross the Kissing "Yes, we did, and we dined at

any woman of over 25 was con- the Two-Mile Tavern. Had turtle had learned to read, to spell sim-

Major Lawrence raised his hand and to know arithmetic up and said with a laugh, "You're leaving out something. When her school days were over. But

"Oh, that, she answered slow ly, and her free flushed a little. "I knew ou'd ask that question. entering she took off her hat and things? I try to be polite, and cape, and laid aside the muff that one is expected to kiss at that oolsey, was stiffened by whale- I was kissed by Mr. Stevens both

> "Do you lik Richard Stevens? The Major asked this question with a twinkle in his eye.

"Ah—why—I suppose so," Miss Frase replied. "I hardly know him. Now, don't imagine things "How did you come?" the Ma- Major Lawrence, you teaser. Just remember that we're living in the year 1750. In this modern time women don't fall in love with every man who looks at them."

> "OR who kisses them," the Major said with a laugh. "Did you bring your monthly report

"Oh yes, I have it here." Women did not carry handbags

of a girls' school of which Major income from the endowment, with Lawrence was the chairman of the gifts of the trustees added, did the board of trustees. The school not provide sufficient income to

Advisory Committee

On Waste Gas Problem

AUSTIN -(AP) - A newly created

advisory committee composed of petroleum engineers, will hold its first meeting with the State Rail-

The commission has approved

Sub-chairmen will be named

under the plans outlined by Mur

Fields which are known to have

the heaviest gas waste will be the

first on which studies and recom-

WASHINGTON-(A)-A gas turb-

ine is being developed as a means of ship propulsion, the Maritime Commission discolsed Wednesday.

It was described as "inherently

more efficient" than steam, but ex-

periments have not gone far enough

to determine whether a change-

ovr to the new motive power might

be in prospect in the near future

Malayans consider cooked bees

a delicacy, but they don't care for

Maritime Commission

Develops Gas Turbine

commission, said Wednesday.

To Meet With RRC

waiting since Bataan and "The road Commission Jan. 17, to begin

March of Death"!-MacArthur has its studies for conservation and

landed on Luzon and the pivotal elimination of natural gas waste battle of the war of the Pacific Beauford Jester, a member of the

the American commander has flung suggestions of William J. Murray

an Army ashore on Lingayen Gulf Jr., Corsicana, recently named as

near the same spot employed by state chairman of the new advi-

gically logical point of entrance, as from the Abilene, Midland, San

Nippon's own General Homma, Angelo, Pampa, Wichita Falls, Kil-conqueror of the Philippines, pre-gore, Palestine, Houston, San An-

dicted that the Americans would tonio and Corpus Christi districts

said.

victorious Japanese when they sory technical committee.

We shouldn't make the mistake mendations will be made,

invaded the Philippines three years Sub Chairmen

At that time general opinion, both high and low, was opposed to the higher education of women.

In many communities the girls did not attend the regular schools; Bridge?" Major Lawrence asked, they went instead to a dame school where a little primary education was given to them. When a girl ple words, to write fairly wek,

ner education in the arts of home-

naking went on much longer. Every young woman of a well-o-do family was taught how to knit, how to embroider, how to do fancy sewing; and most of them were taught the art of preparing meals. Also there was nusic and dancing. A girl of 18 was supposed to be able to play the spinet or the harp, and to know how to dance the intricate igures of the period.

Girls of poor families did not go to school, as a rule, for there were no free schools and all pupils ad to pay partly or wholly for their instruction. The laboring classes could not afford to pay the fees; and, besides, their children were usually hired out at an early age.

