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## Berchtesgaden Bombed

ROME, Feb. 21 (AP)—Rocket-firing Thunderbolts of the U.S. 12th Air Force made the first attack of the war yesterday on Hitler's private city of Berchtesgaden, the mountain hideout high in the snow-capped Bavarian Alps, it was announced today.

The planes, sweeping in from Italian bases, pumped rockets into railyards at low levels, ripped rail tracks, cars and locomotives and smashed at other targets in and near Berchtesgaden, which may be the most heavily fortified spot in all the reich. They ran into intense flak and small arms fire.

While there was no official comment on the attack, it was speculated that the surprise strike was directed against the movement of top priority personnel, supplies and Nazi files from Berlin.

"It is believed to be Hitler's hideout," an air force officer said, adding that if the raiders found railway cars there, "one guess is as good as another as to what they might contain."

The assault fit into a pattern with two attacks yesterday and today from British and French bases by the U.S. Eighth Air Force on the packed rail yards and locomotive repair shops at Nuernberg, 90 miles north of Munich, the center of former Nazi propaganda spectacles and an important rail junction. The extraordinarily heavy concentration of traffic at Nuernberg led to speculation that it might be a movement of government offices from Berlin, or a buildup for the defense of Vienna.

## Fortress Town On Oder Under Artillery Fire

LONDON, Feb. 21 (AP)—Marshal Gregory Zhukov's troops, fighting to encircle Frankfurt on the Oder 38 miles east of Berlin, have "temporarily" slashed the city's lifelines to the capital, a German military commentator said today.

The fortress town on the west bank of the Oder is under siege and the constant hammering of Russian artillery and bombers, said the report from inside the city by transoceanic war reporter Hans Arntz.

His broadcast coincided with a military review in the Moscow newspaper Pravda which said the Red army was 34 miles from Berlin.

This report, the closest the Russian press has yet placed the Russian troops to Berlin, did not give



MARINES CHARGE AHEAD AT IWO—Leathernecks of the 4th Marine division charge over a rise on the beach at Iwo at the start of the invasion of that important Japanese island. Joe Rosenthal, Associated Press photographer with the wartime still picture pool, made this picture which was radioed from Guam to San Francisco. (AP Wirephoto).

## Patch's Troops Invade Saarland

By JAMES M. LONG  
PARIS, Feb. 21 (AP)—Lt. Gen. George S. Patton, Jr., hurled an armored division today through a hole gouged in the central German front in the Moselle-Saar triangle and the tanks smashed five and a half miles forward toward Trier through disorganized resistance.

Goch, strongly fortified road center between the Rhine and Meuse (Maas) rivers in the north, finally was captured by Scots of the Canadian First army which gathered momentum in its offensive toward the Ruhr valley, 16 miles away.

South of Patton's Third army, the U.S. 7th army advanced to within plain sight of Saarbrücken, less than three miles away. Lt. Gen. Alexander M. Patch's shock troops invading the Saar again captured half a dozen border towns and broke into Forbach, large French rail center which is almost a suburb of devastated Saarbrücken. The Americans seized heights overlooking historic Spicheren and the Siegfried Line fortifications.

Patton, swiftly capitalizing on the breach in German defenses carved laboriously by Maj. Gen. Harry J. Malony's 94th division, sent his tanks clanking to within seven miles of Trier and two of Saarburg, both keystones of the German defense system in the Moselle valley leading to Coblenz and Mainz on the Rhine. Dispirited Germans surrendered by the hundreds.

In the north, the last enemy suicide squads were cleared from the ruined road center of Goch, once a town of 13,500 and still the center of eight military highways. The Scots thrust on 600 yards southwestward. Goch is eight miles south of captured Kleve, terminal of the original Siegfried line, and 17 miles southeast of the Dutch city of Nijmegen, whence the Canadian offensive started.

Beyond the once-bristling town lies a small open plain in which no fixed German fortifications have been noted.

British empire troops fighting with Gen. Henry Crerar's command gathered momentum and drove deeper into the center of German defenses in synchronized thrusts through Buchholt and Halverboom, villages near besieged Calcar.

Scottish troops seized the marshland village of Buchholt and pushed on toward the German stronghold of Uedem, only two and a half miles to the southeast.

The British Second and American First and Ninth armies stood in mighty strength along the re-

ceding Roer river between the Canadians and Patton's Third army. The Germans repeated that an offensive was imminent across the Roer toward the great cities of the Rhine and the Ruhr valleys.

Patton finally got his armor clanking up the Moselle valley toward the Rhine after many days of bitter fighting in the Siegfried line and in floods caused by thaws and freshets.

An armored division which broke across the Moselle drove up to five miles in the triangle formed by the Saar and Moselle and captured Orscholz, Freudenburg and Kollesleucken. The same outfit cleared Kelsen and Korrig, moving within two miles southwest of the fortified road center of Saarburg, a key to German defenses.

In a push five miles to the north to a point three miles from the confluence of the Saar and Moselle, armored units formed a junction with a cavalry outfit which cleared Wincheringen, a mile inside Germany.

Tanks and self-propelled guns also cleared Dittling, four miles southwest of Saarburg, and captured Thorn, Kreuzwiler and Dillmar—all in the area seven miles or so southwest of Saarburg.

Patton's charging men captured 1,200 prisoners in the Saar-Moselle triangle alone in fighting yesterday.

The Canadians, in regaining ground lost to German counterattacks yesterday near Uedem, destroyed five huge Panther tanks, three self-propelled 88-millimeter guns and two half tracks.

Beside the 10,000 prisoners taken in the two weeks old offensive, the enemy is estimated to have lost 6,000 killed.

## Leathernecks Advance In Bloody Iwo Battle

By AL DOPKING  
U. S. PACIFIC FLEET HEADQUARTERS, Guam, Feb. 21 (AP)—Approximately 3,650 Marines were killed or wounded in the first 48 hours of the battle for Iwo Jima, Adm. Chester W. Nimitz announced today as he reported the leathernecks made general ad-

vances ranging up to 1,000 yards on the island's central air field. Nimitz listed approximately 3,500 enlisted men and 150 officers as casualties—killed, wounded and missing. He said 3,063 of the wounded have been evacuated, indicating about 600 were killed or missing.

There was no estimate of Japanese losses.

Tank-led Marines, holding firm control of more than a third of the island, began an enveloping drive against the fighter field, known as Motoyama No. 2. The Fifth Marine division by-passed the southern tip of the field in a flanking move, preparatory to striking it from the west, while the Fourth division pushed directly toward the center of the air-drome.

Along the entire line gains averaged 500 to 1,000 yards over wet, slippery ground which the Japanese have criss-crossed with fortified defenses.

On the southern tip of the island other Marines drove more than 100 yards up the steep slopes of Mt. Suribachi, volcanic fortress where pillboxes are spread at ten foot intervals.

Every advance, Nimitz said, was made a yard at a time under a steady hail of Japanese machine gun, rifle and rocket fire.

During the night the Marines broke up Japanese attempts at infiltration and one small counter-attack with the aid of shellfire and illumination from warships standing offshore.

The Marines, fighting the toughest battle of their history, began the drive toward the fighter strip yesterday after conquering about a third of the island, including Iwo's bomber base, primary objective of the invasion.

The fighter field is 700 yards northeast of the three-way bomber field, which Marines captured Tuesday noon—27 hours after landing and 30 hours ahead of schedule.

On the south flank, at the island's tapering tip, 566-foot high Mt. Suribachi, a volcano, is sealed off by Marines meeting stiff opposition from Nipponese on its slopes. Its big guns, however, have been silenced during a six-day continuous bombardment by Rear Adm. W. H. P. Blandy's warships.

Up the east coast from Mt. Suribachi, Marines on the north flank had the tough job of ferreting Nipponese out of a rock quarry. The quarry is near the coast southeast of Motoyama airfield No. 2 and is a position which must be cracked to facilitate getting at the bulk of the Nipponese garrison on the north part of the island.

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## Nuernberg Struck For Second Time

LONDON, Feb. 21 (AP)—More than 1,200 American bombers escorted by 650 fighters today attacked rail and industrial targets at Nuernberg for the second consecutive day.

More than 900 U.S. Flying Fortresses blasted the Nuernberg yards yesterday. These yards are filled with trains, possibly loaded with the records and effects of the German government ministries believed moving out of Berlin.

The strike by the British-based American sky fleet today dove-tailed with an attack by Italy-based 12th Air Force

## Americans Strike Over Italy Hills

ROME, Feb. 21 (AP)—American troops striking over Italian mountain terrain so forbidding that at times they used ropes to scramble up the steep slopes, have captured Monte Belvedere and several villages on the peaks west of the Pistoia-Bologna highway.

The Germans fought back viciously, but all counterattacks were repulsed and the fighting for the dominant heights continues, an Allied communique said today.

Once before Allied troops had held the commanding, 3,500-foot peak of Monte Velvedere, but the Nazis recaptured it last Nov. 29 and had held it since.

Patrols continued to be very active on the rest of the Italian front, with no changes of positions reported. The Germans still were peppering Allied positions with propaganda leaflets.

The attack in the Belvedere area was launched Monday night. The mountain villages of Polla, Valpiana and Monte Gonsoleo were brought into the Fifth army lines.

American troops, especially trained to operate in the snow-capped Apennines, worked their way through heavy minefields to begin the assault shortly after midnight.

In the central sector of the Fifth army front considerable enemy movement was reported. German positions were put under heavy shell fire and raiding parties were sent out to distract the Germans. One of the raiding parties engaged in a grenade fight with the enemy.

planes against similar targets in and near Adolf Hitler's mountain hideout at Berchtesgaden yesterday.

Nazi broadcasts reported spearheads of two American formations were over Thuringia and Franconia, indicating another deep penetration of the reich, possibly in support of the Russian armies.

Today's assault, carrying into daylight the ninth successive day of the fierce aerial punishment of Germany, followed a 1,200-plane strike by the RAF against important targets. The main force of this attack, possibly 750 heavies, pummeled Dortmund, key communications center for the western front. Refugee-crammed Berlin was struck twice. Other formations broke off in several directions, striking the much-bombed rail center of Mannheim, two oil refineries south of Duesseldorf on the Rhine, and other targets.

The glow of large fires from the attack on Dortmund could be seen through thin clouds and smoke rose to a great height, the air ministry said.

Night fighters and intruder aircraft of the bomber command supported the heavies and attacked airfields. The RAF announced the loss of 21 planes from the night's operations.

The Berchtesgaden operation formed only a part of the total of 2,400 sorties flown yesterday by Allied planes from Italy in what was officially called "an all out effort against enemy communications" from northern Italy well into southern Germany.

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## 'Power Politics' Is Cry In House As Eden Speaks

LONDON, Feb. 21 (AP)—A cry of "power politics" and a charge that the Atlantic Charter was violated in the big three's treatment of the Polish issue were raised in commons today amid reports Prime Minister Churchill would demand a confidence vote next week in connection with the Crimea conference decisions.

