

The Pity of this Labor Fight is that New Dealers Must Approve so Much Rottenness in Order to Keep from Siding with Employers.

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RAF BOMBED BERLIN DURING GOERING SPEECH

HOME FRONT

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30. (UP.)—FDR will find the home front fiercer than the African. He may be caught in the cross fire between opposing factions when he settles down at the White House again.

Army-Navy will win the decision in the competition among high sea gas, naval escort vessels and synthetic rubber, but they will keep on picking up advantages on points.

New wage strategy now in making may give Stabilizer Byrnes power to review findings of Railway Mediation board, War Labor board, other agencies handling wage controversies, and power to protest them before they become effective.

Hitler's beginning to suffer from bombings of his transportation lines, shipyards, heavy industries. His airplane production has nearly stopped. But those who have not look for economic collapse for 18 months, at least. That's June, 1944. He has ample supplies of artillery and shells, plenty of tanks, but we've out-classed him on these. Most important, he still has plenty of trained fighters.

Unfounded reports from France. That Laval wanted to declare war against U. S. and Britain when he landed in Africa; was abandoned by army officers who told him French troops would fire on their own leaders. That Laval had struck a new low in Axis loyalty would be replaced if a "better" man could be found. In Berlin, recently he was insulted by both Hitler and Goering, called bungler or scoundrel.

Latest plan for compromise on pay-as-you-go, from those opposed to forgiving 1942 taxes. Assess the taxpayer on 1942 income as usual on March 15. Then let him pay over a period of years. Give him a discount if he pays it in cash this year, along with his 1943 taxes. Charge him interest if he takes more than one year to pay off.

Group that London is busy getting set to grab world trade after the way may help Administration get its reciprocal trade act extended this year. In general, those opposed to our trade agreements are the ones that dislike Britain. They may endorse world trade by us rather than see Britain walk off with it.

Democratic politics aren't through erupting. Look for Ed Pauley, secretary of National Committee, to resign unless FDR intervenes. And a sharp scrap is shaping over the New York seat on the National committee, vacated by Ed Flynn. New Dealers think they can lick Jim Farley this time. At any rate they're going to try. Note: Hostility to Flynn from senators who are also national committeemen stems from fact he never assembled the committee during his two years as chairman.

Watch Gov. Stassen. Though he's entering Navy in April, he's missing no chance to make contacts, but over his views. In the East this week for various speeches, he spent several nights talking with groups of senators and House members. Another Stassen straw in the wind: Willkie is reported coolish toward him. It may mean Willkie sees him as a formidable rival at 1944 convention. Willkie and Stassen, both opposed to post-war isolation, both have Lincoln-birthday speaking dates in Indiana, isolationist stronghold.

MacArthur's criticism of the "island-hopping" type of campaign in the Pacific, his insistence on airpower to break the Japanese, gain favor here; may bring concrete results.

Vice President Wallace's recent speech about Allied control over education, teachers, textbooks did not help the United Nations abroad. Nazi propaganda has used it to "prove" to wavering countries like Spain that Communist teachings will be forced on everybody in Europe if our side wins.

CISCOAN IN GREAT AIR RAID

The great RAF air raid on Copenhagen, Germany, January 27, was not only interesting as a major war activity for the Allies, but thrilled many Ciscoans because of the fact that a 23-year-old Cisco boy was there in person and helped dish out dynamite and destruction to the Hitlerites.

The young man in question was Gunter Straley, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Straley, 307 E. Fourteenth street, who was born in Cisco and graduated from Cisco high school in 1933. He was employed by the West Texas Produce company before enlisting on January 7, 1941.

Straley was on the Flying Fortress that bears the name, "Carter and His Little Pills," which is commanded by Captain Carter and which has weathered eleven air raids without a scratch.

Mr. and Mrs. Straley have not heard directly from their famous son since the Copenhagen adventure, but the press of the nation gave this particular Flying Fortress wide publicity and carried the name of the Cisco lad, though giving his home address as Waco, Texas.

DEATH CLAIMS MRS. KELLEY, FINE WOMAN

Mrs. L. J. Kelley, 71 years of age and a resident of Cisco for about two years, died at 7 o'clock Friday morning at the family home, 704 W. Fourth street.

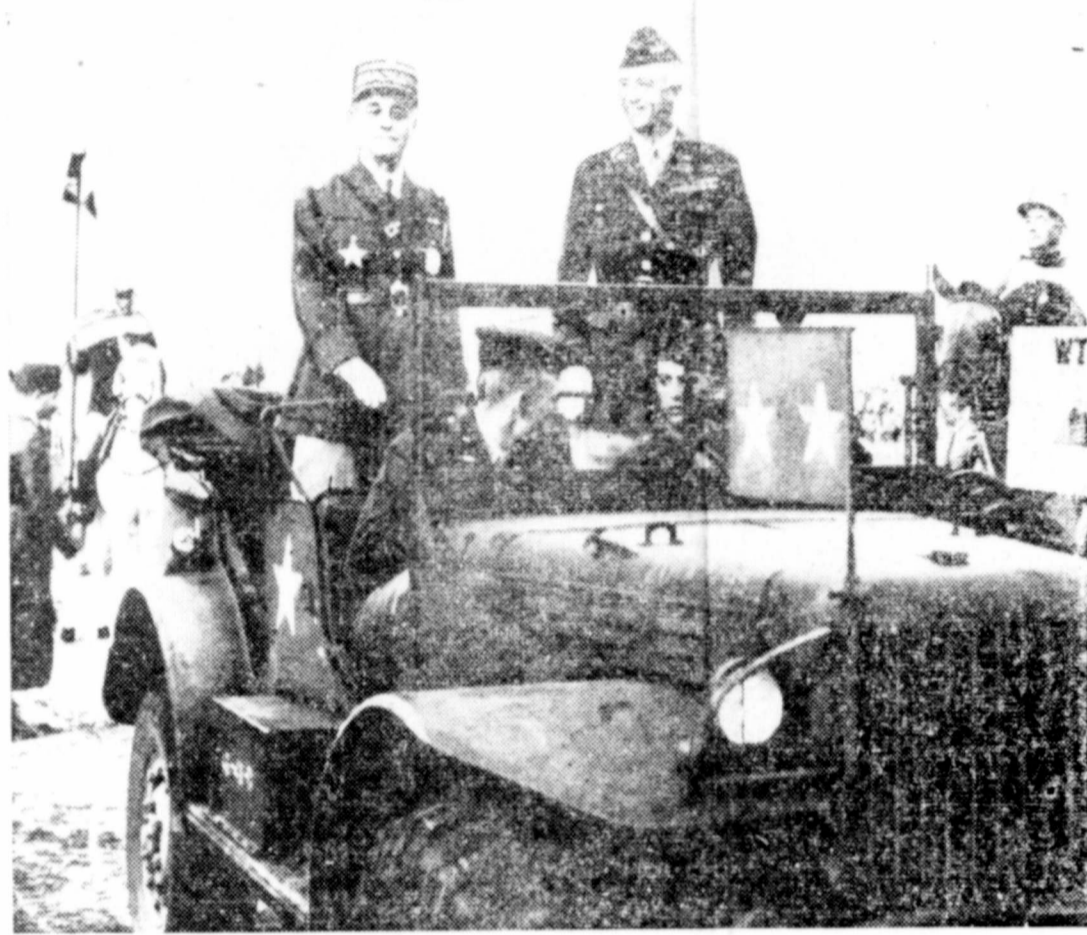
No time has been set for the burial, which will be made in Oakwood cemetery upon the arrival of a daughter, Mrs. Elmer Dunaway, from Redwood, Calif. Green funeral home is in charge of the body.

