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Champion Of Champions



"Colorado Challenger" was judged grand champion steer of the 1945 Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show at Ft. Worth, Texas. The 985 pound Hereford is owned by Otto Fulscher of Holyoke, Colorado. Since the OPA ceiling will apply at the auction sale later this week, the animal will sell for about \$170, the lowest ever paid for a Stock Show grand champion steer at this or any other livestock show. (NEA Photo.)

Yank Advance Threatens To Cut Frankfurt-Cologne Road

TAKE HILL OVERLOOKING HONNINGEN; FIGHT FROM HOUSE TO HOUSE IN TOWN

American First Army troops battled more than a mile eastward from their Remagen bridgehead across the Rhine today and threatened to cut the super highway running from Frankfurt to Cologne.

During the night they captured a high hill overlooking Honningen, four miles southeast of Remagen and were fighting from house to house inside the town today.

The British broadcast also said that the bridgehead was 11 miles long and six miles deep and was growing steadily. The British broadcast also said that the Americans were less than two miles of the Cologne-Frankfurt super highway. The Germans continued to batter the Remagen bridge but succeeded only in damaging it.

West of the Rhine the American Third Army cleared another four miles of the Mosel river, leaving the Germans holding only a six mile stretch.

Two More Men From Ranger Are War Casualties

Two more war casualties were added to Ranger's long list this morning when Mrs. Maud White of 300 Hunt street and Clifford J. Solomon received war department messages concerning relatives.

The message to Mrs. White stated that Pfc. Toddis W. Bowen was slightly wounded in action in Manila on February 15, and that further reports as to his condition would be forwarded as soon as they were received.

The message to Solomon stated that his son, Pfc. Clifford J. Solomon had been heard in an intercepted broadcast from Germany and that he had stated that he was a prisoner of war, that he was well and added "don't worry about me."

This information, the message stated, cannot be taken as official until further confirmation is received. The Solomon live on route 2.

Congress Asked For More For State Department

WASHINGTON (UP)—The House Appropriations committee recommended today that Congress give the state department more money to achieve its foreign policy objectives.

The recommendation was made in a bill to provide \$259,168,700 for the State, Justice and Commerce Departments and the Federal Judiciary during the 1945 fiscal year.

An appropriation of \$71,878,400 was recommended for the State Department, exclusive of overtime pay for employees compared with a corresponding figure of \$47,970,385 for the current year.

WASHINGTON (UP)—Secretary of State Stettinus today promised the U. S. delegation to the San Francisco conference that they would be free to pursue their personal views and convictions.

German Prisoners Leaving Germany



German prisoners of war on their way back to PW enclosures, are marched through the city of Remagen, Germany. (Signal Corps radiotelephoto from NEA Telephoto).

PVT. EAKINS FIGHTING IN PO VALLEY

With The Fifth Army, Italy—Pvt. J. D. Eakins, reconnaissance car crewman of Ranger, Texas is a member of the 81st Mechanized Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, probing German defenses before Italy's Po Valley as it nears the end of its third year overseas.

The 81st has been stationed in Great Britain, spearheaded operations in Northern Algeria and Tunisia and, since joining the Fifth Army before Cassino, has been in the vanguard of Allied troops in the Italian campaign. The recon men reconnoitered roads neutralized mines and demolitions and determined the strength and location of enemy resistance. Where they were unable to drive the enemy back they engaged him until their parent organization, the 1st Armored Division, could be committed to the fight.

The 81st entered the Italian campaign on the Cassino sector, where an officer and three men tested German defenses along the Rapido River and on Mt. Trocchio and Mt. Porchia.

The recon men supported the 1st Special Service Force on the Anzio beachhead in the spring of 1944 and, on June 4 in the final assault on Rome, brought in 200 prisoners and accounted for a large number of German dead. The squadron pursued the Germans to Viterbo before coming out of the line for a brief rest.