Douglas Lloyd Savory, conservative party member, touched off a brief exchange on the government's foreign policy when he asked Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden:

"In view of the fact that eastern Galicia has never been in possession of Russia, what evidence does he (Churchill) have that inhabitants to the east of Poland's Curzon line have any desire to be incorporated into Russia?"

Churchill is scheduled to give a first hand report in commons next Tuesday and Wednesday on the Crimea conference.

Eden replied to Savory's query with the assertion that the house knew the strength of the Ukrainian national movement "which has existed for many years in this territory," but added that the government "could not be expected to have detailed and up-to-date evidence on the question."

Savory drew a burst of cheers as he snapped back with "are you not bound by the Atlantic Charter to consider these populations before transferring them?"

"This," said Eden, "is not purely a Polish - Russian question. It is also very much a Ukrainian question, and I have not the factual, up-to-date information as to that, although I know there is a large Ukrainian majority in this area."

## Germans Giving Suicide Moves To Convicted Troops

SUPREME HEADQUARTERS ALLIED EXPEDITIONARY FORCE, Paris, Feb. 21 (AP)—Hitler's army now is giving its suicide assignments to battalions of the damned, made up of German soldiers convicted of military offenses, it was learned authoritatively today.

Instead of going to prison, they go back to the front.

Such forces are known to have been used against the Russian army. Employment of troops in American uniforms at the time of the Ardennes breakthrough indicated that the convict corps had been in action in the west as well.

These troops get dirty jobs. They clear minefields under fire. They spearhead hopeless counterattacks. They are thrown into attacks when other German troops have been stopped.

## MacArthur Forces Have Japs Trapped

Intensity of fighting on Iwo, now in its third day, surpassed the outstanding battles of the Philippines where Gen. Douglas MacArthur estimated 92,000 Japanese casualties have been inflicted in six weeks. There were 12,929 American casualties—2,676 killed, 10,008 wounded and 245 missing.

Surviving Japanese on Corregidor were being sealed into the tomb-like tunnels of the Manila Bay island fortress. Nipponese in Manila were squeezed into a half square mile of the medieval Intramuros, where MacArthur said they were showing "the greatest savagery" toward 7,000 civilians trapped with them.

## Discovery Made That Britain Wants Greater Role In War Against Japs

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21 (AP)—Evidence that Britain wants a greater role in the war against Japan is found here in the disclosure of new Roosevelt-Churchill discussions on Pacific fighting.

President Roosevelt, on his return journey from Yalta, met the British leader at Alexandria. He was wanted to meet General Charles De Gaulle at Algiers immediately afterward, but the French president, having been left out at Yalta, snapped a curt "no thanks."

Mr. Roosevelt also conferred with three kings — Farouk of Egypt, Ibn Saud of Saudi Arabia and Haile Selassie of Ethiopia —

## Kidnapping Case Expected To Go To Jury During Day

FORT WORTH, Feb. 21 (AP)—Both state and defense attorneys indicated they thought the case of a pretty 19-year-old army flier's wife, on trial here on a charge of kidnapping two-month-old Milly McGill, would go to the jury today.

Mrs. C. E. Branson, wife of a Laredo army air field instructor, is charged with kidnapping the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. McGill of Fort Worth Jan. 9. The baby was found in a San Antonio bus station the next day. Ten days later Mrs. Branson was arrested at Laredo.

Last Saturday Mrs. McGill filed suit for divorce from her husband and asked that custody of Milly be given to Mrs. Branson.

A doctor, whose name was not disclosed—the second to be called to the stand by the defense—was to testify today. The prosecution said it would put eight rebuttal witnesses on the stand today, most of them to testify as to Mrs. Branson's character.

The defense has indicated it would plead temporary insanity in the case.

## Mrs. C. H. Pool Is Injured In Wreck

Mrs. C. H. Pool suffered a broken collarbone when the automobile which she was driving and a Big Spring police patrol car collided near the intersection of First and Runnels streets Tuesday at 7:15 p. m.

The police car was damaged, but none of the occupants received injuries. Police gave no cause for the accident.

Mrs. Pool received treatment at a local hospital and was dismissed Wednesday morning.

## WLB Cools Serious Strike Threats

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21 (AP)—The War Labor Board cooled a serious threat to the no-strike pledge today by revealing its decision to boost "substandard" pay of textile workers and spread uniform wages among meat packers.

The board abandoned its previous substandard level of 50 cents an hour and substituted a new one—55 cents—in the cotton and rayon textile field. This represented a major milestone in the board's three-year history. Added to this was a five-cent general increase aimed at retaining present geographical and job differentials.

By granting to the 145,000 workers involved in the meat packing cases a plan for establishing uniform wage schedules, the board likewise wrote a new chapter in the history of that industry. In addition, it decided the companies should furnish work clothes and tools, and sharpen the tools, upsetting established practice.

## NAVY RECRUITER HERE

J. L. Sturgess from the San Angelo district navy recruiting office will be at the postoffice basement from 9 a. m. to 1 p. m. Thursday to contact persons interested in naval enlistment.

## WPB BOARD CLOSED

The Howard county war price and ration board will be closed all day Feb. 22 in celebration of Washington's birthday.

## Caffery To Confer With DeGaulle For Discussion Of Big Three Meet

PARIS, Feb. 21 (AP)—U.S. Ambassador Jefferson Caffery prepared today to confer with Gen. De Gaulle, who refused to meet with President Roosevelt, on the decisions made by the big three in the Crimea.

The American embassy deplored as "unfortunate" the wording of a White House statement summarizing Roosevelt's activities after leaving Yalta which said the president invited De Gaulle to meet him in Algiers, French Morocco.

Roosevelt had planned to hold a quick "business session" with De Gaulle to inform France of the details of the Crimea conference and to obviate lengthy diplomatic correspondence, an embassy official said.

It was learned that De Gaulle either wrote or personally edited the statement issued by his office in which he turned down the invitation. The sentence saying De Gaulle was "happy to learn that President Roosevelt intended to visit a French port" was cited as reflecting the general's bitterness at being "invited to confer on French soil."

The American embassy explained that the proposal never mentioned Algiers as such but only a warship off the North African coast, presumably near Algiers. Caffery did meet the president off Algiers.

Roosevelt intended, embassy officials said, to return to Washington as soon as possible and then make a ceremonial state visit to France and England in the late spring after the United Nations conference in San Francisco.

A majority of the members of the French consultative assembly in private conversations opposed De Gaulle's response to Roosevelt's invitation and said if the French leader was determined not to go to Algiers he should have refused more politely.

## Howard Short In War Bond Quota

Howard county still lacks around \$40,000 of making its February bond quota of \$97,000, County Bond Chairman Ira Thurman reported Wednesday in appealing for a quickening tempo of purchases.

"We went over nicely on our January quota, making over 110 per cent of the assigned \$10,000 according to state figures," he declared. "This was accomplished while the state as a whole was making only 87 per cent of its quota. We want to be able to carry through with another over-subscription in February and maintain our clean record for the year."

All individuals and business concerns who have delayed purchases until now were urged to make them as quickly as possible, said Thurman.

## Arrangements To Meet Government Order Incomplete

Final arrangements for meeting the government order to close all places of entertainment at midnight had not been completed in Big Spring Wednesday.

One establishment, closes at 12 midnight during the week, stated that no plans had been made yet for closing. A Big Spring theater manager said that plans had not been completed for the presenting of the weekly midnight preview, but added that the preview showing would probably be presented at an earlier hour.

## Spraggins Reported Improved After Fall

L. J. Spraggins, who was seriously injured last Thursday when he fell 85 feet from the top of an oil well rigging, was reported Wednesday to be improving.

The injured man suffered a fractured right hip. Doctors said that there were no broken bones in the left arm as was first believed.

## David Lloyd George Is 'Seriously Ill'

LONDON, Feb. 21 (AP)—David Lloyd George, Britain's prime minister in World War I, was reported still seriously ill today at his home in North Wales but physicians said his condition was "not critical."

The 82-year-old liberal has been in failing health for some time.

## POLICE HOLD SUSPECT

Big Spring police were holding a man apprehended here last week for the sheriff's office of Sweetwater. He is wanted for forgery and will stand investigation for a burglary, local policemen said Wednesday. He was picked up for investigation by local policemen.

# Capt. Charles Simpson Marries San Angelo Girl In Church Vows

In a ceremony performed at 8:30 o'clock Friday evening in the First Christian Church of San Angelo, Miss Martha Jane Womack, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. C. T. Womack, became the bride of Capt. Charles E. Simpson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Simpson of Gail route, Big Spring.

The Rev. E. D. Henson, pastor, read the double-ring ceremony before a lattice background centered with an arch. Extending from the arch were 14-branched candelabra holding white tapers, with ivy entwined in the lattice.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a wedding gown of white slipper satin with sweetheart neckline and long pointed sleeves. Bands of princess lace outlined the neck and lace was set in the basque bodice. Matching lace edged her bridal veil of illusion and small cap which was trimmed with orange blossoms used by her grandmother, Mrs. C. C. West of Eldorado, at her wedding. The orange blossoms were tied with the small white tie worn by her grandfather, the late Mr. West, at his wedding. The bridal bouquet was of white carnations centered with an orchid.

Mrs. West attended her granddaughter as matron of honor and wore a purple dinner dress and an orchid corsage. Miss Jeanne Dement of Meridian, Miss. was maid of honor, and bridesmaids were Misses Ethel Claire Rainey of Lubbock and June Covington. The maids wore dresses of peach, yellow and lime green net respectively, designed with tucked basque waists and bouffant skirts. They carried colonial bouquets of matching pastel colors.

Junior bridesmaids were Barbara Ann West and Reida West of Eldorado, cousins of the bride. They wore dresses of lime green and yellow net, respectively, and carried the rings of the bridal couple.

Major James Haynes of Goodfellow Field was best man and ushers were Capt. William Bales and Lt. James Parker, and Jimmy and Bill Womack, brothers of the bride, and Donald Simpson, the bridegroom's brother.

Miss Mary Bain Spence of San Angelo, organist, played the traditional wedding music and Tech. Sgt. John Koepke sang "I Love You Truly."

The reception was held at the Massie Clubhouse immediately following the ceremony. The couple were assisted in receiving by their parents and the bridal party.

The refreshment table was centered with white flowers and the three-tiered wedding cake was topped by a miniature bride and bridegroom. Miss Evelyn Simpson of Fort Worth presided at the cake and Miss Gwendolyn Simpson of Midland was at the punch bowl.

Miss Simpson is a graduate of San Angelo high school and college and graduated from the Uni-



MRS. CHARLES E. SIMPSON

versity of Texas in June, 1944, with a business administration degree.

Capt. Simpson is a graduate of Ackerly High school and San Angelo College and entered the Air Corps in 1942. He served overseas for 16 months in the Mediterranean theatre, returning to Big Spring last fall. He is stationed at Goodfellow Field, San Angelo, as an instructor and holds the Silver

Star, the Air Medal and 11 clusters, and campaign ribbons. The couple will make their home in San Angelo.

Attending the wedding from Big Spring were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Simpson, Anne Martin, Rhea Merie Boyles, Mr. and Mrs. Loy Acuff, Mrs. E. W. Love, Mrs. Akin Simpson and children, Harold, Billy Bob, and Nolan.

