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**BRINGS WORD** 

ed in good health.

Mark F. Britain,

tory to a Ft. Worth newspaper.

did that he would get word to their

appeared in the Saturday morning edition of the Et. Worth paper,

who checked files at the Times of

His parents Mr. and Mrs. R.

ticipated in a raid Feb. 3, over Ber-

assessed the pilot and co-pilot learned that flak had torn into

the left and right wings, knocking one engine out and setting anoth-

er on fire.
"The sergeant-bombardier had

been hit and as the pilots pulled

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Former NYA Boy

Friends and relatives have been

Killed In Navy

Plane Accident

"Coming in on the home run over

the H. G. Adams Grocery.

## Nazi Prisoners Choke Roads



Ingbert, Germany, 7th U. S. Army front, bag of 117 prisoners captured in nearby wood are marched to the rear, with the sudden collapse of the Siegfried line defenses, roads are choked with confused prisoners moving to the rear, and U. S. equipment moving up to help clean up the remains the remains of the organized resistance on this side of the Rhine. (Signal Corps Radiotelephoto from NEA Telephoto.)

# S. EMPLOYES **GIVE \$430.50**

Officials of Local No. 478 of Oil Workers International Union reported Saturday that a total of \$430.50 had been contributed to the current Red Cross War Fund by empleyes of the Lone Star Producing Company and the Lone Star

Gas Company in Ranger.
Of this total \$390.50 was contributed by the Ranger employes of the reducing company and \$40.00 was given by the Ranger ery yes of the gas company.

This contribution brings Ranger's total collected for the drive to

\$5,816.20 and so as has been re ported puts Ranger well ahead of other towns in the country in the Both Eastland and Cisco have

gone over the \$5,000 mark and indications are that the county total will be well over the \$18,300 quota

### Local Union To Have Open House Monday Night

On Monday evening at 8 o'clock embers of Local No. 478 Oi Workers International Union wif hold an open house at the Amerimen, women and children are in vited to attend.

The purpose of the meeting i to acquaint the public with the aims and objectives of the organization which have as their prime purpose the maintaining of the high standards of living which are the privilege of every American

known books and an entertaining speaker will deliver the main ad dress of the evening and refreshments will bes erved at the close of the evening.

#### Garden Time Here



Temporarily at least gardening enthusiasm in Ranger is running high and complaints of stiff joints are general.

The weather for the past week

has brought the first urge for cing planting and old clothes and dening tools are the implements of the day.

One man has already started complaining about his neighbor' chickens interferring with his gar den dreams, so in order to keep the good will of one's neighbors, now is the time to pen up those chickens.

The predicted shortage of food during the coming year will be an incentive for more gardening and plots that have never known the casualties were victimes of the touch of a gradeners hoe will Japanese strafing while they strugbe used this year.

## Killed In War



# dier were held at Lorenza Sun-March 18. His wife, the form-

PRUURAM AT 3 Under the direction of Mis Gladys Reid Hunter, Mrs. Katherne Stafford Heatly and Mrs. Mar garet McLaughlin Owen, an East er program will be given by the fine arts department of Ranger Junior college at the high school

C TA MAGOOGG

auditorium Sunday afternoon 3:00 o'clock. The program will be opened Mellon's Millions and other well known books and an entertaining ov the High School Choi: sung by the High School Choi:
accompanied at the piano by Miss
Barbara Stewart. Miss Mozelle
Clark will give a three-act

> The College Giris Chorus at companies at the plane by Miss Frances Ruth Hagaman will give two 1 umbers. Miss Ann Matthews violinist, will play a solo accompanies at the plane by the control of the cont ed at the plane by Mrs. F. S

Miss Stewart will give a piano by Miss Amelia Walker Miss Rose

#### 300 Lost When Bismarck Sea Sunk by Japanese

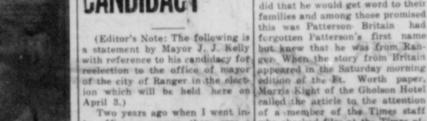
GUAM (UP) - Admiral Chester Nimitz announced today that the escort carrier Biamarck Sea had been sunk by an enemy aerial attack off Iwo Jima Feb., 21 with

more than 300 casualties

Survivors said at least 100 of the casualties were victimes of Japanese strafing while they struggled helplessly in rough, ley seas.

