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Luftwaffe Dealt Staggering Blow

OLD TIMERS ON CAR BODIES DO JOB FOR ARMY

DETROIT (UP)—They called back the old timers of the automobile industry and taught them the lore of the Eskimos to do a war time job for the army.

"They," the Automotive Council for War Production revealed recently, were officials of the Studebaker Corp., and the old timers were the men who had built motor cars in the days when they were mostly wood instead of steel. The job was to make the sturdy 12 1-2 foot Army sleds used in sub-zero operations, and to make them like the Eskimos fashioned their smaller dog sleds.

"Making these 230 pound sleds posed a unique wartime production problem to the industry," a company official said. "Rawhide bolts had to be substituted for bolts, a common practice in making smaller dog sleds but seldom used on vehicles of this size."

Rawhide bindings were necessary—an engineer explained—to meet the need for a certain flexibility and also because bolts often snap under the punishing cold of an Arctic winter, and hence were unsatisfactory.

"Binding the slats to the bows permitted the runners to follow behind a tow car, whereas the attached runners skidded," the engineer said. "But it looked like a tough one for mass production."

The assembly job called for 83 knots tied from rawhide strips made pliable by soaking. And wet rawhide is slippery stuff to handle.

But the job was done. Production crews trained other specialists—who concentrated on tying knots. Skilled wood workers were equipped with modern power tools—saws, drills and sanders. Jigs and templates speeded shaping and forming of the wood pieces.

As a result assembly time on the sleds was reduced to less than half that required when the company first took over the job.

IACs Will Help Produce Army Technical Manuals

CHARITAN ARSENAL, Metuchen, N. J. (UP)—Four War officers, first to be stationed at the Charitan Arsenal, will take over executive positions in the Publications Department, Col. S. P. Meek, department chief, announced.

Col. Meek, who said he had been trying to arrange for the assignment of Wacs to his department since 1942, said the women will be assigned to the reproduction, planning, typography and illustration of technical manuals and ordnance equipment. They have all had typographical experience.

The first appointees are Lt. Gladys K. Huber of Valley Falls, Kan.; Lt. Isabella M. Henry of Waco, Tex.; 2nd Lt. Elizabeth J. Stewart of Pasadena, Cal., and 2nd Lt. Francis I. Bowen of Marjorie, N. Y.

Col. Meek said at least six and possibly nine other positions in the department could be filled by women, and in a few officers will be replaced with Wac officers as vacancies occur.

Wing Rating Is Given To Cadet

Through misinformation the Ranger Times, edition of Wednesday, listed Harold Fyffe as an ensign in the Navy, when as a matter of fact he is an aviation cadet in the Navy.

He is here for a visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Himmel, before reporting to the Naval Aviation Training school at Grand Prairie.

U. S. Holding Back Newest Weapons Until Big Blow

VANCOUVER, B. C. (UP)—American munitions makers are accumulating an arsenal of "secret weapons" which are being withheld from the fighting fronts until they can be used on a massed scale for striking a decisive blow against the Axis.

Col. J. L. Walsh, chairman of the war production committee of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers, reported here.

Walsh said American ordnance experts have developed new weapons or improvements on weapons which existed when the war started.

"None of us—and that includes the enemy—is anxious to put any new weapon into action until we have a huge supply so that the element of surprise may be exploited to the limit," he said.

Beautiful Animals Just Nags Now

HOUSTON, Tex. (UP)—Horses may be beautiful animals to some people, but to a man arrested here for book-making, the nags are just one big headache.

The man told police he had been betting on the horses and losing consistently. Figuring since the book-makers had been getting fat on him, he might as well go into the business himself, he "hooked" a \$44 bet, had to pay off \$100.

After posting a \$100 bond in Corporation Court on a charge of gaming, the man said: "I don't ever want to see a horse again, even on a merry-go-round."

Eastland Woman's Father Dies At Wichita Falls

Rev. S. A. Lamb, 77, who farmed nine miles south of Cisco for thirty years and was a Baptist minister for more than 40 years, died at Wichita Falls Saturday, April 8. Funeral and burial were at Pleasant Hill Monday.

A native of Alabama the deceased came to Texas in early life.

Survivors include the widow and the following children: Mrs. Jess Taylor, Eastland; Mrs. Maude Wright, Electra; Dewey Lamb, Dallas; Leonard Lamb, Ft. Worth; Mrs. Roy Horner, Kermit; Mrs. W. W. Eddieham, Eastland; Troy Lamb south of Cisco; Mrs. C. L. Bisbee, Cisco; and Mrs. Shannon Ramsey, Palacios.

Class Pays Visit To Ranger Times

Members of the American history class of Ranger Junior College with the instructor, H. L. Baskin, were visitors at the Ranger Times Wednesday where they inspected and studied the various angles of the publishing business.

The visit was in connection with their study of the development of newspapers in the United States. Operations of the mechanical shop were observed and methods of the editorial department were explained to the class.

Those attending the inspection were Glyn Alyn Jernigan, Catherine Britton, Mildred Balch, Imogene Dixon and David Lee Jamison and Dan Bowen.

Four Added To Inductee List

Below is a list of selectees who have passed the armed forces examination and are now in service.

Lou Williams, 911 Strawn Road Ranger. Wayne Glenn Wallace, Rt. 1, Cisco; George Almsworth Barker, Jr., 102 No. Ostrom, Eastland, Elbert Newton Scott, 615 So. Mulberry, Eastland.

U.S. DUMB BOMB RAILROAD SHOPS IN FRENCH INDO-CHINA



A B-24 LIBERATOR of the U.S. Army 14th Air Force heads toward its home base after having bombed an important railroad repair shops at Vinh in French Indo-China. Vinh is 160 miles south of Hanoi and the Gulf of Tonkin. Clouds of smoke indicate hits. A. A. F. photo. (International Soundphoto)

Knitting Quota Is Received By Local Red Cross

It was announced today that another quota of knitting thread has been received by the Ranger Red Cross and those interested in aiding in this work are asked to contact Mrs. Bob Hodges at once.

The thread is all khaki and is for sweaters, helmets, gloves and mufflers. It is hoped that enough volunteers will call for the thread so that it can be knitted into the garments as soon as possible.

