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ALLIES FASHION NEW TRAP

French Troops Cut Nazi Escape Route At Toulon Sector

By NOLAND NORGAARD

ROME—(AP)—French troops of the Seventh Army have fully encircled Toulon by land, cutting the last escape route for German garrison forces still resisting inside the fixed fortifications of the big Mediterranean base, Allied Headquarters announced Tuesday.

While an Allied naval armada offshore and land batteries on the north hurled shells against enemy strongpoints, the French infantrymen advanced through the outskirts of the Southern France Port in house to house fighting.

American troops meanwhile swept steadily Westward well to the Northwest of Toulon in a drive which, unless halted, soon will isolate Marseille, France's second city. French forces were within eight miles of Marseille on the East.

Still other American spearheads on the East reached points 60 miles inland, and headquarters announced the Allied grip on Southern France now had been expanded to more than 2,000 square miles—an area more than double that of the beachhead late last week.

A substantial extension of Allied territory was reported on the North with American troops capturing the towns of St. Julien and Barreme in the Alps, 35 and 43 miles Northwest of Cannes.

Marseille Matter Of Hours

Encirclement of Marseille appeared to be a matter of hours. From the last announced point of advance West of Aix-en-Provence the Americans needed to strike less than a dozen miles Southwest to get astride the costal roads West of the big port.

After occupying the important communications center of Aix-en-Provence, 15 miles due North of Marseille, American doughboys still were charging on and by midday Monday were two miles along the road to the West.

North of Aix-en-Provence, which commands a trunk highway leading directly South into Marseille, a Seventh Army column advancing Westward along the South bank of the Durance river reached the vicinity of Le Puy Monday and managed to retain some contact with an enemy force retreating toward the Rhone valley, 30 miles distance.

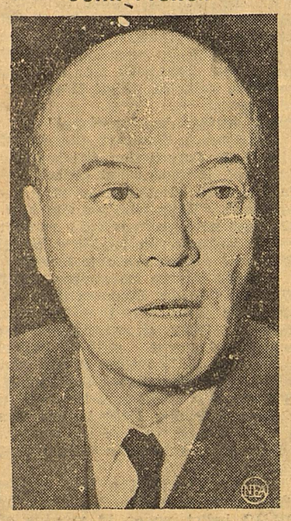
Rout Complete

The rout of the scattered Nazi forces was so complete in Southern France, however ,that the Allied command called off the warplanes which had been bombing and strafing available enemy targets and sent them back to their former job of smashing enemy communications in Northern Italy and the Balkans.

Sweeping across the Durance Valley Northeast of Aix-en-Provence, forward American forces reached Grambois and Manosque in their Westward sweep. They also were reported to have enveloped the city of Valensole, 50 miles inland and approximately a third of the way to Lyon.

Four miles Northeast of Toulin's outskirts the French captured the fortress of Coudon.

Joins French



William C. Bullitt, 53, above, former U. S. ambassador to France, who was refused active duty twice because of his age by Secretary of War Stimsor, has joined the French army as a commandant, equivalent to a major in the American Army

Pvt. R. L. Henson Wounded In France

A telegram has been received by Robert L. Henson from the War Department saying his son, Alton L. Henson, was seriously wounded in France July 28.

Private Henson entered the Army in 1942. He is a former student of the Courtney school.

Lt. Winston H. Lence Promoted To Captain

Lt. Winston H. Lence, operations and special service officer at Midland Municipal Airport, has been promoted to captain. The promotion was effective as of August 15.

He was transferred here in December 1943 from the Fifth Ferrying Group at Dallas as engineering officer.

Acres Not Limited In Sudan Grass Subsidy

Farmers can now receive payment of $3.50 an acre for an unlimited number of acres of sudan grass harvested for seed, W. E. Pigg, chairman of the Midland County Agricultral Conservation Association, announced Tuesday.

Under previous regulations farmers could receive payment for only 25 acres harvested for seed.

Vichy Government Moves To Another City

LONDON—(AP)—The Vichy government is transferring its seat to another city, the German-controlled Vichy radio declared Tuesday, but did not disclose the identity of the site.

Japs Trying Nazi Tricks In Orient

By J. B. KRUEGER
Associated Press War Editor

Japan's foreign minister, falling back on a familiar Nazi propaganda strategem, has called on East Asia's subjugated peoples to support a Nipponese "war of life or death" against Allied forces forces pressing in from every direc-pressing in from every direction.

With crushing defeats in the Marianas and New Guinea, plus hard blows from submarines and Superfortresses, to prompt him, Foreign Minister Mamoru Shigemitsu broadcast that "For East Asia this is a war of life or death which we are compelled to fight for our own existance and independence."

Shigemitsu's appeal for help copied a Nazi idea my declaring "It is the aim of our enemies to hold Asia in permanent bondage and exploit it indefinitely."

Cabinet Discusses Raids

The Japanese Cabinet meanwhile met and earnestly discussed Sunday's two Superfortress raids on the Japanese homeland, Tokyo said.

Shigemitsu spoke against a background of new American air blows from the Kuriles North of Japan to Hamahera, 3,500 miles to the South. They were softening the way for new invasions.

Halmahera was hit with 110 tons of bombs Sunday. Boeroe, another island in the Molucca group standing guard over the Southern Philippines, caught 95 tons Saturday and lost eight planes on the ground. Interception was absent. General MacArthur declared "The battle for air supremacy of the Moluccas is rapidly approaching a definite conclusion." Supremacy would ease invasion of the Philippines.

Warplanes Raid Yap

To the Northwest Yap Island emerged as a new target for concentrated attack. Tokyo broadcast that about 20 Allied aircraft raided the island Monday in a follow-up to a Sunday attack. Adm. Chester W. Nimitz additionally announced that Yap, once important as a cable and coaling center, was hit Saturday by Central Pacific bombers for the first time.

Truk in the Carolines, Pagan and Alamagan in the Marianas, Two Atolle in the Marshalls, Paramushiro in the Kuriles, and lonely Nauru Island near the Gilberts were other air targets.

Nimitz announced that 44,956 Japanese troops were killed in defending Guam, Saipan and Tinian in the Marianas. This was more than ten times the number of Americans slain, 4,470.

Japan poured more strength into its Hunan offensive against unflagging Chinese resistance. There was no indication Japan was much nearer its goal of seizing the 170-mile gap it needs for full control of the Hankow-Canton railroad.

WEED "UNHORSES" CYCLIST

W. A. Rausch of McPherson, Kan., was thrown from his bicycle and injured seriously when a tumbleweed stem jammed through the spokes and locked the front wheel.

Storm Bearing Rains Indicated For Lower Gulf Coast Of Texas

By The Associated Press

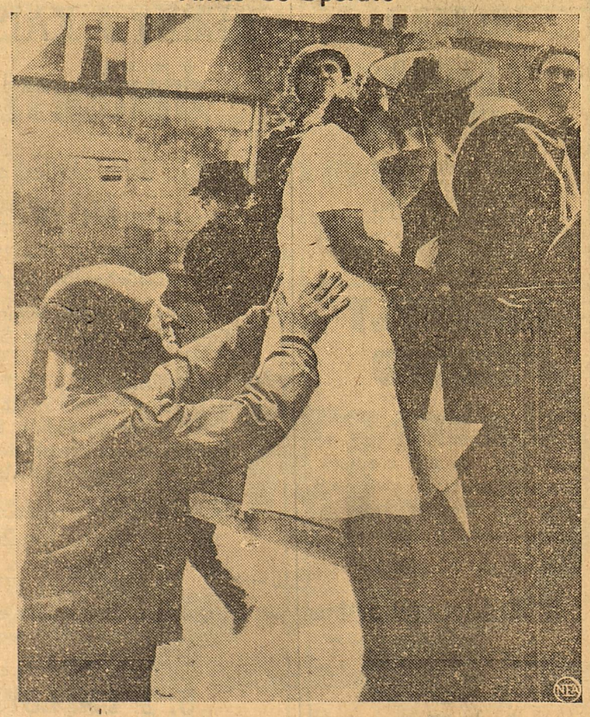
A small gulf storm attended by squalls winds estimited at nearly 50 miles an hour, but bearing drouth-breaking rains, headed toward the Lower Texas Coast Tuesday where it was expected to strike near Brownsville.

State police in the area were alerted for possible storm duty as the latest weather bureau advisory plotted the storm's movement. Northeast storm warnings were up from Brownsville to Matagorda.

Planes and men on Texas lower coastal air fields had been moved inland as a precaution. Property owners had boarded up. Disaster agencies were on the alert.

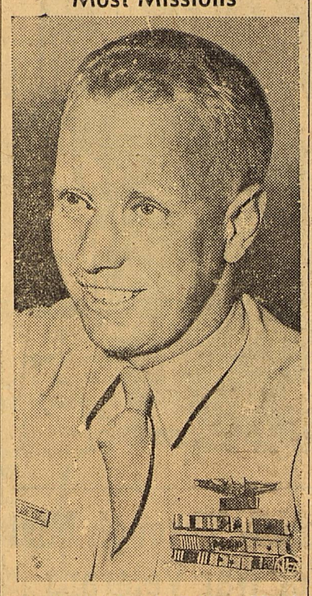
Rain struck Brownsville in gusts early Tuesday and slacked off toward mid-morning as the rich lower Rio Grande Valley awaited the blow. Showers Tuesday throughout the valley broke a summer drouth and offered the possibility of relief of a critical water shortage.

Allies Co-Operate



Allied land and sea forces co-operate in combined operations as S/Sgt. William Rosenblum of Brooklyn, N. Y. C., gives a French girl a boost while she climbs on truck to kiss her sailor boy friend goodby. He left unidentified French town with civilian refugees.

Most Missions



Tech.-Sgt. Lewis Coburn, 26, of Niagara Falls, N. Y., has distinction of completing 107 aerial missions in all war theaters, more than any other Army Air Corps member. A veteran of seven years, Coburn has been awarded 17 decorations.

C-N Lea Wildcat Cored Some Signs Of Oil And Gas

By JAMES C. WATSON,
Oil Editor

Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 1-O State, 660 feet from the north and 1,980 feet from the west lines of section 1-12s-34e, wildcat in Central-North Lea County, New Mexico, slightly northwest of Tatum, had a good oil odor and slight shows of oil and gas in a core at 4,989-94 feet, in a lime section.

Recovery from the five-foot horizon was four and one-half feet of the section. Likely the operator will core ahead. Top of the lime, according to unofficial sources, was at 4,140 feet. Elevation is 4,150 feet.

Oil In Williams Extension

Humble No. 1-C Williams, section 19, block 119, GC&SF survey, about one-half mile northwest of the discovery for Yates sand production in the Williams pool, about ten miles northwest of Fort Stockton in Pecos County, had cored from 2,807 feet to the present total depth of 2,879 feet, and found varying amounts of oil and gas shows in sand, and in sand streaked with shale.

The formation was explored in four cores and each of them had petroleum evidences. Operator is preparing to run a drillstem test.

Mid-Continent Petroleum Corporation No. 1-11 University, 1,983.65 feet from the west and 660 feet from the north lines of the north half of section 29, block 13, University survey, in Northwest Andrews County, is a new wildcat location, which will be drilled to 9,000 feet, or pay in the Silurio-Devonian zone, somewhere between 8,400-8,600 feet.

Another In Silurio-Devonian

The new prospector is 1,850 feet southwest of the same owner's No. 1-7 University, in section 20, block

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Materiel Disposal Receiving Interest

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Twenty-two amendments to the Surplus War Property Disposal Bill confronted the House Tuesday as leaders again sought a vote on the measure by nightfall.

There seemed no limit to the abundance of ideas about the disposition of a hundred billion dollars worth of excess war equipment and the reason after a week's argument, boiled down to this:

Ane group wants the Administrator to have unlimited power to get rid of what the Armed Forces don't need.

Another group says one-man rule is all right, now that the "board" idea has been ruled out, but there should be tight restrictions on methods.

Senate Expects Report

Mixed in between are those who want small business helped; those who want to specify that farm areas get a break; those who insist on priorities for this or that group deemed in the public interest.

The Senate expects to report late Tuesday a Surplus Property Disposal Bill sharply differing from the House version.

The subject of surplus property also occupied the House Committee on Postwar Military Policy. Chairman Woodrum (D-Va) resumed hearings to find out from the Army first, the Navy next, what the armed forces feel they should retain and what is going to be junked, in the way of war material.

Red Troops Renew Drive On Warsaw

MOSCOW—(AP) Russian troops stormed across the Bug River Northeast of Warsaw Tuesday in a grave new flanking threat in the prolonged siege of the Polish capital and battled hastily mustered German reserves on the West bank of the river.

The forcing of the Bug, which flows into the Vistula 28 miles above Warsaw, posed a threat to cross the larger river. Marshal Konstantin Rokossovsky's regrouped and reinforced group of armies pushed two Russian columns toward the confluence of the streams. He pushed ahead against furious German counterattacks from 50 recaptured villages in what appeared to be the most serious threat to Warsaw in nearly two weeks.

An Izestia dispatch from "Northeast of Praga," the industrial eastern suburb of the Polish capital, and the Germans had introduced a new tank division from Italy and several divisions from other sectors, including Germany itself.

Nazi Tanks Attack

Nazi counterattacks were reported strongly supported by their air force, by large concentrations of artillery and by groups of 100 to 120 tanks which came in "wave after wave, ten or 12 times a day," Izvestia said.

Another and growing threat to Warsaw was in the Sandomierz regian across the Vistula 100 to 110 miles Southeast. The survival of only 1,550 prisoners, with the final killing of 12,000 in the Sandomierz trap where three divisions were encircled, was considered confirmation of the great shrinkage in Hitler's divisions.

(The German communique said strong Russian tank and infantry forces were of the offensive in Romania, attacking Southwest of Tiraspol and between the Prut and Sereth rivers.)

Villages Are Burned

Red Star, in a dispatch datelined "At the German border' 'where the Russians last week reached the frontier, said:

"The enemy is dislodged from his last lines. We repulsed him beyond the river on the other side of the

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Wallace Says Key To Economic Prosperity Is Full Employment

AUSTIN—(AP)—Business, agriculture, labor and industry working co-operatively can maintain foll employment after the war and careful management can avoid ruinous inflation, Vice President Henry Wallace declared here Monday night.

Speaking at a dinner which ended a two-day visit to the Texas capital, Wallace sketched some postwar economic prospects based on figures which he said were "conservative."

"The figures came from the Department of Commerce," he added with a grin.

Makes Predictions

In two years following the war if production is at the 1940 level there will be 19,000,000 unemployed, he recited. On the other hand if there are only 7,000,000 unemployed the net income of agriculture, after taxes and other expenses, will be only one-half of what it is now.

"If we have full employment we will have a national income of $150,000,000,000 in 1947 and with that income we can carry the public and private debt as easily as we carried these debts in the 1920's," he declared.

He said the key to economic prosperity is full employment and business men will not be a shortsighted as they were at the end of the last war, although honest differences of opinion exist as to what methods should be used in control on the economy.

