

Death Blow Dealt Japanese Navy; Wreckage Strewn Water Marks End

Over 26 Enemy Ships Damaged

By CHARLES H. McMURTRY
U.S. PACIFIC FLEET HEADQUARTERS, Pearl Harbor, Oct. 26 (AP)—More than 26 Japanese warships were sunk or heavily damaged in the three-pronged battle of the Philippines, incomplete reports on the most crushing defeat ever administered the modern Nipponese navy disclosed today.

Wreckage strewn waters marked the possible end of the imperial fleet as a major obstacle in the path to the coasts of Japan and China, and probably shortened the Pacific war by months.

Combined reports of Adm. Chester W. Nimitz and Gen. Douglas MacArthur on the three major engagements involving the bulk of the Japanese fleet listed these known results:

Eight Japanese ships sunk—two carriers, one battleship, five cruisers.

Three probably sunk—two battleships, one carrier. More than 15 damaged—seven battleships, four cruisers, four destroyers, and "several" more destroyers.

Both commanders made it clear that their final reports will show heavier losses, particularly in ships sunk. Today's combined total compared with Nimitz' first report of the three way action listing one carrier sunk, two damaged, and five or six battleships and a cruiser torpedoed. All of these, with the possible exception of two battleships, are included in the combined total.

The crushing three-fold defeat stripped Emperor Hirohito's navy of the greater part of its known carrier, battleship and cruiser power, necessary to engage the U. S. fleet in another major action or seriously check its further incursions into the western Pacific. During the three-day battles, the fate of MacArthur's invasion hung in the balance. This was the touchstone that brought the Japanese fleet out of hiding and precipitated one of the greatest engagements in naval history involving almost every type of warship from battleships to PT boats and submarines, and sealabor and land-based planes.

By comparison, in the greatest previous Nipponese defeat since Pearl Harbor, 11 Japanese ships were sunk and 9 sunk or damaged in the battle of Midway in June 1942. Five of these were transports.

Know American losses in the running battles around the Philippines were two small carriers and a number of PT boats sunk, plus an unannounced number damaged.

Nimitz' report today was limited to two engagements—an overwhelmingly one-sided victory over the largest Japanese task force, trapped south of Formosa by U. S. Carrier planes, warships and submarines; and a crucial air-sea engagement fought northeast of Leyte off Samar Island and in the Sibuyan sea.

MacArthur previously reported on the third action at the southern entrance to the Lewis gulf.

U. S. Carrier planes were reported still pursuing the crippled Samar task force as it tried to escape through the Sibuyan sea. Naval engagements were apparently broken off, but undoubtedly American warplanes were out to hunt down whatever remnants remained of the other two Japanese flotillas.

The three day series of engagements began late Monday afternoon and continued into Wednesday morning until every Japanese ship still afloat had turned its stern toward Halsey and was fleeing with all speed possible in a crippled condition.

Overseas Packages Okayed For New Men

Announcement was made by Postmaster Nat Shick that Christmas packages may be mailed to those boys who were shipped overseas after Oct. 15, providing that a card is sent by that boy to the parents or friend, giving his A.P.O. number that wasn't known before. This card must be presented at the window by the person desiring to mail the Christmas package.

Deadline for this mailing is Dec. 15.

Farm Bureau Meeting Scheduled November 10

A meeting of the State Farm Bureau is scheduled to be held Nov. 10 at 10 o'clock in the Settles hotel.

Purpose of the meeting will be to encourage farm bureau work and closer cooperation between all government agencies.

Durward Lewis, county agent, will preside, and county agents with groups of farmers and ranchers from all of District 4 are expected to attend the meeting.



HELLDIVERS ON DECK OF U.S. CARRIER—U.S. Navy Curtiss Helldivers are spotted on the deck of this U.S. carrier. In foreground, left, is a 40mm. battery and immediately beyond are two 5-inch gun turrets. In the gallery at side are Marines and their 20mm weapons.

Crushing Defeat Handed Jap Navy May Change War's Course And Hurry Peace

By HAMILTON W. FARON
Associated Press Naval Writer

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26 (AP)—The crushing defeat handed the Japanese navy in Philippine waters brought to Washington and the nation today the cheering thought that the whole course of the war may now be changed and victory brought months nearer.

These great expectations were tempered in some degree by impatience to hear in final detail of what may well be the greatest sea action in history.

A Japanese defeat of the magnitude reported in first dispatches would mean that Japan is through as a naval power—that powerful American task forces which never have feared engagement with the enemy would be relieved of any trouble from sizeable naval forces.

And with such freedom of action—relieved of any necessity of guarding against operation of the Japanese fleet—the American Pacific fleet would concentrate upon wiping out remaining enemy surface units and softening up Japan's island bases.

However, some naval observers are inclined to check the fragmentary reports of damage against estimates of the size of the Japanese fleet. They point out that Japan has been credited with at least a dozen each of battleships and first-line aircraft carriers.

King indicated that two principal purposes might have been before ferocious German resistance.

All northern Transylvania was behind Russian lines in the Balkans and Romania was cleared of hostile Germans. In Czechoslovakia, the Russians virtually isolated the big highway town of Mukacevo, punning within nine miles of the city.

Clearing of the towns on the northern flank of Warsaw increased the threat of capture of the Polish capital.

The Soviet communique described the Warsaw successes as "battles of local importance," but they seemed the first real sign of German weakness in central Poland since the summer Red arm offensive faded out at the end of August.

American Association Of Profs Concerned Over Texas Problems

AUSTIN, Oct. 26 (AP)—The American Association of University Professors is now concerned "with the whole situation" at the University of Texas, and its representatives will confer with the regents at Houston tomorrow on that subject, Executive Secretary Ralph Himstead of Washington said today.

"We have not passed judgment on anything," Dr. Himstead said. "Our mission is one of clarification of facts. The failure to re-elect the three economics professors initiated our investigation, but tomorrow we will also inquire about the more basic issues involved in President Homer P. Rainey's statement to the faculty."

Himstead was here with Dr. Frederick Kester of the University of Kansas, who will appear before the regents with him tomorrow.

Asked at a press conference if he thought there was any possibility of mediating the situation at the University of Texas, Himstead replied:

"Yes, I do. I believe there is a chance to work this out without there being any necessity for us to publish a report regarding the University of Texas."

A committee of three faculty members, named by the faculty, has also asked the regents for permission to appear before the board in an effort to bring the regents and the president to a composure of their differences.

Sen. Penrose Metcalfe of San Angelo, chairman of the special senate committee to investigate educational affairs, announced his

Eighth Shoves German Troops From Savio Line

ROME, Oct. 26 (AP)—Eighth army troops have cleared the Germans from the Savio river line in the eastern Po valley and, thrusting from bridgeheads west and north of Cesena, have advanced north-westward to within five miles of Forli along the highway to Bologna, Allied headquarters announced today.

The Eighth army advanced at least 11 miles in a thrust that placed it only 37 miles from Bologna.

"The enemy having withdrawn, Eighth army troops have advanced rapidly from their Cesena bridgehead, have driven in enemy rear guards and crossed the river Bevano," the communique said.

West of the Bevano, the Allied forces captured the town of Forlimpopoli, directly on the Bologna highway, and reached the Ronco river, three miles beyond. The lack of resistance indicated the advance would continue to Forli itself.

Canadian troops striking out from their bridgehead across the Savio river above Cesena have reached a point more than four miles to the northwest.

South of the Po valley highway British, Indian and Polish troops were clearing mountainous terrain of Germans.

The Fifth army meanwhile continued to batter away against stiff resistance on the southern approaches to Bologna.

National Guard Favors Training

AUSTIN, Oct. 26 (AP)—The National Guard association and Organized Reserve Officers association favor universal military training with strong citizen-soldier units after the war, Col. W. B. Tuttle of San Antonio, told the state military affairs committee.

The committee, recently appointed by Gov. Coke R. Stevenson met here yesterday to sample public opinion which will be presented to congress when the nation's postwar military establishment is considered in Washington.

Col. Tuttle asserted that reserve officers should have the same opportunity for advancement as professional army men.

If the national guard divisions and reserves had been built to prescribed strength under the 1920 defense act, he added, the nation would have been better prepared for war.

Other speakers at the committee session, attended by Texas legislators, two congressmen-nominate and college officials, emphasized the need for a strong citizen-soldier army as contrasted with a professional army.

Col. Tuttle spoke for the organized reserves. Col. Ike Ashburn of Houston represented the land grant colleges and Col. S. Perry Brown of Beaumont spoke for the reserve training corps and the American Legion's national defense committee.

Engineers Here For Check On Project

J. K. Alewine of Freese and Nichols and Al Streiber of Dawson and Cullum, engineers, are in Big Spring Thursday to inspect and check up on the condition and progress of the water supply project.

The test on the pipeline will be made which is now complete except for the laying of 4,800 feet of 16-inch pipe and 6,000 feet of 14-inch pipe. All the trench has been cut out for the 16-inch pipe, officials said Thursday.

Officials also reported that water well No. 9 will produce approximately 210 gallons per minute.

Po Valley Advance Made

Allies Land On Beveland Island

By WILLIAM FRYE
LONDON, Oct. 26 (AP)—The German high command announced today that Allied forces, striking to clear the last convoys from Antwerp, had landed on the south shore of Beveland Island.

"Countermeasures are in progress," the communique said, indicating the amphibious forces already had made good a bridgehead on the north side of the Schelde estuary.

Earlier Berlin broadcasts that Walcheren, another island north of the estuary, had been invaded by Allied land and sea forces were not borne out by the communique.

The landing apparently was made under the protection of a dense morning fog which swept in from the North Sea and came as Allied forces, fighting through hip-deep water, forged slowly ahead to clear the sea approaches to Antwerp.

Field Marshal Sir Bernard L. Montgomery's pincers tightened relentlessly on Germans clinging to the water-logged deltas and islands of southwest Holland, with the enemy giving ground all the way from Bergen op Zoom to 'S Hertogenbosch.

Driving in from the east on 11,000 Germans trapped on Walcheren, the Canadians fought through thick fog and traversed half the length of the two-mile wide 10-mile long neck to the connecting island of South Beveland. They captured Rilland on the way.

The progress was along single roads raised over wastes of water left by the flooding of the islands. South of the estuary the Canadians were fighting in the streets of Oostburg, four miles southeast of Cadzand where the enemy's last guns block the estuary from the south. They also recaptured Fort Frederik Hendrik and reached the outskirts of Groede, 4 1/2 miles northeast of Cadzand.

Behind the advance into South Beveland they captured the village of Dorp op Pindorp, four miles east of the enemy coastal anchor of Bergen op Zoom.

To the east Montgomery's British Second army was breaking the back of German resistance in the Breda box south of the Maas (Meuse) with its attack toward the west from the Nijmegen salient.

The British captured Fort Orten, a mile north of 'S Hertogenbosch and cleared the Germans from all the latter hub except the southwest corner.

They were within a mile of Tilburg, in the middle of the box, having captured Zorgen, 12 miles southwest of 'S Hertogenbosch.

The flanking thrust by an armored column north of 'S Hertogenbosch cut the Nazi escape route over one of the three bridges leading over the Maas from the battle zone.

