

Two 3rd Army Columns Closing On Metz

FORT YSER, SECOND OF CITY'S NINE DEFENSES, FALLS; REDS WITHIN 16 MILES OF BUDAPEST

London Says The Sinking of the Tirpitz Frees British Navy For Giving Full Attention To The Japanese

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE TO HEAR REGENTS

AUSTIN, (UP) Regents of the University of Texas will tell of their differences with former Pres Homer P. Rainey before a legislative committee here Thursday and Friday, according to plans made today.

Sen. Penrose Metcalf of San Angelo, chairman of the senate committee on textbooks and other scholastic matters, has summoned the committee to meet tomorrow. Regents are to be heard the following two days according to tentative plans.

Meantime, Gov. Coke R. Stevenson said the fifth and only remaining persons he has asked to serve on the board of regents in place of resigned members, had declined.

Students who earlier staged a sit down strike against removal of Dr. Rainey by the regents, have called a mass meeting for today to discuss the statement issued by Regent Orville Bullington of Wichita Falls at Dallas, Saturday in reply to Dr. Rainey's 16 point allegation of "repressive" actions by regents.

Farm Defense Shop Head Takes Welding Course

Lynn Gentry, director of the school from about two weeks study of acetylene and electric welding in Granbury.

The shop is open now from 9:30 a. m. to 3:30 p. m. for the purpose of letting people do their own repair work.

Gentry, who lives in Alameda is an experienced mechanic and is considered very capable in all kinds of repair work.

T-Sgt. Limbocker Back In States From Italian War

According to word received today Technical Sgt. William H. Limbocker, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Limbocker of Route 1, Ranger was to arrive at Fort Sam Houston he is expected to arrive seven months overseas duty with the American Air Forces.

Judge Clamps Down On Divorce Court Proceedings

ORANGE, Tex. (UP)—Orange district court felt the iron arm of the law on the day Judge S. H. Saunders took over proceedings here.

Operation On Throat Silenced Hitler Is Report

LONDON (UP)—A "high German personality" reported in Switzerland today that Adolf Hitler had undergone a throat operation at Berchtesgaden after a dangerous tumor had developed from an old ailment.

AMERICANS TRAP SMALL JAP FORCE

PEARL HARBOR (UP)—American Warships blockaded Negerong Island in the Southern Palaues today and apparently trapped a small enemy force on the tiny isle, the first recaptured by the Japanese in the Pacific war.

CHURCHILL BACK FROM PARIS VISIT

LONDON (UP)—Prime Minister Winston Churchill returned late today from Paris, where he conferred with Gen. Charles De Gaulle and took part in the Armistice Day celebration.

WFA ASKS FEDERAL PRICE SUPPORT

WASHINGTON (UP)—The War Food Administration told Congress today that the possibility of farm surpluses makes it advisable to continue the federal price support program and proposed an increase from three billion dollars to five billion dollars in borrowing power of the Commodity Credit Corp.

PUPS DEFEAT RJC ELEVEN BY 6 TO 0 SCORE

In a football game played Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Bulldog Stadium the Bulldog Pups defeated the Ranger Junior College team by a score of 6 to 0.

Junior Arterburn scored the one touchdown for the Pups when he pushed across from the one yard line in the third quarter. The first half of the game was played on rather even terms, both teams missing numerous gains but neither was able to score when the goal was approached.

In the second half the Pups clearly outplayed the Junior College team. The Pups came back at the half with a passing attack and making end sweeps and kept the College team in a hole most of the last half.

Outstanding players for the Pups were Sam Elder, Bobbie Gray, Junior Arterburn and Lilburn Baker, tackles; Andy Jackson and Bob Pals; guards, Don Ford and Kenneth Reynolds; backs, S. M. Elder, Junior Arterburn, Jim Kelly, and Bobbie Gray and center, R. M. Richards.

College starting lineup was: ends, Billie Anderson and Vivian Hise; tackles, Mike Gholson, and Bobbie Eakin; guards, Billie Jordan and Warren Colethorpe; center, Melvin Harbin; backs, Glyn Lyon, Bobbie Hickey, A. E. English, Jr., and Freddie Larson.

Substitutes for the Pups were: Jackie Littlefield, Billie Griffin, Bud Guess, Richard Kelly, and Paul MacDonald.

College substitutes were: Billie Doss, Gerry Speer, Philip Stevens, and Max Ervin.

Eastland County Woman Institute Of Letters Head

DALLAS, NOV. 13.—Lexie Dean Robertson, Rising Star, author of several books of poetry, and a former poet laureate of Texas, Friday night was elected president of the Texas Institute of Letters at the annual meeting of that organization here.

Mrs. Robertson, who succeeds Hilton R. Greer, Dallas as president of the organization, is the third woman to be given the honor in the history of the institute. Karl William Baker of the Stephen F. Austin Teachers College, Nacoches, and Rebecca Smith, formerly of Texas Christian University, Fort Worth, but now a WAFS officer, are the others. Miss Smith headed the organization in 1940.

Other officers named at the meeting were: Dr. J. M. Dawson, Waco, vice-president; William H. Vann Belton, secretary-treasurer; and Tom McNeal, Commerce; John Stovall, Denton, and Siddle Joe Johnson, Dallas, counselors.

The sixth annual award of the institute for the best book of the year by a Texas writer was given to "The Magic of Limping John," by Frank Goodwyn.

It is a story of the people of the village of Los Puenes, down in the brush country of southwest Texas, where the author grew up. He is now an instructor in the English department of the University of Texas.

Says U. S. Better Than Movies Show HOUSTON, Tex. (UP)—It's green better than the movies show it! To Jane Ida Nellums, New Zealand lass who has just arrived in the United States from her New Zealand home.

CAPT. JACK MORRIS BACK FROM PACIFIC

The following clipping from the Carmi, Illinois paper has been received by the Times and is reprinted here because of its interest to Times readers.

Captain Jack Morris is back in America again after more than three years in the Southwest Pacific.

