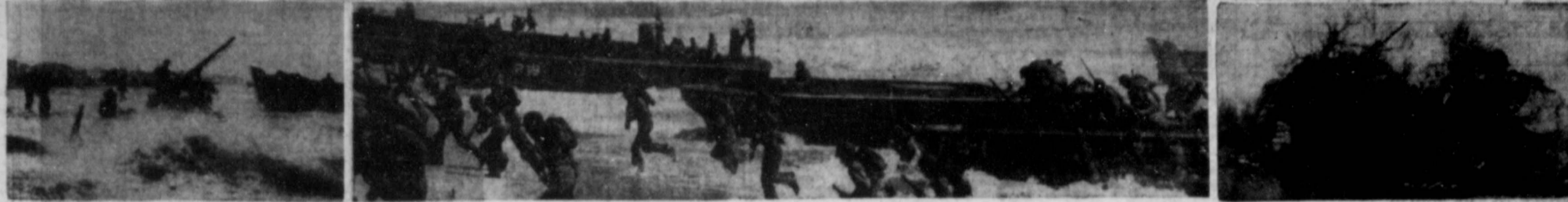


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Americans Open New Drive On Peninsula

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SOMEWHERE IN THE MARSHALLS, (delayed) — Marine First Lieutenant Joe A. Boaz, 27, of Box 196, Ranger, Texas, has been promoted to that rank from second lieutenant.

Soa. of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Boaz, of Ranger, the lieutenant is transportation officer with a Marine Corsair squadron now making daily strikes at Japanese positions in the Marshalls.

Prior to his enlistment in July, 1942, Boaz was employed by Merchants East Motor Lines, in Fort Worth, Texas. He has been overseas since August, 1943.

Wide Range Of Festivities On Reunion Program

STAMFORD, Tex. (UP) — Festivities ranging from rodeos to barn dances will be spotlighted here July 3 and 4 when old timers from all over the state gather for the annual Texas Cowboy Reunion and a meeting of the Texas Cowboy Reunion Association.

First meeting this year will be held Monday, July 3, in the Will Rogers Bunkhouse. New officers of the Reunion Association will be elected during the day. Activities of the next day will include the Old Fiddlers' Contest, an elaborate rodeo and an old-time square dance.

"The unique organization, started in 1930 for the purpose of bringing together the pioneer settlers of the vast ranges of the Southwest is open to those who served in some active range capacity not less than 35 years ago."

Some of the most colorful names in the history of the cattle industry are included on the membership rolls.

Jay Walker Says It Was Favor

HOUSTON, Tex. (UP) — Attention Jay walkers! Maybe this will give you an idea.

A bespectacled and vehement hyphen, arrested for jay walking, told the judge that "it was a favor to everybody that I did what I did."

And he wagged his finger in the judge's face.

He explained that he had a cramp in an ankle, that he "felt the main comb" on, that if he didn't start then he "never would start."

He started—and jay walked. He didn't have time to wait for a traffic light to change.

The judge, kind hearted—perhaps at one time he was a barber—suspended the fine, and warned the barber to have his cramp, or cramps, attended to immediately.

Oil Industry Passes Billion In Expenditures

DALLAS, Tex. July 3.— Annual expenditure of the Texas petroleum industry passed the billion dollar mark for the first time in history in 1943. The Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association announced today.

"The cash outlay in 1943 totaled \$1,195,000,000 compared with \$862,000,000 in 1942, the second highest year," the association said after combining reports from Texas operators.

"The increase which has been rising steadily since oil was discovered in Texas' forest' last year because of mounting costs especially of labor, materials and taxes."

"The industry paid out \$332,000,000 in wages and salaries in 1943 compared with \$249,000,000 in 1942. These figures do not include equipment and supply industry payrolls of \$47,000,000 in 1943 and \$44,000,000 in 1942.

"Royalty payments for oil and gas rose from \$74,000,000 in 1942 to \$96,000,000 in 1943. Lessee rentals and bonuses paid to landowners increased from \$60,000,000 to 70,000,000.

"Federal taxes jumped from \$43,000,000 to \$71,000,000 and state and local taxes rose from \$94,000,000 to \$100,000,000.

The industry's bill for equipment and supplies increased from \$160,000,000 to \$185,000,000. Freight charges climbed from \$21,000,000 to \$32,000,000.

