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Beaten Japs Continue Fight On Okinawa

COMBAT VETS STILL FIGHT ON SUPPLY LINE

FORT SILL, Okla. (UP) They're peering mufu instead of OD now, but they're still fighting the war against the Japanese.

They carried rifles, machine guns and grenades when they hit the beaches of Salerno, Saipan, Tarawa, and stormed the heights of Cassino. Now they carry ridge torches, wrenches and precision tools.

They are veterans of this war who are now serving as Army Service Forces civilian employees at Fort Sill, carrying on the battle on the supply front instead of the fighting front.

More than 100 men who have seen active military or naval service in the present conflict now are working in the huge shops, warehouses and other installations on this post. One WAC veteran is also employed here.

Most of them have seen overseas service, many of them have been wounded in action and discharged after hospital care had been received. They represent all branches of the service.

There are men who broke up the Nazi counterattack at Kasserine Pass in Africa and men who fought the Japanese hand-to-hand at Guadalcanal. Men who took part in the St. Lo breakthrough in France and naval battles of the South Pacific.

There are men who braved the hell of flak in the skies over Germany and men who rushed the deadly Japanese pillboxes on Iwo Jima to whom the shells of the Axis Express became a part of the daily life and men who hunted the Japanese sniper on jungle trails of New Guinea.

Now they are keeping the material flowing to their comrades who are still on the firing line by working as armorers and mechanics, as welders and clerks, as storekeepers and firefighters. They're still fighting in this war.

Police Officer Gets His Master Of Arts Degree

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y. (UP) If you're stopped by a policeman here, don't start muttering about "that dumb cop." He might be Lt. Howard J. Dorrenbacher of the Niagara Falls police force, who recently received his Master of Arts degree from Niagara University.

Joining the local police force in 1929, Lt. Dorrenbacher used his off-duty hours to get a diploma from Niagara Falls High School in 1936; win a Bachelor of Science degree in 1940, and then, go on to his master's degree at Niagara U.

Now Lt. Dorrenbacher is considering his own version of the "third degree." He has taken up work at the University of Buffalo Law School. In between degrees, the lieutenant sandwiched in a stint with the armed services in the current war.

Puppy Co-Owner Of War Bond



Two-month old Doc, brown faced puppy belonging to T-Sgt. Charles Corey, Ft. Worth (Texas) Army Air Field G. I., has promising future assured. With his master, Doc is co-owner of a \$25 war bond. Sgt. Corey says he listed the pup as co-owner to assure his care when he becomes a old hound. (NEA Photo.)

Nazis Sought To Rid Alsace Of All French Ties

STRASBOURG (UP)—In their efforts swiftly to Nazify Alsace after its occupation in 1940, the Germans regulated every phase of life, down to the kind of hat a man could wear and the names he could give his children.

Beginning with the landscape and ending with the individual's diet, the Germans set about eradicating every trace of French life which has flourished in the district since it was returned to this country in 1918.

All monuments which commemorated the history of French Alsace, regardless of their worth or decorative value were destroyed. All the streets and parks which bore French names, or names alluding to French history or French mythology were renamed glorifying Nazi personalities or ideas. Even the Alsatian dialect was purged of French expressions.

Beginning with these externals, the Nazi leaders worked down to the family and the individual. They made an attack on family life by giving persons of French extraction the choice of expulsion—probably to Poland—or the divorce court. In the case where the husband was Jewish, or had volunteered for military service in behalf of France, or had ever lived in France, divorce could be obtained without further reason.

For those who were hesitant about taking this step, concentration camps were established. The Germans created the "model" type of Aryan and demanded that everybody conform. Wearing typically French hats, such as a beret or derby, was a sure way to arrive at the concentration camp. The Nazi salute was obligatory and typically French expressions of all sorts were prohibited.

Non-German first names, such as Yvonne, were required to be changed to German names such as Edelriede. Children were obliged to join the Hitler Youth group and everyone else was obliged to join some Nazi organization. Finally, conscription was introduced and men were drafted for the German army.

The press was standardized and liberally fed with German propaganda, but here and there traces of independence were maintained, which are now busy destroying the effects of Nazism.

Don Shelby To Leave Saturday For Vernon

Don Shelby, who has been manager of the Montgomery Ward and Co. store here for the past two years will leave Saturday for Vernon to assume management of the Montgomery Ward store there. Mrs. Shelby and their two children will accompany him.