When he sailed in 1941, America was at peace and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Morris, lived in Ranger, Texas.

After three years of war, Captain Morris came back to the United States and his parents were living in Carmi, where his father is a partner in the M. P. Drilling Company.

Found at the Colonial Hotel, where he is staying with his parents, Captain Morris told of the beginning of the war when he was on his way to the Philippine Islands.

While they were still at sea the war broke out and the Japanese captured the Philippines and Java. Captain Morris and his outfit were diverted to Australia and there they were stationed in the lonely northern bush country, ready and waiting for the threatened Japanese invasion of the continent.

For 14 months they were stationed in the desolate bush country and a newspaper correspondent found them there and wrote:

"This was the first American Army Camp that I encountered after more than 1100 miles of wandering through Australia's legendary 'cut back' bush country. I found it after hitch hiking off the beaten track, visiting cattle stations, gold mines, mica diggings and aborigine encampments, during which I ate kangaroo steaks boiled on mulga wood fires and washed down by the inevitable Aussie 'billy' beer."

Captain Morris was a second lieutenant when he entered the service shortly after finishing at Texas A&M June 8, 1941. He entered the field artillery and was among the American forces destined for the Philippines.

He is enjoying his leave with his parents and leaves the latter part of this month to report at Miami, Fla., November 1.

Sgt. O'Donnell Returning From Pacific Theatre

Word was received Saturday morning that Sgt. James A. O'Donnell of the army engineers is returning from 26 months of service in the Asiatic-Pacific theatre of operations and will arrive on approximately November 15, at Camp Claiborne, La.

After reporting to the camp he is expected to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. O'Donnell, 1108 Desdemona Blvd. After enlisting in the service of the United States Army on May 19, 1942, Sgt. O'Donnell was sent to Camp Claiborne and to Newark, New Jersey for training, before being sent first to the Aleutians for duty.

He attended school at Brownwood and before going into service was employed as an oil well driller at McCamey.

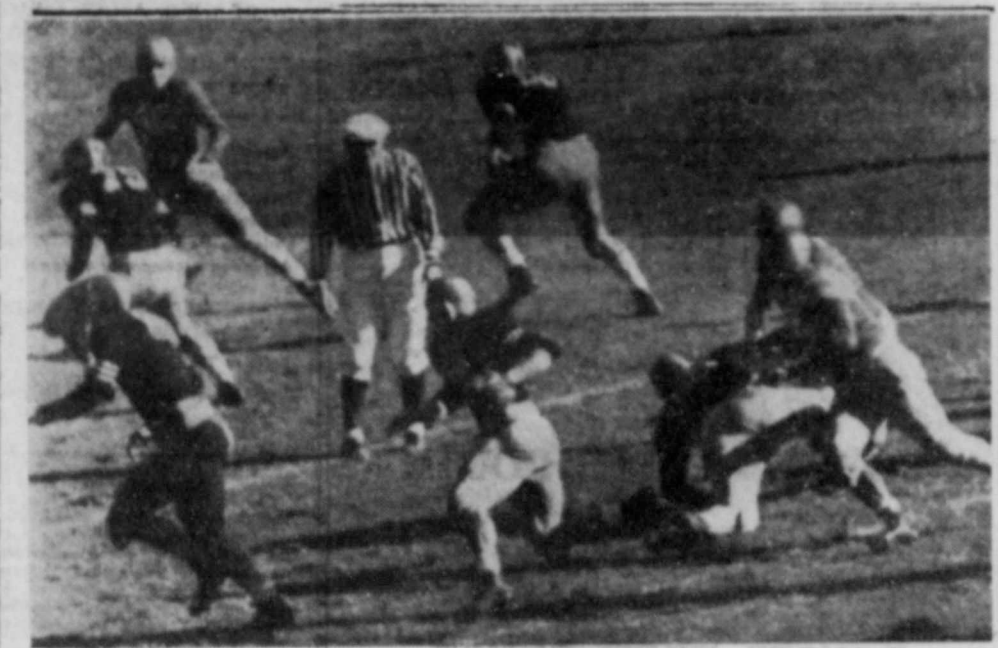
Former Resident Now Stationed At Camp Wolters

Friends have received word that Wayne C. Hickey, Jr., a former resident of Ranger, but more recently of Pie Town, New Mex., is now stationed with the Armed Forces at Camp Wolters.

Young Hickey who made his home in Ranger during the time that his father was secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, received a very high intelligence rating in his tests and as a result was placed in the intelligence section of the Infantry. He will receive training as an artillery observer. He is expected to visit Ranger friends soon.

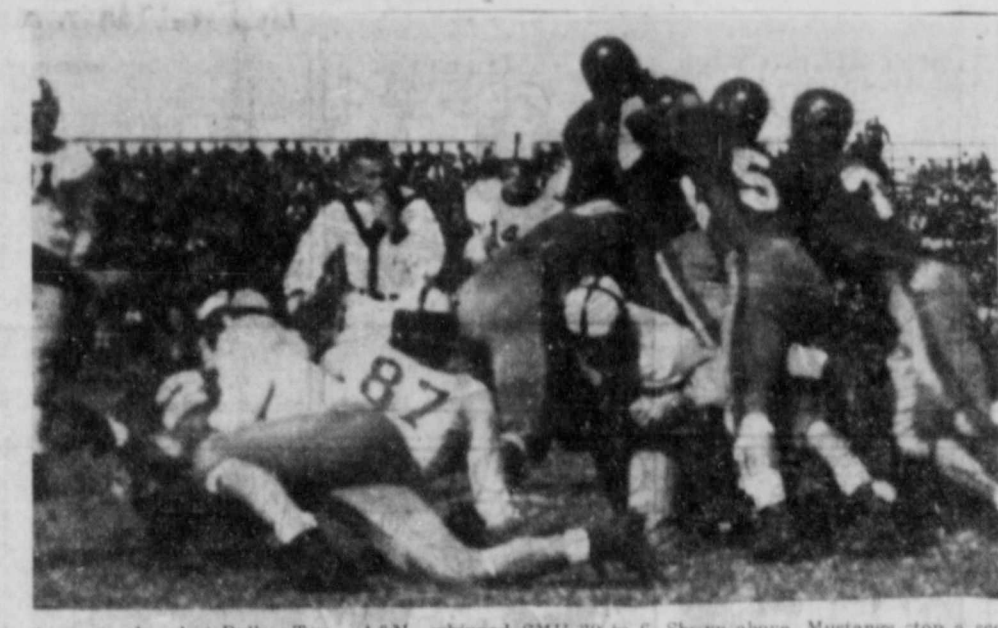
His father better known as Capt Hickey served as a captain during World War I.