Miss Fraser's father, who died when she was 20 years of age, as a professor at Oxford in Engand. Nearly everything she knew nad come from him. In the New York school she did most of the teaching, although she had a young assistant. The girls learned a little history, enough geography in those days. Instead, they had to give them a fairly good idea of voluminous pockets in their skirts. the continents and countries, and Miss Fraser delved into a pocket a bit of grammar, rhetoric and quite a party," she continued, and brought out a folded blue composition. Literature and the "Six people besides myself, with paper which she handed to the lives of authors also had a place in the curriculum. Every pupil Miss Fraser was the principal paid a monthly tuition fee, as the absent-mindedly. "Well, as I was had a small endowment that was carry on the work of the school. aying, there was just room for supplemented by voluntary con-(To Be Continued)

Lucky Dog

The five-year-old fox-terrier,

legal difficulties.

above, aptly named Jack will get plenty of just that, barring

owner, the late Mrs. Margaret

Myers, of Detroit, made him sole

heir to an estate estimated at

\$20,000. Her handwritten will

also provided that "whoever

takes care of him at my home

shall have free rent."

S/Sgt. J. P. H. McMullan Jr., son

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He entered the Army in

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Wounded In Action

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Husband Of Midland

Woman Pilots Plane

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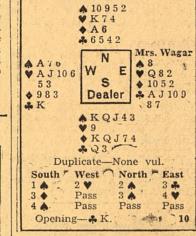
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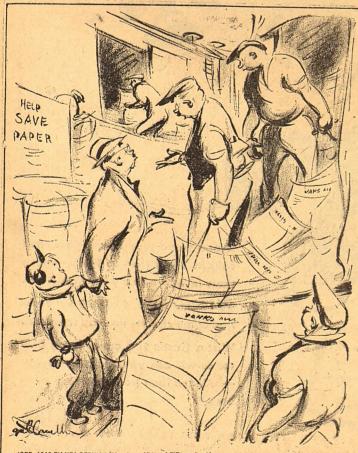
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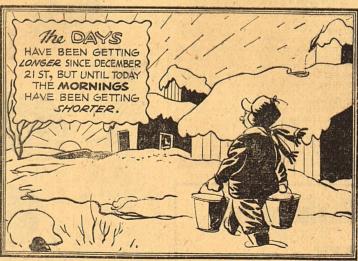
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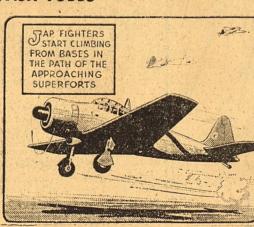
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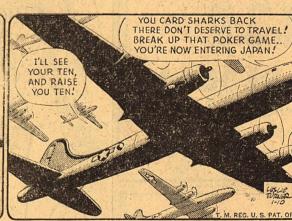






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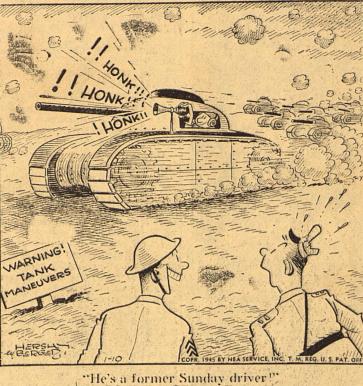
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From War Injuries

Lieutenant Red Dies

Lt. Vernon L. Red Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon L. Red of Midland, died December 26 from injuries suffered December 22. He was an aerial photographer with ermayer announced Wednesday. the Air Forces and was last known to be based in England.

His wife and child live at Oklahoma City, Okla. A sister, Juanita at 6:30 p.m. Red, is attending college at Denton

Soldiers Furloughed To Work In Carbon Plant

OKLAHOMA CITY—(A) -Seven- at the infantry replacement center ty-five soldiers have received 50,day furloughs from Sheppard Field, Texas, to work in the Cabot carbon black plant at Pampa, Texas, District Manager C. A. Stoldt of the War Production Board said Tues-

The soldiers, who went to work Midland home. Write owner, Box Tuesday, were furloughed by the Army because of a shortage of carbon black, used in producing truck tires for the Army. The men agreed to work 40 days in the plant.

