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CISCO—Admittedly one of the healthiest areas in state, with a countryside devoted to cotton, fruit, feeds, poultry, dairying, natural gas and oil; 2 railroads; Bankhead highway; one of the largest concrete swimming pools in the world.

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U. S. PLANES AND SUBS DEAL DEATH TO JAPS

FARMERS WHO RAISE THEIR OWN FOODSTUFFS LIVE BETTER WHILE ALSO HELPING TO WIN THE WAR

G. E. Dunlop of the Scranton farming sector was buying turnip seed this morning, and said he expected to sow about one acre, so that meat rationing would not be any terror for him. Dunlop has beets, lettuce and carrots ready up, and his black-eyed peas are still bearing.

John Carey, who lives south of Cisco, shipped in Cisco this morning. He said he had a good rain this would aid his fall garden, which is coming up nicely. Carey said he had turnips, carrots, and lettuce up to a good stand. Some June corn, planted early late in the summer, will be yielding roasting ears along in October, he stated.

"Meat rationing won't hurt me very much," said Tom Jones of Moran country today, as he had a few fryers to grocers. "We have been selling fryers more or less all the year and expect to continue to grow them as late as we can. We use all we need at home and sell the others," he added.

When asked if he raised a garden, Jones said he usually tried grow peas and turnips during the summer and fall, in addition to his spring garden. He stated he had sowed about two acres in turnips and mustard. He always finishes in with his turnips and finds the leaves protect the plants during the early winter.

H. L. Foster, who lives south of Cisco, said he planted a few rows of bunch beans during the month of July and believed he was going to have green beans before frost, unless it came unusually early. The vines are beginning to bunch out to prepare the ground, he said. Asked if he would plant turnips for fall and winter use, Foster said he already had them up. He finds they make a very good feed. He usually has several acres and feeds some of them to his hogs every day after they are mature. Turnips are like sorghum cane, Foster stated. They will stand for several weeks after they mature, and one has the opportunity to use them. Most crops, he said, have been used when matured, otherwise they soon go to waste.

SENATOR SEES FEDERAL SALES TAX ON WAY

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—Members of the senate finance committee, pronouncing the treasury's proposed new \$6,500,000,000 federal tax "dead" almost before it was fully explained, today said it served only to spur the drive for a federal retail sales tax.

Some senators said the treasury's plan acted, in effect, like a boom-bust. They contended that the treasury had designed it to head off the increasing sentiment for a tax to which it is opposed.

The official request of the committee, Treasury General Counsel Randolph Paul reluctantly outlined to the committee the details of sales tax the treasury would prefer if it had to choose a levy.

WILLKIE MEETS KING
CAIRO, Sept. 4.—A meeting of King Farouk was on Wendell Willkie's schedule Friday before beginning the next leg of his journey to Moscow and Chungking. The American political leader, on a special mission for President Roosevelt, spread a powerful story of America's progressive power during a series of addresses Thursday after arriving in an army transport plane.

3 LIBERTY SHIPS A WEEK

SPAIN BACKS UP AND WILL BE NEUTRAL

LONDON, Sept. 4.—General Francisco Franco's reorganization of the Spanish cabinet and Falangist party leadership has withdrawn Spain farther from the Axis sphere and at the same time will strengthen Spanish unity, diplomatic quarters reported today.

JAPANESE TO ATTACK REDS BY SEPT. 18

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—Japan is now expected either to launch her attack against Siberia not later than Sept. 18—the anniversary of the beginning of her conquest of Manchuria—or postpone it indefinitely.

TEXAS' NEW ARMY CAMP

TEMPLE, Sept. 4.—Texas' newest army camp, the tank destroyer center at Camp Hood, will be opened Sept. 18 at a public ceremony which will include an address by Assistant Secretary of War Robert Patterson. The tank destroyer center is the first of its kind in the world, although training of these units has not waited for completion of the permanent camp. Many battalions have been trained tactically in field camps this summer.

RAYBURN GETS HOSPITAL

MCKINNEY, Sept. 4.—McKinney has been awarded a 1,500-bed army hospital, Congressman Sam Rayburn informed President C. H. Ray of the McKinney Chamber of Commerce Thursday afternoon from his home in Bonham. Rayburn had just talked with army officials in Washington, who informed him of McKinney's approval.

O'DANIEL TO WASHINGTON

DALLAS, Sept. 4.—Senator O'Daniel will be enroute to Washington Friday after a brief visit here to arrange for renting the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wrather, their son-in-law and daughter. O'Daniel said he was completely rested from his recent senatorial campaign. Wrather is attending the marine officers' school at Quantico, Va.

SLAUGHTER AT GATES STALINGRAD TERRIFIC

MOSCOW, Sept. 4.—The battle of Stalingrad approached a crisis today as the Soviet defenders were exhorted to transform the vital Volga River city into "a Red Verdun" in the face of a crushing assault by Nazi troops, tanks and dive bombers. Front reports said that the Germans already had smashed gaping holes in the Stalingrad defense lines northwest and southwest of the city.