## Better Known As Good Neighbors

Mrs. Pearl Cauble of the Elbow community was unable to hire anyone to shock her feed. Her neighbors, headed by R. C. Reed, contacted several community men and came to her aid and stacked her feed in one day's time.

Refusing pay for their services, Mrs. Cauble said she knew of no way of expressing her thanks but to prepare them a good meal, which she did.

Men working with tractors and trailers were Dave Low, Cecil Long, Ray Shortes, Roy Overton, Clifton Reed, Halton Reed and Curtis Wood. Those that brought their trucks were Robert Massey, Rufus Rogers, Everett Overton and Ernest Box. Pitching feed in the field were R. C. Reed, Ross Hill and John Coleman.

## Activities at the USO

**WEDNESDAY**  
6:15—Hospital visiting hour at the post; Lillian Jordan, chairman.

**THURSDAY**  
8:30—General activity.

**FRIDAY**  
9:00—Bingo; three-minute free telephone call home with Credit Women's Breakfast club as hostess.

**SATURDAY**  
8:30—Recording hour.  
7:00-8:00—Cakes donated by Home Demonstration club.

## Homemakers Class Quilts At Meeting

A quilt was made for a needy family when the Homemakers class of the First Baptist church met at the church Tuesday for a covered-dish luncheon. Ernest Hock brought an inspirational talk to the group of ladies and a short business meeting was held.

Attending were Mrs. C. C. Ryan, Mrs. C. E. Richardson, Mrs. J. F. Skalicky, Mrs. R. C. Hatch, Mrs. Dewey Martin, Mrs. Lina Lewellen, Mrs. G. C. Potts, Mrs. Inez Lewis, Mrs. M. C. Stulting, Mrs. Roy Green, Mrs. M. E. Harlan and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hock.

## West Ward P-TA Study Club Meet

Mrs. Robert Hill discussed "What Is the War Doing to Our Children," when the West Ward Parent-Teacher study club met at the school Tuesday afternoon.

The outstanding points she stressed were: feeling of security, participation in war activities by mothers of young children be weighed against the youngster's great need of maternal care, companionship and love.

Those attending the meeting were Mrs. C. E. Johnson, Mrs. Roy Tidwell, Mrs. Jack Johnson and Mrs. Robert Hill.

## South Ward Study Course Thursday

Mrs. M. M. Mancill will be the leader of a study on "Counseling With Our Children" when the South Ward P-T-A study course meets in her home at 300 Dixie Thursday at 1:30 p. m. Mrs. Mancill asks that an invitation be extended to anyone who wishes to attend.

## Future Activities For Shorthand Club

A dinner was planned to be held next Tuesday night at the Settles for members of the 80 Words Per Minute club when they met in the home of the sponsor, Ruth Burnam, Tuesday night.

Members voted to have red and white as the club colors and the American beauty rose as the club flower. A barbecue to be held later in the year was discussed and committees for the dinner were appointed. Billie Jean Anderson and Kathleen Little were appointed as a committee to order the food.

Ruth Burnam was appointed to secure information on the purchase of a new flag for the high school grounds. Plans for buying either coveralls or sweaters with the initials on them were also discussed.

Refreshments were served from a lace laid table with red and white candles on either end of the table. Artificial flowers on a blue mirror reflector served as the centerpiece.

Bridge was then played and those present were Gerri Staha, Kathleen Little, Cecilia Long, Billie Jean Anderson and the hostess, Ruth Burnam.

## Alfred Adams Is Promoted

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Adams have received word from their son, Alfred Adams, that he has been promoted to Yeoman 3/c. He has been working in the office of the Fourth Brigade since September, 1944. Mrs. Alfred Adams, the former Annie Eleanor Douglass, is attending N.T.S.T.C. at Denton during her husband's absence.

In one of Mrs. Adams' letters from her husband he stated that he had received letters from his officer in charge and also from the commanding officer of the Royal Australian Air Force for "Meritorious Action." Part of the letter read "Without the regard to your personal safety and entirely beyond the call of your regular duty, you climbed upon the wings of a burning plane and helped remove the pilot. Your action is in accord with the highest tradition of the Naval Service and reflects great credit on yourself and the unit to which you are attached."

Yeoman Adams has been overseas 13 months. He was in the invasion of the Admiralties and several others. In his letter dated February 6th, he stated he would see action again soon.

## USO Barn Dance Plans Completed

Plans were made Tuesday night at the USO by the Monday GSO girls for their barn dance and party to be held next Monday night at the USO. It was decided that the Monday girls furnish beans and other girls who attend are requested to contact Ann Houser for assignments.

Desk hostesses Tuesday were Mrs. C. G. Carner, Mrs. E. B. McCormick and Mrs. Shine Phillips. Snack bar hosts representing the Lions club were Mark Reed and Dan Conley.

## Christine Coffee Has Bible Study

Mrs. J. O. Skiles was hostess when the Christine Coffee Circle of the First Baptist church met in her home Monday afternoon for a Bible study. Mrs. W. J. Alexander led the study and presided at the discussion.

Pledges were made to furnish clothing for the children at the Baptist orphans' home. Each member was assigned a garment to be responsible for. A short business session was held.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Alexander, Mrs. Lee Jenkins, and the hostess, Mrs. Skiles.

It will be two or three weeks before Sgt. Mary O. Crenshaw will be able to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Crenshaw, she indicated in a telephone conversation to them. She has just returned from 14 months overseas duty with the 12th Fighter Command in North Africa and Italy. Sgt. Crenshaw enlisted in 1943, served at Daytona Beach, Fla., before going overseas in Dec. 1943.

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## Social Calendar Of Events For Week

**WEDNESDAY**  
CENTRAL WARD PARENT-TEACHER ASSOCIATION will have a regular meeting at 3:30 and the executive meeting at 3:15 at the school.

V.F.W. AUXILIARY will meet at the V.F.W. home at 8 p. m. FIREMEN LADIES will meet at the W.O.W. home at 3 p. m. LIONS AUXILIARY will meet in the home of Mrs. J. C. Douglass, Jr. at 12 noon.

**THURSDAY**  
ROYAL NEIGHBORS will meet at the W.O.W. hall at 2 p. m. SOUTH WARD P-TA STUDY COURSE will be in the home of Mrs. M. M. Mancill at 300 Dixie at 1:30 p. m.

**FRIDAY**  
WOODMEN CIRCLE will meet at the W.O.W. hall at 8 p. m. FRIENDSHIP BRIDGE CLUB will meet at 2:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Lewis Murdock, 606 East 17th.

**SATURDAY**  
MODERN WOMAN'S FORUM will meet at 3 p. m. with Mrs. Albert M. Fisher at the Settles Hotel.

## Party Honors Mrs. Reeves

A party honoring Mrs. Tommy Reeves, who is leaving Thursday for San Francisco Calif., to join her husband who is in the navy, was given Tuesday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Lovelace. Co-hosts and hostesses were Mr. and Mrs. Ike Lowe and Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Lovelace.

was entertainment for the evening.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pickle, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Nabors, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Donaldson, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Apple, Sgt. and Mrs. Carl Semple and children, Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Porterfield and daughters, Mrs. J. B. King, Mrs. Elvis McCrary, Mrs. Cecil Millam and son, Mrs. Lula Satterwhite, the honoree, the hosts and hostesses.

The Roman city of Pompeii was wiped out by a volcano in 79 A. D. and its ruins were not rediscovered until the 18th century.

## Garner P-TA Notes

Mrs. T. M. Robinson presided at the Parent-Teacher Association of the Garner school when it met Monday afternoon at the school. Members voted to give \$25 to the senior class as their part in the Hallowe'en carnival.

A committee of three, Mrs. J. E. Brown, Mrs. Morris Gay, and Mrs. Shirley Fryar, were appointed to get an estimate of the cost of wiring buildings of the grade school.

The program was given by Mrs. J. C. Ray, Mrs. Otho Loudamy and Mrs. R. L. Ballard will be hostesses at the next meeting. Those present were Mrs. Otho Loudamy, Mrs. T. M. Robinson, Mrs. Don Rasberry, Mrs. R. L. Ballard, Mrs. Emmitt Lumpkin, Mrs. J. C. Ray, Mrs. D. Baum, Mrs. R. Kates, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Barnes.

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## Christian Education Board Meets Tonight

H. D. Norris, superintendent of the First Methodist church school, urges all teachers and officers to be present at a board of Christian education meeting to be held in the church parlor at 8 p. m. Wednesday.

Read The Herald Want Ads.

**COLDS** FIGHT MISERY where you feel it—rub throat, chest and back with time-tested **VICKS VAPORUB**

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# Inter-American Conference Opens

By NORMAN CARIGNAN  
 MEXICO CITY, Feb. 21 (AP) — The Inter-American conference on war and postwar problems opens today faced with the job of tailoring the broad outlines of the Crimea conference to the special needs of this hemisphere.

The first plenary session will be held at 7 p. m. (CWT) when

President Manuel Avila Camacho of Mexico will address the delegates. His talk will be broadcast on an international hookup.

Most of the day has been set aside for organizational matters, with delegation chiefs called to meet at Chapultepec castle at 12 noon (CWT).

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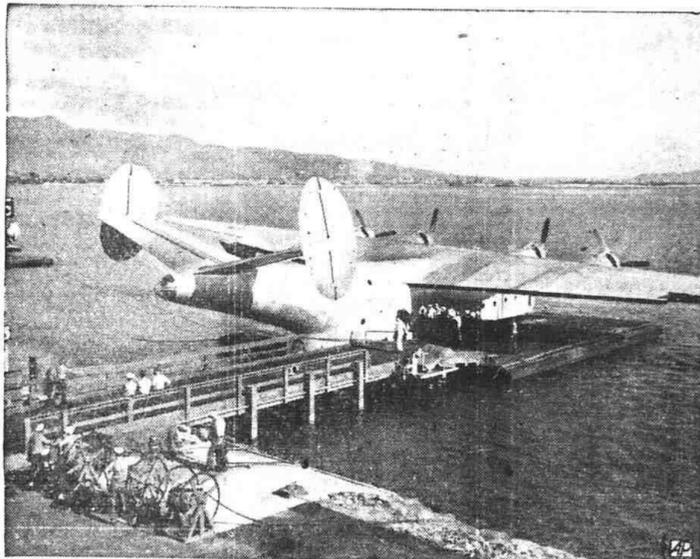
R. Stettinius, who arrived yesterday, already has communicated the results of the big three conference to the assembled delegation chiefs.

Stettinius and Ezequiel Padilla, Mexican foreign minister, are scheduled to share the spotlight at the second business session Thursday afternoon. Both will address the 19 delegations at that time.

The United States delegation intends to sponsor at least two resolutions, one providing for freedom of information in the Americas and another putting teeth into the Pan-American union.

The resolution on freedom of information will urge equal access to news sources throughout the hemisphere and stress the importance of exchange of news to inter-American relations.

The other is expected to give the Pan-American union sufficient political and economic powers so that it can function as a subdivision of the world organization contemplated in the Dumbarton Oaks plan.



