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Taxi Driver is Fatally Shot

Charges Are Filed Against Ex-Serviceman

Charges of murder with malice aforethought have been filed against Garland Pearce, 25-year-old ex-serviceman, in the fatal shooting Saturday morning about 3 o'clock of William Leonard Brown, 48, driver for the Courtney Cab company.

The shooting occurred, Police Chief Ray Dudley said, after a long argument is alleged to have ensued between the two men at the cab station, corner of Cuyler and Francis.

Questioning of witnesses into the shooting was being continued last night by District Attorney Walter Rogers. There were three other cab drivers and a woman office employe on duty at the time, but their names were not released by the authorities. They were being questioned.

Rogers said that so far as he knew the "facts will develop out of an accusation of drivers' licenses."

Earlier Saturday it was learned the two men began their discussion shortly after midnight over a question of whether a state automobile driver's license was good for one or two years.

Two bullets entered Brown's body, one in the right side and the other through the back.

Chief Dudley filed formal charges in the court of Charles Hughes, justice of the peace, according to John Sturgeon, of Sturgeon and Sturgeon, attorneys for the accused, the examining trial of Pearce has not been set.

Pearce has been working here for some time as a typewriter serviceman. He served in the navy for a short time before he was honorably discharged.

District Attorney Rogers said yesterday afternoon that Pearce and his father, Roy O. Pearce, local refinery employe, had requested the

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THEY ARE 'OSCAR' WINNERS



Griming Barry Fitzgerald, beautiful Ingrid Bergman and surprised Bing Crosby clutch their 'Oscars' after winning motion picture academy awards for top acting in 1944. Fitzgerald for supporting role in 'Going My Way,' Miss Bergman and Bing for leading roles in 'Gaslight' and 'Going My Way,' respectively. (NEA Telephoto).

Meat Supplies Will Get 12 Percent Cut

WASHINGTON, March 17.—(AP)—The government tonight announced a 12 percent cut in meat supplies for civilians starting April 1, reducing them to "the lowest point in 10 years."

Less beef and pork will be available, said the announcement issued by the office war information, but the civilian table will get more veal, lamb and mutton.

The war food administration allotted meat to civilians for the April, May, June quarter at the rate of only 115 pounds per person a year, compared with 120 pounds in the quarter now closing.

Simultaneously OWI announced a "substantial reduction" in lend-lease shipment of meat, and increased supplies for U. S. army and navy use.

Britain will get only 25,000,000 pounds of lend-lease meat next quarter, or about 12 1/2 percent of present shipments. This evidently was based on the theory that British reserves are large enough to sustain England without great American assistance.

To head off dire shortages in this country in the East and Far West resulting from the curtailment, OWI said the government was undertaking to parcel out live

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Nazi First, Seventh Armies Fleeing Bomb-Ravaged Saar

By TOM OCHILTREE
Associated Press War Editor

The American Third army seized virtually all of historic Coblenz last night while its tank spearheads operating 40 miles to the south charged 15 more miles across the rear lines of two bomb-lashed German armies fleeing on choked roads out of the Saar.

In a squeezing operation the U. S. Seventh army, 40 to 50 miles farther south, was cracking the Siegfried line in the Saar and the Palatinate.

While the Germans reported a major breakthrough in the sturkest terms they ever have used in the war, Gen. Eisenhower warned civilians in Frankfurt, Mannheim and Ludwigshafen, big Rhineland cities in the Third army's path, that they would be subjected to merciless bombardment.

The retreating German First and Seventh armies were feeling the weight of Allied air might as U. S. Ninth air force fighters and medium bombers blasted road junctions and strafed infantry and motorized columns in the Moselle-Rhine triangle.

Flying tank columns of Lt. Gen. S. Patton's Third army reached the Nahe river—the last barrier before the great Rhine escape city of Mainz—at two points. The Americans now possibly were within 21 miles of Mainz.

To the north, American First army troops broadened their Remagen-Epelt bridgehead on the east bank of the Rhine to 14 miles and deepened it to 7 1/2 miles.

Shown right is the Pfaffendorfer bridge running to east bank of Oberrhein at Coblenz, entered Saturday by Allied forces. In background is Royal palace once occupied by Kaiser Wilhelm I. Coblenz is an historic landmark in German history, it having served as the capital of Rhenish Prussia at one time.

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8,500-Foot Well Will Be Drilled In Wheeler-co.

Announcement of the drilling of an 8,500-foot deep well in Wheeler county has been made by J. L. Wheatley, district superintendent of the Sinclair Prairie Oil Company.

The well will probably be the deepest ever drilled in this section of the state. Wheatley said that some wells of 8,000 feet have been drilled in counties of the East Texas and Burkburnett fields.

Contractors will sink a water well first, after which the actual drilling will commence. Work will begin immediately, he said.

The location is on the R. D. Mills ranch near Twitty. The well is not located near any of the normal stalling areas in Wheeler county but is of the "wildcat" type.

Island of Sulu Group Is Invaded; Jap City of Kobe Still Blazing

BULLETIN
SAN FRANCISCO, March 17.—(AP)—Suggesting the likelihood that Vice Adm. Marc A. Mitscher's carrier task force—the world's largest—has made its third close approach to Japan the enemy radio reported carrier-based attacks Sunday, Japanese time, on Kyushu and Shikoku islands.

Gen. Douglas MacArthur reported, meanwhile, that Japan has lost 282,000 troops thus far in the five-month American campaign in the Philippines, 145,000 of these in the first nine weeks of the Luzon island fighting.

Basilan island is across a 12-mile strait from captured Zamboanga on Mindanao, where American warplanes already are operating off airfields only 215 miles northeast of Borneo.

Fires set in a 12-square-mile area of Kobe by more than 300 Superfortresses yesterday still cast too much smoke for photographic survey, but reconnaissance pictures of destruction wrought Wednesday on Osaka showed nine of its 14 vital war installations wiped out. Seventy-five percent of a 10-square-

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More Men Thirty And Up Will Be Called To Serve

WASHINGTON, March 17.—(AP)—Heavier drafting of men 30 and older from essential jobs was foreseen by selective service law, it was authorized deferment of some 145,000 younger men in five vital war industries.

The government broke its rule that not more than 30 percent of workers in the 12-39 age group could remain deferments, for the benefit of the steel, coal mining, transportation, synthetic rubber, and non-ferrous mining industries, including copper, lead and zinc.

"It is obvious that if we don't get them under 30, we'll have to take older men," said a selective service headquarters spokesman. "The draft calls are not being reduced."

It is reasonable to expect, he

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Strong Senate Fight Is Seen On Tariff Bill

WASHINGTON, March 17.—(AP)—The administration's bid for tariff-reducing authority looks to some senators like a move in the campaign to trade the British out of their empire preference system. But that doesn't popularize it with the high-duty group.

With resumption of postwar international commerce in view, the state department has asked for power to cut tariffs as much as 50 percent under levels of last January 1, along with extension of trade agreements authority.

Chairman George (D-Ga.) of the senate finance committee told a reporter it is his understanding the primary objective is to put the United States in a position where it can urge Britain to junk the scheme by which members of the commonwealth give tariff preferences to each other.

In return, the state department might be pleased to the British, Australians, Canadians and others. But George said he expected the request for duty-cutting power to "aggravate" the usual senate fight on reciprocal agreement authority.

Duties on some items which already have been reduced by one-

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Area Is Mapped Out in Talley

A committee appointed by the citizens of the Talley addition, in session last night at the McCulloch Methodist church, mapped out a tentative area in which petitions are to be circulated to secure names asking the city commission of Pampa to call an election to determine if the people want to become an incorporated section of the city.

The area, according to the Committee Secretary R. L. Gilpin, minister of the McCulloch church, is described as follows (from the present city limits on Dwight street): That area running out Alcock to Perry street, thence one block north to Browning; thence a block east to Doyle.

That area from Doyle two blocks north to Montague, thence east to Dwight.

This definition constitutes an area of seven blocks long by three blocks wide, plus one block on Perry street.

The committee explained that this was a tentative mapping in order that there would be a basis on which the petition could be drawn.

The committee will meet again on Tuesday night to discuss such matters as voting. There has been some discussion of hiring a disinterested lawyer to help in the procedure.

A mass meeting of all people concerned.

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Pampan Helps Rescue Americans From Japs

Pvt. Nelson L. Day, 24, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Day, 216 W. Craven street, had the distinction of being one of those men to transport American prisoners from a Jap prison camp in the Philippines.

Pvt. Day, with the First Cavalry, soon will have been overseas two years. He wrote to his sister-in-law, Mrs. Melba Day, here at Pampa:

"I experienced one of the happiest days of my life—was one of the lucky boys who hauled prisoners of the Jap prison camp."

He has a brother, Pvt. Ansel Day, stationed at Kessler field, Miss.

Development Program Favored by Committee

By SCOTT RAFFERTY

The Postwar Planning committee of the Pampa Chamber of Commerce went on record at a meeting Friday afternoon as being in favor of literally "cleaning up" the city of Pampa.

Carl Benefield, chairman of the committee, said the group intended to ask G. P. Pursey, president of the chamber of commerce, for permission to arrange the program of the next regular meeting of the chamber.

The committee, at that time, will lay several definite proposals before the entire chamber membership, subject to approval, and the "go-ahead" on a campaign to beautify the city will be requested.

It was pointed out at the Friday meeting that there were numerous conditions existing here that could be remedied now and many that could not be; but, all the members present agreed, definite plans could

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Champion Horse Owned by Tulsan

FORT WORTH, March 17.—(AP)—Question Mark, Palomino stallion sired by Plaudit and exhibited by Tom Gray of Tulsa, Okla., was chosen the champion stock horse stallion of the breed at the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock show here today.

Butler Cup, sired by Friend's Yellow Dog and owned by E. J. Gutschentner of Gordon Plain, Kas., was chosen champion stock horse mare.

In the bridal path of trail horse stallion division, Man O'Gold, sired by Dora's Peavine and owned by Louis F. Brumley of Pueblo, Colo., was named champion. Man O'Gold was purchased by Brumley before the showing from Layton Humphrey of Dallas for \$5,000.

Sallyrae, sired by Beau Pershing and owned by Archie Adams, Jr., Wichita, Kas., was adjudged champion mare in the bridal path or trail horse division.

Pvt. Bruce Daugherty Is Killed in Action

Pvt. Bruce Daugherty, 19, was killed in action in the European theatre recently, according to a war department telegram received by his mother, Mrs. Twila Daugherty of Hoover.

Before his enlistment last August he was a student at Pampa high school.

The telegram stated that a letter would follow giving further details of his death.

Relative of Pampan Is Killed in Action

Chief of Police Ray Dudley received a telegram yesterday that his nephew, Sgt. Kenneth Merle Folsom, 22, has been killed in action while serving with the Ninth army in Holland.

Folsom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Folsom, are former Pampa residents now living in Lynnwood, California.

Sgt. Folsom spent his last furlough with Mr. and Mrs. Dudley here in Pampa before going overseas in August.

A younger brother, Eugene Jr., will probably enter the service in June. He resides with his parents in Lynnwood.

Halifax Address Time Is Moved Up

Broadcast of an address by Lord Halifax, British ambassador to the United States, will be carried by Station KPND from 3:30 to 4 Tuesday afternoon, emanating from Elk City, Okla. The time was originally set for 4 to 4:30.

Lord Halifax will be featured as principal guest at a coyote-hunting party at Elk City, the party scheduled to begin Monday afternoon with colorful customs of the Old West, including chuck on the range and camp under the stars. He will be accompanied, in addition to other persons, by Congressman Victory Wickersham of Oklahoma and Gov. Kerr of Oklahoma.

The broadcast will begin over KPND at 3, with preliminary color description of horses and dogs of the hunt, and of celebrities.

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AN IRISH COP SAID SO 50,000 SHONE LIKE THE LAKES OF KILLARNEY!

By ED CREEGH
NEW YORK, March 17.—(AP)—Silk hats glistening, like the sun on the lakes of Killarney themselves, the Irish marched up Fifth avenue today, and there were 50,000 of them, if it was an Irish cop that said so.

"Twas a jewel of a day, the finest St. Patrick's day in a good 10 years, and the sun's rays fell alike on the prancing band collectors with their bright-colored uniforms and the bits of paper that cascaded down from the buildings along the way."

"It took an O'Donnell to bring out the sunshine," chuckled the grand marshal, Mgr. Patrick J. O'Donnell, as the temperature crept toward the 80's and the coppers, poor lads, stood suffering in their winter coats.

Chief Inspector John J. O'Connell, and he wore a suit-coat, put the number of spectators at 1,250,000 along the hour and a quarter line of march.

From the brass bands and the strutting bagpipers came such stirring Irish tunes that the street-sweepers whistled as they cleared away the litter, and the pert-dressed ladies of the Camann Na Mhain felt their horses dance beneath them.

There was a pause at St. Patrick's cathedral where a bit of a girl broke loose from the parade, pushed the church dignitaries on the cathedral steps and kissed the ring of Archbishop Francis J. Spellman.

And salutes there were in plenty when the marchers drew abreast of Lieut. Gov. Joe R. Hanley, Mayor Fiorello H. LaGuardia—Fiorelli O'LaGuardia, he was today—and the other officials, more than you could shake a shillelagh at, in the reviewing stand.

All kinds of wire, Lewis H. W. Adm.

Senator Would Put Remagen on Stamp

WASHINGTON, March 17.—(AP)—Senator O'Mahoney (D-Wyo.) suggested to Postmaster General Walker today that the Remagen bridge be used as the central design for a stamp honoring the crossing of the Rhine by American ground forces.

"This would be particularly appropriate since no hostile foot has crossed the Rhine since 1840, until our troops through conspicuous successfulness, daring and valor took that bridge," O'Mahoney wrote.

Five-One Garage, 600 S. Cuyler, Ph. 51.—Adv.

Pampa Shriners To Be Hosts Tuesday

The Pampa Shrine club, working in the interests of the Masonic crippled children's hospital, will be hosts at a benefit dance at the Pampa country club Tuesday night.

F. E. Hoffman, chairman of the entertainment committee, said last night all Shriners, military and civilian, from surrounding cities and army posts are invited.

Music will be furnished by Marie Hestrick's all-girl orchestra from Amarillo. Dancing will be from 8:30 p.m. to midnight.

Luther Peterson is president of the local Shrine club and M. P. Downs is secretary-treasurer.

WPB Failed To See Value of Carbon Black

By RAY TUCKER
Washington Correspondent for The Pampa News

The utter failure of the chemicals division of the war production board to recognize or anticipate the need for one ingredient of rubber tires—carbon black—has thrown into jeopardy all transportation facilities for our armies at the front and the back-up-the-boys establishment at home. It is probably the most troublesome industrial breakdown of the war.

Responsible officials have tried to hush-hush the crisis. But it has become no grave that it has drawn the attention of James F. Byrnes and the Mead committee, which has taken over the Truman investigation. The war mobilization has organized overnight a special inter-agency group to remedy the situation, if possible. The sensational sleuths will assess the blame, and seek assurance that it can't happen again—here.

When Von Rundstedt struck the Allies last December, the nation's tire factories were manufacturing sixteen million units annually, capacity performance then. The high command, after severe losses of tanks, trucks and heavy artillery in the battle of the bulge, increased the quota for 1945 to twenty-eight million.

The army and WPB immediately arranged a seventy-million-dollar program for new plants and extensions. One of these was the \$1,015,278 expansion of the Cabot Carbon company's plant at Guymon, Okla., announced locally last Thursday. But they say

Now ready to plow your Victory Garden. Rider Motor Co. Ph. 760.—Adv.

These new plants an expanded plants cannot get into full production before early fall.

These new plants an expanded plants cannot get into full production before early fall. As a measure of overcoming the scarcity quickly, management and labor in the tire industry agreed to operate seven days a week for a hundred days.

Every agency involved in turning out the increased supply of tires quibbled as to its part, except the chemicals division of WPB. Every agency, including the rubber division of WPB, warned that there would be a greatly increased demand for carbon black.

This ingredient, made from the soot of burned oil, provides the hardening qualities and composes about 30 percent of the tire. There can be no production without it.

The chemical experts, however, remained cynical about the seven-day working week attaining the

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higher goals fixed by army, navy and other WPB planners. They maintained that the program was fantastic from the mere standpoint of industrial operation. So now there is not enough of the vital substance to permit the expanded output.

The seven-day week has already been cut to six, and it may soon drop to five. Army spokesmen estimate that they are losing at least 40,000 tires a month because of the shortage. With our European forces poised for the knockout blow, the deficiency may prove fatal to quick defeat of the Nazis.

Civilian consumers will also suffer. It had been agreed to make twenty million units for

THE ROAD TO BERLIN

By The Associated Press
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THE WEATHER

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WEST TEXAS—Partly cloudy Sunday
EAST TEXAS—Partly cloudy Sunday; warmer in northwest portion. Fresh winds in east.
OKLAHOMA—Increasing cloudiness Sunday in west, fair in east, somewhat warmer in west.

5 a.m. Today	40
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9 a.m.	38
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1 p.m.	36
3 p.m.	35
5 p.m.	34
7 p.m.	33
9 p.m.	32
11 p.m.	31
Friday's Max.	35
Friday's Min.	28

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REPORT IS MADE

Phillips Petroleum Co. reported to its stockholders Wednesday and "Uncle Frank" Phillips, chairman of the board, announced that his salary had been cut from \$50,000 to \$1 per year, because of the tax situation.

