

Philippine Invasion Rumor Unconfirmed

GEN. STILLWELL WELL ON WAY TO KEEP PLEDGE

Headquarters Southeast Asia Command, KANDY, Ceylon, (UP)—Gen. Joseph W. (Uncle Joe) Stilwell is back in China. At least spiritually America's only four-star general in CBI is "back home" in China where he has spent most of his career, because a strong Sino-American patrol of his North Burma Command recently met a similar Chinese patrol in the mountains on the China-Burma frontier some where between Myitkya and Tengchung.

After 30 months of isolation, this re-establishment of land contact with China puts "Uncle Joe" well on his way to fulfilling the promise he made when his tired and battered force reached Imphal on May 20, 1942, after walking out of Burma.

That promise, prefaced with the fighting admission that "we took a helluva beating," was that we would reopen the Burma road.

Two hundred and thirty eight miles, have been completed to Mogaung since army engineers started work at Ledo in December of 1942. The 33 mile stretch between Mogaung and Myitkya is now under construction.

In the meantime jeep trails are operating on the railway between these two North Burma cities.

Chinese and Kachin troops driving south from Myitkya have covered 23 miles of the road, to Kaza. From Kaza to Bhamo is another 94 miles. And Bhamo connects with the Burma Road at Lashio, 202 miles away.

So the basis of our China route and Gen. Stilwell's promise, at three, it only awaits clearing of the Japanese by Chinese and American troops.

Myitkya itself is connected by jungle trails to Tengchung, about 80 miles to the east. The Burma Road passes about 25 miles south of Lashio. Development of this route would mean more back breaking construction over mountainous terrain but it would shorten the Ledo Road by more than 400 miles.

The Sino-American expedition from North Burma consisted of specially trained troops led by Maj. Ben Thrallkill, Jr., a native of the American Rocky mountains and a skilled mountain climber and explorer.

The route followed by the expedition covered dense jungle hills, rice fields and steep mountains. The trip was completed in less than a month.

The rendezvous with a Chinese patrol from the Salween Front was at a high mountain pass covered by mist and rain.

Marcus, Kachins and other tribesmen held joyous receptions for the two Allied patrols and provided them with food and shelter. Americans, Chinese and Kachins ate in a common mess overlooking China to the east and Burma to the west.

A seven year old Kachin lad, impressed with the life of a soldier, started the march back to Myitkya with the Americans. He walked two days before they could convince him that he should return to his parents.

C.A.P. GROUP OF ABILENE VISIT RANGER

Lt. M. L. Bird, acting commander of group 9 of the Civil Air patrol of Abilene and Warrant Officer French and Lt. Rodee were the guests of Ranger High school and Ranger Junior College at a joint assembly meeting at the high school auditorium and spoke to the students in the interest of the Civil Air Patrol.

The group is here investigating the possibility of establishing a unit of the C. A. P. in Ranger and in this connection ground courses will be given at Ranger Junior College. Students who furnish signed releases from their parents will be taken for rides in the planes that were flown here by the trio.

The group of visitors also appeared at the Lions Club Luncheon today and Lt. Bird and C. C. McKeever of the Ranger Flying School spoke before this group.

Much interest was manifested by the club over the proposed project.

The pair will maintain headquarters at the Paramount Hotel and anyone interested in studying the organization may secure literature at the Chamber of Commerce. Application blanks are also at the Chamber of Commerce.

Any applicant will be furnished transportation, board and room while enroute to Abilene and back and while there to take the physical examination.

Lt. Barker stated that one applicant from Ranger has been interviewed and is now taking her examinations. As soon as those have been passed her name will be revealed.

WAC Recruiting Officers Visit Eastland

Lt. Sarah T. Barker, sub-commander of the WAC recruiting office at Abilene, and Cpl. Irene Punsney, also of the Abilene office, were in Eastland Tuesday in the interest of the campaign being staged at this time for recruits for the Women's Army Corps.

Women of the age from 20 to 49 years and who have no dependents under 14 years of age, are eligible if they can meet physical and other qualifications. Lt. Barker stated. She also stated that women suitable for medical, laboratory or X-Ray technicians were especially needed at this time. These may be trained on the job or sent to schools.