A Headache For The Proof Reader

Senior students at Arlington Heights High school, who publish the bi-weekly Jockey Journal, had a lesson in proof reading recently.

When the paper was distributed, a front-page headline had to be changed by each student.

The headline read: "Hated Dutch Underground Leader Speaks to Student Body." Principal N. E. Buxter pointed out that the heading should have read: "Noted," not "Hated."

DEAD SOLDIER'S CHECK AIDS

HOUSTON, Tex. (UP)—A letter which was crossing the Pacific when the Houston boy who wrote it was killed by a Jap sniper on New Britain added \$25 to the Harris Red Cross drive.

Lieut. C. Bill Elman, nationally-known horseman and son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl B. Elman mailed the letter February 14, asking his father to take his army pay savings and donate it to the Red Cross. February 24 Lieutenant Elman was killed while leading a patrol.

His father brought the check and the letter in to the Red Cross.

BLACKSEA PORT TAKEN

LONDON, (UP)—Russian forces streaming virtually at will through the Crimea toward Sevastopol have captured Feodosiya, biggest port on the southern coast of the Black Sea Peninsula, the Red Army announced today.

FIGHTER ACE CRASHES

LONDON (UP)—Capt. Don Gentile, Piqua, O., leading fighter ace of the European theater of operations, cracked up on his home field today when he returned from a flying mission, but he was not seriously injured.

Dr. Maston Will Preach Sunday At Baptist Church

Officials of the First Baptist church announced today that Dr. T. R. Maston will preach at both services at the church Sunday.

Dr. Maston comes from the Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary and is recognized as one of the best speakers in this area.

The membership of the church and the public are invited to attend the services.

17 YEAR OLDS EXCEED QUOTA

OKLAHOMA CITY (UP)—Oklahoma exceeded its quota in a campaign to enlist 17 year old youths in the Air Corps Enlisted Reserve during February, Lt. Col. Joseph R. Feller, state recruiting and induction officer, reported.

Feller said it was the first time the quota had been exceeded here. The officer did not release figures, but disclosed that the February enlistment topped January's by 20 per cent; December's 52 per cent, and was four times the number procured last September.

RANGER SIGNS 375 DONORS TO BLOOD BANK

The citizens of Ranger who pride themselves on doing their share and more in every war effort have gone over the top again, this time for the registration for contributions to the Red Cross Blood Bank. To the close of registration late Wednesday night a total of 375 persons had registered.

The total is 75 in excess of the quota originally set for Ranger, though committee women in charge stated that this is probably very fortunate as registration in some sections of the county is going very slowly and extras from Ranger may be needed to fill the county quota.

Those in charge of the work expressed their delight with the response for the movement, even though it seemed to be going very slowly during the first two days.

Local registration was arranged by the 1920 Club and the members in charge of the work were Mrs. J. E. Matthews, Mrs. A. W. Branga, Mrs. Bob Hodges and Mrs. M. L. King.

Ranger citizens will contribute their blood on April 25 and other communities in the county will take their turns during the week that the mobile unit is in Eastland.

It was stated today that if there are those who wish to register for donations and were not able to do so during the three days set aside for this, they may contact any member of the committee and the data for registration will be taken.

He Wanted A Shot And He Got One

AAP Instrument Instructors' School, Bryan, Tex. (UP)—When Sgt. August Wolff checked in at the Bryan Field Station Hospital Thursday he stated that he was reporting to take a shot.

After much conversation Wolff convinced the hospital attendants that he was from the Post Photographic Section and had been assigned to "get a shot" of an ambulance driver for the post newspaper.

But by that time it was too late. Husky hospital orderlies had grabbed Wolff and administered a needle to a tender portion of his anatomy before he had time to explain his mission.

News From Four In South Pacific



Oliver O. Beck GM 1/c



Lt. F. H. Plumley



Major J. E. Fletcher



Sgt. F. R. Knight

Coincidentally, the morning mail brought to the Ranger Times news from the four men pictured above who are serving with the armed forces in the South Pacific.

In a long letter from Sgt. Frank R. Knight, which appears in full on the editorial page of this newspaper, he mentioned news of Major J. E. Fletcher being somewhere in the South Pacific and in a letter from Mrs. F. H. Plumley of Waco, she says that her husband, Lt. Frank H. Plumley has visited with Major Fletcher, several times. Sgt. Knight also makes mention of Keith Mc-

Laughlin, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McLaughlin, who is in the South Pacific.

The other service man in the quartet is Oliver O. Beck, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Beck of 711 Young Street, who has just been promoted from Seaman First Class to Gunners' Mate First Class. He is serving with the Navy stationed on the New Hebrides and has been in foreign service one year on March 24, 1944. In a letter to his parents he stated that he receives the Ranger Times and enjoys it very much. He enlisted in the ser-

vice on June 29, 1942.

Sgt. Knight is the son of Mrs. C. R. Knight of Ranger and is serving as a baker with the Army. He enlisted in the service on June 17, 1942 and has been on foreign duty for sometime.

Lt. Plumley, son of Mrs. E. M. Plumley, writes that he is back in the Hawaiian Islands though he was with the first wave of men who established the beachhead on the Marshall Islands on January 31, and received shrapnel wounds, though they were not serious enough to require hospitalization. Lt.

was stated that he had a very narrow escape but at present is safe and sound.

Major Fletcher is with the ordnance department, now stationed some where in the Pacific and writes that he is working hard but enjoying his work. Major Fletcher was engaged in the oil well machinery business before going into service and was a prominent business man. Mrs. Fletcher is making her home in California while he is in service.

MRS. PERKINS HEADS STATE MUSIC CLUBS

Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins of Eastland was elected president of the Texas Federation of Music Clubs at the concluding session of the 29th annual convention, Wednesday, in Houston.

Mrs. Perkins is a past president of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, a past president of the Sixth District of the Texas Federation and a past director of the National Federation.

She is currently serving as chairman of the Eastland County Chapter of the American Red Cross. Her activities in civic and church affairs are so numerous that it would be difficult to list them all.