Between Grosseto and Volterra, the 81st maintained contact between the 1st Armored Division and units on its right flank. Since the armored units were able to advance much more rapidly than the adjacent infantry units, the recon men had to capture and hold territory, usually about 10 miles wide, in the interval.

The 81st was in the vanguard at Pontedera on the Aron River and again in operations which knifed ahead between Lucca and Montecatini.

The squadron sailed overseas in May 1942 and served in Northern Ireland, Scotland and England before landing at Oran, Northern Algeria, to participate in the campaign there.

With out losing a man, the 81st Troop C took 85 prisoners and killed many Germans in one engagement in southern Tunisia. The squadron participated at Sened, Maknassi, El Guettar, Kairouan, Kasserine Pass and Mateur.

Lieutenant Colonel Edwin A. Russell of Baltimore, Maryland, and Washington, D. C., has commanded the squadron since last June.

Infant Daughter Of Rawland's Is Buried Sunday

Funeral services for Carolyn Janice Rawland, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Rawland of Cleburne and granddaughter of Mrs. Blanche Murray of Ranger and Walter Murray of Mineral Wells were conducted Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the First Baptist church in Cleburne with Dr. Venting in charge of the services. Interment was in the Cleburne cemetery.

The baby died Saturday morning, March 10 at the Harris Memorial Hospital in Ft. Worth after being taken there for treatment of a heart defect.

Survivors besides the parents and maternal grandparents are the paternal grandmother, Mrs. Will Rawland of Waco, and two sisters, Bettye Lu and Mariann of Cleburne.

Mrs. Murray and her daughters, Misses Catherine and Marilyn Murray, attended the services.

THE WEATHER
West Texas—Cloudy tonight. Rain Wednesday, mild temperatures.

POW Supply Train Leaves Geneva For German Camp

GENEVA, SWITZERLAND—A prisoner of war supply train supplied by the Swiss government carrying fifty cartloads of food, medicines and bandages to a distribution point at Moosburg, Germany, was due to leave Switzerland this morning, according to American Red Cross representatives here today.

The first truck convoy from Switzerland into Germany carrying prisoners of war supplies will also leave tomorrow morning, moving through Constant Moosburg.

Moosburg, north of Munich, is the city nearest Stalag VII-A, which is a large camp with numerous divisions for various nationalities. Approximately 10,000 Americans are believed to be held there at present, 4,000 of whom were moved recently from Luft III, previously the largest American airman's camp in Germany.

The truck cargo will include food and medicines for the Lubeck area and the Karlsruhe-Marinhof area where there is a concentration of prisoners on the march. The convoy, comprising trucks supplied by the American Red Cross to the International Red Cross, will be driven by Swiss neutral drivers accompanied by German guards.

SCOUT POWWOW HELD AT SCOUT CENTER MON.

Marking the opening of the Boy Scout house as a Scout center since responsibility for the maintenance of the center was assumed by Boy Scout committees from the Lions Club, Rotary Club and Elks Club last week, a Pow Wow was held at the center Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

G. N. Quiri, district scout executive, was in charge of the meeting and led a discussion of plans for the troops of the districts. One of the matters discussed was the reopening of Troop 12 in Ranger with Joe L. Blackwell appointed as Scoutmaster. Meetings for this troop will be held each Friday night at 7:30 o'clock at the First Methodist church.

Those who attended the meeting from this district which include Stephens and Eastland Counties were: Rev. Arthur Johnson, Dr. Charles Barnes, both of Cisco; T. M. Collie and Bill Jessop of Eastland; C. A. Howell, V. R. Christian and F. O. Fiddler of Olden; G. D. Carroll and Mac Miller of Ellisville and from Ranger, C. E. May, T. J. Anderson, A. J. Ratliff, M. L. King, W. A. Leith, J. J. Kelly, Olan Holloway, B. B. Thomas, Jr., Joe Dennis, Joe Blackwell, Lee Dockery, and Rev. J. B. Duesman.

