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AMERICANS POUND BIG JAP BASE

Heroes' Day Program Will Boost War Bond Sale Here

Negro Attacks White Woman

City, county, state and military officers early Sunday were searching for a man, described as a "negro soldier," who attacked a white woman about 11:15 p.m. Saturday in a vacant lot on North Baird Street.

The 25-year-old married woman told officers she was walking across the lot when the man approached, grabbed her by the throat, and told her he was going to kiss her.

When she objected, he threw her to the ground and jerked off her slacks. She screamed and he fled. A resident of the neighborhood heard the scream and notified police who rushed to the scene.

The woman told Police Chief Jack Ellington she was not injured, and gave officers a description of the man, asserting he was a negro and wore a soldier's uniform.

Sheriff Ed Darnell, state highway patrolmen and military police joined in the search.

War Bond Sales Here Now Total Only \$345,030

War bond purchases in Midland Friday and Saturday totaled \$30,049 to bring the total for the month to \$345,030—\$299,970 short of Midland's \$645,000 Second War Loan campaign quota.

The big Midland Heroes' Day observance Monday will climax the campaign which started April 12. The goal for the day will be \$300,000. All bond purchases during April count against the quota.

Midland never has failed to exceed a war fund quota, but unless purchases increase materially during the next five days Midland will fall for the first time.

Duty Of Every Citizen

Campaign leaders have stressed the fact it is the duty of every citizen to invest in war bonds, doubling up on April purchases. Employees purchasing war bonds through deduction plans are urged if possible to buy additional bonds this month to back up America's fighting men.

Volunteer workers have been busy contacting prospects since last Tuesday. The First National Bank, Midland National Bank, Post Office, Midland Federal Savings and Loan Association, and Midland Production Credit Association are authorized bond issuing agencies here.

"They Give Their Lives—You Lend Your Money" is the slogan of the Second War Loan drive.

Midland Heroes' Day Parade Route

The big Midland Heroes' Day parade will form at the high school at 10 a. m. Monday and will start moving promptly at 10:30. C. V. Lyman, parade chairman, said.

The line of march will be east on Texas to Main, south on Main to Missouri, west on Missouri to Lorraine, and north on Lorraine to the courthouse.

The order of the parade will be: police escort, officials, Legion color guard, AAF band, Texas Defense Guard, WAACS, Army equipment, Midland High School band, Midland Legionnaires, Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Midland Sheriff's posse, and Mustang boys and their pets.

V. D. Drake Wins Top Honors In Dairy Day Show

V. D. Drake, Midland dairyman, won top honors at the fourth annual Dairy Day here, and E. R. Eudaly, Texas Extension Service dairy specialist, declared the show was the highest percentage of blue ribbon animals of any exhibition in the state. Twenty-two of the 40 animals were placed in the blue ribbon class.

Drake showed the grand champion cow, "Susie," and the grand champion bull, "Thunder." Both are Jerseys. The bull was bred and born in Midland County.

The reserve champion cow in the show, sponsored by the Midland Dairy Association, is owned by R. O. Brooks. The reserve champion bull is owned by Shelby Davis. Both also are Jerseys.

The annual show, held in the Eldorado warehouse on South Baird Street, attracted many citizens.

Preston Buys Red Cross Heifer

A registered Jersey heifer, donated by Brooks to the Red Cross, was sold at auction to Sam Preston who bid \$165. Delbert Downing was auctioneer.

Blue ribbons went to stock of the following owners: Drake, Brooks, Sherwood O'Neal, M. E. Parker of Martin County, and Finley Martin of Martin County.

Other winners were owned by L. A. Brunson, D. R. Stroud, A. C. Woods, E. P. Whitson, J. M. Hughes, O. C. Collins Jr. and Jim Hoover.

Mrs. Tom Glenn Wins

Mrs. Tom Glenn won first place in the milk maid contest. Second was Mrs. V. R. Drake; third, Mrs. Sherwood O'Neal; and fourth was a tie between Miss Wilda Drake and Miss Betty Lou Hodges of Tazewell.

In the 4-H Club division of the show, Glenn Drake's entry took first place and second went to his brother, Norman Drake.

Cows, owned by Davis, won first. (Continued on Page 5)

Midland will go all-out Monday in a determined effort to sell \$300,000 worth of War Bonds and Stamps to meet its huge quota of \$645,000 for April in the Second War Loan campaign.

All arrangements had been completed Saturday night for the Midland Heroes' Day program when citizens will honor men and women who have gone from this county into the Armed Forces.

The parade, in which men and equipment from the Midland Bombarrier College will be featured, will form at 10 a. m. at the high school and will start moving promptly at 10:30 a. m. C. V. Lyman, Clint Dunagan and Jack Kelly are members of the parade committee.

A traveling exhibit of bombs, a crash truck, tweeps, jeeps, reconnaissance cars, a weapons carrier, a tank, and a mammoth gasoline truck will be among Army equipment in the procession.

Will Honor Heroes

Immediately following the parade, a mass meeting to honor Midland's heroes will be held on the courthouse lawn. Charles L. Klapproth, county war bond chairman, will preside. Col. John P. Kenny, commanding officer of the Midland AAF Bombarrier School, and M. C. Ulmer, district bond chairman and president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, will be speakers. The invocation will be by the Rev. Vernon Yearby.

The Rev. Hubert Hopper will offer a prayer during the memorial service.

The AAF band and the Midland High School band will play before and after the meeting. A sound system will be furnished by the Dunagan Sales Co.

Three bond booths will open on the courthouse lawn at the close of the mass meeting.

Jeep Rides For Buyers

Each booth will be assigned to each booth and each person buying at least a \$50 bond will be given a ride through the downtown section in a jeep. Persons riding must sign an Army waiver. Some of the jeeps will be driven by WAACS and others (Continued on Page 5)

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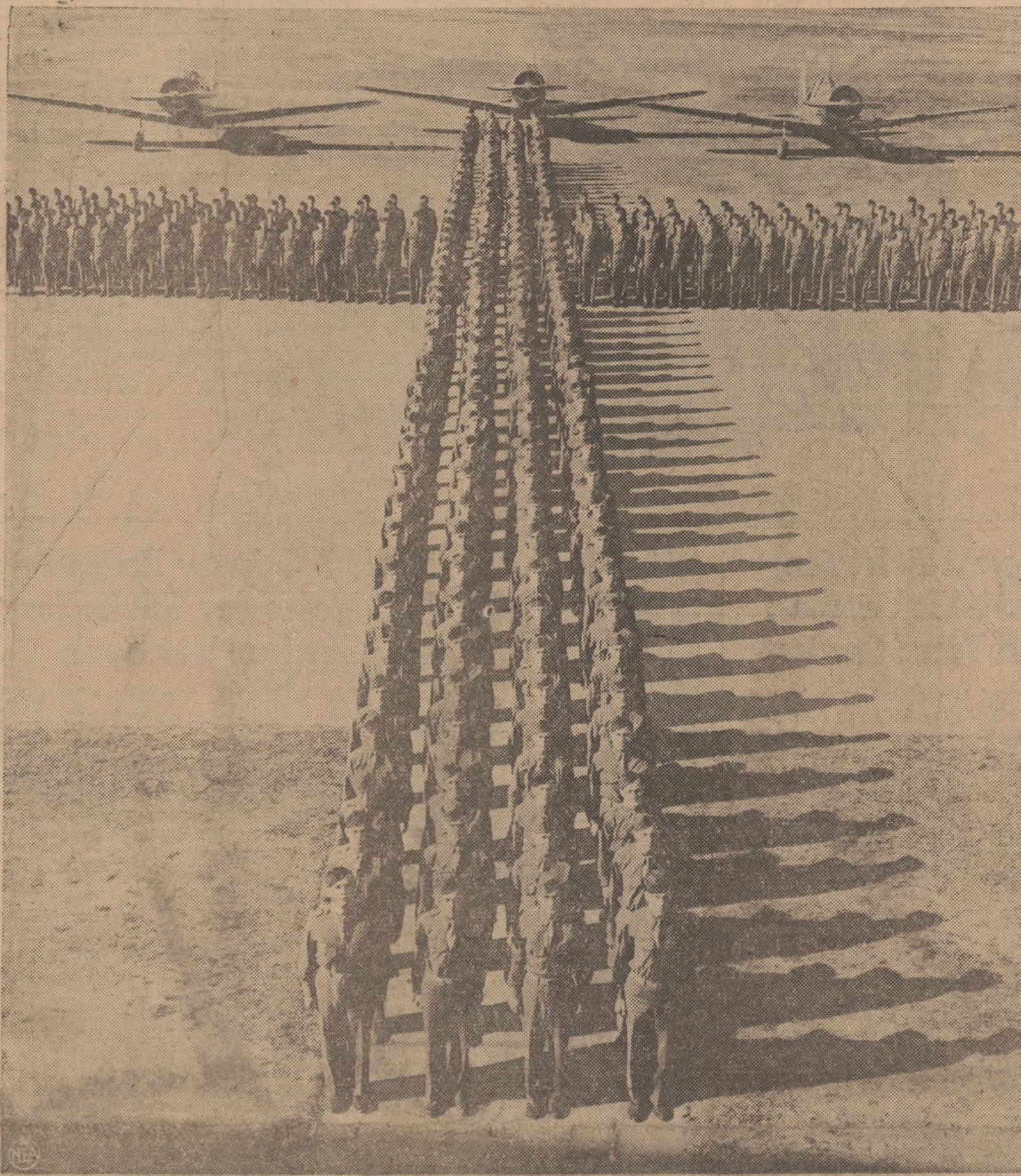
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American Airmen's Easter Salute



(U. S. Army Air Forces Photo From NEA) Forming a cross, 300 pre-flight cadets at Maxwell Field, Ala., symbolize one of the four freedoms for which they and their fellow Americans are fighting for this Easter, 1943.

Large Enemy Convoy Sighted Near Wewak

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN AUSTRALIA (AP)—Far-ranging Allied bombers, covering nearly 1,500 miles gave the big Japanese airplane assembly base of Kendari in the Celebes, its first pounding since February 10 Saturday, dropping 21 tons of bombs which destroyed five planes on the ground and wrecked repair shops.

Five other planes were shot down in the air for certain, and a sixth was believed bagged.

Meanwhile another bomber spotted and attacked a large enemy convoy of unspecified size far to the northwest of Wewak, New Guinea, but was not able to observe the results. Over Wewak's harbor, a third Allied bomber fought off a swarm of 12 Japanese planes, shooting down five and getting home safely despite some damage dealt the bomber.

Dili Field Bombed

General Douglas MacArthur's raiders left a trail of flame over the sector to the northwest of Australia. In addition to starting huge fires at Kendari which could be seen for 75 miles away, they also fired the airbase at Dili on Timor, causing flames which could be seen from 25 miles at sea.

Big Liberators, flown by Americans, took part in the devastating raid on Kendari. Billy Mitchell medium bombers, with Dutch pilots, delivered the blows at Dili.

Allies Press Near Bizerte

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA (AP)—American troops who sped secretly to battle from Southern Tunisia and French forces on the northern coast were closing on Bizerte from three directions Saturday and the British were overrunning Long Stop Hill in their push toward Tunis against the rapidly shrinking Axis siege line.

In the midst of this sudden outburst of fierce fighting for the principal remaining objectives in Africa—the great naval base and capital—it was disclosed that the German commander, Marshal Erwin Rommel, had disappeared.

Document Found

Gen. Sir Harold Alexander's 18th Army group headquarters announced the capture of a document dated March 19 which indicated that Rommel, who led his Africa Corps into Tunisia after the long retreat from El Alamein, no longer is in Africa.

The document was signed by Col.-Gen. Jurgen Von Arnim as general officer, commander in chief, and not by Rommel.

There have been numerous reports recently that Rommel had been spirited out of Tunisia to organize Axis defenses along the Southern European coast. Other reports have hinted that he had fallen into disgrace with Hitler others said he was recovering in Germany from an attack of malaria.

Americans Launch Drive

Shifted from the south swiftly and secretly, American troops in the north have launched a full-scale attack against Axis troops, front dispatches said, and after a six-mile advance are fighting their way from hill to hill within 30 miles of Bizerte.

(A French communique, recorded in London from North African broadcasts, said French forces had advanced more than 12 miles in the Cap Serrat area. This would place them within 23 miles of Bizerte, since Cap Serrat is only 35 miles from the big naval base.)

Japanese Launch Strong Offensive Against Chinese

CHUNGKING (AP)—About 40,000 Japanese have launched simultaneous offensives from Northern Honan and Southeastern Shansi in a converging drive against Chinese holding the Taliang mountains west of the Peiping-Hankow railway, a Chinese communique disclosed Saturday.

The communique said the Japanese started April 16, a southern column advancing northward along the north bank of the Yellow River into Southeast Shansi, an eastern column marching westward from North Honan toward Linhsien and a western column force driving from Southeastern Shansi toward Linhsien. Heavy fighting was reported in progress near Linhsien and Linhsien.

The communique also said a strong force of Japanese in Northern Kiangsu, advancing in more than 100 motor launches, started an attack against 11 cities along the famous Grand Canal.

Coal Production At Alabama Mines Halts

BIRMINGHAM, ALA. (AP)—Production of coal at five major Alabama mines was halted Saturday as miners failed to report at the four principal shafts of the Tennessee Coal, Iron and Railroad Co., and one mine of the Woodward Iron Co.

Approximately 7,000 men are employed in the five mines. Their output is used in the manufacture of coke for blast furnaces.

William Milch, district president of the United Mine Workers of America, said the walkout "was of spontaneous origin, and resulted from dissatisfaction because the operators had failed to install the six-day week with overtime pay for the sixth day, and because negotiations for a permanent contract to replace the one which expired March 31 have made little progress."

U. S. Casualties Listed At 78,235

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Office of War Information announced Saturday a war casualty total of 78,235. This figure, representing an increase of 12,855 since the last OWI report Feb. 20, apparently did not include some of the most recent Tunisian losses. The OWI explained that the figures were only for casualties whose next of kin had been notified as of Friday.

The latest list included 12,123 dead, 15,049 wounded, 40,435 missing and 10,628 prisoners.

Army casualties totaled 53,039, including 4,976 killed, 10,384 wounded, 27,321 missing, and 10,628 prisoners of war. Of the wounded, 1,058 have returned to active duty.

Navy casualties total 24,926, made up of 7,147 dead, 4,665 wounded and 13,114 missing.

Axis Leaders Hung In Effigy By Boys

RIO DE JANEIRO (AP)—Boys who annually on Easter Saturday make straw dummies representing Judas Iscariot and then hang and beat them with sticks varied the routine Saturday with numerous effigies of Hitler, Mussolini and Hirohito, stringing them to the lamp posts, beating, burning and stoning them.

More U. S. Soldiers Held As Prisoners

WASHINGTON (AP)—The War Department announced Saturday the names of eleven United States soldiers who are held as prisoners of war of Germany, 24 who are held by Japan and 54 held by Italy.

In each case the next of kin has been notified by the War Department.

German Planes Raid London Early Sunday

LONDON (AP)—A few German raiders gave London a brief alert just before dawn Sunday, and anti-aircraft guns on the city's outskirts blasted one plane to bits and apparently damaged another.

Before the alert began, a single-engine plane streaked low and fast over one district.

Gunfire in the outskirts turned back another plane which got away apparently in distress.

WEATHER

WEST TEXAS: Continued warm.

War Bulletins

HAIFA, PALESTINE (AP)—An air raid warning sounded here Saturday morning and the British Royal Air Force engaged hostile aircraft. One enemy plane was destroyed and another damaged. No bombs were reported dropped on this port city.

BELFAST, NORTHERN IRELAND (AP)—An armed group of the Irish Republican Army seized a movie theater in the nationalist section of the city Saturday night to conduct an Easter service for "men who died for Ireland" and to protest the presence of American troops in Ulster.

CAIRO (AP)—Allied fliers downed 21 six-engined German transport planes and 11 Axis fighters in the spectacular air battle over the Gulf of Tunis Thursday, revised figures showed Saturday. Allied headquarters in North Africa had announced Friday that all of a formation of 20 transports and 10 escorting fighters had been downed.

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Newnie W. Ellis Dies In Marlin

Newnie Wesley Ellis, 51, Midland funeral director, died suddenly from a heart attack about 8:30 p.m. Friday in a Marlin, Texas, hospital where he had gone for treatment.

Mrs. Ellis was in Marlin with her husband.

Besides his widow survivors include a daughter, Miss Kitty Gene Ellis of Midland; a son, Staff Sgt. Newnie W. Ellis Jr., of Hensley Field, Texas; and a sister, Mrs. Walter Dunn of Mart, Texas.

Funeral services will be held at 4 p.m. Sunday at the Ellis Funeral Home with the Rev. Vernon Yearby, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiating.

The Rev. J. E. Pickering of the First Christian Church and the Rev. Hubert Hopper of the First Presbyterian Church will assist in the services.

Interment will be in Fairview Cemetery.

pallbearers will be R. M. Barron, J. R. Martin, Charles L. Klapproth, Addison Wadley, Percy Mims, Elliott H. Barron, B. C. Girdley, Percy Bridgewater, and Dan Laughter of Abilene.

Born In Midland

Ellis, born July 30, 1891, lived in Midland all of his life, and had engaged in the undertaking business since his youth. He helped his father in this business before the Ellis Funeral Home was built.

His father, Dr. N. H. Ellis, was the only undertaker in Midland until his death in 1912. His wife died in the same year.

Several years after his parents' deaths, Newnie Ellis built the Ellis Funeral Home which he operated. He was a graduate of Midland High School and was active in civic affairs here.

Ellis was a member of the First Baptist Church, Midland Rotary Club, the Masonic Lodge, American Legion, the Midland Country Club, and the Midland Chamber of Commerce.

He was Midland County's registrar of vital statistics, and formerly was county tax assessor.

Mrs. Ellis' sisters, Mrs. Paul Brown of Austin and Mrs. Frank Youngblood of Toyah will be here to attend the funeral services.

Swedes Ired By Nazi Acts

STOCKHOLM (AP)—The Swedish government's announcing the discovery of German mines in Sweden's territorial waters, sent a blunt note to Berlin Saturday warning Germany about the mine-laying and expressing dissatisfaction over the German answer to a protest against the firing upon the Swedish submarine Draken by the German merchant ship Alstare.

The government announced the Swedish navy will take measures against any German forces laying mines in this nation's territorial waters as well as against ships which fire on Swedish vessels.

