

Yanks Make History In New Air Raid

Japs Torture Yank Officers And Their Men

By ERNEST G. FISCHER. FORT WORTH, Jan. 29 (AP)—American officers captured on Corregidor were required to salute the lowest Japanese private, Maj. Jack Hawkins, who escaped from prison said here today.

"If they failed to do so—whatever their rank—they were usually slapped or beaten."

Deadline Set On Monday For Franchise Tax

Monday will be the last day to buy one of the biggest bargains of 1944—poll tax receipt.

The tax assessor-collector's office will remain open from 8:30 until midnight to serve citizens who wish to vote in 1944 city, county, state and national elections.

The number of taxes paid at the close of the office Saturday afternoon was 4,575, with 198 exemptions increasing the total to 4,773. Although the number of paid taxes was 195 more than on the next to last day for payment of poll taxes in 1942, it represents only a small percentage of Howard county's potential voting strength.

In addition to assuring citizens the right to vote in state and county and any city elections which may arise, the 1944 poll tax gives them a voice in one of history's most important presidential elections.

Anyone 21 or older who has lived in the state a year and in the county six months may pay his poll tax. Persons who were 60 years old before Jan. 1, 1943 may obtain exemptions. Persons who became 21 after Jan. 1, 1943 or will reach their 21st birthday before election time also may obtain exemptions.

Reviewing The Big Spring Week

Joe Pickle

If anyone wants to hold back, and by so doing prolong the war, he either cannot read or his soul is too dead to stir. The account of Japanese atrocities as passed by military censors certainly ought to provoke every American to do his best in war work and in bond buying.

We are not one who believes the story was held back just for the current bond drive, although it should have been released long ago. Details were leaking anyhow, and authorities were forced out of their old glove policy in handling of the news. Be all this as it may, one thing is clear: We have some yellow vermin to exterminate. Your dollars will help.

Last year Howard county netted \$265 from the Birthday Balls and the March of Dimes for the infantile paralysis fund. During the summer, cases demanded \$955 from the local chapter's funds. It will not surprise us if the total contributions this year are 10 times the net for 1943.

Don't be a gaged citizen. Pay your poll tax before midnight Monday. If ever you ought to be prepared to vote, this is the year. Make poll tax payment a MUST on your list Monday.

Police, and Officer L. W. Smith in particular, are to be commended for their campaign against VD contacts. Every woman named as a contact in January has been picked up and subjected to treatment. By now every one reported in December—with the exception of one, has been brought into custody.

Good news to us is the word that work is being resumed on the Garden City road. Brown and Son has contract for the project, and in the space of five months there should be a road.



Trio Who Escaped To Tell of Japanese Atrocities—Three American officers and whose sworn statements were the basis of the Army-Navy report on Japanese atrocities against prisoners in the Philippines are seen here with Gen. Douglas MacArthur at his headquarters in Australia Aug. 4, 1943, after their escape. Left to right: Lt. Col. William E. Dyess, Albany, Tex.; Cdr. Melvin H. McCoy, Indianapolis; Gen. MacArthur, and Lt. Col. S. M. Melnik, Eugene, Pa. Dyess was killed in a plane crash recently in California. McCoy and Melnik are on duty. This picture was released by the War Department. (AP Wirephoto from U.S. Army Signal Corps).

Rabaul Feels Another Raid

ADVANCED ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, New Guinea, Sunday, Jan. 30 (AP)—Rabaul was raided again on Jan. 27, the 25th raid during which 23 more planes were shot down to soar Nipponese losses in January above 400.

Headquarters, reporting the raid today, said six other enemy planes probably were shot down as Mitchell medium bombers, escorted by fighters, flew up from Solomons bases to hit the Lakunai airstrip, the enemy's principal fighter base at that northeastern New Britain fortress.

In a favorite Allied hunting ground for Japanese shipping—in the vicinity of Kavliens, New Ireland, Navy Catalinas sank an 8,000-ton enemy cargo vessel the night of Jan. 27.

The air arm pressed its ceaseless campaign to soften up the New Guinea area about Madang, current objective of the Allied ground forces. Mitchells and fighters went after the Bogadjim sector just south of Madang, the Ramu valley and the shoreline below the Japanese shipping base.

The newest victory over Rabaul was noteworthy for the fact that the 23 to 29 enemy planes downed amounted to more than half of the 40 interceptors the Japanese threw into the battle.

The raiders lost six planes, making a total of more than 60 as the cost of the attacks made on all but two of the 27 days so far accounted for.

Later on the 27th, Liberators flew to Rabaul from the Solomons and blasted supply dumps. The Japanese sent up no planes against those raiders.

Axis Invasion Began Long Ago Says Dies Group

By WILLIAM F. ABROGAST. WASHINGTON, Jan. 29 (AP)—"The Axis invasion of the United States" began ten years before Pearl Harbor, the Dies committee said today in a report recommending legislation that will once and for all stop this foreign penetration of our country by those governments and groups which seek to destroy it.

County Only Third Of Way To Bond Established Quota

With half the allotted time gone, Howard county Saturday evening only stood one-third of the way in its drive toward a Fourth War Loan quota of \$1,380,000. Subscribed was \$435,708.20.

Reports of Friday and Saturday sales indicated only \$41,512.50—a disappointing figure in the face of news of the revolting Japanese atrocities toward American prisoners. Bond leaders had believed there would be a spontaneous response on the part of individuals after learning the accounts related by three escapees of the horrors.

While professing surprise at the result, Chairman Ted O. Groehl suggested that the people perhaps were stunned by this news. In this event, he predicted that the Tuesday rally would witness a deluge of bond purchases which would shove the county far on its way toward the quota.

The Tuesday revival of effort will center around an all-day bond program over KRST, which is clearing its log for 14 hours of bond-buying appeals. Details of the program were still shaping up Saturday evening, but some of the features mentioned included Mrs. Pat Kenney at the organ and vocals by Jake Douglas; a pick-up on the special bond rally from the floor of the New York Stock Exchange with Lieut. Gen. Vandergift, USMC commander, speaking; a special show featuring two veterans of Pearl Harbor; Gold Star mothers of Howard county, and many business and professional men and women and civic leaders.

Polio Fund Is Growing Fast

While scores of couples danced Saturday night at the annual President's Birthday Balls at the Settles hotel so that young paralysis victims might someday walk, the fund swelled steadily to record proportions.

It was apparent that the dances, formerly chief source of revenue, would furnish only a small per cent of the total this year. Already it was certain that the unannounced quota of \$2,300 would be exceeded.

J. Y. Robb announced Saturday night that theatre patrons during the week had contributed more than 1,500 to the paralysis fund. Sunday the last collections will be taken in the shows by Boy Scouts.

Added to this was the more than \$750 from the special gifts committee, which had another full day to go Monday. The March of Dimes was reported going great guns, but there were no figures available.

More contributions reported by the special gifts committee included: Cosden Petroleum Corp., \$100; Texas Electric Service, Dora Roberts, \$25 each; Jim Hodnett, Big Spring Herald, J. M. Bucher, Max Jacobs, K. H. McGibbon, Mrs. T. W. Ashley, B. J. McDaniel, each \$10; Mrs. Henry DeVries, Dr. E. O. Ellington, B. Reagan, Guy Guffey, I. B. Couble, Club Cafe, G. C. Dunham, Dr. M. H. Bennett, C. T. McLaughlin, Ira L. Thurman, each \$5; Ben LeFever, W. H. Power, Mrs. J. R. Creath, Kathleen Homans, Bob Satterwhite, Mrs. Andrews, N. Brenner, and anonymous, all from one to five dollars.

Even Bonds Can Not Mend Heartbreaks

One of the most unpleasant duties performed by the United States War Department is that of informing parents, wives and relatives of the death of a soldier in the service.

Those who are called upon to inform loved ones all feel the same hesitancy in delivering the message which holds nothing but heartbreak inside.

So it was when Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Arnold of Route One, Big Spring, were notified.

No couple in Howard county has such a large stake in sons in the war than Mr. and Mrs. Arnold... and on January 20th they gave up the first of their six sons in the service. He was Sgt. Herbert C. Arnold, who was one of five persons killed in the crash of an army bomber from Laughlin Field near Albany.

Navy Carriers Make Attack On Marshalls

Maloelap, Wotje And Kwajalein Atolls Are Goals

PEARL HARBOR, Jan. 29 (AP)—Admiral Chester W. Nimitz announced that Pacific fleet carrier forces made attacks today on the Marshall Island bases including Maloelap, Wotje and Kwajalein atolls.

No further details were announced in a brief communique concerning those invasion-menaced bases in the mid-Pacific.

It is presumed United States forces have launched a major heavy attack against these air and shipping atolls.

The Marshalls have been hit for more than 20 consecutive days by Seventh AAF and Navy planes but this is believed the heaviest and most concentrated assault yet delivered.

The Marshalls have been pounded almost daily since shortly before the invasion of the Gilberts Nov. 20 when regular raids were begun in order to neutralize the Marshalls.

These islands were hit twice before by carrier forces, which included a heavy concentration of torpedo planes divebombers and fighters.

The first was Jan. 28, 1943 from Adm. William Halsey's task forces in a daring raid. It was the first United States offensive in the Pacific since Pearl Harbor.

The Marshalls were hit heavily last Dec. 4 by task forces.

Admiral Nimitz communique was incomplete. A full report from attacking ships and details probably will be forthcoming tomorrow.

The text of the communique: "Pacific fleet carrier task forces have made attacks on Marshall Island atolls today, including Tarao, (Maloelap), Wotje, and Kwajalein."

Some Ground Lost By Reds

By JAMES M. LONG. LONDON, Sunday, Jan. 30 (AP) The Red army lost ground to a bitter German counter-attack in the south Ukraine in the fiercest fighting on the long Russian front yesterday, while other Soviet forces in the north advanced to within 22 miles of the Estonian border, cleared the great Moscow-Leningrad trunk railway, and captured the rail junction of Novosokolniki, 70 miles from the Latvian border, Moscow announced today.

The Nazis lost 2,300 men and 86 of their tanks in their Ukraine counter-offensive east of Vinitsa, said the Moscow midnight communique, recorded by the Soviet monitor, but "our troops by order of the command, withdrew from several populated places and took up positions more advantageous for defense."

The Germans, who have been attacking steadily in this area since Jan. 12, were throwing all their weight against Soviet forces which not only menaced the approaches to the Rumanian frontier but threatened the main German supply artery into the Dnieper bend, the Odessa-Lwow railway.

At the same time Berlin announced it had abandoned the Ukrainian railway junction of Smels 150 miles east of Vinitsa.

The major Russian successes were scored in the north where the Russians reached the town of Zagaritsk, 22 miles east of the Estonian border, and moved westward to the Narva railway.

More than 2,000 Germans were killed in this fighting, and in an ambush the Russians wiped out a column of German artillery men, captured 60 of their heavy guns and 100 trucks loaded with ammunition.

The captured guns then were turned on German units stationed nearby, Moscow said.

Men Like Clark

TEMPLE, Jan. 29 (AP)—When Mrs. Mark Clark, wife of the commanding general of the Fifth army in Italy, visited McCloskey general hospital here Friday she conversed with Pfc. Thomas F. McNeely of Plainview.

Over 800 Bombs And Liberators Blast Frankfurt

LONDON, Sunday, Jan. 30 (AP)—More than 1,800 tons of bombs were hurled on Frankfurt, Germany, in daylight yesterday by more than 800 U.S. Flying Fortresses and Liberators—the greatest armada of heavy American bombers ever sent into action.

They and their fighter escort, totalling more than 1,500 planes, shot down 102 German fighters; it was announced in a joint communique early today from U.S. headquarters and the British air ministry.

Thirty-one U. S. bombers and 13 fighters failed to return.

The bomber airmen themselves shot down 60 enemy planes and the escort pilots 42.

The big German manufacturing and transport center was deluged with high-explosives, incendiaries and propaganda leaflets.

The bomb tonnage was the greatest ever reported for an American raid.

The Americans' 800-mile round-trip to Frankfurt was the third great assault on Germany in a little over 36 hours, following up Thursday night's and Friday night's sledgehammer blows by the RAF against Berlin.

The unusually heavy Friday night attack, 13th major attack on that city, was said in Swedish reports to have been one of the most damaging of all.

Indicating the possibility that the RAF was out again last night, German longwave transmitters and other Northwest Europe radios went off the air as they do when raiders are detected.

The 42 German planes downed by merican fighters in the Frankfurt raid was a new record for fighters alone, the best previous one-day bag having been 36.

More than 700 American fighters were estimated to have covered the bombers, while RAF and Allied Spitfires picked them up for the last lap of the flight home.

The leaflets the Americans dropped on Frankfurt were copies of the Atlantic Charter printed in the German language. The attack reverberated through Frankfurt for hours afterward because the bombs included delayed-action high explosives.

With the two attacks on Berlin and the one on Frankfurt, the Allies in a little more than 36 hours staggered the German homeland with three crippling main blows and in addition engaged in a number of secondary mine-laying and bombing operations which were exceptionally widespread, the entire effort involving probably well over 2,000 planes.

Tonight the German longwave transmitters, including the country's largest, Deutschesender, went off the air, suggesting new night raids on German territory and perhaps the third in a row on Berlin.

The RAF, flying "in very great strength"—probably 800 planes—kept their bombing "well concentrated and large areas of fire were observed," the air ministry announced. Forty-seven of the big bombers were lost.

Swedish dispatches reported great fires raging in the German capital after the two nights of assault, and one report said the great Tempelhof airport apparently was knocked out.

State Guard To Test New Range

The local company of the Texas State Guard will blast away at targets on its new rifle range, just east of the city this afternoon.

Captain Hudson L. Bohannon announced completion of the range after months of work by guard members and said that the first round of firing would be with 45 calibre sub-machine guns assigned to the unit.

Besides paying tribute to his men for persistent effort in digging a target pit, Capt. Bohannon also thanked the county for its assistance in grading down a caliche hill in the area, and to George Hall, on whose land the range is located. Hall gave the company use as long as it is used for organization purposes.

The commanding officer said that practice would start at 2:30 p. m. and urged all members of the company to report.

HIMMLER RUMOR

NEW YORK, Jan. 29 (AP)—NBC Correspondent Paul Archibald, in a broadcast from Bern, Switzerland, today quoted the Journal de Geneve as saying that Heinrich Himmler, Gestapo chieftain, possibly had been executed because of ambitions to replace Adolf Hitler.

British Only 18 Miles From Eternal City

By EDWARD KENNEDY. ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, ALGIERS, Jan. 29 (AP)—The allies have expanded the beachhead south of Rome in drives which have placed British troops within 18 miles of the eternal city and Americans within light artillery range of the vital point of Cisterna, 14 miles northeast of Anzio and 33 miles from Rome. Allied headquarters declared in a special announcement this afternoon.

It was probable that tonight the din of battle was sounding in the ears of the inhabitants of east-held Rome.

The British advance went three miles beyond Carroceto where a railway bridge 18 miles south of Rome was captured. "Light artillery range" in connection with Cisterna, might mean anything from small mortars with a range of a few hundred yards to a 75 millimeter field gun, so it was not known here just what this position was. But it was considered certain the Germans were unable to use either the air field, the Appian Way or the railroad in the area.

Cisterna if on both the Appian Way and the main rail line to the Cassina front which intersect runways 1,100 yards long, hangars and workshops.

The air war over Italy reached a new peak of intensity in which Allied planes of all types flew 1,500 sorties and blasted 57 enemy planes out of the skies against a loss of five Allied aircraft. It brought the Allied two-day total to 87 Nazi planes destroyed.

The British advance 12 miles north of Anzio placed Allied troops within eight miles of Castel Gandolfo, summer home of Pope Pius XII and brought up the possibility of the fighting damaging papal or church property.

Since the invasion of Italy all Allied troops had standing orders not to use church property as military cover and to avoid damaging religious shrines wherever possible. However, the Germans have used church steeples as observation towers and fortified other property. It is impossible to swing the battle around such places and they must be taken as any other objective unless British and American soldiers are to pay a heavy price in lives.

Wife Of New York Newspaperman Is Taken By Death

ABILENE, Jan. 29 (AP)—Mrs. Stanley Walker, 47, wife of the New York newspaperman, died today in a local hospital.

Funeral services will be held here tomorrow with Dr. B. T. Akwood, Bible professor at Hardin-Simmons University, officiating.

Mrs. Walker, the former Mary Louise Sanderfer, was a daughter of Mrs. J. D. Sanderfer Sr., of Abilene, and the late Dr. Sanderfer, who for 31 years was president of Hardin-Simmons. She came here last August to visit her mother and her sister, Mrs. E. T. Comper, and became seriously ill two months ago.

At her bedside when she died was her husband, who flew here two weeks ago from New York.

Veterans' Service Officers Sets Dates

J. H. Mitchell, veterans' service officer, will be here Feb. 9-16 for conferences with any person who may have claims arising out of service.

Mitchell will be at the chamber of commerce office and is anxious to talk with all veterans concerning their problems, and especially with World War II veterans and dependents if they have questions about claims.

