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Nazi Toll At Anzio Heavy

15,000 Casualties Suffered Since Landing January 22

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ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, Naples, Feb. 26—The Germans have suffered about 15,000 casualties on the beachhead at Anzio since the Allied landing Jan. 22 and the ten Nazi divisions there have now been thrown temporarily on the defensive while they are regrouping, an Allied spokesman announced tonight.

The spokesman, reviewing the Anzio situation "now that the enemy's first reaction is over," said that the German casualty figures included 2,816 prisoners.

The German attacks on the Allied positions on the beachhead have been "supported by a larger weight of artillery than had been encountered hitherto in the African and Italian campaigns," the spokesman said, but he added that the attack had been defeated.

Nazi Plans Upset

As a result, the German program for relieving a number of top divisions for the west has been upset, ten enemy divisions have been forced to remain on the beachhead sector and German garrisons in France and Yugoslavia have been weakened to meet the threat to Rome, the spokesman said.

His statement, issued on a day of relative lull on the Italian front except for heavy artillery duelling, was the first overall summary of the beachhead situation since the landing.

(There have been no figures issued on Allied casualties in the beachhead fighting alone. On Feb. 17 Secretary of War Stimson said that total American casualties in Italy since the landings at Salerno last September were 4,158 killed, 18,154 wounded and 6,429 missing).

The fierce four-day German attack which has just been thrown back managed to penetrate the Allied Anzio positions to "a depth of two kilometers astride the main road" before being held all along the line, the announcement said.

Represented Net Gain

This summary of the month's fighting on the beachhead apparently referred to the road running due north from Anzio. Questioned concerning a discrepancy between this two-kilometer figure and previous admissions of deeper penetrations, the spokesman said that it represented the net loss after the Allies had flung the German forces back.

The statement made two things clear:

1. That Nazi Field Marshal Kesselring hoped to gain "for Germany a spectacular military victory which she needs so badly," and

2. That, having failed, he now is massing more power to try again.

Jim Thomas Taken Before Grand Jury In Murder Inquiry

Jim Thomas, 47-year-old former convict held in Lubbock since a few days after the double-slaying of Dr. and Mrs. Roy E. Hunt in their Littlefield home last October, Saturday appeared before the Lamb county grand jury investigating the murders it was learned here last night.

From District Attorney Harold M. LaFont, of Plainview, came the announcement that the jury had been disassembled after a busy day of work which ended at 7:30 o'clock last night.

Thomas was taken to Olton under a heavy guard of Texas Rangers who were bolstered there by Lamb county officers.

LaFont said C. E. Bley, foreman, would call the body back into session "within the next two to three weeks."

Several witnesses wanted in the Hunt inquiry are still "out of pocket," LaFont stated. About 30 witnesses already have been heard, he said.

GOP Tactics Are Assailed By Hannegan

Capitalizing On War Is Charged

(By The Associated Press)

DALLAS, Feb. 26 — Robert E. Hannegan, chairman of the Democratic National committee, asserted tonight that it appeared to be the purpose of the Republicans' "to seek to rise to power upon the irritations and dislocations that are inevitable in our mobilization for total war."

He drew that conclusion from "the statements of aspirants for the Republican nomination, and the actions of the Republican leadership in Congress," Hannegan said in an address to Texas Democrats gathered at $25-a-plate Washington birthday dinner.

Calls For Finest

"The conduct of a national election in war time is and should be a matter calling for all that is finest in our democracy. I want to pledge to you that insofar as I am concerned the pattern of the forthcoming campaign will be developed with deference to those whose sacrifices leave them in no mood for 'politics as usual.'"

"The record of this administration is brilliant. It is the story of an administration sensing the needs of the country and applying the necessary remedy," he continued.

"...During the present emergency, every other activity must take a minor place to the inflexible purpose of winning the war speedily and completely. Our Republican adversaries concur verbally in that decision, but actually I am sorry to say, they seem to regard the war as an opportunity for the furtherance of their own hopes."

"I do not think any of us can contemplate with equanimity or complacency the idea of the confusion that would be the inevitable result in a change of administration from Democratic to Re-

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COL. J. A. DeMARCO

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DeMarco Takes SPAAF Command

Olsen Prepares To Leave Here Today

Col. James A. DeMarco, youthful command pilot named Friday to head South Plains Army Air field, started to work yesterday and spent his first full day on the post in a series of conferences with staff officers as his predecessor, Col. Norman B. Olsen, prepared to leave today for his new post at Liberal, Kans.

A native of Washington, D. C., and a graduate of University of Maryland, Colonel DeMarco will be 37 years old March 30. He has been a pilot and commissioned officer in the U. S. Army Air Forces since his graduation, in 1931, from Kelly Field, San Antonio. Since then he has served at Mitchel Field, Long Island; Randolph Field, and Waco Army Air field, from where he was ordered to SPAAF. He was second in command there and has had his colonelcy since last September.

Has One Child

Colonel DeMarco is married and has one child ,an eight-year old daughter named Vickie.

Colonel Olsen, who has been SPAAF's commanding officer since late summer of 1942, says he has no idea what his orders will be upon reporting at Liberal. He came here first as director of training at SPAAF under that post's first commanding officer, Col. James W. Andrew. However, Colonel Andrew was transferred to Washington almost before SPAAF began operating and Colonel Olsen has been the man who has placed the field—the nation's largest glider station—into high gear.

As soon as local affairs can be completed, Mrs. Olsen will go to her home in San Antonio where she will put the couple's only child, Martin, a Junior High school student, in school. Thereafter, she will rejoin Colonel Olsen to stay with him as long as he remains in this country.

Colonel Olsen, a command pilot, is a former director of training at the "West Point of the Air," Randolph field.

TWO TRAINING WING COMMANDS CHANGED

SAN MARCOS, Feb. 26. (AP) — Two command changes affecting twelve Army air fields in four states were announced at San Marcos Army Air field today when

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Reds Batter Nazis Hard In Pskov Drive

Evacuation Of Area Indicated

By TOM YARBROUGH
Associated Press Staff Writer

LONDON, Sunday, Feb. 27.—The German Army appeared to be retreating rapidly from all of northwestern Russia today as Moscow announced that Soviet forces yesterday had not only captured two railway stations on the roads to Pskov but had overrun 318 localities and ousted the Germans from 105 miles of a north-south railway less than 70 miles from Latvia.

The great Russian advance—which in some places was moving at the rate of ten miles a day—was nearing Sskov, communications center and key to the Baltic states, from three directions, Moscow said. In addition, to the south, the Russians were declared to have won complete control of the 105-mile section of the Leningrad-Odessa trunkline between Dno and Novosokolniki.

Made On Wide Front

Both of these advances were made on a continuous 175-mile front extending from the shore of Lake Pskov, and running about 20 miles north of Pskov to the Leningrad-Pskov railway where the station of Novoselye, 26 miles northeast of Pskov was captured yesterday.

Then the line swings to the southeast across the Leningrad-Pskov highway and down to the newly-captured town of Porkhov, 45 miles east of Pskov on the railroad from Staraya Russa. Then it continues south along the Novosokolniki railway to the station of Ustrugi, 18 miles west of Novosokolniki on the railroad to Riga.

That was the line as pictured by two broadcast Moscow communiques recorded by the Soviet monitor.

The communique also presented a picture of a swift, general Rus-

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Blockaded Japs Are Mercilessly Battered



BLOCKADE TIGHTENS AGAINST JAPS—Allies (ships and waving flags across top), dominate the sea north of the Bismarck archipelago, General MacArthur has announced. The effect is a blockade of Jap bases to the south, and indications are that the Japs are evacuating (or seeking to) their former pivotal base at Rabaul which now is a shambles. Solid black territory is that held by Allied ground forces, where Allied air bases are located.

Nip Shipping Is Heavily Lashed; Rabaul Battered

By ROBERT EUNSON
Associated Press Staff Writer

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, Southwest Pacific, Sunday, Feb. 27—Kavieng harbor, the New Ireland stepping stone along the Japanese supply line between the Bismark archipelago and Truk in the Carolines, was treated to a first class bombardment by American destroyers in the early morning hours Friday.

A spotter plane reported one Japanese vessel was sunk and two left burning in addition to several harbor craft hit, headquarters announced today.

Third Time In Week

It was the third naval shelling of Kaveing in a week. A naval spokesman said shore batteries, which opened up on our destroyers, were silenced by the return fire.

A large force of Boston attack bombers and Beaufort fighters hit But and Dagua airdromes in the vicinity of the important enemy base of Wewak, New Guinea, on Thursday and Bostons came back the next day to hit Boram, another airfield protecting Wewak. Fires started by the raids were visible for 50 miles. Eighty-six tons of bombs destroyed or damaged at least 23 parked Japanese planes. There was no air opposition.

Rabaul Pounded Again

Gen. Douglas MacArthur's communique reported a combined Army-Navy aerial assault against "the weakening enemy base" of Rabaul, New Britain. More than 150 Solomons-based planes participated and for the fifth straight raid, there was no air interception.

A headquarters spokesman added that Rabaul's anti-aircraft fire was weak. One hundred tons of explosives were dumped on airdrome supply areas and ground installations in the area. An ammunition dump was blown up and a power plant destroyed.

Ground forces on the Saidor front have occupied Bililau, Warai and Sindaman, small villages northwest of Saidor.

Violent Battle For Guam Said Raging

Axis Reports Not Confirmed By Allies; Japs Believed Quitting Rabaul, Kavieng

By LEONARD MILLIMAN
Associated Press War Editor

Axis radios report a violent battle "for possession of the Pacific isle of Guam" has been going on for days.

No comment was forthcoming from the United States Navy department after Tokyo radio reported Saturday that American "naval formations are attacking" the island, 3,800 miles west of Pearl Harbor. Berlin followed with a Tokyo dispatch about a continuing battle.

Only previous recent mention of Guam, former U. S. outpost captured by the Japanese in the first week of the Pacific war, was in Adm. Chester W. Nimitz' Friday communique when he reported the island was attacked by the same carrier forces that raised strong enemy bases at Saipan and Tinian Tuesday. All three islands are in the southern Marianas, about 1,400 miles south of Tokyo.

Only Two Nearby

Saipan and Tinian are the only two nearby islands from which the Japanese could send aid to Guam. The next nearest are Yap, 500 miles to the southeast; Palau, 800 miles southwest, and Truk 640 to the southeast.

The wording of the broadcasts suggest an amphibious action, but it is similar to the vague terminology previously used in Tokyo broadcasts to describe the carrier-borne air attacks and naval bombardments.

The reports wouldn't be worth noting if it weren't for the surprising succession of daring strokes by American forces in seizing the most westerly Marshall islands, raiding Truk and bombing the Marianas.

Three Major Circumstances

Coupled with this is Nimitz' recent remark, as he looked at the Pacific islands, "I want them all;" the failure of American task forces to find the Japanese fleet, and the seeming collapse of Rabaul, keystone of Japan's Southwest Pacific defense.

Capt. Arleigh Burke, whose "Little Beaver" destroyer squadron has been ranging at will over the seas once controlled from Rabaul

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FDR Orders Review Of All Deferments; Rules Tighten

By WILLIAM T. PEACOCK
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WASHINGTON, Feb. 26. — A sharply accelerated draft rate appeared in prospect tonight as a result of President Roosevelt's order for an immediate review of all occupational deferments and a speedy start on making up a 200,000-man deficit in Army inductions.

Moving toward that end, selective service already has tightened rules for deferment of agricultural workers and draft officials told Congress this week that it may be necessary to rule out industrial deferments for all men under 26. The minimum age for industrial deferments now is 22.

Dispached At Once

Selective service headquarters sent copies of President Roosevelt's order to all state directors immediately after its issuance at the White House today and directed that it be transmitted to all local boards and appeal boards.

The state directors were directed to review the cases of all men between ages 18 and 37 deferred in classes 2-A, 2-B, 2-C and 3-C.

In considering reclassifications, local boards were instructed to give "particular attention to registrans under 26 years of age in view of the President's statement that agriculture and industry should release the younger men for military service."

Noting that nearly 5,000,000 men have been deferred for occupational reasons, Mr. Roosevelt declared he was convinced" that in this respect we have been overly lenient, particularly with regard to the younger men."

Crucial Campaigns

In a memorandum to Paul V. McNutt, chairman of the war Manpower commission, and Maj. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, selective service director, the President said the "crucial campaigns" of this year will determine the length of the war and its costs in men and materials.

The President said it was time to "strike a new balance" in division of manpower among the three major war fields—the production of food, the production of munitions, and the armed forces.

"We are well equipped in food and munitions," he commented, though he added that overage men, the physically disqualified, returned soldiers and women "must be used more effectively to replace the able-bodied men in critical industry and agriculture."

Solicitation Will Start Here March 7 In Red Cross Drive

Although the National Red Cross War Fund drive will officially get under way on March 1, actual solicitation will not begin in Lubbock county until Tuesday, March 7, it was announced Saturday by George P. Kuykendall, county chairman for the drive. The drive will continue until March 31, he said.

Preparations and organization for the drive will constitute the work for this week, with several committee meetings and the various solicitors being appointed.

Kuykendall said the county quota of $78,500 was announced last week. This compares with the quota of $45,000 in the last War Fund drive in which more than $66,000 was raised.

Personnel Substantially Same

The personnel for the forthcoming drive will be substantially the same as that in the last drive, Chairman of the various committees for the drive include: J. D. Hassell, jr., and W. C. O'Mara, vice chairmen; W. G. McMillan, special gifts division; Retha R. Martin, division to solicit employed groups; Homer D. Grant, general solicitation division; Mrs. Morley Jennings, Women's division; Roy Boyd, rural division Durwood H. Bradley, speakers committee; DeWitt Landis, radio publicity; Parker Prouty, newspaper publicity.

Briggs Robertson, chairman of the Slaton chapter, announced Saturday that William R. Sewell and W. L. Pearson had been named as co-chairmen for the drive in that city. Various civic and cultural clubs have been lined up to work in Slaton during the drive.

Committees Meet March 7

On the morning of March 7 all committees will meet at a place and time to be announced later, for coffee and doughnuts, after which actual solicitation will begin, Kuykendall said.

"The increase in the requirements for Red Cross funds results from increased needs for work with the armed forces," Kuykendall said. "The total number of men in the armed forces of the United States to be served by the Red Cross has been very greatly increased during the last year and the dispersion of the forces to more and more combat zones and outlying stations necessitates Red Cross service at many more locations."

The Red Cross goal, he said, seems large, but if it is considered in relation to the number of men now in the armed forces it represents a "very modest sum for Red Cross service for a full year.

Nazis Staggered By Aerial Blows

LONDON, Feb. 26. (AP)—Giant fires burned themselves out in Augsburg tonight and the ruins of at least 14 other centers of German aircraft production gave smouldering evidence of the greatest sustained aerial onslaught in history—an onslaught that a high American air force spokesman said had now rendered Nazi factories unable to keep up with combat losses

The offensive which began one week ago tonight with 2,300 long tons of bombs hurled on Leipzig by the RAF, was rounded out with a 1,700-ton RAF overnight blow against Augsburg. The week's bomb tonnage was estimated at 17,500 dropped by the Americans and RAF together.

In Temporary Lull

Operations went into a temporary lull today, with Typhoon patrols over the French coast as the only activity reported. These cost the Nazis two planes.

But in the week of sustained assaults, by the RAF at night and the U. S. Army Air forces by day, the German aircraft industry has suffered its greatest losses of the war.

The American spokesman disclosed that since Jan. 1 twin-engined fighter production in the Reich has been cut 80 percent and single engined fighter production

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Pacific Wounded And Sick Reach McCloskey

TEMPLE, Feb. 26 (AP)—A 12-car train of sick and wounded veterans from Pacific battle areas arrived at McCloskey General hospital today.

The men were greeted by the 40-girl choir of the Texas State College for Women at Denton.

ENGINEER KILLED

SPOKANE, Wash., Feb. 26 (AP) C. T. Henderson, Spokane railroad engineer, was killed and two passengers were hospitalized at Colfax as a result of a collision between a Northern Pacific passenger train and a light engine near Oakesdale, railroad officials here reported today.

KFYO Tune In 1340 Kilocycles
Avalanche-Journal Station

One Is Killed When Gas Truck Overturns

LAREDO, Tex., Feb. 26 (AP) — Barney Ray Perkins, 24, of Aransas Pass, Tex., was killed today when a gasoline truck in which he was riding overturned on a curve a mile east of Aguilares, Tex., on the Laredo-Corpus Christi highway. Douglas Briscoe, 23, of Aransas Pass, was also riding in the truck and was critically injured.

Funeral services for Perkins will be held at Aransas Pass.

Work Stoppage At Borger Involves 200

BORGER, Tex., Feb. 26 (AP) — Sheriff Dale Lane said about 75 men formed a picket line today near the B. F. Goodrich Rubber plant here where a work stoppage involved an estimated 200 persons.

Company and union officials here declined to make statements.

No disorders had occurred, Sheriff Lane said.

Ration Changes Effective Today

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26 (AP)—Ten-point ration stamps and red and blue tokens as change will ease into use throughout the country starting tomorrow.

The new ration currency for buying meats, dairy products and processed foods becomes valid then, but the Office of Price administration (OPA) expects light exchange the first day since most stores will be closed. But the new system will get a full-blown test Monday with resumption of heavier buying.

The stamps to be used under the new plan are all in ration book No. 4—blue for processed foods and red for meats and fats. Each stamp has a ten-point value regardless of the figure on the face.

Here Are Valid Stamps

The first red stamps valid for meat are A-8, B-8 and C8. They may be used through May 20. Every two weeks, three new stamps will become valid.

Blue processed food stamps will be validated in sets of five at the start of each month, with the first series—A-8, B-8, C-8, D-8 and E-8—good through May 20.

As change for their ten-point stamps, housewives will get tokens—blue in processed food purchases and red for meats and dairy products—and these will be good indefinitely. In no case, however, may stamps be cashed outright for a full ten points in tokens. Nine token will be the most received as change for any stamp.

The old-style stamps good through March 20 are:

Green (processed food) stamps K, L and M.

Brown (meats, fats) stamps Y and Z.

Youth Dies, Parents Critically Burned

BOWIE, Tex., Feb. 26 (AP) — Billy Palmer, 13, was burned to death and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Palmer were critically injured when fire destroyed the Palmer farm home, 18 miles southwest of Bowie in Rocky Point community today.

NOW U. S. CITIZEN

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 26. (AP)—Franz Steininger, Vienna-born composer who wrote "Marching Along Together," theme song of the WAC, took the oath as a United States citizen today.

Peace Believed Near For War-Weary Finns

LONDON, Feb. 26. (AP) — Peace may come to war-weary Finland early next week with acceptance by the Finns of Soviet Russia's six-points terms, diplomats agreed tonight as they kept their attention on negotiations between the two countries.

One big stumbling block in the terms, which circulated here unofficially, was said to be a Russian demand for the internment of 100,000 German troops in northern Finland.

Another serious problem was posed by Russia's reported demand for restoration of the 1940 borders, beyond which Finnish troops have advanced.

The Stockholm Aftonbladet's Helsingi correspondent said this provision was a shock to the Finnish people because many thousand Karelians already have moved back into the land on the Karelian isthmus between Lake Ladoga and the Gulf of Finland which was ceded to Russia in 1940.

Inequality Of Sacrifice Felt By American Soldiers In Italy

NEW YORK, Feb. 26. (AP)—Many American soldiers in the stalemated Italian campaign feel there's a real inequality of sacrifice in this war, Hal Boyle, associated Press war columnist, said today on his return from 16 months with troops in the Mediterranean

"The battle morale of these doughboys is high," he said. "But they are fighting for a land which some feel has forgotten them.

"Many have been overseas for two years and have given up hope of ever coming home. To them the war has become a blind alley with death at the end."

Boyle, whose column "Leaves From a War Correspondent's Notebook," has made him one of America's greatest links between the boys at the front and the folks back home, said that infantrymen who had fought through three campaigns—North Africa, Sicily and Italy—felt common sense dictated that they should have a rest at home.

"These overseas veterans in the ground forces want to be told there is a limit to the sacrifices demanded of them;" headded.

The 33-year-old reporter has found little amusing since he arrived at Miami after flying from Europe on the combat bomber "The Blue Streak," which compleed 110 Mediterranean missions. It was his first break away from front line action since the African invasion.

"The boys overseas have an idea that the people at home still think

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Beef Shortages In Areas Feared

CHICAGO, Feb. 26 (AP)—Shortages of better grades of beef are likely to occur in some sections of the country during the spring and "probably will be accelerated materially by black market operations," the American Meat institute predicted today.

The institute, composed of most of the nation's meat packing companies, said in a survey of the meat and livestock situation that marketing of cattle in the early spring is expected to be considerably reduced from present levels.

"Our general analysis," the institute stated, "indicates the supply of beef for the entire year will be as large as in 1943, but this year, as happened last year, shortages of better grades of beef are expected during April, May and June."

Pork Supplies Higher

Pork supplies during the spring and summer are likely to be considerably higher than last year, the institute said. It made no forecast on the veal and lamb supply, which normally is a very small part of total meat consumption.

The institute gave these reasons for the anticipated smaller beef supply:

1. There were 16 per cent fewer cattle in mid-western feed lots on Jan. 1, 1944, than a year previous. Those cattle either have been marketed or now are being marketed after a short period of feeding on grain. Normally, such cattle are fed for a longer period and reach the market in the spring months.

2. Cattle men will be reluctant to sell cattle during the spring because they can be fed on grass in the western range states.

3. The shortage probably will be accelerated by "black market" operations "as was the case last spring when shortages were caused on the east coast, the west coast and in Texas."

Texas Flier Killed In Florida Crash

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Feb. 26 (AP) — Lieut. (JG) William A. Broadfoot, 23, USNR flier of Weatherford, Texas, was killed last Wednesday when his plane crashed near here while on a training flight, the Jacksonville naval air station announced today.

Lt. Broadfoot won his wings at Corpus Christi and reported here in March, 1942.

Many Said Abused In State Hospitals

BROWNSVILLE, Feb. 26. (AP) — Rep. Augustine Celaya, Brownsville, said tonight he would propose a resolution demanding a legislative investigation "unless something is really done" about alleged abuses of inmates at state hospitals.

The Brownsville Herald, which listed a series of allegations against some state hospitals, said Gov. Coke Stevenson "pledged the valley a full investigation into charges of mistreatment of inmates at state hospitals and institutions."

The newspaper quoted Weaver H. Baker, chairman of the state board of control, as saying that if the charges were substantiated "those responsible will be fired."

The Herald charged that a 75-year-old Brownsville man had been beaten and starved in a state hospital, and cited other instances in which individuals, apparently in good physical condition purportedly died soon after their admission to institutions.

Berlin Says Pope's Residence Evacuated

LONDON, Feb. 26 (AP)—The Berlin radio said today that all persons, both permanent residents and refugees, have been evacuated from the pope's summer residence at Castel Gandolfo just above the Allied Anzio beachhead lines. Valuable furniture is being moved to a safer place, said the broadcast.

JAIL NOTE

CARUTHERSVILLE, Mo., Feb. 26 (AP) — Things are so dull in Remiscot county, observes Sheriff W. A. Thomas, it's news. His jail was empty for six days this month —first time in 17 years.

Single Command Plan Is Gaining

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26. (AP)—Authoritative reports that backing has developed in high military quarters for consolidation of land, sea and air forces under one department of defense aroused a generally enthusiastic response at the capitol today.

Most of the legislators commenting, however, suggested that such an extensive shake-up might well be postponed until the war is won whereas military men favoring the idea were said to feel that the time to make the move is now while the war is still on.

In fact, the Washington Post said in a copyright story, the matter presently is under consideration by the joint chiefs of staff with every indication pointing to approval and a recommendation to President Roosevelt.

Comment Withheld

Neither War or Navy department would comment on the reports.

Major aims of such a move would be to avoid duplication of effort and achieve a general unity of command such as worked so well in field operations in this war. It also would have the effect of giving the air forces status equal to that of the Army and Navy.

The Post said the plan under consideration by the joints chiefs of staff calls for:

1. A civilian head of the single department who would have civilian assistants for each service—Army, Navy and Air.

2. A single chief of staff with the proper deputies.

3. A general staff which would function under this chief with equal rank for Army, Navy, Air, and supply.

HURRICANE HITS HURRICANE

ATHENS, La., Feb. 26. (AP) — A windstorm of hurricane proportions hit the community of Hurricane, Lincoln parish, about 7 a. m. today, causing damage estimated at several thousand dollars. So far as can be learned here, there was no loss of life.

The Weather

WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy Sunday, Sunday night and Monday; scattered showers Monday and in El Paso and Big Bend country Sunday night.

NEW MEXICO: Partly cloudy Sunday and Monday with scattered snow flurries in mountains. Scattered showers southwest portion Sunday and south Monday. No important changes in temperature.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES
(Readings recorded by West Texas Gas company during past 24 hours)

1 a. m.	45	1 p. m.	69
2 a. m.	42	2 p. m.	70
3 a. m.	40	3 p. m.	69
4 a. m.	38	4 p. m.	70
5 a. m.	38	5 p. m.	70
6 a. m.	39	6 p. m.	67
7 a. m.	38	7 p. m.	64
8 a. m.	38	8 p. m.	61
9 a. m.	39	9 p. m.	58
10 a. m.	43	10 p. m.	56
11 a. m.	54	11 p. m.	55
12 M.	66	12 M.	54

Use Of Air Power Experiment Rapidly Approaching Climax

BY DEWITT MACKENZIE
Associated Press War Analyst

We are rapidly approaching the climax of the Allied experiment to determine how close we can come to bombing Hitler into submission.

Less than a year ago British Prime Minister Churchill told a joint meeting of the Senate and House in Washington that the use of air power by itself to bring about a collapse of Germany and Italy was an "experiment . . . well worth trying, so long as other measures are not excluded." Since then we've let loose a crescendo of bombing which certainly contributed to Italy's collapse and now has reached a peak of intensity never before achieved—and it's rapidly increasing.

True, the Allied high command is preparing for the land invasion of western Europe on the theory that, when all's said and done, Hitler must be finished off in battle on the ground. We are depending on the aerial bombardment to pave the way for what Churchill describes as "the greatest joint operation between two allies that ever has been planned in history."

Invasion Is Essential

Still, while it's generally agreed that the invasion is essential if victory isn't to be unduly delayed, yet there can be small doubt that Allied fighting men of all categories are watching the outcome of the bombing experiment with tense interest. They're wondering how long Hitlerdom can stand the round-the-clock assault.

I'm sure you'll understand I'm not predicting that Hitler will be knocked out by air alone. I'm saying that we are rushing towards the climax of the second big scale experiment of history to see how close air power can come to defeating a nation. The first effort was by Hitler in 1940-41, when he tried to blitz England into submission.

The fuehrer failed, and so exposed himself to the terror which is now sweeping the reich. We cannot judge the present offensive by what he did, for the striking-power of the united Anglo-American air fleets far exceeds his greatest effort.

Numerical Superiority

We have numerical superiority and this is rapidly increasing. Hitler's luftwaffe, on the other hand, finally has reached that unhappy stage where U. S. Strategic Air Force headquarters in Britain is able to announce that the concentrated American air attacks on German aircraft factories have so reduced Nazi fighter production that every enemy plane shot down in combat now is a vital contribution toward knocking Germany's air force out of action.

The drive against the Nazi air force is in two divisions. First, the Allies are hunting out every warplane factory and are destroying or crippling it. That's following the principle of destroying the wasp nest with the wasps in it. Secondly, they are bent on keeping the German air force so constantly engaged that the Hitlerite pilots and ground forces will become exhausted. Also, of course, the Allies are intensively gunning to knock out enemy planes in combat, because of Hitler's difficulty in replacing them.

FBI Brings End To Gay Dinner Party Of Two "Officers"

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26 (AP) — A gay dinner party was in full swing in a $35-a-day suite in a Washington hotel, the hosts being two Army officers with plenty of money who had even rented a "juke box" to provide music.

Agents of the FBI dropped in. Would "Major" Allen Ward and "Captain" J. E. Daley be so good as to show their credentials?

The major and the captain couldn't find the credentials. The guests gasped when their new friends were led away by the agents.

Today, the FBI told the story. Officials said both "Army officers" are enlisted men A. W. O. L. from an Army prison.

The identified the "major," who had been telling colorful stories of shooting down 21 enemy planes, as Douglas Ray Allred, 20, former Portland, Ore., bank employe, and the "captain" as Edward Richard Malone, jr., former Brooklyn schoolboy, and said both escaped from Fort Knox, Ky., Jan. 31 while under long sentences for repeated violation of military regulations.

From Fort Knox, they hitchhiked to Cincinnati, the FBI said, cashed a bogus check for $100, then went to Dayton, Ohio, and cashed worthless checks for $1,450. They arrived there by plane Feb. 5.

The FBI did not identify the dinner guests, but said some of them were "prominent."

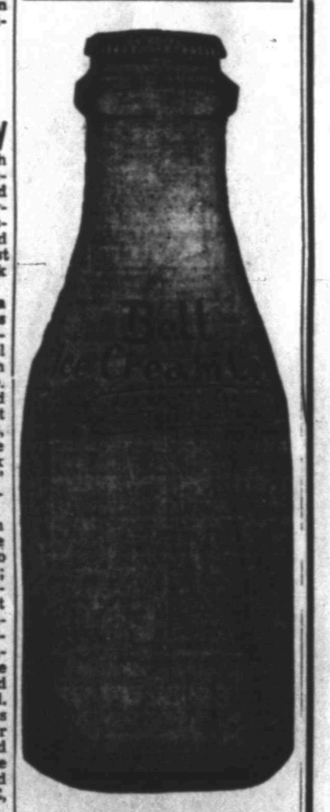
Littlefield Fat Stock Show Is To Be Held

LITTLEFIELD, Feb. 26) Special)—at a recent meeting of the directors of the Littlefield Chamber of Commerce it was voted to sponsor a fat stock show in Littlefield again this spring The tentative date set for the event was Saturday, March 25.