While the formal note to Berlin mentioned only that "measures" would be taken, qualified observers viewed the order as meaning that officers had been instructed to open fire to protect the neutrality that has safeguarded Sweden from the war.

Assurances Demanded

The note demanded assurance of the Nazis that steps would be taken to prevent a repetition of such incidents as the attack on the Draken.

"Swedish naval vessels are ordered to take measures against ships belonging to warring powers which, through laying mines or shooting at other ships or in other ways, are caught in the act of breaking the ban against military action within Swedish territory," the note said.

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Talk less and listen more. We learn that way: Even a fool when he holdeth his peace is counted wise. — Prov. 17:27.

Facts Versus Ballyhoo

The eruption in the Office of War Information, with 15 experts quitting over the forced resignation of Henry Pringle, spotlights a most unfortunate aspect of the wartime information situation.

The public has great confidence in both the integrity and the ability of Elmer Davis, OWI chief. It has wondered why, with a man of his character and attainments in charge, the OWI has failed so dismally in some of its most important duties.

The answer is that like most other so-called "czars" in Washington, Davis has been given responsibility without corresponding authority. He is not, in fact, the wartime publicity chief. He is a co-ordinator, a wheedler, a needer, a technician, forced to flounder too often in the red tape of a hit-or-miss setup.

It is not Davis, the acknowledged expert on public relations, who decides what shall be told to the public, and how. He can only advise — and in whatever form his advice may be taken, go through the routine of producing handouts.

The Navy Department can and does scorn his advice. The War Department can, and does less often. When his men try to tell the public how serious is the food situation, for instance, and why, the story is hacked up by every department, which if the truth were told, would be disclosed as inefficient, political or squeamish.

There probably are no less than a dozen major subjects on which, if the people were told the truth, no benefit could flow to the enemy and the domestic temper would be greatly improved.

Mr. Davis knows what those topics are. He knows pretty well what would be disclosed if competent newspapermen, in the OWI, were turned loose to tell the truth about them. He does the best he can. His best men leave him and his office looks either incompetent or deliberately evasive, when as a matter of fact it is so only because it never has been given the authority the people supposed it possessed.

When a major crisis arises in public relations, Davis has to go to the White House and ask the President, who has a number of other important jobs on his desk, to act as arbiter.

Davis' staff never runs into difficulty when routine, dry-as-dust handouts are to be sent around, or when some department or bureau is to be ballyhooed. The troubles arise when there are unpleasant truths to be told.

You may not like this. We don't. That's why we are telling you.

—Buy War Bonds And Savings Stamps—

Too Ambitious

There have been instances in which careless or cowardly men have failed to register with their draft boards. We have heard of only one in which a man ran around town registering time after time. He was one Benjamin Cohen of New York, who registered with four boards.

The reason for Cohen's ambition apparently was not an intense desire to get into the Army, although that is not foreclosed by his explanation. It seems that he had two wives, whom he wanted to avoid. So he took three aliases, and registered under his own name and each alias.

The F. B. I. has him now. The wives aren't far behind.

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Fuehrer And Duce Agree

The Berlin radio, reporting on a recent Hitler-Mussolini conference, said "complete agreement was reached on all measures to be taken in any respect." One newspaper's story was captioned "Hitler and Duce 'Agree' Again."

Obviously that heading was tailored to fit a space. Otherwise the story could have been told in less words and more accurately by saying simply "Duce Agrees Again."

The man-bites-dog story will come when the report on such a conference can be headed: "Duce Disagrees With Hitler."

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Over-Armed

Philip Murray's story that 650,000 persons soon will be thrown out of employment, as we shut down war plants to stop overproduction, can do much harm if, as it seems likely the CIO chief is off on the wrong foot.

There have been errors in planning, due largely to the mad rush required to get out of the wooden-gun military economy before it is too late. But also there is necessary a continual shifting in emphasis on various types of defensive and offensive weapons. No human being could possibly plot our war progress accurately enough so that repeatedly we should not have to shut down here and open up somewhere else.

Always there have been two jobs waiting for every man freed by this ebb and flow in production. Does Mr. Murray know that this is not the case today.

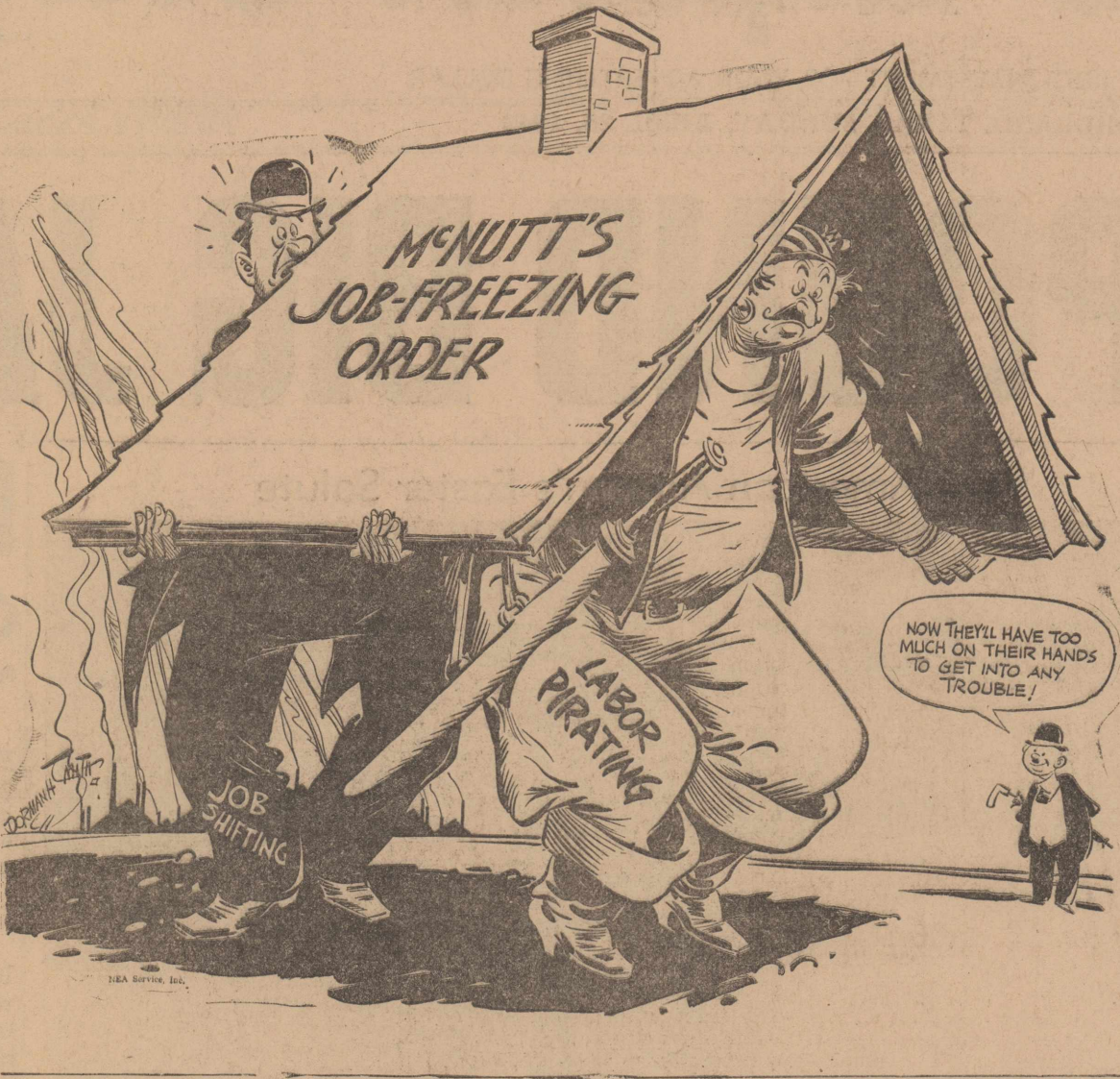
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Maybe sharp people get that way keeping their noses to the grindstone.

Children are young people who run everything around the house except errands.

Nebraska police caught a man heading home in a stolen car. Now he won't get her for six months.

Still Another Ceiling



Sergeant Pedrazine Of 493rd Is Veteran Of 25 Years' Service

One of the oldest men in point of service at the Midland AAF Bomber School is Roman Pedrazine, first sergeant of the 493rd Bomber Training Squadron. Sgt. Pedrazine is a veteran of 25 years army service, 23 of which were with the United States Army and the rest Mexican federal and revolutionary armies.

Sergeant Pedrazine's army career has taken him into several branches of the service and foreign duty in the Philippine Islands and on Corregidor, famous island rock in Manila Bay which is right now the symbol of lost freedom for the Philippine people. He recalls this part of his service particularly well.

"The Philippine Scouts and constabularies are considered one of the best trained under the American system of infantry training," Sergeant Pedrazine said, "and now I can see why their extensive training was helpful in holding the Philippine as long as we did."

Served On Corregidor

While in the Philippines, Sergeant Pedrazine was stationed with the Coast Artillery on Corregidor for two and a half years.

"The Filipinos are very intelligent people and most of them desire to become professional men such as lawyers and doctors," Sergeant Pedrazine said.

While in the Mexican armies Sergeant Pedrazine served on the staff of Gen. Angelas who was aligned with the same group as Francisco Villa in 1915 and 1916. Villa, although known later as a bandit, was a socialist at heart the sergeant asserted fighting for the freedom and aid for the poorer classes of Mexican people. He recalls the persistence, resistance and coolness of the Mexican soldier which he says makes him one of the best in the world.

Sgt. Pedrazine came to the United States in 1918 and two years later joined the American Army becoming a naturalized citizen at the same time.

When asked why he had made the army his career, Sergeant Pedrazine said: "The American Army gave me my education. Being one of the most democratic armies in the world, it is a rare opportunity for a soldier."

Sergeant Pedrazine first came to the bomber college Dec. 13, 1941, as sergeant major of the 496th squadron.

Not Much Room For Civilian Vacationer

DALLAS. — (AP) — Less and less room will be available for the civilian who wants a vacation trip this year. E. O. Walker, assistant director of rail terminals, Office of Defense Transportation, said after receiving from Washington a statement on the railroad passenger outlook for spring and summer.

"During the months immediately ahead, more Pullman sleepers and more day coaches will be diverted from regular service to military service," Walker said, "and the supply of railroad passenger equipment is unexpanding."

For those who decide to try a vacation trip anyway, ODT offers the following advice:

Take the whole vacation at one time; don't split it up into several short vacations or a number of long weekends. If you must travel, go to one place and stay there. Go and return on days other than Fridays Saturdays and Sundays. Travel on day coaches. Carry your lunch but as little baggage as possible. Be prepared for delayed arrivals, crowded conditions and lack of the usual travel comforts.

Jury Frees Men In Negro Death

HATTIESBURG, Miss. — (AP) — A federal court jury freed three Jones county citizens here Saturday of civil liberties charges in connection with the lynching of a Mississippi negro, thus ending the federal action taken against white men in a southern lynching in 40 years.

Federal Judge Sidney C. Mize polled the jury and found the verdict was unanimous, acquitting the defendants, Luther Holder, Jones county deputy sheriff and jailer; Barney Jones and Allen Pryor.

The three men were accused by the government of conspiring with an armed mob that broke into the Jones County jail at Laurel the night of Oct. 16, 1942, seized Howard Wash, the negro, and lynched him.

Wash had been convicted a few hours earlier of murdering his white employer, Clint Welborn, and was awaiting sentence to life imprisonment.

Midland Will Stage 1944 Livestock Show

Tentative plans for staging the second annual Midland Livestock Show here next spring were made at a meeting of show officials, county agents, vocational agriculture teachers, and interested persons at the Midland courthouse Friday night. E. H. Barron, show chairman, presided.

The show is participated in by 4-H Club and FFA members from Martin, Upton, Glasscock and Midland counties.

Two classes, one for dry-lot calves and one for milk-fed calves, will be held again next year. A champion will be selected in each class.

To Appear Committee

Sponsors defined a dry-lot calf as one being weaned by November 1. A sitting committee to pass on the animals to be shown and sold will be appointed by the chairman.

The 1943 show was held in March and more than 300 head of fat calves, lambs and hogs were shown and sold by club boys.

County agents and FFA instructors attending the meeting here included Berry Duff and Marvin Scott of Garden City, J. H. Martin of Stanton, and I. O. Sturkie of Midland.

Colored motion pictures of the March show were exhibited by George Glass.

MONTA LACEY'S FATHER IS SERIOUSLY ILL

Jack C. Lacey, 53, San Angelo cleaner, is seriously ill in a San Angelo hospital, his son, Monte Lacey of the Midland Police Department, was informed Saturday night. He will go to his father's bedside Sunday.

Buy \$33 Million



Harry Hosford, onetime Great Lakes sailor who became a powerful but little-known financial figure, has quietly purchased \$33,000,000 in War Loan securities during the present and previous bond drives in Cleveland.

All Safeway Receipts Wednesday Will Go To Purchase War Bonds

L. A. Warren, president of Safeway Stores, Inc., announced Saturday that the entire sales of the Safeway organization next Wednesday would be used for the purchase of war bonds. Charles L. Klapproth, chairman of Midland's Second War Loan drive, at once expressed his pleasure and said: "Coming just as we enter the final week of this all important campaign, this is a grand idea that should go a long way toward helping us reach our quota. Here is a plan which will give every one a chance to add their dollars to the war effort."

E. O. Burns, division manager of Safeway Stores, in discussing the plan with official here, said: "We gave this matter serious consideration and decided that by handling it in this manner we would be sharing with our customers the grand opportunity of helping to put this drive across."

"You know," he continued, "there are still many who have subscribed for all the war stamps and bonds they can buy, but now what they had to save for food can also go to buying equipment for our forces and speed the day of victory."

Delbert Downing, Safeway Store manager, said, "We are making preparations for the biggest sale in our history, because everybody sets and everybody wants to do all they can to raise our quota, and this plan is one that will get both jobs done."

Celinese Workers To Return To Jobs

NEWARK, N. J. — (AP) — Howard Gill, president of local 12666, United Mine Workers, announced Saturday that at the President's request, members of the union would return to work Monday morning at the Celanese Corporation where they have been on strike since April 10.

In a telegram to John L. Lewis, president of UMW, and other officers of the union, President Roosevelt earlier Saturday ordered the union to end its strike at the corporation's plastics division plant and return to work by Monday noon.

Gill said the union, at a meeting Saturday afternoon, voted unanimously "to return to work." "The President in his telegram has assured us," Gill said, "that he will see that the proper agencies give the proper hearings that are necessary. That is all we wanted in the first place."

Son Of Midland Couple Is Promoted To Lieutenant After Nearly Twenty-Five Years Of Service In Army

Nearly a quarter of a century of irreproachable service in the Army has been rewarded for Master Sergeant Thomas W. Dansby, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Dansby of 806 South Dallas, Midland. On April 13 he was called out in front of his comrades, and Col. James W. McCauley, commanding the Seattle (Wash.) Air Defense Wing, Fourth Fighter Command, pinned the silver

bars of a first lieutenant on his shoulders. The newly created lieutenant joined Colonel McCauley and the officers of his staff while four squadrons of air force troops, accompanied by an anti-aircraft artillery band, passed in review. After receiving the congratulations of his brother officers and of numerous non-coms with whom

he had served, Lieutenant Dansby was given a second reward—a wife's kiss from Mrs. Dansby.

Despite his long military career, Lieutenant Dansby is only forty-two years old. He first entered the Army in 1917 when he added a couple of years to his age, as he was only sixteen—and served overseas with the famous First and Second divisions.

He was with the army of occupation in Germany, but on his return from Europe left the Army to continue his education. He re-enlisted in 1923 and has been in the Army ever since. He was in the infantry during the first World War and he remained in it until 1930, when he was transferred to the air corps.

He wears the silver wings of an aerial observer and machine gunner and the campaign ribbons on his chest shows that he's seen plenty of active service. There are five bronze stars on his victory ribbon, denoting five major engagements in the first world war, and he wears both the American and the Asiatic Pacific theater ribbons for service in Alaska during the present conflict.

Lieutenant and Mrs. Dansby have a son, Thomas W., Jr., who also is in the air forces, a crew chief on overseas duty.

"The last time I heard from him," Lieutenant Dansby said, "he was a corporal. But you can't tell what he is now. Things happen pretty fast in this man's war."

Mrs. Dansby recently went to Seattle to be with her husband after visiting here with Lieutenant Dansby's parents.

Legion And Auxiliary Members To Discuss Child Welfare Plan Tuesday

Members of Woods W. Lynch Post No. 19, American Legion, and the Legion Auxiliary will discuss the child welfare program of the post at a joint meeting in the Crystal Ballroom of the Schreiber Hotel at 8 p. m. Tuesday. Theme of the program will be "The preservation of the American home is the first and greatest need for children and for our national security."

C. V. Lyman, post commander, announced that the meeting will follow a four-point program outlined by the national welfare chairman. Topics to be discussed include:

1. Importance of personal care to their children by parents.
2. Locating children of veterans of World War I and World War 2 who are in need of service and aid.
3. Prevention and treatment of juvenile delinquency.
4. A specific undertaking for the benefit of a child or a group of children to be selected and sponsored by the American Legion post, or by the post and auxiliary unit jointly, which might not otherwise have been accomplished.

A varied program has been planned, and talks will be given by Miss Ruth Perrine, in charge of Midland County child welfare work, and Mrs. John Christian, secretary of the Legion Auxiliary. Lyman, Mrs. Iva Noyes, president of the auxiliary; N. B. Winters, chairman of child welfare; and H. A. Palmer, post adjutant, will assist in conducting the program.

San Angelo Hero To Broadcast Sunday

LONDON — (AP) — The story of the San Angelo, Texas, lieutenant who took over the bombight on the Flying Fortress "Duchess" for the April 17 raid on Bremen after his brother was killed at the same post in the March attack on Vegesack will be told Sunday in a broadcast to be relayed to the United States.

Lieut. Rhude M. Mathis of San Angelo will tell the home folks how he replaced his brother, Jack, in the Vegesack raid by means of a recording to be broadcast to America by the British Broadcasting Company for rebroadcast by station WNEW, New York, at 10:30 a. m. (CWT) Sunday.

Broadcast will be repeated by the Mutual network at 6:30 p. m., Sunday (CWT), the Eighth U. S. Army Air Forces announced.

