

Ministers Work To Draft Peace Treaty For Italy

Balkans Continue Main Point Of Tension In Improved Atmosphere

LONDON, Sept. 14 (AP)—Foreign ministers of the five leading Allied nations resumed drafting of a peace treaty for Italy today as Egypt dispatched notes asking control of the greater part of the adjoining Italian colony of Cirenaica.

The Balkans continued as the main point of tension.

A slightly better atmosphere was created with the disclosure that the Russian-Romanian agreement paring down Romanian reparations was negotiated with knowledge of the allied control commission in Bucharest. Concern had been expressed that Russia had acted alone.

King Peter of Yugoslavia was reported encouraged by his talk with Secretary of State James F. Byrnes, in which he urged the United States to help broaden the Yugoslav government and assure democratic elections.

Another Balkan monarch in exile, George II of Greece, hustled back from a vacation in Scotland to confer with the Greek regent, Archbishop Damaskinos. The regent talked to Byrnes yesterday.

British Foreign Minister Ernest Bevin has presented a proposal for an Italian peace treaty which is being studied by the other foreign secretaries, and the British and Americans are pressing for consideration of an Italian treaty immediately.

The Russians, who have agreed to consider the Italian treaty first, now are reported arguing that the treaties with the former axis satellite states in the Balkans, Romania, Bulgaria and Hungary, should be given just as prompt attention.

The British and Americans were said to hold that they could not discuss the Balkan treaties so long as these nations are ruled by governments unrecognized by London and Washington.

Byrnes has summoned his Balkan experts, possibly in anticipation of an impasse on the issue. Soviet Foreign Commissar Vyacheslav M. Molotov and Bevin also were reported meeting their advisers.

India Said Well On To Self-Government

POONA, India, Sept. 14 (AP)—Asaf Ali, member of the all-India conference, said six months would find India well along the road toward self-government.

Any British offer which falls short of Sir Stafford Cripps' 1942 proposal that the Indian people be given an opportunity to attain self-government after the war, Ali said, would "fall like an atom bomb."

Ali's statement came at the end of a two-day session of the committee which debated a proposal to boycott the forthcoming general elections in India because of dissatisfaction with electoral procedures. A canvas of the committee members indicated a majority believed the party should enter the elections, seek to capture as many seats as possible and attempt to liberalize the franchise later.

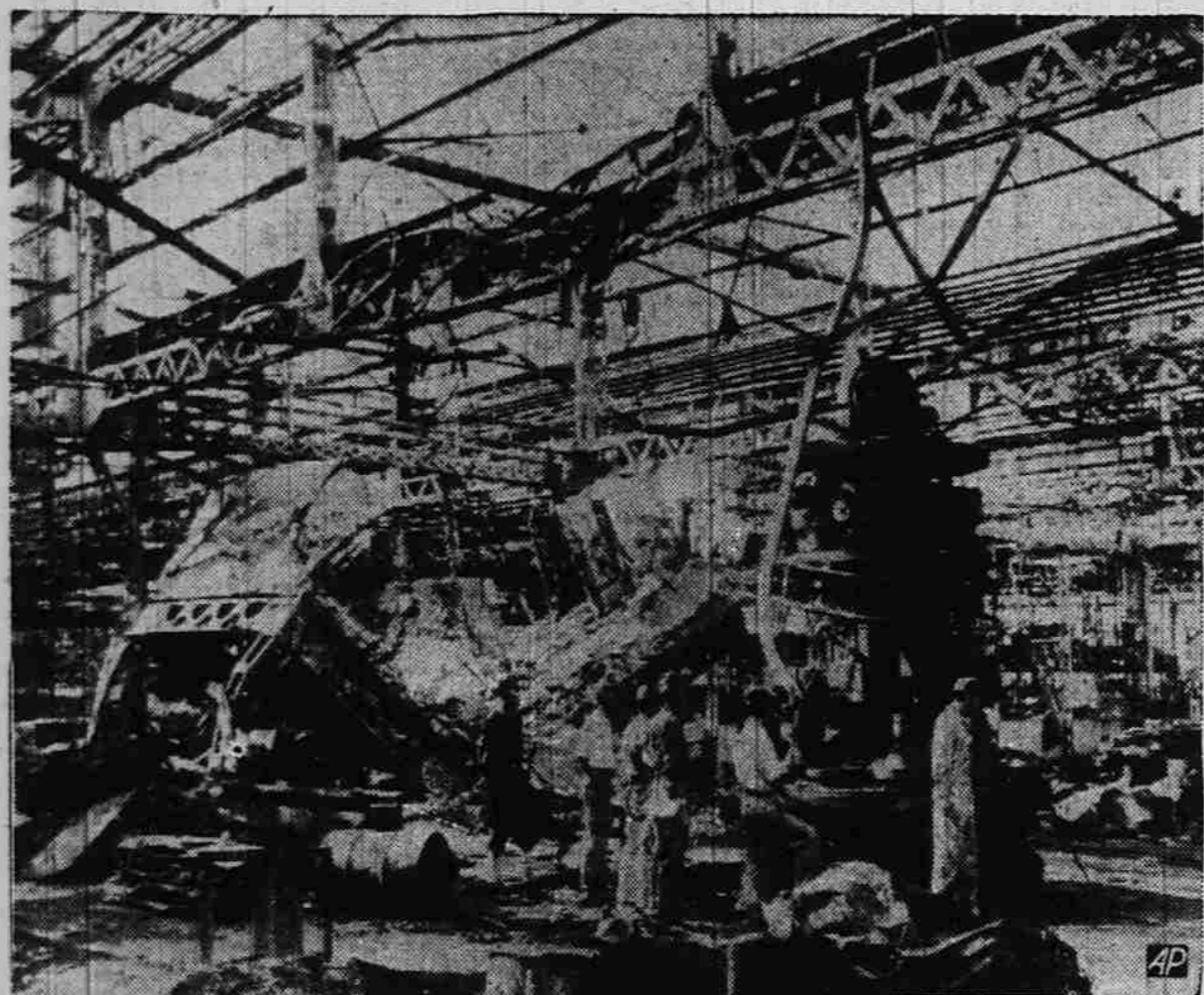
All asserted the British government's decision to hold elections in India was the first step toward summoning a constituent assembly. This assembly, chosen from representatives in the lower houses of the provincial legislatures, would have the task of framing India's permanent constitution. All said:

"I do not see how the decision to hold the elections can have any other meaning," he declared.

Truman Weekends In Missouri Home

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14 (AP)—President Truman took off from the National airport at 12:37 p. m. EWT. today on a flight to Missouri for a weekend with his home folks.

The President and Mrs. Truman boarded the big presidential C-54, the "Sacred Cow," with Senate Majority Leader Barkley, who planned to ride with them as far as Paducah, Ky., where he will disembark for a home state speech. Upon arrival at Kansas City, about 6:25 p. m. CWT, the President and Mrs. Truman will drive to their old white frame home at Independence, a dozen miles away. They will spend Friday and Saturday nights there and make at least one trip to nearby rural Grandview for a visit with the president's mother, 92-year-old Mrs. Martha Truman.



JAP PLANE BUILDING MACHINES WRECKED—Giant machines once used in making airplanes at the Mitsubishi aircraft plant at Nagoya, Japan, are now useless hulks of metal as a result of repeated raids by U.S. Superforts based in the Marianas. (AP Wirephoto).

Local Army Post May Have Status Changed

There were strong indications here Friday that the status of the Big Spring Bombardier School, as a training point, was on the verge of being changed.

Public relations at the post had no information on the subject, but unofficial reports of developments here and elsewhere lend credence to the rumor.

The foremost possibility, based on reports, was that training would be suspended at Big Spring. This would not necessarily mean immediate inactivation of the post.

Discharges, Jobs Concern Congress

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14 (AP)—Congress cooled off a little today on the subject of getting men out of the army, but the senate picked up a red-hot potato—the unemployment pay bill. This bill would help jobless workers with federal cash. The fight over it shifted to the senate floor after that chamber's finance committee worked on it for weeks.