Gholson Coffee Shop Now Under New Management

Mrs. W. L. Harrison and Miss Violet Marie Miller have taken over the management of the Gholson Hotel Coffee shop and have invited the public to visit the shop for excellent foods and good coffee.

Both are experienced in the cafe business and it is their goal to see that the food served at the cafe is tasty and wholesome.

Miss Miller has been associated with the Rodeo Cafe in the Stock Exchange in Fort Worth and with other cafes in Ft. Worth and knows what the public likes to eat and how they like it served. Both managers expect that courteous and efficient service will be the characteristic of the employees at all times.

Ex-Sergeant Gets First Home Loan

PORT WORTH, TEX. (UP)—The first serviceman to receive a G. I. home loan was ex-sergeant who served two years in a general hospital in England.

Elmer Eugene Perett closed a deal for an 8-room duplex apartment house. He and his wife have a 20-month-old daughter, Kathleen Jane.

"I think the boys will take advantage of this home loan business of the G. I. Bill in preference to anything else," he said.

F. O. WALSH IS GIVEN MEDAL FOR SERVICE

A U. S. Troop Carrier Base, European Theater of Operations—The Air Medal was recently awarded to Flight Officer William C. Walsh for meritorious achievement while participating in an aerial flight in the airborne invasion of Holland.

F. O. Walsh, a glider pilot in the 316th Troop Carrier Group, on this operation, the greatest of its kind in military, piloted his glider through a heavy concentration of enemy ground fire and landed his troops and equipment safely behind the enemy lines at the designated objective. He spent ten days in the front lines before being evacuated to the rear and returned to his unit.

F. O. Walsh has been overseas since July 1944. In addition to the Air Medal, he wears the Army Distinguished Unit Badge with Oak Leaf Cluster, his unit being twice cited for outstanding performance of duty against the enemy.

A graduate of Jonesboro High School, F. O. Walsh later attended Texas Wesleyan College in Fort Worth. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James D. Walsh, Box 417, Gatesville, Texas. His wife, Mrs. Lorraine M. Walsh, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. A. B. English of Houston, formerly made her home in Ranger, Texas while her father was minister of the First Methodist church.

Fighting Fires Just Part of It

HOUSTON, TEX. (UP)—John E. Lea has been a fireman only 10 days, but he has already found out that there is more to the job than putting out fires.

There's the matter of sliding down a pole for instance. Lea slid down a pole at 6 A. M. hit the concrete too hard and injured his ankle.

He was taken by the county emergency corps to a hospital for treatment. And the call he was answering was not even a fire. It was just a broken water pipe.

MERRY HEARTS WIN IN RJC VOLLEY BALL

The Merry Hearts club of Ranger Junior College came out with the winning colors in an inter-collegiate volleyball tournament held at the Recreation building Monday night at 8:00 o'clock.

The girls' clubs played a round-robin tournament to start the games with the Merry Hearts Club defeating all teams and the Allegro Club taking second place and the Debs third place.

Boys teams were classed as A and B with the A team winning the game with the B team to be placed in the finals against the Merry Hearts. Again the Merry Hearts were winners. The games were called by Mrs. Olen Holloway.

Debs who played in the games were Amelia Walker, Mary Catherine McHenry, Lynn Pearson, Marilyn Murray, Frances Ann Eubank and Jo Oyster.

L'Allegro members composing their team were Barbara Getts, Elsie Gaffner, Glyn Alyn Jernigan, Cletis Hames, Lanelle Rose, Marie Green, Louise Michell and Calla Mae Deaton.

Members of the Merry Hearts team a n d squad were, Ethlyn Dunlap, Romaine Jewel Parker, Willie Richards, Waucait Davis, Betty Jean Browning, Louise Claitor, Geraldine Craig, Eunice Clancy, and Salata Tucker.