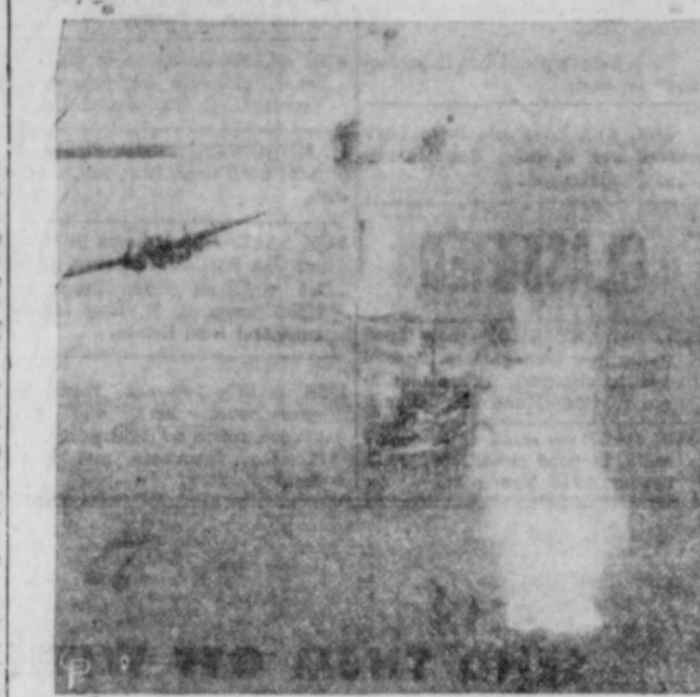
The government will defray the expense of prospective recruits from their homes to the Abilene office and back, for physical examinations.

If there are those who are interested they should contact the WAC Recruiting office at 307 Postoffice Building, Abilene, or see the recruiting officers when they are in Eastland or Ranger. They will be at the Chamber of Commerce building in Eastland from 10:00 a. m. to 12:00 o'clock noon each Tuesday, and will be at the Ranger Chamber of Commerce Building from 1:30 p. m. each Tuesday until Wednesday morning.

FDR Adds Boston To Campaign List

WASHINGTON—Boston has been added to the growing list of cities where President Roosevelt will speak for his campaign. Presidential Secretary Stephen Early made the announcement to reporters today, but did not give the date of the appearance.

U. S. Air Might in Action—and Another Jap Convoy Is Riddled



SPECTACULAR BUT DISASTROUS for the Japs was this U. S. Far East Air Forces strike at Jap shipping off Kavieng, New Ireland.



At the left the U. S. planes attack the convoy. At the right only burning fragments remain of the Jap ships. (Internationals)

U. S. TRANSPORT IS NAMED FOR EASTLAND CO.

According to information released to the press by Miss Johnnie Hightower, County Clerk, Eastland county is to have a United States transport named for the county and it is expected that the ship will be commissioned very soon.

The matter was brought to the attention of Miss Hightower when the librarian at the United States Naval Air Station in Astoria, Ore., wrote to her and requested that a brief history of the county be sent to the library in order that crewmen of the ship might read it and also that it might be placed in the ship's library.

Miss Hightower sought out county historians and the result was that some very fine articles, were prepared by Ed Cox of Eastland, Mrs. M. H. Hagaman of Eastland and Miss Maifred Hale of Eastland.

After the articles were received by the librarian at Astoria she wrote to Miss Hightower thanking her for the articles and stating that they were just what they wanted and exceptionally fine articles. It was stated that they would be placed in the ship's library which will likely be in charge of the chaplain of the ship.

In a letter from Addison Grant Noble, chaplain of the U. S. S. Eastland written on October 8, the chaplain described the ship as an attack transport which carries Marines and troops to the scene of battle and lands them on the beach with amphibious craft. Chaplain Noble said, "She then waits to receive the wounded and transport them to some base hospital."

The chaplain also stated that he as well as the officers and men of the ship would appreciate any interest that the people of the county might take in the ship named for their county.

Sgt. Lee Now At Langley Field

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lee, route 2, Ranger have received word that their son, Sgt. W. H. Lee has completed his final combat training at Gowen Field, Idaho, and is now stationed at Langley Field, Virginia.

Sgt. Lee is serving as a gunner on a B-24 Liberator Bomber and according to officials at his base is ready for action.

HURRICANE HITS FLORIDA

The fury of a tropical hurricane is venting itself on central and northern Florida. The storm roared ashore this morning on Florida's West Coast, after sweeping north from the Caribbean Sea into the Gulf of Mexico.

A late report from Jacksonville says the storm struck that shipyard port this afternoon after battering a destructive path across the rich citrus belt.

WOMEN DOING ALL JOBS IN CANNON PLANT

WATERVLIET, N. Y. (UP)—It used to be "the man behind the man behind the gun." But not so any more.