In 1944 the company had gross income of \$207,751,240; the net income was \$20,952,088, or \$4.26 per share on common stock, comparing with \$3.04 per share in 1943—an increase of 48 percent. It invested in properties, plants and equipment, \$66,902,758.

The company drilled 623 wells, of which 456 were oil or gas producers;

in this total was 150 wildcats, which netted 25 oil pools and seven gas pools. Net crude oil production averaged 76,000 barrels daily, an increase of 10,433 over the previous year; in February this year the company was averaging 90,000 barrels daily.

PLENTY OF PLUS

The Texas Co. used plenty of plus signs in making its 1944 report to stockholders. Earnings increased from \$3.83 to \$4.85 per share of common stock; dividends went from \$2 to \$2.50 per annum.

At end of the year it had 28,719 employees compared with 26,370 in 1943; women employees gained from 3,244 to 4,846; employees on military leave went from 4,610 to 4,932; all employees are assured their jobs will be available when war ends. Net crude oil production in 1944 was 83,982,040 barrels, compared with 71,961,757 barrels in 1943; it purchased 76,470,252 barrels, an increase; crude runs to stills totaled 125,912,808 barrels compared with 108,700,428. It drilled 1,114 wells, compared with 677 wells the year before.

ELECTED
W. G. Violette, Louisville, has been elected president of the Standard Oil Co. of Kentucky, after 41 years with the firm. He succeeds William Edward Smith, 72, who retired because of his health.

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Pvt. Ishmael Costello Of Shamrock Killed

SHAMROCK, March 17.—Pvt. Ishmael Costello, 17-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Costello, was killed in action in the European theater of operations Saturday, February 24, according to the war department.

Pvt. Costello worked in a defense plant in California before volunteering for military service early last summer.

The father of the youth is a section hand for the Rock Island railway. Three of the children attend North Ward school.

NET PROFITS
Barnsdall Oil Co. reported net profits of \$3,574,766 for 1944, being \$1.65 per share, and comparing with \$1.62 per share in 1943. Gross income for the year was \$16,118,065.

Company paid in regular dividends \$1,335,528.80 and in extra dividends \$444,661.40, or a total of \$1,780,190, representing 80 cents per share or 48 percent of the net profit.

Crude oil production totaled 9,835,224 barrels, an increase of 9.5 percent over 1943.

When Canada went to war, she had a deep-sea merchant fleet of about 40 ships, with a gross tonnage of 250,000 tons.

Musical Star Will Be Featured Here



MABEL SPERRY

When Birch, the magician, appears at the Junior high auditorium Friday night, March 23, he will present not only startling feats of spectacular magic, but also brings a sparkling program that is varied with several distinct features.

Heading the Birch staff of assisting artists is Mabel Sperry, brilliant young musical star. This young lady was featured as xylophone soloist with the 100-piece Marimba band at the Century of Progress, Chicago.

She is well known in the concert and radio world as an artist of ability, and critics hail her as the world's greatest girl xylophonist.

Her specially built Marimba-Xylophone, which was planned by an expert designer, is without question the most beautiful instrument of its kind ever produced. It is not only a triumph of tone and timbre, but an artistic achievement as well.

The performance is sponsored here by the Jaycees, and ticket sales are being handled by Roy Burns, at Burns Cleaners; and Bill Whisnant, Edmondson Cleaners.

Market Briefs

WALL STREET

NEW YORK, March 17.—(AP)—Selective strength continued in today's stock market although many leaders were unable to surmount profit taking and dealings were the slowest in eight firm-month.

The ticker tape frequently was at a standstill after a moderately lively opening and prices were well mixed near the close. Transfers for the two hours were in the neighborhood of 400,000 shares.

M&T preferred bounced upward to a 1945 peak. Eastern Airlines again jumped to a new year's high. Ahead at one time or another were Santa Fe, Atlantic Coast Line, U. S. Steel, Chrysler, Montgomery Ward, Anconda, American Smelting, Western Union "A" and International Telephone. Laggards the greater part of the proceedings included Bethlehem, Great Northern, American Telephone, Westinghouse, Standard Oil (NJ) and Youngstown Steel.

Bonds were narrow and commodities irregularly lower.

FORT WORTH LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH, March 17.—(AP)—Cattle \$50; calves 150; steady; butcher yearlings 9-11; most beef cows 9-10.50; f-w 11.00; good slaughter calves 12.25-14; no sales reported on stocker calves.

Hogs 300; steady; heavyweights 14.50; lightweights 13.75-14.50; sows 13.00 down; stocker pigs 13 down.

Sheep 600; mostly good and fat lambs, steady; woolled lambs 15.50-15.75; shorn lambs with No. 1 and No. 2 pelts 14.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

NEW ORLEANS, March 17.—(AP)—Cotton futures advanced here today on week-end short covering. Closing prices were steady 15 to 25 cents a bale higher.

High Low Close
May 22.08 22.04 22.04
July 21.76 21.73 21.76
Oct. 21.19 21.18 21.19-19
Dec. 21.08 21.06 21.07-08
March 21.00 21.00 21.00-08b
b—Bid.

NEW ORLEANS SPOT COTTON

NEW ORLEANS, March 17.—Spot cotton closed steady, unchanged. Sales 701. Low middling 17.80; middling 21.85; good middling 21.85. Receipts 876. Stocks 215,212.

CHICAGO GRAIN

CHICAGO, March 17.—(AP)—Grain markets were easy to weak in quiet early trading today but about covering in preparation for the weekend recess developed during the final hour and some recovery was made.

At the finish wheat was 1/4 lower to 1/2 higher than yesterday's close. May \$1.71 1/2-3/4. Corn was up 1/4 to off 3/4. May \$1.14 1/2. Oats were down 1/4 to up 1/4. May 88c-90c. Rye was unchanged to 1/2 higher. May \$1.14 1/2-3/4. Barley was off 1/2 to 3/4. May \$1.10 1/2.

CHICAGO WHEAT TABLE

By The Associated Press
Open High Low Close
May 1.71 1.71 1.70 1.71 1/2-3/4
July 1.59 1.59 1.59 1.59 1/2-3/4
Sept. 1.55 1.56 1.56 1.56 1/2-3/4
Dec. 1.55 1.55 1.55 1.55 1/2-3/4

CHICAGO PRODUCE

CHICAGO, March 17.—(AP)—Potatoes: for best quality demand good and market firm at settings; Minnoka Bliss Triumphs, commercial \$5.45; Minnoka and North Dakota Bliss Triumphs, commercial, \$5.06-1.15; Round White, U. S. No. 1, \$3.27; Wisconsin Katahdin, U. S. No. 1, \$3.17; Florida 100-pound sacks Bliss Triumphs, U. S. No. 1, \$5.40-5.50.

FORT WORTH GRAIN

FORT WORTH, March 17.—Wheat No. 1 hard according to protein and billing 1.73 1/2-1.83.
Barley No. 2 nominally 1.20-1.22.
Sorghums No. 2 yellow milo or No. 2 white 1.00-1.05; No. 2 yellow 1.00-1.05.
Gears No. 2 white 1.46-1.47 1/2; No. 2 yellow 1.31 1/2-1.32 1/2.
Oats No. 2 red nominally 90-92 cents.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK

KANSAS CITY, March 17.—(WFAJ)—Cattle 800; calves 150; compared last week slaughter steers and heifers steady, cows weak to 25 cents lower; stocker, stockers, feeders steady to weak; good and choice beef steers 14.75-16.25; top 16.55; medium and low good 12.75-15.12; top heifers 15.65; medium and good heifers and mixed yearlings 12.80-14.55; good cows 12.50-13.50; medium to choice steers and feeder steers 12.00-14.00; low to 14.00.
Eggs 23; nominally steady; for the week unchanged.
Sheep none; lambs \$3.50 lower; ewes steady to 25 cents higher; top 15.50; other good and choice 15.00-25; many heavy medium and good 15.00-25; choice clipped lambs 15.00-25; good choice yearlings 14.50-15.00; top ewes 8.25; shearing lambs 14.00-50.

NEW YORK STOCKS

By The Associated Press
Am Airlines 49 49 1/2 49 1/2 49 1/2
Am. Tel. & T. 10 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2
Am. Woolen 4 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2
Atlantic Coast 3 32 32 32 32
AT&T 18 88 1/2 88 1/2 88 1/2
Aviation Corp 18 8 1/2 8 1/2 8 1/2
Beth. Steel 12 7 1/2 7 1/2 7 1/2
Branch Air 4 19 19 19 19
Chrysler Corp 6 100 100 100 100
Cons. Motor 6 10 10 10 10
Coca-Cola 2 42 42 42 42
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Curtis Wright 17 6 1/2 6 1/2 6 1/2
Freightway 10 10 10 10 10
Gen. Elec 19 41 1/2 41 1/2 41 1/2
Gen. Mills 2 2 1/2 2 1/2 2 1/2
Gen. Motors 2 2 1/2 2 1/2 2 1/2
Goodrich (HF) 2 2 1/2 2 1/2 2 1/2
Greyhound Corp 2 2 1/2 2 1/2 2 1/2
Gulf Oil 10 25 25 25 25



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Table with 3 columns: Stock Name, Price, Change. Includes items like Houston Oil, Int. Harv., Kan. City Sun, etc.

WILDCATTING
Pacific northwest is about to get a renewal of wildcatting by major companies and dope is that several companies—among them Standard Oil Co. (NJ) is ready to start exploration as soon as weather permits.

Texas Co. recently took leases on 25,000 acres of leased-off land in Columbia county, Oregon, paying \$16,500 for the lease, with 15 cents per acre rentals; it was announced a wildcat will be drilled during the first year.

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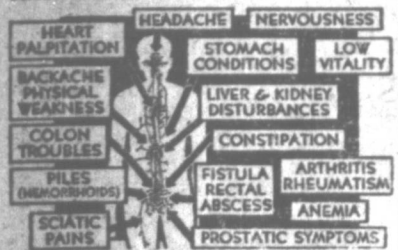
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can Red Cross Field Director Bjorne Wolding at PAAP. "It isn't a case of washing up, putting on your dress uniform, packing an overnight bag, and telling your buddies 'So long. Be seeing you on Tuesday'."

"No, it doesn't happen that way. One minute you're in there pitching, and the next you're a disgusted POW. All you possess is the worn dirty outfit you stand in. Immediately you need a foot-long list of necessities, or the hardships of war become much more than a phrase out of a magazine article," Wolding said.

"That's why, as soon after capture as possible, every soldier is handed the American Red Cross capture parcel. A share of money given to the Red Cross by Americans pay for these parcels, assembled and packed in Harborside, N. J., and shipped long before they're expected to be needed. They go to the International

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Wheeler Names Superintendent

WHEELER, March 17—P. M. Shawyer, superintendent of the Kellerville school for the past three years, was named by the Wheeler school board Friday night to take over the superintendency of the Wheeler schools, effective July 1. Shawyer, who has his B. S. degree from MTSTC at Denison, and has done work on his Master's at Texas Tech, succeeds Jesse J. Dyer, superintendent for the past two years. For the time being Mr. Dyer will be acting Wheeler county school superintendent—a position he held before becoming local school superintendent.

He is completing 27 years in the teaching profession and is eligible for teachers retirement benefits. During these many years Dyer has missed being in the school room year a total of one and one-half days because of illness. His teaching career started at Center in Johnson county, where he served the same

al Red Cross, which stocks them behind enemy lines and in prison camps. In addition to this comfort kit, five other standard packages are being prepared by the Red Cross for war prisoners and civilian internees. Field Director Wolding said. They include the widely known Number 10 food package, containing 14,000 calories to supplement prison rations. Where circumstances permit, each American prisoner receives one such package each week.

New Ship Carries Name of Veteran

GRANGE, Texas, March 17—(AP)—The U. S. S. Newman K. Perry, a destroyer named in honor of Ensign Newman Kershaw Perry who was killed in 1905, was launched in the Sabine river here today by the Consolidated Steel corporation, Ltd. Mrs. Laura Perry Gunter, 624 Bull street Columbia, S. C., a sister of Ensign Perry, was sponsor. Ensign Perry died as a result of an explosion of boilers of the U. S. S. Bennington in San Diego, Calif., July 21, 1905. He held the Spanish campaign medal.

Mrs. Gunter's daughter, Mrs. Charles J. Cole, her brother, William Perry, both of Columbia, attended the launching. Cataleptic attacks may last from a few minutes to several days.

MOVES TO MUTUAL



Dorothy Thompson, famed author of an international affairs, will be heard in a new series over Mutual, "Topics of Today," starting Sunday, March 25.

James Willard Stotts Succumbs at 45

James Willard Stotts, 45, died at a local hospital yesterday afternoon after a brief illness.

He had lived in Pampa since 1934 and, at the time of his death, was employed by M. M. Rutherford Enterprises.

Funeral arrangements by Duengel-Carmichael Funeral Home are incomplete pending the arrival of relatives.

Survivors are the widow, Mrs. Blanche Stotts; two daughters, Mrs. Roy Dawson of Pampa and Mrs. Beatrice Arnette of Los Angeles; two sisters, Mrs. Elmer Powers, Fayetteville, Ark., and Mrs. Lola Terry of Los Angeles; three brothers, Elbert of Los Angeles, Haskell, U. S. Army, and W. C., who is a prisoner of war; and his mother, Mrs. Mary Stotts of Fayetteville.

Superintendent Takes Oklahoma Position

WHEELER, March 17—(AP)—Jack Davis, superintendent of the Mobeetie schools, left this week for Vinson, Oklahoma, where he has accepted a similar position. This was his third year in Mobeetie. J. M. Boswell is replacing Supt. Davis at Mobeetie. He comes from the Miami school. In addition to being the Miami principal, he coached the football and basketball teams which won first place in each div-

sion in the 2B district. He is expected to assume his new duties within a few days. The first alcoholic perfume appeared in the 14th century. The medical branch of the U. S. army was founded April 7, 1877.

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Mainly About Pampa and Her Neighbor Towns

Editor's Note: Readers of The Pampa News are invited to call or mail in personal items of interest to the community. There is, of course, no charge for such news.

Mrs. Charles Ralph Vandover arrived in Pampa last week to make her home with Mr. and Mrs. Allen Vandover, 219 E. Mason. She has been residing in Calistoga, Calif. Her husband, Charles Ralph, torpedoman 2/c is stationed somewhere in the Pacific.

For cleaning and pressing of highest quality and quick service call on Master Cleaners. Extra care on new fabrics and colors. Ph. 660. 218 N. Cuyler.

Father James Edward Fitzgerald who was ordained to priesthood at Josephine seminary chapel in Worthington, Ohio, last Saturday will hold solemn mass at 10 o'clock this morning at Holy Souls church.

Beautician wanted at Modern Beauty Shop, 110 N. Russell.

The Wheeler Boy Scouts made their second city-wide collection of waste-paper Friday. More than 7 tons of paper has heretofore been collected by the boys.

Horace Conner and his Old Time Swingers are playing at the Belvedere each Wednesday night. Public invited to come out and have a big time.

The Rogue theater of Wheeler took up audience collections for the Wheeler Red Cross from Saturday through Friday in the amount of \$168.25.

Wanted—Man for yard work. 119 S. Starkweather.

Mrs. Vernon Lewis left this morning for Las Vegas, N. M., where she will visit her husband who is stationed at Camp Luna, an air transport command replacement center.

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County salvage officials say to housewives: Take labels off your tin cans, cut out both ends, flatten the can and take them to your local grocer. Remember two tin cans can help to save a life.

Wanted to Buy—Baby walker or stroller, in good condition. Rubber wheels preferred. 419 N. Christy. Ph. 2130-J.

Mrs. Rudolph Taylor, 918 Mary Ellen, Friday, entered Worley hospital for treatment.

Mrs. J. R. Glass and Mrs. J. S. Morse of McLean were Pampa visitors last week on business.

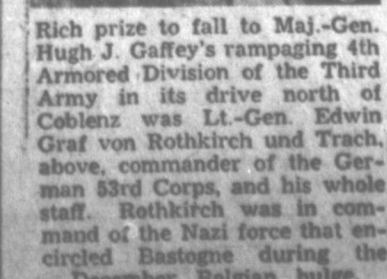
A. W. Haynes visited in Heald and McLean last week.

Theater Is Named in Honor of Wheeler Man

SOMEWHERE IN NEW GUINEA—As a memorial to T. J. Ayers, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Ayers of Wheeler, Texas, his former comrades have erected an area in the jungle and created a beautiful theater.

The T. J. Ayers theater is one of the finest entertainment areas in New Guinea and is decorated with Old Mexican mural paintings. It stands as a token of the respect and affection which T. J.'s fellow soldiers hold for his memory.

Nazi Nabbed



Rich prize to fall to Maj.-Gen. Hugh J. Gaffey's rampaging 4th Armored Division of the Third Army in its drive north of Coblenz was Lt.-Gen. Edwin Graf von Rothkirch und Trach, above, commander of the German 3rd Corps, and his whole staff. Rothkirch was in command of the Nazi force that encircled Bastogne during the December Belgian bulge.

Large advertisement for Montgomery Ward shoes featuring 'Wards have smart Easter shoes...' and a list of shoe styles and prices for various age groups.

Figures Show Oil Industry Dollar Investment Exceeds Total Output

DALLAS, March 17—Producers of crude oil in Texas have invested \$1.124 for every dollar's worth of

oil taken out of the ground during the period between 1889 when oil was first discovered in commercial quantities and Jan. 1, 1945, the Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas association reported today.