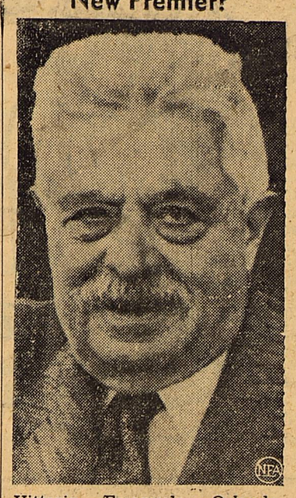
House Kills Civilian Worker Compensation

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The House Ways and Means Committee Tuesday struck from the Senate-approved Demobilization and Reconversion Bill all provisions for postwar retraining an reemployment of civilian workers.

The action eliminates, subject to future House action, the Senate provision for transportation costs of up to $200 for return of migrated workers an dtheir families "to the location of their bonafide residence."

This does not, however, disturb the wartime retraining and reemployment program created by executive order and headed by Brig. Gen. Frank T. Hines. Likewise retraining and reemployment of war veterans were not disturbed.

New Premier?



Vittorio Emanuele Orlando, above, 84-year-old World War I Italian premier and delegate to the Versailles Peace Conference, may replace Ivanoe Bonomi, head of Italy's Liberal government, which faces fight for existence as it assumes control of Rome.

Gestapo Arrests Marshal Petain At Vichy Hotel

GENEVA—(AP)—Marshal Philippe Petain was reported Tuesday to have been arrested by the Gestapo Sunday at the Parc Hotel in Vichy.

Advices from Vichy said Petain was not given time to shave before being taken to a destination not yet known.

Taken into custody along with him, these reports said, were Bernard Menetrel, his private secretary, and several other members of his staff.

These were said to include a General Bridoux (possibly Lt. Gen. Eugene Bridoux, secretary of state for war) in the Laval Government; an Admiral Blehaut, and a man named Rochat, identified as general secretary of the ministry of foreign affairs.

Wrote Letter To French

(A broadcast by the Swiss radio heard in London said that before leaving Petain wrote a short letter of farewell to his friends. Copies were said to be in circulation in France).

Reports from the French underground said that the Maquis who were attacking Vichy at about the time of the seizures, had actually taken parts of the provisional capital and were arresting collaborationists.

The swift reported action of the Gestapo seemed an indication that the Germans placed no trust in the Marshal.

Vichy Regime "Finished"

The most reliable sources said that Petain refused a German request to go with Pierre Laval, chief of government, to the new provisional capital of Belfort, and that the old barshal was summarily arrested by force. Where he is was not known absolutely, although most guesses were that he is in Germany. Thus the old chief of state became officially what he has been in effect for a long time—a prisoner of the Nazis.

The Vichy regime is "finished" the Basel National Zeitung commented. The Swiss minister to Vichy is returning home and relations concerning France will henceforth be conducted through Berlin.

Nazis Reported Surrendering "By Platoons"

By WES GALLAGHER

SHAEF—(AP)—Four Allied armies in slicing offensives gaining up to 10 miles rolled disorganized Germans back upon the bridgeless lower Seine River Tuesday, fashioning a vast new pocket between Falaise and the American bridgehead flung over the river Northwest of Paris.

Canadian, British, and American armies struck Eastward in this enveloping push, and the U. S. Third Army crunched in from the other flank in a drive toward the sea. The heavily-bled German Seventh Army struggled frantically to pull across the looping Seine River by boat.

Front line dispatches declared the enemy was so disorganized he had been unable to make any coordinated stand or launch strong counter-thrusts.

The U. S. Third Army was hitting Westward and Northward from the bridgehead at Mantes 25 miles Northwest of Paris. Here it could strike also above the Seine into the rocket gun Pas de Calais coast.

Canadian Army Advances

The Canadian First Army advanced four to 10 miles on a broad front between the sea and Argentan. Belgian units took Cabourg on the Dives Estuary, 16 miles across water from Le Havre. Dutchmen fought in the outskirts of Houlgate. British troops, gaining 10 miles, seized Gace, 15 miles East of Arfentan. The American First Army also was pounding in toward the Seine.

Germans trapped in the new pocket were surrendering "by platoons," a Canadian officer declared.

Thirty thousand prisoners had been taken in the Falaise trap, with thousands more throwing up their hands. The dead were yet uncounted and pocketed Germans had been virtually wiped out.

Front dispatches said Field Marshal Von Kluge presumably had pulled out a large part of his forces, but they were by no means saved as yet.

Supreme Headquarters gave no news of the bridgehead at Mantes-Gassicourt, or the one Southeast of Paris near Fountainebleau, where U. S. forces were but 30 miles from the historic Marne.

Nazis Lose Heavily

The Germans lost 30 tanks and 16 planes trying to protect forces fleeing North of the Seine above Mantes, front reports said. The Americans strengthened their grip here, and patrolled Southeastward toward Paris. Substantial gains were scored Southwest of Paris.

In the area of Dreux, 45 miles Southwest of Paris, Lt. Gen. George S. Patton's troops also tightened their flank positions against the Germans shaving back toward the sea and the Seine. The Germans had thrown up flank protection and were fighting vigorously along the Avre in that area.

The British Second Army and the American First Army were busy wiping out the last Germans in the pocket and there was a prospect that another 24 hours may see the end of the pocket entirely.

The Canadian push on a front of about 50 miles from the sea toward Argentan where it meets Patton's forces virtually was squeezing out the British Second and American First Army in present operations.

WAR AT A GLANCE

By The Associated Press

RUSSIA—Soviets cross Bug in flank threat against Warsaw; Germans evacuate Iasi in Romania.

ITALY— Allies completely occupy Florence.

FRANCE— Germans forced into new trap in West surrendering "by platoons"; retreat route for Nazi Toulon garrison sealed off; Marshal Petain reported arrested by Gestapo as Vichy government moved to Belfort.

CHINA— Japanese launch envelopment attempt against Chinese in Hengyang area; Chinese besiege Tengchung.

BURMA— Allies penetrating Western Burma fail to catch fleeing Japanese.

Senator O'Daniel Advocates Thoro Housecleaning

BIRMINGHAM, ALA. — (AP) — Senator W. Lee O'Daniel, long an outspoken critic of the Roosevelt administration, asserted in an address here Monday night that "What America needs most is a thorough housecleaning in Washington."

The Texas Senator spoke at a meeting of the American National Democratic Party of Alabama, a group which has nominated a slate of electors to oppose the regular party candidates in the November election.

O'Daniel declared that the present national administration contains elements which he said are "Trying to convert this government into a socialized, communized, regimented and centralized dictatorship."

"Your only opportunity to break up this ring is to vote their leader out of office."

Road To Berlin

By The Associated Press

Russian Front: 322 miles (measured from eastern suburbs of Warsaw.)

Northern France: 530 miles (measured from Seine bridgehead southeast of Paris.)

Italian Front: 603 miles (measured from Florence.)

Southern France: 670 miles (measured from Castellane.)

War Bulletins

LONDON—(AP)—The German communique said Tuesday Nazi lines in Northern France had been breached west of Lisieux.

LONDON —(AP)— The Allies have advanced into the fortress of Toulon, Berlin radio said Tuesday night.

SHAEF—(AP)—Allied forces have destroyed or damaged 1,200 German tanks in Western France since D-Day.

SHAEF—(AP)—At least 100,000 Germans will be accounted for in captured, killed and wounded when operations are completed in the Argentan-Falaise trap in Normandy, it was estimated Tuesday.

LONDON—(AP)—Iasi, fourth largest city of Romania, has been evacuated before a fresh Russian offensive in the south, the Germans announced late Tuesday.

William Stringer Killed In Normandy

LONDON—(AP)—William Stringer, 27, Texas-born war correspondent for Reuters, British News Agency, was killed while covering the advance o fthe U.S. First Army in France, it was announced officially Tuesday.

Details of Stringer's death were not known.

He was born in Teague, and was graduated from the University of Texas.

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O Lord, how manifold are Thy works; in wisdom hast Thou made them all: the earth is full of Thy riches.—Psalm 104:24.

Scholars And Dollars

"How you goin' to keep 'em down on the farm," a World War I ditty wanted to know, "after they've seen Paree?" Today the less metrical but more serious question is: How are you going to get them back to the little red school house, after they've had a taste of work at war wages?

It's a question that has American educators worried. High school enrollments have been dropping for three years. This spring they were off a million, or about 14 per cent, from the peak year of 1940-41. So, in an attempt to check the downward curve of enrollment, the United States Office of Education has announced a "Go-to-School" campaign for this fall.

The Office of Education realizes, however, that a national drive can do little more than call attention and point the way. The real work must be done in every community, according to local needs. These needs are varied and complex. Probably they are worst in "boom towns" where educational facilities have been unable to keep up with mushroom growth of population. The problems are grave in any industrial cities with labor shortages. But they exist in almost every community. For the problems are emotional as well as material.

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The war has forced responsibility and opportunity on older high school students. It has quickly pushed them into a semblance of maturity, brought new importance to them, new temptations. In many places youngsters have been offered adult work at adult wages and have left school to earn more than their fathers were making before the war.

Such youngsters are going to balk at exchanging their new personal and financial independence for the old humdrum and discipline of school. For in numerous communities their work, which has been of real value, is still going to be needed.

So a lot of school boards and city fathers are going to have to learn, if they haven't already, that the problem is going to require practicality rather than pious preachments. It may be necessary to combine war work and school work for the duration.

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But in the meantime an intelligent job will have to be done in reselling the youngsters on the value of schooling. They will have to be taught how the problems of readjustment and re-employment affect them. It may be hard to convince them that the time will come when jobs can't be picked like plums, when wages will be lower, and some job opportunities will carry educational requirements. But it must be done.

Money talks. School teachers and other civic leaders will just have to talk a little louder.

—Buy War Bonds And Savings Stamps—

Hot Issue, That George Bill

Any lack of a new, red-hot domestic issue to fight over in the presidential election campaign has now been taken care of by Senate passage of the George bill on reconversion policy. Major public interest in this bill was centered on the amounts of unemployment compensation to be paid discharged war plant workers, but that's only a smidgin of the stuff that's in this "War mobilization and Reconversion Act of 1944," to give it full title.

Senator Walter F. George's brain child represents a terrific beating for organized labor which through the A. F. of L., C. I. O. and railway brotherhoods backed the much more liberal Murray-Kilgore bill. Going now to the more reactionary House, the George bill, if revised at all, stands a good chance of being made even more conservative in committee and the only chance for getting a bill more to labor's liking will be through White House intervention.

From the war workers' point of view, what the George bill says in effect to labor, which has been averaging $45 a week, is: "When your war jobs fold, you will have to look to state unemployment insurance payments for relief, and there you will get from a minimum of $7 a week in some states to a minimum of $16 in others." The national average is about $12.

But as mentioned above, this is only one phase of controversy in the reconversion act. War agencies will be studying this legislation for days to find what it means for their future.

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Alien Corn

If Box Office, the entertainment publication, is correct, then we may have misjudged James Caesar Petrillo and the striking members of his American Federation of Musicians at Station KSTP in Minneapolis. For, according to a Box Office article, the stubbornness of the 12 striking musicians who are still out despite a WLB back-to-work order springs from deep esthetic roots.

It seems that the president of the Minneapolis local doesn't like hill-billy music. He wants year-round employment for his boys (which KSTP doesn't want to give) but he wants it to be "legit"—no corny concertos, no rustic rondos, mountain madrigals or bucolic boogie-woogie.

If KSTP will sign up or if President Roosevelt takes over the station and personally orders the boys to get in there and shuck that corn, the local's president will comply. But short of hat, nothing doing.

Perhaps from the standpoint of a serious musician with an allergy to hill-billy ballads, the Minneapolis union leader has justice on his side. As for Petrillo's reactions to all this, we can't say. After a perusal of the record, we can't discover whether Petrillo likes music of anysort.

Making The Introduction Formal



THE WAR TODAY

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
Associated Press War Analyst

General Sir Bernard Montgomery's glowingly optimistic message to the Allied armies under his command in Northwest France, declaring their victory over the Nazis "has been definite, complete and decisive," is in effect a call for the Coup de Grace—the "kill."

"Much still remains to be done," he says, "but it will now be done the more easily. x x x The end of the war is in sight. Let us finish off the business in record time."

Certainly the German hold on the vital English Channel Coast and the rest of Northern France is in grave jeopardy. The Fuehrer will have to retreat toward his own frontier—and a bloody business it will be, for the Allied air navies will have a field day.

Hitler Admits Defeat

Hitler has boldly admitted the magnitude of the German defeat. His own newspaper, Voelkischer Beobachter, says the Nazis are going to withdraw from a large section of France. The reason, states the paper, is to gain time pending a "revolution in German armament production."

The dictator's purpose in thus going on record is clear. It's another version of his frequently repeated promise that he will provide secret weapons which will win the war.

That was a threat which many folk treated lightly until Hitler produced the terrible robot bomb. Now there are few who question that the "Hitlerites" will bring further new weapons into play. They've been threatening the use of huge rocket bombs, and these may be one of the things Hitler has in mind. However, many observers have been fearing something much more terrible.

That's the use of poison gas.

Vacations At Home But Mails Cards

STATE COLLEGE, PA.—(AP)—Mrs. Rae F. Cronemeyers spent her vacation at home due to transportation difficulties but refused to pass up conventionality.

"Having a good time and wish you were here," said two dozen postal cards dispatched to friends.

All the blood in your body has to go through your lungs 2000 times each day.

Orderly Pattern Looms Through Mist To Provide Jobs For War Veterans

By MAX HALL

WASHINGTON—(AP)—If you had gone around asking people in Washington last winter what the government was going to do about helping war veterans get jobs, you'd have found answers few and far between.

But an orderly pattern has loomed through the mist. Apparently the government has the whole veteran situation fairly well in hand, and will be reasonably ready to greet the first big swarm of returning soldiers when Germany collapses.

The change began when Maj. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, the Selective Service director, reorganized his employment division, installed Col. Paul Griffith as chief and directed him to come to terms with the U.S. Employment Service.

Uses Has 1500 Offices

Cause of the deadlock was that although Congress had saddler Selective Service with the responsibility for employment of veterans, the U. S. Employment service, under Manpower Chairman Paul V. McNutt, was sitting there with 1,500 local offices, eager to do the job. For eleven years the USES had maintained a veterans' employment service with a representative in every local office.

A formal agreement was reached, dividing the work in this manner:

Selective Service sees that the veterans gets his old job back if the job is still there and if he wants it.

If he doesn't, the USES helps him get a new job.

However, if he wants to work for a railroad, he goes to the railroad retirement board; on a farm, to the county agricultural agent; or for the federal government, to the Civil Service Commission.

FDR Appointed Hines

President Roosevelt appointed Brig. Gen. Frank T. Hines as retraining and reemployment administrator and gave him power to supervise and direct the activities of all agencies relating to training and employment of veterans and war workers.

Congress then came up with the "G.I. Bill of Rights," creating several new benefits for veterans, and laying them in Hines' lap. The bill makes doubly sure that Hines is the employment boss by putting the Veterans Administrator at the head of a three-man board to determine the policy of the veterans' employment service of the U.S.E.S. The other members are McNutt and Hershey.