U. S. AIRMEN GOING STRONG AT CHUNGKING

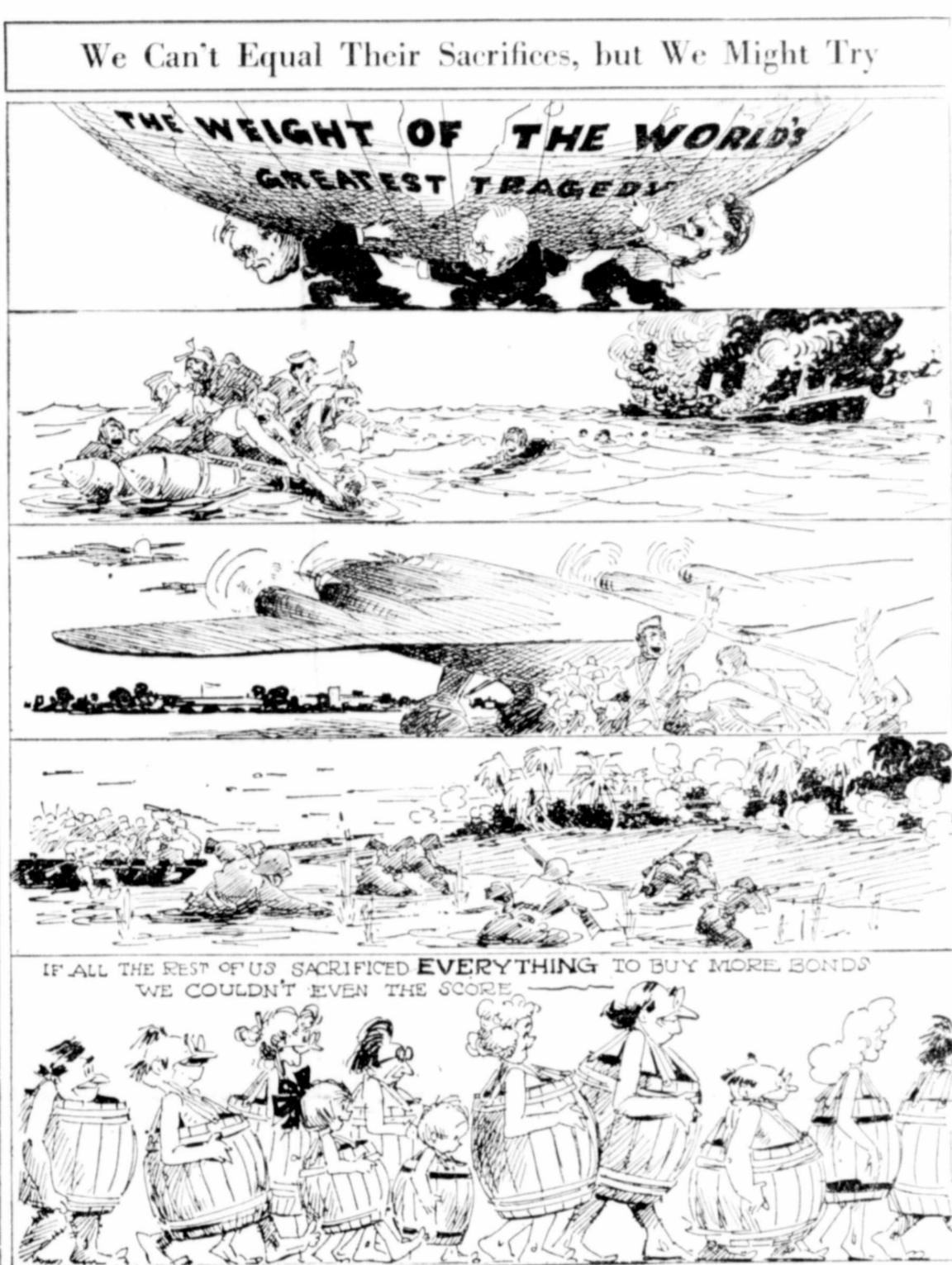
CHUNGKING, China, Sept. 4.—United States airmen scored direct hits on Japanese headquarters at Nanchang, probably sank seven steamers and damaged others in the Singtze-Hankow channel and left a number of other craft in flames on Lake Poyang Wednesday in a devastating series of raids upon the enemy's Kiangsi and Hupeh Provinces, Lt. Gen. Joseph W. Stilwell's headquarters announced Friday.

TRUCK DRIVERS MUST CONFORM TO SPEED LAWS

FORT WORTH, Sept. 4.—The drive to stop speeding by trucks and common carrier vehicles, to prevent waste of rubber tires, began to show results today as Texas OPA Director Mark McGee interviewed and gave a stern lecture to one of the drivers who had been reported.

CATTLE MARKET

FORT WORTH, Sept. 4.—Light supplies of cattle and calves, mostly medium to low grades, reached Fort Worth for Saturday's trade and were cleared at steady prices. Hogs were steady to 5c higher than on Thursday with the extreme top \$14.25 and the pecker top \$14.15. Receipts in the sheep yards were mostly slaughter ewes selling steady to 25c lower with odd lots of other classes about steady. Medium to good steers and yearlings cashed at \$10 to \$12.75, the latter price buying a load of steers averaging above 1,100 pounds. Cutter and common steers and yearlings sold at \$7.50 to \$9.50.