In connection with the shoe shop comfortable chairs have been and tapanese strafing while they struggled helplessly in rough, ley seas.

In connection with the shoe shop comfortable chairs have been added for those who wish to wait while shoes are repaired.



a large number of our local peo-ple were out of employment, and the city officials, of which I was his sister, Mrs. Marvin Gray, William Willaird White, brother of Mrs. C. H. Stuard of Ranger, was killed in action in Germany March 2. Memorial services for the land of the information of the inf and school improvements.

we also sponsored the National Youth Administration program, which not only provided employment for a large number of peore when about 12 years of age and attended school here.

STUDENTS TO

We also sponsored the National Youth Administration program, which not only provided employment for a large number of peore when about 12 years of age and attended school here.

Former Thurber Man Praised For large sums of Federal money, he sides the money spent by the youths and their parents who received training in the NYA schools. As a result of this infrease in our Dy. W. H. Raldridge, former Thurber community payroll, many small her residents have received the was mobilized on businesses were able to hang on following story of the accomplishduring the hard times, and are ments of Lt. W. H. Baldridge, son outfit, it left Nor still here in business today. It also of the doctor, who is serving with provided a very fine addition to the 8th Air Force stationed in ie vocational educational advantages of the city, and made it pos-sible for thousands of young men and women, in this immediate loc

## Senior Class To Present Play On Thursday Night

ey, the college chaperon—France: gave the order to salve the bombs. Ruth Hagaman; Dodie Balmer. The navigator, who had been adbeautiful but dumb-Norma Jean ministering first aid to the bem solo which will be followed by the Heinlen; June Leveritt, another bardier, sprang to the bomb signal which will be followed by the Heinlen; June Leveritt, another bardier, sprang to the bomb signal which will be followed by the Heinlen; June Leveritt, another bardier, sprang to the bomb signal which will be followed by the Heinlen; June Leveritt, another bardier, sprang to the bomb signal which will be followed by the Heinlen; June Leveritt, another bardier, sprang to the bomb signal which will be followed by the Heinlen; June Leveritt, another bardier, sprang to the bomb signal which will be followed by the Heinlen; June Leveritt, another bardier, sprang to the bomb signal which will be followed by the Heinlen; June Leveritt, another bardier, sprang to the bomb signal which will be followed by the Heinlen; June Leveritt, another bardier, sprang to the bomb signal which will be followed by the Heinlen; June Leveritt, another bardier, sprang to the bomb signal which will be followed by the Heinlen; June Leveritt, another bardier, sprang to the bomb signal which will be followed by the Heinlen; June Leveritt, another bardier, sprang to the bomb signal which will be followed by the Heinlen; June Leveritt, another bardier, sprang to the bomb signal which will be spranged by the bardier by the scripture reading by members of co-ed-Vivian Cooper; Art Gray-the Masquera Dramatic club led son, who is interested in football by Miss Amelia Walker Miss Rose-mary Bruce will sing a solo and a football here in his own opinion mary Bruce will sing a solo and final numbers on the program will be three songs by the combined high school and college choirs with Miss Helen Mcanelly accompanying at the piano.

The piano and college choirs with Miss Helen Mcanelly accompanying at the piano. rawley; Brant Robson, a young lawyer James Horton; Shelley S m a r t, Lisbeth's adventurous young brother—Ronald Pruet Swifty Trent, who never moves in

THE WEATHER

# MAYOR ISSUES STATEMENT ON CANDIDACY

(Editor's Note: The following is a statement by Mayor J. J. Kelly but knew that he was from Ran-with reference to his candidacy for ger. When the story from Britain reelection to the office of mayor appeared in the Saturday morning of the city of Ranger in the election of the Et. Worth paper, ion which will be held here on Morris Kight of the Gholson Hotel

to office as mayor, there was a who checked files at the Times of deficit of \$25,000.00 in the Genfice and identified the man mereral Fund of the City. This deficient of the Britain and contacts icit incurred during the time when members of his family.