LOADING BIG FLYING BOAT—Passengers board the huge flying boat, Mars, now being operated on Pacific flights by the Naval Air Transport Service.



TURNING FIRST SOD — Admiral Sir Bruce Fraser, commander-in-chief of the British Pacific fleet, turns the first sod in Sydney, N. S. W., for the British Center.

## Court Reverses Libel Conviction Of Laredo Editor

AUSTIN, Feb. 21 (AP) — The court of criminal appeals today reversed and remanded the criminal libel conviction of William Prescott Allen, publisher of the Laredo Times.

Allen was convicted in 45th district court at Laredo in July, 1944, on an indictment charging criminal libel, and his punishment was assessed at confinement in the county jail for six months.

It was from this conviction that he had appealed to the court of criminal appeals. Execution of the judgment had been held up pending the appeal.

Allen's indictment grew out of publication of statements referring to the board of directors of the Laredo Rotary Club and the operation of the club's student loan fund. Allen's attorneys pleaded among other things that the language used in the publication complained of "is at the most language of denunciation."

Judge Lloyd Davidson, in his opinion, based the reversal upon "the error in the charge" of the judge to the jury in the case.

## More Areas Under Federal Rent Control

AP Special Washington Service  
 WASHINGTON, Feb. 21 (AP) — Seventeen additional areas will be placed under federal rent control March 1, OPA announced today.

Areas coming under federal control, the maximum rent rate (rents are limited to those prevailing on the specified date), and the extent of such area include:

Mineola, Tex., Oct. 1, 1943, Wood county and that part of Winnboro in Franklin county.

In Texas, the Amarillo area is being split up. The new Amarillo area will be composed of Potter and Randall counties. A new area is being formed composed of Dallam, Hansford, Hartley, Moore and Sherman counties, to be known as the Dalhart area.

## House Group Studies Texas 'Atmosphere'

AUSTIN, Feb. 21 (AP) — Whether or not the air above Texas is Texas air, or federal air, was argued last night by the newly-born house committee on aeronautics.

The committee had before it a stack of bills relating to aviation, and referred four of them to subcommittee for further study. One, by Rep. H. A. Hull of Fort Worth, had the blessing of the Texas Private Flyers association and representatives of commercial airlines. They argued against other measures giving the state broader powers to regulate aviation.

The part of Australia under cultivation does not exceed the area of the state of Maine.

## SKIN IRRITATIONS OF EXTERNAL CAUSE

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SONGBIRD — Margarita Piazza (above), young soprano from New Orleans, is appearing in operatic roles in New York City after singing with Cincinnati and Chicago companies.

## Early Beginning

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Feb. 21 (AP) — Six-year-old Robin Lynne Baxter, whose father is serving with the army in North Africa, is learning early how to keep up armed force morale.

Given a cake on her last birthday, Robin Lynne passed up a party and took the delicacy down to the Red Cross canteen in a local railroad station. Servicemen passing through found her there cutting the cake for their benefit.

To prepare for a winter campaign in Germany, the Army conducted extensive tests in northern Canada.

## More Jap Vessels Sunk By US Navy

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21 (AP) — Twenty-five more Japanese vessels, including three combatant ships, have been sunk in Far Eastern waters by United States submarines.

A navy announcement today said the fighting ships included an escort aircraft carrier, a destroyer, and a large converted cruiser.

While not confirmed by the navy, the converted cruiser listed in today's communique was believed to be one of the enemy's pre-war 18,000 ton luxury merchant vessels.

## Missed Connections Cause False Report

Missed connections Sunday evening resulted in an erroneous report that La Rue Brown, 16, and Betty Jean Lavorn, 15, were missing, members of the family explained Tuesday. The two had become separated from a pair of younger girls, who took a taxi to Coahoma when they missed a bus. While LaRue and Betty Jean sought their younger companions here, they were frantically reported missing at Coahoma. They returned home shortly afterwards, but in the confusion, the missing report was not cancelled.

## Library Circulation Grows Outside City

Increased circulation among patrons residing outside of Big Spring has been noted recently at the Howard County Free Library, Doris Nesbitt, librarian, said Wednesday.

Circulation for the month has amounted to 1,328 and the registration total (the number who have taken out books) is now up to 1,075.

Several teachers in rural schools are making use of the library's facilities, said the librarian.

Currently the library has on order more than 100 volumes from various fields, and is due to receive in the near future more than this number of juvenile books under the impetus of a campaign now being conducted among service club members. A large number of the members have given a dollar to the library fund and at the same time autographed a juvenile book to be placed on the library's shelves.

In peacetime, the Ango and Pampanga valleys on Luzon Island produced a large share of the Philippine food supply.



RED CROSS POSTERS — Comedian Bob Hope (left) shows his partner, Jerry Colonna, the winning posters in the motion picture industry's nationwide contest for a design to publicize 1945 Red Cross war fund week.

## How To 'Jail' Hollywood Heads

AMARILLO, Feb. 21 (AP) — Hollywood, Arizona and Producer David Selznick caught it on the chin from Gene Howe, two-listed publisher of the Amarillo Globe-News, yesterday.

The editorial punch was administered when Howe heard Selznick planned to film a picture about the Texas Panhandle in Arizona.

That, partner, was too much. Howe, a Panhandle booster from 'way back, loves that region.

The publisher aimed first at the producer:

"If I had my way, I'd put Dave Selznick in jail if he ever came to, through or over the Panhandle."

Arizona caught it next: "Arizona has less character and personality than any other state. Seeing a succession of western pictures made in that state is like a steady diet of ranch pastry."

Then Hollywood: "Hollywood," said Howe, "is suffering from galloping decadence. If Amarillo had a Biltmore hotel and as many swimming pools as Phoenix, softies now engaged for the latest Texas picture, 'Duel in the Sun,' would be headed for the Panhandle."

If Producer Selznick continues with this folly, Howe reckons the law may take a hand in it for a state senator was shaking his fist at Hollywood too.

Sen. Grady Hazlewood of Amarillo said he was introducing in the next senate a resolution demanding that the picture be filmed in Texas.

## VD Control Bills Proposed To Group

AUSTIN, Feb. 21 (AP) — Two stringent venereal disease control bills, proposed by Rep. George Parkhouse of Dallas, last night were referred by the house public health committee to a subcommittee.

These bills, as explained by Parkhouse, provide that no marriage be performed until both the man and woman provide the preacher, justice of the peace or other official permitted to perform a ceremony, with a certificate from a licensed physician stating that the person is free from syphilis.

A 15-day leeway between the examination and the marriage is permitted.

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## Prison Sentences Given Circus Heads After Summer Fire

HARTFORD, Conn., Feb. 21 (AP) Judge William J. Shea today, in superior court, imposed heavy prison sentences on three officials of the Ringling Brothers and Barnum and Bailey Circus and sent three circus men to jail, all for involuntary manslaughter in connection with the circus fire here last July which claimed 168 lives.

Those sentenced were Geo. W. Smith, 51, of Sarasota, Fla., general manager, and Leonard S. Aylesworth, 52, chief tent man of Sarasota, two to seven years in state prison.

James A. Hales, 46-year-old vice president and director, Sarasota, one to five years in state prison.

Edward R. Versteeg, 44, chief electrician, Sarasota, and William Caley, 35, chief seatman, Sarasota, one year in the county jail.

David W. Blanchfield, 57, chief truckman, Hartford, six months in jail.

Judge Shea fined the Ringling Brothers, Barnum and Bailey Combined Shows, Inc., the official name of the concern, \$10,000. The defendants and the corporation had pleaded no contest to involuntary manslaughter and before passing sentence Judge Shea remarked that this was "equivalent to a plea of guilty."

## Radio Program

- Wednesday Evening  
 6:30 Evening Melodies.  
 6:45 Community Soap Box.  
 7:00 Hasten The Day.  
 7:15 Sports Cast.  
 7:30 Counterspy.  
 8:00 Gabriel Heater.  
 8:15 Real Stories, From Real Life.  
 8:30 Chamber of Commerce.  
 9:00 Ice-Box Folies.  
 9:30 On Stage Everybody.  
 10:00 Radio News Reel.  
 10:15 Report from Washington.  
 10:30 Sign Off.
- Thursday Morning  
 6:30 Sign On.  
 6:30 Musical Clock.  
 7:00 Martin Rgronsky.  
 7:15 Bandwagon.  
 7:30 News.  
 7:45 Between the Lines.  
 8:00 News Summary.  
 8:05 Breakfast Club.  
 9:00 My True Story.  
 9:25 Aunt Jimmie.  
 9:30 Sunny Side of the Street.  
 9:45 Songs by Bing Crosby.  
 10:00 Breakfast in Hollywood.  
 10:30 Gil Martyn, News.  
 10:45 Radio Bible Class.  
 11:00 Glamour Manor.  
 11:30 Amos R. Wood.  
 11:35 Farm & Homemakers.  
 Thursday Afternoon  
 12:00 Luncheon Dance Varieties.  
 12:30 News.  
 12:45 Homer Rodeheaver.  
 1:00 Cedric Foster.  
 1:15 School Forum.  
 1:30 Ladies, Be Seated.  
 2:00 Morton Downey.  
 2:15 True Detective Mysteries.  
 2:30 The Listening Post.  
 2:45 Gems of Melody.  
 3:00 Views of the News.  
 3:15 Johnson Family.  
 3:30 Reports from Abroad.  
 3:45 International News Events.  
 4:00 Bandwagon.  
 4:15 Dick Tracy.  
 4:30 International News Events.  
 4:45 Hop Harrigan.  
 Thursday Evening  
 5:00 Terry & The Pirates.  
 5:15 TSN News.  
 5:30 Tom Mix.  
 5:45 Music for Swing.  
 6:00 Fulton Lewis, Jr.  
 6:15 Raymond Gram Swing.  
 6:30 It's Murder.  
 6:45 Community Soap Box.  
 7:00 Headliner.  
 7:15 Sports Cast.  
 7:30 Art Godwin.  
 7:45 Voice of the Army.  
 8:00 Gabriel Heater.  
 8:15 Washington Birthday.  
 8:30 Treasure Hour of Song.  
 9:00 Fred Waring.  
 9:30 March of Time.  
 10:00 Radio News Reel.  
 10:15 Report from Washington.  
 10:30 Sign Off.

## Heavy Rains In Texas Bring On Flood Conditions

By The Associated Press  
 Heavy rains brought flood conditions to North Texas today, with residents of lowlands around Dallas being warned to leave their homes and with several buildings surrounded by mounting flood waters at Fort Worth.

Sheriff's deputies at Dallas were warning lowland residents to move to higher ground and to get livestock out of the endangered areas.

The Trinity river had gone to 32.4 feet—4.4 feet above flood crest, fed by 2.33 inches of rain in the past 24 hours. Weather Observer A. M. Hamrick predicted the river would go to 40 feet by tomorrow.

Mounting water at Fort Worth today surrounded a half dozen houses and flowed into a church on the north side, backed sewer lines up into an estimated 50 homes in Arlington Heights and forced the closing of one road in Forest Park.

