INVASION OF SICILY MAY BE OPEN

ATTENDS FIELD FOR FINAL GO DAY SATURDAY AT MUNDA

A crowd estimated to be a round 200 was present Saturday for the Field Day sponsored by the Eastland County Sheep and day for the final thrust to take Goat Raisre Association, held at the Ranger country club.

During the morning Dr. I. B. Boughton of the Senora experiment station gave a very informative discussion on animal diseases, dealing especially with anthrax, sore mouth and prenatal sickness. He spoke in the afternoon on parasites.

Floyd Lunch, county agent presided at the meeting and introduced Frank Reeves, Sr., livestock editor of the Fort Worth Star Telegram, who spoke briefly on the importance of cooperation through organization in any industry. Reeves was the guest of tance of five miles. the association by special invita-Mills and Eastland counties, including J. F. Donley, president of the Eastland county organization sponsoring the event.

ness meeting of the association eld at which reorganization was discussed and plans also outlined for a wool and mohair marketing house in Ranger.

In connection with the day several prize animals were shown ships destroyed. and a collection of a variety of grasses was displayed by Charles

and barbecue were directed Donley who was assised by Bell and Lynch and other members of

FCC Threatened By House Group Seeking Evidence

WASHINGTON, July 10,(UP)

A special house committee in-

vestigating the Federal Commun-

ications Commission today threat ened to ask the House itself for authority to compel production of evidence denied the committee by order of President Roosevelt. While "refretfully" taking exception to the President's action, the committee prepared to make public a "sensational" navy memorandum criticising alleged FCC blunders in the field of military Eugene L. Garey said the author records to either of these two Later he transferred to Salt Lake of the memorandum, Rear Ad- places, if they will call either City, Cheyenne, Wyoming and at miral S. E. Hooper, retired chief Mrs. Howard Ellwood, Mrs. Con the time of the transfer was locaof navy communications, had | Hazard or Mrs. E. C. Ward, ted at Casper, Wyoming. He was stepping stone time table for the been "gagged" by a presidential order forbidding naval officers the records.

said, "but under this order, although retired, he would be subject to navy discipline if he did

Committee Chairman Eugene Committee Chairman Eugene E. Cox, D., Ga., charged last night that President Roosevelt had taken an attitude which rais es the question whether he can 'in the public interest" limit the U.S Liberators constitutional powers of

Auxiliary Will Meet Tuesday at President's Home

A meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary will be held Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock a. the home of the president, Mrs. A, H. Powell. The meeting will

bets are urged to attend. smaller merchant that and believed sunk.

ALLIES MASSED

By United Press Allied forces on New Georgia Island were reported massed tothe Japanese garrison at Munda, riddled by a bombardment from

naval vessels, planes and land ar

American jungle troops were closing in from the east and north. The bombardment started before dawn yesterday when war ships started shelling the base. A hundred bombers, escorted by fighters, followed up with a 70ton raid in the heaviest single aerial attack in the South Pacif-

Forces two miles east of Mun da hauled up artillery and troops on Rendova were shelling the Japanese air field from a dis

Mitchell bombers continued at tion to the meeting. Lynch also tacks in the Salamau area of introduced ranchers and county New Guinea in support of agents from Stphens, Pato Pinto, ground troops to soften up Japanese positions.

Forty five Japanese planer were dispursed with a loss of four by defending fighters over During the afternoon a busi- Rendova. A Japanese communique said six Allied warships were sunk in the Kula Gulf battle las Tuesday but admitted no losses Previous American announce ments set the results at one Am erican cruiser, the Helena, sunk and from nine to 11 Japanese

Used Phonograph Arrangements for the meeting Records Sought By Auxiliary

Mrs. A. H. Powell, president of the American Legion Auxiliary, Saturday issued an appeal to the people of Ranger to contribute their old phonograph records for shipment to our service men over

It was pointed out that a concerted drive for the records is being sponsored by the Auxiliary and as Mrs. Powell said, "draft your old records and send them to war." Mrs. Powell also stated they had received the go ahead signal from headquarters and that the remainder of July will be devoted to collecting the records.

Anyone having the records to contribute may leave them at the Star Dry Goods Company or A. H. Powell Grocery. If there are those who are unable to get the someone will be sent to collect here on a short visit about a invasion of Europe since the All

The goal of the Auxiliary is to collect at least 20 records for fore the committee.

"Admiral Hooper was ready each member of the Auxiliary and each member of the Auxiliary and and willing to testify," Garey all of these will be contributed with scattered thundershowers for use by men and women in south and central portion.

This is the second nation-wide drive of this kind that the Auxiliary has participated in and members are eager to make as excel-

Stage Raid On French Indo-China

HEADQUARTERS 14th U. (UP)-(Delayed)-In the biggest raid since they reached China, U. S. Liberators pounded the shipping docks and cement plant at Haiphong, French Indo-China, today with tons of bombs.