> European Air Force Headquarters Moved

PARIS - (A) - Headquarters of the U.S. Strategic Air Forces in Europe—which coordinates operations of the U.S. Eighth Air Force in the United Kingdom and the U.S 15th Air Force in Italy—have been moved from Britain to France, i was disclosed.

FIRE KILLS TWO

(261-3)

FORT WORTH-(A)-John R. Ellis Sr., 87, and his son, John R. Ellis Jr., 40, were burned to death Tuesday night when fire destroyed 5 ROOM house for sale, hardwood their farm home north of Saginaw. floors, floor furnace, garage, stor- Mrs. John R. Ellis Sr. suffered minor burns.

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The business session will start a 3 p.m. with separate conferences Lieutenant Red went into the being held for scouters and cubbers Air Forces about 18 months ago. Eagle Scouts will be guests of the Eagle Scouts will be guests of the council at the banquet to be held

BIZZELL AT WOLTERS

Delma Ray Bizzell, 18, son of T. E. Bizzell Sr., has arrived at Camp Wolters to begin his basic training



Midland - Odessa BUSLINE SCHEDULE

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dusk pro-amateur event is again on deck for the Texas Open, with three amateurs to every pro. Entries received from simon pure golfers over the South and Southwest indicate last year's huge field will be

Many local amateurs, yearly en-tries in the event, are already ridge Park course, but the vanguard of out-of-town golfers is expected Jan. 21. The pro-amateur is slated Jan. 25, with the Open proper the next three days.

Some Champs Only a handful of former champions are expected to be on hand for the eighteenth Open, but back for another title shot will be Byron Nelson, Abe Espinosa, Johnny Revolta, and probably Chick Harbert. The latter, however, is in the Army, as is E. J. (Dutch) Harrison.

Still trying for a crown, although holding the course record with a 12 under par 59, is Jug McSpaden; also Ben Hogan, Sammy Snead, Craig Wood, Bob Hamilton, Jimmy Hines, Harry Cooper, Tony Penna, Leonard Dodson, and Willie Gog-

Arkansas Sets Sixth Basketball Score Record

FAYETTEVILLE - (A) - Southwestern Conference basketball fans are beginning to wonder just when

it's going to stop.

The Arkansas Razorbacks took a series opener against Baylor 94-28 —a one game record in itself—and the next night walloped the Bruins 90-30 to establish a series mark of 184 points.

The one-game scoring record has been going up in the conference every year. Incidentally, it was the sixth set by Arkansas.

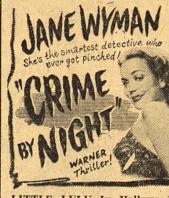
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Big George Mikan

Sports + *

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ing sports ground.

Roundup

By Hugh S. Fullerton Jr

investigation-about the field that

of both the Metropolitans of the

built a park right next door.

That observa-

NEW YORK-(A)-Swishing the nets for 80 field goals and 49 charity throws, big George Mikan of the national college basketball high scoring race with 209 points, an Associated Press tabulation showed

Wednesday. The 6:09 DePaul giant, who has sparked DePaul to cage prominence, holds a 32-point lead over the 177 compiled by Bill Henry of Rice in the Southwest Conference. Ernie ing Rhode Island Staters is third with 176 points although he has to nine for Henry and 10 for Mikan.

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Rusty Russell Signs

Russell, who carried little Mason- The "Brotherhood" lasted only a giving up his job as director of with them. physical education and duration football coach of Highland Park They're the Tops

George Marshall Says Sportswriters Safe

CHICAGO- (AP) -Owner George Marshall of the Washington Redtkins promises to take care of sports writers if they should be left jobless by the proposed national

Marshall, a laundry operator in the nation's capital, offers to move any scribe to Washington and give any scribe to Washington and give on the nation's capital, offers to move of the control of the cont him a job in his plant. "The launindustry is considered essential, you know, and it might be considered by sports writers if their jobs fold," he said. Marshall is here for the National Football League meet-

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American Association Baseball Opens April 18

ican Association baseball clubs Tuesday approved a 1945 schedule to open April 18 and close Sept. 10. for the defense. President George M. Tratuman of Columbus, Ohio, said the Class AA league is going ahead with plans to operate during 1945 unless future governmental orders make it necessary to discontinue play.