Mrs. Kelley was born in Lincoln county, Miss., July 13, 1872. Her maiden name being Luc C. Brewer. In early childhood the family located in Grant parish, La., and she was married to L. J. Kelley on April 9, 1891. Mr. and Mrs. Kelley moved to Putnam, Tex., 39 years ago. She joined the Missionary Baptist church at the age of 16 and had been a devoted Christian throughout her life.

Immediate survivors are the husband and nine children, five sons and four daughters, as follows: William J. Kelley, Cisco; George Kelley, Baird; Bob Kelley, Marlin; John Kelley, Pharr; Dewitt Kelley, Houston; Mrs. Clarence Mayes, Mrs. Carl Wiley, Houston; Mrs. Elmer Butler, Putnam; Mrs. Elmer Dunaway, Redwood, Calif. There are also fourteen grandchildren and five great grandchildren. Surviving brothers and sisters are Gus Brewer, Trent, Tex.; G. C. Brewer, Pollock, La.; Mrs. Jim Peters, Sims, La.

EASTLAND DEATH

Funeral and burial services were held at Eastland Friday for Mrs. Josephine Graham, 84, who died there Tuesday. Rev. Homer Starnes, Baptist minister, officiated. Survivors include five sons—Dudley Graham, Giles Graham, B. G. Graham, Whitlow Graham and R. Q. Graham; and five daughters—Mrs. Maudie Gunter, Mrs. Alma Rodgers, Mrs. Lennie Reynolds, Mrs. Annie Nolen and Mrs. Bessie Hargus. Thirty-five grand-children, 25 great-grand-children and three great-great-grand-children also survive.



PRELUDE PARADE—What Allies hope may be prelude to a Victory parade in North Africa is combined American and French review held in a Moroccan city. American Major General George S. Patton, right, and French General Auguste Nogues hold review, above.

SCRANTON SECTOR IS FRUITFUL

J. W. Huff, of the Scranton sector, was in Cisco Saturday, paying the Cisco Daily Press a friendly call and talking about plans for tilling his fine apple, pecan and general fruit orchard that covers 140 acres of his 235-acre farm.

Mr. Huff displayed some of his apples here last summer and fall, and he stated they were as large in size and fine in quality as can be grown in any part of the south, adding that while last year was not a good fruit year in any part of the state, yet his fruit was making a satisfactory yield, considering the trees are young, many just coming into the bearing stage.

While being an enthusiastic orchardist, Huff has not neglected other features of making his farm an ideal home. Horses, mules, sheep, goats, hogs and cattle are present in numbers suitable to his ability to profitably use them.

Most of the farm power is derived from two tractors. The farm house is modern, with hot and cold running water, with abundance of water at the big barns and handy lots.

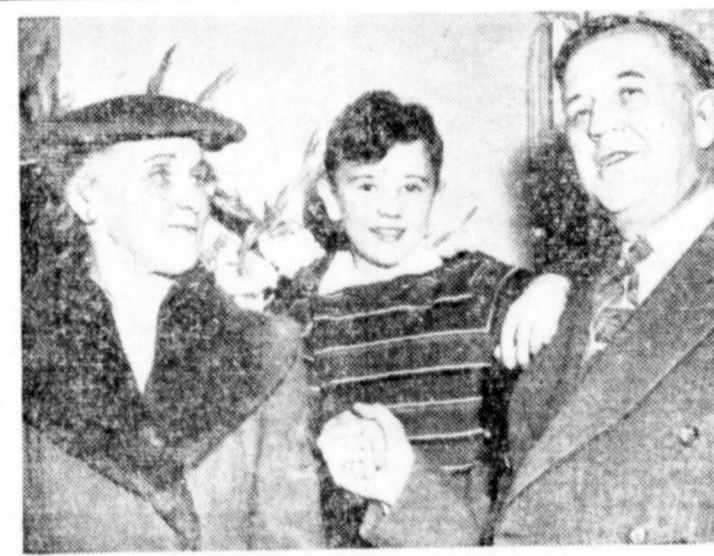
In addition to other crops the farm produced \$4,650 worth of peanuts last season. Mr. Huff says this is a fine fruit country and only needs care and effort to bring it into notice of the big fruit buyers in the shipping markets.

SENSIBLE RULING

AUSTIN, Jan. 30.—Old people on the assistance rolls who wish to accept employment may do so with the assurance that they will be immediately reinstated when they are again in need, J. S. Murchison, director of the state department of public welfare, said today. Applications for assistance are usually investigated in the order in which they are taken. In order to guarantee security for able-bodied old persons who are made to work, exception has been made for reapplication of persons who were removed from the rolls because of income from employment.