An 8,000-ton Japanese freighbe a business session as well as | ter in the harbor was left burning a social gathering and all mem- and listing in the water and a smaller merchant vessel was hit

plans for the state convention | Peturning fliers said the cemwhich will be held in Ft. Worth ent plant and the dock area of in August will be discussed and the southeastern coast port was it is important that all members burning fiercely when they headed be on hand for the discussions. for home.

Russian Front Takes the Spotlight



Germany's long-delayed summer offensive has put the Russian front back in the war news, but the stiff stand of Soviet soldiers indicates the Nazis may have waited too long. Map magnifies the Orel-Kursk-Kharkov area where Germans have opened their drive.

has been assigned to the school of Aviation Medicine at Randolph Field, San Antonio for two months study. On completion of the Ruhr, the assignment Capt. Brazda wil be returned to the Second Air Time Table For Force as flight surgeon for a

bomber crew. Since entering the service about a year ago Capt. Brazda has been in the west, having first been stationed at the Chico Flying School at Chico, California. month ago

WEST TEXAS - Continued warm this afternoon and tonight dered.

CAPT. BRAZDA Yanks Join In An Round The Clock **Bombing of Europe**

A U. S. BOMBER BASE IN ENGLAND -In the first literal around the clock air blitz of Europe, the American air forces at Mrs. A. W. Brazda received dawn today sent out three heavy word Saurday that Capt Brazda formations of bombers to blast

Invasion Of Stepping Stones

By United Press

The Mediterranean island ed capture of Tunisja May 12: June 11 -- Pantellera surrer

June 13-Linosa surrendered July 10 -Sicily invaded.

Kolombangara: Target in Kula Gulf



target of both American bomber and warship attacks. The Vila airfield has been bombed many times and was shelled by our cruisers and destroyers in May and July raids in the Kula Gulf area.

HELP NEEDED IN ISSUING RATION BOOKS

y gasoline rationing board, Sat irday, appealed to the public for olunteers to assist the board and ts staff in completing the work of getting out the new A coupe

applications has the staff com pletely swamped and in order to speed the issuance of the books extra help is called for. Several volunteers from Eastland have assisted in the work but more are needed. Anyone who can give even a few hours to the work is asked to notify the office of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce and transportation will be furnished to Eastland for those who

The current A book expires or uly 21 and in order to have all books reach consumers before that deadline will require considerable more help than is ow operating.

It was explained that the work not difficult but so much cleral work is re quired for each book that it will be impossible or the small staff alone to com lete the work on time. This is a matter that concerns

unty and any colunteer assison in speeding word that is vi-

Coffee Subsidy Is Abandoned

WASHINGTON, July 10 (UP)

Price administrator Prentiss attempts to outlow all subsidy- letting loose everything they had

vas disclosed by Sen. Robert F. Wagner, D., N. Y., strong admin stration support and chairman ssue would dominate the fall ses on of congress.

"They (roll back subsidies) con't be an issue any more,' Wagner replied. "There won't be my more such programs.'

Photographs Of Men Women In Service Wanted

elatives of Ranger men and wo- ing the coast." nen in service for the use of their eaturing the sale of War Bonds and Stamps. Graham has asked hat the pictures be brought to the Penney store by Monday norning for use through the reek. It was also stated that exellent care of the pictures wil e taken and they will be returned o the owner.

such attention, are part of the action off Sicily. program of the company for enand Stamps during the month of Allied invasion ships, had hit and

Kiska Shelled By Navy Again

ment of the enemy Aleutians base rate paid in 10 years, in the developments in three days, the navy announced supply hardly puts a dont in the developments radio itself,"

NEW BLOWS TO HITLER'S FORTRESS MAY FOLLOW THE INVASION OF SICILY

INVASION OF ISLAND TOLD

Brings back first pictures of fighting on beaches and of Navy's fire. smoke screen

By Richard D. McMillan

U. S. AIRDROME, TUNISIA. day how Allied warships dashed close to the shore of Sicily, ired tremendous salvos into the Axis defenses and started "a chain of smoke and flames"

ing hell," he remarked as he here." brought back first pictures of Dr. G. C. Boswell, in announcery automobile owner in the fighting on the Sicilian beaches ing the resignation, stated that provided an aerial umbrella. Restormed by Allied forces.

bird's eye view of the first blow dealings." at the European fortress.

"I could see our warships shelloned the projected rollback of tail coffee prices and will limthe subsidy-rollback program ed out again. Boy! what a battle been closely associated with the fighting near Belgorod, wiped butter and meat, it was learn- picture. I never expect to see any-

thing like it again. "I could see destroyers M. Brown reportedly gave such cigars weaving about in the Cossurances to congress this week, balt water. I saw bigger ships a fact that generally is credited that looked like battle wagons rith enabling the administration with wreaths of smoke rising finally to defeat congressional from their turrets, as if they were To 2 Scientists

"The landing barges looked like Abandonment of the subsidiz- squirming blackfish with white ed rollback theory, except for the wakes for trils. They seemed to programs already under way, be everywhere. There were waves of them dashing toward Sicily and piling men on to the beaches." "I took pictures undisturbed," of the senate banking committee, he said. "Once I saw what loked when he was asked whether the like two planes for below me but they were busy with the invading

> "The antics of our waships shores and then swung away They barges kept coming in a never-

ending stream.