Much Work Remains

A good deal of organizational work remains, however. The Veterons Administration is still wrestling with interpreting those parts of the complicated "G. I. Bill" dealing with loans and education and not many communities have yet provided one central place where veterans can go for information and advice on all their problems, as recommended in the Baruch report.

Hines, in his order No. 1 as retraining and reemployment administrator, set up machinery for establishing such centers, locally financed. He also aimed at the same general objective by instructing each local office of Selective Service, USES, and Veterans Administration to serve as a clearing house for information on the services rendered by all three agencies.

This should make it easier for the veteran, but each agency alone is capable of handling technical details of its own service, and therefore nothing can prevent a certain amount of "buck-passing" from one office to another.

Rain seldom falls in upper Egypt.

Naval Boss



Vice-Adml. H. K. Hewitt, U. S. N., above, commands Allied naval forces participating in the invasion of southern France, and also is boss of all Allied naval forces operating in African waters.

Invasion Landings



American infantrymen debark from LCI on unopposed beach east of Toulon. (Signal Corps Photo via NEA Telephoto.)

Willkie Urges Party To Back Dumbarton Oaks Conference

By JACK BELL

ALBANY, N. Y.—(AP)—Wendell L. Willkie was said authoritatively here Tuesday to have urged John Foster Dulles, Gov. Thomas E. Dewey's foreign affairs agent, to rally Republican support behind efforts to make the Washington Postwar Security Conference a success.

Dulles, who exchanged views with Willkie in New York Monday, has arranged to meet with Senators Arthur Vandenberg of Michigan and Warren R. Austin of Vermont in Washington Wednesday before he presents Dewey's beliefs to Secretary of State Hull later that afternoon.

Dewey has made it plain that he opposes any permanent four-power alliance to dominate the world and wants small nations to have a voice in the international security organization for which representatives of the United States, Great Britain, Russia—and later China—may lay the groundwork at the current Dumbarton Oaks Conference.

Not To Interfere

Willkie, also an advocate of small nation representation, was reported to have urged on Dulles at their meeting that no move be made by the Republican presidential nominee or his friends that could be interpreted as interfering with the conference.

Willkie and Dulles were understood to have made no attempt at their meeting to reach a basic understanding on foreign policy and the 1940 presidential nominee was described as likely to continue to remain silent in the campaign for some time to come.

The two joined in issuing a statement after their conference which said only that they had reviewed various international problems bearing on a world peace organization in a talk "not animated by partisan consideration or having to do with any candidacy."

Florence Occupied By Allied Troops

ROME — (AP) — Florence has been completely occupied by Allied troops and Eigth Army patrols now are pushing out beyond the famed art center's northern outskirts, Gen. Sir Harold Alexander's headquarters announced Tuesday.

Aside from brisk patrol clashes and artillery duels, the only active sector of the Italian front continued to be the Adriatic area.

In the inland portion of this sector Italian troops captured Santa Maria Carpieneta, three miles west of Pergola.

Nearer the coast, Polish troops with tank support drove strong enemy resistance Northeast of Cerasa in a day-long battle. Enemy losses were heavy and the Poles took 100 prisoners.

The Eighth Army announced it had taken a total of 13,171 prisoners from May 11 to Aug. 1.

(The German communique said the Allies were mounting a new offensive in the Adriatic sector of Italy and had captured several heights. The Allies are near the Eastern outposts of the Gothic Line south of Rimini).

MOVES TO SUE

GRAY, IND.—(AP)—Mrs. Evelyn Wise, literally moved to sue for divorce, charged in a complaint filed in Superior Court that she and her husband, John, and their two children have had 18 different addresses in the last three years.

ONLY A MATTER

ROOSEVELT, UTAH—(AP)— The community wonders how Deweyville Utah stands on the 1944 presidential race.

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4,446 Strikes Reported In First Year Of War Labor Disputes Act

By JOSEPH A. LOFTUS

WASHINGTON—(AP)—In a year's operation of the War Labor Disputes (Smith-Connally) Act, designed to end wartime work stoppages, 4,446 strikes have occurred. The greater number of these have been of the impromptu variety, of which the act takes little account.

Most wartime strikes are, relatively, of the spontaneous variety. Few of them, like the coal strikes, follow the peacetime formula where a strong union leadership coolly plans to close down a plant the day the contract expires if demands for a new contract are not met.

The spontaneous strikes are tied to emotions and tempers involving the boss or the government, but sometimes are the result of local labor policies and rivalries, or ambitious, irresponsible, local leadership.

1,089 Strike Notices Filed

In any event, these strikes are not calmly considered 30 days in advance, either by the leaders or the rank and file. The law says that representatives of the employes shall notify three federal agencies of a dispute and that for 30 days thereafter production shall not be interrupted. On the thirtieth day the employes are to vote on whether they want to strike.

What actually happened?

Up to July 1 (a year and five days after the law was enacted), 1,089 strike-election notices were filed with the National Labor Relations Board. More than three-fourths of these were withdrawn before the end of the 30-day period. The NLRB conducted 232 polls. A majority voted to strike in all but 41 of these elections.

"Real Strikes Are Emotional"

Dr. John R. Steelman, director of the U. S. Conciliation Service, has observed, however, that strikes following such elections are very infrequent. "Those who use that procedure," he says, "generally weren't going to strike in the first place. The real strikes are emotional."

Official figures on strikes under the War Labor Disputes Act are available only for the first six months. They show that strikes which followed strike ballots amounted to less than 2 per cent of all the strikes during that period. The number of workers involved in strikes following NLB ballots was less than 3 per cent of the workers involved in all strikes during that period.

Compared with the 1089 notices filed and 191 strikes approved by NLRB ballot under 12 months of the law, 4,446 strikes actually occurred.

No Criminal Penalty

Even if the strikes were not spontaneous, there is virtually nothing to compel the filing of a 30-day notice. No criminal penalty has been provided. An employer or the government may file a civil suit and try to collect damages, but few, if any, such suits have been filed.

When a plant or property is in the hands of the government, that's a different story. The criminal provisions of the law then become operative. U. S. attorneys have completed 15 proceedings against 96 defendants, all of them involving coal mining in Pennsylvania, Kentucky, and Ohio. Convictions were obtained against 94 of the 96, although in only one case was a defendant required to serve time in jail.

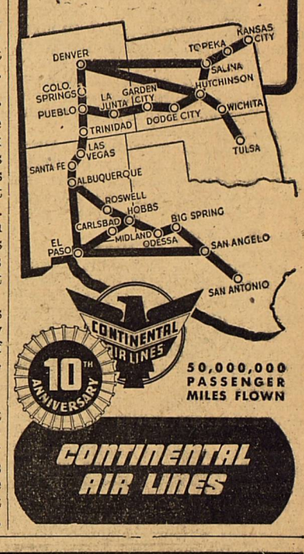
As a strike-deterrent, this section of the act has a value that is at best limited to cases where the government is the nominal employer. But the difficulties of taking over thousands of big and little plants are obvious.



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Society

Mrs. Simpson Gives Book Review For Members Of WSCS

All circles of the WSCS of the First Methodist Church met in the Scharbauer Building at 9:30 a. m. Monday for a coffee and book review. Mrs. R. P. Simpson reviewed "George Washington Carver," by Racham Holt.

Mrs. Simpson told how the book was a biography of the distinguished negro scientist, who made great discoveries in the field of chemurgy and scientific agriculture. He was born of slave parents in Missouri and after his mother's death, was brought up by a white family. His youth was spent in wandering from place to place, working at various occupations, in order to earn money for an education. In 1896 he went to Tuskegee, where he became famous for his work with the peanut and sweet potato, from which he produced hundreds of by-products.

To her vivid account of Dr. Carver's life and work, Mrs. Holt gives the subtitle, "An American Biography." This is a modest understatement, for the book is not only the story of a great American and of a great scientist but, indirectly, the record of the progress made by a whole race.

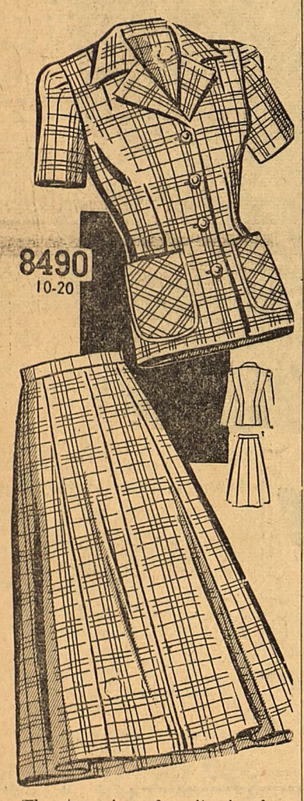
Red Cross Notes

Workers reporting to the Red Cross Surgical Dressing Room in the courthouse, Monday, were: Mrs. W. L. Fehon, supervisor; Mmes. George Kidd, H. L. Sandheim, P. R. Pattison, Barney Grafa, Roy Downey, W. W. Walmsley, J. P. Ruckman and Ross Williams.

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Public Warning!

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Wartime living conditions may be the cause of spreading Pin-Worm infection. Scientific reports in many communities have shown at least one-third of the examined children and grown-ups to be victims of Pin-Worms—often without knowing what was wrong!

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So don't take chances with Pin-Worms. At the first warning sign, ask your druggist for P-W, and follow the directions.

P-W means Pin-Worm relief!

Truly Circle Of First Baptist Church Meets With Mrs. Dunagan

Members of the Mary Elizabeth Truly Circle of the First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. C. M. Dunagan, 1508 West Missouri, at 9:30 a. m. Monday.

The meeting was opened with a prayer offered by Mrs. O. L. Bevill. A short business meeting was conducted by Mrs. Russell Howard and Mrs. George Phillips brought the devotional with each member reading a verse from the Bible. Mrs. C. M. Dunagan and Mrs. G. A. Wakefield brought the lesson on, "The Margaret Fund." The meeting was dismissed by sentence prayers by the members.

Refreshments were served to the following members: Mmes. O. L. Bevill, Russell Howard, G. A. Wakefield, C. M. Dunagan, George Phillips and B. C. Girdley.

The next meeting of the circle will be held in the home of Mrs. B. C. Girdley, 1900 West Missouri, at 9:30 a. m. Monday.

'Goldbrick Papas' Want Part In Raising Children, Even By Mail

By RUTH MILLETT

In New Guinea 100 young Army fathers have banded together under the name of "Goldbrick Papas" to discuss the problem of raising their children by V-Mail.

There ought to be an idea there for service wives. Why not encourage absent fathers to help bring up their children — even though the help has to be by letter?

The only news thousands of fathers are getting of their children these days is what little angels they are, what cute things they say, and how much fun the father is missing by being away from them.

That is the way proud mamas talk when they write their husbands of the small fry they are bringing up alone.

Tell Papa The Truth

The truth of the matter is often that Jimmy is becoming a problem with his temper tantrums and Susie is so completely tied to her mother's apron strings that the mother is upset over what to do about it, and Johnny is outraging his elders by his complete lack of respect for authority.

Now wouldn't it be better all the way around if mothers would give fathers the real low down on what their kids are like and ask their advice on behavior problems? Instead they go on sending out an idealized version of their children. Only what is cute or amusing or touching is written, and all unpleasant problems are skipped over.

One day — and we hope soon — fathers are coming back to their children to find them just as they are. And it is going to be a shock to fathers to find the children are far different than they have been led to believe.

To Visit Relatives

Mrs. William D. Jones, wife of Lieutenant Jones, MAAF, left by plane for Pennsylvania, Monday morning to visit relatives at Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

MOTORIST WAS

CAMDEN, N. J.—(AP)—A motorist said she was only "joking" when she asked two men $1 each for hauling them to Garden State Park race track.

The magistrate said he wasn't joking and fined her $50 for operating a taxicab without a license.

Coming Events

WEDNESDAY:

The Red Cross workroom in Old Heidelberg Inn will be open from 9 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1:30 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Red Cross surgical dressing room will be open from 9 a.m. to 12 noon.

High School Sophomores whose names begin with A through G will register at the High School.

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THURSDAY:

Surgical dressing room will be open from 9 a.m. to 12 noon.

Midland County Library radio program over KRLH, 4 to 4:15 p.m. Mrs. William Y. Penn will review the book, "American Reasons," by Oversheet.

High School sophomore students whose names begin with H through P will register at the High School building.

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Cadet Wives will meet at the USO at 8:30 p.m.

FRIDAY:

The Red Cross workroom in Old Heidelberg Inn will be open from 9 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1:30 to 5 p.m.

Spotter Groups meet at USO at 9:30 a.m. to make surgical dressings for maternity ward at MAAF.

Red Cross surgical dressing room will be open from 9 a.m. to 12 noon.

High school sophomores whose names begin with Q through Z will register at the High school building.

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Tripoli Club will meet with Mrs. Kebb, at 8 p. m., 1607 West Kentucky.

SATURDAY:

The children's story hour will be held in the basement of the Midland County Library.

MRS. KEBB WILL BE HOSTESS TO MEMBERS OF TRIPOLI CLUB

Members of the Tripoli Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Fred Kebb, 1607 West Kentucky, at 8 p. m. Friday. Mrs. Kraus will assist Mrs. Kebb in entertaining.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. E. Lee Thackrey, 1306 South Loraine, has returned to her home from the Western Clinic Hospital where she was a patient.

Arizona Dust Is Shipped To St. Paul

LITCHFIELD PARK, ARIZ. — (AP)—Dust is the latest product of the Goodyear Farms here. Nine 55-gallon drums of Arizona dust recently were sent to St. Paul, Minn., where manufacturers of air cleaners wanted the dust for test purposes.

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Revival Singers



Pictured here is the Grassland High School Quartet which will furnish special music for the revival which starts at the Church of the Nazarene Wednesday night. Services will start at 8:30 p.m. each night, with the Rev. R. M. Hocker, the pastor, preaching. The revival will continue through September 3.

Congratulations To



Mr. and Mrs. Otis Theodore Brinson on the birth of a daughter at the Western Clinic Hospital, Monday.

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THREE-YEAR-OLD

ALEXANDRIA, MINN. — (AP) — Three year old Howard Gease took a nose dive into a cream can to retrieve a ball—and he got stuck.

But the village blacksmith shop was nearby so Howard, cream can and all, was taken to the smithy. The can was split down the sides and Howard, none the worse for wear, was released.

VISITS RELATIVES

Miss Wilma Flournoy of Denton is visiting friends and relatives in Midland.

The average sleeper is estimated to change position 35 times a night.

Hull Assures Congressmen That They Will Be Informed On Peace Parley

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Secretary of State Hull assured Members of Congress Tuesday they would be kept informed of the progress of peace talks at the Tri-Power Dumbarton Oaks Conference.

The former Senator and representative sent that word to his ex-colleagues to make certain, members said, that none of the Democratic or Republican leaders would feel slighted for not having been invited to the preliminary conversations.

Hull explained that the U.S.-British-Russian meeting is "technical" and that when matters of "policy" become involved he would continue his practice of advising the lawmakers.

Meanwhile, the impending conference between Hull and John Foster Dulles, foreign policy advisor to Gov. Thomas E. Dewey, stimulated discussion on Capitol Hill on the possibility of eliminating postwar peace policy as a political issue.