With 2,600 employees of Watervliet Arsenal now in the armed forces, thousands of women and girls are now doing their part in the Army's principal cannon factory. Coupled with the fact that most of them have husbands, sons, daughters or sweethearts in the service is the satisfaction which comes from the knowledge that they are doing an essential war job and finding it an interesting and profitable occupation.

The arsenal shops first began hiring women in February, 1942 and in September of that year more women were being taken on than men. Over 5,000 women and girls have been hired for manufacturing operations to date, many of whom are now serving in other industries.

A list of the jobs now being performed by women covers practically the entire category of occupations. An outstanding example of women's work in the department where rifling breeches for guns up to 240mm. caliber are made which is now practically 100 per cent a woman's job. Tool engineers from large manufacturing concerns have expressed admiration at this accomplishment and doubt as to their ability to perform and equal job with skilled male help.

Women are laying out rough castings for machine operations finishing machine parts to gauges preparatory to final assembly, inspecting the finished product marking the completed guns at final assembly, preparing the guns for shipment and even assisting in the making of packing cases for shipment.

Women also make and prepare the reamers, for boring the cannon. They operate practically all types of machines, handle electric arc welding, gas welding and brazing and cutting operations. They operate cranes throughout the plant, electric and gasoline tractors and trucks inside and outside the shops. In fact, women even operate the 40-ton Diesel locomotive which moves the freight cars throughout the arsenal railroad system.

James Ralph Williams Dies In Ranger Today

James Ralph Williams, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Williams of Frankell died early this morning at the West Texas Hospital following an illness of the last two weeks.

The young man was born in Mineral Wells June 19, 1930 but had made his home in Frankell in Ranger. Funeral plans are not complete but services will be held Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock and other details are yet to be worked out.

Besides his parents he is survived by a sister, Mrs. Mary Bargley of Little Rock, Arkansas and by his paternal grandmother, Mrs. Florine Williams of Glendale, Arizona, and his maternal grandmother, Mrs. Mary Oelaport of New Jersey.

ALLIES TAKE TIDDIM

Southeast Asia Hqs., Kandy, Ceylon (UP)—Allied troops have captured Tiddim, Japanese key base in Burma from where they launched an abortive attack on India last spring. A communist announced today.

Grand Jury To Convene Tuesday October 24th

A grand jury for the 89th district court, presided over by Judge B. W. Patterson, has been summoned to convene at 9:30 o'clock Tuesday morning, October 24.

Following are those summoned: J. F. Robertson, Rising Star; W. J. Foxworth, Cisco; Ed May, Dae Jemana; George Boyd, Cisco; O. D. Brogden, Gorman; A. L. Gallo, Scurra; A. N. McBeth, Nimrod; F. O. Burns, Okra; J. J. Gallo, Cisco; Frank Crowell, Eastland; Edwin George, Jr., Ranger; Frank Stubblefield, Carbon; H. G. Childress, Rising Star; T. J. Anderson, Ranger; Dave Finney, Eastland.

Manuel Giminez Of Eastland Is Rome Visitor

Allied Force Advance Press Headquarters, Italy—Private First Class Manuel D. Giminez, son of Mrs. Lupe Giminez, Eastland, a machine runner in an infantry division fighting with the Fifth Army, recently spent a five day leave in Rome.

"Just before I came down here," he said, "I spent the night in a shell hole firing at a German pill box about twenty yards away. I ran out of ammunition. Luckily, I ran out of Germans at the same time."

"Things like that are what make a fellow really appreciate a chance to visit a city like Rome," Private First Class Giminez, has been overseas 10 months and has been awarded the Combat Infantryman's Badge, one Bronze Battle Participation Star, the Mediterranean Theater Ribbon and the Good Conduct Medal.

Hugh McCord Is Missing Over Italian Area

By Special Correspondent CARBON, Tex. Oct. 18 (Sp.)—The tragedy of war struck again in Carbon Saturday when news was received by Devoe Decker that his nephew, Capt. Hugh McCord, had been missing in action over Italy since September 25th, last.

Capt. McCord, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed McCord, formerly of Carbon, is a nephew of Mrs. Jack Bourland and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Dover, pioneer residents of Carbon. He has two brothers, Preston McCord and Sgt. Milton McCord of the United States Marines. His wife lives in Florida. He only recently received his captain's commission and had previously been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross together with other merit medals. He was home on furlough last July.