"The industry paid out \$18,000,000 for geophysical prospecting in 1943 compared with \$14,000,000 in 1942. The outlay for contract drilling rose from \$30,000,000 to \$40,000,000.

"Interest paid on borrowed capital climbed from \$42,000,000 to \$53,000,000. All other expenditures, including depreciation, depletion, amortization, retirement insurance and miscellaneous items soared from \$75,000,000 to \$112,000,000.

"In 1919, the year following the close of the first World War and the year in which the association was established, the expenditures by the Texas petroleum industry totaled \$65,800,000. By contrast, the outlay in 1943 represents \$159 for every dollar paid out in 1919. Thus the petroleum industry has become a major factor in the economic life of Texas, with benefits accruing directly or indirectly to all Texans."

Pvt. T. E. Ervin At Sioux Falls Base

Pvt. Thomas E. Ervin, Jr., husband of Mrs. Lois B. Ervin, Jr., of Desdemona, Texas, has been assigned to the AAF Training Command Radio School at the Sioux Falls Air Field, Sioux Falls, S. D., for training as a radio operator-mechanic.

Upon completion of a 20-week course, he will be fully trained to take his place as a member of a highly skilled bomber crew of the Army Air Forces.

He is a graduate of Desdemona high school and attended John Tarleton College. He enlisted in the service on November 14, 1942 and received his training at Sheppard Field, Centerville, La., and at San Antonio.

The War Department says the Lightning P-38 long range fighter, carrying cameras instead of guns, has been converted into the P-5 reconnaissance plane.

These Seven Led Americans Through Perils of War



George Washington 1789-1797 Revolutionary war; James Madison 1809-1817 War of 1812; James Knox Polk 1845-1849 Mexican war; Abraham Lincoln 1861-1865 Civil war; William McKinley 1897-1901 Spanish-American war; Woodrow Wilson 1913-1921 World War I



SEVEN UNITED STATES PRESIDENTS have led the American people through the perilous days of war, six while holding the presidential office. George Washington, as commander-in-chief of the Colonial forces during the Revolutionary war, was virtually leader of the American people, too. Later he became civil leader of the United States when he became first president of the Union in 1789. * (International)

Holiday Death Toll Already At 125 In Nation

Traffic fatalities, drownings and other accidents took at least 125 lives in advance of the Fourth of July holiday, a United Press survey showed today.

In the first two days of the four-day holiday week-end, 66 persons died in traffic accidents, 33 were drowned, and 26 were killed in other accidents.

Texas reported 12 killed in auto accidents, Illinois had 16 deaths, six from automobile accidents and four by drowning. Michigan reported five killed in traffic accidents and one other violent death.

Masonic Officers To Be Installed

Installation ceremonies for officers of the Masons' Lodge will be held at the Temple Thursday evening at 5 o'clock and all members of the lodge are urged to attend.

Following the installation a musical program will be given and a guest speaker will be presented.

WALLACE HOME BOUND — CHUNGKING — Vice President Henry A. Wallace was en route back to the United States today after a 15-day tour of China, where he arrived July 15.

Women Wanted For Therapists

DALLAS, Tex. (UP) — The War Department is seeking properly qualified women to attend a war emergency course which would graduate them as registered occupational therapists. Eighth Service Command Headquarters has announced.

Objective of the program, says the War Department, is to train women to supervise and instruct soldiers in handicrafts which facilitate restoration of muscles and other facilities temporarily impaired in combat.

Texas women are informed the course consists of four months' study of medical subjects and the theory and application of occupational therapy, followed by eight months of clinical practice as a student apprentice in an Army General Hospital.

Applicants must have an A. B. or B. S. degree in fine or applied arts, a degree in industrial arts with teaching experience or a degree in home economics with a knowledge of three or four manual skills.

JAPS IN NEW DRIVE — CHUNGKING — The Japs have opened a new objective, striking northward from the Canton area. The objective apparently is a junction with the Japs advancing south from the Hengyang area. If those two Jap forces should join, China would be split in two.

Public Invited To Revival At Baptist Church

The public has again been invited to attend the revival services being conducted at the Second Baptist church. Rev. T. T. Newton is bringing the messages and large crowds are attending the meetings.

Special music is being given at each service and it was stated today that four conversions have been made and four additions to the church have been made through letters.

The meeting will close on Sunday, July 9.

BOSS HAS BEST REFERENCES

BOSTON (UP) — In desperation, a Boston restaurateur posted this sign in his window: "Wanted: two waitresses; owner will furnish good references."