During the time he has lived here, Mr. Shelby has been very active in civic affairs. He was Ranger chairman for the 1945 Red Cross drive and has taken part in various other community activities.

He will be succeeded by a man from the Brownwood store.

Thanksgiving Day first was celebrated in Chicago in 1837.

COUNTY TO HAVE LIVE STOCK SHOW

Eastland County is to have a modern, up-to-date fair and livestock show to be sponsored by the Eastland County Cattle Raisers' Association.

This was decided at a meeting of the Cattle Raisers' Association directors Saturday in Eastland. Dan Childress of Eastland is president of the association, T. L. Wheat of Morton Valley is Vice-president, and Fred Brown of Eastland, is secretary-treasurer.

Present plans are to solicit funds from among interested parties throughout the County. Each contributor will be issued stock to the amount of his or her subscription. The proposed organization will be incorporated and will be a non-profit corporation. A permanent site, suitable for a fair and exhibit grounds, to be purchased and modern structures erected for housing the fair and stock on exhibit. The plans also call for grounds for a rodeo. Any exhibitor, regardless of where he lives, will be permitted to enter livestock at the shows if rules and regulations governing them are met.

A long felt need in Eastland County, people are expressing themselves as highly pleased that steps are finally being taken towards the organization of a permanent organization of this kind.

The directors of the Cattle Raisers' Association at the Eastland meeting, instructed President Childress to appoint a committee to canvass the County for volunteer contributions for the proposed new enterprise and he responded by naming the following:

Carl Johnson, Chairman—Pete Tindall, Buck Pickens, C. W. Hoffmann, "T" Wheat. This committee has already begun functioning. In fact a number of contributions were pledged at the time of the Eastland meeting.

HAROLD HULING IS MISSING IN ACTION

Mrs. E. H. Huling, whose home is at Westmoreland, California, but who is at present at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Loftis, Eastland route No. 2, received a telegram Saturday advising her that her son, Eldon Harold Huling F. I. C. U. S. N., was missing in action "somewhere" in the Pacific. The telegram from the War Department, Washington D. C., had been sent to Westmoreland and forwarded from there.

Eldon Harold Huling was born in Eastland on February 27, 1927, and attended school at Morton Valley. He enlisted in the U. S. Navy about 18 months ago. He trained in California and six months ago went overseas to the Pacific war theatre. A brother, whose wife was the former Mary Rayfield of Ranger, is serving with the United States Army in Italy.

Cornell Grows Roses With 20 Inch Long Stems

ITHACA, N. Y. (UP)—If the price of roses is figured by the length of the stems, Cornell University probably has the most expensive roses grown.

Scientists in the floriculture department have obtained 35 to 40 flowers on one rose plant, with an average stem length of 20 inches. This compares with ordinary commercial production of less than 30 flowers to the plant, and stem length of 12 to 15 inches.

Prof. Kenneth Post said these long-stemmed flowers are the result of extended studies on the best fertilizer concentration in the soil and close attention to water ing.

Alvin Johnson At Surrender Of German U-Boats

LONDONDERRY, North Ireland, May 14 (Delayed)—Alvin W. Johnson, carpenter's mate, second class, 518 Alice st., Ranger, Texas, was on the destroyer escort USS Robert I. Paine when she represented the U. S. Navy at the formal surrender of eight German U-boats here today.

This was the first multiple surrender of the undersized raiders, which earlier had given up and been dismantled at a base in the north of Scotland. The U-boats had been taken over by an escort of surface and air units which had long specialized in sub-hunting. Manning each U-boat was a skeleton crew of Germans, guarded by British naval officers and men. Each U-boat flew the white ensign of the Royal Navy.

American sailors and marines, personnel of the Naval radio station at Londonderry, were lined up in the jetty with representatives of British forces as the U-boats came in. Leading the naval parade was the British destroyer HMS Hesperus, followed by the Canadian frigate HMCS Thetford Mines and the Paine.

Then came the U-boats, seven of them 500 tons, the eighth, 750 tons, all as rusty and battle-scarred as their crews were unkempt and dirty. The Germans, all of whom appeared to be less than 25 years old, looked healthy and well-fed. Some were sulky, some cocky, but most tried to look indifferent.

Twenty Persons Killed In C-47 Plane Crash

MANILA (UP)—Twenty persons were killed when a C-47 transport plane crashed into a New Guinea "Shangri La" last month, the army revealed today, but three aboard survived and soon will be brought out of the lost world.

