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ALLRED SAYS POWERS MUST BE RETURNED

CANTON, Tex. — Powers necessarily delegated to Washington during the war emergency must be returned to the people when democracy's victory is achieved, James V. Allred told Van Zandt County voters here today.

"We must have home government for home affairs, a fearless and untrammelled judiciary, a free press and a society unregimented and unoppressed," the U. S. Senatorial candidate declared.

Swinging East Texasward after a McKinney rally last night, Allred was to speak in Quitman and Sulphur Springs this afternoon and in Paris tonight.

He continued to emphasize remedial measures he is urging for farms and ranches, small business and more equitable distribution of war training centers and industries, and also hammered hard at the companion issues he drew early in this campaign—winning the war and winning a real peace without appeasement.

Discussing the world into which servicemen will return, Allred said: "These boys must find the democracy for which they fought. They must not come back to farms that are run down and depreciated because their parents have not received a fair return for what they have produced. They must not come back to a regimented or communized society. There must be preserved for our democratic system of government the initiative and individual opportunity to them and to all those who face the future with faith and foreboding for the future system of government." "The very effort and energy of war will be directed to fighting a war which would destroy or impair our form of government."

Because mass demobilization of troops and war industry workers is a tremendous problem for the post-war era, Allred is urging that servicemen's pay be continued for a reasonable time after the war until these men are absorbed in peace-time employment. As immediate benefits for the war's "civilian casualties," he is urging that cotton be pegged at 25 cents, that government farm loans be made at 3 per cent, that the brains and man power of small business, now liquidated or facing liquidation, be put to practical use in the war effort.

But, he warned, unless the war is won with united action on the home front as well as adequate provision for the fighting forces at the battle fronts, these benefits will mean nothing to America. Hence the No. 1 job compelling all America's strength and unity in the winning of this war and the writing of a lasting peace, Allred asserted.

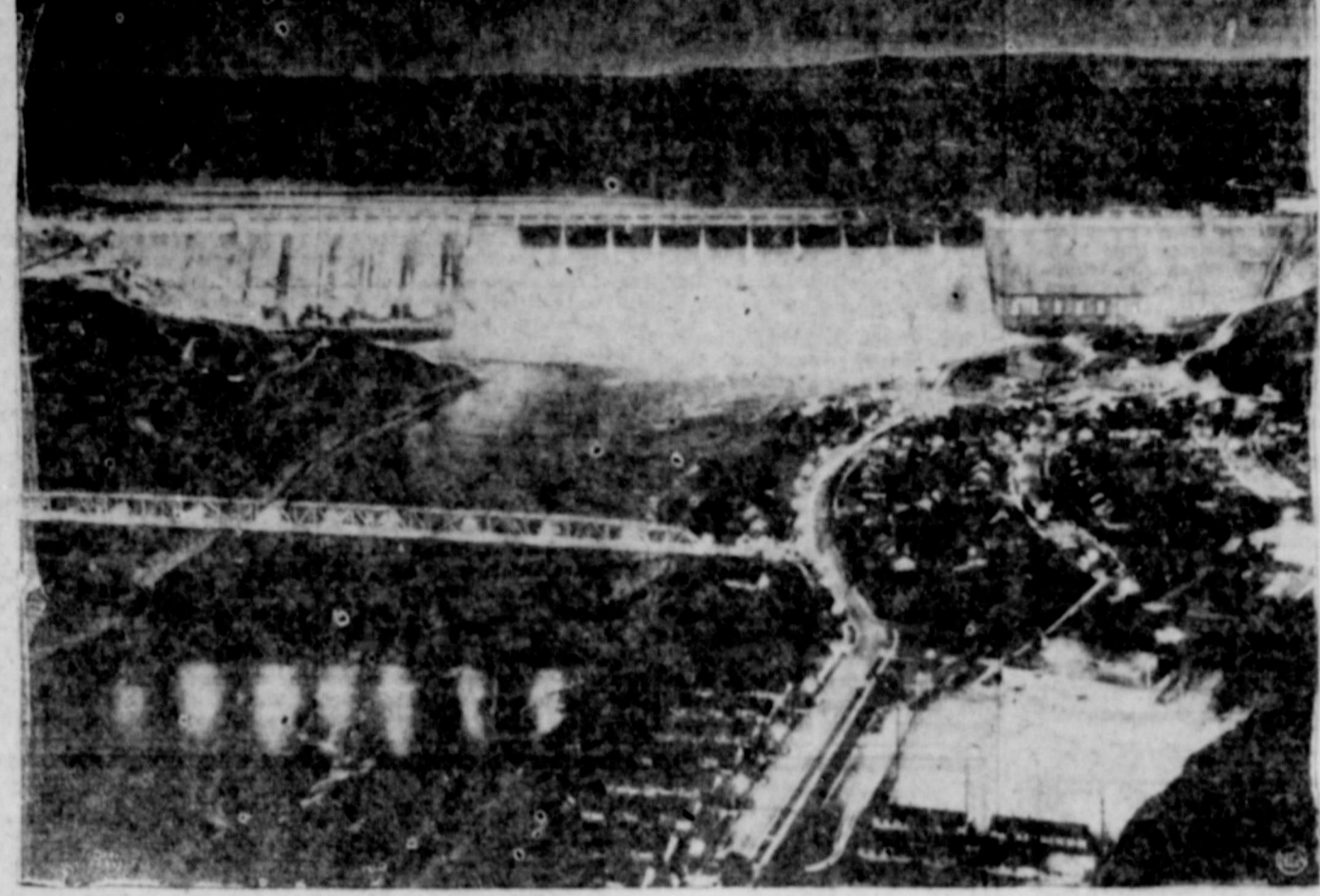
Crows 14 Tomatoes on Stem
LA GRANGE, Ga. (UP)—Any way you slice them, 14 tomatoes on one stem is some tomato growing. H. C. Roberts, of the Oak Grove community, came to town carefully carrying a stem on which the 14 hung. They weighed about one quarter of a pound each and appeared healthy specimens.