'No Time For Love' Opens Today At Ritz Theatre

You'll have no time for a serious thought when you see Paramount's hilarious comedy romance, "No Time for Love" which opens today at the Ritz theatre. It is one of the funniest pictures seen in a long time, thanks to Claudette Colbert and Fred MacMurray, its co-stars, and Mitchell Leisen, its topflight director.

Mis Colbert has the role of a very arty magazine photographer who gets the down-to-earth assignment of snapping pictures of sandhogs at work. "Sandhogs" is the technical name for tunnel-diggers. The lovely Claudette wrinkles her aristocratic nose "but takes her camera to the floor of the tunnel, nevertheless. There she runs into MacMurray, a fine figure of a sandhog, and the conflict between them begins.

Needless to say, it doesn't work out quite the way Miss Colbert planned. Very much on the contrary, the sandhog and the lady wind up in each other's arms but not before some pretty merry and exciting things happen, including some good, old-fashioned caveman tactics in the best MacMurray manner, and a thrilling tunnel cave-in.



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City taxes become delinquent if not paid **BEFORE Feb. 1, 1944.** Avoid penalties and costs. Mail your check today!



Thrilling—A scene from "Stand By For Action," with Robert Taylor, Charles Laughton and Brian Donlevy showing today and Monday at the State theatre.



Dramatic—Iona Massey and Lon Chaney in a scene from "Frankenstein Meets the Wolf Man" showing today and Monday at the Queen theatre.



Action—Richard Arlen and Guina Williams in a scene from the story of the heroic men of the coastguard, "Minesweeper," showing today and Monday at the Lyric theatre.

THE WEEK'S PLAYBILL

RITZ	STATE
Sun. - Mon. — "No Time for Love" with Claudette Colbert and Fred MacMurray.	Sun. - Mon. — "Stand By For Action" with Robert Taylor, Charles Laughton and Brian Donlevy.
Tues. - Wed. — "Hangmen Also Die" with Brian Donlevy and Walter Brennan.	Tues. - Wed. — "We Were Dancing" with Norma Shearer and Melvyn Douglas.
Thurs. - Fri. - Sat. — "Above Suspicion" with Joan Crawford and Fred MacMurray.	Thurs. — "Joe Smith, American" with Robert Young and Marsha Hunt.
Sun. - Mon. — "Minesweeper" with Richard Arlen and Jean Parker.	Fri. — "Powers Girl" with George Murphy and Carole Landis.
Tues. - Wed. — "Yankee Doodle Dandy" with James Cagney and Joan Leslie.	Sat. — "Pardon My Gun" with Charles Starrett.
Thurs. — "Nobody's Darling" with Gladys George and Mary Lee.	
Fri. - Sat. — "Vigilantes Ride" with Russell Hayden and Shirley Patterson.	
QUEEN	
Sun. - Mon. — "Frankenstein Meets the Wolfman" with Lon Chaney and Bela Lugosi.	
Tues. - Wed. — "One of Our Aircraft is Missing" with Godfrey Tearle-Eric Portman.	
Thurs. — "Holy Matrimony" with Gracie Fields and Monty Woolley.	
Fri. - Sat. — "Canyon City."	

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COLOR CARTOON PARAMOUNT NEWS

'Minesweeper' Opens Today At The Lyric

The unsung heroes who keep our waters clear of sunken enemy mines is the subject of Paramount's exciting action-romance story, "Minesweeper," which opens today at the Lyric theatre.

Based on the preparation of men for the Navy's hazardous and heroic work of mine disposal, the film had the aid and permission of the Naval authorities. All the non-confidential training procedure which goes into the making of a first-class Navy man was photographed.

The film tells a dramatic story of a Naval Lieutenant (Richard Arlen) who gets into difficulties with a group of gamblers. Faced with the prospect of losing his rank, he deserts only to re-enlist under a false name after Pearl Harbor. As a gunner's mate aboard a minesweeper, he discovers that his buddy, Russell Hayden, is also his rival for the affections of Jean Parker. Both go through the same harrowing experiences at school and undersea until they are assigned to detonate a mysterious Jap mine lodged in the harbor. It is in this sequence which provides the suspense-full and thrilling climax.

William Thomas and William Pine have come through with another exciting chapter in their long list of successful pictures glorifying our courageous military services. William Berke directed.

G. I.'S PREFER BETTY
BLYTHEVILLE, Ark. (U. P.) — Betty, you're a mighty popular girl with the soldiers at the Army Airbase here. Postal clerks say that "both in 1942 and '43, more soldiers have sent packages and cards to girls named 'Betty' than to girls of any other name."

LIKES HER WORK
ST. LOUIS (U. P.) — Miss Helen Crouther adds one to the list of busman's holidays. She plays the piano in a dime store from 9 a. m. to 6 p. m. daily. Then she goes home and plays the piano for a few mere hours. She says she "likes to play."

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Taylor, Donlevy Featured At State

Metro leads a quartet of its best, box-office hemen, 18 babies, a crew of character actors, and some thunderous storm and battle effects on the aged decks of a 1917 destroyer to tell this wartime naval yarn. But drawn out through an hour and 49 minutes, the story almost founders. It is showing today and Monday at the State theatre.

Leutenants Robert Taylor and Brian Donlevy, good box office names in any storm, and character studies of an admiral and an ancient mariner by Charles Laughton and Walter Brennan manage to pull the picture into port. The 18 babies scurrying around a U. S. destroyer also might appeal to the ladies. And action fans should find the storm and battle effects satisfying. But exhibitors will have to exploit each aspect.

Taylor and Donlevy motivate the story with the friction which arises between their roles as a ship playboy and a navy man who won his commission from the ranks. Taylor is sent from a desk job in the admiral's office to sail under Donlevy in the aged, but still seaworthy destroyer.

Action turns rivalry to friendship, in familiar pattern, and Taylor, with high decorations, decides at the picture's end to stick with the destroyer for the love of it all. This action includes saving a convoy, sinking a Jap battleship single handed (naval experts should be interested), rescuing a lifeboat load of babies and women, and the birth of two infants while the ship is on its mission.

DRAFT BOARD TO LIST JOBS
CHICAGO (U. P.) — Draft boards in Illinois cities will be the go-between for 40,000 merchants and returning servicemen who are seeking work, according to a plan advanced by the Illinois Federation of Retail Associations. Available jobs will be listed with the boards.

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RITZ SUNDAY MONDAY

Added—METRO NEWS Disney Cartoon "Old Army Game"

Now Debt Free—

First Presbyterians To Dedicate Church Today

By OPAL DIXON

A special service at 5 p. m. today, followed by open house between 6 and 7 p. m., will be conducted by the First Presbyterian church in celebration of the recent elimination of the debt incurred when the new church at Seventh and Runnels was built in 1929.

In addition to the present pastor, Rev. James E. Moore, two former pastors of the church are to participate in today's observance. Rev. John C. Ramsey of Spur, who served the Big Spring church as his first pastorate from 1914 to 1917, will deliver the morning sermon. Rev. R. L. Owen of Houston will deliver the dedicatory sermon at 5 p. m. Rev. Owen was pastor from 1925 to 1931, during which period the present church was built.

The open house will be conducted in the church building immediately following the dedicatory service.

Facts concerning the history of the church have been compiled by J. B. Mull, who stated that, while not the oldest congregation in Big Spring, the First Presbyterian organization since its

founding almost 53 years ago has been outstanding with respect to continuous constructive service through drought and depression, land rushes and oil booms, and has enjoyed slow but steady growth.

Numerous Presbyterians were among the newcomers which swelled the small settlement around West Texas' outstanding spring into a young tent-city when then ew railroad reached this point in March, 1881. Because these members were divided between the so-called "Old-School" and the Cumberland Presbyterian denomination neither group became strong enough to organize a local church as early as some other sects. However, the first sermon delivered in Big Spring was by a Presbyterian minister, Rev. Jacob Albert Zinn, the history shows.

Though informal meetings of the Presbyterians were doubtless held in homes in the first decade of the new village, formal organization did not take place until Nov. 11, 1891. The meeting was held at request of the Dallas Presbytery by Rev. J. H. Zivley and Judge William Kennedy, an elder of the Colorado City church. The latter had previously served as Howard county judge late in 1882 shortly after the county had set up its first separate judicial organization.

The charter membership roll was comprised of Mr. and Mrs. James P. Carlyle, Mrs. John H. Ewing, Mrs. J. H. Brynart and her two children, Malcolm and Beulah, E. T. Weed, Capt. and Mrs. F. M. Ross and their children, Frank Wilbur and Clara Sue. Of the seven adult charter members the only known survivor is Mrs. Ross, now Mrs. Frank Wynn, who lives in Fort Worth.

Carlyle was elected ruling elder and Capt. Ross, deacon, at time of organization.

The first church was built at the northeast corner of Fourth and Main streets. It was dedicated July 28, 1895. Trustees were J. I. McDowell, Frank Wynn, M. F. Bressie, J. W. Shive and J. H. Ewing. Members of the building erection committee were J. I. McDowell, J. H. Ewing, J. H. Brynart and Frank Wynn. Task of circulating papers and helping raise funds in other manners had been delegated to Mrs. J. I. McDowell, Mrs. L. S. McDowell, Mrs. J. W. Shively, Mrs. John Ewing, Mrs. M. F. Bressie and others.

Most of the fund raising evidently was accomplished by women members, as the dedication records state that "the new church with furnishings cost \$1,370, all of which was raised by the ladies except \$200 contributed by the church erection committee."

About 1902 a manse was built on the same lot beside the little church. In 1927 the second manse was built at 911 Scurry.

In 1930 the present impressive Gothic church at Seventh and Runnels was occupied. The building consists of two units, the

GRIN AND BEAR IT

By Lichty



"It would enhance our morale, madam, if you would refer to us as 'garbicians'."

sanctuary and a large educational section erected at a cost of over \$75,000. The pipe organ was the first to be installed in Big Spring and was presented by J. Y. Robb and H. B. Robb in honor of their mother, an early and devoted member of the church.

The present manse at 401 E. Park street was completed in 1937.

Succeeding Rev. Zivley, who served as state supply and later pastor until 1901, were the following ministers: Messrs. O. G. Jones, Mark E. Sentelle, W. S. Baker, T. M. Stribling, John S. Thomas, L. O. Cunningham during two different periods, F. S. Henderson, J. C. Ramsey, J. W. Harrison, W. L. Shepherd, R. L. Owen, John C. Thomas, D. F. McConnell, O. F. Savage and the present pastor, Rev. Moore, who came from Comroe in March, 1943.

Two of the present board of elders have served more than 20 years. They are William R. Settles and T. S. Currie. Settles became the fourth ruling elder in the church in 1898. "It was by virtue of the active support and generous benevolence of Mr. and Mrs. Settles that the congregation was challenged to build the present plan," the history states. Currie joined the congregation in May, 1908 and was installed as a ruling elder in 1924.

Others who were elected elders before 1925, and who have since died, were W. T. Miller, Big Spring's first state legislator; George H. Sparenburg, C. C. Hinds, J. W. W. Spencer, George D. Lee, first mayor of Big Spring, Walter M. Vaughan, Guy C. Brown, Edwin A. Kelley and J. O. Tamsitt. Kelley joined the church in 1913 and served as clerk of the session from 1913 until his death in 1936. He was Sunday school superintendent several years and often filled the pulpit in absence of a pastor.

The church ladies have been active. In 1897 they organized the Ladies' Missionary and Aid society, now known as the auxiliary. The following who are still members of the congregation were active in church and auxiliary many years: Mrs. E. L. Barrick, Mrs. James T. Brooks, Mrs. H. W. Caylor, Mrs. W. W. Crenshaw, Mrs. C. W. Cunningham, Mrs. T. S. Currie, Mrs. S. A. Hathcock, Mrs. E. O. Ellington, Mrs. George D. Lee, Mrs. J. B. Littler, Mrs. L. S. McDowell, Mrs. George Neill, Mrs. H. H. Rutherford, Mrs. Blanche Richardson, Mrs. William R. Settles, Mrs. R. C. Strain, Mrs. T. O. Tamsitt, Mrs. Anna Whitney and Mrs. B. F. Willis. Mrs. McDowell and Mrs. Barnett are living in Austin and Dallas, respectively.

CARD OF THANKS
To our many dear friends, we want to thank you, each and every one, for every loving and thoughtful deed shown us in the loss of our dear loved one. Every act of kindness, whether flowers, food or words of sympathy, was sunshine to our hearts. May the joy and peace of God which has been ours also be yours when this time shall come to you.
Mrs. J. O. Tamsitt
Mrs. Guy Tamsitt, Lillian Nell and Jimmy Ray
Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dugan and Jackie
Sgt. James W. Kent
Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Kavanaugh, (adv.)



Nabors Runs For Justice Of Peace

J. S. Nabors, long-time resident of Big Spring and Howard county, announced Saturday he would be a candidate for the office of justice of peace, precinct No. 1, subject to action of the democratic primaries.

Nabors has resided here for 22 years, being engaged during that time in general carpentry and contracting. He is a homeowner and has reared his family here.

Four years ago he made the race for the same office and although he received a good vote, he said he waited for two terms before making the race again.

"My chief ambition in this office," said Nabors "is to deal fair and impartially with all who come into the court. I am a firm believer in democracy as our constitution puts it, and I pledge to the people of justice precinct No. 1 that if they elect me to this position, I will do my utmost to conduct its affairs with dignity, honesty and efficiency."

Reservists Leave For Training Camp

A group of enlisted reservists who had been on furlough following their induction into the Army Jan. 8 at Lubbock left Saturday for Fort Sill, Okla.

They were: Thomas Virgel Sipes, leader, Jack Carrington Wilson, James Charles Anderson, Manuel Odie Wise, Billy Turner Smith, James Lester Gray, Elmer Franklin Odis Decker, Donald Bone Brown, Lloyd Clifford Howell, Thetus Dean Curlee, William Vergon Low, Zenda T. Touchstone, Elmer Newton Hurst, Ray Don Dickey, Evvie Arthur Peacock, Lee Roy Talkington, Foster Lowell B. Miller and Jesus Agilar Loys, Jr.

A group left Saturday for Lubbock for induction or pre-induction physical examinations.

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Cornelia Frazier Will Sing With A Capella Choir Denton Teachers

DENTON, Jan. 28.—The famed A Cappella Choir of North Texas State Teachers College will launch its annual spring tour of the Southwest, Feb. 3, presenting programs in ten cities and entertaining soldiers in nine Texas army camps in the course of the tour.

Miss Cornelia Frazier of Big Spring has been accorded special musical recognition in being selected to sing with the famed choir on its spring tour. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Frazier, Miss Frazier is a music major on the Denton campus.

The purple-robed choir, directed by Dr. Wilfred C. Bain, head of the NTSTC music department, has won national prominence through its many radio and concert appearances. Organized in 1938, the choir is recognized by critics as one of the most dramatic and colorful musical organizations in the Southwest.

Singing without instruments, of voices—A versatile symphony presenting a program of music that includes both the modern and the classical.

Tax Agents To Spend Week In Local Office

Deputy collectors of internal revenue—three of them—will spend an entire week here assisting local taxpayers in the preparation of their returns, it was disclosed Saturday.

H. W. Axe, Odessa, deputy collector, said that he, J. G. Harris and A. E. Braze, would be at room No. 17 in the postoffice basement from Feb. 29 to March 4, inclusive "to render assistance with income tax problems to anyone who desires it." This will be the first and only visit which can be made by the agents here before filing time on March 15.

In announcing the visit here, Axe reminded the public that "the revenue act of 1942 and the current tax payment act of 1943 continue the personal exemption allowed a single person of \$500 and a married couple of \$1,200 on individual income tax returns for the calendar year 1943."

Because the victory tax and the additional information necessary to properly complete the 1942 and 1943 income tax under the current tax payment act of 1943 requires definite information, Axe listed these things which a person should have before coming to the agents for assistance:

Total salary or wages for 1943, including bonus and overtime pay before deductions; statement of income and victory tax withheld by employer during 1943 (form V-2 or W-2); total amount of all other income in 1943; amount of tax shown on your 1942 return; amount paid on estimated return, form 1040-ES, if any. Members of the armed forces during any part of 1942 or 1943 should furnish a copy of their 1942 income tax return.

Tanks of one U.S. armored division consume about 25,000 gallons of gasoline for each 100 miles they travel.

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Livestock

FORT WORTH, Jan. 29 (AP)—Cattle 200, calves 100, beef cows 7.50 - 8; canners and cubs 4.50 - 7.25; fat calves 8-11. Hogs 200; good and choice 200 - 230 lb butchers hogs 14.55; good 160 lb. weights downward to 10.50; sows 11 down; pigs 3-7. Sheep 1,400; good fall born lambs 14; medium grade short yearlings with no. 2 pits 10.50; two year-old wethers 8.

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Wolves Gored By Steers 31-19 In Colorado Tilt

Sports

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District Chases To Be Held Soon For Schoolboys

By The Associated Press

More than 7,000 schoolboys roam the basketball courts in Texas these days.

Three weeks from now district championships will be determined in three conferences and a week later regional titles will be decided.

From these regional winners will come the state champions as 24 teams gather in the class AA division, 251 in class A and 435 in class B. This is a total of 784 schools participating in boys basketball.