The location for the FFA and 4-H club Fifth Annual show will be the same as last year, the old Higginbotham - Bartlett building. Raymond L. King, vocational agriculture instructor, has been asked by chamber of commerce officials to again serve as manager of the show.



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High School Concert Is Scheduled Tuesday

A promising program with plenty of semi-classical and comedy musical numbers is scheduled at Lubbock High school auditorium when the high school orchestra and Westerner Concert band ring up the curtain on their first formal appearance at 8:15 o'clock Tuesday night.

The program, in the form of a Victory concert, will be given as a boost to the bond drive now being conducted in the high school for the purpose of buying a North American Mustang P-51 plane. Citizens are urged to come and buy either bonds or stamps but "if you can't buy stamps or bonds, come anyway and hear and see the progress made by Lubbock High school's young musicians," Charles Eskridge, band and orchestra conductor, urged.

The first part of the program will include five numbers by the orchestra after which a string trio composed of Roger Hall, violinist; George Zournas, cellist; and Rayburn Jones, pianist, will present selections. The Westerner concert band will give the third division of the program and concluding numbers will be the "Westerner Call to Loyalty" and the national anthem by the band.

Through Friday $57,295 in series E bonds of the $75,000 quota for buying the plane had been sold with $17,705 needed to complete the quota. Total of all bonds and stamps sold, including series E, was $77,175, it was announced.

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Senior Play To Be Given Friday

"Thumbs Up," a patriotic comedy of present-day significance by Row Patterson, will be presented by the senior class of Lubbock High school at 8:15 o'clock Friday night in the high school auditorium.

Tickets are on sale at the high school principal's office at 50 cents and may be purchased until 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Delia Stone is director. Members of the cast include Mary Ann Dykes, as Phyllis Dugan; Dorothy Stevenson, Shirley Blair; Pauline Lokey, Mrs. Winkle; Wanda Barker, Ida; Doris Mae Burdett, Lucy Parsons; Jo Cobb, Emma Lowrey; Pat McCall, Betty Barker; Jack Cooper, Mr. Smith; and Louis Willeford, Cal.

Girls To Be Ushers

Ushers for the affair will be Betty McDonald, Gene Carolyn Harvey, Eleanor Ferguson, Nelva Joyce Halbert, Barbara Leonard, Corinne Payne, Ruth Parkhill, Mary Beth Dupree, Frances Groce, Charlotte Carter, Betty Bomar and Jean Martin.

Bob Hassell is chairman of the property committee and other members are Geraldine Pool, Clyde Neville, Nelle Womack, Peggy Johnson and Betty White.

Gordon Stalcup, chairman, Earnestine Snider, Mary Lou Spence, Margaret Pierce, Amaleta Moore, Betty Nance and Beverley Mooney make up the stage committee.

June Royalty is chairman of the publicity committee and other members include Jack Grady, Betty Su Walker, Roland Nichols, Joanne Mayfield, Joan Gill and Ann Orr.

NURSE GIVEN AWARD

GEORGETOWN, Feb. 26 (AP) — First Lt. Margaret A. Richey, Army Nurse corps, first white woman to land on Baugainville island, has been awarded the Oak Leaf cluster, her mother, Mrs. H. W. Richey of Georgetown, was informed today.

Jones Cites Possibility That Two Types Of Sorghums Will Be Grown On South Plains

EDITOR'S NOTE: Don L. Jones, superintendent of the Texas Experiment sub-station here, discusses an all-important question confronting feeders in the South Plains farmers and livestock feeders in the accompanying article.

Will the popularity of the combine sorghums create a continued shortage in bundle feed and thereby upset the balanced livestock-sorghum program?

THIS balance has been tortuously worked out by trial and error over a long period of years. The almost unanimous acceptance of the combine type sorghums by West Texas farmers as a means of combating both the shortage and rising cost of labor poses a serious threat to the livestock industry of this section. The question is not; are the combine types here to stay, but rather what per cent of the total sorghum acreage will they occupy. The fact that they lower harvesting costs insures their continued production.

On account of the terrific demand by the war for alcohol and the inability of the distillers to obtain corn for this purpose from the cornbelt, the huge 1943 crop of combine sorghums moved out of the area in record time and at prices acceptable to the grower. Whether or not they will be a factor in 1944 and continuing years is unknown.

Livestock Has Been Sold

In the meantime cattle and hogs have been sold from farms at a record rate. Undoubtedly the shortage in protein, roughage and labor have helped to aggravate the situation. And to this, the rather narrow margin in feeding operations and the inducement for both production and feeding of livestock has been curtailed. Thoughtful farmers have retained their best animals as a nucleus for expansion when conditions in their mind will warrant such a step. To those who are sharply reducing their livestock numbers the present time offers a wonderful opportunity to drastically cull their livestock so that when the time comes that they feel it advantageous to expand they will have a solid foundation and not the large per cent of "boarders" that are usually present in the majority of herds.

Will our hog population increase at the expense of cattle and sheep if the continued expansion to combine types continue? There are some doubts as with our variable rainfall grain production fluctuates greatly from year to year. Hogs are large consumers of concentrates with only a limited capacity for roughage.

Offers Elastic Program

On the other hand while we have years that roughage is short we always make a fair crop. Cattle consume huge quantities of roughage. While hegari and kafir are not as easily combined on account of their height as the more dwarf combine types a number of farmers have been planning on growing an acreage to these varieties with the idea that they could either combine or row bind these two crops, depending on conditions. Both will yield as much grain as the combine types over a period of years.

This offers an elastic type of program that appeals to some farmers. If labor is sufficient they will row bind, if not they will combine. There is a possibility that eventually only two types of sorghums will be grown, the combine and sweet sorghums for roughage. There is no disputing the fact that our greatest tonage of roughage in the sorghum family comes from the sweet sorghums such as sumac (red top), African millet and others.

Only time backed by sound thinking among the farmers themselves as to just what type of program fits their individual needs will answer these questions.

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Headquarters Of 4th Army To Be In Texas

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 26. (AP) — Headquarters of the Fourth army have been transferred from Monterrey, Calif., to Fort Sam Houston, with Lt. Gen. William H. Simpson as commanding officer, the office of the public relations officer announced heretoday. Gen. Simpson will have under his command major units of the Army ground forces in the southern states, generally from Mississippi to Arizona.

At the same time it was announced that the Fourth army will have as its most important mission the training of organizations for eventual combat duty overseas.

Lt. Gen. Simpson, 55, is a native of Weatherford, Tex. He served as chief of staff of the 33rd division during the first World War, and has been continuously on troop duty as regimental, assistant division, division and crops commander since 1940. His last assignment as major general previous to taking command of the Fourth army was as commanding general of the Seventh crops at Fort Jackson, S. C.

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Enlisted Man Spots Phony Lieutenant

HOUSTON, Feb. 26 (U.P.)—An enlisted man, walking along a downtown street last night, spied the gold bars of a second lieutenant and automatically saluted.

Then he whirled around, grabbed the "officer" and hustled him off to the police station. The gold bars, an officer's hat and blouse were all right, but the enlisted man suspected a "phony" when he noted that the rest of the costume was strictly civilian.

The enlisted man left the jail before anyone thought to ask his name. The bogus officer was held in jail. The blouse, bars and hat were returned to an Ellington Field Air corps officer who said they had been stolen from him.

Berlin Claims Sinking Of 15 Allied Ships

(By The Associated Press)

The Berlin radio said today that German U-boats had sunk seven freighters totalling 35,185 tons and eight sailing vessels recently in the Atlantic, Mediterranean and Indian ocean.

There has been no Allied confirmation of this number of sinkings.

Actor's Agent Held As Draft Dodger

HOLLYWOOD, Feb. 26 (U.P.) — Described by federal officers as the first of an asserted group of Hollywood draft dodgers, Irving Salkow, prominent actor's agent was under arrest today for violation of the selective service act.

Salkow surrendered to the U. S. marshal's office on a federal grand jury indictment charging he told his draft board he was a defense worker.

The charges followed several weeks of investigation which disclosed Salkow twice represented himself as "an emergency and urgency expediter in a defense plant" who supervised a Hollywood theatrical agency fin his spare time.

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McNary Death Leaves Senate Republicans Up In The Air

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26. (AP) — The slender thread of cooperation between the legislative and executive branches of the government—already worn fine by the revolt of Majority Leader Barkley (Ky) against President Roosevelt's tax bill veto—was drawn taut today by the death of Minority Leader Charles L. McNary (Ore.)

McNary, who compromised and maneuvered many legislative bills originated by the administration into a form acceptable to the Republican minority and anti-Roosevelt Democrats, died yesterday in an apartment at Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.

Personal Friend Of FDR

The personal friendship between the President and the sandy-haired westerner who headed the Senate's Republicans from 1933 down to date, formed a tangible but little known link between the White House and Congress. It is a link that can not be forged in a day.

McNary was consulted by the White House on many proposed bills that never saw the light of day in Congress as well as many that did.

The 69-year old Oreganian not only knew President Roosevelt well enough to tell him to his face more than once at bipartisan conferences that he thought the President was wrong, but he knew intimately and liked Stephen Early, presidential secretary.

Unruffled, McNary went his way, ruling the minority with an iron hand that some resented, but such was his strength that none dared challenge him.

Was Reelected Thursday

McNary's death leaves the Senate Republicans up in the air. Only Thursday they reelected him chairman of their conference and leader.

Prominent Republicans said nothing would be done officially about filling the job for at least two weeks. Senator White of Maine will continue to act in the meantime, but the way still is wide open for a decision on the major post.

For this the likely candidates are Senators Vandenberg, no confidant of the White House, Bridges of New Hampshire, one of the President's most vigorous cirtics, and Taft of Ohio, who has shown a disposition to compromise on such issues as food subsidies but who gives no quarter when he attacks the administration on some other fundamental issues.

ROOSEVELT GETS MEDAL

HEADQUARTERS, U. S. Army Forces, Central Pacific, Feb. 26. (AP)—Lt. Col. James Roosevelt of the Marines, son of the President, has been awarded the Silver Star for gallantry in action during the 27th Army division's capture of Makin atoll last November, it was announced today.

Scout Advisor Has Ended Visit Here

Miss Alice Mulkey, regional training advisor in Girl Scouting left Saturday after spending a week with the local Girl Scout council making recommendations for improvements. The advisor was in Lubbock four years ago when foundations for the present organization were being laid.

She told the Leaders club at a meeting Wednesday that only one-twelfth of the girls of scouting age in the United States are being reached even though there are already one million Girl Scouts.

Rehearsal for the pantomimes to be given at the annual Court of Awards March 10 in Senior High school auditorium will be held Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock in the auditorium. The general rehearsal in which all troops will take part will be held at the same place March 8 at 4 p. m. In addition to the program and the presentation of badges at the court, awards will be made to the winners in the WAC poster contest which ends at 5 p. m. Wednesday.

All parents and interested persons are invited to the Court of Awards.

Tax Aides' Schedule Of Visits Announced

Deputy collectors of internal revenue, Ben. M. Hawkins and S. E. Gillispie, will be in the following towns this week for the purpose of aiding wage earners in filling out their 1943 income tax returns, according to L. B. Barkley, field division chief of the district office of Internal revenue here:

On Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday they will be at the U. S. postoffice in Lamesa; Friday in the county court house in Seminole, and Saturday at the First State bank in Seagraves.

Safety Record At San Marcos Outstanding

SAN MARCOS, Feb. 26 (AP) — There was one fatal accident for every 1,076,807.5 miles flown by cadets in training at the San Marcos Army Air field during the past year, Col. J. M. Hutchinson, commanding officer, said today.

The distance, he said, was the equivalent of 40 trips around the world. Planes from the field flew 12,921,690 air miles on thousands of training flights for navigation cadets.

Today marked the end of the field's first year of training.

The range of the early piano was only four octaves.

USO Programs Are Announced

A monthly birthday party will feature entertainment at the Lubbock USO club from 2 until 6 o'clock this afternoon when Lubbock Army Air Field Ladies Bridge club will be hostess to servicemen and women whose birthdays are in February. About 200 invitations were sent to personnel at the air bases. The colored USO also will have a monthly birthday party.

At 10 o'clock this morning regular coffee and doughnut hour will be featured.

Hosts and hostesses at the USO this week will be from the auxiliary of Knights of Pythias.

Other Events Announced

Entertainment during the week will include Monday: From 4 until 6 o'clock enlisted men's wives will bowl at Plamor lanes; a dance will be held at 8 o'clock with Cracker-Jills group of the Hub-Ettes as hostesses, and an art craft class will convene at 8 o'clock in the up-stairs part of the building.

Tuesday: Glider pilot's wives will meet at 2 p. m. on the mezzanine floor for bridge; Dr. S. G. Harbaugh of Texas Technological college, will instruct and make calls for square dancing at 7:30 o'clock.

Wednesday: Cadets' wives will meet for lunch at 12:30 o'clock followed by bridge and other games; at 3 o'clock the LAWS will meet on the mezzaine floor; a dance sponsored by Serviceaires, will be held at 8 o'clock.

Spit And Whittle Club

Thursday: The Spit and Whittle club will convene at 8 o'clock with Miss Elizabeth Hawley and Miss Edith Coleman giving demonstrations of wood and leather art work. All servicemen and women and servicemen's wives who are interested in craft work are especially invited to attend. Materials are furnished by the USO.

Friday: An all-wives luncheon will be held at 12:30 o'clock instead of the usual meeting time at 1 o'clock. Bridge will be played. Aerodonnas group of Hub-Ettes will sponsor a dance at 8 o'clock.

Saturday: Helpers from Plainview will have charge of a party from 5 until 9 o'clock Saturday night at the USO. At the regular dance at 8:30 o'clock the South Plains Army Air field band will furnish music.

It was announced that plans are being slated for horseback riding and golfing for Spring entertainment. Those interested are asked to register at the USO.

French Patriots Continuing Sabotage Despite Germans

(EDITOR'S NOTE: Reports of widespread sabotage and terrorism in France are confirmed in the following dispatch from Ralph E. Heinzen, former United Press manager for France, who is returning from internment in Germany.)

BY RALPH E. HEINZEN
United Press Staff Writer

SAN SEBASTIAN, Spain, Feb. 24 (Delayed)—In the face of executions and imprisonment, patriots are carrying on their campaigns of sabotage and waves of terrorism in France.

The desperate efforts of Vichy and German military authorities to halt the activities has failed thus far, for when I left France today a wave of terrorism was sweeping the country.

Court martials condemned 58 persons to death in the last week alone, and at Paris, all but one of a group of 24 were executed after a swift trial in the French courts.

17 Seized At Bordeaux

The Germans seized 17 persons at Bordeaux for sabotaging military stocks and attacking German sentinels, while reliable reports said the entire Haute-Savoy region was ablaze with patriot terrorism.

A party of 154 U. S. citizens and 10 South Americans—diplomats, Red Cross workers and newspapermen—who were interned at Baden Baden, are bringing with them details of the destruction caused by Allied bombers in raids on Berlin, Hamburg, Frankfurt, Leipzig, the Rhineland and the Ruhr.

We got a brief glance at the German Atlantic wall defenses during a four-day stay at Biarritz, on the French side of the Franco-Spanish border, but the Germans lowered train curtains, making it impossible to see the details.

Nazis Accused Of Violations

S. Pinkney Tuck, who had been charge d'affaires of the U. S. embassy at Vichy, charged the Germans with violating the embassy with armed force, and also accused them of stealing jewels and personal effects from diplomats and newspapermen.

Lt. Thomas G. Cassady, Chicago, assistant naval and air attache at Vichy, was arrested by the gestapo, three days after our arrival at Baden Baden, and charged with espionage. The German foreign office intervened four days later, however, and ordered his liberation, although he was kept under close watch and forbidden to leave his room, or to send or receive correspondence.

Former Consul Arrested

The Germans also arrested Pierre du Bois, former French consul general at New Orleans, as a spy and condemned him to death, but the sentence later was commuted.

Francisco Vicovari, New York architect and Red Cross ambulance driver, who had spent more than two years in a prison camp after being captured in the sinking of the steamship Zam Zam in the South Atlantic joined us at Baden Baden.

Capt. Henry Ball, USN, retired, was the only American who died during our internment. He died in France while we were en route to Germany.

Approximately 1,350 Americans still remain in France, with about 350 in internment. The others are at comparative liberty in Paris, although they must report daily to the police.

Diplomatic Law Said Violated

The internees generally accused the Laval government of violating the "traditional diplomatic law which exists among civilized governments" for aiding their arrests by the Germans.

Thirty Red Cross workers charged that they were forced to labor in violation of international law on meagre rations which included two eggs in 13 months and almost no fruit. One of them, Florence Palmerch, claimed the German soldiers stole $750 worth of pearls from her.

The Germans also took an automobile battery from the U. S. embassy on the pretext that it was used in a secret radio for communication with Washington. The diplomats, including the Swiss ambassador, protested vigorously, but the battery never was returned.

CONDUCTOR DIES

HOUSTON, Feb. 26 (AP)—Aldridge Battelle Kidd, Houston Pianist who has conducted orchestras throughout Texas, New York and England, died here last night. Funeral services will be held tomorrow.

Snyder C. Of C. Will Banquet On Tuesday

SNYDER, Feb. 26 (Special) — More than 400 tickets had been sold Saturday for the annual membership banquet of the Scurry county Chamber of Commerce to be held in the Snyder High school gymnasium Tuesday night, and a sell-out crowd is assured, according to arrangements committees for the event.

Nearly 100 guests from out of the county will be present, with delegation from Lubbock, Abilene, Big Spring, Midland, Lamesa, Post, Rotan, Roby, Sweetwater, Colorado City, Clairemont and Gail.

Mark McGee of Fort Worth, former OPA administrator for Texas, will make the principal address. Rev. Roy Shahan, pastor of the Snyder Baptist church, will serve as toastmaster for the occasion.

Entertainment for the banquet will be furnished by members of the Big Spring Bombardier school.

Instructor, Cadet Killed In Crash

ELLINGTON FIELD, Feb. 26—(AP) — A twin-engined training plane from Ellington field crashed yesterday in a pasture near Liberty, Tex., killing its two occupants, the public relations office said today.

The dead were:

Lt. William C. Baker, 25, Rushing, Ark., instructor.

Aviation Cadet Archie R. Peck, 21, Blue Springs, Mo.

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OFFICER'S POPLIN SHIRTS	$ 3.00
OFFICER'S POPLIN SHIRTS	$ 3.50
OFFICER'S POPLIN SHIRTS	$ 3.95
OFFICER'S CHINO SHIRTS	$ 3.50
OFFICER'S CHINO SHIRTS (dress shirts)	$ 3.95
OFFICER'S BELTS (solid brass top buckles)	$1.00
MILITARY SOCKS (by Interwoven) (tan or olive drab)	50c and 65c
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Developments In South Plains Oil Activities . . . .

Stanolind No. 1 Tom Cobb, Hockley County Wildcat, Looms As New Producer For Area

Stanolind Oil & Gas Company No. 1 Tom Cobb, northwest Hockley county wildcat, 12 miles north of the Slaughter field, is being plugged back from the original total depth of 4,669 feet, to approximately 4,645 feet, to try to see if water which has been coming with oil, is in the bottom of the hole.

During the last week the project was backing-up, with calseal, from 4,669 feet to 4,664 feet,, and the pay section up to the bottom of the casing, at 4,596 feet, was treated with a 3,000-gallon shot of acid.

After that injuction, the project was swabbed to test for several days. Water was recovered with the oil. In the last eight hours before starting on the latest plugback the swab brought out 41 barrels of oil and 25 barrels of water.

Believe Water Eliminated

Many operators, who have kept in close touch with the exploration, express the opinion that they think the water is coming from the bottom and they are inclined to believe the back-up to 4,645 feet will eliminate that trouble.

Humble Oil & Refining company No. 1 H. T. Fillingin, southwest Yoakum county wildcat attempting to develop pay from the San Andres, had reached 5,484 feet, in lime and was in the process of taking a drillstem test.

Signs of oil and gas have been logged from 5,114 feet. The shows have been in streaks and the property has not been too good in any portion of the formation.

In Gibson Survey

Location is in section 661, block D, John H. Gibson survey, about four miles northwest of the Wasson field.

Continental Oil Company No. 1-A E. H. Jones, section 22, block A-7, psl survey, northeast Gaines wildcat exploring for Ellenburger, had progressed to 11,483 feet in lime and was temporarily halted while repairing a motor.

Humble No. 1 Cox, section 14, block A-11, psl survey, West-Central Gaines exploration had reached 11,084 feet in lime and shale, and was drilling ahead.

Carl B. King Drilling Company and Bay Petroleum Company No. 2 Blair, section 39, block AX, psl survey, North Gaines county prospector for lower Permian pay, in the southeast side of the Wassen field had drilled under 7,750 feet in lime and was due to reach its contract depth of 7,800 feet by the end of the week.

Slight Oil Shows

Slight oil shows had been encountered at 7,193 feet, but the section carried mostly water. No further indications of petroleum production have been reported. There are possibilities that the test will be carried beyond the 7,800-foot level.

Shell Oil company, Inc., No. 1 Jones, section 490, block G, CCSD&RGNG survey, northeast Gaines county, and one and one-half mile southwest of the Russell field Clear Fork production, is preparing to drill ahead from 5,000 feet, toward its objective of production above 8,000 feet.

The test spent about a week testing the San Andres section from 4, 895 feet to 5,000 feet, after drilling and coring through that section, and finding some shows of oil and gas. The testing failed to develop any possibilities of commercial production.

Andrews Wildcat Abandoned

DeKalb Agricultural association No. 2-E University, wildcat in extreme northeast Andrews county, in section 5, block 6, University survey, had been plugged and abandoned at a total depth of 5,505 feet in the San Andres section.

No oil shows were encountered. The operator reported that a slight amount of water showed at the bottom. The contract depth was 5,500 feet.

Union Oil Company of California and Helmerich & Payne, Inc. No. 1-B M. A. Redus, is to be a wildcat effort, one and one-half miles south of production in the Union field of Northwest Andrews county, to drill to around 7,500 feet to try to extend the Clear Fork lime pay of that area.

Location is 660 feet from the south and west lines of section 22, block A-31, psl survey.

Cochran Outpost Completed

Atlantic Refining company No. 2 Cora Slaughter Dean in labor 1, league 89, Lipscomb county school land survey ,in southwest Cochran county, and an outpost to the Rhoes sector of the Slaughter field, has been completed for a flowing production of 324.28 barrels per day, after treating the pay section at 5,030-75 feet, with a total of 10,000 gallons of acid. Gas-oil ratio was 915,1.

Sinclair Prairie Oil company No. 2 Tyner, 440 feet from the north and east lines of labor 5, league 48, Edwards county school land survey, in West Hockley county, and a a northeast outpost to the Slaughter field, had reached 3,485 feet and was drilling ahead.

Sunray Oil company No. 1 Wright-O'Neal, labor 1, league 59, Martin county school land survey, outpost to the northwest extension to the Slaughter field in east-central Cochran county, has been completed for a flowing potential of 375.36 barrels per day.

The well was treated with 4,000 gallons of acid in the pay between 4,930-40 feet. Gas-oil ration was 376-1.

Other Completions Made

Other completions in South Plains areas during the week, include:

Texas Pacific Coal & Oil company No. 40-2, Ruth Bennett, section 695, block D, John H. Gibson survey, in the Wasson field of Yoakum county treated with 10,000 gallons of acid and made a 24-hour flowing potential of 780.72 barrels. Gas-oil ratio was 548-1. The pay zone was 5,170-5,245 feet.

Amerada Petroleum corporation No. 16 Trulin, section 218 block G, WTRR survey, in the Seminole area of Gaines county shot pay section at 5,242-5,300 feet with 106 quarts of nitroglycerin, and flowed 115.92 barrels for a daily potential. The gas-oil ratio was 562-1.

Flows 949.44 Barrels

Amon Carter No. 8-D Wasson, in the southeast section of the regular Wasson field in north-central Gaines county, injected 7,000 gallons of acid and flowed 949.44 barrels for 24 hours. Gas-oil ratio was 756.1. Pay section was at 4,190-5,040 feet, in the regular San Andres pay formation.

In Southeast Ccohran county, on the southwest side of production in the Slaughter field, Honolulu Oil Corporation and Saltmount Oil corporation No. 4-A-15 Blake, in labor 15, league 54, Oldham county school land survey, treated with 9,000 gallons of acid in the saturated section at 5,063-88 feet and flowed at the rate of 769 barrels per day. with a gas-oil ratio of 738-1.

Texas Pacific No. 2 H. J. Jackson, labor 25, league 43, Rains county school land survey in west Hockley county, and in the northeast part of the Slaughter was completed for a flowing production of 385.12 barrels per day after treating the pay at 4,848-4,900 feet with 10,000 gallons of acid. Gas-oil ratio was 195-1.

Flows 800 Barrels

Continental Oil company No. 20-58 Dean, league 58, Martin county school land survey, in east-central Cochran county, and on the outside of production in the west extension to the Slaughter field, treated with 12,000 gallons of acid and flowed 800.40 barrels per day with gas-oil ratio of 819-1, from pay at 4,978-5,014 feet.

Magnolia Petroleum company No. 20-E Mallett, labor 20, league 49, Scurry county school land survey, in the west Hockley county section of the Slaughter, treated with 10,500 gallons of acid and made a flowing daily potential of 1,115.20 barrels, with gas-oil ratio of 571-1. The pay section was 4,975-5,030 feet.

Shell Oil company, Inc. No. 2 Ownby, section 502, block D, Gibson survey, east Yoakum county, and an outpost to production in the Ownby pool, was completed for a daily potential of 146.64 barrels after injecting 1,500 gallons of acid. There was an additional recovery of a water content of 17.7 per cent of the oil. The pay section was from 5,220 feet, to 5,388 feet, which had been plugged back from 5,399 feet. The oil was through perforations in the casing at 5,353-88 feet.

Cochran Well Completed

E. E. Fogelson, No. 5 T. B. Duggan, in the southwest corner of labor 14, league 55, Oldham county school land survey, in southeast Cochran county, and on the southwest side of production in the Slaughter has been completed for a flowering production of 843.48 barrels per day.

The pay section at 5,010-60 feet was treated with 12,000 gallons of acid. Gas-oil ratio was 630-1.

Humble No. 9 Coons, section 11, block X, psl survey, on the southeast side of Slaughter production, in southwest Hockley, treated with 10,000 gallons of acid in the saturated section at 4,925-5,085 feet, and flowed for a daily potential of 1,534.72 barrels per day, Gas-oil ratio was 697-1.

Another Slaughter Completion

The Texas company No. 149 Slaughter, labor 73, league 38, Zavalla county school land survey, swabbed 140 barrels of oil in 12 hours natural, from pay at 4,-965-5,023 feet. The well is to be treated with 10,000 gallons of acid, by stages and completed.

Gulf No. 6 M. G. Gordon, section 12, block X, psl survey, a southeast outpost to the Slaughter, in southwest Hockley, is to treat pay section from 5,047-70 feet, with 12,000 gallons of acid, by degrees, before completion.

Cain and Horne No. 1 E. A. Graham, proposed 5,500-foot wildcat in the southeast quarter of section 327, block D, Gibson survey, Yoakum county, has been abandoned as a location. It is understood that the project did not get sufficient financial support to warrant drilling it. The location was seven miles northeast of Plains.

Oil Shows Encountered

Anderson-Pritchard Oil corporation No. 1-A Gibson, (Willard) 760 feet from the east and 2,081 feet from the south lines of section 759, block D, Gibson survey, in the Wasson field, of Yoakum county, is shut down at 5,192 feet in lime. Some oil shows have been encountered. The project is due for more testing.

Plymouth Oil company No. 1 Morrison & Wood, section 613, block D, Gibson survey, and an outpost to Wasson production, has set 5½-inch casing at 4,864 feet, on a total depth of 5,124 feet, with 250 bags of cement, and is to drill out the plug and test the exposed, saturated section.

Pay Expected Shortly

Neville G. Penrose, Inc., No. 1 Brownfield, section 563, block D, Gibson survey, wildcat two miles southeast of the Ownby pool, in east Yoakum, had drilled under 5,031 feet in lime, and was due to find the expected pay shortly.

Shell No. 3 Hammer, two locations out of the northwest corner of section 490, block D, Gibson survey, and an Ownby field stepout, had drilled under 4,910 feet in lime.

Great Western Producers, Inc., (Geo. P. Livermore), No. 1 Mary Hamilton, another east Yoakum county wildcat, in section 489, block D, Gibson survey, had bored under 2,880 feet in anhydrite and was drilling ahead.

Progress In Other Tests

Helmerich & Payne, Inc., No. 1 Higginbotham, section 539, block D, Gibson survey, six and one-half miles north of production in the Wasson, had made hole below 4,-950 feet, and was continuing.

Schermerhorn Oil corporation No. 1 Moss, section 606, block D, Gibson survey, and an effort to enlarge the one-well West pool, in north-central Yoakum, was drilling under 1,225 feet.

Shell No. 17-D George Baumgart, section 826, block D, Gibson survey, in the Wasson field of Yoakum county, treated with 10,-000 gallons of acid and flowed 974.72 barrels in 24 Hours. Gas-oil ratio was 795-1. Top of the pay was 4,964 and the total depth was 5,162 feet.

Hockley Test Flowing

Texas company No. 16-F Mallett, labor 25, league 51, Scurry county school land survey, in west Hockley, and on the south side of the Slaughter field, flowed 230 barrels in six hours after treating with a total of 10,000 gallons of acid, in the pay at 5,015-5,040 feet.