JAPS WIPED OUT — CHUNGKING — Chinese and American troops surrounded and wiped out a Japanese force which attempted to recapture Myitkins airport and repulsed three enemy counterattacks southwest of the besieged city, a Chinese communiqué reported today.

Of the 62,312 Army wounded as reported through April 21, 1943, 37,597 had returned to duty.

Plaque Awarded Lt. Pounds' Group Now On Display

On display at the Gibson Barber Shop is a walnut plaque mounted with silver plates which has been sent to Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Pounds by the colonel of a California camp where Lt. W. G. Pounds, Jr., was stationed just before being sent overseas and which was awarded the Philippine Infantry platoon which was trained by Lt. Pounds.

The plaque was awarded the platoon in a physical fitness contest in which the group won first place. The company averaged 98.1 per cent in the contest and was judged a stellar participation in such events as pushups, 300 yard run, 75 yard run, pigbacks, 70 yard zigzag and 4 mile march.

Lt. Pounds went into the service with the National Guards in November 1940 and has been on overseas duty in the Pacific for three months. He is a graduate of Ranger High School and attended Ranger Junior College. Before going into service he was employed by J. E. Matthews.

GAINS IN SAIPAN — WASHINGTON — American Marines and army troops on Saipan have consolidated their positions and made small gains in the central sector of their lines on Thursday, the navy announced today.

I. D. Overand Dies At Ranger Home Monday Morning

I. D. Overand, for 25 years a resident of Ranger, died at his home this morning following a long illness.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Church of Christ with Wesley Mickey and Joe Crumley in charge of the services. Interment will be in the Evergreen cemetery and Morris Funeral Home will have charge of arrangements.

Mr. Overand was born in Dallas county July 26, 1873 and came to this section 25 years ago. Besides his wife he is survived by three sons, I. D. Overand, Jr., of Wochester, R. E. Overand of Cody and C. E. Overand of Cody; three daughters, Mrs. I. J. Dobbins of Cisco, Miss Mary Overand of Goose Creek, and Mrs. J. A. Lemmons of Ranger; two half sisters, Mrs. Rankin of Palo Pinto County and Mrs. Lennie Grimes of Millcup; three half brothers, Charlie Johnson of Mineral Wells, F. S. Johnson and W. O. Johnson of Weatherford. Fourteen grandchildren and one great grandchild also survive.

Pallbearers will be Charlie Bebo, J. E. Meroney, Lil Bobo, Aaron Bell, Luther Burney and J. H. Green.

Women Urged To Be At Dressings Room On Tuesday

The women of Ranger are asked to keep in mind the fact that the Red Cross surgical dressings work room will be open all day Tuesday July 4 and as many as possible are urged to be at the room on that day.

The current quota is an unusually large one and many workers are needed in order to complete the quota on time. The opening of the room on this holiday will afford an opportunity for many who are employed on regular days to give some time to this important work.

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Two Grandsons Of Mrs. Wilkes Now In Foreign Duty

Mrs. M. L. Wilkes who has just returned from a visit in Ft. Worth stated today that two of her grandsons, former Ranger residents, are now in foreign service. L. W. (Bill) Payton, electrician's mate 1-c, was sent to the European theater of war three weeks ago and the other grandson, George Gray Wilkes has been sent to the Pacific theater of war.

Another grandson Lloyd Huffman is now at Camp Swift. All of the grandsons attended school in Ranger.

Payton's mother, Mrs. Nell Payton Wilkes' mother, Mrs. Alice Wilkes and Huffman's parents, all live in Ft. Worth.

FLYING BOMBS HIT

LONDON — Flying bombs were hurled in greater numbers at southern England today as the Germans apparently adopted a new technique by sending along piloted planes to observe the destruction.

WEST TEXAS — Considerable cloudiness this afternoon, tonight and Tuesday. Scattered afternoon thundershowers and thunders.

WEST COAST OFFENSIVE IS DRIVE FOR LA HAYE DU PUTS

American troops are fighting southward in a new offensive along the western coast of Cherbourg Peninsula. The new attack started at dawn in two directions following a heavy artillery bombardment. The Americans moved forward in a driving rainstorm that thinned the battleground to mud and prevented air support. The immediate objective of the new American offensive is believed to be the transport hub of La Haye Du Puits.

A spokesman at Allied headquarters reported that American forces launched a strong attack on a 40 mile front between St. Lo and St. Lo Douville today.