Southwest of 'S Hertogenbosch, Allied troops reached Moergestel, less than four miles southeast of the rail and highway junction of Tilburg, and the communique reported "general progress northward" in the area east of the Antwerp-Breda road.

Greek Guerrillas Take Larissa Center

ROME, Oct. 26 (AP)—Greek guerrilla forces have occupied the important communications center of Larissa on the main railway running to the port of Salonika, 75 miles to the north, Allied headquarters announced today.

(Istanbul dispatches reported that the Germans already have begun evacuating Salonika.)

At the same time, the announcement said, troops landed from the British destroyer Teazer and the Greek destroyer Navarino have occupied the island of Skopelos in the northern Sporades group east of the port of Volos. There was no opposition.

German evacuation of Volos, which is 25 miles southeast of Larissa, was announced yesterday.

Cold Weather Strikes Soviet Arctic Offensive

MOSCOW, Oct. 26 (AP)—Russian troops drove deeper into Norway today beyond captured Kirkenes in Arctic storms which tumbled the temperature several degrees below zero, in a supreme effort to annihilate up to 130,000 Germans being herded before Red and Finnish forces.

In local engagements just north of ravaged Warsaw, the Kremlin at midnight announced the capture of a dose satellite towns on the east side of the wide and swift Vistula river which bends sharply west northwest just above the city.

The pace of the Red army offensive in East Prussia slackened considered by the Japanese high command when the enemy fleets turned toward the Philippines—(1) a junction of Japanese forces in the homeland and those about to be cut off in the Singapore area by American invasion of the Philippines and (2) an effort to halt American liberation of the island group.

One illustration of the interlocking nature of all warfare is in an opinion expressed by strategists of the army air forces that the Philippine sea-air events will help relieve the "grave" Japanese offensive threat to advanced bases in China of the U. S. 14th air force.

President Roosevelt told a personal hand in getting the news of the Philippine victory to the people. He called in the six reporters who were at the White House at the time—late in the afternoon.

Mr. Roosevelt said he had just received a call from Admiral William D. Leahy, his chief of staff, who had some news from the navy. He picked up a piece of paper from a desk and read this pencilled note:

"The president received today a report from Admiral Halsey that the Japanese navy in the Philippine area has been defeated, seriously damaged and routed by the United States navy in that area."

Residents Urged To Contact Children

In order to increase the amount of salvage paper in Big Spring, residents are urged to contact elementary school children and have them take the material to their schools for collection Friday.

Those unable to make this contact, may leave them at The Herald office on Friday morning ONLY. Due to fire hazards The Herald cannot accept salvage paper on other days since the Big Spring Bombardier school makes its pickup from schools and The Herald on Fridays.

Senator O'Daniel Speaks Tonight

Hon. W. Lee O'Daniel, junior senator from Texas, will speak at 8 p. m. today at the Municipal auditorium, and arrangements are being made for a large crowd to hear the senator.

Declaring no intentions to tell citizens of the state how to vote, Sen. O'Daniel this week launched a two-week tour of the state to give his personal views on as they appear to him in Washington. In addresses at Wichita Falls, Childress and Amarillo, he has scored "labor racketeers," declaring the administration has coddled them to perpetuate itself.

Big Spring has long been a fixed point on any of Sen. O'Daniel's itineraries. The second address of his political career was made in Big Spring, several thousand people waiting from noon until late in the evening as motor trouble delayed his trip from San Angelo.

A local committee has been set up to extend courtesies of the city to the senator during his stay here, and the Municipal auditorium



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Applications For Milk Supply Tanks Approved

Maintaining a steady supply of butane and offering delivery route service over a broad territory, Fraley & Co. on Lamesa highway makes it possible for a large number of users to have heating, refrigeration and hot water facilities corresponding to those afforded by natural gas. The company recently has received approval of applications for several butane tanks for farmers, indicating some relaxation in difficulties in obtaining the facilities. Three delivery trucks are used in making regular route deliveries. Customers may guard against danger of running out of butane and may cooperate in delivery arrangements by letting trucks fill their tanks on regular visits. New customers are frequently being added, however, and the company stands ready to make special deliveries. Availability of butane has made

it possible for numerous persons to replace outmoded heating and refrigeration systems with modern conveniences. A continuing supply for domestic users seems assured. "I think there will be plenty for domestic use," said G. W. Pruitt, manager of the concern. The firm has a flat storage capacity of 6,000 gallons, in addition to storage afforded by trucks. In addition to the three delivery trucks, a 6,000-gallon transport truck is operated. Both commercial and domestic groups are served, with some oil field work included in the firm's business. Fraley & Co. has been in business here about two years. Firms are operated by the concern at Abilene and Graham, in addition to Big Spring.

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EXPERIENCED in optometry is George L. Wilke, who has been fitting glasses for people in Big Spring and area for a score of years. Here he is shown at one of his instruments, which is implemented by skill developed over years of service. (Kelsey Photo).

Despite the fact that milk production is at its lowest ebb, F. A. McCaskill, manager of Snowwhite Creamery, is hopeful that the supply will pick up within the next few months. The reason for the shortage of milk is partly due to the fact that feed is extremely high and many dairy men are selling their herds, he said, and the irregularity in forage. In the face of these handicaps this creamery still produces only grade A milk. The Grade A milk is brought in by producers and is heated to 145 degrees for a 30-minute period then the temperature is suddenly dropped to approximately 40 degrees and held as near there as possible until delivery is made to the retail stores. Several thousand dollars worth of equipment which was installed during the past summer makes this process of pasteurization possible. Plans are being made to remodel and install new refrigeration within the next few months. The plant is under the management of McCaskill, who has a bachelor of science degree in dairy management from the Texas Technological College.

Coleman Helps Meet Housing

Approaching Big Spring from the East highway, you can't help but notice the Coleman Courts. These are the first accommodations for tourist and temporary residents of Big Spring you see as you come into the town, and far the best. Equipped with all the comforts of home, though on a miniature scale, each cabin contains a large bed, or two if you desire, a kitchenette, a shower, bath-tub and a large living room. Before the war when help was plentiful, Mr. Coleman had for the convenience of his tenants, a filling station, grocery store and hardware store. Now of course these have been closed due to scarcity of help, but Coleman plans to open them again at the close of the war. Rooms are hard to get now, and good rooms are even harder to

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMS WASHINGTON, Oct. 23 (AP) - The civil service commission has announced that applications will be received until the close of business Nov. 9, 1944 for the following postmasters in Texas: League City, salary \$1,900; Surrency, \$2,200; Sweet Home, \$1,300.

Oil, Water Wells Aided By Concern

The Big Spring Iron and Metal Works at 1413 W. 3rd street has been owned and operated here by I. Weiner for a number of years. The company deals mainly in furnishing materials and parts for water wells and oil well rigs. Another feature of the service offered by the iron and metal works is that of repairing and rethreading pipe and furnishing new and used materials of that type. Mr. Weiner stated that most of their work during the dry summer and early fall months has been in erecting of windmills and running pipe in water wells. In that way the iron and metal works did much to contribute to the con-

tinuation of production of beef cattle. The company is one of the local buyers for scrap metal. The operators pay top market prices for scrap iron, brass, copper and all other types of metal. This metal is reconverted into machinery and parts necessary for the war effort. The Canadian women's army corps was established in 1941.

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Churchill Visits Italy Enroute Home

LONDON, Oct. 23 (AP) - Prime Minister Churchill spent a night in Italy enroute home from his Moscow conferences with Marshal Stalin, it was announced today. Churchill, accompanied by Sir Alan Brooke, chief of the British general staff, conferred with Gen. Sir Henry Maitland Wilson, Allied commander in the Mediterranean. Churchill also spent 24 hours in Cairo, conferring with Britain's army and navy commanders. Britain's participation in the Pacific war was believed a likely topic of the discussions. The prime minister returned to London yesterday. He is expected to report to commons this week.

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War Board News

A weekly column contributed by members of the Howard county USDA War Board.

Agent Gives Advice On Making, Storing Of Various Cheeses

By KHEBA MERLE BOYLES
Home Demonstration Agent

Shortage of cheese in many localities during the past few months has stimulated many rural women to make their own. While cheese making isn't difficult, it's new to many homemakers. And that leads to lots of questions.

Here are a few of them. First, "what is processed cheese?" Well, it's a soft, cooked cheese made from cottage cheese that has been well drained. Butter, cream, salt and soda are added and the cheese is melted until it's quite smooth. This cheese has a more pronounced flavor if a small piece of rather highly flavored cheese is added.

Next, "what is the difference between neufchatel and cream cheese?" Cream cheese is similar to neufchatel except that it is smoother and richer on account of the higher content of butterfat in the milk used. Both are creamy cheese types with a sour milk flavor. Incidentally, the easiest way to get away from either type is to use a cheese press after the cheese has drained for a while. You can obtain a plan for the cheese press or other information on making cheese from your own county home demonstration agent, or by writing the extension service at College Station.

Now one final question and answer. "Is it possible to store American cheese made at home in a freezer locker after it has cured?" Yes, indeed. It can be stored indefinitely in a locker box if it is paraffined and wrapped. This prevents the cheese from drying out and stops the formation of mold.

FRANCIS MEETS SHANS
NEW YORK, Oct. 26 (AP)—With the rodeo still using Madison Square Garden, New York's fight activity remains at St. Nicholas arena this week, with Leo Francis, 25-year-old Panama lightweight, meeting Celo Shans of Los Angeles, in Friday night's eight-round headliner.

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Remember, the Rams were just about counted out before the season opened. Layden said today in an interview. "Look what they've done. They knocked off the Card-Pitts, Chicago Bears and Detroit Lions in a row before losing that 30-21 thriller to Green Bay Sunday."

That team has more spirit, more confidence than any club in the league, and an ingenuity in developing plays off the T-formation that has every defense they'll meet worried.

"In fact," he added, "they're playing a 'distorted T-formation' that, with the material they have, appears to be more potent than the offense of any other club."

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Since old age is creeping up on washing machines, sewing machines and vacuum cleaners, the War Production Board is permitting manufacturers to make larger quantities of spare parts for repair purposes. That truly is good news. A limited quantity of household screening also is being released to civilians. Since no more is being made just now, you can't expect to find much, even if there is a hole in your screen door big enough for the cat to come through.

Now for one of the darker spots in the picture. You can expect to have continued difficulty in finding bedding fabrics, ticking, upholstery, and bedspreads. The reasons are greater military demands for tent materials and shortage of manpower at the mills. Practically all the looms are working on ducking and duck substitutes to fill army orders. The only bright spot in this situation is that the wool and mohair situation is easing up. Soon you should be able to get wool upholstery, for instance.

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Spice and Everything Nice



YES, spice and everything nice, that's what this cake is made of. Included in that "everything nice" is a generous amount of coffee to give it a very special flavor. You'll like this Spice Coffee Layer . . . it makes a grand dessert when served with plenty of good, freshly-made coffee.

This Spice Coffee Layer gives the cake a special flavor. It's a variety of the spice of coffee. This variety will spice up your menu! It's good to have on hand, too, when folks drop in on Sunday afternoon or evening. Your refreshments are practically ready . . . all you need is plenty of good, hot coffee to go along with the cake, and your party is all set. Here is the recipe for Spice Coffee Layer. It's tested, of course.