"The money spent by the producers in the 55-year period totals \$1,124,536,604 (billions), against a total of \$10,247,138,250 (billions) received for the oil or an excess on the expenditure side of \$1,266,498,354 (billions)," the association said.

"The producers continually plow back increasingly larger sums every year in the search for new oil and in developing new pools. Reinvestments of profits as well as borrowed capital are necessary to maintain production.

"Up to the first of this year, the producers drilled a total of 212,398 oil wells and drilled holes at a cost of \$3,859,583,342. The oil produced totaled 8,910,550,000 barrels.

"The cost of operating and maintaining wells totaled \$2,672,185,055. Money paid for lease rentals and bonuses amounted to \$1,336,582,510. Royalty payments to farmers and ranchers totaled \$1,425,688,171. Overhead expenses, including taxes, amounted to \$2,227,637,836.

"Considered on a per barrel basis, the total expenditures, \$11,518,636,604, represents a cost of \$1.29 for the 8,910,550,000 barrels produced. Money received, \$10,247,138,250, is at the rate of \$1.15 per barrel, or 14c per barrel less than the cost."

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- Galveston-Houston Co.
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- Gulf Insurance
- A. Harris & Co. Pfd.
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- Longhorn Portland Cement Co.
- Murray Co. Com.
- Nelson-Marcus Co. Pfd.
- North Texas Co. Com.
- Pool Mfg. Co. Pfd.
- Republic Insurance Co.
- Southern Aircraft Com.
- Southern Life Ins. Co.
- Southern Union Gas Com.
- Southern Western Drug Pfd. & Com.
- Southwestern Life Ins. Co.
- Texas Electric Service Pfd.
- Texas Power & Light Pfd.
- Texas Textile Mills Com.
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News of Interest To Oil Men

29 Intentions To Drill Filed in Week, Marking Biggest Activity of Year

A total of 29 intentions to drill wells in the huge Panhandle oil and gas field was filed with the Railroad commission here during the past week. This is the largest number yet to be filed this year.

Moore county led with eight intentions while Hutchinson turned in six and Gray county five.

Phillips Petroleum company will drill 15 of these 29 wells.

The following notices of intention to drill were filed:

Gray county—LeFors Petroleum company, East Bull No. 7, H&G survey, 660' from north, 330' from west lines of E-80A, of NE/4, Sec. 3, Blk. B-3; 1 mi. SW of LeFors.

Gray county—Phillips Pet. Co., Hope No. 4, H&G survey, 990' from west, 660' from north lines Sec. 87, Blk. B-2; 7 mi. southeast of Pampa.

Gray county—Phillips Pet. Co., B. McKinney No. 10, T&G survey, 2588' from east, 330' from south lines of Sec. 137, Blk. 3; 1 mi. west of Pampa.

Gray county—Phillips Pet. Co., Rit No. 1, H&G survey, 2539' from east, 2535' from north lines Sec. 197, Blk. 2; 17 mi. south of Pampa.

Gray county—Phillips Pet. Co., Rowntree No. 1, H&G survey, 2452' from east, 2530' from north lines Sec. 167, Blk. B-2; 17 mi. south of Pampa.

Moore county—Phillips Pet. Co., Carve No. 1, H&G survey, 2550' from west, 2532' from south lines Sec. 134, Blk. 4; 9 mi. southwest of Dumas.

Moore county—Phillips Pet. Co., Elsie No. 1, H&G survey, 2536' from west, 2533' from south lines Sec. 133, Blk. 4; 9 mi. southwest of Dumas.

Moore county—Phillips Pet. Co., French No. 1, H&G survey, 2535' from south, 2536' from west lines Sec. 132, Blk. 4; 10 mi. southwest of Dumas.

Moore county—Phillips Pet. Co., Hardwick No. 1, H&G survey, 2553' from east, 2531' from south lines Sec. 264, Blk. 4; 3 mi. west of Dumas.

Moore county—Phillips Pet. Co., Sallie No. 1-A, H&G survey, 2365' from west, 2532' from north lines Sec. 157, Blk. 4; 5 mi. southwest of Dumas.

Moore county—Shamrock Oil & Gas Corp., Analee No. 1, H&G survey, 1320' from west, 1650' from north lines Sec. 162, Blk. 4; 3 mi. southwest of Dumas.

Moore county—Shamrock Oil & Gas Corp., Brown A No. 2, H&G survey, 1320' from south and east lines of Sec. 136, Blk. 4; 7 mi. southwest of Dumas.

Hutchinson county—Dolomite Production Co., J. J. Perkins, No. 11, McDaniel survey, 1886' from west, 330' from south lines of McDaniel survey, 2 mi. southeast of Stinnett.

Hutchinson county—Dolomite Production Co., J. J. Perkins No. 12, J. McDaniel survey, 1887' from north, 330' from east lines of McDaniel survey, 2 mi. southeast of Stinnett.

Hutchinson county—Gulf Oil Corp., Dial et al No. 121, GC&S survey, 1320' from west, 330' from south lines of Sec. 90, Blk. 2; 4 1/2 mi. southeast of Stinnett.

Hutchinson county—J. M. Huber Corp., Mayfield No. 12, DPRR survey, 2970' from north, 1650' from west lines Sec. 4, Blk. R-2; 5 mi. west of Pringle.

Hutchinson county—Whittemburg Blk. 62, No. 5, Phillips Pet. Co., H&G survey, 1320' from east, 1700' from north lines of Sec. 82, Blk. 46; 2 1/2 mi. northeast of Borger.

Hutchinson county—Phillips Pet. Co., Whittemburg Blk. 62, No. 6, H&G survey, 2310' from north, 330' from east lines Sec. 62, Blk. 46; 2 1/2 mi. northeast of Borger.

Hartley county—Phillips Pet. Co., Collins No. 1, H&G survey, 2527' from east, 2534' from south lines Sec. 131, Blk. 4; 15 mi. southwest of Dumas.

Hartley county—Phillips Pet. Co., Junior No. 1, W. C. Ry. Co., 2528' from east, 2550' from south lines Sec. 1, Blk. 1; 6 mi. southeast of Duncanson.

Hartley county—Phillips Pet. Co., Petty No. 1, ESPL survey, 2522' from east, 2556' from south lines Sec. 31, Blk. A-6; 15 mi. southwest of Dumas.

Further Cut in Civilian Use of Gasoline Hinted

WASHINGTON, March 17—(AP)—A spokesman for the Independent Petroleum association told the senate banking committee that "a further reduction in the allotment of gasoline for civilian use is in prospect."

Russell Brown, general counsel for the organization, made this statement in arguing to the committee that OPA's failure to raise crude oil prices has raised a question whether 1945 could be met.

"There is idle refining capacity in the United States because there is not enough crude oil," he said. "The above ground stocks of crude oil in this country were reduced by 22 1/2 million barrels in 1944 and this withdrawal continues even though such stocks are now below efficient working levels."

Brown declared that "everyone who has made any investigation of the crude oil price has forthrightly urged an increase," and contended that OPA's pricing formula is "basically unsound."

He recommended that the committee write into OPA renewal legislation a declaration that would require OPA to give consideration to "discovery costs" for new oil in fixing crude prices.

Oil Sands, Salt Water Research Is Under Way

AUSTIN, March 17—The University of Texas geology department announced today that one of the most comprehensive research studies ever made in the injection of salt water back into original oil sands is being made by P. B. Plummer, geologist, under the direction of H. H. Power, chairman of the department of petroleum engineering.

"Results of this research," said Plummer, "will not only be valuable to oil drillers, but also to manufacturers of oil well machinery and receptive tanks, for it will save them thousands of dollars to know whether or not a tank should be coated, with what, and the kind of filter to use."

Plummer said the major problem is the removing of iron hydroxide and iron sulfide from the water before it is re-injected in order to prevent actual clogging of the well.

These compounds form in the water after it comes out of the well.

STOCKS OF REFINED OILS ARE LOWER
NEW YORK, March 17—(AP)—A further contraction in all types of oil supplies in the week ended March 10 was reported Thursday by the American Petroleum Institute.

The heaviest drain was shown in stocks of light fuel oil, which dropped 1,109,000 barrels to 27,001,000 barrels to 33,150,000 and civilian grade gasoline stores dropped 539,000 barrels to 52,290,000. Military and other stocks fell off 188,000 to 44,586,000.

Refineries owning 85 percent of estimated capacity operated at 87.9 percent of capacity and ran an average of 4,777,000 barrels of crude to stills daily. In the preceding week refineries operated at 87.5 percent and ran an average of 4,753,000 barrels daily. A year ago total was 4,418,000 barrels.

Daily average crude production increased 2,895 barrels to 4,768,015 and compared with 4,281,176 a year ago.

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WE DO MEAN DINOSAURS!
WELL, WE CAN LIVE ON ROOTS AND BERRIES FOR A WHILE, BUT...
OKAY, I'LL SHOW YOU HOW TO HANDLE THIS DINOSAUR BUSINESS!
SO OUR KING OOP'S GONNA BE A TYRANT, IS HE?
HAW! WE SURE HATE HIM A HOT POTATO!

RED RYDER Ready to Act By FRED HARMAN
THANKS, MR. RYDER, I'M BUSY WITH MY BUSINESS. LIKE THE FELLOW YOU JUST DEALT WITH, I GUESS ALL PANKERS ARE BEING ROBBED.
I'M A STRANGER, PRES EL STARR.
ARE YOU AFRAID OF ME, TOO?
AFTER WHAT YOU DID FOR ME, I SHOULD SAY NOT!
WELL, I'VE GOT TO MEET PERSONAL PURPOSES. YOU HAVE ANY MORE TRUCKS, I'LL BE AT THE GOLDEN PREASANT SALOON?
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I LOVE! I WON'T HAVE.

ROOTS AND HER BUDDIES That's Different By EDGAR MARTIN
BUT CORA, HE IS A FUNNY LOOKING LITTLE GUY!
SHE: I KNOW, BUT HE'S MY COUSIN, AND OUR GUEST!
OH, THIS IS QUITE COZY!
MAY I CALL MY ASSISTANT?
CERTAINLY! I CAN'T FIX YOUR SINK WITHOUT MY ASSISTANT.

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BOY? WHAT DOES THIS OLD LAUNDRY BAG MEAN, JAKE?
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OUT OUR WAY By J. R. WILLIAMS
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I'LL PICK YOU FELLOWS UP AFTER I'VE TAKEN THIS MAN HOME!
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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS Modern Way By MERRILL BLOSSER
WHIP ME UP ANOTHER FROZEN COW DICK!
LOOK, PAL—IF YOU HAVE ANY MORE WUR, WE'VE TO ROLL YOU HOME!
WHO CARES! I WANNA CHASE THE FANGS!
HE'S SO LOW, HED HAVE TO BALLOON ASCENSION TO KISS A FISH!
HI, BIG DYNAMO, WE'VE BEEN LOOKING ALL FOR YOU!
HOT DOG!
I SAW HIM FIRST!
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IT SHALL BE DONE!
OH, BOY! AN LOVED THEY PART—I WOULD YO' RUN IT OVER AGIN'—OR IS AH AXIN' TOO MUCH?
I'VE GIVEN HONOR TO HIGHWATER! WE WILL GRANT YOU—OH, DOOMED ONE—YOUR LAST REQUEST!

CAPTAIN YANK
SAW WA? I'VE BEENZES TO DEE-CUMS WITHIN MEIS TO—SEE THAT WE ARE NOT CHESTERS!
GET GOLD BE FREEZES, OF COURSE—THEY GEL EES THAT'S THE CHINESE UNDERGROUND LEADER—ON THE OTHER HAND, SHE'S BEEN MACH 200 PREEETY FOR MY LARKIN!
I THINK I HAD BETTER KEEP AN EYE ON THESE ABERRANT FRANKS—TO MAKE SURE NO ONE GETS CHEATED!
UNKNOWN TO ME, SAH WA HAS COMPANY IN HER PURPOSE—SO THIS IS THE "FRAGANT PLEASANT" OF THE SEVEN BRANCH—OH, SAH, PARK THE CAR WHERE WE AGREED AND WAIT FOR US—HACK AND I WILL TAKE IT FROM HERE!

Pampa Entries Win at Fort Worth Meet

Campbell, Clay Win First in Mile, Discus

With only two boys, Johnny Campbell and Randall Clay, entering the meet, Pampa took fourth place in the Southwestern track and field meet at Fort Worth according to the Associated Press.

Clay threw the discus 130 feet, 6 inches to win in that bracket, while Campbell ran the mile in 4 minutes, 44 seconds.

The two first place winners brought Pampa a total of 9 points, to place fourth behind Reagan of Houston, Reagan had only 11 points.

San Antonio schools again swept the meet with Brackenridge taking first with 31 points and Jefferson coming up with 25.

Discus throw—won by Clay, Pampa, 130 feet 6 inches; second, Watt, Brackenridge (San Antonio), 130 feet 1 inch; third, Jones, Jefferson (San Antonio), 129 feet 4 inches; fourth, White, Brackenridge (San Antonio), 127 feet 8 inches.

Mile run—won by Campbell, Pampa; second, Bonnen, A and M Consolidated; third, Beaudry, Adamson (Dallas); fourth, Allen, Reagan (Houston). Time 4:44.9.

Results in the respective divisions were: University—Texas 73%, Texas A. and M. 30%, Oklahoma 21%, Rice 17, Oklahoma A. and M. 10, Southern Methodist 2.

Victory division—Corpus Christi naval air training base 45, Fort Worth army air field, 21, war department personnel center of San Antonio 12%, Consolidated-Vultec of Fort Worth 11, army air field training command headquarters of Fort Worth 10 points, North Texas Agricultural college 8, Norman Oklahoma 7, Camp Bowie 6, Brooks Field 5, Midland army air field 5, Carlsbad, N. M., army air field 5, Hearne 3, John Tarleton college 2, Southern Methodist university navy 1.

High school division—Brackenridge (San Antonio) 31, Jefferson (San Antonio) 25, Reagan (Houston) 11, Pampa 10, Woodrow Wilson (Dallas) 9%, Cushing, Oklahoma 7, Adamson (Dallas), 7, Lubbock 6, Comanche, Okla., 5, Highland Park (Dallas) 5, Austin 5, Sherman 3%, Austin (Houston) 3%, San Angelo 3, Midlothian 3, A. and M. consolidated 3, North Dallas 3, Paschal (Fort Worth) 3, Fort Worth Tech 3, Arlington Heights (Fort Worth) 2, Shawnee, Okla., 2, Cleveland, Okla., 2, Mason Home (Fort Worth) 1, Abilene 1, Carlisle 1.

WINNERS



Randall Clay



Johnny Campbell

Large Group Hears Sportsmen

Howe Outlines Plan for More Fish in Lakes

A new theory which he believes will make for bigger and better fishing in Panhandle lakes was advanced here Friday night by Gene Howe, of Amarillo, member of the Texas fish and game commission.

Howe came to Pampa to address sportsmen who had gathered for a motion picture exhibition by Tom Main, Canadian sportsman and general manager of Ducks, Unlimited.

Preceding his introduction of Main, Howe spoke to a large crowd in the district courtroom here and told them he had obtained permission of the state commission to experiment on this new theory in Buffalo Lake, Lake Marvin, and Lake McClellan.

The new theory, aimed at producing larger fish, briefly is this, Commissioner Howe said:

Instead of stocking the lakes with millions and millions of small fish, stock them with large fish. Hows says there already are enough small fish in just any one of the lakes to supply the whole Southwest. The problem resolves itself into a matter of food supply. There are so many small fish that the food supply is not enough to permit them to grow. By putting in the large fish, natural enemy of the small fish, the number of fish would be reduced because the large fish would feed on the small ones. Eventually the fish stock in the lake would be reduced to the point where there would be enough natural food for the remaining fish and they would all grow to larger size.

The lakes are over-stocked with small fish, Howe believes. He said that experiments already have been made at some of the lakes in which it has been determined that small bass placed in them five years ago have not grown more than an inch or two. This is because there is not enough food for them.

In other states, principally Ohio, where the theory has been tried, Howe said, fishermen are taking out larger fish and few small ones because the millions of small fish have been reduced to a population where all of the fish have a chance to grow.

Howe also suggested that Panhandle fishermen adopt sifting rules of their own which when the point is reached where only big fish are taken that the catch be reduced.

To prevent steel wool from rusting, dry it out on the radiator after using.



Player Rosters Are Up Over '44 Figure

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Tennis Rankings Are Dominated By El Pasoans

AUSTIN, March 17.—(AP)—El Paso tennis players took numerous top spots in rankings announced today by D. A. Penick of the Texas Tennis association.

The rankings in order included: Mens singles: George Ball of El Paso; Leo La Borde of Beaumont; Raymond Cline of Dallas; Ed Braswell of San Antonio; Bobby Goldfarb of El Paso; Jo Gerhardt of Austin; Joe Adams of Waco; Franklin McCarter of Galveston; J. J. Pettus of Austin; Fred West of Ft. Worth.

Womens singles: Shelby Frizell of Austin; Helene McCarter of Galveston; Margaret Eby of Houston; Mrs. John Scoggins of Galveston; Mrs. O'Sander of San Antonio; Betty Nixon of San Antonio; Suzanne Crissey of Corpus Christi; Rudy Matejka of Brownsville; Marteen Ronk of San Antonio; Rosemary Buck of Dallas.

Womens doubles: Nixon and Ronk, Scoggins and McCarter.