Each division will furnish eight regional champions for the state tournament. In class AA the campaign is run by districts as in football with bi-district winners going to Austin. In class A and class B, district and regional tournaments determine the representatives in the state meet.

District championships all must be decided by Feb. 19 and regional winners by Feb. 26.

Austin High School, with 14 victories against no defeats in a hard schedule, is one of the state favorites in class AA. John Reagan of Houston is another top contender. Last year Jeff Davis of Houston won the class AA title, Sidney Lanier (San Antonio) the class A crown and Sildell the class B championship.

Basketball Scores

Rice 38, SMU 27.
TCU 44, Texas 37.
New Mexico 47, Denver U. 29.
Phillips Oilers 57, Arkansas 42.

It is estimated that 70 per cent of all war workers in the Eastern states depend on automobiles for transportation to and from work.

Locals Take Revenge Out On Colorado Quint

The victory-starved Big Spring Steers got revenge Friday for an earlier defeat by turning the tables on the Colorado City Wolves, 31-19, at Colorado City.

The Steer B-squad, however, bit the dust 21-17.

Opening up with a series of uncanny long shots, the Wolves staggered the Steers with a quick six-point lead. Then the Steers dropped one and the Wolves got it back. Afterwards, the Big Spring boys steadily closed the gap while showing a tight defense and finished the half with a 16-14 advantage.

Although Barron and Mize had three fouls each on them at the end of the half time, the Steers didn't let up on their tight play in the second half and exhibited flawless defense. Bibby's two field goals and a free throw were the only Wolf points in the last canto. Bibby, incidentally, led scoring with 11 points, only one ahead of Earl Lusk, who really hit his stride. Warren had eight points besides playing a great field and put in three for six points. Woody Baker was out due to death of his grandfather.

Ben Aguilera was the bright spot for the Steers in the second game, but even his fast floor work was not enough to turn the tide. Joe Bruce Cunningham entered late in the game and helped stem the tide. Others on the Steer B string were Hugh Cochran, Bobby Wright, Cook and Pee-Wee Simmons. For the victorious Colorado second stringers were Crockett, Simmons, Himbrough, Adams and Porter.

Big Spring— FG FT TP
Lusk, f 5 0 10
Mize, f 2 0 4
Warren, c 3 2 8
Barron, g 3 0 9
Hudgins, g 1 1 2
Total 14 3 31

Colorado City— FG FT TP
Lambeth, f 3 0 6
Bibby, f 5 1 11
Bolding, c 0 0 0
Carter, c 1 0 2
Thomas, g 0 0 0
Total 9 1 19

Ariel Flight Wins Handicap

MIAMI, Fla., Jan. 29 (AP)—Sam Feinberg's Ariel Flight, a graduate from plater ranks, out-ran nine more highly regarded three-year-olds in the \$5,000 Bahamas handicap at Hialeah Park today and rewarded his backers with the juicy payoff of \$53.20 for \$2.

H. E. Jacob's Good Bid took second place by a half-length over A. W. Wentzel's Freesout.

Ariel Flight, a brown gelding, zipped over the dry seven-furlong course in one minute, 25 3-5 seconds, although never threatening Dispose's course record of 1:22 3-5.

The place and show prices on the surprise winner were \$19.30 and \$10.30.

Golden Gloves Meets To Open

FORT WORTH, Jan. 29 (AP)—Texas Golden Gloves district competition will reach its 1944 peak next week when 42 tournaments will be in progress in as many cities and service camps.

Champions of four districts already have been named, and the final five tournaments are scheduled for the week of Feb. 7-12.

The state championships will be held in Fort Worth Feb. 16-21. Winners there will be sent to the tournament of champions at Chicago.

El Paso, Amarillo, Camp Hood and Camp Fannin already have held their tournaments.

From El Paso will come one of the two eligible state defending titleholders, Sgt. Manny Orega, the Texas featherweight king. The Dalhart boy was outpointed by one of the finalists at Chicago last year.

Tom Attra of Brooks Field, formerly of Austin, is the other defending champion who is eligible this year. He will compete in the big San Antonio tournament, which opens Monday.

Also opening Monday will be tournaments at Beaumont, Brownwood and Houston. Camp Mizey will climax a series of eliminations with finals on Monday night, and the three day Abilene meet also will end on Monday.

Tuesday will see start of fight-night at Childress and Harlingen, and Wednesday the Odessa meet gets under way.

Dallas and Lubbock tournaments open Thursday, and the Fort Worth district, where 188 fighters have signed, opens Saturday.

Points to hold later tournaments are Corpus Christi, Waco, Grand Prairie Naval Base, Bryan Army Air Field and Camp Howze.

78th Still Leads In Enlisted Loop

The 78th Bombardier Training Group nursed its lead in the Big Spring Bombardier School enlisted men's basketball league at the end of the week, while Ordnance and the 359th crawled up a notch.

In games Friday evening the 2052nd Ordnance won 44-23 over the 359th squadron with Bernhard and Kirk paving the way with 14 and 11 points, respectively. Logan had 13 and Chapman six points for the 359th.

Dunham hooped 14 points and Millard seven to top the 365th in its victory over the 78th by a 27-21 count. Weinstein tried vainly to keep his mates in the game with 10 points and Enloe came through with five.

Logan continues as high point man for the season with 192 points and Bernhard is second with 164. Other leaders are Kowalsky (365th) 158, Weinstein 153, and Barbour (78th) 150.

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
78th	17	7	.708
365th	16	7	.696
812-S	14	8	.636
2052nd	14	9	.609
359th	12	12	.500
812th-N	6	13	.316

Bergman Resigns As Redskins Mentor

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29 (AP)—Arthur J. (Dutch) Bergman announced tonight his resignation as coach of the Washington Redskins, eastern champions in the National professional football league, after one season of service.

Bergman's resignation, which he said had been accepted by owner George Marshall, now in Beverly Hills, Calif., will become effective March 1. He said he was quitting because of the press of other business.

Bergman, onetime Notre Dame grader, was formerly coach at Catholic University, Dayton and New Mexico and an assistant at Minnesota. He replaced Ray Flaherty as the Redskins' mentor.

DETROIT HURLER REPORTS

FORT OGLETHORPE, Ga., Jan. 29 (AP)—Virgil Trucks, pitcher last year for the Detroit baseball club, reported today for induction into the armed services.

The U. S. is believed to have reached a point close to maximum production of crude oil from known reserves.

Manpower May Be Discussed At N. Y. Meet

By HAROLD CLAASEN

NEW YORK, Jan. 29 (AP)—Baseball's meeting in New York next weekend was scheduled originally as a talk-fest on post-war problems but there's every indication that pre-peace puzzles, especially manpower, also will be debated.

The rapidity and regularity with which the diamond athletes have been dropped into 1-A during the past week has made its impression on the magnates although Ford Frick, president of the National league, repeated today that "as long as we have nine men to a team, we will play."

Present major league rules permit each team to have 25 players and Frick said his eight-club league had 244 players on its reserve list, including Van Lingle Mungo, whose acceptance into the armed service was announced a few moments after the tabulation was completed.

"Of these, 72 are in 4-F and seven have honorable discharges," Frick explained.

William Harridge, president of the American league, counted 370 athletes available for his circuit.

The possibility that Commissioner K. M. Landis might give his stand on the status of players from suspended leagues who were obtained by functioning clubs and placed on the latter's reserve lists also increases the importance of the meeting.

The meeting will be followed by the annual New York baseball writer's dinner and show Sunday, Feb. 5 and by various gatherings of individual loops on the following Monday and Tuesday, including the schedule making confab of the National circuit.

Newly Acquired 3-Yr-Old Wins

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 29 (AP)—Valdina Zenith rocketed to a win in the Gulf Coast handicap here today, only seven hours after millionaire William Helis bought the three-year-old at a private sale from the Valdina Farm.

The winner made a show of the field for his new owner, buzzing across the finish a half-dozen lengths ahead of the Cold Stream stable's Rover with the Robanet stable's odds-on favorite Gay Bit running third.

Jockey Nick Jemas took Valdina Zenith away to a flying start, then gave him a breathing spell while Siknals Bloke challenged, and shook out the reefs on the winner in the stretch to let him finish by himself. His time for the mile and 70 yards was 1:44, and he paid \$10.00, \$4.00 and \$2.00 across the board.

Ownership of Valdina Zenith gives Helis a good color-bearer for the \$15,000 Louisiana Derby, to be run here Feb. 12.

Helis obviously considers his new buy a sound investment, in view of his statement after today's race that "I am glad to get a good three-year-old. I was getting nervous waiting for Pericles to become a derby possibility."

The Greek-born New Orleans millionaire paid \$66,000 for Pericles, which for months went by the name of "The Unnamed Colt."

Horseman Buys Valdina Stock

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 28 (AP)—Henry Knight, Kentucky horseman, said here tonight that he had bought the entire Valdina stock of more than 100 horses in a deal which is considered one of the biggest of its kind ever made in this country.

Knight declined to give a complete inventory of his purchase, but associates of his said that he paid "in the neighborhood of \$250,000" for the string which formerly belonged to Mr. and Mrs. Emerson F. Woodward of Houston. Both Mr. and Mrs. Woodward were killed last summer in an automobile accident.

Knight said the sale did not include the Valdina farm at Uvalde, Tex., that he bought "just the horses."

Frank Podesta, manager for Valdina, was in charge of the sale, but had nothing to say except "we felt it necessary to liquidate the Woodward stock."

Wagner Signs 33rd Contract With Pirates

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 29 (AP)—

Squat, bandy-legged Honus Wagner, a terror on the base paths and a scourge to pitchers during 21 years at shortstop in the National league, today returned his signed contract to the Pittsburgh Pirates—almost on the eve of his 70th birthday.

For the white-haired veteran, who won eight league batting crowns and stole 720 bases during his career, today's contract was his 33rd in the "big time," his twelfth as coach for the Pirates, for whom he played 18 seasons from 1900 to 1917.

Wagner made no special ceremony over the signing. He didn't even take time off from his duties as deputy sheriff at nearby Carnegie to come to the Pirate office. He mailed "them papers" back to the ball club.

Still active despite his years, he passed his wealth of baseball knowledge on to both young and old in the Pirate fold.

That storehouse of knowledge was filled during the days he was hanging up such marks—that still stands—as stealing six bases in one world series, hammering out 2,428 singles, 61 doubles and 252 triples, while compiling a lifetime batting average of .329.

Owls Topple SMU In Bitter Battle On The Hardwoods

DALLAS, Jan. 29 (AP)—The Rice Owls forged into second place in the Southwest conference basketball race tonight with a 38-27 decision over Southern Methodist University.

Giant Bill Henry led Rice to the decision by pitching 16 points through the hoop to lengthen his individual scoring lead to 133 points.

The Mustangs battled Rice to a 17-17 stalemate at the half.

Whitey Baccus Given New Post

MEMPHIS, Jan. 29 (AP)—Lieut. Forrest G. (Whitey) Baccus, varsity basketball coach at Southern Methodist before entering the Navy 22 months ago, today was appointed officer in charge of cadet regiment and physical training at the nearby naval air station.

He is playing coach of the unbeaten station quintet which has won 11 games this season.

Baccus was transferred here about six months ago from the flight preparatory school at Athens, Ga.

Sheppard Field's Men Jump For Girl Athlete



LaVerna Eggenberg

The 17-year-old blonde lass currently is teaching her opponents some of the tricks of volleyball in the eight-team 62nd air base-sponsored tournament.

She plays for the sub-depot civilians and rapidly is becoming one of the team's main cogs with her jam-up play close to the net.

Miss Eggenberg has been playing volleyball since she was 12. While in the sixth grade at Electra, Tex., she sparked the girls' grammar school team to a county championship. She played four years at Electra high school and her team annexed the Wichita county title in 1939.

Bloody—that's her nickname—is a familiar figure on the post. She covers most of it daily on a motor scooter as a messenger for sub-depot. She works in stacks and when she has a few minutes to spare you'll find her out on the volleyball court in the large hangar where sub-depot offices are located getting in a game or two with admiring officers and enlisted men.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Eggenberg of Electra.



WEST TEXAS BOWLING CENTER

A Timely Suggestion to Car Owners

It has come to our attention that the government may soon order a switchover from "synthetic" camelback now used in recapping passenger car tires to "reclaimed" rubber camelback. If your tires need recapping we suggest that you have the work done while the present supply of good synthetic camelback is available.



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Bomber Crew Has Close Call In Hedgehopping

By ASABEL BUSH
AN ADVANCED BOMBER BASE IN NEW GUINEA (AP) — Hedgehopping in the line of duty is an old story to the crews of New Guinea's low-flying Mitchell bombers, but doing the job with one of two engines shot at still is the unique accomplishment of First Lt. Raymond E. Geer, 304 Fairmont Street, Amarillo, Tex.

Geer's feat came as the announcement of an armed reconnaissance along the south coast of New Britain by a group of three Mitchells from the "Rough Raider" unit, specialists in treetop strafing and bombing.

Over Jacquinot bay, roughly between Gasmata and Rabaul, Geer's ship made contact with a single Japanese 20 millimeter anti aircraft gun, a Deadeye Dick that shot up the right engine and punctured 45 other holes in the plane.

Although the bomber was crippled, Geer immediately turned, dived low and poured a stream of machinegun bullets into the ground gun, halting its fire. The Mitchell swept into a tree, its left propeller chewing and its left engine digesting most of the upper branches.

The treetop bent double under the left wing, then sprang erect again and snapped against the side of the plane, directly outside the compartment occupied by the radioman. It scraped along the fuselage, leaving a deep groove, brushed below the startled eyes of the tail gunner and was left behind, a battered wreck.

Now there remained the problem of clearing the ridge immediately ahead and getting out to sea.

"It was lucky for us that the tree struck the left engine instead of the damaged one on the right," Geer said, "because I was having a hard enough time already keeping the right wing up."

Geer credited his co-pilot, second Lt. Hobart R. Rankin, of Springfield, Ohio, with the action which finally saved the ship. The pilot said he had been about to feather the shattered engine when Rankin stopped him, calling to his attention that it still had some power left.

As a result, the plane managed to hurdle the ridge and stagger out over the water. There it dropped its remaining bombs and, with the lightened load, gained altitude enough to reach the nearest Allied airfield 120 miles away.

Inspecting the damage, the engineer, Staff Sgt. Ben W. Steffe, of Bradley, S. C., found a sizeable chunk of wood jammed into the camera in the underside of the plane.

Cosden Chatter -

By PAT DAVIS
Mrs. Beth Leudecke has returned to work after a week's illness. A letter from Lt. Richard C. Thomas has been received, and he thanks us for the "Chatter" and sends best wishes to all of his Cosden friends. His address is Reg't. HQ, Student Regt., Tank Destroyer School, Camp Hood, Texas.

MM-3/c Rayford R. Liles writes from Brooklyn, New York, that he is driving a truck for the supply depot at the U. S. Coast Guard, and that he has learned to get around in New York City as well as in Big Spring. His present address is 77 Empire Blvd. Brooklyn, New York.

Nell Ray McCrary has been employed in the credit department to fill the vacancy left by Bill Smith who entered the armed forces.

The terrific wind and sand storm of Wednesday afternoon caused slight damage to the roof of the garage west of the office building as well as lifting the composition top off one of the cars parked in front of the office.

Otto Peters, Sr. has been informed by the National Safety Council that he has been elected to the American Society of Safety Engineers, engineering section. Mr. Peters is well known around Big Spring for his work on matters of accident prevention and first aid, and we congratulate him on the honor which has been bestowed upon him.

Kay Tollett spent this week with her father, R. L. Tollett. Mrs. Beatrice Stasey is spending this weekend in Amarillo with her husband, Sgt. Pat Stasey, of Liberal, Kansas.

Paul Darrow is in Malone and Hogan Clinic with a severe case of influenza, but Mrs. Darrow reports he is much better.

R. L. Tollett left Thursday afternoon for a business trip to Fort Worth and Dallas.

A card received from Sgt. Earl R. Richey, states that he is now an aerial gunner and is located at Kingman, Arizona.

Word received from Mrs. Alice Phillips, who has been ill in Dallas, indicates that she is much improved and will soon return to Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Peters, Sr. have received word from their son, Sgt. Eugene Peters, that he will arrive next Wednesday for a ten day furlough. He is stationed in Camden, New Jersey, in the Anti-Aircraft Artillery Command.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Harris and daughter, Caroline, have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Peters, Jr., while preparing their apartment for occupancy.

J. B. Mull and J. L. LeBleu took a party of fourteen French Cadets from the Big Spring Bomber School through the refinery last Sunday, accompanied by Mrs. Joe Wells, who arranged the tour. Mr. Mull reports that the boys apparently enjoyed the trip very much and asked numerous questions in regard to the operation of the refinery. This was the first American refinery the Frenchmen had ever seen and they showed much enthusiasm.

Mo. MM-2/c Roland Schwarzenbach is home on furlough from Chicago, Illinois, where he is stationed in the Diesel Division, Navy Pier.

R. H. Owens, representing Cardwell Westinghouse company, Tulsa, Oklahoma; L. S. Lipscomb, traveling freight agent for Rock Island Lines, Fort Worth; W. A. Hotman, general freight agent for Roscoe, Snyder and Pacific Railway Co., Fort Worth, were all visitors in the office this week.