The oratory starts soon—then the voting.

Army discharges and unemployed people were the main concerns of congress today—exactly one month after Japan surrendered.

The army put on a drive to convince congress it is doing about the best demobilization job it can under the circumstances. Many law-makers seemed convinced. Others didn't.

Gen. George C. Marshall began sending personal letters to all members of congress. He inclosed a booklet telling how hard the army is trying to bring the boys home fast. Several congressmen welcomed the booklet as a "god-send." They'll get extra copies and shoot them to the folks who are flooding them with thousands of letters every day.

Other generals told the senate military committee they are taking emergency steps to speed releases, that they will release three out of four soldiers before July 1, and may release even more if the occupation force in Japan can be cut below present estimates.

Members of the senate group generally expressed satisfaction with the army's plans. They'll hear the navy's story Monday.

Secretary of War Stimson defended the army in a letter to a congressman. He said the point discharge system may not be the only solution but "it is the very best one we could contrive."

Under the present system of unemployment pay, the state governments do the paying. The unemployment bill, as it reaches the senate, provides federal cash for:

—Bringing federal employees and maritime workers into the system (they don't get anything now).

—Travel expenses up to \$200 for war workers stranded away from home.

—Lengthening the period of benefits for people now entitled to receive state payments—provided the state approves.

On the house side of the capitol, the unemployment pay bill is still in the ways and means committee, which has held hearings but taken no action.

Car Reported Stolen

Nick Brenner, 402 Virginia, reported to police that his car had been stolen from in front of the house about 6:25 p. m. CWT, the President and Mrs. Truman will drive to their old white frame home at Independence, a dozen miles away. They will spend Friday and Saturday nights there and make at least one trip to nearby rural Grandview for a visit with the president's mother, 92-year-old Mrs. Martha Truman.

Jap Occupation May End In Year

Meat Rationing End Delayed By Foreign Demand

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14 (AP)—A decision on when meat rationing should end is being delayed by two main factors:

1. Uncertainty over foreign demands.

2. Official fears that too-early action might cause new shortages and a revival of black markets.

This was disclosed today by a top-ranking agriculture department official who asked that he not be named.

It may take a few weeks to get an accurate picture of foreign needs. But in the meantime, it is possible that by or before October 1 the government may ease meat rationing further. It might do this by lowering point values on most cuts or by taking some types off rationing altogether—or by a combination of these two methods.

Officials at both the agriculture department and OPA say they doubt that there will be action of any kind before next week.

Meanwhile, the agriculture department reported that packers are finding it difficult to absorb the volume of cattle being marketed. Some slaughterers are said to be handicapped by a shortage of experienced workers.

US Troops To Help Chinese Occupation

CHUNGKING, Sept. 14 (AP)—U.S. troops now remaining in the China theater have been assigned the mission of facilitating Chinese reoccupation of areas formerly held by the Japanese and of securing the Chinese hold in those regions.

Lt. Gen. Albert C. Wedemeyer, U.S. China commander, outlining this mission in general terms to a press conference yesterday, said the speed with which it is completed will govern the return of the troops to the United States. He added that a goodly proportion of the troops would be home for the Christmas holidays.

Redeployment will be on a priority basis, he said. Top priority will go to enlisted personnel 38 years old, then to men of 35 to 38 with at least two years of active service.

Redeployment homeward of air force personnel already is under way.

While the reoccupation of key cities by Chinese troops proceeded smoothly, negotiations continued between representatives of the government and the Chinese communists.

Communist Leader Mao Tse-tung told a press conference yesterday that "both sides have agreed not to issue any statement on the progress of the conversations, but I say that the Chinese communists fervently hope for a successful conclusion to the present negotiations."

Well Child Clinic Draws Large Number

Thirty-one were in attendance at the Well Child Conference held in the Sacred Heart Church hall Thursday afternoon. Typhoid immunization shots given totaled 26 and five small pox vaccinations. Eight were vaccinated for diphtheria.

Next Thursday the conference will be held at the Health Unit and is open to the general public. Parents are invited to bring their pre-school children. Sept. 27 it will again be held at the church hall.

MRS. PAINE DIES
NACOGDOCHES, Sept. 14 (AP)—Funeral services for Mrs. Martha A. Paine, 90, are scheduled to be held here today.

Mrs. Paine, a resident of Nacogdoches county for 78 years, and who has 77 direct survivors, died at the home of a son yesterday.

Forget Pearl Harbor - Are You Kidding?

By RUSSELL BRINES
TOKYO, Sept. 14 (AP)—Premier Prince Higashi-Kuni called upon the people of America to forget Pearl Harbor as Japan builds "a completely new, peaceful" nation, in an exclusive statement today to the Associated Press.

"America has won and Japan has lost," the premier wrote in answer to a letter from the Associated Press. "The war is ended. Let us now bury hate. This has been my policy since organization of the present cabinet.

Trio Of Local Men Liberated



CAPT. FRANK GENSBURG



CPL. EARL BALDOCK



S 2/C FLOYD DIXON

Labor Disputes Up, Over 132,000 Idle

By The Associated Press
New and continuing labor disputes pushed the nation's strike total past the 132,000 mark today, the high for the week, and sharply curtailed production at Westinghouse Electric corporation plants in six states.

The number of workers idle at the Westinghouse plants jumped from some 10,000 to more than 29,000 yesterday after failure of a peace parley in Washington between union leaders and War Labor Board members.

The strike by some 10,000 salaried employees, members of the federation of Westinghouse independent salaried unions, began last Monday over demand for a bonus or incentive wage system. A company spokesman said the walkout had idled an additional 18,732 hourly workers.

New York City's first formal strike since the war's end kept idle 10,000 Manhattan and Bronx painters. It followed a breakdown in contract negotiations between the union, district council 9, Brotherhood of Painters, Paperhangers and Decorators (AFL), and the Association of Master Painters and Decorators of New York City, a contractors' organization. Union demands included a two and one-half per cent wage increase, job security and paid vacations.

About 50 other labor disputes were reported across the country, including three in Detroit which idled about 20,000.

Two Big Spring men were reported officially Friday and one other unofficially to have been liberated from Japanese prisoner of war camps.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Y. Dixon received notice from the chief of bureau of personnel of the US Navy that their son, Floyd Dixon, S 2-c, had been liberated.

The name of Cpl. Earl L. Baldock, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joel L. Baldock, was listed among the names of liberated prisoners announced by the war department.

Through press reports, Mrs. Anna Gensberg heard that her son, Capt. Frank Gensberg, had been freed.

"I am pleased to inform you of the liberation from Japanese custody of your son, Floyd Alton Dixon, seaman second class, USN," Vice-Admiral Randall Jacobs wired Mrs. Dixon. She was invited to send a 25-word message at government expense to her son, with the promise that every effort would be made to deliver it before his return to the states.

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Mrs. Wright Assumes Duties As President Of South Ward P-TA

Mrs. W. E. Wright assumed her duties as president of the South Ward Parent-Teacher's association when it met Thursday for its first meeting of the school year.

Other officers for the year announced at the meeting were Mrs. Lee Rogers, vice-president; Mrs. Jimmy Mason, secretary; and Mrs. E. D. Compton, treasurer.

New committee chairmen named were Mrs. George Tillinghast, program; Mrs. E. W. Edmonds, Jr., budget and finance; Mrs. Vernon Logan, membership; Mrs. T. H. Neel, hospitality; Mrs. R. L. Pritchett, publicity; Mrs. Pat Boatler, scrapbook; Mrs. Ross Boykin, safety; Mrs. Clyde McMahon, radio; Mrs. R. O. McClinton, health and



ACCEPTS CHURCH — Herbert L. Newman has accepted the position as minister of the Big Spring Church of Christ in Big Spring at 1401 Main street. Coming here from Uvalde, Mr. Newman has served in Churches of Christ in San Antonio, Fort Worth and Brownwood. He arrived Tuesday with his wife and two children. His subject for the Sunday service is "Heaven" to be preached at 10:45 a. m. At 8 p. m. Sunday he will preach on "The Church."