The Red armies have unleashed a massive frontal attack on Minsk from positions 12 miles distant. Heavy artillery fire is raking the city's inner defenses. Meanwhile the jaws of a giant pincers are closing to the west of Minsk.

Radio Paris hints that the British offensive in France already is underway. The broadcast reports violent tank and artillery battles raging between Caen and Villers Bocage, 13 miles to the southwest.

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INSIDE WASHINGTON

Capital Columnist Finds Battling Convention Jam Chicago Tough on Feet Really Rugged Business

By HELEN ESSARY

Central Press Columnist

CHICAGO—If this copy is a little lopsided, it is because I have been standing first on one foot and then the other ever since I got here. I bumped into the Stevens lobby and tried standing on two feet at once just to give my legs a chance to coordinate if legs coordinate at political conventions. They are the only items that do.

Where was I? Oh yes, I was standing on one foot—the 'other one' this time. In the Stevens lobby, trying to see and be seen.

I wanted to pick up a little political gossip. There was not much gossip only a sort of resignation. It would be Dewey on the first ballot and Governor Warren for the vice presidency if Warren would have it. If not Warren then Bricker, the prophets said and mopped their hot brows.

Maybe there could be a little excitement in the platform committee and foreign policy arrangements. No, maybe not, for Sen. Arthur Vandenberg of Michigan had got his Mackinac plank into the platform, and the foreign policy was fixed. At this point I wondered out loud why they whoever "they" are didn't run Arthur for the presidency.

Vandenberg is smart and personable and knows how to dramatize himself. And he's got Hazel, his wife, to run him. I discussed Vandenberg almost with several people who came by the pillar against which I had now braced myself. I watched lots more people go by and said "hello" to so many political analysts, politicians and reporters I thought I was back in Washington again.

Warren is having a press conference in 415" somebody said. I hurried to an elevator that evidently did not care for me personally, for it dropped me at the fifth floor. I had to wait and wait on 'other foot' this time for an elevator to take me down to the fourth floor.

I almost never find an elevator that goes down. I don't know whether the elevators in my life disappear into the clouds or what. Anyway, only about one out of 25 ever comes down.

At last I did get to Governor Warren's conference. What a mob. Smoke filled the room, flash light photographers. About 100 people entered, and 400 standing—on one foot.

The governor, incidentally or maybe it is primarily, looks like Mr. Roosevelt. Seeing him at a distance—big handsome with straight nose and nose glasses—I thought at first he was F. D. R. The sight gave me quite a start.

I said to myself, "Good heavens, is that man going to be nominated on the Republican ticket, too?" I was wrong of course.

The gentleman was from California not Washington, C. C. and I repeat the man grow right pretty out there. Climate probably.

There is a powerful lot of Clare Luce in this place. It is Clare Luce in all the papers. Eating chicken sandwiches and Clare Luce saying Secretary of State Cordell Hull is pleasant but befuddled; it is Clare Luce saying she wants to be on an all-woman broadcast and it is Clare Luce saying she won't talk after Herbert Hoover.

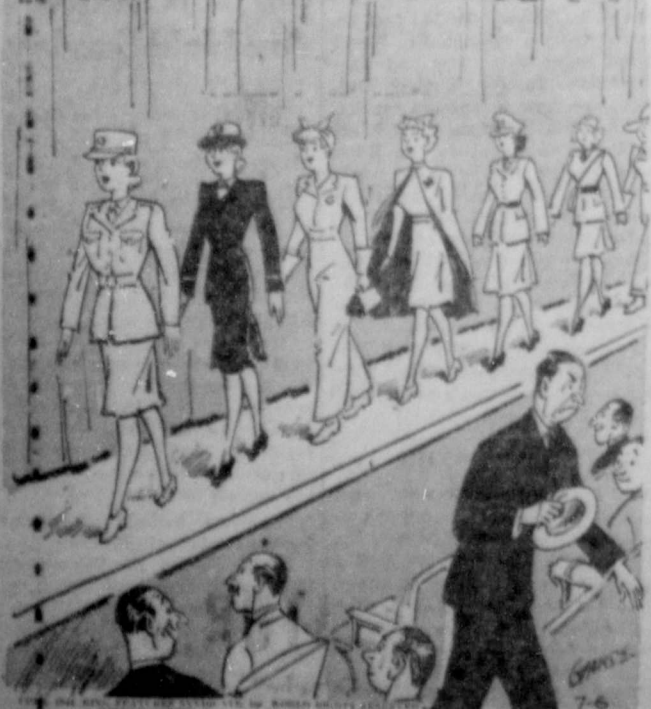
In the C. convention hall it is Herbert Hoover saying Mrs. Luce will talk "after Herbert Hoover." In the convention hall the reason Mrs. Luce does not want to talk after Mr. Hoover is that her dramatic instincts tell her she will then be an anti-climax. Coming along after the cheering for Mr. Hoover had abated.