THANKS FOR FLAG — Madame Ranu, in role of French Betsy Ross, gets big kiss from Lieut. Colonel Alexander George, in New Caledonia. She had flag ready for Army task force when it moved to island.



ADMINISTRATOR'S FAMILY — Prentiss Brown, former Michigan Senator who succeeds Leon Henderson as Price Administrator, brings his family to Washington. Mrs. Brown and their young son Paul greet Mr. Brown in picture above.

CISCO PEOPLE TO ATTEND WICHITA BURIAL

J. H. Brumley, 57, undertaker at Burk Burnett, Wichita Falls and Bowie, died Friday morning at 3:30 in a Wichita Falls hospital from heart attack. Burial will take place at his home in Burk Burnett, Sunday afternoon. Mr. Brumley was a brother of Mrs. A. V. Clark of Cisco and was head of the Brumley delegation who held their reunion at Lake Cisco last summer. It is remembered that when some were objecting to setting the reunion for Cisco again the following year, Mr. Brumley took the floor to talk for the reunion again, despite the war and rubber shortage, saying that if one of the group should die they would all go to the funeral, and how much better it would be to go to a reunion. And he is the first one to die since then and it is safe to say that all the kin will attend this funeral regardless of how far away they may live. He was a very friendly man and was a general favorite and leader of the family group. Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark and little daughter, of Cisco, will attend the funeral.

THIRD RUSS ARMY HEADED FOR ROSTOV

MOSCOW, Jan. 30.—Two Russian armies intensified offensives against Kursk and Kharkov, great anchor cities of the entire German defense system in the south, today, and in the North Caucasus a third army advanced up the Caucasus railroad on Rostov.

West of Voronezh, where the Red Army yesterday reached a point only 63 miles from Kursk, the Russians during the night captured 40 inhabited localities, after freeing 200 towns and villages, killing 12,000 Germans, capturing 14,000 Germans and 11,000 Italians and routing seven German divisions, two German regiments and an Italian Alpine corps in three days.

The prisoners on the Voronezh front after a night in which 600 more were taken, totaled nearly 100,000 since the Russians started that offensive.

At Stalingrad, where front dispatches revealed that a total of 50,000 prisoners had been taken up to yesterday, 450 more were taken during the night. As many had been taken yesterday.

The noon communique reported that the mutinous troops, remnants of 220,000 left by Adolf Hitler to die to his glory, were abandoning their units at Stalingrad and, led by their officers, trying to escape in little groups.

Red Army sentries caught German officers, dressed as soldiers, trying to escape in the guise of prisoners, led by a German soldier wearing a Russian uniform.

One general was made prisoner yesterday. In addition, it was confirmed that German Maj. Gen. Treiber had surrendered several days ago with what remained of his 297th infantry division.

HAZLEWOOD TO ATHENS, GA., AND THE NAVY

J. M. Hazlewood, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hazlewood of Donham, left Saturday for Fort Worth for a brief visit with his sister, Mrs. A. P. Berry, before proceeding to Athens, Ga., to join the naval air corps.

The young man enlisted in September, but has just received his call to the colors. He graduated from Cisco high school in 1938 and later attended McMurry and Weatherford colleges. He was formerly an employee of the West Texas Utilities company in Cisco and was with the Abilene office of the West Texas Utilities organization until he resigned to take up his naval duties.

N. Y. SCHOOLS CLOSE

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—New York City's 960,000 public school pupils Saturday began their second vacation in less than a month as 850 school buildings were closed as a fuel conservation measure.

FOUR OF FAMILY DIE

CROCKETT, Jan. 30.—Four members of a family were burned to death when a kerosene can exploded and set their home on fire. Dead were Mrs. Carey Wagley, 25; two daughters, Connie, 1, and Willie Catherine, 4; and a son, Melvin R., 2. Another son, 7, was critically burned. The father, a truck driver, was not at home when the accident occurred.

300 SUNDAY SCHOOLS

KEENE, Jan. 30.—Three hundred Sabbath-schools of Seventh-day Adventist churches scattered over a portion of five states were represented in the Sabbath school held at Keene today.

MANONIC NOTICE

Work in entered apprentice degree, 7:30 o'clock Monday evening, Masonic Temple. Visiting Masons invited. J. W. Cousins, W. M.

SUDDEN DAYTIME APPEARANCE OF PLANES THREW NAZIS INTO CONFUSION AND HALTED TALK

LONDON, Jan. 30.—Just as Marshal Hermann Goering was preparing to start his speech in celebration of the 10th anniversary of the Nazi accession to power today British Mosquito planes bombed Berlin and caused confusion in the hall where he spoke.

The daring raid—made at a time when Berlin's anti-air defenses probably were at full strength—was a complete success. All British planes returned safely.

The sudden attack delayed Goering's address for an hour and three minutes and explained the confusion that came over the radio as the Marshal gave the German armed forces and home front a pep talk in the darkest hour of the war for the Reich.

There was an ironic twist to the fact that the British planes arrived precisely on the scheduled hour of Goering's address. Goering, as commander of the Reich air force, not only planned the Blitz on Britain, but he assured the German home front early in the war that Berlin never would be bombed.

Some London listeners claimed they heard over the Berlin radio distant explosions followed by what it said were chaotic noises, including "shouting." The RAF morale shattering attack on the Nazi beer hall headquarters in Munich on the anniversary of Hitler's abortive putsch, was recalled.

It was the first daylight aerial attack on the Nazi capital.

It was the second time since he was appointed chancellor by President Paul von Hindenburg 10 years ago today that Hitler had not addressed the German people on the anniversary. The streets were unadorned with flags, and it was a somber day in the Nazi capital even before the bombs began to fall from the Winter sky.

The RAF chose its fastest light bomber for Saturday's spectacular foray. The sleek, twin-motored Mosquito was given its name because of its slim lines. Its skin is of plywood, which eliminates rivet heads and enhances its speed—reputedly close to 400 miles an hour.