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Barbara Stewart. Miss Mozello Clark will give a piano solo and Misses Elaine Brazda and Melba comedy of contamporary college. Misses Elaine Brazda and Melba Creager will be presented in a piano duct.

The College Girls' Chorus ac-creager at the plane by Miss.

The cast of characters is as fol-

> a hurry Jimmy Kelly, Helen Wes-tfield who has a will of her own-Vera Rae Gordon; and Ilka Crawley, her young niece-Valerie Leo-

At Camp Wolters



has returned home after being held prisoner of the Japanese for Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Brown, is now well drilled in and came back the past three years gave this stationed with the Army in the Britain promised some of his buddles in the prison camps that quartermaster's department at

f he returned home before they families and among those promised e had been with the Navy's cona native of Ranger, a graduate of Ranger high school and attended Ranger Junior College. his was Patterson Britain had forgotten Patterson's first name

His brother, Lt. L. M. Brown, Jr., is serving with the Air Forces

# PVT. HOOVER WITH 36TH IN

Record With AAF Friends of the family of the late Dr. W. H. Baldridge, former Thur- Guard, the 36th "Texas" Division octput throughout that time. Be-Salerno, where it was the first n the battles for Mount Camino "Making two flak runs on one mission and returning the four-engined Flying Fortress, "Cisco's sino. Their next action was at the sino. Their next action was at the Kids" on two engines was the feat Anzio beachhead, where it broke accomplished by First Lieutenant the German line at Velletri, driving William H. Baldridge, son of Mrs. two hundred and forty miles up W. H. Baldridge, of Brownwood. the Italian Penninsula to liberate "Baidridge, who is the pilot and Rome and reach the heights at other members of the crew par-

The 36th "Texas" Division spearheaded its second amphibio assault on the French Riviers Berlin the crew was alert and waiting for the signal to drop the 500-pounders in the bomb bay when, with the suddenness of a thunderclap, flak rocked the B-17, playing a major part in the dstruc-tion of the Nineteenth German Army at Montelimar and driving on to the north, where it was citthe Vosges Mountains into Als-ace. Now fighting along the Rhine liver Valley, the 36th "Texas Division has taken over twenty thousand prisoners in France alon more consecutive days in compatibility any other American Division hundred and thirty-three the drunken plant up again they days.

## Bell's Shoe Shop Renovated; Gift Shop Is Added

Bell's Shoc Shop has undergo a spring renovating and has added a gift shop which is now located n the front of the building while the shoe shop has been moved to-ward the back of the building where coolsment has been arrang ed for more convenient handling of the shee repair work.

advised that the bedy of Ensign Robert (Bobbie) Lee Skinner will Robert (Bobbie) Lee Skinner will arrive in Comanche for burial Monday.

Ensign Skinner, who formerly attended the NYA Radio school in Ranger and was a nephew of A. R. (Blackie) Huffman of Ft. Worbstand Ranger and Was a nephew of A. R. (Blackie) Huffman of Ft. Worbstand Ranger Range Ranger and was a nephew of A. R. (Blackie) Huffman of Pt. Worth, formerly of Ranger, died in an accident while training for service on a Navy plane which was

# LAND BRINGS

igures of the East Texas oil rush pictured in this article from the 'exas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas

sure that there was no oil und-

The Longview financier and b iness man had purchased 1,2 acres in 1913, primarily for after induction in February 1944. timber, as he was operating two Prior to going into the Army saw mills After the timber has been cut off, there was a littl In fact, he did sell it once for

\$10 an acre-and had to take it

It was 150 acres out of this large mount, to an oil company and the ompany turned over 25 acres to is

exas oil development when the Easter oggs. athrop thundered in, seven miles xtension of the field.