Filipino medical technicians parachuted into the valley as soon as the wreckage of the C-47 was found. The plane crashed in the wilds on May 13 while on a routine flight.

Twenty four planes looked for the missing craft for three days before the wreckage was found. On May 25 the medics reached the injured trio, gave them aid, and set up a rest camp for them. Rescue plans call for dropping gliders into the valley and bringing out the party by glider pickup.

Third Bomb Hit Unluckily For British Museum

LONDON (UP)—On Sept. 18 1940, a German pilot dropped a bomb through the roof of the British Museum, London. It passed through two floors and failed to explode.

Five nights later, through the same hole less than a yard in width, fell another bomb, a 500-pounder, which likewise passed through two floors and failed to explode. On the third occasion, however, the museum was unlucky. One night a bomb dropped and destroyed 150,000 medical law and other books.

Town Takes Five Hours To Fill 7th War Loan Quota

CARBONDALE, Ill. (UP) Citizens of Carbondale went over the top on their 7th War Loan quota in an intensive drive which lasted just five hours. Business houses were closed during the brief period.

Residents of one precinct met their quota in only 35 minutes; while in another precinct, subscriptions went over 218 per cent before the new-type campaign was ended.

THE WEATHER

West Texas — Partly cloudy today, tonight and tomorrow. In operations against Germany, the Royal Air Force used approximately one and a quarter million gallons of aviation fuel every day for the last 12 months of the war.

Under Arrest By FBI



Six persons, including Naval reserve Lieutenant and two State Department employees, were revealed to be under arrest by the FBI on espionage charges. Five of the six are pictured above. Top, left to right; Philip Jacob Jaffe, editor of "Amerasia"; Kate Louise Mitchell, editor of "Amerasia"; Mark Julius Gryn, noted writer. Bottom left to right—Emmanuel Sigurd Larsen, specialist of State Dept's China Division; John Stewart Service, State Dept. Picture of sixth is not available. (NEA Telephoto.)

CHEMICAL FOOD SENT TO SAVE HOLLANDERS

NEW YORK (UP)—A six-ton shipment of protein hydrolysates has been sent to save the lives of a starve 2,000 Netherlanders, so starved by five years of Nazi occupation that they are beyond the aid of ordinary food. American Relief for Holland, Inc., has announced.

A chemical derived from a variety of protein and other food ingredients, the hydrolysates are especially designed for the treatment of advanced stages of starvation. Their life-saving properties have been compared with those of the sulfa drugs and penicillin.

Without them, some 4,000,000 Hollanders, who have exhausted their bodies' protein reserve and thus lost both their ability to digest food and their resistance to infection, would surely die. The organization said. This and future shipments of the relief agency are expected to provide treatment for most of them by early summer.

The protein hydrolysates are manufactured with various combinations of ingredients, including dried skim milk, yeast, beef, pork, pancreas and gluten. The mixture is digested by the action of enzymes, pepsin and trypsin during the manufacturing process, then refined and concentrated. Its final form may be either liquid or a dehydrated powder.

Forms are available for oral administration or injection, the organization said. A self-administered oral powder form was selected for Holland to save shipping space and to lessen strain on inadequate medical facilities.

Stolen Bicycle Being Held By Police Department

Captain Jehunie Boyd of the police force has reported that the police department has recovered a stolen bicycle and is now holding it for the owner.

Captain Boyd stated that anyone who can definitely identify the bicycle as his may have it by calling for it.

Carl G. Barker Of Hobbs, N. Mex. Dies Wednesday

Carl G. Barker of Hobbs, New Mexico, died at Hobbs on Wednesday, June 6. He was born at Morton Valley on October 12, 1928, and had resided in Hobbs for the past three and one half years where he was a member of Boy Scout Troop number 41 there.

Funeral services will be conducted from Killingsworth's Funeral Chapel at four o'clock Friday afternoon by Reverend H. B. Johnson. Interment will be in the Colony cemetery.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Barker of Hobbs, two brothers, Floyd and Jerry of Hobbs; his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Barker of Ranger, and Mrs. Fannie Nichols of Morton Valley; four aunts, Mrs. Opal Aman, of Abilene, Miss Ruth Kidding, of Ranger, Mrs. Eula Peak of Girard, Texas and Mrs. Elmer Hines of Medina, Texas and one uncle, Winston Barker of Ranger.