No Time For Comedy



Lieut. Jack Dempsey is picture of serious resolve as he times Coast Guardsmen in workouts at Manhattan Beach Training Station.

GRAND COULEE BLAZES THE WAY FOR WAR PRODUCTION



Under lights, workers rush construction of new powerhouse, left, at Washington's mighty Grand Coulee Dam where giant generators make the power to turn the wheels of war industries in the northwest.

SPECIAL MOTOR FOR CHASER IS IN PRODUCTION

By WILLIAM McMENAMIN
United Press Staff Correspondent
CHICAGO (UP)—A revolutionary new light weight, high-powered diesel motor built by the Electro-Motive division of General Motors at its La Grange Plant is in mass production to power the navy's latest submarine chasers, the manufacturer revealed.

The navy concealed details of the motor for many months but finally permitted the company to disclose a few facts. The motor is expected to provide at least a part of the answer to the convoy problem and the high rate of ship sinkings.

The engine materially adds to cruising radius, speed and maneuverability of the subchasers.

Among other new features it has a variable pitch marine propeller. It is possible to reverse the direction of the propeller shaft. Hence the No. 1 job compelling all America's strength and unity in the winning of this war and the writing of a lasting peace, Allred asserted.

Gasoline engines are expected to be replaced extensively by the diesels, thus decreasing fire hazards.

Scientists of the General Motors research laboratories under Charles Keating, vice-president, developed the motor and reversible variable pitch propeller at the request of the navy.

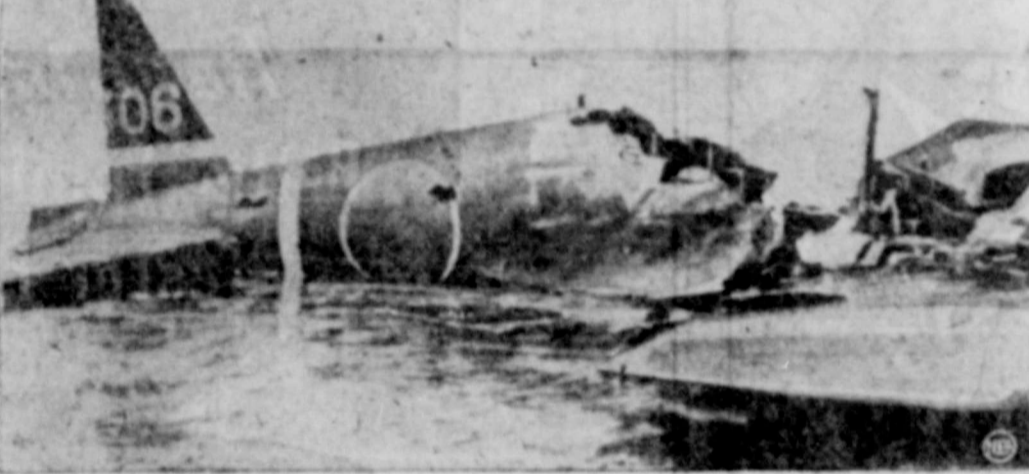
A year ago Electro-Motive took over the task of building the new motor and by last May had built a plant and met the navy's requirements.

Blackouts Become Common in Panama

HOUSTON, Tex. (UP)—Nightly blackouts are common in Panama and the residents, becoming accustomed to living without their regular lights, have turned to flashlights to help them do their work.

This is what Miss Naida, Werline, young Houston nurse who is on duty in the Army Hospital, reports. A doctor is ordered for early evening and by dark, she said, no lights are visible anywhere.

Jap Bomber — All Broken Up



Big Jap bomber, its fuselage almost entirely demolished was brought down by U. S. anti-aircraft fire in battle of Coral Sea. (Official U. S. Navy photo from NEA).

Employment Office Is Ready To Open

Plans are rapidly shaping up for the opening in Eastland next Monday of the Aircraft Workers' Training School, which was announced some weeks ago. The school will be located in what is known as the Muirhead Motor Company building on East Main street, where equipment is now being installed.

L. K. Kellers, representing the Texas Unemployment Service, is establishing an office in the Prator Building on South Seaman street, and it will be through this office applications of persons desiring to enroll in the aircraft training school will pass.

R. P. Shuffield and B. E. Patterson, who are to be instructors in the new aircraft workers' training school, are already on the ground and making preparations to enter upon their duties.