"About 6:30 a. m. (several hours after the invasion began) it was easy to appreciate that a he local J. C. Penney Company, on the island. For 30 minutes, I mediately that destroyers situated rope, whereas the Sicilian in astremendous battle was in progress Saturday appealed to parents or watched our curtain of fire sear- on a line miles apart could be a-

Bleile's comrades listened excitshotographs in a window display edly as he told the first bird's eye story of the greatset sea invasion

Rome Claims Navy Damages Allies

The window displays, two of radio broadcast tonight that It-

The broadcast said that Italouraging the sale of War Bonds ian torpedo bombers, attacking damaged three transports of 7,-000, 10,000 and 12,000 tons.

> Cherries, Too, Cost More idly that drinkers of coktails that planes.

AIR, LAND AND CHARLES BELL ACCEPTS PLACE NAVAL FORCES IN BROWNWOOD IN ON BATTLE

Charles Bell who for the past five years has been vocational agriculture teacher for Ranger ley school, has tendered his res-Inited Press Staff Correspondent ignation to the local school board

added that he felt "that nowhere ers stormed the outer

ance will be a valuable contribu The pilot-Lieut. Robert S. chers in the Ranger system. "Not meager but indicated that the op-Bleile of Seaford, Del.—flew his only is he a capable teacher, cration was proceeding "accordlightning reconnaissance plane good disciplinarian, bue he is eer- ing to plan" in the face of powover the Sicilian battlefield for a tainly a pleasant person in all erful and determined enemy resis-

here has been active in civic ac- at Sicily while hundreds of RAF tivities as well as in his school bombers attacked the Ruhr Valwork and was recently largely ley city of Gelsenkirchon and oth promotion of the interests of out the recent Nazis gains and

Radar Credited In Naval Radio

secret weapon of World War II. years after the end of World War I. according to "Radio News," which credited two naval research There had been repeated. ery of radar's possibilities.

mitter and receiver operating at or even THE landing. a radorh frequencis caused a A second front, in the general central reaction, the magazine usage of the term and especially

The two secontists perceive intware of the passage of an enemy vessel between any two ships in proaches to Europe in what Gee line, despite fog, smoke or dark- Dwight D. Eisenhower described

primitive beginning that Dr. Tayor, working with L. A. Hyland, noted that an aircraft crossing a Sicilian test or whatever follows ceiver which were operating direc tionally gave an interfrence pattern indicating the aircraft's presence. A year later the radio divi-The window displays, two of radio broadcast tonight that sion of the Bureau of Enginering described the invasion as a move ordered, the laboratory is loved. ordered the laboratory ti investigate radio detection of enemy by the people of the Soviet Unvessls and aircraft.

One of the early results of the investigation was the detection of been made in three main assaulairplanes at distances up to 50 miles. From that it was but a southeastern shores of the 10,000 step to development of instru- square mile island, which is sep-MARTINEZ, Cal, (UP)-The ments which would show the posi- trated from Italy by only two price of cherries has risen so rap tion, angle and speed of the air-

WASHINGTON,—American warships pumped shells into Japanese positions on Kiska for sevenese positions on Kiska for sevenese positions on Kiska for sevenese positions on the second bombardment of the enemy Aleutians base ment of the enemy Aleutians base in three days, the navy announced is the navy announced in three days, the navy announced in three days, the navy announced is the navy announced in three days, the navy announced in three days, the navy announced is the navy announced in three days, the navy announced is the navy announced in three days, the navy announced is the navy announced in three days, the navy announced is the navy announced in three days, the navy announced is the navy announced in the night, presumably began landing during the night. S. S. New York in 1938, after like warships opened up about 3 a. m., and that fighting was in the night, presumably beg

RAF and Russians Carry

On their own fights in Europe and Red front During battle By Joe Alex Morris

United Press Foreign Editor hattl: to Mediterranean Island of Sicily.

would be find finer people Than of the fortress just before dawn "Someone is definitely catch- he has known and worked with while big Allied naval guns hammered the Axis coastal defenses and fleets of Allied air planes Pell has been one of the best tea- ports from the island front were

Bell while making his home The big scale blow was struck farmers and stockmen in this wrested the initiative-at least temporarily-from the Germans on the south Russian front.

WASHINGTON, -It's the beginning of the end President Roosevelt said, describing the invasion of Sicily in revealing the attack to a select group of White House dinner guest two hours before the official announcement was made last night.

But whether Sicily was part of a general Allied operation op-

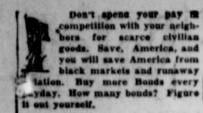
There had been repeated sug scientists with the initial arcov- gestions by President Roosevell and Prime Minister Churchill They were Dr. A. Hoyt Taylor that the Axis would be struck sim fascinated me. They tore into the and Leo C. Young, who, in 1922, ultaneously from many direcworking in the Naval Aircraft tions and in London a British fired everything they had. It was Md. observed that ships and eth- the invasion of Sicily should not er metal objects passing a trans be regarded as "the only landing

> in the view of the Russians, means an all-out invasion of Eumerging of the battle for the apas "the first stage in the lib-It was eight years from this eration of the European contin-

> > The real test will come when it can force the Germans to make large scale withdrawals from the Russian front, which apparently has not yet occured.