After the Nicholson gusher With The 36th "Texas" Division, France — Pyt. Acie O. Hoover tracted to buy the land and then let it go back proceeded to file suit fautry Regt. of the 36th 'Texas' against the owner and, for two as' Division fighting in France His years, litigation tied up the tract wife, Mrs. Acie O. Hoover, lives and, though it produced hundreds on 505 First St., Ranger, Texas.

Formerly the Texas National failed to receive a penny from its (Continued on page 6)

# THOUSANDS OF PLANES SUPPORT GROUND TROOPS DOZENS OF TOWNS BOMBED

Four Allied armies, three ground and one airborne, were cross the Rhine at the northern end of the front today in istory's third and greatest crossing of the river.

Following in the path of Cesser and Napoleon, Allied ground troops were reported at least two miles beyond the Rhine at some points on the assault front and thousands of planes were streaming across the channel to bomb dozens of towns and villages in the Ruhr.

What Prime Minister Churchill described as "the last heave' 'to knock Germany out of the war came as the American Ninth, the British Second and the Canadian First Armies linked up with paratroops and gliders of the Allied First Airborne Army to break through the ristoric river

#### Killingsworth's Easter Display **Draws Attention**

display so far in Ranger is the ward from Wesel to the Ruhr city window at Killingsworth's Hard- of Duesseldrof. crowds of admirers.

mount, to an oil company and the ompany turned over 25 acres to is the large blue Easter rabbit Rhine, and ninety miles south of that swings nonchalantly in a rope the First Army, Patton's American swing while dozens of other rab. Third Army raised a new threat to o put down a well.

Longview already had been bits look on from the green grass the Germans with a surprise cross into the swirl of the East below that is dotted with colorful sing of the Rhine near Ludwi

Credit for the idea goes to Mrs. orthwest of the town and as Floyd Killingsworth who enlisted Nicholson recalls, another big well the aid of D. O. Moffett in works had been drilled before the test on ing up the display.

# Regents Act On

Anderson Cancer Research Hos- outskirts of blazing Danzig



Satisfied Generals

Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, left Supreme Commander of Allied Forces, and Lt. Gen. George S. Patton, right, commanding general of the rampaging 3rd U. S. Army, smile Hargrave. with evident satisfaction as they enter 3rd Army headquarters "somewhere on the Western Front" (U. S. Signal ed in the near future, Phillips stat-Corps Radiotelephoto from NEA Telephoto).

Hundreds of beaten Germans were reported surrendering to the Allied Infantrymen along the east bank of the Rhine as the advance swept miand in the first few hours against spotty opposition. The a 12-mile stretch of the Rhines east bank between Wesel and Rees and apparently had other foot-holds in the 30-mile area south-

Sixty add miles to the south the American First Army was crowdrowds of admirers.

Center attraction of the window Remagen bridgehead east of the

> On the Eastern Front, Nazi padeasts said at least 90,000 Red Army Troops already six miles be-yord the Oder were storming German oefense: 32 miles east of Berlin today in what may be the first stages of the climactic battle for the capital

Soviet rifle divisions supported by tanks cracked through the Oder River line opposite Kuestrin smashed down the shortest road to AUSTIN (UP) - University of Berlin as far as Glozow, 32 miles Texas regents today adopted a from the capital. Far to the north-policy calling for aiding the M. east, Russian forces drove into the November 25, cause the well was involved in a pital at houston and moving the Gdynia after killing more than 4,-1940. With a reputation as a crack lawsuit, it was permitted to flow University dental branch to gro-outfit, it left North Africa for wide-open while wells in general unds of the Texas Medical center the sea midway between the two Baltic ports. At the southern end he Russian front, in upper Silexia, the Soviets advanced to the Moravian border on a 45-mile front and virtually inelated Leebschuetz, one of the main fortresses protecting the entrance to the Mor vian gap through the Sudethen

mountains to Prague and Vienna. In the Pacific, Tokyo reported that hage formations of American carrier planes were blasting today at the strong Japanese air and haval base on Okinawa island, 200 miles southwest of Japan Miyako island, 180 miles southwest of Ok-nawa and 280 miles northeast of ormosa, also was reported under

LONDON (UP) - A German military commentator reported today that Nazi troops bave evscuated Szekestehervar, 3 4 miles southwest of Budapest and key to the Lake Balton defenses of Austria.