Waterworks Men To Meet in Ranger

The monthly meeting of the Central West Texas Waterworks and Sewerage Association will meet tonight in Ranger, at the Paramount Hotel, with a luncheon being served at 7 o'clock, followed by a business meeting, presided over by E. B. Needham, of Abilene, president of the association.

The program, as outlined by Needham, will consist of a short address of welcome by Mayor Hall Walker and an address by Dr. Francis K. Hill, director of the Abilene-Taylor County Health Unit, giving greetings from neighboring towns.

L. E. J. Morrice of the sanitary corps of Camp Berkeley will speak on water conditioning.

D. E. Knigton, district engineer of the state health department, Fort Worth will discuss sanitation for new construction, new additions, emergency repair parts and invoicing to replace stocks.

Convict Sent To Prison From County Is Among Escapees

One of the eight escaped convicts, who broke out of the Harlem State Prison Farm recently, was sentenced to five years from Parker and Eastland counties on a charge of robbery with firearms. He is Ray M. Rankin, sentenced recently to the penitentiary.

Others who escaped, included Jimmy Dickerson, sentenced from Harris and Tarrant counties; Paul LaFleur, sentenced from Hopkins and Harris counties; Richard Williams, sentenced from Dallas county; Dale Hall, sentenced from Briscoe county; Elmer Allen, alias Homer Leg Allen, from Bexar county; James Gallagher, from Robertson county; John Anthony Wear from Crockett county and Douglas Fairbanks Bryan from El Paso county.

Eleven convicts escaped by saving their way from the dormitory building Sunday night. Dickerson was wounded slightly when shot with buckshot, and was recaptured. Seven still remain at large.

Argentinas Beef Frozen Quickly By New, Rapid Method

BUENOS AIRES (UP)—Argentina's famed beef exports are being frozen by a quick-freeze method that takes 6 hours instead of the several days required at present, and will save 75 per cent on shipping space, according to local packers.

By the new process, the meat is sucked into hollow metal tubes by a vacuum equivalent to half a ton of air pressure; the meat in the tube is then frozen under a bromine spray which is later removed by exterior heating.

RIOTING IS CONTINUED IN BOMBAY AREA

BOMBAY—Rioting, strikes and independence disorders in which an angry crowd set fire to a Delhi Municipal office lorry and slightly injured three officials continued to spread today after police again fired on demonstrators in Bombay and Delhi.

Police, bolstered by troops who took part in some clashes, were still unable to control rioting in Bombay and Delhi, the seat of the British Viceroy, and the riots were more serious this afternoon in Northern Bombay, where trains were attacked, traffic paralyzed and fires started.

Army Bombers Hit Hard At Jap Bases

U. S. ARMY AIR FORCE Headquarters, Hengyang—Army bombers and fighters striking in support of the New American offensive in the southwest Pacific, blasted Japanese bases today along a 600-mile front in China from Hankow to Canton at the Pearl River estuary.

Transaction Tax May Be Considered

WASHINGTON, D. C.—A proposal by Dr. Francis E. Townsend to raise \$30,000,000,000 a year by a five per cent gross tax on transactions today drew a suggestion from chairman Walter F. George, Democrat, Georgia, of the Senate Finance Committee, that it might be considered in a less drastic form.

AMERICANS BATTLE FOR TOE HOLD ON SOLOMONS IN A CRUCIAL ATTACK

TWO ESCAPED CONVICTS ARE CAUGHT TODAY

By United Press

DALLAS, Tex. Two foot-crawlers escaped convicts from the Harlem State Prison Farm near Sugarland were captured as they slept on the back porch of a residence at dawn today.

The pair broke out of Harlem shortly before midnight Sunday with eight others. Three were captured immediately on the prison farm grounds.

Detective Jack Archer said the men captured were Richard W. Williams, 25, serving two years from Dallas county for felony theft and burglary, and Elmer Leroy Allen, 22, serving five years from Bexar county for burglary.

Card Index File Being Kept On County Service Men

Ed T. Cox, of Eastland, who is perhaps better posted on the history of Eastland county and its pioneer families than any other resident of the county, is taking much interest in Eastland county boys serving with the United States armed forces both at home and abroad, and in this connection is arranging a card indexed file of the names of all enlisted men from the county that he can get information on.

He has a large number of pictures of these men together with newspaper clippings of stories about them which he has displayed in a show window on the north side of the courthouse square in Eastland. He would be pleased to have any additional information, such as the names of enlisted men from the county together with a picture or any other printed information regarding them, that he can get.

The services Mr. Cox is rendering in the above connection is beginning to be appreciated by the parents and friends of the county's enlisted men, as witnessed by the frequent calls he has about them and the number of people who call to view the display.

Encampment At Eastland Listed As Successful

Chalk up as a success the 4-H Girls' encampment held in Eastland last Thursday and Friday. Registration of those participating began at the City Park at 3:00 p. m. Thursday. Immediately following registration Mrs. E. Kubanks from the Morton Valley Club, directed games and folk dances.

Camp chairmen were elected by the speeches they made. Faye McCully of the Gorman High club and Joe Jane Nix of the Morton Valley club, were chosen to those positions.

After taking a swim the campers enjoyed a picnic supper and went on a moonlight hike, which was in the form of a hunt. Just before bedtime the club members presented a candlelighting ceremony to the guests and mothers. This was symbolic description of the meaning of 4-H Club work.