Cooper School Announces Honor Roll For 6 Weeks

Following is the honor roll for the Cooper School for the first six weeks of the current school term:

First Grade: High Honor—Barbara Ann Williams, Betty Kennedy, Sammie Jennings, Barbara Nichols, Mona Beth Gray, Phil Lee.

Second Grade: High Honor—Lloyd Garland, Carolyn Downing.

Honor—James Putnam, Douglas Basham, Allison Murphy, Gladys Leonard, Helen Britt.

Third Grade: High Honor—Mildred Ann Woolley, Annie Sue Carroll.

Honor—Joe Kirk Dorsey, Marseena.

Fourth Grade: High Honor—Barbara Ray Long.

JAPANESE SAY ALLIES HAVE LANDED ON SULUAN ISLAND

The Jap-controlled Manila radio now "officially" reports confirmation of landings in the Central Philippines, but there still is no word from the Allies. The second Manila broadcast says the American forces landed on the tiny island of Suluan Tuesday when the American fleet began its attack on the Gulf inside the coastline defense positions. In Europe, official German news dispatches report that reinforced Soviet forces have

crossed the East Prussian border. The Germans admit the evacuation of a frontier town, and say the Russians are continuing to push westward.

The enemy reports say the Russians used about 500 tanks in the invasion, losing more than half of them.

British and American columns in Eastern Holland drove the Germans back on a 25-mile front today. The Allies—aiming for the Meuse river and Germany's Ruhr Valley—are nearing a junction at the small town of Amerika—the last Nazi stronghold on

ROME (UP)—Three columns of Eighth Army troops drove against Cosent today with a Canadian salient spearheading the attack after forcing a crossing of the Pisciarillo river to establish a bridgehead in the outskirts of that industrial and communications center on the Rimini-Bologna highway.

a highway running 9 miles south-east to the border town of Venio.

The German radio reports that the American Third Army is reaching the fortifications of Metz—the great Nazi held French fortress city.

Front line dispatches indicate that the remaining Germans in Aachen have been hemmed into the northwestern part of the city.

Pvt. Willingham, Wounded in Action Back In Service

Mrs. Nellie Bynum has received word that her son, Pvt. Leon Willingham, who was wounded in action in France on June 14, returned to duty on September 21.

Pvt. Willingham who was serving with the 95th Infantry at the time he was wounded was hospitalized in England for wounds in the right arm and leg. A letter from the soldier dated October 5 has been received by Mrs. Bynum and in the letter the son stated that he was back in action in France. He has been in foreign service since April of this year.

Mrs. Bynum has another son in the service, Pfc. Bonnie E. Willingham, and his wife, Mrs. Dollie Willingham has just received word that he has arrived in France and is serving in action with the 46th Infantry. He has been in the service five years and is with a cannon company.

His wife is the former Miss Dollie Dean Pruett.

REDS IN EAST PRUSSIA

LONDON—Berlin reported today that the Red army had smashed into East Prussia, forced the evacuation of the German town of Eyrstuhnan, and opened a new offensive against the Junkers province from the South in a bid to break through to Danzig.

Air Tragedy In England Stops Brothers Reunion

FORT MADISON, Ia. (UP)—The expected reunion of two brothers, stationed in England, recently was cut short by tragedy.

Although they were at bases only 15 miles apart, Sgt. Theodore F. Kuhlmeier and Lt. Bernard Kuhlmeier flew to his brother's base but did to circle around for some time until the field could be cleared of the wreckage of a crash landing.

Lt. Kuhlmeier finally landed only to learn that his brother had been killed in the crash.

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RANGER 25 YEARS AGO

(From the files of the Ranger Daily Times, October 19, 1919.) R. C. McCoy an attorney of this city last night reported the loss of a steamer trunk containing two suits of clothes ten or 15 shirts, \$20 worth of linen and \$75 worth of silverware, also a suitcase, with contents valued at \$90. They were stolen last night in Young addition.

Curtis Shiner is dead and Carl Gallagher is said to be dying from an early morning gun battle on Pine street.

R. A. Hodges, president of the Guaranty State Bank of this city is here from his home in Abilene, seeing after business.

Chief of Police Ben Peavy has returned from Abilene where he spent the week end attending to business.

Ed Beasley, manager of the Ranger Garage, has returned from a visit to relatives in Abilene.

Friends of Mrs. William H. Johnson, wife of Rev. Johnson, pastor of the Baptist church, are welcoming her home after her visit to Handley, Ft. Worth and Dallas. She is at home on Monday afternoons.

Rev. J. P. Daniels of El Paso has been employed as assistant pastor of the Baptist church to take care of the increasing membership.