Ordnance Plant Output Totals Billions Bullets

St. Louis, Mo. (UP)—The St. Louis Ordnance plant can well be proud of its record in the war. It has produced enough cartridges to form a 420,000 mile chain and has provided fighting GIs with six billion rounds of ammunition.

The startling record of the plant was revealed by John M. Olin, company president, at Army and Navy "E" award ceremonies. The giant plant, which has been operated by the U. S. Cartridge Co. for the past four years, has hired and trained more than 85,000 individual workers.

Of every \$500 expended by the government for the war more than one dollar has been spent through the St. Louis Ordnance plant. The cartridges produced were top quality, too. Forty-eight million rounds were fired, just to make sure.

GREW HINTS PROGRESS

WASHINGTON (UP)—Acting Secretary of State Joseph Grew hinted today that Presidential emissary Harry Hopkins may have made progress toward a settlement of the big three's deadlock over Poland during his recent concluded mission to Moscow.

PRAVDA CHARGES BRITAIN BLOCKED DISCUSSION OF EARLY LIBERATION PLANS FOR COLONIAL WORLD

PEARL HARBOR (UP)—American troops turned the Japanese defense on Okinawa today and pinned the few thousand surviving defenders against the southwestern coast of the almost conquered island at the threshold of Japan itself.

The Japanese were licked on Okinawa, and tacitly admitted it. But they were buying time with lives in the two dwindling pockets. Although victory was assured, the Americans still were fighting hard for it. Troops pushing down the southeast coast captured Gushikan. A mile or so to the northwest other units entered the outskirts of Tomui. Patrols penetrated Yanagasaki village, half a mile northwest of Tomui. Tokyo admitted that the war had reached a "very difficult stage." The Japanese said 22 carrier planes attacked air-bases on Kyushu soon after noon.

\$1,000 CLUB ORGANIZED BY ROTARY, LIONS

Members of the Ranger Rotary and Lion's Clubs jointly voted this week to sponsor a \$1,000 Bond Club for the purpose of helping to meet Ranger's Series E bond quota for the Seventh War Loan Drive. The sponsors of the club have announced that the aim of the Lions and Rotarians is one hundred per cent membership in the club, however, membership is not limited and is open to everyone who purchases a one thousand dollar bond.

The committees in charge of the club are composed of W. F. Cresser, Felton Brasher, and Morris Kight from the Rotary Club, and Joe Dennis, T. J. Anderson, A. W. Warford, and Lee Dockery from the Lions.

It was felt that the organization of such a club would promote interest in the purchase of bonds to meet the quota set aside for Ranger. W. F. Cresser, chairman for the drive has stated that of the \$92,000 quota for Ranger, only about \$43,000 in Series E bonds have been purchased, leaving a balance of \$49,000 to be met before the end of the Seventh War Loan Drive.

D. C. ROBINSON DISCHARGED ON JUNE 2

Egt. D. C. Robinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Robinson, and veteran of the 36th Texas Division was discharged under the army's point system on June 2.

Robinson, who entered the service in November, 1940, went overseas with the 36th Division in April, 1943. He was in the invasion of Sicily and also fought in Italy, returning to the United States in June of 1944.

He attended Ranger schools and was engaged in the trucking business before his enlistment.

Senate Finance Committee Votes Against Request

WASHINGTON (UP)—The Senate Finance Committee today voted 10 to 9 against the administration's request for authority to cut tariff rates 50 per cent below present levels.

The ring drew tighter around Japan as Chinese troops, fighting on east coast of China, opposite Okinawa, fought into the suburbs of Fating to cap a 120-mile drive in three weeks.

Japanese lines in Northern Luzon in the Philippines, were broken entirely, for the time being at least. The 37th Army Division drove along the Cagayan Valley with no resistance to speak of in its way. A 13-mile spur in two days took the 37th to within five miles of Bayombong.

Moscow — Pravda, organ of the Communist party, asserted today that the British in 1943 blocked discussion at the Moscow conference of an American plan for early liberation of "the entire colonial world" along the lines of the Atlantic Charter.

The assertion was made by A. Leontiev, in the first of a series of articles on colonial problems. Leontiev said the American plan was supported by the Soviet Union but was not discussed at Moscow because of British objections.

He cited the situation in Syria and Lebanon as the latest example of new rivalries over colonial resources disturb world peace.

However, he said that in colonial discussions at San Francisco the United States had accepted the essential of the British position.