Although no details of the raid were announced immediately, it was considered possible that the swift ships had swept across Germany at tree-top levels to evade and confuse defending German fighter planes and anti-aircraft defenses. The Berlin radio did not leave the air during the raid.

In the great night raids of Jan. 16 and 17 on the German capital the RAF employed its biggest four-motored bomb-carriers, each capable of freighting eight or 10 tons of "block busters" or other explosives.

Informed sources here said that Saturday's daylight attack obviously was not on so large a scale of destruction.

Goering spoke for 90 minutes.

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MAC TELLS IT.

That last communication from Gen. Douglas MacArthur, hero of Bataan and now Allied commander in the Southwest Pacific, was certainly a humdrum, both militarily and linguistically. He had great news to report of victories in the New Guinea sector and general cleaning up of that area—and gosh, how he told it! The general's language is as good as his strategy.

"The outstanding military lesson of this campaign," he reports, "was the continuous calculated application of air power inherent in the potentialities of every component of the air forces, employed in the most intimate tactical and logistical union with ground troops." When the non-military reader has digested that, he may be ready to swallow the elaboration that "the effect of this modern instrumentality was sharply accentuated by the geographical limitations of this theater" and so on.

But farther along the ordingery reader begins to see daylight. The general and his stout-hearted troops have landed the last of those tough Japs, killed 15,000 of them and made a grand start toward the cleansing of the Pacific. And since "God moves in a mysterious way, his wonders to perform," it may be that the imperturbable and polysyllabic general did it with his vocabulary as much as anything.

So let the logistics fall where they may. In the scintillating lexicon of MacArthur there is no such word as fail. He wouldn't stoop to use a word that short. On with the war. And dumbest be he who first cries that the achievement thus far is adequate for the exigencies of this cataclysmic era.

HITLER COULDN'T DO BETTER.

An incident is taking place in Puerto Rico which should be brought to the attention of every American citizen. As an island territory of the United States, it is being used as a guinea pig for social experiments at the hands of socialist politicians working under cover of emergency powers granted by the people of this country to their government for the efficient prosecution of the war. It is an abuse of power that should make a fair-minded observer see red.

The war is being fought to preserve and reestablish the principles of representative government and individual rights. But the same officials who pay lip service to these war aims have proceeded to give Hitler in Puerto Rico. As New York Times recently pointed out, at the insistence of American government officials the legislature of Puerto Rico in the last two sessions has: (1) provided for government ownership of more than half the island's sugar lands; (2) turned all of the sugar mills into public utilities, subject to regulations of the Public Service Commission; (3) authorized the government to purchase and operate all forms of communication; (4) provided for government ownership of all means of transportation; (5) created a government bank in which all insular revenues may be deposited; and (6) authorized the formation of a development company through which the government may engage in any form of private business.

The people of Puerto Rico have futilely opposed the destruction of private ownership. American courts have condemned it, pointing out that the emergency powers of government were never intended for such application. But the process continues. Puerto Rico is fast becoming a socialized state under the jurisdiction of the United States. What irony!

Is this a preview of "the brave new world" we may expect to see in expanded form in this country and other countries which this nation is now helping to liberate?

THE TAX RETURNS.

With February here, March will be coming along only too promptly. What about that income tax return? Internal revenue officials are usually glad to help the citizen with his struggle to be fair,

both to his government and to himself—but they wish he would come quickly with his problems before lines begin to form and everybody has to wait for hours and stay up half the night.

No matter what happens in congress about future tax payments, the quarterly installment due March 15 is going to be due on that date. So it's time now to sharpen the pencils, get out a good seven-bank, and set it all down. Then before you commit yourself to the last dollar and cent, ask the tax people whether you are right. If you are, make the payment like the man and forget your troubles till next time.

If you are not right, the tax people will help you. Sometimes they know about deductions you might make which you might not think of. This is especially true for people who have never before had to pay income tax. Men of large affairs usually leave their complicated tax-figuring to their lawyers, but a few minutes talk with a helpful tax man usually serves to straighten out the matter for tax payers with simpler problems. Sometimes one of the articles to be found in newspapers or magazines is all the help needed, or one of the many inexpensive little books now on sale.

However it's done, now is the time to do it.

DOING IT WITH MIRRORS.

The city of Winchester, England, is experimenting with a new method of lighting. It is putting up four to six searchlights at various points around the city with their rays converging at a point over the center. The theory is that the center will be brightly lighted and that light will spread in lesser degree over the whole district.

Some engineers say that to make the plan effective, a mirror will have to be installed above the apex of light. Clouds might disturb the light, and are not under control anywhere.

The idea seems strange. But when it is thought about, it seems as if it might work, not over a vast area, such as American states, but over a small and confined area. It is an interesting experiment to contemplate, but better wait until it is done.

OTHER EDITORS

Wasting Good Food.

Cooper Waters, Varsity French star, recently to American military forces and some will surprise them at night, says Carl Evers, son of B. C. Evers of Commerce, who is back from Africa in a hurry.

Young Evers has been in the employ of the Pan-American Airways, based in the Gold Coast, Africa, for the past nine months and recently joined the American air force in Africa and is doing his aerostomated glider work. He is situated south of Dakar and says that it is not safe to go alone into French territory.

He says that it is the first time he ever saw it necessary to fight a people to get to feed them. He said that he flew from Africa across the Atlantic at night and did not even see the water.

CHURCHES

First Baptist.

Sunday school at 9:45, P. E. Shepard, Supt. Morning worship at 11. Training Union at 6:30. Paul M. Culp director. Evening worship at 7:30. Fifth Sunday singing convention to be held in our church at 2 p. m. Junior G. A. will meet at the church Tuesday afternoon at 3:30. W. M. U. will meet in circles at 3 p. m. as follows: 1. Mrs. J. E. Burnam, 408 College Hill. 2. at the church. 3. to be announced. 4. Mrs. W. V. Gardinire, 1601 D avenue. 5. Mrs. Cooper Waters, 1095 W. Tenth street. 6. Mrs. W. W. Feswell, 1206 L avenue. Circle six is to be a new circle to include all Baptist women south of Tenth street and west of J avenue. Mid-week prayer services will be held Wednesday evening

at 7:30 with teachers and officers meeting to follow. COOPER WATERS, Pastor.