The following deacons and officers of the church have been appointed: Sam E. Barber, J. B. Barnes, W. M. Childress, J. S. Davis, Fred Hale, T. W. Hazard, E. E. Tallen, Dr. A. K. Wier, George Wilder, C. L. W. Brasher, W. A. Wyatt, George Linn.

William Moncrief, J. B. Moore, Hayden Neil, W. F. Peoples, J. C. Long, J. W. Tibbal and J. E. Ryburn.

"The daylight saving law's 'stinger' will be pulled out next Sunday morning. At 2 o'clock Sunday morning the hands of clocks and watches will be turned back to 1 o'clock and the Big Ben that has been so unmercifully and ferociously jangling at 7 a. m. in present time will hold aloof an hour to strike terror to the heart of the laborer and the 'savant'."

CHEANEY NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. L. Z. Melton had as guests the past Friday the following brothers and sisters: Cpl. Ira Wilson and wife of Greenville, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Wilson and family of Ft. Worth; Mrs. Onie Shook; Mrs. Gladys Proctor and family of Breckenridge and their

Tired Kidneys Often Bring Sleepless Nights

Doctors say your kidneys contain 15 million tiny tubes or filters which help to purify the blood and keep you healthy. When they get tired and don't work right in the daytime, many people have to get up twice, frequently, to urinate at night. This is a sure sign of tired kidneys or bladder. Don't neglect this condition and lose valuable, restful sleep. When diseased or kidney function is impaired, poisons gather in your blood, it may also cause nagging backache, rheumatism, pain, leg pain, loss of pep and energy, swelling, puffiness under the eyes, headaches and dizziness. (Don't wait! Ask your druggist for Doan's Pills, used successfully by millions for over 40 years. They give happy relief and will help the 15 million of kidney tubes flush out poisons from your blood. Get Doan's Pills.



VITAMINS FOR HEALTH!

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mother Mrs. Sarah Wilson also of Fort Worth.

M. L. Dave Love left Sunday to report for duty on the west coast, after spending 30 day leave here with home folk. He has spent many months in New Caledonia and brought back a number of interesting souvenirs.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lamb of Breckenridge attended church at Cheaney Sunday morning and visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Calvert.

Correction—In last week's issue we stated that Tom Blackwell was from Montana, which was our mistake. He is from Boston, Mass., and he is home for the first time in 25 years and not 2— which was the printer's mistake.

Week end visitors in the E. R. Underwood home were: Mrs. Dorcas Kerns, Mrs. May Gibson, and daughter Hazel; Mrs. C. O. Stephens, and two children all of Slaton, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Ray and daughter Jo Rita, of Wilson, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Kerns, and two sons of Hearne, Texas. The occasion for the visit was in honor of E. R. (uncle Bob) Underwood's 89th birthday and a reunion of the Kerns family all of whom but one were present.

Mrs. Dorcas Kerns is the daughter of E. R. Underwood and sister to Will and Walter Under-

wood, who with their families were also present, for the birthday dinner on Saturday.

This writer and son Billy visited with Ellen and Betty Tucker Sunday evening.

Mrs. Sophie Freeman of Coffeyville, Kansas, is visiting her father, Cicero Weekes, and other members of the family. She was a visitor at church Sunday morning.

Mrs. Dorothy Faye Crouch, whose husband, S. Z. Loyd Crouch is stationed at Treasure Island, California, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Melton here last week.

David Blackwell of Ranger visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Blackwell, and attended church at Cheaney Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Blackwell and Belva Jenn were callers in the afternoon in the parental home also.

Mrs. J. P. Strickler came home the first of the week from Fort Worth, where she has spent the past three weeks in the home of her son, Oscar Strickler and family. She was accompanied home by the son's wife, Alma Strickler, who is recovering from a serious illness, and expects to be here for some time.

Miss Billie Marie Myrick visited the Richard Myricks, the week end.

1919 German Pistol Acquires A 1944 Holster

BLENCOE, Ia. (UP)—Sgt. Carl Atkinson, Blencoe, Ia., who captured several Germans on the night before the Armistice in the last war, brought back to this country as a souvenir a pistol taken from one of his prisoners. He gave the gun to his brother-in-law, O. H. Hale, Blencoe, remarking, "Some day your son will have to go back to finish the job." When Hale's son, Sgt. Harold Hale, went overseas he took the pistol with him. Recently he wrote his father he had taken a holster from a Nazi.