Captain Birmingham Assigned To Del Rio

Capt. George G. Birmingham, Jr., flight commander of the Fourth Training Squadron at the Midland AAF Bomber School, has been transferred to the Army Air Forces Training School at Del Rio, it was announced Saturday.

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A few common to medium slaughter yearlings \$11 to \$13. No mature steers were offered. Some common to medium butcher cows \$9.75-11; a few fat calves \$11-13.50; a few stockers and feeders in the yards were carried over for Monday's trading.

Most good and choice 190-300 lb. butcher hogs \$14.45-14.60; a few good 160-180 pound averages \$14.40. Sows \$14 down.

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Scout Troops Hold Round-Up Program

Midland district Boy Scouts of America enjoyed a round-up program Saturday at Poplar Grove four miles west of Midland with fifty boys from Troops 51, 54, and 85 hiking to the site early in the morning and pitching tents for inspection.

Troop 51 took first place with 268.6 points to their score. Troop 54 won second with 225 points, and Troop 85 won third with 166 points. Troop 51 won five first places and four second places; Troop 54 won three firsts, two seconds and three thirds; and Troop 85 won one first place, two second places and two third places.

New Compromise Tax Plan Raised By House Group

WASHINGTON —(AP)— A new pay-as-you-go tax bill, canceling approximately 44 per cent of 1942 tax obligations, emerged from the ways and means committee Saturday day as the Democratic majority sought to compromise the weary House deadlock.

House Democratic Leader McCormack of Massachusetts promptly bid for Republican support for the plan, asserting it results in "forgiveness of about \$5,000,000,000" and holding out this olive branch of conciliation.

"My Republican friends need not fear that such action would be construed as a defeat for them or a victory for the Democrats. It would be a powerful message to our enemies of legislative unity."

But the measure gained committee approval on voice vote, with the outnumbered Republican members sitting silently by — and their silence then and statements later served notice they will skip a version of the Ruml anti-year bill.

Indeed, the action which will bring the second floor showdown on taxes came only after the committee, also vocally, had rejected the modified Ruml plan and another compromise advanced by Rep. Robertson (D-Va.) to abate the six per cent normal and first 13 per cent surtax on '42 income.

By agreement, the ways and means bill will reach the floor a single day of general debate Monday, May 3, but a free-for-all fight is expected to develop the following day, when both the Republicans and Robertson expect to offer their substitutes, with the likelihood still other compromises may be proposed.

Ulmer, Barron and Roettger will be honored at meeting. Arrangements Saturday were nearing completion for the all-civic luncheon Wednesday noon honoring M. C. Ulmer, veteran mayor of Midland who retired from office Wednesday, and Ralph M. Barron and D. H. Roettger, former city commissioner.

Brig. Gen. Isaiah Davies, commanding general of the 34th Flying Training Wing and former commandant of the Midland AAF Bombardier School, will be the principal speaker. The luncheon will be held in the Crystal Ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer.

All members of the city council, including the new officials, Mayor A. N. Hendrickson and Councilmen J. R. Martin, and John P. Butler, also will be honored at the luncheon.

Major Will Talk. Ulmer and Hendrickson will respond to the address by General Davies.

The luncheon is sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce, Rotary and Lions clubs and the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Representatives of other civic organizations will be invited to attend. Non-lub members who wish to attend the meeting are requested to make reservations at the Chamber of Commerce not later than Tuesday evening.

Mrs. DeLoe Douglas, director of music at Midland high school, will be presented in two vocal selections. Claude O. Crane, Lions club chairman. Joe Mims, Lions club president, will preside.

WALLACE RETURNS. MIAMI, Fla. —(AP)— Vice President Henry A. Wallace returned late Saturday from a good will trip to seven Latin American countries.

was composed of Jerry Jordan, Jack Cox, Lewis Havelly, Charles Funk and John Livingston. Troop 85, which placed second, was represented by Joe Birdwell, Gilbert Sevier, Eddie Richardson, Eddie Clark, and Joe Tom Hood. Troop 54 contestants were Richard Berry, Ralph Vertrees, Carlton Galbraith, Max Allen and Robert James Webb.

Signal Tower Contest. Most difficult of the contests was the human signal tower, won by Troop 54. The tower was built with three boys standing on the ground, three on their shoulders, and one on the shoulders of the second tier. The Scout on top of the tower was required to hold the semaphore signal "R" for one minute. The winning group was composed of Richard Berry, Ralph Vertrees, Hudson Moncrief, Tommy Carter, Allen D. Crane, Charles Barron, Robert James Webb, and Max Allen. Troop 51 placed second.

In the stretcher race, teams of two Scouts and a patient were used. At the signal the Scouts made stretchers of Scout staves and blankets, raced 30 yards for the patients and returned to the finish line. Jerry Jordan, Charles Funk and John Livingston won the event for Troop 51. Troop 85, second, was represented by Eddie Clark, Gilbert Sevier, and Joe Tom Hood. The Troop 54 team was composed of Max Allen, Ralph Vertrees, and Robert James Webb.

Berlin Bomber and Film Star Wife



Maj. S-S. Bartlett, first American officer to bomb Berlin, fights up in London with his wife, screen actress Ellen. Bartlett took the place of a British bombardier on an R. A. F. raid on the German capital.

Nelson Expected To Support Jeffers In Priority Tilt With Armed Forces

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Chairman Donald M. Nelson is expected to support William M. Jeffers in the rubber director's violent priority battle with the military services.

Associates said Nelson is convinced that any present shortage of aviation gasoline must be blamed on decisions made as long as a year ago, and not on the overriding priority of equipment and machinery granted to Jeffers' synthetic rubber program in January.

The WPB chief was reported also as unconvinced that the rubber program is "in the bag," or that a cut-back in synthetic rubber would now provide more fuel for military planes.

Nelson will testify Tuesday before the Senate's Truman committee. The hearing was demanded by the irate Jeffers after Undersecretary of War Robert P. Patterson was quoted Thursday as declaring that emphasis on rubber threatened to weaken the mounting aerial assault on Nazi Europe, through fuel-starvation. Army planes have been grounded and combat training hampered, Patterson's office said.

Nelson, jointly responsible with Economic Stabilization Director James F. Byrnes for the granting of a green light priority to 43.6 per cent of the synthetic rubber program in January, repeatedly has declared his belief that all the "must" programs — including rubber, high octane gasoline, Navy escort vessels and aircraft — can be brought along together by the proper production scheduling of bottleneck equipment.

Master Sergeant To Receive Commission In Army Air Forces

Master Sgt. Marcus Leonard Grant, member of the 83rd Bombardier Training Group at the Midland Bombardier School, has been honorably discharged from the Army in order that he may accept a commission as first lieutenant in the Army Air Forces.

Lieutenant Grant is a veteran of 20 years of Army Air Corps service, enlisting in 1923 at Fort Howard, Maryland. He is a graduate of the Air Corps Technical School at Chanute Field, Ill., and of the advanced armament school in bomb-sight maintenance at Lowry Field, Colo., in 1941.

He was stationed at the Albuquerque, N. M., air base before coming to the bombardier college Jan. 28, 1942, where he is in charge of bomb-sight maintenance.

His home is in Paw Paw, West Virginia.

Ceiling Prices On Beef And Lamb Cut

WASHINGTON —(AP)— BPA Administrator Prentiss M. Brown announced Saturday new retail ceiling prices on beef and lamb will be one to three cents per pound lower than recently published OPA schedules and will go into effect May 17.

Standardized regional prices on beef, lamb veal and mutton were to have gone into effect April 15, but were suspended before then for review to see if the prices could not be cut in line with President Roosevelt's "hold the line" order on the cost of living.

Field Marshal Rommel Believed To Have Left North African Battlefront

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA —(AP)— The Allied ground command gave official currency Saturday to an engaging piece of captured evidence that Field Marshal Erwin Rommel had been removed by some means from the African fighting scene, leaving his cornered Africa Corps under command of Col. Gen. Jürgen von Arnim.

The basis for the crystallizing belief that Rommel had disappeared from Tunisia was a brief statement made public by the headquarters of Gen. Sir Harold Alexander, the Allied ground commander, which said:

"A document dated March 19 and recently captured by the (British) First Army was signed by Von Arnim as general officer, commander-in-chief, and not by Rommel, whose present whereabouts and new appointment, if any, are unknown."

The cryptic announcement immediately revived speculation on what may have happened to the wily Rommel whose whereabouts long have been the subject of rumor and conjecture.

That the Nazi resort fox would abandon his personally hothoused Africa Corps, now engaged in its fight for life, opened these possibilities:

(1) That he had been recalled to take charge of the defenses of Italy's mainland and Sicily and Sardinia because the German high command is convinced Africa already is lost;

(2) That he is in disgrace with Hitler and has been removed the same as many other German generals who failed; and

(3) That he had been wounded or killed.

Raw Cotton Price Will Be Pegged

WASHINGTON —(AP)— The government announced Saturday that steps will be taken to keep the price of raw cotton from advancing above the base rate of 21.38 cents a pound for middling 15-16 inch cotton.

Under a price stabilization program announced jointly by the War Food Administration and the Office of Price Administration, the Commodity Credit Corporation will offer for sale its stocks of government-owned cotton at the 21.38-cent base price, with differentials for other grades and qualities and places of market location.

The maximum price set corresponds to that prevailing on April 7, the day before the issuance of President Roosevelt's "hold the line" stabilization order.

The maximum price established in Saturday's announcement is slightly above the 21.21-cent average price prevailing for middling 15-16 inch cotton on Thursday, the last day for which average spot market prices were available.

Hull Asks Continuing Of Trade Agreements

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Secretary of State Cordell Hull called Saturday for "clear cut continuance" of the reciprocal trade agreements act for three years, without amendment.

Apparently intended to settle any question of whether the State Department might be willing to compromise the issue, Hull issued a formal statement saying there should be no amendment to the pending bill to extend the law, to make sure there is no doubt concerning this country's "steadfast determination to cooperate fully with like-minded nations in peace as well as in war."

Man Trains In Plane He Helped Construct

LA JUNTA, COLO. —(AP)— Lt. Alvin O. Boden helped to build the airplane in which he recently won wings and a commission in the U. S. Air Force. In 1941 he was working in the Curtis-Wright factory at Lambert Field, St. Louis, Mo., and helped to build training planes that he later trained at La Junta after joining the air corps.

Discovery of the first planet found beyond Neptune—Pluto—was made at the Lowell Observatory, Flagstaff, Ariz.

'Sign' of a Star



Five-year-old Marilyn Reising, all spruced up with growing-up lip rouge, puts her mark on a seven-year movie contract which she was offered after audition in Chicago talent office.

German Plane Is Shot Over Western Iceland

REYKJAVIK, ICELAND —(AP)— American fighters shot down a German reconnaissance plane over Western Iceland Saturday, U. S. Army headquarters announced.

Reykjavik was under an air raid alert for 25 minutes.

Bombshell Egg Laid

MEXIA —(AP)— Easter in wartime— a hen belonging to Mrs. E. T. Cox of Enterprise jumped the gun by a day, laid an egg that was a perfect bomb, complete to fantype tail.

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We've got to buy MORE

So your government asks you to buy Bonds and more Bonds—to get really tough with yourself. We're asking you to give up the frills and "extras."

We know how human it is not to make sacrifices until the crisis drives us to it. In England they felt the same way until the bombs started falling.

Bombs are such persuasive things. But just as persuasive ought to be the spirit of our brothers, sons, husbands.

If you could see

Look at it this way—suppose you had a magic carpet that could take you to Africa and New Guinea. Suppose you could hear the groan of American boys wounded, and American boys dying. . . . Say now, how many Bonds would you buy?

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THEY . . . are dying. And they will keep on dying until we drown the enemy in an overwhelming torrent of bomb, bullets, guns, tanks, planes, ships, and shells.

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 LOST: English female tan bulldog. 6 mos. old. Reward. Ph. 226-J. (39-3)

Help Wanted 9
 WHITE woman dinner cook. Write Box 196, c/o this paper. (38-3)
 WANTED: Girl for housework. 1212-R. (40-6)

Situations Wanted 10
 POSITION Wanted: Stenographic work wanted by permanent resident. Call 804-R. (38-3)
 EXPERIENCED practical nurse wants work. Call Mrs. Hazel Krapt. 1497-J-1. (40-3)

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Bedrooms 12
 BEDROOM, twin beds, couple or girls, close in. 506 N. Marienfield. Phone 1198-W. (40-3)

Furnished Apartments 14
 2-ROOM furnished apartment. Adults only. Utilities paid. 614 W. Missouri. (37-1f)
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ONE and two rooms, private bath, refrigerator, garage. Spaulding's, 1204 N. Main. (40-1)
 LARGE two-room apartment, utilities paid. 701 N. Main. (40-6)
 PERMANENT resident wants small apartment. Write Box 198, c/o Reporter-Telegram. (40-1f)

UNFURNISHED APARTMENTS 15
 FOR RENT: 3-room apartment. Inquire 802 North Dallas. (40-3)
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Wanted To Rent 21
 YOUNG, respectable couple desire medium size apartment or small house. Write Box 197, c/o Reporter-Telegram. (39-6)

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PERMANENT resident of Midland wants to rent a 4 or 5 room house. References if desired. Call Reporter-Telegram. (40-3)

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Wanted To Buy 26
 WE NEED furniture of all kind; bed, springs, bedroom suites, trunks, luggage; also good pickup trucks. Tom Nix Second Hand Store, 205 E. Wall. (37-1f)

Farms For Sale 63
 153 ACRE FARM
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Gauge Extensions To Fullerton And Slaughter Fields

By Frank Gardner, Oil Editor

Gauging of a northeast extension to the Fullerton deep Permian pool in Northwestern Andrews County and of a north extension to the Slaughter field in Northwest Pecos County prepared to run developments as the week closed.

Meanwhile, North Central Winkler's two Ordovician gisles reached or neared completion, and a wildcat in North-Pecos County prepared to run test on oil showings logged in detrital section.

Test reports, by counties:

Andrews County

Testing deep Permian (Clear) production in the Fullerton pool, three-eighths of a mile north of Fullerton Oil Company of Los Angeles No. 2 McKean and Ellers, NE SW section 14, block A-32, flowed a rated 1,611.20 barrels 43.2-gravity oil per day, with a ratio of 77:1, after acidizing with 16,000 gallons in pay zone 1,794 to 7,240 feet, the total thickness of the pay zone.

Oil Company No. 1 University, one-half mile south outcrop to Fullerton pool, is drilling at 1 foot in red rock.

Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 138 B. B. Ralph estate, Northern Andrews, wildcat eight and quarter miles west by south of the Fullerton pool, started with rotary Saturday to deepen the Fullerton pay. It was abandoned in July, 1941, at 6,434 feet in dolomite, more than 500 feet short of the uppermost Fullerton pay.

In the Fuhrman West pool, Cities Service Oil Company No. 1-E University pumped 44 barrels of 32.1-gravity oil per day upon completion at 4,580 feet. Gas-oil ratio was 1. The well was shot with 205 lbs of nitro in pay topped at 2,100 feet.

Testing Ellenburger, lower Ordovician, in the Embur pool of an Andrews, Phillips Petroleum Company No. 38 University, Andrews is drilling at 7,525 feet in lime, and the company's No. 40 University-Andrews is drilling at 3,888 feet in lime.

Crocket County

John I. Moore and P. D. Moore, partners, of Midland, No. 1 Amada-J. S. Todd estate et al, is running a slight scum of oil on drilling water while bailing down 90 feet off bottom after gun-perforating 5 1/2-inch casing. Casing cemented at 7,160 feet, with top cement plug at 7,144 feet. The well originally went to 7,903 feet. Ellenburger dolomite topped at 15 feet. It was perforated with total of 115 shots from 6,812-65 feet, opposite crinoidal lime of the lower Pennsylvanian, which produces prolifically in the old Deep pool some seven miles to the east. Operators plan to acidize through perforations after filling down.

Gaines County

Gulf Oil Corporation No. 1 P. H. Gottwitz et al, North Central Gaines wildcat eight miles northeast of the Seminole pool and the town of Seminole, is drilling below 800 feet in anhydrite.

Hockley County

Jerry C. Hawkins of Tyler No. 1-A Mallet Land & Cattle Company, one-mile north extension of the Slaughter field, noted daily potential flow of 571.32 barrels of 32-gravity oil and gas-oil ratio of 670:1, bottomed at 4,975 feet. It was plugged back to that point from total depth of 6,520 feet after finding slight staining in the Clear Fork. The well topped the regular lighter pay at 4,910 feet and acidized with a total of 18,000 lbs.

Lubbock County

R. Sharp et al No. 1 R. D. Marshall, 10 miles west by southwest of the city of Lubbock, is preparing a plug back from 6,242 feet to 950 feet and test a zone from 920-45 feet which was oil stained. A 37-minute drillstem test from 6,075 to 6,242 feet, with 1-inch bottom choke on tester, yielded 135 feet of muddy salt water, with steady flow of air during the test.

Martin County

M. J. Delaney Company (formerly Mack D. Bodkins of Midland) No. 1 Charbauer Cattle Company, outwestern Martin wildcat eight miles north of Midland, is drilling slow 1,900 feet in an unreported formation. It is a "tight" operation.

Pecos County

Bryce McCandless No. 1 University,

China's Rocky Road to Victory



Deep in the heart of Free China, sturdy, cheerful Chinese women, boys, and oldsters are building a railroad by hand to speed the day of victory. Wearing sunbonnets and rice straw hats for protection from the hot sun, they lay track salvaged from Jap-occupied China and grade the rocky roadbed. Each stone is hewn by hand and transported by bamboo shoulder yoke.

sity, Northern Pecos wildcat on the Fort Stockton "high", Saturday was preparing to drillstem test oil stained, porous detrital formation described by some as reworked Ellenburger. It is bottomed at 5,205 feet (some reported total depth as 5,211 feet) and packer for test was due to be set at 5,170 feet. Intervals of staining and porosity were logged from 5,176 feet to total depth.

Standard Oil Company of Texas No. 1 Douglas Oil Company et al, scheduled to test the Ordovician on the west flank of the Yates Permian pool in Eastern Pecos, is drilling at 6,887 feet in white lime.

Magnolia and Anderson-Prichard Oil Corporation No. 1-96 State-Mrs. E. C. Powell, surprise Clear Fork strike in Northern Pecos, is preparing to re-cement 7-inch casing at 3,530 feet. Total depth is 3,557 feet in dolomite, where it blew out with an estimated 150 barrels of oil per hour, plus an equal amount of water believed of upper-hole origin.