Army Rolls Over Notre Dame 59 to 0



Army beat Notre-Dame in New York with a score of 59 to 0. In the above photo, Ed Rafalko 83, left, and John Minor 25, Army, searls on a 25 yard run to score Army's second touchdown against Notre Dame. (NEA Telephoto.)

A & M Takes SMU-- Final Score --39 to 6



In the game played at Dallas, Tex., A&M whipped SMU 39 to 6. Shown above, Mustangs stop a scoring threat by the Texas Aggies on the one yard line. The Aggies pushed through to win before a capacity crowd. (NEA Telephoto.)

Thinks South America Could Use Soda Joints

AMARILLO, Tex. (UP)—England isn't the only place that could stand a few thousand good old American drug stores, as Texas Representative Maury Maverick has reported.

South America could get along with a few too.

At least that's the opinion of the unhappy Yanks stationed down there. There's only one soda fountain in the whole of South America, says O. S. Clark, now director of the Amarillo U. S. O. and formerly organizer of the Recife, Brazil, U. S. O.—and that's in the Recife, Brazil, U. S. O.

The poor bereft American boys who've been used to guzzling chocolate sodas, hamburgers, and banana splits galore back in the home of soda fountains, the good old U. S. A., give groans and grumps of unbeliving delight when they see that soda fountain, says Clark.

Streams of carbonated water sizzling down into a coke can forth shrieks of ecstasy and hot dogs send the lines of men 40 or 50 men deep who peak the marble bar into utter rapture.

BLUE BLAZE AD SHOULD GET RESULTS

DALLAS, Tex. (UP)—This month's issue of the Blue Blaze News, publication of the Lone Star Gas Company, carries the following advertisement:

"Lost, strayed or stolen, one pair of garters belonging to girl with light brown hair, five foot three, 115 pounds, good dancer, single, reward, 5511 McCommas, Dallas.

SERVICES FOR DR. HOWARD HELD TUESDAY

Funeral services for Dr. I. M. Howard, 73, were conducted Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock at the Morris Funeral Home in Ranger and interment was in the Crownwood cemetery. Services were in charge of Rev. H. B. Johnson, assisted by Rev. E. P. Collins of Abilene and Rev. F. C. McDonald of Jackboro, the latter two life long friends of Dr. Howard.

Dr. Howard who was born in Arkansas, April 1, 1871 started the practice of medicine at the age of 23 in Hill county. For a number of years he practiced in Palo Pinto county with Grafard as his headquarters. Later he resided in Cross Plains while pursuing his profession in Brown, Callahan and Eastland counties.

When the shortage of doctors developed with the beginning of World War II he gave up his retirement and came to Ranger to serve as resident doctor at the West Texas Hospital. Recently he had been confined to the hospital because of a heart ailment, but Sunday had been out in town. Death occurred about 8:30 Sunday evening and resulted from a heart attack.

He was a graduate of the University of Louisville and had done post graduate work at New Orleans and St. Louis. He was a member of the Baptist church.

His wife and an only son preceded him in death and only some nephews survive him.

Social Security Head To Be In Eastland, Thurs.

Ralph T. Fisher, manager of the Social Security Board Field Office in Abilene, Texas, will be at the United States Post Office in Eastland at 1:00 p. m., on Thursday, November 10, 1944. He will be at this office for only a short time, and requests all persons wishing to see him to call promptly.

Fisher states that the Social Security Act provides no automatic payments and that it is necessary for an application to be filed before payments can be made to either a retired worker or to the survivors of a deceased worker. For this reason any person who thinks he may be eligible should see the Social Security Board representative or should write to the office in Abilene. Fisher visits Eastland on the third Tuesday of each month.

Relatives of deceased workers sometimes depend upon the employer or the undertaker to notify the Social Security Board. Although many notices are received from these sources, the nearest relatives of a deceased worker can avoid any unnecessary delays by writing directly to the Social Security Board. Such letters should give the account number, date of death, and the names and addresses of the widow and children or other close relatives.

Humble Oil To Broadcast Three Games Saturday

Humble football broadcasts this week end will present what are probably the most crucial games of the season as the Conference race tightens in the final weeks before Thanksgiving.

At 2:30 p. m. two games take the air simultaneously. The SMU-Arkansas game with Bill Michaels as play by play announcer and Jerry Dorggett as color man will be broadcast over stations KTRH, Houston and KRLL, Dallas.

The second 2:30 game will be the TCU-Texas University tilt. Vo Ves Box and Dave Russell will announce the game over stations KXYZ, Houston; KJSA, San Antonio; KGKO, Dallas-Fort Worth; KRIS, Austin; KRIS, Corpus Christi and KRGV, Waco.

The Rice-A&M game will take the air at 2:50 with the Kern Tips and Fred Nahas team announcing. Stations KTRC, Houston; WOAI, San Antonio; WFAA, Dallas-Fort Worth and WTAU, College Station will carry the broadcast.

Pvt. Betty Miller Now In Training At Oglethorpe

FORT OGLETHORPE, Ga. —Pvt. Betty Miller of Ranger, Texas, daughter of Mrs. Nellie Rynum of 511 S. Oak Street, is now taking a six week course here at the Third WAC Training Center.

Pvt. Miller is a graduate of Ranger High school, and prior to enlisting in the WAC, was employed at the Consolidated Aircraft Company.