We were sorry to hear of the telegram received Friday morning by W. L. Glenn, stating that his son has been missing in action over Germany since early in January, and hope that he will soon receive better news.

For the convenience of our employees, Mr. J. F. Wolcott, tax collector, set up a booth in the office Saturday for the payment of poll taxes.

We welcome the following new employees to Cosden: George L. Adkins, Seary R. Whaley, Daniel W. McNeil, Mrs. Lou L. Phillips, John G. Gaskins, William H. Anderson, John DeBusk, Earl D. Harper, James Hackenberry, Marlon W. Gunter, Clell D. Burgess, and Henry Cruz.

Beth Gibson spent this weekend in Snyder with her parents, and brother, Ray, who is home on furlough from Kansas.

A. V. Karcher has returned from a ten day business trip to Washington and New York City. Congratulations go to Valva Glass for having completed and received certificate in a 15-hour Red Cross Safety Council Home and Farm Accident Prevention course. She had already received her instructor's certificate in Red Cross First Aid, and this new certificate entitles her to be an instructor in prevention courses of farm and home accidents.

Averill McClain and Bertha Price were out of the office this week due to illness.

FARM MEETS SCHEDULED

WACO, Jan. 29 (AP)—The Texas Farm Bureau Federation said today it was sponsoring a series of 15 district meetings to discuss issues facing farmers in 1944; that the meetings would begin Jan. 31 and continue through Feb. 14.

CONFEDERATE VET DIES

ATHENS, Jan. 29 (AP)—Wiley Ward, 99, last Confederate veteran in Henderson county, died yesterday at Ash.

HARRIS RADIATOR SHOP, rear 400 E. Third. (Adv.)

New Ellenburger Pools Opened In Kermit, Winkler

By JOHN B. BREWER
SAN ANGELO, Jan. 29—Opening of Pecos county's sixth Ellenburger lime pool, drilling in of the second well in the Kermit Ellenburger field in Winkler county and showing of high gravity oil from below 10,200 feet in a test in the Deep Rock Permian lime pool in Andrews county highlighted West Texas oil developments this week.

Bleeding dolomite was cored in a Hockley county wildcat from 4,630-60 feet.

Standard of Texas No. 1 MacDer Co. in Pecos county, near the C NE NW 36-144-T&SLL, recovered 230 feet of fluid, the top 200 feet oil, the bottom 30 feet basic sediment and drilling mud, on an eight-minute drilled test from 4,706-36 feet. It cemented 7-inch casing at 4,925 feet and was to drill plugs Saturday or Sunday. The Ellenburger was entered at 4,766 feet, 2,663 feet below sea level.

The prospective strike is only 6 1-2 miles south and slightly east of Bryce McCandless' Ellenburger discovery one mile southeast of Owego.

Magnolia No. 21 State-Walton became the second producer in the Kermit Ellenburger field in Winkler county although 136 feet lower on the Ellenburger top at 10,581 feet, 7,662 feet below sea level, than in No. 20 State-Walton, the discovery, three-quarters of a mile to the northwest. It flowed 42.6 gravity oil at a rate of 67 1-2 barrels hourly, with a rated 2,800,000 cubic feet of gas daily, on a 53-minute drillstem test from 10,625-655 feet. Five inch casing was run for completion. Location is the C SE SW 4-B3-pal.

Opinions as to the age of the bottom formation ranged through four periods, from the Mississippian to the Ordovician, as Humble No. 1 W. F. Carter in the Deep Rock pool in Andrews county tested to 10,281 feet. The section first was reported to be the Mississippian. The test, C SW SW 24-A46-pal, recovered 90 feet of oil and gas-cut mud and a small amount of 47 gravity free oil in drillstem testing from 10-234-280 feet for one hour.

Signal No. 1 M. M. Fisher, C SW SW 25-A36-pal, three miles southeast of the Measas field in Andrews county, swabbed six barrels of oil hourly after treating the San Andres section of the Permian between 4,596 and 4,628 feet, the total depth, with 2,000 gallons of acid in two stages. It showed no increase from retreatment with 5,000 gallons and prepared for completion.

Superior and Wiggins & Hyde No. 1-A University, southern Reagan county wildcat, C SW NW 25-8-U, swabbed oil out by mud and basic sediment at a rate of 1 1-2 barrels hourly after treating the Permian lime from 3,141-76 with 4,000 gallons of acid in two stages. It is 2 1-3 miles northwest of the Grayson pool and 4 1-2 miles south of the Big Lake field.

Globe No. 1 Tom R. Henderson, C SW SW 24-LGH&SA, extending Schleicher county's Page Strawn lime gas and distillate field 1 2-5 miles northeast, rated 14 million cubic feet of wet gas daily after treating with 10,000 gallons of acid in three stages through perforations in 5 1-2 inch casing between 5,455 and 5,620 feet.

Guards Shoot Escaped Lions

NUEVO LAREDO, Mex., Jan. 29 (AP)—The Ferrandi circus filled its engagement here today — but without two of its prized lions. It happened this way: As the circus troopers paraded through Nuevo Laredo, children and oldsters lined the streets. Then, at a main intersection the two lions, vicious and hungry, broke out of their cage. They immediately pounced on two mules. They were eating the mules when circus attendants shot them.

Through all the excitement, the circus band, riding a wagon in front of the lion cage, kept playing on, though unable to keep the attention of the excited spectators.

FDR SIGNS BILL

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29 (AP)—President Roosevelt today signed a bill providing \$270,000,000 for expansion of various naval projects.

HOSPITAL DEDICATION

HOUSTON, Jan. 29 (AP)—Dedication ceremonies for the University of Texas' M. D. Anderson hospital for cancer research here will be held on Feb. 17, Dr. E. C. Bertner, acting director, announced today.

TOKYO WORRIED

NEW YORK, Jan. 29 (AP)—The Tokyo home radio, which commented that the situation at Rabaul, New Britain, was "becoming grave," today said that it had reached "a serious stage for which we cannot hold even the slightest optimism."

Jones Sells Store To Dallas Man

Sale of his grocery and market at the corner of East Second and Rannels street to C. A. Conder of Dallas has been announced by B. O. Jones.

Conder will take possession Tuesday. He and his wife, one son and one daughter will move here.

Jones has been in the grocery business 22 years, 10 years of that time at the present location. He previously had spent 13 years in the dry goods business with Bob Austin.

He plans to continue to live in Big Spring, collecting accounts and operating his farm in Luther community.

Help your Soldier boy toe the line by sending him a Valentine.



PITMAN'S
Jewelry and Gift Shop
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Large variety finest quality Greeting Cards for any occasion.

Greet Spring With A New Dress From Burrs

Capture Springtime freshness now — with a new, new dress! Come see our frilled lingerie blues and blacks—with bewitchingly low necklines—see flower-fresh prints — our candy pastel dresses. All completely feminine—sure-fire charm for furlough dates through Spring . . . and all so moderately priced too!

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You are invited to see our exciting line of new millinery . . . alluringly-veiled creations . . . hats that perch archly or tip pertly over your forehead . . . hats that hug your head . . . and for those who prefer, there are the wider brims too.

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Assure the things you want after victory . . . buy extra WAR BONDS now.

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WAR BONDS purchased today will save scores of lives.

25% REDUCTION ON ALL LIVING ROOM FURNITURE



This two-piece suite may be had in velvets, tapestries or mohair fringes in your choice of colors—and just think! Until we reduce our stock of living room furniture you may purchase any suite on our floor at a reduction of 25% or 14 off. Ceiling price on this suite as shown in velvet is \$139.50. **OUR CLEARANCE PRICE ONLY \$104.62**



This two-piece suite as shown in mohair or fringe, in your choice of colors . . . ceiling price . . . \$179.50. **OUR CLEARANCE PRICE ONLY \$134.62**



This four-piece Bedroom Suite—consisting of vanity, chest, bed and bench is constructed of genuine walnut veneer finished in rich nut-brown walnut. You will like the large French plate mirror on the vanity and the roomy drawers in the chest.

\$119.50

We have just received several shipments of new Bedroom Furniture. It will pay you to visit Barrow's if you need furniture.

SHOP AT BARROWS NOW WHILE OUR STOCK IS MOST COMPLETE

USE BARROW'S EASY PAYMENT PLAN

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PILES CURED WITHOUT THE KNIFE!

Blind, Bleeding, Protruding, no matter how long standing, within a few days, without cutting, tying, burning, sloughing or distention from business. Piles, Fistula and other rectal diseases successfully treated.

EXAMINATION FREE

Dr. E. E. Cockerell
Rectal and Skin Specialist
Arlene, Texas
At Douglas Hotel, Big Spring
Every 2nd and 4th Sunday.
11 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Hay Fever May Come From Many Innocent Sources

AUSTIN, Jan. 29 (AP)—A University of Texas botanist is exploring the idea that your hay fever may stem from that innocent potted plant on the window sill, or from the oat field near your home.

For several years Dr. Marie B. Morrow, assistant professor of botany at the university, has been studying allergies under grants from the Association of Allergists for Mycological Investigations. She has already made substantial contributions—proving that molds from plants, decaying paper pulp and other substances are the irritants provoking some brands of hay fever.

The new phase of the research grew from Dr. Morrow's discovery that simple specimens of the molds, collected on culture slides sent her by doctors in all parts of the country, frequently were accompanied by spores of some other unidentified growth.

Laboratory analysis proved these growths to be either grain rust or spores from garden or flower garden plants.

Now Miss Morrow and her colleagues here have tackled these rusts and spores, to attempt to find out which of them may be causing hay fever cases in certain areas of the country.

Ration Members Resign Posts In Indignation

GAINESVILLE, Jan. 29 (AP)—Five members of the Cooke county war price and rationing board resigned their positions today because, they said, acting District Director J. Brian Miller, Fort Worth, had appointed a labor advisory committee without consulting the board.

Resigning were Fred Snuggs, county chairman; D. L. Monroe and J. W. Gladney, members; Felix McCurdy, public relations director, and Herbert Meurer, member of the tire rationing panel.

Chairman Snuggs said the first knowledge he had of the appointment of such a committee was receipt of a copy of a letter written by Miller to the three appointees, notifying them of their selection and outlining their duties.

He branded appointment of the committee, without knowledge and counsel of the county board, as "a political move directed from Washington."

Said Snuggs: "They are running the show up the line and they can have my job. This is a political year and they are just playing politics."

Miller appointed Homer Massey, railway fireman; B. Manis, railway conductor, and F. M. Hall, oil well pumper, as labor advisory board members.

Snuggs said that as early as November, 1942, district OPA officials had discussed with him the proposal of labor representation on the rationing board and he said he advised them then: "We're not going to have it as long as I am on the board."

Austin Reed, a railway brotherhood official, is a member of the board.



Caravan Stars—As rich in harmony as in beauty, the Morgan Sisters, pictured above, are featured on the Camel Caravan star-studded show playing at the Big Spring Bomber School Monday evening. The show is for service men only and includes an hour and 15 minutes of entertainment by stage, screen and radio personalities. Distribution of free cigarettes by pretty, professional models climaxes the show.



Renters Seek Adjustments

Thirty-four new registrations of rental units during January and 26 petitions by landlords for adjustments of rents were among figures included in the monthly rent report announced Saturday by Charles Sullivan, director of the Big Spring area rent control office.

Of the 26 petitions for adjustment, 21 have been acted upon. Two of that number have been denied and some were less than the adjustments requested.

During the month, nine complaints have been made by tenants. A total of \$158.50 has been refunded to tenants in cases where rents above the maximums were charged.

Twenty-one field inspections of property were made. A total of 100 change of tenancy forms have been filed.

The rent office has received 223 telephone calls and conducted 279 personal interviews.

A questionnaire including 21 questions has been distributed among Army personnel and Couden Petroleum Corporation employees who live in rental units. Questionnaires have been filled in by 54 employees of Couden and 697 civilians and soldiers living in the housing project at the bombardier school. Results are being studied.

Advanced:

Couden Petroleum Corp. recently announced the promotion of J. Blount Mull to the office of vice-president in charge of refinery operations. Mull, an experienced petroleum technologist, has been with Couden since 1940 and has held important posts in the industry for more than a score of years.

Famous Writer Taken By Death

EMPORIA, Kas., Jan. 29 (AP)—William Allen White, who grew into a journalistic giant in his home town, died today. He would have been 76 years old February 10.

The world-famous editor of the Emporia Gazette had been in declining health for more than a year. He underwent an operation at Rochester, Minn., last October, but failed to improve.

At his bedside were his almost equally famous wife, Sally Lindsay White, and his son William L. White, himself a writer of note.

White died on the 83rd birthday of his native state while republican notables were gathering at Topeka, the capital, for the annual love-feast at which he frequently was a central figure, although not always a party regular.

He entered the newspaper field through the back shop, learning the printing trade in his teens. He attended the University of Kansas from 1886 to 1890, but did not graduate.

After working on the Kansas City Star for three years as an editorial writer, White returned to Emporia in 1895 and bought the Gazette with a borrowed \$3,000. Success came early. A year later he began a career as a magazine story writer and author which erased his debt and put his paper on a paying basis.

A political editorial, "What's the matter with Kansas?" threw him into national prominence in 1896. A lampoon on the populist movement which arose in Kansas, it was used widely in the republican national campaign of that year.

He never held an elective office. He bolted the republican party in 1912 and resigned as Kansas national committeeman to follow Theodore Roosevelt in the Bull Moose movement. "Roosevelt bit me and I went mad," he explained later.

Presidents and tenant farmers equally were his friends. The door of his private office always was open.

He wrote more than a dozen books, including biographies of Calvin Coolidge and Woodrow Wilson, and several novels.

Material failure is the cause of only 12.4 per cent of the fatal airplane accidents in the U. S. Army Air Forces.

The weight of iron in the body of a man is about equal to the weight of a five cent piece.

Torture

"There we were introduced to a fare of rice—and rice alone—which was to bring diet-deficiency diseases, and death too, to thousands."

After a few days in Bilibid, the prisoners were crowded into boxcars "not even half the size of American boxcars, with 100 men to the car, and it was impossible for most of us to sit down, packed like sardines, the heat was terrific and we thought we would surely suffocate. Many of the men were afflicted with acute diarrhea."

On arrival at Cabanatuan, a 7-hour ride north of Manila, the men were herded into a barbed-wire enclosure, then marched to two camps during which, Hawkins said, "many suffered terribly and some died of exhaustion."

Hawkins' camp, No. 1, presented "one of the most horrible nightmares I would have imagined." One spigot was supposed to furnish water for 7,000 men and it was there that Hawkins got his first bath for a month by standing in the rain—one of the few times that rain was welcomed.

Rice was boiled in iron cauldrons, empty gasoline cans served as kitchen utensils and many men who had lost their messkits ate their rice from coconut shells or anything they could find.

Asked whether there was any variety in the diet whatsoever, Hawkins said occasionally there were insufficient amounts of the native sweet potato and, in season, corn, green papaya and very rarely mango beans, all issued in such small proportions that each man would hardly get a taste.

Sometimes, he recalled, a small pig would be issued to 400 men and then again there were four chickens and 60 eggs for over 400 men.

"We couldn't do anything with them except make a thin, watery soup."

The survivors of the notorious "march of death" from Bataan and Camp O'Donnell were brought to Cabanatuan, Hawkins said, and the death rate, "almost unbelievable," was 30 to 50 per day and when Hawkins left that camp Oct. 26, 1942, the rate was from 15 to 20 a day, and "many of the people looked like walking skeletons."

Hawkins himself, a six-footer, lost 20 pounds, to a weight of 135. Many men died of diphtheria, he said, before the Manila Red Cross was permitted to bring in antitoxin—and then only after the epidemic had spread to the Japanese themselves.

Physical punishment was very common, he said, usually consisting of beating and slapping. No one resisted "because resistance would have meant certain death."

Burial parties were organized among the captives and from 15 to 20 bodies, stripped, were placed in each unmarked common grave.

"They did allow us to conduct a short, Christian ceremony at the graves," said Hawkins.

The dead men's clothing went to other prisoners—many of whom were destined to join their comrades in death.



MINISTER—This is a new picture, made at London County Hall, of Ernest Bevin, minister for labor in the British cabinet.

Transfer Of Veteran Officers Of Local Field Is Announced

Several transfers, including five veteran officers at this field, were announced Saturday, at the Big Spring Bomber School.

Included were Capt. Richard T. Allen, Eureka, Ill., adjutant of the 78th Bomber Training Group; Capt. Arthur R. Armstrong, Tuscola, Ill., adjutant of the 355th base headquarters and air base squadron; Maj. Lewis P. Blanton, Longview, administrative inspector; WOJG Ronald Jarrett, Midland, assistant administrative inspector; and Capt. Walter H. Scott, Bethany, Ill., classification officer.

Commissioned at Randolph Field in May 1942, Capt. Allen came here in the early days of the field. He and Mrs. Allen and their daughters, Patricia, Sara Diane and Jeanne, have resided at 501 Washington. Capt. Armstrong, a graduate of Illinois College of Agriculture, was commissioned in 1938 in the reserve. Maj. Blanton was a Texas A. & M. man, and WOJG Jarrett, a graduate of New Mexico Military Institute, was an oil man like Maj. Blanton in civilian life. Capt. Scott, commissioned in April 1942, was a University of Illinois man.