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Foulkes-Wheeler Combination Is Badminton Winner

Major Arthur Foulkes and First Lieutenant Joseph Wheeler are the Officers' doubles badminton champions of the Big Spring Bombardeer School.

The Foulkes-Wheeler team won the title at the post gymnasium Wednesday, defeating Major Edwin Heikkila and First Lieutenant John W. Lee in three sets. The scores were 15 to 10, 15 to 8 and 15 to 10.

Lieut. Wheeler displayed the same wizardry on the courts that won him the Officers' singles badminton championship two years in a row. A 6 ft. 2 inch, 200-pounder, he has amazing agility. His deceptive drop shot over the net completely fooled his opponents, while his smashes flew into the back court with terrific speed.

A former badminton star for the Pacific Coast Club at Los Angeles, Lieut. Wheeler for four years prior to entering the service was national squash-handball champion.

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Quarter-Finals Entered By Golfers

DALLAS, Oct. 26 (AP)—Championship quarter-finals in the 8th Service Command's five-state golf tournament will be held here today with favorites leading a star-packed field.

Finals will be played tomorrow following a putting contest. Trophies will be awarded winners tomorrow afternoon.

Today's quarter-final schedule includes Pvt. Ashley Loafea of Hollywood, Calif., stationed at Brooke General Hospital, San Antonio, vs. 1st Lt. Francis G. Harvey, Camp Plauche, La., and Arlington, Mass.; Sgt. Bernard J. Kimik, Roswell, N. M., prisoner of war camp and Rahway, N. J., vs. Pvt. Leonard White, Dallas, of regional hospital, Camp Berkeley; Pfc. Albert W. Borsch of Huntington Station, N. Y., of the army service forces training center, Camp Berkeley vs. Cpl. John P. Maza, ASFTC, Camp Berkeley and San Francisco; Officer Candidate Owen M. Panner, TC OCS and Shawnee, Okla., vs. Pfc. Milton B. Ripley, Camp Berkeley and Blandford, Mass.

In medalist play Pvt. Loafea defeated 1st. Lt. S. B. Slocum, Camp Walters, 4 and 3 and 1st Lt. Gerald A. Burns, Fort Bliss, 3 and 1.

Pvt. White defeated Pvt. Mi-Popik of Camp Claiborne, La., and Binghamton, N. Y., 4 and 3 and Staff Sgt. Rand Carroll of Camp Plauche, La., and Raleigh, N. C.

Deadlock for the team title will be settled today. The match is between the transportation corps Officer Candidate School, New Orleans, and the ASFTC, Camp Berkeley. They tied with 397 each over the scheduled 18-hole stretch.

Food Show Plans Are Making Progress

Plans for the Howard county food show are progressing. The chairman of each committee for setting up community booth is urged to leave the name of his or her community in the office of the home demonstration agent by Oct. 28. This is necessary in order that enough space will be provided for community booths.

The original tailor shop of Andrew Johnson is housed in a brick museum at Greeneville, Tenn.

DECREASE SHOWN

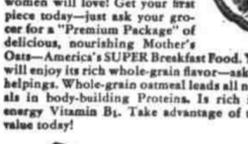
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There are 10,000 species of wasps.

Imagine!

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DAIRYING NEEDED FOR BALANCED FARMING ECONOMY IN THE COUNTY

By DURWARD LEWTER
County Agent

Although the use of milk and dairy products for food dates back to antiquity, dairy farming as now practiced is of recent origin. In the early days cows freshened in the spring yielded their milk on pasture in the summer, and were roughed thru the winter on any forage that was available.

When a steer is feed the process is primarily to make meat out of the feed consumed. How different is the dairy cow which uses her food, not for the formation of fatty tissue to be stored within her own body, but in making food for nurturing her young.

As labor, land, and even feed increases in price, the dairy cow will more and more displace the strictly meat producing farm animals, for she produces human food with greater economy than does the steer, pig or sheep. This fact is brought out more definitely by the great increase in dairy cows and production in the past 30 years. The records show that even from 1900 to 1910 dairy cows in the United States increased over 30 per cent. Especially should this increase be true with the present milk shortage throughout the entire southwest and the entire world.

When in full flow of milk a high producing dairy cow is generally sired and shows an angular, wedged-shaped form, a roomy barrel, spacious hindquarters and a large udder. This conformation is in strong contrast to that of the low-set, blocky, beef animal, with its compact, rectangular form, and broad smooth back. These two types are the result of careful breeding with opposite objects in view. The beef animal has been developed to store in its carcass

the largest possible amount of meat. On the other hand, for generations the dairy cow has been bred for the primary object of producing large yields of milk and butter fat. The great improvement in productive capacity in each breed of dairy cattle has come thru long continued selection based on performance at the milk pail. As a result, although a good dairy cow may put on flesh when she is dry, on freshening the impulse to milk production is so strong that she uses all the feed she can consume for the manufacture of milk. Even under liberal feeding she shows little or no tendency to fatten, but rather grows spare and lean as the lactation period progresses.

Since the basis of profitable dairying is the individual cow, the question arises as to how the dairyman can select the animals to be retained and those, if any, which should be culled out. Competent judges can usually distinguish a cow of very low productive capacity from one of high efficiency by her conformation. With records of the production of each cow and the approximate amount of feed she has consumed, the dairyman is in position to eliminate the unprofitable animals and proceed to build a herd of high producers at little expense by a bred-for-production sire and retaining all heifer calves from the most profitable cows.

With the high prices which have been ruling for feed and labor, we find the cost of milk production show little or no profit to the producer. However, if the dairyman will take advantage of the AAA payment and use economy in feeding a well balanced ration with plenty of green pasture he is



BANDS — Mildred Kerns, worker at the Goodrich Akron, O., plant, holds a huge armful of synthetic rubber bands. Priorities are no longer needed for production of synthetic bands, and shortages is expected to clear up shortly.

Wampum, the shell money of North American Indians, was in two colors, dark purple and white.

now in position to make a decent living from dairying.

Howard county is in need of some good dairy herds. To make a good diversified farming county, dairy cows must not be overlooked. With only a few good cows and by use of a registered dairy breed bulls the county could soon be supplied with profitable dairy herds.

First Yanks Wed On French Front

By RUTH COWAN

U. S. NINTH AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS, France, Oct. 26 (AP)—The first GI Jane-GI Joe double wedding in the European theater of operations is set for Dec. 2, when two couples will participate in three ceremonies—the French civil, the Catholic and the Protestant.

"That day we will be busy going to weddings," laughed Pfc. Emma Lou Smyth, 23, of Springfield, Mo., relating the plans she and her chum, Cpl. Alma Winn, 23, of Galveston, Tex., have made.

Alma is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Loving, also of Galveston. A slim brunette with gray-green eyes, she is to be married to Tech. Sgt. Francis Patrick Flynn, 29, of Seneca Falls, N. Y. Emma Lou is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smyth. The jolly, blue-eyed girl will be the bride of Staff Sgt. George Morris, 23, of Alliance, Ohio.

"We will be half married by lunch, for we will have had the civil ceremony in the morning," Emma Lou related.

In the afternoon Alma and Flynn will go to the Catholic church for their wedding, with Emma Lou as bridesmaid and Morris as best man.

Then Emma Lou and Morris will go to the Protestant church to take their vows, with Alma and Flynn as the attendants. Both girls will be given in marriage by Capt. Katherine St. John of Frankfort, Ky., WAC deputy director with the Ninth Airforce.

Alma has a confidential signal

GRIN AND BEAR IT

By Licht



"We'll have to keep our wits about us, Marge! Our dates belong to one of them army psychological warfare units!"

corps job. She met Flynn, also stationed at headquarters, in a chow line in England.

"I met George over the telephone," said Emma Lou, who is a telephone operator. "A chap

asked for a number and I heard radio music. I told him it was nice, and he left the receiver off so I could hear it. Then he said he was going to mess and would I meet him."

Stevenson Proclaims Founder's Week

This week, beginning Monday, October 23, has been proclaimed by Governor Coke Stevenson as Founder's Week for the Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation for crippled children, and all over Texas the state department of education, in collaboration with the Texas Music Educator's association, has planned a series of concerts, starting today. They are to be given by all music departments of the state. The aim is the raising of \$1,000,000 for this foundation.

Governor Stevenson turned the first spadeful of earth on Oct. 10 in a dedication ceremony of the first Elks unit of the foundation. He pledged the support of the Elks to the successful completion of the institution.

During the Napoleonic wars, the sugar shortage was so acute that Napoleon offered a reward to any scientist who could produce sugar from products available on the continent.

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Tom O'Keefe Retires From Railroad Career

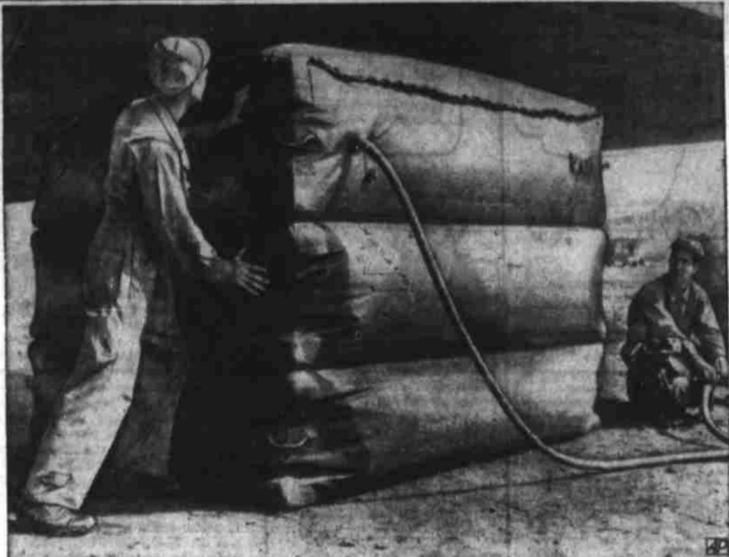
Thomas E. O'Keefe, 1233 E. Allen, Fort Worth, ended a 47-year career as a railroad machinist Monday when he vacated his job with the M-K-T shops in Fort Worth.

A former Big Spring resident,

Mr. O'Keefe, who is the father of Mrs. J. C. Rutherford of Big Spring, has resided in Fort Worth since 1924. Born in Indianapolis, Ind., to Irish parents, he moved with the family to Big Spring in 1886 when he was only seven years of age. Eleven years later he was a T. & P. messenger boy and in two more years he had begun his machinist apprenticeship. He went the railroad route because his father and brother were railroaders, and "in those days out in West Texas you either were a cowboy or a railroad man."

Vast changes have taken place during the time he has been connected with railroads, for he could recall when engines couldn't pull more than 17 cars.

Tuesday he celebrated his 68th birthday but a Knights of Columbus ring, presented to him by men at the Katy shops Monday when he smiled and walked off the job for the last time, tempered visions of well earned rest with memories of veteran co-workers back at the shops.