Atlantic Refining company No. 6 Cora Slaughter Dean, 660 feet from the north and east lines of labor 5, league 90, Lipscomb county school land survey, is a new outpost location to the Rhodes, southwest extension to the Slaughter, in southeast Cochran county. Drilling is starting on the development.

New Slaughter Test

Texas Company No. 153 Bob Slaughter, 580 feet from the west and south lines of labor 27, league 28, Zavalla county school land survey, is a new test for the Hockley county sector of the Slaughter.

DeKalb Agricultural Association, No. 2 Slaughter, section 7, lot C, psl survey, in northwest Terry county, and on the south side of Slaughter production is washing out the pay section at 5,027-53 feet, with 2,000 gallons of acid, to clean the hole.

Water Is Encountered

Hickok & Reynolds No. 1 Bain Price, northwest Yoakum county prospector, about 17 miles north of the Wasson field, encountered water at 5,288-99 feet, and at 5,-301 feet. The first water amounted to about three and one-half bailers in three hours, and the lower section showed for seven bailers in seven hours.

A slight show of oil and gas was logged at 5,245-48 feet and the operators have announced that they are plugging back to 5,280 feet, to shut off the water.

After that is accomplished the section which has shown oil will be treated with acid and tested. The exploration is in section 342, block D, Gibson survey.

Sohio Producing company No. 1 Allsup, section 113, block 12, EL&RR survey, northwest Lynn county wildcat was fishing for drill-pipe, on a bottom of 6,878 feet in limestone.

Seaboard Oil company of Delaware No. 1 Spraberry, southeast Dawson county development, in section 38, block 34, TP survey, T-5-N, which was due to be plugged and abandoned at a total depth of 6,880 feet, in a whipstocked hole, is going in to clean out to the bottom, after testing through perforations is a liner at 6,820-45 feet.

The operator reports that after the hole is cleared, another test will be made, to the bottom.

Gulf Oil corporation No. 1 Mrs. Cora Slaughter Dean, section 30, block 1, Poitevent survey, T-6-N, northeast Dawson county, continues efforts to fish out stuck drill-pipe. Bottom of the hole is at 10,-455 feet. Some of the junk has been brought out and the operator thinks it will all be recovered shortly. This test has had the fishing job for about six weeks.

Nazi Causalites Near 5 Million

(EDITOR'S NOTE: Taylor Henry, chief of the Associated Press bureau in Vichy at the time of the German occupation who now is in Portugal awaiting repatriation, wrote this dispatch before leaving the German internment camp at Baden-Baden, Germany, and carried it along with him.)

By TAYLOR HENRY
Associated Press Staff Writer

BADEN-BADEN, Germany—(Delayed) — The number of Germans put out of action—killed, badly wounded or captured—since the beginning of the war reaches a minimum of 4,500,000 to 5,000,-000 of whom about 2,000,000 are dead, according to conservative estimates based on information coordinated from several sources in Germany.

Statistics which I kept during internment at Baden-Baden show that the average age of the German soldiers killed in action in August 1943 was 25 1-2 while by the end of January it reached 28. In the last few days the Germans ordered men up to and including 60 to report for examination to determine their fitness for military service.

The figures indicating the sudden rise in the average age of Germans killed were reached through a careful check of many thousands of death notices appearing in three selected German daily newspapers.

Average age figures for the last six months showed the following curve: August, 25 1-2; September, 26; October, 26 1-2; November 27 1-2; December, 27 1-2; January (1944) 28.

The most startling drop was in bare youths 19 and under, who in August supplied 15 per cent of the total deaths. By January they provided only 9 per cent ,indicating that most of that group had already been killed.

The 260 divisions which the Germans had on the Russian front constituted well over half of their maximum frontline effectives at the beginning of 1944.

In addition to the estimated Nazi divisions on the Russian front, the Nazis are believed to have 35 divisions in France and the low countries, 15 in the Balkans, 15 in Italy and 10 in Norway for a grand total of 335 divisions in active service leaving 65 in the grand reserve which the Germans plan to use against the big invasion from the west.



R. L. STONE

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Stone New Farm Agent For Lynn

TAHOKA, Feb. 26 (Special) — R. L. Stone, former student of Texas Technological college and for six years a vocational agriculture teacher of New Mexico and Texas schools, has been named Lynn county agricultural agent, it has been announced by K. J. Edwards, district agent.

He will succeed Judge Smith, who will farm near Slaton in Lubbock county. Stone will report here March 1.

Stone taught two years each in New Mexico. Hale and Lubbock county schools, and has resigned as vocational agriculture teacher of the Roosevelt Rural High school of Lubbock county. He was graduated from Tech in 1938, with the B. S. degree, and subsequently did graduate work in Tech and New Mexico A. and M. college. He is married to the former Edna Mae Wild, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Wild of near Slaton. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Stone of Slaton.

Successful Swine Program

Stone has been accredited with one of the most outstanding project programs in this entire area of 70 counties, for his work with registered swine and extensive feeding of beef calves and his crop projects. His Future Farmers of America students have exhibited large numbers of beef steers and fat hogs at the Panhandle-South Plains fair at Lubbock; one of his teams, in farm demonstration, won second place in state competition, after having met opposition from winners of the 11 other areas of the state, which has approximately 500 departments of agriculture in its public schools, and his teams have won numerous honors in district and area competition.

He has been supervisor of the rural war production training program in the Roosevelt community—by which it was sought through group meetings to promote the war effort through holding of adult courses in repair of farm machinery, wartime methods for conservation of protein and grain supply and, in general, getting more produced with the same amount of feed, and trying to stimulate truck patches and farm war gardens, operation of a canning center and the like.

He is 28. His successor at the Roosevelt school had not been announced today by Supt. Marvin Williams, it was understood here.

DeGAULLE SAID WOUNDED

LONDON, Feb. 26 (AP)— The Berlin radio, quoting reports from Geneva, said today that Gen. Charles de Gaulle had been wounded in an attempted assassination. There was no confirmation from any Allied source.

Lamesa Church To Be Dedicated Today

LAMESA, Feb. 26 (Special) — Highlighted by the dedication of the new $77,000 church building, first occupied on the day the Japs bombs Pearl Harbor and already free of debt, past and present members, pastors and friends of the First Baptist church will convene here Sunday for an all-day dedication and homecoming program.

A revival service, led by Dr. C. E. Hereford, Lubbock, will get underway at the evening service and will continue throughout the week, with services morning and evening.

The program has been arranged to begin with the convening of Sunday school, and will continue in the afternoon. Plans call for those attending to bring their food in covered dishes, and remain together during the noon hour.

At a mass meeting in the church auditorium, M. C. Lindsey will outline the organization of the church in 1904, and Rev. E. F. Cole, pastor here since 1929, will then bring the message.

O. B. Norman, chairman of the board of deacons and chairman of the building committee, will lead the service of the burning of the notes at 2:30 p. m. The message of dedication will then be delivered by Dr. Hereford.

Wage Stabilization On Farms Planned

CHICAGO, Feb. 26. (AP)—Farm wage stabilization programs including pay ceilings may be established in as many as 30 states this year, W. T. Ham of the War Food administration's office of labor said today.

Last year the system was used only in Florida, applying to citrus fruits, and in California, applying to asparagus, raisin grapes, tomatoes and cotton. But Ham said its spread to many more states is likely in 1944 to prevent skyrocketing, inflationary wages amid farm labor shortages.

A stabilization program may be requested by growers or workers or may be initiated by the WFA, he said.

Cochran Quota $3,300 For War Fund Drive

MORTON, Feb. 26 (Special)— The Cochran county quota for the coming War Fund drive has been set at $3,300, it has been officially announced here. The drive is to begin March 1 and will continue through March 31.

Willard Cox, county chairman, announced this week that plans are being made for this drive. The exact nature of the plans for the drive will be announced at later date.

Rites Set Today For Billye Lou Counts

Funeral services will be conducted at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon in the First Baptist church for Miss Billye Lou Counts, 16, daughter of Mrs. Mattie L. Counts of 1119 Sixth street, who died Friday morning after an extended illness. Dr. C. E. Hereford and Rev. Jeff D. Welch will officiate.

Burial will be in Memorial Park cemetery under direction of Sanders Funeral home.

Juries To Report In Two Courts Monday

Juries will report Monday in both state district courts here.

A criminal jury panel will appear at 1:30 o'clock Monday afternoon before Judge Dan Blair, who had set the week apart for trial of 15 72nd court felony indictments.

A civil panel will report at 10 o'clock Monday morning to Judge J. E. Vickers of 99th district court.

The following indictments are to be tried in the 72nd, according to records of Burton S. Burks, district attorney;

Hood Abercrombie and Odie Brown, embezzlement; Dane Bennett, murder while driving an automobile while intoxicated; L. C. Crump, desertion; Eldon Newton, burglary; Glenn Monk, forgery; Robert Johnson, murder; Robert Clayton, murder; Delmar Ford, burglary; Noble Burns, burglary; W. E. Owens, theft over $50; Odie McAfee, theft over; L. C. Crooks, assault to rape; Jimmie Bear, embezzlement; Harvard M. Brown, robbery; Utah Maples, robbery.

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Woman Flier Killed In California Crash

SWEETWATER, Febz. 26. (AP) —Authorities at Avenger Field announced today the death of Betty P. Stine, 21, of Santa Barbara, Calif., yesterday in the crash of a plane near Blythe, Calif.

Miss Stine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stine of Santa Barbara, was on a routine cross-country training hop as a student pilot in the WASPS at the time of the crash. She was a native of Fort Worth.

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Government Controls Cloud Livestock And Cattle Outlook

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26, (AP)—The livestock and cattle outlook, judging from comments both from government officials and industry leaders, is so clouded by price and rationing controls and unpredictable feed supplies that there is no sharp outline now what the picture will be in the year ahead.

One thing appears certain and is unanimously agreed upon—and that is that the all-time high of 82,160,000 head of cattle at present on farms and ranches is too high.

Feed supplies are inadequate for such numbers, and both agriculture and industry spokesmen urge a reduction so that more beef per head can be achieved. Considered a good average in normal times, and sufficient to meet demands, is 65,000,000 head.

There is a substantial shortage of cattle in the feed lot of the cornbelt states at present compared with a year ago. Federal authorities estimates the decrease at 16 per cent. Industry leaders place the shortage at 27 1-2 per cent.

Situation To Get Worse

Judge Joe Montague of Fort Worth, attorney for the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers association, believes the feeder cattle situation will get worse than the 27 1-2 per cent shortage he now estimates exists.

"The reason is plain," he said. "The more they feed the more they lose. The ceiling prices on beef are based on 72 cent corn that now costs the feeders $1.16 a bushel. There's been no corresponding raise in beef ceilings to compensate for the greater feed costs."

An inevitable result, predicts the Texan, will be a severe shortage of beef for the housewife along about May and June. Then the situation will improve somewhat as to quantity, but not as to quality, when range fed cattle begin to find their way to slaughter pens.

The total slaughter in 1943 of cattle and calves was 27,500,000 head. Of this number, 10,500,000 were calves.

Department Wants Reduction

The goal set by the Agriculture department, according to Robert M. Walsh, of the livestock division of the Bureau of Agricultural economics within the department, is to achieve a reduction to 78,200,000 in the total head on farms and ranches by Jan. 1, 1945. Counting on-coming calves, this would necessitate a slaughter of about 36,000,000 head.

Although a goal has been set, added Walsh, it hardly can "be achieved unless there is a severe drouth that would force a stepped-up movement of cattle to slaughter coupled with declining prices.

Contrary to many reports, the cattle growers he represents do not want all regulations lifted in regard to rationing of beef products, said Montague. They do want the ceilings on live cattle lifted, however, arguing that there is no fair and accurate means of grading cattle on the hoof.

War Food Administrator Marvin Jones, who was congressman from Amarillo for more than 20 years, recently compiled an extensive summary of reports on the cattle industry. These facts and views still hold good, he said, when questioned along with Montague, Kleberg, Walsh and others.

Some of the highlights of that summary follow:

The cash income from beef animals last year in the United States was more than from all of our cotton and wheat combined, and it is usually more than the cash income from our hogs.

During the last 3 years we produced more beef and veal than in any other 3 years in our history. Our biggest previous production was 8,500,000 pounds during World war I. That record has been broken, the average now being nearly 9,500,000 pounds. This year it may be even more.

Record Supply In 1934

Our pre-war record cattle supply was 74,000,000 head, in 1934. This number was reduced to 66,000,000 by the slaughter of 8,000,000 head under the government program of that year. The number in 1929 was 59,000,000, rising steadily to the 1934 peak. Until 1939 it remained about 66,000,000, then began increasing steadily, reaching 74,000,000 again in 1942, and 78,000,000 in 1943.

"If our cattle slaughter in 1944 totals 33,000,000 or 34,000,000 head we will still have as many cattle on hand next January as we had in January, 1943. Thus, we can continue to kill more cattle in 1945 than will be born that year and still have more cattle than we ever had pre-war," Jones continued.

"This would give us an opportunity to improve the quality of our beef cattle by culling out the less desirable animals and keeping the better ones."

Slaves were emancipated in New Hampshire in 1783.

Sen. McNary Funeral Is Scheduled Friday

FORT LAUDERDALE, Fla. Feb. 26 (AP)—Funeral services will be held at Salem, Ore., next Friday for Charles L. McNary, Oregno's senior senator and Republican nominee for vice president in 1940, who died yesterday in this sunny resort.

Memorial services probably will be arranged meanwhile in the Senate chamber at Washington where McNary had served since 1917.

J. B. Fannin, Fort Lauderdale funeral director, said plans call for services and burial Friday.

Fannin said he had been told that a delegation of senators will attend the Salem services.

The Republican leader who was his party's vice presidential candidate in 1940 apparently had been gaining strength recently, but death came unexpectedly at 3 p. m., Friday at his apartment.

Mrs. McNary, their daughter, Charlotte, 8, and Mrs. McNary's sister, Miss Mary Louise Morton, of Washington, were at his side.

Senator McNary, reelected only Thursday as chairman of the Senate Republican committee, came here in December when he left the hospital after the operation.

About 600 Merchant Marines Are POW

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26. (U.P.)—About 600 officers and men of the American Merchant marine are now prisoners of war, and almost 500 of them are in the hands of the Japanese, the War Shipping administration has revealed.

Was said that only one woman crew member — a stewardess aboard the S. S. President Harrison—has been captured but she recently was repatriated from Japan.

The agency disclosed that arrangements have now been made to provide clothing and uniforms for the 100 merchant seamen interned in Germany but that it has not been possible to make similar arrangements for men held by Japan.

Two Die, One Bails Out In Plane Crash

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 26. (AP)—A flying instructor and aviation cadet from Brooks field were killed in the crash of their plane near Stockdale yesterday. A third member of the crew escaped injury by bailing out. The plane, on a routine flight, burned.

The victims were Flying Instructor William Craig, of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Cadet Arthur L. Karnosh, of Dillonvale, Ohio, the public relations officer at Brooks field said.

Aviation Cadet Raphael L. McAlister, 23, son of Mr. and Mrs. William L. McAlister of Fort Worth, escaped injury when he bailed out in his parachute.

Local Woman Visits Son On East Coast

Mrs. C. P. Muckleroy, 2122 Thirty-second street, has returned to her home here from Charleston, S. C., where she spent a week with her son, Sgt. Charles Rowan. He is in the Medical Hospital Ship complement, now in the Charleston port of embarkation, from which place he is expecting to sail in the near future.

Sgt. Rowan has crossed the Atlanta four times since he was ordered to foreign service 16 months ago, and participated in two major battles in Africa. He has received numerous ribbons for his participation in these campaigns and for other services rendered.

POULTRY MAY BE NEEDED

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26. (U.P.)—The War Food administration indicated today that it may soon require poultry dealers to set aside a certain percentage of their stocks for purchase by the Army, which in recent months has been unable to get enough poultry to satisfy its needs.

U. S. Fighters Are Described

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26 — (U.P.) Some American fighter planes which have played havoc with the German air force this month can fly more than 1,000 miles, can operate at ceilings in excess of 40,000 feet, and have a speed of more than 400 miles per hour.

Those figures were revealed today by the War department, which released details of firepower, performance and other characteristics of American combat planes.

Details concerning the performance of the newest and most powerful planes were not disclosed. For example, the new B-29 superFortress, the P-61 Black Widow night fighter and the Bell jet propulsion fighter were listed as merely having heavy armament and armor. It did reveal, however, that the super-Fortress is powered with four 18-cylinder, 2,200 horse-power Wright Cyclone engines and four-bladed propellors compared with the regular Fortress' four 1,200 horse-power engines and three-bladed propellors. Thus the super-Fortress' total horsepower is 8,800 compared with the 4,800 h. p. of its predecessor.

Jet Propelled Fighter

The Black Widow is powered with two Pratt & Whitney radial engines which give it "fairly long range, effective speed and climb characteristics." The jet propelled fighter is powered with two general electric jet-propulsion type engines and its performance is listed as "secret" with this note: "In general the aircraft has high speed and high ceiling."

But performance figures for familiar and older types were impressive. In addition to the fighter figures, the release showed that American bombers are flying at 300 miles per hour or better and that both fighters and bombers are packing a terrific wallop.

Hardest slugger from the point of fire-power was the attack version of the American B-25 Mitchell medium bomber, which carries a 75 mm. cannon—the same caliber as carried by medium tanks — and fourteen .50 caliber machine-guns. The standard Flying Fortress carries thirteen .50 caliber machine-guns. The "Flying Hedgehog" version of the Flying Fortress, which has carried extra guns into combat over Europe, was not shown.

Farthest ranging fighter is the North American P-51 Mustang powered with a rolls Royce engine, which has a practical operating radius of over 500 miles, a ceiling of over 40,000 feet, and a speed of over 40 miles an hour. This high performance is accomplished at some sacrifice in fire-power, however, as it carries only four .50 caliber machineguns, compared with eight in the Republic P-47 Thunderbolt, with comparable speed but slightly lower ceiling and a radius of only 350 miles.

The twin-motored Lockheed P-38 Lightning, which has the same ceiling as the Mustang, but not quite so much speed or range, carries four .50 caliber machineguns and one 20 mm. cannon. The Bell Airacobra, with limited range and speed, is still the heaviest hitting fighter with its 37 mm. cannon and four .50 caliber machineguns. The night-fighter version of the Havoc, the Douglas P-70, carries the most cannon—four 22 mm.

Edwards Funeral Set At O'Donnell Today

O'DONNELL, Feb. 26. (Special)—Last rites for Anthony F. Edwards, 64, who died at his home here Friday evening at 9:15 o'clock, will be conducted at the First Methodist church here this afternoon at 3 o'clock, Rev. H. G. Gantz of the Lubbock First Christian church officiating.

Burial will follow in Tahoka cemetery under the direction of Plains Funeral home of Lubbock.

Edwards, a resident here for 20 years, has lived in this area of the state 38 years.



BEAN P.-T. A. AIDS BOYS' CLUB—Mrs. Acie Cope, above center, president of the Geo. R. Bean Parent-Teacher association, is shown handling Bill Mead of the American Business club a check for $100 to be applied on the Lubbock Boys' club building fund. Mead is chairman of the American Business club's steering committee on the Boys' club project. J. Ray Dickey, left, is president of the American Business club, while to Mrs. Cope's left are: Mrs. J. D. Lawson, vice president, and Mrs. W. E. Neill, treasurer of the Bean association. The ABC fund now totals approximately $8,250, about half the amount needed to fully complete and equip the Boys' club building in southeast Lubbock, near the Bean school.

Lt. W. G. Lumsden Back From Pacific After 51 Missions

First Lt. William G. Lumsden, otherwise "Bill" in Texas Technological college days, is back from New Guinea, where he was navigator attached to a Liberator bombing group.

He is on 20-day furlough expiring March 10, when he must report to the West coast for a two-weeks rest period and reassignment.

He has been out of the States since June 17, and in that time took the sky road for 51 combat missions with the famed Jolly Rogers outfit.



Lumsden

In those more than 300 combat hours, his plane was shot up 15 times by Jap ack-ack and Zero shells and bullets. But, without his having to violate any rules by explaining, those at home know from the official announcements what the crossed bombs and skull outfit did to the enemy—and where.

Flies Long Hours

A Liberator can and often does fly continuously more hours than the faces of standard clocks are numbered. Lt. Lumsden has been in the air as long as 13 hours at a stretch on reconnaissance. That's one of the reasons the Japs have seen their flanks fold in the far Pacific, their supply runners detected for the increasing percentage of kills and their garrisons almost starved for food and munitions.

With more than 1,000 miles for a radius, get out your map and look at the household geographical names and you'll see the range of Lt. Lumsden and his fellow crew members. They've been there several times and they've dropped heavy stuff on surface shipping, gun emplacements, fuel dumps, plane dispersal areas, airport runways, revetments and whatever else that, loss of which, would discourage the enemy.

Completing their bomb runs, they several times have seen the Mitchell pilots swish in at masthead levels and give the Japs the rest of the works.

"Lot Different Now"

"It's a lot different now from what it was at first," he will say. "Stuff is pouring into the Pacific, and it's better than what we face."

Lt. Lumsden wears the Distinguished Flying Cross; has been recommended for two clusters to it and the Air Medal; has one campaign star on his overseas ribbon (New Guinea) and probably will get another (New Britain).

On reconnaisance, to show the mettle of our airmen, the Air corps quit letting the Liberator crews of that theater take too many bombs.

"The fellows began to display a penchant for skip bombing what they'd encounter," he said. "That means getting down there where the target is. The Mitchells are more suitable for that. Remember the Bismarck sea battle?"

Once six of the big bombers swept in over one of the Jap anchorages and blew out of the water three Nip destroyers on one bomb run.

It isn't that simple, though. On his first combat mission, Lt. Lumsden's ship was holed 19 times. On the second, the nose of the plane was shredded; the bombs wouldn't drop, and the bombardier had to ease himself along the catwalk, loosen them manually and kick them overboard; and the big plane, control surfaces damaged, one engine not turning a tall and the other three smoking ahd revved down alarmingly, narrowly made it in for landing on another Allied base.

Navigation across the ocean and far from base requires hitting microscopic land specks on the nose. Waters are shark-infested, and Nipponese rats don t like U. S. birdmen.

Lt. Lumsden is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Lumsden, continuous residents of the Wilson community about 40 years. His wife is the former Wanda Tinsley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Tinsley of Tahoka. He left Tech after the 1936 scholastic year, worked in the Wilson State bank then volunteered in January of 1942 for service in the Air corps.

Pelly Boy, 11, Fatally Shot By Playmate

GOOSE CREEK, Feb. 26. (U.P.)—Eleven-year-old Ray Patrick, of Pelly, Tex., died in a hospital here today shortly after he was accidentally shot in the head by his 12-year-old playmate.

Officers said a bullet from a .22 calibre rifle ricocheted from a puddle of water and struck young Patrick.

Polls In County Reach New High

Stripped of duplications and verified by recounts, the number of poll taxes purchased in this county up to the Jan. 31 deadline totaled 11,422, it was announced Saturday by H. B. Bryan, county tax assessor-collector.

That is 2,014 more than the former high mark of polls assessed in 1939 for the 1940 general election year.

Bryan also pointed to another concededly remarkable accomplishment: His office has collected 94.4 per cent of the taxes assessed for county purposes on the current tax roll—having turned in to the county $153,297.09 out of the $162,461.16 assessed.

At the same time, the collector's office said, 554 exemption certificates were issued. With the permanent exemptions thrown in, that would make the county's voting strength between 15,000 and 16,000, Bryan estimated.

The collector tossed in a note of caution.

"Now we are engaged in a much greater task than that of issuing poll taxes," he said. "I mean automobile registrations. There will be an estimated 19,000 registrations to issue—and persons should begin registering their vehicles immediately to escape the long lines that will form on and before the April 1 deadline. Bring your certificates of title and last year's registration receipts."

Two Women Held For Illegal Field Entry

Two women, one 35 and the other about 25, were released from custody upon posting of $500 bonds Saturday after pleading guilty of charges of entering upon a military reservation (Lubbock Army Air field) contrary to provisions of the U. S. Criminal code.

The women, Mrs. Hattie J. Isbell and Mrs. Opal Boston of Wolfforth, were found late Wednesday night on the field, according to the LAAF public relation office. They did not have passes and it is not known just how they gained entrance.

The public relations office announced that two civilian employes had been suspended pending further investigation into the case.

The women were arrested and placed in the county jail here. Mrs. Isbell was arraigned before Mrs. Olive Fluke, U. S. commissioner, late Friday afternoon, Mrs. Boston Saturday morning.

Frank Briggs Rites To Be At Matador

Funeral services will be held at 3 o'clock this afternoon at the first Baptist church in Matador for Frank Lee Briggs, 28-year-old Lubbock mechanic, who was found about midnight in the yard of his former home at 1314 Ninth street, with the left side of his head torn away by a gunshot blast.

A double-barreled 12-gauge shotgun was lying about four feet from the body, one barrel fired. Justice of Peace Walter Davies had not completed an inquest late Saturday.

Interment will be in Matador cemetery under direction of Bryan McDonald & Son Funeral home.

Survivors are his wife and daughter, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Briggs of Matador; a brother, Billy Lee Briggs of the armed forces; and five sisters, Mrs. F. C. Mosley, Mrs. Ted Marcus, Miss Virginia Briggs, and Miss Miss Velma Fay Briggs, all of Matador, and Miss Lula Lee Briggs of Paducah.

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The SPORTS EYE

By Mack Turner

THE dying embers of the fire still casts a glow as the red hot basketball season nears an end in Lubbock, a hotbed of basketball that few cities of it's size can match in the state of Texas. There are still a few loose ends to be tied together before finis is written to the season, but most of these will be taken care of this week as far as home town fans are concerned.

Squadron leagues at Lubbock's two Army bases, and perhaps the post teams, will fan the flames and try to keep the fire burning a little bit longer but, Lubbock high school and Texas Tech will close the season this week.

Over in the schools E. J. "Pinky" Lowrey has only the "grudge" battle between the two junior high teams left for a schedule. They play a two out of three series this week for the junior high championship, and "anything can happen when these two gangs start a battle.

Texas Tech will close the season Tuesday night with a gala double bill that should top all shows of the season on the Tech court, and will replace the tournament scheduled for the past week end. It will be the finale, and Coach Polk Robinson's kids want to make it a good one.

The Red Raiders also want to show off their new warmup suits which arrived just in time—to close the season.

BUT any talk about the basketball season that just now closes it's doors must deal with the Lubbock Westerners, district champions of 1-AA. The team was one of the best in many years at Lubbock high school, and the loss in the bi-district is no reflection against the team.

It is our personal hunch that if the Childress Bobcats are just one half as hot at Austin as they were at Lubbock, they are going to go a long way in the state tournament. There is no doubt, Childress had the best basketball team seen on the Westerner gym floor this season, and the Westerners played a number of games there.

It might be said here, that to our way of thinking, the most improved ball player over the season was R. W. Moyers, and next winter the Westerners will be built around Moyers and George Brewer, starting guard. These two are the only starters expected to be back inaction when the Westerners defend the title they won this year.

Billy Joe Walker, a lad who did a lot of bench warming, but blossomed out in the late games with promise of making a good man next year, will be the only other member of the "regulars" expected to return.

Next basketball season is a long way off, but right now it looks like four lads off the Westerners B team are going to be in the thick of the fight for starting positions when cagers start bouncing the ball again. T. J. Price, Buseron Lindsey, Charles Pressley and Cliff Dean very likely will scrap it out for the other starting posts.

IT'S mighty hard for champions in high school to stage the "grand slam" in major sports, but it is harder to repeat. Ask Amarillo. Amarillo did this in the last school year, but has failed twice to repeat this season. The Pampa Harvesters beat the Sandies out in football, the Westerners in basketball. Only track remains to be answered.

But we think it is quite fitting that Lubbock win the basketball title. Did you ever stop to count on fingers and toes and see just what Lubbock had to offer in basketball. Count them, then do you wonder Lubbock has been named the basketball hotbed of the state?

In case you might overlook some of them, there are 10 teams in the squadron league at South Plains Army Air Field. There are six more in the Lubbock Army Air Field squadron league. Both have the post teams, the Fliers and Winged Commandos. That adds up to 18 Army teams.

At Texas Tech there were the Tech Engineers and the Red Raiders to give 20 teams in the upper bracket of college and service teams. Added to this is Tech Drug's Independents.

Under the stepped up program at Lubbock high school there comes the Westerners, Westerner B team, the Cowhands to make 24 teams. Over at the Junior high schools, Coach Russell Wimberly and Curtis Barrett had the Blacks and Whites of the Cowboys, each of them had a B team, and each of them a calf roper team. That is THIRTY.

Jimmy Foxx Intends Return To Baseball

CHICAGO, Feb. 26. (AP)—Jimmy Foxx, the one time American League batting and home run champion, is planning a comeback after a year's layoff.

Foxx, 36 and rejected for Army service after he failed to pass his physical examination ,voluntarily retired after the 1942 season after being with the Cubs four months. The big first baseman garnered many a record in his 17 seasons in the American League but nary a one as a Cub, hitting, .205 in 70 games.

PERRIN WINS NO. 2

DALLAS, Feb. 26 (AP)—Perrin, high school captured the Region 3 basketball championship here tonight by stopping Bynum high 23 to 17 in the final game of the annual tournament. The victory qualified the winners for the Class B tournament at Austin next week.

"Buy A War Bond TODAY"

Union Girls Take Basketball Crown

SUNDOWN, Feb. 26—The Union high school girls from Dawson county romped to the District 18 girls basketball championship here tonight with a 40-to-25 victory over the Ropes girls in the finals.

The first half of the championship game was a close battle, but with Darlene Moore of the winners hitting the basket for 21 points, the Union club pulled away in the last half drive to win with a comfortable margin.