Friday morning the girls made wooden trays under the direction of Gladys Martin, home demonstration agent, and Walter Sandy, a representative of American Red Cross, with the help of two boys who had just passed their Junior Life Saving, gave a demonstration on swimming, diving, lifesaving and artificial respiration. The encampment closed Thursday afternoon.

Struggle Extends from Beaches of Tulagi Base to New Guinea Mountains and Westward to Timor. Russians Break One Nazi Line but Advance Continues.

Rachel Elizabeth Williams Buried On Last Saturday

Funeral services were conducted Saturday afternoon at the Eastland Methodist church for Mrs. Rachel Elizabeth Williams, 73, who died Friday. Interment was in the Eastland cemetery.

Mrs. Williams was one of the County's pioneer citizens and at the time of her death resided on South Seaman street in Eastland. Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Wilbur Stiles of Eastland.

Funeral Services For J. S. Butler, 68 Held At Ten Today

Funeral services for J. S. Butler, 68, Eastland merchant who died Monday afternoon, were conducted from the Eastland Methodist church at 10:00 o'clock this morning. Rev. J. D. Barron officiated assisted by Rev. Mary Angew. Interment was in the Eastland cemetery with Hamner Undertaking Company in charge. Survivors include the widow and a daughter, Mrs. Ray Hardwick, of Eastland.

Burglars Enter Eastland Stores

The Eastland Auto Parts store, operated by Milton Gaines, and the filling station on East Main street operated by Lee Bishop, were entered by burglars Sunday night, according to Eastland officers who are investigating the case.

It was stated that gum and peanut vending machines were taken from each place. The machines were carried away and broken open by the burglars. The broken machines have been located.

War Worker Wont Shave BREMERFORD, Wash. (UP)

When a certain destroyer for the U. S. Navy is launched at the Puget Sound navy yard—then, and not before, shipfitter helper Willis H. Chadwick will shave, even though his beard has turned out to be a mottled job, with red patches. But he has made a pledge, and he intends to keep it.

THE WEATHER

WEST TEXAS—Little temperature change this afternoon and tonight. Scattered thunderstorms in northeast and north central portions.

On Guard In Hawaii



"Queter," one of the dogs trained by the U. S. Army, stands guard while Lieut. Gen. Delos C. Emmons, military governor of Hawaii works at his desk. (Passed by censor.)

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ABOUT THE SECOND FRONT

All the signs point to some dramatic development in this war. What it will be, or where, or upon whose initiative, only a very few persons know—ad perhaps they are not quite certain.

It could be the collapse of the sturdy Russian defense. Undoubtedly Hitler is pouring every possible ounce of his strength into an effort to break the Red army now. He may succeed. But in all probability he will not, although he is doing tremendous damage.

More probably the sensation will be the opening of a second front by either the Anglo-American alliance or the Japanese. Nobody should be too greatly surprised if the two came almost simultaneously—the United Nations trying to distract Hitler from his Russian adventure. While Ja Japan, in Siberia, attempts to distract the Reds from Hitler, an, in Siberia, attempts to distract the Reds from Hitler.

Over whatever the Japanese may do our control is limited. Moreover, President Roosevelt has promised that we shall wage a war of offensive. Therefore it is up to us to decide, principally, where we are going to hit Hitler, and how.

Laymen in a democracy are entitled to their opinions. But laymen opinions in the matter of second front strategy are not worth the breath it takes to expound them. Only the experts should determine, on the basis of secret information properly withheld from the public, when we are ready to strike, and where, and how.

Conceding that probably we shall open a second front soon, there's one point on which the public should keep very clear.

If our second front is in the air—if it is a day-by-day series of devastating raids upon the Reich's industrial centers and transportation arteries—then in launching it we shall not have burned all our bridges behind us.

We can wage such warfare assured that even if it should prove less conclusive than we hope, we shall have done more damage to Germany than to ourselves.

A second land front can not be opened in Europe, however pressing Russia's emergency, unless we are prepared to gamble our national existence upon that one throw of the dice.

The losses we must suffer, landing an army in Europe and attempting to supply it, will be so unbearable that they could not be repeated.

If such an attempt is made and it fails, we shall have lost the war for keeps, right there.

The decision is too vital to be made on the basis of emotion. If Franklin Roosevelt were so weak that he could be egged into rashness by pre-printed postcards, Red Front sponsored, they should be withheld.

Fortunately, he is not.

Fortune laughs at people who sit back and wait for it to smile.

U. S. ARMY OFFICIAL

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for horizontal and vertical words. Includes a small portrait of a man in the center.

The Payoff

BY CHARLES JOHNSON
Sports Editor, Minneapolis Star Journal

MINNEAPOLIS.—To the average baseball fan, the name of Michael J. Kelley probably doesn't mean much.

Kelley, a congenial Irishman known as "Kel" throughout baseball, is president and sole owner of the Minneapolis baseball club of the American Association. He has been a player, manager and owner during his 47 years in the game.