'PILLOW' SERVES AS JACK—Ground crewmen jack up a plane by inflating a giant "pillow" designed by Army technicians at Wright Field, O., for use on soft ground.

OPA Rules Pine May Have Extra 30 Days

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26 (AP)—The Office of Price Administration has ruled that southern pine lumber sellers tentatively registered as direct-mill distributors may have an additional 30 days to comply with one of the requirements covering their qualifications.

This requirement was that they deliver to the military's central procuring agency 1,000,000 feet of southern pine within six months following their registration, to qualify for higher ceiling prices. OPA said that because of a change in the procuring agency's buying policy several distributors

have been unable to obtain sufficient orders to meet the delivery requirement. The time extension applies to distributors given tentative registration by OPA on or after last April 15 and prior to Oct. 30. Albany, N. Y., is believed to have been the second permanent settlement of the 13 colonies.

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IN UNIFORM

T/S John R. Cross, 28, Big Spring, is now temporarily stationed at the ASF AGP Redistribution Center in Santa Barbara, Calif. Cpl. Cross has returned from 27 months of combat duty in the European theater of operations where he served in the infantry paratroopers. At the center he is stationed at the Miramar resort hotel pending reclassification. He is to rest at the hotel for about two weeks. Prior to entering service, Cpl. Cross was a hotel clerk in Miami, Fla.

Also reporting into the center is Sgt. Clay R. Bedell, 24, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clay C. Bedell. He has returned from overseas where he served with the 1st Special Service Forces. Sgt. Bedell is stationed at the Biltmore resort hotel at Santa Barbara for two weeks rest. A graduate of Garden City high school, he entered the army in Aug. 1940, being inducted at Fort Bliss.

Another Big Spring man at the center and stationed at the Mar

Monte hotel at Santa Barbara is Capt. Farson E. Lynn. He has been overseas for the past two years with the infantry in the American theater of operations. Capt. Lynn, whose mother is Mrs. Janie Lynn, is a graduate of Baunola high school and enlisted at Fort Sam Houston in 1931.

A/S Robert Coffee is at home on furlough visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Coffee at 1811 Donley. Coffee is stationed at Southwestern Louisiana Institute with the naval unit there and will remain here until November 1, at which time he has to report back for the next semester of his schooling there.

Veterans Service Office Created
According to Judge James T. Brooks, the County Commissioners Court has created a Veterans Service Office for the purpose of looking after the papers and welfare of soldiers returning from war service. J. C. Thomas was elected to this position at the commissioners meeting Monday in the office of Judge Brooks.

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APPLES	Jonathans or Washington Delicious 12¢	Oranges California 11¢
STEWED APPLES	12¢	Rutabagas Yellow Turneps 3 1/2¢
SOUP	Heinz Cream Of Tomato 11-Ct. Can 11¢	Texas Yam 5¢
PRESERVES	Tab-A-Tarts Plum 10-Ct. Jar 45¢	Bell Peppers Large Green 8¢
CORN	Highway White Cream Style No. 2 Can 14¢	Groceries
CHILI	Van Camp Plain 17-Ct. Can 28¢	CARDINAL Red, Sour, Pitted Cherries No. 2 23¢ 50 Pkts Per Can
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LIPTON'S LIGHT GLOBES	100-Watt 16¢ 60-Watt 3 for 32¢	Prunes Small Size 1-Lb. 14¢
HAM	Leeds Chopped 29¢	Crisco Creamy Shortening 2-Lb. 69¢
MEAT	12-Oz. Can 29¢	Wheatena Breakfast Cereal 12-Oz. 22¢
FLOUR	30-Oz. Pkg. 7¢	Beets Green Valley Cut No. 2 Can 11¢
HONEY	16-Oz. Jar 25¢	Juice Manchester Apple Juice 12-Oz. 25¢
PORK SAUSAGE	1-Lb. 28¢	Hi Ho Crackers 1-Lb. 23¢
FISH	1-Lb. 21¢	Salt Plain or Iodized 7¢
COFFEE	1-Lb. 28¢	EDWARDS COFFEE Vacuum-Packed in Glass

SAFEWAY

Hold To Basic Element

Howard county is in the midst of harvesting another good grain crop. The yield is running from excellent to poor, but on the whole the crop is good and more than ample.

In 1941 and again in 1942 the county raised tremendous amounts of feed, but in the spring and summer following these years many farmers were obliged to purchase grain. This year we hope that more careful judgment will be exercised in the sale of grain.

There are several good reasons for a farmer to carefully analyze his potential needs this year before he cuts loose from his feed supply. In the first place the war is not over and the demand for most of all kinds is still big. Feed is the controlling factor in the meeting of this need and certainly here in West Texas it has held our gross meat production down because we had first let our feed get away. This year hatcheries reported a comparatively light run. There are scarcely few fryers at this stage and not too many pullets were saved. The need for more chickens next year is apparent—and it takes feed to keep them going. Much the same condition has prevailed as pertains to pigs with the result that a glutted market a year ago has turned into a scarcity.

There is no point in holding a great deal more grain than one can envision a need for. Other areas can use every pound we do not consume. But if we wish to make our county into a great feed we ought to see to it that we keep the one element which will make it possible—feed.

And Where Is Antwerp

"And this is Pvt. Jones. He's just back from Antwerp!"

And she smiles sweetly: "Oh how nice. Really swell. Now let me see. That's on the other side of Coahoma somewhere, isn't it?"

For what most of us know, it might as well be somewhere the other side of our immediate horizon. People have the notion that when they take time to keep up with the news, see odd names of the battle front that they have fulfilled their obligation for current learning.

However, for the sake of common intelligence and for the sake of being able to carry on sensible conversations with the boys from strange waters and foreign lands, it might be a good idea for the homefolks to have a smattering of where the main actions are taking place.

At least it would demonstrate to the men that the civilians are keeping up with their struggles, are conversant with some of their problems and have intimate reason to be proud of their achievement. All it takes is a little reading. Easier said than done—but most of us have time to do it.

Washington—Navy Celebration Should Cite Tankers

WASHINGTON—Somewhere in the celebration of Navy Day this year, there should be a few announcements for the Navy's great tanker fleet—one of the most unglorified but vital branches of the service.

Sometime about the attack on Pearl Harbor, Capt. J. S. Lecala, skipper of the Esso Annapolis, gave sailing orders in a South American port and remarked to his junior officers: "New York by Saturday night."

It was two years before the crew of the tanker Annapolis saw New York harbor. Instead, she went into the south Pacific to give hundreds of oil transfusions to fuel-thirsty battlewagons.

At one time, within range of Japanese planes, she refueled 40 vessels in a heaving sea—probably one of the most uncommon feats in naval annals.

Few landlubbers can appreciate the delicate maneuvering and seamanship necessary even in a quiet sea to keep fragile hoses connected with another ship while thousands of gallons of oil or gasoline are pumped through them.

In a heavy sea, it's pure genius, and the kind of genius that has made possible our far-ranging attacks over the trackless Pacific, where our tanks forces must operate thousands of miles from established bases and must have enough fuel to fight for weeks before they come home again.

The size of our tanker fleet is a military secret, but one of which the enemy has become well aware. Approximately 470 tankers have been added to the fleet since 1940. By the end of next year the United States alone will have the equivalent of two-thirds of the prewar tanker tonnage of the whole world.

Without the tankers, instead of being far ahead of our schedule in the Pacific, we would have been island-hopping at a snail's pace, with necessary refueling stations set up as we went along.

Few persons know that tankers today are also doing double duty in carrying planes, PT boats, jeeps and even locomotives, pick-a-back, as they go about their routine duties.

Since they are filled with oil or high test gasoline, tankers are one

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The War Today

by Dewitt Mackenzie
Associated Press War Analyst

It looks as though the Japanese had just about succeeded in committing hara-kiri in the great seabattle off the Philippines.

They have suffered a major disaster. Indeed, it may prove to be a decisive defeat which has smashed the main-spring of Nippon's seapower and so will hasten the end of the Pacific war. However, we can't appraise the situation fully until the complete report is at hand. This is a moment for exultation but not for loose supposition.

While details are lacking it's clear that the Allied force (an Australian squadron participated) has dealt a devastating blow to Japan's first-line ships. This may have crippled the Mikado's navy—a calamity for him.

This column yesterday called the developing battle of the Philippines the crisis of the war in the Orient. Clearly the magnitude of the Japanese naval effort is recognition of this. But the Japs aren't the only ones to see the emergency. There are signs on every hand that this thought of crisis is in the minds of the Allied high command.

There's a gathering of the United Nations clans in the Orient for the kill. It isn't by coincidence that this comes as the great MacArthur strikes to redeem his pledge to free the Philippines. The method and concerted action are recognition that this is the crucial moment.

Australia is making big preparations to accommodate British forces. The vast Indian base is seething with activity. The Royal Air Force in England already has completed plans to move a steady stream of warplanes to the Far East the moment Hitler yells quits—or somebody yells it for him. The British are moving a great naval fleet from England into the Orient.

Our own General Stilwell in China is rushing operations for the reopening of the Burma road to expedite the movement of supplies to the hard-pressed Chinese and to the American air force. The British are attacking again in Burma, with the ending of the monsoon deluge.

Fourteen Registrants Remain Unaddressed

There are still 14 registrants that have failed to report a change of address, and therefore have not received their classification card. If their present address is known by any local resident it is requested that they please report this information to the Selective Service Board in the top floor of the Petroleum Building.

They are Velvin Ozar Hopper, Isaac Elige McCormick, Percy Payne, Arthur Bryant Clark, Richard McBain, Francisco Aleman Castillo, Floyd King, Frank Leonard, Willie James Daniels, Jeff Willard Brown, James Oscar Seaggins, John Buchanan Cox and Miguel Coronado.

The result, however, has been to make the tanker a collection of floating compartments. Some have been almost half shot away by torpedoes with pipes and hose dangling like a fork-full of spaghetti, but have limped into port and have been repaired to sail again.

The tanker is no glamor girl of the sea. Squatting so low on the water that her decks are sometimes awash in virtual calm, her topside a mess of pipes and hose, she would never appeal to any one with an eye for beauty. But she probably has contributed as much to making this war different from all others as any other single weapon.