Diplomatic Problems Out

Senator George (D-Ga), chairman of a special Senate postwar committee said he though the meeting of the two, representing the Administration and the Republican presidential candidate, will be "most helpful to the country. It should result, he said in "an agreement on the main program and the American position," although there might be some difference on details.

Current diplomatic problems have been ruled out of the security talks, it was understood Tuesday, and sessions are to be concentrated on blocking out the basic principles of peace organization.

The conference settled down to its first working session Tuesday.

Various officials said it was the intention of the conferees to limit their talks strictly to evolving plans for an international organization and to avoid any discussion of such issues as boundary disputes and occupation or disposition of enemy territory.

Dr. Harris M. Cook To Address Rotarians

Dr. Harris M. Cook, Rotary district governor, will address Midland Rotarians at their meetiing Thursday noon. Dr. Cook is dean of men and professor of education at West Texas State Teachers College at Canyon.

Officers, directors and key committee chairmen of the club will confer with Dr. Cook at 8 p. m. Thursday at the home of C. H. Shepard, club president.

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Right Way: Say "Doris, this is Helen Brown. You've heard me speak of Doris Smith, Helen." (The first introduction isn't incorrect, but it isn't informal enough when you are introducing persons who are both good friends of yours.)

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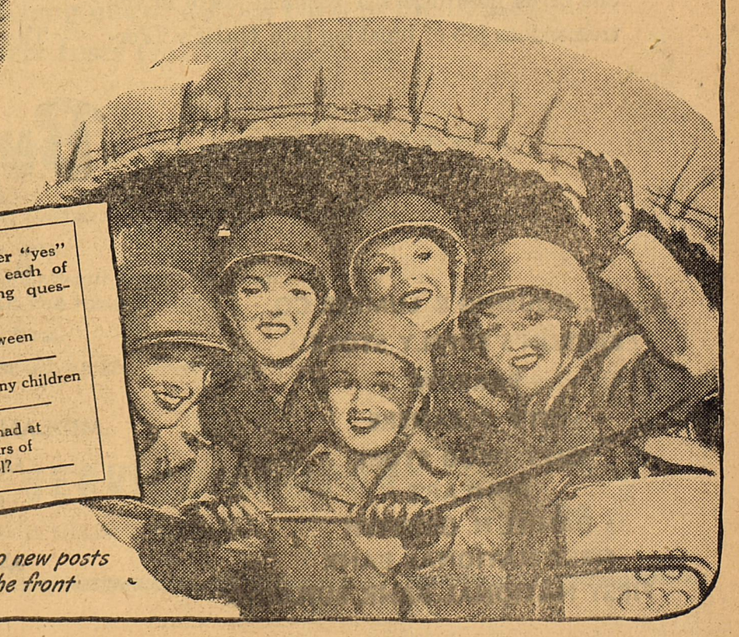
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Two Texas Electors Will Vote For Senator Byrd And Oppose Roosevelt

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Two Texans opposing re-election of President Roosevelt Tuesday urged the state's presidential electors to support Senator Harry F. Byrd of Virginia instead of the party nominee, while Texas' National Democratic committeeman, Myron G. Blalock of Marshall said he believed the state's Democrats would solve their elector dispute at Dallas' Sept. 12 convention.

During a broadcast Monday night over a state-wide network, T. G. Tilford, Nacogdoches, one of the state's 23 presidential electors, and former State Senator R. A. Stuart of Fort Worth, both mentioned Byrd as suitable presidential timber for many Democrats. Tilford spoke from Houston, Stuart from Fort Worth.

Tilford said he believed the majority of Texas' Democrats were for Byrd and that the Democratic electors of the nation, when they meet Dec. 18 to choose a president, would prefer to vote for Byrd than have the election go to the Republicans.

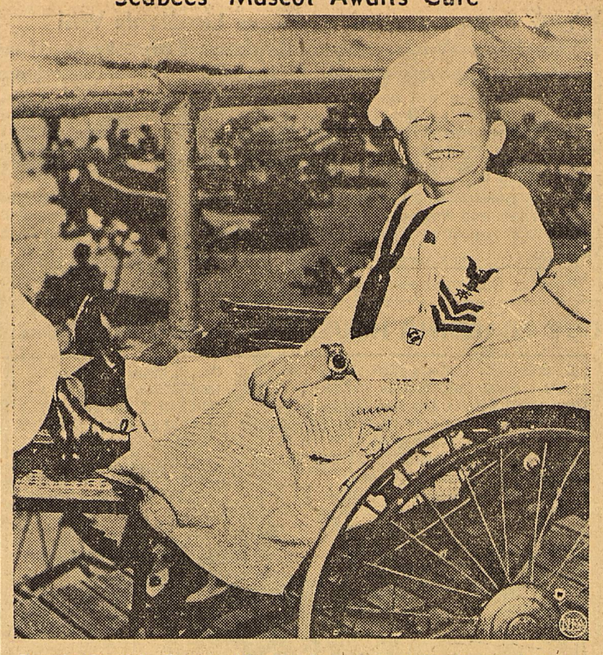
Tilford Follows Instructions

"The instructions of the state convention which commissioned me were plain and clear," said Tilford. "I shall follow those instruction * * *. I was told not to vote for the nominee of the National Democratic Convention if that convention seated any rump delegates from Texas. My instructions were equally as clear not to vote for any Republican. I was instructed to vote for Democrats who believe in the fundamental tenets of the Democratic party. This I shall do." He added Byrd was one such Democrat.

Stuart, keynoter of the regular Democrats at the Tarrant County convention in July, confirmed that 15 of the Texas electors would vote for Byrd and added they would seek to induce elecors in other states to support the Virginia senator.

"It means we are determined to keep America American," said Stuart. "I am proud that the Texas regular delegation at the Chicago convention did not join in the Roosevelt parade. That convention literally stole 24 Democratic votes, and it did not grant even one request that came from Texas. The city bosses, the CIO and negroes repudiated Democratic principles."

Seabees' Mascot Awaits Cure



Jimmie Carrick, 7-year-old official mascot of Uncle Sam's Seabees, displays their kind of courage as he awaits spinal meningitis operation at Ocean City, N. J. Son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis J. Carrick of Pittsburgh, Pa., he has been confined to wheelchair for five years, but that Seabee uniform with dog tags and official insignia go a long way toward bucking him up.

Retailers Join WPB Drive To Save Paper Containers

By ANN STEVICK
NEA Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON — The man at your corner grocery is asked to take up bag and wrapping-paper saving in a big way. War Production Board is sending some 300,000 retailers the following pledge to be signed and displayed on counters to remind you:

WE PLEDGE to urge customers to bring shopping and paper bags to carry their purchases. To place purchases in customers' own shopping bags or container whenever possible. Not to wrap or bag packaged articles which can be safely carried unwrapped.

To use the smallest bag possible, and to make every bag carry a full load. Not to use a bag within a bag except when absolutely necessary. To wrap for protection rather than for appearance. To salvage all unusable paper and paperboard.

War Production Board reports that since warnings came out earlier that there would be less than half normal amounts of paper for retail stores in the first half of 1944, things have become worse. The months to come are expected to be critical.

Gas Again

You'll get started soon on renewal of your "A" ration book, which expires September 21 if you live outside the East Coast. In the 17 Eastern states present rations last till February 8. Your local board will give you exact dates and ways-and-means, such as whether to bring your application in person or mail it. But it's an all-over rule that the back cover of your present book must go with your renewal application. If your book is lost, better see your local board to prove your right to a new book.

Odds And Ends

Department of Interior reports sighting signs of an unexpected boom in swordfishing. Biggest swordfishing season is July, August and September. Record catch since 1941 is expected . . . The utility cuts of lamb and beef which you'll get ration-free will sell for as much as 20 cents a pound or less than the same cuts from fancy meats.

The federal Social Security program will be ten years old on Jan. 1, 1947.

Champion Blood Donor May Need It Later

NEW YORK—(AP)—The champion blood donor of Suffork County, Samuel Wechsler, 36, donated his nineteenth pint of blood to the Manhattan Red Cross.

"Might need it myself now any day," said Private Wechsler, who leaves Monday for New River, S. C., and combat assignment after finishing his boot training with the Marine Corps.

Indianapolis Burglar Is Caught Napping

INDIANAPOLIS—(AP)— A burglar, apparently not satisfied with his loot, decided to steal a snooze—and that was his undoing.

Police, answering an alarm from a jewelry and loan firm, thought it was false until they spied the intruder snoring away behind a counter—his pockets bulging with $300 worth of valuables.

'Winnie' Does His Bit By Firing Gun

ROME — (AP) — Prime Minister Churchill personally shot a big American gun at two German cannon positions north of Pisa, it was disclosed.

After he pulled the lanyard, the shell fell 200 yards short of the target. A gunnery officer corrected the elevation and two rounds later both enemy guns were destroyed.

Churchill's participation in the war occurred during a recent visit to the Fifth Army front.

Alaska, including the Aleutian Islands, was purchased by the United States from Russia in 1867, for $7,200,000.

Well Groomed Hair
MOROLINE HAIR TONIC 25¢

Fire Destroys Truck Loaded With Groceries

A large motor truck, which was bringing 12,000 pounds of groceries to Midland, was destroyed by fire early Tuesday near Sterling City.

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Fiske Survivors Tell Of Harrowing Sea Experiences

NEW YORK — (AP) — The story of how all survivors of the U. S. Fiske were rescued an hour after their destroyer escort was torpedoed and sunk north of the Azores, Aug. 2, was told here by officers of the Fiske and the rescue ship.

Lt. Arthur H. Bilderbach, USN, of Des Moines, engineering officer of the Fiske, described how the force of the explosion broke the ship's back.

"We had about 20 minutes before she sank and the wounded were put over the side," he said. "There was no panic and when the ship's company were finally all in the water they began singing 'Roll Out the Barrel'."

Lt. (jg) Frank R. Keith, 27, of Port Arthur, a medical officer assigned to a destroyer escort division, said his ship arrived at the scene in time to see the Fiske sink. The entire company, including the dead, was picked up, he said.

Santa Fe Conductor Killed Near Snyder

Sweetwater—(AP)—A Slaton, Texas, Santa Fe railroad freight conductor, Tom McCall, 63, died Monday of injuries suffered near Snyder in a fall from his train as he swung into space after the train halted on a 40-foot trestle. He was hurt as he went to investigate a hotbox on one of the cars.

Large Cotton Crop Ginned In Rio Grande

McALLEN, Texas — (AP) — An estimated 85,000 bales of cotton have been ginned thus far in the Lower Rio Grande Valley this year, and most of the crop is out. Most planters and ginners place 100,000 bales as the ultimate yield.

After Sept. 1 little processing is scheduled and a drive to clear the last cotton stalks—winter food supply of the pink bollworm—off fields will begin. Federal and state regulations require stalks be destroyed not later than Sept. 15.

The Office of Price Administration has announced ceiling prices on cabbage and beets.

A price of $55 per ton for cabbage for the December-April marketing period is permitted by the ceilings. For beets the price is $1.25 per one-half Los Angeles-type crate for beets with tops or beets without tops if packed in a bushel basket or 50-pound bag. The beet prices are for November through May.

Pet Rabbit 'Butch' Starts Private War

By HAL BOYLE

WITH AMERICAN TROOPS IN FRANCE—(AP)—Pet rabbits are helping while away foxhole boredom among many of the front line troops by playing quite an effective part in the war.

A one-eyed rabbit named "Butch" started a battle all by himself, and another rabbit called "Whiskers" has been put in for the Purple Heart for a combat wound.

"Butch" is the American Army champion patrol rabbit. He has been in German lines more often than most frontline doughboys. He snuggles in the pocket of his noncom owner, Sgt. Lawrence Swain, 21-year-old squad leader, of Vernal, Utah.

During one black night recently Swain was crawling along a hedgerow on patrol when "Butch" crawled out of his pocket and went AWOL without his owner noticing it.

The rabbit nibbled a few spears of grass and then decided to rejoin the patrol squad. Suddenly he hopped on Swain's neck.

"Scared?" said the sergeant. "I jumped and emptied a full clip of ammunition in the air. I didn't know what had me."

The firing startled Germans nearby and they swept the area with rifles and machine guns. This led the American commanders to think the Nazis were attacking and the Americans began throwing metal, too. Swain and his rabbit found themselves in the middle of the scrap.

Since then "Butch" sticks pretty close to his owner.

"Whiskers" fights in the same infantry division and belongs to Pfc. Leo Silkey, of Marshfield, Mo. A small black and white rabbit, he's the envy of the doughboys because he can eat grass as well as rations.

The rabbit rides into action on a grenade pack carried by Silkey, a mortarman, and at night "Whiskers" shares a foxhole straw couch with has master.

"Whiskers" served 18 days in the frontline trenches before he was nicked in the ear with a piece of shrapnel. For this wound in action he was recommended for the Purple Heart. Silkey says he wouldn't take $100 for the "Whiskers," who he says isn't at all afraid of enemy fire—"at least no more than me."

Crude Production On Increase, Report Shows

TULSA — (AP) — United States crude oil production increased 22,550 barrels daily in the week ended Aug. 19 to 4,678,450 barrels daily, the Oil and Gas Journal said Tuesday.

Oklahoma output increased 400 barrels daily to 340,000 barrels daily; California, 7,650 to 860,400; Eastern fields, 10,400 to 77,500; Kansas 8,200 to 285,300, and the Rocky Mountain area, 700 to 115,400.

Illinois production declined 1,000 barrels daily to 208,700 and Louisiana 50 to 362,700. Texas output was unchanged at 2,108,600, East Texas 371,700 and Michigan 49,400.

DEPLETED STOCK

HAVANA, ILL.—(AP)—A Havana druggist posted the following sign on his door this week:

Out of ice cream; out of sherbert; out of cigarets; out of gum; out of films; out of stamps; out of patience; out of town!

His customers also knew his soldier son was home on furlough.

Lt. Jones Taught Physical Education

Lt. William D. Jones, assistant director of physical training at Midland Army Air Field, came to the bombardier base from the University of Toledo, Ohio, where he had been stationed for sixteen months as director of training for a college training detachment of aviation cadets.

A graduate of Stroudsburg State College with a B. S. degree in physical education, Lieutenant Jones completed a post-graduate course at Duke University, and achieved his Master of Arts in administration at New York University.

In civilian life, Lieutenant Jones was supervisor of physical education program for Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Township for five years, with a staff of sixty physical education teachers under his direction. Before that he was physical education teacher at G.R. High School in Wilkes-Barre for eleven years, in addition to having been coach of basketball and track.

Lieutenant Jones received his commission at Miami Beach, Fla., in March of 1943. He served nine months as an enlisted man at Kessler Field, Mass., as a member of the Physical Training Department. In addition to being assistant director of PT, he is director of the wartime water safety program, which trains all airmen in the fundamentals of swimming, lifesaving and military water aquatics.

Ration Calendar

By The Associated Press

Meats, Fats, Etc.—Book Four red stamps A8 through Z8 and A5 through D5 valid indefinitely.

Processed Foods—Book Four blue stamps A8 through Z8 and A5 through F5 good indefinitely.

Sugar—Book Four stamps 30, 31 and 32 valid indefinitely for five pounds each; stamp 40 good for five pounds for home canning through February 28, 1945.