"The American proposals in 1945, he said, had the following characteristics—first, they embraced the colonial problem as a whole and unequivocally declared for the granting of independence to all colonial peoples as the purpose of all the Allied nations. Second, they proposed a system of international trusteeships be established and applied to a definite group of independent countries with the purpose of granting them at the earliest time the status of independence."

Pierre Laval To Return To France To Face Charges

PARIS (UP)—The government announced today that a French plane now is at Barcelona to return Pierre Laval to France to face charges as a traitor in his collaboration with the Nazis.

Laval, chief of government in the Vichy regime during the German occupation of France, is expected to be flown back to his homeland at any time, an official announcement said.

The Spanish government agreed to turn Laval over to the French, and asked that a plane be dispatched to take him away from Barcelona, where he is under a 24-hour flight from Barcelona to the best ship of the French navy.

BIG THREE MEETING LONDON (UP)—Debutante observers speculated today that the Big Three will meet somewhere in Europe or the middle East between June 18 and July 4. Dry cargo carried to war zones on docks of tankers, equalled in one month of 1944, the capacity of 55 freighters.

The biggest submarine fleet in Texas stands 96 feet high and blooms every May.

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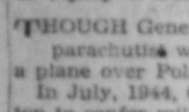
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WASHINGTON COLUMN

BY PETER EDSON, NEA Service Staff Correspondent

SAN FRANCISCO.—The key figure among the 16 Polish leaders held under arrest by the Russians since April 30 is Brig.-Gen. Leopold Okulicki, whose full story will make one of the thrillers of the war when it can all be told.



Edson. Okulicki was a colonel in the Polish Army when the war broke out in 1939. He fought the Germans until the last, then surrendered as a prisoner of war to the Russians.

THOUGH General Okulicki was a man of 50, he took training as a parachutist with Polish forces in Scotland. He was dropped from a plane over Poland, where he took command of the Home Army.

In July, 1944, General Okulicki sent one of his aides to Washington to confer with the combined Chiefs of Staff, a General Tabot.

Though he was kept closely under the wraps of military security at the time, it can now be revealed that this General Tabot brought with him outlines for a plan to coordinate the operations of the Polish Underground Army with the armies of General Eisenhower in western Europe.

The plan was communicated to the Russians through Soviet military attaches in Washington. The plan is believed to have been turned down by the Russians on the grounds that the Red Army did not want the Poles to be supplied with any arms whatever.

In spite of this setback, General Okulicki kept up his campaign of underground disruption of the German war effort and aid to the Russians. In August the Warsaw uprising was ordered. Theoretically it was to be coordinated with and relieved by the advances of the Red Army.

GENERAL OKULICKI went into hiding, and he remained with the underground until March 15 when his identity was disclosed to the Russians and he was persuaded to come out into the open to cooperate with the Russians in setting up a new government. That led to his trip to Russia—presumably en route to London—with the 15 political leaders six weeks later.

His forced detention by the Soviet Government was confirmed by Foreign Commissar Molotov at San Francisco.

SPORTS

BY HARRY GRAYSON, NEA Sports Editor

ASKED for his batting order early in the going, Jimmy Dykes replied that he would canvass the White Sox and see which ones were in the mood.

Nowadays a manager asks the hired hands who wants to play. He no longer is in a position to order them to get out there and hustle.

Players, tender of mind and body, have had a field day during the war, but wait till the professionals come back. There'll be some changes made.

Before the White Sox contracted their habit of winning Sunday double-headers, Dykes told them: "Go ahead and make me look bad, but when this thing is over I'll send some of you guys so far that an APO won't reach you."

"We have a championship club in the Army and Navy," says Billy the Kid, "38 in all."

PHILLIES, no less, belted Chief Specialist Bob Feller off the hill at Great Lakes with 11 hits in three and a third inning, including a home run by the ancient and honorable Jimmy Fox.

But there is no reason for the good people of Cleveland to view this with alarm.

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NEWS FROM Breckenridge

BRECKENRIDGE, Tex. June 4.—Sgt. Ed S. Charles, former resident of Breckenridge, and well known here, was fatally injured at Camp Bowie in an automobile accident. He was taken to the hospital and died a few minutes after arriving. He was a veteran of 34 months overseas, and was visiting in Ft. Worth from Camp Claiborne La., where he was to return for honorable discharge from the Army. He left a widow, having only been married three weeks.