Nona Buie Honored At Informal Tea In Wooten Home

Nona Frances Buie, representative of Beta Sigma Phi headquarters in Kansas City, was honored Thursday evening with an informal tea in the home of Margaret Wooten.

In tradition of the club, Clarinda Mary Sanders presented the group with a box of candy announcing her marriage on October 7 to T. A. Harris.

Those attending were Lucille Burke, Patty Toops, Billie McNamara, Dorothy Dean Sain, Beatrice Stacey, Elizabeth Murdock, Joyce Croft, Jean Johnson, Harriet Smith, Emma May Carlton, Evelyn Merrick, Margaret Wooten, Clarinda Mary Sanders, Mary Guyer, Dixie Lewis, Carolyn Smith.

Guests were Sara Maude Johnson, Martha Cargile, Mina Mae Taylor, Betty Bob Diltz, Dorothy Hall, Pauline Silveria, Marjorie Laswell, Barbara Laswell, Ruby Caldwell, Johnnie Underwood, Juanita McCullough, Lee Griffing, Janice Yates, Mattie Bell Thompkins.

West Ward P-TA Has First Meet

Mrs. C. E. Johnson presided at the first meeting of the West Ward P-TA Thursday, at which time it was decided that the unit project for the year will be the purchasing of a movie projector.

It was also decided that a program of school ground beautification will be put underway. The organization will have school supplies at the school to be sold again this year.

Mrs. H. L. Wilkerson gave a devotional from Romans 9, and Joyce Anderson gave a musical number. Members present were Mrs. Lottie Holland, Mrs. F. M. Auringer, Mrs. A. G. Mitchell, Mrs. F. H. Hinkley, Mrs. Cecil Penick, Mrs. R. G. Burnett, Mrs. H. L. Wilkerson, Mrs. R. C. Crane, Mrs. C. R. Moad, Mrs. Lonnie Coker, Mrs. Della K. Agnell, Mrs. J. Louie Thomas, Mrs. L. R. Mundt, Mrs. M. E. Hoerger, Mrs. Curtis Ward, Mrs. George P. Mizell, Mrs. Harry Montgomery, Mrs. Durward Lewter, Mrs. Robert Hill, Mrs. Ray Tidwell and Mrs. Johnson.

Eve White, Cadet Nurse At McKinney Hospital

Eve White, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Ridin of Big Spring, is now in cadet nurse training at McKinney city hospital.

One of 10 cadet nurses, Miss White has been in the corps for five months.

A graduate of Big Spring high school, Miss White was formerly employed at The Herald, Walker's drug store and Western Union. While in high school she was at one time editor of "The Corral."

Libel Suit Reaches Final Settlement

LAREDO, Sept. 14 (AP)—An out-of-court settlement was reached here yesterday in civil libel suits filed against the Laredo Times and its publisher, William Prescott Allen, by a group of Laredo Rotarians.

The cases were the result of publication of statements referring to members of the board of directors of the Laredo Rotary Club and the operation of the club's student loan fund. The plaintiff filed the suits as individuals.

The text of the judgment by the court revealed that the defendants, the Laredo Times, had acknowledged that the reports were libelous and untrue. The Times agreed to pay the plaintiffs \$3,500 for attorney's fees and other expenses and to bear the cost of the trials.

The plaintiffs, the judgment continued, claimed that the suits were brought to secure vindication for themselves and not for monetary gain with the token fee acceptable to them now.

McCoy Band To Play USO Saturday Dance

Johnny McCoy and his orchestra will furnish the music and entertainment for a dance Saturday night at the USO.

Featuring vocals by Helon Blount, Lennie Frefield, Billy Ragdale and the Day Dreamers, a continuous stream of entertainment will be heard during the hours of 9 until 11:30 p. m.

Previously a cadet organization, this will be the first time the band has performed off the post. Hereafter, it will provide music for dances at the USO every other week.

Novelty numbers, as well as dance music, will feature the antics of George (Rapp) Rappaport. All hostesses and service personnel were urged to attend.

Coahomas Attend Rites

COAHOMA, Sept. 14 (SpI) — The marriage of Marie Cafone of Long Island, N. Y., and Basil Crocker of Monahan, was solemnized Sunday, Sept. 9 at the First Baptist church in Monahan. Rev. Chester Watt read the service.

Crocker is the grandson of Mrs. Cora Echols and H. B. Crocker of Coahoma. Relatives attending from Coahoma were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Woodson and Ronnie, Mrs. Rosie DeVaney, Mrs. Cora Echols, Mr. and Mrs. Truett DeVaney and Wayne, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. DeVaney and Elvon, Arlton and Rosalie.

Social Held For Young People

COAHOMA, Sept. 14 (SpI) — Mrs. J. M. Lasater, assisted by Marie Kelsey and Mrs. Walter Woodson, entertained the young people of the Baptist church with a scavenger hunt Wednesday evening.

Rev. and Mrs. John Byrd and daughter, Virginia, of Sanderson, were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Guthrie this week. They were enroute to Lubbock where Miss Byrd is enrolled in Texas Tech. Rev. Byrd is a former pastor of the Presbyterian church here.

Mrs. J. E. Adams was admitted to a Big Spring hospital for surgery Wednesday.

Mary Margaret Borden left Lubbock to enroll for her sophomore year in Texas Tech. Earlyne Reid and Mary Lee Logan also enrolled for their senior year.

Mrs. Martha Olive of Honey Grove, who is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Bruce Mayfield, was honored with a chicken barbecue Wednesday evening. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Wirth and Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Severance.

Mrs. J. L. Mowley of San Angelo is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Sam Armstrong, this week.

Mrs. Floyd Hull returned Wednesday from a visit with relatives in Temple.

Mrs. J. H. O'Daniel is ill this week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Cramer moved back to Coahoma this week. Cramer has just received his discharge from the army, after serving three years. Most of his time was spent in Italy and Africa. R. D. and Boone Cramer will operate the grocery store formerly operated by the Woodson brothers.

XYZ Names Heads Of Committees

The X. Y. Z. club met Thursday at the Settles hotel for dinner with Mrs. C. E. Johnson and Mrs. Clyde McMahon as hostesses. The room was decorated with fall flowers.

At a short business meeting committees were named and include Mrs. V. A. Whittington and Mrs. Lee Harris, membership committee, and Mrs. Roy Reeder, Mrs. J. D. Jones and Mrs. W. B. Younger, program committee. Mrs. H. Ryle, Mrs. Charles Staggs, Mrs. Fred Haller and Mrs. McMahon were named as a committee to be arranged for an entertainment to be held the latter part of this month.

A gift was presented to Mrs. Harvey Wooten, outgoing president. Bridge, forty-two and bingo were played, with Mrs. C. S. Edmonds, Jr., winning high bridge. Mrs. Charles Girdner, forty-two, and Mrs. Fred Skaggs, bingo.

Those attending were Mrs. J. B. Apple, Mrs. J. B. Griffith, Mrs. R. B. Reeder, Mrs. J. D. Jones, Mrs. Charles Girdner, Mrs. Fred Haller, Mrs. Doyle Vaughn, Mrs. W. R. Thompson, Mrs. Jimmy Jennings, Mrs. Lee Harris, Mrs. Harvey Wooten, Mrs. C. O. Nalley, Mrs. Perry Johnson, Mrs. Ennon Loyd.

Mrs. W. C. Carr, Mrs. A. McNary, Mrs. Burl Haynie, Mrs. E. A. Caywood, Mrs. Charlie Staggs, Mrs. Floyd White, Mrs. Fred Skaggs, Mrs. Clyde McMahon, Mrs. George Thomas, Mrs. A. H. Ryle, Mrs. Woodrow Campbell, Mrs. V. A. Whittington, Mrs. C. S. Edmonds, Jr., and Mrs. M. F. Underwood.