Kel is baseball's master salesman and trader. It was Kel who took Van Lingle Mungo, a discarded Brooklyn Dodger, and brought him back so far the New York Giants parted with some real cash to get him back into the National League. It was Kel who picked up Huck Geary from the Class D De Land, Fla., club three years ago and recently peddled him to the Pittsburgh Pirates for a nifty bit of cash and two players.

SUCH deals have been typical ever since Kelley became owner of the Millers in 1924. He stepped into a bad ball club—financially and artistically. He was working on borrowed money.

Yet, before mid-season, he had sold Leo Mangum, a pitcher who never burned up the big leagues, and Johnny Grabowski, a catcher who eventually wound up with the Yankees, to the Chicago White Sox. He received \$40,000 and two players.

Probably the finest bit of baseball business Mike ever pulled was with Brooklyn in 1936. He sold the Dodgers (they were Duffness boys then) third baseman Johnny Butler. In return, Minneapolis got six players. He eventually sold three of them back to the majors for fancy prices.

SOME of the best prospects Minneapolis has had in the last 18 years have been the hardest to sell. Pat Malone was one. His habits weren't too good in the minors. It took a lot of persuading to get the Chicago Cubs to take him on.

Hughy Critz was a Kelley product. Mike didn't like his looks and thought he was putting something over on Cincinnati when he sold him for an ordinary price. You know how Hughy turned out.

In 1936, he dickered for and purchased Dusty Cooke, Carl Reynolds and Red Kress. All were former major leaguers. They played so brilliantly, Mike sold them back to the majors at a handsome profit.

Not bad for a fellow who has been in the business 47 years and whose father once told him to get into "something permanent."

Harry Grayson, NEA Service Sports Editor, is on vacation. In his absence, noted sports authorities will contribute to his column.

Flag Presentation Ceremony Is Held At First Baptist Church

A flag presentation ceremony was held at the First Baptist Church Sunday, in which members of the church and of the Texas Defense Guard participated.

As the congregation sang "Onward Christian Soldiers" the Christian flag was presented by three members of company B, Texas Defense Guard and the congregation gave the pledge to the flag.

While singing "The Star Spangled Banner" three other members of the company brought forward the Star and Stripes and the pledge, was given by the congregation.

Following a prayer and reading of a list of men from the church, who are in the armed services, members of troop 53, Ranger Boy Scouts, unveiled a service flag.

Rev. David M. Phillips, pastor of the church presented the flag to the church as a gift of Capt. and Mrs. C. L. Jackson and family of Fort Bliss, formerly of Panger.

Dr. R. H. Hodge, chairman of the board of the deacons, accepted the flag and Miss Cecelia McDowell gave a patriotic selection on the vibrascope, and the choir sang the anthem, "Be With Us Yet."

The pastor delivered a short sermon on the subject "The Building of a Life."

Ames Wilhelm of Camp Barkley, Abilene, was baptised at the conclusion of the service.

FIRST COURSE IN FIRST AID PLANNED HERE

A beginners class in first aid is to be started in Ranger as soon as enough registrants can be secured, it was announced today by L. W. Meador, president of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce.

Anyone interested in taking the course has been urged to register as soon as possible at the Chamber of Commerce office, and they will be notified when the first meeting will be held.

After the class is organized the members will be allowed to vote on the day it will meet for regular instruction, in order that a date can be selected that will have as few conflicts with their activities as possible.

Certified American Red Cross instructors will be in charge of teaching the class, and at the conclusion of the 20-hour course, an advanced class is expected to be organized.

There are a number in Ranger who have completed this first instruction course, and who expect to enter the advanced class, along with those taking the course now

being planned. It is hoped by the instructors that between 20 and 30 members may be registered in time to start the classes next week, with both men and women being eligible for the work. A number have already expressed the desire to enter the class. Both men and women will act as instructors.

Army Goes On Greenwich Civil Time System

CHICAGO, Ill. (UP)—"Well, honey, I'll meet you at the usual place at exactly 1700, and we'll have more fun than we did 08-1600."

In case you're trying to decipher that one, it's nothing more than a soldier boy and his girl friend arranging a social engagement with the use of the Greenwich Time system being adopted by the army on a War Department order to synchronize time in all of its branches.

Under the new system, time is expressed in a group of four digits running from 090 to 2400, representing the 24 hours from midnight. The first two figures of the four-digit serial indicate hours after midnight and the remaining two show the minutes past the hour.

Where the hour can be given in a single digit it will be preceded by a zero. For example, 0625 means 6:25 a. m., and 2 p. m. will be expressed by 1400.

Confusing? Perhaps to the layman, but not to soldiers when they

hear a top sergeant bark, "Aw right, men, supper will be served at 1800." Commonly termed the 24-hour system, it also can be employed to show the date, as well as hour, by preceding the four-figure time group with a two-figure date group. Thus 070515 means it's the seventh day of the month, at 5:15 a. m., which probably is of no importance unless you're Private Jones and you have to pile out of bed.

The 24-hour system, most recently adopted by the sixth corps area headquarters in Chicago, will be used officially in the heading and text of messages from the War Department and in all messages and reports from the army to the War Department, as well as communications with the navy and with armed forces of other United nations.

Greenwich time also will be used between headquarters not having a common local time.