Mrs. Rosemary Braddy of Caddo has received a letter from the men in her son's company. Sgt. Andrew B. Braddy was killed in Lorraine, France, January 11th, he had spent eighteen months overseas. He also has a brother, Cpl. Tommy Braddy at Gainesville. The letter contained some money from the men in Sgt. Braddy's platoon, made up by the men, who said they wanted to express in some way the high regard they had for him. They said he was a son any mother could be justly proud of, and that all Texas could be proud of a soldier who fought for and died for his country.

A cablegram has been received by Mr. and Mrs. Clyde R. Langford of El Paso, stating that their son, Sgt. Richard K. Langford has been freed from a German prison camp, Stalag No. 4, where he has been since the last of January. He was shot down over northern Italy, November 22, 1944, and taken prisoner. He was a turret gunner on a B-24.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Hellinghausen have as their guest, their grandson, Bobby Hellinghausen of Oklahoma.

Capt. James M. Lubanks of Caddo has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross for his proficient participation in the final battle against Germany. He was with the 57th Fighter Group and a veteran of the 12th Air Force Unit. He has flown 137 combat missions with the 57th fighter squadron of the 57th group, he has been overseas since January 1944. His wife lives at Caddo, he was in the cattle and sheep farming business before joining the army.

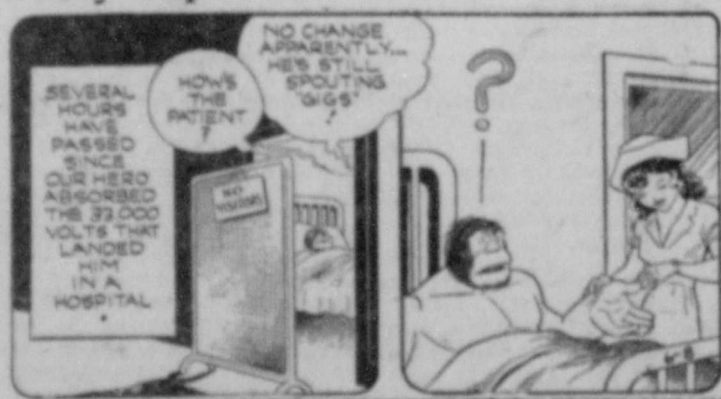


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Red Ryder



Memorial services were held at the Eolian church Sunday afternoon for Claude Chalker. A large crowd attended.

Sheriff Ollie Jackson announces that William L. Jacobs has been appointed as chief deputy. He succeeded Milton Daniel, County chairman of the Bond Drive, has called for \$50,000 sales in Series E Bonds. He says reports have come to him as county chairman that the overall total is about to pass the quota of \$500,000, but that the Series E Bonds are trailing behind. Breckenridge has oversubscribed every War Loan Drive. This is the last for this year and those working with the drive are very anxious to make the drive complete and reach their goal by June 6th if possible.

Mrs. C. E. Crabb and daughter, Mary Ann, formerly of Breckenridge and now of Austin, spent the week end here visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Nannery.

Mrs. Gladys Kinchen has gone to Excelsior Springs, Mo., for several weeks vacation.

Judge J. E. Hickman of the Appellate court in Austin, will speak to the men of the Morning Tower banquet, to be given in the basement of the church Thursday, June 14th.

Word has been received here of the death of James E. Hughes well known resident of Breckenridge and the Woodson community, for several years. He was killed in a truck accident on the Globe-Gallup highway in Arizona, 20 miles of Globe. At the time of his death, he and his family were living in Artesia, N. M., where he was employed as a truck driver for the Jim Ferguson Gasoline Transportation Company of Texas and New Mexico. He had flown to Phoenix, Ariz., to secure some trucks and was returning to Artesia at the time of the accident. He was buried at Woodson Sunday afternoon. He leaves a wife and two children and a grandson, his mother, 5 sisters and two brothers.

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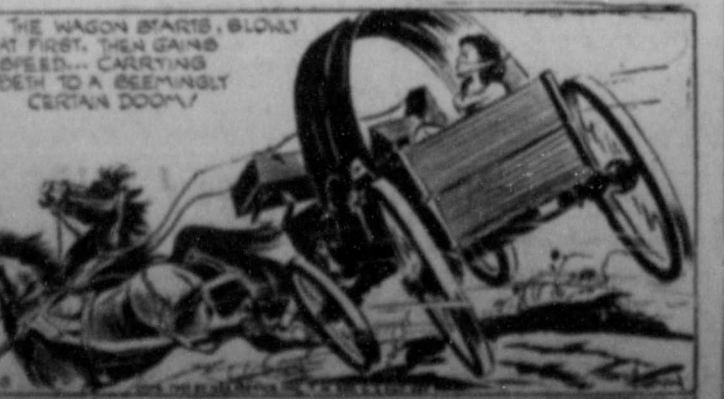
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NEWS FROM Carbon

(By Special Correspondent)

CARBON, Tex. — Laverne Jackson, who has seen 34 months service with the Marines in the Pacific, arrived home on furlough Friday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Payne and son, of Baird, came in Sunday to see him.