The new WAC has two brothers, Pfc. Bernice Willingham and Pvt. Leon Willingham, who are also in the Army.

Says Peace Army Must Be Larger

WASHINGTON (UP)—Secretary of War Henry L. Stimson has told congressional leaders that the United States in the future must maintain a much larger peacetime military establishment than it did in the prewar years, it was disclosed today.

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WASHINGTON COLUMN

BY PETER EDSON NEA Staff Correspondent

FOR perhaps the first time in diplomatic history an important international economic conference is going to be held in a goldfish bowl. It is the International Civil Aviation Conference convening at the Stevens Hotel in Chicago on Nov. 1 and continuing for possibly three weeks or more.



Edson

All sessions are to be wide open to people who have any business there. Sessions of the full conference will be held in the grand ballroom, with committee meetings in the smaller ballrooms where Republican and Democratic national convention committees held forth last summer.

Some of the sub-committees on technical questions may be closed so that the committeemen can get their work done, but otherwise this will be a noble experiment of openly arriving at an open covenant, with the press sitting in on all sessions to report what goes on.

Delegations from 35 nations will be there. Some of the smaller countries may have only one or two representatives, but the American delegates and advisers will number 35, the British 24, Canadian 17, and so on.

In addition, there will be a lot of airline executives, bankers, lawyers, manufacturers, shipping men, travel agents, importers, exporters, journalists, lobbyists, pleaders for special privileges.

U. S. interests are in the hands of a delegation headed by Assistant Secretary of State Adolf A. Berle, Jr.

The agenda was drawn up by the State Department, and it looks formidable, with work for four principal committees, each of which will have two or three main questions and numerous subsidiary issues for sub-committees of experts to decide upon.

The first committee will have to set up a temporary pattern of air bus routes for the next few years in which it is hoped to determine where the commercial business is going to be, how often the buses should run, where they will stop, where they can pick up passengers and what the fares should be.

The second committee, on technical standards, will draw up the traffic rules—stoplights, maps, customs regulations, and so on.

The third will attempt to write principles for or perhaps actually draft an agreement to set up an organization that will regulate this business. This agreement will of course have to be ratified by Congress before it can apply to the U. S.

The fourth committee would work on an agreement for a temporary "I. C. C." to administer the work of the first and the second committees until the work of the third committee can be made effective.

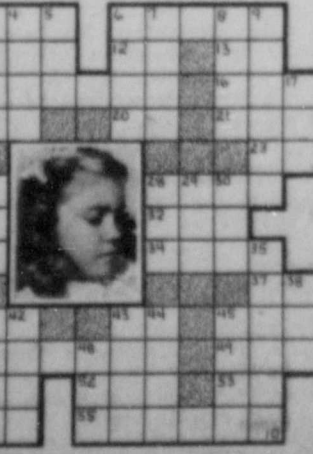
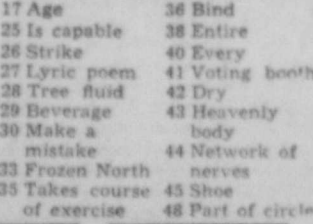
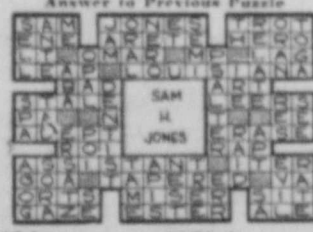


Marian and Jim Jordan as Fibber McGee and Molly, in a scene from their latest picture, "Heavenly Days," with Eugene Pallette.

Crossword Puzzle

YOUNG ACTRESS

- 80 Suffix
1, 6 Pictured child actress
10 Right
Worthy (ab)
11 Native metal
12 Edward (ab.)
13 East Indies (ab.)
14 Kitchen utensil
15 Seasoned with salt
16 Exist
18 Paid notices
19 Half an em
20 Recording secretary (ab.)
21 By
22 Lord Lieutenant (ab.)
23 Calcium (symbol)
24 Rejuvenate
25 Left hand
21 Help
22 Learning to air (prefix)
33 Before (prefix)
34 Segment
35 Transpose (ab.)
37 Egyptian sun god
39 Frozen water
41 Father
42 Senior (ab.)
43 Balance (ab.)
44 Greek letter
47 Decorative
48 Lubricant



Agent Says To Handle and Cook Game Properly

Quail season is just around the corner. Not to mention the deer season in muc bof Texas. And ducks and geese soon will be hunters' targets. The shameful truth is, a good deal of game often is wasted but because hunters and homemakers don't know how to keep and cook it properly.

So if you hunt or cook here are some suggestions you may find helpful. They come from Loma Faye Hearn, Assistant County Home Demonstration agent. The weather has a lot to do with how you treat game. If it's fairly warm, you'd better not keep birds more than a day without cleaning them. After the bird is drawn, the body cavity should be wiped dry, but don't wash it with water.

Game animals should be bled cleaned immediately after they're killed. They should be kept dry. Now about cooking. Remember that wild meat is likely to be dryer and tougher than domestic meat. Usually it's, very lean, too, and fat should be added. Often game needs longer cooking than other meat, and it's advisable to use a covered pan, Miss Hearn says.

Other wise, most of the rules for cooking poultry and red meat hold for game. Venison that is

young and tender may be broiled, fried, or roasted. Older meat should be braised or fricaseed. It is a good idea to let older meat age for several days. Then give it the long, slow, moist cooking treatment.

If you've a particular prejudice against the "wild taste" of game, Miss Hearn suggests that you cook vegetables with it, such as onions or potatoe. Carrots, celery, apples or green sweet pepper also would do the trick.



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44 Women Named On List Sent To Gov. Stevenson

AUSTIN, Tex., (UP) — The recently submitted list of women suggested to fill appointive state offices named 44, but they were recommended as fitted to hold 73 posts.

More individual women were picked as suited for a service on the Board of Education than any other single board. Next greatest number was suggested for the Board of Public Welfare.

Mrs. Richard J. Turrentine of Denton was recommended for any

one of the six places, including membership of the Public Safety Commission, which directs the State Prison Board.