18-year-old girls singles: Nixon, Mary Cunningham, of El Paso; Ruby Matejka of Brownsville; Laura Taylor of Corpus Christi; Suzanne Crissey of Corpus Christi.

18-year-old girls doubles: Nixon and Cunningham; Crissey and Taylor.

Boys singles: Herbert Karren of San Antonio; V. Valley of Laredo; B. Bailey of Waco; B. Gerhardt of Austin; Bobby Martin of San Antonio.

Boys doubles: V. Bailey and Gil Kuykendall of Austin; Karren and Martin.

Junior singles: Goldfarb; McCarter, Kenneth Crawford of Dallas; Jack Williams of Denton; Howard Startzman of Houston.

Junior doubles: Goldfarb and Edgar Chew of El Paso; Startzman and McCarter.

15-year old girls singles: Barbara Walker of El Paso; June Anne Cannon of Edinburg; Ruth Stegall of Franklin.

Veterans singles: Leman Baker of Texas City; J. J. Pettus of Austin; D. B. Klein of Austin; Dean Wolben of Fort Worth; Arthur Ronk of San Antonio.

Veterans doubles: W. T. Caswell of Austin and Pettus; Ronk and Baker. Mens, doubles: Ball and Goldfarb; La Borde and McCarter.

Conservation Of Ducks Is Main's Topic

Sportsmen of Pampa and vicinity were given a first hand account of the problems of conserving the numbers of ducks Friday night when a large gathering of hunters and fishermen heard Tom Main, noted Canadian sportsman.

Main, general manager of Ducks, Unlimited, talked to the audience in the district court rooms, and showed natural color moving pictures depicting the problems facing hunters and the steps being taken by the organization to iron out these problems.

Since its founding seven years ago Ducks, Unlimited, has studied the conservation of ducks and the ways and means of preventing their destruction while in the breeding areas in Canada.

Among the causes that contribute to the lessening of the numbers of ducks, are fire, drought, predatory animals and birds, and careless practices in farming.

After the snows in Canada have melted, many of the shallow lakes that serve as breeding grounds dry up and the ducks die of starvation and thirst.

The organization is, at the present time, carrying on a program of digging artificial lakes and building dams to provide the ducks with water the year around.

It was estimated by Main that 80 percent of the ducks perished at the breeding grounds before the conservation program. It is now believed that less than 30 percent die of these causes.

In the late twenties and the early thirties, Main estimated that the duck population dropped to approximately 30 million but since the program of conservation was begun, this figure has been raised to more than 140 million.

Main complimented the Pampa sportsmen on their enthusiasm and expressed the belief that they would cooperate in every way possible in carrying out the duck conservation program.

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The Cubs' Bill Nicholson and the Yankees' Nick Eiten are incommunicado, while others like Buddy Rosar of the Indians, Tomas De La Cruz of the Reds, Jimmy Bucher of the Red Sox, Tom Seaver of the Dodgers, Les Scarabata of the Phillies and Mayo Smith of the Athletics have announced their intentions to stay out of the game.

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There is a definite shortage of tin at this time and Pampa citizens are cooperating to the utmost in salvaging food cans. Can the boys overseas depend on you?

Browns Prepare for Tilt with Toledo

CAPE GIRARDEAU, Mo., March 17.—(AP)—Third Baseman Mark Christman worked out with the St. Louis Browns today and will take it easy in the outfield in Sunday's scheduled exhibition game with the Toledo Mudhens.

Outfielder Mill Byrnes will be at first base, Manager Luke Sewell said, as a tray at a replacement should George McQuinn fail to report.

The rest of the lineup: Earl Jones and Al Lamachia, pitchers; Frank Mancuso, catcher; Don Gutteridge, second; Vernon Stephens, shortstop; Les Schulte, third; Pete Gray, Christian and a pitcher in the outfield.

With 16,243,436 deadweight tons of ships produced in 1944 in the United States, the record is 2-30,000 tons less than in 1943.

Island Invaded

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While target area in Osaka was burned out. On conquered Tera, 150 Japanese attempted to organize, presumably for a banzai charge, but were dispersed with mortar fire.

Striking a few hours after the mass American Superfortress incendiary raid on Japan's city of Kobe, a sizable mission of B-29s roared from bases in India Saturday to hit Nippon on the southwestern flank of her war-stolen empire. The big bombers blasted Rangoon, main Japanese base in embattled Burma.

Radio Tokyo, acknowledging that fires burned in Kobe for more than seven hours after the terrific raid there, reported that single B-29s were flying over the Japanese homeland on reconnaissance missions.

Fires that were visible 150 miles from the target marked the strike at Kobe, Japan's principal port and great war manufacturing center. American fliers returning from the 300-plane attack, said that heavy explosions in the target area sent smoke billowing to 10,000 feet. The B-29s rained 2,500 tons of incendiaries on industrial plants and dock and shipping facilities with results ranging from "good to excellent."

Two score Japanese fighters were in the air but most of them did not attack.

The airmen indicated a nine-square mile area of Kobe was left in ashes and another three square miles was hard hit.

Nine of the bombers, flying back to Marianas bases, made emergency landings at marine-conquered Tera Jima.

Japan's dismal failure in the air was explained in part by Lt. Gen. George S. Kenney, commander of Far East air forces. On a visit to the United States the general said Japan "is steadily growing short of good pilots as well as mechanics" and flight leaders.

Up to 100 of the B-29s hit Rangoon for the fourth time, unleashing explosives in military storage areas with "good results." The Superfortresses all returned to their bases. The fliers said they met no Japanese fighter opposition and that ack-ack fire was meager.

More Men

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It also stated that the older men drafted as combat replacements will not be drawn from the five preferred industries but from others rated less critical.

The new selective service instructions to state draft directors mean that the five industries named will get more than half as many deferments of young men as all essential industries previously were scheduled to receive. About 870,000 men aged 18-29, it is estimated, now are in the deferred 2A and 2-B classes in industry.

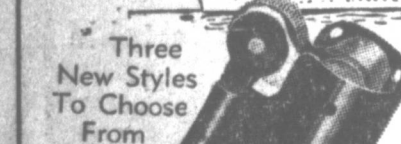
Selective service punctured the 39 percent ceiling upon recommendation of the inter-agency committee on deferments created by War Mobilization Director James F. Byrnes last month.

EX-BANDLEADER DIES
HOLLYWOOD, March 17—(AP)—Douglas "Buddy" Reed, 25, brother of actress Martha Raye, died in a hospital last night after a two years illness. He was formerly a band leader and night club entertainer. Funeral services will be held Monday afternoon.

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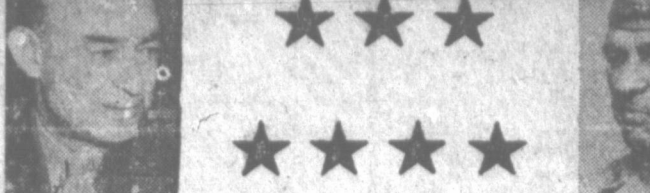
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McNarney, Bradley, Spaatz, Kenney, Clark, Handy

Meat Supplies

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cattle more equitably among slaughterers and packers over the country. At a meeting with War Mobilization Director James F. Byrnes, six government agencies agreed to the writing of regulations doling out available livestock among all slaughterers of pork, beef, veal, mutton and lamb, and concurred in changes of subsidy payments designed to equalize the competitive position among slaughterers.

The subsidy adjustments start April 1. The civilian allotment is 3,793,000,000 pounds, the military allotment, which went up four percent is 1,381,000,000 pounds.

"This," said OWI, referring to the civilian portion, "is approximately 30 pounds a year less than the record high of 1944 and is about 10 pounds less than was eaten in the average peacetime years 1935-39."

The new distribution scheme "will not increase the overall civilian supply which will remain tight in any event," the statement declared, noting that the meat deficit areas would still feel the pinch of shortages despite the new program.

Quoting WFA, OWI reported: "Total supplies, which are six percent lower than during the first quarter will continue to be shorter and no substantial improvement can be expected before the fall months when livestock marketing seasonably increases."

"The end of the war in Europe will not materially affect the meat situation and will result neither in lighter military demands nor in increased civilian supplies."

Since the 1880's, the United States has imported millions of gallons of palm oil every year.

Trouble Turned Out To Be Very Irish

BALTIMORE, March 17—(AP)—Patrolmen Wade Poole and Morris Dougherty, both Irish, received a call at 4:40 a.m. today to investigate trouble on the second floor of a Washington boulevard home.

Trouble turned out to be a baby girl born to Mrs. Margaret Sullivan—yep, Irish—with "Doctos" Poole and Dougherty in attendance. Shure and begorry, they named her Patricia Ann.

Gracie Reporting

Consolidated News Features Well, I've finally found a bright side to the housing shortage; Did you ever stop to think how it has improved domestic relations?

For example, I know a young couple next door who wanted to separate but neither could find any place to go. So they kissed and made up.

And another thing, it's pretty futile for a wife to go home to mother, when going home to mother consists only of stepping into the next room.

The housing shortage has practically brought back vaudeville. We used to talk about acts being booked into houses. Now it's the same way with relatives.

Uncle John can do a split week with a nephew in Pomona and then make a sleeper jump to a niece in Sacramento. Of course, if he brings along enough cigarettes, he's sure to be held over for a second week.

House Congratulates Lt. General Clark

WASHINGTON, March 17—(AP)—Speaker Rayburn (D-Texas) today sent Lt. Gen. Mark Clark the following house tribute on the Italian campaign: "At the request of the United States House of Representatives, unanimously expressed, I send to you, the officers and men of all forces under your command, our grateful thanks for the splendid courage and magnificent victories achieved on the Italian front under difficult circumstances which have brought prestige and glory to American arms."

Program

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be formulated now and carried out in the very near future. Uppermost in the discussion was the problem of paving the sections of city streets that for some reason were left unpaved.

Also brought up was the fact that there are not nearly enough sidewalks, making it necessary for many residents to walk in the streets during inclement weather. The group agreed that the cost of building streets and sidewalks was small as compared with the value received, both in beautification of the city and attraction of industry and labor to the surrounding area.

Beneficial said that if Pampa wanted to attract industry and business, then something must be done at once to make the firms want to stay here in Pampa and expand their facilities.

Various committeemen praised the work of the pioneers of Pampa in laying out a plan for the community but also stated that it was up to the residents now to take an active part in making Pampa a good place in which to live.

Secondary in the discussion was the housing situation in Pampa.

Although nearly 300 new houses have been erected, or are in the process of being built, there is still a definite need for more and better living quarters. It was pointed out at the meeting that those who are not able to obtain new housing should make every effort to improve their present homes, helping that much more in beautification of the city.

Consensus at the meeting was that if the citizens of the city will get behind the chamber of commerce and all other worthy organizations, Pampa can be made into a city that will have attraction for industry and private enterprise from all over the nation.

Members of the committee present at the meeting were: Hugh Burdette, Joe Key, W. B. Weathered, Fred Shryock, Sherman White, Carl Benefield and "Red" Wedgeworth, chamber of commerce manager.

Carbon Black

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home consumption in 1945. The total may be reduced to ten million or less. As a result, many passenger cars otherwise available for use may have to quit the road. Trucks needed for hauling food, personnel and materials for military manufacture may have to be laid up.

What the Mead investigators want to know is why WPB Chairman J. A. Krug, who has authority over both the chemicals and rubber divisions, did not knock their heads together in the early days of their clash.

Charges Filed

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examining hearing be delayed, but stipulated they did not want to waive it. Consequently, Rogers said, Pearce will be held in county jail until the examining magistrate, Justice of the Peace Hughes, hears the case, when bond can be set. No indication was given Saturday as to when the preliminary will be heard.

After the shooting, Pearce went to the police station in city hall where he gave himself up and was placed under arrest. Pearce was said to have left the cab stand not long before the shooting. He returned and the two resumed the quarrel, police said.

Both men, it was alleged, finally went outside the cab stand shortly before 3 o'clock and witnesses then heard shots.

Chief Dudley putting the story together, said that Brown came around the southeast corner of the establishment where he fell against one of the taxis parked there. A bullet was found embedded in the back of the car near the license plate, but Dudley said that it was not known whether it was one that has passed through Brown's body.

Brown's body is at Duval-Carmichael funeral home. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Brown, Pampa; five brothers, J. J. of Sherrard, Miss. Jack, Merced, Calif.; Bob, Maude, Okla.; Roy, Selma, Calif.; and Ray of Pampa and a sister, Mrs. T. A. Langham, McLea.

Burial will be in Memphis, Texas. Funeral arrangements are incomplete.

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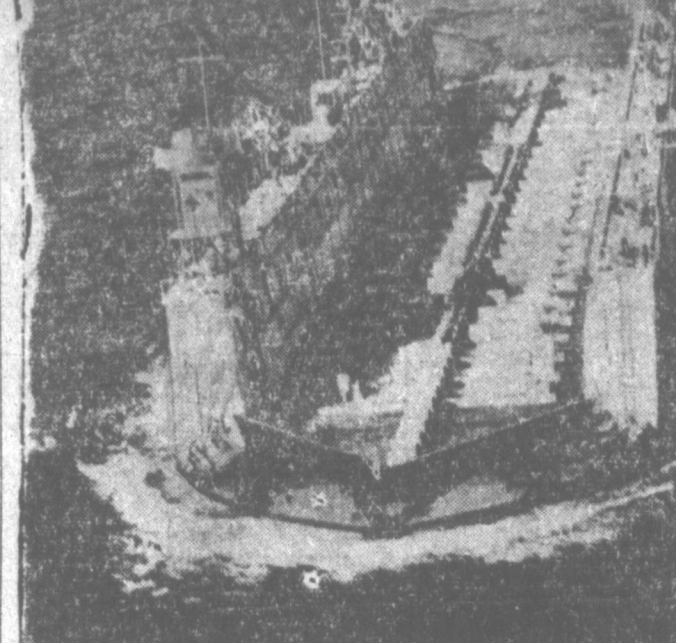
Men in the armed forces; happy that they can play their useful parts. But, it does leave us a bit short-handed. That's why we ask your indulgence if, at times, it takes just a little longer to compound your prescriptions with our usual precision. We feel sure you will understand.

HARVESTER DRUG

RELIABLE PRESCRIPTIONS
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'Secret Weapon' in Two Assault

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The Japs planned their war on the hitherto correct basis that a fleet could range only so far from its base before having to put back for supplies, fuel, ammunition and repairs. Uncle Sam crossed them up by creating a vast floating "base" which includes drydocks, floating cranes, "hotels," repair shops, bakeries, refrigerated warehouses and other units and employs over 12,000 men. This base extends a fleet's range by thousands of miles. Above is pictured one of the self-propelled floating drydocks which followed the fleet to Iwo Jima. Water is pumped into bulkhead compartments, sinking the dock floor below the surface. Ship needing service floats in, then compressed air empties the water tanks and dock rises, lifting ship high and dry.

Archer Fullingim Meets Old Friend

By LT. (JG) ARCHER FULLINGIM

NAVAL AIR STATION, PENSACOLA, Fla.—One day about two weeks ago while I was reading the Recognition journal and trying to memorize the characteristics of a certain navy plane, I happened to think about Grover Lee Heiskell. Knowing that Grover Lee is in the marine air corps, stationed at Corpus Christi, I said to myself, "I bet that Grover Lee is 4.0 (the highest mark possible in the navy) in recognition of planes."

I said that because I remembered an incident that occurred in 1936. Grover Lee, Doyle Aults and I were on a fishing trip to the Wet mountains in Colorado. It was a bit of driving in that Chevy I had then, and to pass the time, Grover Lee, Doyle and I played a game—car recognition. Each car counted a certain number of points to the credit of the person who recognized the machine first. We kept score. Grover Lee who was then about 13, won in a walk. Those cars didn't come too old or too young for Grover. He could recognize them as far as he could see them in 1928. Star's, Chandlers, any and all makes.

Well, today I was sitting here at this typewriter and Grover Lee called up. He was on the first deck of this building. He and three other pilots had ferried some planes here from Corpus and were going to take the same number back. He spent about an hour at the air station here. While they were eating lunch over at Ship's Service, I asked Grover Lee, who is now a lieutenant, if he remembered that we had the same game we played; then I said, "Grover Lee, how do you get along in recognition?"

"That boy is always modest so I pressed him. Finally he admitted that sometimes he'd made 3.8 or 3.9. Then he told me that one day at Corpus a certain new plane flew over. Grover Lee said it was such and such a plane. The others said no. Of course Grover Lee was right, even if he had seen the plane's picture only once in a magazine. Grover Lee who was a Harvester football and basketball star under Coach Odus Mitchell, is an instructor, but he's paving the ground to get out in the Pacific. But, of course, like everybody else he takes orders, and as long as the navy thinks he is needed as an instructor, he'll bet he's a good instructor for the reason that he was always good in anything he did. Grover Lee often sees Dr. Hicks at Corpus and Dr. Overton at Beeville. He thought he might see Chief Carlisle, a navy flier here, but Chief was at Atlanta the last I heard.

Grover Lee has fished up quite a bit, but it's not mere flesh. He looks husky. We talked about people we knew in Pampa, and I could see that Grover Lee is growing up with that same fine concern and interest in the welfare of his friends which is one of the ennobling humane characteristics of the Heiskell family. We used to call it old-time western hospitality. We are all proud of Grover Lee because his personality demonstrates those pioneer ideals which were infused in him by discerning and hospitable parents.