Shoes — Book Three airplane stamps 1 and 2 good indefinitely.

Gasoline—12-A coupons valid through Sept. 21. B-3, B-4, C-3 and C-4 coupons good for five gallons.

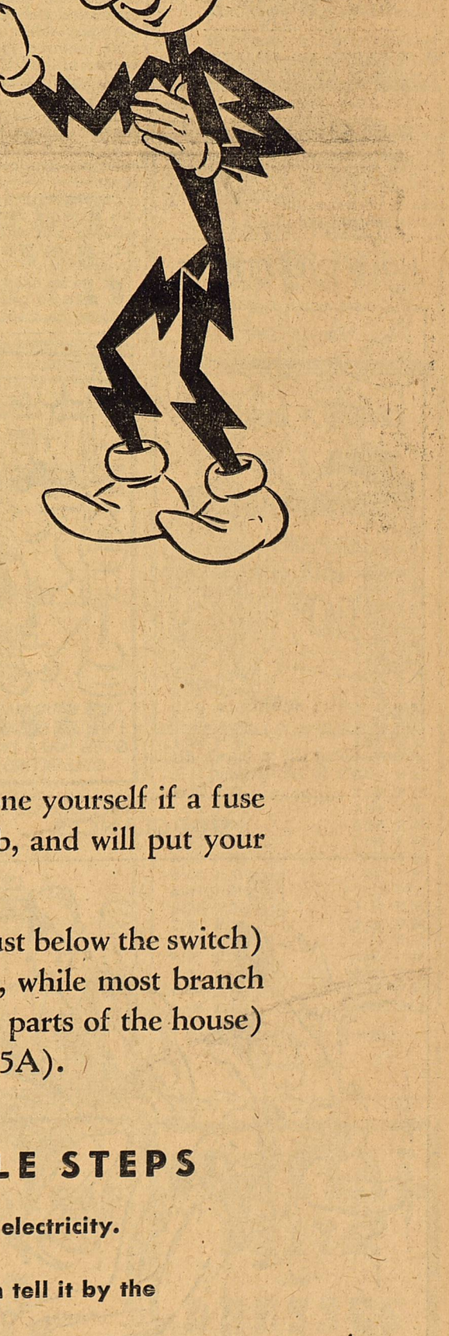
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3. Replace the burned-out fuse. (You can tell it by the burned spot on the mica window.)
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The Life of EISENHOWER

By Francis Trevelyan Miller

First Biography of America's Great General

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THE MAN BEHIND THE SOLDIER

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GENERAL EISENHOWER had three major problems facing him in establishing the European Theater of Operations. The first was the training of United States troops; second, the establishment of close co-operation between the personnel of British and American armed and civilian services; third, preparations for future actions.

He discovered that his first job in England was to defeat deaftism. The Britons were thrilled by the arrival of the Americans and would fight with them to the ends of the earth if necessary. The question, however, was, "Is this the right time?"

This question, too, was in the minds of the Americans. The tremendous successes of the Axis on the continent and its striking power had created the myth of the invincibility of Hitler.

General Eisenhower, addressing his own soldiers, declared, "Pessimism and defeatism will not be tolerated. Any officer or soldier who cannot rise above the recognized obstacles and bitter prospects that lie in store for us has no recourse but to ask for instant release from this theater. And if he shows such an attitude and doesn't ask for release he will go home anyway."

His western fighting spirit aroused the morale of his boys. They went through the grueling weeks of training with a "do or die" determination.

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THE British officers found in General Eisenhower a man they could work with. Brilliant military men, old warriors who had been through many campaigns, recognized in this man who had never fought a battle a great military strategist.

The Nazis taunted the Allies in radio broadcasts: "You've had to find a German named Eisenhower to do it."

Iron Ike laughed at the jibes. It was 300 years since the Eisenhowers fled from Germany to escape the same oppressions and persecutions the Nazi were inflicting on conquered peoples today. The righteous vengeance of his forefathers was in his blood. Through centuries of intermarriage with Scotch-Irish, Holland Dutch, Swiss, English, many strains had entered into his veins.

In assembling a competent staff, General Eisenhower, who was advanced to the rank of lieutenant general on July 9, had under him three old friends in whom he placed implicit confidence: Lieut.-Gen. Andrew Spaatz as his air chief; the then Maj.-Gen. Mark W. Clark as head of ground operations; Maj.-Gen. John C. H. Lee as supervisor of supply.

"Ike," a doughboy at heart, insisted that his troops be kept happy. They were arriving with unprecedented speed; their spirits must be maintained as they became acclimated to a new world while being rigorously trained for the battles ahead of them; they must be given relaxations and recreations.

The general demanded that they be given as many of the "comforts of home" as the conditions would allow. His love for his soldiers always was foremost. They in return demonstrated their love for Ike, declaring him to be "a regular fellow, just like the rest of us. He is like our own fathers back home and treats us as if we were his own sons."

While solving the problems of these soldier boys with human devotion and practical common sense, he overlooked nothing that he felt would make them happy. He knew neither race nor creed; they were all somebody's sons. There were a large number of Negro troops stationed in England whose social opportunities were severely limited by the lack of women of their race. General Eisenhower remedied the situation by informing Col. Oveta Culp Hobby, head of the WAAC, and steps were taken to have a large number of Negro WAACs assigned to Great Britain.

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GENERAL EISENHOWER'S first victory was to win the hearts of his own soldiers and the British soldiers and people. He established his headquarters in an old renovated London apartment building which was quickly dubbed "Eisenhower Flat."

His simplicity and his devotion to his fellow men, his intimate touch with the common man, gave him somewhat the character of Lincoln. One Britisher remarked, "We call him 'Ike,' but there's a lot of 'Abe' in him."

The maintenance of good-will with the British Allies the general considered of paramount importance. When rumors were maliciously circulated to the effect that there was trouble between the Royal Air Force and the United States Air Forces, the general called in reporters and declared, "Time is short and United States soldiers must be trained to stand the most rigorous operations. I am not asking you to take what I say because I might be wrong and I might even lie to you, but I want you to go around and see for yourself whether there is any friction between the R. A. F. and our Air Force. If there is one place where co-operation and collaboration is perfect, it is between the R. A. F. and the United States Air Force."

With tremendous responsibilities on his shoulders, working day and night with indefatigable energy, dealing with his hundreds and thousands of problems, he found time to act as a diplomat to both his troops and to the British. We find him at Buckingham Palace on July 8 in conference with King George, and again on August 18, autographing a drum for a proud American private.

NEXT: "Best liked and least social . . ."

Nazis Open Fire On Truce Flags

By GEORGE TUCKER
(Representing the Combined Press)

WITH A NAVAL TRUCE PARTY OFF CAPE GIENS — (AP) — German shore batteries opened fire at point-blank range on a white truce flag recently after permitting its approach almost to the gun muzzles.

Commanded by Lt. Col. William C. Baxter, Baltimore, the truce party was approaching the harbor of Porquerolle to demand the island's surrender when 8-mm guns began to whistle projectiles around the torpedo boat carrying the party.

Two large white flags were prominently displayed on the deck and couldn't be mistaken for anything except truce flags. I can vouch for this because they were held by Lt. Comdr. Selwyn H. Graham, Roslindale, Mass., and myself.

Germans Opened Fire

The Germans opened fire as we drew abreast of the harbor and prepared to change course for a run into the beach. Baxter who saw the flare of guns, yelled a warning and everyone flung himself to the deck.

Lt. Lon C. Hill, Winnetka, Ill., who commanded the torpedo boat, coolly swung her in a sharp arc and headed back through the narrow channel we had marked on the way in.

He kept her on the course while 88's thumped in a pattern aft of our stern and just 50 yards to our starboard.

Long before we got back to the flagship, battleships and cruisers began to converge from different points and slammed high explosive shells into the peninsula which had violated the white flag.

Stranger Hands Aged Couple $100 After Fire

VANCOUVER, WASH.—(AP)— A. E. Robinson, 77, and his wife, 76, were sadly surveying the fire-blackened ruins of their little farm home. A stranger came up, handed them $100 and walked away with:

"Just consider that it came from the Lord."

WMC Representative To Be Here Wednesday

A representative of the War Manpower Commission will be in Midland Wednesday at the Chamber of Commerce office to confer with workers and employers.

L. F. Parker, manager of the Odessa office of the United States Employment Service will confer with both workers and employers needing information regarding WMC regulations.

Venus is the brightest planet.

More Landlords Will Register Property

Those owning rental units in the section of the city north of Wall and east of Main will start registering them Wednesday with the OPA rent control office. Registeration of units in this area will continue through Friday.

The OPA rent control office in the county courtroom on the second floor of the courthouse is open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily.

Advertise or be forgotten



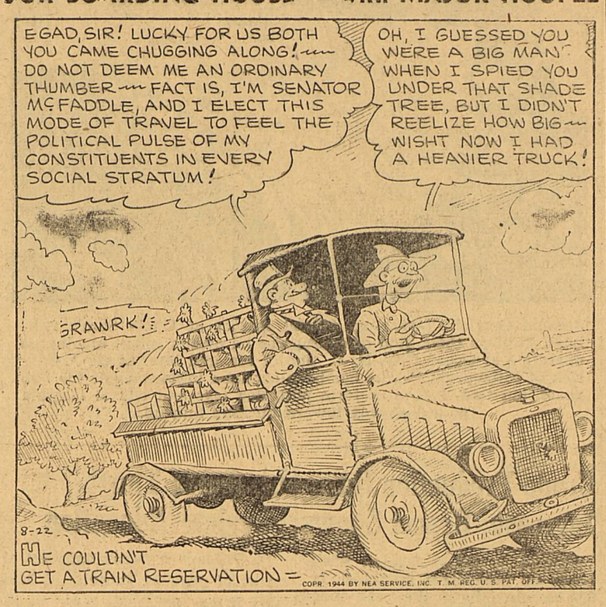
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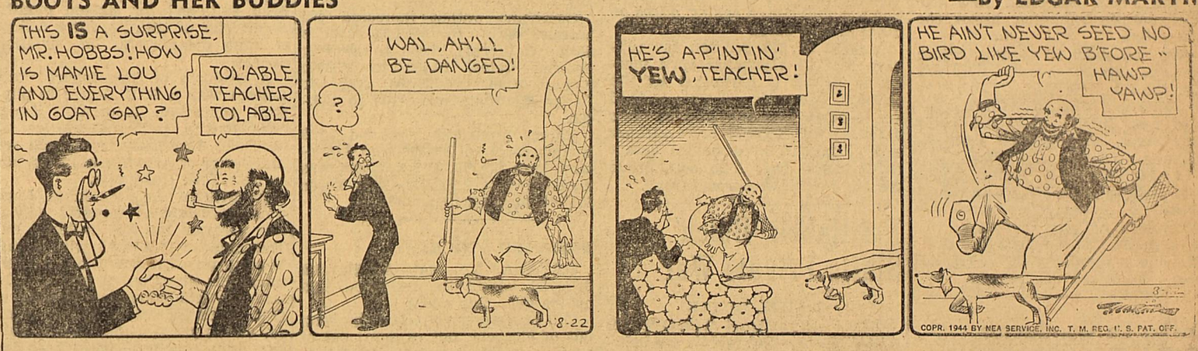
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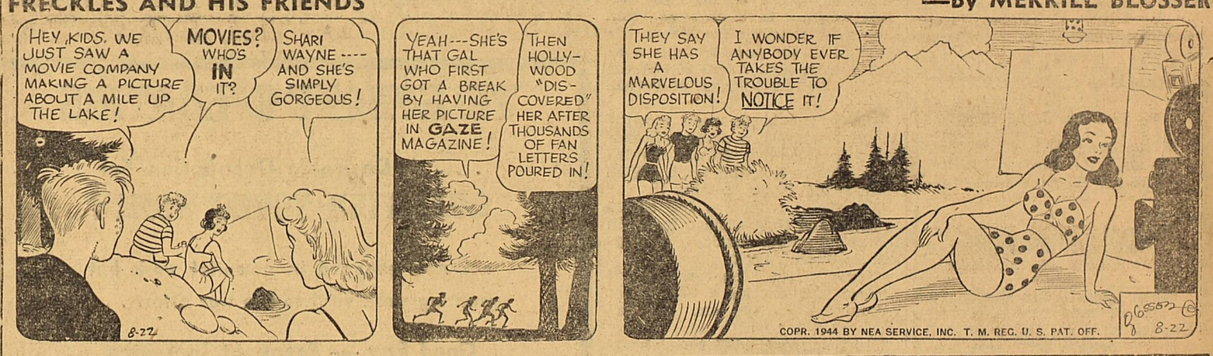


BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES —By EDGAR MARTIN

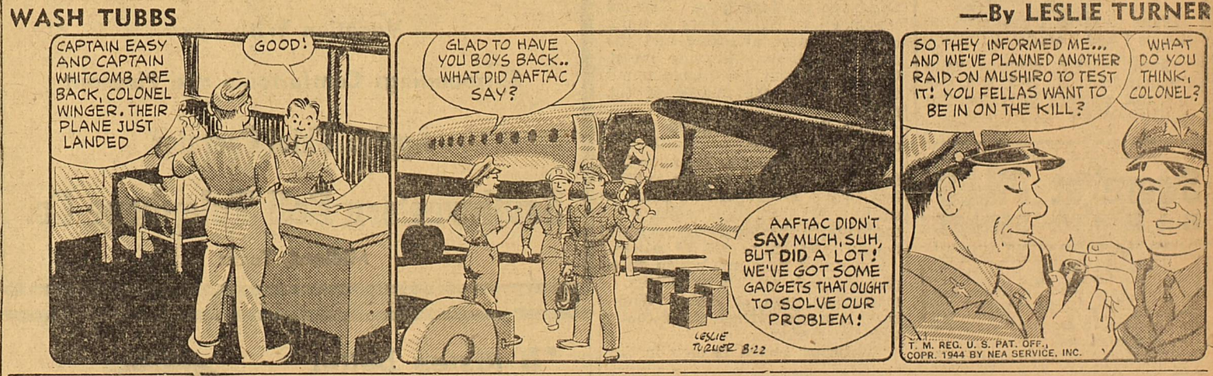


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Service Stations Have New Gas Forms

Service Stations of Midland now have forms for filing applications for renewal of 'A' gasoline rationing books, War Price and Rationing Board officials announced Tuesday.

When the forms are completed they are to be mailed to the ration board, and must be completed and mailed in by September 21.

RECOMMEND NO CHANGE IN CITRUS FRUIT PRICES

WESLACO —(AP)—The National Citrus Advisory Committee has recommended that the Office of Price Administration continue last year's ceiling prices on citrus fruit unchanged, the Texas Citrus and Vegetable Growess and Shippers Association said here.

HOLD EVERYTHING



"How about it, soldier? Half price to servicemen!"



Number Of Servicemen To Be Released After Germany Capitulates

DENVER—(AP)—Maj. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, national director of Selective Service ,today forecast release of between 1,000,000 and 2,000,000 men from the armed services after Germany falls.

He indorsed the idea of "gradual demoblization" when all hostitities cease with Japan's defeat, but admitted that it is unpopular—because when the war is over, people want their boys to come home."