Shirley, who had paced the Ropes girls into the finals, was again the high-point star with the losers, dropping in 12 points for almost half of her team's score.

Idalou rallied in the third place battle of the night, and came from behind to nose out Whiteface 34 to 28 after overcoming an early lead by the Whiteface girls.

Union rolled into the finals by a narrow margin, being forced to stage a rally to beat Idalou, 29 to 24 in the semi-finals Saturday afternoon. It loomed as if another upset in the making as Idalou took the lead over the favored Union girls and held it until late in the ball game when Union got its offense to clicking.

J. Sage of the losers captured high-point honors of the game with 16 points, while Frankie Freeman paced the winners with 15 points.

Ropes won the other semi-final game in a 26-to-17 thriller with Whiteface. Shirley of the winners was high-point scorer of the game with 12 points, closely pressed by Velta Battenfield of the losers, who finished with 11 points.

The All-Regional team was named at the close of play, honoring Freeman of Union, Shirley of Ropes, Sage of Idalou, Hogg of Union, Burrus of Idalou and Bowden of Whiteface. Substitutes named were Neal of Union and Finley of Meadow. Gold basketballs were awarded to the All-Tournament team personnel.

The sportsmanship trophy of the meet was awarded to the Whiteface girls, their third sportsmanship trophy of the year in as many tournaments in which they have entered.

McSpaden Clings To Lead In Golf Meet

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 26. (AP)—Harold "Jug" McSpaden of Philadelphia, managed to hold a two-stroke edge on the field in the 5,000 New Orleans Open here today, though he slipped from his sparkling four-under-par first-round performance, going one over par with a 73 in the second round.

McSpaden has totalled 141 strokes on the 36 holes played, and today was bothered apparently by a baby gale which buffeted the City Park course's long, tricky fairways.

Sammy Byrd of Birmingham, who was tied for second spot yesterday with long-hitting Craig Wood, clung to runner-up position with a 70-73—143 as Wood hobbling down the list with a miserable 81, one of his worst rounds in recent years of tourney competition.

Wood wasn't alone in his discomfort, however, for the veteran Byron Nelson trudged in with a 78 which he said "was the worst 18 holes I've shot in five years." Jimmy Hines, who earlier loomed as a tourney favorite with two fine practice rounds, took an 80.

Nelson is now in sixth place with a 71-78—149, topped by Chick Harbert's 74-72—146, and by Bob Hamilton and Joe Kirkwood who are tied for fourth with 147's.

Following Nelson are Harry Cooper and Fred Haas, jr., with 150's. Haas, of New Orleans, easily led the amateurs with his 75-75—150.

State Cage Tourney Lineup Almost Named

(By The Associated Press)

The field for the annual state schoolboy basketball tournament was completed Saturday night and 24 teams will go to Austin next week-end to play for the championships of Class AA, Class A and Class B.

Midland defeated Ysleta, Sunset (Dallas) downed Paschal (Fort Worth) and Goose Creek shoved John Reagan (Houston) aside to complete the bracket of eight in Class AA. Previously Childress, Highland Park (Dallas), Waco, Lufkin and Austin had become bi-district titlists, thus winning their way to the state tournament.

In Class A, the eight teams to compete for the title are Dimmitt, Throckmorton, Nocona, Mount Vernon, Huntsville, El Campo, Sidney Lanier (San Antonio) and Benavides. Sidney Lanier is defending champion.

Only five of the Class B regional champions had been reported Saturday night. They were Stratford, Perrin, Leona, Blossom and Ingleside.

LEONA LIONS REPEAT

HOUSTON, Feb.(AP) 26. (AP) — The Leona Lions won the Region 5, Class B basketball championship for the second straight season here tonight, defeating Sugar Land, 35-21, in the finals of a one day, nine team tournament. In the semi-finals, Leona nipped Lovelady, 41-39, in overtime and Sugar Land shaded Milano, 29-27.

Jack Freeman of Richmond was credited with an 80-yard punt against Duke during the 1943 season.

Basketball Scores

Lubbock Army Air Field 51; Texas Tech 49.

Arkansas 60; Texas A. and M. 38.
Illinois 50; Northwestern 47.
Sampson N. T. S. 47; Canisius 35.
North Carolina State 42; Maryland 23.
Duke 63; William and Mary 25.
North Carolina 39; V. P. I. 24.
Bunkerhill N. T. S. 41; Indiana 36.
North Carolina State 62; Richmond 41.
Long Island university 66; Brooklyn College 48.
Depaul 61; Ohio State 49.
Muhlenberg 46; Villanova 32.
La Salle 61; Atlantic City N. A. S. 42.
Rider 43; Lafayette 33.

Hester, Walker Take Doubles; Cooper And Nance Win Singles

The Lubbok high school tennis hopefuls held a preview of the spring season Saturday at the Dupre courts, and top honors were carried off by Delbert Cooper, Betty Nance, David Hester and Billy Walker.

The meet also served to confirm the suspicions of many that the boys play in Lubbok would be tough this year and the field is well packed with tennis might for both singles and doubles.

Pre-tournament favorites all delivered in the finals and came through with flying colors, but there were upsets in the early rounds as new stars cropped up in the boys' singles to keep the race wide open for places on the boys' team.

Cooper Goes Strong

Delbert Cooper waded through a tough field in the boys' singles, and finished strong to win in the finals over Walter Bumpass, who followed in the trial designed for Billy Walker, who fell before Bumpass, 7-5, in the major first round upset of the meet.

The other upset of the first round was the 6-2 victory by David Mohle over Robert King, but Cooper made it a point to knock over the upsetters, and Mohle fell before Cooper in the quarter finals.

Cooper then eliminated his double pardner, Jerry LeMond, in the semi-finals, 6-4, for his greatest test, Cooper won 6-0 in the finals.

David Hester and LeMond faced each other in the quarter-finals and staged the closest battle of the singles tournament, LeMond winning over Hester, 8-6. In the first round, Hester had beaten Johnny Cole, 6-3, and LeMond won over Louis Hawkins, 6-2.

Another first round upset came in the 6-3 win by Don Holt over Hubert Hawkins, but Holt lost in the quarter finals to Bumpass by a 6-2 score. Bumpass reached the finals with a 6-4 win over Joe Dean Payne, who had beaten Giles Carter, 6-2, in the first match for the two.

Girls Singles

Only four girls answered the call for girls singles with Betty Nance romping through without being pressed too closely. Nance beat Juanice Bagwell 6-2 to reach the finals, then won in straight sets over Francys Peters in the finals, 6-2, 6-2. Peters reached the finals with a 6-1 victory over Pat Groves.

The hottest contest of the tournament was unreeled in the doubles as Hester and Walker locked up in battle with LeMond and Cooper for the title. Hester and Walker won 8-10, 6-4, 7-5, with a great comeback after losing the tough first set.

Hester and Walker started their drive with a 6-2, 6-0 win over Louis Hankins and Robert King. The lone girls doubles team in the meet, Francys Peters and Juanice Bagwell, then fell before the champions by the same score.

LeMond and Cooper rolled over Joe Dean Payne and Giles Carter, 6-0, 6-1, then reversed the score against Bumpass and Hawkins, and won 6-1, 6-0, to reach the finals.

Amarillo Rally Wins Petersburg Fights

PETERSBURG, Feb. 26 — A wild finish by the Amarillo boxing team gave the Potter county lads an 8 to 6 edge over the Petersburg club in an invitation boxing duel at the local high school Friday night before a packed house of 1,000 fans.

Petersburg was leading, six fights to four, when Amarillo launched a drive that swept the final four bouts on the card and the victory in the team count. The Amarillo victory came in the four heavier fights.

Ed Gill, classy Amarillo battler, nosed out a close decision over Windy Surratt of Petersburg in the feature bout of the card. It was a slam bang battle all the way, with the Amarillo lad piling up the advantage in a strong finish.

Two of the best fights on the card produced victories for Petersburg with Frankie Stanton, Petersburg flyweight, winning over Eugene Polk of Amarillo.

Other Petersburg wins were turned in by Burl Byrd over Steve Brodie; James Wilson over Keith Connell; Danny Krouse over Ossie Ballard, and Hollis Black over Dean Oldfather.

Sunset Wins Title, Player-Fan Battles

ARLINGTON, Feb. 26 (AP) — Sunset of Dallas won its way to the state schoolboy basketball tournament tonight by taking the third and deciding game from Paschal of Fort Worth 38-29.

After the game a Sunset player swung on a Fort Worth fan, striking him on the nose, and fans of the two teams almost came to blows.

STIR UP WIN

MIAMI, Fla., Feb. 26. (AP)—Greentree stable's Stir Up won the $15,000 Flamingo Stakes for three-year-olds at Hialeah Park today as the favored Director J. E. ran fifth.

M. B. Goff's Skytracer was second and Mrs. E. D. Jacobs' Stymie was third.

SURPRISE VERDICT

DETROIT, Feb. 26. (AP)—Jolting Jake La Motta of New York punched durable Ossie Harris of Pittsburgh all over the ring last night and to the astonishment of the fighters themselves and 10,289 specators La Motta got nothing better than a split decision.



HI BABE—Mildred "Babe" Didrikson Zaharias, greatest all-round woman athlete, recently returned to amateur status by the USGA is setting her sights on winning both tennis and golf national championships this year. The former Dallas girl looks in form to turn the double trick.

Coaches Name Stars Of Southwest Cagers

DALLAS, Feb. 26. (AP) — Four schools landed players on the All-Southwest Conference basketball team with Rice and Arkansas, which set the season's pace, each coming up with two.

Again it turned out to be a sextet instead of quintet when two men tied for one position.

The team, selected by the seven coaches, follows:

Player	School	Po.	Class
Dennis Haden	SMU	F	Soph.
Bill Flynt	Ark.	F	Junior
Bill Henry	Rice	[illegible]	Soph.
Zeke Chronister	TCU	C	Senior
J. D. Thomas	Rice	G	Junior
Deno Nichols	Ark.	G	Senior

Haden and Henry were unanimous choice while Flynt and Nichols each received five votes and Thomas and Chronister three.

Others figuring in the selections were Roy Cox of Texas and Ben Jones of Arkansas, with two votes each, and Clarence (Rusty) Darling of Rice one. Cox is a forward, Jones a center and Darling a guard.

The team averages better than 6 feet 2 in height with only one player—Nichols—under the 6-foot mark.

All the players selected figured in the top scoring bracket. Henry set a new conference record with 246 points in 12 games, while Haden wound up in second place for the season with 203. The others ranked among the leading seven point-makers.

There were only two seniors on the team—Chronister and Nichols—and there were two sophomores, probably the first time in history for that many second-year men to land places.

Connie Mack Learns Buck Newsom In 4-F

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 26 (AP)—Connie Mack finally heard from Buck Newsom today and Big Bobo was the bearer of glad tidings—he's 4-F.

Bobo telephoned from his home at Hartsville, S. C., and said:

"I didn't want to get in touch with you until I found out what my draft board was going to do. Now they've put me in 4-F because of a broken kneecap.

"I'll be up to talk over my contract with you about next Wednesday or Thursday."

Mack obtained Newsom for his Philadelphia Athletics during the winter in a swap with the Washington Senators, for Roger Wolff, another pitcher.

Cowboy City Series Scheduled This Week

The Lubbock Cowboys, the Blacks and Whites, will tangle in a best two out of three game series this week for the city junior championship, E. J. "Pinky" Lowrey, athletic director of Lubbock high school said Saturday.

The dates for the playoff between the junior high school teams of Coaches Russell Wimberley and Curtis Barrett has not been set.

HUNTSVILLE IN CLASS

JACKSONVILLE, Feb. 2 (AP)—Huntsville, high school will represent Region 5 in the state basketball meet at Austin Saturday as a result of their 45-32 win here tonight over the Sabine Cardinals. Sadler with 16 points paced the Huntsville attack.

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Arkansas Ties For Crown By Drubbing Aggies, 60-38

COLLEGE STATION, Feb. 26. (AP)—Arkansas tied up the Southwest Conference basketball race here tonight by outdistancing the Texas Aggies 60 to 38.

The Razorbacks held a halftime lead of 29-24.

Parson Flynt of Arkansas again batted 1.000 tonight on field goals, shooting five times and hitting the bullseye. He converted three of six free shots, but his 13 points was two behind Schumchyk's 15. The latter, also a Poker, made three goals in each period and made good three free shots.

Nichols of Arkansas was held to seven points, all made in the secon half. Wheeler put 11 markers through the hoop for the Porkers as did Jones.

For the Aggies little Red Burditt was high with 12 and Ekas made 6. It was a tough, rough game the Aggies fouling 19 times and the Porkers 11.



IT'S A HOLD-UP—It looks like Johnny Janish, Valparaiso university, is holding up Dick Tripow of DePaul, as he seizes rebound. DePaul won, 69 to 38.

Players In Doubt, But Texas Has Got '44 Grid Schedule

AUSTIN, Feb. 26 (AP)— Coach Dana X. Bible of the University of Texas football team may not be too sure what he will use for players next season, but at least he's got a schedule.

He announced 1944's games today, complete except for one home contest Oct. 7.

With spring training scheduled to start March 6, the player outlook is uncertain, and whether the Longhorns can come up next fall with another hard-to-beat team is equally uncertain. They last year became the first football team in history to repeat as Southwest Conference champions.

Here is the schedule:

Sept. 30—Southwestern at Austin.
Oct. 14—Oklahoma at Dallas.
Oct. 21—Arkansas at Little Rock.
Oct. 28—Rice at Houston.
Nov. 4—S.M.U. at Austin.
Nov. 11—Oklahoma A. and M. at Austin.
Nov. 18—T.C.U. at Fort Worth.
Nov. 30—Texas A. and M. at Austin.

Red Sox Sign Three More For '44 Season

BOSTON, Feb. 26 (U.P.)—Three more players were in the Boston Red Sox' fold today when contracts for 1944 were received from outfielder Johnny Lazor, first baseman George Metkovitch and pitcher Clem Hausman.

Lazor and Metkovitch played with Boston last season but Hausman is up via the draft route from Kansas City in the American Association where he won 14 and lost 14 last year.

BENAVIDES BEATS BEEVILLE

ALICE, Feb. 26 (AP)—Benavides, high school won its entry to the state basketball finals at Austin next Saturday by trouncing Beeville high 45 to 24 in a game here today.

WINS CAGE CROWN

ALICE, Tex., Feb. 26. (AP)—Benavides defeated Eagle Pass 39 to 29 and Beeville 45 to 24 today to win the Tenth Regional basketball championship.

ELECTED PRESIDENT

NEW YORK, Feb. 26. (AP)—Tom Pepperton, of Youngstown, O. was elected president of the National Amateur Baseball Federation at a meeting here today.

Stratford Wins Class B Crown

CANYON, Feb. 26—Keeping up its impressive drive, the Stratford high school cagers stormed into the state schoolboy basketball tournament at Austin March 2, 3 and 4 with a victory over the powerful Ropesville five, 38 to 21, in the final game of the regional Class B tournament here today.

The winners moved through the regional meet with an exceptional show of might, and was the most outstanding team in the field of eleven county champions that opened the tournament Friday.

Malone of Stratford was the high point man of the team, and carried the bulk of the attack throughout the meet. Barnard was the pace-setter for the Ropesville club.

Stratford gained the finals by blasting a strong Klondike club, 45 to 17, that found the winners bounding into an early lead, and were never threatened.

The other semi-final game found Ropesville winning by an impressive 34 ot 23 margin over Carey in a game that proved to be a scoring duel between Barnard of the winners and Mills of Carey.

Texas Coach Expects Good Year In Track

AUSTIN, Feb. 26 (AP)—It will be an interesting season but record-breaking performances will be few, thinks Clyde Littlefield, veteran track and field coach, of the campaign now in full swing over the nation.

Littlefield, begining his twenty-fourth year as tutor of the University of Texas thinly clads, says there will not be enough outstanding track men to make good competition, thus records will be far between.

"We cannot make plans very far ahead for training men," he declares. "The boys are coming and going, and are kept so busy with their heavy Naval schedule which includes many afternoon labs, besides travel restrictions, etc.

"One can not make a championship track man in a hurry; it takes time, and we don't have boys as physically fit because most of the experienced good ones are fighting for our country.

"There is no doubt in my mind that track and field training helps boys to contribute something to the war effort. It develops co-ordination, health, stamina, individual effort, and makes a boy fight to the finish without quitting."

He illustrates his point with a flock of letters from men now overseas who were trained here at the university in track and field.

Littlefield wasn't certain whether he should stage the annual Texas Relays this year. He sent out cards to 500 schools and asked their opinion. The response made him quickly set the Texas Relays for April 1.

Higgins To Referee Texas Track Events

AUSTIN, Feb. 26 (AP) — Ralph M. Higgins, Oklahoma A. and M. track coach whose teams have ruled the Mississippi Valley Conference consistently for several years, will be referee at the 17th Texas Relays here April 1.

Higgin's appointment was announced today by Clyde Littlefield, University of Texas track coach and relay director.

Higgins also has been named referee of the Drake Relays this year.

As an undergraduate at Oklahoma A & M in 1923-25, Higgins was the Southwest Conference 100-yard champion while a sophomore and the 440-yard champion his senior year. After a successful high school coaching career, he returned to Oklahoma A&M as varsity track coach in 1935.

Littlefield expects detailed entries soon from other schools who have already indicated they are coming. Included are Texas A&M, Rice, University of Oklahoma, Southwest Texas State, North Texas State, University of Arkansas, Louisiana State, Tulane and Southwestern Louisiana Institute.

Bob Finley Signs To Catch For Phillies

DALLAS, Feb. 26 (AP)—Robert Finley of Dallas, the boy who threw the pass to Robert Wilson that beat Texas Christian university, 20 to 14, for the Southwest Conference championship in 1935 and put Southern Methodist university in the Rose Bowl, today mailed his signed contract to play baseball with the Philadelphia Nationals.

He had returned unsigned a previous contract, but expressed satisfaction with the second one and will report at Wilmington, Del., March 19 for spring training. He is a catcher.

Finley, who is married and the father of a two-year-old child, is 28 years old and is classified 3-A for selective service. He was bought by the Phillies from Knoxville of the Southern Association last June and returned home before the season closed when he suffered a broken finger in September.

District 14AA Wins First Title In Years

GOOSE CREEK, Feb. 26. (AP)—For the first time in more than a decade a District 14-AA team qualified for the state basketball tournament when Robert E. Lee of Goose Creek won from John Reagan of Houston in the deciding playoff tilt here tonight, 32-29.

BROWNS SIGN JAKUCKI

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 26. (AP)—The St. Louis Browns announced today the signing of Sigmund Jakucki, a right-handed pitcher from Galveston, Tex., who formerly played in the Texas League.

Jakucki, 31, received a medical discharge from the Army recently. He was a free agent.

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Season's Top Cage Show Set At Tech

A promising four star cage program featuring Texas Tech's hustling squad, the Tech Engineers, South Plains Army Air Field's point-a-minute Winged Commandos and Lubbock Army Air Field's strong team will highlight the week's hardwood menu in the city.

The four teams will tangle in a twin bill Tuesday night at the Texas Tech gym.

In the opening game at 7:15 o'clock, the Tech Engineers squad will tangle with the LAAF team. In the night's finale, the Texas Tech team will mix it up with SPAAF's high scoring Commandos.

The game with the Commandos will wind up the season for Coach Polk Robinson's boys at Tech and will close the books on a busy campaign. However, it will not close the campaign for the Commandos.

Capt. Nathan B. Eubank, athletic director at SPAAF, said Saturday afternoon that the field was attempting to arrange a game at the SPAAF post recreation hall for Saturday night with the high scoring Oklahoma City Air Depot five, a squad which has one of the most impressive records in the southwest. Plans are only tentative and nothing definite has been arranged, it was emphasized.

Tuesday night's twin bill at Texas Tech's gym should provide cage fans of the city with one of their biggest nights of hardwood entertainment during the entire season. All the teams participating in the double bill have met during the Lubbock Basketball league campaign and on most occasions the outcome of the games were in doubt until the fading minutes.

SPAAF managed to come through the league play with six straight wins to gain undisputed possession of the league title, but often the Commandos were pushed to edge out decisions. The SPAAF team and Texas Tech squad have tangled on two occasions, the Commandos, taking the first game, 63 to 45, and winning the second, 66 to 54, both times being "hot" nights for SPAAF's Leason "Pete" McCloud, former All American who has paced the Commandos' scoring for the season.

In the first tussle against Tech, McCloud crammed in 31 points for a new season's high and in the second game a little more than a week ago he got hot again to shove 35 points through the net. However, the Commandos are set for a real battle Tuesday and won't be taking any chances against Tech's Don Grove and Nolan Weeks, the two biggest threats for the college lads.

Another scoring duel is expected to explode in the opening game with LAAF's Leon Reese and Bruce Prior, outstanding for the Fliers during the season, shooting for the points against the two Tech Engineer standouts, Booth and Bailey.

Dodds Wins But No Records Are Set

NEW YORK, Feb. 26 (AP)— Gil Dodds, Boston's student pastor, whirled 11 times around the plank saucer in Madison Square Garden tonight in 4:08.3 as he once more failed to break the world indoor mile mark of 4:07.4 in winning the National AAU indoor championship.

Hugging the shoulder of the oval all the way, Dodds pounded through the first half mile in 1:58.8 and sprinted right along to hit the three-quarter mark in 3:01.

He had absolutely no competition after the quarter mile mark and finished with a 15-yard edge over Don Burnham of Dartmouth, Bill Hulse, of New York, led at the end of the first quarter in :60.3 but then dropped behind.

Bob Hume, of the University of Michigan, finished third with Hulse fourth.

The meet got off with an upset when Les Eisenhart of Columbus, Ohio, former National Collegiate half mile champion, and John Roxborough of Michigan, finished in that order in the 1,000 yard run.

John Fulton of San Francisco, and Joe Nowicki of Rochester, rivals in last Saturday's running wrestling match and favorites tonight, could do no better than third and fourth in the rough race that was timed in 2:15 at Madison Square Garden.

The 60-yard dash went to Ed Connell of N.Y.U., in the world record equalling time of :06.1 and Ed Dugger, formerly of Tufts but now with Uncle Sam's Army at Dayton, Ohio, snagged the 60-yard high hurdles in :07.5.

Midland Wins Over Ysleta Five, 33-26

MIDLAND, Feb. 26 (AP)—Midland's Bulldogs won the bi-district Class AA basketball championship here tonight, defeating the Ysleta Indians 33 to 26 in a fast contest. The win gave Midland two victories over the Indians. Joe Stickney, Midland forward, won high-point honors with 11 points.

Nocona Winner Over Gatesville In Final

DECATUR, Feb. 26 (AP)—Nocona high school won the Region 3 Class A basketball championship here tonight by defeating Gatesville, 40-28.

Previously, in the race between Districts 9, 10, 11 and 12, Nocona won over Albarado 57-8, Crowell bowed to Gatesville 26-20, and Crowell defeated Alvarado 46-17.

INGLESIDE WINS

KINGSVILLE, Feb. 26 (AP) — The Ingleside Mustangs won their way to the state basketball tourney today by beating Blessing 49 to 47. Earlier in the day, Ingleside eliminated San Diego 37 to 21.

LAAF Wins Thriller Over Texas Tech By Prior's Final Goal

Bruce Prior's wild shot over his head with three seconds to play broke the eighth tie of the ball game, and gave Lubbock Army Air Field's Fliers a 51 to 49 win over Texas Tech's youthful Red Raiders. It was the third thriller of the season between these closely matched clubs, and the first victory for the soldiers.

It was a suitable warmup battle for the all-star basketball card at Tech's gym Tuesday night when the Red Raiders close the season with a tilt with SPAAF's Winged Commandos and the Fliers battle the star studded Tech Engineers.

The scoring honors for the night went to Prior, his game winning field goal being his sixth of the night, while he toed the foul line for six more points and a grand total of 18 points.

It was a merry battle for runnerup honors with Leon Reese, LAAF's crack shot, nosing out for the honors with 15 points, but he was closely pressed by three of the Red Raiders.

Don Grove set the pace for Texas Tech, getting 14 points while Nolan Weeks finished with 12 and Hubert Bechtol with 11. These five basket shooting stars were well out in the lead over the rest of the field.

Both team's started smoothly, and the lead see-sawed throughout the first half with the score tied three times during this period. Tie scores were reached at 15-15, 19-19 and 21-21.

But in the closing minutes of the first half, LAAF pulled away and held a 28 to 23 advantage at the intermission.

LAAF scored first after the intermission as the two clubs stepped up the tempo of play, but the Red Raiders whittled down the Army lead and went into the next tie at 39-39.

From this point on, the scores were tied at 41-41, 43-43 and 45-45, then LAAF pulled away again for the lead. But the Red Raiders stormed back and just before the end of the game pulled up to tie the score again at 49-49. As fans settled back for the overtime period, Prior took a desperate shot back over his head and hit the winning points.

LAAF	fg	ft	tp	Texas Tech	fg	ft	tp
Reese	7	1	15	Weeks	4	0	12
Elrod	0	1	1	Bechtol	5	1	11
Dixon	1	0	2	Grove	7	0	14
Prior	6	6	18	Ragland	0	0	0
Sellers	0	1	1	Casper	1	2	4
Vela	3	0	6	Kerr	1	0	2
Long	4	0	8	Wallis	3	0	6
Totals	21	9	51	Totals	23	3	49

Halftime score: LAAF 28, Texas Tech 23.

SPAAF Cage Tourney Scheduled March 6

Plans for a ten team "sudden death" tournament to determine the hardwood champion of the South Plains Army Air Field's hot squadron league were announced Saturday afternoon.

Four more games remain to be played on the regular league schedule, but they will have little effect on the outcome of the final standings. The top four teams in the final league standings of games played the past few weeks will be seeded in the title tournament.

The tournament is scheduled to get under way the week of March 6.

The 356th team, which strangely enough was tied with the Medics early in the season for the league lead, Saturday were back in the saddle and in undisputed possession of top spot, a few percentage points ahead of the high scoring Squadron 1 team and the 848th, which temporarily took the lead this week then dropped it later. The Medics are a close fourth. Only the Squadron 1 team of the four top leaders has a game left in the fourth to be played and it is doubtful that any changes in the first division will be brought up.

In the tournament in addition to the teams now in the league a team will be entered from the new Air Crew Trainee pool.

Games still on the schedule finds the SPAAF Band, in the cellar spot, meeting the 64th Headquarters team, now holding fifth place, the Student Detachment playing the Squadron 1 team.

The standings as of Saturday:

Teams—	W	L	Pct.
356th	7	2	.777
Squadron 1	6	2	.750
848th	7	3	.700
Medics	9	3	.666
64th	4	3	.571
Squad. II	3	3	.500
Stud. Det.	3	5	.375
370th	3	6	.333
805th	2	7	.222
SPAAF Band	0	4	.000

Strangler Lewis To Tussle Big Steer

CHICAGO, Feb. 26. (AP) — Ed (Strangler) Lewis, who tossed many a big man during his tenure as world's heavyweight wrestling champion, will be outweighed by many hundred pounds in his match at a rodeo Sunday.

Lewis will try to toss a steer—just once—and there will be no time limit on the one fall.

Throckmorton Takes Region 2 Cage Title

THROCKMORTON, Feb. 26 (AP) Throckmorton high school defeat-Cross Plains by a score of 52 to 24 here tonight to win the right to represent Region 2 in the state basketball meet.

The Throckmorton quint held a 32-to-3 lead at the half.

Riley of Throckmorton, was high-point man with 18 points.

MT. VERNON WINS

COMMERCE, Feb. 26 (AP)—Mt. Vernon, high school cagers took the regional basketball championship here tonight, defeating Quitman, Tex., 32 to 29.

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Strange Feelings Result As Bombardment Mission Ends

By KENNETH L. DIXON
Associated Press Staff Writer

SOMEWHERE IN THE MEDITERRANEAN, Feb. 20. (Delayed)—There is a strange sort of anti-climax about the conclusion of a naval bombardment mission and the subsequent sail home to a port of comparative safety.

It was that way on the British cruiser Mauritius after she completed the shelling of a handful of targets in front of the Fifth Army.

She had shelled German gun positions inland from Gaeta point and scored direct hits at a range of nearly 11 miles and she had thrown screaming steel over the heads of Allied soldiers dug in defending their Anzio beachhead positions.

Due For Citations

Although she did not sense it then her captain and crew were due for citations for their work—most of the details of which will remain clouded in semi-secrecy until the war's end.

During the mission she had been subjected to sky and shore attack. Afterward, as she slipped southward through heavy seas, every man on her bridge was conscious of the presence of enemy submarines somewhere in the waters nearby.

Allied ships had been sunk the day before in that sector and although we did not know it then another would be sunk next day along the exact spot in the sealane where we sailed through the cold windy thickening dusk.

No Sensation Of Danger

But there was no sensation of either danger or completion of battle on board as she steamed portward. Even up on the bridge where the lookouts sang out the exact location of every single object they sighted there was only the feeling of being at sea on a stormy night.

There was no frontline nor foxhole atmosphere anywhere on the ship. Not once had I been conscious of fear and now there was the feeling of relief. It had been like a pleasant cruise up the Italian coast and back.

"See—we hardly know there's a war going on," said the officers of the cruiser Mauritius.

Then You Remember

And in that anti-climactic moment you almost believed them.

Then you remembered being bracketed by bombs on board another ship; remembered the wounded on deck; remembered the horribly beautiful sight of a ship blazing and exploding in the night and you remembered the stretchers of terribly burned bodies.

You remembered that the Mauritius had two sisterships—the Fiji and the Glasgow—which no longer sail the seas but lie beneath them somewhere off Crete and you remembered those messages beginning "the admiralty regrets."