On northern Luzon, Japanese troops were reported fleeing to the hills before American forces. which had advanced within 10 miles of Baguio, headquarters of the Japanese in the Philippin

#### Harlan Phillips Named Exalted Ruler of Elks

Annual election of officers for the Elks Lodge of Ranger was held at the club Friday noght with the retiring exalted ruler, M. L. King, presiding.

Harlan Phillips was elected exalted ruler for the coming year and other officers chosen are; es-teemed leading knight, H. R. Hicks esteemed loyal knight, Joe Todd; lecturing knight, J. L. Latimer, trustee, M. L. King; and tiler, Tex

Appointive officers will be filled Saturday.

Joan Edwards, singing star of

the famous Hit Parade radio show.

will be heard over Showtime, In-terstate Theaters' radio program,

next Sunday. The singing star will

be the featured vocalist with the

Three Suns, famous instrumental

novelists. playing a repeat engage-

Heard over Texas Quality Network every Sunday for half hour beginning at 3:30 o'clock, Show-

me, is the largest network pro-

gram in the south. Showtime car

the program for the next two Sun-days while the Three Suns will be featured for four weeks. For their repeat performances on Showtime, repeat performances on Showtime, special numbers have been arrang-

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ment on the program-

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#### WASHINGTON COLUMN

BY PETER EDSON

NEA Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Army Air Forces Headquarters in Washington insists there has been no change in strategic bombing policy. In spite of the results announced after two all-incendiary raids by B-29's on Tokyo and after near-obliteration raids on Berlin, Dresden

and other key cities in Germany.

Charges that the United States was now indulging in what has become known as "terror bombing," in the belief that extra heavy raids against the civilian populations of enemy countries might also finds a girl for him, Cathey hasten revolt and end the war, are officially de-

Says an Air Forces spokesman: "There has been no change in the basic policy of the USAAF, which still confines its bombing efforts to attack on mili-

ness of incendiaries. Goop is magnesium developed in new processes employed by Henry Kaiser's Permanente, Calif., works.

Magnesium for bombs was previously prepared by pulverizing ingots. The Permanente process, however, begins with a still more finely divided dust form of magnesium which had to be concentrated to produce the metal.

Defore it damages and repeat performances appear to the damages defective bedone it damages down. Trumpet takes the blame for disobeying orders and everyone knows he's covering up for Jess, who is decorated as a hero despite when the damages down. Trumpet takes the blame for disobeying orders and everyone knows he's covering up for Jess, who is decorated as a hero despite when the damages down.

Kaiser had a number of fires and considerable difficulty in this last stage of the process. By eliminating the condensation, and by eliminating the pulverizing used in other processes, it was found that the Kaiser goop magnesium could be used directly to make bombs of the pulverizing used in other processes, it was found that the Kaiser goop magnesium could be used directly to make bombs of the pulverizing used in other processes, it was found that the Kaiser goop magnesium could be used directly to make bombs of much greater incendiary force.

G. O. P. Congresswoman Jessie Sumner of Millord, Ill., was questioning Secretary of the Treasury Henry Morgenthau on the Bretton Woods international bank and stabilization fund plan. "This is terribly complicated," confessed the plain-speaking Jessie. "Even bankers say that. How do you expect Congressmen to under

Miss Summer was also interested in the effect which U. S. raunca-tion of the Bretton Woods agreement would have on foreign delega-

tions at the San Francisco conference.

"You're more of a diplomat than I am," she began.

Secretary Morgenthau interrupted her with, "I won't agree to "And that," said Banking and Currency Committee Chairman Brent Spence of Kentucky, "proves you're a diplomat."