Other new officers include Mrs. Few Brewster, Austin, first vice president; Mrs. J. S. Roe, Alamo, second vice president; Mrs. Lee J. Taylor, Dallas, third vice president; Mrs. Luther Stacy, Henderson, fourth vice president; Mrs. C. F. Gilchrist, Ft. Worth, recording secretary; Mrs. Ina Wooten Jones, Abilene, treasurer; and Mrs. O. T. Williams, Lubbock, parliamentarian.

William J. Marsh of Fort Worth, author of "Texas, My Texas" and chairman of the Texas Composers' Guild, announced winners of the original composition contest sponsored by the federation.

Mrs. M. Flora Todd of Edinburg was named first place winner for her composition, "Prelude to Peace," a rhapsody for two pianos. Mrs. Emily Harris Maddox of Dallas was second place winner for her patriotic song, "America Invincible."

A new award, the Blanche Cavender cup, will be given each year to the junior club with the best rating. Mrs. J. H. Cavender Jr. of Dallas, state junior counselor, announced.

Mrs. Talbot Williams of Beaumont, state student adviser, presented a loving cup to Dr. Lena Milan of Beaumont, student advisor for the Fourth District, which federated more student clubs during the past year than any of the other eight districts.

Employees of the Texas Company and near Eastland County feel that they have made some kind of record with reference to cooperation with the government in the matter of Victory Gardens.

To prove their point the employees have given out the following report on their gardening activities.

Since the government has urged every person to plant as large a Victory Garden as possible, the employees of the Texas Company in and near the vicinity of Eastland County, have tried to cooperate to the fullest extent.

As a result six men of the vicinity, employed by the Texas Company have thriving Victory Gardens. The men are: Doc Anderson, Ranger, Texas, with 43,560 sq. ft.; C. D. Todd, Eastland, 5,445 sq. ft.; B. F. Kincaid, Desdemona, 10,890 sq. ft.; W. R. Gibson, Pioneer, 43,560 sq. ft.; Frank Keener, Ghoslen Lease, 3,300 sq. ft.; A. H. Briden, Boyd Lease, 5,445 sq. ft. given to the raising of vegetables for Victory.

Each Texas Company employee feels that a good Victory Garden is a long step toward Victory, every free hour is given to the cultivation and care of their gardens.

Two Days She'll Remember

HOLDENVILLE, Okla. (UP)—Mrs. Thomas H. Honley says she will always remember March 23 and 24 as outstanding days in her life. On March 23, she received word that her Army lieutenant husband had been awarded the air medal for completing five flights over Europe. The next day a seven pound three ounce son was born to Mrs. Honley.

WISCONSIN BOY ACE

Allied Headquarters, Southwest Pacific, (UP) Capt. Richard Wong, 23-year-old Polynesian, farmboy who shot down his 26th and 27th planes in aerial combat yesterday, was proclaimed America's "Ace of Aces" today in a communique from Gen. Douglas MacArthur's headquarters.

THE WEATHER

WEST TEXAS—Partly cloudy warmer this afternoon and tonight. Friday mostly cloudy with few wide scattered showers. Freezing.

SCHWEINFURT AND AUGSBURG HIT IN MIGHTY AIR BOMBING

LONDON—More than 2,000 American warplanes struck from Britain and Italy today at Nazi aircraft and component factories along a 400-mile front through Schweinfurt and Augsburg in south Germany to Hungary.

Flying Fortresses and Liberators of the United States Eighth and 15th air forces clamped a destruction pincers on fountain heads of the Luftwaffe in one of the most staggering blows of the war struck in the pre-invasion bombing campaign now in its sixth straight day.

Up to 750 heavy bombers escorted by nearly 1,000 fighters swarmed out of Britain and into southern Germany to blast aircraft plants at Augsburg, ball bearing works at Schweinfurt, and targets at Lechfeld and Oberpfaffenhafen.

Simultaneously the 15th air force sent its Fortresses and Liberators against Hungary a few hours after British bombers had pounded Budapest, the Capital, by night. They hit aircraft factories at Győr, 65 miles west of Budapest, 10 miles south of Pest, Tolos, and other objectives.

The Berlin radio, giving the first glimpse of the two-way attack, said the American planes were engaged by Nazi fighters in violent battles over Hungary. Acknowledging the penetration of south Germany, the Nazis made no mention of fighter resistance there.

A United States communique announced the operations from Britain by strong bomber and very strong fighter forces, said—

"The targets of all of them are highly important to the German air force, having been attacked previously, and today's attack were designed to disrupt repairs and inflict new damage."

Italian headquarters announced that 15th air force fortresses attacked a plant making Messerschmitt 109 parts at Győr, near the Danube and northwestern border of Hungary.

WORKSHOP FOR BLIND

NEW YORK (UP)—At the Bourne Workshop of the New York Association for the Blind, 145 sightless workers manufacture brooms, mops and pillowcases for the Armed Forces.

Of the more than 1,000,000 brooms and mops turned out at the workshop during 1943, more than half were on government order, the association said. In addition, 655,251 pillow cases were produced during the 242 working days of the year.

Other blind workers, at the Lighthouse, association headquarters, help relieve the civilian man power shortage by folding powder boxes. Some workers average 90 of the 12-fold boxes an hour, the association said, as compared with the 66-box average of a sighted worker.

YEVOTORIYA TAKEN

LONDON (UP)—Russian troops have captured Yevotoriya, on the west coast of the Crimea 40 miles north of Sevastopol navy of the Black Sea Peninsula, the announced in a second order of the day today.

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Inside WASHINGTON

Increase in Fire Bombs Bodes Ill for the Japs Nazi's Western Defenses Weakened by Balkan Move

Special to Central Press

WASHINGTON, D. C.—America's plans to use fire bombs in greater numbers than explosive missiles indicates that Tokyo is in "for a hot time" in more ways than one.

The next time Yank flyers raid Tokyo the city will be showered with thousands of devastating fire bombs which may put a big dent in the Pacific enemy's ability to check Allied offensive sweeps.

Don't Look For Sin—However, military experts warn that this does not mean the so-called "paper" buildings of Japan will be wiped out in one great raid. Tokyo and other cities undoubtedly have been taking precautions to check the spread of flames in event of an incendiary raid.