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CISCO P. O. TO BE CLOSED FOR DAY MONDAY

Monday, September 7, Labor Day, being a national holiday, Postmaster L. H. McCrea wishes to inform the public that the Cisco postoffice will be closed all day except as to box service and special delivery matter.

ALIENS MUST MOVE
MEXICO CITY, Sept. 4.—Axis aliens living in the coastal and petroleum zone were given an additional month Friday to move to the center of the country, but were warned this third extension of a month would be the last.

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TIGHTEN GRIP ON SOLOMON ISLE AND DESTROY FIVE SHIPS, EIGHT PLANES AND QUANTITY SUPPLIES

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—American fighting men steadily strengthened their grip on the Solomon Islands Friday as the battle of the Southwest Pacific brought destruction of five Japanese ships, eight airplanes and quantities of invasion supplies.

Indications that constant Allied battering was sapping enemy strength came in communications from MacArthur's Australian headquarters and from the navy department which told of lack of Japanese aircraft resistance in New Guinea and of only "periodic attacks" by small detachments of invaders in the Solomons.

United States submarines dealt a severe blow to Japan's supply lines by sinking five enemy ships, including a light cruiser, and damaging three more. The newest sinkings reported by the navy Thursday boosted the total of Japanese ships sunk or damaged by American undersea craft to 99 since Dec. 7, 1941.

Absence of Nipponese attempts at interception were noted by General MacArthur's medium and attack bombers in a foray against enemy installations at Salamaua, Japanese New Guinea base, where numerous fires were started.

In the upper Solomons, two enemy seaplanes were damaged by the Allied bombers at Faisi, fuel dumps were destroyed at Buka and at Kieta Japanese installations were blasted with "unknown results."

In the New Guinea area, MacArthur's communique told of further Allied bombing and strafing of Japanese communications lines in the Kokoda section, 60 miles east of the Allied base at Port Moresby, and of guerrilla fighting about Milne Bay where Allied ground troops were mopping up the survivors of a trapped band of invaders.

In the Southeastern Solomons the Marines bolstered positions won from the Japanese a month ago, the navy said, but small enemy detachments which succeeded in landing there were "being sought out and engaged."

American land-based aircraft, operating from the Guadalcanal base, inflicted several hits on ships engaged in landing operations, the navy added, but the extent of damage was unknown.

Japanese aircraft operations, which the navy termed "periodic," included a raid by 18 bombers accompanied by fighters on the American Guadalcanal installations. Three enemy bombers and five fighters were shot down. Damage to the American positions was reported as "minor."

In addition, an enemy tanker or seaplane tender was bombed by a Flying Fortress off Santa Isabel Island and left in flames.

SIX-MILE PARADE

AUSTIN, Sept. 4.—Austin will witness Labor Day a parade more than six miles long—the largest procession of its kind since World War I. The parade, composed of military units from Camp Swift and civilian groups representing organized labor, industry and civic organizations, will be dedicated to the men in the nation's armed services and it will symbolize the strides made in war production during the past year.

GFRMAN CLAIMS

NEW YORK, Sept. 4.—A German broadcast said Friday that U-boats had sunk two coastal sailing vessels within several hundred yards of the United States Atlantic coast and had also sunk a medium-sized American merchantman which offered gunfire resistance. The DNB broadcast, attributed to Nazi military sources, had no confirmation. It said all three vessels sank quickly but that their crews were able to launch boats and reach shore.

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HITTING OUR STRIDE

One of the clearest pictures of this country's present military situation came from Admiral Ernest J. King, head of the United States navy, speaking to his old friends and neighbors the other day in Lorton, Va.

The biggest difficulty, he explained, comes from having to conduct a war on eight widely separated fronts at the same time.

"We'll be able to do it," he said, "but first we must have more tools. The tools are chiefly in the making and they must be made before we can put them to work. We have to send them where the need is greatest. Our constant, every-day problem is premised on the question, 'What's the best you can do with what you've got?'"

And we must not forget that we're still amateurs compared with the people we are fighting. They're professionals.

"It is no use looking over your shoulder and bemoaning what has gone by, because that's over. The thing to keep in front of us is, where do we go from here? We're going on to victory, of course. But it's going to be a long war. We will really hit our stride in about a year's time."

LONG DISTANCE WEDDING

It is possible, evidently, for a soldier at the front to be married to the girl he left behind him, regardless of separation and distance. The army takes such a problem in its stride. At least it did so in the simple case of Benjamin Vaughn of Libby, Mont., and Eleanor Granlund of Spokane, Wash.

The technique of such an operation may interest a lot of people. It was like this:

Soldier Vaughn, called from Australia on July 13, "Darling, will you marry me today?" and followed up his proposal on the same telegram with the formal declaration: "Today I, Benjamin Vaughn, take you, Eleanor Granlund, to be my lawful wedded wife."

That was fine, but the air waves were faster than the legal formalities. The bride responded with the message: "Darling, I marry you by cable today. I, Eleanor Lucille Granlund take you, Benjamin Vaughn, to be my lawful wedded husband." But it took more than two weeks for the declaration to reach the groom. Thereupon the groom's commanding officer attested to the acceptance, and then the city clerk at Spokane duly certified the marriage.