County Officials Meeting In Abilene

ABILENE, Sept. 14 (AP) — The semi-annual convention of the West Texas County Judges and Commissioners Association, first post-war meeting of the organization, opens today.

As registration began yesterday an attendance of 450 was predicted. The convention ends tomorrow morning.

Last night members of the executive and legislative committees of the state association were told that county judges and commissioners must lead the way to adoption by the people of Texas of a constitutional amendment freezing road users taxes to road purposes.

Both Judge Gilbert Smith of Jones county, state president, and Judge D. Y. McDaniel of McLennan county, past president, appealed to the membership to urge their people to vote for the proposed amendment next November.

JAP TAKES POISON
LONDON, Sept. 14 (AP) — A Reuters dispatch from Tokyo today said Kinshiko Hashida, Japanese minister of education in the Tojo cabinet and listed seventh on Gen. MacArthur's list of war criminals, was reported seriously ill after taking poison.

Do you suffer from MONTHLY NERVOUS TENSION with its weak, tired feelings? If functional periodic disturbances make you feel nervous, tired, restless—at such times—try this great medicine—Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to relieve such symptoms. Taken regularly—it helps build up resistance against such distress. Also a grand stomachic tonic. Follow label directions. **VEGETABLE** Lydia E. Pinkham's COMPOUND

A-Bomb Developer Stresses Sharing Secret With Allies

AUSTIN, Sept. 14 (AP) — Dr. George W. Watt, associate professor of chemistry of the University of Texas, who worked two years on development of the atomic bomb, believes the secret should be shared with the United Nations because "it will only be a few years until the scientists of the other nations develop the bomb for themselves."

Dr. Watt said he felt the United States has more to gain in revealing the secret to the United Nations than by withholding it, since continued secrecy would constitute only a short range gain.

"If the United Nations organization is going to be one capable of preserving peace, complete trust must be shown by all the Allied Nations," he said. "It would certainly be a gesture in the right direction if we make this information available."

The fact that the discovery has been made means that it will be made again, and scientists will reach the same results in other nations in the future even if we do not give them the secret now, Dr. Watt said.

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Coahoma Club Has 'Come As Are' Social

COAHOMA, Sept. 13 (SpI) — Members of the Coahoma Home Demonstration club were entertained with a come-as-you-are breakfast Tuesday morning in the home of Mrs. Ray Swann.

Those attending were Mrs. A. J. Wirth, Mrs. K. G. Blalock, Mrs. I. H. Severance, Mrs. E. T. O'Daniel, Mrs. O. D. O'Daniel, Mrs. W. J. Jackson, Mrs. F. P. Woodson, Mrs. Alvin Lay, Mrs. D. S. Phillips, Mrs. O. B. Snyder and Norma Jan and Ross. Out of town guests included Mrs. A. C. Bass and Miss Margaret L. Christie, home demonstration agent, both of Big Spring.

BROTHERS DROWN
SAN ANTONIO, Sept. 15 (AP) — J. Ed Brown, civilian worker at Camp Stanley, and his brother, Oliver, of Waco, were drowned in Lake Buchanan near Burnet late Wednesday when their fishing boat apparently capsized during a sudden wind and rain storm.

FALSE ALARM
A false alarm was answered by firemen to First and Main Thursday.

Time In Sundays
The Old Fashioned Revival Hour International Gospel Broadcast
8:30-10:11 p. m.
Charles E. Fuller
Director



NOTICE
To students and businessmen: Get your Zipper Brief Cases, two or three rings at Thomas Typewriter & Office Supply Store
107 Main Phone 98

NOW OPEN
Specializing in Washing & Lubrication
Tire Repairs
Tubes and Batteries
All Work Appreciated and Guaranteed
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Director Upholds Power Coordination

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 14 (AP) — The coordinated operation of the Texas Power and Light Co., Texas Electric Co. and the Dallas Power and Light Co. will "encourage and stimulate" continuation of local management policies and practices. This opinion was voiced yesterday by W. W. Lynch, Dallas, vice president and director of Texas Power and Light, who testified at a Securities and Exchange Commission hearing.

"While it is true that healthy local rivalries exist within the areas served by the system," said Lynch, and while I would expect these rivalries to continue, nevertheless the broader interests of the entire area are essentially the same."

Devens Parents Of Son

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Devens are the parents of a son born Sept. 6 in a local hospital.

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Winstead Named Brotherhood Head

COAHOMA, Sept. 14 (SpI)—W. D. Winstead was elected president of the Baptist Brotherhood when the men of the Baptist church met Tuesday evening for a banquet and business session.

Paul Woodson was named vice-president and Walter Woodson will serve as secretary. The first Tuesday evening of each month was set as the date of the regular meetings.

Included in the plans for the ensuing year is a softball team. Rev. J. M. Lasater, pastor, reported that several teams have offered to meet the team in games.

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TODAY

Today we clip from a daily newspaper, and we quote the article in part: "Freed P.O.W. would be missionary to Nips." That is the headline. The first paragraph reads, "A flier who starved for three years in a Japanese prison camp wants to spend the rest of his life as a missionary with the people who mistreated him, his mother said today."

TOMORROW

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Longview No Old Time One Horse Town, Suh

By JACK RUTLEDGE, Associated Press Staff. Longview is no one-horse town, Suh! If necessity demands, it can prove it by a little incident involving a suspect wanted in Beaumont for robbery with firearms. Chief of Police Albert Adams had been to dinner. He was returning to work. He was surprised to see a mule-powered buggy driving down a city street. This was so unusual (Longview being no one-horse town, Suh!) that Chief Adams decided to investigate. The driver was the long-sought suspect. Chief Adams called on him to stop. The suspect was willing but the mule wasn't. It ran away. Chief Adams said it must have been allergic to cops. D. McHaney, a city employee, finally stopped the mule in the middle of Fredonia street, with a

big crowd looking on. Squirt guns are all right for mosquitoes, but Charles R. Tobin, Valley supervisor of mosquito control work, recommends gambusia. Gambusia is a comparatively recent development, like DDT or the atomic bomb. That is, the value of gambusia has been known but a few years. And the beauty of it is, if you live in the valley Tobin will give you gambusia free of charge. A gambusia is a fish. It is never more than an inch long. It eats from 12 to 15 mosquito larvae a day. Dropped in fish ponds, cisterns, swimming pools and tanks, or any breeding place of mosquitoes, they eat the wiggletails and there you are. No mosquitoes. Just a few dozen of the tiny gambusia will keep larvae out of a swimming pool. And they don't foul the water. When John P. Lee of San Angelo says "nuts" he's probably just talking business. He has 150 varieties of pecan trees on his farm, and says the crop this year is better in the past four or five years. "If," he says, "the squirrels don't interfere," one single tree, he predicts, will yield between 400 and 450 pounds of pecans. The tree has a spread of 70 by 80 feet. At about 18 cents a pound the one tree will mean a nice profit.

Billy The Tenth To Receive More Honor

DALLAS, Sept. 14 (AP)—Billy the Tenth, alias Chester the Goat, is due for additional glory soon. When Gov. Coke R. Stevenson selected the 75-pound pedigreed Angora goat last week to be the mascot at Annapolis Naval Academy, Texans went out of their way to heap honors on the animal. Yesterday Chester left Dallas by train, escorted by Constable Joe Luther, his fare paid by the Pan-American Hereford Exposition. High-ranking naval authorities await the arrival of Chester in Washington. The goat was sent the Naval Academy by the city of Fredericksburg, in honor of a native son, Fleet Adm. Chester W. Nimitz. After his Washington debut, Chester will reign as Billy the Tenth, replacing the mascot that died last year.