Phillips No. 1 Ada C. Price, deep wildcat 29 miles southeast of Fort Stockton, is drilling at 10,239 feet in sand and shale of unreported age.

Reagan County

Big Lake Oil Company No. 22-C University, on the northeast edge of the Big Lake Ordovician pool in Reagan, showed free oil and gas on tests in coring from 8,703-10 feet. Total depth. Of that core, it recovered three and one-half feet of Ellenburger dolomite bearing fractures and some porosity. Operators are running 5 1/2-inch casing which will be cemented at approximately 8,430 feet. The well topped the Ellenburger at 8,410 feet. Elevation is 2,674 feet.

In the Barnart Ellenburger pool of Southeastern Reagan, Amerada Petroleum Corporation No. 1-RQ University is drilling at 8,648 feet in shale and lime; No. 1-RP is drilling at 8,691 feet in shale and lime; No. 1-RQ is drilling at 6,205 feet in the same formation; No. 1 University unit is drilling at 6,412 feet, also in shale and lime, and No. 1 M. C. Johnson is drilling at 2,030 feet in shale and lime.

In the same pool, Sharples Corporation No. 2 University drilled plug from 5 1/2-inch casing cemented at 9,048 feet and is circulating out water with oil. It is bottomed at 9,152 feet in Ellenburger dolomite topped at 8,984 feet. Skelly Oil Company No. 1-L University is drilling past 4,295 feet in shale and lime.

Twenty miles north of the Barnhart pool and 12 miles east of Stiles, Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 1-B Sawyer Cattle Company of Texas, an Ordovician test, is drilling at 7,787 feet in shale and broken lime.

Tom Green County

Ohio No. 1-B L. T. Clark, wildcat in the northwestern part of the county, is preparing to core at 3,260 feet in crystalline dolomite.

Winkler County

Magnolia No. 20 State-Walton, Ellenburger pool opener between Kermit and Keystone shallow production, logged increase in pay in drilling from 10,652 to 10,673 feet, total depth, and is coming out with bit. Operators may elect to complete at present depth. The well flowed 43.3-gravity oil at an hourly rate of 132 barrels when drillstem tested from 10,635-52 feet. It is in the C NW NW section 4, block B-3, psl. Ellenburger was topped at 10,460 feet.

Amon G. Carter No. 2-C Pure-J. B. Walton et al, three and one-half miles east of the Magnolia strike is drilling at 9,560 feet in Ellenburger dolomite topped at 9,215 feet. It may not be taken much deeper. Last drillstem test, from 9,530-65 feet, showed rated flow of 80 barrels of 43-gravity oil per hour. Hole was reamed to 9,540 feet, where shoulder was left for possible casing seat.

In Eastern Winkler, Stanolind Oil & Gas Company and Shell Oil Company, Inc., No. 1 W. D. Blue estate, scheduled Ellenburger test, is drilling at 9,606 feet in lime of the Montoya, upper Ordovician, which it topped at 9,245 feet.

Yoakum County

Plymouth Oil Company No. 2-C Bennett, in the Wasson field of Southern Yoakum, flowed 215.28 barrels per day on potential gauge, after acidizing with 9,000 gallons in pay lime from 5,216-90 feet, total depth. Oil is 34-gravity, and gas-oil ratio is 951-1.

Four miles west of the Wasson field, Humble No. 1 Tannehill Brothers, Inc., et al, scheduled 7,500-foot deep Permian test, is drilling unchanged at 6,759 feet in Clear Fork lime.

Jeffers Declares Officials Should Copy His Methods

BATON ROUGE — (P) — Rubber Director William M. Jeffers said Saturday that other government officials could well copy his methods of getting a job done instead of "sitting around desks and issuing orders and growling."

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Touting rapidly-completed rubber facilities in the Baton Rouge area, termed by him the "cradle of the synthetic rubber industry," Jeffers indicated he would sidetrack other scheduled plant inspections elsewhere so as to appear in Washington next Wednesday before the Truman committee probing the War Department charges.

"I'm not mad, really; I'm just an easy-going Irishman," he said in one breath, though in the next commenting "You know boys, this country would be better off, if some of us did more thinking and less talking." Aides accompanying Jeffers said he had reiterated feelings that his controversy with Patterson should end with the resignation of one or the other.

WAAC Technician Group Graduated

LOWRY FIELD, DENVER — (P) — The Army's first class of women photographic technicians — 43 smartly uniformed and photogenic WAACs — graduated Saturday at the Air Forces Technical Training Command school.

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ANNABELLA WILL BE PRESENT AT V-DAY RALLY

AUSTIN — (P) — Film Actress Annabella will be present at the rally climaxing the University of Texas V-day ceremony May 1. Student Chairman Mike Flynn announced Saturday.

Olsen & Atlantic Langlie Swabbing Barrel Oil Hour

HOBBS, N. M. — Hopes of opening of New Mexico's first Ordovician pool were received this week when the R. Olsen Oil Company and Atlantic Refining Company No. 1 Langlie (Justin), in Southeastern Lea County swabbed one barrel of 44 gravity oil per hour, one-half barrel of residue and circulating water.

Production was indicated after the well was acidized with 2,000 gallons through perforations in 5 1/2-inch casing from 8,980 to 9,020 feet, opposite lime of the basal Simpson, middle Ordovician.

At last reports, operators were swabbing fluid 700 feet from bottom. The well is being swabbed through 2-inch tubing set at 9,015 feet. A packer on tubing is set at 8,923 feet but is not holding. No. 1 Langlie originally went to 9,592 feet in granite topped at 9,560 feet, and cemented casing two feet off bottom. It showed only sulphur water after acidizing the Ellenburger, lower Ordovician, zone topped at 9,110 feet, and perforations opposite that horizon were cemented off. It is in the C SE SE section 11-258-37e, on the east flank of the shallow Langlie Permian pool east of Jai.

Rhodes Gets Test

New test for the Rhodes district of Southeastern Lea will be drilled by Anderson-Prichard Oil Corporation of Oklahoma City as the No. 2-B Gregory, 2,130 feet from the south and 660 from the west line of section 27-268-37e.

Barney Cockburn No. 2 Shell Oil Company, Inc., State C SE SW section 29-268-37e, one and one-

Dance For 700 Given For Enlisted Men

AAF Bombardier School's service club for enlisted men entertained Saturday evening with a dance when the "Jive Bombers," well known as an excellent swing orchestra, furnished music. This band was organized earlier in the year, and has built up a reputation for real dance music.

Ladies from Odessa and Midland were invited guests to meet the enlisted men now at the school. Transportation was provided for all the men between the Post Exchange and the Service Club. Approximately 700 were present.

Ray L. Freeborn New Commission Engineer

Ray L. Freeborn has been transferred to Midland from Houston by the Texas Railroad Commission to be district engineer for the West Texas (District 8) area.

Freeborn holds a degree in petroleum engineering from Texas A. & M.

quarter miles southeast of the Maljamar pool in Western Lea, is preparing to set 8-inch pipe, bottomed at 790 feet in red shale.

C. T. McLaughlin & Company, Inc., of Midland and Cosden Petroleum Corporation of Big Spring No. 1 State, Western Lea wildcat in the C NW NE section 7-178-33e, two miles northeast of the Maljamar pool, is drilling past 555 feet in red rock.

Maljamar Oil & Gas Company No. 2 Cheesman, C NW NW section 22-138-32e, Lea test, three miles southeast of the Maljamar pool, is drilling at 3,120 feet in lime. With elevation of 3,776 feet it topped anhydrite at 855 feet, salt at 1,515 feet and logged base of salt at 2,475 feet.

Absenteeism Under Check, Perkins Says

WASHINGTON — (P) — Absenteeism, one of the bugaboos of U. S. war production, is being "successfully controlled," Labor Secretary Frances Perkins declared Saturday.

"Willful absenteeism is almost negligible," she said in a nationwide survey has revealed.

"The survey shows that illness, accidents, transportation difficulties, poor housing, bad nutrition, lack of child care facilities and other problems which the individual worker alone cannot solve are responsible for most absenteeism," she asserted.

J. L. Sleeper Inducted Into Army At Fort Bliss

J. L. Sleeper, Jr., oil scout at Midland in the land department of The Texas Company for the last two years, was inducted into the Army last week at Fort Bliss. He is the sixth member of Texaco's Midland land department to enter the armed services.

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Wake Up, Americans... Your Country's Most Fateful Hour Is Near

THE hour when the final die is cast, when decisive victory hangs in the balance. The hour which will decide the future of you and your children... a future of joyous freedom or a future of endless serfdom.

Yes, it is ten minutes to midnight. And when the first stroke of that fateful hour begins to sound, it will be too late to throw your weight into the fight.

The time to do that is NOW.

Now, when your dollars can keep the production lines humming. Now, when your dollars can buy the tanks and guns and planes and ships our soldiers need to fight a winning war... the only kind of a war we can afford to fight. Now, while there are still ten minutes before midnight.

Your country is asking you to lend your dollars in greater amount than ever before. It is asking for 13 billions of dollars extra this month... 13 billions for the weapons of war to make sure that it is our side which dictates the peace.

If we do not win, the money you fail to lend now will be worse than useless to you. If we win, as we must, the money you lend now will be returned with interest... for you to spend on the good things of life... for you to enjoy in a free and safe world.

So dig down, Americans. Answer the challenge by buying War Loan securities this month with every idle dollar you have except what you need for the bare necessities of life.

Don't wait for the War Loan Volunteer. Beat the gun by going to your bank, investment dealer, broker, Post Office, or bond booth today.

Have your money in your fist... the fist that can deliver the knockout blow to the Axis. But hurry...

For it is ten minutes to midnight...

The hour that can strike the knell of doom—or the blessed song of freedom.

Your dollars can call the tune.

There are Seven different types of U. S. Government Securities—choose the ones best suited for you:

United States War Savings Bonds—Series E: The perfect investment for individual and family savings. Gives you back \$4 for every \$3 when the Bond matures. Designed especially for the smaller investor. Dated 1st day of month in which payment is received. Interest: 2.9% a year if held to maturity. Denominations: \$25, \$50, \$100, \$500, \$1,000. Redemption: any time 60 days after issue date. Price: 75% of maturity value.

2 1/2% Treasury Bonds of 1964-1969: Readily marketable, acceptable as bank collateral, these Bonds are ideal investments for trust funds, estates and individuals. A special feature provides that they may be redeemed at par and accrued interest for the purpose of satisfying Federal estate taxes. Dated April 15, 1943; due June 15, 1969. Denominations: \$500, \$1,000, \$5,000, \$10,000, \$100,000 and \$1,000,000. Redemption: Not callable until June 15, 1964; thereafter at par and accrued interest on any interest date at 4 months' notice. Price: par and accrued interest.

Other Securities: Series "C" Tax Notes; 7 1/8% Certificates of Indebtedness; 2% Treasury Bonds of 1950-1952; United States Savings Bonds Series "F"; United States Savings Bonds Series "G."

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WPA---Tunisia Style



Members of U. S. Army Air Force ground crew get down under the ground with pick and shovel as they dig slit trenches at an airfield in Tunisia. Ditches are used to digge bombs and to drain the field when it rains. Note big warbird in background.

Everything Set For 69th Annual Kentucky Derby

LOUISVILLE, KY.—(AP)—They're running the 69th Kentucky Derby here next Saturday right on schedule.

And from it will come either the greatest horse since Man O'War or the biggest bust since the two-buck bill was invented for "investment" purposes on the out-burners.

Count Fleet Favored
For if Count Fleet doesn't win this big barn dance at the Downs come May Day the blue grass will be broke, the hardboots will check up on those "do you need money?" radio programs.

That's how much they're counting on Mrs. John D. Hertz's whiz-bang to do what his daddy Reigh Count did in the mud here in '28. And up to now the Hertz hurricane hasn't done a thing to make you believe he can't. Even Saturday morning, with a cut hind foot that's just healing up, he splashed over a sloppy track to a zipping 1:16 six furlong count.

Derbyville is a town up to its ears in the war effort. It's not exactly giving Col. Matt Winn's party the quick brush-off, but it certainly isn't decked out in its usual war paint.

However, it's still a 75,000 horse race, and this year ten or 12 are expected to shoot at the jackpot of the \$60,000 or so which will be waiting for the gee-gee who can run a mile and a quarter fastest.

Naturally, one and all assure you "The Fleets In," but he's going to have to prove it. Even Seven Hearts, the local boy who made good but was supposed to have a foot injury, is going to have something to say. He indicated that Saturday with a 1:42 2/5 mile dash in the slop, the fastest any Derby candidate has rattled off the eight furlongs in a workout.

RIVERLAND WINS HANDICAP

NEW YORK.—(AP)—Riverland, five-year old son of Coldstream from the Louisiana Farm stable, easily won the \$10,000 Excelsior Handicap Saturday at Jamaica before an estimated crowd of 30,000.

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Dick Siebert's Fly Wins For Athletics

PHILADELPHIA.—(AP)—Dick Siebert's fly with the bases loaded scored Elmer Valo in the 12th inning Saturday to give the Philadelphia Athletics a 7 to 6 victory over the Boston Red Sox.

The score: R H E
Boston 000 200 301 000—6 6 0
Philadelphia 202 000 101 000—7 17 0
Terry, Kaat, Ryba, Brown, and Partee; Arntzen, Fagan, Black, Wolf, and Swift.

Randolph Field Wins Over Texas Longhorns

AUSTIN.—(AP)—Walter Nothe stopped an eight-inning rally by the Texas Longhorn baseball team Saturday to give the Randolph Field Ramblers an 8-5 victory.

The collegians got 16 hits off Lloyd Schwartz in his seven and one-third innings. The Steers had the bases full when Nothe cut short the rally.

Texas took a 3-0 lead in the second, but the Ramblers made four in the third. Campbell's homer tied the score in the Steer half of the third, but Randolph went ahead the next inning when Jim Morris scored after receiving the third of his five walks.

The score: R H E
Randolph Field 004 101 020—8 8 0
Texas 031 000 010—5 16 2
Schwartz, Nothe and Auld; Medina, Collins, Kent and Hatton.

THE STANDINGS

NATIONAL LEAGUE		
Team	W	L
Cincinnati	2	1
Brooklyn	2	4
Pittsburgh	2	1
Chicago	1	2
New York	1	3
Boston	0	1
Philadelphia	0	1
St. Louis	1	2

AMERICAN LEAGUE		
Team	W	L
St. Louis	1	1
New York	2	0
Boston	1	2
Washington	1	2
Cleveland	2	1
Detroit	1	2
Philadelphia	2	2
Chicago	1	1

SATURDAY'S GAMES
Washington 0, New York 1.
Boston 6, Philadelphia 7 (12 inn.)
Detroit 2, Cleveland 3.
Chicago 3, St. Louis 1.

National League
New York 4, Boston 3.
Philadelphia 4, Brooklyn 11.
St. Louis 2, Cincinnati 1.
Pittsburgh 3, Chicago 6.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION
Nashville 7, Atlanta 3.
Birmingham 22, New Orleans 7.
Knoxville at Chattanooga, postponed.

(Only games.)

Sens Handed Defeat By New York Squad

NEW YORK.—(AP)—Spud Chandler, 33-year-old right hander, pitched the New York Yankees to a one-hit, 1-0 victory over the Washington Senators before a sparse crowd of 8,157 in Yankee stadium Saturday.

The score: R H E
Washington 000 000 000—0 1 0
New York 100 000 000—1 4 1
Pyle and Scheetz, Early; Hemley and Chandler.

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Pete Watkins Sets New Mark In High Jump At Drake Relays

DES MOINES, IA.—(AP)—Pete Watkins of Texas A. and M., standing 6 feet 4 1/2 inches, propelled his 204-pound frame over the bar at 6 feet 3 inches Saturday to smash the Drake Relay carnival's high jump record that had withstood assault for 21 years.

This 22-year old athlete erased the record of 6 feet 6 inches established by Harold Osborne of the University of Illinois in 1922.

Osborne, now an assistant coach at his alma mater, was among the 8,000 spectators thrilled by Watkins' performance and was quick to congratulate him.

Ralph Tate, of Oklahoma A. and M., and Howard Debus of Nebraska, both scoring doubles, shared high individual honors with the record-breaking Watkins, while the University of Illinois' lightning runners completely dominated the relay events by winning five of them in the two days of competition.

Watkins, after breaking the old record, made three vain attempts to clear 6 feet 9 inches. The tall Texas youth, a member of the ROTC, reports next month to an officer candidate school.

Prairie View State's flashy negro sprinters who won two relays Friday triumphed again Saturday in the one-mile college relay in 3:20.1.

Tigers Defeated By Cleveland Indians

CLEVELAND.—(AP)—The Cleveland Indians came to life with a three-run rally in the ninth inning Saturday for a 3 to 2 triumph over the Detroit Tigers.

The score: R H E
Detroit 100 010 020—2 6 2
Cleveland 000 000 003—3 6 1
White and Gorsica and Richards; Kennedy and Desautels.

Steers Whitewash Aggies In Tennis

COLLEGE STATION.—(AP)—The Texas oilhorns whitewashed the Texas Aggies 9-0 in tennis here Saturday. The Aggies did not even register a one-set victory.

The most convincing win was by Texas' No. 1 player, Tom Mitchell, who beat the Aggies' Bill Marshall 6-0, 6-0.

Giants Dim Braves Opening Encounter

BOSTON.—(AP)—The Boston Braves finally opened their 1943 season Saturday but it was not an auspicious occasion for they bowed to the New York Giants 4 to 3 and only 7,774 customers, 5,680 of whom paid, saw them do it.

The score: R H E
New York 021 100 000—4 8 1
Boston 000 011 010—3 11 1
Wittig, Adams and Poland; Javery, Barrett, Tobin and Klutz.

Meat Coupons Will Continue On Same Accumulative Basis

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—The OPA announced officially Saturday that meat ration coupons will continue on a weekly-accumulative basis at least until the end of May.

This means that all the following stamps are good until May 31: The red "E" series, usable starting Sunday; "F," usable starting May 2; "G," valid starting May 9; "H," usable starting May 16 and "J," valid starting May 23.

This is the same system used this month, but eventually officials hope to put meat rations on a monthly basis to give housewives more flexibility particularly for the purchase of high point roasts, hams, and other items taking large blocks of points.

At present, available meat supplies do not permit the monthly system.

Newspaper Suggests Union Of Australia, Britain With U. S.

CHICAGO.—(AP)—The Chicago Tribune suggested Saturday night that England, Canada, Australia and some other countries could join the United States as new states if the nations concerned wanted a "closer association" and took certain steps toward an enlarged union.