"The Lager pistol fits it perfectly," he said.

Mrs. Ann Love and Dave Love visited her brother, Joe Tucker Friday afternoon.

CLASSIFIED THE SWEET SHOP—now open under new management. Special 10c hamburgers. School children invited. Hunt and Adams. FOR SALE—small table model radio in good condition. J. C. Craver, 1216 Young St.

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LOST—Ration Book No. 3, Velma Lou Rose.

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FOR SALE—160 acre farm, 6-room house, barn and out house, terms to right party. C. E. May, Insurance and Real Estate.

FOR RENT—3 room apartment. Travelers Hotel, 311 Walnut.

DRESSMAKING, altering, covered buttons, buckles, belts, hemstitching. Mrs. Barnhill and Mrs. Wilson, 309 Main St., Ranger.

FOR SALE—Typewriters, radios, new and used furniture. G. O. Strong.

FOR SALE—Well improved home. Good chicken range. 3 lots good fence, in Lackland addition. H. C. Kelley, Rt. 3, Box 67.

FOR SALE—nice modern furnished house on paved street, close in, in good condition. C. E. May, Insurance and Real Estate.

NOTICE—Now open to buy peanuts for Southwestern Peanut Growers Association. Located at Love's Feed Store, J. F. Mossley.

FOR RENT—3 room unfurnished apartment. Nice and roomy. 1017 Blackwell Road. Experienced roofing man. 811 Walnut Street.

WANTED—Driver for, Pick-up and Delivery. Phone 452 or call at plant, Ranger Dry Cleaners.

FOR SALE—one Acetylene Welding generator, hose, cutting torch, welding torch. Priced to sell. Godwin Furniture Co.

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ONE OF THE Great Aids TO A HAPPY MARRIED LIFE

THE PENGUIN, we read, spends half its life on land, half in the water. Never able to make up its mind whether to walk or swim, it naturally is too busy to become alarmed.

Fleeing Nazis on the western front left behind an immense stock of fur coats. They must have thought this was a summer offensive.

Hiter, says an item, prefers red houndfish. He'd better have a white one handy—and in a hurry.

Gold, according to Factographs, is not always golden in color. For instance—the basement kind, which becomes a lovely shade of green.

Add similes: As foolhardy as a Japanese newspaper editor refusing to print one of Hirohito's 78-syllable poems.

Rats always leave a doomed ship. What Junior wants to know is this: Is this true of sinking submarines?

Grass in the Everglades swamps in Florida often grows to a height of more than seven feet. Grandpappy Jenkins, who doesn't live there, says this news would have made him feel a lot better if he had read it.

CARBON

CARBON, Tex. Oct. 16—Rev. T. G. Story has returned from a visit to his children at Nolan.

Lt. and Mrs. Joe Jagers were here last week visiting Mrs. Jager's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gilbert. Lt. Jagers has been stationed in Maryland.

Mrs. Catherine Darwin and son are visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Barton, and grandmother, Mrs. W. C. Couch, enroute from San Antonio to Burk Burnett to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Couch.

Mrs. Steve Novak of Abilene and niece, Bettie Lou and Glenda Hughes of Cisco, spent the week end with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Holloway.

Mrs. Margaret Dickerson and daughter, Ida Kate, of El Paso, Mrs. Ethel Shoemaker of Eastland and Mrs. Irma Clark and daughter, Patsy of Sundown, visited with Mr. and Mrs. H. Hall, Friday.

Mrs. Mildred Miller and daughters, Patricia, Carol and Sandra, of Detroit, are visiting her par-

ents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Warner.

F. L. Moore, who has been in California and other places in the West for the past year, is home again for a few weeks during the harvest season.

Mrs. Oleta Robertson, who has been attending a school of telegraphy in Fort Worth, spent Sunday with relatives here before leaving Monday for Fort Worth to join a group of girls going to San Francisco where they have employment.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nicholas and family have returned from Odessa where Mr. Nicholas and "J. L." have been working.

A. C. D. M. Collins, came in Sunday from Amarillo and will be home while his children are recuperating from operations for the removal of their tonsils.

Pvt. and Mrs. Tommie Nicholas of Camp Walters were at home here over the past week end.

Calvin Gilbert, a V-12 student at TCU, Fort Worth, spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gilbert.

Pvt. Basil White of Camp Walters was accompanied home this

week end by Pvt. Bill Wilcox of Michigan, also stationed at Camp Walters.

Merlin B. Gilbert, stationed at Marine Barracks, Parris Island, S. C., came in Monday on furlough for a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Gilbert.