Prisoners' Blood Said Drained For Jap Transfusions

YOKOHAMA, Sept. 14 (AP)—A navy physician, fighting to save the lives of enfeebled former prisoners of war, said today he had been told that Japanese doctors deliberately bled American prisoners to death to obtain blood for transfusions for Japanese. "I was told this by one of my patients, a medical corps captain who was taken on Corregidor," said Capt. Stanton Allison, New York, medical director aboard the hospital ship Benevolence. The army captain accompanied Allison on a visit to Shinagawa. They found the hospital camp ringed with anti-aircraft guns in violation of the Geneva Convention. "In one shack," Allison said, "30 tubercular patients were confined. In another, 50 suffering from amoebic dysentery were forced to fertilize their own vegetable garden with their diarrhea stools.

US Hopes For Quick Action In War Trials

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13 (AP)—The United States hopes for quick and vigorous action against Japanese war criminals paralleling measures taken against German war criminals, it was learned today. A high government authority made it clear that Washington hopes to apply to Japan the theory evolved by Robert Jackson, U. S. prosecutor in Germany, that persons responsible for starting an aggressive war should be adjudged guilty of war crimes. It was also made evident that the same procedures for trying local war criminals at the scenes of their misdeeds, and for joint Allied trial of the top men is contemplated in respect to the Japanese problem. At the same time, it was said that the immediate purpose of the American military in Korea should be to remove the Japanese conquerors of that long-occupied land from power but no evidence was offered here that a comprehensive policy on Korea has been drawn up.

What A Can Can't Do; Substitute For Cow

SANTA MONICA, Calif., Sept. 14 (AP)—A thirsty sailor back from sea duty went looking for the real McCoy and found it in a Santa Monica restaurant. There he ordered and drank 29 half pints of milk. Taking them six at a time he settled for five on the last round. "After nothing but canned and powdered milk," he told the waitress, "I never tasted anything so good."

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Girl And Seeing Eye Set Out To England To Wed Blind Fiance

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., Sept. 14 (AP)—Concerned lest her seeing-eye dog be ailsick, blind Mary Mansfield, 33, left yesterday for England to wed her blind fiance after a romance that began in Braille 10 years ago. Miss Mansfield, a Phi Beta Kappa honors graduate of Colorado College, has never met her husband-to-be, Chris Marston of Northhill, Biggleswade. Miss Mansfield formerly edited a Braille magazine. Marston was a contributor. After a three-year correspondence, they became engaged.

Bus Line Walkout Ends In Arbitration

TEXARKANA, Sept. 14 (AP)—A two-day walkout by Texarkana Bus company drivers ended late yesterday, after company officials repeated their desire for arbitration. Company officials and representatives of the United States conciliation service reached a settlement at a conference. The drivers voted to go back to work later. Bus service was restored here at 6 a. m. this morning.

Army Lists 113 Separation Centers

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14 (AP)—A list of 113 temporary separation stations has been made public by the army. They are being established by the army service forces. Also included in the list were similar stations of the air forces. Set up to speed the return to civilian life of eligible soldiers awaiting discharge, the centers include the following Texas area stations: (The list includes the estimated number to be separated daily and the date on which the stations are scheduled to open.) Eighth Service Command—Camp Bowie, 75, Sept. 11; Camp Hood, 75, Sept. 10; Camp Swift, 100, Sept. 10; Camp Polk, 75, Sept. 10; Camp Claiborne, 100, Sept. 11; Camp Robinson, 50, Sept. 10; Bruns General Hospital, 40, Sept. 10; Camp Maxie, 50, Sept. 14; Camp Fannin, 50, Sept. 14. The 32 air force separation stations include: Ellington Army Air Base, Texas; Randolph Field, Texas; Amarillo Army Air Base, Texas, and Shepherd Field, Tex.

TSG General Staff To Meet In Austin

AUSTIN, Sept. 14 (AP)—The Texas State Guard's general staff will meet here Sept. 26 with Adjutant General Arthur B. Knickerbocker to study the future of the organization. Knickerbocker will also meet with battalion commanders, and a report will be given to Gov. Coke Stevenson as to the conclusion reached. Originally, the Texas State Guard was known as the defense guard. This organization was formulated soon after the 36th division was federalized. After the start of war, it became known as the Texas State Guard.

Trio Pleads Guilty On Hot Oil Charge

EL PASO, Sept. 14 (AP)—U. S. District Judge Charles A. Boynton fined three officers of the Noelke Pipe Line company and the company a total of \$10,000, after the trio had pleaded guilty to charges of shipping contraband oil in interstate commerce. The three, all residents of Wichita Falls, are: Clyde J. Bohner, president; George T. Kimbel, vice president and Glenn H. Bear, secretary-treasurer. All three men and the Noelke corporation were charged in 10 counts. The charges alleged the oil was shipped from Pecos county to Boston, Chappo, Chihuahua, Mex., and other points. The men paid the fines.

Hunting Season Open, Telephone Men Groan

McALLEN, Sept. 14 (AP)—The white wing hunting season opens today, bringing a headache to the

men who man the telephone lines in the Rio Grande valley. Every year repair crews have to haul out their equipment and fix lines broken by hunters, some of whom pot shot birds sitting on the wires.

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Nazi Medals Not So Good As First War

TEMPLE, Sept. 14 (AP)—Medals awarded German soldiers in World War II are cheaper, of poorer quality and less artistic than those of World War I, souvenir hunting GI Joes say.

Medals are among the most popular souvenirs brought home by American soldiers. At McCloskey General hospital, souvenirs range from Adolf Hitler's personal stationery to oil paintings from Berchtesgaden, but medals are tops.

Pfc. William C. McCain, Jr., son of Wm. C. McCain, Austin, went in for coins and medals. Cain has more than 100 medals, some he

won, many he traded or found. The American medals won by Cain include the combat medical badge, the European theater of operations ribbon with five battle stars, the Bronze Arrowhead for Normandy, the Purple Heart with one cluster, American Defense and Good Conduct medal. He has been recommended for the Bronze Star.

Frank Ad

CHICAGO, Sept. 14 (AP)—Mrs. Wilson Smith's "for rent" advertisement in a newspaper read: "Dark, dirty four-room apartment. Shabby furn."

She explained: "I don't want people to bother coming unless they know what it is. We can't get decorators and even if we could they'd want too much money to fix up the place."



Texas Today—

Water Engineers Up To Necks In - Water Studies

By DAVE CHEAVENS Associated Press Staff

The state board of water engineers is up to its neck, NOT in water, but in water studies, with 40 per cent of Texas a virgin field for investigation in just one phase of its work.

This is in the field of ground water. Ground water is just that: water in the rivers and lakes.

Comprehensive reports on ground water resources have been issued for 42 Texas counties, says Walter N. White, principal engineer of the U. S. Geological Survey which co-operates with the water board. Preliminary reports giving significant well data have been issued for 108 counties. During the war several hundred manuscript reports have been prepared for the army, navy and War Production Board to meet defense needs.

While this material represents the greatest accumulation of information on ground water in the world, says White, 40 per cent of the state remains untouched. Investigations on ground water resources are needed there, plus additional detailed studies in some of the territory already covered.

The importance of this, along with the importance of surface water studies, is demonstrated in some statistics worked out by Trigg Twichell, engineer of the United States Geological Survey.

He found, for example, that it takes 340 pounds of water to make a pound of rubber under one synthetic process. Viscose rayon uses 800 pounds of water for one pound of yarn. One Texas brewery requires 1,250 pounds of water to turn out a keg of soda. It boils down to this: No industry is going

to locate in a community until it finds out whether there is enough available or potential water to stay in business.

The consumption of ground water in Texas has more than doubled in the last nine years. It is now being used at an average rate of nearly a billion gallons a day. Acreage under irrigation from wells has quadrupled and cities and towns have had to increase the draft on their wells from 10 per cent to 100 per cent plus because populations have increased, and industries have increased.

The question most frequently put to the water board is:

"What is the safe limit of practicable pumping?"

The answer is of tremendous importance, because a dependable water supply for a contemplated industry in postwar development is a No. 1 requirement.

"Cities and towns have had to increase the draft on their wells from 10 per cent to more than 100 per cent in order to keep pace with increased population and industrial expansion," says White. "In the Houston industrial area alone the pumpage from wells increased from 50,000,000 gallons a day in 1936 to 106,000,000 gallons in 1944."