It's all quite romantic, but obviously there are a lot of chances for delay and confusion in such cases, which may increase as the war proceeds.

REAL "TAX PARASITES"

In theory, the government is now tapping every possible source of tax revenue. In actuality it is completely overlooking a source which could and should pay the treasury hundreds of millions of dollars annually. That source is government-owned business enterprises which are now wholly or partly tax free.

The most outstanding example of this inexcusable brand of "tax favoritism" is found in federal and municipally-owned power and light systems. For many years it has been argued with full justice that a profit-earning government-owned business should be taxed on precisely the same basis as a profit-earning privately-owned business. Today, with the enormous financial demands of warring deeper into every business and every individual income, socialized business must pay its share of the burden.

The Wall Street Journal recently gave a typical example of what tax favoritism for socialized business means. In the first five months of the current year, the municipally-owned Seattle Power and Light company had a 400 per cent increase in net earnings over the same period in 1941. The Seattle plant pays some taxes to the city, but none whatever to the federal government. In those

some five months a representative private utility had an increase in gross earnings of 20 per cent—but its net earnings declined 35 per cent due to the increase in its taxes. That kind of thing is happening to practically all basic tax-paying industries in the manufacturing as well as the service fields.

When congress is seeking ways and means to tax even the gold in the fillings of one's teeth, as it were, it should no longer overlook the earnings of "rich" municipal and federal owned business projects such as power plants. Why should their profits be more sacred than the wages and profits of private citizens? These tax-exempt parasites should begin to pay for the privilege of their existence the same as private business does. The people should demand that congress plug this loophole.

A FORETASTE

The Berlin press the other day published a novel and interesting piece of news. Enemy bombers, it reported, during the previous night had attacked west, central and northeastern Germany. The attacks came evidently from Britain and Russia. In the former group there might have been some American planes.

Considerable damage was done. And this experience may serve as a gentle introduction to what Hitler Land may expect, in steadily growing intensity and power, from now on. Bomb-bearing planes will be coming simultaneously not only from the east and west, but also from the north and the south, pouring upon Germany such a destructive bombardment as the supposedly safe Fatherland will be wrecked as it has wrecked so many innocent neighbors. It is a job that has to be done. And upon that wreckage may be reared the hope of a safe world hereafter.

TOO MANY ACCIDENTS

Traffic accidents are declining in this country, but not so rapidly as they should. July fatalities, though 30 per cent less than in

BELIEVE IT OR NOT.

By ROBERT RIPLEY.

Ashurbanipal of Assyria, the richest man who ever lived, was worth a trillion and a half dollars—75 times as much gold as is held in the United States Treasury. Yet it availed him nothing! Neither he nor his son had the sense to use this wealth for the good of their people or for their protection.

And so it was comparatively easy for the king and his son to be overthrown by the Medes to invade Assyria and enslave it. And finally, when defeat stared the great king in the face—when it was too late—Ashurbanipal, in terror, had a tremendous platform built of polished wood, in the city of Ninevah, and on top of this he heaped all of his wealth—142,000 tons of gold in 2,500,000 bricks (or ingots), each brick 7 by 23 inches in size, and each brick valued at 50,000 dollars. This treasure formed a pyramid of shining gold nearly one hundred feet high, and in the intervening spaces he placed all his jewels and personal belongings—his wives on golden beds—his children—even his pet dog.

And then a great quantity of oil was bought from Mosul and poured on top of this golden mass, and when the torch was applied, the king himself walked in and laid himself down among his wives—his family—his pet dog—and everything he valued in life. And so the great Ashurbanipal, the richest man in the world, was consumed in his own wealth—he immolated himself and became part of this great conglomerated melted mass of money—and so ended the Empire of the Assyrians. And it never rose again.

I was in Ninevah a few years ago. Only a few mounds marked the spot that was the glory of Ashurbanipal.

Why?

Because Ashurbanipal, who had practically all the money in the world, didn't do anything with it! And he and his country were lost.

Even his conquerors—the Medes and the Persians—made this same mistake—they came, saw, conquered, and confiscated this great golden molten mass of money that was once the king's and the wealth of the great Empire of Assyria—what did they do with it?

Nothing!

They melted it into money again—and remelted it—and in generations since it has been remelted a thousand times—until, Believe It or Not, it is a mathematical fact that every golden coin used in the world today contains in it some minute particle of Ashurbanipal himself, the king who had all the money in the world but didn't know what to do with it!

What are we going to do with our money today? Enemies threaten us the same as they threatened Ashurbanipal in 626 B. C. The United States of today, like the Assyria of Ashurbanipal, is the richest nation in the world. What will it avail us?

Nothing!

Surely nothing more than it did Ashurbanipal unless we do something with it. And there is only one thing to do—and that is to Buy Bonds and War Stamps and make our money directly available to our country—help our country—otherwise it will become a melted molten mass and we the people will be destroyed as Ashurbanipal was destroyed 2600 years ago.

BELIEVE IT OR NOT!

recent years do not seem to represent any percentage improvement over pre-war figures. That is, with fewer cars and trucks on the road, the drivers do not seem to be driving any more safely than they did when the roads were crowded. If that is really the situation, you might say it represents a loss rather than a gain, for freer roads would mean more freedom from accident.