Russian dispatches, however,

The landings appeared to have ts on the western, southern and miles of channel. communique disclosed that Allied



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AUGUSTA, PALAZZOLO, FLORIDIA TAKEN AXIS DEFENDERS REEL

NEW NAVAL BATTLE IN KULA **GULF BREAKS WITH LOSS OF** POSSIBLY SIX MORE JAP SHIPS

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS in the Southwest Pacific, July 13 (Tuesday) (UP)-American warships sand at least four and possibly six more Japanese warships in a new naval battle in Kula Gulf in the Central Solomons Monday night, a communique reported Tuesday on the basis of preliminary dispatches from the battle area where the enemy apparently was striving desperately to reinforce his hard-pressed garrisons on New Georgia Island.

This would make at least thirteen and possibly seventeen Japanese destroyers and cruisers des- Mary Elizabeth troyed in Kula Gulf within a

The latest engagement was fought during the darkness of Pioneer, Passes Monday night and Tuesday mornsing, the communique said.

The first contact with the new Japanese naval force was made late Monday afternoon off Vella Lavella Island, northwest of Kolombangara, it was revealed here, and the second contact-apparently the main battle came early hours of Tuesday morning.

ing," said a headquarters spokes-"Early, fragmentary dispatches indicate only that one enemy light

ble, this action may be continu-

wash. ON, (UP) -American medium and heavy bombers carried out three more attacks on Japanese installations at Kiska, the navy ann-

ounced today. No mention was made of any

American naval losses. early morning hours of July 6, and Sarah Sheppard-Stirham, the er force had destroyed at least hood there where she nine and possibly eleven enemy vessels which slipped in Kula Gulf Redmon Allison, who had serve during the darkness apparently to ed as a Union soldier in the war reinforce enemy garrisns on New between the States. To this un Georgia, along the south side of ion eight children were born the gulf, and Kolombangara, a- five of whom survive and are as long the northwest side. That, force was believed to have set of Eastland, Miss Annie Allison men ashore at Vila on the latter and Edwin Allison of Bear

Jap Garrison Destroyed American offensive against Mun- grandchildren also survive. da, main Japanese base on New Georgia, indicated that the enemy had good cause for concern

over the fate of his forces there. Americans who landed at Rice Anchorage, east of Bairoko Harbor on the Kula Gulf shore of

drive on Munda from the north. the construction of a road block in that area, cutting off one route of Japanese land communications

Allied warships also continued their pounding of the Munda area, blasting at the airdrome. Air attacks on the enemy base con-

Ten Enemy Planes Downed.

Avenger torpedo bombers and Dauntiess dive bombers attacked the airdrome Monday morning in force, the communique said, heavily bombing enemy antiaircraft sitions and bivouac areas.

At least ten enemy aircraft were knocked from the skies over the Solomons as the Japanese harassed Allied ground forces with attacks by fighters and bombers

Miss Morgan Goes To Ne Position

has just completed a course as laboratory technician at the West Texas Hospital, has accepted a position as technician with Dr. Harry Logsdon of Colorado City

and formerly of Ranger.

Miss Morgan in company with
her mother, Mrs. S. P. Boon and delighted with her new position. showers east and south portion. it a second time.

Allison, County

Funeral services were held at the Methodist church in Carbon at 4:00 o'clock Sunday afternoon for Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Allison, 89, Eastland county pioneer and widow of the late Redmon Allishortly after midnight in the son. She died early Sunday morning. Interment was in the cema "Judging from reports availa- tery at Bear Springs in which community she had resided for the past 67 years on the farm settled by she and her husband Rev. T. G. Story, pastor of the Carbon Methodist church, and cruiser and three destroyers were Homer J. Starnes, pastor of the sunk and two destroyers probably Eastland Methodist church, officiated at the funeral. Hamners of Eastland and Carbon was in

> charge of the body. Pallbearers were Bonnie Poe, H. O. Hearn.