Creed for the fire bombs used by the Allies goes to experts in the army's chemical warfare service. The devices are clever modern contraptions of one of the oldest and most effective weapons of war—crude fire balls used by ancient armies.

THE STEAMROLLER ADVANCE of the Russian Armies into the Balkans presents Hitler with one of his greatest military problems. It has become militarily necessary for the Germans to occupy Hungary, Rumania and Slovakia with troops, but some of those undoubtedly have had to be withdrawn from numbers held in reserve to face the Allied invasion from the west.

In addition, as German troops march into the Balkans, underlying ill-will towards Nazism doubtlessly becomes more intense among the occupied populations.

Thus, every move made by the German high command to bolster their eastern front creates new unrest and takes up more sorely needed troops with which to face the western invasion.

ALTHOUGH LIEUT. COMDR. HAROLD STASSEN, now serving on Admiral William F. Halsey's staff in the South Pacific, has announced himself as "available" for the G. O. P. presidential nomination, political observers figure that he has slight chance of success. The veteran party leaders consider Stassen, who is in his thirties, as too young and feel that he could not carry the pivotal eastern states; that he is not yet "ripe" as a White House hopeful.

The young former Minnesota governor's principal chance lies in the possibility of a serious deadlock at Chicago.

It is doubtful, observers say, that Stassen would accept second place on the ticket.

IT DOESN'T TAKE THE BLACK MARKET BOYS long to catch on to a new thing. G. P. reports that the only untoward event during the early days of recent business was the disclosure at Baltimore, Md., that one grocery executive had been offered 1,000 tons for \$5. An immediate probe was started.

There have been remarkably few complaints on the new system, however, from businessmen and merchants since it got operating. Chain stores are gathering information now on the program to see just how it is working out.

CAPITOL OBSERVERS BELIEVE that James Caesar Petrillo, president of the American Federation of Musicians, overreached himself in lecturing the amateur, non-puff-music camp musicians from the airwaves. Congress is looking for an all-out investigation of the hard-billed little union chief's operations.

Then, too, a War Labor Board panel has recommended that Petrillo be ordered to lift the ban on production of commercial records which he claimed, deprive musicians of their livelihood.

The Senate interstate commerce committee may probe the activities of the A. F. M., following testimony by Dr. Joseph Maddy, president of the National Music Camp at Interlochen, Mich., that Petrillo had banned the camp's orchestra from the radio networks.

MOSELEY TO SPEAK

LONGVIEW, Tex. (UP)—J. A. H. Moseley, director of Smaller War Plants Corporation, Washington, D. C., will speak at the opening program of the 19th annual meeting of the East Texas Chamber of Commerce, April 17. Theme of the convention will be "Unity to win the war and to win the peace."

LAFF-A-DAY



O. H. Papa. He can have it now!

SGT. FRANK R. KNIGHT WRITES FROM PACIFIC

Following is a letter which was received this morning by the Ranger Times from Sgt. Frank R. Knight, of Ranger, who is serving with the armed forces in the South Pacific. Sgt. Knight entered the service on June 17, 1942, and is serving as a baker with the Army.

Southwest Pacific, March 25, 1943.

Dear Editor: Just received a copy of your paper of Major Fletcher's letter and glad to know that Keith McLaughlin and myself are not the only ones from the old home town who are suffering on these southwest Pacific islands.

Fletcher was always a good friend of mine and his wife used to be my English teacher in good old R. H. S. I've been over here for some time and am inclined to believe the Major hasn't had his feet wet as yet. Which is a sure fact that he isn't landed on this island, if he were here this afternoon he would be reminded of home during the boom. There is no one here to hand you across our flower company street on a sled for a dollar, so we do the best we can. It's never over knee deep.

You might inform the mayor that I've been on several of the islands and haven't found any place yet that a man would want to call home. That also goes for Australia. I'll take Texas any old day. We get three meals a day, fresh air, and a dry place to sleep and cigars and cigarettes free. Not bad, eh?

Fletcher says he understands there are some unfriendly people in this area. If he sticks around long enough he'll find that at times they are damned unfriendly. Well, he can't stay here long without finding it out.

Would very much like to see the old boy, and I'll keep my eyes open for him. One never knows who he'll meet in a place like this.

Here, there are a number of boys from Eastland and Breckinridge, so it takes away some of the loneliness. We are pretty much centered but manage to get together once in a while and we really shoot the breeze.

Everyone tells what they are going to do first when they get home. About that time somebody gets up and says it'll be a long time before we get home and of course that spoils all the fun.

I notice by our local newspaper, meaning a little one-sheet affair, published by a signal company, that the government has ordered a few million cans for

WANTED, A NUMEROLOGIST SAN ANTONIO, Tex. (UP)—Harry S. McGinchey, 22, of 21 Sidwell Avenue, East Hartford, Conn., is looking for a numerologist.

Now in preflight bombardier training at the San Antonio Aviation Cadet Center, McGinchey is considering what the figure 1 either above or grouped will mean in relation to his future.

His army serial number is 111-1111. It was assigned him November 1, 1942, when he enlisted in Providence, R. I. November 11 is the 11th month. Two times 11 is 22, which is his age. He is assigned to the 101st squadron here.

the purpose of sending beer to the boys over seas. Well I hope they don't forget to order the beer, 'cause Prohibition is really in effect here and I heard the other day our bootlegger is in the guard house—that means no more jungle juice. Maybe so, the major will have a bottle on the hip if I ever meet up with him.

You might tell Brann Garner if he happens to still be in the picture show man that all his pictures of the island...

...was anythin' like yet, 'cause any pretty scenery. However, you can go out here most any place and get coconuts or bananas.

The natives are a queer lot, they talk some kind of English dialect, but I haven't found an American yet that can understand them. However, they are plenty smart. Some of them seem to be quite modern. One came by the bakery the other day and I gave him a loaf of bread. They call it meaning food. Any way about fifteen minutes later he came back and wanted it sliced and wrapped. That heat me. I tried to locate some of the boys from home while in New Guinea, but was given to understand they had left for the states, lucky people. I'll call them.

Well I can't think of much else to complain about but when I get home I think I'll go out in Pecos or Ward county where it never rains and see if I can get dried out.