First Methodist.

You are cordially invited to gather with us as a group of neighbors and friends for services of divine worship at the House of God today. At 9:45 classes will meet for all ages for Bible study. At 10:50 we assemble in the sanctuary for the morning worship, where all sing, pray and think together. Our evening worship will be at 8:30. The young people have a special meeting at 6:30 and then stay for two or three hours for fellowship. Tonight they are bringing a sandwich supper to be eaten together. Our Sunday school officers and teachers will meet at 6:30 for counsel and planning with G. P. Mitnam, the superintendent, in charge. LESLIE SEYMOUR, Minister.

Presbyterian.

9:45 a. m. Sunday school, Kent Word, Supt. 11 a. m. Sermon subject: "The Weeping Christ, the All-Powerful Christ." Special music. 5 p. m. Vesper service. Informal and evangelistic. "The Do-Nothing Policy Fatal Spiritual-ly" will be the theme for discussion. 6:30 p. m. Young People's League. A cordial invitation is extended to these services. GARY SMITH, Pastor.

Grace Lutheran.

Sunday school and Bible class 10 a. m. Morning worship 11 a. m. Subject: "Thirsting for and Receiving the Water of Life." The sermon is based on the text of the Samaritan woman whom Jesus met at Jacob's well. Listen to the Lutheran Hour at 3:00 p. m. over the Mutual network. We cordially invite you to come and worship with us. Sixteenth and F avenue. W. H. SYMANK, Pastor.

Church Societies.

First Methodist Women's Society of Christian service will meet for Bible study and business meeting at 3 p. m. Tuesday. The meeting will be presided by an executive board meeting at 2:30. First Christian church council will meet in general business session at the church at 3 p. m. Tuesday.

First Presbyterian auxiliary will meet each day next week at 1 p. m. in observance of the Week of Prayer and Self-Denial. Meetings will begin Monday and continue through Friday.

WHOOPING COUGH.

AUSTIN, Jan. 30.—The department of health reported Friday that whooping cough has been above the median for 10 weeks in Texas with incidence rising each week and suggested control methods to keep infants from contact with cases.

METHODISTS TO MEET FOR SUPPER, BUSINESS

The congregation of First Methodist church will meet Monday night for supper, each family bringing a covered dish and all spreading together, says the pastor, Rev. Leslie Seymour. The occasion for this gathering is the holding of the first quarterly conference by the district superintendent, Rev. W. H. Cole, and also the monthly meeting of the board of stewards, with Wm. Reagan in charge.

Following the supper and the business meetings, a period of fun and good fellowship will be enjoyed, with O. L. Stamey and the pastor directing the activities. This type of meeting is somewhat after the fashion of quarterly conferences of a former day. When they regularly had dinner on the ground and preaching in connection with the event, says Mr. Seymour.

The hour for the supper will be 7 o'clock. No other interest is so keen as that in-laws feel in a widow's life insurance.

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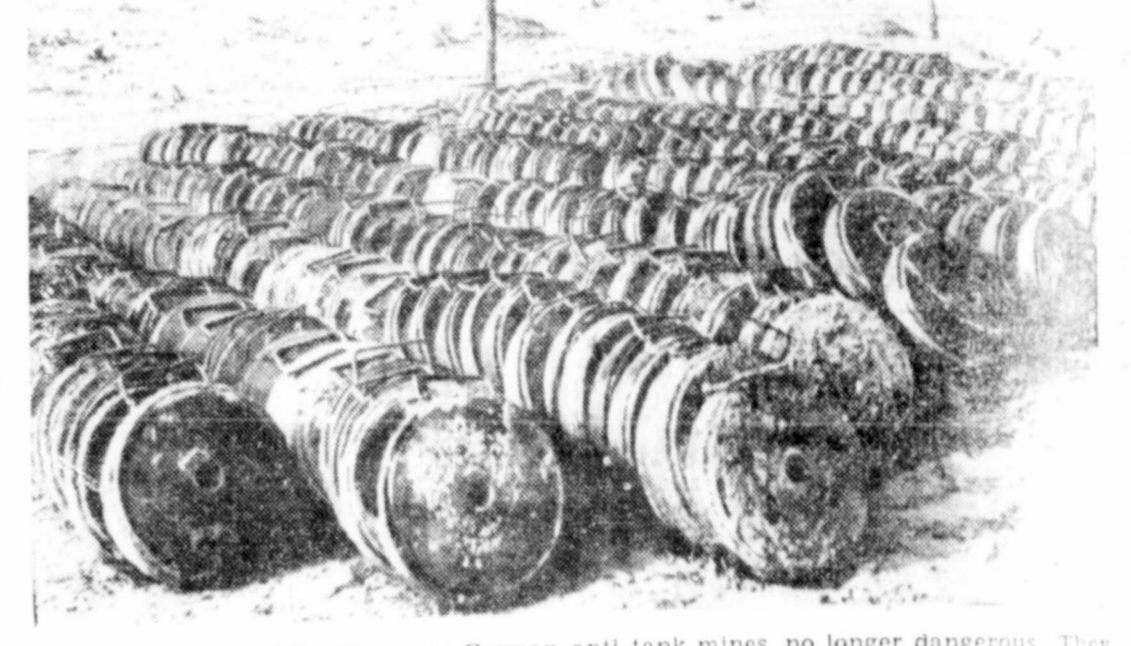
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LONDON, Jan. 30.—German casualties since the Russian winter offensive which began in November are larger than the whole of Napoleon's grand army, which invaded Russia in 1812, the Moscow radio said in a broadcast recorded here by the Soviet Monitor. Napoleon's invasion force numbered 600,000 men, including French, Germans and Italians. They crossed the Niemen river on June 24 but only 100,000 reached Vilna (Wilno) on Dec. 6.