Phillies Defeated By Dodgers 11 To 4

BROOKLYN.—(AP)—The Brooklyn Dodgers playing with the 1942 ball, hammered out 16 hits and crushed the Phillies Saturday, 11-4.

The score: R H E
Philadelphia 003 000 020—4 7 1
Brooklyn 100 400 066—11 16 1
Gerheuser, Pdgajny, Johnson, and Padden; Newsom, Webber, and Gwen.

Phillips Directors To Visit Properties

BARTLESVILLE, Okla.—(AP)—An inspection trip of company properties in Oklahoma and Texas will be a part of the annual directors' and stockholders' meeting of the Phillips Petroleum Company.

LAUGHLIN DIES
DEL RIO.—(AP)—James Thomas Laughlin, 79, deputy U. S. marshal and resident of Del Rio for 30 years, died Saturday of an acute heart attack.

One hundred eighteen different taxes are levied on the oil industry in the United States.

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But today it comes back into its own

There are good words which are used so loosely that after awhile they become trite and meaningless.

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SPORTS BUGLE

NEWS OF SPORTS ACTIVITIES AT MIDLAND AAFBS

Greg Rice Shows Record-Breaking Speed In Relays

PHILADELPHIA.—(AP)—Greg Rice, the old master of two-mile running, Saturday showed 20,000 fans at the 49th University of Pennsylvania relay carnival the only record-breaking performance of the two-day meet.

Making his outdoor start of a campaign he hopes will lead to a series of meetings with Sweden's world record holder, Gunder Haeg, Rice ran off and hid from his field in the invitation two-mile race, a time of 9:12.2, while it was nowhere near Haeg's unofficial world record of 8:47.8 or even Rice's own indoor mark of 8:51, was creditable under the conditions and it was more than good enough to beat the carnival mark of 9:17.6 set by Indiana's Fred Will in 1941.

Rice finished some 125 yards ahead of Glenn Masten, Colgate's indoor intercollegiate champion. The track was slow, as indicated by the failure of anyone else even to come near a meet record.

J. Garland Adair, former Texas star infielder and catcher, and Jim Collins, ace of the pitching staff, left to enter the service.

Hatton, Longhorn captain, was in his third varsity season; Collins was playing his second.

The enlisted reserve corps took Grady and Jim. They will report to Fort Sam Houston Tuesday, then be sent to training stations.

Two Texas Baseball Stars Enter Service

AUSTIN.—(AP)—The University of Texas' chances of winning the Southwest Conference baseball championship dipped low Saturday when Grady Hatton, star infielder and catcher, and Jim Collins, ace of the pitching staff, left to enter the service.

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American Association Begins Play Thursday

COLUMBUS, O.—(AP)—"The American Association this year dedicates itself unselfishly to those now carrying the colors of Uncle Sam to the four corners of the earth," President George M. Trautman said Saturday at the double A loop prepared to open Thursday the fourth war-time campaign in its 42-year history.

The red-haired prexy, ex-

Johnson of the 491st was a masterful pitcher performing his duties while holding the opposition scattered bingles over the za's that he was on the mill and to the military personnel and our civilian friends of both Odessa and Midland a Happy Easter and don't forget to sock out a home run on Monday by hitting the War Bond scoreboard on the nose for Heroes Day — Monday — see you next Sunday, dot's all . . . for now.

SPORTS FOLIO

That was a real championship ship track meet the PT department staged for the Cadets last week, with all the trimmings and color of a collegiate affair. . . . Results and individual highlights will be announced in future editions of the sport pages of this paper. . . . Speaking of scores and results here are a few of practice exhibition games played by various squadrons at the local post last week; the Mess company trimmed the 83rd Air Base and in another practice tiff the 83rd Air Base "ten" were humbled by the crack 491st softballers. . . . First Sgt. Jack McBride of the air base outting gate suits to members of the first team over the week-end. . . . Sgt. Johnny Kelly, well-known member of the Scranton (Pa.) fast-going coal mining region baseball club, reported for duty with the 83rd and will hold down an outfield berth. . . . Cpl. Murray Alter, a fair ball-hawk himself, when he pastimed around New Jersey was singing the praise of his top twirler, Tech Sgt. George Townsend of the 82nd B.T.G. . . . The Corporal wants all the other squadrons in the league to know that Sgt. Townsend won 24 straight games in 1942 and turned in a no hit no run performance in piling up this enviable record. . . .

Another duet that comes highly praised to this department from the 82nd outfit are Sgt. Joe Nidowitz, flashy third sacker, and Sgt. Ben Weinstein, who carried a potent bat when he played for the Newburg, New York softballers. . . . Engineer office twins Sergeants Matty Nenna and Art Cole, are expected to be the "rooting force" behind the 491st combinations. . . .

BREEZY BITS

Cpl. Bill Wimot has been appointed captain of the 491st team by manager Pvt. Cuda. . . . First Sgt. Fred Hamra, the "sultan of swat" of the squadron, will coach the club. . . . Members of this organization who gained the reputation during the basketball season as the "gaint-killers" in always knocking off the leading clubs, have promised that they will bring home to their snappy day room either the first half championship or both. . . . We can say this for the boys, they will be in there "punching" every inning of play. . . . Pfc. Joe Flashpohler, is the ground-keeper of the 491st softball diamond. . . . and they also have a trainer in this outfit—Pfc. Freddie Ritter. . . . Sgt. Leo Keegan is shaping up into a pretty fair "fly-hawk." . . . Cpl. Al Schindler is so popular with his team-mates that they have dubbed him "Aba-Daba." . . . In a practice triumph over the 493rd last week, Pvt. Lester

Two Hundred Invited Guests Attend Large Afternoon Announcement Tea

Of outstanding social interest was the announcement tea given Saturday by Mrs. Anton P. Theis, honoring her daughter Marthann Theis, bride-elect, whose marriage to Corp. Jack B. Nobles, will be an event of May 8.

The hostess was assisted by a number of popular matrons and maids, and the interior of the home was transformed into a bower of beauty.

The house-party included, Mesdames John O. Nobles, Ben Black, L. Waldo Leggett, Alva Thomas, and Miss Jacqueline Theis, all of whom assisted in the hospitalities. Misses Edith Wemple, Liza Lawrence, and Louise Cox poured, while Miss Monte Downey presided over the guest book. Receiving guests at the door-way was Miss Mary Sue Cowden who directed them to the receiving line which included Mrs. Theis, Mrs. Nobles, Mrs. Black and the guest of honor Miss Marthann Theis.

Music was furnished throughout the receiving hours from 3:30 to 6:30 p. m. by Mesdames Holt Jewell, Yates Brown and Joe Mims. Elaborate Decorations Used

An elaborate decorative plan was evident throughout the home with a white and green color note prevailing. Gorgeous white calla lilies and a profusion of green ferns decorated the table, and tall white tapers were used. In charge of the clever announcements, which were

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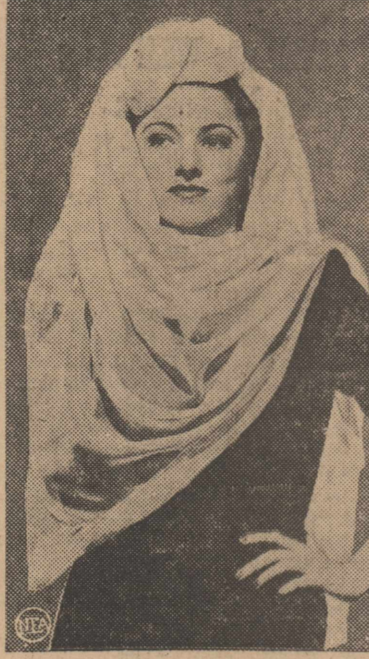
A wedding of interest which was celebrated Friday was that of Miss Margretta Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Smith, of San Pedro, Calif., and Lt. Wendell Jeske, son of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Jeske, of Burbank, Calif.

The marriage took place Friday with the chaplain C. C. Dollar, of the Midland AAF Bombardier School, performing the ceremony. The bride attended the Los Angeles City College, and the groom is a graduate of the Midland Bombardier School. The bride was attired in becoming tailleur with accessories to match, and wore a corsage of orchids and valley lilies.

Tiny white and green scrolls announcing the approaching marriage, was little Miss Fredda Black. The green and white accent was further evident in the tiny heart shaped cakes monogrammed in the initials of the bride and groom elect.

Interesting among guests present were the maternal and paternal grand-mothers of the bride-elect, Mrs. J. A. Leggett of Menard and Mrs. R. Theis, of Odessa. Invited guests present included 200 matrons and maids.

Dimout Drapes



Strictly off the face and clear down on the shoulders is this turban-and-scarf job worn by actress Eleanor Parker. The idea is that it will show up well in a dimout.

Junior Class Of Courtney Presents Play

"Meet My Wives," a comedy in three acts, was presented by members of the Junior class of Courtney High School to a large audience Friday evening in the school's auditorium. Purpose of the presentation was to raise funds for the annual junior-senior banquet.

The cast included J. C. Flowers as Billy Zanders; Billy Ray McMorties, Hank Evans; Virginia Stewart, Tessie Heimberger; Alice Ruth Cross, Loreta Ware; J. W. Graham, Alix Ware; Ruby Faye Cain, Cuddles La Rose; Margie Boren, Miss Prudence Whitney; Marilyn Stephens, Ann Whitney; Harold Loyd Gaspie, Clay Swanson; Gladys Lay, Mrs. Thurston Thwacker; and Gene Clements, Uncle Zeb Zanders. Advertisers and stage managers for the play included Bob Ruth Blocker, Whitfield Lawson, Wanda Nell Rumfield, Margaret Blocker, Paula Taylor, Garland Eastman, Billy Patterson, Jerry Davis, James Lewis, Ruth Stroud, Roy Price, Alberta Lee, and O. L. Snodgrass.

Easter Parade Here To Reveal Season's Styles

A bright and glorious morning will greet the Easter parade, when Midland matrons, maids, kiddies and others attend church services.

Although we have a world at war today, fashion experts still attempt to keep the style world bright with gay colors, and becoming styles.

The tailored suit has again come into its own during the spring of '43, and a survey of stores discloses the fact that women have taken again to the suit more this year than in previous recent years," said Mrs. Ruth Rempel buyer for Dunlap's.

"Printed crepes have also taken a lead, and are shown in the smartest stores styled in draped effects with both short and long sleeves, she continued.

With the return of the tailleur, the smart blouse again comes into its own. Dainty blouses in semi-tailored effects, with lace jabots, bows, and cascades are worn attractively with the suit.

Shoes Match Suit

Suits and shoes are matching, if one was lucky enough to have stamp it in her ration book. Dame Fashion still smiles on matching shoes and suit or dress. Navy blue, black and brown shoes take the lead this year and the cut out toe and heel, are again in evidence.

No matter how smartly she is attired today, the woman of 1943 will wear rayon hose, unless she has already purchased leg-paint. With approaching warm weather, the leg-paint promises to be a most popular seller. Until American manufacturers can turn out a more beautiful stocking than the rayon one, certainly most American women will adopt the "paint" style.

Hats, both small and large, are being shown in the smartest shops. With the tailored suit, a small or medium-sized hat should be worn.

brightened by touches of white or red, if the suit is navy or black. Some of the leading style shops have shown suits of grey, beige, and light blue. But for general wear there is nothing more appropriate than the navy or black suit.

Spring coats are invariably light this year, the tones that appear smartest being bone, beige, egg-shell, gold, and other light shades. However, with Easter having fallen later than in several decades this year, the weather in West Texas has already jumped abruptly into the summer season, and although every woman needs a smart spring coat in her wardrobe, the need for it locally has already lessened somewhat.

Tiny tots may don their light tailored wraps, and their dainty this spring for youngsters, are as this spring for youngsters are as clever, and as beautiful as ever. Sub-Debs Don Sports

For the debutante and sub-deb smartly tailored sports outfits in lighter hues are taking the lead. Even the sub-deb, however, is wearing a tailored suit at times—for the first time in her young life. Smart sweaters in dusty pink, light blue and beige are a favorite for the sub-deb, who usually has sev-

Screen Stars' Suits Are "Pretty" Nice

By NEA Service
HOLLYWOOD — West Coast spring suits have gone "pretty" this year, with detailing, whether it

be tucks, gathers, pipings, stitched accents or other trimming notions, as the real news. Femininity runs rampant, with dressmaker suits far in the lead. Shoulders are still broad, waists marked, skirts narrowed to WPB measurements, but allowed to flare a little for grace.

Materials show greater variety, too. The usual gabardines and other lightweight wools are augmented by a good many novel mixtures—cotton with wool; rayon with wool; rayon with cotton and so on. Knits are also in high favor.

Screen actress Leslie Brooks, whom you will see in "City Without Men," is pictured at right wearing one suit that seems to incorporate most of the newest California notions. Of pastel pink knit, it has a high, collarless neckline and button front which are outlined in white angora, and there is an angora embroidered motif on the left shoulder.



Approaching Marriage Is Announced

Of paramount interest socially is the announcement of the approaching marriage of Miss Marthann Theis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anton P. Theis, to Corporal Jack B. Nobles, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Nobles, of 200 South H Street. The wedding will take place May 8.

Mrs. Reigle Discusses Crucifixion At Meeting

Mrs. H. M. Reigle spoke on the crucifixion at the regular meeting of the Belmont Bible Class Friday in the educational building of the First Baptist Church.

Members attending included Mesdames F. W. Bettle, Frank Simpson, A. C. Moore, R. Chanslor, W. G. Ataway, Margaret Parr, W. P. Collins, A. B. Stickney, Gladys Holster and Reigle.

eral of the smartly pleated skirts to wear with them.

With the weatherman having already predicted for Midland and vicinity a bright and fair day for the Easter parade, Midland may anticipate a smartly dressed contingent of matrons, debutantes, sub-debs, and kiddies attired in both gay colors and subdued ones, for Easter.

Miss Countiss Gives Informal Party

Miss Virginia Countiss entertained with an informal party at her home southwest of the city Friday afternoon when Miss Sylvia Hollman was co-hostess.

The rooms were gay with spring flowers and a social hour was enjoyed.

Guests included: O. C. Collins, Bill Wolber, Odie O'Kelly, Eileen Eliand, Charles Welch, Rayburn Koen, Wayne Stewart, Ida Mae Reeves, Morgan Stewart, Thelma Jo Brown, Kelly Lewellyn, Anita Webb, R. C. Vest, Janie Jones, J. D. Crawford, Alton Free, Edward Franklin, and the hostesses.

Minuet Club To Dance Last Friday In May

The date for the last dance of the season of the Minuet Club, one of the outstanding dancing clubs of the city, will be Friday evening, May 28, in the Crystal Ballroom of the Scharbauer Hotel.

Informal Bingo Honors Officers And Ladies

One hundred invited guests will attend an informal bingo party on Saturday, May 8, at 9 p. m. at the Officers' Club at the Midland Bombardier School.

Easter Chimes Call City Church Goers

Beautifully Appointed Breakfast Is Planned

An Easter breakfast of beautiful appointments will be given Sunday morning in the Blue Room of the Scharbauer Hotel, honoring mothers of members of the senior girls' class of Trinity Episcopal Church.

Easter lilies and a profusion of spring flowers will decorate the table, and buttonnairs of spring flowers will mark each mother's place. Mrs. Selman J. Lones, teacher of the class, will assist the girls in receiving.

Hostesses are Misses Jean Russell, Ann Porterfield, Patricia Rickman, Florence Larsh, Patsy Butcher, Mary Martha Sivalls, Pat Gardner, Ann Tucker, Marilyn Miller, Shirley Lones, and Phoebe Lewis, and honored guests are Mesdames Eugene Russell, R. R. Porterfield, J. P. Rickman, D. C. Sivalls, N. B. Larsh, Cary Butcher, R. C. Tucker, Miller, Frank E. Lewis, J. Gardner, and S. J. Lones.

Covers were laid for 22 at the festive board.

Bride-Elect Given Afternoon Shower

In compliment to Miss Jo Ann Blair, bride-elect whose marriage to Cpl. Bernard Hochdorf will be an event of early June, Mrs. Lester M. Short entertained with a crystal shower in her home, 1011 West Louisiana Friday.

The interior of the home was transformed into a bower of spring flowers, and a profusion of roses and iris decorated the dining table in the dining room, where refreshments were served. Music was furnished by Mrs. Joe Mims, during the presentation of the crystal to the guest of honor.

Guests entertained were: Mrs. E. D. Richardson, Mrs. G. W. Brunson, Mrs. Cecil King, Mrs. C. P. Pope, Mrs. Lee Bradshaw, Mrs. J. Ellsworth, Mrs. V. G. Stolte, Mrs. W. P. Knight, Mrs. Anton Theis, Mrs. Joe Mims, Mrs. D. R. Carter, Mrs. F. C. Cummings, Mrs. Paul Bartlett, son of Pearl Blair, mother of the bride-elect, the guest of honor and the hostess.

Paglia-Bartlett Vows Are Read Saturday

The wedding of Miss Jean Frances Paglia, daughter of Mrs. F. Paglia, 19 Walnut Street, Chelsea, Mass., and Staff Sgt. Joseph E. Bartlett, son of Joseph Bartlett of 2404 Harvard Street, Malden, Mass., was quietly celebrated Saturday.

The marriage vows were read by B. C. Girdley, justice of the peace, in the county courthouse.

The bride, who was attractive in a tailored costume, was graduated from the Chelsea, Mass., High School, in her hometown, who also was reared in Massachusetts, is a graduate of the Malden, Mass., High School.

Birthday Surprise Given Franklin Keb

A pleasant birthday anniversary surprise was given Franklin E. Keb Friday afternoon, on his eleventh birthday. Franklin, young son of Major and Mrs. Fred Keb, 1607 W. Kentucky, was the recipient of a number of gifts.

A large birthday cake mounted by eleven tiny tapers was cut by the honor guest, and refreshments followed the various games in which all the guests participated. A color note of yellow and orchid appeared in the decorative plan, and the table was attractive with a profusion of yellow roses and iris. Dickey Prather won the largest prize, the Easter eggs.

Guests present were: Harry Bowers, Bennie Stanley, Tony Dumanagan, Alex Oates, Dickey Prather, Jr., Kent Miller and Dick Koch.

Church-goers of Midland are anticipating attending the beautiful Easter services being featured at the various churches Sunday. Special Easter musical programs, with the joyous message of the resurrection and the life were to be outstanding in the Sacred observance of Easter Sunday. At all of the churches, large attendances are expected.