Members of the boys' A team were Bob Hickey, Melvin Harbin, Mike Gholson, Billie Anderson, and Warren Coltharp.

B team members were Max Ervin, Archie Tucker, Bob Eakin, Jerry Speer, and Billy Jordan.

His Excuse Was The Darkness

CAMU FANNING, TEX. (UP)—C-64-13 started off on an early morning forced march. It was a very dark morning.

The platoon sergeant of one of the units noticed a soldier trailing behind the lines, and shouted, "Come on you blankety-blank goldbricker, close it up."

The straggler was the commanding officer, bird-dogging the rear of the platoon.

Desdemona Man Gets Promotion

Thomas E. Ervin, Jr., of Desdemona, Texas, has been promoted to Private First Class at Bergstrom Field, I Troop Carrier Command base near Austin, Texas, according to recent announcement by Colonel Samuel J. Davis, base commanding officer.

Pfc. Ervin, Jr.'s wife, Mrs. Louise B. Ervin and his father, Mr. Thomas E. Ervin, Sr., reside in Desdemona, Texas.

LT. R. E. MILNER IS AWARDED THE AIR MEDAL

15TH AAF IN ITALY—2nd Lt. Ralph E. Milner, 23, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis A. Milner, Ranger, Texas, has been awarded the Air Medal "for Meritorious Achievement in Aerial Flight."

Through his bombsight Lt. Milner, a 15th Air Force navigator, has seen many of the hazards of combat flying that an Italian winter can muster. Snow or mud frequently cripple the runways while overcast blots out the target. Yet Milner has always managed to bring his crew "home" safely, winning the not so freely given respect of all concerned.

A graduate of Weatherford High school, Milner entered the Air Force in October, 1942, winning six wings several months later at Hondo, Texas.

Hubert Anderson Back In States From War Service

Word has been received that Pvt. Hubert Anderson has arrived in the United States from foreign service and is now stationed in Florida.

The message stated that he expects to be home for a visit in the near future.

He enlisted in the service on November 28, 1942 in the Medical Corps of the United States Army. He received training at Camp Robinson, Arkansas, and Camp Claiborn, La.

Pfc. Geo. W. Moore Wounded In War, Back In States

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Moore have received word that their son, Pfc. George W. Moore, who was wounded in action in the German theater of war sometime in December and was later in a hospital in England, has arrived in the United States and is now at Camp Butler, North Carolina.

Pfc. Moore landed in Boston on February 28 and expects to be home in a few days for a visit with his parents and other relatives and friends.

When wounded in action the young soldier was serving with the Infantry in the 99th Division and for his wounds has been awarded the Purple Heart. He also holds the Combat Infantryman's Badge.

WASHINGTON (UP)—President Roosevelt asked Congress today for a 1946 fiscal year budget of \$23,719,158,000 for the Navy. This is a reduction of more than 4 billion dollars from the figure for this year.

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SERVING IN GERMANY
Pete Pegues, son of Mrs. Bob Shoemaker, and who was born and reared in Eastland, is now serving with General Patton's 3rd Army in Germany. Mrs. Shoemaker, widow of the late Bob Shoemaker who was lost while in action overseas, is now residing at McGregor.

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Nazi Prisoners Give \$3,800 For Red Cross

CAMP CAMPBELL, Ky. (UP)—One German prisoner of war at Camp Campbell, Ky., asked to contribute to the Red Cross.
The matter was referred to the War Department in Washington, which gave an official O. K.

Other prisoners soon followed the precedent set by the one prisoner, and contributions poured in for a total of \$3,800. Each prisoner had given from savings from the daily \$3.50 earned by those who are employed.