Born near Athens in Henderried on Christmas Day, 1873, to follows: W. I. and J. C. Allison Springs, and Mrs. Della Dingler of Comanche. Twenty-five grand Reports of the progress of the children and seventeen great

Mrs. Allison with her husband moved from Athens to Ellis was set as the date for a special county where they resided for two years, coming from there to the completion of the organiza-Eastland county and settling on ation and discussion of plans for their Bear Spring farm in Dec- the work of the group. In formbor on the Kula Gulf shore of ember 1876. They were attracted ing the district association, it we Georgia, have wiped out the to Eastland county because of its explained that this group is to enemy garrison at Enogai Inlet reputation as being the pioneer enemy garrison at Enogai Inlet reputation as being the pioneer composed of county groups and along the shores of the harbon and poor man's paradise. They in no way replaces those of the the communique revealed, thus purchased their original homefurther clearing the way for a stead from the late C. U. Connellee, founder of the city of Monday's communique reported Eastland, and at that time land

agent for the railroads who had teen given large grants of land Timbers Sheep and Goat Raisers for the construction of railroads. between Munda and the Kula Guif Like other pioneers the couple forts of the counties in this area went to work to build a home to fortify themselves against possible invasions by Indians who had just been removed from their reservation at Fort Griffin on the Clear Fork River. Logs and shingles were hewn from post oak and materials. timbers and used in the construction of a one-room house and a smoke house in which food and supplies were stored. The smoke-

> Redmon Allison died in 1937 while in his 89th year and while on a visit to his son, J. C. Allison in Eastland.

house is still standing and still

in use after 67 years.

While Mrs. Allison retained al er faculties until the time f her leath she had been gradually growing weaker for sometime and for several years seldom ventur ed away from the home where she had lived so long and which Miss Cia Faye Morgan, who she loved so well. Attending physicians said she was not sick and suffered no pain, but that her body just "wore out." In her childhood Mrs. Allison united with the Church of Christ.

The Weather



SICILY'S AIRFIELD and naval bases are key objectives of Allied invasion forces. May shows the island's principal cities and it agricultural and mineral products.

Dr. Bob Hodges, Saturday, was elected president of the new-Clifford Gilbert, S. L. Craighead, ly organized West Cross Timbers Palmer Stokes, O. N. Justice and Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association, the organization of the group having been effected at son county on February 4, 1854, the field day sponsored at the Only a week earlier, during the the daughter of Mason Stirman Ranger Country Club by the East land County Sheep and Goat rai-

> Executive offices are no no elty to Dr. Hodges who has served as mayor of Ranger, for a rumber of years president of the school board and in many executive offices in church activities.

Other offices ejected were luther Jernigan of Goldwaithe as vice president and J. F. Donley of Ranger, and president of the Eastland County association and secretary and treasurer.

Immediately after the organization of the new association and meeting to be held in Ranger for smaller units.

Plans for a district sheep and goat show and sale were also discussed at the meeting Saturday. The purpose of the West Cross Association is to combine the ef-

1. Marketing of wool and mo-Promoting an annual show

3. Buying and selling of feeds

4. Handling of labor and mahinery for shearing, etc. , The membership of this organization shall consist of all who own or manage sheep or goats.

The membership fee is \$1.00 The officers are elected from the membership annually. There are to be two directors from each

Proposes Referee For Congressional Added Evidence And FDR Bouts

WASHINGTON, (UP)- Chair man Hatton W. Summers, D., of

British and American Paratroops, such as these spill-

the election of officers, July 23 ing by the score out of twin-engined transports, spearhead the Allied invasion of Sicily by landing behind ported the Red army had thrown nually circulates free to Texans problems of farmers and ranchenemy lines, seizing airfields and communication cen-

County Agent Is Recruiting Farm Help Volunteers

County have been met to date. determining factor.

Agent's Office.

In addition to volunteer work ers for seasonal crops, this office s giving asistance to men in locating year-round workers or li borers; as well as in placing those needing jobs on farms and ranches. Every available person

May Decide Case

ferre legislative bouts between ment to the government by the one on the premises at the time. Wright Aeronautical Corpora- Though here was no insurance man Committee.

Beef Shortage Eased As Cattle Being Delivered

CHICAGO, (UP- The beef thortage appeared to be nearing weaken their summer drive. recruiting of Victory Farm Vol- an and as farmers unloaded their anteers, the request for hoe cattle at the nation's principal the Belgorod sector was comparhands by the farmers in Eastland livestock centers in greatly in- ed by observers in London with creased numbers.

However, it is anticipated that custry and the livestock trade, 28 and by July had penetrated through harvest time that it will however believed the relief was almost eighty miles to the Voronrequire many more volunteer temporary and that further shor ezh region. workers to harvest peanut crops. tages would occur when the re- The communique said that at Weather conditions will be the cord supply of cattle on farms one point enemy tanks and infan-

Fire Partially Destroys Ranger Matress Factory

Fire of an undertermined ori-

after noon Monday. Chief George Murphy said that ed, and transferred their attenthe building was burned out on tion to another section. One Red al Federation of Women's Clubs the inside and that the fire de-WASHINGTON, (UP)- Whe- partment found difficulty in get-Tex., of the house judiciary ther criminal prosecutions will be ting to the fire because of the committee, today proposed a plan warranted in connection with al- construction of the building and mans. to "let the folks back home" re- leged sale of defective equip- fact that it was locked up with no

the president and congress. Wright Assonautical Corpora- Though here was no insurance tion, A Curtis-Wright Corpora- on the building or contents, it amendment to provide a "cooling tion subsidiary, appeared today was stated that there was no off" period between the time to depend on additional evidence loss to customers as all articles best of himself, then God and Mr. Boon went to the Colorado | WEST TEXAS Little change off" period between the time to depend on additional evidence loss to customers as all articles best of himself, then God and City Monday and Mrs. Boon station in temperature this afternoon when the president vetces a being turned over to the justice being worked on were in the acc. Smith. ed today that Miss Morgan was and tonight. Scattered thunder measure and congress votes on Department by the Senate Tru- front part of the building which ace Smith. was undamaged.