The recommendations given to the governor, who will have many appointments to make next January, were unique in including a statement of the condition of health of the persons suggested. Any however were omitted.

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YOU GOTTA THINK QUICK

By Stanley Paley
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THE STORY: Leo Kabatek, lately broken in to the money, is in the prime local advice to racketeer Virgil Boggio, Boggio's son friend, himself, makes a play for Leo when Kabatek is out of town.

THE telephone ring, while she was mixing me a drink. The sudden, unexpected noise startled as both she answered it and then put her hand over the mouthpiece.

"Long distance, Chicago?"

I nodded. During the few moments it took for the call to come through I felt my heart pounding as if Boggio had suddenly walked in on us.

"Hello, Virgil!"

It was amazing what enthusiasm she managed to put into her voice. I sat back and sipped at my drink as she did her stuff. By her accents it was easy to figure out what he was saying. And then he came down to business. Apparently he was going to be tied up in Chicago for a couple of days longer than he'd planned. To me the tone of disappointment in her voice sounded phony, but he probably didn't notice a thing. Once in a while she'd glance at me and smile. Then she'd concentrate on the phone again and give him the business. It lasted for about 10 minutes. Money was of no consequence to Boggio. Finally she made the usual excuse and hung up.

"Isn't that wonderful, Leo?"

"Did he say anything about me?"

"Yes, I should get in touch with you and tell you he won't be back until Friday."

"Well, that's done. You don't lose much time carrying out his orders."

She laughed and then came over for her drink. I was somewhat worried. Boggio seemed to be doing all right without me. Then I dismissed the whole thing from my mind. What business had I to worry when I was

getting all this on a silver platter? I suggested we go out to dinner. It was only when we were about to hail a cab that I remembered my car. I took her across the street and told her to get in. She looked at me in blank astonishment and then let our cute gurgles of delight.

WE went to a little Greek restaurant on 54th street.

I ordered shashlik and explained to Ginger that it was two kinds of meat cut up in little pieces and broiled on skewers.

It was the kind of place where you wanted to linger after dinner. I don't know how we got started on the subject. I think Ginger must have noticed the pictures on the wall and asked me about Greece. Even though I've never been to the birthplace of my ancestors, the thought of it touches a responsive chord. I must have warmed to my theme. I talked about Coca Cola and all the things my father had told me about it. She was a good listener, or maybe I was in good form. There are times when you're in the mood for talking. And so I told her about my father and the way he'd fallen from the 56th floor of a skyscraper in 1927 while he was riving a girder, and how it had changed the course of my existence.

"How old were you when he died?"

"I told her, and she did some arithmetic on her fingers."

"Then you're only about 26 now?"

"Twenty-four," I corrected.

"That's funny," she said.

"What's funny?"

"I thought you were much older. I thought you were at least a couple of years older than me. I'm 26."

It was my turn to do some quick figuring. If she said 26 it meant about 29. Not that I cared.

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Society, Clubs

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The Employees of Montgomery Ward and Co. had a party at the Country Club, Wednesday night. During Ward Week the employees were divided into two groups. The green and the red. Each group was given a certain quota to sell during that week, and the group that would be entertained by the losers.

The greens won the contest by a small margin. The employees left the store Wednesday at 6:30 and drove to the club house where they were served a buffet supper.

After the supper a surprise program had been planned with most of the employees taking a part. The most entertaining part of the program was a demonstration sales talk between Mr. Rankin and Mr. Young.

Bingo, forty-two, bridge and dancing were enjoyed by the following employees and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Shelby, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hipp, Mr. and Mrs. Young, Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Dempsey, Mr. and Mrs. Duane Dennis, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Bott, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Browning, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Heinlen, Mrs. Roney Jones, Mrs. Pearl Healer, Mrs. Winnie Cox, Mrs. Earnest Arterburn, Mrs. Juanita Horn, Mrs. Hale, Miss Beulah Huffman, Miss Arlene Stevens, Miss Martha Jo Oyster, Miss Frances Erbank, Billy Anderson, Max Ervin, Melvin Harbin, Mr. Rankin, Leon Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Houghton.

WOMAN'S COUNCIL TO HAVE LUNCHEON THURS

The Woman's Council of the First Christian Church will be entertained at the monthly luncheon at 1 o'clock Thursday in the home of Mrs. Lawrence Bryan. All members are urged to attend and to bring clothing that may be sent to the orphan's home.

DELS CLUB SUPPER GIVEN MONDAY NIGHT

Members of the Dela Club of Ranger Junior College were entertained Monday evening at 6:00 o'clock with a buffet supper in the home of Mrs. Olen Holloway, sponsor for the group.

The supper table was laid with a white lace cloth and centered with an attractive arrangement of white chrysanthemums.

After the serving of supper, plans were made for the next meeting and new members were presented with caps to be worn constantly during the initiation period.

Those present for the supper and meeting were: Misses Lynn Pearson, Marilyn Murray, Jo Oyster, Carolyn Clarke, Mary McHenry, Rosemary Bruce, Amelia Walker, Frances Anne Eubank, Mary Frances Orr, Charlene Cook, Natalie Davis, Doris Groves, and Catherine Adams.

NEW ERA CLUB TO MEET ON WEDNESDAY

The regular meeting of the New Era Club will be held Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the home of Mrs. George Robinson, 423 Elm Street. Mrs. Arthur Deffebach will be presented in a book review and all members are urged to attend.

A. B. ENGLISH, JR. IS HONORED AT PARTY

The senior class of the Young People's department of the Sunday school of the First Methodist church entertained Monday evening at 8 o'clock with a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Kelley, complimenting A. B. English, Jr., who will leave today with his family to make his home in Houston.

During the evening various games were enjoyed and those attending presented A. B. with a traveling kit.