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Crossword Puzzle

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| 1. Drove of cattle | 25. Nourished |
| 2. Coarse fiber | 26. Fortification |
| 3. Salutation | 27. Uncooked |
| 4. Open court | 28. Decorate |
| 5. Arise | 29. Young bear |
| 6. Electrical | 30. Greatest |
| 7. Very small | 31. Highest suit at bridge |
| 8. Row | 32. Feline animal |
| 9. Daughter of Cadmus | 33. Favorite |
| 10. Devours | 34. Brave man |
| 11. Article | 35. Sour |
| 12. Undermine | 36. Mentor |
| 13. Hebrew letter | 37. Spoken |
| 14. Clatter | 38. Small case |
| 15. Winged seeds | 39. Late comb. |
| 16. Constellation | 40. Mythical man-eating monster |
| 17. Pertaining to music drama | 41. Move on wheels |
| 18. Land measure | 42. Number |
| 19. Charge | 43. Pinstriped |
| 20. Pinstriped | 44. Pinstriped |

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

1. Detect	25. Milkworm
2. Illre	26. Silo
3. Morning star	27. Lander's active
4. Lander's active	28. Small Dutch coin
5. Mohammedan	29. Noble
6. Of the skin	30. Finished
7. Finished	31. Gentleman
8. Mercenary	32. Almond
9. Almond	33. Sandalwood tree
10. Sandalwood tree	34. Beverage
11. Beverage	35. Filibuster
12. Filibuster	36. Mink
13. Mink	37. Treatment with medicine
14. Treatment with medicine	38. Lateral boundary
15. Lateral boundary	39. Spiral staircases
16. Spiral staircases	40. Sheep
17. Sheep	41. Italian city
18. Italian city	42. Mine
19. Mine	43. Conveyers of water from a pool
20. Conveyers of water from a pool	44. Advantage
21. Advantage	45. Exhausted
22. Exhausted	46. Volcano in Mexico
23. Volcano in Mexico	47. Martinique
24. Martinique	48. Women's fabric
25. Women's fabric	49. Scarce
26. Scarce	50. Particle
27. Particle	51. Govern
28. Govern	52. Baked clay

And Nothing Can Be Done About It



Ernie Pyle: Cartoonist Mauldin Is Best For Humor And Grim Realism Of War

(Editor's Note: The dispatch below, written by Ernie Pyle last January, was responsible for the arrangement whereby Bill Mauldin's cartoons are now appearing in many American newspapers. This is the 39th of the Pyle war articles that are being reprinted during Ernie's leave.

IN ITALY, January, 1944—Sgt. Bill Mauldin appears to us over here to be the finest cartoonist the war has produced. And that's not merely because his cartoons are funny, but because they are also terribly grim and real.

Mauldin's cartoons aren't about training-camp life, which you at home are best acquainted with. They are about the men in the line—the tiny percentage of our vast army who are actually up there in that other world doing the dying. His cartoons are about the war.

Mauldin's central cartoon character is a soldier, unshaven, unwashed, unsmiling. He looks more like a hobo than like your son. He looks, in fact, exactly like a doughfoot who has been in the lines for two months. And that isn't pretty.

Mauldin's cartoons in a way are bitter. His work is so mature that I had pictured him as a man approaching middle age. Yet he is only 22, and he looks even younger. He himself could never have raised the heavy black beard of his cartoon dogface. His whiskers are soft and scant, his nose is upturned good-naturedly, and his eyes have a twinkle.

His maturity comes simply from a native understanding of things, and from being a soldier himself for a long time. He has been in the Army three and a half years.

Bill Mauldin was born in Mountain Park, N. M. He now calls Phoenix home base, but he of New Mexico could claim him without much resistance on his part.

Bill has drawn ever since he was a child. He always drew pictures of the things he wanted to grow up to be, such as cowboys and soldiers, not realizing that what he really wanted to become was a man who draws pictures.

He graduated from high school in Phoenix at 17, took a year at the Academy of Fine Arts in Chicago, and at 18 was in the army. He did 64 days on K.P. duty in his first four months. That fairly cured him of a lifelong worship of uniforms.

Mauldin belongs to the 45th division. Their record has been a fine one, and their losses have been heavy.

Mauldin's typical grim cartoon soldier is really a 45th division infantryman, and he is one who has truly been through the mill.

Mauldin was detached from straight soldier duty after a year in the infantry, and put to work on the division's weekly paper.

Through Italy, gradually gaining recognition, Capt. Bob Neville, Stars and Stripes editor, shake his head with a veteran's admiration and says of Mauldin: "He's got it. Already he's the outstanding cartoonist of the war."

Mauldin works in a cold, dark little studio in the back of Stars and Stripes' Naples office. He wears silver-rimmed glasses when he works. His eyes used to be good, but he damaged them in his early Army days by drawing for too many hours at night with poor light.

He averages about three days out of 10 at the front, then comes back and draws up a large batch of cartoons. If the weather is good he sketches a few details at the front. But the weather is usually lousy.

"You don't need to sketch details anyhow," he says. "You come back with a picture of misery and cold and danger in your mind and you don't need any more details than that."

His cartoon in Stars and Stripes is headed "Up Front . . . By

Today And Tomorrow

Enforcing An Independence

By WALTER LIPPMANN

As General MacArthur goes about expelling the Japanese from the Philippines, our people will wish to know how best they can make sure that never again shall this country suffer the tragedy and humiliation of Batavia, that never again shall Americans have to undertake the bloody and bitter task of fighting on the beaches and in the jungles of the islands of the Pacific. So the question is what else we must do when the Philippines have been liberated.

We shall, of course, carry out our solemn pledge of independence, handing over the the Philippine government already established on Leyte Island the rights of a sovereign state. But neither the Filipino nation nor the American will entertain the illusion that the Philippine Republic can defend its own independence. So we must ask whether in alliance with the United States, even if it is never again so unprepared as it was in 1941, the Philippines can enjoy the security without which they cannot remain independent.

This question is at the root of the debate between those who call themselves nationalists—and wish to rely only on the separate military power of the United States—and those who contend that the military power of the United States, great as it is, cannot be great enough to establish security for this country and its interests unless it is the instrument of a foreign policy of continuing collaboration with our present allies.

A realistic study of the problem of Philippine defense can lead only, it seems to me, to the conclusion that the so-called nationalist view is absolutely unworkable and profoundly opposed to the true national interest of the United States.

For it is evident that when General MacArthur returns to Manila, he will be absolutely necessary to go on from there and drive the Japanese out of China and Formosa. If, for example, the war ended with the liberation of the Philippines, if we did not go on to impose the terms agreed to at Cairo by Churchill, Chiang Kai-shek, and Roosevelt, and tacitly endorsed by Stalin shortly after at Teheran, what would be the position of the Philippines? They would be within easy bomber range, and of invasion range, from the long coast of China and from Formosa. If Japan is not expelled from China, and were permitted to develop and exploit the military resources of China, the American forces permanently needed to defend the Philippines would probably be at least as great as those which MacArthur and Halsey are now using to liberate them.

Here is the answer to those who argue that we can rely on our own military power alone, and that it is foolish "internationalism" to be interested in working with the British Commonwealth and Empire, the Soviet Union, and China.

No one, I suppose, will contend that having spent American lives and American treasure to liberate the Philippines, we shall then be able to wash our hands of the Philippines. Now, to make the Philippines secure solely by American arms, with such help as the Filipinos can give, would be, as against a China unfriendly to us or in Japanese control, a formidable undertaking. We should have

A locomotive contains as many as 25,000 parts. Beethoven began violin lessons at the age of five.

Hollywood—Archainbaud "Not The Type Director"

HOLLYWOOD — Not-the-type department:

Mr. George Archainbaud is a director who has made movies from early days to the present. He has directed old-timers (Alice Brady, Montagu Love, Ethel Clayton, June Caprice, Corinne Griffith, Conway Tearle, John Barrymore, Evelyn Brent) when they were stars, and he has piloted Richard Dix, Bob Hope, Joel McCrea, Dorothy Lamour in later films.

Some time back Harry ("Pop") Sherman, a western epic in mind, contacted Archainbaud about the job.

"But you've never made a western," said Pop. "How do I know you can get along with horses?"

"I'm not going to ride the horse am I?" Archainbaud came back.

So the director made a Hopalong Cassidy film to warm up, then did the big Sherman features, "The Kansan" and "Woman of the Town." These led him further into the western field, and he recently completed "Alaska" and "The Big Bonanza." By this time he was eager to get back into more conventional directing lines—light comedy and drama. He was up for the directing job on Kay Francis' "Divorce," in which Kay stars and also acts as associate producer.

"Archainbaud?" said Kay. "Why, he's the fellow who makes westerns, isn't he?"

Mr. Archainbaud is beginning to be a bit bewildered by it all.

Whopper-of-the-week: A p. a. for Danny Kaye's "Wonder Man" insists that, along about 5 p. m. one day, the sound man complained that the players all sounded mush-mouthed. Danny, Virginia Mayo, Vera-Ellen and other mimes were working in a delicatessen set adorned with salami, dill pickles, olives, Swiss cheese, herring and

to maintain permanently in the islands a large standing army to guard the bases of a vast air and naval force. How much independence could the Philippines enjoy with such enormous American forces stationed among them?

Is it not clear that a friendly and independent China is the necessary condition of true security in the Philippines? Is it not clear that the Philippines will not have been securely liberated until occupied China is liberated? Is it not clear that the liberation of China requires the active participation of the Chinese, of the British Commonwealth and Empire and of the Soviet Union? For how could Americans alone cross the whole Pacific and single-handedly defeat the great Japanese army on the Asiatic continent?

Since all this international collaboration is essential to make secure the liberation of the Philippines, how can any rational man deny that it is our vital interest and the Filipino vital interest, that this international collaboration continue?

The maintenance of this collaboration is the highest national interest of the United States. Without it the war cannot be won. Without it no peace settlement can be preserved.

To preserve it and perfect it is not an easy task. Even under the most favoring circumstances it requires extraordinary perseverance. We cannot dictate to our allies; we have to confer with them, and listen to them, and persuade them when we can, and be persuaded when we must. On this delicate

and difficult work of continuing give and take, the success of collaboration depends. We simply must not jeopardize it, however great the temptation, by exploiting incidents in which we do not see the whole truth in order to bid for hyped-up votes—the votes of those only partially assimilated newcomers who may imagine that by weakening the war-time coalition they can serve the interests of the country from which they came.

For unless we can maintain throughout the war, which will still be long, and into the peace beyond it, this collaboration, then nothing else—not demobilization, not reconversion, not the restoration of freedom of enterprise, not the relaxation of the war controls—can be successfully accomplished. For if this war is not won in a way which assures a long security from war, no one's private or public plans for the things that should be done when we are at peace can possibly be carried out. For though this war will have ended, we shall not be at peace, but preparing for another war.

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Coahoma Sale Nets Chest Over \$1,000

By MRS. A. J. WIRTH
COAHOMA, Oct. 21 — Items ranging from a "pig squeal" to home-cooked pastries were sold here Friday night, as Coahoma residents rallied to the National War Fund drive and raised a total of \$1,051.21 through an auction sale and cash contributions.

Highest price received for a pig was \$15 and highest for a cake was \$12. A \$20 bill donated as an auction item brought \$31. Auctioneer Cliff Wiley scored the prize sale of the evening, however, when he sold a pig for \$15 and received an additional \$2.50 when the pig squealed.

Oil Well Spacing Modified in Howard

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (AP) — Oil-well spacing regulations in 45 West Texas counties have been modified by the Petroleum Administration for War to permit simultaneous development of shallow and deep zones in these areas.

The PAW, acting yesterday, authorized wells to be drilled on 20-acre spacing in the zone above 3,400 feet and on 40-acre spacing below that depth. Previously, the latter spacing was in effect at all depths.

The order also provides that each of the zones may be developed independently of the other. It leaves to the state regulatory body the requirements as to the distance between wells and property lines.