Other transfers, included these second lieutenants to Las Vegas (Nev.) Army Air Field: Samuel Hawe, Pawtucket, R. I.; Stephen E. Davis, Gary, Ind.; Henry J. Jolink, Edgerton, Minn.; Jack P. Brown, Jacksonville, Ill.; Francis J. Marshall, Staten Island, N. Y.; Richard D. Poston, Boston, Mass.; and Harry R. Robinson, Portland, Ore.

Promotions included 1st. Lieut. Louis E. Long, Jr., Gall, bombardier instructor, to captain; 1st Lieut. Joel S. Jackson, Fort Worth, cadet supply officer, to captain; 2nd Lieut. Kenneth H. Stephens, Kansas City, Mo., bombardier instructor, to first lieutenant.

New arrivals included 1st. Lieut. Homer L. Cheshire, bombardier instructor; 2nd Lieut. Ivan C. Ashcraft, Protection, Kas., pilot; Lawrence L. Collins, Jr., Concordia, Kas., pilot; Robert W. Sample, Humboldt, Tenn., pilot; Roger H. McKinney, Erie, Pa., pilot; Allard W. Anthony, Montclair, N. J., pilot; F/O Raymond H. Schwab, pilot; Orthalan V. Blacketer, Des Moines, Ia., pilot.

On temporary duty for six weeks, Midland AAF, all bombardier-instructors—1st. Lieut. Frank M. Loney, Paris; Robert M. Behr, Grose Pt. Shores, Mich.; Lawrence S. Ross IV, Waco; Henry R. Cope land, Mexia; Richard C. Garrett, Berkeley, Calif.; Arthur L. Bersinger, San Francisco, Calif.; Dorvan R. Johnson, Walnut Creek, Calif.

Temporary duty for recruiting, WAC officers—2nd Lieut. Dessie O. Smith, Elizabeth Haidacher, Jewel K. Hooper; T/Sgt. Harold T. Boyd, 78th Bomber Training Group, and Sgt. Helen R. Persling, WAC.

WAC new arrival—Pvt. Mary Elizabeth Quinn, Fall River, Mass. Placed on detached service for six weeks to attend school of aviation medicine, Randolph Field—T/4 Joel Rocha, Jr., Laredo.

Placed on detached service for four weeks to attend chemical warfare school, Edgewood Arsenal, Md., S/Sgt. Wm. C. Hawthorne, 365th.

Here 'n There

All Cub scouts of every pack in Big Spring are urged to see their cub master about entries in the window displays during Scout Week which begins February 5th.

C. E. Taylor received word Friday night that his sister, Mrs. D. N. Hill of Memphis, Tenn., was critically ill. He left here early Saturday morning for Memphis.

A WAC recruiting team of the Big Spring station returned Saturday from a recruiting trip to Snyder, Roby, Jayton, Aspermont and Post. The group will work in Tahoka, Lamesa and Big Spring this week. Members are Lt. Cora Lee Morrow, L. Derde, N. Cook, Sgt. Ray A. Noret, Pfc. Nora Jean Kimpel. Sgt. Paula Edwards will remain in the office.

Roy M. King, highway patrolman who has been stationed in Big Spring since Nov. 1, will be transferred back to Lamesa, effective Tuesday, it was announced Saturday.

Seven applications for dairy feed payments were received in Howard county by the AAA office during the week ending Saturday. Seven drafts for a total of \$28.20 were issued.

Two juveniles, arrested for drunkenness at a cafe Friday evening, were transferred to the sheriff's office Saturday by police for questioning in connection with a car theft.

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Midland Pastor To Be At First Baptist

The Rev. A. W. Smith, pastor of the Calvary Baptist church in Midland, will be in the pulpit of the First Baptist church for both services today in the absence of the pastor, the Rev. P. D. O'Brien, who has two out-of-town appointments.

In the morning, the Rev. O'Brien is to preach the dedicatory sermon for the Oak Street Baptist church in Colorado City, and in the evening he is to be at Eastland to deliver the ordination sermon for the ordaining of a nephew, C. H. O'Brien, as a deacon.

Vincent Test Is Acidized

Recovery of fluid was due today in the Couden and Coffield and Gutherie No. 2 Pauline Allen northeastern Howard county test which is testing a new deep pay horizon.

The test, located in section 57-20, LaVaca, was treated with 6,000 gallons of acid from 5,250-96 feet, but machinery broke before the acid could be recovered and a test run made. The pay is deeper than anything in this area and is 1,200 feet below the Clear Fort pay picked up in the No. 1 Allen, a lone producer in the Vincent pool. When pipe was run in the hole as operations were started, oil sloped over the hole.

Nearby, the Coffield and Gutherie No. 1 Guy Guffey, in the southwest corner of section 58-20, LaVaca, drilled at 3,920 feet after treating with chemicals to get a seal on a water leak.

Southwest of Big Spring J. B. Hawley, Jr., was winding up his exploration north of the Harding pool. The No. 4 Houston Cowden was drilled to 3,137 and pipe set at 3,132 preparatory to moving in a spudder to complete the test. The crew was moving to Rotan for some tests. The Hawley No. 2 Cowden, also in section 33-18-18, T&P, was reshot during the week and the No. 3 Cowden was testing.

The Week

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ers all-weather road connecting us with our long-time neighbor, Garden City.

The high school Parent-Teachers Association is experiencing a difficult time in getting interest. Recently, much effort was put into a special program, which drew about 20 parents. Now our juvenile problems don't hinge on whether parents are interested in P.T.A.s, but to our way of thinking, this general lack of interest is companionate with that which lies at the root of our youth problems.



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Special Sunday Dinner

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Coffee Shop

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Dine here today...

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1.00 SUNDAY SPECIAL 1.00

Fried Milk-Fed Chicken, Country Style
Snow Flake Potatoes

Head Lettuce Salad 1000 Island Dressing
Coffee or Tea Ice Cream
Dinner Rolls Hot Biscuits

Fresh Shrimp or Oyster Cocktail .25
Fruit Basket—Celery and Olives .25
Chilled Orange, Apple or Spice Fruit Juice .10
Cream of Tomato Soup or Chicken
Broth Noodles .10

Broiled Individual Gulf Trout,
Maitre D'Hotel .60

Settles Special Sea Food Plate, Waffle
Fried Potatoes .75

Broiled Deep Sea Red Snapper Steak
Lemon Butter .60

Fried Milk-Fed Chicken, Country Style .75
Roast Prime Rib of Choice Beef, au jus .85
Broiled Loin Lamb Chops (2) on Toast,
Glace Pear .70

Cream Chicken on Waffle, Potato Chips .85
Cold Baked Ham, Swiss Cheese Plate,
Potato Salad .55

Omelet with Fresh Chicken Liver .55
Snow Flake, New Parsley, Buttered
Potatoes, Candied Yams .10
Stringless Beans, Buttered Asparagus .10
Lettuce and Tomato Salad .10
Assorted Pies, Layer Cake, Ice Cream .10
Butterscotch, Chocolate or Honey Sundae .15
Coffee and Milk .5c Pot Tea .10c
Dinner Rolls Hot Biscuits

Head Chef—A. M. Fitzhugh
Asst. Chefs—Johnnie Suter, Woodson Morgan

Steaks, Fresh Sea Foods, Mexican Dishes

Hours 7 a. m. to 2:30 p. m. and 4:30 to 10:00 p. m.

We close every afternoon from 2:30 to 4:30 for cleaning.

SETTLES COFFEE SHOP

CLARENCE FOX, Jr., Operator

In addition to our regular Breakfasts, Luncheons and Dinners we cater to Banquets and private parties. For information or reservations phone—

Peggy Brownlee, Asst. Mgr.

Congratulations--- To The First Presbyterian Church

The prayers and sincerest best wishes of our church go to those of the Presbyterian faith today on the occasion of dedicating a debt free church. May this good congregation long continue to bless and enrich our community life.

First Baptist Church
Everybody's Church Sixth & Main

Help Build A Better Big Spring

Post-War Planning

Plans must be made to provide jobs for hundreds and hundreds of soldiers and defense workers returning home after the war is over... there can be no guesswork in this.

Looking ahead toward the things which the community needs... schools, roads, industries, institutions, social welfare, airports and airlines... these and many more... is vital to the growing city.

This Is Your City Building Is Your Job

The Chamber of Commerce needs \$16,000 to do this job right. Take your share in it. Join today!

Chamber of Commerce

LEAVES 164 GRANDCHILDREN

MENA, Ark. (U. P.) — James H. Sexton, a native of North Carolina and a resident of Polk county for 40 years, died recently at the age of 86, leaving 164 grandchildren. When Sexton died he left Uncle Sam 20 grandsons and 10 great-grandsons in the armed forces. His descendants included 69 grandchildren, 94 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

OBJECTED TO FLY SWATTING

SALZM, Miss. (U. P.) — Because her husband kept her awake during the summer by swatting flies in the dark, Mrs. Alice M. Hinds of Lynn has petitioned for a divorce. In the winter, she complained, he disturbed her sleep by continually picking up the head of the bed and dropping it on the floor.

RADIO PROGRAMS

Sunday Morning		Sunday Evening	
8:00	Young People's Church of The Air.	5:00	Trinity Baptist church.
8:30	Voice of Prophecy.	5:30	Upton Close.
9:00	Detroit Bible Class.	5:45	Coronet Little Show.
9:30	Sunday Morning Melodies.	6:00	Old Fashioned Revival Hour.
10:00	Wesley Radio League.	7:00	Concert Hour.
10:30	News.	7:30	News.
10:45	Wayne King.	7:45	Gabriel Heater.
11:00	East 4th Baptist Church.	8:00	First Baptist Church.
Sunday Afternoon		Monday Evening	
12:00	Stanley Dixon.	7:00	Musical Clock.
12:15	Listen Ladies.	7:15	News.
12:30	Assembly of God Church.	7:30	Musical Clock.
1:00	Pilgrim Hour.	7:30	News.
2:00	This is Fort Dix.	7:45	Rhythm Rumble.
2:30	The Adventures of Bulldog Drummond.	8:00	News.
3:00	The Lutheran Hour.	8:05	Musical Interlude.
3:30	Sunday Afternoon Melodies.	8:15	Lest We Forget.
4:00	Variety Time.	8:30	KBST Bandwagon.
4:15	Question Please.	9:00	Front Line Feature.
4:30	The Shadow.	9:15	Morning Devotional.
		9:30	Shady Valley Folks.
		10:00	Arthur Gaeth.
		10:15	The Handy Man.
		10:30	Happy Joe & Ralph.
		10:45	Musical Moments.
		10:55	News.
		11:00	Boake Carter.
		11:15	Dr. W. S. Palmer.
		11:20	Hank Lawson's Music Mixers.
		11:30	U.S. Naval Academy Band.
Monday Afternoon			
12:00	10-2-4 Ranch.		
12:15	What's the Name of That Band?		
12:30	News.		
12:45	4th War Loan Program.		
1:00	Cedric Foster.		
1:15	Listen Ladies.		
1:30	Farm & Home Hour.		
1:45	Mutual Goes Calling.		
2:00	Morton Downey.		
2:15	Two Keyboards.		
2:30	Yankee House Party.		
3:00	Walter Compton.		
3:15	News.		
3:30	Music for Half Hour.		
4:00	Ray Dady.		
4:15	Archie Andrews.		
4:30	KBST Bandwagon.		
Monday Evening			
5:00	Minute of Prayer.		
5:01	Griffin Reporting.		
5:15	News.		
5:30	The World's Front Page.		
5:45	Superman.		
6:00	Fulton Lewis, Jr.		
6:15	The Johnson Family.		
6:30	Army Air Forces.		
7:00	Let's Dance.		
7:15	4th War Loan Program.		
7:30	Dinah Shore.		
7:45	News.		
8:00	Gabriel Heater.		
8:15	Treasury Song for Today.		
8:30	Infantile Paralysis Speaker.		
8:30	Paul Winchell & Jerry Mahoney Show.		
9:00	Henry Gladstone.		
9:15	Education for Freedom.		
9:30	News.		
9:35	Sign Off.		

Doctor Preston R. Sanders announces his return to Big Spring to re-enter practice, specializing in Obstetrics and Internal Medicine. He will be associated with Malone & Hogan Clinic-Hospital. Office 811 Main. Ph. 1147



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MARINE PARTY GUEST—Sgt. Bob Koupal, 22, USMC, of West Aradale, Calif., Pearl Harbor and South Pacific veteran, entertains Dawn, Doris and Dorothy Clawson, triplet daughters with Phil Spitznagel's band, at holiday party for service men given by the girls.

Political Announcements

The Herald makes the following charges for political announcements, payable cash in advance:
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County offices . . . \$17.50
Precinct offices . . . \$16.00

The Herald is authorized to announce the following candidates subject to the action of the democratic primary, July 22, 1944:
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Sheriff:
ANDREW J. MERRICK

Tax Assessor-Collector:
JOHN F. WOLCOTT

County Clerk:
LEE PORTER

District Clerk:
GEORGE CHOATE

Treasurer:
MRS. IDA L. COLLINS

Commissioner Precinct No. 1:
WALTER W. LONG
J. E. (ED) BROWN

Commissioner, Precinct No. 2:
H. T. (THAD) HALE

Commissioner Precinct No. 3:
R. L. (PANCHO) NALL

Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:
GLASS GLENN
AKIN SIMPSON

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J. S. NABORS

Constable, Prec. No. 1:
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Everybody Welcome "No book but the Bible" "No Creed but Christ"

Program Set For Colorado CC Banquet

COLORADO CITY, Jan. 29 — Mayor J. A. Sadler, general chairman of the 1944 Colorado City Chamber of Commerce banquet, has named committees to perfect plans for making the affair a success.

Governor Coke Stevenson and Mark McGee will be honor guests. Tickets to chamber members and their farm-ranch guests went on sale at the chamber office this week and Pat Bullock, manager, reports brisk sales. First set for the City-County building, the banquet will be held, instead, in the gymnasium at Junior high school, Wednesday, February 9 with McGee as master of ceremonies. The new chamber president, will be presented at the banquet.

Assisting the mayor as a general committee are J. Ralph Lee, Ford Merritt, and Jake Richardson. In charge of the building, heat and seating details are O. B. Trulock, A. F. Ring, and Clarence Cook, L. E. Chandler, Joe Wright, Basil Hudson, and Ed Williams. Mrs. Nat Thomas heads the decorating committee and will be assisted by John Pratt, Frank Ramsdell, Mrs. Lois Prude Bennett, and Mrs. W. H. Coffey.

Music for the evening will be in charge of Mrs. Charles Mooser, Mrs. Oren Trulock, and Mrs. E. Louis Latham. J. W. Handle heads the purchasing committee. Working with him will be W. W. Whipple, and Otto Jones. Eighty girls from the high school homemaking classes will serve a menu prepared under direction of Howard Rogers, Jim Jameson, Moody Dickerson, Mrs. Ed Richardson, Mrs. Bruce Hart, Miss Joy Pace, Mrs. Socrates Walker, and J. C. Jones. Ticket sales and finances are being handled by Nat Thomas, Dr. R. D. Bridgford, and Pat Bullock.

A ticket deadline has been set for February 5 after which no

Marine Hero Is B'Spring Visitor

A Marine pilot on a dive bomber who received the Distinguished Flying Cross for feats in battle, Mas. Tech. Sgt. Ollie Michael, is visiting in Big Spring.

Sergeant Michael returned to the States Dec. 31 after 16 months' duty overseas. He was in active combat in the battles of Guadalcanal, Bougainville and Munda. He and his wife and baby are visiting his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Michael. Their home is in Ardmore, Okla.

Sergeant Michael received the DFC for hits on Japanese surface craft. He was cited for some outstanding hits, including those on a battleship and four transports in one day. He was publicized in Life magazine for his feats.

He was a member of one of the first aviation units to arrive at Guadalcanal. At that time Japanese ships were shelling Henderson Field and Michael and other Marine pilots went to work to eliminate the menace.

In addition to dive bombing, some of Michael's work overseas was as a test pilot. The Marine visited in Big Spring about a year and a half ago, shortly before going overseas. He is to report for further orders Feb. 6.

Do you know anything worse than a hot car? See HARRIS, 400 E. Third. (Adv.)

LEGAL NOTICE

SHERIFF'S SALE
THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF HOWARD.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Pluries Execution issued out of the Honorable District Court of Taylor County, on the 21st day of January 1944, by Roy Skaggs, Clerk of said District Court for the sum of Twelve Hundred Five and 42/100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a judgment in favor of Sterling H. Wooten in a certain cause in said Court, No. 2923-B and styled W. L. Moody, III, Assignee of Sterling H. Wooten, and present owner of judgment vs. S. B. Dorn, placed in my hands for service, I, Andrew J. Merrick as Sheriff of Howard County, Texas, did, on the 29th day of January 1944, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Howard County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: An undivided One Fourth (1/4) interest in an Oil and Gas and Mineral lease, on and under 64 acres, out of the West One Half (1/2), of the Southwest One Fourth (1/4), of Section No. Six (6), in Block No. Thirty (30), Township One South, Texas and Pacific Railway Company Survey in Howard County, Texas.