At the close of the evening refreshments were served to the following: Misses Virginia Dunson, Frances Ruth Hagaman, Carolyn Ducker, Lillian Ashcraft, Norma Jean Heinlen, Vivian Cooper, Dorothy Penn, Myra Sue Ice, Billye Jeanne Crawley and Wallace Dunson, Max Ervin, Richard West, Ronald Pruet, Richard Kelley, Jim Kelley, A. B. English, Jr., Miss Helen Coalson and Mr. and Mrs. Kelley.

PARTY COMPLIMENTS REV. MRS. ENGLISH

As a compliment to Rev. and Mrs. A. B. English who with their family will leave today to make their home in Houston, the Ladies Willing Worker's Class of the First Methodist church entertained at the church Monday evening at 8 o'clock with a church-wide party.

During the evening games of "42" were played and an outline of the past year's work was given by A. N. Larson, Dr. G. C. Boswell introduced to the audience the new minister, Rev. Wallace N. Dunson.

Mrs. H. H. Hagaman, teacher of the hostess class, welcomed the guests and then presented Rev. and Mrs. English with a 75 piece dinner set as a gift from the entire church membership.

At the close of the evening refreshments were served to about 100 guests.

L'ALLEGRO CLUB HAS MEETING ON MONDAY

The L'Allegro Club of Ranger Junior College met Monday night at the home of Mrs. Mamie Ruth Hamrick.

Plans were made for the next meeting and the pledged members were presented with the club colors, green and white, to be worn for a period of six weeks.

Sandwiches, cookies and punch was served to Calla Mae Deaton, Barbara Getts, Elsie Gafner, Marie Green, Cletis Hames, La Rue Polk, Lanelle Rose and the pledged members, Joan Brockman, Glyn Alyn Jernigan, Louise Mitchell.

1920 CLUB MEETING TO BE HELD THURS.

The regular meeting of the 1920 Club will be held Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Woman's Club. Mrs. C. E. Maddocks will be leader for the afternoon's program.

PLEDGES TO MERRY HEARTS ENTERTAINED

Pledges to the Merry Hearts Club of Ranger Junior College were given a surprise breakfast Monday morning at 7:30 o'clock at the apartment of Miss Mary Virginia Williams, sponsor, and Miss Billie Dean Collier.

The pledges were awakened by members and invited to the breakfast but were forced to go as they were when awakened, in curlers, and house coats. Mrs. Willie Marie Richards was selected as the most attractive early morning riser.

Charter members who attended were: Kathleen Dunlap, Mary Joy Wilson, Fannie Yancey, Louise Claitor and Jerry Parker. Pledges who attended were Waunette Davis, Geraldine Craig, Betty Brown-

ing, Mary Delgada, Willie Marie Richards and Salata Tucker.

RANGER WAC ACTIVE IN USO PROGRAM

The following clipping from the Charleston Evening Post, Charleston, S. C. has been received by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ashcraft whose daughter Wac Private Bernice Ashcraft, is mentioned in the article.

"Activities at the port of embarkation USO for the past week included a birthday party Saturday evening in honor of Private Douglas Floto of the 454th Hospital Ship company who was presented with a cake while the band played "Happy Birthday." Also honored were Corporal and Mrs. Charles Dobson, who were presented with a wedding cake while

the band played "Here Comes the Bride." During the dance intermission, selections were played by Wac Private Bernice Ashcraft at the piano, Private Barney Barnes with his kazoo, and Private Nelson Shropshire on the clarinet."

LADIES BIBLE CLASS HAS MEETING MON.

The weekly meeting of the Ladies Bible Class of the Church of Christ was held at the church Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock with about 20 members attending. The afternoon was devoted to

the study of the thirty chapter of Hebrews with Joe Campbell, minister of the church, directing the lesson. The study of the chapter was completed and a round-table discussion conducted.

In the business meeting following the lesson sick reports were made and plans made to visit the sick and shut-ins.



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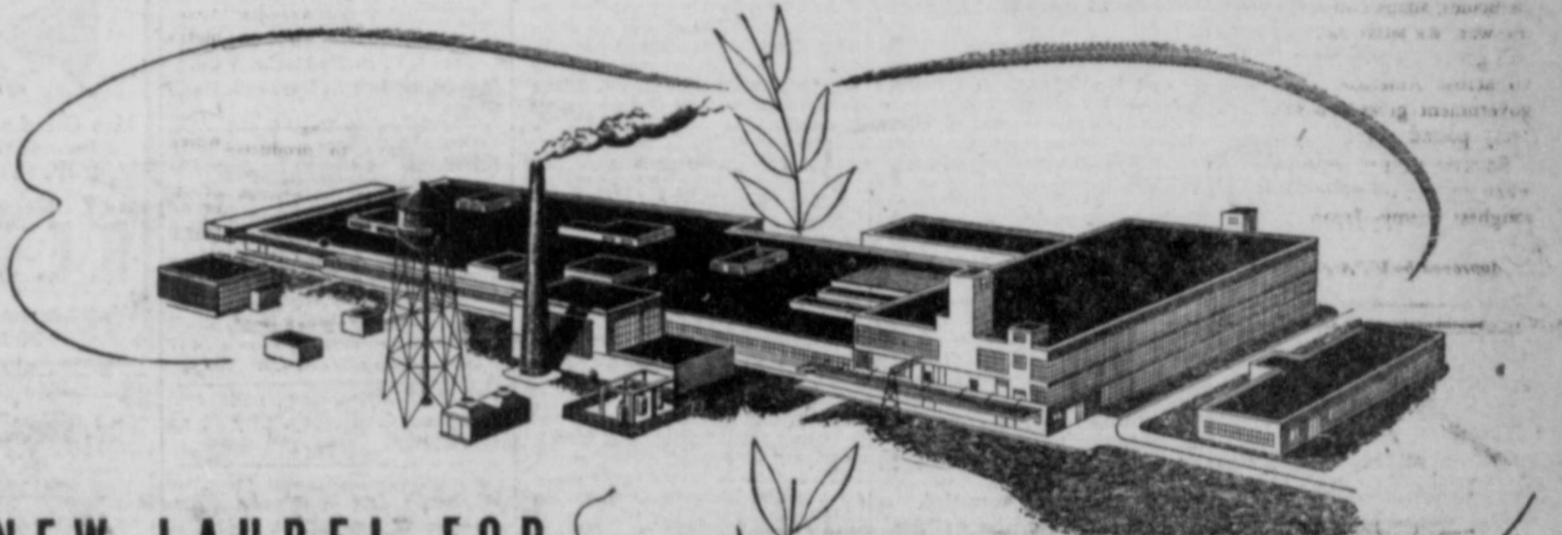
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ALONG with all the good news of victories abroad, comes some very bad news here at home. Fat salvage collections are TAKING A NOSE DIVE in many sections of the country.