Rain which had been falling there several days caused Little Belmont creek to overflow its banks and back up behind a fill. Creek waters entered the Belmont Baptist church.

Other rainfalls:  
 Burleson 2.25, Rosser 1.7, Gainesville 1.60, Trinidad 1 inch, Port Arthur 1.01, Waco .92, Austin .33, Lufkin .43, Quannah .27, Fredericksburg .32.

There was rain at San Antonio, Corpus Christi, Big Spring, Abilene, Laredo and Crystal City but it was light at each place.

## Parking Signs Removed Due To Labor Shortage

The two-hour parking limit is still on the city's books—but the two-hour parking signs are no longer on lamp posts.

Armed with acetylene torches, city workers Tuesday went about removing these metal signs since the manpower shortage in the police department has made it next to impossible to check on the observance of the two-hour parking limit, city officials said.

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### Failure To Check Tires To Be Costly

Failure of commercial motor vehicle operators to comply with regulations requiring periodic tire inspections will adversely affect the claims of these operators for new tires, Nettles F. Nelson, of Lubbock, district manager of the Office of Defense Transportation announced today.

The ODT official warned truck, bus and taxicab operators that General Order ODT 21A requires all commercial motor vehicle operators to have their tires checked after each 5,000 miles of operation, or after every six months of operation if operated less than 5,000 miles.

Office of Price Administration action lifting this requirement for passenger car tires in no way affects compliance of commercial motor vehicle operators.

### Laredo Set To Stage Annual Fete

LAREDO, Feb. 21 (AP)—A group of Mexican officials, headed by three state governors, will arrive here tomorrow to participate in Laredo's 48th annual Washington birthday celebration.

Festivities will begin at day-break tomorrow with a firing salute at Fort McIntosh.

Mexican visitors who will take part in the ceremonies honoring the North American patriot, will be met at the middle of the International bridge linking Texas and Mexico by a U. S. delegation.

A military parade with units from the Laredo army air field, Fort McIntosh, and the southern land frontier will stage a parade beginning at 11 a. m. Thursday.

Gov. Coke Stevenson will officially welcome the three Mexican governors, Lic. Hugo Pedro Gonzalez of Tamaulipas, Lic. Arturo De La Garza of Nuevo Leon and Gonzalo N. Santos of San Luis Potosi.

Today Frank Scofield of Austin, internal revenue collector, conducted cattle judging at the third annual Pan-American fair and livestock show which has been in progress here since Monday.

An old-fashioned cattleman's ball is slated tonight as a feature of the show.

**BICYCLE CHAMPION**  
DALLAS, Feb. 21 (AP)— Jack McDonald, 26, member of the Houston fire department, rode a bicycle the 251 miles from Houston to Dallas in fifteen hours and two minutes. McDonald claimed the trip set a new world's record.

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**COLD WAVE IN ENGLAND**—Horsemen walk their mounts through Wimbledon Common, London, as the English capital experienced its severest cold wave in many years.

### Today On The Home Front—

## Who Can Use The W-2 Tax Receipt

(Editor's Note: This is the third of 12 stories explaining who has to do what about his income taxes.)

By JAMES MARLOW  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 21 (AP)— This story will answer the question: "Who can use Form W-2—the withholding receipt—in making his income tax return for 1944?"

Form W-2, slightly larger than a bank check, is the receipt a boss gives a worker for taxes withheld from his wages or salary in 1944.

You can use it only:

1. If your income was less than \$5,000 and practically all of it came from wages or salary from which taxes were regularly withheld.
2. If, in addition to the wages or salary, you had an income not over \$100 from interest or dividends or other wages not subject to withholding, provided that extra income did not bring the total to \$5,000.

Here are examples of who can and can't use Form W-2:

A. Your salary was \$4,500. Taxes were regularly withheld from it. You had no other income. You can use Form W-2.

B. Your salary was \$4,500. Taxes were regularly withheld from it. You had income of \$100 from interest or dividends or wages not subject to withholding. You can use Form W-2.

C. Your salary was \$4,500. Taxes were regularly withheld from it. You had added income of only \$50 from rents. You could not use Form W-2. You'd use the 1040 short-form.

You cannot use form W-2 for reporting any income from rents, professional fees, business, partnership, estate, trust or annuities.

Husbands and wives can make a combined return on Form W-2 if their combined income was less than \$5,000 and if that income fits the requirements listed above. Example:

A. Jones' salary was \$2,500. His wife's salary was \$2,000. Both salaries regularly had taxes withheld. One of them additionally had \$85 income from interest. They

could use Form W-2 jointly or singly.

B. Jones' salary was \$2,500 and his wife had no salary but did have income of \$300 from dividends. Because her income from dividends was more than \$100, she could not file a Form W-2, nor could they make a joint return on Form W-2. He could use a Form W-2 for his own return, and she could use the 1040 short form or they could make a joint return on a 1040 short form.

In the 8 community-property states—Arizona, California, Idaho, Louisiana, Nevada, New Mexico, Texas and Washington—husbands and wives cannot file separately on Form W-2. But they could, if they wanted to, file separate returns on Form 1040.

There's a place on Form W-2 for listing your exemptions: Yourself, wife and dependent relatives. But there's no place for listing allowable deductions for charitable contributions, taxes, interest on mortgages, medical and dental expenses, union dues and so on.

The reason: In checking your return to determine the tax on you, the collector uses a tax table which automatically allows everyone using Form W-2 a deduction of about 10 per cent. Most people's deductions are not that much.

If your deductions amount to more than 10 per cent, don't use Form W-2. You'll lose money. Use the 1040 long-form. There you'll have to itemize your deductions—and work out your own tax—but you can get credit for them if they're more than 10 per cent.

You can't use the 1040 short-form and claim deductions. There, just as in Form W-2, you are allowed about 10 per cent in deductions but they are included in the tax on the table which you'd use in finding your tax.

### GRIN AND BEAR IT



"Hon. Spy report U. S. housing demolished by Japanese air raids—OPA warn populace not to rent house without ceiling."

### Wild Imagination

SEATTLE, Wash., Feb. 21 (AP)—Hale E. Landry, Boeing aircraft instructor and pastel landscape painter, is color blind and uses special lenses for his work. But when he forgets them:

A friend once turned his palette around when he was doing a farm scene.

"It was terrible," he recalled. "I had blue cows, and red haystacks, and you know, someone who saw it exclaimed: 'My, how modern!'"

Another time he did a portrait of a girl with green lips.

### Two-Way Losses

SANTA FE, N. M., Feb. 21 (AP)—Ted McFarland, mechanical superintendent for the Santa Fe New Mexican, lost his shirt to a burglar.

McFarland reported that the burglar helped himself to a shirt, two watches, a quart of milk and some peach preserves. The intruder left a soiled shirt in exchange for the one he took, but police claimed the discarded shirt as evidence.

### RAIL OFFICIAL DIES

DALLAS, Feb. 21 (AP)—Eugene Purviance, 54, of Dallas final reviewer with the regional office of the United States railroad retirement board here, died last night at a local hospital after having suffered a heart attack yesterday.

Chief settlement on the Luzon plains is the town of Tarlac, with a prewar population of 16,350.

### Ackerly Sailor Back In States

ACKERLY, Feb. 21 — Vernon Milam, C M 3 C, resident of Ackerly before his entry into service, is back in the States after eight months of overseas duty in the South Pacific. After a 30-day leave he will be sent to Washington for an advance school.

Ackerly swept a two-game series from Loop here last weekend.

Rev. and Mrs. O. H. Garner and Mrs. Phil Cates sponsored a party given by the BTU honoring Alfred Cluck who is entering the armed forces next week. Refreshments were served to approximately 30 guests.

Mrs. Leo Lawson and Shirley of Andrews are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hinson, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Chilton and son from Hamilton have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Roy Chilton last week. Dale is entering the armed forces soon.

Mrs. Gean Cates, recent scarlet fever victim, is failing to show expected improvement. Her daughter, Billie Gean, who suffered from the infection at the same time, is improving rapidly. Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Cates, Big Spring, are visiting with them.

Mrs. Eddy Crass and sons of Ackerly are visiting her mother, Mrs. L. Mayhugh of Floyd, N. M. Mr. and Mrs. Norman W. Cluck and Miss Lee Becker from Bryan have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cluck.

### Road To Berlin

- By The Associated Press
- 1—Eastern Front: 32 miles (from Zelin).
  - 2—Western Front: 296 miles (from west bank of Rhine at Emmerich).
  - 3—Italian Front: 544 miles (from Reno River).

### Politicians Promise WACs For Shacks

By HAMILTON W. FARON  
SAIPAN, Marianas, (AP)—That congressman back home who started such a debate with his suggestion that wives be sent into the Pacific war areas can stand in a corner now. Enlisted men of the headquarters squadron at Saipan's B-29 base, faced with the routine task of choosing an enlisted men's council, made it a red-hot burlesque of American politics with such slogans as:

"A Wac for Every Shack!" (There are neither WACs nor shacks on Saipan.)

"A Beer With Every Dear!" (There aren't any dears here either, and too few beers if you want to be precise about it.)

Torchlight meetings, political signboards, slogans, electioneering, even mock charges of bribery by supporters of opposing candidates figured in the drive for votes.

Frank M. "Hug" Huggins, and John W. Smith, Spokane, Wash., were leading rivals for the council seat to be held by a private. They garnered votes in typical machine style, attending pep meetings, speaking at smokers, making guest appearances at various tents in the headquarters area.

A giant rally climaxed the campaign. Politicians took over the outdoor movie theater. Hug sat with his backers, diminutive but happy. Smith, across the stage, was surrounded by his supporters and wore a Good Conduct ribbon—fully a foot long—as evidence of his trustworthiness.

Hug emphasized his slogan, "A Beer With Every Dear," by waving an empty beer can throughout the rally. He avoided with top-notch political skill the question of how he'd get either beer or dears to Saipan. Smith was equally adroit in the hearty vagueness of his pledge: "A Wac for Every Shack!"

The cartoonists stepped into the campaign, too.

Large sketches were displayed prominently on the stage, emphasizing—very unkindly, too—rugged features of each man.

Original slogans promising WACs, shacks, beers and dears seemed pretty thin, however, as voters began to realize their impossibility. So true genius won the election for Huggins.

"If elected," he proclaimed with a cheery shout, "my aim shall be: A jeep for every jerk on this island."

Smith conceded shortly thereafter.

### Four Years Ago

By The Associated Press  
Feb. 21, 1941—German planes raid South Wales. British bomb French channel ports and Italian posts in Africa.

Mrs. C. H. Tidwell has as her guest her sister, Mrs. C. E. Mayfield of Claiborne, Tex.

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**THUNDERBOLT ATTACK** — From a forward air strip in Burma, RAF Thunderbolts roar away to attack enemy communications and facilities. Fellow airmen watch the takeoff.

### Mexico's Padilla Likened To Wilson

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 21 (AP)— Many Mexicans compare their foreign minister to President Woodrow Wilson.

Ezequiel Padilla, chairman of the Inter-American conference which opens today, cuts a different sort of figure, but, like Wilson, he has achieved a reverent popularity abroad while battling a caustic opposition at home.