So in closing would like to say hello to all my friends there and also I'd like to hear from any one that cares to write. Our mail is our biggest and best morale booster.

Sincerely yours, Sgt. Frank R. Knight, 38133715, 123 Q. M. Bakery Co., APO 928 care P. M., San Francisco, Cal.

Touch of Texas



Scientists of the Lone Star State contributed to the development of phenothiazine (pronounced fen-o-high-zeeen) for controlling certain internal parasites in sheep and other livestock. Above, a sheepman injects the chemical with a drenching gun. Texas stock raisers alone administer more than one-third of the total national consumption. Production of this versatile derivative of sulfur and coal tar will be increased when the projected Du Pont plant on the Houston ship channel at La Porte, Texas, is built and gets in operation.

YOU'RE TELLING ME!

By WILLIAM RITT Central Press Writer

IN A FEW WEEKS, says Grandpappy Jenkins, the manager of a ball team which falls from first place to last can alibi by saying his club has just "maneuvered into a more strategic position."

Gliderplanes have no engines and need no wheels. Oh, speed the day when there will be the glidermobile!

Hitler, the Nazis say, hasn't had a vacation in 11 years. He should worry. He soon will be on a permanent one.

These days, observes Zadok Zerkoff, when a motorist starts out with a bang he's usually scared blue it's one of his tires.

Vesuvius has stopped erupting. Fully convinced, no doubt, that it hadn't a chance to compete with the war for Page One play.

The only satisfaction a deadbeat gets out of the new higher postage rate is that it costs his creditors an extra penny to dun him.

Iron rations for Army horses has a base of ground hay—says an item. That's not so tough on Poobin—suppose he had to keep his rations rations to get it.

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By WILLIAM RITT Central Press Writer

ARMED FORCES of the United States, Great Britain and Russia will occupy Berlin after the war, it is reported. Nazi Germany's occupation will become the most carefully guarded junk heap in history.

Comes the baseball season and we'll have the problem of how will carry the batboy's bat now that he's playing second base.

A citizen told police he found a half-million red ration points in a paper bag on a street. Who's this—the modern version of manna from heaven?

The good will exchange of song writers between the United States and Russia should give employment to plenty of interpreters—especially when it comes to explaining to the Moscow folks what Mairzy Doots and Hutus Ralston on the Rillaraw means.

An early spring has come... Europe but it brings no joy to Hitler who naturally fears it means an early Second Front.

The Russians might solve their metal shortage problems by melting down the keys to all those "key cities" they have captured.

Spring training in the north has one advantage for the big league clubs. They can conserve on horseshoe by using snowballs for batting practice.

NOT ACCORDING TO HOYLE-SKY!



Backward Glances-

From Files of Chronicle 16 years Ago, September 1928:

Manson E. Sue, 42, died Sunday night, September 2, at his home in Eastland. He was born at Gainsight and was the son of J. T. Sue former Treasurer of Eastland county. He was an employee of the City of Eastland.

Today (Monday, Sept. 3, 1928) a band of 40 full blood Comanche Indians are being brought to Eastland for the purpose of staging an Indian raid and war dance this evening on the High School athletic field. These Indians have been given permission to leave their reservation to give this performance but are under government control.

United States Senator Joe Robinson of Arkansas, candidate for vice-president on the Democratic ticket was guest speaker at a Labor Day political rally at Cisco, Texas, September 4. Seats were provided for 20,000 persons to hear Robinson at Lobo Field. Mayor J. M. Williamson called the meeting to order and introduced Col. R. Q. Lee, recently given the Democratic nomination

for congressman, who served as master of ceremonies; Thomas L. Blanton welcomed the senator and his party to West Texas and Judge Eugene Langford of Cisco, former school mate of Senator Robinson, introduced the speaker.

Earl Conner, Jr., who has been taking a summer law course at the University of Wisconsin, arrived home Saturday for a visit with his parents, Judge and Mrs. Earl Conner, Sr.

Gayland Poe left yesterday for Maxwell Military Institute where he will enter the freshman year. Gayland has been engaged all year in highway work.

Do you remember the following persons who formerly lived in Eastland: Mr. and Mrs. Avery Alcorn; Allen B. Harwood; Rev. H. W. Wrye; Mr. and Mrs. W. Z. Bates; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Johnson; Rev. F. E. Singleton; Luther Bean; Mrs. R. K. Batten.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Kinnaird, Miss Roberta Kinnaird and

Russell Smith, nee Dorothy Kinnaird, motored over Sunday from Chickasha, Oklahoma, to spend the Labor Day Holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Donald L. Kinnaird. The Kinnairds formerly lived in Eastland when Mr. Kinnaird was associated with the local Prairie office. He is now working for the "rairie out of Tulsa. The entire party were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Grisham and Miss Daphne. A chicken barbecue supper last night. The party returned to Chickasha today.

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13. Size of type 7. Island of West Indies 34. Knave of clubs (loco)
14. Cleanse of soap 8. Sea eagle 36. Natural color, as wool
15. Title of respect 9. Otherwise 42. Skin disorder
16. Board of Ordnance (abbr.) 10. Cereal grains 43. Storm
17. Metallic rock 37. Soothes
18. Golf mounds 19. Also 38. Shade trees
19. Ankles 20. Timid 39. Type of flat
21. Flip 40. Same as 46. Soak up
21. Money of account (Chin.) 22. Man's name 45. Cereal grain

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Cheaney News

BY MRS. BILL TUCKER

Neighbors complimented Mr. and Mrs. L. Z. Melton Sunday afternoon, upon completion and moving into their newly built home, by holding open house and presenting them with lovely gifts for the house. Punch and cookies were served to about sixteen guests.

Mrs. May Morris and her husband of Antlers, Okla., visited with her mother Mrs. Sarah Maddox, in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Case from Friday until Monday afternoon.

Mr. J. L. Brown is visiting in Dallas for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonzo Melton visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Euel Carr of Kermit, the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Myrick attended the Singing Convention at Desdemona Sunday.