I found Mrs. Luce. She was standing on two feet in her accustomed manner and looking fresh as a daisy—also in her accustomed manner. I asked her if she would precede or follow the elder statesman of her party. "I shall have 10 minutes after Mr. Hoover has finished," said Mrs. Luce, with a smile not too bright.

Later, I inquired of an eminent Republican senator why he and most of his crowd were so wary of Mrs. Luce. He said: "You see it is this way, or—we do not think in our party that a person who rises too far above the rest of the people makes a good candidate or a good party worker. Understand what I mean?"

LAFF-A-DAY

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Texas Lax In Dependents Care

BALLAS, Tex. (UP)—Texas ranks third from the bottom of the 15 states in generosity to its dependent children, says Mrs. George Abbott of Dallas, President of the Texas Social Welfare Association.
Calling upon the 2,000 members of the organization and other social minded citizens to aid in an effort to "remedy the situation," Mrs. Abbott declared recently that the average payment per family under aid to Dependent children is \$21.24. Only 12 states have a lower grant—Michigan with \$20.76 and North Carolina with \$20.38.
again will he try to solve another man's room man's mystery while somebody Board made his resolution when creates one at his expense. he returned to his room to find Going to the aid of a friend, Board aided in the search for a quart of whiskey and \$185 had sum of money—in the other been stolen.

AT THE ARCADIA TUESDAY



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C. S. (Clabe) Eldridge

P. L. (Lewis) Crossley

COUNTY TREASURER Mrs. Ruth (Gardland) Branton

For Election

Mrs. Frances Cooper

For Tax Assessor/Collector Clyde S. Karkisita

DISTRICT CLERK

C. W. (Charlie) Young, Jr.

Roy L. Lane

E. F. (Edgar) Alton

HENRY SCHAEFER

STATE LEGISLATURE R. (Bob) N. Graham

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

Floterial Representative W. B. STAR

L. R. Pearson

Omar Burkett

FOR CONGRESS, 17 District R. W. Wagstaff

SAM RUSSELL

J. E. Fitzgerald

Clyde L. Garrett

Commissioner, Precinct No. 1. HENRY DAVENPORT.

E. C. Satterwhite

Justice of Peace Precinct 3 Charles Bobo

Constable Precinct No. 2 RAY FAIRCLOTH

J. L. SHELTON



LITTLE ANNIE ROONEY O-O O-O BY FRAN STRIKER



THE LONE RANGER O-O O-O Bradon Walsh



BERLINERS "TAKE IT" NOW, BUT THEY DON'T LIKE IT



BERLINERS BUY THEIR BREAD from an improvised stand in a street which bears the marks of Allied bombing attacks. This photo, just received in the United States through a neutral source, shows what most of the great German capital looks like today. The Germans are said to term the Allied day and night bombings "terror bombing," but unless their memories conveniently fall them, they also recall that this type of "terror" was introduced by them in England some time ago. (International)

Pirate Captain Was Softie For Infants Wail

HENNIKER, N. H. (UP)—A bit of pirate treasure still may be seen in the ancient "Ocean-Born Mary House" on the well-named Calf Point of this inland New Hampshire hamlet.

The treasure is a bit of fine-colored silk that may once have been destined for the gay courts of France or Spain, but now hangs protected by a glass and frame in the hall of this historic home-stead.

Some 200 years ago, so the tale is told, pirates boarded an emigrant ship off the coast of the New World. Even as the scared passengers huddled on deck before the menacing robbers, the first wail of a new-born child came from below the decks.

The captain of the pirate band strode down the hatchway, confronted the frightened parents,

and demanded that the baby be named Mary in memory of his dead wife.

Fearing possible harm, the parents acquiesced. The bold captain, calling to his men, returned to their ship. Filling their arms with spoils captured on the high seas, they reboarded the emigrant vessel and lay them at the baby's feet. Gruffly, the captain asked that a bolt of gay silk be kept to fashion the infant's wedding dress. The emigrants were permitted then to proceed on the rest of their journey to Portsmouth, N. H.