Sgt. Ray Martin, recently returned from England, is visiting his brother, Pvt. Doc Martin, who is home on furlough from Marfa Air Base.

Mrs. Elzo Been returned Saturday from Elgin where she had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Sid Davis and family. Mrs. Davis and children accompanied her home for a visit.

Miss Rebecca White, who has been here at the bedside of her uncle, G. D. Hall, returned to her home in Dallas, Monday.

"Dug" Hall has returned to Sundown after attending the funeral services Sunday for his grandfather, G. D. Hall.

Mrs. G. D. Hall has gone to Odessa where she will visit for a while with her daughter and family.

Cpl. J. C. O'Brien, who has

been with the Marines in the Pacific for two years, came in Monday on furlough to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. O'Brien.

Mrs. Joe E. Ford, student nurse at Harris Memorial Hospital, Fort Worth, spent from Thursday to Saturday here with her husband, Pvt. Joe E. Ford, who is home on furlough.

Mrs. Floyd Henson of Cisco visited friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buell Rhyne of Houston, are visiting his parents this week.

Mrs. Euell Allison, who is employed by the Southwestern Peanut Growers Association at Gorman, and Miss Wayne Lovell, who is employed by Western Union at Breckenridge, spent the week end here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lovell. They all visited friends at Baird on Sunday.

Pvt. Joe F. Ford and Glen Ford were in Fort Worth Sunday and Monday.

Elroy Bethany, J. M. 3-c, who has returned from two years overseas duty on visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bethany.

Mr. and Mrs. John Edwards of Abilene are visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. V. O'Brien and Cpl. J. C. O'Brien.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Petree left Sunday to attend funeral services for their son-in-law, Joe Beeman, at Turkey.

Miss Lora Ford of Cisco visited Mr. and Mrs. Ira Ford, Sunday.

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who is stationed at camp near St. Louis, visited his grandmother, Mrs. A. W. Maness, and uncle, Henry Maness and wife, Thursday. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Maness of Clyde.

Mrs. Euell Allison is in receipt of a letter from her husband, S-Sgt. Euell Allison in the Southwest Pacific, stating that he has been released from the hospital where he had been for two months suffering from an infected jaw resulting from the extraction of a tooth.

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Y. W. A. MEETING IS HELD ON MONDAY

Members of the Y. W. A. met Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of the sponsor, Mrs. George Robinson.

The meeting was opened with the singing of the theme song, "O-Zion Haste" and the opening prayer was offered by Mrs. Robinson. Miss Rosemary Bruce gave the devotional.

During the business session plans were made for a Halloween party to be held Monday night, October 23 at the home of Miss Frances Ann Eubank. On completion of business members joined in making various kinds of candies which when finished were boxed and wrapped in the association colors of green and white and will be sent to soldiers in hospitals to be

used as bingo prizes.

Those attending the meeting were Misses Amelia Walker, Jo Oyler, Charlene Cook Frances Ann Eubank, Margaret Gafner, Katharine Adams, Mary Frances Ohr, Rosemary Bruce, Waunett Davis and Mrs. Robinson.

YOUNG P-T. A. MEET IS HELD TUESDAY

The regular meeting of the Young School Parent-Teacher Association was held Tuesday afternoon at 3:45 o'clock at the school and an attendance of 24 members was recorded.

During the afternoon the new moving picture machine was used for the showing of a film and a discussion of what is expected of the teachers and what is expected of the parents was given by Miss Goree Graham and Mrs. Stanley McAnelly.

Plans for the Halloween carnival were discussed. The contest

SERVICE MEN ARE HONORED AT PARTY

Miss Jewel Nevenham entertained Wednesday night with a party at the American Legion clubroom complimenting her nephews, Sgt. Thomas T. Guess and Pvt. Bill G. Guess and their friends, Pvt. Marion Graham all of whom are here on furloughs.

The party guests gathered at 8:00 o'clock for a barbecue supper and following the serving of supper, dancing was enjoyed until a late hour. About 100 guests from Ranger and adjoining towns were present for the delightful occasion.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS MEETING IS HELD

The regular meeting of the Ranger Camp of the Royal Neighbors of America was held Monday evening at the I. O. O. F. Hall with Mrs. Lillie Wilson presiding as orator.

Members of the Camp are especially urged to attend next Monday night's meeting in uniform and after the meeting there will be a special drill practice for the meeting in Breckenridge November 9.