He's the first Pampian I've seen here; therefore this is the first chance we had to write anything since I got back to Stateside. It was sure good to see Grover Lee!

OPA Raises Ceiling On Texas Potatoes

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European War

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While Russian army captured Frankfurt, 4 1-2 miles south of the prize Baltic port. The Germans said the Russians also had broken through Nazi lines to the east bank bastion of Altdamm, 3 1-2 miles from Stettin.

Driving into the dwindling German coastal pocket in East Prussia southwest of Konigsberg, Third White Russian army troops took Brandenburg and nine other towns and villages.

The worst weather of the winter failed to ground more than 2,000 American bombers and fighters which attacked German refineries and rail yards, carrying the massive Allied aerial assault into its 33rd day. The RAF also joined in the daylight attack and bombed Berlin last night for the 36th consecutive night.

Along the rapidly-drying Italian front patrols of the Allied Fifth and Eighth armies continued in sharp clashes with German units.

Senate Fight

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half from the level fixed by congress in the Smoot-Hawley bill—last direct action by the legislators on tariff schedules—could be halved again only one-fourth of what congress thus they would represent charges only one-fourth of what congress approved in 1928.

While administration leaders seem confident they can obtain house approval, there are signs of strong senate opposition.

Senator Taft of Ohio, chairman of the republican steering committee, predicted that most minority members will fight extension of the trade agreements authority.

Monetary Element Is Inserted Here

CAMP LEE, Va., March 17—(AP)—The quartermaster installation here is at least "financial sound."

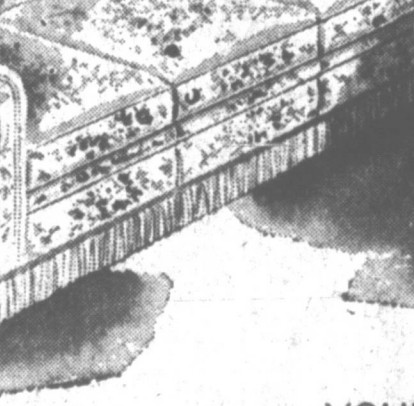
For on duty are Pvt. Frank K. Money, of Merchantville, N. J., and Pvt. Willie Cain, of Oneonta, Ala.

Bataan peninsula forms the western shore of Manila bay.

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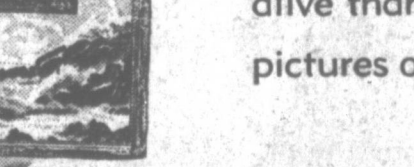
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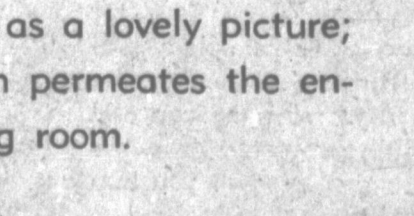
YOUR LIVING ROOM

Few living rooms have the eye appeal this suite can give to your home. Inside and out it is of top quality with luxurious spring construction.

Nothing is so effective in making a small room appear alive than a picture. Here are pictures of surpassing beauty.



In decorative effect, a beautiful table lamp is in the same category as a lovely picture; its charm permeates the entire living room.



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An informal picture of Sub Debs—bottom row, left to right: June Myatt, Anita Lane, Sybil Pierson, Tiny Hobart, Ida Ruth Taylor, Nicki Fraser, Billie Jane Hood, Betty Barrett. Second row: Charlyn Rose Pocock, (standing), Billie Don Crowson, Joyce Hale, Mildred Overstreet, Margaret Price, Carol Perkins, Marjorie Dixon, Barbara Carlson, Patsy Brannon, Phyllis Parker (standing). Third row: Dot Culberson, Patsy Brannon, Mary Jo Gallemer, Joanne Thompson, Betty Schulkey, Carol Perkins, Patsy Pierson, Polly Ward. Top row: Joella Shelton, Ramona Cheely, Avis Kelley, Marjorie Sloan, Nelda Davis, Dorothy June Johnson, Helen Marlin. Not pictured is Anna Lois Alford.

Saint Patrick's Day Dance Held

Saint Patrick's day was celebrated by members of the Sub Deb club and their guests Saturday night when a dance was held at the Pampa Country club.

Irish lads and lassies, clay pipes, derbies and Shamrocks were used to set the background and complete the Saint Patrick theme in green and white. A streamer of green and white lined panel boards and lace-work of Shamrocks completed the decoration scheme.

Mildred Overstreet, president of the guest register which was also decorated with Shamrocks of green and gold.

Sponsors for the evening were Mrs. D. L. Hale, Mrs. W. L. Hill, Mrs. F. M. Culberson; hostesses were Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Culberson and Mrs. J. B. Mass.

Junior High P.T.A. Speakers Discuss Physical Education

Miss Dorothy Boyde discussed "Recreation in Relation to Health" at a meeting of the Junior High school Parent Teacher association meeting Thursday.

The speaker stated that a well-planned physical education program would aid the mental, physical and social development of children. She said "Recreation helps to prevent juvenile delinquency to a great extent." A list of health, physical and recreational objectives were given and the speaker urged that parents see that these objectives were reached.

Mrs. George Fritauf gave the devotional and Herman Jones showed "Carrie Jacobs Bond," a film which he had shown to each of the music classes Thursday.

Officers for the coming year are: President, Mrs. W. R. Campbell; vice-president, Mrs. E. C. Weidner; secretary, Mrs. Myrl Salmon; treasurer, Mrs. Lee Harrah; historian, Miss Florence Jones; city council, Mrs. E. G. West and Mrs. F. A. Fukill; tri-county council representatives, Mrs. Jack Merchant and Mrs. C. J. McNaughton; parliamentarian, Mrs. Rufe Jordan.

Announcement

Members of the A. A. U. W. will meet Tuesday evening, 7:30 in the City club rooms with Mrs. Lou Roberts in charge of the program. Mrs. Peggy Gant and Mrs. E. L. Norman will be hostesses.

Ration Calendar

As of Monday, March 12
By The Associated Press
MEATS, FATS, ETC.—Book four red stamps G5 through G5 good through March 31. Stamps T5 through X5 good through April 20; Y5 and Z5 and A2 through D2 good through June 2; E2 through J2 good through June 30.
PROCESSED FOODS—Book four blue stamps K5 through Z5 and A2 and B3 good through March 31. Stamps C2 through G2 good through April 20; H2 through M2 good through June 2; N2 through S2 good through June 30.
SUGAR—Book four stamp 53 valid for five pounds through June 2. Next stamp scheduled to be validated May 1.
SHOES—Book three airplane stamps 1, 2 and 3 valid indefinitely. OPA says no plans to cancel any.
GASOLINE—14-A coupons good everywhere for four gallons each through March 21. B-5, C-5, B-6, C-6, B-7 and C-7 coupons good everywhere for five gallons each.

Supplying weapons needed in the Pacific is going to be a bigger job than the people realize. For do they fully understand the extent to which the industry's facilities will be almost completely tied up after VE-Day.

—George Romney, director Automotive Council for War Production.

Informal Buffet Dinner Honors Guests in Home

An informal buffet dinner was given Thursday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Johnson, 112 E. Francis, in honor of Cpl. Lester E. Shirley, USMC, his mother, Mrs. Jack Shirley and a sister, Juanita Shirley of Kermit, Texas.

Games of dominoes and forty-two were played following the dinner.

Guests were Cpl. Lester E. Shirley, Mrs. Jack Shirley, Miss Juanita Shirley, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Oswald, Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Orr, Miss Louise Almond, Chuck Hagan, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Ellis, Willadean Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Bus Benton, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson and children Neil, Danny Jo and Clo Ann.

The guests of honor returned to Kermit Friday and Cpl. Shirley will leave there soon to enter a radio school. He was stationed in the South West Pacific and returned to the states after receiving wounds.

Mother of Pampa Pilot Joins WAC

Mother of an Army Air Forces captain who last year returned from the China-Burma-India theater, Mrs. Bess K. Blackwell, 319 Warren, Pampa, enlisted in the WAC hospital unit yesterday in the Amarillo recruiting sub-station.

She is the eighth woman to enlist there from the Panhandle American Legionettes, a company of WACs to technicians and attendants for Beaumont General hospital, El Paso. Mrs. Blackwell is 49 years old and the wife of Clyde Blackwell. Already to her credit as a hospital worker is a record of 140 hours as a Red Cross worker.

Mrs. Blackwell's son, Capt. Lynn D. Blackwell, was on active duty in the CBI theater for 18 months and has been back in the states for about a year. He is now stationed at Miami Beach, Fla., army air forces redistribution center. Mrs. Blackwell is scheduled to report for training April 4 at Ft. Oglethorpe, Ga.

W.M.U. Members Meet in Homes For Bible Study

Circle members of the First Baptist W. M. U. met in homes of members this week for Bible study sessions.

Members of circle one met with Mrs. T. B. Calloway. Mrs. A. French opened the meeting with a prayer. Mrs. O. A. Calloway, circle chair, conducted a short business meeting. Mrs. T. V. Lane presented the lesson from the Bible with all members taking part in the discussions which followed. The meeting closed with a prayer by Mrs. T. V. Lane. Mrs. T. B. Calloway and Mrs. O. A. Davis.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. O. A. Davis, Mrs. A. French, Mrs. R. L. Busby, Mrs. Roy Holt, Mrs. L. L. Lunford, Mrs. T. V. Lane, Mrs. D. G. Toft, Mrs. T. B. Calloway.

The home of Mrs. L. C. Vaughn was the meeting place for members of circle three. The meeting was opened with a prayer by Mrs. E. W. Tucker and Mrs. D. A. Caldwell then presented the Bible lesson in the absence of Mrs. D. M. Scafe. A short business meeting was held following the lesson. Refreshments were served to Mrs. E. W. Tucker, Mrs. Bob Porter, Mrs. D. A. Caldwell, Mrs. O. B. Schiffman and Mrs. L. C. Vaughn.

Members of circles four and five met with Mrs. C. Richey when the meeting opened with a prayer by Mrs. J. C. Richey. The Bible study lesson was brought by Mrs. T. B. Solomon. Plans were made to send some clothing to Buckner's Orphan Home. Those attending the lesson discussion were Mrs. W. F. Yeager, Mrs. J. C. Richey, Mrs. Charlie Miller, Mrs. Hugh Greiner, Mrs. Howard Giles, Mrs. G. May, Mrs. T. B. Solomon, Mrs. Maudie Schenck, Mrs. P. L. McKinney and Mrs. George Vick of Houston. Refreshments were served to the above members.

Mrs. Rufe Jordan was hostess to members of circle six and opened the meeting with prayer. Mrs. Lewis Tarpley, circle chairman, conducted a short business meeting at which time an offering was made for Buckner's Orphan Home and for Baptist relief in Italy. Mrs. J. A. Meek and Mrs. Ella Brake presented the Bible lesson. Refreshments were served to Mrs. Brake, Mrs. Meek, Mrs. L. M. Wagon, Mrs. S. S. Taylor, Mrs. L. A. Bester, Mrs. Lewis Tarpley and Mrs. Rufe Jordan.

Members of circle seven met with Mrs. Mollie Thomas with six members attending. The meeting opened with a prayer led by Mrs. Mary Benford. Mrs. Owen Johnson, Bible study chairman presented the lesson and an offering was made for Buckner's Orphan Home and for Baptist relief in Italy.

Mrs. W. B. Franklin closed the meeting with a prayer and refreshments were served to Mrs. Mary Benford, Mrs. T. H. Baker, Mrs. W. B. Franklin, Mrs. Owen Johnson, Mrs. Mollie Thomas and Mrs. Bob Alford.

Conferences on child welfare can't do much more than put a new coat of paint on an old tenement. Instead of youth being confronted with philanthropy or a negative goal, like trying to prevent crime, it should be confronted with the fundamental unfinished business of American democracy.

—Dr. Robert G. Lynd, Columbia U. sociologist.

Girl Scouts Have Extensive Program

A successful court of awards was held in the district court room on the Girl Scout birthday, March 12, with "Grow in Girl Scouting" as the theme, and the steps in progression were demonstrated by means of a chart.

"Girl Scouts of the various troops are assisting with Red Cross collections at the LaNora and Rex theatres in the final Red Cross drive. This comes under community service for the girls who participate," Mrs. Ken Thornton, Girl Scout president, said.

The outdoor training course for intermediate leaders began Thursday with Miss Marie Stedje as instructor. The second meeting of the series is to be held Tuesday, March 20. The group will meet at the little scout house at 12 o'clock for a "Nosebag" hike. "It will be possible to make up the first lesson, so anyone desiring to take the course may start with the second session Tuesday. Call the scout office if you are interested," Miss Stedje says.

Those persons interested in the advanced first aid course given by the Red Cross are asked to attend the meeting Monday night, March 19 at 8 o'clock in the City commission room, City hall.

Miss Stedje, executive secretary, was guest speaker at the Bivin's P.T.A. in Amarillo Tuesday, when the girl scouts of the school had charge of the program. Miss Stedje's subject was "Parent's Responsibility toward the Girl Scout organization."

Charles Douglass Is Head of Association

AMARILLO, March 17 — Supt. Charles R. Douglass, Canadian schools, was elected president of District IX of the Texas State Teachers association at the regular meeting here on Friday.

Other officers elected were Supt. Walter Travis, Dumas, vice-president; Supt. Kenneth Kendrick, Phillips, secretary; and Supt. J. B. Speer, Canyon, treasurer.

Keller-Kurtz Nuptials Said, Home Ceremony

In a double ring ceremony read March 6, in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Keller, 1905 W. Ripley, Miss Dorothea Keller became the bride of Lt. Robert V. Kurtz.

Vows were exchanged before an improvised altar of floor-baskets of Easter lilies and white stocks surrounded with candelabra and palms. A formal arrangement of Easter lilies and white stock decorated the mantle. The Rev. E. Douglas Carver, minister of the First Baptist church, read the marriage ritual.

Miss Doris Spence of Borger played selections on the piano as E. M. Keller, Jr., lighted altar candles. Billy Hutchinson sang "Always," accompanied by Miss Spence.

Miss Imogene Keller, sister of the bride, who read of honor and she wore a dress of dusty pink with a corsage of Tallman roses. Glen Wilkie served as best man.

The bride's mother wore a black dress with a shoulder corsage of pink carnations.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a dress of light blue and carried a white Prayer book topped with a gardenia. For something old she wore a ruby necklace belonging to Mrs. W. C. Hutchinson.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the home. The bride's table was centered with a two-tiered cake surrounded by tall tapers and colonial bouquets of gardenia and white carnations. Tea was poured by Mrs. Jack Walton and Miss Anna Lou McCoy served cake.

Mrs. Kurtz is a graduate of Pampa high school and attended Colorado Women's college at Denver where she was a member of Delta Tau Kappa, Ski club and Home Economics club.

Lt. Kurtz, son of Mrs. Georgia Kurtz, 544 S. Birmingham, Tulsa, Okla., finished Will Rogers Memorial high school, Tulsa, and before entering the service he was a student at Tulsa university. He received his commission at Pampa army air field and is now stationed at Del Rio.

Immediately following the ceremony the couple left for Tulsa where they visited his mother. The bride traveled in a suit of tan with matching accessories. They are at home in Del Rio.

Cut-of-town wedding guests were Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Clodfelter, Enid, Okla., mother of Mrs. Keller; Mrs. C. Q. Johnston, Graham, Okla.; Mrs. F. C. Spence and daughters, Sandra and Doris of Borger.

Miss Charlotte Cline Becomes Bride Of Lieutenant Robert L. Edmondson

Nuptial vows were read March 9, 5:30 p. m. in the Methodist church in Marysville, Kans., for Miss Charlotte Christian Cline and Lt. Robert L. Edmondson. The Rev. E. K. Resler read the single ring ritual.

The bride is a 1943 graduate of Pampa high school and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Cline, 1110 W. Buckler. She was a member of the Sigma Delta, Sub Deb sorority and the National Honor society. In 1941 she was a winner of the beauty queen contest at Pampa High and before her marriage she was employed at Martin and Turner Insurance agency in Pampa.

Lt. Edmondson, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Edmondson, 912 N. Gray, was graduated from Pampa high school in 1942, where he was a member of the Esquire club. Before entering the service he attended Texas Tech in Lubbock. He is now a bombardier in the air corps, stationed in Lincoln, Neb.

For her wedding ensemble, the bride chose a brown gaberdine suit with powder-blue and brown accessories. She wore a gardenia corsage. For something old she wore a locket, a gift from the bridegroom. For something borrowed she wore a pin belonging to Mrs. Edmondson and her something blue was her sheer blouse.

The bride was attended by Mrs. G. E. Taylor, formerly Miss Doris Mae Jarvis, of Pampa, matron of honor, and Mrs. G. L. Linden of Davenport, Iowa. Both attendants wore powder-blue suits with black accessories and white carnation corsages.

Best man was Flight Officer George Galhike of Bellevue, Ohio. The groomsmen were Lt. G. E. Taylor of Pampa and Flight Officer G. L. Einden of Davenport, Iowa. All are now stationed at Lincoln, Neb.

Immediately following the ceremony, a dinner was held for the bridal party.

Lt. Robert L. Edmondson are temporarily at home at 3318 Garfield, Lincoln, Neb.

Rebekah Lodge Conducts Meeting

Members of the Rebekah lodge met Thursday in the I.O.O.F. hall for their regular monthly meeting with Noble Grand Edna Braly presiding.