That can mean just one thing! Too many of us are letting the good news GO TO OUR HEADS. Too many believe that, with the collapse of Germany, we can relax.

Don't these people know that the battle of Germany is just one chapter in this global war—and that we still have a long, tough road to travel in the East?

Even the TOTAL DEFEAT OF GERMANY can't help us one bit as far as the fat situation is concerned. And for a specific reason: IT'S THE JAPS WHO HAVE OUR FATS.

Our fat shortage troubles began when Japan moved into the Pacific areas and cut us off from ONE BILLION POUNDS of fats and oils we used to import every year. The Japs are still there—and we're still cut off!

So we must continue saving used fats to help make up that loss. To help make the munitions, synthetic rubber, medicines, soaps and other materials needed to finish the war, WE MUST SAVE EVEN HARDER THAN EVER. So let's get busy and send the fat collections climbing up all across America! THE NEED IS SO URGENT, our government gives you 4¢ and 2 free red points for every pound saved!

SO KEEP SAVING USED FATS UNTIL V-J DAY—the day when we can celebrate final victory over our last and toughest enemy—Japan.

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Jennifer Jones, "Unknown" Actress Picked For Year's Top Role In "The Song Of Bernadette"



Jennifer Jones, who makes the most auspicious screen debut in Hollywood history, in 20th Century-Fox's epic dramatization of Franz Werfel's "The Song of Bernadette," which opens Wednesday at the Arcadia Theatre. Chosen after a nation wide search, Jennifer is featured with William Eythe, Charles Bickford, Vincent Price, Lee J. Cobb and Gladys Cooper. The film was directed by Henry King and produced by William Feriberg.

Casting the film adaptation of a best-selling novel is like getting married in a small town—everyone knows the principals and doesn't hesitate to express his opinion as to their suitability.

Thus, while it is a comparatively easy matter to cast an original screenplay since the casting has only to please the producer and the director, it is a major problem to choose the leads for such a widely read story as Franz Werfel's "The Song of Bernadette," which opens at the Arcadia Theatre on Wednesday. For in this case every book reading film poster is a potential casting director.

When 20th Century-Fox first announced its plans to produce the screen adaptation, thousands of letters poured into the offices of Producer William Feriberg; each contained the "only possible choice" for the role of the girl Bernadette or for the entire cast of

characters!

Feriberg, however, still was not decided on Bernadette; casting director Lew Schreiber tested star after star—but none seemed just right. Then a nationwide search started which ended in the signing of the relatively unknown Jennifer Jones, under contract to David O. Selznick who sensed her possibilities, a girl with the rare spiritual beauty and persuasive simplicity of the character in Franz Werfel's novel of the peasant-maid of Lourdes.

Jennifer Jones, while she is a complete stranger to films, is a youthful "veteran" of the theatre.

In the first place, she came of a "how" family. Her father, Phil R. Isley, trouped for many years "throughout the West with Mrs. Isley and the Isley Stock Company and today he is the operator of a chain of motion picture theatres in Texas. Jennifer from took an active part in theatricals and speech training.

Later, she won honorable mention in a statewide radio drama contest. Determined on the stage as a career, Miss Jones spent the time she first went to school, companies. Still not satisfied with her knowledge of the theatre, the young actress, then went on to study drama at Northwestern University in Chicago, taking further courses at the American Academy of Dramatic Arts. It was while she was in New York at the Academy that she was signed to a motion picture contract by David O. Selznick.

Her first motion picture is "The Song of Bernadette," in which Charles Bickford as "Peyramok," William Eythe, Vincent Price, Lee J. Cobb, Gladys Cooper and others. The film was directed by Henry King.

YOU GOTTA THINK QUICK

By Stanley Palay

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THE STORY: Leo Kabateck, lately unemployed, is in the money now that he's prime legal adviser to racketeer Virgil Boggio. Boggio's girl friend, Ginger, makes a play for him when Boggio goes out of town. Kabateck is not having any and Ginger is insulted. Kabateck decides he has acted too hastily.

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THE desk clerk gave me the address of a high class florist shop which was from the hotel. I had it figured out. I sent her a big bunch of flowers with maybe a little note and then I called her again. Boggio never thought sending Ginger flowers and I knew she'd get a kick out of them. Then she'd be a suitable frame of mind to what I had to say.

But it's funny who you can't out to do and what you can actually wind up doing. The clerk might have directed me to another florist and I'd never have come in that direction on that particular day.

I reached the store, bought a good-sized bunch of roses and told the florist to put them in a gift-wrapping box. No hand-writer. I wasn't going to be so dim-witted as to risk broadcasting my sentiments to Boggio. Ginger might become absent-minded and let her purse lying around with the card in it.

I asked the florist if he had any printed greeting cards. He hadn't, but he directed me to a store a little further down the street. And that's how I happened to pass in front of the automobile showroom. I caught only a glimpse of that blue convertible as I hurried by, but it registered.

In the stationery store I found what I was looking for—a card dedicated to friendship. It featured a dove on the cover and had a touching poem on the inside. I bought it and hurried back to the florist's, again glancing at the clock as I strode by.

Having re-read the poem, I realized it wasn't appropriate. After all it was my reference to friendship that had set the sparks flying yesterday. So I neatly cut the card in two and kept only the picture of the dove which I attached to the roses. The man pronounced that the delivery would be made within a half hour. Since I couldn't wait until I was certain the flowers had arrived, I went back to take another look at the automobile.