Major and Mrs. D. L. McCurry left last week for Camp in North Carolina. Major McCurry has been on furlough from the Pacific where he was with the 3rd Marines.

Miss Gladys Green, who has been teaching in Ballinger, is home for the summer.

Mrs. Clyde Holes came in from Sundown Friday for a visit with relatives.

W. W. Gilbert visited his son, Floyd Gilbert and wife in Fort Worth last week. His grandson, Neal Gilbert, accompanied him home for a visit.

Clyde Bethany, who has been working at Odessa, spent the past week end here with his family.

Mrs. J. N. Powell and Kenneth Powell returned Thursday from Rochester where they visited Mrs. Powell's brother, R. L. Love and family.

Mrs. George Boles of Sundown is visiting her mother, Mrs. O. C. Payne.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Iley and children of Morenci, Arizona, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Eastwright, Mrs. Chesley Tipson and son came from Cisco to spend the past week end with her sister and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Watt have moved to Odessa where he is employed for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Tonn held a family reunion Sunday at their home here. Mr. Tonn was recently discharged from the Navy. It was the first time the family had all been together in 31 months. Dinner was spread picnic style on the lawn. Singing was enjoyed in the afternoon. Church services were attended in Carbon Sunday morning and at Gorman in the evening. Those of the immediate family attending from a distance were: Durwood Tonn, RDM 1-c, who is home from the Pacific, but returned to his base, Monday; E. S. Tonn, P. M. 2-c, also a veteran of the Pacific and who left Monday for a visit with relatives at Big Spring and Levelland before returning to his base on the 15th; Pvt. L. E. Tonn and wife of Camp Walters; Miss Pearl Tonn, who present were: Bill Boetick, F 1-c, U. S. Navy wife and sons of Big Spring; Miss Jean Jenkins, B 1-g Spring; Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Lewallen and family of Gorman; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Johnson and family of Coahoma and Lee Greer of Carbon.

Miss Laura Frances Hightower spent Monday night here with her grandmother, Mrs. Fannie Bridges. Miss Hightower is staying in Gorman with her mother, Mrs. O. C. Hightower, who recently underwent surgery at the Blackwell Sanitarium in Gorman.

Mrs. Rosa Lee Griggs and children of Odessa are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Anderson.

Wayne and David Claborn, accompanied their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Claborn, to Sundown for a visit with them and their father, A. M. Claborn.

Mrs. O. C. Payne has as guests in her home this week her brother, O. J. Nowling of Fort Worth, her sister, Mrs. Djek Murray and husband of Blackwell, and niece, Miss Thearesa Hood of Dallas.

Miss Dorothy Massague of Westbrook is a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Scott Noble.

Mrs. D. L. Adair's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Phillips, spent Sunday here with her. Miss Evelyn Adair accompanied them home for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Walker have received a message that their son, Wayne Walker had arrived at San Antonio from ETO and would be home soon. He was with the 8th Air Force. He arrived Monday.

L. and Mrs. Leo Ussery of Arrensburg, Mo., came Thursday to be with her brother, Wayne Walker, recently returned from ETO, and their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Walker and Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Ussery.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Collins and children of San Antonio are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Walker and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Collins.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Ford and Glen drove to Goodfellow Field, San Angelo, Thursday night to meet their son and brother, Pfc. Joe Ford, who flew from Palmdale Army Air Field in California. Saturday they accompanied him back to Goodfellow Field where he took a plane to return to Palmdale Field.

S-L. Bryan Lee Butler is home from Foster Field, Victoria, Texas on his first furlough since receiving his wings. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Elgar Butler.

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Doyle Maynard, 15, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Maynard, Rising Star, who was named Peanut King for producing 108 bushels of peanuts from a measured acre of ground, is commended for his achievement in an article appearing in the current May-June issue of "The Furrow", national farm publication, published by John Deere, Moline, Illinois.

From the sale of hay and peanuts, Maynard, who is a F. F. A. member of the local chapter, realized \$287.70, the article states.