After the business session was held refreshments were served to the following officers and members:

Florence Hall, Edna Braly, Ellen Kreitzmeyer, Dorothy Voyles, Mae Phillips, Hazel Franklin, Bonita Brown, Gladys Rupp, Ruth Camp, June Rowe, Lillie Patterson, Fred Proton, Katie Beverly, Eva Howard, Lillie Hollis, Ovidia Morris, Ruby Wylie, Etta Orler, Babe Mastin, Lillie Noblett, Jimmie Brown, Gladys Kindel, Marjorie Clumch, Francis Hall, Alva Phillips.

Popular Book Is Reviewed for Club By Mrs. Burton

Mrs. Russell Owens was hostess to members of the El Progreso club last week in her home south of town.

The program opened with the group singing "The Star Spangled Banner" after which members responded to roll call with current events.

During a short business session plans were made to aid in the united national clothing collection.

Mrs. D. V. Burton then reviewed the book, "Some of My Best Friends are Soldiers" by Margaret Halsey.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. George Briggs, Mrs. D. B. Burton, Mrs. W. R. Ewing, Mrs. B. E. Finley, Mrs. C. T. Hightower, Mrs. T. D. Hobart, Mrs. Carl Jones, Mrs. P. C. Ledrick, Mrs. Dave Pope, Mrs. S. D. Stennis, Mrs. Russell Owens, Mrs. James Tood, Mrs. George Walstad and Miss Nellie Warren.

Social Calendar

MONDAY
Physician Sisters will meet at 8 p.m. in the temple hall.
Beta Sigma Phi will meet in the home of Miss Katherine Ward.
The Sewing Society will meet.
Food program school will be held at White Deer at 10 a.m. for Home Demonstration club representatives.
TUESDAY
AAUW members will meet at 7:30 in the City club room with Mrs. Perry Gant and Mrs. C. L. Norman as hostesses.
BGN will meet at 8 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Waverly Taylor, 124 N. Russell.
Parent Education club will meet.
General meeting of the Presbyterian Auxiliary will be held at 8:30.
The Women's Club will meet in the City club rooms at 8 p.m.
W.S.C. will meet.
W.M.U. of the First Baptist church will meet.
The W. M. U. of the First Baptist church will meet at 8 o'clock for mission study in circles, as follows: Circle 1, Mrs. R. L. Busby, West Albert street; Circle 2, Mrs. C. G. Matheny, 725 S. Hobart; Circle 3, Mrs. D. A. Caldwell, 319 N. Bamba; Circle 4 and 5, Mrs. A. Day, 311 S. Russell; Circle 6, Mrs. J. A. Meek, 681 E. Kingsmill; Circle 7, Mrs. A. L. Prigmore, 323 E. Francis.

Mrs. Lacy Goad Entertains Club

Entre Nous club members met in the lovely country home of Mrs. Lacy Goad, east of Pampa, Friday afternoon for a program in keeping with Saint Patrick day.

A number of Irish songs were sung by the group and roll call was answered with Irish humor stories.

Mrs. C. A. Tignor gave the history and origin of Saint Patrick's day and Mrs. E. A. Johnson was honored with a miscellaneous show.

After coffee and hand-painted Shamrock mints were served to the following members:

Mrs. Clyde Carruth, Alice Cockrell, Mrs. Guy Farrington, Mrs. Venice Farrington, Mrs. O. H. Ingram, Mrs. Joe H. Lewis, Mrs. A. B. McAlister, Mrs. Bill Ridenway, Mrs. E. A. Shackleton, Mrs. C. A. Tignor, Mrs. W. S. Tolbert, Mrs. Dave Turcotte, Mrs. Norman Walberg, Mrs. C. W. Bowers and one guest, Mrs. E. A. Johnson.

'Buying Cosmetics' Is Discussed at White Deer Club

WHITE DEER, March 18—Mrs. Wendell Mixson was re-elected president of the Venado Blanco club at a meeting Thursday evening, in the home of Mrs. Chester Strickland.

Assisting her will be Mrs. Strickland, vice-president; Miss Viola Holmes, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Fred Mullings, parliamentarian; Mrs. Dalton Ford, reporter; Mrs. W. L. Thompson, critic; and Miss Emmi Cearley, federation counselor.

Miss Marguerite Clayton, Miss Louise Williams, and Mrs. C. W. Wilson, compose the yearbook committee.

As the program for the evening, Mrs. Tyson Cox discussed "Buying Cosmetics," based on reports from the Consumers' Guide in regard to "best buys" and Mrs. W. L. Thompson discussed "Cosmetics for Your Type."

Members present were Meses. Mullings, James Gain, Olye Jordan, E. C. Morris, Thompson, Cox and W. H. White; Meses Odessie Howell, Louise Williams, and Claudia Everly, and the hostesses, Mrs. Strickland and Miss Cearley.

The next meeting will be "Fun Night," on April 5, at the high school.

Another Blasted Illusion

EVANSTON, Ill.—(AP)—You may have thought it was romance or homesickness that made birds migrate, but a zoology researcher says it's only fat.

Dr. Albert Wolfson of Northwestern university, said his researches indicated birds get fatter as the sun comes north.

"It is this excess of fat energy which sends the bird on its spring migration to its breeding grounds," he added.

In Fez, Morocco, the general dampness makes the towns unhealthily and gives the inhabitants pallid faces, but this is considered a mark of distinction and is jealously guarded.

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Notes RED CROSS VOLUNTEERS

At a recent meeting of the board of directors of Pampa chapter of the American Red Cross the following service chairmen were selected and approved: Home service, Mrs. Frank Culbertson and Mrs. J. B. Massa, co-chairmen; volunteer special services, Mrs. C. E. High; Junior Red Cross, E. A. Yoder; disaster preparedness, E. Weiser; home nursing, Mrs. W. R. Campbell; first aid and accident prevention, Carl Snow; nutrition, Miss Clara Brown; water safety, John Skelly; camp and hospital, Mrs. Tex De Weese.

The 1,500,000 surgical dressings produced by Red Cross volunteers since Pearl Harbor could bandage the world with a strip around the equator over 18 feet wide.

An advanced first aid class will in the city commission room according to the city commission room according to Carl Snow, chairman of first aid of the local chapter. Anyone who holds a first aid certificate which is not older than three years is eligible for the instruction. Those wanting to take a regular standard course which is a prerequisite to the advanced course should call the Red Cross office, telephone 707, and arrangements will be made to offer the course.

Somewhere in France—The platoon leader was battle-weary and tired as he led his men back from the combat zone, but not too tired to protect his group from sudden checks. As they spotted the first Red Cross girl at an isolated area club, he snapped out over his shoulder: "Be careful, men, it's a woman and it speaks English."

The Eastern Division of the North Plains Camp and Hospital Council met Wednesday, March 14, at the Moleana Prisoner of War Camp. Mrs. Tex De Weese, Mrs. W. R. Campbell and Mr. Bjarne Woldring, Red Cross field director at PAAF, attended from Pampa.

Widows and children of World War I veterans may qualify for pensions up to \$75 per month under recent congressional legislation expanding the eligibility of veteran's families for government benefits. Aubrey Steele, Red Cross chapter chairman, announced today.

Red Cross chapters are prepared to offer assistance to the estimated 162,000 families over the country expected to be affected by the new law," Mr. Steele said. "Many cases denied since the last war because the veteran did not die of a service-connected disability or did not suffer a service-connected disability at the time of death, may now be reopened under terms of Public Law 485."

Families of deceased veterans who received an honorable discharge after 90 days or more of service in World War I before Nov. 12, 1918, or after the same period of service with American military forces in Russia prior to April 2, 1920, are now eligible for benefits. Of course, the veteran who suffered a service-connected disability rated at 10 percent or more at the time of death does not fall under the 90-day service minimum, the chairman pointed out.

Applicants ineligible for benefits under any conditions include children widows with annual incomes of \$1,000 or more and widows with one or more children with annual incomes of \$2,500 or more. It is important for families to file claims immediately as benefits are dated back to the time of application. No awards will be retroactive before Dec. 14, 1944, the date of the passage of the law. Mrs. Betty Shryock Hastings, home service secretary, will assist

eligible applicants in filing claims.

The American Red Cross has collected more than 11,000,000 pints of blood from volunteer donors for conversion into plasma for treatment of wounded American fighting men.

Miss Virginia Tucker, general field representative from the Mid-western area office in St. Louis, has been in Pampa during the last week conferring with local chapter officials.

Mrs. George Hepner, new chairman of the hospital entertainment committee, reports that the programs given for patients at the station hospital on March 7 and 14 were presented by the Colteco Home Demonstration club and the Junior high school dramatics group, respectively.

Mrs. T. J. Watt acted as chairman of the former group which composed a girls' quartet featured the program. Ice cream, cake, and punch—all home-made—elicited enthusiastic approval from the 39 patients who were served.

The Dramatics group consisted of 18 persons under the direction of Mrs. Guy Crawford. A girl's duet and a quartette, several readings, and a clever skit made up the entertainment. 25 patients were served refreshments, and food was also taken to the ward patients. This program was sponsored by the Junior high P. T. A.

Last week the home service department delivered two layettes, one to the hospital where a soldier's wife had just had a baby, and one to a home where another soldier's wife is expecting the arrival of a baby. The husband of the latter is missing. Mrs. Lee Harrah, chairman of the emergency closet, and her group of workers have been making garments for layettes for several months.

A Red Cross worker back from 15 months overseas offers these suggestions on writing letters to your man overseas:

Always answer his questions. Send slippings. Send pictures of bathing beauties, particularly yourself.

Send cartoons, poems, even little moon stories. Send funny (comic) strips.

Alternate V-mail with perturbed stationery if you are his best girl. And soak it. That ocean air plus GI hands can cancel planet of fragrance.

It's better to write a short letter daily than a long one less often. Just seeing the envelope is thrilling and consoling, and for 24 hours that man feels himself loved and more than just a number.

Send him sports clippings and baseball scores, if that's a hobby of his. Cut out interesting editorials. Tell him you miss him, but no self-pity please.

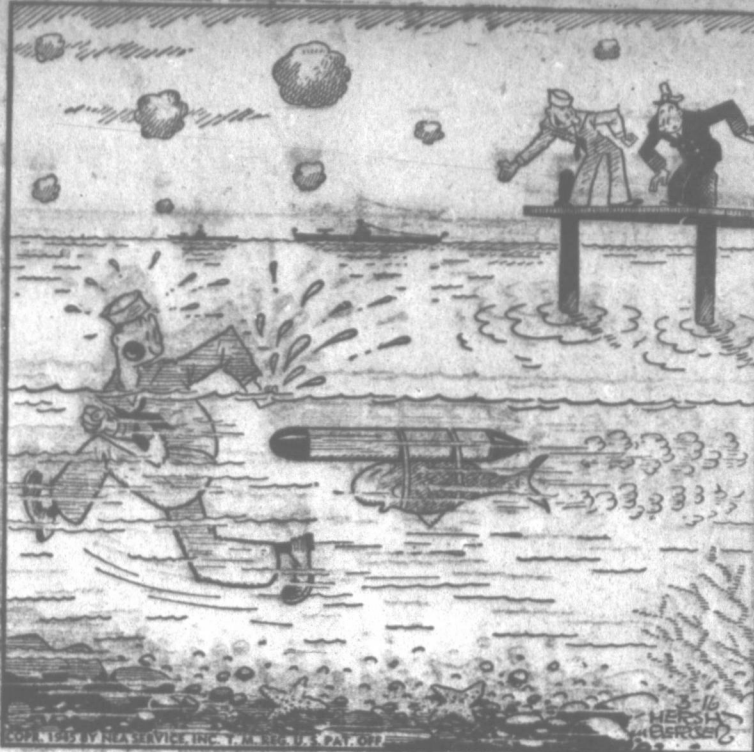
MECHANICAL SHELTER
MOUNTAIN HOME, Idaho.—(AP)—Slot machines in the officers' club at the Mountain Home army air base are topped by this sign: "In case of air raid, stand near these machines—they haven't been hit yet."

A woman had a colored maid and between them there is a bond since both have sons in the army. Woman—What branch of the service is your son in, Emma? Emma (sounding a trifle vague)—What you mean branch, ma'am? Woman (explaining)—Is he in the infantry, the artillery, the air corps, the engineers, the cavalry or what? Emma (brightening)—No, ma'am, Sidney ain't in nothin' like dat. He's in the Corporals.

Navy Man (to his wife)—When we were married you had the sweetest disposition. Wife—That's right. But when I joined the Navy I learned to fight.

Mr. Smith (to manager of baseball team)—Two men are outside. They say they're friends of the umpire. Manager—Throw 'em out. No umpire's got two friends.

FUNNY BUSINESS



"He got the propellerless torpedo all perfected but the direction of the fish!"

Writer Says War Conditions Seriously Endangering Marriage by Lowering Morals

War conditions are seriously endangering the institution of marriage because it has less responsibility and moral standards are lower. Unless marriage regains its idealism, it may gradually disappear entirely, warns Toni Taylor. "If you have had a job during the war, you now know the feeling of earning money and of managing your own income. You have gained new independence and you have perhaps acquired a higher set of living standards than you had before. You may feel that, in order to achieve them you will need to keep your job. "But you may have to pay too high a price for the new furniture, the extra radio and the shiny car. You may find economic freedom, only to find that you have lost something much more important—your first job as wife and mother. "By insisting upon exercising your new-found freedom, you may put marriage on a new basis, in which your husband is no longer the traditional homemaker. This might easily wreck your marriage. When your man comes home, he will want to feel that he can support his family. It may be very discouraging to him if he finds you have acquired expensive tastes that can only be satisfied if you continue to earn money. It may take away some of his incentive to readjust to civilian life. "War, if you allow it to, may jeopardize your relationship with your children. The war has increased the separation of children from their parents; thousands of them from infancy through the teens have been irreparably neglected; thousands have been abandoned and will become wards of the state. This callous disregard for children and their welfare might strike an almost fatal blow to marriage if it continued. If children can be reared as well outside of marriage as within it, then

the other party and that they go through another marriage ceremony and make a fresh start. "Marriage tomorrow may be further threatened by the fact that there is already a super-abundance of women in our population. It may undermine marriage, for it will place men at a premium. "No matter what your previous relationship was with your husband, there may be an element of strangeness between you when you first come together again. You will both have been through new experiences which the other could not share. This is the time to re-establish your personal life on a strong basis. "Marriage is endangered—first, by the decreasing responsibilities which society places on it; and second, by the special hazards which war always visits upon human relations. We have paid a price, in lowered moral values, for social and economic progress. We must regain the idealistic quality of marriage; we must build emotional ties that are strong enough to offset its loss of some of its functions. "If you are one of tomorrow's brides, it is you and the man who meets you at the altar who will give meaning to the familiar marriage lines. The meaning you give those lines will determine whether you will give your children a legacy of strong and vital family life, which will insure our society, or whether the institution of marriage,

'Youngun' Is Given As Book Review by White Deer Teacher

Mrs. Chester Strickland of White Deer was hostess to the teachers of Skellytown school and to members of the Eleanor Roosevelt Study club last week and was assisted in entertaining by members of the club. As guests arrived they were served refreshments by Mrs. Earl New after which Mrs. Strickland introduced Mrs. Alton Lane, teacher in White Deer school, who reviewed "Youngun" by Herbert Best. Mrs. Lane wore a formal gown of peach lace with matching tulle. She was also presented with a corsage from club members. Guests were Mrs. Lane and Mrs. Dalton Ford of White Deer, Mrs. Hollis Francis, Mrs. C. L. Rice, Maude Casey, Ida Lew Glaze, Elizabeth Green, Helen Glass, Lydia Lockhart, Jane Williams, Margaret Stewart, Jimmie Speck, Jean Clayborn, Mrs. Ruth Cannon. Club members present were Mrs. Earl New, Mrs. J. C. Jarvis, Mrs. J. E. Collins, Mrs. Rolfe Sparks, Mrs. S. C. Dickey, Mrs. John Biegler, Mrs. G. L. Morris, Mrs. M. J. Osborn, Mrs. Charles Zugar, Mrs. J. W. Lee and the hostess. "As we have known it, may gradually disappear from our culture."

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New Note in Plastics

The newest in violins—a transparent plastic instrument that really makes music—is demonstrated by Gwyn Galsford at a Los Angeles plastics exhibit.



New Field Director, Red Cross, at PAAF

William Mace, of Springfield, Mo., arrived at PAAF this week to assume his new duties as assistant Red Cross field director.

The increased work load was responsible for Mr. Mace's transfer to PAAF, Elmer Waiding, field director, pointed out.

Washington, D. C., was assigned to Camp Crowder, Mo., for two weeks field training.

His other previous station, before assignment to PAAF, was Camp Luna, Las Vegas, N. M.

President To Make Red Cross Appeal

WASHINGTON, March 17—(AP)—President Roosevelt will broadcast to the nation next Tuesday night an appeal to support the American Red Cross campaign for \$200,000,000.

The White House said Mr. Roosevelt will speak about three minutes on a program to be carried by all networks between 8 and 8:05 p.m. Central War Time next Tuesday. He will be introduced by Basil O'Connor, chairman of the Red Cross.

Winston Churchill, American novelist and playwright ("The Crisis," "The Uncharted Way") is not related to Great Britain's prime minister.