"City, town and industrial officials are anxious to know whether future requirements for water can be supplied from wells, and if not, they wish to plan without delay for the development of surface water supplies, which may take months or years to construct."

An important phase of the work carried on by the U. S. Geological Survey and the state board of water engineers is chemical study of the quality of available water. Specialized manufacturing processes require water having a definite chemical composition.

On this point, White says: "Considerable work has been done in determining the quality of ground water, but the intensive study of the chemical characteristics of water carried by the streams of Texas has just been started."

"Streams in Texas differ widely in respect to their content of dissolved mineral matter. The chemical composition of surface waters frequently varies widely from day to day at any point along a river, an important factor with reference to continuous use of water from streams.

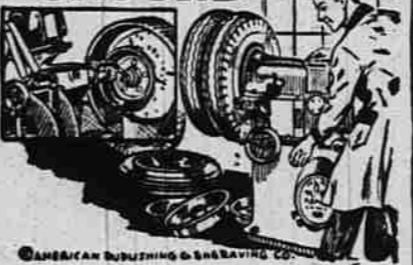
Shoe Rationing May Be Ended By October 1

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14 (AP) Shoe rationing may end October 1.

It will if top officials of the War Production Board follow recommendations of the agency's leather bureau. It's the job of that bureau to know the shoe situation thoroughly.

A decision will be made in the next week or so, after conferences between WPB Chairman J. A. Krug and OPA Administrator Chester Bowles.

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New Fighter Plane Misses This War

AKRON, O., Sept. 14 (AP) — A taste of medicine the Japs didn't get—a new fighter plane with a rate of climb half again as fast as the latest developed jet planes—was being produced under strictest military secrecy at the Goodyear Aircraft Corp. when the war ended.

The navy authorized announcement of the new ship today as the company was awarded an Army-Navy "E."

H. E. Blythe, vice president and general manager, said limited production of the new plane would be continued for the navy. He

added only a handful of key workers knew of the dynamite packed into the new fighter, known as the F2G.

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Kickoff In Tahoka Game To Open Steers' 1945 Season

Locker-Room Nerves Afflicting Senators

By JACK HAND
Associated Press Sports Writer

Frustrated nerves are wearing thin in Washington with the challenging Senators swapping locker room punches while the club storms to within a half game of first place.

On the eve of the payoff five-game series with the front-running but crippled Detroit Tigers, Alex Carrasquel and Marino Pieretti traded blows over a pet bat and Manager Ossie Bluege plastered a \$100 fine on Second Baseman Freddy Vaughn who wanted to sock the boss after a rumpus earlier in the week.

Bluege excused the fistcuffs as "one of those things" in the thick of the flag chase as the underdog Senators seek to become the first club in baseball history to jump from last to first in one year.

Walter Masterson, recently discharged navy vet, was the latest hero of the nation's capitol after taming Bobby Feller and his Cleveland Tribe, 4-0, allowing only two singles.

The 25-year old Philadelphia native hadn't appeared in a big league game since he joined the navy in September 1942 but only once was the former sailor in trouble—when he put two men out in the third. Then he struck out Felix Mackiewicz and made

Mickey Rocco sky to George Case to end the threat.

Feller suffered his second setback to three wins since his discharge from the navy when the Nats scored three times in a fourth inning rally capped by Rookie Bingo Binks' double.

Detroit dropped a full game off its lead when Jim Tobin blew up in the ninth inning, yielded three hits and two walks and bowled to Philadelphia, 3-2.

Hard luck Bill Zuber of the New York Yanks ran into his seventh goose-egg treatment of the season, bowing to Chicago, 7-0, strangely enough in 10 innings.

St. Louis regained third place from the Yanks by shading Boston, 2-1, for Nelson Potter's sev-

enth straight success. A messed up double play in the ninth set the stage for the Browns triumph with Vern Stephens romping home on Skeeter Newsome's wild peg.

Pittsburgh made seven hits good for a double decision over Boston, 4-3 and 2-0, advancing to within two percentage points of the idle Brooklyn Dodgers in third place.

New York dropped its sixth successive game by one run, 3-2, to Cincinnati. The Reds scored all their markers in the seventh off Jack Brewer.

Rain halted the Nationals' thrilling pennant race, washing out a single Philadelphia at Chicago afternoon tilt and a two-night doubleheader between the Dodgers and Cardinals at St. Louis.

Two Grid Powers Go Down First Play

By The Associated Press

A couple of the powers of 1945 took it on the chin in opening games of Texas schoolboy football last night, Paschal of Fort Worth losing to Breckenridge 20-12 and Sunset (Dallas) falling before North Dallas 19-0.

Two other games were played in the Class AA division, Bowie (El Paso) downing Denning, N. M., 33-0 in an intersectional tilt and Thomas Jefferson (San Antonio) racing over Class A Edison (San Antonio) 52-0.

Thirty-six games are scheduled tonight as the schoolboy race gathers steam with Denison at San Angelo and Tyler at Lufkin in the features.

Denison will test the mystery eleven of the year—the San Angelo Bobcats, who are being rebuilt after two great seasons, Tyler and Lufkin will represent a battle between top-ranking teams in respective districts.

Tomorrow night five games will close out the first weekend of the campaign.

Practice Reveals Efficient Playing

The curtain goes up at 8:30 p. m. today at Steer stadium on the 1945 football season with the Big Spring Steers tangling with the Tahoka Bulldogs.

On the basis of experience, the nod goes to the Steers although little is known about either team because this is the first encounter for either.

Big Spring will average roughly 147 pounds per man, about four pounds over the Tahoka team. On the line it looks like 150 for the Steers and 147 for the Bulldogs. Big Spring has 143 pounds per man in the starting backfield against 142 for Tahoka.

Last year Big Spring had trouble in getting by Tahoka by a 6-0 count. However, with more speed and experience, although with less weight, the Steers are hopeful of improving the margin.

On the basis of the workout under lights Thursday evening, the Steers promise to show some tricky ball from the T formation. Although this has been a basic formation for Coach John Dibrell's team for the past three years, not until this season has the line produced the general enough confidence to use it extensively.

Plenty of passing is due to be uncocked as well as tries at deceptive running. Thursday evening the Steers looked particularly good on short heaves, which were mixed with running plays. Long throws were less promising. Both Jackie Barron and Horace Rankin will share in the throwing

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10	Gerald Harris	163	RT	58	Pete Schaffner	147
51	Billy Casey	147	RG	52	Gene Aklin	145
32	Tommy Clinkscales	142	C	50	Joe Harvick	145
41	Ike Robb	152	LG	54	Glenn Newton	127
50	Jimmy Shaffer	158	LT	56	W. J. Kahl	145
40	D. D. Douglass	145	LE	64	Jerry Edwards	155
22	Jackie Barron	136	QB	58	J. A. Dodson	138
42	Hugh Cochran	150	LH	68	B. J. Barrington	132
63	Bob Hardy	146	RH	70	J. C. Barrington	132
11	Robert Miller	138	FB	71	Charles Stephens	145

Officials: Jim Mardgen (Texas), referee; John Hart (Texas), umpire; Jack Smith (H-SU), head linesman.

Metz Sets Course Record In Tourney

TULSA, Okla., Sept. 14 (AP)—Thirty-two money golfers teeing off today in a \$10,000 southwest invitation tournament had as their target a fancy new course record of 64 set by one of their own number, Dick Metz, a Kansas rancher.

Metz, something of a dark horse in yesterday's pro-amateur preliminary, carded ten birdies and went seven under Southern Hills' par 71 to win the low-ball competition with Dr. W. J. Bryan, Tulsa, as his partner.

The Arkansas City professional's showing showed him into favorite rank along with such veteran campaigners as Byron Nelson, Sam Snead, Ben Hogan and Harold (Jug) McSpaden.