The tall, bronze-skinned statesman wields a powerful influence at the meeting, which is hoping to break the road for economic well being and security in the postwar Americas. For years, Padilla has advocated strengthening the American system and enriching every western hemisphere nation by promoting trade on this continent.

A dominant figure among Latin American diplomats, he commands personal attention because of his

soft-spoken eloquence and towering, broad figures.

The Mexican foreign minister's background, however, is closer to that of a log-cabin statesman like Cordell Hull than to that of college President Wilson.

He rose to prominence in an ideal manner for an aspiring politician. Nevertheless, his chances of becoming Mexico's next president are exceedingly slim. One of his opponents' main charges against him is that he is too friendly to the United States.

Padilla, whose strong strains of Indian blood show clearly in his dark skin, spent his early childhood with his widowed mother's small, isolated farm.

When he was eleven, the governor of the province offered him a chance to go to school in the provincial capital. Getting there was a huge financial problem, but his mother wanted him to go. So the village mayor wrote to the mayor of the next village asking him to care for Padilla and send him on to the following town.

The lad set out on horseback and it took him 30 days to complete the ten-day trip because he had to stop at each little town where the schoolmaster had him make a speech to the class.

After the provincial capital, he went on to Mexico City, then Paris. That first trip served him in good stead, because after he returned from France to fight in the revolution with Pancho Villa, he ran for congress from his home province and was elected.

Padilla rocketed to international fame at the last conference of American foreign ministers in Rio de Janeiro, just after Pearl Harbor in January, 1942.

The last day of the conference, Padilla was called upon to speak. With simplicity, he appealed for

unity in the Americas. The audience roared approval.

"I can never again achieve the same heights at Rio," Padilla said recently, but his colleagues believe differently.

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# No Evidence Found Of Dishonesty In College Cage Games At Garden

By TED MEIER  
NEW YORK, Feb. 21 (AP)—No evidence of dishonesty or corrupt dealings has been found in college basketball games played at Madison Square Garden, the depart-

ment of investigation reported yesterday.

Commissioner Edgar Bromberger, who began a probe after the Brooklyn College gambling scandal broke on Jan. 29, asserted "although there have been vague rumors and intimations of corruption" during each season that intercollegiate basketball has been established at Madison Square Garden x x there is no evidence of any dishonesty, culpable irregularity or corrupt dealings in the negotiations between the Garden corporation and City College of New York and Brooklyn College, or in the conduct of the games themselves or in the financial transactions resulting therefrom.

In addition, the 40-page interim report to Mayor Fiorello LaGuardia declared that the "officials in charge of the games are, according to unanimous opinion, of high character and incorruptible conduct."

Bromberger said "two instances of apparent attempted corruption of players" were disclosed in the testimony.

William Levine, CCNY captain, testified, the report asserted, that about a week prior to the CCNY-Syracuse game at the Garden Jan. 10 "he was approached by someone whose type he recognized as that of a gambler and asked whether he desired to make any money. x x Levine further stated that Red Holzman, formerly CCNY captain, told him some years ago that he had been approached with a proposition to throw a game." In both cases the players rejected the offers, Bromberger said.

# Officer Team Takes Bowling Series In Clash With Women

I their second meeting in as many weeks the Officers' bowling team from the Big Spring Bombarrier school took two of three games from the city's women bowlers in the regular Tuesday night meeting.

Lt. Andy Cahill and Olive Caudle led their teams in the high individual score, with each getting a best score on one line of 191.

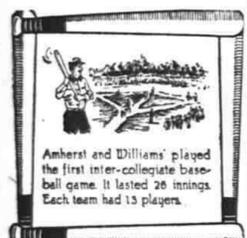
The women, however, had the top team game of the night with an 816, topping the best score combination offered by the officers of 758.

The Officer crew came through the series with a 2,195 total to take those honors. The women had 2,137 to their credit.

Cahill also led with high series score, marking up a 524 in the three games, while Olive Caudle was second of the night, and high for the women with 480.

Rounding out the officer team other than Cahill, were Lt. Frank Gardner, Lt. Len Hoying, Flight Officer Jim Easten and Flight Officer Earl Davis.

Others on the women's five were Mary Ruth and Vera Dozier, Betty Vineyard and Juanita Smith.



Amberst and Williams played the first inter-collegiate baseball game. It lasted 26 innings. Each team had 15 players.



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AIRVIEW OF DRESDEN — This pre-war airview shows part of Dresden, Germany, and grounds of the old Saxony royal castle. Elbe river is at upper left.

# Baseball Representatives Look Into Transportation Problems

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21 (AP)—Baseball's representatives look into the transportation situation today following an apparently satisfactory conference on manpower with War Mobilizer Byrnes.

Ford Frick and Will Harridge, major league's presidents, will end their official business here in a talk with Col. J. Monroe Johnson, Office of Defense Transportation director.

With spring training starting early next month, the two problems—manpower and transportation—are considered the sport's most pressing.

Frick and Harridge had little to say after a discussion with Byrnes. They told reporters that "we merely laid our problems before him" in facts and figures.

Frick later added that "we talked manpower on a broad scale."

Byrnes was "very friendly and courteous," Frick said, and he and Harridge looked as if the interview had been encouraging.

Byrnes had no comment.

The ODT has said that the burden on transportation will be heavier in 1945 than ever before and that restrictions must be made all along the line.

# Slammin' Sammy Seems Hot Again

PENSACOLA, Fla., Feb. 21 (AP)—Gull's "hot and cold" performer, Slammin' Sammy Snead of Hot Springs, Va., seems to be hot again.

Snead, forced out of two tournaments by a recent back injury, blasted a sizzling five-under-par 67 yesterday as he warmed up for the \$6,500 Pensacola open.

A pro-amateur round tomorrow precedes the tournament proper. Eighteen holes will be played Friday, another 18 Saturday, and the 36-hole finale Sunday.

# Ex-Rice Star In Second Place For Army Basketeers

NEW YORK, Feb. 21 (AP)—Gale Bishop of the Fort Lewis (Wash.) Warriors went on a 127-point scoring spree in five games last week to take a commanding lead of 305 points in the high scoring race among the nation's service basketball quintets.

A former Rice Institute star, Joe Kinney, of Camp Bradford (Va.), ousted Ermer Robinson, of Fort Warren (Wyo.) from second place. Kinney has 523 points in 29 games.

The top scorers on each service team reporting last week to the Associated Press (300 or more points) included:

Name, team	G	FG	FT	TP
Gale Bishop, Ft. Lewis (Wash.)	34	347	134	828
Joe Kinney, Camp Bradford (Va.)	29	220	83	523
Bob Gerber, Harmon Hosp.	23	170	57	397
Ralph Vaughn, Corp. Christi N.	26	151	54	336
Vide Kierste, Waco AAF	25	155	36	346

The first railroad to be built from the Atlantic to the Pacific Ocean was constructed in the Republic of Panama.

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# SPORTS ROUNDUP

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.

NEW YORK, Feb. 21 (AP)—Felix (Doc) Blanchard, Army's All-America fullback, and Halfback Max Minor have entered Saturday's National A.A.U. track and field championships, Blanchard in the shot put and Minor in the broad jump. . . . That probably explains the absence of Notre Dame entries. . . . If Gunder Haegg and Hurdler Haakon Lidman don't get here for the meet, why not substitute Sharkey, the high-hurdling seal from the National Sportsmen's show, for the latter? He's right down in the Garden basement. . . . Bill Tilden, age 52, calls his old doubles partner, Vinnie Richards, 41, "Sonny." . . . Joseph Borden, who pitched the first no-hit game in organized baseball (for Philadelphia vs. Boston, National Association, 1875) on the field because he didn't think it was quite correct for his own name to appear in box scores. . . . We can see where a good athlete these days might get the same sort of idea.

# Kerr-se the Luck

Andy Kerr, Jr., son of the Colgate coach, came within four seconds of having a perfect season in his first coaching attempt last fall. . . . Andy, Jr., a doctor attached to a general hospital in England, tutored the 11th Aces, who were unbeaten and unscored-on going into the season's fifth and final game against the 307th Hospital. . . . Things continued to go well until the last four seconds when one of Andy's boys tried to pass, was rushed and the ball was deflected into the arms of an opposing guard, who ran for a touchdown.

# Service Dept.

The Jacksonville, Fla., Naval Air Technical Training Center boxing team complains that it has run clear out of opposition. Wonder if the Sailors know about that Fort Bragg 2nd PTR squad that includes Cpl. Al Hustak, ex-midweight champ, and Mike Raffia, former featherweight title contender? . . . Donna Kinzle, former Duke U. hurdler who has been wearing R.C.A.F. colors in the indoor track meets, has transferred to the American Air Force. . . . Lt. Harry Kline, New York Giants end, has been handed a Purple Heart and a medical discharge by the navy.

# PLAYERS IN SERVICE

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 21 (AP)—Eight members of Southern California's 1945 Rose Bowl football champions soon will be doing their stuff on bigger fields. Seven, headed by Capt. Jim Hardy and all-America tackle John Ferraro, were commissioned as ensigns yesterday. Center Russ Antles became a Marine second lieutenant.

# BOXING PAYS OFF IN POW

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 21 (AP)—Sgt. Calvin K. Benedict is making good use of the boxing he learned while attending Tulane. He was one of a group of paratroopers taken prisoner by the Germans. In a letter to his parents here he related he had been awarded extra rations by winning boxing bouts in prison camp tournaments.

# OLYMPIC CHAMP INJURED

MIAMI, Fla., Feb. 21 (AP)—Lt. Col. Marshall Wayne, former Miami diving star who won the 1936 Olympic championship and twice won the United States national title, is back in Miami nursing a leg injury. He was hurt when he was forced to bail out of his reconnaissance plane over Italy a few weeks ago.

# SAM HOUSTON WINS

COMMERCE, Feb. 21 (AP)—The Sam Houston State Teachers college basketball team piled up an 18-point lead in the first half and held the advantage to defeat the East Texas State Teachers college 47-30 here last night.

# Sliding Down The Sports Chute

with BILL

Some questions have arisen as to the impending kite carnival to be staged March 24. Here are some questions and answers. If you have more than put them on the card along with your entry and yours truly will attempt an answer for them.

Where will the contest be held? The site has been tentatively ground for the North Ward play ground. According to Miss Arab Phillips this is the best lot in town for such an activity, having the least number of wires, trees, etc. to interfere with kites. This will be the site if officials will give us permission to use it on that date.

How many events may a person enter? The different divisions are open to every one. One kite flier may enter all of them if he so desires.

The purpose of this carnival, other than to bring the entries into competitive sports, is to test originality. If the boy, or girl, be so inclined that he is able to build several different types of kites, then power to him.

What if a kite hits the ground? Will it be disqualified? No kite which falls completely may be raised again. If it merely dives to the ground but the owner is able to keep it in the air, or return it above the ground without touching the body of the kite with his hands then he may continue in the contest.