#### SPORTS BY HARRY GRATSON NEA Sports Editor

CINCINNATI .- naymond Dumont had to borrow the money to do it, but the president of the National Semi-Professional Baseball Congress is again putting over Nation-Wide Registration Day, March 31, when any youngster of 12 or more who desires to play may register at any one of 8750 places in the United States and Canada.

Blanks are being provided by the National Semi-Pro Congress their employes had signed up, a supplied to the National Semi-Pro Congress.

There is space for the name, age, cided to sponsor teams address, telephone number, posi-tion preferred and years of ex-tion Day on a nation-wide

No fewer than 500,000 are expected to register, following which the lists will be turned over to governing bodies in each section inding a team on which they fit." place candidates on teams. In place candidates on teams. In rural communities where there is register boys may no place to register, boys may mail the necessary data to any sporting goods store or to the Na
spor

year 50 places were designated to accept registrations, including sporting goods stores, factories some organization with plenty of and high schools. In excess of money should be undertaking a money should be undertaking a sporting goods and have to this date accumulations. get the youngsters out

sporting goods distributors, number of industrial plants de-

Success of the annual Registramay mean the rejuvenation of the

-junior, amateur and semi-pro-nd movements will follow to everybody an opportunity."

RAY DUMONT'S plan has been tested for the past four years in Wichita, host city to the annual national tournament. Last year 50 places were designated to the public.

Organized because the feels, however, that it's requests from our Federal Government to co-operate with the war effort now, conserve your as cts, so that johs case be created for the public.

Organized because the exact plan on to the public.

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Organized because the exact plan on to the public.

# Wallace Beery

This Man's Navy

Great Film With

Exciting adventure over the At-lantic and on the Burma frontier feature the new Wallace Berry starring picture. "This Man's Navy' which M-G-M is presenting at the Arcadia Theater Sunday and Mon-

Beery plays Chief Aviation relot Ned Trumpet, who loves two things the lighter-than-air service he ha and tells storier about his prowess

Then, during a free-baloon flight a trainee knocks Trumpet out of the basiset and he parachutes to a farm where Jess Weaver (Tom Drake) lives with his mother. Trumpet encourages the boy to join the Navy and get into the lighterthan-air service, but doesn't dis-cover until his next visit that Jes a cripple. Ned not only gets the Lakehurst station doctor to start the wheels turning for a successful

The lad d'scovers that Ned ha been boasting about him and falls in with the story, to keep his ben-Edson facilities and industrial targets as well as military strongpoints."

Edson responsible for much of the increased effectives and increased in new that it also goes down. the fact he displayed cowardic

## Mayor Issues --

(Continued from page 1) dity to avail themselves of trainever have had.

The city officials thought this is a good thing for the city at the time, and on more than one occasion, called for community seetings of many of the leading whether to go ahead with the pro gram, and they invaribably insist ed that we continue the program Everyone seemed to think that was the best thing to do under the circumstances, and we contined the program, thus running the out of funds and in debt.

When the country went to war mployment ceased to be a com unity problem, but was plentiful erywhere, and it was my opinion that the city sponsored work programs were no longer accessary and that it would be the part of good judgment, for the city to op erate during the war on a very con-serative bass. It became pracically impossible to get material or to find labor for city improve for us to do was to try to pay off our indebtedness incurred during he hard times and to operate cor

ed a balance of some \$16,000.00 3000 signed up. Wichita had more proposition of this type. ed a balance of some \$16,000.00 clubs than in the period which After all, the main idea is to in this fund which we now have on hand. This is our program, and we have not wavered from it, and I do not now have any intention of changing it if I am elected mayor second term. Naturally ould regret very much to see thi ney mis-spent now, since little an be had or done with the mon y now, but it is a "back log" pro-iding for the future security of he returning service men and wo en, to provide jobs when they reern to civilian activities.