Ceiling Is Put On Retail Lamb Price

DALLAS, Tex. —By issuing temporary price regulation No. 20, OPA has placed a 60-day temporary ceiling on lamb at the wholesale and retail levels. This action completes OPA's price control over every major meat item other than poultry in the American diet.

The temporary regulation sets the wholesale and retail ceiling at the highest price charged by any seller, so purchasers of the same class during the period July 27 to 31, 1942.

Advertisement for U.S. Marines featuring a portrait of General A.J. Mitchell and text describing his military service and awards.

Co-eds Can't Lie To Lie Detector About Boy Friends

DENTON, Tex. —Collegians on the North Texas State Teachers College campus learned why certain people make their hearts

beat faster in tests given this week with a psycho-galvanometer. The tests were conducted by Dr. Arthur Evans, psycho-biologist of Dallas, and students served as "guinea pigs" for the experiments. The instrument used is a form of a lie-detector, which is strapped on the palm of the hand, and the electric conductance of the sweat glands on the skin is affected by emotional disturbances in the systematic nervous system. The hand on the dial of the instrument wavers gently on the 28-degree point as long as the "guinea pig" answers questions truthfully, but if the person lies, or some emotional disturbance takes place, then the increased electrical disturbance registers from the sweat glands, causing the hand to swerve to the left.

NTSTC co-eds volunteered to take the truth test first, and accordingly wrote down names of 12 boy friends. When Dr. Evans called out the name and asked them if it was the boy they were most fond of, bashful Miss Co-ed answered "no" to each name. But when the name of the one-and-only was called out, Betty Co-ed blushed furiously and sweated profusely, and the hand on the dial bounced alarmingly to the left. So whether she liked it or not, she had to admit that science had discovered the identity of her current "heart beat."

Several different types of tests were given the psychology students, all relating to unpleasant memories, fears, or situations the students would be most likely to lie about. This psycho-galvanometer is especially useful in the field of psychology, it was pointed out, for in finding out the source for the trouble, cure is made easier.

Miss Jane Black, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ony Black, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Ethel Harris, and her aunt, Mrs. Charles Greer, in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

Blocks in Salt Lake City are among the largest in the country. As laid out by Brigham Young, Mormon leader and founder of Salt Lake City, each contains 10 blocks. Most streets in the city are 132 feet wide.

Advertisement for Prince Albert cigarettes, featuring a portrait of a man and the slogan 'REAL JOY in ROLLED SMOKES'.

Large advertisement for Texas Electric Service Company. Features a headline 'Defrost Your Refrigerator Regularly for Better Food Preservation Faster Freezing', an image of a refrigerator, and detailed instructions on how to defrost and maintain an electric refrigerator. The ad concludes with the company name and 'A. N. LASRON, MGR.'.

SUPERMEN OF THE U.S. ARMY



THE THREE BOYS IN AUSTRALIA... THE YOUNGEST... THE OLDEST... THE MIDDLE...

Places Still Open In WAVES Now

The fact that there have been numerous applications filed for service in the Women's Reserve United States Navy... Lieutenant Luna, head of the "WAVES" for the Eighth Naval District...

Yesterday and Today



The Motor Transport Department of the U. S. Marine Corps... The Marine Corps, now at its greatest strength, depends heavily on motorized transportation.

OUT OUR WAY



SUN STROKE

WILLIAMS

SERIAL STORY BANNERS FLYING BY MARY RAYMOND

CHAPTER I WHEN the Colton twins—Christie and Janet—were born, everybody in Westwood said they were as alike as two peas in a pod. But they were not many weeks old before their great-aunt Lawrence remarked dryly: "As alike as two peas and moonshine." Which, later, proved an apt comparison.



"I'm glad to find you all in one piece," Bart said. "If you had stayed up much longer I'd have gone after you." many times before when Russ was in front, his broad back hiding the stick from her. She was alone. She was up here with the ship and the sky. She was alone. Her throat was tight. She had been shoved up here without warning. Now, how was she to get down? Oh, yes, she knew. Don't get frightened and cling to the stick, Christie. Easy now, you could never make a landing with that tail arm. Loosen up, loosen up inside. A plane feels it, if you're not confident. She could almost hear Russ talking. Well, all right, she was feeling steady. "I've done it, I've soloed," she whispered suddenly exultant. But all this was a forced kind of bravery. She didn't really feel brave inside.

Board Chairman To Head College

ABILENE. —Pending election of a president to succeed Dr. Frank L. Turner, resigned, trustee of McMurry college placed administrative affairs of the school in the hands of S. M. Jay, chairman of the board of directors.

Gorman Sailor To Wed New York Girl

NEW YORK. —A marriage license was issued here, yesterday, to George Edward Gorman, 21, of Route 2, Ranger, who is now serving with the U. S. Navy, and Miss Patricia Fidelity Gynn, 18, of 72 East 27th street, this city.

Olden Youth Gets An Army Promotion

Aviation Cadet Robert D. Hardy, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Vermillion, Olden, was recently appointed cadet lieutenant at the aviation school, Kelly Field, San Antonio, Texas.

A.W. Springer Dies At Aspermont

A. W. Springer, 87, father of Carl Springer of Abilene, who formerly lived in Eastland, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Ella Lanier in Aspermont Sunday morning.