Mrs. E. L. Reid visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Parks and their daughter, Gay Nell, who has recently married to Mr. Doyle James of Cappeland, where the couple will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Love visited their son, J. B. Love and family of Fred Worth, who were here visiting the parental Ed Campbell of Elmore Sunday. The occasion was sort of a family reunion. Baxter Campbell and family of Winters, Reed Campbell and family, Mrs. Renaau and children of F. Worth, were also present for the day.

Worth, Mrs. Lillie Hogard and daughter Patricia of Ft. Worth, were guests in the home of a sister, Mr. and Mrs. L. Z. Melton, Saturday. They were enroute to Breckenridge to the Wilson family reunion, held at the home of Mrs. Gladys Procter and family Sunday. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Jake Stamey of

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Underwood and children, Jerry and Rita visited some folk over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Culvert, Sgt. James O. Culvert, Barksdale Field, La., and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lamb of Breckenridge, visited their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Addie Moseley at Gorman, Sunday afternoon.

Theo Letta Miller visited with Clema Moody Sunday and enjoyed the Easter egg hunt.

Mr. and Mrs. William Melton returned Saturday from visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Troy Melton and family of Gatesville.

The John Tuckers and Mrs. Rosa Miller spent the day Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tucker.

Mr. Jim Hart is still reported on the convalescent list.

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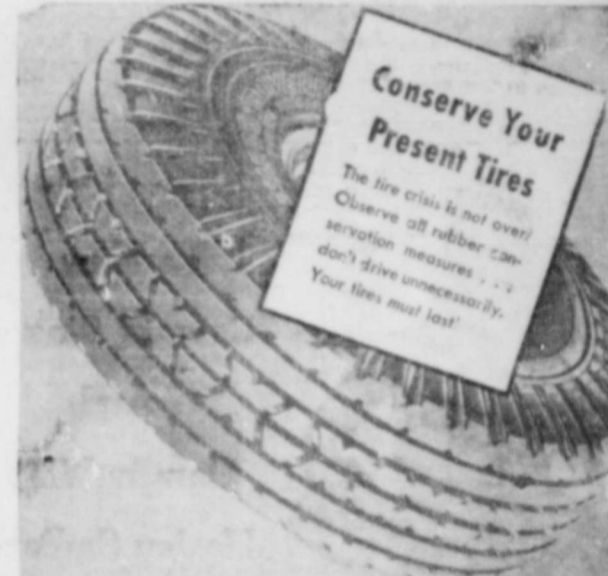
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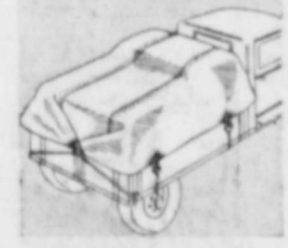
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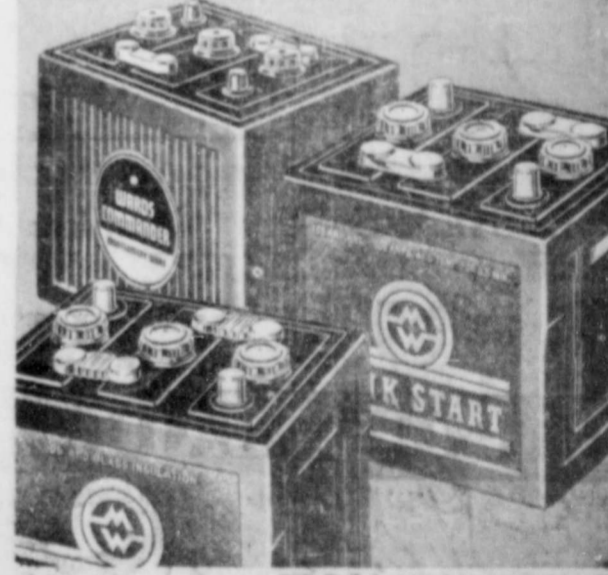
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7:30 P.M. Exhausted? Well, I'll just have to live a bit of coffee. Ugh! Miss's complaints about the stove don't sound as "looming" as they might. And what if Junior is still crying? Guess The Spouse will get here before sick-of-time.



7:45 P.M. Neat spouse, wasn't he? Oh, well, straightening bathrooms and laying out guest towels are just part of a wife's ordeal. My, that Admiration is good coffee! Braced me up wonderfully. Feel better than I have all day.



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By PAUL ROBINSON

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I'VE GOT SOMETHING MORE IMPORTANT TO DO!
THIS IS THE HOSPITAL!
I KNOW—GIVE ME THE PHOTOS—I'LL BE BACK TO THE DANCE LATER!
HELLO, DOCTOR!
SEEING YOU WILL DO THE BOYS MORE GOOD THAN MEDICINE!

ETTA KETT
By PAUL ROBINSON

IT WAS SWELL OF YOU TO MISS THE DANCE (IT TO BE WITH US!)
GEE THIS IS A KNOCKOUT PHOTO OF YOU!
THANKS FOR THE AUTOGRAPH! I'LL PIN IT OVER MY BUNK!
BYE!
THANKS FOR COMING—ONE VISIT FROM A PRETTY GIRL IS WORTH TEN BY A DOCTOR!
LET'S CHEAPER TOO! BYE—I'M GLAD TO HELP!
WAIT—AFTER SEEING THE LOOK ON THOSE BOYS' FACES, THERE'S ANOTHER CASE YOU OUGHT TO SEE!—IF YOU'RE INTERESTED?
WHY—OF COURSE!

THE LONE RANGER O-O O-O BY FRAN STRIKER

WE'LL GET BACK TO MUSTANG MAG'S SILVER! NOW WE HAVE SOMETHING TO GO ON!
YOU'LL PAY FOR THIS—YOU'RE SHIELDING AN ESCAPED KILLER!
I AIN'T A KILLER! I DIDN'T EVEN TOUCH THE HERMIT!
BOTH OF YUH BUTTIN YER LIPS! WE'RE WAITIN' JEST LIKE THIS TILL EITHER THE SHERIFF OR THE LONE RANGER GETS BACK!
WHAT TH... MY BEST LAMP! WHO'S SHOOTIN'?