This is strictly in line with the quests and orders from our Federal government, and it is the only way to rush to an early and victous conclusion the tragedy of

Employment for these return g men and women will most cer ainly depend on whether or not ne cities or other political subdiv sions, have money an hand to start treet, water, sewer. lighting ther improvements for the comunity when the war ends.

Every city in the country will be a competitor for the future ome of the millions of returning ervice men and women when the ar is over and the city with some seans to offer advantages to these

If you want officials who believe conserving your citys funds during the war, who believe in work ing for the best interest of all the people in the community, I will, appreciate your vote for mayor in

# **PERSONALS**

Mi's Dorothy Henry, who is atparents, Mr and Mrs. Harry Henry urday night. and sister, Mrs. Deane Crawley.

Mrs. Evis Landers and Mrs.



Dayton Rutledge spent the day in Dallas Saturday and returned with Chief Petty Officer and Mrs. Geo-

O. G. Lanier who has been trantending TWC in Ft. Worth, is sacting business in Ft. Worth for spending the week-end with her the past week arrived home Sat-

> Friends have been advised that Pvt. Lloyd M. Huffman is in the hospital at the Amarillo Army Air Field where he is recuperating rom an operation on his knee- He able to be up on crutches now

Mrs. Con Hazard has returned rom Temple where she spent last week in Red Cross work at the McCloskey General Hospital.

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### Barkeley Would Limit Debate On Water Treaty

WASHINGTON (UP) — Son-o Democratic Leader Alben W. arkeley, Ky., considered ask-

old reporters after debate on the toposed treaty was resumed lat-

esterday. Chairman Tom Compally of the Senate Portion Relations Committee announced he wouldp ropor he proposed Mexican Water Trea- will answer some of the objections

# NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

I have rearranged myshop, moving the shoe repair work to the rear, and will have a gift shop in the front. With the new arrangement I have conserved space making it more compact which will enable me to give you quicker more efficient service than before.

You are cordially invited to bring your shoe troubles all to me, and as merchandise is available we hope to be able to take

we appreciate the patronage and good will you have extended to us in the past and shall try to merit a continuation in the future.

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## By V. T. Hamlin Schedule of Holy Week Services

# ls Announced

The following schedule for Pre-Easter services during Holy week at the First Methodist church has been announced by the pastor, Rev. Wallace N. Dunson.

Palm Sunday through Easter Sunday March 25 to April 1. Sunday morning 10:50 o'clock Palm Sunday services. Sunday evening 7:45—Board of

Stewards, Trustees and other hurch officers.

Monday evening 8:00 - Family ight. Let the people attend in fan

Tuesday evening 8:00 — The lomans society of Christian Ser-ce—Hodges Oak Circle Mrs oyd Killingsworth circle leader. Wednesday evening 8:00 —Susnah Wesley Circle, Mrs. Car nlin, circle leader.

Thursday evening 8:00— Lens pon Circle, Mrs. C. I. Wolford

rele leader. Friday Morning 10:00 Good Frilay service. Friday evening 8:00 — The Sunday School Officers, teachers

and members. Sunday (Easter) 10:50 a. m he Reserrection Service.

Sunday evening 7:45 o'clock — The Choir and Young People. The sermon topics for these preaster services will be based the seven last utterances of Jesus from the Cross.

to attend these services.

ngines were still turning over "At the 305th Field, the men weating "em out in front of the oriefing room, spotted the two eathered props, and held their ellective breaths as Lieutenar Baldridge brought the "Cisco" kids" in to land. "It was a beau er said and the rest of the crew greed that it was smooth a satir

found a flak hole through

## Red Ryder



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By Merrill Blosser



## Lt. Baldridge--

burning engine under control, but "Cisco Kids" was soon trailing

the pilot's ear.

"The radic room was a seive for

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interphone was not working a group of B-24 Liberators but men saw they were only five miles and in order to tellsthe pilot what then saw the leading bombers off course but "the old man with reached the crew voted to fly or was going on on his side of the dropping bombs and realized they the scythe" made another sweep to the home base with the wound plane, he had to lift his oxygen were in the middle of another bar- when another engine went o u t, led man since the two remaining

Easter Star!

heart of the German capitol.