Judgment for \$1,205.42 with interest on the sum of \$1,095.84 at the rate of 10% per annum and interest on \$109.58 at the rate of 6% per annum from the 2nd day of November A.D. 1937 less a credit of \$955.50, which was credited September 7, 1943, and levied upon as the property of S. B. Dorn and that on the first Tuesday in March 1944, the same being the 7th day of said month, at the Court House door of Howard County, in the City of Big Spring, Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., by virtue of said levy and said Pluries Execution I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said S. B. Dorn.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in The Big Spring Herald, a newspaper published in Howard County.

Witness my hand, this 29th day of January 1944.
ANDREW J. MERRICK,
Sheriff Howard County, Texas.
By Denver Dunn, Deputy.

Fire Marshal Suggests Increase In 'Constant Fire Prevention'

Big Spring residents were called Saturday to a more constant practice of fire prevention by City Fire Marshal F. W. Bettis.

Pointing to a rising tide of fires, Bettis warned that every blaze, however small, offers the possibility of severe damage and loss of life. Already this month there have been a score of fire calls answered by city firemen, and Bettis pointed out that total loss would likely amount to several thousand dollars. While some have resulted from obscure causes, most have been born of carelessness, the marshal showed from a study of the records.

He appealed to residents to accept fire prevention as an individual responsibility, and to apply it in the home as elsewhere. "Teach children the danger of playing with matches and fire," he advised, "and do not attempt to start or hasten a fire with gasoline or kerosene."

Other advice offered by Bettis included: Extinguish matches cigarettes, etc. before throwing away. Ventilate homes when using gas as a fuel. Protect gas heaters with screens guards to prevent clothing and curtains from catching fire. Use metal connections on heaters, but if rubber hose is used, check regularly. Do not per-

mit gasoline to enter the house. Do not use naphtha, benzene or gasoline for cleaning purposes, and always use cleaning fluids out-of-doors. Don't leave children alone in homes with open fire or lamps.

Use only experienced hands for electrical work, and never put a penny behind a fuse. Turn current off of electrical irons and other appliances before leaving them. Keep chimneys and stove pipes clean and tight. Do not allow trash to accumulate near house. Keep greasy and oily rags in tightly closed cans. Don't fill lighted lamps. Be sure globes do not touch combustibles in closets, pantries, etc.

Back these up with two more safety points, added the marshal. 1. Make it a point to know how to get out of every building you enter. 2. Never sit in a closed room or office—always ventilate with fresh air.



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YOUR government is urging you—urging everyone with a job and an income—to buy an extra \$100 War Bond in the Fourth War Loan Drive.

That's the least being asked of every American—over and above your regular purchases.

And it won't be easy for most of us to set it aside! Taxes and living costs are a heavy burden. We'll just have to sacrifice and skimp and save to put this drive across!

Do without everything you don't need for happiness and health. Don't waste one precious penny. And put everything you can raise into War Bonds.

No sacrifice you can make can approach the sacrifices of our marines on the blood-soaked sands of islands in the Pacific, or our soldiers fighting their way mile by mile towards Berlin. No sacrifice you can make can match the selfless heroism of our gallant flyers over Germany or our sailors grappling with the stealthy Japanese fleet!

Our boys are giving up their homes and their families, their sweethearts and their jobs, even their lives.

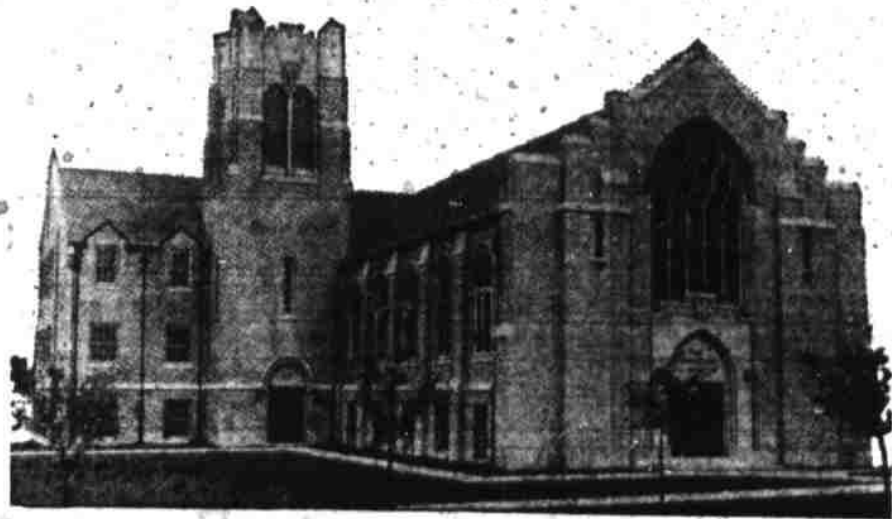
Let's back them up by buying an extra \$100 War Bond in the Fourth War Loan Drive. You'll help to keep Old Glory flying everywhere it belongs!



THE DEBT FREE First Presbyterian Church

Pictured Below Is To Be Dedicated

Today, January 30, 1944



Runnels and Seventh Streets

The members of the Church invite their friends to participate with them in the dedication of their church plant today January 30th.

CALENDAR OF SERVICES OF WORSHIP

- 9:45 A. M.—Church School Services in six departments.
- 10:55 A. M.—Morning Worship—"Finished Pillars"—The Rev. J. C. Ramsey.
- 5:00 P. M.—Dedicatory Service—"Enduring Foundations"—The Rev. E. L. Owens.
- 6:00 P. M.—An open house for all members and friends.

REV. JAMES E. MOORE, Minister
MISS RUBY McDURMON
Director of Religious Education

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Pinafore Pair: K. T. Stevens and little Marjorie Ann Mutchie, both Hollywood stars, model mother-daughter pinafores in red cotton hosiery, designed by Jean Duran, California stylist of children's originals.

Youth Week To Be Observed Here At First Christian Church With Series Of Programs And Entertainments

J. Y. Blount, Jr., To Lead In The Call To Worship

In observance of Youth Week, the young people of the Christian Church are presenting a series of programs with the first scheduled this morning at the church.

J. Y. Blount, Jr., will lead the congregation in the call to worship and invocation. Fannie Sue Hall will present a talk in harmony with the theme, "One Faith." The Rev. J. E. McCoy, pastor, will speak on the subject

"Tragedy of a Divided Church." At 6:30 p. m. Sunday, James Roy Horton will lead the discussion in the Christian Youth Fellowship on the subject "Great Leaders in Our Church." The young people will be entertained with a covered dish supper in the church basement at 6:30 p. m. Wednesday, and at 7:30 o'clock they will go into the sanctuary for a worship service which will center around the theme "One Fellowship." The congregation is invited to attend the worship service which will be followed with a recreational hour in the basement for young people. A missionary discussion period, followed by a short social program is scheduled for Thursday evening in the home of James Roy Horton. Climaxing the week's observance, a play entitled "The Lady

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Lodge Officers Installed At Woodmen Meeting

New officers of the Woodmen circle were installed Friday evening when the group met at the WOW hall at 8 o'clock for a session presided over by Mrs. Altha Porter, guardian.

Mrs. Beulah Carnrike was installing officer and was assisted by Mrs. Anna Petefish.

Mrs. Mattie Wren was installed as past guardian; Mrs. Porter guardian; Mrs. Maude Lowe, advisor; Mrs. Ethel Ewell, attendant; Mrs. Vera Reaves, assistant attendant; Mrs. Mary Womack, chaplain; Mrs. Viola Bowler, inner sentinel; Mrs. Mable Hall outer sentinel; Mrs. Laura Dearing, captain; Mrs. Mildred Lowe, reporter; Mrs. Pearl Vick recording secretary; Mrs. Ethel Clifton, banker; Mrs. W. E. Carnrike, chief of auditors.

During the meeting the group voted to purchase a war bond, and after the session, refreshments were served by Mrs. Anna Petefish and Mrs. Pearl Vick.

Those attending the meeting were Mrs. Mattie Wren, Mrs. A. Porter, Mrs. Beulah Carnrike, Mrs. Anna Petefish, Mrs. Maude Lowe, Mrs. Ethel Ewell, Mrs. Mary Womack, Mrs. Viola Bowler, Mrs. Mable Hall, Mrs. Laura Dearing, Mrs. Vera Reaves, Mrs. Mildred Lowe, Mrs. Pearl Vick, Mrs. Ethel Clifton, Mrs. W. E. Carnrike.

Citizenship Pace Is Set By B. & P. W. Club At Colorado City

COLORADO CITY, Jan. 29 — The 22 members of the Business and Professional Women's club in Colorado City set the good citizenship pace this week by declaring themselves to be 100 percent tax payers.

The club held their regular meeting with Mrs. Bonnie Burt and Mrs. Maude Tiner as hosts for the evening. After a business session a theatre party furnished diversion.

Members attending were Louise Hardison, Lillian Pond, Deb Taylor, Nelda Garrett, Elizabeth Kirkpatrick, Mabel Phillips; Messdames Chester Hart, Travis Pritchett, Bonnie Burt, Philip Bertram, H. I. Berman, Keith Miles, R. D. Tiner, and James Payne. Mrs. L. B. Walker of Abilene was a guest.

at the Window" will be presented by the young people in the church auditorium on Sunday evening, February 6th at 7:30 o'clock.

Those taking part in the play will be Eve White, Billy Crunk, Marjorie Lou Lock, Alma Jean Cannon, Jeannetta Christensen, James Roy Horton and Milton Knowles. Mrs. J. E. McCoy will be in charge of the production.



Miss Travis, Sgt. Barton Are Married

Word has been received here of the marriage of Kathryn Travis, daughter of Mrs. Stanley Modzeleski, of Riverside, Calif., and Sgt. Frank Barton, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Barton of Big Spring. The couple was married in Tampa, Fla., Wednesday evening, January 26th at 6:45 p. m.

Mrs. Barton wore a beige and black ensemble with black accessories and a shoulder corsage of seasonal flowers. She was graduated from the Big Spring high school in 1942 and was a member of the Sub Deb club. She is employed as an assistant to Dr. W. B. Hardy.

Sgt. Barton was graduated from the Big Spring high school in 1942, and was a member of the Steer football squad. He attended Southwestern University at Georgetown and entered the army January 25th 1943. He is now stationed at Tampa.

Mrs. Barton is a niece of Mrs. Ray Lassiter of Big Spring.

Three Hostesses Entertain With Wedding Shower

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Coots were honored with a miscellaneous wedding shower in the Earl Wilson home Friday evening and other hostesses included Mrs. D. J. Sheppard and Mrs. Tom McAdams.

Gifts were presented to the honored couple and dancing was entertainment.

Refreshments were served and those attending were Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Cauble, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Groesbeck, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Nall, Gloria Nall, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Coots, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Foster, Mary Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Coots, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Satterwhite, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Laird, Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Patton, Mrs. David Orr, Mrs. Donald Anderson, Donnie Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. McClannahan, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Caywood, Jack Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McAdams, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Sheppard, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Coots, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wilson.

Among those sending gifts were Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Russell, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Gartman, Mr. and Mrs. V. F. Alhart, Mrs. Elizabeth Jones, Nancy Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Boatler, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Robbins, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Stringfellow, Mr. and Mrs. Happ Woods, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Burks.

Playtime outfit of jingham play suit and red-rose dress, by Louis Tabac, worn by Frances Gifford.

Engagement Announced

Capt. and Mrs. James R. Anthony announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Beverly, to Lieut. A. H. Swanson, son of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Swanson of Omaha, Neb.

The couple will be married in the post chapel at the Big Spring Bombardier School by Chaplain James L. Patterson on March 2nd.

Parents Of A Daughter

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rogers-Friday at the Cowper Clinic. The infant weighed six pounds, 12 ounces at birth, and has been named Mary Evelyn.



Fake Apron: Madeline Miller, California designer, pre-embroidery of red and green reindeer and eyelet blouse. It is worn by Elaine Kelley, featured player of the films.

Mary Elizabeth Jeter And Lieut. Davies Are Married In Post Chapel

Reception Held In Officers Club After Wedding

In a double ring ceremony read Saturday evening in the post chapel at the Big Spring Bombardier School, Miss Mary Elizabeth Jeter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Jeter, of Dallas, Pa., and Lieut. James B. Davies, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley B. Davies of Dallas, Pa., were married by Chaplain James L. Patterson.

Wedding vows were repeated by candlelight at 8 o'clock before an altar banked with fern and palms and ornamented with floor baskets of white gladioli and azalea. Cathedral tapers in slanting candelabra flanked the altar, and pre-nuptial selections and the traditional wedding marches were played by Sgt. Ola Franklin chapel organist.

The bride was attired in a white satin wedding gown, fashioned with a sweetheart neckline with lace trim, and long pointed sleeves. Her floor length veil of bride illusion fell from a crown of lace. She carried a bridal bouquet of white carnations centered with orchids.

The groom wore a dark suit with a white shirt and a dark tie. He carried a boutonniere of white carnations centered with orchids.

Reception Held In Officers Club After Wedding

Mrs. Robert Drexler, matron of honor, was attired in a floral patterned gown and she carried a bouquet of white carnations centered with red roses.

The bridegroom was attended by Lieut. Robert Drexler. Mrs. Stanley Davies, mother of the bridegroom wore a green ensemble with brown accessories and a shoulder corsage of gardenias.

Mrs. Davies was graduated from the Dallas High School and the Wyoming Seminary at Rington, Pa., and attended Mansfield State Teachers College.

Lieut. Davies was graduated from the Wyoming Seminary and Wesleyan University at Middletown, Conn. He was a member of the Phi Nu Theta fraternity and is now stationed at the Big Spring Bombardier School as a bombardier instructor.

A reception was held in the officers' club following the ceremony, with members of the wedding party and several guests attending.

The couple will be at home at the Settles hotel.

Woman's Forum Meets In The Koberg Home

The Modern Woman's Forum met with Mrs. Charles Koberg Friday evening and Mrs. A. B. Wade presided over the session. It was announced during the meeting that the group would sponsor a booth for the sale of bonds at war bond headquarters Monday. Mrs. Albert Fisher was named representative to meet with members of other clubs for planning a youth recreational center here.

Mrs. W. J. McAdams was in charge of the program and discussed "Understanding India and Its Leaders."

Those attending the meeting were Mrs. W. W. Pendleton, Mrs. J. F. Dodge, Mrs. Russell Manion, Mrs. Cecil Collins, Ima Deason, Mildred Greath, Mrs. Ira Driver, Mrs. W. J. McAdams, Mrs. Albert Fisher, Mrs. A. B. Wade and the hostess.

Ima Deason will entertain the group on February 11th.

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Speaking of BOOKS

"Winter Wheat" by Mildred Walker in Winter Wheat, Mildred Walker has produced a book that holds simple beauty and honest reality... she has accomplished what many writers have attempted... to tell the story of an ordinary American girl who knew the fullness of Love.

"Condition Red" by Commander Frederick A. Bell, U. S. N. This book takes its title from the signal of impending attack in the South Pacific. It was then that the destroyers struck—with guns, torpedoes and depth charges. Here are the tales of smashing blows at Guadalcanal, Tulagi, Gavutu and Tanabango.

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Forsan Students Are Listed On Honor Roll

FORSAN, January 29th — J. T. Holliday of the Forsan school system has announced a large number of students who have been listed on the school honor roll for the past six weeks.

The group includes: First grade, Nancy Lou Story, Nan Holliday, James L. Parker, Albert Oglesby, Bobby McAllen; second grade, Dale Tolar, Lela Mae Fletcher, Vivian Green, Jerry Den Hughes, Tommie Lowe, Johnnie Parks, Robert Lee Roberson, Eldon Ruffian, Jimmie Smith, Gerald Thompson and Nancy Huestis; third grade, Betty Ruth Sewell, Etta Ruth Milder, Nomi Fae Camp, Kenneth Gressett, Jessie Overton, Orlean White, Bethel Mathews, Darlene Ratliff.

Fourth grade students on the honor roll are H. O. Pipkin, Donald Pryor, Gene Templeton, Terry Fuller, Lois Ray Grest, and fifth grade students are Nelson Lowe, Betty Calley, Betty Lynn Oglesby, Phillip Russel, Jimmie Shoults and Alfred Thieme.

Members of the sixth grade are Billie Louise Gandy, Johnita Griffith, Koleka Hoisayer, Betty Jo Roberson; seventh grade, Cleo Mae Camp, Mary Ruth Howard, Billie Milliken, June Pipkin, Peggy Painter, Flora Marie Thieme, eighth grade, Jerry Duncan, Doglene Gilmore, J. B. Hicks, Bill Leonard, Lavonia Redden, Rawland Scott, Gwendolyn Oglesby, Evelyn Martin.

Ninth grade students are Stanley Hayhurst, James McAllen, Vona Bell Grant, Mary Frances Oglesby, Norma Roberts and Haroldine West; 10th grade, Dorris Bryant, Betty Lamb, Wanda Nell Griffith and Doris Jean McErath.

Two HD Clubs Are Organized In The County

Two home demonstration clubs were organized in Howard county this past week and Miss Rhea Merle Boyles, HD agent, met with each for the purpose of organization, election of officers and a discussion of club activities.