Snap Bean Subsidy Rates Announced

DALLAS, Sept. 14 (AP)—The production and marketing administration of the U. S. department of agriculture announced here that subsidy payments on canned snap beans of the 1945 pack. The administration also clarified provisions of subsidies for canned whole tomatoes.

The subsidy rate for canned snap beans was set at 11 cents per dozen No. 2 cans. Suitable adjustments will be made for other container sizes. This is the same rate as for 1944 and covers sales made during the period from May 1, 1945, to June 30, 1946.

In order to encourage packing of whole tomatoes, the subsidy rate on this commodity was increased from 12 cents to 18 cents per dozen No. 2 cans on July 5. Today's announcement pointed out that this subsidy increase of 6 cents per dozen No. 2 cans applies only to tomatoes sold during the period July 5, 1945, through June 30, 1946, and does not apply to sales prior to July 5.

WLB Demands Cotton Mills To Show Cause

DALLAS, Sept. 14 (AP)—The regional War Labor Board has ordered the Corsicana Cotton Mills and its United Textile Workers, AFL, local, to show cause here Oct. 2 why an order of the board of May 7 has not been put into effect.

A. Langley Coffey, board chairman, said the order was issued by unanimous vote of the board upon application of the union.

Among other things, the board's order increased wages retroactive to January 29, 1945, and ordered vacations with pay.

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Film Actor Invents Aerial Gunnery Plane

HOLLYWOOD, Sept. 14 (AP)—Reginald Denny, film actor, is the inventor of a pilotless, radio-controlled plane used to train aerial and anti-aircraft gunners, he said yesterday.

His plant at Van Nuys, he said, was turning out 40 of the craft a day at the end of the war.

Eagles Set Out For Title After Victory

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 14 (AP)—The Philadelphia Eagles set their sights today for the 1945 professional football title after putting the champion Green Bay Packers through the gridiron wringer 28-21.

The battle was witnessed last night by 90,218 fans in municipal stadium, the largest outpouring ever to witness an all-pro grid classic.

Nimitz Says Navy Had Share In Jap Victory

GUAM, Sept. 14 (AP)—The Japanese are busily telling Americans what they think Americans want to hear, and therefore their statements should be taken with "a grain of salt," Admiral Nimitz declared today, with particular reference to Japanese assertions that airpower alone won the war.

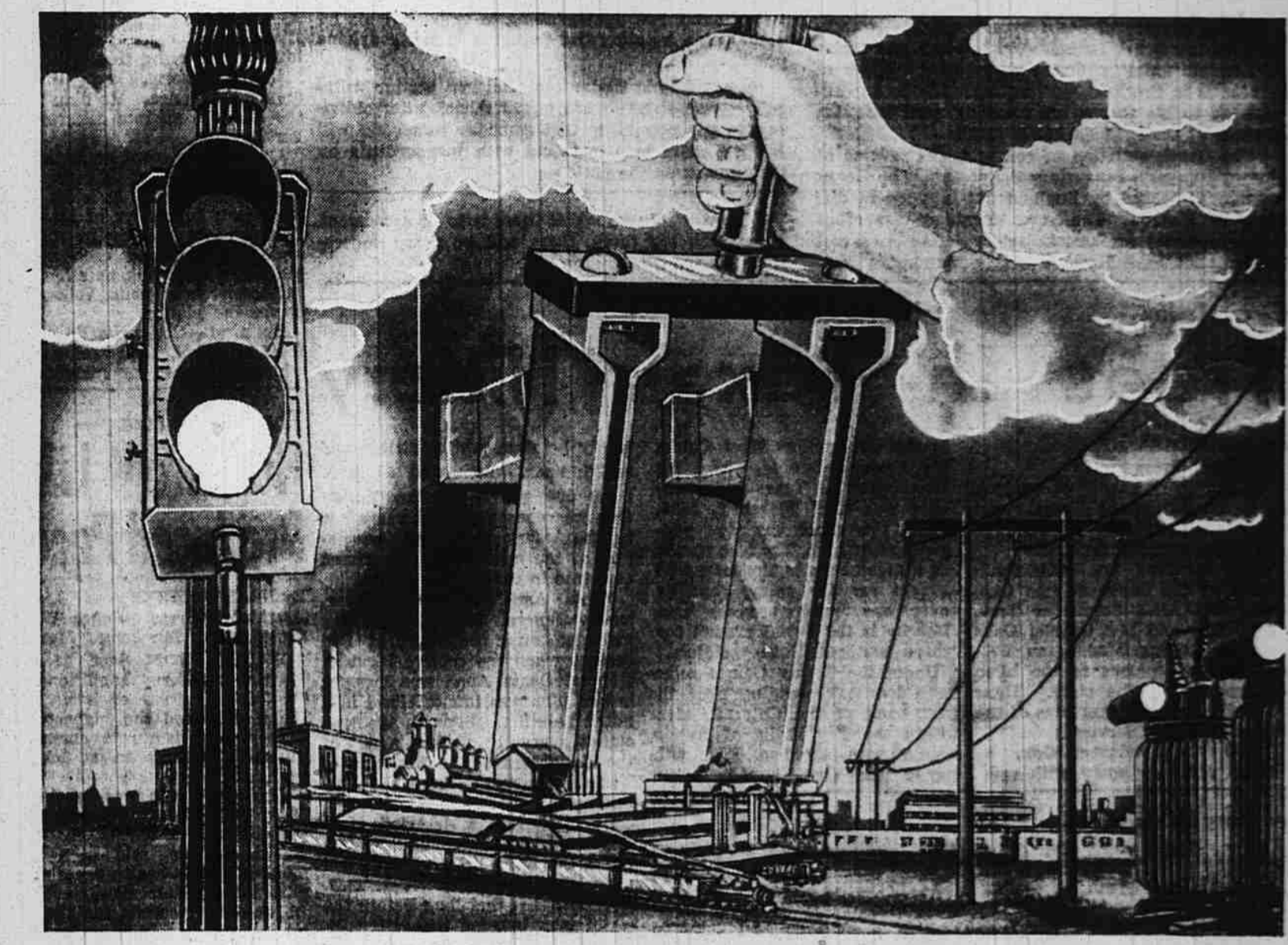
"I don't think our people should be thrown off base by accepting that," the fleet admiral asserted. "Airpower was the spearhead and the sharp edge of the cutting knife but the rest of the knife was there too, and seapower brought it there."

Pet Dogs Lead Way To Half-Buried Child

AMARILLO, Sept. 14 (AP)—The moans of two pet dogs led searchers to a puddle of asphalt here where blond-haired three-year-old James Douglas "Jeep" Pearson was found dead.

The boy was half-buried in the asphalt. The two dogs were also caught in the asphalt.

Officers said young Pearson apparently had tried to wade through the muck, which is liquid in warm weather but which had solidified to the consistency of tar last night.



Business GETS THE "GREEN LIGHT"

The "Red Light" has been up for many businesses for several years. What with priorities, shortages of critical materials, lack of man-power and other war-born emergencies, any business not adaptable to war production had an extremely hard row to hoe.

But the "Green Light" is up again now—full speed ahead in normal production is again the signal. Thousands of kilowatts of electrical generating capacity, for the past several years tied-up in war production, are becoming available for

businesses classed during war-time as non-essential.

In addition, the need for maximum efficiency and speed in war-production has led to the development of many new and heretofore untried applications of electric power to industry. Many of these new ways of using dependable electric power may be adaptable to your business. Electric power played a tremendous part in building up and maintaining Texas' war production schedule. It can play just as important a part in your post-war activities.

Your post-war production plans may call for extensive revisions in the electrical facilities serving your business. Our power engineers are available for consultation at your convenience.

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Morning 11 o'Clock
The Practical Meaning of Religion. James 1:27. The choir sings the anthem: "Jerusalem."

Evening 8 P. M.
The pastor, Rev. P. D. O'Brien, raises the question: "What Are You Waiting For?" Acts 22:16.

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THEY WERE THERE!
The Men who re-took the Philippines!