There are to be quite a few kites in the race, and we must take all precautions to insure everyone a fair chance. It will be the responsibility of the entry to keep his kite flying as that is a strict part of the rules. The kites must fly, and several chances to prove they will would be unfair to others.

What if two kites become tangled? If two kites become tangled, through an accident, and fall to the ground, then the two owners may put them into the air again.

No fighting, however, will be allowed between kites until the fighter contest. Any person who deliberately tangles his kite with another will be disqualified.

The fighter contest will be staged in relays. There are expected to be too many entered for one main event. The entire group will be divided into divisions, with the number in each separate group depending upon the number of entries.

The winners of the several divisions will then be placed in the finale together. By divisions, I speak of the fighter contest, not of the various prizes to be awarded.

Is it legal to use mechanical contrivances in letting out and retrieving the kites in the retriever contest? No. It has been decided that this method would be unfair to many of the persons entered.

Some will have access to reels and other mechanical gadgets that some are not able to afford. Therefore all aids used in rolling in the kite must be either constructed at home, by the entry, or none used.

A hint to the wise would be sufficient, so I'll give warning now that if you are to enter you had best get started working on your kites.

Jack Smith, president of the Big Spring Athletic Association, which is sponsoring this event, has stated that his kite is ready. He built it himself and swears it will fly. Of course, this is merely heresy and no one has seen it do so other than Jack. Anyway, his birth certificate belies his age, and I fear he will not be allowed to enter.

Think it over . . .

# BOXER IS WOUNDED

TAMPA, Fla., Feb. 21 (AP)—Tommy Gomez, Tampa heavyweight boxer, has been seriously wounded in Germany, the war department has notified his mother, Mrs. Thomas Gomez, Sr., here.

# Herald Classifieds Pay.

# A Vital Message To Men Who Feel Old

Why not regain the vim and vitality you once enjoyed?

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Editorial - -

Time To Reduce Speeding

At the moment we have no knowledge of anyone being hauled into court for speeding or careless driving; thus, it seems an opportune time to get in a word on the subject.

It seems to us that there is a growing disposition toward indiscriminate speeding. While we do not lay it entirely to the door of youngsters—and we usually spring to the defense of the younger generation in matters of this sort—our personal observation indicates that the bulk of downright dangerous driving being done today is by irresponsible school children.

Our office offers a vantage point for witnessing traffic move up and down a busy street, and upon our word we have, on many occasions in recent weeks, seen youngsters actually racing up and down the street. This is dangerous enough within itself, but it does not take into account many ticklish intersections and the fact that the street courses within a block of the high school and a ward school. What happens on this street surely can be multiplied several times to get a fair picture of conditions over the city.

It will be too late to be sorry when cars crash, or overturn, or smash into another at some intersection—or hit some child crossing a street. The time to do something is now, and the place to start is at home. Parents have the responsibility not only to themselves but to the community to make sure that their child is capable of safe driving and that he does engage in safe driving before they turn the family car over to him.

A little more diligence on patrol by police cars doubtless would help whittle down this menace. Fear of getting caught is still pretty good medicine.

Education For Veterans

Just where do we stand in the matter of adjusting our educational system to returning veterans?

In a recent issue of Readers Digest an ex-Marine who returned to high school told how he was a little abashed to run into sweet poem about bobolinks and ethereal symposiums on "The English Essayist I Like Best."

Said he: "Education, as we ex-fighters see it, should serve two purposes: Prepare us to earn a living and prepare us for God-fearing citizenship." It seems to us that the young man has hit on a pretty good definition for education for anyone. We have no quarrel with academic education, but admittedly we are going to have a problem in trying to meet the demands of returning servicemen who will at least have the idea they want to do something about their education. We can't expect them to go the same routes children a few years their junior, for in experiences they will be many times older.

It seems that there ought to be considerable thought given to curriculum planning to meet the needs of these young men as they return; to providing facilities for more technical types of training; for actually doing something about that junior college idea we have embellished with lip service so long around here.

Ernie Pyle Reports—

Pacific Coverage To Be New Start

By ERNIE PYLE

HONOLULU—Covering this Pacific war is, for me, going to be like learning to live in a new city.

The methods of war, the attitude toward it, the homesickness, the distances, the climate—everything is different from what we have known in the European war.

Here in the beginning, I can't seem to get my mind around it, or get my fingers on it. I suspect it will take months to get adjusted and get the "feel" of this war.

Distance is the main thing. I don't mean distance from America so much, for our war in Europe is a long way from home too. I mean distances after you get right on the battlefield.

For the whole Western Pacific is our battlefield now, and where distances in Europe are hundreds of miles at most, out here they are thousands. And there's nothing in between but water.

You can be on an island battlefield, and the next thing behind

you is a thousand miles away. One soldier told me the worst sinking feeling he ever had was when they had landed on an island and were fighting, and on the morning of D-3 he looked out to sea and it was completely empty. Our entire convoy had unloaded and left for more, and boy, did it leave you with a lonesome and deserted feeling.

As one Admiral said, directing this war is like watching a slow-motion picture. You plan something for months, and then finally the great day comes when you launch your plans, and then it is days or weeks before the attack happens, because it takes that long to get there.

As an example of how they feel, the Navy gives you a slick sheet of paper as you go through here, entitled "Airline Distances in Pacific." And at the bottom of it is printed "Our Enemy, Geography." Logistics out here is more than a word; it's a nightmare.

Here's another example of their

attitude toward distances in the Pacific— At Anzio in Italy just a year ago, the Third Division set up a rest camp for its exhausted infantrymen. The rest camp was less than five miles from the front line, within constant enemy artillery range.

But in the Pacific, they bring men clear back from the western islands to Pearl Harbor to rest camps—the equivalent of bringing an Anzio beachhead fighter all the way back to Kansas City for his two-weeks rest.

It's 3,500 miles from Pearl Harbor to the Marianas, all over water, yet hundreds of people travel it daily by air as casually as you'd go to work in the morning.

And there is another enemy out here that we did not know so well in Europe—and that is monotony. Oh sure, war everywhere is monotonous in its dreariness. But out here even the niceness of life gets monotonous.

The days are warm and on our established island bases the food is good and the mail service is fast and there's little danger from the enemy and the days go by in their endless sameness and they drive you nuts. They sometimes call it going "pineapple crazy."

Our high rate of returning mental cases is discussed frankly in the island and service newspapers. A man doesn't have to be under fire in the front lines finally to have more than he can take without breaking.

He can, when isolated and homesick, have more than he can take of nothing but warmth and sunshine and good food and safety—when there's nothing else to go with it, and no prospect of anything else.

And another adjustment I'll have to make is the attitude toward the enemy. In Europe we felt our enemies, horrible and deadly as they were, were still people.

But out here I've already gathered the feeling that the Japanese are looked upon as something un-human and squirmy—like some people feel about cockroaches or mice.

I've seen one group of Japanese prisoners in a wire-fenced court-

The Unseen Audience



Hal Boyle: Thirty Wounded Men Lay In The Night Awaiting Freezing Death

By HAL BOYLE

IN GERMANY. (AP)—Night fell over the battlefield, hiding 30 wounded men from their comrades.

It was just one of those tough breaks the infantry is used to. Attacking a small village, Company F had been caught in heavy German artillery fire as the doughboys bucked through snowdrifts.

Most of the men made it—but somewhere back in the darkness lay 30 wounded and the thoughts of the shivering doughboys of Company F were back there with them.

They knew the chances were against the wounded. It was pitch black and the falling snow soon would hide the bleeding men. You can't walk around a battlefield flashing lights at night.

It looked as if the 30 men would die of their wounds or freeze in the bitter cold before medics could find them in the morning.

Their commander Capt. George Duckworth knew what was going on in their pain-twisted minds, waiting for death to take them in the night, waiting in a strange land with no friend's hand there to save them or ferry them into eternity. By the hard, harsh logic of battlefield economics these men or most of them would die.

But Capt. Duckworth thought this was the time to disregard "battlefield economics" as soon as he was sure the rest of the company was bunked down as warmly as possible. He set out to find his wounded men.

Foot by foot he tramped back and forth over the area his company had gained during the day. There was nothing to guide him but the luminous surface of the snow and occasional shellbursts from harassing German artillery fire.

Whenever the captain found a wounded man, he quickly gave emergency treatment to keep him alive and conscious until stretcher bearers could start him toward warmth and hot food, with lights and blankets and hot water to sponge aching wounds crusted with frozen blood.

It was dawn when Duckworth and the medics who helped him finished their task. All 30 wounded men had been found. Twenty-four of them had been discovered and treated by the captain himself.

The light of morning shone upon them. It was time for Company F to attack again and neither the captain nor his dreaming men knew who among them would be lying in the snow before another day was through.

Hollywood—

"Roughly Speaking" — It's Discouraging

By JACK O'BRIAN

AP Drama Editor

"Roughly Speaking," A Warner Brothers picture with Rosalind Russell and Jack Carson; produced by Henry Blanke, directed by Michael Curtiz.

There is a curious mood about "Roughly Speaking," as if it had been produced some time ago, but with today's technical advances and acting techniques. Even the most modern part of the film, set during the present wartime scene, has an odd period effect, as if it were being seen in 1950 or 1955 and chronicled the advancing years in the language and slangage of each period it touched.

The film is an adaptation of Louise Randall Pierson's autobiography of the same name; Miss Pierson also wrote the screenplay. It covers about 50 years of her life, with emphasis on her rough time trying to make things stretch over lean periods.

Rosalind Russell comes into the film as a 17-year-old girl and finishes, despite rigors which would age even Mickey Rooney, she accomplishes a nicely dignified dotage. Jack Carson is the husband—the second husband, for the benefit of those who have read the book—and he does an amazingly restrained acting stint compared with his usual musical comedy capering style.

Rosalind first marries a stuffed shirt—all bankers are stuffed shirts according to movie scripts. Anyway, this doesn't work out too happily, and despite four additons to the family the first husband walks out. Then at a costume party Rosalind meets Jack Carson, who probably wears the most ri-

diculous apparel ever seen on a screen—a complete Christmas tree, with candles, trimmings and everything, on top of his hat.

Despite that rather whimsical beginning, or perhaps because of it, Carson proposes almost on the spot and is accepted. He is an indigent son of a rich grover of potted plants—a potted son of a potted plant tycoon, so to speak. But he about-faces and becomes a hard working family man, an unsuccessful one as it turns out. The entire family goes through one reverse after another, the father gets one business idea after another and there is a slightly overpowering amount of smiling through the tears, maintaining stiff upper lips and seeing the silver lining of the permanent black cloud which hovers around their happy, though seedy, monie.

This reviewer found the movie a bit on the discouraging side; in fact, all the hard luck seemed just a bit too much, even for the antic imaginations of screen people. But the Warner Brothers' press agent assures me women will love it. I doubt it.

"Here Come The Co-eds," with Abbott and Costello and Peggy Ryan; a Universal picture directed by Jean Yarbrough. There may have been worse movies turned out in the last 25 years, but the record of "Here Come The Co-eds" should stand for quite a while as a boring, foolish and discouraging waste of time and money even for such a free-handed industry.