The net result for this year is now expected to be about 30,000 traffic deaths. This would be a shocking thing at any time, and especially so when human life is so valuable, for every reason, as it is today. Nothing except the freedom and other supreme values that the nation is fighting for will justify the squandering of human life now.

American war prisoners, forced to kneel facing Tokyo, may yet have the pleasant job of defacing it.

CROSS PLAINS

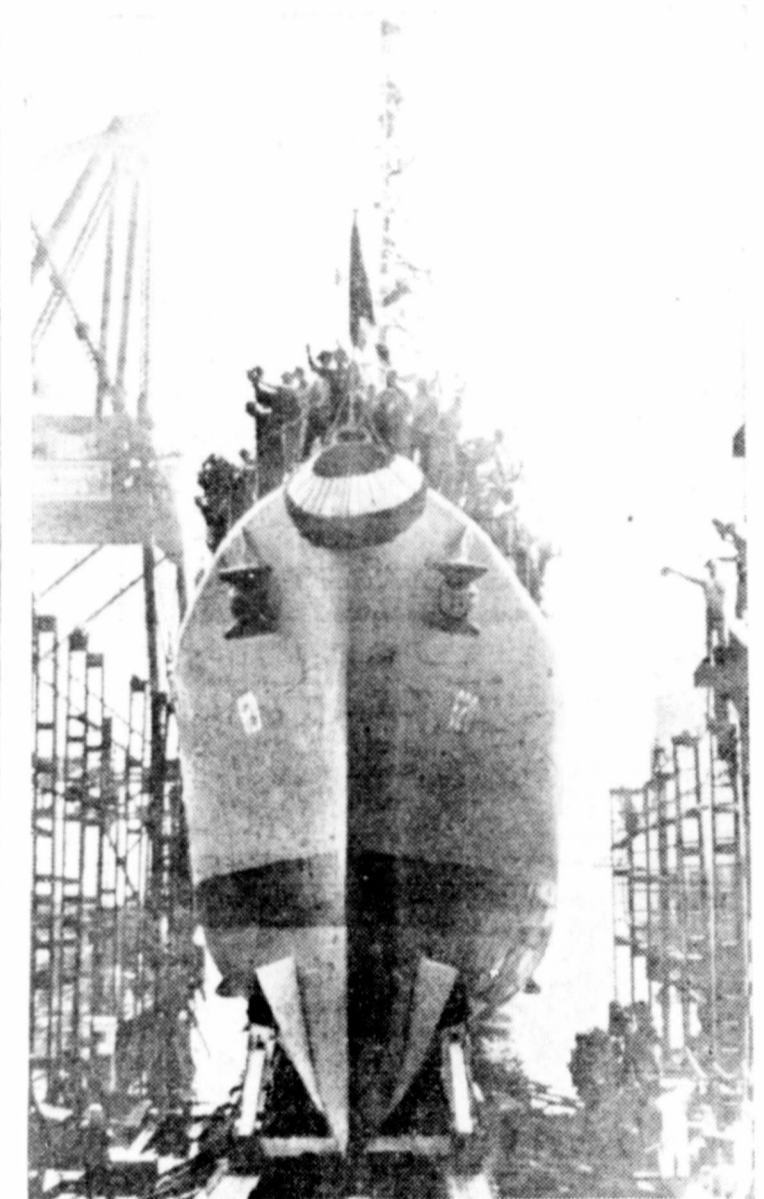
(Callahan County)

The grim reality of war touched the little Cottonwood community again Friday of last week as Mr. and Mrs. John R. Ramey were advised by the war department that their son, Sgt. Samuel Norris Ramey, was reported missing in action. The friendly youth, who enjoyed the love and affection of a large circle of friends, headed his country's call and joined the colors nearly three years ago, when the clouds of war first began to darken his country's horizon. He was assigned to the air corps and was a member of the 30th bomber squadron. His training was extensive and he had graduated from two army mechanical schools. He sailed for the Philippines October 4, 1941, and was stationed at Clark Field when the war broke out. The last letter to his parents at Cottonwood was written from Midway Island, April 30, 1942.

Speaking of patriotism, have you heard about the farmer who

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U. S. S. GLENNON—The fourth destroyer to be launched at the Federal Shipbuilding yards at Kearny, N. J. in past 16 days, the U. S. S. Glennon goes down the ways in twin launching.

came to town the other day riding a mule to save tires? While here he gave the mule's shoes to a scrap metal collection, bought a pocketful of defense stamps, mailed his son a victory letter, donated a bunch of his old phonograph records to the American Legion, joined the Red Cross and then rode home whistling the Star-Spangled Banner.

The football game between Cross Plains high school Buffaloes and Baird Bears, originally scheduled November 11, will be played here the night of September 18, it was announced yesterday by Superintendent Leo Varner of the local school system.

C. M. Garrett, Cross Plains breeder of thoroughbred shetland ponies, shipped out on Wednesday afternoon's train a beautiful little mount to Pampa, Texas. The shetland was crated and hauled in the baggage car just like a sack of potatoes.