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Gene SHEDDON with Anthony QUINN
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Plus "Kil Kenny Cat" and "Fox News"

'Girl Crazy' Slated For Post Showing

"Girl Crazy," the top comedy hit that boomed to fame such stars as Ginger Rogers and Ethel Merman in New York in 1930, will play to servicemen at the Big Spring Bombardier school today at 6:30 and 8 p. m. at the post.

Presented by a USO cast of 20 players from eastern stages, the madcap musical will feature Lee Parker in the feminine lead originally played by Ethel Merman, Charles Mayer in the top male role of a jowly carefree playboy.

The dancing line of lovely lassies hails from New York City's famous Roxettes, and the musicians who provide background music were hand-picked for the job from eastern pit orchestras.

The play concerns the experiences of Mayer as a playboy whose father becomes incensed with his wildness and orders him to the family ranch in Arizona. The son obliges by chartering a cross-country taxi driven by a hilariously funny chauffeur, played by Van Kirk.

Van Kirk's role was the start on the road to fame for Willie Howard. Others with outstanding parts are Teri Regis, in the feminine juvenile lead originally played by Ginger Rogers, and Irving Benson, in the role that gave Allen Kearns his boost.

GRIN AND BEAR IT

By Lichy

"Since our win-the-war luncheon 2 months ago had such sensational success, I suggest a win-the-peace luncheon immediately."

ABClub Plans To Sponsor Concert

American Business Club made plans to again sponsor a musical concert by Benno Rabinoff and Sylvia Smith, when members met Friday noon at the Settles. A definite date either in January or February will be announced later.

Plans were also discussed to sponsor an amateur hour and the club voted to refer to the planning committee to investigate the possibility of sponsoring several programs during the winter.

A stag party was planned for 7:30 p. m. Thursday to be at the Settles.

W. D. Lovelace was a new member present.

LYRIC FRI - SAT.

THREE PAIRS WITH A SINGLE THOUGHT... Fight!

Fighters' Heroes Of The Seas in a Thrilling Action Drama.

THE BITTER DOOR O'BRIEN

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HARRY SHERMAN presents

FORTY THIEVES

Featuring **WILLIAM BOYD**

also "Manhunt of Mystery" Island" No. 6

Thunderbird Units Coming Home Today

NEW YORK, Sept. 14 (AP)—Units of the famous Thunderbird division—the 45th—which suffered 100 per cent casualties from Sicily to Munich, came home today on the British liner Aquitania, one of 13 ships carrying more than 30,000 troops to three east coast ports.

The men, wearing the arm insignia of a golden bird with outstretched wings, which in Indian lore means "sacred bearer of unlimited happiness," were members of the 179th and 180th infantry regiments.

Livestock

FORT WORTH, Sept. 14 (AP)—(USDA)—Cattle 1400, calves 900 moderately active, steady. Common and medium slaughter steers and yearlings 9.00-12.00, better kinds lacking; good cows 11.00, up, sausage bulls 7.00-9.50; good and choice fat calves scarce at 12.00-13.00, common and medium 8.00-11.50, stockers slow. About 40 per cent of receipts cows.

Hogs 100 active and steady. Good and choice 150 lbs. up 14.55. Sows 13.80. Common to good stocker pigs 14.00-15.00.

Sheep 5000 killing classes steady to strong. Medium and good spring lambs 11.00-12.50, cull and common springers 7.00-10.00. Medium and good yearlings 9.50-10.50, common yearlings 9.00. Good aged sheep 5.00-5.50, cull and common aged sheep 4.00-4.50, medium aged 4.75.

Weather Forecast

Dept. of Commerce Weather Bureau

BIG SPRING AND VICINITY: Clear and warmer this afternoon, tonight and Saturday. Highest today 88 and lowest tonight 58.

WEST TEXAS: Fair this afternoon, tonight and Saturday; not quite so cool tonight; warmer Saturday.

Extended forecast for the period 7:30 p. m. tonight through 7:30 p. m. Sept. 19th:

Texas Gulf Plains, Northeast Texas, and western Louisiana: Temperatures averaging 2 or 3 degrees above normal. Slight rise beginning, cooler about Monday followed by rising trend. Precipitation light from scattered thundershowers occurring after Saturday.

Southwest of the Gulf Plains: Temperatures averaging about 3 degrees above normal. Slight rise beginning, cooler Panhandle and South Plains Sunday and remainder area Monday followed by rising trend. Precipitation light from scattered thundershowers after Saturday.

Try and Stop Me

DAILY STORY FROM THE BEST-SELLING BOOK

By BENNETT CERF

M. F. ASHLEY MONTAGU'S book, *Man's Most Dangerous Myth: The Fallacy of Race*, includes the story of the highly-proper lady who listened to the first announcement of the theory of evolution with consternation.

"Descended from the apes!" she exclaimed. "My dear, we will hope it is not true. But if it is, let us pray that it may not become generally known!"

The good lady is not the only one to be dismayed by science. Those two eminent scientists, the Doctors Piccard, once amused themselves by playing a harmless prank on a barber in their native Switzerland. They were aided by the fact that they are exact twins, as identical, to coin a phrase, as peas in a pod.

The stratosphere flier assured the barber that he had the toughest, most stubborn beard in captivity, and offered to bet that the best shave in the world would only last him a few hours. The barber angrily offered him another shave free if he should need it within 24 hours. He spent an hour giving him the closest shave possible without skinning him alive.

An hour later, the other brother arrived with a formidable beard and collected a free shave—after the bewildered barber had been given a strong restorative.

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Earth Residents Out To Greet Hero Hite

EARTH, Sept. 14 (AP)—Capt. Robert L. Hite, who participated in the Doolittle raid on Tokyo, rested at his home here today after a spontaneous homecoming celebration last night.

The army flier recently was liberated from a Jap prison camp.

He arrived home via El Paso. At Clovis, N. M., near here, he telephoned his mother, Mrs. Robert P. Hite. The word quickly spread and 20 minutes later a caravan of 14 cars bearing 70 persons—a goodly part of Earth—sped into Clovis to welcome the Texas hero.

Mrs. Tidwell Returns

Mrs. C. H. Tidwell has returned from Abilene where she was at the bedside of her sister, Mrs. C. E. Mayfield, who is suffering from a critical injury. Mrs. Mayfield was moved this week from Little Rock, Ark., near where she was hurt, to Abilene. W. L. Johnson, a brother, and his wife of El Paso accompanied Mrs. Tidwell back to Big Spring.

WRECK

Police made a wreck call Thursday at Eleventh and Johnson. No arrests were made.

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F. W. ROGERS
Secretary

Radio Networks On Normal Operation After Strike Ends

NEW YORK, Sept. 14 (AP)—Radio networks NBC and ABC returned to normal operation today after a 26-hour strike by approximately 500 union broadcast engineers.

The engineers began returning to their jobs in New York and other major cities last night. The walkout ended after officials of the companies and the union, the National Association of Broadcast Engineers and Technicians (Ind.) agreed to resume negotiations today for a new wage contract.

TEMPERATURES

City	Max.	Min.
Abilene	79	48
Amarillo	73	44
BIG SPRING	78	50
Chicago	60	56
Denver	74	46
El Paso	81	62
Fort Worth	77	53
Galveston	82	64
New York	80	68
St. Louis	61	55

Sun sets today at 7:54 p. m., and sun rises Saturday 7:30 a. m.

WHISKEY MISSING

Forty cases of whiskey were missing from the Top Hat Liquor store in the 400 block on West Third. The burglars entered through a rear window Thursday night. Police are investigating.

Private Breger Abroad By Dave Breger

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Judgment Entered For Plaintiff In Court

Judgment of \$1,800 for the plaintiff was entered in 70th district court Friday in the compensation case of C. H. Hyden, as next friend for W. M. Hyden, a minor, versus Associated Indemnity Corp.

TO INVITE PARLEY

Plans are for the local chamber of commerce to invite the WTCC to hold one of their referendum district meetings here during the first two weeks of October.

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