Make This Home Recipe To Take Off Ugly Fat

It's simple. It's amazing, how quickly one may lose pounds of bulky, unsightly fat right in your own home. Make this recipe yourself. It's easy—no trouble at all and costs little. It contains nothing harmful. Just go to your drugstore and ask for four ounces of liquid Barcol Concentrate. Pour this into a pint bottle and add enough grapefruit juice to fill bottle. Then take two tablespoonsful twice a day. That's all there is to it.

and help regain slender, more graceful curves; if reducible pounds and inches of excess fat don't just seem to disappear almost like magic from neck, chin, arms, bust, abdomen, hips, calves and ankles, just return the empty bottle for your money back. Follow the easy way endorsed by many who have tried this plan and help bring back slurring curves and graceful slenderness. Note how quickly bloat disappears—how much better you feel. More alive, youthful appearing and active.

Advertisements for LANCOR (Humphrey Bogart) and REX (My Pal Wolf) featuring movie listings and promotional text.

'Scenic Wonders of Texas' Given When Century Club Meets

Members of the Twentieth Century club met in the home of Mrs. Carl J. Wright Tuesday afternoon for a very interesting program on the 'Scenic Wonders of Texas' which was given by Mrs. Roy McKernan, leader, Mrs. George Hepper recalled the significance of such scenic spots.

Members present were: Mrs. G. S. Branson, Mrs. W. R. Campbell, Mrs. F. M. Culbertson, Mrs. J. W. Garman, Mrs. J. W. Gordon, Mrs. R. J. Hagan, Mrs. Raymond Harrah, Mrs. Lloyd M. Hicks, Mrs. Clifton High, Mrs. J. M. Fitzgerald, Mrs. J. M. Mason, Mrs. Roy McKernan, Mrs. Roy McMillen, Mrs. F. Lloyd Stallings, Mrs. Carl J. Wright, Mrs. George Hepper, Mrs. Norma Davis, house guest of Mrs. Garman, was guest of the club.

'Safety and Health' Discussed at Club Meeting in Key Home

Mrs. Joe Key, 412 W. Cook, entertained members of the Twentieth Century Culture club this week when Mrs. L. N. Atchison was welcomed into the club as a new member.

For the program, 'Safety and Health' was given by Mrs. Harold M. Wilgus who discussed the health of the adolescent child, its relation to future families.

White cake was served with coffee to members and to accent the Easter motif, mint cups, designed in keeping with the decorative scheme, were given as plate favors.

Pie Auction Is Held To Help Red-Cross

WHEELER, March 17—Allison's Pie Auction for the Red-Cross netted \$123.80 Friday night, according to Supt. Sam Beget. Of high interest during the program was the contest sale of 10 cakes baked by school boys. Billy Bob Levitt received first prize award of \$2.50; Bobby Donaldson, second prize of \$1.00 and Clifton Boydston third prize of 50c.

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- SUNDAY 8:00—Young People's Church—MBS. 8:30—Voice of Prophecy—MBS. 9:00—Assembly of God Church, Pampa. 9:30—Mutual's Radio Chapel—MBS. 10:00—Wesley Radio League—MBS. 10:30—Reviewing Stand—MBS. 11:00—First Baptist Church. 12:00—Stanley Dixon and the News—MBS. 12:15—American Radio Wambler—MBS. 12:30—Sweetheart Time—MBS. 1:00—The Sky Riders—MBS. 1:30—Bill Cunningham, News—MBS. 1:45—The Canary Pet Shop—MBS. 2:00—Rooster of the A.A.F.—MBS. 2:30—Church of God, Berger. 3:00—Your America—MBS. 3:30—What's the Name of That Song—MBS. 4:00—Let's Face the Issue—MBS. 4:30—Old Fashioned Beverly Hour. 5:00—Upton Close News—MBS. 5:15—Dick Brown, singer—MBS. 5:30—Cleveland Orch.—MBS. 6:00—A. L. Alexander—MBS. 7:15—Gabriel Heatter—MBS. 8:00—Steel Horizons—MBS. 8:30—Cedric Foster, News—MBS. 9:00—Earl Wilson Show—MBS. 9:30—Anita Ellis Sings—MBS. 8:45—Jerry Cooper Show—MBS. 10:00—Music Deprecation—MBS. 10:30—Sign Off.

- MONDAY 7:30—Western Jamboree. 7:45—Lum and Abner. 8:00—What's Behind the News. 8:05—Wake Up Pampa. 9:00—Billy Ripard—MBS. 9:15—Maxine Keith. 9:30—Shady Valley Folks—MBS. 10:00—Arthur Gorch, News. 10:15—Ask Jane Porterfield—MBS. 10:30—Take It Easy Time—MBS. 10:45—What's Your Idea—MBS. 10:55—Larry and Gincer—MBS. 11:00—William Lang, News—MBS. 11:15—Song by Morton Downey—MBS. 11:30—Tex De Wees and the News. 11:45—U. S. Naval Academy Band—MBS. 12:00—Artist Program. 12:15—Lum and Abner. 12:45—John J. Anthony—MBS. 1:00—Cedric Foster and the News—MBS. 1:15—Jane Cowell—MBS. 1:30—Never Too Old—MBS. 2:00—Griffin Reporting—MBS. 2:15—Tom Detective Mystery—MBS. 2:30—The Smoothies—MBS. 2:45—Dance Music. 3:00—Walter Connors, News—MBS. 3:15—The Johnson Family—MBS. 3:30—Bob Rhodes Orch.—MBS. 3:45—The Handy Man. 4:00—Chick Carter, Boy Detective—MBS. 4:15—Superman—MBS. 4:30—The Publisher Speaks.

Sunday on Networks MBS—10:30 a.m., Reviewing Stand "U. S. Debt Limit"; NBC—12:15 p.m., America United, "Wage Policy"; CBS—12:30 p.m., H. A. Lewis on "Broad-cast battlefronts"; NBC, 12:30, Round-table, "Mexico City—Prelude of San Francisco"; MBS—4, Let's Face Issue, "German Labor Draft."

Others: NBC—2:30, Army Hour; 4, NBC Symphony, Toccata Returns; 6:30, Gilchrist; 7:30, Eddie Bracken Show; 9:30, Harold Lloyd Theater; CBS—9:30 a.m., Pick U. Choir; 2 p.m., N. Y. Philharmonic; 6, Ozzie and Harriet; 6, Kate Smith from New London, Conn.; 7, Blondie; 8:30, Lawrence Tibbett Concert; 9, Phil Baker Quiz; 9:30, We The People; Blue—Chaplain Jim; 7:30, Ethel Barrymore drama; 7:30, Opera Audition semi-finals; 8, Mail of Fame; 8:30, Quiz Kids; 9:30, Joe E. Brown finale; 8:15, Hollywood Mystery; 9:30, One Foot in Heaven; MBS—12:30, New Chicago musical series; 1, Sky Riders Finale; 6, Cleveland Orchestra; 2, Meditation Board; 5, Horizon Concert, Paul McNutt speaker; 9, Frank Sinatra and Mabel Wilson.

Monday on Networks NBC—9:30 a.m., Finders Keepers Quiz; 1 p.m., Guiding Light; 5:15, Serenade to America; 7:30, all-time concert; 8:30, Information Please; CBS—10:15 a.m., Second Husband; 3 p.m., House Party; 8:15, Lyn Murray Music; 9:30 repeat; 10:30, Bob Hawk Quiz; 8, Radio Theater "Gracie's Millions"; Blue—11 a.m., Glimor Manor; 2 p.m., Ladies Be Seated; 3:30, Overseas Report; 7:30, Blind aDte; 9:30, Armed Forces Plan; "The Day Off"; MBS—12:45, New John J. Anthony series; 1:15, Jane Cowell; 3, Walter Connors Comment; 6:30, Bull Dog Drummond; 9, Anita Ellis song.

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WAC Recruiting Is Begun in Panhandle

A sub-station for WAC recruiting has been opened in Room 12 of the post office in Amarillo to enlist eligible young women for training as hospital personnel.

Recruits who enlist from the Amarillo office will be in a group known as the Panhandle Legionettes, the group being sponsored by the Amarillo post of the American Legion.

Girls who are members of this group will be sent to the William Beaumont general hospital at El Paso for training.

General George C. Marshall, army chief of staff, stressed the need for WAC medical personnel in a recent statement.

"The care of the increasing numbers of casualties returning to the United States, together with the acute shortage of nurses and hospital personnel generally, necessitates urgent measures to be taken to recruit and rapidly train women for service in army hospitals. We urgently need WAC units for our general hospitals."

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Shamrock Will Elect Two School Directors

SHAMROCK, March 17—An election for the purpose of selecting two persons to serve on the board of trustees of the Shamrock independent school district will be held at the city hall on Saturday, April 7.

The terms of Charles B. Perry and J. C. Woolly are expiring. Perry resigned Feb. 8, and J. C. Stribling was appointed to serve the unexpired portion of the term. Stribling has consented that his name be placed on the ballot and Woolly has filed for re-election.

Deadline for filing for a place on the election ballot is Saturday, March 31.

Hard-Working Lawyer Drafted into Army

ROSSVILLE, Ga., March 17—(AP)—For the last six months Paul Painter has been the only attorney in this town of 5,000.

He served as prosecuting attorney in the city court cases—and sometimes as defense counsel, too.

Now he's leaving for the army.

Teen-Town Benefit Program Is Given

WHEELER, March 17—The first phase of Mobette's "Teen-Town" program to provide wholesome entertainment for the younger Mobette set, was held last night at the Mobette high school gymnasium.

There were several musical numbers and two one-act plays. Contributions were taken to provide several pairs of roller skates.

When frying fish add a dash of salt to the cornmeal or flour before the fish is dredged.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that an election has been ordered by the Board of Trustees of the Pampa Independent School District to be held in the Junior High School building in Pampa, Texas, on the 7th day of April, 1945, from the hours of 8:00 a. m. until 7:00 p. m., for the purpose of electing one School Trustee for said Pampa Independent School District to serve for a period of three years.

George Briggs has been appointed as manager of said election and he shall appoint two judges and the required number of clerks to assist him in holding same.

Candidates names should be filed in the business office in the City Hall not later than 10 days prior to said election date in order that their names may be printed on the ballots.

ROY McMILLEN,
Business Manager.
March 18, 21, 25

Naval Officers Get French Decoration

ROME, March 17—(AP)—Vice-Adm. Harold K. Hewitt of Newport, R. I., commander of the U. S. Eighth fleet, and 14 other officers of the fleet have been awarded the French Legion of Honor by Gen. De Gaulle for their part in the invasions of Normandy and Southern France.

Hewitt was made a commander of the Legion of Honor.

Eight were made officers of the legion. They included Rear Admirals Spencer S. Lewis, Calvert, Texas.

Those made Chevaliers of the legion included Commodore Leonard P. Doughty, Goldthwaite, Texas.

Shipyards Will Work 9 Hours

NEW ORLEANS, March 17—(AP)—Principal Texas shipyards have been placed on two nine-hour daily shifts in line with the Gulf zone standard of the maritime commission, Lieut. Comdr. George H. Shields, labor relations officer for the Eighth naval district, has announced.

Although yards previously operated on two 10-hour shifts, the officer said it was hoped to get the same production.

The change provides for two eight-hour shifts on Saturdays.

Dallas Lady Drivers Should Get Together

DALLAS, March 17—(AP)—Accident investigator Ed Hicks was testing brakes. He stopped two women drivers headed in the same direction.

He found faulty brakes on both cars.

Said the woman in the first car: "I have just paid a ticket for bad brakes and am on the way to a garage to have them tightened. The lady in the car behind me is going to pick me up and take me home."

Said the woman in the second car: "I was just on my way to a garage to have the brakes fixed and the lady you just stopped in front of me is going to pick me up and take me home."

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Visitors of Pampa High have often complimented the students of this school because of the successful way we have carried on our honor system in regards to locks on the lockers. It has worked wonderfully and the students deserve commendation.

Just recently have we heard unfavorable reports as to the conduct of less dependable students. Various reports of missing money, fountain pens and other articles from lockers have been received by the Little Harvester. Students have also said that others have tampered with their cars.

You have often heard that "honesty is the best policy." One of America's many freedoms which we are at this moment fighting to protect is the right to private property. Shouldn't such a policy continue here?

Proof was given this week that a person looks much different when you get to know them. As always, personally played a great part in the nominations for the prettiest girl and the best-looking boy. For this reason disinterested parties were chosen for the final judging.

Three cheers for an energetic junior class who made a great success of their play, "The Seven Sisters."

Thanks to Boyer who presented such an educational and interesting program for assembly Thursday afternoon. This is the first out-of-town assembly we have had this year, and it was quite a treat.

I've got to congratulate the new members of the National Honor Society on their rightful recognition.



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To start the day off right, we'll ask you if you have heard these latest expressions. A pretty girl: whistle bait, destroyer, Able Grable, or Ready Hedy. A handsome boy: drooly, swoonic, or Able Gable. An unattractive girl: sad sack, big bag, stale cake, or sad sight. An unattractive boy: crate or seaweed.

Wanda Lou Hilburn has broken up with D. B. Jameson.

Guess what girls! Don Taylor is on the loose again.

Orma Jean McCarty seemed rather sad Monday. The reason? The cadet she was going with graduated Sunday and left Sunday night.

Sometimes a typographical error escapes the notice of a proof reader and goes into the paper that way. Usually, it isn't serious, but once in a while something comes out like the following and the consequences are not so pleasant.

"The first meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society was held at the Methodist church Monday."

"Miss Pruett, Murphy entertained the admission committee of the Women's Christian Temperance Union Tuesday evening. Tight guests were present."

"Mrs. J. C. Elton, who broke her arm recently, is recovering under the care of Dr. Downs."

One of the latest freshman couples is Douglas Mills and Billie Jane Hood.

Warren Mathews, who is attending the New Mexico Military Institute was home over the week-end and of course, he and Dorothy June Johnson were spending the time together.

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'Tis Spring By Gorry!

Pledges Chosen by Faculty For National Honor Society

After a meeting of the faculty Monday afternoon, the administration announced the eight seniors and nine juniors who achieved the requirements for the National Honor Society—character, scholarship, leadership and service.

It was announced by Miss Clarine Brannon, society sponsor, that the formal initiation of the pledges will be held May 2 in the regular assembly. Arrangements are being made for an out-of-town speaker, but no announcement has been made.

A meeting of the regular members has been called by John Robert Lane, president of the society, for Monday, March 19, immediately after school. It is urgent, stated the president, for all members to be present at this meeting as plans will be made for the initiations.

Eight of the new members are seniors. Those elected for their characteristics as well as their averages were Johnny Campbell, 84.4; Colleen Chisholm, 86.7; Duane Hogsett, 88.9; Wanda Jay, 84; Dorothy June Johnson, 89.3; Anna Lou McCoy, 90.6; Marjorie Roth, 90.6; and Shirley Sone, 91.

Of those added to the honor society roll nine are from the junior class. The highest averages were made by the junior pledges: Elva Jean Anderson, 94.5; Bernice Brown, 91.1; Beverly Candler, 96.4; Elsie Ruth Graham, 96.9; Quebell Nelson, 92.8; Sharilyn Pockock, 94.8; Kathryn Rose, 86.5; Doris Shackelford, 90.6; John Lee Walls, 89.6.

Those who became members of the honor society last year and who will direct the initiation of the new pledges are Juanita Reeves, Jean Beagle, Dorothy Bradford, Bonnie Nell McBee, Mary Jo Gallemore, Jean Paxson, Anna Barnett and John Robert Lane.

March Rotarian

Pictured above is John Robert Lane who was chosen by student council as Junior Rotarian for the month of March. John Robert will attend meetings of the Rotary club each Wednesday for one month.



Council Chooses Junior Rotarian

Poor Rotarians! Just think of what they have to put up with this month. John Robert Lane was elected by the student council to serve as Junior Rotarian for the month of March.

John Robert is very active in all school affairs. At the present time he is president of National Honor Society, co-editor of the Little Harvester, vice president of the senior class, secretary of Quill and Scroll and took a leading part in the senior play, "Janie." During his junior year he went to the regional meet in typing and was in the junior play.

He prefers chocolate in his deserts and is often seen in his green and gold jacket as well as various sweaters. The student elected attends four meetings during the time of his service.

Miss Mary Winston Joins Pampa Faculty

"I graduated just two weeks ago from Texas university. At the present time I am president of National Honor Society, co-editor of the Little Harvester, vice president of the senior class, secretary of Quill and Scroll and took a leading part in the senior play, "Janie." During his junior year he went to the regional meet in typing and was in the junior play.

She is a graduate of the University of Chicago. Miss Winston arrived Sunday night on the bus after a long hard trip from Austin, where she has been attending Texas University for the last two years. She graduated from junior college in her home town of Weatherford, Texas. She received her B. A. degree on graduation from the university this last semester. Her major was history and her minor was psychology. She prefers history to English. On the campus she was a member of the Women's Independent Campus Association.

Mrs. Norman is a cousin of Miss Winston, and will be her host until she is able to find a home. Since this writing Miss Winston has followed her major and fills the vacancy left by Mrs. Dan Busch. Mrs. Busch and Miss Zobisch have accepted teaching positions in the Amarillo school system. Miss Violet Durrett is filling the position left by Miss Zobisch.

New Teachers Arrive in Pampa High School

More new teachers arrive in Pampa High! Mrs. Jerry Torvie and Miss Violet Durrett will teach the students of high school English and history beginning bright and early Monday morning. These two teachers have been teaching for several years in junior high. They will take the positions vacated by Miss Carolyn Surratt and Miss Clara Zobisch. Miss Surratt will attend Northwestern U.; Miss Zobisch is taking a teaching position in the Amarillo school system.