I CAN'T SEE A THING! SOMEONE GET A MATCH!!
LEMMIE GO!! SOMEONE'S GOT A HOLD OF ME!! THE FIRST TO COME THROUGH THE DOOR—STOPS LEAD!
IT'S ALL RIGHT—ME KNOW UM VOICE!
GET YOUR HORSE AND HURRY! THE BARTENDER GAVE THE TIP-OFF!

I-I G-GUESS IT'LL BE ALL RIGHT TO LIGHT THIS LAMP. LIGHT IT!! TONTO TOLD ME IT WAS ALL RIGHT!
THE DEPUTY HAS JUST RIDDEN AWAY IN A HURRY—NOW WE'LL GET THE TRUTH OF THE MURDER!
YOU MEN, I THINK, CAN BE TRUSTED! ONE OF YOU WAIT HERE UNTIL THE SHERIFF RETURNS! THE OTHER WILL COME WITH TONTO AND ME!
TO SEE WHERE THE DEPUTY GOES AND WHAT HE DOES!
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INSTALLMENT XII

War, Hate, Revenge and Peace

WAR, hate, and revenge play a large part in the causes of war. They lie deep in recesses of national consciousness and racial experience. Fear of invasion, fear of starvation by blockade in war, fear of economic disadvantage, age-old hates from injustice, from oppression, from barbarities, together with yearnings for revenge for past wrongs and defeats—all press toward violence.

They are the inheritance from all previous wars. And the fear of stronger races by their weaker neighbors keeps those nations in constant sacrifice for the burdens of defense. It keeps them constantly seeking diplomatic action and military alliances.

The defeated are always humiliated. They are always impoverished.

Hate will rise to even higher violence after this war. Total wars are even greater breeders of hate, than ancient wars. No longer is there civility of armed men for women, children, the aged and infirm. Starvation of nations has brought not only agony to civilians, but stunting of their children and decimation of millions from inevitable pestilence. Women and children have been killed in hundreds of thousands by bullets, fire, and bombs from the air. The hideous cruelties of the blitz, the sinking of seamen without compassion by submarines, the attacks upon helpless Jews, the murder of hostages, the refusal of the United States to allow the evacuation of thousands of Japanese from the West Coast—all not only make a ghastly picture of increasing barbarism in the world, but they raise the emotions of peoples to terrible heights of fear and hate.

The whole experience of Versailles shows that the forces will not only act in the forthcoming peace settlements, but will influence international relations for generations unless there are statesmen far more elevated in spirit than those who sat at the conference table.

We believe American policies should discriminate between peoples and their leaders. We should insist upon the personal responsibility of those leaders who brought this situation upon the world.

These leaders violated treaties and agreements entered into with free will and are responsible for the killing of millions of human beings. There can be no moral distinction and they should be held in chains for long and peace be built. Any such concept of statesmanship is terrible in its consequences.

There must be some form of reparations from them for the wrong done. But experience after the last war proved that monetary reparations that would amount to one-tenth of one per cent of the monetary cost, and property destruction (and the same from the present war) can not be collected, and an effort to collect causes constant economic disturbance and loss to the victorious powers.

We may well recall the peace made after the other two great crises in modern civilization for experience in this matter. Historians find that mankind had some success from world wars after the Treaty of Westphalia in 1648, and after the Treaty of Versailles in 1919. The two previous great treaties avoided one error of the Treaty of Versailles. They did not try to punish the vanquished peoples as a whole or put them into long economic bondage. That may be one reason that those treaties prevailed so much longer than the Treaty of Versailles.

We can have peace or we can have revenge, but we cannot have both. American policies should be directed to punish the guilty, to eliminate militarism and aggression from within the enemy countries, to keep down acts of hate and revenge, to cooperate with the decent elements in the German, Italian, Japanese and other peoples in building these nations into peaceful and law abiding participation in the family of mankind.

(Continued Monday)

Isolation of the continental United States from all other nations has never been a policy of our Government. In strict logic, it means getting ourselves behind a Chinese Wall, trading and communicating gingerly over the top. It means no less than complete abandonment of the Monroe Doctrine and would require each Western Hemisphere nation to become an armed camp with all its dangers to liberty.

A policy of complete isolation has never been tried and is more a phrase than a reality. The various proposals for some sort of military mentor for the world in the words of some of our spokesmen range into the idea "America must police the world for a hundred years" or "American democracy must rule the world"—a sort of Pax Americana.

The inevitable end of this idea, realized or unrealized by its advocates, is a sort of imperial America, establishing garrisons over the world and undertaking to direct the conduct of foreign nations.

There are a number of objections raised by those opposed to these ideas: That it is the same "master race" ideology that prevades Germany, Japan, and Italy. That it violates our pledges of "self-government" and "self-determination."

That it would mean that the New Rome would be at perpetual war. That nations, though disarmed and helpless when confronted with tanks and planes, still value their independence to the roots of their racial souls; they would find a thousand ways of resistance to what in their minds would be subjection and oppression.

That history repeats and repeats that the rule of Emperor over civilized nations (no matter under what name) inevitably devalues the governed people and revitalizes the subjected nations. In these plans, the two hundred years of peace held by military domination under the Pax Romana are sometimes recalled. There is, however, a certain difference in the two situations. The Romans were, for a considerable part, engaged in imposing peace and civilization upon barbaric peoples. To apply it to civilized peoples is a different job. And certainly, representative government withered in Rome under this regime. In any event, the arguments against such a course as this have generally prevailed and at this time we hear no more mention of this idea.

In the next installment, we shall discuss world supergovernment in the plans for preserving peace.

(Continued tomorrow)

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INSTALLMENT XIII

Plans for Preserving Peace

IN the last few installments we deduced some conclusions from world experience, as to the foundations which must be laid for a lasting peace. These foundations are the settlement of long-view problems in such manner as to allay the causes of war which arise from ideological and economic forces, from excessive nationalism, militarism, imperialism, and the complexes of fear and hate.

LAFF-A-DAY



"Make sure you hug the shore, Mr. Wallis."

OLDEN NEWS

OLDEN, April 10.—Miss Laura Simer of Wichita Falls, spent the Easter holidays with her mother, Mrs. Ida Simer. Mr. and Mrs. Pat Weems of Ranger, visited in this community Sunday afternoon.