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Employees Under 30 Should Be Listed With WPB

War plants and other essential civilian employers who plan to seek WPB certification of draft deferment requests for workmen under 30 years old should submit lists of all men under 30 heretofore classified as 2A or 2B immediately. A. J. Langford, Dallas district War Production Board manager, said today.
Only 15 per cent of the men

under 30 now occupationally deferred in each district are to be certified as indispensable and irreplaceable for Selective Service consideration, he said. On the same basis, each employer normally will be entitled to a maximum of 15 per cent of those previously deferred.
Local draft boards still retain their discretionary powers, Mr. Langford said, but added that it should be fully understood by each employer that under the new Selective Service plan the boards will require deferment requests to be endorsed by one of the designated certified agencies.
The certification as to essentiality of the workmen by WPB or one of the other war agencies is intended to assist local draft board to make decisions which will have the most favorable effect on the war effort, he said.
In acting as sponsors where

workmen are deemed highly essential, the WPB or other certifying agency will require names of all men under 30 in each plant, listed at one time in the order of their importance to the plant. The sponsoring agency is directed to certify the plant's entire list at one time, in addition to the acceptable individual requests considered simultaneously, Mr. Langford said.
The WPB official invited employers who need assistance or information to consult with his office in the Mercantile Bank Building, Dallas.

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Cruising at an altitude of 50 to 75 feet, Capt. Wilkes finished the job in two weeks.

With the echoes of Capt. Wilkes roaring motors ringing in their ears, grateful medic declared that insect-caused disease was now rare on Saipan.

YWA TO MEET ON THURSDAY NIGHT

The YWA will meet at the home of Mrs. Elsie Gafner, Thursday night at 7:30 o'clock for the regular meeting. All members are urged to attend.

NEW ERA CLUB WILL MEET ON WEDNESDAY

The New Era Club will meet Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the home of Mrs. B. S. Dudley. All members are urged to attend.

PERSONALS

John Kindle of Dallas is transacting business in Ranger.

Mr. and Mrs. George Robinson and daughter, Miss Caroline Robinson, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Clardy of Weatherford during the week end and attended the Fat Stock Show in Ft. Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Clem and daughter, Wanda, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bettinger in Ft. Worth during the week end. Mrs. Bettinger is the former Miss Betty Clem.

PLACE FOR LUNCHEON HAS BEEN CHANGED.

It was announced today that the monthly luncheon for the Ladies Council of the First Christian Church which was scheduled to be held at the home of Mrs. John Wallace Thursday at 1:00 o'clock has been changed from that home to the home of Mrs. Raymond West. Members are asked to note the change.

CARD OF THANKS

May we take this opportunity to express our grateful and sincere thanks to the doctors, nurses, and those kind and thoughtful friends who brought sympathy to us during the illness and at the time of the death of our darling son and brother, also we wish to express our appreciation for the beautiful floral offerings.

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NO, I'M AFRAID I CAN'T ABSORB SO MUCH OF THE OLD EDUCATION AT ONE TIME ANY BETTER THAN I CAN TH' NEW STUFF THEY'RE TEACHIN' US IN SCHOOL—MY STOMACH'S A LOT BIGGER THAN MY MENTALITY, BUT—

THE OVERDOSE

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WITH ELKS CIRCUS

Among the many performers that will be here Friday and Saturday with the indoor circus being sponsored by the Elks Lodge is the world's first Texas Crippled Children's Hospital Fund, are two Phil Enos, clown; Johnnie Mae, aerialist; Rue Enos, clown; Meie Henry, wire walker, all with the Clyde Bros. Circus. Performances will be given in the afternoon and night.

Elks Sponsoring Indoor Circus, Friday, Saturday

To bolster their contribution to the Texas Crippled Children's Hospital members of the Ranger Elks Lodge are sponsoring an indoor circus beginning Friday at the Recreation building.

Performances will be given by Clyde Bros. Circus on Friday and Saturday afternoon and nights and a long list of star performers is scheduled for appearance with the circus.

Members of the Elks Lodge will be in charge of the tickets which will go on sale immediately. The public is invited to attend the circus for a real round of entertainment and to assist in the support of a very worthy cause.

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