Mrs. L. F. Foster returned home Friday of last week from a Cisco hospital. Friends will be gratified to learn that she is greatly improved and is expected to be up and around again in a few days.

Mrs. H. V. Jones, the former Miss Doris Nell Gray, was chosen by the city council in regular session Tuesday night to become city secretary here in the event that Lindsey W. Tyson, present secretary, is inducted into the army. Mr. Tyson has already passed preliminary physical examinations at Baird; however, he will not be called up for the second test for possibly two or three weeks.

Mrs. Opal Wallace of Monahans was united in marriage to Fimis Erwin of Nimrod at the Presbyterian church in Monahans, Saturday morning, with the Rev. Homer Akers reading the single ring ceremony.

A revival will begin at the Union Baptist church five miles west of Cottonwood, September 11. The pastor, Rev. W. H. Coulter, of this place, will do the preaching.

Truman Moore, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Moore who live in the Caddo Peak vicinity, has

this week urging everybody to have their scrap gathered up and put in an accessible place for the trucks and men to get at it and it is hoped that this has been done so that the hauling-in may be done with the least possible delay. As pointed out by McAdams, this is the big rally of the drive—the final effort to bring in every pound of available scrap in this vicinity to put this community over in a big way.

Supt. H. B. Self announced yesterday that arrangements were being made for the formal opening of the public schools of the city next Monday morning at 9:00 o'clock in the ward school auditorium. The public, especially all parents of students, are invited to attend, it was stated. The public opening of the schools was decided upon, according to Mr. Self, on account of the fact that there are a number of new teachers this year to be presented to the patrons.

With Mesdames Louise Weber and J. R. Bucy as sponsors, a new Study club has been organized for the business women of the city under the name of the Junior Study club. The club is to meet twice monthly at 7:00 o'clock in the evening. Officers elected are as follows: Miss Leota Stonking, president; Miss Mary Nell Barnes,

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vice president; Miss Billie Zellars, secretary-treasurer and reporter. A program will be planned for each meeting. Two hostesses will serve the members. With the A-1 register practically exhausted, the Eastland county Selective Service Board will shortly begin reclassification of 3-A men according to dependents as the next step in filling its quotas. The board is also sending men as they reach the age of 20 years. Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Joyce have been advised that their son, M. G. Joyce, has been promoted captain to the rank of major in the Fort Huachuca, Ariz., and has been stationed for duty at the Rising Star Record. Next to liquor, Uncle Sam thinks more of his family anything else in the world. To Relieve Misery of COLD take 66 LIQUID TABLETS, SAVE...

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SOCIETY and CLUBS

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Club Activity Began in Hooks Home Thursday

The First Industrial Arts club was entertained with a breakfast in the home of Mrs. E. Hooks, 1609 D avenue, Thursday. Hostesses of the occasion were Mrs. E. Hooks, Mrs. E. J. Poe, Mrs. Leslie W. Seymour, Mrs. E. L. Jackson, Mrs. N. A. Brown, Mrs. H. A. Bible and Mrs. Rex W. Moore.

The house was decorated with seasonal flowers and a patriotic motif was observed in the appointments. A two-course breakfast was served with guests seated

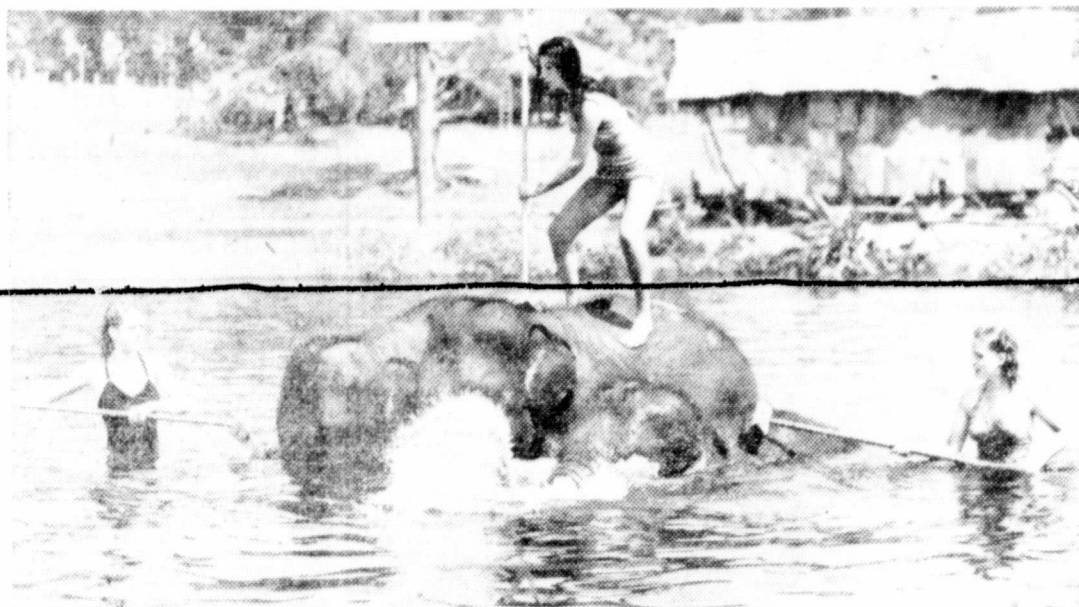
at quartet tables, where places were marked by miniature U. S. flags. Mrs. E. J. Poe gave the invocation.