MENACE NO LONGER—These German anti-tank mines, no longer dangerous. They were removed from landing ground of airfield near Marble Arch, Tripolitania, by soldiers of General Montgomery's British army. RAF uses field now.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to extend our sincere thanks to the members of the fire department, city officials and to all citizens who in any way gave aid in extinguishing the fire that recently destroyed our business property and our household goods, and especially do we thank the ladies who rendered valuable aid in serving coffee, sandwiches and cookies to the fireboys while striving so heroically to fight the fire.

We would like to give tribute, if language could be found to express our feelings, to the brave firemen who risked their lives and health in that unusual cold to save what they could for us.

And lastly, we wish to extend our appreciation to all friends in Cisco and elsewhere, for their many expressions of kindness and for their proffer of aid in any way they might help.

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"A 5c jump over night is big news to the farmer," said John Dunn of Dunn's Produce, today. "At that price one should do away with the calves and take special care of the cows," he continued.

Eat more chickens and save the beef and pork for the soldiers. Mr. Dunn states that he always pay the top of the market for eggs. Adv.



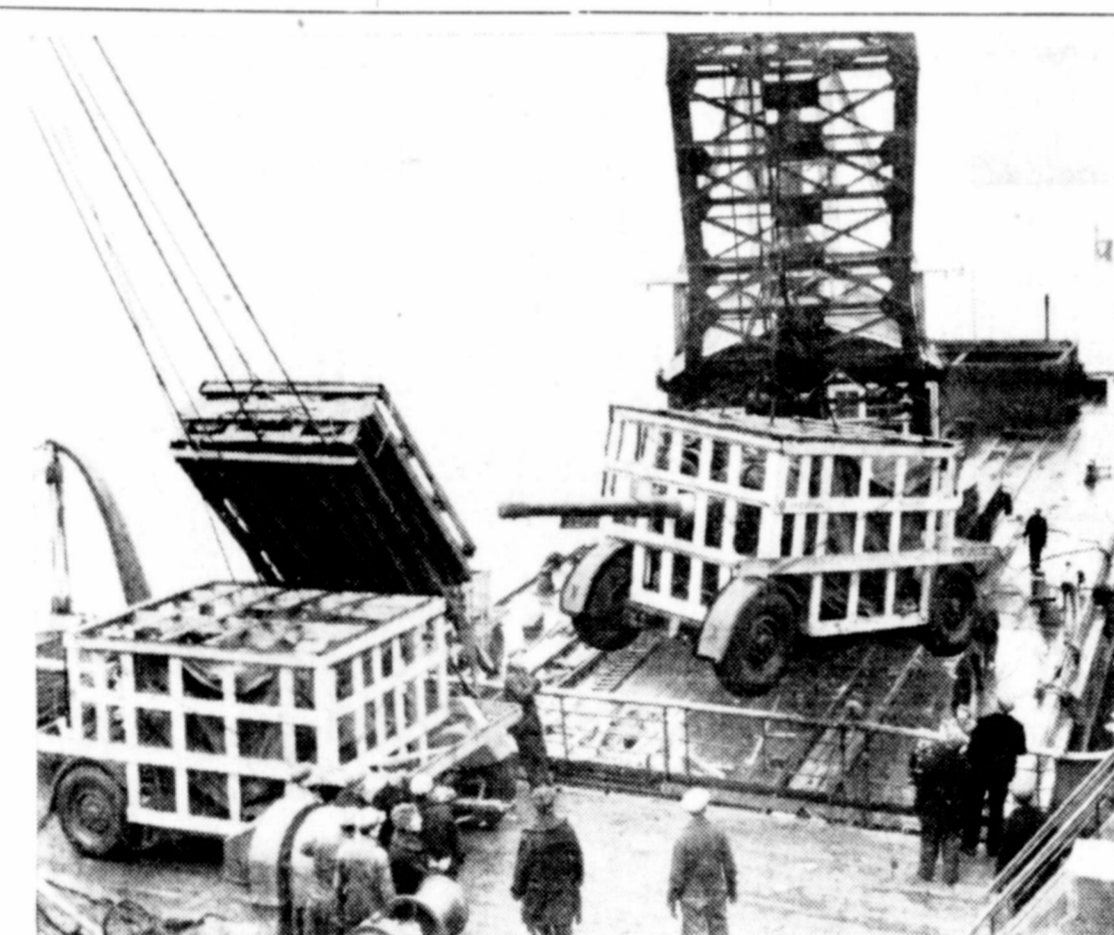
OFF-BEAT—Gene Krupa, drum-beating idol of jitterbugs, arraigned in San Francisco court on charge of contributing to delinquency of 17-year-old prop boy. FBI agents asserted they found marihuana cigarettes on boy, who is drum-beater's valet.

aneous shower given in the basement of First Baptist church honoring Mrs. Warren G. Hall, a recent bride.

The spacious room was gaily decorated with blossoming potted plants and fern which were placed in artistic arrangement. The guests were greeted by Mrs. A. C. Green who presented them to Mrs. Warren G. Hall, Mrs. C. P. Cole, mother of the honoree and Mrs. W. H. Hall, mother of the bridegroom who composed the receiving line. Mrs. Leon Maner presided at the bride's book.

A lace cloth covered the serving table which held a floral centerpiece of pink snapdragons and carnations flanked at the sides by tall pink tapers in crystal holders. Mrs. Cooper Waters and Mrs. M. F. Underwood poured tea from a silver service at each table end. Refreshment plates of sandwiches, minis and tea were passed by Misses Kathryn Shepard, Bonnie Jean Wilson, Peggy Gallagher, Dorothy Jean Anderson, Jimmie Hensley, Mrs. Bernice Hays, Miss Lela Latch, Mrs. G. Pollard, Miss Mayme Estes, Mrs. R. W. McCreary, Mrs. Hugh Evell, E. B. Hurst, Mrs. Mae Stephens, Mrs. Mary Abbott, Mrs. J. M. Wilson, Mrs. R. H. Williams, Mrs. John Rouch, Mrs. W. D. Hazel, Mrs. W. Frank Walker, Mrs. V. Gardenhire, Mrs. W. I. Gornley, Mrs. Berta Carmichael, Mrs. C. Pittman, Mrs. Thomas Lee, Mrs. R. D. Jones, Mrs. Kate Richardson, Mrs. Nora B. Skiles, LaDonna Skiles, Mrs. Ray Wilbanks, Mrs. E. L. Pugh, Mrs. Paul Poe, Mrs. W. D. Beechen, Mrs. Jay Warren, Mrs. J. J. Porter, Mrs. L. G. McPherson, Mrs. H. N. Lyle, Mrs. Roy Camfield, Mrs. G. B. Langston, Mrs. Asa Skiles, Miss Marion Chambliss, Mrs. W. W. Wallace, Miss Rose Ann Woods, Miss Gloria Graham, Mrs. Ed Townsend, Mrs. Luther Hall, Mrs. T. C. Coxart, Mrs. Vida Stephens, Mrs. Rex W. Moore, Mrs. E. L. Jackson, Mrs. Eugene Lankford,