Hershey is on tour conferring with Selective Service officials over the country.

Discharge of a portion of America's fighting men when the Nazis collapse will not be accomplished "in one day," the draft chief cautioned.

"If we let out 1,000 an hour, it will still take 10 months to get rid of 2,000,000 to 2,500,00 men," he said.

Jaycees To Aid In Increasing Hospital Facilities In Midland

Efforts of Midland's Junior Chamber of Commerce will be directed toward helping to get more hospital facilities for Midland.

Need for more hospital facilities here has been taken under consideration by directors of the Jaycees, and the following resolution has been adopted:

"Whereas, it has been proposed to increase the hospital facilities of Midland commensurately with its needs and growth, and

"Whereas, it is the purpose of the Midland Junior Chamber of Commerce to work the improvement and general welfare of Midland,

"Now, therefore, be it resolved, that the Midland Junior Chamber of Commerce assist in the fullfillment of the proposal to increase the hospital facilities as aforesaid and declare publicly the intention to make available its means to the accomplishment thereof.

"We, the undersigned, hereby certify the foregoing to be a full, true and correct copy of the resolution adopted by the Midland Junior Chamber of Commerce.

"L. W. Sandusky, president.
"Frank Monroe, secretary."

Sophomores Will Register Wednesday

Sophomores will start registering Wednesday at the Midland High School for the 1944-45 school term which starts September 5.

Sophomores whose names start with A through G will register Wednesday. Those whose names start with H through P will register Thursday, and the Q through Z group will register Friday.

Perfect rubies are much rarer than good diamonds.

McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

By WILLIAM E. McKENNEY

America's Card Authority

Here is another interesting hand on counting tricks. This time it is the declarer who must count his losers. The first thing to take into consideration on this hand is the bidding. West cannot have any diamonds, because he took his partner been doubled, and he did not open out of a three-diamond bid that had a diamond. East did not overtake the heart queen and a second heart followed, which South ruffed.

The correct play now is to lead a low spade toward dummy. East wins the eight with the ten and returns the king of diamonds. Declarer plays the ace and West trumps with the jack of spades. Now all West can do is to give declarer a sluff and ruff, or lead a club—in which case South wins in dummy, leads a small trump and picks up West's king. Then he can go over to dummy and discard all his losers on the good clubs.

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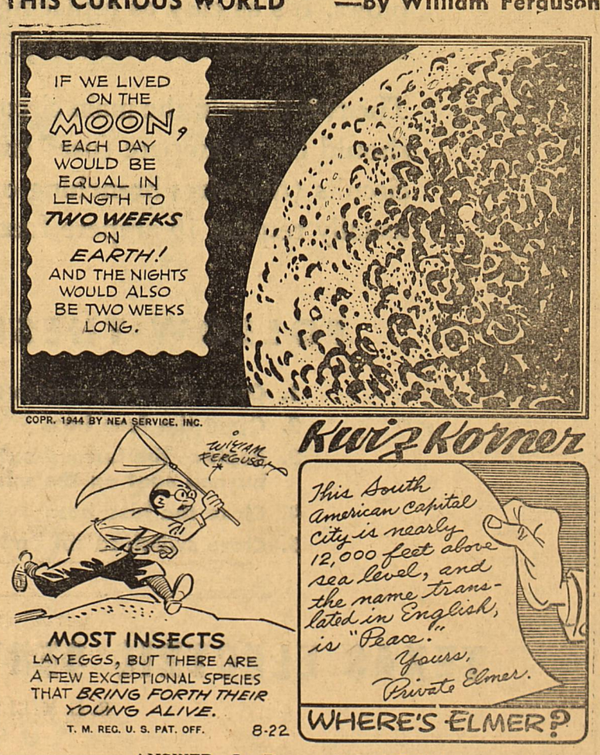
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SIDE GLANCES



"Lots of people say she'd be a success in opera, but her father and I don't know any people in that business to help her get started!"

THIS CURIOUS WORLD —By William Ferguson



Quiz Korner

This South American capital city is nearly 12,000 feet above sea level, and the name translated in English, is "Peace."

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(116-26)

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(138-6)

SEWING wanted. 1303 North Marienfield.
(140-6)

Lost and Found 7

LOST: Blonde male Pekinese on Rankin Highway. Phone 489-W, Mrs. Harry Phelps.
(142-3)

LOST: A book, title "A Tree Grows In Brooklyn," in Safeway Store Saturday. Phone 1681-R, after 6 p. m.
(141-3)

LOST — Black billfold containing money, identifications. Reward. Capt. Jack C. Hart, Special Service, MAAF.
(141-3)

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Lost and Found 7

LOST—6.50x20 8 ply truck tire. Reward. Call Southern Ice Co.
(141-3)

LOST: Saturday p. m., bunch of keys. Identification, "Wheeler, Texas." Reward. Call 2327.
(141-2)

LOST: Black coin purse with money, keys, near post office. Reward. Phone 1027-W.
(140-3)

LOST: Watch charm, with gold nugget set in it. Charm is between size of quarter and half dollar. Name Joseph Sauer engraved on back. Valuable to owner account of sentimental connection with nugget. Finder please call telephone 1805. Will pay reward for return of the charm.
(140-5)

Help Wanted 9

MALE CLERKS and Female Stenographers for major oil company. Applicants must have referral cards from USES. Write Stanolind Oil and Gas Company, Star Route, Odessa, Texas.
(142-tf)

PORTERS WANTED. Petroleum Pharmacy.
(141-6)

WAITRESS wanted. Phone 9517, H and H Cafe.
(141-4)

SALESLADY Wanted, 25 to 45, to distribute Luziers Cosmetics. For personal interview, address Vera Hogg, Box 955, Monahans, Texas.
(133-26)

WAITRESS wanted, day or night work. Excellent working conditions. Apply Cactus Cafe.
(291-tf)

WAITRESSES wanted. Apply Scharbauer Coffee Shop.
(120-tf)

WANTED: Fountain man to work at Cadet Club. Call Lt. Hogan, Phone 900, Extension 405.
(138-7)

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(140-3)

FOUNTAIN girls wanted. Cameron's Pharmacy.
(140-3)

LADY for sewing at the Sanders Upholstering Shop. Not over 30 years old. Phone 752.
(140-3)

GIRLS wanted at Petroleum Pharmacy.
(140-6)

Situations Wanted 10

ALL KINDS home canning on the halves. 901 E. Ky.
(141-3)

WILL KEEP children in my home by hour, day or week, room and board. 1009 S. Big Spring, Phone 1444-J.
(138-6)

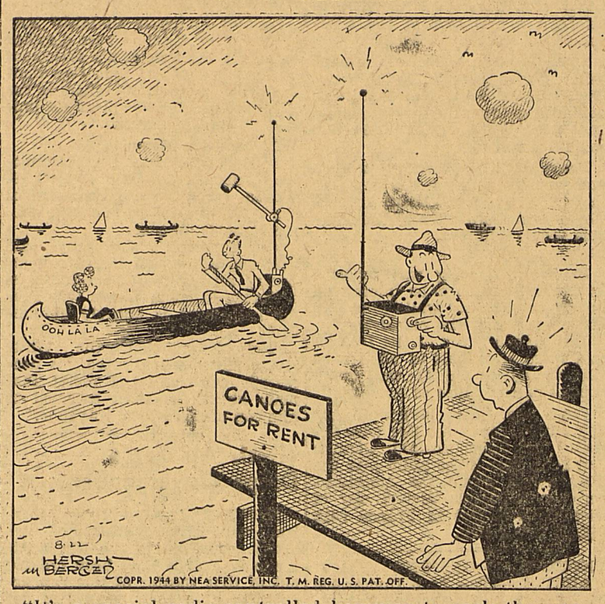
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RENTALS

Wanted To Rent 21

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(141-2)

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(140-3)

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(137-6)

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(139-6)

FOR SALE

Household Goods 22

CHINA closet, 3 piece bedroom suite, rocker, excellent condition. 513 Holmsley.
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(142-3)

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Miscellaneous 23

FOR SALE or trade: H&H Cafe, Walter Denney, Phone 9517 or 1063.
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WILL AUCTION
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(122-23)

FOR SALE: Centrifugal water pump, 220, 440 volt, 3 phase, 3 hp, 60 cycles, 3500 rpm. J. Howard Hodge, Yucca Theater, Phone 506.
(134-tf)

Wanted To Buy 26

WANTED—Wardrobe trunk. Phone 227.
(142-3)

WILL PAY 25c per dozen for good clean wire hangers. Petroleum Cleaners.
(142-3)

WANTED to Buy, any kind used household goods. Let someone else have those pieces you do not need. Will pay you cash. Galbraith's, Phone 746.
(133-tf)

WANTED to rent or buy—4 or 5 room house. Call 506, Yucca Theater.
(140-10)

Nurseries, Flowers, Seeds 30

TIME to trim and shape shrubbery and use plant food to restore good foliage; prune shade trees; treat Poplar for borers; kill ants. Work guaranteed. Experienced. Permanent. J. A. Richardson, Ph. 332-R.
(141-26)

Livestock and Poultry 34

DEAD animals wanted for gunpowder. Free pickup service day or night. Call collect 484, Big Spring Soap Works, Big Spring, Texas.
(134-121)

PIGS for sale. Call 752. 206 N. Marienfield.
(140-6)

Pets 35

REGISTERED black and white parti-colored Cockerspaniel puppy for sale. Phone 220.
(137-6)

BUSINESS SERVICE

Moving and Storage 38

LOCAL and long distance hauling. Phone 205 day, 1842-W night.
(142-26)

Painting & Papering 45

BUY paints and wall paper from your painter and paperhanger. L. H. Pittman, 900 N. Weatherford, 18 years in Midland. Estimates cheerfully given.
(122-26)

FINANCE

Business Opportunities 49

GROCERY business for sale. New stock. Located in Midland, excellent trade territory. Reporter-Telegram Box 329.
(140-3)

Oil Land & Leases 50

AFFIDAVITS of Adverse Possession, also Tenants Consent Agreement forms, 100 to pad. Phone 8, The Reporter-Telegram. We deliver.
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(139-6))

AUTOMOBILES

Used Cars 54

FOR SALE—1939 Chevrolet coupe. 504 South G St.
(142-2)

FOR SALE—1935 Oldsmobile sedan. Price reasonable. Philip Rowe, 509 East Florida.
(142-3)

WILL PAY cash for used cars — E. W. Watlington, Phone 1629-J.
(142-26)

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(196-tf)

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200 S. Loraine Phone 245
(4-tf)

REAL ESTATE

Houses for Sale 61

6 ROOM frame house, hardwood floors, double garage, close in. Possession at once. Call 546-W or 83.
(142-3)

FOR SALE: 3-room house, corner lot, immediate possession. For information apply at 1100 South Loraine Street.
(142-3)

7 ROOM duplex, good condition, $3,500.00 cash. 601 S. Terrell, Box 154, Midland.
(142-3)

FOR SALE: Good clean substantial 2-room frame house with built-in features. To be moved from lot. Owner 801 S. Dallas.
(141-3)

DUPLEX: Frame, 7 large rooms, 2 baths, hardwood floors, good condition. Near South Elementary School. One apartment vacant.
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207 1st Natl Bank Bldg. Ph. 114
(132-tf)

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(140-3)

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(140-3)

6 ROOMS, WEST END
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203 Thomas Bldg. Phone 106
(140-3)

Farms for Sale 63

BEAUTIFUL farm in Hondo Valley on paved highway 70 and Hondo River about 40 miles west Roswell, N. M., in foothills of White Mountains. Total of 958 acres deeded land, 125 acres irrigated land in cultivation, mostly alfalfa. Orchard, six-room adobe house, 200-foot sheep barn, corrals and other improvements. Will take $37,500.00 for this delightful place if sold by Sept. 1st. Would make fine guest ranch. Equipment and livestock can be purchased if desired. Possession Jan. 1st. Owner reservers one-half minerals. Write owner, Box 1171, Roswell, N. M., or phone 940.
(129-15)

358 ACRES, 230 in cultivation, for sale or trade for grass land. W.A. Baumann, 1 mile NW of El Campo
(142-3)

CHOICE 200 ACRES
3 miles northwest of Midland city limits. 90 acres in cultivation, balance pasture. All tillable. 74 acres in cotton. All rents included. Fair improvements. ½ minerals reserved. Not leased. Some terms if desired. Owner, P. C. Ratcliff, box 461, Midland, Texas.
(140-3)

Acreages for Sale 66

FOR SALE—15 acres 2 miles northeast of city on Lamesa Road. Four room house with all modern conveniences. Well improved. Terms cash. Mrs. Lord, phone 541-J.
(141-3)

FOR SALE—1½ acre tract just outside city limits, joining Country Club on west. Beautiful building site overlooking golf course, $550 cash. See E. H. Cheves, Golf Course Drive.
(142-3)

Future Farmers Plan Activities

Plans for more and better projects for the year were discussed at a meeting of the Future Farmers of America in the vocational agriculture room at Midland high school Monday night.

Members voted to make improvements in their concession at the football field by buying a coffee urn and a popcorn machine.

Changes in the setup of the FFA district for this year were announced. Four schools will be in the district. They are Midland, Garden City, Sterling City and Grandfalls. Stanton and Garner are out this year because they were unable to obtain teachers.

Members present Monday night were:

George Knox, Jerry Bohannon, Alvin Bowman, R. A. Whitson, Bill Ponder, B. H. Livingston, Waylon Livingston, A. C. Treadway, Bill Brown, J. L. Sawyers.

Officers for the group are:

B. H. Livingston, president; Knox, vice president; Ponder, secretary; Earnest Locklar, treasurer; Waylon Livingston, reporter; Glenn Drake, historian; Brown, parliamentarian; Bohannan, watch dog, and Bowman, song leader.

Committee chairmen are:

Community service, Ponder; cooperative activities, Waylon Livingston; recreation, Bowman; earning and saving, Locklar; supervised farming, Knox; scholarship, Bohannan; leadership activities, Edward Franklin; conduct of meetings, Brown.

Billy Dunn Opens Hauling Business

A new local and long distance hauling firm is now operating in Midland. The B. Dunn Moving Vans has opened an office at 2104 West Wall.

Billy Dunn, owner, came to Midland from Odessa where he worked in the same business for a number of years.

The owner of the firm said all furniture moving would be done under the supervision of experienced movers.

Lumber Applications Ready At AAA Office

Farmers and ranchers of Midland county who need more than 300 board feet of lumber should apply at the AAA office in the courthouse for a farmer's lumber certificate, W. E. Pigg, chairman of the Midland County Agricultural Conservation Committee, said Tuesday.

Farmers and ranchers are entitled to buy small amounts of lumber essential for maintenance and repair of implements and from service buildings by simply signing an application at the lumber yard, Pigg said. No more than 300 board feet can be bought by this method.

The Conservation Committee has authority to issue farmer's certificates for essential maintenance and repair use, and for new construction other than residence, where the cost is not more than $1,000 per farm per calender year.

The committee also issues certificates for lumber needed for emergencies.

Man's feet are larger than his hands, but the hind feet of animals are smaller than the fore.