Following the meal a program was enacted of which Mrs. Leslie W. Seymour was leader. A pledge of allegiance to the flag was made by members, following which Mrs. Rex W. Moore read a poem, "Apathy;" Mrs. H. A. Bible brought the president's message; "Apathy;" Mrs. H. A. Bible brought a clever playlet, "Mother Buys a Bond," was the closing program number. Those taking part were Mrs. E. Hooks, Mrs. Leslie W. Seymour, Mrs. N. A. Brown and Mrs. E. L. Jackson and Mrs. E. J. Poe.

Those present were Mrs. H. A. Bible, Mrs. N. A. Brown, Mrs. F. J. Borman, Mrs. A. P. Clayton, Mrs. R. E. Grantham, Mrs. W. V. Gordenhire, Mrs. E. L. Jackson, Mrs. John G. Jones, Mrs. L. J. Leech, Mrs. H. R. Miller, Mrs. Rex W. Moore, Mrs. B. E. Morehart, Mrs. S. H. Nance, Mrs. A. J. Olson, Mrs. E. J. Poe, Mrs. J. B. Pratt, Mrs. Leslie W. Seymour, Mrs. W. W. Wallace, Mrs. R. M. Penteost, Mrs. M. D. Paschall, Mrs. Joe Wilson, Mrs. E. Hooks and three visitors, Mrs. D. G. Alford of Sarasota, Fla., Mrs. Lee Smith of Dallas and Mrs. J. E. Parker, mother of Mrs. E. Hooks.

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Mrs. R. D. Jones Entertained Club Thursday

The Needle and Thread club met in the home of Mrs. R. D. Jones Thursday afternoon for the regular meeting. Roll call response was a question about the Declaration of Independence on the American flag. Mrs. C. E. Turknett presided at the business period and minutes of previous meeting were read by the secretary, Mrs. J. E. Whisenant. The club voted to purchase a parting gift for a member who has moved away and a committee was appointed to select it.

The group was favored with a vocal number, "America," by Glen Jones, son of the hostess, who pointed to select it.

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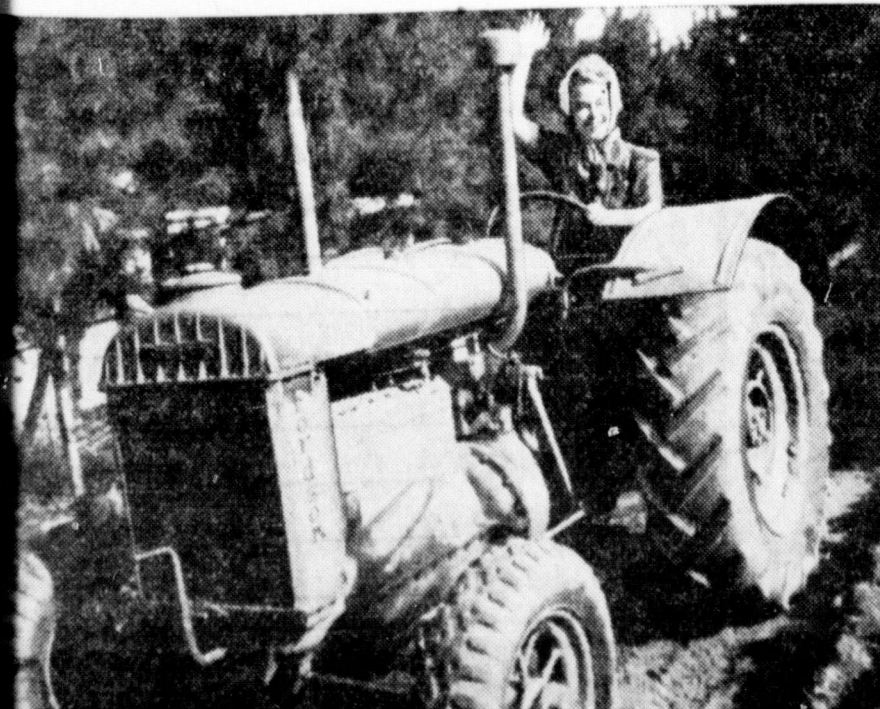
GLORIA SWANSON at her bond booth at the Maplewood, N. J., theatre makes sales to John Wildberg, Broadway producer, and Cheryl Crawford.



BIDU SAYAO, Brazilian soprano, sends her voice over the airways in good will broadcast to South American "good neighbors."



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GRACE MOORE of Metropolitan Opera operates tractor herself on her victory farm in Connecticut to relieve manpower for front.

played his own piano accompaniment. Mrs. S. B. Parks was presented a gift in honor of her birthday. Quilt blocks made by the club were assembled and presented to Mrs. C. E. Turknett. The remainder of the time was used in sewing, needlework and conversation. Piano numbers were played by Glen Jones.

Mrs. I. W. Robinson, Glen Jones and Mrs. Jones.