FROM FRYING PAN—Curvaceous Elaine Riley, new RKO starlet, had a tough time—they say. Quit her job as personnel manager of New York radio station because "office-door-Johnnies" cluttered up the place. Went to Hollywood, where beauty's supposed to be dime-a-dozen—and creates a traffic jam every time she walks on the lot—they say.

Joseph Ely Becomes White House Aspirant

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Feb. 26. (AP)—Attorney Joseph B. Ely, former Governor of Massachusetts, today, in effect, became a formal candidate for the Democratic nomination for president of the United States.

Joseph Lee, former Boston school committeeman, said that Ely gave his power of attorney to Charles H. McGlue, former chairman of the Massachusetts Democratic committee, to file an assent with the secretary of state as Democratic candidate in the Massachusetts April primaries.

Coke Gives McGill Leave Of Absence

AUSTIN, Feb. 26. (AP) — Gov. Coke R. Stevenson announced today that William L. McGill, state defense co-ordinator, has been granted a leave of absence to take a Red Cross war assignment.

He was simultaneously granted an additional leave of absence from the department of journalism at the University of Texas. He has been on leave from the university for duty in the state executive department since February 1940.

The traffic death toll in the United States in 1943 was about 23,000.

Calls For Texas Oil Protested

AUSTIN, Feb. 26 (AP) — The Texas Railroad commission today formally passed along the Petroleum Administrator for war the plea of oil operators that this state is being called on to produce more petroleum than it can refine and move.

Chairman Beauford H. Jester, of the commission, Texas' oil regulatory body, added a suggestion that state conservation officials are in better position than the federal government to decide how much petroleum their fields can contribute to the war effort.

He telegraphed Harold Ickes, petroleum administrator for war, that the situation faced by the Texas oil industry is "further indication and proof that the prerogative of determining production to meet demand should have remained with the state regulatory bodies. We are on the ground and know first hand the true picture.

Commission Feels Bound

Jester noted that the commission feels bound by the PAW directive as to the quantity of oil needed for the war "and will continue to authorize production of crude to meet total requirements certified by you." At the same time, he said, pipeline proration is already in effect in fields where critical crude is produced, and means of storage are dwindling.

Operators at the last statewide proration hearing testified they were being called on to produce more than they could refine or transport.

"If PAW will reform and reduce its directive to meet the actual need, the Railroad commission of Texas will immediately conform thereto and relieve overproduction problems existing for March," Jester told Ickes.

PAW asked Texas to produce 2,018,000 barrels daily of all petroleum liquids in March. Texas has been called on for steadily increasing amounts of oil in recent months.

Churchill's Son Is Now In Jugoslavia

LONDON, Feb. 26. (U.P.)—Capt. Randolph Churchill, son of the British prime minister, arrived in Jugoslavia a few weeks ago and has been in contact with Marshal Josip (Tito) Brozovich, Jugoslav partisan leader, it was learned tonight.

Captain Churchill was believed to have dropped down in Jugoslavia by parachute soon after the turn of the year.

He last was seen in public in December at the Teheran conference and at a review of the Fourth Queen's Own Hussars regiment in which he and the prime minister both hold commissions.

Churchill, 32, was the first member of Parliament to undergo paratroop training. Originally he went to the Middle East with a commando outfit.

He was injured seriously in an automobile crash in May, 1942, and spent part of his convalescence in New York.

American Red Cross Girl Killed In Action

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, Naples, Feb. 26. (AP)—The death of the first American Red Cross girl killed in action in this theater of war was announced today. She was Miss Esther Richards, a San Francisco hospital social worker, who was a victim of a German bombing of the Anzio beachhead Feb. 7.

The 46-year-old worker, who served as nurse in the last war, was in the receiving tent of an evacuation hospital when the German plane dropped anti-personnel bombs in the hospital area, killing two nurses, six patients and 14 members of the hospital personnel.

It was the third time that a hospital had been bombed and the second time she had been struck. A Salerno hospital ship she was on was hit by a bomb and abandoned. Despite cuts and a back injury, Miss Richards crawled on her hands and knees through the debris and found a hole in the cabin wall. She climbed out and down a ladder to a lifeboat, barely making it before the passageway was closed.

NEW SHOPPING BAG

LONDON, Feb. 26. (AP)—Regular horse nosebags—dressed up with painted flowers and shoulder straps—are being sold at one west end store as shopping bags which virtually are unobtainable because of rationed cloth and the paper shortage.

The price—$11.40 each.

Man Held In Death Of Fellow Employe

GALVESTON, Feb. 26 (U.P.)— A 71-year-old man was held in jail today for questioning in the slaying of his 59-year-old fellow employe at a Galveston cotton warehouse.

The two men were watchmen at the cotton sheds where they allegedly began a brawl that ended in the fatal shooting of Henry H. Hoffman.

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Brief Bits Of Local News

A competitive examination for mechanic learners will be given Tuesday, starting at 8:30 a. m. at Draughon's Business college, 1303 Texas avenue, Mrs. Buell L. Boles, acting secretary of the Civil Service board of examiners at the postoffice, announced Saturday. There are about 20 positions to be filled for the Lubbock vicinity. Those who pass the test will be considered for employment to fill these positions which require certain mechanical ability at a starting salary of $1,080 per annum with a chance for advancement for those who successfully complete three months training period. Women, 18 to 38 years of age are preferred for thes jobs but men will be considered who are not of draft age or classification. The necessary forms may be secured from the civil service secretary at the postoffice or civil service representative at the U. S. Employment office, and should be filled out completely before reporting for the examination.

H. L. Wright, 1701 Twenty-seventh street, has had as his guest the last few days his brother, W. C. Wright of Marietta, Ga., whom he had not seen for 36 years. Another brother, O. C. Wright of Wise county, also has been visiting here. The three brothers left Saturday for Amarillo to join another brother, E. Fred Wright.

James G. Patterson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Peterson, 2508 Thirtieth street, and D. D. Hart, son of Mrs. Willie Mae Hart, 2304 Twentieth street, were two Lubbock 17-year-old boys who enlisted in the Navy during the past week, according to John Oldham, Petty Officer 1-c, of the Navy recruiting office in the federal building here. Other West Texans of that age were William D. Hancock, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hancock of Jayton; Edwin C. Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Williams of Ropesville; James L. Orr, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Orr of Mobeetie, and Joseph Patterson, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Patterson of Lamesa.

S/Sgt. Carl D. Green, who has been on duty with the Marine recruiting office here has recently transferred to New River, N. C., according to S/Sgt. Charles G. Baker, of that office. He plans to leave immediately, going by way of San Antonio where he is taking his wife and baby to live. S/Sgt. H. M. Duncan, jr., has arrived here to replace Sgt. Green.

Judgment in the amount of $250,000 is sought in a suit filed in the office of Mrs. Olive Fluke, United States district clerk, by L. D. Thomas, and Sam E. Drake, D. B. A. Drake company of Lubbock county, against the Pure Oil company of Houston, Harris county, Texas. The defendent is charged in the complaint with infringement of copyright.

Lt. and Mrs. Max Wayne Warren have returned to San Antonio after attending funeral services for Lt. Warren's grandmother, Mrs. M. C. McCrummen, who died Thursday and was buried Friday.

Warrent Officer L. W. Bobb of the Air-WAC recruiting section of the West Texas Recruiting and induction station here, announced Saturday there are now openings for women who enlist in the Air-WAC at four air fields in this territory, namely Big Spring Army Air field, Midland Army Air field, Lubbock Army Air field and South Plains Army Air field. Women who enlist within the next few days can receive direct assignment to either of these fields upon completion of the five weeks' basic training period, he said.

Mrs. Thelma Montgomery, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Applequist of Amarillo, was sworn in as a private in the WAC Saturday morning, it was announced by Lt. Jessie W. Gardner, assistant district recruiting officer for the Lubbock District. Her husband, W. L. Montgomery, is leaving within the next few days for service with the merchant marines. Her father is overseas with the Seabees, a brother, Carl, is in the Navy and stationed in Memphis, Tenn., and her mother is in defense work in Amarillo. She was employed by an Amarillo draft board prior to her enlistment in the WAC.

Dr. Karl B. King, a lieutenant commander, USNR, and Mrs. King are guests of his mother, Mrs. G. R. King of 2406 Twenty-seventh street, and of a sister, Mrs. Clent Breedlove of New Hope road. He is on brief leave. His brother, Dr. J. Cash King, a commander, USNR, is in the Pacific, where he is senior medical officer aboard an aircraft carrier.

Bids will be received the night of March 9 by the Sundown Independent School district, at Sundown High school, for construction of a masonry building to replace a vocational agriculture-preflight training-defense shop unit destroyed Jan. 7 by fire, it was announced here Saturday by Haynes & Strange, architects. In that connection, Supt. P. O. Smith was in Lubbock. The War Production board has granted priorities for the construction, and the federal government will allocate machinery for the unit, which will be ultra-modern in every detail. Value of the old building, with a school bus that also was lost, approximated $17,000.

The American Legion service officer and ladies of the auxiliary will be in the American Legion hall at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon to assist men discharged from the Armed forces to secure their payments. Families of enlisted men are invited to come for discussion of problems concerning their sons in service. Miss Mae Murfee announced that additional typists are needed to assist in filling out blanks.

Texas Tech concert band, under direction of D. O. Wiley, will present a concert at 3 o'clock this afternoon in Tech gym. Ten numbers are scheduled with Ted Crager as coronet soloist.

The Knights Templar degree will be conferred on seven candidates Monday night when Lubbock commandery meets, after a 6:45 o'clock dinner. James D. Shaw is commander.

George R. Bean, Navy V-12 student at Southwestern university at Georgetown, arrived in Lubbock Saturday to visit several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Bean, of Lubbock route 3, and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George R. Bean, of 1614 Nineteenth street.

Charles L. Snure of Lubbock received the silver wings of the aerial navigator Saturday at graduation exercises of San Marcos Army Air field. His graduation marked the conclusion of one year's training.

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Indictment Of A & P Dismissed

DALLAS, Feb. 26 (AP)—The department of Justice announced today that it had nolle prossed an indictment returned by the federal grand jury in Dallas Nov. 25, 1942, charging the New York Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Co., eleven of its subsidiary companies and sixteen officers and directors of these companies, with violation of the anti-trust laws in production, processing, sale and distribution of food and food products.

Assistant Attorney General Wendell Berge, in charge of the department's anti-trust division, said the indictment was dismissed as a result of the action of the court (federal district court in Dallas) on Dec. 11, 1943, in striking portions of the indictment, particularly those relating to the charge.

Validity In Doubt

The department's opinion, Berge said, was that this action cast grave doubt on the continued validity of the indictment and that eventual conviction under it would be unnecessarily subject to jeopardy on the ground that the court had rewritten or altered the indictment, which function was within the province of the grand jury.

"The department's action was taken reluctantly, since the case is one of the most important in the antitrust division's program covering the food industry," Berge said.

"The practices complained of in the indictment were such as to affect the entire food industry in the United States, including production, manufacture, and distribution, and it was essential to try the case no a record as free as possible of technical complications.

"It is the department's intention to file a substantially similar suit in an appropriate jurisdiction at an early date."

CRIMINAL INFORMATION FILED AGAINST FIRM

DANVILLE, Ill., Feb. 26 (AP) — A criminal information charging the New York Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea company and some 30 officers and subsidiaries with violating the Sherman anti-trust law was filed in federal court today.

The action was taken by the department of justice almost simultaneously with the nolle prossing of an indictment setting up similar charges at Dallas.

The center of gravity of the human body is to the right.

Scouts Get Bond With Autographs Of Adm. Nimitz, Other Leaders

It would seem to be secondary importance, the receiving by South Plains Boy Scout council of a $25 war bond on which are scrawled the inspirational signatures of some of our outstanding Pacific war leaders.

Deeper than that lies the inference of Scout leadership.

John T. Haynes of Silverton, a scouter who over the years has done many meritorious things for Scouts, including the donation of a 40-acre campsite near Silverton, sent the bond—from Pearl Harbor.

In Reconstruction Work

Haynes is engaged in reconstruction work there, as a civilian. When it is considered that he is 61 and the father of three sons on the fighting fronts and that every department of the armed services turned down his plea for enlistment, his work on foreign soil is the more remarkable. He does exacting duties just as your Seabee or Naval man.

The signatures on the bond he sent to the council are another story. Haynes and Admiral Nimitz of the Pacific fleet and Pacific ocean areas went to school together in a little Texas community. Nimitz called Haynes "Legs." Haynes called Nimitz "Chunky."

Haynes bought the bond and asked "Chunky" to "put your John Henry on it." Nimitz did, and so did John Henry Newton, vice admiral; C. H. M. Morris, rear admiral; P. V. Mercer, captain and assistant chief of staff, and others.

The bond will be in custody each year until its maturity—"perhaps even longer," said G. M. Unger, council executive—by the council scout troop making the "most progress and satisfying the most requirements of excellence during given years." It will be inscribed by the winning troop's scoutmaster each time a given troop is marked for custody of it and will be kept "much after the tradition of a trophy cup, circulating among winners who can keep it a year each." Further conditions will be outlined by a committee to be appointed by Dr. F B. Malone, council president, Unger said.

Southwest States Plan For Future

DALLAS, Feb. 26. (AP)—Organization of a Gulf southwest agricultural and industrial conference, a non-profit corporation to assist in industrial and economic development of the region, was started here today at the morning session of a meeting of representatives of five states.

Attending were governors Coke Stevenson of Texas, Homer M Adkins of Arkansas, representatives of the governors of Louisiana and New Mexico, a group of congressmen and business leaders. Gov. Robert Kerr of Oklahoma was scheduled to arrive later in the day.

C. Joseph Snyder, an executive of the Lone Star Steel corporation, which has completed an iron foundry at Daingerfield, Tex., presided

No Wonder Maid's Role Is Popular

DENTON, Tex., Feb. 26. (AP)—In casting a lowly maid's role for a North Texas state play, Mrs Myrtle Hardy, director of the college players, was beseiged with volunteers for the part.

Finally a surprised Mrs. Hardy came up with this explanation The last time this particular maid trod the campus boards in Pinero's comedy "Playgoers," the part was taken by a red-haired co-ed named Clara Lou Sheridan, Hollywood changed her name to Ann

CONFERENCES SET

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26. (AP)—Jan Ciechanowski, ambassador to Washington from the Polish government in exile, has been called to London for conferences on the Soviet-Polish controversy.

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Winter Coats, Regularly $10.98	7.50	80% Wool Anklets, Regularly 39c	29c
Women's Coats, Regularly $19.98	10.00	Childrens Dresses, Regularly $3.98	3.47
Crepe Dresses, Regularly $7.98	5.29	Girls Dresses, Regularly $5.98	4.67
Women's Dresses, Regularly $10.98 and $12.98	7.49	Fleece Lined Coats, Regularly $27.50	19.50
Cotton Dresses, Values up to $2.98	1.49	Boudoir Chairs, Values up to $33.95	25% OFF
Print Dresses, Regularly $3.98	1.89	Barrel Back Chairs, Regularly $54.95	39.95

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United States Government bonds	285,089,027.00
Other bonds	313,166,216.00
Stocks	58,089,850.00
Mortgage loans	140,923,206.04
Home office property	7,409,378.88
Real estate sold under contract	5,813,290.43
Other real estate	4,142,214.52
Policy loans	48,773,762.72
Premiums due and deferred	20,377,851.48
Interest and rents due and accrued	7,360,378.17
Other assets	111,882.49
Total admitted assets	$940,372,841.97

LIABILITIES

Reserve under life policy contracts		$805,926,023.48
Unearned premium reserve		4,568,492.63
Claim reserve		22,999,563.62
Liability and workmen's compensation claim reserves		3,688,894.50
Reserve for dividends payable to policyholders		9,257,052.47
Other liabilities to policyholders		7,894,090.34
Tax reserve		4,569,378.36
Other liabilities		3,379,216.24
Contingency reserve		28,600,000.00
Total liabilities		$890,893,811.97
Surplus to policyholders:		
Capital	$15,000,000.00	
Surplus	$4,479,030.30	49,479,030.30
Total		$940,372,841.97
Paid to or for policyholders since organization		$2,278,111,551.81
Life Insurance in force December 31, 1943		5,867,882,586.00
Increase in life insurance in force during 1943		637,354,932.00

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BLS Refutes Labor Claims On Rise In Cost Of Living

By JOSEPH A. LOFTUS
Associated Press Staff Writer

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26— The bureau of labor statistics (BLS) took labor's cost of living claims apart today and concluded that they were "absolutely wrong."

The bureau submitted to the President's cost of living committee a 35,000-word analysis of the "recommended report" of the committee's labor members, George Meany and R. J. Thomas, with this comment:

"The claim of the Meany-Thomas report that the cost of living has risen 43.5 per cent (in three years) is not supported by their data. Rather there is conclusive evidence that they are absolutely wrong in asserting that the rise in the cost of living is nearly twice as great as the BLS shows it to be (23.4 per cent).

Many Errors Claimed

"The report contains many errors of fact, and makes use of unrepresentative data to support its general conclusions. It does not meet the high technical standards which usually have characterized trade union research. Could the labor members of the committee, who assumed responsibility for these findings, have been fully aware of the nature of the evidence submitted, we do not believe that they would have subscribed to the report."

Unswerved, Meany and Thomas joined in a statement today challenging the bureau to submit to the nation's housewives the question of whose figures are right. They said they got their figures from these women and declared:

"No group of government bureaucrats has ever before had the audacity to insult American housewives by telling them that their experiences are all wrong, and that they should instead try to live on BLS statistics."

Said National Average

The BLS did not discuss the wisdom or practicability of using its index as a yardstick to measure or limit basic wage increases nationally, as the Little Steel formula does under certain conditions but made these comments:

"It (the index) must be accepted for what it is—a good approximation of average price changes for essentials of family living. It is a national average. Not a micrometer reading applicable to the situation of every family. When it is used for policy purposes, consideration should be given to problems peculiar to the groups involved. Families differ; localities differ; prices vary widely."

Russian Front

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sian advance, with the Germans putting up strong fights for occasional hedgehog positions.

1,500 Germans Killed

In the advance which captured Porkhov and Novoselye—the drive on Pskov and its four railways and two highways — over 1,500 Germans were killed, Moscow said. In this area 150 communities were taken. South of Porkhov, the last important town before Pskov, the Russians crossed the Shelon river and reached the Porkhov-Chikhachevo highway.

The communique said that in this area one group of Russians captured German guns and ammunition, swung them in the opposite direction and opened fire on retreating enemy troops.

Adolf Hitler was reported to have hurried to the northern front to investigate the causes of recent German defeats in this sector where the Nazi armies have fallen back steadily toward the Estonian, Latvian and Polish borders.

Seeks To Bolster Morale

Quoting a Swedish source, the French radio at Algiers said that Hitler had gone to the front with staff generals to bolster the Nazi resistance to the Red Army's great onslaught.

Another French broadcast from Algiers, quoting a Swiss source, said that Field Marshal Georg von Kuechler had been imprisoned in a fortress at Koenigsberg for insubordination to Hitler in disobeying orders to hold his northern front at all costs. Marshal von Kuechler ten days ago was reported to have been relieved of his command.

At the end of another black week that apparently found them without enough expendable reserves to stem the rush of the Soviet offensive anywhere along the line, the Germans were imperilled by a new surge extending about 400 miles from Pskov down through the Pripet marshes.

SPAAF Command

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new commanding officers were named for both the 80th Flying Training wing (pilots).

Col Borris B. Harbold was named commander of the 80th wing, with headquarters at San Marcos, succeeding Col. Joseph H. Davidson, transferred to the command of the 33rd wing with headquarters at Blackland Army Air field, Waco.

As commander of the 80th wing, Col. Harbold will supervise the Army air forces entire navigation training program with direct command over fields at San Marcos, Hondo and Ellington Fields, Texas; Selman Field, La., and Coral Gables, Fla. He also will direct the training of glider pilots at Wichita Falls and Lubbock

Col. Davidson will have seven fields under his command in his new assignment. Member fields of the 33rd wing for twin engine pilots are Altus and Frederick, Okla., Brooks Field, Ellington Field, Pampa, Blackland and Lubbock.

Fliers downed at sea on a rubber raft now are equipped with a small electric lamp which projects a 1,500-candlepower beam to aid in night rescues

News Briefs

The War Department announced Saturday that promotion of Carl Joshua Prohl of 2202 Eighteenth street from the rank of 1st Lt. to Captain.

Garland Casey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Casey of 1908 Twenty-second street, and Lubbock High school student, has passed the Army Air forces' mental alertness test.

Seaboe W. D. Everett, jr. of Snyder has returned home on leave after a long period of service in the Aleutians. Everett arrived in Lubbock Saturday and was met by his parents from Snyder.

Dirk Ronk of Waco, will be guest speaker at the Lubbock chapter of the Masonic Lodge at a meeting Wednesday at 7:30 o'clock. Ronk was a United States mason in Holland when the Germans invaded and he had to leave in 1936. From his own experiences and observances he will speak on the destitute conditions of the masonic lodges of Holland and the European countries.

Dr. L. N. Lipscomb, superintendent of Methodist district, will be at Southland this morning at 11 o'clock for preaching and conference; Slaton at 3:30 o'clock and at the St. John Methodist church in Lubbock at 7:30 p. m. for the evening service.

Firemen at 11:40 o'clock Saturday morning extinguished a trash fire at 280 Locust street.

Charlie Chaplin Enters Pleas Of Innocence

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 26 (AP) — Charlie Chaplin pleaded innocent today to two counts of Mann act violation.

His pleas, spoken in a loud, firm voice, followed a ruling by U. S. Dist. Judge J. F. T. O'Connor rejecting a demurrer by the actor's counsel to grand jury indictments and a motion to quash the charges.

Chaplin's trial was set to start at 9:30 a. m., March 21.

U. S. Atty. Charles H. Carr said he would be ready to proceed with the trial in ten days, but Jerry Giesler, the actor's attorney, asked for a greater delay, stating he would need to bring a number of witnesses from outside the state and perhaps get the depositions on others.

Chaplin's plea followed today on Giesler's attempt to set aside the indictments, charging that the actor transported 24-year-old Joan Berry, his former protege, from Los Angeles to New York and back for immoral purposes.

War In Pacific

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and Kavieng, commented that the Japanese apparently are evacuating personnel and ammunition from these bases on New Britain and New Ireland.

Associated Press war correspondent Vern Haugland said 400 Japanese fliers and ground crewmen, being evacuated from Rabaul and Kavieng to Truk and Tokyo, were crowded on a transport sunk by Burke's raiders.

No Fighter Opposition

Since last Sunday Rabaul hadn't sent a single fighter plane against American and New Zealand planes that have torn up her five airdromes with nearly 2,000 tons of bombs in the last two months. But anti-aircraft fire was still heavy.

Adm. Lord Louis Mountbatten, commander in Southeast Asia, reported his columns were pushing slowly south toward the port of Akyab in southwest Burma. He said several Japanese counterattacks attempting to again cut off the Seventh Indian division were repulsed.

In the Philippines Jose P. Laurel, Japan's puppet president, made use of his recently-assumed dictatorial powers by decreeing that all able-bodied Filipinos between 16 and 60 were subject to draft as agricultural workers and could be compelled to devote a day's labor free to the government each week.

General Douglas MacArthur, who is fighting his way back to the Philippines, told his men "the way before us is long and hard."

The 27,000 ton carrier Bennington was launched at New York today, the second big carrier to be floated in three days.

Soldier Sacrifice

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of the war as a ball game—and that they're enjoying the seventh inning stretch," he said.

"It does look like if all the energy being used in fighting the battle of the income tax could be expended on the battle of the Anzio beachhead, Rome would fall in short order.

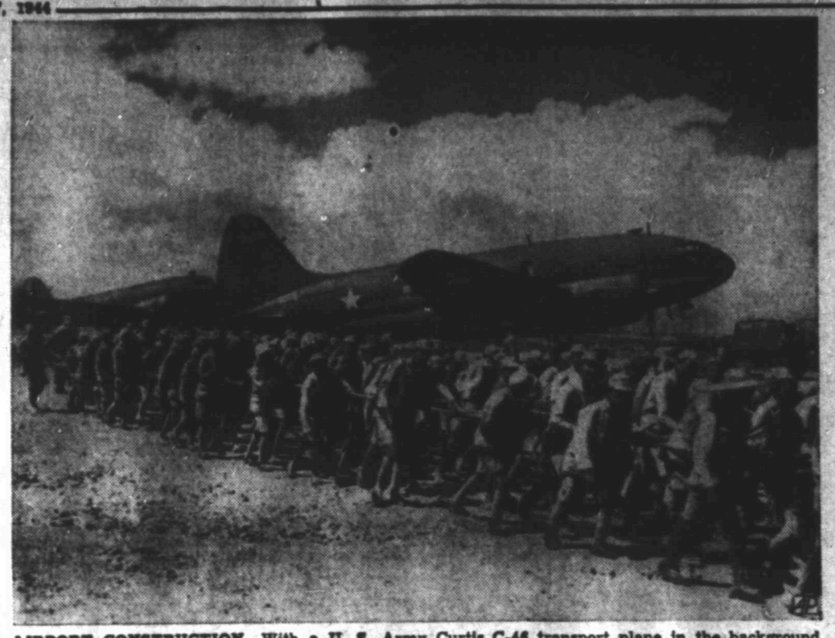
Boyle said life appeared more complex here than on the other side.

"Over there things are comparatively simple except for mud, fleas, Germans, C-rations and bullets. But at least you didn't have to lace your leggings with red tape."

Wagstaff To Seek Place In Congress

ABILENE, Feb. 26. (AP) — Robert M. Wagstaff, former Texas legislator, World war I veteran and Abilene civic leader, apnounced today that he would be a candidate for Congress from the 17th district. He will seek the office now held by Sam Russell of Stephenville, who has announced for a third term.

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AIRPORT CONSTRUCTION—With a U. S. Army Curtis C-46 transport plane in the background, Chinese coolies and soldiers of an airfield garrison smooth runways at a Chinese airfield.

Market Reports The Nation Over . . .

Spotlight Stocks . .

NEW YORK, Feb. 26 (AP) — Sales, closing price and net change of the fifteen most active stocks today:

	Sales	Close	Net Change
United Corp	18,100	1⅛	+ ⅛
Sou Ry	10,000	26¼	+ 1
Columbia Gas	8,900	8⅝	
Houston Oil	7,800	9	+ ⅛
Webster Eisen	7,300	7¼	+ ⅛
Gillette	6,700	10	+ ⅛
Gair, Robert	6,400	3⅝	+ ⅛
Del & Hud	5,300	34⅝	+ ⅛
Symington-Gould	4,900	7⅝	+ ⅛
Am Water Wks	4,300	8	—
Murray Corp	4,300	9⅝	+ ⅛
N Y Central	4,300	19½	+ ⅛
Big Pub Svc	4,000	13⅝	+ ⅛
Hayes Mfg	3,600	3	+ ⅛
U S Leather A	3,500	23¾	+ 1⅛

Stock List . .

NEW YORK, Feb. 26 (AP)—Transactions on the stock exchange today:

	Sales In 100's	High	Low	Close
Am Airlines	10	63½	63¼	63¼
Am T & T	3	136⅝		
Am colen	6	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛
Anaconda Cop	9	39⅝	38¾	39⅝
AT SF	20	64½	63½	64¼
Aviation Corp	6	4⅛		
Beth Stl	15	59¼	58¾	58¾
Braniff Air	3	15⅛	14⅞	14⅞
Chrysler	2	86¼	86¼	86¼
Gen Motors	5	57⅝	57⅛	57⅝
Cont Oil Del	2	31⅝		
Curtiss Wri	6	8⅞	8⅝	8⅝
Freeport Sul	5	33⅛		
Gen Elec	18	35¼	35⅛	35⅛
Gen Foods	3	43⅝	41⅞	43⅝
Gen Motors	13	55	54⅞	55
Goodrich (BF)	4	43⅝	43¼	43⅝
Greyhound Corp	1	21⅛		
Gulf Oil	3	48⅝		
Houston Oil	10	9⅛	9	9
Int Harv	3	71¾	71	71
Lockheed Aire	3	17⅞		
Mont Ward	3	44⅝	44⅜	44⅜
No Am Avi	7	9	8⅞	8⅞
Ohio Oil	8	18⅛	18	18
Packard Motor	5	3¾	3⅝	3⅝
Param Pix	13	34⅝	34½	34⅝
Penney (JC)	4	97	96¾	97
Phillips Pet	1	46⅛		
Pure Oil	6	15⅝	15½	15⅝
Radio of Am	18	9½	9⅜	9½
Repub Steel	5	17⅞	17⅝	17⅝
Sears R	3	85⅝	85½	85⅝
Sinclair Oil	5	10⅞	10¾	10⅞
Soc Vac	10	13½	13⅜	13⅜
Sou Pac	30	29½	29⅛	29⅛
Stand Oil NJ	6	53⅝	53⅛	53⅝
Texas Co	1	47½		
Tex Gulf Prod	11	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝
Tex Gulf Sulph	1	38⅝		
Tex Pac C&O	2	15⅛		
Tide Wat A Oil	3	13⅝	13½	13⅝
U S Rubber	3	43½	43	43⅛
U S Steel	14	51⅞	51⅝	51⅝
West Un Tel A	2	43⅜	43¼	43⅜
NEW YORK CURB				
Am Cyan B	14	37½	37	37
Ark Nat Gas A	20	3¾	3¾	3¾
Cities Servc	179	16	15⅝	15⅞
El Bond & SH	340	9¼	9⅛	9⅛
Humble Oil	2	41⅝		
Lone Star Gas	5	8⅝	8⅛	8⅛
Unit Lt & Pow A	13	⅛		

Wall Street . .

SPECIALTIES EDGE UPWARD

NEW YORK, Feb. 26 (AP)—The stock market today ended a relatively lively and moderately bullish week with selected rails and specialties edging upward while leaders displayed a slightly lower drift.