SKY GIANTS PREPARE

AMARILLO—(P)— The Amarillo Army Air Field Sky Giants are preparing for baseball and are now year. S/Sgt. Marvin (Hoot) Gibson Centenary trainer and assistant coach for 14 years, will again manage the Sky Giants.

WAR HERO BASKETEER

IOWA CITY—T. S. Ary, the for-mer Golden Glover from Evansville, Ind., leading Iowa Seahawk basketball scorers with 100 points, first seven games, wears three service ribbons. They represent the Atlantic, Pacific and African thea-

NOVIKOFF FOR PITCHER

State Plans To End Testimony In Thomas Trial

LAMESA-(A)-The state prepared to conclude testimony Wednesday in the second trial of Jim Thomas on a charge of murdering Dr. Roy E. Hunt of Littlefield, Texas.

The name of Dr. W. R. Newton Cameron, Texas, was injected briefly into the case Tuesday when Dr. Ewell L. Hunt of Lubbock. brother of the slain man, testified that Dr. Newton had been convicted of an attempt on his brother's life.

Dr. Newton was sentenced to seven years in prison, but the case was reversed and remanded on ap-

Other witnesses testified regarding the movements of Thomas and ncidents relative to the finding of Dr. and Mrs. Hunt's bodies in the pedroom of their home, Oct. 26, 1943. Thomas was convicted and sentenced to death at a previous trial at Plainview. The case was sent here on change of venue after a mistrial was declared because of an irregularity in the jury room.

Defense counsel offered no cross examination Tuesday, a departure rom the procedure at the Plain-

riew trial. Witnesses Tuesday afternoon in-cluded Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Grissom, eighbors of the Hunts; Sheriff Sam Hutson of Lamb County; Aubrey Fawver, Lubbock police officer; Dr. Ewell Hunt; Mrs. Marie Hall of Galveston and Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Veazy of Amarillo. Going Fishing

Mrs. Hall, travel bureau operator. said Thomas told her in a telephone conversation at Galveston the Saturday before the slaying, which was on Tuesday, that he was going fishing.

Later, she said, he called her from Vernon and said he was through

She testified she told him, "You'd better fish on down this way. The sheriff is looking for you."

Mrs. Veazy testified Thomas came to her home in Amarillo late Saturday night before the slaying, remained there Sunday and around 4 p.m. Monday. She said he did not come back until "around 8 o'clock Tuesday morning, the day NEW YORK - (P) - After the of the slaying. She identified Army-Navy football game last fall, pair of trousers and a shirt which Freddy Corcoran, the golfing guy, the state is seeking to prove Thomlooked over the vast, empty Polo as wore when the crime was com-Grounds and remarked: "This old mitted. place must have seen a lot of great

Her husband also identified a pair of rubber-soled shoes, which the tion started a train of thought-and state claims also were worn by the slayer. Fawver, the Lubbock polic probably is America's oldest exist- officer, previously had told of taking plaster of paris casts of footprints near the Hunt residence.

Norvell Redwine, Texas Ranger identified pieces of string, electric light cord and rope taken from the

bodies. Fawver, Sheriff Hutson and Dr. Ewell Hunt testified regarding the Polo Grounds was the home field conditions of the Hunts' bodies and described in detail how they were American Association, a club which bound in their bedroom. Wounds

once "owned" Connie Mack, al- also were described.

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the Giants of the National League.