After guests had been served and were seated an interesting program was directed by Mrs. L. J. Leach in which Miss Gloria Graham and Rose Ann Woods were presented in two violin numbers with piano accompaniment played by Miss Betty Slicker. A clever reading was given by Mary Philpott, closed the program. The dialogue by two "Colored" girls, Jo Ann Scott and Mary Philpott closed the program. The girls entered carrying a huge basket of "Laundry" while conversing with each other. They presented the "Laundry" to Mrs. W. G. Hall who graciously accepted the basket and contents. Mrs. L. G. McPherson and others also entered carrying gifts for the honoree.



OUT OF CANADA—Canadian ships are reported carrying 45 per cent of all supplies to Great Britain and Russia, with only one per cent loss. Here are guns loaded at an unnamed Canadian port for shipment across Atlantic.

SERVICE STATIONS SERVE PUBLIC ON SUNDAYS

IN ORDER TO SERVE THE PUBLIC ON SUNDAYS AND YET CONSERVE MANPOWER AND ELECTRICITY, THE FOLLOWING SERVICE STATIONS HAVE POOLED THEIR EFFORTS BY DESIGNATING TWO STATIONS TO REMAIN OPEN SUNDAYS:

FIRST SUNDAY— Jack Leech Service Sta. Harvey Thurman Station	FOURTH SUNDAY— Smitty Huestis Roy (Dago) Huffmyer
SECOND SUNDAY— A. R. Westfall & Son J. J. Litchfield	FIFTH SUNDAY— W. R. Huestis
THIRD SUNDAY— A. V. Clark C. D. Simpson	SIXTH SUNDAY— J. T. Richardson Edward Lee
SEVENTH SUNDAY— Paul Booth Fenter's Chief Service Station	

THE PUBLIC IS EARNESTLY REQUESTED TO COOPERATE WITH THIS CONSERVATION ARRANGEMENT BY PURCHASING THEIR REQUIREMENTS ON SATURDAY IF THEIR STATION IS TO BE CLOSED ON THE WEEKEND.

Mrs. A. E. McNeely, Robbie Joe McNeely, Mrs. Clifton Barron, Mrs. S. E. Hittson, Mrs. P. R. Wauwick, Mrs. Muriel Shook, Miss Betty Slicker, Miss Margaret Key, Mrs. Bob Key, Mrs. M. Anderson, Mrs. J. E. Spencer, Mrs. L. Leach, Mrs. George Boyd, Mrs. Barton Philpott, Margie Warren, Mrs. R. F. Blackstock, Mrs. A. C. Green, Mrs. Leon E. J. Poe, Mrs. E. Shepard, Mrs. Ray Julia and Mrs. W. F. Parks.

Those sending gifts who could not be present were Mrs. Homer Slicker, Mrs. A. Z. Myrick, Mrs. C. A. Shooley, Mrs. O. L. Mason, Mrs. E. Hooks, Mrs. Lonnie Shockley, Mrs. Burl Williams, Mrs. Forrest Wright, Mrs. R. E. Grantham, Mrs. Irene Hallmark, Mrs. J. R. Burnett, Mrs. J. S. Mobley, Mrs. Ray Miller, Mrs. Nick Miller, Mrs. Jack Anderson, Mrs. G. C. Rosenthal, Mrs. H. J. McArdie, Mrs. Delmar Johnston, Mrs. Billy Frost, Mrs. Fay Bell and daughters, Fort Worth; Mrs. E. P. Crawford, Mrs. R. N. Cluck, Mrs. L. A. Harrison, Miss LeClair Harrison, Mrs. C. N. Clifton, Mrs. J. E. Burnam, Mrs. T. E. House, Mrs. W. H. LaRoque, Mrs. J. W. Thomas, Miss Attie Stevens, Miss Fannie Stevens, Mrs. Blake Stevens, Mrs. Otis Skiles, Mrs. J. W. Slaughter, Mrs. Gary L. Smith, Mrs. Coe McLeRoy, Miss Edith Altman, Mrs. R. B. Carswell, Mrs. A. E. Jamison, Mrs. Clara Robertson, Mrs. H. B. Hensley, Mrs. John R. Howell, Misses Ora and Eula Howell, Mrs. W. A. Sharp, Mrs. J. W. Murrell, Mrs. J. J. Tablaman, Miss Anna Jo Tablaman, Mrs. Paul M. Culp, Mrs. Don McEachern, Mrs. O. J. Tillinghast, Mrs. C. B. Powell, Mrs. Wm. Brenhower and daughters, Miss Ruby Love, Mrs. J. L. Thornton, Miss Eugenia Jackson, Mrs. G. N. Mabaney, Miss Ella Andrus, Mrs. G. C. Flaberty, Miss Inka Sherman, Mrs. W. L. Pippen, Mrs. A. B. Hall, Miss Norma Jones, Mrs. J. C. King, Miss Mary Martha Mitcham, Mrs. L. A. Bartlett, Mrs. Dee Clements.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stroebel, who were recently married, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Weiser entertained Thursday evening with a miscellaneous shower at the family residence south of Cisco. Gifts brought for the young couple were assembled and presented, after which conversation and games of forty-two were diversions of the evening. Refreshments of coffee and cake were passed.