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GOOD MEATS

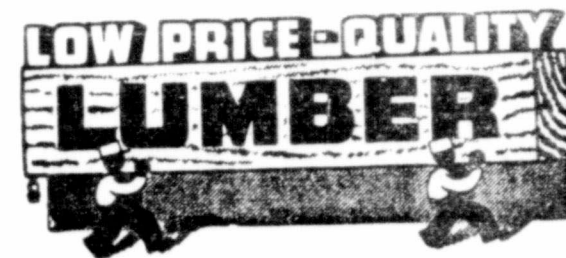
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Mrs. Lee Smith who has been a guest of Mrs. Rex W. Moore the

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past week, is returning to her home in Dallas today.

Mrs. Iris Etzel of Grand Saline and Mrs. O. L. Dixon and daughter, Miss Gloria Dixon of Throckmorton are guests of their sister and aunt, Mrs. C. E. Barnes.

Mrs. J. W. Caldwell who spent the past week with her mother, Mrs. Sam Kimmel, is returning to her home in Wichita Falls today.

Miss Kathryn Shepard is spending the week with friends in Brownwood.

Mrs. Minnie Braxwell of Fort Worth is expected to arrive Saturday to spend her vacation in the home of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Shepard.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Borman returned Wednesday from a brief stay in Fort Worth and joined their small daughter, Mary Martha Borman who had been visiting in the home of her grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Borman, on a visit before returning to their home in Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Harahan and daughters, Misses Jean, Frances and Janet, have returned from a five-week vacation at Manitowish and Colorado Springs, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Muller and children, Janey and S. B. Jr., of Brownwood, are guests in the home of his brother, E. H. Muller.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cousins are in San Antonio where they accompanied his father, J. W. Cousins, Sr., on his return home after a visit in Cisco with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Collier of Abilene visited his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lee the first of the week.

Mrs. J. E. Spence and daughter, Miss Alice Spence, Mrs. B. H. Poe of Carson and Mrs. Paul Poe spent Tuesday in Dallas.

Miss Joyce Martin of Desdemona has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Owen Clark, on Fourteenth street.

After spending the summer in Cors with his daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Stephens and his son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lamb, I. J. Lamb left



FRED ASTAIRE—IN A STAR SPANGLED FLARE—called the "Firecracker" dance sets a new and remarkable record in tap timing speed. Co-starred with Bing Crosby in the top musical of the year written by Irving Berlin, "Holiday Inn," Fred celebrates the Fourth of July with three bushels of fireworks which he blasts during the routine that rhythmically synchronizes his taps with the lightning flashes of the bursting explosives.

the week for a visit with his son, Lee Lamb and family at Athens before returning to Port Lavaca where he will spend the winter.

Misses Yvonne Dabney and Willean Brightwell of Desdemona spent Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday with Miss Dabney's mother at Brown's Sanatorium.

John Karkalis, who was reared in Cisco and is now classed as first lieutenant in the naval re-

serve corps at Camp Sutton, N. C., spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Karkalis, in Eastland. Mrs. Karkalis, who accompanied him on the trip to Texas, spent the week-end with her parents in Tyler.

Mrs. Bob Key and guests, Mrs. T. H. Bryson and daughter, Troy Frances Bryson, of Fort Worth, spent Wednesday with Mrs. Key's mother, Mrs. E. L. Springer, in Brownwood.

The Men's Brotherhood of the East Cisco Baptist church will entertain their wives with an ice cream supper tonight in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Shobal Houston on College Hill. Mr. Houston is president of the Brotherhood.

Dick Spoon, who has been stationed at the Orlando, Fla., U. S. air base for the past seven months has been moved to Greenville, S.

C. his mother, Mrs. W. C. Spoon, said today.

Mrs. Elva Neime left today for a visit with her husband, who is stationed at Camp Carson, Colo. Mrs. Neime was the former Mrs. Louise Archer.

Among those from East Cisco Baptist church attending the annual meeting of Cisco Baptist association in session at Albany are Rev. and Mrs. Russell Dennis, Rev. W. J. ... Mrs. Herman Barron and Mrs. ... E. Bosworth.

Marion Olson and son, George Olson, have returned to their homes in San Antonio after a visit with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Olson, on west Ninth street.

Charles Preston has returned to his home in Killeen after a visit here with Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Johnston.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Meador have returned from a visit with friends and relatives at Stephenville, Erath county, to Mr. Meador's old stamping ground.

Hulmer Beahm is spending the week-end in Abilene.

MORE TANK DIVISIONS.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—An increase of more than a third in the size of the army's armored force was disclosed by Secretary of War Henry Stimson, with the crisp explanation that "our tanks have greatly expanded since the war began." Four more tank divisions have been organized or ordered formed. The War Secretary reported to give the growing land forces a total of fourteen such units.

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PULVERIZE TOKYO. LOUISVILLE, Ky., Sept. 4.—An Episcopal missionary says the best cure for Japanese militarism would be the bombing of Tokyo "until two or three million people are dead." Speaking before the Brotherhood of St. Andrew's International convention, Paul Rusch, 44, New York, an Episcopal missionary in the Orient for sixteen years, declared that "Japan is now absolutely under the thumb of the most damnable military power," and that "all liberal elements are suffering." Rusch said this country on the change ship Gripsholm talk before the lay anese people realize been misled by the ers "Tokyo must be

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