Students here from colleges for Easter were Wanda Choate and Marcelle Kuhn of Stephenville; Ardelle Belle Howell of Hardin-Simmons, and Doris Roberts of Abilene Christian College, Abilene.

Mrs. Lena Brown of Megargel, visited her niece, Mrs. Mary A. Wright, here last Sunday. She was accompanied by her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brown.

Mrs. E. M. Hood has returned to her home here after a two weeks' visit with her aunt, Mrs. C. L. Cornelius and family of Corpus Christi.

The Baptist Revival ended April 9, after being in progress for a week. There were seven additions to the church; four by baptism and three by letter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hankins of Lubbock have returned to their home after a two week's visit with the John Choates here.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Lee visited home folks in Lipan this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Ford and family of Ranger visited his mother and brother here Sunday and Mrs. Ford attended services at the Church of Christ.

Mrs. W. A. Barnhill made a business trip to Winters last of the week.

Chaplain and Mrs. A. A. Palmer and family of Eastland and former residents of Olden attended the Baptist revival Sunday night.

Mrs. Lou Crank from Bisbee, Arizona, is here with her sister, Mrs. J. T. Daffern.

The Triple W's entertained 25 soldiers from Camp Bowie last week end. Sunday they all went to scenic Point for a picnic lunch. All the boys present had seen foreign service.

Pvt. J. W. Smethers was married April 5 to Miss Margie Rowlett of Jal, New Mexico, at Kermit. At present they are staying with his mother Mrs. Jewel Smethers.

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C. H. (Harl) O'Brien

C. S. (Clabe) Eldridge

COUNTY TREASURER
Mrs. Ruth (Gariand) Branton
For Re-election

Tax Assessor-Collector
Lyde S. Kirkaluis

DISTRICT CLERK
John White (Re-Election.)
Lois Everton

STATE LEGISLATURE
R. (Eph) N. Grisham

OFFICE OF SHERIFF
JOHN HART. (re-election).

Floterial Representative
J. J. CALLAWAY

W. B. STAR

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ACROSS	DOWN	21. Poems
1. Young oyster	1. Garden tool	23. Fresh water tortoise
5. Door fastener	2. Coated, as ship's bottom	25. Close to
9. Uttered (archaic)	3. Related	26. Spice
10. Place of worship	4. Number	27. Rodents (C. America)
12. Depositing	5. Expression	28. Alcohol: suffix
14. Rate of speed	6. Lofty mountain	29. Part of a lock
15. Part of eye	7. Heavenly body	31. Infant
16. Music note	8. An ocean	34. Radium (sym.)
18. Border	9. Killed	41. Mast
19. Marry	11. Mash again	43. Snare
20. Mexican dollar	13. Secludes valley	45. Extinct bird (New Zea.)
22. Music note	17. Like	47. Selenium (sym.)
23. An age	20. Hawaiian food	
24. Musical platform		
26. Biblical character		
29. Square-rigged vessel		
30. Hideous		
31. God of pleasure		
32. Sign of infinitive		
33. Large, strong wagon		
35. Warp-yarn		
38. Cup		
40. Jewish month		
41. Astringent fruit		
42. Boy's jacket		
44. State under sovereign power		
46. Scottish		
48. Idiots		
49. Local position		
50. God of war		

Yesterday's Answer
41. Mast
43. Snare
45. Extinct bird (New Zea.)
47. Selenium (sym.)

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Society, Clubs

W. S. C. S. Meeting Is Held Monday Afternoon

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist church met at 4 o'clock for a Christmas Social Relations program.

Preceding the program, Mrs. C. E. May presided over a short business session after which Mrs. Vernon Deffetach served as leader for the program. The theme of the program was Christian Citizenship and the opening song was "The Voice Of God Is Calling". Mrs. May offered the opening prayer.

Miss Anne Matthews presented a reading and Mrs. Carl Heinlein discussed the subject "Church and Community Recreation Problems and Training for Leadership. The group joined in the singing of the hymn "God Bless Our Native and" followed by a reading, "America's Making," by Mrs. Mills Davenport. "What Christian Women Can Do About Radio and Picture Shows" was discussed by Mrs. Arthur Deffetach.

The closing prayer was offered by Mrs. A. J. Ratliff.

Eastland Youth Completes NATTC At Norman, Okla.

John N. Howell of Eastland is one of the 14 Texans who have completed Aviation Metalsmith, Aviation Machinist Mate, or Aviation Ordnanceman courses at the Naval Air Technical Training Center, Norman, Oklahoma, it has been announced.

Howell, a seaman first class, is the son of Mrs. D. N. Poole residing at Walnut and Valley streets, Eastland. He attended Eastland High school, enlisted for service at Abilene, October 12, 1943, entered Naval Air Technical Training on December 6, 1943 and graduated March 25, 1944.

He will now be transferred to a naval unit afloat or to another station for further instruction and work.

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PERSONALS

Saul Perstein is in Dallas to attend Spring market.

Mrs. Fred Yonker is attending market in Dallas.

Word has been received of the birth of a baby girl to Efc. and Mrs. Maurice Agnew of Lubbock, formerly of Ranger. The baby was born Easter Sunday April 9, at the Lubbock General hospital and has been named Pamela. The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Agnew of Lubbock, formerly of Ranger and the maternal grandmother is Mrs. Katie White of Ranger.

Pev. David M. Phillips of Brownwood is here for a visit with his family and friends.

T. Sgt. and Mrs. Harold Townsend, who were married in Olney Sunday, visited with friends here Wednesday and Thursday. Mrs. Townsend is the former Miss Dana Sue Kerbow.

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Cooper School Honor Roll For Period Is Issued

Teachers of Cooper school have issued the honor roll for the second six weeks of the Spring term of school and following are the names of the students who have earned the honor:

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High honor: Carolyn Downing, Wade Bledsoe.
Honor: Helen Marie Britt, Allison Murphy, Barbara Lynn Nichols.

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Honor: Joe Kirk Dorsey, Billy Mae Nichols.

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Honor: Christine Sharp, Mary Elizabeth Russell.

FIFTH GRADE
Honor: Billy Simpson, Wayne Ames, Jerry Don Sharp, O'Neal Gibbe.

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