and Mrs. W. H. Symank and son Donald, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Miller and family, Mrs. Mickey Carroll and daughter China, Charlie Weiser, Mr. and Mrs. John Gerhardt and Jeanette, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stroebel, Mr. and Mrs. Doc Stroebel and Nancy, Mrs. R. H. Dunning and son Robert Don, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wende and son Donald, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stepan, Mr. and Mrs. E. Fricke and family, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Zehr and family, Mr. and Mrs. August Fricke, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Prickett, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Weiser, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Weiser and family, Mrs. Paul Weiser and Virginia Lee Weiser, Rev. and Mrs. E. Steyer, Messrs. Clarence Stroebel, Alvan Zehr, Carl Reich, Fred Wende, Herman Schaefer, Bill Wende, Bill Stroebel, Ray Prange, Henry Zehr, Martin Reich, Erwin Prange and J. L. McLain; Misses Christine Prange, Lillian Weiser, Marie Zehr, Corolla Hallmark, Dora Wende, Lahoma Wende and Norma Prange.

Those sending gifts who did not attend were Verna Prange, Mrs. A. Baum, Mrs. Martin Weiser and Emma Lee Wende.

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BRIEFLY TOLD

Word comes to the Daily Press that Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Leach and son Jackie, who, despite the wishes of their many Cisco friends, left Cisco early last summer and located in California, recently entertained two Ciscoans at dinner — F. B. Altman of the U. S. army and Charlie Spears of the U. S. navy. The Ciscoans had a great time together, the letter stated. The Leach family reside at 10748 Weyburn avenue, Westwood Village, Los Angeles.

First Industrial Arts club will meet in the club house Thursday, February 4, for music review.

Special musical numbers and a program of victory gardens will be presented Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the club house by Cisco Garden club. A full attendance is desired.

Alpha-Delta chapter will meet in regular session Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock at the club house. Miss J. E. Spencer will bring the special topic.

Cadet Edwin Prange of Helena, Ark., is a guest in the home of his mother, Mrs. Dorothy Prange.

Mrs. W. B. Harbo and daughter Fern accompanied Misses Pol-

by Ann McDaniel and Doris Jamison and Roy Burkett Huestis on their return to John Tarleton college Saturday.

Mrs. Bob Yeager of Bluff Branch and daughter, Miss Mae Miller, teacher of the Alameda school near Desdemona, were shopping in Cisco Saturday.

James Moore, who has been employed at Com'n, is spending the weekend with his family in Huntington.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cunningham and small daughter returned to Albany Saturday after a few days' visit with Miss Catherine Cunningham and Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Muller.

Miss Jeanine Jamison of Fort Worth is visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Jamison, today.

Mrs. H. C. Wilkins and children, Cyndell and Buddy, are visiting Mr. Wilkins in DeLeon.

Mrs. A. J. Muller of Brownwood is a guest in the home of her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Muller.

Rev. Wayne Cook of Wheeler, who attended the Methodist pas-

tors' meeting in Dallas, visited in the home of Mrs. Cook's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Boyd, Saturday night.

Miss Edna Lou Prange, student of Texas-Tech., was expected to arrive Saturday for a weekend visit with relatives in Cisco.

Miss Marcia Mobley and Mrs. Ray Miller of Mineral Wells are spending the weekend with their mother, Mrs. J. S. Mobley and their sister, Miss Sue Mobley.

Roy Camfield returned to Truscott Saturday where he is employed, after spending the week with Mrs. Camfield in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Mason.

Robert Donovan returned to A. & M. college Saturday after spending the mid-term holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Donovan.

Mrs. T. E. Sturmy and children, Hampton and Jamie, plan to leave

Monday for their home in Corpus Christi after two weeks here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Hampton.

Mrs. Ralph Glenn is spending the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hammonds, in Colorado City.

Miss Ruby Lee Blanton of Mineral Wells arrived Saturday for a visit with her aunt, Miss Ruby Love.

Miss Marie Winston, high school teacher at Abilene, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Winston, over the weekend.

Mrs. W. H. Kittrell and Miss Lucy Kittrell are visiting Miss Laura Kittrell in Winters.

Corp. R. B. Collingsworth of Camp Hood is a guest of his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Nance.

Word received by Cisco relatives said Glenn Boyd and Glenn

Tableman are now stationed with the army air corps at Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Taylor returned to their home in Ballinger Friday night after spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Nance.

SAVING MANPOWER.

"The new government regulations setting a 72-hour week for service stations, requires new arrangements for keeping stations open for service to automobiles of the public," said Harvey Thurman, Saturday. "In a way it will be of great aid to service station

men, who have hitherto remained open long hours at great expense for hired help and electric consumption, to say nothing of being compelled to keep stations warm for so many hours; and on many of these days the customers requiring service have been all too few, on account of tire and gasoline rationing." Thurman continued. With these set schedules, Thurman thinks the public will

be served and manpower greatly curtailed.

LIGHT SENTENCE.

EASTLAND, Jan. 30—A jury in 88th district court, which tried

N. B. Squyres of Ranger for the murder of Tom Dodd last August 22, returned a verdict of guilty and assessed his punishment at two years in the penitentiary. Killing of Dodd occurred in Ranger.

Fire Warning

I have just received a letter from the Fire Insurance department at Austin asking that I make rigid inspection of all business houses of the city as to fire hazards and to warn citizens about the danger of fires which destroy property that at this time cannot be easily replaced on account of war conditions, and shortages.

The recent fire which destroyed property impossible to replace, should be a warning to people about the dangers which can so easily become so destructive.

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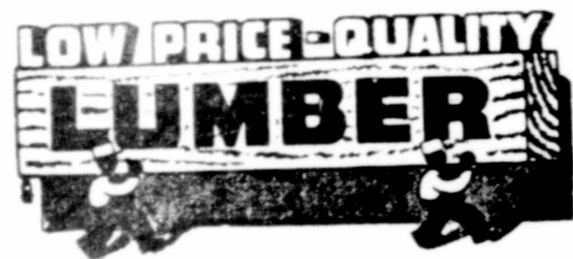
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termines the shape of the world to come, the world where the children of today do the governing, the social work, run the factories, stores and mines.

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