Happy Birthday

Happy Birthday to the following: March 12—Gordon Robinson, Gertrude Bozeman, and Bob Eugene Campbell. March 13—Lennis Boren, Grace Davis, Frank Stallings, Ellen Ann Feather, Mary Elizabeth Myatt. March 14—Nadine Kelly. March 15—Edgar Paronto, Joyce Pratt, Jesse L. Smart, Joyce Jean Bohlen. March 16—Colleen Vogles, Joan Lantz, Billie Hawkins, Beverly Grant. March 17—Shirley Sone and Cecil Rosenfeld.

Jay Wins Title of Most Beautiful Girl With Overstreet Ranking Second

For the second time in her high school career, Wanda Jay was elected the most beautiful girl in Pampa High school. In her sophomore year she brought honor to her class by winning the title of the most beautiful girl in PHS over the upperclassmen.

Mildred Overstreet, who placed high in the 1944 beauty election was chosen for second place this year. Tying for third place were Anna Lois Alford, Norma Jo Brown and Colleen Chisholm. Other contestants were Gloria Jay, Dorothy June Johnson and Leatrice Wills. It is interesting to note that the first two places in the election, resulted the same as the nominations.

In years past, the beauties have been elected by the student body, but this year, after student nominations, disinterested persons acted as judges. The ladies acting as judges were Mrs. Michael Bara, Mrs. Bob Curry and Mrs. Jack Christensen.

Dick McCune, who acted as master of ceremonies, escorted each girl across the stage. He stated afterwards that he would not change his judges were Mrs. Michael Bara, Mrs. Bob Curry and Mrs. Jack Christensen.

Because two of the contestants in the boys' contest, Johnny Campbell and Randall Clay, were out of town that election will be held later this month. Other contestants are Bob Oochman, Jack Hood, Bob Troop, Joe Gray, Calvin Scarborough and Whippy Vaughan. These boys were chosen by popular nomination.

Reporter's Hard Life Makes Job Story

"Yes mom, I'll do it right now. The story on the chemistry experiment? Oh dear, I wonder what I should say first. Here I am. The supposed to get a story for the Little Harvester. Oh, not that would never do. By now I'm up to the second flight of steps and getting more nervous by the minute. I need a stimulant. I'll just take a minute off and dash down to the cafeteria and get a coffee, then maybe I can figure out how to get ahead and write my first assignment for the paper."

"I'll attempt the interview. Up to the first flight. Why didn't I drink that coffee more slowly? Second flight. Hope my teeth stop chattering long enough for me to talk sensibly—if possible. Oh, my. Here I am at the foot. Its how or never."

"The terrible under is over! How do I feel? Awful! Heavens no! Why? Cause I just got my first story."

College, Travel Plans For Bond Savings Student Poll Given

"What are you saving money for when you buy War Stamps and Bonds?" This was the question asked when a survey of each home room was started last Wednesday. Four students out of each home room were chosen by the rotating room members of the Little Harvester staff, Polly Ward and Gwen Weston, and asked to give their choice.

"To go to college" was the most common answer. "To travel" came in on a close second. Others mentioned saving to get married, to go into business, to buy a car (in good cases a convertible), to buy clothes and to buy a home.

This survey is being conducted at the request of the Treasury Department, to whom the total figures will be sent.

IDIOPHRAS

- Evelyn plays Santa Claus
- Evelyn coughs down chimney
- Evelyn Black
- Guy heats egg
- Guy whips cream
- Guy Savage
- John got no money
- John hungry
- John Barrerman
- Joyce in love
- Joyce in heaven
- Joyce Cloud
- Gene got Joyce
- Gene not sad
- Gene Lively
- Junior not robe
- Junior not tie
- Junior Coffey
- Mrs. J. B. not Ford
- Mrs. J. B. not Chrysler
- Mrs. J. B. Assala
- Mr. Aubrey not lyn
- Mr. Aubrey not tie
- Mr. Aubrey Stale
- Gene not road
- Gene not path
- Gene Lane

SENIOR WHO'S WHO

This year's band president is 17-year old Ernest Henry Boyler, Jr. who was born in Bristol, Oklahoma, on July 28, 1927. Ernest has been an active member of the band for the past four years. He is another of Ernest's activities. He is not planning to attend college soon.

Diminutive 18-year old Helen Marie Martin was born on March 4 in Braman, Oklahoma. Helen has an unusual hobby of collecting "V" nickels as well as perfume bottles. The "V" nickels that she collects are the old ones that were issued before the Buffalo coins. She is planning to attend Druggists' Business school in Oklahoma City. Her ambition is to become an accountant.

Comedy, 'Seven Sisters,' Proves Huge Success In Double Presentation Friday by Junior Class

A total of nearly \$300 will be presented to the Youth Council by the junior class as a result of the tremendous success of their play, "Seven Sisters," Friday night.

The entire action took place in the dining room of the home of Widow Gyurkovics in a small garrison not far from Budapest.

Widow Gyurkovics believed her daughters should marry according to the and when Miti, the fourth sister, was expelled from the Nunery and came home with "ideas" about a charming young gentleman (although she didn't know his name), Mrs. Gyurkovics refused her from 10 years old to 15½ to curb her ideas until her three older sister were married off.

The charming young gentleman is hailed from a window by Miti and he comes to their home. Miti tells him the whole story and he wagers three kisses he will have the sisters married within a year. He marries Katrina, the oldest, to Colonel Radvanyi in the first act; Sari, the second, to Michael Sandorffy in the next act; and Ella, the third, to Gida Radvanyi and himself to Miti in the third.

The characters were as follows: Miti, Ginger Bassett; Perez Horvok, Delmer Belflower; Mrs. Gyurkovics, Phyllis Ann Parker, Katrina, Bobbie McClendon; Sari, Lucille Smith; Ella, Joyce Pratt; Terka, Barbara Norris; Liza, Sharilyn Pockock; Klara, Joan Hawkins; Colonel Radvanyi, Bill Nellie; Gida Radvanyi, Don Morrison; Michael Sandorffy, Jack Dunham; Toni Telek, Charles Spencer; Janko, Bill Hutchinson.

Stage manager, Russell Neef; assistant stage managers, Bernice Brown and Don Rowe; property managers, Margaret McCracken and Alberta Williams; Promoters, Patsy Miller and Bob Parkinson; band, James, Bill Payne, Kenneth Hobbs, Art Berry, Tommy Cox and Dick McCune.

Between the second and third acts, Jack Dunham, president of the junior class, presented Miss Stapleton with a bouquet of roses in behalf of the junior class. May we congratulate Miss Stapleton on the magnificent direction and production of the play.

Senior Day Developing

Extensive plans are in the making for the big day in the life of each senior—Kidd day. As April Fool's day comes on Sunday, the seniors will become kids again on the preceding Thursday, March 29.

A committee has met three times in the past week planning the assembly for the "kids." At the head of this committee is senior class secretary, Colleen Chisholm. It is hoped that this year we may have a program of a little different nature, stated Colleen when queried as to plans. She refused to divulge any definite plans for the program.

In years past April has come in with over grown students in rompers and little dresses, overalls and Windsor ties. The halls have resounded with baby rattles, Indian whoops and cowboy gun-shots. This year will be no exception.

The assembly will be held in the morning and the class will attend a picnic in the afternoon.

glimpses of glamour

Of course when spring arrives we all expect new and different fashions but a few of the girls have "jumped the gun" and have started some new fashions—but definitely. We're speaking of the pledges in one of the sororities. They have everyone starting at once, not twice but often three times so as to find out just who they are. Reason: the girls are without makeup and their big sisters have said "thumbs down" on this semi-daily hair brushing. Other rules set down here: wear every hair ribbon you possess, wear something that "clashes" and mismatch your shoes and socks.

Cute Mildred Groves looked—shall we say daring—in a white skirt with plaid red flowers and a yellow blouse. Mildred's furry hair held a certain amount of charm with ribbons of every color represented.

Maxine Lane in a red sweater and rose skirt really had people wondering. Max, however, seems to have outwitted her big sister who traded all her hair ribbons together making a very neat band to hold back her hair and at the same time she was wearing every ribbon she possessed!

Patsy Sue Horton looked "gay" in a blue and white checked blouse and a blue skirt with white stripes. The ever popular color combination of pink and red were featured in her anklets.

Betty Edgmore chose a red and white striped blouse and plaid skirt in white. Golden was seen in a kelly green sweater and navy skirt with "clashing" socks of yellow and brown.

Not that this is an opportune moment but we must mention the new jersey shirts sported by the majority of the basketball boys. The colors are very exciting but oh well, so are the boys. With that is it "30" for this week.

Which Do You Prefer Blondes or Brunettes?

Do you prefer blondes or brunettes? The popular belief is that boys prefer blondes, and that girls prefer brunettes. On a national poll, authorities found that brunettes with blue eyes were the most popular, and blondes with brown eyes were next in line. Judging from the opinions from first floor students of PHS disagree with the popular vote.

Those who prefer brunettes are: Syd Peterson, D. L. Hale, Stu Jordan, Mr. Gordon, Miss Cox, Warren Jones, Billy Hutchinson, Edna Mathies and Don Rowe.

The ones who like blondes are: Wanda Jay, Miss Vaughn, Clara Davis and Jack Dunham. Carro, Chisholm and Jean Pratt said they liked redheads.

Borger Choir Presents Program Of Varied Music In Assembly

The most varied musical program of the year was presented at 2:00 Thursday afternoon by the Borger high school choir under the direction of Mrs. Loma Harrison. One hundred students participated in this musical program lasting fifty minutes.

The songs were divided into three sections including patriotic, semi-classical and popular numbers. The audience received each section with enthusiastic applause. A girls' trio from the Borgerettes and a boys' trio from the Borgerans presented selected numbers consisting of "Hallelujah Chorus," "I Dream of You," "Magic Is the Moonlight" and "My Country." Solo with choral accompaniment were sung by individuals of the choir.

The choral program was concluded by the choir singing the Borger High school song and in turn by their joining the Pampa students in their Alma Mater.

Following the musical program, the beauty contest was held. Dick McCune acted as master of ceremonies for this part of the assembly.

Miss Stapleton concluded the assembly with lessons of the junior play, "The Seven Sisters," which was presented Friday night.

Intramurals End 100 Victorious

Intramural basketball came to a close Monday night when room 100 triumphed over 107 by the score of 21-23. Jimmy Terrell led his team-mates to victory with ten points closely followed by Charlie Beard with nine. Ernest Hoyle scored the most points for his team, dropping in four field goals and one free throw. Harold Rhinehart left the game with five fouls but scored eight points before he left.

Room 100 started the intramural contest by defeating 105, 35-11, then conquering 216, 26-11, scraped out a win from 208, 19-16 before taking the title crown. Room 107 came up through the ranks defeating wood shop, 101 and 211.

Freshman room 208 took third place with little effort, when 211 failed to show up, automatically giving 208 third place.

Coach Whinnery has resumed the intramural program this year after two years of no activity.

The championship team consisted of Charlie Beard, Jimmy McTaggart, Jimmy Terrell, Jack Dunham, and Horace Saunders.

Room 107 was composed of Ernest Hoyle, Harold Rhinehart, Arnold Erickson, Gene Lane, Duane Hogsett, and John Hughes.

Room 208 was made up of Richard Hughes, Charles Laifoon, Don Lane, Burke Moody and Kelly Anderson.

Poet's Corner

The Childrens five have had a fall. The Harvesters thought, they gave their all. Not just a dream, but an act of fate. They had to win to show the state.

The banner flies the champions. We have waited long for this victory! And now it's over we feast and dine. Singing praise of a team that's fine. Earning their place in the hall of fame. Fighting hard in this grand old game. We hope that the future Harvesters will fight, no matter how hard it seems.

There was an old darky named Mothes. Who eternally slept in his clothes. And he said, "Why I durne 's to be fast in de queue. In de case dat de las' trumpet blighes."

There was an old fellow named Dafer. Who commuted to work on a glacier. He was always so late. His wife and boss would each state: "Transportation by tortoise seems racier."

There was an old sailor from Toulouse. Who, everyone said, had a scroulous. For he'd catch a live whale. By the end of the tail. And squeeze out the oil for his shoelaces.

A Latin professor from Whootem. Off taut of his loud juvenium. If I weren't that gunpowder. I'd take the even louder and shootem!"

I like men. When I feel tired and weary. I go no place that dreary. 'Tis then I go to that certain place. To meet all kinds of the human race.

'Tis not a club all full of smoke. 'Tis smell of litter, a chatter, a joke. 'Tis not a place of lounging around. 'Tis just the place in the middle of town.

Here you get attentioned well. The guy next to me asleep he fell. But I just sit in this place—Ker-ker. 'Tis none other than the Barber-shop!

Many students know that one of Miss Clarine Brannon's favorite poems is "Men." In a last term English class, Isaac Huvall composed a poem patterned after "Men."

For the benefit of those who have not heard "Men" we print it, also.

"Men" by Dorothy E. Reid. "I like men, they stink about. They reach in their pockets. And pull things out. They look important. They rock on their heels. They lose all the buttons. Off their clothes. They throw away pipes. They find them again. Men are queer creatures."

They throw away pipes. They find them again. Men are queer creatures.

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4-Lost and Found WIFE PARTY who picked up bilfold Thursday afternoon at Ideal Food Store. No 2 please leave at Pampa News. No questions asked.

LOPP - In downtown district lady's wrist watch. Reward for return to owner. Call Mrs. Mayberry Ph. 300.

LOPP - Man's bilfold containing field pass for field. Call for Dr. DeBekker via radio and 1230 Hill st. Reward for return to 208 West Brown St.

LOPP - Pair of lady's pearl necklace. Reward for return to 810 West Foster or Pampa News. Reward \$25.00.

LOPP - Ladies' purse on LeFors highway containing cash and keys. Please call 1230 Hill St. for return.

STRAYED - White-faced beaver call weighing five or six hundred pounds. Branded L on left hip. Notify L. L. Stovall, Box 836, Kingsmill, Texas.

5-Transportation WANTED - One lady passenger to Sioux Falls, South Dakota. Car leaving Monday morning. Call 75-W.

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Refuses Medal



Describing the Bronze Star he was awarded for courage and leadership in battle an "ill-conceived sop to my conscience," Sgt. Joseph Kusaila, above, of Waterbury, Conn., refused the medal. Kusaila, now recovering from wounds in Louisville, Ky., called the award a "reversal of decision" of the Fort Benning, Ga., officers' training school, where he was washed out.

Frisco Meeting Opened to Press

By FLORA LEWIS
WASHINGTON, March 17—(AP)—President Roosevelt's statement that the United Nations conference at San Francisco will be wide open to the press and radio means a new deal in news of United Nations diplomacy.

He told his news conference Tuesday that information arrangements will be similar to those at the conference just concluded in Mexico City.

Open meetings at San Francisco will mark a reversal of the policy of barring reporters and isolating delegates laid down for the first United Nations meeting—the food conference at Hot Springs, Va., in 1942. Soldiers with fixed bayonets kept reporters away from the conference.

In Mexico City, I lived in the same hotel with the United States delegation and Secretary of State Stettinius. I attended committee meetings, lunched with delegates, chatted with them in corridors and found them willing to talk freely.

Every day, Assistant Secretary of State Nelson Rockefeller held a background conference where the press was kept abreast of developments.

Perhaps the most important change in Mexico was the policy of letting the press in on decisions as they were being formed, so that compromises were obvious and secret deals run out.

Senator Austin (R-Vt.) described the Mexico City conference with a phrase Woodrow Wilson wanted to make the keynote of the last peace:

"Open covenants openly arrived at."

Purple Heart Goes to Flyer Posthumously

The Purple Heart has been awarded posthumously to Lt. Melvin Delos Cleek, Panhandle, according to word received by his mother, Mrs. Opal Cleek, Panhandle.

Lieutenant Cleek recently gave his life in air battle over France where his bomber was shot down by the Nazis.

Mrs. Cleek received notice of the award in a letter from Secretary of War Henry L. Stimson. The deceased army officer was a nephew of Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor, Pampa.

Secretary Stimson's letter to Mrs. Cleek follows:

"At the request of the President, I write to inform you that the Purple Heart has been awarded posthumously to your son, Second Lt. Melvin D. Cleek, air corps, who sacrificed his life in defense of his country.

"Little that we can do or say will console you for the death of your loved one. We profoundly appreciate the greatness of your loss, for in a very real sense the loss suffered by any of us in this battle for our country, is a loss shared by all of us. When the medal, which you will shortly receive, reaches you, I want you to know that with it goes my sincerest sympathy, and the hope that time and the victory of our cause will finally lighten the burden of your grief."

The Engineer's Echo, published for men and women in the armed forces and former members of the farm security administration office, at Dallas, devoted a page of the March issue to the life of Lieutenant Cleek. His brother, Edward Cleek, holds an administrative post in the Dallas office.

General Dies While Serving on Luzon

EL PASO, March 17—(AP)—The war department notified the wife of Maj. Gen. Edwin D. Patrick Thursday that General Patrick was died of wounds received on Luzon. He was commander of the Sixth infantry division and went ashore with his troops at Lingayen gulf Jan. 9.

Patrick had served on the staff of Admiral Halsey and as chief of staff of the Sixth army before assuming command of the Sixth division.

General Patrick was a native of Indiana. His wife, who lives at Ruidoso, N. M., is visiting her mother in El Paso.

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