The first Presbyterian church will have two morning services, the first at 9:30 and the second at 11 a.m. The services will be identical with the theme "The Life" to be given by the Rev. Eubert Happe. The evening service will be given over entirely to an Easter musical program.

The First Baptist church will have a special Easter Musical program and a sermon by the Rev. Vernon Yearby, who will speak on "Jesus Live." John D. Matthews, choir director has arranged a special Easter musical program "Why I Believe in the Personal Return of Christ" will be the evening sermon subject.

At St. George's Catholic church high mass will be observed at 11 a.m. Father O'Donnell will preach the sermon. The Proper for Easter Sunday will be chanted. Paul Schaefer is organist, and Mrs. Ben Damsby, Jr. directs the choir.

The Trinity Episcopal church will have Easter services at 11 a.m. Holy Communion will be observed. The sermon, "The Risen Life," will be presented by the Rev. R. J. Snell, minister.

Sgt. William LaTella will direct the massed church choirs at the Easter sunrise service at 6:45 a.m. in the Post Club of the Bombardier College. These services at the post are non-sectarian, and a special program of Easter music will feature, to be attended by military personnel and civilians. After the service all men in uniform will be served an Easter breakfast.

The Rev. W. Harrison Baker will preach on "The Power of the Resurrection" Sunday morning at the First Methodist church. "Memories of Easter Morn" by Lorenz, an Easter cantata, will feature the evening service.

The sermon at the First Christian church will be "America Must See It Dawn," to be delivered by Dr. J. E. Montgomery, assistant president of Texas Christian University.

The Easter music is under the direction of Mrs. Lee Cornelius. Special Easter programs are planned for the youth of the church. The evening worship at 7:30, will be featured by the sermon "Easter Ends The Eternal Life Begins," by Dr. Montgomery. Baptismal service will follow.

The Rev. A. W. Smith will preside in the pulpit of the Calvary Baptist church, when he will deliver a sermon on "The Risen Christ." Two choir specials will feature the musical program.

"Conquerors Through Christ" will be the evening theme Sunday.

WAAC Needs More Women From Midland

Lieut. Raymond Dees, a recruiting officer for the WAAC, arrived in Midland Saturday to seek more enlistments.

"The quota for Midland County for April, May and June is 17, and so far we have only enlisted 20," he said. "Women from 21 to 44 are desired. Enlisted WAACs now number around 50,000, and there is need for 150,000 more. The response in this county has not been very gratifying so far. We will be in Midland all day Monday, and anyone who wishes to join the WAAC and who is unable to come in person to the Chamber of Commerce, may call and a representative will talk with them," Lieutenant Dees said.

Lieut. Jessie Gardner and Sgt. Elizabeth Allred of the WAAC also are here. They will participate in the Heroes Day parade Monday, and also are expected to be present at the sunrise Easter services at the Midland Bombardier School.

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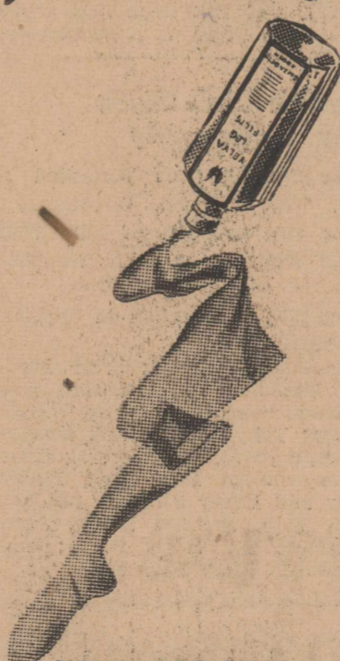
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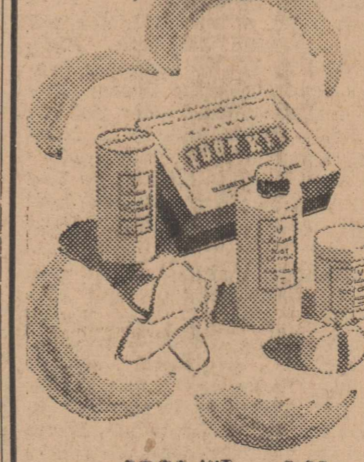
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17 Books Describing World War II Are Offered To Students

Since the beginning of World War II, seventeen books have been added to the library which describe in detail the many activities of both soldiers and civilians in present war-torn countries. With America confronting such a crisis, it would prove beneficial to any student to read accounts of journalists, generals, prime ministers, aviators, and other witnesses.

Titles and authors of these books are: "Europe in The Spring" by Clare Boothe; "Blood, Sweat, and Tears" by Winston Churchill; "Behind The Nazi Front" by John Raleigh; "My Sister and I" by Dirk van der Heide; "Inside Asia" by John Gunther; "Tally Ho!" by Donald; "Mission to Moscow" by Davies; "They Were Expendable" by White; "Watch On The Rhine" by Lillian Hellman; "Inside Latin America" by John Gunther; "The Torch of Liberty" by Kummer; "The Young Churchill" by Stanley Nott; "General Douglas MacArthur" by Miller; "A Journalist's Wife" by Mower; "Aviation Cadet" by Lent; "The Problems of Lasting Peace" by Hoover; and "Air Patrol" by Lent.

Know Your Faculty — Miss Lillian Borgquist

The very charming and attractive young secretary in high school is none other than Miss Lillian Borgquist, who came to Midland High from Richfield, Utah.

Miss Borgquist has taught two typing classes and has been secretary to the principal in Midland High since September.

She graduated from Westminster Junior College in Salt Lake City, Utah, and received a Bachelor of Science degree from the Maryville College in Maryville, Tenn.

Before coming to Midland, Miss Borgquist was secretary to the head of the division of education at the Colorado State College of Education, Greeley, Colo. She is a member of the Pi Lambda Theta, national honorary educational fraternity.

A favorite pastime of Miss Borgquist is singing. Her favorite type of music is opera. She says she never knows when to stop talking about it. Miss Borgquist's favorite singer is Helen Jepson. She has several autographs of concert artists.

She also collects records and sews. Her favorite movies are made by Walt Disney. His best pictures in her estimation are "Fantasia," "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs," and "Bambi."

When asked if she liked Midland, Miss Borgquist replied, "I think the Texas people are wonderful. Miss Borgquist's newest attraction is her red earscrews. We hear they were bought in Juarez last week end."

Four Students Lead In Senior Play Cast

Glenn Murray, Jim Hazlewood, Faye Doris Douglas, and Billie Walker take the leads as college students in the senior play, "Spring Fever," directed by Steve Briggs.

Other members of the cast include: Douglas McClish as Vic Lewis, an art student; Alberta Smith, Mrs. Spangler, the landlady; Belva Jo Knight, Vivian George, Vic's heart interest; Calvin Hoover, Henry Purcell, Anne's father, a rich manufacturer; Jackie Theis as Phoebe Purcell, Anne's mother; Kathryn Hanks, Maude Corey, Howard's spinster aunt from California; and Max Allen, Professor Virgil Bean of the zoology department; Gordon Watson, Dr. Dixon, president of Brookfield College.



Glenn Murray

Others trying out were: Norma Jean Stice, Virginia Stolte, Otella Flynn, Mary Frances Carter, Martha Preston, Sue La Force, and Elsie Schlosser.

Student assistants include Norma Jean Stice, assistant director, and Martha Preston, properties and publicity chairman.



Billy Walker

Faculty sponsors are: Miss Ruth Carden, publicity; Miss Emma Robinson, box office; Mrs. Geo. Phillips and Mrs. E. R. Sidwell.

"Spring Fever," three-act comedy will be presented in about three weeks.

The entire action takes place in the living room of Mrs. Spangler's rooming house at Brookfield College, a small co-educational college in the east, on the day before commencement, the latter part of May.

Ed Burns, Jim Hazlewood, a chemistry student, turns his room into a laboratory; Howard Brant, a senior, turns his term paper on zoology in late which really causes trouble because if he doesn't get it in on time he may not graduate. Lou Herron, Billie Walker, is a journalism student who breezes in every now and then to use the typewriter and to see Ed.

Anne Purcell, Faye Doris Douglas, and Howard are interested in each other, and Anne, after forgetting to make reservations for her millionaire father and mother, persuades Howard to put her father up in his room while her mother stays in her dormitory room. When rich Mr. Purcell arrives, Vic Lewis, Douglas McClish, the artist, thinks Mr. Purcell is the art model and engages him to pose for a picture. Well, things happen—but fast! Because of this art stunt, Mr. Purcell, who had offered to give the school a new science building, cancels his offer. All of the play is fast, and funny, with loud explosions every now and then, but it all ends to everybody's satisfaction.

Rev. Pickering Presents Easter Story To Students

The music department under the direction of Mrs. De Lo Douglas, presented an Easter program in assembly Thursday.

The scripture and prayer were read by the Rev. J. E. Pickering, pastor of the First Christian Church.

The girl's quartet, composed of Helen Horn, Norma Conley, Margaret Mims, and Belva Jo Knight, sang "Prayer Perfect." The a cappella choir sang "The Palms" and "They Have Taken Away My Lord."

After the musical numbers, Mr. Pickering spoke.

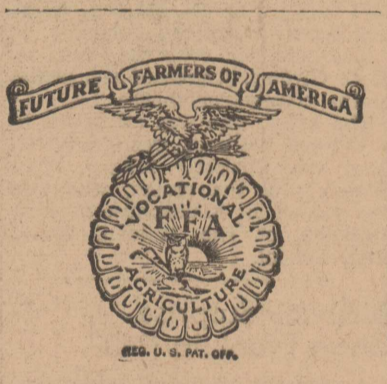
Members of the choir include: Peggie Anderson, Marjorie Barron, Billie Marie Benedict, Mary Fern Bray, Billie Jean Calloway, Charlotte Clendennen, Barbara Conkling, Norma Conley, Sharon Cornelius, Sue Davis, Otella Flynn, Wanda Jean Girdley, Glessna Graham, Billie Ann Hill, Helen Home, Sue LaForce, Mary Mayfield, Doris Mickey, Betsy Nolan, Elsie Schlosser, Virginia Stolte, Ann Tucker, Ann Vamaman, Lavonne Weaver, Dorothy Wolcott, Marjorie McKee, Alberta Smith, Marcella McClure, Peggy Bissell, Barbara Brown, Elaine Hedrick, Belva Jo Knight, Clarissa Mann, Margaret Mims, Isabel Morehouse, Jo Ray Murray, Orilla May Osburn, Jancie Pope, Patsy Tull, Ann Ulmer, Van Cummings, Charles Funk, Leroy Hall, Gene Hays, Dale Mickey, Fred Morrow, Alan Crane, Jim Hazlewood, Billy Holcomb, Glenn Parrott, Bobby Stallworth, Frank Troseth, and Jim Watts.

Twentieth Century Club Offers \$25 Bond

The Twentieth Century Club of Midland is offering a \$25 bond to the senior who writes the best essay on citizenship, Miss Ruth Carden, senior English instructor, announced.

All essays have to be in by Wednesday.

Mrs. Harlan Howell is chairman of the club committee which will present the bond to the winner in May.



J. D. Crawford, a member of the Midland Future Farmers Chapter, won first in its public speaking contest.

J. D. is to be awarded a registered Hampshire gelding. The prize, not costing more than \$25, will be presented by Paul McHargue of the A. and L. Housing and Lumber Co. and James Merrell won third. Approximately 25 boys entered this contest.

Spring and Sprockets in Washington



WAACS, soldiers, civilians—they're all riding bikes in gasoline-short Washington, D. C., these days. Here a busy band of cyclists enjoying spring weather wheel past the Lincoln Memorial.

"Back Up The Men In Our Armed Forces"

(AN EDITORIAL)

Students of Midland High, the Second War Loan drive is on! Midland's goal is \$645,000. Students can help in this drive and backup the men in our armed forces. Ninety per cent of the students buy bonds and stamps but in this drive, they must give more—give until it hurts.

Monday, there will be program in which Midland High School students will participate. This drive will close April 30. There will be a bond auction sale held Monday on the courthouse lawn.

—Buy War Bonds and Savings Stamps—

Freshmen And Sophomores Lead On Honor Roll; 19 Make Straight 'A's

A hundred students made the honor roll this six weeks, which is a slight decrease from the 116 on the previous honor roll.

Nineteen students made all A's. The freshmen led with six while the seniors totaled five all-A students.

The juniors and sophomores tied for third place with four each on the honor roll.

Seniors making all A's are: Ruby Barrington, Vernelle Howell, Colleen Oates, Norma Jean Stice, and Jacqueline Theis.

Juniors on the A honor roll include Nellie Brunson, Aylene Kelly, Faye Shelburne, and Mildred Wreyford.

Sophomores with A's are: Jerry Jordan, Helen Shelton, Beth Shirley, and Joan Steinberger.

Freshmen making all A's are: Jeanette Barnett, Marcella McClure, Jean Ann McLaughlin, Nelda Norton, Stella Shattuck, and Ann Tucker.

Eighty-one students made all A's and B's this six weeks.

The sophomore class holds first place with 23 all A's and B's; seniors are close behind with 21; freshmen take third place with 19 all A's and B's; and juniors have 18.

Seniors making all A's and B's are: Eva Barton, Mary Frances Carter, Joyce Dameron, Faye Doris Douglas, Bobbie Gibbins, Kathryn Hanks, Elaine Hedrick, Belva Jo Knight, Jean Martin, Marie Meissner, Margaret Mims, Frances Palmer, Jancie Pope, Martha Preston, J. P. Rankin, Joyce Rosenbaum, Nell Shattuck, Virginia Stolte, Alma Ruth Streeter, Patsy Tull, Marshall Whitmire.

Juniors on A and B honor roll include: Peggie Anderson, Flora Alice Baker, H. G. Bedford, Barbara Conkling, Vivian Cooper, Virginia Countiss, Joan Easley, Bill Elkin, Larry Fields, Jimmie K. Kendrick, Geraldene Lightfoot, Marjorie McKee, Doris Mickey, Jo Ray Murray, Orilla Mae Osborn, Jack Shelton, Ann Vamaman, and Fred Wemple.

Sophomores making all A's and B's are: Doris Adams, Peggy Bissell, Mary Bizzell, Patsy Boone, Tommy Carter, Fred Daugherty, Eileen Eiland, Rex Gerald, Marion Giddings, Betty Jo Greene, Leroy Hall, Bert Hemphill, Billy Holcomb, Cecilia Long, Dorothy Lynch, Leona Meissner, Tommie Jean Newsome, Patsy Pope, Arthur Rounds, Joan Stanley, Ralph Vertrees, Billy Ward and Joan Williams.

Freshmen making all A's and B's are: Mary Arnett, Marjorie Barron, Barbara Brown, Shirley Brunson, Dorothy Lynn Butler, Jean Chapman, Van Cummings, Sharon Cornelli, Virginia Dunagan, La Jean Elnab, Marcia Funk, Pat Garner, Jerr Howard, Charles Hunter, Billie McKee, Betty Nolan, Mary Frances Phillips, Robert Statton, and Dorothy Wolcott.

Episcopal Men's Club Will Meet Wednesday

Members of the Men's Club of Trinity Episcopal Church will meet at 7 p. m. Wednesday in Hotel Scharbauer.

Who's Who — Jerry

Jerry Jordan, who recently won first place in junior boys' declamation at regional meet in El Paso, is quite a busy person. Declamation is nothing new for Jerry, as he won second place in district in 1941. He has also been in several plays this year. He was in "Utter Relaxation," a one-act comedy, in the school play, "One Mad Night," and the contest one-act play, "The Princess Marries the Page." Jerry also has been in a civic theater production "Watch On The Rhine."

As a hobby, Jerry likes to "fool around" with chemistry. Playing tennis and reading are his favorite pastimes. Jerry says he likes all his subjects, but especially public speaking, math, and biology. Briggs is Jerry's favorite teacher. Basketball and football hold top places on his list of favorite sports.

Jerry plans to attend either California Tech or M. I. T. and major in chemistry. He wants to be a research chemist in a laboratory.

Jerry, who has lived here three and a half years, is a sophomore.

Spanish Club Gives Play In Assembly

The Spanish Club presented a play, "My Spanish Sweetheart," under the direction of Miss Nell Marie Wiley in assembly Wednesday.

The play was spoken in Spanish and English.

Characters included: Grace, Marcella McClure, Aunt Priscilla, Billie Marie Benedict, a gypsy, Margie Barron; Tyby's sweetheart, Tommy Carter, a guard, Jerry Jordan; three students, John Rodriguez, Henry Shaw and Bobby Statton; vendors, Leroy Hall, Richard Barry, Joan Chapman, and Betsy Nolan; and announcer, Mary Fern Bray.

Miss Gladys Panson is spending the holidays in Dallas.

Miss Iva Butler is spending the week end in Commerce visiting her parents.

Miss Lyla Flecher is spending the holidays in Dallas visiting her sister.

Miss Ethel Harkins is spending the holidays in Sweetwater.

Lt. Horace Brown, 1941 graduate of M. H. S., visited assembly Thursday.

Miss Fay Lovelace is spending the holidays in Lubbock visiting her aunt.

Miss Margret Stewart is visiting

Personals

Mrs. M. H. Funk discussed "Sickness in the Home" for the Home Nursing Class Thursday and will finish her discussion Tuesday.

Mildred Jones is spending the holidays in Abilene, visiting her sisters, Bonnie and Joyce.

Edith Wemple, 1941 graduate and a student in Hockaday School, Dallas, is in Midland for Easter.

Miss Emma Robinson is spending the holidays at her home in Anson, Texas.

Ann Porterfield spent last week end in San Angelo.

Barbara Davidson is spending the week end in Sweetwater.

Betty Shockley is spending the Easter holidays in San Angelo.

Bill Gano, former student who now lives at Amarillo, visited in Midland for a few days last week.

Miss Helene Miley is spending the holidays in Bastrop visiting her mother.

Jack and Helen Shelton spent last week end in Abilene.

G. B. Rush and family are spending the holidays in Byars visiting Mr. Rush's parents.

Steve Briggs is spending the holidays in Abilene visiting his parents.

Herbert Rehders, who is stationed at Sheppard Field in Wichita Falls, visited school Thursday.

Margaret Mims and Alberta Smith are spending the Easter holidays in El Paso.