The Associated Press 60-stock average was unchanged at 91.4 but on the week held a net advance of .5 of a point. Dealings were sluggish the greater part of the time but volume expanded at the last to 372,710 shares compared with 346,103 a week ago.

On the day American Distilling "plain" ran up 3 points on short covering for cash—the stock Monday goes ex-rights on whisky distribution to shareholders—but later backed water and finished down as much. The "stamped" issue, which goes off the big board next week, lost 2.

New 1943-44 peaks were touched by Delaware and Hudson, American Telephone, Engineers Public service, U. S. Leather "A" and Gillette. Ahead were southern railway, Atlantic Coast line, Oliver Farm, Sears Roebuck and Goodrich. In the minus ranks were U. S. Steel, Bethlehem, Pennsylvania, Consolidated Edison, United Aircraft, Anaconda and Texas Co.

Cities Service, in the curb, climbed a point in active bidding. Cuban Atlantic sugar and Barium Steel firmed.

Cotton . .

NEW YORK REPORT

NEW YORK, Feb. 26 (AP) — Cotton prices fluctuated over a narrow range today and failed to develop a decisive trend. Recurring flurries of week-end liquidation and hedge selling offset a routine trade demand.

Futures closed 5 to 20 cents a bale lower.

	High	Low	Last
March	20.37	20.34	20.36N
May	20.46	20.42	20.44
July	19.95	19.90	19.91
Oct.	19.44	19.41	19.42N
Dec.	19.36	19.33	19.33

Middling spot 21.47N.
N—Nominal.

NEW ORLEANS REPORT

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 26 (AP) — Weekend long liquidation caused declines in cotton futures here today. Closing prices were barely steady, five to 35 cents a bale lower.

	High	Low	Close
March	20.37	20.35	20.35
May	20.61	20.57	20.58
July	20.10	20.06	20.06-09
Oct.	19.45	19.44	19.45
Dec.	19.37	19.33	19.33

AVERAGE PRICE

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 26 (AP)—The average price of middling 15-16ths-inch cotton today at ten designated southern spot markets was 30 cents a bale lower at 20.90 cents a pound; average for the past 10 market days 20.63; middling ⅞th-inch average 19.79.

Carrier Bennington Christened Saturday

NEW YORK, Feb. 26 (AP)—The 27,100-ton carrier Bennington was christened today at the Navy yard in Brooklyn as Assistant Navy Secretary for Air Artemus L. Gates credited to floating airports a major share in stopping Japanese Pacific advances and in lessening the U-boat menace.

RETAIL TRADE SPOTTY

NEW YORK, Feg. 26. (AP)—Retail trade was spotty this week with sales for the country estimated at 4 to 6 per cent lower than a year earlier, Dun & Bradstreet, Inc., reported today.

At A Glance . .

NEW YORK, Feb. 26. (AP)—

STOCKS—Mixed; selected rails, specialisties improve.

BONDS — Irregular; scattered carriers advance.

COTTON—Quiet; weekend evening up.

CHICAGO:

WHEAT — Steady; trade light.

RYE — Firmer; commission house buying.

HOGS—Steady to 10 lower, top $13.75.

CATTLE — Nominally steady.

Livestock . .

KANSAS CITY REPORT

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 26 (AP) —(WPA)— Cattle 870; no calves; slaughter steers, heifers, and cows 25 cents to 50 cents lower; vealers steady; stockers and feeders steady to weak; top fat steers 16.25; most good and choice 13.75-15.50; good and choice heifers 13.50-15.40; good cows 11.50-12.00; most beef kinds 8.50-11.00; medium to choice stocker and feeder steers 11.50-14.25.

Hogs 2,600; fairly active, steady on all weights and sows; good and choice 200-325 lbs. 13.50—170-190 lbs 13.50-13.60; sows 12.35-60.

Sheep none; lambs generally 25 lower; some low grades off more used 10-15 cents lower; week stock fed lambs 16.45; other good and choice grades 15.75-16.35; many medium and good 15.00; clipped lambs, number one skins, 14.00-14.40; top ewes 8.50; good and choice ewes 7.75-8.25; medium and good 63 lbs. to 72 lbs. feeding lambs 13.50-13.35.

FORT WORTH REPORT

FORT WORTH, Feb. 26 (AP) — Cattle 325; calves 75; steady on the few sales reported. Beef cows 8.25-9.50; fat calves 10.13; stockers and feeders were carried over for Monday's trading.

Hogs 500; steady; top 13.55; most good and choice 200-330 pound butcher hogs 13.55; good 150-190 pound averages 9.50-13.25; sows 11.50 down; stocker pigs 8 down.

Sheep 300; unchanged; common South Texas lambs 11; few culls 8.

Produce . .

CHICAGO BUTTER, EGGS

CHICAGO, Feb. 26 (AP)—Butter unchanged at ceilings, tone firm; eggs unchanged, tone steady.

Session Of Demos

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publican. We know that such a change means more than a shifting of personalities in the White House. It connotes a change in every important office in the government."

When the war is over, said Hannegan, "the course of domestic life will become paramount. We should take no chances that the economic and social gains we have achieved in the past dozen years may be diminished if not destroyed through the machinations of the party that plunged us into the distress of the panic that marked the close of the last Republican administration.

Other Notables Speak

Hannegan's address was the principal one on a program which listed speeches also by Ed Pauley of Los Angeles, treasurer of the national committee; Governor Coke Stevenson of Texas; Senator Harry S. Truman (D-Mo), and Col. Myron C. Blalock of Marshall, Democratic national committeeman for Texas.

Attending the dinner, in addition to state party workers and officials and many of the rank and file, were representatives Wright Patman, Lyndon Johnson, and Hatton Sumners, all of Texas.

Hannegan, as he began his speech, paid his respects to Texas' war effort.

Texas Leaders Lauded

Then, mentioning Texas leaders, he said: "The eyes of Texas, as well as the eyes of the whole country, are upon every movement of your able and colorful governor, Coke Stevenson."

He referred to the "patriotic and distinguished achievements of your own Jesse Jones, Senator Tom Connally, Speaker Sam Rayburn, Hatton Sumners, and the respective members of the entire Texas delegation in the House of Representatives," and added, "in fact, almost everywhere I go there is always somebody nominating first one and then the other for either president or vice president of the United States."

Grace Line Awards Medals For Bravery

NEW YORK, Feb. 26 (AP) — Fourteen gold medals for bravery in action and extraordinary feats of navigation and seamanship have been awarded by the Grace Line to officers and men aboard its ships, now in the service of the War Shipping administration.

Parts of the complicated turbo-superchargers used in high-altitude bombers are made by an adaptation of a process used by sculptors.

Grain . .

CHICAGO REPORT

CHICAGO, Feb. 26 (AP) — Rye prices started out higher today but the market soon ran into selling and lost a good part of its early advance. Trading was light. Wheat and oats were unable to follow the initial advance in rye, a fact which restrained bullish enthusiasm.

At the close wheat was unchanged to ⅛ higher, May $1.70⅞-⅞, oats were ⅛ lower to ⅛ higher, May 79¾, rye was ahead ¼-⅝, may $1.36⅝-¾, and barley was unchanged to ⅛ higher, May $1.21⅝.

FORT WORTH REPORT

FORT WORTH, Feb. 26 (AP) — Wheat No. 1 hard 1.71½-1.77.

Sorghums No. 2 yellow milo per 100 lbs. 2.31-2.34; No. 2 white kafir per 100 lbs. 2.29-2.32.

Oats No. 2 white nominally 94½-95; No. 1 feed nominally 93½-94.

Corn and barley — at northern shipping point ceilings, plus freight.

Girl Debaters Win At Dallas Tourney

Lubbock High school girl debaters, Irene Crim, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lindsey of 1919 Avenue Q, and Jacquelyn Reynolds, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Reynolds of 2209 Ninth street, won Saturday in a Dallas debate tournament over the Dallas Sunset High school, an Associated Press dispatch reported.

Taking the affirmative of the question: "Resolved that the United States Should Join in Reconstructing A League of Nations", the Lubbock girls won over Patsy Robison and Virginia Brannon, representing Sunset High school.

The occasion was the North Dallas High school Invitation Speech tournament. Miss Crim is a senior student, completing three years of speech and Miss Reynolds is a junior student, competing two years of debate and speech, according to J. W. Reed, Lubbock High school debate coach.

Nazis Staggered

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60 percent. These figures may be revised upward as they are based on latest reconnaissance and are still only preliminary.

At Height Past Week

The greatest damage of all was probably done in the past week, he said, when the Eighth U. S. Air force alone dropped 7,935 tons of bombs in Germany—a greater amount than that force dropped during its entire first year of operations in the European theater.

With the tonnage of the Italy-based 15th U. S. Air force, the American total rose to 9,425.

The spokesman expressed belief that Germany had lost her last hope of maintaining a successful air defense. She cannot prevent the strategic bombing of any target in Germany, he declared, coupling this flat assertion with a promise that Allied operations would increase as the year progressed.

It was announced that the German Air force lost 142 planes in attempting to stop the American assaults on Stuttgart, Fuerth, Augsburg and Regensburg by daylight yesterday.

U. S. Loses 69 Bombers

The American forces reported the operations cost 69 bombers and eight fighters from the Eighth and 15th Air forces.

At least 15 centers of the German aircraft industry were hit repeated smashing blows during the week.

The Germans in six days have lost 641 planes in air combat with the American invaders alone, plus many more new ones on the ground outside factories, and uncounted others in process of completion in the bombed works.

The cost to the Allies has not been negligible; About 3,500 airmen on 400 heavy bombers and 50 fighters lost, roughly $100,000,000 worth of planes, but the loss was described as economical in view of the aggregate of 17,000 sorties and the great damage done to the enemy.

Wichita Falls Youth Drowns While Fishing

WICHITA FALLS, Feb. 26 (AP) Jerry Adkison, 13, drowned in the Wichita river near the Wichita Falls city limits today.

The youth was on a fishing trip and lost his footing while wading in the river.

He was the son of H. B. Adkison, a mattress maker here.

PROPERTY TAKEN OVER

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 26. (AP) —The United States alien property custodian reported today his agency had taken over $29,000,000 worth of alien properties in the Pacific coast states up to mid-1943, of which $27,000,000 was Japanese-owned.

Youth Held For Armed Robbery

Son of a late deputy sheriff in another county, a 16-year-old Lubbock youth who in recent months lost one brother in the armed services and has another seeing battle action overseas, late Saturday was paroled to his attorney after being held most of the day in the juvenile ward of county jail in connection with armed robbery Friday night.

A delinquency charge probably will be filed Monday, it was indicated.

Aubrey Fawver, assistant chief of police, said the youth had admitted taking money at gunpoint from W. O. Worley, a candy salesman, at Worley's 2302 Tenth street residence. Police said between $8 and $10 was taken, although Worley had "over $300" hidden in the room the robber entered.

Money Recovered

It was believed that most of the money, if not all, had been recovered along with the gun used in the robbery.

Worley, Fawver was informed, heard a knock at the door and, believing the caller was his son Jack, about 16, opened it. The youth crowded in, his gun, a .25 automatic pistol, pointed at Worley's forehead, and demanded money.

Worley, who had been in bed, went over, picked up his trousers and pitched them to the youth. Worley's daughter Rachel, about 17, came into the room and was ordered to the back of the house.

"Now your billfold," the youthful gunman demanded.

"I don't know where it is," Worley answered.

Youth Is Recognized

At that moment Jack Worley come into the room from a side-door. He recognized the youth with the gun as a friend he had "run around with" some in the past. The gunman ran out the same door he had entered, Jack Worley after him.

In the middle of the street, Jack called out the robber's name, and the fugitive whirled about and fired at him.

George Hall, Pete Hubbard, Charles Street and Dee Brogden, night patrolmen in radio prowl cars, closed in and arrested the suspect at his mother's home. He was in bed. Taken to jail, he admitted to John W. Wilson, city-county juvenile counsellor, and to Deputy Sheriff Cap Moore his role in the Worley hijacking, and admitted also that he was the gunman who held up Lowrimore service station at Eighth street and College avenue the night of Feb. 17.

Tech Band To Give Concert Here Today

Matador band of Texas Technological college will present the first in a series of spring concerts this afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Texas Tech gymnasium, according to D. C. Wiley, director of the band. There is no admission charge and the public has been invited to attend.

Program of the band, which has about 80 members, will be: "Valor and Victory," a march by J. DeForest Cline; "Mirella," an overture by Gounod; "Willow Echoes," a concert waltz by Frank Simmons with a solo by Tech's Ted Crager; "Voice of Freedom," a popular classic by Rubeinstein; "Slavonic Rhapsody No. 2," by Friedemann; "March Heroic," a concert march by G. E. Holmes; "The Band that Jack Built," a novelty number by R. B. Hayward; "Bernice," a light composition by Handel; "Ludovic," an overture by F. Herold; and concluding with "Star-Spangled Banner."

This will mark the first public appearance of the band this year.

Flier Killed As He Bails Out Too Low

FORT WORTH, Feb. 26 (AP) — Bailing out of an Army dive bomber at too low an altitude, Lt. Bernard R. Miller, 23, was killed today as the plane crashed on a hillside 6 miles northwest of Fort Worth.

He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Miller, Bethlehem, Pa.

The planet Mercury makes a complete revolution of the sun in 88 days.

Congratulations To:

Mr. and Mrs. Gernie Cooper of Levelland, on birth of a five pound two ounce son at 7:30 o'clock Friday night in Lubbock General hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Marquis of route 5 Lubbock, on birth of a daughter weighing six pounds 13 ounces in St. Mary's hospital at 11:55 o'clock Friday night. The father is a farmer.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Holland, 1623 Seventh street, on birth of a nine pound nine ounce daughter at 2 o'clock Saturday morning in West Texas hospital. The father is a mechanic.

Houston Steel Strike Hearing Held By WLB

HOUSTON, Feb. 26 (AP)—Union officials testifying at a War Labor board hearing today tossed the blame for the work stoppage at the Sheffield Steel plant into the lap of WLB while a company spokesman attributed the shutdown to "the union's dissatisfaction over its failure to get the wages it wanted."

Larry Bench, international representative for the United Steel Workers (CIO) said 1,700 workers walked out under "growing disilusionment while (their) problems were tossed back and forth from the Eighth regional board to the National Labor board.

Attorney George Rice, representing the company, disputed this statement, explaining that the company contends that the work stoppage resulted solely from wage grievances.

Heading the WLB panel was Wales Madden of Amarillo. Other members are Walter Van Wart of Houston, industry member, and R. E. Curtis of Dallas, labor member.

Production Of Vital Armor Plate Halted

DETROIT, Feb. 26 (AP)—Production of armor plate for U. S. Navy landing barges was at a standstill today as 6,000 employes of the Great Lakes Steel Corp. in suburban Ecorse remained idle in a strike that began Friday.

Thomas Shane, district 29 director of the United States Workers of America (CIO), in a statement urged appointment of an impartial umpire to rule on the discharge of an employe, which precipitated the walkout.

At the same time Shane said the major cause of the strike was that for "the last 18 months the men have been working short-handed crews." He said the workers had not been compensated for the extra work.

A corporation spokesman termed Shane's request a "subterfuge" and said that while the union's working contract called for the naming of an umpire when a disagreement occurred, it also required "that this be done without any stoppage of work."

Tension Indicated In Argentine Fuss

MONTEVIDEO, Uruguay, Feb. 26. (AP)—Amid indications of considerable tension in Buenos Aires the government headed by Gen. Edelmiro J. Farrell announced tonight the government of Gen. Diego Luis Mason as acting foreign minister and Gen. Juan Pistarini as acting Navy minister.

The appointment of Pistarini marked the first time in Argentine history that an Army man has taken over the naval portfolio which has always been in the hands of a naval officer. It also was confirmation that Admiral Benito Sueyo had resigned that post when President Pedro Ramirez "delegated presidential power" to Vice-President Farrell Friday.

(In Washington information was received that Gen. Ramirez had resigned under compulsion. This opened up the question of United States recognition of the Buenos Aires regime).

COURT LIGHT FALLS

AUSTIN, Feb. 26. (AP)—The 53rd District courtroom here was a dark and gloomy place yesterday. The huge globe of an overheated chandelier crashed. No one was seated under it.

The safest place to be, accident statiscians report, is in bed.

Former Lubbock Man Takes His Own Life

Paul Reed, 37, who several years ago was connected with the circulation department of the Avalanche-Journal, was found dead early Friday at a rooming house in San Francisco, an Associated Press dispatch from there last night said. He had been working in a San Francisco shipyard.

Deputy Coroner Andrew P. Hasten ,who said gas was found pouring from an unlighted heater in the room, rendered a verdict of suicide, the dispatch said. Found in the room was a note written by Reed to his landlady asking her forgiveness for his act, and a letter addressed to his former wife, Mrs. Myrtis Reed, now a beauty operator here.

The couple had two children, both of whom are with the mother. The body, according to information here, is to be sent to Joplin, Mo., home of Reed's parents, for burial probably Wednesday or Thursday.

Court Test Sought On Soldier Voting

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26. (AP) — A move developed in Congress today to push the constitutionality of federal absentee ballots to a quick Supreme court test in an effort to end the quarrel over voting methods for the armed forces.

Senator Hatch (D-NM) announced that he had conferred with Attorney General Biddle on legislation necessary to bounce a federal ballot bill into the court for a ruling far enough in advance of the election to remove any possible post-election contests of service votes.

He will present the plan Monday to Senate and House colleagues as they begin the third week of their stalemated attempt to find a service voting law that will satisfy both the administration's federal ballot advocates and the "states rights" forces.

Funeral Set Today For Seagraves Man

SEMINOLE, Feb. 26 (Special) — Funeral services will be held Sunday at 4 o'clock in the First Methodist church here for A. L. Hill, 61, who died Friday afternoon in a Gaines county hospital. He had been a resident of Gaines county since 1917. Rev. Ed Tharpe, pastor, will officiate, assisted by Rev. R. P. Kelly, Rev. Lyn Lemon, and H. B. Stubblefield. Burial will be in Seminole cemetery with Singleton Funeral home directing.

Survivors include the wife, two sons, Gordon in the Navy at San Diego, and Everett, of Flippen, Ark.; a daughter, Mrs. C. T. Wescott of Seminole; the mother, Mrs. R. C. Riley of Seminole; four brothers, Elmer and Lester of Eunice, N. M., Edgar of Childress and Lonnie of Seminole; two sisters, Mrs. Lola May of Abilene, and Mrs. Gene Dalmont of Hobbs, N. M.; and five grandchildren.

1,568 TRUCKS RELEASED

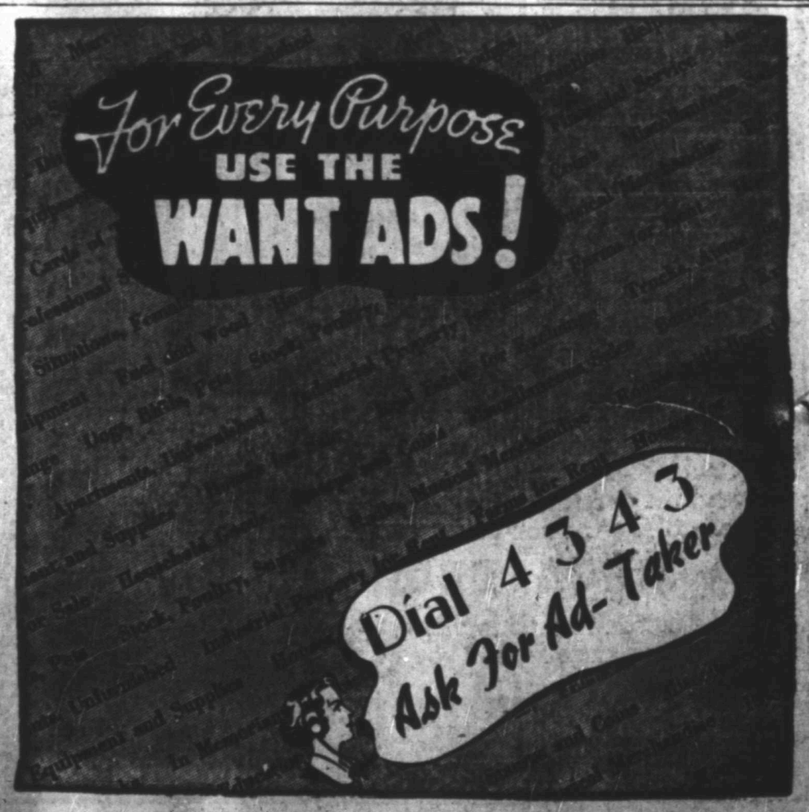
WASHINGTON, Feb. 26. (AP)— The War Production board announced today that 1,568 vehicles were released to civilian users and holders of government exemption permits under the truck rationing program between Feb. 13 and 19. They included 258 light, 680 medium, and 267 heavy trucks, in addition to 343 trailers and 20 three-axle attachments.

NAZIS TO WITHDRAW?

NEW YORK, Feb. 26. (AP)—The Nazi-controlled Tirana radio, in a broadcast reported today by U. S. government monitors, said that Qasim Mulleti, described as the new perfect of the Albanian capital, had told a meeting that the Germans might withdraw their forces from Albania for "military reasons."

There are about 15 species of rattlesnake.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Avalanche-Journal Publishing Company has been authorized to present the names of the following citizens as Candidates for office subject to the action of the Democratic Voters at their election on Saturday, July 22, 1944.

FOR CONGRESS
19th Congressional Dist.
George Mahon, Re-Election
C. L. Harris

FOR DISTRICT JUDGE
72nd Judicial District
Lubbock, Crosby, Hockley, Cochran
Dan Blair, re-election

FOR DISTRICT JUDGE
99th Judicial District
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FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY
72nd Judicial District
Burton S. Burks, re-election

FOR DIST COURTS CLERK
Mrs. Royal Furgeson

FOR SHERIFF
Grady Harrist
J. Floyd Richardson
Charles D. Yates
Cap Moore

FOR TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR
H. B. Bryan, re-election
Newton Stokes

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY
Syrian E. Marbut

FOR COUNTY JUDGE
Walter Davies
George S. Bond

FOR COUNTY CLERK
Ed D. Allen, re-election

FOR COUNTY TREASURER
Winnie Coleman, re-election

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER
PRECINCT 1
Barrett Penney, re-election
Tom French
PRECINCT 2
Ben Mansker, re-election
PRECINCT 3
T. L. Holt, re-election
PRECINCT 4
E. L. Corley
V. J. Farris
P. O. Brock
E. E. (Beefy) Ireland

FOR JUSTICE OF PEACE
PRECINCT 1, PLACE 1
D. W. Robertson
C. E. Love
J. B. Walker
PRECINCT 1, PLACE 2
C. E. Lynn
W. H. Foster

1—Lodges and Societies

Yellowhouse Lodge No. 642 A. F. & A. M. Stated Communications 1st Fri each month. R. Burl Ham, W. M. H. J. McClellan, Secy.

Lubbock Chapter No. 888 Stated Convocation 2nd Friday. W. Guy Casey, H. P. H. J. McClellan, Secy. Mast and Most Excellent degrees, 6 candidates, Tuesday 7:30 p. m.

Lubbock Commandery No. 60 Stated Conclave 2nd Monday. JAMES D. SHAW, Com. H. J. McCLELLAN, Rec. Order of Temple, 7 candidates, Monday 28th, Supper 7 p. m.

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2-A—Monuments



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3—Lost and Found

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LOST: Short coat and yellow head scarf. Dial 3-3552

LOST: Ration book No. 3, Patricia Ann Pruitt. 717-17th.

LOST: Ration book No. 3, Frank Longoria. 1304 1st.

LOST: Baby Brownie 620 camera in Wylie's Drug store. Reward. Dial 9786.

IF THE party working for Mr. ..... who took the 12-ton Walker Jack Tues noon from the Scales Implement Co. shop will return same within 5 days and pay for this ad, there will be no charges filed.

LOST: Grey Schaffer lifetime, Mrs. O. Room No. 6. Dial 3649.

LOST: Ration book No. 4, Betty Su Walker, 2015-17th.

LOST: Gasoline "A" book and time inspection record, Rafael A. Domingues, Route 5.

LOST: Small white female fox terrier. Black ears, black spot on back, bobbed tail. Dial 7389.

LOST: Three No. 4 ration books, Laveta Sandra, Elmer Phillips, Route 1, Lubbock.

4—Personal Notices

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4-A—Card of Thanks

CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank the many friends and relatives for their support during the illness and death of our dear wife and mother. Also Rev. Bickley for his comforting words, Sanders' Funeral home for their courtesy, the quartet, the ones who sent flowers and Drs. Lattimore and Stewart for their services.

May God's richest blessings be with all of you is our prayer.

T. C. CADDICK AND CHILDREN

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We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy shown us in the death and loss of our mother and sister, and to express our appreciation to Sander's Funeral home. May God's richest blessing abide with you all is our prayer.

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Any make in any condition
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HEARING aid batteries. Both "A" and "B" for all makes. Using standard connections. Fresh stock.
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Fertilizer, dirt, caliche and rubbish
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6—Beauty Parlors

LOUDEN BEAUTY SHOP
Now Open At 1707-14th
Special prices on all work for two weeks.
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SPECIALS
$5 Oil Permanent $3.50
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WE FEATURE COLD WAVES
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With steam baths and massage. Free facial with each bath, at the—
BEAUTY AIRE SALON
1112 Ave. H

7—Business Opportunities

FOR RENT: Cafe and living quarters. 218 North H.

8—Beauty Parlors

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Cora Lee Carter, formerly with Lee Beauty Shop, is now a member of our staff of operators.
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Merele Norman cosmetics. Free demonstrations. For appointment Dial 7321.

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SMALL stock fresh groceries, all fixtures, sell, building to lease, living quarters, garage in rear. Good location. Must sell on account of health. O. P. East Food Store, 830-16th. Dial 4016.

BEAUTY SHOP for sale. Dial 3-3646.

9—Business Wanted

WANTED TO BUY YOUR BUSINESS
DIAL 4640

WANTED
To buy a business or interest in business. Would assume management if desired. Preferably Lubbock or surrounding territory.
BOX 57
AVALANCHE

10-B—Professional Service

LUBBOCK PUBLIC STENOGRAPHER SERVICE
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Income Tax, Stenographic Service, Mimeographing
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Dial 3682

NEW LOCATION
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The exercycle machine and the electric belt vibrator for reducing quickly.
Special treatments for rheumatism, nervousness, and tired muscles.
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WANTED, MAN UNDER 35
To work in classified adv. dept. Mostly outside work. Good working conditions $25 per week to start. Opportunity for advancement. If interested call, wire, write or apply in person to Classified Manager, Avalanche-Journal Publishing Co.

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On established, good paying routes. One rural route, 2 routes in Lubbock, one in Levelland, one in Slaton, one in Tahoka. Age no objection. Experience not necessary. Our men regardless of age are making up to $300 per month. This is permanent work now and will be permanent after the war. Apply before 9 a. m. or Dial 6812. J. R. Watkins Products. 2103-19th.

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A five day week on well established retail coffee and grocery route. Good salary plus liberal commissions, plus extra pay for new business. Car furnished, operating expenses paid.
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Steady workers guaranteed $21.00 a week
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13—Help Wanted, Male

WANTED: Experienced wool presser, also cleaners helper, Allen Cleaners. 1020-19th.

ICE SALESMAN at once. Year-around job for right man. 1014 19th.

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Age 21 to 45 years.
See Youngblood at—
CITY BUS CO.
1101 Ave. J

WANTED
TRUCK DRIVER AND YARD MAN
With lumber yard experience. Apply in own hand-writing giving draft status.
BOX 35
Avalanche-Journal

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MEN OR BOYS
Plenty of bowlers, you can make good money. Regular full-time boys last week averaged over $30. Can use school boys.
LUBBOCK BOWLING CLUB
1113 Main St.

WANTED
Experienced man bookkeeper, draft exempt. Work in Lubbock. Apply in own handwriting, giving age, experience, and salary expected in application.
BOX 32—AVALANCHE

WANTED
Experienced cleaner, draft exempt or Cleaner's helpers. Would consider woman or boy.
CORCORRAN'S TAILORS & CLOTHIERS
1216 Texas

BUTCHER WANTED: Guaranteed $45.00 a week. High class community trade. Box 35, Avalanche.

BOOKKEEPER WANTED
FOR FORD DEALERSHIP IN WEST TEXAS OIL FIELD COUNTY SEAT TOWN
This is a very responsible position and the party selected must come highly recommended, and be able to handle every phase of the office.
THIS PLACE CARRIES GOOD SALARY, AND SHOULD BE IDEAL CONNECTION AFTER WAR
Furnish full details in own handwriting
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MEN WANTED
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DIAL 8761 216-AVENUE O

BOYS to drag greens. Apply immediately to Cunnyngham's Amusement Park. 1619 College Ave.

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LaPore High school, Gray county, Texas, needs Social Science, Coach and Boys P. E., Math or Science, and Arithmetic in grades seven and eight. Minimum salary $1350.67 for bachelor degree and no experience. Salary increases for previous experience and more education. Contact—
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Immediately

WANTED: Family for general farm work, white or colored. O. E. Copeland, 3 mi. east Slide.

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WANTED
Man for high school principal in twenty-three-teacher system. Maximum salary $185.00 per month. Can use wife in grade school. Phone or write Supt. Aspermont High School, Aspermont, Texas.