Mirrors Of Austin—

Complicated Politics Reign In Texas

By PAUL BOLTON

The impossibility of "simplifying" the complicated political situation in Texas as of today has been given a notable exhibit A by party leaders who met one day this week in Austin to ask Governor Coke Stevenson and the Texas senate for more democrats on the rolls of state officials.

There were approximately a score of democrats who attended the meeting; they presumably were Simon-pure Roosevelt democrats; yet, they themselves were not agreed, nor did some of them agree upon the regularity, or non-regularity, of pending nominees before the Texas senate.

T. F. Richards of Lockhart, who helped organize the pro-Roosevelt caucus prior to the September convention, condemned all appointees of the governor without reservation. "If any of them are not Texas Regulars, it was a mistake," observed Richards.

It was pointed out to Richards that William Kittrell, the executive committee secretary, had without qualification endorsed two regents as "democrats"—Dave Warren and E. E. Kirkpatrick. That did not sway Richards in the least.

And partisans of Dr. Homer

Price Rainey refuse to admit that Warren is a "liberal" democrat because he it was who seconded the motion to close the regents' consideration of Dr. Rainey's case.

An amusing commentary upon this general befuddlement among the hot partisans on both sides was relayed by Senator James E. Taylor of Kerens. Late a lieutenant colonel in France and newly returned to the legislative scene, Taylor is yet to be identified with either political faction definitely. So he could with good grace reply to a letter to a constituent.

This constituent, vehemently pro-Rainey and pro-Roosevelt, demanded that Taylor vote against all regental nominations except that of Warren because Warren was the only good man in the lot. So Turner had to write in reply, what's going on here: I thought Warren was the man who voted against Rainey.

Richards, an extremely outspoken man, quite willingly stated that in the current University of Texas fight, there is no particular question of academic freedom involved. It is, he asserted, a clash of economic ideas. "Special interests" versus the common interest. He said he for one was grateful to Dr. Rainey for pitching the case on the question of academic freedom because it was more readily understandable to the average citizen than the deeper and more fundamental clash of economic theories.

In his opinion, Governors O'Daniel and Stevenson represent a group which proposed to educate

the nation's youth in a way of thinking; and the first step in this plot is to get control of the institutions of higher learning.

On the democratic party's official interest in the present legislature, it seems almost wholly confined to this one matter of getting "regular democrats" instead of "regulars" into office.

Kittrell, asked whether the legislative committee of which Woodville Rogers of San Antonio is the head, would try to get any other election legislation through the current session, replied that "I think we can get along under the present laws."

"That is," he added with a laugh, "until we get thrown out. Then we might want to change some of the laws."

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**AAA** Baby Chicks, Bloodtested Stock, Reds, Barred and White Rocks, White Wyandottes, Australorps, Buff and Black Minorcas, Buff, Brown and English White Leghorns, Anconas \$9 hundred. AAAA Grade in above breeds \$11. Leghorn cockerels \$3. AAAA Grade Leghorn, Minorca and Black Minorca, \$22. Prepaid, live delivery, immediate shipment. Will ship COD. Clyde Hatchery, Clyde, Texas.  
**A. R. WOOD** Butane brooders for sale. L. I. Stewart Appliance Store, 213 1/2 W. 3rd St.  
**FOR sale:** One dozen laying hens and chicken wire. 1500 Nolan.  
**Building Materials**  
**SAVE MORE ON STOCK FENCE!** Make Wards your headquarters for all your fence needs! Hinge joint Master Quality Ajax Stock Fence is guaranteed to equal or exceed the life of any other fencing of the same gauge. Standard weight, 32-in. high... 20 rods for \$7.90. MONTGOMERY WARD.  
**GOOD** strain young English White Leghorn roosters, 2 kerosene chick brooders. Phone 133, Jack Roberts, Coahoma, Texas.  
**Farm Equipment**  
**FOR SALE:** F-20 Farmall Tractor and F-12 Farmall tractor. 12 row A.C. combine; all in good condition. Two row equipment on tractor. 802 E. 15th St.

## Wanted To Rent

**MOTHER** and employed daughter wish furnished or unfurnished house or apartment. No vices. Phone 585 or 1564.  
**WANTED:** Furnished or unfurnished house or apartment for local American Airlines manager and family. Permanent. Call 1211-J.  
**WANT** to rent 3 or 4-room furnished or unfurnished house or apartment. Permanent renter. Call Mr. Stevens at Iva's Jewelry, phone 40.  
**WANTED:** 2 or 3-room furnished apartment for man, wife and 10 year old child. References. Constant Manager H. O. Wooten Wholesale Grocery, H. B. Davis, 1860 Cedar St., Abilene, Texas.  
**COMBAT** officer desires apartment or room with kitchen privileges for wife and 16 month old son. Call Capt. K. R. Beno, 1680 Extension 240 at Post.  
**Real Estate**  
**Houses For Sale**  
**MY** fine brick home in Washington Place; 5 rooms and service porch; new finished; furnished or unfurnished; price reasonable. Address Box CAB % Herald.  
**FOR Sale:** House and one acre lot. Two rooms and bath. Wright addition. Phone 1682-J.  
**SIX-** room house, barber shop. 705 East Third. Write owner, Miss Morley, 510 Baylor, Austin, Texas.  
**FOR SALE:** Six-room modern house; can be converted into a duplex if desired. Also small two-room house with bath in rear. On bus line. \$4,250. See at 2207 Runnels or call 1675-W.

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**PREFABRICATED** houses 16x16 ft. up to 20x48 ft. suitable for beauty parlors, barber shops, gift shops, offices, cab stands, service stations, living quarters, package stores, tourist courts, house for cotton pickers, farm house and for most any purpose. See Roy F. Bell at The Ranch Inn Court, phone 9521.  
**THREE-room** house and lot. 203 N. Goliad. See Gordon Hodnett at Co-Op Gin.  
**MY** home for sale at 1708 Owens St. Call at 906 Main or phone 331. C. R. Jenkins.  
**Lots & Acreages**  
**LOTS** \$50 and up; also 320 acres land, \$25 per acre with terms. See J. D. Wright, two miles west of town. Rt. 2. Box 8.  
**80** acres land for lease, already put up; 3 miles north of Big Spring. Paul Leatherwood.  
**FOR sale** by owner: 302 acres; all in cultivation; house; barn; windmill; new irrigation well; \$35.00 an acre. 320 acres for rent with sale of one tractor, 5 cows. C. G. Erwin, Tarzan, Tex.  
**BUY** your lot now; small monthly payment; close in near school and bus line. Phone 1512.  
**HOUSE** and two acres land. See Lee Mask at 209 N. E. 3rd.  
**Farms & Ranches**  
**640** acre farm; good land; close to town. Sell outright or take good home in Big Spring as part payment and carry balance. G. B. Walter, 1211 Main, Phone 1309.  
**320** ACRE farm, 238 acres in cultivation; has nice 6-room house, modern equipped with bath, etc. Butane for lights and heating; Also 3-room house, tractor and equipment. One of the best farms in Martin County. Call Marvin Hull, phone 59.  
**Wanted To Buy**  
**WILL** pay cash for five or six-room house. Must be in good condition. Phone 1725.  
**Clean Evidence**  
**MOSCOW, Idaho, Feb. 21 (AP)—** Police examined a dirty lump of material which John Llewellyn said was used in smashing a large plate glass window in his store.  
 When they washed it in warm water, it vanished.  
 Officers decided that it must have been a muddy piece of ice flipped into the window by a passing car's wheel.  
 Using explosives, the Army has developed a method of sinking telegraph poles in loose sand without digging a hole.

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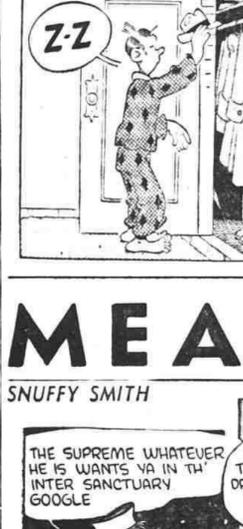
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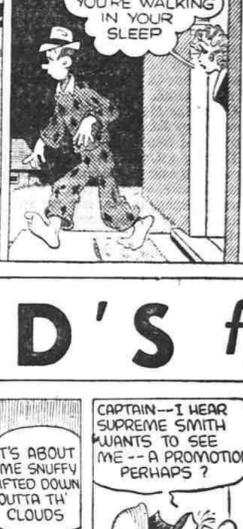
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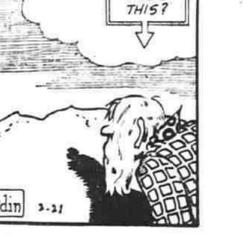
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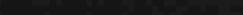
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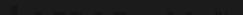
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**Here And There**

**BIG SPRING AND VICINITY:**  
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El Paso	49	36
Ft. Worth	45	41
Galveston	70	63
New York	33	—
St. Louis	36	24

Sunset this evening at 7:37. Sunrise Wednesday at 8:22.

Lt. George Yates is back in the States after serving 16 months in the India-Burma-China theater. He is now in Kansas City and will be home next week to spend his leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Yates, and sister, Janice.

Mrs. J. O. Miller has as her house guest, her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Steeke, from Blanchester, O. The sisters have not been together for 35 years. Wyman Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Miller, has enrolled in the merchant marine and is stationed at St. Petersburg, Fla.

Paul Ricker, grandson of Mrs. W. A. Ricker, has attained the rank of first sergeant in the cadet corps at Texas A&M. Mrs. Ricker has learned.

**NORRIS ISSUES REMINDER**

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We Sell Beer by the Case.  
Afternoons—open from 3 to 7;  
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**Public Records**

**Marriage Licenses**  
W. M. Sustaire and Eris Harmonia Cole, both of Big Spring.  
E. C. Elkins, Oklahoma, and Alma Agenes Denham.

**Warranty Deeds**  
A. H. Bugg, et ux to West Commerce and Warehouse Co., 2 1/2 acres from southeast quarter of section 26-33-In, T & P; \$1,200.  
L. & L. Housing and Lumber Co., to Christina M. Robinson lots 5, 6 and south half of lot 7, block 8, Jones Valley; \$2,750.  
Allen A. Stripling, et ux to M. C. Rutledge north half of lot 2, block 1, Morning Side; \$150.  
Simon Terrazas to Alta Martin lot 7, block 5, Highland Park; \$10.  
George S. Fraser, Jr., et al to Jessie Henderson lot 3, block 12, Cedar Crest; \$125.

**In The 70th District Court**  
Mamie Padgett Mayfield versus Louis A. Mayfield, suit for divorce.  
Mary Lee Talley granted divorce from Arthur O. Talley and custody of minor child.  
Ollie Mae Matthews granted divorce from John E. Matthews and custody of minor child.  
Hearing set for Wednesday afternoon in case of Modena Robertson, et vier versus Ruby (Murray) Vaughn, et vir, suit for appointment of receivership.

**Building Permits**  
Ernest Potter, to remodel present building on rear of lot at 907 Scurry, cost \$1800.  
S. T. Eason, to build 10x14 foot frame addition and enclose porch at 311 Goliad, cost \$1500.  
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