Years later, when the infant Mary became the bride of James Wallace, her gown was fashioned from the bolt of silk. The couple came here and built the "Ocean-Born Mary House," where the bride lived until her death in her 94th year.

Women Work On Navy's Ships For First Time

NEW YORK (UP)—For the first time in history, women are working today on the hulls of fighting ships on the construction ways of the New York Navy Yard.

In trim safety clothing, several score pioneering women already are welding, doing electrical and sheet metal work aboard aircraft carriers under construction in the yard. The Navy says it can use hundreds more.

Women have proved their worth in ship construction, Rear Adm. Monroe Kelly, commandant of the yard said, and their willingness, sincerity and skill have earned the praise of the naval officers

and civilians under whom they work. Most of the women workers have high school diplomas, the Navy said, some are college graduates, a great many are former office workers, and a large number are mothers. A high percentage are the wives or sisters of the men who fight aboard the ships they build.

VOTE FOR HENRY A. SCHAEFER Candidate For DISTRICT CLERK

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YOUR HOME is probably your most precious asset. Its future value depends on how well you take care of it today. KEEPING IT in tip-top shape by making necessary repairs is more essential now than ever.

Yankee Senorita

CHAPTER TWENTY-THREE MALLORY returned to her apartment in the Montecito after her appointment with the press. It was past 7 o'clock. But she did not feel, nor look tired. Prism met her at the door, greatly perturbed. "Jehosaphat! You sure had me worried. I was beginnin' to think them baboons got at you in spite of all them bodyguards."

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FACTOGRAPHS

Log college was a famous wilderness school founded at Nesheim, Pa., by Rev. William Jerrett. It was the first literary institution above the common schools in that state.

A lace-winged fly of the chrysomelid family is known by the name of golden-eyed fly because in some lights the eye seems the color of burnished gold.

The first American captured in World War I after America's declaration of war, was Edgar M. Haliburton of Taylorsville, N. C.

GETTING THE RANGE!



VOTE FOR

HENRY A. SCHAEFER
Candidate For
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Right Package, In Wrong Place

HOUSTON, Tex. (UP)—Sheriff

Neal Polk's face is a little red these days.

The sheriff recently noticed a package in his office, picked up the package and took it home, thinking all the while his wife was surprising him with a Father's Day gift.

His redness of face started when his wife, a bit flustered, told him: "But I didn't buy you anything for Father's Day."

TO CHECK
MALARIA
IN 7 DAYS
take **666**
Liquid for Malarial Symptoms.

PERSONALS

Miss Jane Matthews who has been attending the University of Texas has arrived to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Matthews. Enroute home she attended a house party at the home of roommate in Kilgore.

Miss Frances Gholson and Miss LeChery have returned to Dallas after a visit with their grandmother, Mrs. John Gholson.



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For the Best Haircut in Town Come To
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Mr. J. C. Moore is a medical patient in the West Texas Hospital.

James I. Turner is a medical patient in the West Texas Hospital.

Mr. John M. Gholson has received word that his son, Major Charles Gholson has arrived in Italy at his station with the armed forces in Italy. Major Gholson had been in the states on leave and had been with the United States Army through the North African, Sicilian and Italian campaigns.

Mr. Jack Edwards and two daughters and granddaughters have returned from a visit with Mrs. Edwards' sister in Lampa.

C. D. Hartnett is in Weatherford where he was called by the serious illness of his brother, Jeff Hartnett.

Mrs. Lois Johnson of Midland is here for a holiday visit with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Gully of Big Spring are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Donley.

Buy War Bonds

He's New Senator



AMERICAN LEGION COMMANDER, Lynn U. Stambaugh, of Fargo, N. D., who based his campaign for the Republican nomination for United States senator on U. S. cooperation in world affairs, is, according to latest returns, apparently winner. Stambaugh ran as an independent against incumbent Gerald P. Nye who had the endorsement of the GOP organizing committee. (International)

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U. S. NURSES INVADE WITH YANKS



A GROUP of the first U. S. Army nurses to land with the vanguard of American troops on the Normandy beachheads, is shown here taking time out for chow outside their field hospital. These nurses were on the job when the first man needed medical aid. United States Signal Corps photograph. (International Soundphoto)

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