BACK AS ALLIES SEIZE THREE SICILIAN BASES

AGAINST REDS

Tremendous losses begin to Tell in fight of Germans to break Central Front.

LONDON, July 13, (UP)-German offensives along the 165mile long Kursk-Belgorod front Monday were showing signs of weakening, it was announced by | AUSTIN, Tex. -Texans are

the Russians, Tuesday. The Nazi have suffered trem- in other subject, and they're line holding solidly in defense found.

of the Central Russian front. Finally, at many points the at- librarians to fill all the requests tackers despaired of their hopes for war literature from the Unof crashing the Red lines and iversity Package Loan Library, set about bolstering their initial and at times they have to have ositions, while the Russians lash- additional assistance, Miss LeNoir ed out in this own counter offen- Dimmitt, director, points out.

Nazi attacks on the Orel-Kursk, women in war, vocational trainsector, the communique said, add ing for war industry, camouflage was weak ing: The enemy launched his at- airplanes and hundreds of other tacks with less strong forces than topics. in preceding days.

greater and greater in ferocity the way to better home and world as the day wore on, were ann- conditions when the war is over uonced earlier bythe Moscow ra- Miss Dimmitt said. crack guard units, into the coun- | brary materials. ter fight.

The Nazi broadcast described the counteroffensive as extending over a sixty mile front in the area of Belev, Kirov and Sukhinichi, midway between Orel and Smolensk, where the pressure of the southwest flank of the Nazi thrust might force the Germans

The reported limited wedge in the Nazi 1942 summer offensive Spokesmen for the packing in- which started near Kursk June

and ranges had been exhausted, try several times tried to cut Any person that has not reg- beef shortage and high prices wedges into the defending lines, stered may do so at the County were given as reason for the de- but Soviet troops hurled them back to their initial positions.

About 1,000 Nazi officers and men were slain at that point and seventeen tanks, six big guns, twenty-five machine guns and a nortar battery destroyed.

Fingting in the Belgorod area was described as especially fierce. Supported by artillery and aircraft Nazi tanks and infantry tried to buck the staunch Russigin broke out in the Ranges an defenders, only to be disapnatress factory building shortly pointed. At one point, the Nazis quit cold when their efforts failguard's unit smashed back two announced. violent Naziz assaults and killed more than a battalion of

Today's Thought

"When a proud man thinks

British assault forces land at Catania above Augusta on road To Important Messina

Axis defenders of southeast Scily reeled back today before a lightning sweep of Allied armies which seized the key bases of Augusta, Ragusa, Palazzolo and Floridia, springboards for the continuing fan-out of their invasion orces to the north and west.

Outracing the swife land drive which in three days had won virtual control of southeastern Sicily, British assauit forces landed on the beaches near Catania, major

· east coast port 20 miles above War of Greatest Messina.

Interest To Texas Survey Indicates up in the lower corner of the triangular island.

more interested in the war than in force failed to develop.

made to smash through the Rus- other single phase, University of walled town of Ragusa comdan lines they have encountered Texas extension librarians have mands railroad and highway It takes the full time of two Syracuse

To satisfy this demand, the li-

since the offensive began. The to of the war and post-war prowas put at 1126, eighteen shot; About 90 per cent of all new down Monday, and forty addition- material being shelved deels ports that German troops had been tional craft accounted for on with war-crime and juvenile de- in action. They were quoted as linquency, finances, recreation, saying that they had no Germans Red troops repulsed numerous race relations, food conservation,

"Put the greatest demand of Soviet counterattacks, growing all is for literature that points

dio, and then the Berlin radio re- The Package Loan Library an powerful reserves, including more than 35,000 packages of li-

Committee Chosen To Plan Reunion

Plans for the 1944 annual reunion at Thurber will be in charge of Joe A. Tullos of FtF. Worth, acording to an announcement made by former residents of the town. Others who will assist in the Breckenridge, E. Buchanan of the strain of readjustment after Strawn, L. R. Gayley of Mingus,

Arrendale of Ranger. The reunion this year was attended by 150 persons who were entertained after the lunch hour with movies showing Thurber from 1920 to 1943. The oldest former resident attending the day for responsible and capable meeting was Mrs. Will Ready, Sr., of Ranger, who in spite of her 95 years was one of the need of agriculture is a source gayest at the reunion.