The sheer beauty of it took my breath away. It had a custom built body on a powerful eight-cylinder chassis, and just standing there it gave a terrific feeling of speed. The lines were a work of art, and from the crystal Goddess on the hood down to the trim little lights everything was perfect. Lost in admiration, I finally decided to get a closer look and went into the showroom. Half an hour later that streamlined baby was mine.

I CALLED Ginger again from a drugstore. This time she answered almost immediately and I realized that my plan was working. It's incredible what a few bucks' worth of flowers can do. Her tone was still lukewarm but it was easy to see she was just putting on. She wasn't going to let me off so easily.

"Look, Ginger," I said. "I'm not far from your place. May I come up and say hello?"

"Make it some other time, Leo." "Please, Ginger," I pleaded. She hesitated for a moment. You could feel her weighing the pros and cons.

"Please, Ginger," I repeated. "I ought to be real mad at you." "I know." "No one's ever treated me like that." I bet they hadn't. When Boggio got her out of burlesque he was wearing kid gloves.

"I'm sorry, Ginger, really. I didn't mean to hurt you. Let's forget it." "Maybe you didn't realize it, but your attitude was very insulting." If she was going to keep this up much longer it wasn't going to be funny. I became firm.

"I'll come up and apologize in person. I'll be there in 10 minutes."

"Make it at 3." "I looked at my watch. It was 2:20.

"On the dot," I said. "By the way, Leo—" "Yes, Ginger." "That card with the pigeon on it. What did it mean?" I guess my symbolism was too obscure for her.

"It was a dove, darling. The dove of peace." I hung up.

AT exactly 3 I parked across the street from the Chalfont. My speech was all prepared. I was going to tell Ginger I hadn't slept all night. I'd always dreamed about her but had foolishly imagined there was a terrific gap between us. I didn't care if I sounded like a small-town Romeo. I'd mention my friendship with Virgil, only to add quickly that even friendship was forgotten.

When something like this happens between a man and a woman, talk is cheap. If that's what she wanted she'd get plenty of it.

But when she opened the door I forgot everything. I looked at her red hair and those green eyes I don't know what I said. We went into the living room and I saw my red roses in a big vase. Then I looked at Ginger again.

I'd intended to lead her to the window and spring the car on her. I didn't do that either. I kept on looking at her and she at me, and then we both sat down. I grabbed her hands.

"Ginger," I began. And then I stopped. I let go of her hands and put my mouth against hers and held it there until we were both breathless. I did it again and again.

"Oh, Leo," she murmured. (To Be Continued)

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4. Avoid direct glare from lamp bulbs or bowl by using shades that are deep enough and big enough.
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PERSONALS

Pvt. and Mrs. Joe B. Scott announce the birth of a baby girl at the West Texas Hospital, Saturday. The baby has been named Sandra Schellene. Mrs. Scott will be remembered as the former Miss Cecelia McDowell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McDowell. Pvt. Scott is here to be with his wife and baby.

Lt. and Mrs. Phillip Haddad of Eastland announce the birth of a baby boy at the West Texas Hospital, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lemeli announce the birth of a baby boy at the West Texas Hospital, Monday.

Mrs. Mollie Wylie is a medical patient in the West Texas Hospital.

Mrs. John Reuser is a medical

patient in the West Texas Hospital.

Mrs. A. Lane who has been a medical patient in the West Texas Hospital was removed to her home Sunday.

Flight Instructor and Mrs. Jimmie Phillips have returned to their home in Terrell after spending the week-end with relatives in Ranger.

Mrs. Johnnie Hall left Monday for Colorado City where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. Ollie Hammons.

Miss Mary Frances Ward of Ft. Worth spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Ward.

Louis Croom was in Toyah, for the week end when he visited his father, H. C. Croom.

Mrs. W. M. Brown, Jr., who has been in California for a visit with her husband, Pfc. Brown of the

Marine Corps, has returned and has resumed her duties as secretary at Ranger high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hansford of Tyler are in Ranger transacting business. They formerly made their home in Ranger.

Mrs. Boyd Davenport of San Antonio, formerly of Ranger, has been the guest of her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Davenport.

Mrs. Earnest Arterburn who has been in Louisiana to be with her husband who was stationed at Camp Claiborne has returned to Ranger to remain while her husband is stationed in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Champion and daughter, Donna Rae, of Abilene were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Davenport.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Gray were in Cleburne for the week end

where they visited their son, Sylvan Gray, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Garner have returned to their home in Levelland after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Garner. Also guests of the Garners during the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Garner and son, Gene, of Eastland.

Mrs. Charles Posey, the former Mrs. Darylene McGregor, was the guest of friends during the week end. She returned to Jackboro, Monday where she visited with her parents, before going to Indiana for a visit with her husband's people.

John Kimbrough, first class boatswain mate, stationed at Boston with the United States Navy, is here for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Kimbrough.

Asks Flowers For The Living But Not \$200 Worth

AUSTIN, Tex., (UP)—Florist at Lufkin missed \$180 worth of business last week in the Rainey-Regent controversy at the University of Texas.

While student President Malcolm Wallace, Dallas, at a student mass meeting was praising Mrs. I. D. Fairchild, Lufkin, for her support of Dr. Homer P. Rainey, some one on the platform whispered to Wallace that a \$200 donation had been made by a Rainey-supporter from Dallas.

Right off, Wallace said he thought \$200 worth of flowers should be sent Mrs. Fairchild.

"We'll cover her house with flowers," Wallace said, as cheers went up from the crowd.

Toward end of his speech Wallace said some money was needed for radio speeches and letter-writing in behalf of Rainey.

One crowd stood among the mass seated on the gymnasium floor. She asked if all the \$200 should go for bouquets to Mrs. Fairchild Wallace and others huddled, Wallace announcing he had made a mistake.

It was then agreed \$20 worth of flowers would be sent Mrs. Fairchild and a like amount to Dr. Rainey.

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