Counties covered by the order include: Andrews, Borden, Brewster, Cochran, Coke, Crane, Crockett, Crosby, Culberson, Dawson, Dickens, Ector, El Paso, Gaines, Garza, Glasscock, Hockley, Howard, Hudspeth, Irion, Jeff Davis, Kent, Kimble, Loving, Lubbock, Lynn, Martin, Menard, Midland, Mitchell, Presidio, Reagan, Reeves, Schleicher, Scurry, Sterling, Sutton, Terrell, Terry, Tom Green, Upton, Ward, Winkler, Yoakum and Pecos.

In Pecos county, PAW excluded the Yates field, saying it had been fully developed before these war "and a change of well-spacing requirements is not warranted in that area."

Texas Gunner Tells Of Battle; Sister Is Local Resident



By Staff Sergeant Dick Hannan.
A Marine Corps Combat Correspondent, formerly of the Los Angeles Examiner.

U. S. NAVAL HOSPITAL, San Leandro, Calif.—How he ran back 150 yards to the half-trac of which he was gun commander, after he had been hit twice in the stomach and once in the right arm by slugs from a Jap heavy machine gun on Tinian, was described here by Marine Sergeant Edwin F. Baker, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. Silas F. Baker, Lindale, Tex.

"I was walking ahead of my crew," he said, "looking for a good spot to set up our half-trac and 75 mm gun. Japs in a machine gun nest caught me with three bullets. They didn't knock me down, but the force spun me around. I ran back to the crew, yelling at the man to watch out for the machine gun."

He and his family were living in Tyler, Tex., when he enlisted in August 1941. He graduated from Winona (Tex.) high school in 1941.

The sergeant's two sisters are living in Texas. Mrs. Richard Franklin is a resident of Big Spring and Mrs. Joe Coulter lives at Lindale.

Well Owners Urged To Study Processing

AUSTIN, Oct. 21 (AP)—Railroad Commissioner Ernest C. Thompson today urged owners of gas wells to investigate the process whereby methane (dry gas) can be converted into gasoline, before trying to dispose of their gas-producing properties.

Natural gas will no longer have to "go begging for a market," explained Thompson, since under a new process natural gas immediately becomes worth at least 10 cents a thousand cubic feet at the well.

Daughter Born To Farquhar
A daughter, Kay Eileen Farquhar, was born to Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Farquhar in the Big Spring Hospital October 19. She weighed 8 lbs. and 4 ounces. Mother and infant are at home at 903 1/2 Scurry St.

Held in Coahoma streets, the program included music and a talk by Lt. Joseph Gabriel, who is stationed at Big Spring Bombardier school after having completed 50 missions from bases in Africa and Italy. Lt. Gabriel has won the Air Medal and nine Oak Leaf Clusters. He told some of his experiences overseas and discussed services made possible through the National War Fund.

Items sold in the auction were donated either by individuals or firms. Chickens, butter, eggs and other farm produce, pastries, sheep and hogs and other items were given by individuals. Boxes of groceries were given by grocery stores, and 1,000 pounds of cottonseed meal by each of the firms.

Of cash donations received, the largest from an individual was \$20 from Mrs. Cora Echols and the largest from a business firm, \$50 from Lone Star Chevrolet company.

W. T. Farris and George M. Boswell were co-chairmen of the drive. Donation for the auction were obtained by Mrs. Les Adams, Mrs. Charles R. Reeves, Mrs. Tom Barber and Mrs. Ralph White.

An estimated 400 to 500 persons were present.

Officer Transfers Named At Post

The following officers of AAFBS have been transferred to George Field, Lawrence Field, Ill.; 2nd Lt. Carey M. Seyler, James G. Perkins, Raymond J. VanGorp, Edwin L. Trout, Virgil H. Elmore, Alex G. Jamieson, Eugene B. Marcoe, James E. Wall, Charles E. Winters, Ervin L. Fish and Flight Officers Edward J. Cannon, Jerome J. Costello, Frank J. Bowman, Joe F. Curry, Robert B. Berg and James C. Crouch.

Pvt. LeRoy Kruger has transferred to the infantry and three other enlisted men, Sergeant's Gerald D. Thompson and Luther N. Edwards and Cpl. W. J. Dale are going to Fort Benning for paratrooper training.

Lt. James W. Kercheval has been transferred to Lehigh Field, Va., for duty as an instructor.

Lt. Carroll K. Tolle has been transferred to Boca Raton, Fla., and assigned to duty as an instructor.

Lt. Albert H. Biering and Harold W. Shuster have been transferred to the Amarillo Army Air Field.

New officer arrivals on the field are Capt. William H. Henry of Groesbe Point, Mich.; Major Thomas H. Culhane, Rockford, Ill., assigned to the station hospital; 1st Lt. J. W. Moye, Akron, O., and 1st Lt. Eric L. Pousard of Winslow, Wash.

Four Broadcasts Cover SWC Games

Four broadcasts well spaced during the afternoon and evening make up the Humble bill-of-fare for football fans this Saturday.

First come the game between Texas A. & M. and the North Texas Aggies at 2:30. Dave Russell will be the play-by-play man and Fred Kincaid color announcer, with stations KXYZ, Houston; KTSA, San Antonio; KGKO, Dallas - Ft. Worth and WTAW, College Station carrying the game.

Next in order come the Rice-Texas Longhorn battle starting at 2:50. Kern Tips and Fred Nahas will be announcers and stations will be KPRC, Houston; WOAI, San Antonio and WFAA, Dallas-Ft. Worth.

At 3:20 the broadcast of the S. M. U. - Tulane game will start over stations KYRH, Houston, and KR-LD, Dallas. Vex Box will describe game play, and Bill Michaels relieving for color.

At 4:30 m. will be starting time for the T. C. U. - Oklahoma University game with Charlie Jordan handling play-by-play and Jerry Doggett describing color. This game will air over stations WRR, Dallas, KFJZ, Ft. Worth; KRBC, Abilene; KBST, Big Spring; KG-LI, San Angelo; KRLH, Midland; WACO, Waco, KTEM, Temple; KNOX, Austin; KABC, San Antonio and KHTT, Houston.

Girl Entered By Ex-Resident Wins
Pfc. James H. Billington, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Billington, and who was reared in Big Spring, recently entered the name of Miss Cheryl Jean Barr, Fort Worth, in a contest for sweetheart of the Ardmore (Okla.) Army Air Field. Miss Barr, who had been introduced to Pfc. Billington by a cousin in Big Spring, won the contest.



IN HAWAII—Loyce Todd, baker 3-c, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Todd, is now stationed in Hawaii. He entered the service on Oct. 8, 1942, and received his boot training at Providence, R. I. He spent several months in the South Pacific and returned to the United States to be shipped out again Oct. 19, 1943, to his present base. Before entering the navy Todd was a welder in the shipyards at Long Beach, Calif.

Colonel Impressed By Williams Action

M-Sgt. John H. Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Maxey, 407 W. 4th, has an admirer among high officers, with the Peninsular base headquarters in Italy.

He is Lt. Col. J. E. Breth, Hershey, Pa., who took time out of his return from Italy to write Mrs. Maxey that he had seen Sgt. Williams just before leaving.

"He's getting along fine and smiling all the time. It's been a great pleasure to have been with him and I think a lot of him. He's just the type we need more of," said Col. Breth, who added that "I'm just a little biased in my opinion because I'm red-headed too!"

Sgt. Williams is a graduate of Big Spring high school, has been in the service since July 14, 1942. He will have overseas two years on Jan. 1, going over after training at Camp Wolters, Indian Gaptown, Pennsylvania and Ft. Mead, Md. His unit is responsible for supplying the Peninsular base headquarters with everything from trucks to thumb-tacks and cares for rations for 4,500 people daily besides. Mrs. Floyd White is his sister.

H. V. O'Brien Is Killed In Wreck

H. V. O'Brien, 54 Carbon, brother of the Rev. P. D. O'Brien and Roy O'Brien of Big Spring, was injured fatally in a highway mishap six miles east of Abilene on US highway 80.

He apparently was thrown from the car in which he and five other were riding overturned, and the car rolled on him. Escaping with minor injuries were his son, John C. O'Brien, 22, US Marine Corps, who said dust from a truck had obscured a barricade which caused him to apply brakes and skid the car, and his bride of four days; Mrs. H. L. Thompson, 32, daughter of the elder O'Brien, and her two small children. The younger O'Brien had returned only a week ago from 26 months in the Pacific.

Mr. O'Brien succumbed at 1 p. m. Sunday in an Abilene hospital, two hours after he was injured. Rites were set for 4 p. m. Monday at Gorman, Eastland county.

Besides his widow, he leaves four sons, H. V. Jr. and T. O. O'Brien, in New Guinea; W. M. O'Brien, with the Marines in the Pacific, and J. C. O'Brien; two daughters, Mrs. Thompson and Mrs. J. W. Edwards of Abilene; six brothers and two sisters.

Carbon Plant Work At Odessa Is Halted

ODESSA, Oct. 21 (AP)—Work on a proposed carbon black plant five miles southwest of here has been ordered halted, Congressman R. E. Thomson said in a telegram today.

Some citizens of Odessa had protested that the location of the plant was too close to town.

Thomson quoted Sam Husbands, president of Defense Plant Corporation, as saying investigators for his organization would visit Odessa and consult with citizens on proposals to move the site farther from the city.

The plants are being constructed by United Carbon Black company.

Test Completed, Two Remain Up

One well was completed and two were being started as high-lights to oil activity in this area during the past week.

Stanford No. 2-A Echols, section 43-30-1n, T&P, bottomed at 2,620 and acidized, rated 308 barrels daily on pump to add another producer to the East Howard pool. Sinclair Prairie No. 4 Emma Davis was reported below 775 feet in redrock nearby.

Lily Oil Co. moved in spudder for its cable tool test on the B. F. McKinney tract north of Coahoma in section 42-30-1n, T&P. John I. Moore No. 1 Cosden, C NE NE 32-1n, adjacent to Cosden refinery, was rigging up rotary after having set surface string around 160 feet.

Cosden No. 2 Foster, 330 feet from the north and east lines of section 43-31-1n, T&P, was below 900 feet in redrock in an extreme eastern Howard test. Cosden No. 3-A Read, section 48-30-1n, T&P, was at 1,780 feet in anhydrite and Ray Oil Co. No. 2-B Read, section 42-29-1n, T&P, was at 2,250 after topping lime at 1,935 feet. Hunt Oil No. 1 A. L. Wasson, section 19-29-1n, T&P, was below 3,200 feet with no shows.

In northwest Mitchell county the Warren Petroleum No. 1 Chester L. Jones moved in cable tools to deepen from 4,289 feet. It is in section 9-25, H&TC and is seeking the Vincent pay. Union Oil No. 1 Bell, western Mitchell wildcat, was below 3,000 feet in section 27-29-1s, T&P, a mile and a half southwest of nearest production in Howard county.

Karcher and Brown had their third attempt to drill a wildcat on the J. C. Caldwell land in northern Howard under way with the No. 1-B Caldwell, 890 feet from the north and 330 feet from the west lines of section 32-32-3n, T&P, down at 600 feet. The 1-A was abandoned with air trouble below 1,900 feet and 1-A was lost due to similar trouble at 2,251 feet.