LIEUT. WANG YUNG CHANG. One of Westwood's greatest trainees for a position of honor in the JAPANESE AIR FORCE.

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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



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A JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an Amendment to Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the lending of Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) of the permanent School Fund for the construction of a State office building or buildings...

on said bonds as it comes due, to the credit of the Available School Fund; and shall pay off said bonds as they become due and deposit the amounts so paid to the credit of the Permanent School Fund...

RE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 49-b, which shall read as follows:

"Section 49-b The Legislature may provide by law for the issuance of not more than Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) in bonds or obligations of the State of Texas to the Permanent School Fund for the construction of a State office building or buildings...

Those voters opposing said Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words: "Against the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the investment of not more than Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) in bonds or obligations of the State of Texas to be issued for the construction of a State office building or buildings..."

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the State of Texas at an election to be held on the third day of November, 1942, at which election all voters favoring such proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words: "For the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the investment of not more than Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) in bonds or obligations of the State of Texas to be issued for the construction of a State office building or buildings..."

Section 3. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and existing laws of the State.

Section 4. The sum of Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State not otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of said publication and election.

Society, Club and Church Notes

Ladies Bible Class Meets

The regular weekly meeting of the Ladies Bible Class of the Church of Christ met at 3 o'clock for a continued study of the book of First Peter.

Wesley Mickey, minister of the church, was in charge of the lesson which was based on the second chapter of Second Peter.

Following the lesson a short business meeting was held and members voted to continue a social service project outlined at a previous meeting.

Rebekahs To Meet

The Ranger Rebekah Lodge, No. 244 will meet at 8:30 o'clock this evening and all members are urged to be present for initiation.

Max Ross Wade Entertains

In celebration of his seventh birthday, Max Ross Wade entertained at his home Monday afternoon, from 4 to 6 o'clock with a party for a group of friends.

During the afternoon various games were enjoyed and favors of Big Little Books and stick cany were distributed.

At the close of the afternoon refreshments were served to the following guests: Loretta Wynne, Betty Marie Mickey, Charlotte Love, John Ross Johnson, Jerry Bob Greer, Larry Ann Jones, Betty Ellen Jones, Donna Rae Suparral, Gilbert Lanier, Jr. and Max Ross Wade.

W. M. U. Circles Meet

Meetings of the circles of the Women's Missionary Union of the First Baptist church were held Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at which time a study of the mission book was conducted.

A combined meeting of the Blanche Ross Walker and the Alma Jackson circle was held in the home of Mrs. Ross Hodges and Mrs. Mamie Ruth Hamrick gave the review of the book, Mrs. Col. Brashear was hostess to the Elkin Lockett and the Christina Donath circles at which meeting Mrs. Davy Phillips gave the discussion. Members of the Anita O'Neil meet in the home of Mrs. J. D. Johnson with Mrs. Wilmet Simpson presiding.

W.S.C.S. Has Council Program

The weekly meeting of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist church was held at the church Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock for a council program.

Mrs. O. L. Phillips was the leader for the program, subject of which was "For The Facing of This Hour" and had a patriotic theme. The meeting was opened with the singing of America followed by the flag salute and oath of allegiance. Mrs. Phillips led in prayer and gave the devotional on "How Lovely is Our Dwelling Place."

Mrs. R. R. Stafford spoke on the "Living God and What It Means" stressing ways and means to increase interest by the formation of a calling, welcoming, and sunshine committee.

Mrs. M. H. Hagaman discussed the subject, "What As Christian Women Should We Be Doing" emphasizing opportunities to aid our soldiers.

The closing prayer was offered by Mrs. C. E. May.

Max Ross Wade Entertains

In celebration of his seventh birthday, Max Ross Wade entertained at his home Monday afternoon, from 4 to 6 o'clock with a party for a group of friends.

During the afternoon various games were enjoyed and favors of Big Little Books and stick cany were distributed.

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Three From Here Finish Course In First Aid Work

Three from Ranger have completed the American Red Cross instructor's course in first aid which was held in Eastland. The three are: L. W. Meador, Miss Izetta Woods and Miss Mavereon Lemley.

The three, upon receipt of their certificates, are authorized to be instructors in first aid.

The class, held in Eastland, was

Advertisement for 'I LOST 52 Lbs.!' featuring a woman and text about a diet plan.

FOR SALE advertisement for a six-room modern house with acreage, owned by C. E. Maddocks & Co.

CONSERVE YOUR SHOES advertisement for Bell's Modern Shoe Shop, featuring an illustration of a shoe.

Chiropractic advertisement for E. R. Green, featuring text about health and chiropractic services.

PERSONAL

Billie Bob Boon has returned from a visit in Elgin.

A. W. Dooley underwent a tonsillectomy at the West Texas Hospital this morning.

Haden Edward Eastland, son of Mrs. Lillian Eastland, is a patient in the Baylor Hospital in Dallas, recovering from a broken shoulder.

Miss Martha Musick left Monday for Pharr where she will spend the winter and attend school.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Johnson had as their guests for the weekend, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Funnell and daughter, Mary Frances, and Mrs. W. M. Bellville all of Stephenville, and Mrs. H. E. Anderson and son Billy, of Oakland, California. Mrs. Anderson and Billy remained for a week's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Strange of San Antonio were the week-end guests of Dr. and Mrs. Bob Hodges.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Langley and children, Montrelia and Alvin are visiting in Moran.