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Complimenting Miss Jean Bruce bride-elect of L. A. P. Thomas, Mrs. Helen Ghosson entertained the bridal party and friends with a carded rehearsal dinner at the home of her grandmother Mrs. John M. Ghosson, Thursday evening at 7:30.

The dinner table was covered with an imported Venetian cloth, and the center piece of white delphiniums sprayed with Queen Ann's lace was flanked by white candles. The house was attractively decorated with assorted white flowers.

The guest of honor wore a black sheer dress with black accessories, and on her shoulder she wore a corsage of pink roses. The hostess also wore a black sheer dress with black accessories.

The dinner guests were as follows: Miss Jean Bruce, L. A. P. Thomas, bridegroom-elect, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bruce, parents of the bride-elect, Miss Rosemary Bruce, sister of the bride-elect, Mrs. William Denton, Mrs. Sam Leigh, Mrs. Vernon Nickles and Mrs. Ivan Burnett, all sisters of the bridegroom-elect, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Smith, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Brushier, Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Wolford, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Killingsworth, Mrs. Hugh McCormick, Mrs. Dean Crowley, Mrs. John M. Ghosson, Mrs. Mills Davenport, Mrs. M. H. Haagen, Mrs. Fay Lindquist, and Judge and Mrs. Geo. Davenport.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS HAS PICNIC TUESDAY

Mrs. J. L. Clem entertained the 10 year old girl's Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church with a swimming party Tuesday afternoon. A picnic lunch was served after the swimming to the following members: Carolyn Pruet, Janice Page, Barbara Heiler, Madeline Bond, Shirley Gray, Ruth Williams, Betty Jo Penn, Wanda Clem and the teacher, Mrs. J. L. Clem.

TEEN CANTEN WILL BE OPEN

It was announced today that the Teen Canteen will be opened Saturday night at 8:45 for the entertainment of high school and junior college students.

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Called a Slacker



Teddy Powell, above, of New York, popular dance band leader and author of "Boots and Saddles" and other popular songs, has been indicted as a draft dodger by a New York federal grand jury. FBI charges that he bribed John F. Wilson, New York draft board clerk. Wilson committed suicide last year after being indicted for bribery in connection with another draft evading case.

Stateroom Used by FDR



This is the stateroom used by the late President Roosevelt in the specially-built C-54 Douglas transport he used on his world travels. Near window is his swivel-type, adjustable chair with safety belt. The couch in background can be converted into a bed.

First Photo of Presidential Plane



This is the first picture released of the specially-built Douglas C-54 plane used by the late President Roosevelt, and to be used in future by President Harry S. Truman. Painted on its side are flags of all nations in which it has flown.

Eighth Grade Boys Learn To Cook and Many Other Arts

HARLINGEN, TEX., (UP)—Cooking classes for eighth grade boys at Travis Junior High school have turned out to be lessons on how to live under the direction of Mrs. Christie Brown.

Last semester 22 eighth grade boys insisted that they wanted to learn to cook like the girls. So Mrs. Brown got in an extra class for them.

There's pretty good cooks now, she thinks, but they've learned a lot of other things.

They've learned how to press their own trousers. They know how to treat a girl on a date now and how to write a letter. They know what vitamins, minerals and carbohydrates are and why they should have enough of them. They've been taught how to look well groomed and how to get along with other people.

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9 He has opposed, 10 Ancient Order of Hibernians, 11 Registered nurse (ab.), 12 Drowse, 13 Hurry, 14 Expire, 15 Spread, 16 Exists, 17 Wireless, 18 Pleasure, 19 Year (ab.), 20 Toward, 21 Hour (ab.), 22 Army order (ab.), 23 Road (ab.), 24 Civil Service (ab.), 25 Symbol for atomic, 26 Accomplish, 27 Not asleep, 28 More secure, 29 Lower, 30 Area measure, 31 Rapid, 32 Scottish sheepfold, 33 Exclamation, 34 Fencing, 35 U.S. A., 36 Navy, 37 Vertical, 38 Musical passage

16 Puzpen, 17 White crane, 18 Hampshire, 19 Reparation, 20 Over (contr), 21 Receptacles, 22 Carriage, 23 Hive, 24 Put off, 25 Morse, 26 On the ocean, 27 City in New, 28 Numeral, 29 Wing-shaped, 30 Speed contest, 31 Station (ab.), 32 Negative prefix, 33 Note in, 34 Guido's scale

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