"The engineer began switching gas from one of the punchered tanks while the co-pilot got the burning engine under capitol.

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. B. T. U. will meet at 7:45 P.

8:15 sermon by pastor. Everyone is urged to come to Prayer Meeting each Thursday night at 8:00 P. M. and study Re-

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICE "Matter" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scien-

velations with us.

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tist, Sunday, March 25. The Golden Text is: "The grass withereth, the flower fadeth: but

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: 'and the great dragon was cast out, that old serpent, called the Devil. and which deceiveth the whole world: he was cast out into the earth, and his angels were cast out [ with him" (Revelation 12:9).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Scien-ce and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "That false claim-that ancient belief, that old serpent whose name is devil (evil), claiming that there is intelligence in matter either to benefit or to injure men-is pure delusion, the red dragon; and it is east out by Christ, Truth, the spiritual idea, and so proved to be powerless" (page 567).

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Important business matters are by Mrs. W. H. C'ark. The Cheir that all officers be present for the continuous and the continuous at the continuo under the Acception of Mrs. Marie meeting-Ruth Hamrick will sing the hymna"Hiding in Thee." Dr. Clark will

Iteining Union, with W. A. Lewis opened. Director, meets at 7:00 p. m. The Junior and Intermediate Unions will have programs on Home Misaichs: the Adult program is "The Bible in the World Today." You will enjoy and benefit from these Training Union programs.

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posed mostly of musical numbes by the Youth Choir under the direction of Mrs Clark. The pastor will speak briefly on "Seven Eayings from the Cross", and Miss Baker will make an ink spray pic ture in keeping with the Easter

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

the word of our God shall stand for ever" (Isaiah 40:8).

Come and worsh p with u . Don't forget the evening ser-

preachers of the city, are called Baker Friday. o meet at the Paramount hotel Monday morning, some very important matter to be considered. H. B. Johnson president of ministerial alliance-

#### MEETING OF CITY COUNCIL IS CALLED

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#### CAMPFIRE GIRLS MEET THURSDAY

The Wacaka and Cheakchamay Campfire group met at the Cham-ber of Commerce Thursday after-noon at 4:00 o'clock. The guardians, Mrs. McKinney and Mrs. YOUNG P. T. A. HAS Wyatt, discussed with the girls MEETING TUESDAY H. B. Johnson Pastor
Church School 10 a. m. with
Golden Rule Bible Class taught
Wyatt, discussed with the girls
plans for ther National Birthday
celebration. Definite arrangements
will be anounced at a future date.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Preaching, by the pastor, 11:15
Renry C. Inomas, rasso, m. Subject, The sin of ingrat.tuJ. L. Jones, Superintendent. Henry C. Thomas, Pastor Sunday School . . . . 10:00 a Preaching again at 8 p. m. Sub- Morning Worship . . . . 11:00 a. m. ect, Where to place your affect. Pre Prayer service

Mr and Mrs Allen Baker and April 3 Special announcement. All the of Mr. Baker's mother, Mrs. S. B.

#### MARTHA DORCAS CLASS HAS LUNCHEON THURS.

Members of the Marth Doreas Class of the First Methodist church were entertained with a luncheon n the home of Mrs. W. M. Brown

Sr., Thursday at noon.

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Balch, Mattie Godwin, James Turner, J. A. Bates, Clem Rat-liff, J. T. Killingsworth, Peggy Skillern, Della Brown, C. C. Coal-son, E. H. Mills, S. B. Baker, J. Reuwer, Cicero Harris, Sr., L E. Wolfe, J. B. Rayfield. Charles P. Asheraft, and Rev. Wallace N

10:00 a.m. program.

dent. Mrs. Hal Hunter was the guest

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Morning Worship

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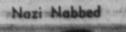
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in drilling, the Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association pointed out Saturday.

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for the war effort. Texas increase
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