Mrs. Minnie Bryant of Ft. Au for those who had completed the regular first aid courses. The class was composed of 32 members from Eastland, Stephens and Calahan Counties.

One fellow says the reason he has no peace of mind is because his wife is always giving him a piece of hers.

CLASSIFIED

WANTED—To buy several typewriters of any standard make. See Mrs. Bredgen at Eastland Abstract—Southwestern Peanut Growers, Association.

FOR RENT—Small newly furnished modern house Mrs. L. E. Gray, Phone 209.

WANTED—Experienced woman cook. Good pay to right party. Apply Mrs. Higdon's Cafe.

RANGER BOOK EXCHANGE—All kinds of books—Upholstering—Furniture built to order—Second hand furniture. This month only 2 piece living room suite up holstered for \$5.00.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished South East room with bath. Mrs. Nannie Walker.

FOR RENT—Furnished apt. Private bath. 296-W Mrs. Mills Davensport.

FOR RENT—Furnished 8-room modern house. 214 Lula St.

FOR RENT—Four-room house. See Mrs. Richardson at Porkey Pig.

FOR SALE—Registered Scotties See Jimmy Kelly, 609 West Main St.

LOST—Set of keys in leather case. Return to Times office, Reward.

HELP WANTED—Experienced waitress. Apply in your own handwriting, state your experience and send a late picture. Good wages. Wayside Inn, 509 Main, Fort Worth, Texas.

TO CHECK MALARIA take 666

IT'S CLEAR SAILING as long as nothing happens to upset your course, but an accident, fire, burglary or other low may throw you off financial balance. Why not let this agency check your insurance protection?

Advertisement for C. E. MAY, representing The Ains Company and Savery Company of Hattiesburg, Miss.

North Dakota Is Safest Spot In The Entire World

CHICAGO, Ill.—The safest person in the United States lives somewhere in North Dakota, and she is a little girl between the ages of 5 and 14, according to figures in the 1942 issue of Accident Facts, the National Safety Council's year book of accident statistics.

The Council's figures name North Dakota as the safest state in the Union, in terms of both traffic accidents and accidents of all kinds. And the age group from 5 to 14 has the lowest accident rate of any, with little girls getting hurt only one-third as often as little boys.

Miss Dorothy Jean Bruce has as her guest for the week, Miss Hobbs Turnbow of Shreveport, La.

Mrs. Dick Phillips left today to join Mr. Phillips to make their home in Belton.

Miss Vivian Crenshaw of Dallas was the week-end guest of her mother, Mrs. Loretta Crenshaw.

Mrs. Ira Nourse and son, Gene, of Tulsa, Oklahoma, formerly of Ranger, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Clark.

Don Morgan returned home Sunday from a visit in North Carolina.

Mrs. Martha Burnett and children left today for Houston after a visit with relatives and friends.

Mrs. W. F. Cox and daughter, Sandra, returned to their home in Houston today after spending the past few days in the home of Mrs. Lloyd Landroop.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Matthews and daughter, Ann, left Sunday for a visit in Houston. They were joined by Miss Jane Matthews at College Station where she had been the guest of Bill Hodges.

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MAKE SURE YOUR LIGHTS ARE IN ORDER advertisement featuring an illustration of a car.

FREE ESTIMATE advertisement for C. J. MOORE AUTO MART, Hy 80 East.

FOR RENT advertisement for 2-3 and 4-Room furnished or unfurnished apartments with bath at GHOLSON HOTEL and JOSEPH'S FIREPROOF APARTMENTS.

SEE BROWN'S Transfer and Storage advertisement for a moving contractor operator.

Tenderized MEATS advertisement for A. H. POWELL GROCERY & MARKET, featuring text about quality meats and delivery services.

ARCADIA TOP SERGEANT advertisement featuring a cartoon character and text about a surprise night.

It's a Fact at VAUGHN'S Service Station advertisement for firestone tires and auto accessories.

JOHNSON RADIO SHOP advertisement for radio tubes and parts.

Are You Moving Away? advertisement for Earl Bender & Company, Inc. abstracters.

PAINT NOW advertisement for Wescote Paint, featuring text about the benefits of painting.



In Their Behalf... In Our Behalf...

WE THANK YOU

Naturally we are proud of our boys in the service, of the job we are doing, and prouder still to be a vital part of America's great transportation system. We are also proud of the way you are co-operating with us in making our civilian transportation efforts less difficult.

Today, Uncle Sam comes first... Troop trains that transport our fine boys to their own particular jobs, and important freight shipments consisting of raw materials and finished products, that constantly glide across the country for our fighting forces, naturally come first and we know that is the way you want it.

- Timely Hints for All Travelers: Plan your trip as far in advance as possible, Whenever you can, travel on midweek days, Purchase round-trip tickets and save time and money, Buy your Pullman ticket as soon as your reservation has been made, Cancel reservation promptly if travel plans are changed, Allow ample time at the station to buy tickets and check your baggage, Take as little luggage as possible, then there'll be more room and comfort for everybody.

THE TEXAS AND PACIFIC RY. advertisement with logo and text about railway services.

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