Texas Oil Industry Will Mass Produce New Secret Weapon

DALLAS—America's newest secret weapon, super-octane aviation gasoline, will go into mass production at Texas refineries as soon as the plants can make the necessary changes following the expected request from the government to go ahead, the Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association, announced today.

The formula for this super-fuel and the changes in the refinery processes necessary to make it are closely guarded secrets, the association said. Planes using it can take off quicker, fly faster and longer than those using present 100-octane gas.

Crude oil and natural gasoline are base stocks from which the new super-fuel is derived. It is commonly known that crude oil is a mixture of hydrocarbons ranging from light, quickly vaporizing liquids down to heavy waxes, asphaltic tar and petroleum coke.

Texas Produces Much Natural Gas

Natural gasoline is a mixture of light liquids with a wide variation in octane rating. Natural gasoline is not suitable for aviation gasoline. It must be refined—frequently in a series of complex processes—to separate the components which are blended with crude oil products to make gasolines suitable for automotive and aviation fuels.

Texas in 1944 will produce natural gasoline estimated at 1,900,000,000 (billion) gallons or 48 per cent of the expected output by the nation of 3,960,000,000 gallons.

In 1943, Texas produced 1,670,000,000 gallons or 45 percent of the nation's run of 3,703,000,000 gallons. In 1942, the year we entered the war, Texas produced 1,567,830,000 gallons contrasted with 1,182,872,000 gallons in 1941. The United States produced 2,696,568,000 gallons in 1941 compared with 3,499,524,000 in 1942.

Texas has 136 natural gasoline plants and thirty-three cycling plants which also produce petroleum liquids. These plants are widely distributed over the state. The gasoline plants have a combined daily capacity of about 4,360,000 gallons. The cycling plants have a daily liquid capacity of 3,600,000 gallons. The productivity in both groups of plants is being increased by additions and new construction.

Strong Earth Tremor Reported In Mexico

MALTRATA, MEXICO —(AP)— A strong earth tremor was felt in this Vera Cruz state village Monday night. The tremor was felt after a number of shorter and lighter ones.

Cotton

NEW YORK —(AP)— Cotton futures at noon Tuesday were unchanged to 15 cents a bale higher. Oct. 21.60, Dec. 21.42 and March 21.20.

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British Airmen Are Grounded

LONDON—(AP)—Britain-based Allied airmen, largely grounded Monday remained immobilized by adverse weather during Monday night and ther was no indications when they might resume their devastating assaults upon the retreating German armies in Narthern France.

The German radio, however, reported Allied bomber formations over Hungary Tuesday morning, indicating the Mediterranean Air Forces were busy.

Some daylight raiders, a Berlin broadcast said, penetrated into German Silesia.

The Germans also reported bombers over Vienna.

Four Marriage Licenses Purchased Tuesday

A boom in romance hit Midland Monday.

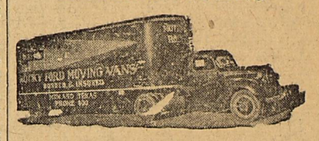
Four marriage licenses were issued at the office of County Clerk Susie G. Noble, more than were issued all last week.

Licenses were issued to Thomas L. Powell and Marion Joyce Cooper, Niebis Carrasco and Otelia Tarango, Everette Warner Kent and Mattie Ruth Dunaway, Clarence Eugene Woods and Ora Lois McLeroy.

Only Four Absentee Ballots Cast Here

Interest in the second Democratic Primary is apparently light with only four absentee ballots having been cast. The primary will be Saturday.

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Midland – Odessa BUS LINE SCHEDULE

Leave Midland-Odessa	Leave Airport
5:25 A.M.	6:00 A.M.
5:55 A.M.	6:30 A.M.
6:25 A.M.	7:00 A.M.
6:55 A.M.	7:30 A.M.
7:25 A.M.	8:00 A.M.
7:55 A.M.	8:30 A.M.
8:30 A.M.	9:00 A.M.
9:30 A.M.	10:00 A.M.
10:50 A.M.	11:30 A.M.
1:00 P.M.	1:30 P.M.
2:00 P.M.	2:40 P.M.
2:55 P.M.	3:35 P.M.
3:30 P.M.	4:10 P.M.
4:30 P.M.	5:10 P.M.
4:45 P.M.	5:30 P.M.
5:05 P.M.	5:40 P.M.
5:30 P.M.	6:10 P.M.
5:45 P.M.	6:20 P.M.
6:05 P.M.	6:40 P.M.
6:30 P.M.	7:10 P.M.
7:05 P.M.	7:40 P.M.
7:30 P.M.	8:10 P.M.
8:05 P.M.	8:40 P.M.
9:30 P.M.	10:00 P.M.
10:30 P.M.	11:00 P.M.
11:30 P.M.	12:20 A.M.

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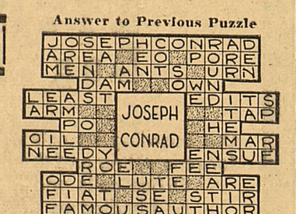
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15 Slows down
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18 Symbol for tin
19 Lettuce
20 Cooking utensil
21 Article
22 Deplore
24 Negative
25 Walking stick
26 Upon
27 Pompous show
30 Was seated
32 Decigram
34 Corded fabrics
35 Writing tool
36 Babylonian deity
38 Sing
40 Baseball players
42 Airplane part
43 Permit
44 Makes mistakes
45 Hawaiian wreaths
46 Morning (Fr.)
48 Whirlwind
49 Sea eagle
50 Those who resolve

VERTICAL
1 Malt drinks
2 German city
3 Within
4 Requirements
5 Openings
6 Silkworm
7 Rupees (ab.)
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14 Tardy
16 Fish eggs
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20 Window part
21 Summit
22 Boys
23 Youngster
25 Peninsula
28 Awaken
29 Lease
30 Harden
31 Poker stake
32 Kind of thread
33 Bury
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41 Symbol for erbium
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46 Written form of Mister
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Texas League May Resume Operations

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF
Associated Press Sports Editor

DALLAS—(AP)—The Texas League may decide at its Sept. 16 meeting to resume operations next season and not just be a stock-taking session to set another parley later for final action.

Any way there's one club that's going to be ready to vote "aye" as soon as they call the roll.

"We are going to say 'let's go'," declared George Schepps Dallas president. "We think it's time to resume operations and we want it done now so we can start building a club. You can't wait around and get good ball players."

There may be more Saturday football in Texas High Schools this year than ever before. Most high schools play on Friday nights but with the many Army Camps and flying fields, some are changing to Saturday night.

Abilene is one of them. "We will draw almost twice as many customers on Saturday night as we would on Friday," Coach Jake Bentley explained. "Soldiers from the surrounding camps can attend on Saturday and you would be surprised at the number of soldiers who will attend good high school games if they can. And I believe our local attendance will be better on Saturday than on Friday."

George Aulbach, president of the Texas Professional Golfers Association, writes that there will be no Amarillo open tournament this fall but it's been placed on the post-war program.

But there's plenty of golf in Amarillo just the same.

Aulbach is pro at the Amerillo Country Club and Gene Root serves the Municipal course. Together they have been responsible for increasing the golf activity of Amerillo nearly 50 per cent while both their club memberships have increased nearly 35.

Footnotes: When Waco High meets Highland Park this season it will mark the first time in 25 years of Interscholastic League play that these two teams, separated by only 100 miles, have clashed on the gridiron . . . Ernie Koy, who was a great backfield man and outfielder at the University of Texas and also played in the major leagues, has received the silver bar of a junior grade lieutenant in the Navy. He was sworn in at Cabaniss Field . . . Blair Cherry, University of Texas Backfield coach and scout, is high on Jack Halfpenny, the Sunset (Dallas) Footballer who's on the Longhorn squad this season. "He looks like another Spot Collins," said Cherry, speaking of Halfpenny's line-backing and blocking.

125 Golfers Shoot In Tam O'Shanter Meet

CHICAGO —(AP)— Approximately 125 shooters finished action Monday in the amateur qualifying section of the Tam O'Shanter All-American Open, $42,500 golfing extravaganza.

Forty-nine young ladies battled for 24 positions in their 72-hole division, also opening Thursday.

The big show's first day saw Ed Furgol, 24-year-old Birmingham, Mich., public links ace, posting a 67, five under par, to lead 250 amateurs ambitious to clinch positions among the 24 eligibles for the finals.

Golfers Get Off To Slow Start In Tourney

Only one match in the Midland County Club's handicap golf tournament got started Monday and it went only half way, due to the heat.

O. C. Harper and Jim Mascho agreed to play their 18-hole engagement in two 9-hole rounds. At the end of the first session Monday evening, Mascho was 1 up. They will complete the match Tuesday evening.

Contestants have until Sunday evening to complete first round matches.

MEXICAN RINGMAN WINS

LOS ANGELES —(AP)— Kid Vera Cruz, 123, of Vera Cruz, Mexico, making his first ring appearance on the Pacific Coast, won a 10-round decision Monday night over Pee Pee Lewis, 123½, Los Angeles, at the Ocean Park Arena.

Standings

National League

Teams—	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	84	29	.743
Pittsburgh	68	46	.591
Cincinnati	64	48	.571
Chicago	51	59	.464
New York	52	65	.444
Boston	46	68	.404
Philadelphia	44	66	.400
Brooklyn	45	73	.381

American League

Teams—	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	69	50	.580
Boston	64	54	.542
Detroit	62	55	.530
New York	61	55	.526
Chicago	56	62	.475
Philadelphia	56	65	.463
Cleveland	56	65	.463
Washington	50	68	.424

MONDAY'S RESULTS

National League

Pittsburgh 9-7, Brooklyn 7-6.
New York 4, Chicago 3.
Boston-St. Louis, postponed, rain.
Only games scheduled.

American League

St. Louis 5, Washington 3.
Cleveland 7, Boston 6.
New York 5, Detroit 1.
Philadelphia 3, Chicago 2.

Timber!



Stan Musial of Cardinals swings five bats enroute to second straight National League batting championship.

'Pepper Pot' Of St. Louis Tallies Yearly Home Run

By JACK HAND
Associated Press Sports Writer

Mr. Pepper Pot of the St. Louis Browns, alias Don Guteridge, won't be in the front row when they count the most valuable player ballots in November but he was the No. 1 man on the ticket Tuesday in St. Louis.

The little second baseman from Pittsburg, Kas., waited until Monday night to get his annual home run and picked the right spot—in the twelfth inning of a 3-3 ball game with Frank Mancuso on base. Gutteridge hit one homer last year and one the year before. Up to last night in Washington, he hadn't connected for all four this year.

When the ex-Cardinal gave the league-leaders a 5-3 victory over the Nats' Mickey Haefner, he gave them a shot in the arm which may shake them out of their troubles. Luke Sewell's men had dropped four in a row.

Browns Increase Lead

The 5-3 overtime win that Sig Jakucki earned over Washington boosted the Browns' lead to 4½ games as Boston fell before Cleveland, 7-6, in 13 innings when another home run, hit by Mickey Rocco of the Tribe, gave Specs Klieman the relief nod over Mike Ryba.

Detroit, next port of call for St. Louis after they finish their Washington visit Tuesday, was dropped by New York, 5-1, as Walt Dubiel scattered eight hits effectively for his ninth win. Homers by Hershel Martin and Russ Derry helped send Rufe Gentry to his 13th defeat.

Philadelphia took a 3-2 decision over Chicago in 10 innings with Don Black getting the verdict over Bill Dietrich on Frankie Hayes' bases-loaded single.

Pirates Trim Dodgers

Pittsburgh's latest win streak mounted to five and 16 of their last 17 as they trimmed Brooklyn, 7-6 in 10 innings after finishing up a suspended game hanging over from July 9 with a 9-7 triumph.

Ernie Lombardi drove in all four Giant runs with two homers and a single in New York's 4-3 margin over Chicago. Johnny Allen needed relief to grab his third win at Bill Fleming's expense.

The Boston at St. Louis night game was rained out and the Phils and Cincinnati were not scheduled.

Kimberly Team 'To Die For The Ole Woman'

KIMBERLY, IDAHO — (AP) — Pretty Jean Parsons will coach the Kimberly High grid team this season.

She did so well last year as varsity basketball coach, said Superintendent J. B. Fridley, that the board decided to let her tackle the football job, too.

ARMSTRONG SQUEEZES THRU WITH WIN OVER JOYCE

SAN FRANCISCO—(AP)— Former triple title holder Henry Armstrong continued his renewed comeback drive Monday night by pounding out a narrow ten-round verdict over Willie Joyce of Gary, Ind.

Armstrong, 139, weathered an early round buffeting and came through with a savage ninth and tenth round attack which won the nod over his 140-pound opponent.

ARMY SHIPPING EQUIPMENT

NEW YORK —(AP)— The Army will ship approximately 20 million dollars worth of athletic equipment overseas during 1944, it was revealed Tuesday by Lt. Col. Henry W. (Esky) Clark, former Harvard football star now head of the new athletic branch of the Special Services Division.

ATHLETICS DOWN WHITE SOX

PHILADELPHIA — (AP) — The Philadelphia Athletics took the season series edge over another American League club for the first time since 1941 Monday night when they defeated the Chicago White Sox for the 12th time this year.

The Sox were the victims in '41, too, when they lost 12 to the A's.

Gridiron Grinders Begin Workouts At Texas Colleges

By The Associated Press

Football huskies in at least four Southwest Conference training camps Tuesday rubbed their aching muscles and prepared to snap into the second day of fall practice.

Texas, Texas A&M, Southern Methodist and Texas Christian all initiated the training grind Monday, with 125 candidates, including seven lettermen, reporting to Coach D. X. Bible at Texas. Rice opens its practice sessions next Monday and Arkansas was due to have begun workouts Monday.

Other possibilities were due to suit up for Bible, including Jack Halfpenny, Dallas High School back, and Ralph Edge, Dallas tackle. Bible will split the squad into a A and B teams in a few days.

At Fort Worth, Coach Dutch Meyer said his Texas Christian Hopefuls—44 reported Monday—would hold inter-squad games each Saturday from now until the first game. Five lettermen are back.

One hundred boys reported to Coach Homer Norton at College Station as the Texas Aggies swung into the season. Norton plans a first team of 35 or 40 men with the rest on team two, but he promised the boys that all who tried would play in one or more games. Five lettermen reported.

At Dalls, six holdovers from 1943 were among the 50 candidates reporting to Southern Methodist Mentor Jimmy Stewart. Five prospects for the team besides the holdovers have had college experience, three were junior college products and at least nine others were high school players of all-district caliber.

MAAF Weathermen To Clash With Jaycees

The Junior Chamber of Commerce softball team and the Weather team from MAAF are scheduled to play at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday at Cloverdale. This is the first meeting of the two teams.

The Jaycees and the Training Union team from the First Baptist Church will play at 6:30 p.m. Thursday at Cloverdale.

Sports Roundup

By Hugh S. Fullerton Jr.

NEW YORK—(AP)—Overseas Roundup:

The Sandstorm League.