13-A—Help Wanted, Female

WANTED AT ONCE
Attractive lady for assistant to magician with high class attraction, playing schools, colleges, Gov. camps, civic clubs, etc.
Work very fascinating, no experience necessary. Salary and expenses. Free to travel this and adjacent territory.
WRITE ALL
BOX 14—AVALANCHE

HELP WANTED
Experienced laundry help wanted immediately. Apply in person.
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WANTED
A STUDENT LABORATORY TECHNICIAN
We have an opening for a young lady who would be interested in working in our medical laboratory as a student. This course of study would require one year to complete. We pay a small salary while you are in training. We prefer someone who has had some college work and she must be able to use the typewriter. If interested, please call—
MR. HUNT
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WANTED: Lady to stay with lady in day time while man works. Dial 9280.

WANTED: Woman to stay with patient daytimes and fix meals. Dial 8804, between 10 a. m. and 12 or 5 p. m. to 6 p. m.

WANTED: Cook also waitress. Earl's Drive-In. 1631 College.

WANTED: Cafe helper-middleaged lady; room, board and $5.00 a day for right party. Mich's Cafe. Dial 6897, nights.

13-A—Help Wanted, Female

WANTED: Couple over 45, woman for house work, man must be able to drive tractor. William Fritz, 5th house on Buffalo Lakes road. Dial 3-3882.

MAIDS wanted. Hotel Lubbock.

LADY silk finisher or silk blocker. Wilson Cleaners, 1411-Ave. Q.

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WANTED
WOMEN AND GIRLS FOR EGG BREAKING AND POULTRY DRESSING WORK
Apply In Person
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506 AVE. H.

WANTED: Experienced middleaged lady as housekeeper and asst. manager for 30-room hotel doing good business. Living quarters, salary and commission. Give reference and experience. Box 30, Avalanche.

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BOX 29—AVALANCHE

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2 WHITE table-top gas ranges. New platform rockers with springs, $24.50; baby bed with springs. Bain Brothers. 1617-19th.

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Livingroom furniture including Krehbiel divan with new slip-covers, platform rocker, secretary desk. Excellent condition, 12x14 carpet rug, size mat, cabinet radio. Must be sold by Monday.
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LIVING ROOM SUITE
Extra nice with springs in A-1 condition. Also wool rug and innerspring mattress. Sunday or Monday at east apartment.
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Gas range and heater, shown by appointment only.
BOX 39—AVALANCHE

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19—Livestock For Sale

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19-A—Poultry & Supplies

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Heading These Matings Are
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These Prices to Farmers Only
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19-A—Poultry & Supplies

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20-A—Radios

HAVING RADIO TROUBLE?
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21—Miscellaneous For Sale

300 BUSHELS D. P. and L. No. 12 cotton seed, $2.00 per bushels at my farm, eight miles south of Lubbock. Seed double culled and tested and are of high germination. H. B. Davis, Box 1530, Dial 3-1604, Lubbock.

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16 FT. MAINLINE trailer house, 1942 model, good condition, good price if sold at once. 2301 Ave. H. Phone 2-3417.

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OVER 100 TONS OF STATE TESTED MARTEN MAIZE SEED
That was irrigated and kept clean, for sale by—
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1937 CHEVROLET town sedan, good tires, radio, heater, Universal vacuum cleaner, 22 slide action repeater rifle, 12 guage model 12 Winchester, Westinghouse twin waffle iron, living room suite, bed feature, wool rug and pad. 1618-10th.

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21—Miscellaneous For Sale

NEW AND REBUILT 1 Qt. FIRE EXTINGUISHERS
Protect your car from fire. Recharges and repairs, all type extinguishers.
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FOR SALE
Dry cleaning equipment, press, 4 h. p. boiler, washer-extractor, Singer machine, miscellaneous press shop equipment. Dial 9797, after 6 p. m.

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50,000 FEET wire for telephones, signal, bells, burglar alarm, or inter-communication system. Sample free. 310 S. Carroll, Dallas, Tex. T-2403.

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GIRL'S PRE-WAR bicycle, good condition, reasonable. 2413-25th.

FOR SALE
Commercial frozen food cabinet. Ideal for home use.
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TABLE-TOP gas range, practically new. W. S. Jasper, 3 mi. south of Slide.

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R. C. A. COMBINATION radio and record player, practically new. South Plains Music Co.

FACTORY-BUILT trailer house, butane cook stove and bottle, 2 innerspring mattresses, inlaid linoleum. Levelland Trailer Camp.

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A-1 condition, new barrell, new working parts—
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2702-30TH
DIAL 8482

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320-Acre Irrigated Farm
TO SELL AT
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6½ mi. s. w. Hereford, Texas, Tues., Feb. 29, starts 12 sharp, 200 acres cultivation, 30 acres alfalfa, 5-room modern home with basement. Has 1000-gal-per-minute irrigation well, elec. motor. Perfectly level, one of best farms in Panhandle. On good roads, mail route, school bus, REA lines, telephone. Mineral rights go with farm. Terms if arranged in advance.

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For any American made watch or any standard Swiss brand.
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Your old newspapers and magazines for national defense.
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WANTED: Used piano bench. Dial 7314.

NEED BEDROOM SUITE AND DINING ROOM SUITE BY MARCH 1
DIAL 9726

WANTED: Baby buggy. Dial 2-3847.

24—Furn. Houses For Rent

2-ROOM fur. house with bath, couple only. 1815 Ave. F.

24-A—Unfurn. Houses

3-ROOM house, $17.50 mo. Clyde C. Jones agency. Dial 8261.

25—Bedrooms For Rent

MODERN—BEDROOMS real close in 1304 Ave. L. Dial 2-1581

BEDROOMS: Three blocks north Lubbock hotel, prices reasonable. 809 Ave. K.

BEDROOM, private entrance, private bath. 1701 32nd.

JUST VACATED, large, nicely furnished, outside entrance, workers, busline. 2401-21st. Dial 4255.

BEDROOM, outside entrance, adjoining bath, on busline. 1914 16th.

BEDROOM for rent. Dial 8261.

ROOM, kitchen privileges, private breakfast nook, adjoining bath. 1917-13th.

VACANT March 1, outside entrance, newly furnished. Working girl, bus line. Dial 5857. 2426-27th.

ROOM and board. 2116-13th. Dial 2-2397.

NICE bedroom, adjoining bath, private entrance, bus line. 2318-10th.

BEDROOM for rent, men preferred. 2206 29th.

LARGE, well furnished, private entrance, adjoining bath. 2413 21st. Dial 5130.

NICE BEDROOM with outside entrance. 1908-Main.

NICELY furnished bedroom, adjoining bath, front entrance, adults. 2016 Broadway.

SOUTH front room, cooking privileges, to quiet couple. 1626-13th.

NICE bedroom, private entrance, busline. 2009-28th. Dial 5730.

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FOR RENT: Nice room to Christian young lady. Dial 2-2054.

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26—Furnished Apts.

MODERN ROOMS AND APARTMENTS
18 blocks east of courthouse. East Broadway Courts.
DIAL 2-9876

NICE rooms and apartments. Private bath, garage, telephone, busline. Coffman Courts. Dial 7512.

TWO SPACES for trailer houses, 2201 Ave. H. Phone 2-3417.

GARAGE apartment, partly furnished or unfurnished. Bills paid. Dial 8987.

HALF OF $35.00 apt., to girl. Dial 8629.

GARAGE apt., for rent, all bills paid. Dial 2-3140.

ONE-ROOM garage apartment, single or couple only. 2201-26th.

SMALL, garage apt. to couple in return for wife's services. Dial 4975.

26-A—Unfurn. Apts.

2-ROOM unfurnished apt., bills paid. Call after 5 p. m. 1624-5th.

27—Want Rms. Apts. Houses

ARMY couple, wants 2-bedroom fur. house. Dial 2-1390.

WANTED fur. house, large apt. No pets, no children. Reference. Dial 4817.

ARMY officer, wife and one child must have fur. apt. Dial 2-9132.

QUIET middle-aged civilian couple, no pets, parties or children, want 2 or 3 room furnished apt. or house, at once. Box 27, Avalanche.

WANTED furn. or unfurn house or apt. Will pay 3-mo. rent in advance. Dial 4382.

5 or 6 room house or smaller, permanent, would lease. 2117 9th. Dial 2-2346.

OFFICER and wife desire furnished house, apt., or will share home. Dial 5663.

ARMY officer and family desire 3 to 5 room furnished house or apt. Dial 4178

WANTED: House or apt., partly or completely furnished, civilian couple. Permanent. 501 Hilton hotel.

WANTED
Refined couple who will be permanent residents of Lubbock desire to rent, lease, or purchase if price is attractive 3-bedroom home in desirable location.
ROOM 420, LUBBOCK HOTEL

EX-SERVICE man desires unfurnished 3-room house or apartment. Permanent couple. Dial 6707.

27-A—Farms For Rent

FARM FOR RENT
Lubbock county, impr. 100-acre farm for rent or lease.
Tech Garden acreage tracts, priced to sell quick—
$15 CASH—$10 MO.
HOGAN & COMPANY
1114 Texas Ave. Pho. 6872 or 7182

27-B—Farms Wanted

WANTED 160, 320 acres. Buy equipment. Hall Burton, Ropesville, Route 1.

WANTED to rent farm, from 80 to 320 A. Will buy equipment. E. M. Willbanks, Hurlwood, Texas, Gen. Del.

WANT place on halves or one-third and one-fourth. L. R. Hogan, Lubbock, Route 2.

29—Houses For Sale

5-room frame, located in Green Acres, $3700 loan, and possession given the first of March. Price $6,000.00.
8 acres with nice residence. Two miles from town. To trade for home in Lubbock. One-half section 10 miles from Lubbock. Modern home. Lights and natural gas. Price $85 per acre.
Several small houses that can be handled with down payments ranging from $300 to $1000. Balance monthly.
Four room house one-half block off Tahoka highway, $2500 with $1000 cash.
Nice brick home on 9th street. Price $6,000.
Forty-five acres on pavement, some improvements. Price $5,000.
J. M. TAYLOR & ALBERT McINROE
—WITH—
J. M. McKELVY REAL ESTATE
1007-13th Street Dial 4232-4212

MUST sell going to the army. One 3-room house and one 2-room house and lots equipped with chicken houses, lights, water and butane. 106 East 33rd. Dial 2-2740.

29—Houses For Sale

INVESTMENT, 4 unit brick apt. house well located, $175.00 per mo. revenue; only $15,000. on good terms.
Well arranged Duplex close in only $5,-000. ½ cash to handle.
Extra nice 5 rm. brick, $6,500.
Extra nice suburban home, 5 large rms., bath, B. nook, glassed in porch, floor furnace, electric water system, chicken and cow sheds, nice shrubbery, on 68 ft. front by 320 ft. deep, priced to sell.
Several F.H.A. homes, immediate possession.
C. L. DICKSON AGENCY
1011 Main St.
Dial 7302 or 8943 or 2-3556

2406 - 32nd
FIVE ROOM F. H. A. HOUSE
COMPLETELY FURNISHED. ASBESTOS SIDING, SHEET ROCK WALLS, FURNACE HEAT. 60-FOOT LOT. BACK YARD FENCED. OPEN FOR INSPECTION AFTER 2 P. M. SUNDAY.
DIAL 7507

BARGAINS BY OWNER
3-room, well, pressure pump, butane, chicken houses and lots, ¾ acre. Payment $1200.00, vacant, reconditioned.
7-room, modern, 2 lots, payment, $1500.00
5-room, modern, reconditioned. Payment $1500.00.
3 two-room houses. Payment $1100.00.
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Tourist camp in Carlsbad, New Mex. Also 5 modern residences in Artesia, New Mex. Apartment house and grocery store and fixtures in Roswell, New Mex.
Trailer houses, 15-acre farm in town of Slaton.
Write or See—
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HOMES FOR SALE
6 Room brick, 2 lots, on corner both Sts. paved, 5 rooms strictly modern. Green acres, vacant, sign contract move in, 3 room house, 2 lots out side city, real buy party called to service. We have some apartment buildings, paying good revenue. Dial 5332.
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BARGAINS
4-room efficiency house, built in 1942. $4750. $2300 will handle; 15-room brick, income property, $12,500, $4500 will handle Also a 640 and 320 acre farm priced to sell.
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Office 2-2891 Res 7863

FOR SALE at 1915-23rd St., four-bedroom house, immediate possession. Some furniture, dishes, kitchen utilities, gas range, yard equipment. Mrs. M. M. Reinhold.

ATTRACTIVE SIX ROOM HOME
In O'Neal Terrace. NEW. 70 ft. frontage. Modern in every way. Servant's room Owner leaving city. $9500.00.

BUSINESS CORNER WITH HOME
In down-town Lubbock. A choice and valuable corner that will appeal to the man desiring to make a real investment. Improvements consist of one of the best large 7-room, two-bath, homes in Lubbock, with modern central heating plant in basement. Servants quarters, also two-room and bath apartment. Partly carpeted. May be used as home or converted into three nice apartments. Very best condition. $25,000.00.

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COMPLETELY FURNISHED
A spacious three bedroom beautifully furnished with expensive furniture, Roper range, and Norge refrigerator. 75 ft. north frontage on pavement in Southwest Lubbock. Very best construction. $11,800.00 completely furnished.

FIVE ROOMS POSSESSION
A nice 5-room cottage "brand new" in southwest Lubbock near Roscoe Wilson school, on pavement, modern in every way. Furnace heat. Abundance of closet space. IMMEDIATE POSSESSION, $6650.00.

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LOVELY 9-room home on Broadway, 3 baths, suitable for rooming house, funeral home, or entertainment. Box 40, Avalanche.

29—Houses For Sale

THREE BEDROOMS
Lovely three-bedroom F. H. A. home for sale by owner. Paved street, corner lot. If you are looking for a home that is really roomy, well arranged, with big closets, perfect condition, see this one. Or course it has Venetian blinds throughout, floor furnace and is insulated. Priced at $6,-950.00.
DIAL 7167

STANDARD ABSTRACT COMPANY
1220 Texas Avenue
GEO. W. BREWER, Manager
Abstracts and Title Insurance

BEAUTIFUL HOME BY OWNER
Only $1900.00 down, well landscaped yard, monthly payments only $34.38. Owner leaving town. Imagine we could work out a deal if buyer wants to purchase a home worth the money. You may come and look through anytime after 10:00 a. m.
OWNER LIVES AT PLACE
2515 - 29th ST.

5-ROOM frame, 1811 14th, $5,250.00; 7-room, close in on Ave. M; 5-room modern, 1 acre land, plenty outbuildings, electric pump and butane, trade for home near schools.
CARL SCOGGIN—ANSEL HINES
Room No. 3, Weaver Bldg. Dial 8481

ATTRACTIVE FIVE ROOMS
This 5-room frame cottage, on 22nd street, is an excellent value. FHA construction. Hardwood floors; Venetian blinds; floor furnace. Backyard fenced. Extra large living room. In fine neighborhood. $6,750.00. We have sold owner a larger home and can give possession around March 1st. NOT FOR RENT. Shown by appointment.
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230 Lubbock National Bank Building
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2-BEDROOM home, north front, paved street, furnace heat, in south Lubbock, possession at once, $4500.00.
6-room home of brick construction, furnished, 27th St., possession soon, $7500.00. One of the best 200-acre farms in Lubbock county, irrigation well, a real modern home, on paved highway, near Lubbock, $150.00 per acre.
J. P. BOYD
1114 Texas Ave. Dial 3601; Res. 6562

FOR SALE BY OWNER
One 5-room modern house, breakfast nook, modern heating system, outbuildings and 3½ acres of land. One 5-room house, tile bath, garage, laundry, and chicken house, 3½ acres land.
DAIL 2-3701

WANT TO BUY
Five-room FHA house from owner in southwest Lubbock. Have $1800 cash for own payment.
DIAL 2-2498

3-ROOM residence at 2710 Ave. B. Will complete, $2,000.00.
2-room, 1019 Ave. B, $1250.00.
5-room, 914-3rd, $2750.00.
J. J. DILLARD
Dial 6842 office: Dial 5894 Res.

HOUSE and lot for sale. 2718-1st. Refer to Gideon Grocery.

TWO-ROOM house for sale, Arnett-Benson addition. Lights, water, gas, busline, vacant. Dial 2126, after 5 p. m.

6 ROOMS
WITH 2 ROOMS IN REAR. RENTS $67.50 MONTH. $2500.00.
OSCAR KILLIAN
2113-22nd Dial 8114
913-13th Dial 2-1722

SIX-ROOM house, 45 acres land, one mile good town, 28 A. cultivation, all for $3,000.

Five room FHA home $5500.00 well located $2300.00 loan, bal. cash.

Six room brick residence, well located 3 bedrooms. Sale at bargain.
L. H. REDWINE
Phone 3-1316 1316 Texas Ave.

SPECIAL
5 Room modern, with own water, and one A. you would like this, 5-R. FHA on 24th. Buy and move in. 262 A. east of town, and modern home, with irrigation.
J. E. SHEWBERT
2223. Phone 9704

FOR SALE
Only $1795.00 down, $34.00 per month buys extra nice 5 large rooms; floor furnace, yard fenced, asbestos siding. Price all other houses in neighborhood and see how this one compares at $5575.00. Will trade my equity for anything of value. Owner, 2706 30th St.
DIAL 9950 RES: 9672 OFFICE

3-ROOMS AND BATH
Fenced back yard, near Tech College, $2750.00, $750.00 cash, balance $35 mo.
OSCAR KILLIAN
2113 22nd Res. 8114
913-13th Dial 2-1722

WANTED TO BUY
Well located 5 or 6 room house for myself.
DIAL 6858

HOMES AND INCOME PROPERTY
Five-room F. H. A., newly redecorated. Priced for quick sale, immediate possession.
Six-room home, 2 baths, double garage, located near Senior high school. Would consider taking in good 4 or 5 room F. H. A. home as part payment. Could be used as duplex.
Beautifully furnished duplex, carpeting, insulated, double garage.
Extra nice apt. house, 7 units and brick home near business section. Both for $35,000.00 furnished or $30,000.00 unfurnished.
MRS. FERN CONE
DIAL 9738

FOR SALE by owner, 3-room house, bath, large closets, 2 lots, pressure pump, butane system, chicken pen and house, out of city limits, Shorty Parr, Morrow Drive, out East Broadway.

FOR SALE: By out-of-town owner, brick home, two rental units in rear, paved street, corner lot. Dial 6196.

29—Houses For Sale

HOUSES FOR SALE
5-room modern, located on paved street, walking distance of town and schools. This place is a bargain at $4250.00. Possession.
7-room brick and stucco, with basement, located walking distance of town. This is a big house and affords a splendid opportunity to any one for a rooming and boarding house or either one. Priced to sell.
3-room house, lot 100x140 ft., fruit trees, chicken house for 200 hens, butane, lights, pressure pump, located on E. Broadway, for only $2400.00.
5 acres, 3-room house with basement, bedroom above and below, lights, good barn, large chicken house with brooder, shower and comode, the entire 5 acres fenced. Also has a new smokehouse. All for $4500.00.
5-room modern frame, nice yard, back yard fenced, large rooms, nice bath, venetian blinds, located S. of high school on pavement. A good buy at $3750.00.
RALEIGH MARTIN
Office Phone 7181
Salesman O. H. Biggs, Res. Phone 8413
T. E. Dikes, Res. Phone 4302

3-ROOM modern house, modern garage apartment, double garage, near Dupre and high school. 4 years old, $7750.00.
OSCAR KILLIAN
2113-22nd Res. 8114
913-13th Dial 2-1722

INCOME property, close in on 6th street, modern 6-room house with modern 3-room house on back of lot, for quick sale. Price $4750.00.
3-bedroom F. H. A., well located near Geo. R. Bean school, this little home is in A-1 condition, listed for a few days at $4500.00. Possession.
SIGN CONTRACT AND MOVE IN, 2-bedroom F. H. A., well located on 2200 block on 29th street.
VACANT NOW, F. H. A. located near Roscoe Wilson. This home is in A-1 condition, $2200.00 will handle.
2-bedroom F. H. A., well located on Ave. K, $2,000.00 will handle.
177 acres good land west of Lubbock, one 6-room house, one 2-room house, other out buildings, pressure pump. R. E. A. Minerals intact. Price $70.00 per A.
3-bedroom home, located on 20th, west of College Ave. Wall-to-wall carpeting, beautiful drapes, furnace heat, bath and half. You will have to see this beautiful home to appreciate it. Price $14,000.00. Shown by appointment.
J. B. McPHERSON
—with—
CLYDE C. JONES AGENCY
301 Citizens National Bank Bldg.
Dial 8261; Res. 2-1376
Member of the Local, State and National Real Estate Boards

HOMES TO SELL
3-room home in 2300 block on 28th street on bus line; 2 large bedrooms; floor furnace; garage and servant quarters. Owner says sell at once.

5-room home completely furnished; possession at once. A real buy.

5-room homes in Green Acres addition, near Wilson school; pleasing designs and net arrangements; POSSESSION on signing the contract; will show you these houses any time of day—call us.

BROCK-HESS COMPANY
REALTORS
1009 Texas Avenue
8838, If No Answer Dial 2-3229

NICE new 5-room house and garage, located in southwest Lubbock, floor furnace and all modern built-in features. A real nice home, priced to sell, $3775.00 loan paid $38.34 month, a reasonable cash payment will handle this place. Can give possession at once.
F. E. DUNCAN
214 Conley Building
Dial Office 6781; Residence Dial 6810

HOME BARGAINS
Beautiful brick veneer, all large rooms, on corner lot, a bargain at $8,000.00; nice 6-room brick on 16th St., best location, only $7500.00; beautiful ranch-style home on 100-foot corner in S. W. Lubbock, only $12,000.00

29—Houses For Sale

INDIVIDUAL will pay cash for three to five room house North of Fifteenth and East of Avenue S on pavement. Write P. O. Box 1591 giving price and location.

FIVE-ROOM house for sale. 2705 30th. Original owner.

WANTED to buy good house in southwest Lubbock. Dial 7067.

4-ROOM house and bath, see owner. 1311 26th.

Three room house, ½ acre, pressure pump. $1800.00; $400.00 cash, balance monthly. Apply Second station South Orphans home Tahoka Highway.

BY OWNER: 3-room house, 2 lots. 2721 Ruby St.

LARGE brick veneer duplex, near schools, south of 10th. Possession. Shown by appointment only. Dial 4978.

BRICK veneer, corner lot on pavement, 6 rooms, bath and basement, hardwood floors. $5,000.00. Dial Owner, 7388.

FOR SALE
MY HOME — 2318-28th

First class condition, insulated, two bedrooms, fenced-in back yard. Nice room on garage.

DIAL 7566

TWO STORY BRICK VENEER
8 rooms and bath, 2-car garage, situated on 2 lots (100'x140') corner, well located in O'Neall Terrace, clear of debt. Priced for quick sale at $10,000.00.

SOUTH OF HIGH SCHOOL
On 28th street is 5-room efficiency, hot very old, on 60' lot. Price $3750.00, possession immediately on closing of deal.

NON-RESIDENT
Says sell attractive 5-room frame residence, located on 28th street, south of Tech, practically new, $3300.00 FHA loan, payable $28.56 a month. Price $5500.00.

2½ ACRES
Close in on old Tahoka highway, on gas and light lines, irrigation plant and garage, price low for quick sale, terms.

IN SOUTHWEST LUBBOCK
Practically new, spacious living room and dining room combination, sun room, large kitchen with attractive breakfast nook, bedroom and bath down stairs. Master bedroom and two other large bedrooms with large bath upstairs, two-car garage and servants quarters, situated on well located well landscaped 75' front on paved street. Price $20,000.00, terms.

GOOD 320 ACRES
Practically all in cultivation, good five-room residence, good orchs and barn, all minerals intact, rented for 1944, price low for cash, good Lubbock property n exhange.

Casey-Delaney Co.
(L. D. CASEY-H. D. DELANEY)
Insurance, Loans, Real Estate
1620 Broadway Dial 9383-9384
Member of Local, State and National Real Estate Boards

160 ACRES

4 miles south of Lubbock with six-room house, ½ mile from Tahoka highway. Price $110.00 per acre.
IMMEDIATE POSSESSION

C. S. AMEEN
Dial Office 7456. Residence 6604

FOR SALE
FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED

ON 22ND STREET JUST OFF OF AVE. S

5-room frame, all large rooms, very modern, two floor furnaces, an unusual amount of closet space, large lot, nice garage apartment. The owner is in the Navy and requests a quick sale, furnished or unfurnished. Call us for an appointment.

SOUTHWEST LUBBOCK

Nice modern 5-room home, full size dining room. 60 ft. lot. The owner is being drafted and offers this home worth the money. See us today.

W. R. FAUBION
McFARLAND-MAISEN
Dial 4651 or 6149 — 1107 Main St.

BUY A HOME AND SAVE RENT

5-room house, floor furnace, 2 years old. Price $5600.00, down payment $1950.00, balance FHA loan. Shown by appointment only.

5 [illegible], asbestos siding, floor furnace, looks like new, price with furniture, $7750.00. This is a nice home. Shown by appointment only.

5 rooms, near school, 3800 block on 22rd. Possession soon. $6900.00.

3-bedroom frame, furnace heat, on 22nd street, $5850.00.

5-room brick veneer, 22nd street, $7950.00. Good location.

5-room brick veneer, worth the money, needs redecorating inside, $4200.00.

Place your listings with us.

C. S. AMEEN
Dial Office 7456 Residence 6604
Member of Local, Texas and National Real Estate Board.

30—Lots For Sale

LOTS FOR SALE: 54x300, on Ave. J, 5 lots on Ave. N. Geo. Knoles, one mi. south courthouse.

31—Farms & Land For Sale

FIVE ACRES

Located on best part Levelland Highway. Price $2800.

THORD DOCKRAY
Office 2-3401 1011-Ave. J Res. 4696

16 sections, good small improvements, well watered, 1 section in cultivation, 75 per cent tillable, cat claw mesquite with small amount of shinnery, on paved highway, 7 miles from County Seat town, no minerals, possession of farm land immediately, possession of grass land within 60 days. Price $9.00 per acre cash. This is one of the best buys we have to offer in West Texas.

320 acres near Lubbock, well improved, REA, natural gas, immediate possession, price $85.00 per acre.

W. G. BRILEY REAL ESTATE
Member Lubbock Real Estate Board
304 Conley Bldg. P. O. Box 321
Phone 5411: Res. Ph. 2-3972

4 labors imp. good red cat-claw land priced to sell and will give $20 per acre for lease on it for 1944.

6 sec. owned, 4 sec. leased. Priced to sell south of Portales, N. M.

We have several nice residences for sale. We will appreciate your listings.

HOLT LAND COMPANY
1106 Texas Dial 6011

31—Farms & Land For Sale

560 acres with good house, REA, fair outbuildings, good well and mill, 500 acres in cultivation, 60 acres in grass, small lake in pasture, the only lake on this farm. Price $65.00 per acre; refined for 1944.

320 acres with good improvements, well located, within 10 miles of Lubbock, ¼ royalty interest go with farm, not leased, possession, price $75.00 per acre.

We have several other farms from 160 to 400 acre tracts. Prices range from $42.50 to $70.00 per acre, immediate possession.

GEO. & WINTER KNIGHT
W. G. BRILEY, REAL ESTATE
304 Conley Bldg. P. O. Box 321
Ph. 5411: Res. Ph. 5809

CROSBY COUNTY

320 acres of mesquite land, 90 A. in cultivation, fenced but has no house. Spring water, ⅛ mineral reserved. $22.50 per acre. $1500.00 cash, bal. 20 years and 4 per cent or trade for acreage or lots at Lubbock.

OSCAR KILLIAN
913-12th Dial 2-1722

TWO ACRES
Two acres land, house, blacksmith shop, 100 ft. chicken house, pressure water system, R. E. A.
W. J. SHIRLEY
6 miles east Levelland

DEAF SMITH COUNTY

640 acres, all in cultivation, one-half minerals go. $17.50 per acre. Cash.
640 acres, 320 in cultivation, balance in grass, ½ minerals go. $15.00 per acre. Cash.

GAMBLE REALTY COMPANY
303 Lubbock National Building
(Exclusive Agents)

STORE, filling station, living apt. and cabins on pavement near Lubbock, located on 3-acre tract, ½ of which grew $1,000.00 worth of potatoes last year. Priced at $7,000.00.

320 acres with natural gas, electricity and other conveniences, improved, 300 acres in cultivation, possession if sold at once, $85.00 per acre.

A 3-bedroom house, best part of Lubbock for quick sale at $10,000.00.
A. B. GRIFFITH
1011 Ave. J Dial 2-2401

BARGAIN IN IRRIGATED FARM

156 acres, irrigation well, butane, R.E.A., Good 4 room house, one 2 room house, plenty outhouses—$80.00 per acre. Immediate possession.

D. T. POTTS & MONTE PAGE
with
OSCAR KILLIAN and J. T. TRIGG
913 13th St. Dial 2-1722

2 GOOD 320 A. FARM POSSESSION

320 acres, 300 A. cultivation, modern home, electricity, natural gas, concrete cellar, good barns and chicken houses, school bus and mail route. Also one 3-room cotton picker's house, irrigation belt near Shallowater. $85.00 per acre.

320 acres, 200 A. cultivation, modern 6-room home, grade A dairy barn, R. E. A. line, butane, in irrigation belt, one mile off pavement, 8 miles from Lubbock, $95.00 per acre.

D. T. POTTS & MONTE PAGE
—with—
OSCAR KILLIAN & J. T. TRIGG
913-13th Dial 2-1722

FOR SALE NEXT 30 DAYS, possession, 320 A., well improved. Irrigation well, A-1 farm, $75 per acre.
C. H. WILLIAMS
Abernathy Box 312

HALF SECTION, 7 miles north of Lorenzo, 6-room stucco house, plenty outbuildings, butane, 240 in cultivation.

One laber in Hockley Co. Improved, 146 acres in cultivation, 3 miles of Pep.

4-room FHA home, located near Geo. R. Bean school, on busline.

5 rooms and bath, located 1833 Texas Avenue. Potential business property.