It was so big they both could play at once, with a curtain separating the two fields. . . In 1889 the school coaching career Feb. 1 for a college job — as duration head the field and the next year the school coaching career feb. 1 for a college job — as duration head the field and the next year the school coaching career feb. 1 for a college job — as duration head the field and the next year the school coaching career feb. 1 for a college job — as duration head the field and the next year the school coaching career feb. 1 for a college job — as duration head the field and the next year the school coaching career feb. 1 for a college job — as duration head the field and the next year the school coaching career feb. 1 for a college job — as duration head the field and the next year the school coaching career feb. 1 for a college job — as duration head the field and the next year the school coaching career feb. 1 for a college job — as duration head the field and the next year the school coaching career feb. 1 for a college job — as duration head the field and the next year the school coaching career feb. 1 for a college job — as duration head the field and the next year the school coaching career feb. 1 for a college job — as duration head the field and the next year the school coaching career feb. 1 for a college job — as duration head the field and the next year the school coaching career feb. 1 for a college job — as duration head the field and the next year the school coaching career feb. 1 for a college job — as duration head the field and the next year the school coaching career feb. 1 for a college job — as duration head the field and the next year the school coaching career feb. 1 for a college job — as duration head the next year the college job — as duration head the next year the college job — as duration head the next year the college job — as duration head the next year the college job — as duration head the next year the college job — as duratio mentor and then chief assistant at Players' League was organized and told the Grissoms their parents were dead.

An effort to get the children's ic Home to gridiron fame, Tuesday year and the Giants then moved in, direct language into the trial record taking the name of "Polo Grounds" was overr was overruled by Special Judge J. E.

Mr. and Mrs. Grissom testified that the children were crying.

It wouldn't be possible to list all Roy Grandberry of Olton and Dr. the great sports events that have and Mrs. F. W. Janes of Littlefield taken place in the Polo Grounds or said they played cards the night beeven the great ball games, but for fore and the early morning of the drama and excitement, most of the slaying; that they left between 2 old timers give the top spot to the and 2:30 a.m. on the 26th and that Midland—Giants-Cubs game of 1908, when they probably were the last friends Edwards, F Fred Merkle was charged with his to see the Hunts alive,

famous "boner" by failing to touch second base. . . Even the particities Hunt residence, where the pants disagree on just what happen- bound bodies were discovered in bed. ed, but they agree the play was The drawing, marking doors, wina smart move by Johnny Evers rath- dows, beds, and Venetian blinds,

out the stunt in Pittsburgh a few child's chair, bearing well-preserved days before. . . . That stormy finish rubber-soled footprints, found outled to another great game, the playoff for the pennant. . . . The crowd
was so big that the gates were lockThomas pleaded innocent when

ed at 12:30 and many fans who held the indictment was read. The transfer of trial records from and even the umpires were shut out the 64th District Court at Plainview

to the 106th at Lamesa was ap- Preuitt. G When the witness list was read and the witness rule was invoked

Curtis Douglass of Pampa, directing the defense, announced: "Your onor, we have no witnesses." was high for Midland with six Ten lawyers are participating in points and Ice and Prevett, both honor, we have no witnesses."

District Attorney Harold M. La-

Font of Plainview, who was chief prosecutor in the first trial, is directing prosecution. He is assisted Elected President by District Attorney W. C. Huffaker of the 64th District; Carl Rountree of Lamesa, County Attorney Bob Of Country Club Huff of Lamesa and George Dupree of Lubbock, special prosecutors.

Defense attorneys are Curtis Douglas of Pampa, George Mc-Carthy of Amarillo, John B. Mc-Namara and S. C. Farmer of Waco and Kilmer B. Corbin of Lamesa.

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Kermit's Cagers Beat Bulldogs

KERMIT-Kermit's High School Winkler County, was awaiting ordbasketeers defeated Midland High ers for further activity, after taking cagers in both A and B squad ex-hibition games here Tuesday night. in white lime, and having a recov-

had the Bulldogs down 15 to 2.

pled in the game as Richards, I Martin, Central Andrews County Hyatt and Conly were not in the wildcat, in section 13, block A-47,

Coach McCollum said Wednesday that a return game would be played here on January 16 with the "B" game starting at 7 p. m. and the main event at eight o'clock.