Northern Ordinance No. 1 Clayton & Johnson, south central Borden county wildcat which plugged back to 5,877 feet after logging sulphur water from 9,449-99, Saturday had drilled plugs, had washed and was to swab to test oil strains from 5,667. Location is in section 32-31-4n, T&P. Northern Ordinance No. 1 Spaulding, section 7-33-2n, T&P, northwest Howard wildcat had seven inch string set and was waiting on tools to test light shows around 6,750 after plugging back from 6,940.

Ray Albaugh, north-central Howard wildcat, projected for 5,000 feet 1,980 feet from the north and 860 feet from the east lines of section 29-32-2n, was reported below 4,100 feet.

Continental No. 1-D Settles, Ordovician test in section 133-29, W&NW, in the Howard-Glasscock pool, was at 3,482 feet after re cementing 9 5/8 inch casing.

Continental No. 7 Clay, 2,310 feet from the east and 1,544 feet from the north lines of section 138-29, W&NW, was at 1,390 feet in anhydrite. Continental was rigging for its No. 4-S Settles, 1,310 feet from the north and east lines of section 133-29, W&NW.

Farmers Eligible To Receive Fuel

Farmers in Howard county who have cotton picking crews and need gasoline may obtain it the same day they make application if handled through the proper channels.

Crews that are here in cars must get their gas recommendations from the county agent's office. The farmer must accompany the crew leader in order to certify the amount of gasoline necessary to handle his crop. Crews leaving Howard county must have referral cards from the county agent's office in order to receive gasoline to leave.

Crews that are here in truck must get their gas recommendation from the AAA office. The crew leader applying here for gasoline must also have his employer to certify his gasoline need for his crop.

The OPA officials stated that there would be a penalty for the one who got gasoline to work in this county, then went to another county.

Arrangements Made For Store Movement

Final arrangements were made Oct. 9 for the operators of the Big Spring White's Auto Store to take possession of the building located at 902-906 Scurry street.

The building will be completely remodeled, given a new front, floors and ceiling and fluorescent lighting fixtures will be installed. Due to extreme difficulty in obtaining building materials and fixtures, no date has been set for moving, but Fred Skaggs, manager said that the improvements probably will not begin until some time in 1945. In the meantime the building will be rented.

The new store will be 100x150 feet in size as compared with the present one of 40x80 feet. The new store will carry a full line of nationally known brands of furniture.

The White's Auto Store has been in Big Spring since 1941 and Skaggs assumed its management in February, 1944.



Major Clifford J. Clyburn of Knott, Texas, was recently awarded the Silver Star, third highest of Army battle awards, for gallantry in action.

Major Clyburn serves as Regimental S-2 for an infantry regiment in the 30th "Texas" Division. A graduate of John Tarleton College, Major Clyburn was attending business school when inducted into the army. He has also been awarded the Combat Infantryman's badge.

His father, Mr. Arthur Clyburn resides in Knott, Texas.



PRISONER OF WAR; Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Lauderdale of Ackerly have been notified by the war department that their son, Pfc. Leonard D. Lauderdale is a prisoner of war.

This information was revealed through the International Red Cross and stated that the prisoner camp in which he is interned is held by the Germans. Lauderdale has been missing in action in France since August 7. He entered service April 7, 1943 and has been overseas since May, landing in England at that time. He has two brothers in service serving in the Southwest Pacific. They are T-Sgt. Ben H. Lauderdale of the Army Combat Engineers, and Claude E., who is in the Marines.

Nine Planks Of WTCC Adopted

Chamber of commerce directors, in a two-hour session Monday, adopted the nine planks of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce referendum ballot, but the plank dealing with social security was adopted with a proviso.

Directors agreed with the need for broadening the social security base to include all and for removal of existing equalities, but they gave instructions to reject the plank if a proposal that social security be based solely on subsistence dealt with those retiring at 65 years of age.

Other planks adopted included: to continue present methods of election of officers; a two million dollar state appropriation for advertising Texas for industrialization; establishment of a WTCC public expenditures and tax bureau; continue fight for freight parity, if necessary by state intervention to seek injunction against discriminations.

Budget study groups, plus laws to make city, county and school budgets uniform for comparative purposes, the passage of a restricting bill and state scholastic appointment on basis of attendance; post-war tax reductions with proposed 20 billion federal budget limitation, abolishment of excess profits, capital stock and dividend payments for double taxation; and post-war conversion laws passed at the earliest time.

B. Reagan, veteran WTCC district director, thanked the chamber for again favoring him for the office, but insisted that someone else be named because "I could not do justice to you and to myself. I believe the WTCC and local chamber have done a great work."

In his stead, Grover C. Dunham was nominated as district director. Dunham and G. H. Hayward were nominated as local directors.

Guests included Lt. Robert W. Whipkey, USNR, former chamber president home on leave; Reagan and Ben LeFever, former chamber president.

Mitchell County Halfway To Quota

COLORADO CITY, Oct. 21 — Mitchell county has just reached the half-way mark on the War Fund quota, the latest report from Charles Moerer, treasurer of the fund committee, shows. Assigned a \$7500 quota, Mitchell Countians have reported and deposited

Post Graduate Gets DFC For Coolness, Skill

The B-17 was plowing through a terrific flak barrage as it neared the German target. Suddenly, direct hits destroyed the left aileron, broke both rudder control cables and pierced the gas tanks.

The bombardier, 1st Lt. William G. Smith of Aberdeen, N. C. Big Spring Bombardier school graduate of class 43-8, heard the alarm to prepare for jumping and felt the Fortress lurch violently to the left and go into a spiral.

Regaining his composure a few seconds later, he realized that he was entirely alone in the nose of the ship, as the navigator, apparently in shock, had jumped, taking his maps with him.

Other crewmembers also had jumped, but Lt. Smith stayed, and the pilot eventually brought the crippled Fort out of the spin. Still flying directly through the flak, he dropped his bombs on a vital target of opportunity.

Then, without radio contact and aided only by a small inadequate map of the continent, Lt. Smith routed his ship around flak concentration points and enabled the pilot to take it back to England.

For his courage, coolness and skill, the lieutenant was rewarded with the Distinguished Flying Cross.

Capture Of Yank Pilot Worth Two Acres In Romania

A Big Spring Bombardier school graduate whose capture was worth two acres of land to a Romanian peasant is back home now with a vivid story of his three months' experience as a prisoner of war.

First Lt. John P. Scherer of St. Louis, Mo., class 43-16, holder of the Distinguished Flying Cross, the Purple Heart and the Air Medal with three clusters, was on a raid from his Italian base to Ploesti last May 31 when flak knocked out one engine and hit the control cables. It was impossible to turn with the formation and the ship was separated from it by 500 to 700 yards.

"Then a dozen or fifteen German fighters made the first of five passes at us," Lt. Scherer related. "They shot out our No. 3 engine, demobilized the tail and ball turret, hit the No. 2 engine and then the oil and gas lines. The plane caught fire, and our crew of nine had to bail out. It was my first jump in 41 missions.

"We all landed safely, and as far as two miles apart. I was met on the ground by about 20 civilians, with rifles and pitchforks. Their government had offered them two acres of land for every American flier they caught, so I was a valuable catch."

Put in a nearby jail overnight, they were taken by train the next day to Bucharest and placed in a stone garrison building with barred windows. They slept on boards because the mattresses were infested with insects.

"While we were in Bucharest the British and Americans made 44 raids on the city. When peace came, we thought it would be all peaches and cream, but the next day the Germans began a 72-hour air attack on the city, bombing and strafing, and street fighting was going on.

"The prison building was too good a target, and we were permitted to go into private houses, the owners of which were hospitable to us. I remained with one family four days, and got civilian clothes there. Then we were moved to a camp in the country, to await return to our base in Italy, from which planes were sent for us. It was a three-hour trip back."

County Chairman Announces Heads

Looking toward the Sixth War Loan drive, which gets underway on Nov. 11, Ira Thurman, Howard county bond chairman, Tuesday announced drive chairmen.

Ted O. Groebel, who led the county successfully through four war loans, was announced again as general chairman with Pat Kenney as co-chairman.

Thurman announced Mrs. Mildred Orme to be in charge of the women's division and Mrs. Mary Louise Griffin to be in charge of the office work. All served in these capacities in the Fifth War Loan.

Traffic Light Situation Presents Problem To Big Spring City Heads

By BETTY GLENN
Red — stop! Yellow — caution! Blank! — Do you go or stay, where you are? Or maybe its green — go; then suddenly nothing. No red. no yellow — no nothing. What do you do then?

We will not stop to count the number of drivers who have seen red when the red light was out. Nor will we try to count the number of Big Spring citizens who know how many traffic signals are out. Though it probably wouldn't be hard to do. The list will probably include two or three policemen, the city electrician — and me.

At least a day or so ago it would have included me.

At the risk of having my friends think "Teh, teh. She's finally losing it," and strangers think "Isn't it a shame about these under-privileged people. She's probably never seen a traffic signal." I checked the lights downtown and counted the ones which were out.

Strangely enough, on my tour of inspection I found that every signal was in order and blinking as every good traffic signal should when — Pfft, one little yellow caution refused to caution.

All of this I describe to point out that seeing that the signals are all in order is no mean task. The electric company in Big Spring is operating at capacity, and it has become difficult to maintain an even voltage. The surge of higher voltage causes the traffic lamps to short out. The present lamps can accommodate only 230 volts, but new ones of 250 volts have been ordered. City officials believe that these lights will stand up under the voltage surge.

The policemen hope so. The city electrician hopes so. I hope so.

Barney Echols Awarded Silver Star For Braving Storm Of Enemy Shells

Because he braved a storm of enemy fire which had ambushed his patrol to rescue a wounded comrade and succeeded in bringing him to safety, Sgt. Barney L. Echols, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Echols, has been awarded the Silver Star by the commanding general of the First Cavalry division.

His award was earned during the campaign which gained control of the strategic Admiralty Islands.

Although fatigued mentally and physically from long patrol activity on higher terrain which afforded complete observation. When the patrol had advanced a short distance, the enemy suddenly opened fire from concealed positions.

One of the men fell wounded into the lane of fire. Without thought for his own safety, Sgt. Echols immediately crawled to his companion and removed him to a concealed spot where his wounds could be treated.

The citation told how Sgt. Echols "thereafter successfully covered the withdrawal of the patrol with the wounded and all equipment, extricating the unit from possible annihilation, and furnishing his commanders with information concerning the enemy dispositions."

Reared in Sterling City, he worked on the McEntire U ranch until he entered the service July 16, 1940. Training at Ft. Riley, Kans. and Ft. Bliss, he was shipped to Australia early in 1942.

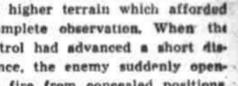
Sgt. Echols has one brother, Pvt. Laverne J. Echols, who had been in the Aleutians for two years on Sept. 20, and another, Loren Echols, stationed at Bakersfield, Calif. after 50 missions. His sisters are Mrs. Ralph Davis, Coahoma, Mrs. H. L. Moody, McCombe and Mrs. Naomi Wright, Galveston.

Knott 4-H Club Meets In School Auditorium

The Knott 4-H Club met at 2:30 p. m. in the school auditorium, and Durward Lewter, county agent, met with them and discussed the proper feeding of balanced rations. There are 15 calves on feed in this club and a total of 20 pigs.