The A Cappella choir sang "The Palms" and "They Have Taken Away My Lord," and the quartet sang "Prayer Perfect" for the Lions Club Wednesday.

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12 Students Will Be Charter Members Of Quill And Scroll

Twelve students were selected from the journalism class and "Catoico" staff to be members of the "Quill and Scroll," an honorary journalistic society.

The following students were selected by Miss Ruth Carden, journalism teacher, and Miss Ethel Harkins, "Catoico" sponsor, Norma Jean Stice, editor of the "Bulldog"; Kathryn Hanks, associate editor; Billie Walker, associate editor; Martha Preston, exchange editor; Mary Frances Carter and Nadine Harris, reporters; and Alberta Smith, who has an outstanding record from last year, but who is not taking journalism this year.

Students selected from the "Catoico" staff are: Janice Pope, "Catoico" editor; Fred Wemple, artist; Charles Ronbaugh, photographer; Nellie Elkin Brunson, advertising; and Orilla Mae Osborne, editorial.

These students met the following requirements: (1) At least a junior standing, (2) In upper third in scholastic average, and (3) Outstanding work in journalism. The journalism students were required to select one of their best stories to send to national headquarters. The journalists were required to have published at least one hundred column inches of news.

Kathryn Hanks led with 250 1/2 inches; Martha Preston, 194; Norma Jean Stice, 185; Billie Walker, 182; Mary Frances Carter, 114; and Nadine Harris, 112 1/2. Alberta Smith had 275 column inches last year.

The initiation will be in May.

Bulldog's Kennel

Spring football definitely ended Wednesday with a scrimmage, or game between the Juniors and Seniors. The Juniors, from all accounts, seem to have had things pretty much their own way, and won 34-0. The Seniors, lacking any potential scoring man, and unable to cope with the odds could do little or nothing to slow the tide.

Nothing definite can be said about track, and it is rumored that stunts might be the color of the day for some members of next year's squad, for the express purpose of getting them eligible. Styles of blocking, tackling and styles of play have definitely been improved upon. Judging from Wednesday's score, the experiment was successful, and we hope that next fall will be, too.

Music Masters Play Over KRLH

The band is rehearsing for the next Victory concert to be held at the Municipal Auditorium early in May.

The band will parade at 10:30 o'clock Monday morning for the war bond drive.

The "Music Masters" will play over KRLH Monday night at 8:30. The program will consist of the following numbers: "920 Special," "It Can't Be Wrong," "Hey Mable," "One O'clock Jump," "As Time Goes By," "Taking A Chance On Love," "Don't Get Around Much Anymore," "Who Calls," "Johnson Rag," "Jumping at the Woodside."

her parents in Floydada this week end.

Miss Frances Farnham is spending the holidays in Odessa visiting her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Monroe are visiting in Stephenville.

Bishop E. Cecil Seaman Will Be Here In May

Bishop E. Cecil Seaman has announced plans to visit Trinity Episcopal Church here May 9 for a confirmation service, at 11 o'clock.

Q. V. V. Selects Pin At Meeting Wednesday

The Q. V. V. Club met at the home of Patricia Ruckman Wednesday and selected a club pin.

Those present at the meeting included Billie McKee, Marilyn Miller, Shirley Brunson, Dorothy Butler, Betty Jo Greene, Virginia Dunagan, Mary Nell Casselman, Betty Chancellor, Edwina Hood, and Barbara Conkling.

Doughnuts and cokes were served.

Easter Eggs Colorful Despite Soaring Prices

Easter eggs were just as bright and just as beautiful this Easter season as in any previous season, despite the fact that egg prices were soaring in many cities.

In Dallas last week eggs were selling at 55c and 50c per dozen which fact, might seem to have lessened the Easter egg-hunts so enjoyed by many kiddies.

At one attractive shop a young lady was demonstrating a new process of dyeing eggs. She had a new brand of oily colors which she emptied into a bowl of water. Each egg was passed through this colorful water, and it seemed to gather up the colors on its shell. Some came out in paisley effects, some striped, some in whirl-wind effects and others variegated.

Many people still cling to the old way of package dyes in the usual range of colors, while others use calico dyes to imprint on the eggs.

An Easter egg-hunt was given for the junior department of Calvary Baptist Church Saturday afternoon, when some 35 youngsters of the church Sunday school hunted the hidden eggs.

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Coming Events

MONDAY
Cross workroom in the Old Heidelberg Inn will be open from 12 o'clock.

Cross surgical dressings room third floor of the courthouse open from 9 until 12 o'clock from 1 until 4 o'clock.

Viola Holt Bible Class will meet at 2 p. m. in the educational building of the First Methodist Church.

Circles of the Methodist Church will meet in the educational building at 3:30 p. m. The nursery will be open.

Young Matrons Circle of the Christian Church will meet 8 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Crump, 1103 West Illinois. The Chart Circle will meet with Charles Klapproth, 1011 West Street.

Circles of the Calvary Baptist Church will meet at 2 p. m. as follows: Mildred Smith with Mrs. F. Smith, 904 South Baird; Gerine Shelburne with Mrs. Gerine Shelburne, 211 East New; and Grace McBride with Mrs. Scrivner, 1313 Griffin.

Women's Auxiliary of Trinity Episcopal Church will meet at 2 p. m. Monday with Mrs. Rayles, 1111 West Texas St.

TUESDAY
Midland County Museum will be open from 2:30 until 5 p. m.

Cross workroom in the Old Heidelberg Inn will be open from 12 o'clock.

Cross surgical dressings room third floor of the courthouse open from 9 until 12 o'clock from 1 until 4 o'clock.

Music Club will meet at 8 p. m. in the North Ward School for its last meeting of club year. With Mrs. B. W. on in charge, Jean Sibelius and on Dvorak will be studied.

R. E. L. Taylor will be host to members of the Twentieth Century Club at 3 p. m. at the home of Mrs. H. J. Kemler, 601 1/2th Loraine.

The Craft Group of AAUW will meet in regular session Tuesday.

WEDNESDAY
Cross surgical dressings room third floor of the courthouse open from 9 until 12 o'clock from 1 until 4 o'clock.

Cross workroom in the Old Heidelberg Inn will be open from 12 o'clock.

Modern Study Club will meet at 3 p. m. with Mrs. G. G. Galligan on West Highway.

Fine Arts Club will meet at 3:30 p. m. with Mrs. Fred H. Fuhrman, 705 West Storey. Mrs. George Kidd will be program leader.

The confirmation class of Trinity Episcopal Church will meet at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday in the church. The Rev. R. J. Snell, minister, is conducting the class.

THURSDAY
Red Cross surgical dressings room on the third floor of the courthouse will be open from 9 until 12 o'clock.

Midland County Museum will be open from 2:30 until 5 o'clock.

Red Cross workroom in the Old Heidelberg Inn will be open from 9 until 12 o'clock.

The Stitches and Chatter Club will meet at 2 p. m. with Mrs. Ben Biggs, 307 East Tennessee.

FRIDAY
Red Cross workroom in the Old Heidelberg Inn will be open from 9 until 12 o'clock.

The Glenn Walker Royal Ambassadors of the First Baptist Church will meet at 4 p. m. at the educational building.

Red Cross surgical dressings room on the third floor of the courthouse will be open from 9 until 12 o'clock and from 1 until 4 o'clock.

The Belmont Bible Class will meet at 3:30 p. m. in the educational building of the First Methodist Church.

Children's Service League will meet at 2 p. m. in the surgical dressings room. Members will go from there to the home of Mrs. Fred Cassidy, 804 North Big Spring.

SATURDAY
Trebble Clef Juvenile Club will meet at 1 o'clock at the Watson School of Music.

Robyn Junior Music Club will meet at 10 o'clock at the Watson School of Music.

Midland County Museum will be open from 2:30 until 5 o'clock.

O.E.S. District Deputy To Be Honored Here
Eastern Star ladies of Midland will entertain with a banquet Tuesday evening at 6 o'clock in Scharbauer Hotel, honoring the district deputy, Mrs. Beulah Holback.

A meeting in the Masonic Hall will be held following the banquet, when all members of the Order of Eastern Star are urged to be present.

Pray With Them and For Them . . .



Go to Church Easter Sunday

War Work or Baby Care Faces American Women of Today

COLUMBIA, MO.—A great problem confronting the American woman today is whether to stay at home with her baby or to go out and do her part in the war work. Couldn't a competent nurse, a hired girl, or a grandmother do just as well in taking care of the baby? Shouldn't she be out doing her part in the war effort?

If the baby is under two years old, the mother should definitely stay at home, says Miss Marjorie Momyer, head of the child care division at Stephens College, Columbia, Mo., for it would be a long search to find a substitute for a mother.

A nurse might be better trained than the mother, but she usually loves the child not enough or too much because she has no children of her own. Only the mother can give it the love and security, the emotional and physical stability that it needs, Miss Momyer contends.

"Many people think that the baby under two years old isn't learning much—that it has just a few reflexes, but he is actually learning a lot," Miss Momyer explains. "He is learning to walk, talk, and eat. A baby comes into the world without any bad habits, but how quickly he learns, and the mother should see that he starts thinking, talking and adjusting to people properly!"

"One summer I often sat in a park in Brooklyn and observed the nursemaids who were taking care of some of the children of the wealthier families. Pitiful things that the mothers would never know of were going on."

If the mother is taken away, the baby has to get adjusted to an entirely different routine. She takes with her the baby's security, Miss Momyer warns. Grandmother may be a very good substitute, but she is older and often loses patience too quickly with the child.

A baby senses from the time he is born if he is not wanted, and he is a miserable baby. "I don't mean," she points out, "that the mother should not take time away from her baby. She should slip away often, for instance while the baby is taking his nap, for she will come back fresher and more alive to her baby."

After the baby has reached two years old, the next best thing to a mother is a good nursery school. The women in these schools are usually well trained, and they try to give the children as much of the love and security of the home as is possible.

Morning "Coffee" For Popular Group Here

Mrs. Edward E. Reigle and her sister, Mrs. Milo Leeper, entertained with a "coffee" Friday morning in the home of Mrs. Reigle, 1613 West Storey. The event complimented the mother of the hostesses, Mrs. A. L. Hoffman, of El Reno, Okla., and Mrs. Bob Sutton, who is leaving soon to make her home in Tulsa, Okla. Mrs. Joe Birdwell and Mrs. Celeste Clemens, who recently moved to Midland to make their homes, also were honored.

A profusion of spring roses and iris was used throughout the rooms, and Mrs. A. J. Mascho presided at the coffee table.

Guests were: Mesdames Olin B. Pierce, A. S. Garruthers, George Cross, and Milo F. Leeper, all of Odessa; and Mesdames Ralph Trough, L. C. McDonald, H. M. Reigle, Paul Kasper, Ward West, Joe V. Birdwell, Nile Winters, Bob Sutton, Bob Clark, Leonard Thomas, Russell Farmer, A. J. Mascho, W. Earl Chapman, Celeste Clemens, and William Hoey.

Personals

Mrs. Gladys Waters, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. L. M. Basham, is leaving Sunday for Hot Springs, New Mexico, for a three weeks' stay.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Mickey and family are spending the weekend in Lubbock visiting their son and brother, Francis Mickey.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hart have received word that their son Pvt. Sidney Hart, has arrived safely in Hawaii.

Mrs. L. W. Stratton of El Paso is here visiting her parents, the Rev. and Mrs. R. M. Hocker and family.

Mrs. Idus Ray Flowers of Lubbock visited Saturday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Preston and family.

Elliott Moore of Odessa visited Pvt. and Mrs. P. B. Moore here Friday. He was en route to San Angelo to visit his parents before entering the Marines.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Emmer and daughter, Kathleen, of Wink were visitors in Midland Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hurt of Odessa were business visitors here Saturday.

Bobby Wilson, a student in Schreiner Institute at Kerrville, is spending the Easter holidays here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Teague of Sengraves are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Herbert King, and family.

Bobby Wood, a student at Texas Tech in Lubbock, is in Midland spending the Easter holidays with her sister, Miss Eleanor Wood.

Mrs. Y. C. Gray of Garden City was in Midland Saturday visiting Mrs. Bob Gray.

Mrs. L. H. Wise of Odessa was a Midland visitor Saturday.

Mrs. T. Self of Big Spring is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. A. Barrington and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Caswell and daughter, Dorothy, are spending Sunday in Westgrook.

Miss Doris Lynn Pemberton, sophomore at Texas Christian University, is spending the Easter holidays here with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. L. B. Pemberton.

Attractive Housedress



(From B. Altman, New York)
Typical of the good styling that makes this year's cotton housedresses suitable for the morning marketing trip is the attractive plaid above. The blouse has a yoke and action back, and the skirt, pleated in front, has a deep inverted pleat in back. It comes in plaids only, with brown, green or red as the predominating color.

Mrs. Jean L. Miller Added To Staff Of Reporter-Telegram

Mrs. Jean L. Miller, formerly of Dallas, has joined the advertising staff of The Reporter-Telegram as assistant to Leo McLaughlin, advertising manager.

Mrs. Miller has had many years of experience in newspaper work in various capacities. She was associated with her father, O. D. Stiles, in the operation of newspapers in Arkansas and Florida, and was on the staff of The Miami (Fla.) News in addition to other papers.

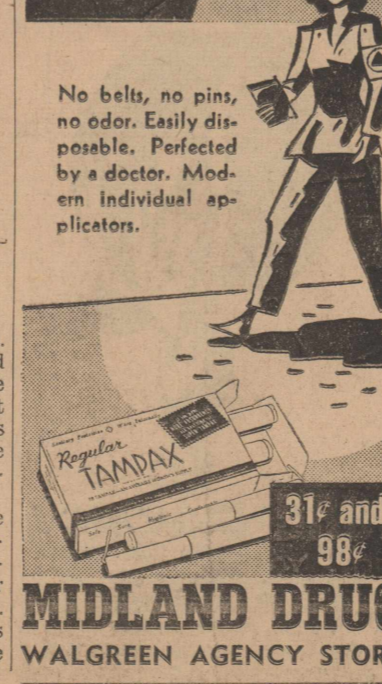
She completed her education in newspaper work at Northwestern University in Chicago.

She is making her home at Taylor Lodge in Midland. Her son, Michael, six, who is visiting friends in Dallas, will join her later.

Bridge Club Meets
Mr. and Mrs. Russell Howard, 1919 W. Wall Street, will entertain the La Comida Bridge Club next Wednesday evening in their home. No special guests have been invited, and the meeting will be the regular one which takes place fortnightly.

Three tables of players are expected to be present.

TAMPAX



MIDLAND DRUG WALGREEN AGENCY STORE

Bombardier College Library Is Popular Place For Soldiers

Many a soldier has developed a renewed interest in books and especially good books. Such is the case at the Midland AAF Bombardier School where the men are taking full advantage of the facilities at the Post Library.

Especially is this true toward the end of each month when the pay check has dwindled to almost nothing. At this time the soldiers cluster about the library in quest of reading material. It doesn't cost anything to catch up on the latest novel or detective story. Besides, the soldier finds to his surprise that the library is well stocked.

More Than 2200 Books
The library has grown under the guiding hand of the Special Services office of the Bombardier College and now has more than 2200 books. Books have come from several sources. Reading material has been contributed by the Midland County Library. Many men on the field contribute books which they have finished reading. As the result of the recent Victory Drive in Odessa, more than 250 books were sent to the Bombardier College library. The traveling Army Library also is available and includes more than a hundred books of all types.

The library makes a definite effort to obtain the latest books as well as to get copies which are not necessarily best sellers but those which are popular with the men. The library is divided in the same categories as their home town library. Western novels have proven to be the most popular type of book at the world's largest Bombardier College. Detective stories also have a fast turnover.

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Many Magazines Available
The men like the pocket-size booklet since it is of convenient size to take down to the line while they are awaiting their planes return from its mission. Well-known magazines are available as well as the newspapers from large cities. There are also 63 different technical magazines for those who would seek knowledge in specialized fields. All military field manuals and a complete file on technical orders are kept. Such expensive editions as James "Aircraft of the World" are available.

The library branch of the Special Services office has the welfare of the men strictly at heart. Besides providing entertainment for their leisure hours, there is a wealth of educational knowledge available to every man.

Garden Glamor



Anne Baxter, in shirt and suit, proves Hollywood victory gardens are sprouting both vegetables and glamor this year.

OPA Officials To Hold Meeting Here

Representatives of the Lubbock district Office of Price Administration will conduct a meeting in Midland Thursday with members of price panels of War Price and Rationing Boards of Midland, Andrews, Martin, Ector, Glasscock and Reagan counties. Changes in regulations of price control will be discussed.

New simplified food regulations also will be discussed with representatives of the wholesale and retail food trade during the visit, it was announced. Wholesale and retail food dealers are invited to attend the meeting.

Group Enjoys Hamburger Fry At Cloverdale Park

Miss Betty McCarroll and Miss Nelda Vaughan were hostesses at a hamburger fry at Cloverdale Park Thursday evening.

Guests attending included Pvt. Glenn Schmidt, George Hager, Miss Vanita Spurgeon, Elliott Moore, Pvt. and Mrs. P. B. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McCarroll and Sgt. and Mrs. Dannish, and the hostess.

Shepherds Are Visiting In New Mexico Points

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Shepherd and children are spending the Easter vacation in Lovington, New Mexico.

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Girl Scouts Here Get Badges At Meeting

Senior Girl Scouts met Thursday in the First Baptist Church, when badges were distributed and ping-pong games were played.

Those present were: Betty Jo Green, Helen Shelton, Mary Bizzel, Betty Ann Hill, Betty Hinds, La Vina Robinson, Micky McDonald, and Betty Chancellor.

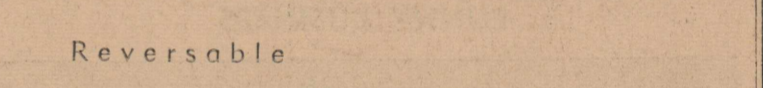
Mrs. L. B. Parks was leader.

Formal Dance At Post Was Saturday Event

An event of interest which took place Saturday evening was the formal dance at the Officers' Club at the Midland Bombardier School when 100 officers and their wives were in attendance.

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SERIAL STORY

DARK JUNGLES

BY JOHN C. FLEMING & LOIS EBY

JEALOUSY

CHAPTER XVIII

THE acrid odor of wood smoke filled Barry's nostrils as he came down the steps of the estancia and stepped out into the early morning sunshine.

"Looks like a busy place around here," Barry called when he was only a few paces away.

"From now on it will be," Renaldo said good-naturedly.