CHILD STUDY ASSN PARTY POSTPONED

The Halloween party for members of the Child Study Association which was scheduled to be held at the home of Mrs. Saule Perlstein Thursday evening has been postponed until Friday evening and all members and their husbands are invited to attend.

REBEKAH LODGE HAS MEETING TUESDAY

The Ranger Rebekah Lodge No. 244 met in regular session Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock with Mrs. Martha Craver presiding. When sick reports were made it was revealed that several members were ill.

Communications were read and disposition made of them. Mrs. Laura Todd was elected as degree captain and she urges every member who wishes to become a member of the team to be present next Tuesday evening for practice Alpha Lee Bennet appointed by the Noble Grand as conductor and Mrs. Ellen Jones was appointed right supporter to the Noble Grand. They were installed by Lodge Deputy Mabel Souther and Deputy Marshal Laura Todd.

Mrs. Shoemaker of Pampa was introduced and welcomed and the

pony prize was furnished by Mrs. Louie Calder and won by Laura Todd. A large attendance was recorded.

All members are urged to attend the meeting next Tuesday evening at 7:30 and to bring another member with them. The visiting committee for the week is composed of Mrs. Shipman, Mrs. Bennett and Mrs. Jones.

PERSONALS

Oliver O. Beck, G. M. 3-c, has reported to his base at San Diego California after a 30 day visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Beck. His wife the former Miss Dorothy Joyce Wymer is temporarily making her home with his parents. She plans to join her husband in San Diego soon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bundren and daughter, Georgian, of Brady are the guests of Mr. Bundren's sister, Mrs. I. D. Carlisle and Mr. Carlisle.

Lt. Eugene Kribbs left today for his station in Vancouver, Washington after a ten days visit with his wife and baby and with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Kribbs.

W. J. Van Bibber has returned from Mineral Wells where he recently underwent surgery.

Albert Leevy of California who has been a medical patient in the West Texas Hospital has been removed from the hospital to the home of his sister, Mrs. Frank Arrendale.

J. B. McKinney of Mingus is a medical patient in the West Texas Hospital.

H. P. Ball, A. M. second class, who has just returned from service with the Navy in the Pacific has

arrived for a visit with his mother Mrs. Johnnie Pail.

It was reported this morning that the condition of Judge W. S. Adamson who is a patient in the West Texas Hospital, is still critical. Judge Adamson received a broken hip in a fall at his Eastland office last Saturday.

C. R. Rogers, J. A. Bates, J. L. Thompson, and J. B. Rayfield were in Dallas Wednesday and Thursday to attend a foreman's conference for the Lone Star Producing and Lone Star Gas Company.

V. V. Cooper, Sr. and V. V. Cooper Jr. were in Ft. Worth Wednesday to be with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Annie Laura Jensen, who is a patient in a Ft. Worth Hospital.

For the election of the Halloween king and queen will be closed at 1 o'clock Friday and it was reported at the meeting that a spirited contest is being conducted by each room.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Brashers had as guests over the week end her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Slavson, Peggy Nell and Warren of Hamilton, Tex.

CARD OF THANKS

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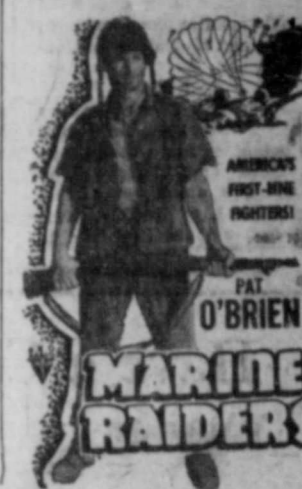
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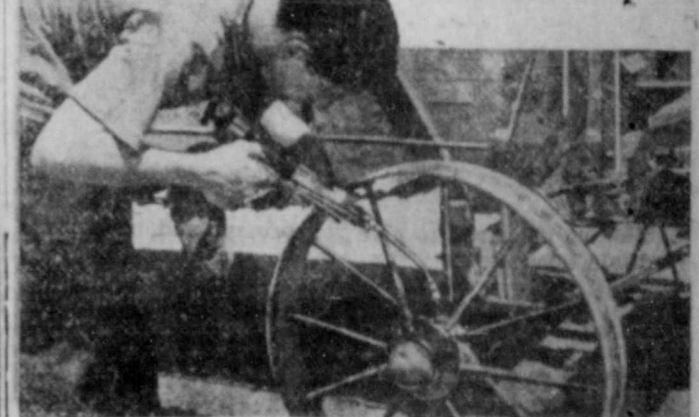
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