Texas Children **Buy More Jeeps**

PLAINVIEW, fex. (UP)— The school children of Texas bought more jeeps during the recent jeeps camppaign than those of any other state in the union, the Texas director of the Gener-

The original quota for Texas was only 354 jeeps and Texas school children purchased 5,564. The school children's quota for The bodies of 15 Negro soldiers, the entire nation was only 10,000

The campaign was a project of which has now started on a cam- of two white officers, also killpaign to get children to finance ed, had not been ascertained.
their college education through 51 other soldiers were injured, the purchase of war stamps now. | a few seriously.

captured Augusta on the road to Troops who knifed 25 miles in land to take Palazzolo wrecked the Axis communications set-

An anticipated counter attack

The capture of Augusta gave indous losses in both men and more interested in what is to the Allies one of the best naval materials and as each attempt is come after the war than in any bases in the region. The ancient

Italy has admitted the fall of

The Allied line was reported from Rome to extend from the point near Augusta to a point twenty miles west of Licata on the south coast.

A heavy pall of smoke hung ov The Russians said that in Tues brary is building an extensive col- er Southeastern Sicily and the day's fighting the Nazis lost 122 lection of pamphlets, bulletins, Italian coast throughout the day, tanks bringing to 2,622 the num- reprints of magazine articles and the result of the blasting of Axis ber of tanks the Reds destroyed newspaper clippings on all aspects depots by Allied planes ir their destruction by Axis troops.

n the front lines and that the contribution of the German air force

Farmer-Stockmen Need Credit Source That Won't Dry Up

War production and postwar men were discussed at the annual conference of production credit association directors from bree North Central Texas assoc intions in Fort Worth recently, according to T. E. Castleberry, of Eastland, director of the Ste phenville Production Credit As-

"maximum and efficient production for the war, making use of today's markets to get debts in , better shape and building up War Fond reserves to help tide over

C. F. Jones of Thurber and Frank shortages of labor, feed, supplies, machinery and replacements. He said that it was felt by the farmcr-stockman leaders from over these 21 North Central Texas Counties that "although credit toor after a rain, the fundamental of credit that will not dry up.

> Mr. Castleberry pointed out that the PCAs are making "good progress toward full ownership of the coopetatives by the members. These three associations have a combined member stock investment of \$224,400.00 and carned surplus of \$96,629.00 al-

Explosion Kills Fifteen Negroes

PENSACOLA, Fia. (UP)victims of an explosion at Elgin Field, 65 miles east of here, were brought here today, and ofthe Schools at War program, ficials announced that the names

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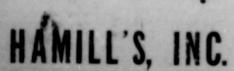
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Sweet Magnolia



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Roraers in a Michigan refalse door leading to the pay office. On it is inscribed, "You will learn to duck low-er if you don't Buy a Boud."

ward Fry was a pointer for the gun crew aboar! .. e 11. S. S. Astoria, when the cru-

"A salvo hit the superstructure nd sheared off the gun. Fry found himself sailing through the

tarted swimming.

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Answer to Previous Puzzle

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Knives For Lives Campaign Started

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Chief Tom O. Gaston, explaining the need of the knives, told the following story:
"Second Class Seaman Ed-

rface ships near Savo 3

... He fell in the water and;

"Soon he found a raft, and atemped to climb aboard. A man kicked him off. He called to the an, and received an answer in

'Fry drew his knife and made inge that put him on the raft. H and the Jap struggled. Fin-ally Fry successfully brought his knine into play."

hat's the story, comments Chiei Gaston who adds: "See we necd knives for the boys."

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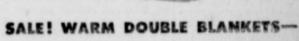
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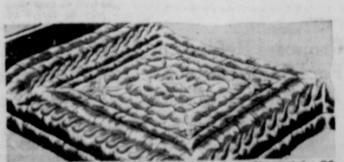
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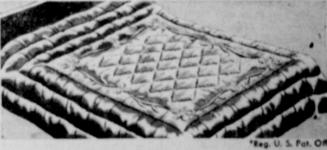
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The Woman's Society of Chrisfor a business and bulletin prog- c'clock.

with the song, 'Tis So Sweet To invited to be present. Trust in Jesus. Mrs. Knox read the minutes from the previous neeting, and they were approved The officers' reports which fol

lowed were very good. Mrs. A. J Ratliff gave an outline of the seven keys to progress n missionary work; after which Mrs. P. O. Hatley discussed the Methodist Bulletin and pointed out special items of interest during the coming weeks.

Mrs. Lillian Wolfe brought the devotional, which was in the form of a reading on Sarah, the un-The closing prayer was offered by Mrs. G C. Boswell.

Three Initiated Into

In an impressive ceremony eld at the Masonic Temple Monay evening at 8 o'clock Mmes. B. Denney, E. L. Martin, and abrev Carver were initiated inthe Eastern Star Chapter.

Mrs. R. J. Taylor, worthy maon, presided at the meeting, for which the hall was attractively ecorated with asters, periwinkes and zinnias in a variety of col

At the close of the initiation, lowers, their colors emblematic of the degree conferred, were resented to each initiate. Following the ceremony a so-

al hour was enjoyed and refreshments were served to 29 mem bers of the chapter.