A club was organized in Sand Spring and the group met in the home of Mrs. H. L. Shirley.

Officers were elected and they include Mrs. Walter Barbee, president; Mrs. H. L. Shirley, vice president; Mrs. Bill Bostick, secretary and treasurer.

Year books were distributed and discussed and Miss Boyles talked on reseatting and reorientating discarded chairs. Plans were made for a chair reseatting demonstration and Miss Boyles discussed meat cooking with the group, giving tips on ways of recognizing and cooking different cuts.

Refreshments were served and those attending were Mrs. Walter Barbee, Mrs. W. E. Turnbow, Mrs. L. C. Gilmore, Mrs. R. H. Reeves, Mrs. Walter Robinson, Mrs. F. H. Rose, Mrs. C. E. Johnson, Miss Boyles, Mrs. H. L. Shirley and the hostess.

The next meeting will be held February 8th in the W. E. Turnbow home.

A HD club was also organized in the Luther community when a group of women met with Mrs. W. D. Anderson recently.

Officers elected were Mrs. S. L. Lockhart, president, Mrs. Akin Simpson, vice president; Mrs. Neal Roseman, secretary and treasurer, Mrs. W. H. Coleman, council delegate and Mrs. Lulu Coleman, recreational leader.

Mrs. W. D. Anderson was appointed to give a special report, Mrs. C. B. Lawrence was named parliamentary and Mrs. R. L. Proctor was elected program chairman.

Miss Boyles gave a demonstration on meat cooking, and it was announced that the club would meet the second and fourth Thursday of each month.

B. & P. W. Club Meets Tuesday Evening

The Business and Professional women's club meets at the Settles hotel Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock for a business session. All members are urged to attend.

Rev. D. O'Brien To Be Speaker At Homecoming

COLORADO CITY, Jan. 29 — A church homecoming for the members of the Oak Street Baptist church in Colorado City will be an all-day celebration beginning at ten and continuing through the evening services with dinner served at noon with the members as hosts to guests and former members.

The all day service marks the lifting of all indebtedness from the Oak Street property and will signal their campaign to raise funds for an auditorium. The church has been holding its services in the basement of their unfinished building for several years.

Here for the program will be Rev. P. D. O'Brien, pastor of the First Baptist church in Big Spring who will deliver the morning sermon, Rev. E. E. Barber, of Wastula, a former pastor who will speak in the afternoon, Rev. W. C. Harrison, of Odessa, Baptist district missionary, Rev. W. A. Strickland of Abilene, pastor of the Oak street church who retired last fall because of ill health.

Present pastor of the church is Rev. A. B. Lightfoot, sophomore student in Hardin-Simmons University. The congregation was organized with four charter members in October, 1939 to fill a need for a church in West Colorado. There are now enrolled 139 resident members.

Special music for the celebration day will be presented by singers from Loraine and the church in the Plainview community. Rev. Admon Nowell, also a Hardin-Simmons student, will address the B. T. U.

Completed Quota Of Knitted Garments Sent By Red Cross

COLORADO CITY, Jan. 29 — A completed quota of garments knitted by Mitchell county volunteer workers has been shipped from Colorado City this week.

Mrs. Douglas Burns, production chairman announces.

Included in the shipment were 14 turtle neck sweaters for the Navy and 13 Navy helmets; six turtle neck sweaters for the Army, 41 sleeveless sweaters for the Army, 41 Army helmets, 34 pairs of gloves and 17 beanies.

The packing committee for the quota were Mrs. Burns, Mrs. R. H. Cantrell and Mrs. A. E. McClain.

In the surgical dressings work room here, directed by Mrs. J. W. Watson, volunteer workers are busy folding a quota of 30,000 battle sponges.

January attendance in the surgical room was below average due to the flu and cold epidemic and unusually severe weather. Women are approximately one third through with the quota. Westbrook women, workers in Loraine, and in several smaller communities assume part of the quota in sub-station surgical rooms.

Saleswomen Help With Bond Drive

Cosmetic saleswomen left their products home Friday and spent the day selling war bonds in accordance with a request from their employer, the Avon Products, Inc., to devote Friday to the sale of war bonds.

The group sponsored a booth at the First National bank and workers included Mrs. Short, district representative, Mrs. Tom Slaughter and Mrs. Ethel Clifton.

Conducting sales at the bond headquarters Saturday representing the Beta Sigma Phi sorority were Harriette Smith, Evelyn Ann Flint, Elizabeth Pettiet, Florence McNew, Caroline Smith, Janice Slaughter, Evelyn Merrill, Joyce Croft, Mrs. Avis M. Dodrill.

Members of the West Ward P. T. A. selling bonds at the State National Saturday were Mrs. R. L. Beat, Mrs. Max C. Johnson, Mrs. Jack Winn and Mrs. C. A. Horton.

At the First National bank representing the Trainmen Ladies lodge were Mrs. H. W. McCannless, Mrs. Frank Powell and Mrs. E. O. Hicks. Serving at the Ritz theatre Saturday evening were June Matson and Rhea Merle Boyles, B & PW members.

Selling bonds at the State National Friday were members of the East Ward P. T. A. and the group included Mrs. F. V. Kinzey, Mrs. W. B. Morton and Mrs. Claude Eppler.

Members of the VFW Auxiliary who manned a booth at the bond headquarters Friday were Mrs. J. L. Corcoran, Mrs. C. W. Deats, Mrs. Allen Hull, Mrs. Jessie Brown, Mrs. Isa McKinney, Mrs. Frank Powell and Mrs. E. O. Hicks. At the First National Bank representing the XYZ club were Mrs. Vernon Whittington and Mrs. Clyde McMahon. Kitty Ford and Mrs. Jane Haller worked at the Ritz theatre as representatives of the B & PW club.

Monday, the South Ward P. T. A. will work at the State National bank; the Girl Scout Council at the First National; the Modern Woman's Forum at the Ritz theatre.

Birthday Balls Held In Colorado

COLORADO CITY, Jan. 29 — Celebrations of the President's birthday are in full swing over Mitchell county. Two matinees were held with the proceeds to go to the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis. Advance sale of tickets in Loraine, where one of the matinees was to be staged Saturday, are reported by the county chairman, A. L. McSpadden, to be brisk. Here school children and club women are selling tickets to the Friday matinee.

Two birthday balls were planned for Colorado City Saturday evening. The first was open to the public and was to be held at the American Legion hut. The second was an invitation dance with the Fireman's organization in charge of ticket sales. Proceeds from both will be added to the March of Dimes collection.

Members of the Texas State Guard here have been staged a "pass the hat" interval at local theatres all week, taking dollars and dimes in their military helmets.

Student, Teacher And Parent Will Speak At Meeting

The High School Parent-Teacher's Association meets at the school Tuesday afternoon at 3:45 o'clock for a regular monthly session and program.

Three speakers which will be included are a teacher, a student and a parent. The viewpoints of each will be expressed.

Important Meeting To Be Held Monday

A meeting of representatives from various clubs in town will be held in the district court room Monday evening at 8 o'clock for the purpose of launching plans to establish a youth recreational center in Big Spring.

Even though all clubs have not been contacted, representatives from all groups have been asked to attend the important session.

Legion Sends More Cigarets To Men Serving Overseas

Estimated average monthly consumption of meat in the United States for 1944 is 3 1-2 pounds, exactly the amount the average citizen ate in the period 1935-39.

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Another shipment of cigarettes totaling 11 cases or 850 cartons or 5,500 packs or 110,000 cigarettes have been sent to be distributed to service men overseas, by the American Legion fund made available through contributions.

The Legion has placed bottles in various business houses in the city for the purpose of receiving contributions. Cards have been received from soldiers, sailors, marines and all other branches of the service from various points acknowledging receipt of the cigarettes which bear the name of the Howard county post of the American Legion.

The public has responded well since the drive was first begun last summer and five such shipments have been made totaling 27,500 packages or 550,000 cigarettes.

The Legion started this campaign after members who served across in World War I and who remembered how hard it was to acquire American made cigarettes, decided that no gift would be appreciated more.

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Activities at the USO

SUNDAY
1:00 - 2:00 — Informal class recordings.
3:30 - 5:30 — Recording hour and craft class.
5:00 - 7:00 — Women of Church of the Nazarene to serve during Hospitality Hour.

MONDAY
PLANNING WEEK FOR GSO GIRLS.
8:45 — Sing song with stereopticon machine. Mrs. L. A. Eubanks acting as leader, and Helen Duley, chairman.
8:30 - 11:00 — Games and dancing.

TUESDAY
FREE ALTERATIONS.
8:30 — Informal dancing.
WEDNESDAY
8:00 — Service Wives meeting and general activities.

THURSDAY
8:30 - 11:00 — Square dancing. Caller and three piece orchestra from Bombardier School.
9:00 - 9:45 — Magician show.

FRIDAY
OPEN HOUSE
7:30 — USO third birthday anniversary banquet.

SATURDAY
OPEN HOUSE.
4:00 - 9:00 — Canteen open, coffee.
7:30 — Recording hour.

Mary Green Has Party For Homemaking Class

FORSAN, January 29th — Miss Mary Green entertained her first year home making class with a party at the school Friday evening.

Games were played and refreshments served to Haroldine West, Mary Frances Oglesby, Vona Bell Grant, Lavonne Hoard, Evva Smith, Norma Roberts, Charlene Greaves, Blanche Drake, Bobby Louise Cathcart, Bobby Wash, James McAllen, Harry Lee and Floyd Pike.

Mrs. Jack Craig visited Mrs. James Craig and Mrs. Vera Harris this week. She is anxious to join her husband who is employed in defense work.

Mrs. Bill Conger was called to Fort Worth Thursday because of the illness of a sister, Mrs. Jack Craig.

Mark Nasworthy and daughter Mrs. J. E. Lett were business visitors in San Angelo Tuesday.

Dan McRae received word this week that his father is seriously ill in a Sherman hospital.

Benefit '42 Party To Be Held Here

The Concordia Ladies Aid of St. Paul's Lutheran church is to have a benefit '42 party Friday evening at 8 o'clock in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hohertz, 1809 Runnels.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

Daughter Born To Mr. And Mrs. Pritchard

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Pritchard are the parents of a daughter born Thursday, January 27th at the Cowper hospital.

The child has been named Patricia Ann, and weighed six pounds, 15 ounces at birth.

Janet Wright Is Honored On Her 4th Birthday

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wright honored their daughter, Janet, on her fourth birthday anniversary with a party in the Wright home

Saturday. A valentine motif was used in party decorations, and birthday cake was served with other refreshments.

Gifts were presented to the honoree and games were played. The guest list included Tommy Tate, Sylvia Brigham, Ann Moore, Barbara Coffee, Marie Hall, Jane

Watson, Judy French, James Compton, Clyde McManis, Joyce Edwards, Peggy Gular, Frankie Gular, Sallie Cooper, Cecily Wright, Donald, Polly Harris, Ralph Wright.

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Jewelry Gifts... Valentine

Whether you're a girl looking for a Leap Year Valentine to urge HIM to say "yes"—or you're a traditional male in search of something lovely for your love... let jewelry speak for you this February 14th. We show you a few suggestions here—there are many more.

Engagement ring and wedding band ensemble, containing one large round diamond and one small in settings of rich simplicity. Both rings... **\$75**

Engagement ring containing one large center diamond, two smaller side diamonds, in a handsome setting of yellow, pink or white gold. Real value... **\$200**

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Editorial Get And Use Your Poll Tax

The year 1944 should be a fateful one in the history of the world, and certainly in the destiny of the United States of America. By now it is apparent that what happens within the United States will have its bearing upon world affairs. Therefore, the voice raised in the conduct of our affairs this year is one that will be felt even beyond the borders of our own republic. Our government was conceived as a democracy and as such is dependent upon the functioning of its individual citizens as participating members. The founders were aware that there must be some adequate medium of expression, hence the adoption of our representative form of government. This year, in national fields we will be electing a house of representatives and one-third of the senate. We also will be electing a president and vice-president to serve in what may be four of the most crucial years of history. The importance of this responsibility alone should inspire every citizen worth his salt to make sure he or she is active in the elections this year. Besides having attained

majority and being a resident citizen, the prime qualification in Texas is the payment of a poll tax, or the securing of an exemption certificate. If this poll tax has not been paid as of now, the \$1.75 for it (a mighty cheap price for the right of voting) should be put in the mails this very day. If this is impossible, Monday morning should find the tardy taxpayer at the office of the county tax collector early with payment ready. After Monday midnight, it will be too late to pay this poll tax. No amount of wishing will do any good. No amount of ranting and abuse of the system will restore that lost voice in our democracy. For the sake of using that right for which we train our men to die, make sure that you this year have your poll tax, that when you receive it, you will resolve to use it on every occasion—whether for school, city, local or special elections, whether for men or on issues—for what you believe will be the best for all of us.

You'd Be Surprised

By GEORGE STIMPSON
The term "Johnnycake" is an Americanism of unknown origin. Word experts have been trying for years to trace its origin. In the Southern states Johnnycake is generally made of cornmeal toasted or baked before a fire, often in the ashes; elsewhere the meal is generally baked in an oven. The Australians make a cake of wheat-meal which they make in ashes or fry in a pan and which they also call Johnnycake. It is widely believed that "Johnnycake" is a corruption of "Journey-cake." For instance, a man named Romans wrote a book in 1775, entitled "Florida," in which he said: "Notwithstanding it (rice) is only fit for puddings... or to make the water-like bread called Journey-cakes in Carolina." Will H. Lowdermilk, in his "History of Cumberland" (Maryland), advances an interesting article on the subject. A favorite article of diet among the Shawnee Indians, who lived in Maryland, Pennsylvania, Virginia and Ohio, he says, was a cake made of corn heated as fine as the means at command would permit. This was mixed with water and baked on a flat stone which had been previously heated in the fire. The early hunters and trappers in this region followed the example of the Indians in making these cakes, which they called "Shawnee cakes" after the tribe. After a lapse of a few years "Shawnee cake" was corrupted into "Johnnycake" by those who did not know its origin and real meaning.

Washington Daybook

WASHINGTON—The capital in wartime: The rumor that Harry Hopkins will be appointed to a post outside the United States persists. There's nothing surprising about the rumor. Hopkins was the Dead End kid in the last Democratic convention. All the disgruntled delegates centered their wrath on Hopkins. Some of his closest friends are now saying that if the President is going to run for a fourth term, Hopkins shouldn't only be outside the White House, but outside the country. I think Harry agrees with them. Washington is all stirred up over the fact that T. V. Soons, Chiang Kai-shek's brother-in-law, China's foreign minister, and formerly chief contact between the United States and China on lend-lease, wasn't present at the Cairo conference. Chinese sources who will talk at all will tell you that it has nothing to do with international politics—it's purely a family affair. In other words, "T. V." as he is popularly known here, got a mild spanking for something that has nothing to do with anything outside the family circle. No seriously critical observers here think that the President's effort to kill "the New Deal" as a slogan was anything more than an effort to clarify the issues in the forthcoming campaign. Several times in the last few years, I have written in these columns that the "New Deal," per se, was dead. What the President apparently was trying to do was to bury it. Some months ago, an off-the-record session with one of the President's right-hand men produced this comment: "Times have changed. There isn't any longer need for social legislation. The only objective now is to win the war and cement the peace. After that maybe there will be a need to fight again for social legislation. If there is, that will be the new, new deal." Of all those in capital officialdom who are paying least attention to rumors of peace febrility from Germany, the War, Navy and State departments top the list. Any mention of such consideration in those quarters gets nothing but a loud guffaw. If you can get them down to a serious

Hollywood Sights And Sounds

By ROBBIN COONS
HOLLYWOOD—One pump-mistress said, "Yes, we have no more gas for today." A sign at another filling station said, "Today's allowable sold." The attendant at a third said jovially, "Better get a horse." So we got to thinking of more ways not to use gasoline we didn't have, and that led to today's essay, which is on horses which also we don't have. First horse I remember in the movies was the late Mabel Normand's mount in "Mickey." Mabel did something which at the time (1918) was a novelty, I believe. She dressed up in the missing jockey's colors and rode lickety-split to win the race, the purse, and the man. Now it's a novelty when the heroine doesn't sub for the jockey at the last minute. If anybody tells me the horse Mabel rode was one of those mechanical horses they use for racing close-ups now, I won't listen. It was a grand race in "Mickey" and I won't have it spoiled, not even by seeing the film again. Though the racetracks hereabouts are inactive, horses still get a big play in pictures. There's a horse in "Buffalo Bill" named Steel which could well steal the picture. Mickey Rooney, who made "Stablemates" with Wallace Beery in 1938—and the two were anything but mates—will make "National Velvet" from the best-seller. The most touching horse picture (despite two versions of "Black Beauty") was last year's "My Friend Flicka," which will have a sequel in "Son of Flicka." Starless Night, the trained horse, will be one of the acts in "Sensations of 1944." Clark Gable once played second fiddle to a horse. It was in a picture called "Sporting Blood" in 1931, before MGM understood that Gable was not for horse opera. The greatest horse thrills ever filmed, in my memory, were the chariot race in "Ben Hur," with Ramon Novarro and Francis X. Bushman (or their doubles) at the reins, the cliff leap in "Jesse James," Tyrone Power's double up, and the mass horseplay of "The Charge of the Light Brigade." Tony the late Tom Mix's steed, must have been the screen's most famous horse. I always have to look up the names of the horses that go with Gene Autry, Roy Rogers, Ken Maynard, Don Barry, Bill Boyd and others, but "Tom Mix and Tony" made an unforgettable combination. A real novelty (if anybody were foolish enough to try it) would be a western without a horse. The dullest horse picture I ever saw (except for the fine white horses) was "Florian," in which Robert Young not only played second fiddle to horses but their groom as well. The horses were almost good enough to stomp the rest, but not quite.