"What happens after you boil this stuff?" he asked Renaldo.

"We boil it till it's very thick," Renaldo stopped to explain rapidly, "and then pour it into molds where it hardens like bricks.

"Good morning!"

"He was telling me how chewing gum is made," Barry grinned his greeting.

Renaldo went on with deep satisfaction. "It will be our biggest shipment to date. We have orders for all the chicle we can produce.

Allison grimaced at Barry. "There!" she cried. "I told you I was coming down here to do my bit for the soldiers and you laughed at me!"

"No great benefactor is appreciated at first," Barry winked at Renaldo.

Renaldo turned to test a kettle of the boiling latex. "Nevertheless," he said as he worked,

"chewing gum is recognized now even by the War Department." "Moralize, boy?" Barry said.

Renaldo nodded. The latex had not boiled long enough. He gave the stirring paddle back to the attending Indian.

BARRY'S smile was fading into a brooding look of concern. "I must get back to my own job pretty quick."

Allison smiled. "You're just bound to get those quicksilver mines to help the allies to shorten the war to cut down our chicle business, aren't you?"

"That's it," Barry told her with a terse grin.

She turned to Renaldo, abruptly serious. "How soon can you go with him?"

"I must finish this batch of chicle and get it packed on the mules," Renaldo told her. "Then I must make a quick trip to the new grove to get the chicleiros started there."

"A week is too long," Barry's impatience burned through his voice. "I'm going alone."

Renaldo's sharp dark eyes rested thoughtfully on Barry. "I know what you are enduring," he said gravely. "I am not a patient man myself when my work is not going forward. But, believe me, it would be fool's haste for you to go now."

"He's right," Allison cried to Barry.

"Then," Renaldo went on, "I doubt you would reach Moncha Suma alive. The Indian died, you know. The tribe is up in arms. And your word will not be proof of your innocence."

"It's got to be!" Barry cried irritably. "What other proof can I get?"

"My friendship," said Renaldo quietly. "When I go with you, they will not harm you. And when I tell Moncha Suma that I, his friend, vouch for you, then he may absolve you from blame. That is the only way I know you may be able to accomplish your mission."

Barry drew a deep breath. "I suppose you're right."

"And you will put in a word with the chief about his quicksilver mines?" Allison demanded of Renaldo.

Renaldo nodded. "Yes, I will be glad to do that," he said. "Thank you, Renaldo."

The Spaniard's eyes glowed as they met Allison's. Barry felt a new twinge of irritation. He deliberately broke up the glance.

"I'm the one to thank you," he said hastily. "I appreciate your doing this even if I do sound grouchy."

RENALDO'S hand dropped onto Barry's shoulder. "It's a great pleasure to do it for you—and Miss Topping," he said. He turned to an Indian waiting with his testing ladle.

Barry and Allison strolled across the clearing toward the estancia. Allison was frowning.

"There must be some way we can cut down that week," she murmured. "But I know Renaldo has to go to the new grove. He told me last night what a find it is. The montadores reported it to be richer than the main one just north of the estancia. And he has to be there to hire a new crew of chicleiros from the Indians coming over from Ledio."

"You sound just like a career woman," Barry teased.

"What's wrong with that?" Allison's violet eyes turned toward him gleaming with the light of battle.

"Nothing, nothing!" Barry retreated hastily. "I guess it's your own business."

"I've been under that impression for a long time," she said gaily, "but you're slow about getting it into your head. Now Renaldo is a very smart man. He knows enough not to argue when a woman makes up her mind."

"If it's about your going back to New York," Barry said, "I don't think he wants to argue any more."

She gave him a mischievous, secretive smile. "Renaldo is a prince," she said, "and he worked up from a pauper. He told me how fendishly poor he was as a kid, and how ambitious. When he was a little urchin in Rio he did odd jobs, sold papers, ran errands, cut hedges. Finally he worked his way through law school at the university there. Father met him at Puerto Barrios and hired him on a percentage basis shortly before he died. He says it's the first chance he's had to get the profits from his own ingenuity."

"Is he going to make his charm pay too?" Barry demanded as he opened the door for her.

She sent him a wide-eyed stare of innocence. "I don't know what you mean," she smiled demurely. "But he did say once that a fortune teller told him he would be rich and powerful and marry a beautiful blond."

(To Be Continued)

McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

By William E. McKenney America's Card Authority This is the last of a series of six articles discussing what I consider the rarest play in bridge, the smother play or trump coup. My suggestion is that you elp these six smother play hands and keep them. You will always find them enjoyable to review.

South's six heart contract on today's hand was a natural one, although as it happened, six spades also could have been made more easily.

Bridge hand diagram showing cards for South, West, North, and East, and a table of duplicate scores.

there being then only a losing trump trick with North the declarer.

South won the opening lead with the ace of clubs and led the queen of hearts. West refused to cover and East failed to follow. Another heart was won with the eight in dummy. The king of spades was followed with a small spade, and again East discarded. South winning with the ace.

It now looked bad for the contract. Apparently a spade and one heart or one diamond must be lost. However, the declarer found a way to make the smother play. He ruffed his losing club with dummy's nine of trumps, led a diamond to the king, then back to the ace in dummy.

The third round of diamonds was ruffed, the queen of spades cashed, and now dummy's last diamond was led. East won with the jack. South discarding his last spade. Now East had to return a club, which South ruffed, and West was through. The smother play had captured a very important trump trick and the small slam contract was fulfilled.

Rotarians To Attend Abilene Conference

Seven Midland Rotarians Saturday made plans to attend the annual district conference of Rotary International in Abilene Sunday and Monday.

Those planning to attend the sessions include Percy Bridgewater, president of the club here; Fred Wemple, a past district governor; Roy McKee, president-elect of the club; Ily Pratt, club secretary; Dr. J. O. Shannon, Clint Lackey and Paul Barron.

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Advertisement for 'Find It With A Want Ad!', 'Sell It With A Want Ad!', and 'Buy It With A Want Ad!' with phone number 7 or 8.

Over 160 Types Of Jobs Handled At Defense Shop

Over 160 different types of jobs have been turned out in the local defense shop, Harlan Howell, vocational agriculture teacher, has announced. The majority of these have been on farm equipment.

Acetylene welding equipment capable of handling three jobs at one time has been installed at the shop, which is operated mainly to help farmers and ranchers keep their machinery in good shape.

Julian Miller of St. Louis mimeographs a newsletter for distribution to about 100 of his friends in the services. It contains news of interest to the entire group, who know each other, and reprints letters from individual members.

Cops Hold A Heel To Capture A Heel

ARKANSAS CITY, KAS. Police believe they have pretty good clew with which may trap a burglar. The left his shoes on a porch apparently when he fled in after being interrupted in his gary job. The officers are keeping an eye on shoe stores hoping a suspicious-looking cashing in his No. 17 ration pon.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE --with MAJOR HOOPLE OUT OUR WAY

Comic strip panel showing a woman talking to a man in a boarding house.

OUT OUR WAY --By J. R. WILLIAMS

Comic strip panel showing a man and a woman talking.

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES --By EDGAR MANN

Comic strip panel showing a man and a woman talking.

Comic strip panel showing a man and a woman talking.

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Comic strip panel showing a man and a woman talking.

Large advertisement for MEAD'S fine BREAKFAST cereals.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS --By MERRILL B.

Comic strip panel showing a man and a woman talking.

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WASH TUBBS --By ROBERT

Comic strip panel showing a man and a woman talking.

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RED RYDER --By FRED RMAN

Comic strip panel showing a man and a woman talking.

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ALLEY OOP --V. T. HAMLIN

Comic strip panel showing a man and a woman talking.

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FUNNY BUSINESS

Comic strip panel showing a man and a woman talking in a restaurant.

SIDE GLANCES

Comic strip panel showing a man and a woman talking.

HOLD EVERYTHING

Comic strip panel showing a man and a woman talking.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD --By William Ferguson

Comic strip panel showing a man and a woman talking.

ANSWER: Farm implement.

Comic strip panel showing a man and a woman talking.

Insider Both Best And Quality Buying Foods

Mrs. Gaynor Maddox
NEA Staff Writer

ration arithmetic will decide whether it is cheaper in money, ingredients, and quality (quality should be judged by the taste, appearance and nutritional content of vegetables) to use fresh or dried or quick-frozen vegetables. Your answer is canned or quick-frozen, you can get still more value in them by extending their food use with other ingredients which have high nutritional content.

Scalloped Tomatoes and Green Peppers
(Serves 4-6)

Two cups canned tomatoes (No. 1), 1 green pepper, chopped, teaspoon sugar, salt, pepper, 2 teaspoons fat, sliced stale whole-crust bread.

Cut bread in thick slices to line bottom and sides of baking dish. Rinkle melted fat over bread only. Place lined casserole in hot oven (425 degrees F.) for 10 minutes. Combine tomatoes, chopped pepper, sugar and seasoning. Pour to lined baking dish. Bake in moderate oven (350 degrees F.) for 30 minutes.

Corn Pudding and Pepper
(Serves 4-6)

One tablespoon melted fat, 1 tablespoon flour, 1 1/2 teaspoons salt, 1/8 teaspoon pepper, 1/2 teaspoon cayenne, 1 1/2 cups rich milk, 3 tablespoons chopped green pepper, eggs, slightly beaten; 1 10-ounce box of quick-frozen corn, thawed.

Combine the melted fat, flour, salt, sugar and pepper. Add milk slowly, stirring. Cook until thickened, stirring constantly. Remove from the fire, add pepper, eggs and corn. Mix well. Turn into a greased baking dish. Set dish in pan of hot water and bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees F.) for an hour, or until set.

Rating Board Here Issues Certificates

The Midland County War Price and Rationing Board has issued the following certificates:

Passenger tires, grade 1—Milton Unger, Leroy Buster Goodlow, Burton-Lingo Lumber Co., Skelly Oil Company and Magnolia Petroleum Company.

Passenger tires, grade 2—Delmar Davis, Troy N. Eiland, Casimiro Gonzales, Weldon Branham, C. G. Farris, Walter Coody, Lee Cooper, Martin Gonzales, Clyde Reyes, H. W. Martin, C. C. Whately, Elmo Linebarger and Sir Walter Jones.

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Truck tubes—S. J. Reed and J. H. Lay.

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These spring sweeties cavorting on the Hollywood grass are starlets Vi Athens, Ann Savage, Marguerite Chapman and Nella Hart.

Betsy Beckham Bundy's Advice To The Lovelorn

Q. I have been engaged to a very nice girl for a year, and she is wearing the ring which I gave to her. Within the last few months I have moved near another city, away from my home town, where I lived with my parents. I am 23 years of age. Recently I have met another girl, whom I have known just two months, and I have become so infatuated with her that I no longer have any thought for the old time sweetheart in my home town. I scarcely can think of anything to write to her. Can you advise me?

A. Just be honest with yourself and with the girl you left in your home town. Maybe she, too, will find another sweetheart to whom she is more attracted. Time alone will work out this matter for both of you. And, maybe your new attraction will have lost all her charm for you within another few months. Just let matters stand as they are and continue writing to your sweetheart to whom you are engaged. The girl who "dazzles" usually does not last permanently. After a year or two, if you still feel as you do about your new "flame," then break your engagement and explain fully to your home town sweetheart.

Q. Sometime ago I went to work in a defense plant, and there met a young man of whom I think very highly. He has asked me for a date several times, and I have refused each time. I like him very much but I do not want him to know it. Now he is dating a girl friend of mine. Do you advise me to accept his invitation the next time he tries to date me?

A. Don't be silly. Maybe he will not ask you again. If you are sure that you like the society of the young man, and you have been formally introduced to him, and know that he is the right kind of an associate for you socially, accept his attentions.

The young man of today will not understand the girl who acts shy and runs from him. He will think you are "odd" and will cut your acquaintance. You must not be accustomed to going with young men. A date means nothing but a social hour or so. Don't be too serious. Cultivate the light-hearted and gay. And go and have a good time socially.

Q. My sweetheart's mother has invited me to go with her to a large aviation center to visit my sweetheart, who is her son. I do not know just what to wear or what to take, but I want to accept the invitation.

Sarah.

A. Accept the invitation by all means. Take with you some very smartly tailored sport clothes appropriate for the spring season. A tailored suit should be worn on the trip with a beautiful blouse to contrast in tone. Also take with you one or two lovely "formals" to be worn at dancing parties, a dinner dress, a handsome light coat, and all the dainty accessories needed with the various costumes.

The boy's mother evidently wishes to know as much about you as she can ascertain, and this is one of her ways of finding out just what kind of a girl you are. Show her that you can appear just as well as the best on any occasion, and that you can grace any social function with ease. Be lively, interested and considerate of her. Many mothers do some veiled scheming when they think their sons are about to be married, or to become engaged.

Send your problems to Betsy Beckham Bundy, who will advise on affairs of the heart.

BUILDING FOR WAR

War construction activity in 1942 more than doubled the 1941 volume and amounted to more than 97 per cent of the program for the year.

NO MORE BRASS BUTTONS

Replacing brass buttons and insignia with molded plastic on overcoats and blouses of enlisted men will result in a saving of 365,000 pounds of metal in 1943.

Most popular name for men in the United States is John.

Ah, Sweet Spring



These spring sweeties cavorting on the Hollywood grass are starlets Vi Athens, Ann Savage, Marguerite Chapman and Nella Hart.

Personals

Mrs. R. E. L. Taylor, 116 W. Maiden Lane, will have as house guests, Mrs. J. T. Cole and daughter, Claudia K., of Dallas, who will arrive next week to spend several weeks here. Mrs. Cole is a sister of Mrs. Taylor.

Payton Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Anderson, is visiting his parents here for two days before reporting for duty in San Antonio. Anderson, a 1941 graduate of Midland High School, has been in the Army Reserve.

Misses Margaret Mims, Alberta Smith, Halla Mae Williams, and Hester Williams and Ebb Dickenson are spending the Easter holidays visiting in El Paso.

Cpl. Roy Stockard of the Childress AAF Bombardier School was a visitor here Saturday.

Captain and Mrs. E. C. Heikkila and baby of Big Spring are spending the weekend here visiting her mother, Mrs. Bertha Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Speed and children of Hobbs, are spending the Easter weekend in Midland visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Speed, Sr.

Mrs. W. I. Pratt and Mrs. J. M. Speed, Jr., and daughter, Mary Pat, will spend the Easter weekend in Stamford visiting relatives. They will be accompanied to Abilene by W. I. Pratt.

Mrs. J. A. Leggett, of Menard, and Mrs. R. Theis of Odessa, both grandmothers of Miss Marthann Theis, bride-elect, are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Theis.

Ray L. Freeborn has been transferred to Midland, from Houston, and will be district engineer, in the office here.

SHIPS AHEAD

United States shipbuilding is expected to attain the 1943 goal of 16,000,000 tons, unless a material shortage should develop.

Supply Determines Food Point Values

By Mrs. Gaynor Maddox
NEA Staff Writer

Every American housewife now faces a re-education in making out her market list. First, she must budget her money; then she must budget her ration points. When she spends both, her money and her points, she must strive to get the greatest possible amount of nutrition for her family.

Let's look at the point budget. She has 48 a month per person. She must realize that foods which are needed for Army and Lend-Lease are costly to consumers in points. High cost does not necessarily mean that the food is better than low-cost foods in terms of nutrition. Nor, on the other hand, does a low-point cost necessarily mean that the low-cost foods are a better buy for your family's food supply.

For example, a pound of canned sauerkraut costs only four points, whereas a pound of dried lima beans costs eight points. The lima beans are a far better buy at eight than the sauerkraut at four. The beans will provide a main protein dish for a family of six, whereas the canned sauerkraut is not, nutritionally, anywhere near so valuable. Furthermore, with fresh cabbage available, why should the housewife spend points for sauerkraut?

Let's look at canned and quick-frozen peas. A 20-ounce can of peas cost 16 points, 12 ounces of quick-frozen peas costs 10 points. Which is the better buy?

Twelve ounces of quick-frozen peas (10 points) gives four average servings (three ounces each) on the plates at the family dinner; a 20-ounce (No. 2) can of peas (costs 16 points) gives on the average four servings (approximately three ounces each). The approximately eight ounces of liquid in the canned peas costs you six points. Is that liquid worth the points? It may be for its vitamin and mineral content. But, as a rule, you will want to get those vitamins and minerals less expensively in other fresh greens available without points.

From another angle, it is extravagant to spend eight points for a can of applesauce when fresh apples are available without points. Those eight of the 48 points should be spent for dried beans or peas, or for a pound can of tomato juice. You will find many other ways of getting more food for less points if you think in terms of food values, rather than point and cash bargain values. To state it simply: food value is the issue, not the saving of points.

Nine Officers Are Assigned To Duty

The arrival of nine officers for duty at the Midland AAF Bombardier School was announced Saturday. They have been assigned to the 83rd Base Headquarters and Airments with the department of training.

They are First Lieuts. Arthur J. Quincy, William R. Galt, Jr., Louis P. Rhoads, and Second Lieuts. William F. Ball, Jr., Ivan M. Peller, David M. Spencer, Robert A. Grashoff and Albert F. Pogue.

Second Lieut. William N. Joyce is to be assigned to duty with the 2052nd Ordnance Company at the Base Squadron and to duty assignment-bombardier college, it was announced.

Ray L. Freeborn has been transferred to Midland, from Houston, and will be district engineer, in the office here.

LESS TRAFFIC

Cumulative restrictions on passenger car use in the eastern states have cut traffic by 65 per cent from former levels. Of the reduction, 40 per cent was due to original rationing, 15 per cent to cuts in basic coupon values, and 10 per cent to the pleasure driving ban.

Read Reporter-Telegram Want-Ads

Library Receives Outstanding Books

"Into the Valley," by Hersey is one of the latest seven-day books received at the Midland County Library. The library also has received "Lords of the Levy," a seven-day book by Wendell.

A rental, "Seven Came Through," by Rickenbacker, and "Barriers Down," by Cooper also have been released for use.

Jimmie Walker Lands In Norfolk, Va.

Jimmie Walker, son of Mrs. J. T. Walker, 119 W. Illinois, has landed back in Norfolk, Va., where he is spending a few days before sailing overseas again.

Mr. and Mrs. Mert S. Jones and children of Fluvanna have returned to their home after a brief visit here with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brown and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Robertson and daughters, Lavena and Bonnie, and Mrs. Ruby Robertson of Stanton are spending Easter Sunday in Loraine visiting relatives.

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