Each boy pledged to have at least two exhibits to the Food Show to be held November 4th at the Ford display room.

Also brought to the club's attention by Lewter was that November 1 is the time to put pigs and lambs on feed for the March show.



President of the 4-H Club is Darrel Shortes, vice-president, C. H. Riddle Jr., secretary-treasurer, Howard Smith, and Odell Roman, reporter.

From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

As American as Huckleberry Finn

About the best-read books in our town are the works of Mark Twain—who wrote Tom Sawyer and Huck Finn and all those other lovable, undying stories.

And I think it's because he's the most American of all our writers. He understood his fellow men—and loved them as he loved all humanity.

You may remember what he said of Tolerance and Freedom—those principles so basic to our way of life. Mark Twain believed in them, of course. He fought for them. But he cautioned—"Never let tolerance become indifference, never let freedom become license."

From where I sit, that's timely wisdom for a troubled world—whether it applies to international politics, or to a man's right to enjoy a friendly glass of beer occasionally.

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Archbishop Of Canterbury Dies

LONDON, Oct. 26 (AP)—The Archbishop of Canterbury, The Most Rev. William Temple, died today after a heart attack. The primate of all England was 63 and had been enthroned in bomb-pocked old Canterbury Cathedral since April 23, 1942.

His death and that of Princess Beatrice, which occurred a few hours earlier, plunged England into mourning.

Dr. Temple was the son of an

Crushing

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Germans yesterday reported the overstretched supply lines. (The Russians had launched a powerful offensive north of Warsaw.)

Rokossovsky was advancing on the west side of the Vistula on a front at least 12 miles wide aiming at Lowicz, big jail junction, 29 miles southwest of Dabrowka and 45 miles in the rear of Warsaw. From there he would be in a position to destroy the German grip on western Poland.

Meanwhile, the invasion of East Prussia ran into a storm of fanatical Nazi counterattacks around Gumbinnen and Goldap, and while the advance continued, it brought gains of less than two miles on a separated front.

The occupation of Transylvania was completed with the capture of the important city of Satu-Mare, the railway town of Carei and 200 other populated places. Romanian troops participated in these actions.

AFL Precipitates New Labor Crisis

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26 (AP)—The American federation of labor precipitated a new crisis in the War Labor Board today with a refusal to participate in certain wage cases until a decision is made on demands for a change in the little steel formula.

George Meany, AFL secretary-treasurer, disclosing AFL's decision, said Chairman William H. Davis of the WLB had "invited" the federation to change its mind or withdraw from the board. Meany said the AFL at the moment did not plan to do either one.

The AFL, Meany stated, would not participate in WLB wage cases involving demands in excess of the little steel formula until an over-all policy decision had been made on the formula itself.

This meant the AFL would not take part in a half dozen CIO dispute cases on which the WLB is scheduled to start deliberations next Tuesday.

Lewter also picked out five calves Wednesday from the Charlie Creighton herd. Two calves were chosen for Charlie Creighton Jr., one to Denver Hayes, one to Gerald Cockerell and one to Hugh Coughley.

From the Bob Powell herd, Lewter chose a calf for Bobby Powell, picked one lamb from the Nick Read flock for Bobby, and one for Wayne White.

A total of 73 calves are now on feed for the March Show, and 23 lambs have been chosen.

Northern Ordnance Cleaning Out Now

Northern Ordnance No. 1 Clayton & Johnson, south central Borden county wildcat, was cleaning out Thursday following a 640-quart shot from 5,685-5,870 feet.

The test had plugged back from 9,499 feet to 5,877 feet to test oil stains encountered in the section given the shot. Reaction to the shot could not be determined immediately. Location is in section 32-31-4n, T&P.

John I. Moore No. 1 Cosden, interesting wildcat adjacent to the Cosden Petroleum Corp. refinery and in section 38-32-1n, T&P, had drilled with rotary to 875 feet in redrock Thursday. During the weekend the test should approach the level where the Dick Graham, et al No. 1 Great West, immediately east of the refinery, struck 275,000,000 cubic feet of air daily. However, an exploratory test on Cosden property subsequently missed the air formation.

In eastern Howard county Cosden No. 3-B Read, section 48-30-1n, T&P, was drilling at 2,150 feet and Cosden No. 2 Foster, section 43-31-1n, T&P, was below 1,550 feet.

Weather Forecast

Dept. of Commerce Weather Bureau

BIG SPRING AND VICINITY: Partly cloudy, scattered showers in El Paso area and Big Bend country this afternoon, tonight and Friday; not much change in temperature.

WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy, scattered showers in El Paso area and Big Bend country this afternoon, tonight and Friday; not much change in temperature.

EAST TEXAS: Fair in north, partly cloudy in south portion this afternoon, tonight and Friday; cooler in north portion tonight.

Weather Forecast

TEMPERATURES

City	Max.	Min.
Amarillo	80	55
Ablene	78	46
BIG SPRING	77	60
Chicago	64	36
Denver	72	41
El Paso	72	54
Fort Worth	86	68
Galveston	81	64
New York	69	54
St. Louis	75	44

Local sunset, 7:22 p. m.; sunrise, 7:58 a. m.

Livestock

FORT WORTH, Oct. 26 (AP)—Cattle 4,000, calves 2,500; uneven; common to medium slaughter steers 8.00-11.50; medium to good slaughter yearlings 10.00-12.25; medium to good beef cows 8.00-10.50; bull prices 5.75-8.50; good and choice fat calves mostly 11.00-12.00; stocker calves and yearlings mostly 8.00-11.00 with stocker cows 6.00-8.00.

Hogs 900, unchanged; good butcher hogs sold at the 14.55 ceiling; heavy hogs and sows 13.30 down; pigs 12.50 down.

Sheep 4,700, slow to steady; medium and good fat lambs 11.75-13.00; good and choice 103 lb. yearlings 11.00; medium grade yearlings 9.00-10.00; good and choice aged wethers 5.75 down; ewes 3.00-5.00.

Meeting Thursday Of Auto Dealers

There will be a meeting Thursday night at 8 p. m. at the Big Spring U. S. Employment Service office of automobile and truck repair and maintenance men in order that some decision may be reached as to how the shortage of much needed mechanics and auto repairmen can be met.

Plans will be discussed for the forming of training classes for mechanics and the merits of the two types of training will be brought up. These two methods are 1) a short, intensive course, and (2) long apprentice training of from two to four years. The latter method is not really considered a war measure, organizers of the meeting said Thursday morning.

At Thursday night's meeting Joe L. Read, district supervisor, trade and industrial education, Roy Crowford of Austin, and C. H. Roy Crowford will explain the different types of training available. These programs are recognized by the Veteran's Administration.

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Princess Beatrice Dies While Asleep

LONDON, Oct. 26 (AP)—Princess Beatrice, youngest and last surviving child of Britain's famed Queen Victoria and mother of former Queen Victoria Eugenie of Spain, died today.

She was a great aunt of King George and the Duke of Windsor, and her family ties reached into many of Europe's royal families, some now deceased. She died at 5:10 a. m. (12:10 AEW).

An official bulletin said Princess Beatrice died peacefully in her sleep. She would have been 88 next April 14.

Former Queen Victoria Eugenie came from Switzerland by air to be at her mother's side. A son, the Marquis of Carisbrooke, also was in London. Two other children are dead.

Christened Beatrice Marie Victoria Feodora but known all her life simply as Princess Beatrice, she was governor and captain of the Isle of Wight since the death of her husband, Prince Henry of Battenberg, in 1896.

Princess Beatrice was an aunt of the late King George V, Kaiser Wilhelm of Germany and Queen Marie of Rumania.

Malmstrom Assumes Duties As Officer

L. V. Malmstrom assumed duties as a member of the Big Spring police force last Monday. Malmstrom is from Abilene and was formerly attached to the military police while serving in the army.

The police department is having a meeting of all its force every night at which the prisoners held in jail are questioned and various problems are discussed.

WRECK REPORTED

Local police reported a wreck Thursday morning at 8:40 a. m. at the 14th and State streets intersection. A car driven by Mrs. Oscar Glickman was struck by another automobile driven by Mrs. A. E. Scott. Mrs. Scott was alone in her car, but Mrs. Glickman had her three children and another little girl with her. Only bruises and scratches were sustained by the occupants of both cars, but the policeman investigating the accident stated that both automobiles were pretty badly damaged.

FIRE REPORTED THURSDAY

A fire was reported Thursday morning at 9:45 a. m. at 201 N. W. 2nd street. Firemen reported that a chicken house belonging to Ham Andrews was completely destroyed in the blaze and 100 baby chickens were burned. The fire was caused by the explosion of a kerosene brooder.

Tinned fish, if properly processed, should remain fit for use indefinitely.

The name, Toronto, of Indian origin, means "A place of meeting."

The Chinese painted in water colors in the third century.

Public Records

Building Permits
Tom Hinson, to move 24 x 28 foot frame house to Odessa, moving cost, \$565.
R. R. Hall, to move 12 x 24 foot frame house from southern city limits to Sand Springs, cost \$75.00.
G. C. Burke, to build 12 x 18 foot garage and 8 x 10 foot frame chicken house at 410 N. W. 10th street, cost \$80.
L. S. Pederson, to remodel bathroom in 18 x 32 foot frame house at 502 Benton street, cost \$30.

Marriages:
D. O. King of Sterling City to Willie Maude Fowler of San Angelo.
In The 70th District Court:
Clara Green versus Clara Green, suit filed for divorce.
Mildred E. Clark versus James L. Clark, suit filed for divorce.
In the case of H. W. Montgomery versus Dorothy Mae Montgomery, divorce granted.
Ester Flores versus Margarito Flores, divorce granted.
Roy S. Butler versus Louise Butler, divorce granted.
Myrtle Griffith versus L. B. Griffith, divorce granted.
Ademino J. Mendez versus Tavey Mendez, divorce granted.

Committee To Decide Future Church Plans

AMARILLO, Oct. 26 (AP)—Whether the North Texas District of the Episcopal church will be divided among neighboring dioceses and districts or whether a successor will be named for Bishop E. C. Seaman, who resigned, will be decided by a committee appointed by Bishop Thomas Cassidy of Oklahoma during the concluding session of the 21st meeting of the southwest synod here.

Bishop Cassidy, newly elected president of the province of the North Texas district, appointed Bishop Clifton S. Quin of Houston, Everett Jones of San Antonio, Rev. E. J. Wright of El Paso and James Allison of Wichita Falls on a committee which will prepare recommendations for the bishops meeting in January.

Bishop Seaman's resignation is effective in January.

A letter from the council of advice on the missionary district of North Texas was read at the meeting at St. Andrews church here recommending that the district, which consists of six parishes and 17 original missions of the province, continue as a separate jurisdiction.

Sales of postage stamps at the Philatelic Agency for the fiscal year 1944 were the highest in its history, with the exception of 1935.

COMPLAINT FILED

A complaint was filed today by Chief Deputy Sheriff Denver Dunn against Joseph Kochoero for the theft of a car belonging to Cecil Walker. Kochoero is in jail at Yuma, Ariz.

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