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The Ruth Sunday School Class White. tian Service of the First Meth- of the First Baptist Church will odist Church mer Monday after meet at the home of Mrs. Bill noon at 4 o'clock at the church Rainwater Tuesday evening at 8 Field, San Antonio, was the

Ruth Class To Have

mie of Houston accompanied by who had been their guest for the her mother, Mrs. H. A. Beck, past ten days, have returned to Ranger from Colorado Springs, Colorado, where they visited Lt. J. D. Litton, who Bartletsville, Okla., formerly of is stationed there.

Codet Roy McCleskey, Jr. of daunted, and gave a picture of A&M College and Mrs. McCleskey the lives of Abarham and Sarah. and son were the week end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy McCleskey, Strawn Road,

Miss Betty Jean McMillian spent the week end as the guest of her Eastern Star Chapter parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Mc-Millan.

> ray, were accompanied by her to his home Tuesday and is report-Camp Waldemar, where they will ed to be resting well. visit Marilyn Murray.

Worth spent the week end as the pital Tuesday morning. guest of her father, Marris Leve-

of Dallas were the week end ient at the Vetrans Hospital, and guests of his parents, Mr. and he is reportd to be improving. Mrs. George Fengler.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wallace of spending this week in Ranger Port Arthur, are the guests this visiting relatives and friends. week of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wallace.

Pfc. Joe C. Ownby has return- turned frm a visit in Teague, ed to Camp Perrin after a fifteen where they were the guests of day visit with his mother, Mrs. Mrs. Johnson's mother. Katy Ownby.

ed word that her father, A. L. joned at the Nashville Army Air Sale Battery radio and Hutson is now at his home in Base, Nashville, Tennessec, was Mrs. Marvin Richard- Long Beach, California after A major operation in a Los Angeles hospital.

Lt. and Mrs. Charles Hodges have returned to Camp Howze after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. LOST-Wallet containing valu Homer B. Hodges. While they able papers. Reward. Bill were here, Capt. and Mrs. C. C. Getts. Box 459. Lantis of St. Cloud, Minn., and Lt. and Mrs. B. H. Crookes of Schenectady, New York, were also guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hod-

> Mrs. F. J. O'Donnell has just returned from Hallettsville, where she visited Miss Peggy O'-Donnell, who is employed by the State Welfare Board.



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Miss Patsy O'Donnell has gone the week end guest of Miss Fano Austin, where she will enter me Lee Goodrun. the University of Texas for the

Mrs. E. C. White, Mrs. W. W. and Memphis, Tennessee, where Bagwell and Miss Ruby Bagwell were in Gorman Monday, and Miss Bagwell underwent minor surgery at the Blackwell Sanitar- this morning that the condition

Mrs. Guy Quinn and daughter Nancy Beth of Eastland, were the guests Tuesday of Mrs. E. C.

Lt. Hazel Ervin of Brooks guest of her parents, Mr. and This meeting will be in the Mrs. J. R. Ervin, during the week Mrs. G. C. Boswell presided nature of a social and all mem- end. She was accompanied back over the meeting which opened bers and associate members are to San Antonio by Mrs. Ervin and Dianne.

> Abilene are the guests of their daughter, Mrs. M. L. King and King. They were accompan-Mrs. Lyle Mace and son, Jim- ied here by Sarah Beth King,

> > Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Crews of Ranger, spent Sunday night with friends here. They were enroute to Austin

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Burton have as their guest their granddaughter, Joy Spurrier of Carlsband, New Mexico.

Mrs. A. C. Anderson and Mrs. Jimmie Carlyle of Strawn were the guests of Ranger friends Mon-

Mrs. Ferrell Smith and son, J. W. Young, who underwent a Ferrell Murray, who have been tonsillectomy at the West Texas | the guests of Mrs. Blanche Mur- Hospital Monday, was removed to

C. E. Jones underwent major Miss Dora Marie Leveille of Pt. surgery at the West Texas Hos-

Mrs. Helen Rawls spent Sunday in Dallas, where she visited her Mr. and Mrs. Francis Fengler father, Ben Yung, who is a pat

Mrs. Ben Yung of Dallas

Frank and Sara Beth, have re-

Sgt. Evonne Westerman, who

Mrs. Katy Ownby has receive is a member of the WAC stat-

Miss Jean Bruce left Tuesday to go to Shreveport, Louisiana, she will visit friends.

of her father, Gus Cooper of cases without general anesthesia Strawn, was much improved. Mr. also skin growths, including Cooper suffered a slight stroke

Mrs. W. J. Van Bibber has returned from a vacation trip to Birmingham, Alabama, and Miami, Fla.



A. Ownby, son of Mrs. Katie the U. S. and Canada have avail-Ownby of Ranger, who recently ed themselves of the teaching entered military service, has ar program offered by the Norwood rived at the Engineer Replace- Clinic ment Training Center here to unin preparation for duty as a com- the Clinic bat Engineer.

The training program consists of basic subjects such as close and extended order drill, the manual of arms, rifle marksmanship and combat principles, as well as spec ialized engineering subject- use of tools and equipment, building of fixed and floating bridges, ex ecution of demolitions and cor struction of roads and obstacles Soldiers go from here to tactical units or to special training or officer candidate schools.

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