Chapter 7
Somehow Julie was too stunned to cry. She managed to get back into her dress and pack her bags. Her hands were icy and trembling as she lifted the phone from the cradle and called the hotel desk. "This is Julie Brampton," she heard her own voice saying. "Please give me the amount of my bill." She remembered she had two ten dollar bills and a few singles in her purse when she paid her luncheon check. At least she could get out of the hotel. Marek had said last night at dinner, "You better get a place in Studio Village within walking distance of the studio. With gas rationing on it's the smart thing to do." At the time she hadn't given it a thought. The bellboy came up for her bags. After the door to her room was closed and she was following him down the hall she heard her phone ring. She knew it was Marek. Her first impulse was to run back—to tell him what had happened. But she pushed the idea from her mind. He would insist on lending her money and she didn't want that. She would find a cheap room some place. The cab driver rubbed his chin and looked thoughtful when Julie asked about a rooming house in Studio Village. "I know one place," he said. "If they ain't filled up. Rooms are pretty scarce out there since Empire Aircraft opened." The wide, four-lane road to the valley was teeming with traffic as the swing-shift workers poured in a steady stream along it. Julie drew her mother's letter from her purse and looked at it again. "I'm going to go to Aunt Edna's for the present and close the big house. Mr. Cooper is trying to sell

"I think a room-mate might be fun," Kay Morris said after a quick, bright look at Julie. "Come up and look the place over." Julie shuddered a little inwardly as she looked around at the cheap modern furnishings. But the apartment was bright and sunny. "It isn't the Biltmore," Kay shrugged cheerfully, "but it is clean and new and the landlady's an old dear." "Yes—that helps, doesn't it?" Julie stood confused and frightened. Could she possibly live in this garish place with this talkative girl in green slacks? "Rent's not bad for now," she girl was running on. "Fifty a month. We could go fifty-fifty." The mention of money, Julie's mind lapsed again into panic. "Does that have to be—is that in advance?" "Two weeks is the custom," Kay said. "That would be \$12.50 for me." Julie opened her purse, and her trembling fingers counted. She had only six dollars and some small change left. She stood there looking at the bills and then up at Kay's puzzled face. "I haven't got that much," she said. A laugh shook her—ended in a sob. She went abruptly into violent hysterics. Kay put an arm around her and led her to a studio couch. She soothed her with calm, light hearted assurances, and finally listened to Julie's story. Kay grinned when Julie had finished. "But we can work something out. Wait here a minute I'll be right back." When Kay came back she was folding a slip of paper. She put it in Julie's hand. "That takes care of your rent for two weeks. The landlady thinks you paid it so don't tell her otherwise." "But I can't let you do that!" Julie cried. "You can't sleep in the park," Kay grinned. "Of course, I'll soon be starting at the studio—"

"I gave that studio business a whirl when I first came out here," Kay said, "Don't hold your breath until they call you." "But Marek said—" Julie started. "I know they mean well, but they don't reckon time like the rest of us do. Now listen, kiddo. Get a job." "But I've never worked!" Julie said. "Neither had hundreds of others until this war started. But they're working now and doing a good job. Empire's hiring gobs of girls every day and paying good money to start." "You mean—work in an aircraft factory?" "Why not? I've been doing it for almost a year now and I haven't wasted away." Before the belligerent light on Kay's face, Julie's misery ebbed. "Well—if you think they'd have me—" she murmured uncertainly. To be continued

The Thrill That Comes Once In A Lifetime



Tracks in the snow. Tomorrow—Good Samaritans.

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS
1. In favor of
2. Taste of liquid
3. Monkey
4. Willow
5. English river
6. Headpiece
7. Waggonian
8. Herbie
9. Rodent
10. Coast
11. Football players
12. Waver
13. Female sand-
14. Operatic song
15. Sour
16. Indian mul-
17. Cut with acle-
18. Upright part of a stair
19. Shipworm
20. Vessel for heating liquid
21. This springs eternal
22. Vegetable
23. Herbie
24. Literary frag-
25. Altrushia
26. Not at home
27. Mascot
28. Name
29. Restrain
30. Tear
31. Oily substances
32. Marine fish
33. Takes away
34. Trigonometri-
35. Fear Gyns
36. mother
37. Vain fall
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56. Perform
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61. Gray with age
62. English river
63. Silkworm
64. Engrossed
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65. Fear Gyns
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WANT TO BUY five or six-room house; give description, location and price. See or write G. R. Simmons, Box 1664, Big Spring. WILL pay cash for small improved farm near town. Write Box B, % Herald.

Elmo Lowe Speaks At ABC Meeting
Walker Bailey was in charge of the meeting held at the Settles hotel Friday by the American Business club, and introduced Elmo Lowe, special field representative of the American Red Cross, who is now conducting a course in Big Spring in home and farm safety and accident prevention.

In his talk to the business club Lowe pointed out "Accidents constitute the seventh column on the home front." As an example he explained that the United States lost one full production week because of accidents.

He stated that there were 93,000 accident fatalities in 1943 and that 31,500 of that number occurred in the home. Through safety education over 300,000 lives have been saved in the past 13 years.

Lowe recommended as an improvement to the situation an

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tensive course in safety practices. During the meeting Dr. Preston R. Sanders renewed affiliation with the club and Otis Grafe and J. H. Greene were included as guests.

The club was divided into two groups for programs and other activities, and committees were named to edit the club bulletin for the following week.

Around 30 persons attended the meeting.

More than 12,000 gallons of gasoline are consumed in training one U. S. airplane pilot for military service.

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Public Records
Marriage Licenses
Roy Newland and Mrs. Alta Solomon, both of Big Spring.
D. L. Fleming of Knott route 1 and Miss Adele Davis of Ackery route 1.
Warranty Deeds
J. C. Okeefe and wife to Ruby Lee Atkinson, lots 4 and 5, block 2, Sunset addition, \$650.
Minnie Slaughter Veal and husband to Bertha Keune and husband, north one-fourth of section 42, block 32, Township 3N, T & P. Ry. Co. survey, 319.8 acres, one-half mineral interests, \$7,995.

Repps Gular and wife to George Oldham, all of block 5, Edwards Heights addition, except west 150 feet, \$437.
J. S. Clay and J. G. Clay, Jr., and wife to Modesta Good Simpson and husband, east one-half, northeast one-fourth, section 22, block 33, Tap 3N, T & P Ry. Co. survey, in Howard and Borden counties, 85.950 acres, one-half mineral interests, \$2,378.50.
G. C. Heffington and wife to Andrew Luce, lot 4, block 16, Jones Valley addition, \$10 and other considerations.

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Organizers To Form Class In Engineering

Organizational meeting for a course in safety engineering which will be financed by the federal government and sponsored by Texas Technological college will be conducted at 7:30 o'clock Monday night in the district courtroom, Walker Bailey, county superintendent, announced.

The course is one of the national engineering, science and management war training courses being offered in various cities un-

der auspices of colleges. W. C. Blankenship, Big Spring schools superintendent; J. H. Greene, chamber of commerce manager; Otto Peters of Cosden refinery, and Bailey will conduct the meeting Monday night. Peters will teach the course.

Persons who have applied or who are ~~being~~ ^{planned} to apply to attend the organizational meeting. Persons engaged in vital work and who are supervisors of as many as five persons are eligible.

Radio To Dramatize Heroic Marine

SAN DIEGO, Calif., Jan. 29 (AP) — The story of William D. Hawkins, 30, El Paso, Tex., Marine lieutenant for whom a leatherneck airfield was named, will be dramatized next Wednesday on the Halls of Montezuma radio program.

The strip on Betio Island in the Gilberts was named in his honor in recognition of his courage in clearing a pier and enabling Marines to advance and capture the atoll. Hawkins was killed in the action.

Details of Hawkins' fight for the pier will be related by Lt. Lawrence Vlack, 35, Brookfield, Ill., who was with him. The broadcast will be carried over the Mutual system at 6:30 p. m., Central War Time, February 2.

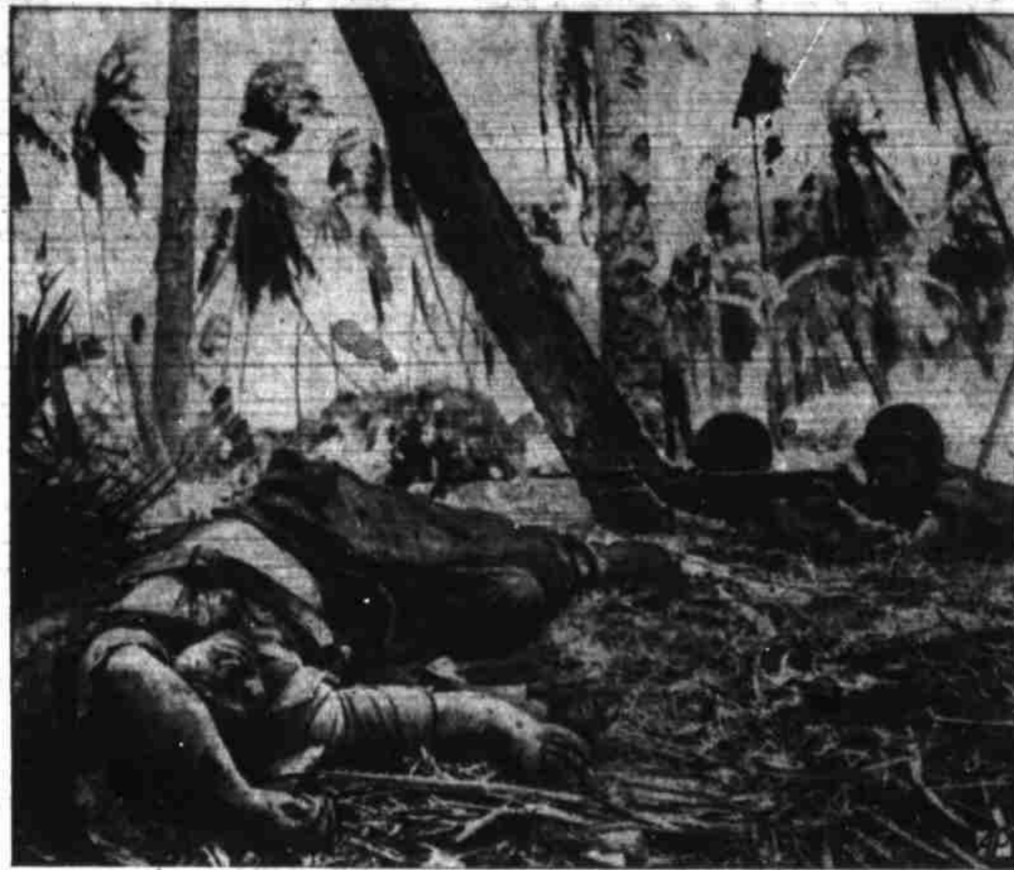
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MOVABLE WAR PLANT — Mrs. Julia Briggs (left), day foreman, examines endless high speed machine belts made by Mrs. Mary Smith of the night shift in unique Cromwell, Conn., war plant. Hand looms were set up in a store on Cromwell's main street by the Russell Manufacturing Co. of nearby Middletown to solve transportation difficulties for village housewives.



Recruit Commander Visits B'Spring

A visit to Big Spring was made Saturday by Maj. E. E. Lee, new commanding officer of the West Texas recruiting and induction district, with headquarters at Lubbock.

The visit was not his first in Big Spring. Major Lee has been in the drug business in Corsicana many years and has been in Big Spring a few times. Among his first acquaintances in Texas was Shine Phillips, Big Spring druggist and author of the book "Big Spring," whom he visited Saturday.

Major Lee visited the recruiting station in the basement of the federal building. He plans to go to Big Spring Bombarrier school when he returns to Big Spring in a few days.

The officer was stationed at Lafayette, La., as commander of the induction station before going to Lubbock. He previously had been stationed at Abilene and Santa Fe, N. M. He succeeded Col. Marvin C. Burrette at Lubbock. Colonel Burrette was transferred to Fort Brown at Brownville. Colonel Burrette and Major Lee received their commissions at the same time at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., on Nov. 27, 1917.

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WLB Announces New Members

DALLAS, Jan. 29 (AP) — The Eighth Regional War Labor Board today announced the appointment of Dr. T. O. Walton, former president of Texas A&M College, and Wales H. Madden, Amarillo attorney, as public members of the board.

At the same time Board Chairman Floyd McGown announced that Garland R. Farmer, Henderson (Texas) newspaper publisher, a public member, has been named a full-time vice chairman of the regional WLB.

Farmer, who publishes the Henderson Times, has been serving as a public member of the regional board since March 1, 1943. Previously he served as a special mediation representative for the national board and then as a public panel member of the regional board.

Dr. Walton, president of Texas A&M from 1925 until the latter part of 1943, has not been previously connected with the WLB.

Madden was appointed a public panel member in March, 1943, and has served on numerous labor dispute hearings.

Appointment by the national board of Dr. Walton and Madden brings to eight the number of members on the public side of the regional tripartite board. The region covers Texas, Oklahoma and Louisiana, with members from each state.

Mrs. William Dyess Is Masquers Guest

HOLLYWOOD, Jan. 29 (AP) — In observance of one of her husband's last wishes, Mrs. William Dyess, widow of the gallant flier whose account of Japanese cruelties in Philippine prison camps has infuriated the nation, was guest at a Masquers club party for servicemen tonight.

Shortly before his death in a P-38 crash in Burbank, Calif., last month, the Albany, Tex., flier had twice been a guest at the regular Saturday night servicemen's party of the Masquers, a club of show people.

"We must have another party at the Masquers," he told his wife.

Joining the widow in remembrance of Lt. Col. Dyess were 200 pilots and bombardiers from Santa Ana army air base, guests at a dinner and entertainment. Speakers included the flier's friends, actors Charles Coburn and Edward Arnold, and Capt. Samuel C. Grashio, Spokane, Wash., a member of Col. Dyess' squadron, who also escaped from a Japanese prison camp in the Philippines.

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Mechanization Of Cotton Is New Suggestion

AUSTIN, Jan. 29 (AP) — Dr. A. B. Cox, University of Texas cotton marketing expert, in a statement today suggested mechanizing the cotton industry to reduce costs, save the industry, and increase both proceeds and employment.

Dr. Cox, director of the university's bureau of business research said that "the trouble with the cotton industry now is that it has not kept pace with other industries in discovering and adopting labor saving devices."

"History shows clearly that in the long run mechanization creates more jobs than it destroys, for it increases production," he said.

Production cost of cotton is estimated by the U.S. Department of Agriculture at \$20.29 per acre, Dr. Cox said, compared to \$10 for wheat and \$14.83 for corn.

Cost of cultivation and hoeing, and of harvesting is \$12.10 for cotton, ninety cents for wheat, and \$5.40 for corn.

"If cotton growers could reduce costs on these two items to the corn level — \$5.40 — through mechanization, the cost of producing cotton would be reduced to \$10.69 per acre," Dr. Cox concluded, "and cotton would become the most attractive major crop in this nation."

Sheats Announces Sermon Subject

"A Furnished Upper Room" will be the subject of a sermon to be delivered by the Rev. Homer Sheats, pastor of the Assembly of God church at services this morning.

On the noon broadcast he will speak on "Solving the Delinquency Question" and his evening sermon topic will be "Thou Art Not Far From the Kingdom."

A broadcast known as the Boys and Girls Quarter Hour was started recently and is heard each Saturday from 1 to 1:15 p. m.

The pastor also announced that a revival meeting would be held at the church starting February 6th with the Rev. A. C. Bates of Fort Worth in charge.

FDR PLEASED

BUENOS AIRES, Jan. 29 (AP) — President Roosevelt has expressed his pleasure at Argentina's severance of diplomatic relations with the Axis by sending a note to President Pedro Ramirez, the foreign office disclosed today.

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Course Scheduled On Selective Service

DALLAS, Jan. 29 (AP) — A program sponsored by the war department, selective service and the Office of Civilian Defense is soon to be launched for the assistance of prospective army inductees. R. E. Smith, director, eighth regional Office of Civilian Defense, said today.

The course will provide inductees with information regarding the operation of selective service, process of induction, nature of military training (particularly in its early stages at reception cen-

ters and replacement training), army classification procedures, the general nature of army life, services available to service men and their dependents, and the kind of war we are fighting. Meetings for the pre-induction course will be open to relatives and friends of selectees, said Smith.

Ensign R. D. Hatch, Jr., who is stationed at Norfolk, Va., is spending several days here visiting his mother, Mrs. R. D. Hatch, and his parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Vines.

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