Thursday afternoon at o'clock, Andrews will play the Bulldogs at the Midland High School next 200 feet was gas-cut mud, and gym. Both "A" and "B" teams have bottom 50 feet was drilling mud

The boxscore

McIver, G

Hale, C	3	0	
Vertrees, G	2	0	
Vaughn, F	1	0	
Yeager, G	0	0	
Roy, G	0	0	
Cole, F	0	0	
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In the B team game, Guard Shaw

J. R. Martin Is

J. R. Martin was elected president of the Midland Country Club found in drilling from 10,114 feet at its annual stockholders' meeting to the present bottom. Tuesday night in the clubhouse. C. W. Chancellor, retiring presi-

dent, was elected vice president. one mile southwest of production in Harry Lawson, Frank Cowden and the Fort Stockton field, in Cen-Gerald FitzGerald were elected di- tral-West Pecos, was to core ahead rectors to serve three-year terms from 2,870 feet, in the Yates pay and Jack Wilkinson was elected a section which has already shown director to serve one year, filling signs of gas and oil. the unexpired term of D. W. Spencer, who has moved to New Mexico. Ily Pratt, secretary and treasurer from production in the Harper field, paper collection campaign Saturday, of the club, presented its financial in Central Ector County, and in sec-January 20, Clint Dunagan, Midland report, showing it is in good condition 31, block 43, TP survey, T-2-S;

paper in preparation for the col- last year and discussed improvelection. The Boy Scouts will collect ments at the club which now has the bundles of waste paper and pro- 328 members, including 95 military

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survey, on southwest side of the Keystone-Ellenburger pool, in North The Bulldogs lost 12 to 28 to the ery, in 45 minutes, of 16 stands of Kermit team. ing mud, with no shows of oil, gas

psl survey, was to core ahead from and five minute drillstem test at

7,349-95 feet. Using a 5/8-inch bottom hole choke there was a slight blow of air and 30 feet was oil-cut drilling mud; with a slight odor of sulphur.

Union Oil Company of California

No. 9 Biles, prospector for pay be-low the Permian, on west side of the Union field, in Northwest Andrews, and in section 12, block A-31, psl survey, was drilling ahead past 8,609 feet, in streaks of shale and Location Is Undetermined

Some slight oil indications have been found in the shale streaks, but dolomite zones have not shown any P signs of petroleum. It has not been definitely decided

where the hole is now operating. Some observers think it is still in the lower Permian. Stanolind Oil & Gas Company No. 1-D University, Southwest An-

drews exploration in the lower Ordovician, was to drill ahead from 10,320 feet, in cherty dolomite. At 10,235-320 feet, a one hour drillstem test was taken. Recovery

vas 9,100 feet of fluid. There was 1.850 feet of water blanket; 750 feet of drilling fluid cut with sulphur; the trial—five for the state and five of Kermit, got seven points each. 100 feet of "pure-D" sulphur water.

There is a possibility that the project will drill ahead to granite. B-1-A Cores Again Superior Oil Company and Wig-

gins and Hyde No. B-1-A University, section 12, block 1, University survey, Ellenburger wildcat in Southwest Reagan County, was starting a core at 10,142 feet, in the Ellenburger dolomite. No oil shows were The Texas Company No. 1 Hart,

section 2, block 114, GC&SF survey,

Hilo Oil Company No. 1 Cowden, about three-quarters of a mile County salvage chairman, announced Wednesday.

tion. Don Davis was chairman of the nominating committee.

was bottomed at 4,440 feet in lime, preparing to run tubing to swab ed Wednesday.

Midlanders were asked to start Saving and bundling their waste for their co-operation during the been found in streaks from about 4,170 feet to the bottom. The 7-inch casing was cemented at 3,937 feet.

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