Here's how they play GI baseball in the middle east, as related by Larry Leonard: "Our baseball team was engaging a quartermaster unit when all of a sudden the QM boys voiced protest against the umpiring. Finally the tossed out the umpire. They put in another umpire (tell Durocher to try it some time) and this new ump was one of our better players who had just come out of the hospital. Well, things worked beautifully until the tenth when with the score tied our team, realizing the hitting ability of the kid we had umpiring, tried to take him out as ump and use him as a pinch-hitter . . . the other team protested so strongly they finally walked off the field and the game had to be played over . . . incidentally, this kid over whom the squabble arose is a promising prospect, Bob Knight of Fort Worth. He has a .565 batting average and is a good long ball hitter. The kid is young, has a good arm, an excellent eye for feilding and has played the sun field—in the desert."

Sicily

From "perpetual" private Doc Goldstein: "A few days ago a local Army All-Star baseball team thumped some Navy All Stars. I sat alongside a high ranking Navy officer who commented on the Army shortstop thus: 'That shortstop has potentialities. In a few years he'll be ripe for the big leagues" . . . the guy was G.I. Billy Cox, property of the Pittsburgh Pirates.

Trapshooters Start At Vandalia, Ohio

VANDALIA, OHIO —(AP)— This little Ohio town of some 500 population—made famous as the permanent home of the Amateur Trapshooting Association — was ready Tuesday for its annual big moment, the 45th renewal of the Grand American Trapshooting Tournament, a three-day event.

The number of entrants won't be known until the firing gets under way but Ray Loring, ATA manager, predicted there would be as many as a year ago when 38 states and three Canadian provinces were represented.

Young Midland Golfer Shoots Hole-In-One

Alan Olson, 12-year-old golfer, shot a hole-in-one at the Midland Country Club's seventh hole Monday afternoon, Gaither Nowell, pro, said.

Playing with Olson was Ronald O'Donnell.

Mercury Hit 96 Degrees Here Monday

The mercury reached within four degrees of the 100 mark in Midland Tuesday as the thermometer registered 96 for four hours, from 3 to 7 p.m.

The temperature started rising at 8:45 a.m. Wednesday from the 74 degree mark.

CARDINAL DIES

ROME — (AP) — Luigi Cardinal Maglione, Papal secretary of state, died Monday night at the Prince of Piedmont Hospital in Naples after an illness of several weeks.

Nazis Collapsing In South France As Patriots Fight

IRUN, SPAIN—(AP)—Border dispatches told of the collapse of German resistance in one city and town after another throughout Central and Southern France Tuesday as French forces of the interior pressed a campaign to rid their country of the invaders.

There still was no confirmation here, however, that the vital Nazi bastion of Toulouse, 60 miles north of the Spanish border, had fallen. Toulouse was reported to have a Nazi garrison of 3,000 troops, mostly finatical SS (Elite Guard) forces.

French patriots were said to be firmly astride all railroads and highways over which Germans in the Bordeaux area must fight their way to get through to the Reich.

(The Vichy Government is transferring its seat to another city, the German-controlled Vichy radio said. The broadcast did not disclose the identity of the new site.

(Reports have been received from interior France that French patriots virtually have surrounded the puppet capital. There also have been reports that Pierre Laval and other Vichy officials have arrived at Belfort, about 25 miles from Basel, Switzerland, and an equal distance from Germany.)

French Posses Bridge

Uninformed officers of the French Army took possession of the international bridge at Hendaye Monday evening in the name of the French Committee of National Liberation, thus completing French occupation of the entire Pyrenees frontier.

A group of 150 Frenchmen meanwhile was reported chasing a greatly superior force of Germans retreating Northward toward Bordeaux Tuesday. The French were picking of strangglers and generally harassing the Germans' evacuation of Southwestern France.

The vanguard of the German force already has reached Bordeaux, where the German commander hurriedly was forming an armored convoy in an effort to force a way through to Germany, it was said.

Meanwhile, three Allied cruisers continued their patrol of the French Bay of Biscay Coast from the North.

County Agent Desires Names Of Servicemen

Adresses of all men in the armed forces from Midland county farms and ranches are wanted by County Agent I. O. Sturkie.

The county agent has a large number of names and addresses of those from farms and ranches now in the services, but not nearly all.

The Midland County Agricultural Post-War Planning Committee wants to write to every man in the forces from Midland County farms and ranches to ascertain their plans after the war. When the replies are in the committee will attempt to help the boys realize their ambitions.

Parents Receive Card From Roy Blanscett

First news of their soldier son since November 10, 1941 has been received by Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Blanscett. Roy Blanscett is a prisoner of the Japanese. He was taken prisoner at Corregidor.

The parents received a card from him mailed at a Japanese prison camp.

Mrs. Gladys Marshall Returns To Midland

Mrs. Gladys Marshall has returned from a visit with the mother of her husband, Sgt., Raymond Marshall, at Lewis, N. Y. She also visited with her husband's sister, Mrs. John Fisher of Hartford, Conn.

Sgt. Marshall, who trained at MAAF, is member of a flight test crew stationed at an Air Service Command Depot in England. The test crew is responsible for shakedowns and pre-flight inspections of all aircraft handled at the depot. They make test hops and ready the fighters and bombers for combat duty.

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border. Scores of villages have been burned to ashes by the Germans and the liberation of hundreds of Soviet citizens who escaped their captors and hid in the forrests has taken place. Now the population moves Eastward."

There was no official announcement that the Red Army actually had crossed the East Prussian frontier. (The red star dispatch however, strongly suggested this.)

Excellent flying weather gave Stormovik planes and medium bombers a nexcellent chance to resume large scale operations against numerous German tanks and artillery massed in defense of Praga.

'Tex' Hughson To Try For 20th Victory Soon

KYLE, TEXAS—(AP)—Cecil (Tex) Hughson, whose pitching string in the American League was halted at 18 victories by a call to the Navy, may be a 20-game winner this season after all.

Tex came home to his ranch here for a pre-induction visit until Aug. 28 when he's to report but over at Houston where there's a semi-pro baseball tournament going on, came an invitation from a team to pitch its opening game. He accepted and shut out the opposition 10-0, giving up only three hits and striking out 11. Dixie Parsons, slugging catcher formerly with Detroit, was his victim three times.

Now Hughson says he may pitch another semi-pro game so he can make it 20 victories for the season.

Maquis Battle Nazis In Belfort

LONDON—(AP)— French Marquis and the Germans were reported by the Algiers radio Tuesday to be locked in "fierce fighting" inside the maginot line city of Belfort, where Pierre Laval scurried from Vichy with unarrested ministers to establish a new seat of the Nazi-controlled French government.

Swiss reports said the Germans were moving 20,000 to 30,000 troops from interior France to Belfort to defend a gateway to the Rhineland and preserve a foothold on French soil for Laval.

Heavy fighting between patriots and occcupants also was reported in Bellegarde in Southern France, where both Germans and the Marquis were reinforced.

Fighting In Paris

In Paris, fighting was reported by the Swiss radio to be "increasing hourly in violence" while American armor probed at the outskirts.

The French Army of the Interior said more than half of all France (212,000 square miles) was under control of the Allies or patriots.

From the Swiss border to the Spanish Pyrennes, the FFI were declared attacking isolated German garrisons. The Swiss radio said the Maquis had seized the American-threatened French Riviera city of Nice, fifth largest in France with 242,000 population.

UNDERWOOD RESIGNS

AUSTIN —(AP)— Arch Underwood of Lubbock Friday resigned membership on the State's Postwar Planning Commission. Governor Coke R. Stevenson appointed Dr. Walter Prescott Webb of the University of Texas to take Underwood's place on the commission.

Bankhead Wants Higher Cotton Price

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Senator Bankhead (D-Ala) assumed a familiar role Tuesday in his battle to push cotton prices up to parity.

The Alabama Democrat has been in the forefront of virtually every movement designed to bring more pay for the South's "white gold."

Continuing a round of conferences with shippers, following earlier meetings with growers and textile manufacturers, Bankhead told a reporter "we hope to work out a complete program which all of us can support."

His main concern now, he said, is to be sure the growers keep their 1944 crop off the market "until measures can be worked out."

Truman States No Time For Talks

KANSAS CITY — (AP) — Senator Truman, Democratic nominee for vice president, declared Tuesday that "The Republicans don't have anything to do but throw bricks," but that he doubted there would be much speech making by President Roosevelt or himself in the election campaign.

"The President is too busy running the war and I have a job to do in the Senate," the nominee said.

Courtesy Pays For Seaman At Club

JERSEY CITY, N.J.—(AP)—George B. Heil, seaman first class, stepped aside at the Salvation Army Red Shield club for servicemen to let his buddy enter first. When Heil followed, he was handed a $25 War Bond as the 25,000th serviceman to enter the canteen.

To The Victors Belong 'Off Limits'

WITH AMERICAN TROOPS IN BRITTANY —(AP)— One thing that annoys doughboys most is that after fighting for days—perhaps weeks—to take a town, it immediately is put "off limits."

That means no soldiers are allowed to remain in town unless they are on official business. The Army can't police every liberated town and occupation by troops interferes with rehabilitation and civic life—but the infantry can't always see these reasons.

"We even have the Germans trained now," said one disgruntled doughboy. "The last thing a Nazi does before pulling out of town is hang up a sign, reading: 'Off limits to all troops.' "

Senator Committee To Question Nelson

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Senate War investigating committee members went ahead Tuesday with plans to question WPB Chairman Donald M. Nelson, despite President Roosevelt's statement that his "temporary mission" to China in no way alters WPB reconversion policies.

Senator Ferguson (R-Mich) said he and other senators were disposed to accept the President's statement at its "face value," but "we want to find out how strong others at the WPB are for Nelson's plans for limited civilian production."

Will Question Wilson

To that end, he said, the committee plans to question Charles E. Wilson, executive vice chairman of the WPB, who will be in charge during Nelson's absence.

The President's statement said that any impression Nelson's "temporary mission to China indicates a change in policy in the War Production Board is entirely unfounded."

"Nelson's mission," the White House statement asserted, "is necessarily confidential. I regret that more about the work assigned to him can not be said at this time."

Ninth Air Force Drops Correspondents

NEW YORK —(AP)— Three American war correspondents and one artist accredited to the Ninth Air Force in France have been ordered out of that theater of war "apparently because their work has not measured up to standards set by publicity minded Ninth Air Force officers of the higher ranks," the New York Herald Tribune said Tuesday in a copyrighted dispatch.

The correspondents were Stanley Frank of the New York Post, Gordon Gammack of the Des Moines Register and Lee McCardell of the Baltimore Sun, and John Groth, artist for Parade.

"The order is the aftermath of a long series of threats indulged in by certain public relations officers of the air force," Herald Tribune Correspondent Jack Tait wrote. "Correspondents have been told that they must confine the bulk of their activities to coverage of Ninth Air Force news. Those who did not, it was made clear, would have to seek reassignment elsewhere."

Britisher Says War Nearing Conclusion

By ROGER D. GREENE

WITH BRITISH FORCES ADVANCING TOWARD THE SEINE—(AP)—A British headquarters officer said Tuesday "one good sledgehammer blow by the Russians, coupled with our efforts in the West, will finish" the war with Germany.

"The days of gerat battle in France are ended," the officer declared "the rest of the war for Germany is merely a fight for time—time for Hitler."

Only Monday, Gen. Montgomery declared the "end of the war is in sight."

Livestock

FORT WORTH—(AP)—Cattle 5,500; calves 2,300; steers and yearlings weak; cows 25 lower; good fat calves about steady; stockers unchanged; common to medium steers and yearlings 8.00-12.50; beef cows mostly 6.50-9.50; good and choice fat calves 11.25-12.25.

Hogs, 1,200; steady; heavy butcher hogs and packing sows mostly 13.80; good and choice 150-175-lb. averages 13.75-14.55.

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13, University survey, discovery for production in the horizon between the Permian and the Ordovician.

Mid-Continent No. 1-7 University was taking an official Railroad Commission potential test Tuesday morning. The well flowed for 150 barrels per hour on test from a perforated zone at 8,460-8,600 feet, several days ago after that zone had been washed with 1,000 gallons of acid.

Superior Oil Company No. 1 Wheeler, section 10, block 46, TP survey, T-1-S, north flanker to the Wheeler-Ellenburger field, in East Winkler County, recovered signs of sulphur on a drillstem test at 10,655-790 feet, in the Ellenburger.

The test was run with a ⅝-inch bottom-hole choke; a 500-foot water blanket, and a 135-foot anchor. There was a fair, steady blow of air throughout the test, and gas came to the surface in one hour and twenty minutes. The tool was open for two hours.

Water Stained Coin

Recovery included, 30 feet of oil and gas cut drilling mud; 92 feet of muddy oil and gas cut water; 184 feet of gas cut water; 368 feet of oil and gas cut drilling mud; 276 feet of heavily oil and gas cut drilling mud, and 184 feet of muddy, gas cut bottom-hole water, which stained a coin, and which had some average sulphur content.

Most observers believe the project has found the bottom of the section which is due to yield oil from the lower Ordovician. The operator is to take another 10-foot core, and likely will then run a string of 5½-inch casing to the top of the pay.

Sun Oil Company No. 2 Keystone, North-Central Winkler County Ellenburger exploration, completed repair job, which stopped operators at 8,888 feet, and is drilling ahead under 8,900 feet in chert.

Todd Stretcher Tests

Amerada Petroleum Corporation No. 5-A Todd, one-quarter of a mile north extension to the Crinoidal producing area in the Todd district of Crockett County, flowed 309 barrels of 41.7 gravity oil in seven hours of testing, through a one-inch choke, from 692 gun perforations in the casing at 5,727-95 feet, and at 5,810-5,918 feet.

The Ellenburger zone in this well, around 6,130-6,210 feet, which flowed 312 barrels natural in 14 hours, is being plugged-off and will not be tied in with the upper zone when the well is completed. The operator has announced no plans for a development program for the Ellenburger formation in that area. Likely such an activity will be attempted at some later time.

Shell Oil Company, Inc., No. 1 Sparks, Southwest Gaines County wildcat, had progressed under 8,530 feet and was going ahead in dolomite.

Not Much Oil

Cities Service Oil Company No. 1-L University, southwest of Shafter Lake, in Central-North Andrews County, swabbed 11 barrels of fluid in 24 hours, with an average of 32 per cent water, in testing the San Andres section above 4,500 feet, after treating with a total of 5,500 gallons of acid, in three stages, and is to now plug-back and test the Yates zone, where the operator found a heavy gas when that section was drilled through.

Standard Oil Company of Texas No. 1-3 McDer, North-Central Pecos County development, swabbed dry at 4,881-4,960 feet, with about 100,000 cubic feet of gas per day, and is preparing to treat that section with acid, to test more.

Thomas W. Doswell No. 1 Cantrill, Northwest Borden County prospector, had penetrated under 4,894 feet in gray lime.

Richfield Oil Corporation No. 1 Woody, Northwest Glasscock County wildcat, has set 13⅜-inch casing at 350 feet, with cement, and was waiting.

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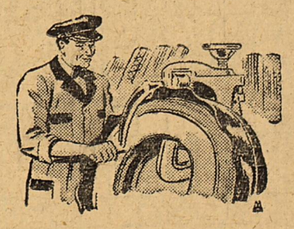
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