160 acres, 6 miles northeast Lorenzo. All in cultivation, 60 acres in wheat. Large 3 room house. Barn, granary, well and windmill.

480 acres, 30 miles west Portales, N. M. 270 in cultivation. Small improvements.

M. W. McCARTY
1304-A Broadway Dial 2-2302

POSSESSION NOW
UNCLE TOM'S BARGAINS

160 A., 5 miles west College Ave., 4-room house, overhead tank, water piped in, 3 chicken houses, good stock sheds, and trimmery. Garage. Priced for quick sale. $75.00 per acre. Possession.

A grocery store and fixtures for sale at invoice price. On pavement, did over $33,000 of business last year and is going good now.

160 acre farm 6 mi. W. of Ropes, ¼ mi. off highway. A real good cat-claw land, 6-room house and new barn, new brooder house and overhead tank. Water piped in. Price with possession, $70.00 per acre.

160 acres 13 miles northeast of Lubbock. This is a good farm with no lakes. Good 5-room house, elec., good barn, good chicken house, other fair outbuildings, possession, acre $75.00.

302 A. farm, 13 mi. of Lubbock. Shallow lake in one corner. 5-room frame house, 2-room help house, overhead tank, good shed barns. Federal loan. Price $52.50 A.

T. M. NELSON
with WALTER PRICE AGENCY
414 Myrick Bldg. Dial 2-1922

640 ACRES south of Lorenzo, nice home, all conveniences, $75.00 per acre.

½ sec. N. W. Hale Center, no imp., $60.00 per acre.

1 sec. N. W. Abernathy, good imp., $60.00 per acre.

160 acres E. Monroe, good imp., $62.50 per A.

J. R. SKIPP
Abernathy, Box 417 Phone 46

POSSESSION NOW

For 3 days only, will sell 306 acres, 7 miles Lubbock. A very good farm with irrigation well, improved, R. E. A., $85.00 per acre.

E. ORCUTT
OWNER DIAL 7302

160 ACRES, near Lorenzo, ½ mi. off highway, 30-acre lake, bal. farm, 4-room house, fair outbuildings, mill, R. E. A., $60.00 per acre, possession.

Approx. 20 sec. near House, N. M.
Approx. 75 sec. near Roswell.
Approx. 40 sec. near Ft. Sumner.
Approx. 36 sec. near Dalhart.

320 A., above average improvements, about all tillable, 230 acres in farm, on pavement, irrigation, district, 25 mi. in north Lubbock. Possession, $80.00 acre.

640 acres, all tillable, 330 cultivation, 3-room house, mill, 10 mi. out Brownfield $35.00 per acre.

DEEN & WILLIAMS
L. L. Deen W. Eugene Williams
1309½ Broadway Dial 2-3958

EXTRA SPECIAL

320 acres, 11 N. W. Lubbock, well improved, 300 acres in cultivation, on natural gas and R. E. A. line, mail and school route, 1 mile pavement. A sacrifice for $70.00 per acre. Possession if sold at once.

31—Farms & Land For Sale

COME TO ANTON

134 A. LOCATED ON HIGHWAY 6 MILES EAST OF LITTLEFIELD.

WILL BUY LEASE IN ROYALTIES.

—SEE—

TOM EDES
ANTON, TEXAS c/o SPADE HOTEL

POSSESSION

160 A. imp., Lubbock Co., $60.00 per A.
320 A. highly imp., $80.00 A.

J. P. SMITH
2001 Ave. K Dial 5395

WESTERN NEW MEXICO RANCH
60 sections, cross fenced in 12 pastures, well watered, mills, power wells, 9 tanks, 4 lakes Good grasmns, blue grass, chemise. Owner old and wants to retire. Price $75,000, half cash WESTER, 1009½ Texas Ave. Room 3, Upstairs. Lubbock, Texas.

NICE 5-room F. H. A., possession now, $6650.00.
Close-in 3-unit apartment, $8,000.00.
Acreage with nice 6-room home, $7,000.00.
Acreage tract with two nice homes, $12,-500.00.
5 A., unimproved, S. W. Lubbock, $2500.00.
160 A., 6-room stucco, near Posey, $16,-000.00.

J. M. LEWELLING
210 Citizens Bank Bldg.
Office 5921 Residence 6218

200 ACRES in Lubbock county on paved highway and gas line, well improved with modern 6-room house, oak floors, 3-room helper house, good chicken house, plenty lots and sheds, fenced into several fields, fine irrigation well, all in cultivation and lays perfect. A real country home in best of locations, priced in line and give possession.

F. E. DUNCAN
214 Conley Building
Dial Office 6761; Residence Dial 6810

HOMES — FARMS — RANCHES

NO. 91
1100 A. raw cat-claw land on paved hwy., 7 miles of good town, will sell 5, 4 or 3 labors. Not leased. Price $22.50 per A. with $8.75 per A. cash. Bal. terms.

NO. 96
Grocery store and 5-room residence in a town of 4,000. Close to Lubbock. Will sell fixtures and residence and invoice stock, approximately $8000.00.

NO. 91
910 A. raw cat-claw land, on paved highway, new house, well and mill, 3 mi. new oil well, not leased. Priced $35.00 A.

NO. 89
320 A., close to Goodland, 100 A. in cultivation, all tillable 2 room house, well, mill, outbuildings. Possession. Priced $27.50.

NO. 82
564½ A. irrigated, close to Olton, 5-room house, barns, outbuildings, butane at house and well, 200 A. wheat, 60 A. alfalfa, all minerals, possession—Price $68.50.

NO. 37
5-room frame asbestos sided on 20th St. Will trade for farm equipment and lease farm or sell. Price $5750.00.

NO. 90
Ranch, Texas, 3214 A., close to Miedose, 4-room house, good outbuildings, 370 A. cult., 2 wells and mill. Loan $13,000.00. Price $11.00 A.

NO. 38
304 A., close to Brownfield, on paved road to Levelland, 280 A. cultivation, level, red cat-claw land, 5-room house, no Johnson grass. Possession. Price $55.00 A.

NO. 80
5½ sec. ranch, 400 A. cult., 2 sets improvements, loan $34,000.00. Will trade. Price $12.50 A.

NO. 300
General store groceries, dry goods, hardware, auto accessories, 5 room modern home, gross sales over $50,000, yearly. Priced $6,500 plus stock invoice.

J. H. BEASLEY CO.
Real Estate, Loans, Insurance
1009 Avenue L Dial 5602

IRRIGATED FARM

560 A. in the best part of the Pecos Valley.
300 A. in cultivation, 160 A. in alfalfa.
Two artesian wells, permit for third. Improvements too numerous to mention. A real home and a real buy.
Good brick building in Lubbock, paying high return on cost price.
City, Farm and Ranch Listings Wanted

GUY L. McAFEE AGENCY
1013 Texas Avenue Dial 9781

FARM FOR RENT OR LEASE
With sale of implements (4-row tractor), 3 cows and cotton seed. Practically new country home, 320 acres, all in cultivation, best of loam land not too sandy. Last average 317 lbs. per year the last 10 years. See owner, N. A. Lindsey, who lives on place 14 miles south of Brownfield, South Route, Brownfield, Texas.

2 ACRES, 3-room house, well, windmill, 3 blocks south, ½ mile east Swain's Hatchery.

SPECIAL BARGAIN
Improved section, 560 acres in cultivation, northeast of Abernathy, all minerals intact, $9744.00 Fed. loan, for few days only, priced at $32.50 per acre; ALSO: Nice Greenacres home, 5 rooms, corner lot, priced at $5750. $1950 will handle.

H. T. KIMBRO
Real Estate and Investments
Office 2.3891, 1140 Main: Res. 7982

WILL TRADE
Extra good mix, 380 A., 7 mi. S. E. of Olton, 330 cultivation, well improved, for good 320 east of Levelland, unimproved. Give or take difference. Possession now or Jan., 1945.

PHONE 9072
1621 AVE. Y

FARMS & RANCHES

2000-acre stock farm in Terry Co., Tex., fair improvements, plenty of water, 1400 acres in cultivation, half tight land. $50.75 per acre, on terms.

4800-acre ranch in Yoakum Co., Tex., well improved, mixed land, will carry 300 head of cows and increase, plenty of good water, $9.00 per acre on terms.

30-section ranch, near Port Sumner, N. M., one of the best small ranches in that section, extra well improved, well watered, all tight land, part fenced sheep-proof, well located to highways. $9.00 per acre for deeded land.

ROBERT L. NOBLE
Brownfield Bldg. Brownfield, Texas

BUY FROM OWNER AND SAVE
160 acres, 3 miles west Coffman Courts, ½ mile south of highway, good 4-room house, plenty of barns, sheds, and chicken houses, garage, overhead tanks, water in house and stock tanks, all in cultivation. Price for quick sale, $75.00 per acre with possession.

MARVIN ALLEN
Route 5

CHOICE 640 ACRES

Highly improved, possession	$57.50
160 on paving	$50.00
160 on paving	$52.50
160 acres close in	$50.00
320 acres, modern, irrigated	$63.00

T. A. COCKE
REAL ESTATE
Phone 26 or 20-J Petersburg, Texas

¼ SEC. ANDREWS CO., 80 A., royalty. Mrs. B. A. Young, Route 4, Tahoka.

31—Farms & Land For Sale

SPECIAL

Well located brick duplex, 3 rooms and bath on each side, rented for $80.00 per month, priced furnished, $6500.00.

Attractive 5-room F. H. A. house, fenced in back yard, near George Bean school, priced $6350.00.

Nicely arranged 5-room F. H. A. house, near Roscoe Wilson school, $5750.00.

160 acres with good improvements, 12 miles from Lubbock, $62.50 per acre.

320 acres with good improvements, on F. H. A., and natural gas, near Shallowater, can get possession.

Listings appreciated

G. E. GOODLOE
Office in Hodges Brothers Store
1118-17 Ave. G Tel. 2-3661
Just East of the Postoffice
Member of National, State and Lubbock Real Estate Board

LET'S SWAP
160 A. 5 miles Lubbock, best of land, trade for larger place farther out. Some grass preferred.
280 A., 14 miles out, nicely imp. Owner unable to handle, ant small place, well located.

D. S. GREGORY
Casey Delaney Co., Real Estate Dept.
1620 Broadway Phone 9383; Res. 6368

18 M. S.-W. LUBBOCK courthouse, 1 mile off pavement, 160 acres, all cultivated, fair improvements, irrigation well, no Johnson grass, all mineral rights, possession. Priced to sell. Hurry if you want it.

PIT EMERY
706 Lubbock Natl. Bldg.
Dial 2-3172 Res. 7617

5 ROOMS, POSSESSION NOW
Natural gas, lights, pressure pump, 15 min. bus service. A nice home, $2550.00, some terms, also 160 acres, 8 miles out, fair imp., $7650.00. Get possession. Other farms and houses.

A. G. McMATH
606 Myrie Bldg. 7102, 2-2726

480 A., adjoining Denver City, 4-room house and other outbuildings, 350 in cult., well and mill, free gas, no min., $10.00 per A.
177 A., south of Levelland, improved, on the paving, $37.50. Pos.
1750 A. wheat land, 400 A. of wheat, $21.00. Pos.

W. G. ABERNATHY
with
J. M. McKELVY REAL ESTATE
1007 - 13th St. Dial 4232

SOUTH OF CITY LIMITS

Acre of land with a real nice home and all modern conveniences. Lots of outbuildings. Must be sold at once. Price $6500, with half cash.

DIAL 9726

320 A., near Shallowater and pav. hwy., well imp., 4 large rms. and bath, hot and cold water, electric pressure system, natural gas, good barns and 3 rm. help house, for quick sale and possession, $72.50 per A.

708 A. S. W. Morton, 480 in ult., bal. tillable, 5 rm. modern home, butane gas, help house, plenty of good outbuildings, $37.50 per A.

Modern 4 rm. suburban home, extra good outbuildings, well located on 2 acres, natural gas, REA, telephone, $6,700.00.

C. L. DICKSON AGENCY
1011 Main St. Dial 7302, or 3943 or 2-3560

DO YOU want to buy a farm of 164.4 acres in semi-proven territory, north of Duggan oil field?
Buyer for well located 4-bedroom residence.
North ½ section 84 block H, Gaines county, near Loop, ½ in farm, surface only.

J. E. ALEXANDER
Over J. C. Penney Store
Dial 9177

5-ROOM house with garage attached in 3900 blk. on 30th St.
5-room on 34th St., 2100 block.
280 acres near Wolfforth, all in cultivation except about 10 acres.
Good farm at the right price. See us for further particulars.

J. S. MILLERMAN
Casey-Delaney Co., Real Estate Dept.
1620 Broadway Phone 9383; Res. 4729

33—Real Estate

FOR SALE: 640 acres in Dawson county, on paved highway, four-room house, out buildings, well and windmill, 200 acres in cultivation, the balance tillable, for $30 per acre, if sold in short time; Long section in Cochran county with the best of water equipment, 640 acres in cultivation, no buildings, $30 per acre; Three section in wheat belt with plenty of improvements, 1,000 acres in wheat, 400 acres in barley, and this year's crop, all for $35 per acre; 160 acres in 4½ miles of Lubbock, ½ mile off pavement, good buy and practically all ready to plant, $110 per acre. Some good buys in city property at immediate possession and terms with the above mentioned.

W. C. McCELVEY
300 Conley Bldg.
Res. Dial 7918; Office Dial 6888

7-ROOM modern house, plenty of outbuildings, 1½ acre on highway, $7500.00.

1½ acre, 3 house, well and mill, $3300.00.

7-room modern house at Idalou to be moved, $2,000.00.

OSCAR KILLIAN
913-22nd Res. 8114
913-12th Dial 2-1722

34—Automobile Loans

AUTO LOANS
LOANS MADE IN ADJACENT COUNTIES
Security Investment Co.
1009 Ave. L Box 1220 Dial 5209

35—Automobiles For Sale

1936 FLYMOUTH sedan; 1937 Plymouth coupe. Both with good tires, radios and heater, excellent condition. 1310-Ave. L.

1937 CHEVROLET for sale. Dial 7961 day; Dial 8191 Night.

WANT to trade 1941 Plymouth pickup for passenger car. Dial 2-2626.

1936 BUICK worth the money. See 3:30 Sun. 1002 Ave. N.

1937 FORD tudor deluxe, new tires and seat covers, extra clean. 2118-13th.

1939 TWO-DOOR Chevrolet coach. Extra good tires, motor in A-1 shape. Zerex, radio and heater. Original paint. Gamble, 303 Lubbock Nat'l. Bldg.

1942 NASH coupe Ambassador; 1937 Chrysler sedan. See at 820 Main. Dial 2-3611.

1939 DE SOTO coach, good tires, radio, heater. Must be sold. Dial 5614.

FOR SALE

Privately owned and operated 1940 De Luxe Tudor Plymouth, 8 good tires, excellent condition. Dial 8762 or 4706 after 5 p. m. for information.

SELL OR TRADE for cheaper car, 1940 Ford sedan. 6110-17th.

1939 PLYMOUTH sedan, in good condition, $800.00. Business phone 6645.

'37 FORD coach, excellent tires. 2418 9th, rear apt.

1941 Chev. club coupe
1941 Mercury convertible
1941 Oldsmobile club coupe
1941 Chev. four-door sedan
1941 Packard 120 sedan
1941 Chevrolet convertible

BLAKE MOTOR CO.
1005 Texas Pho. 8222

1941 CHEV. tudor sedan, low mileage, 5 good tires, 3115-27th. Dial 5478.

35—Automobiles For Sale

SPECIAL

'40 Olds, 4-door, clean, $675
'40 Ford coupe, extra clean, $1175
'39 Ford tudor deluxe, $745
'39 Olds, tudor, $765
'41 Ford tudor, extra clean, $1395

GENE SITZ
817 Broadway Dial 6180

FORD MOTOR

Reconditioned and exchanged. We have the parts, any make or model motor reconditioned.

WESTBROOK MOTOR SERVICE
1010 AVE. H
DIAL 4304

FOR WHEEL BALANCING AND WHEEL ALIGNING SEE YOUR BUICK DEALER

Sample-Dickey Motor Co.
Dial 7616

1941 MERCURY 2-door white sidewall tires
1941 Chevrolet 5-passenger club coupe
194 Chevrolet Master deluxe town sedan
1941 Deluxe tudor Ford
1941 Chevrolet town sedan

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Carmen		.93	hour
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German Position Now Worse Than During March Of 1918

By KIRKE L. SIMPSON
Associated Press War Analyst

Except for the seeming and temporary Allied-Nazi stalemate in Italy, the war on all fronts is surging toward crises which indicate March, 1944, will be no less a month of decisive developments than was March, 1918, in World war One.

That month, 26 years ago, German armies launched their last futile effort to snatch victory from defeat. They struck in France on March 18 their last offensive blow of the first World war. It deeply dented the Allied front but failed to break through. Just over seven months later Germany surrendered.



SIMPSON

The plight of Nazi Germany as March, 1944, approaches is incomparably graver than was that of imperial Germany in March, 1918. It offers as yet no assurance that the German collapse will come before another war winter closes in on Europe; but there is equally no certainty that it will not. And it seems clear that the foreshadowed developments of this March will see the war strain on Nazidom keyed up notch by notch with no chance of succor from Hitler's Japanese accomplice.

Events Of Past Week

That can be read unmistakably in the events of the last seven days in the Pacific, over Germany, and in the Atlantic. But most of all it can be grasped in Nazi surrender of the last segment of the Dnieper front above Kiev in Russia.

Germany is finally committed now to a shortened eastern defense front off Russia soil in preparation to meet the poised Allied second-front attack from the west when it comes.

The only remaining question is whether on the perilous Black Sea flank the invaders of Russia can reach that defense line with armies still intact. The controlling factor may be the weather. It is more than possible that the Nazi high command is continuing on unprecedented early spring thaws to bog down the Russian offensive and permit the get-away short of a supreme disaster in the field.

Yet weather portents of the days and weeks ahead offer Germany no relief from the Allied two-way bombing attack from Britain and Italy.

That it is a prelude to the Anglo-American amphibious assault from the west goes without saying. Nazi leaders so read it, the retreat from the Dnieper is in part traceable to that. The hour when German lines in the east must be shortened to free troops to meet western invaders has struck.

Official Records..

Marriage Licenses

Weldon Webb, 22, and Miss Veda Edens, 22, both of Lubbock.

Herbert Alton DeVries, 26, of Wilkes Barre, Penn., and Miss Jane Lawrence, 21, of Lincoln, Nebr.

Roland F. Barton, 23, of Laforgiville, N. Y., and Miss Ellen J. Weitz, 19, of Baltimore, Md.

Tyree Mowris, 38, and Miss Almedia Baker, 37, both of Lubbock.

E. E. Potts, 48, and Georgia Belle Crawford, 28, both of Lubbock.

Dick Rountree, 41, and Mrs. Lottie Rountree, 34, both of Lubbock.

Joe M. Valdez, 23, and Miss Consuelo Carmona, 18, both of Lubbock.

Johnie William Baas, jr., 18, of Lubbock and Miss Johnnye Aldeana Steele, 18, of Levelland.

Margarito Martinez, 39, and Miss Juanita Sanchez, 16, both of Slaton.

Morris H. Chambers, 23, of Ropesville and Miss Margaret Bernice Kuhrt, 21, of Ft. Lupton, Colo.

Lubbock Courts

99TH DISTRICT
J. E. Vichery, Judge Presiding

Melba Rutherford against V. D. Rutherford, suit for divorce.

NAZI MARSHAL IMPRISONED

LONDON, Feb. 26 (AP)— Radio France at Algiers, quoting Bern sources, said today that Field Marshal Georg von Keuchler, German army commander on the northern front in Russia, has been imprisoned in the German fortress of Koenigsberg charged with insubordination to Adolf Hitler. Von Keuchler, the report said, had orders to hold his northern front at all costs.

RADIUM LOST IN RUINS

LONDON, Feb. 26. (AP)—Demolition workers directed by scientists searched the bomb ruins of the Marie Curie radium therapy hospital today for a half gram of radium estimated to be worth $12,000 when a direct hit demolished a part of the hospital during a recent London raid.

SNOWBOUND

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 26. (AP)—Rescue parties were still digging winter sports enthusiasts out of the Southern California mountains today following the recent four-day storm that left snowdrifts as high as 40 feet in some places.



WILLIAM L. CLAYTON

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Surplus Property To Be Problem

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26 (AP) — Will Clayton, formerly the world's biggest cotton dealer, says the disposal of surplus war property will be a tough job, "but it's got to be done."

His assignment is to do this in such a way that it doesn't get into the hands of monopolies and that the government doesn't use it to compete with private business.

The toughest part, he predicts, will come from pressure he says he expects "minority groups" to exert for their own profit when the government starts selling surplus war plants and products under the plan recently submitted to the President by Bernard M. Baruch.

Doesn't Name "Minority Groups"

Clayton doesn't name these "minority groups"—"I just think they'll be around."

Before he got into government service in 1940, Clayton headed the globe-girdling cotton business known as Anderson, Clayton and company.

War mobilization director James F. Byrnes says Clayton severed all connection with his vast business holdings except an investment interest before he entered the government.

Clayton is a friend of Commerce Secretary Jesse Jones, under whom he has been serving as assistant secretary.

Bridgman Is Deputy

Clayton's deputy in the new war surplus property administration is G. Temple Bridgman, who has been executive vice president of the Metals Reserve Co., a subsidiary of the Reconstruction Finance corporation which Jesse Jones controls and which financed many of the war plants which may turn out to be surplus.

Aluminum plants, for instance. The nation now is reported to have about five times the aluminum producing capacity which it had in peacetime.

Who'll buy these plants and run them?

Clayton doesn't answer directly—he just says maybe we'll have to find a lot of new things to make out of aluminum.

No Policy Talked Yet

He isn't talking war surplus disposal policy yet, beyond what the Baruch report and the presidential order indicated—says details will have to wait until his policy board is formed with representatives from a string of government departments and agencies.

But he does say:

1. Obviously there'll be quite a few plants which we can't use for the purposes for which they were built.

2. No plant is going to be junked except as a last resort—"we'll explore every possibility of using them."

He's easing into his new job. "It's a tough one," he repeats.

The calendar says he was born 64 years ago. He looks 10 years younger.

He says "my goodness" frequently and moves about like a young man, with a spring in his rangy frame.

He wears an air of deliberation, wiggly nose-glasses and an easy manner. He talks with the careless freedom of a man who figured large in the world's cotton markets for years and then became a government official at 60.

Alexander Hamilton was 30 years old and James Madison was 36 when they helped to draft the Constitution of the United States.

PAW Cuts Production Oil Quota For Texas

DALLAS, Feb. 26. (AP)—The Petroleum Administration for War has heeded the request of the Texas Railroad commission for a reduced production quota in Texas during March and has cut the call for Texas crude by 5,300 barrels per day, commission chairman Beauford Jester announced here today.

Jester, here for the statewide Democratic dinner tonight, was notified of the PAW action in a telephone conversation with commissioner Ernest O. Thompson, who is in Washington conferring with federal authorities on problems facing Texas oil producers.

"This will ease our situation in West Texas to a marked extent provided there is no specification that the reduction must come in some other section," Jester declared.

Soviet Planes Again Strike At Helsinki

STOCKHOLM, Sunday, Feb. 27 (AP)—A Russian aerial force variously estimated to include from 100 to 200 planes raided Helsinki last night and at least 30 fires were said to be blazing in the Finnish capital, reports reaching here today said.

Seven hours after the alarm sounded Helsinki's commercial communication facilities still were closed down. The Finnish City of Turku also was without telephone contact from 9:30 to 10:30 p. m. last night, indicating that an alarm had been sounded there.

Finnish informants here estimated that the Russians carried out the attack with 200 bombers. Reports reaching the Swedish press placed the size of the raiding force at approximately 100 planes. Russian planes were said to have penetrated to the center of Helsinki.

Texas Tops Records On Series E Bonds

DALLAS, Feb. 26 (AP)— Texas topped its record high series E war bond quota of $130,000,000 today to round out the most successful war loan campaign in state history, Chairman Nathan Adams of the Texas War Finance committee declared.

The state total of the series E security—the bond 'little money' buys—had reached $131,500,000.

"This means that Texas exceeded to a gratifying degree every Fourth War Loan quota assigned to it," Adams explained.

Latest tabulation of the total war bond sales processed through the Federal Reserve bank showed Saturday the state overall figure at $462,929,251, nearly $68,000,000 over the $395,000,000 quota.

It disclosed also Texas had topped its $210,000,000 quota for individuals by $23,867,987 and its $18,500,000 goal for other types of securities by $44,071,264.

More Civilian Goods Due After Invasion

HOUSTON, Feb. 26. (U.P.) — The civilian public can expect more goods after the invasion of Europe, but not before, Donald M. Nelson, chairman of the War Production board, said today.

"After the big (invasion) test is over, we will make more civilian goods," Nelson said, "but until then we are going to give the military all it asks for.

"Not one landing boat or one airplane will be sacrificed in order to make a civilian item."

He said he believed the "people are willing to wait" and that "newspapers are more worried about civilian goods than civilians."

"FIRST In Lubbock—FIRST On The South Plains"

LUBBOCK AVALANCHE-JOURNAL

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The Woman's Angle
By Margaret Turner

SCIENTISTS tell us that light travels faster than sound. We don't know about that. Wonder if they have ever checked the speed of war rumors?

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Busy men have too much on their hands these days to be handling people with gloves.

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COSMETIC TASTES

THE war, which is daily changing the map of the world, is also altering the facial maps of America and by the time this is over, fashions in faces will know no geographical differences. Don't you remember not so long ago, when usage of makeup varied widely in each section of the country?

For instance there were those glamour girls in the metropolitan East and San Francisco in the West, who affected those year-round tan complexions slashed by deep-red, over-sized mouths. In the deep South and Mid-West there was a penchant for almost-white powder and sharp circles of rouge on each cheek.

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Today women are on the move as never before. They are joining their sons and husbands in cities near vastly scattered training camps, taking jobs in war-manufacturing centers, serving with the armed forces in every corner of the land and when they move they take with them the styles and traditions of their homes—but these styles and traditions are subject to change, both conscious and unconscious.

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A woman may begin her life in a new locale by clinging to her former habits and customs, but gradually she will be influenced by the people around her. They, in turn are influenced by her. The result is a blending or leveling out.

We saw figures the other day that indicated that powder in a medium rachel tone is the biggest seller in every section of the country, from Portland, Ore., to Pensacola, Fla. True red lipstick is outselling all others, from San Diego, Calif., to Kennebunkport, Maine, and rouge to match goes right along with the lipstick.

It appears that women all over the country are choosing the same shades in makeup, shades that will look natural and feminine without artificiality.

Who knows, after the war the Colonel's lady and Judy O'Grady will be sisters, over the skin!

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IT'S A "FAR PLACE"

MEN just don't play hunches like women or else R. A. Mills, Tech artists course chairman, would have saved time and precious tires he spent in meeting last-minute trains and buses from the West Coast Wednesday in searching for Mia Slavenska, ballet dancer, and her dance ensemble, scheduled for an appearance here that evening at Senior High school auditorium.

"Artists who come here from the Coast should be told how difficult it is to make travel connections if you don't give yourself an extra day," Mills said, in discussing the matter. "If you could have seen Slavenska's schedule you'd realize there was only one chance in a hundred she could have kept her engagement here, travel being what it is now-a-days. I'm not blaming her but I sent the New York booking agent a night letter of 163 words and am following it with a letter by mail."

Of course no one blames Mr. Mills for this failure to show; it being the first time in history that it has happened here. No one has tried more conscientiously than he and his committee to bring "known" talent to the college and town people.

Don't you think it would have been interesting if home and college talent could have staged an amateur night while we were waiting to get our rain checks to break the monotony of having to sit in the auditorium and discuss people with the person sitting next to us?

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SCATTERINGS

NOBODY asked our opinion, but here it is anyway: Why, oh why, are War Bond drives started in January, when Christmas bills and taxes are due, and Red Cross membership drives staged in March when Uncle Sam is billing you for that income tax? . . . In addition to seeking souvenirs from Pacific islands to be placed in the West Texas museum, Dr. W. C. Holden is asking for relatives to send to the museum letters from men in service, especially those that give interesting insights into the customs of the natives. Either send the original and a copy will be made and the original returned or send a copy. . . . A Lubbock youth, stationed in San Diego for naval training, writes, "The rivalry between Texas and California is rampant here with Texas on top. As one Californian from L. A. says 'I'm going to change my state to Texas for safety's sake. There are too many Texans here.'"

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THANKS Mr. Hilton: It's doubtful if James Hilton, the English novelist, knows just how much he is appreciated by Americans and perhaps we forget how much he has increased our reading, radioing and movie-going pleasure. Of course it was Mr. Hilton who added the word "Shangri-La" to our nation's vocabulary and he must feel proud that the word that he used to describe a perfect mythical land was chosen to designate our newest aircraft carrier . . . It's doubtful that Ronald Colman could have enjoyed his sensational place on Hollywood's pedestal without his portrayal of Hilton characters in "Lost Horizon" and "Random Harvest," and

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Novel Parties Are Held By Younger Set In City With Girls' Clubs In Charge

HIGH school societies entertained with formal and informal affairs Friday and Saturday nights.

A "Night Club Banquet" was given by Las Cresas members at the Lubbock hotel ballroom Friday night. Over the entrance of the ballroom was a sign "Las Cresas, Dine and Dance." Individual tables were decorated with gold flowers in white vases and gold and white candles. The Cresas crest of gold and white satin was hanging above the speakers table.

Members attending and their dates were Joe Ann Bailey, Johnny Pearson; Marrion Woods, Roger Southall; Velma Lou Dunn, David Rowland; Jean Eisenberg, Billy Puryear; Pat Fain, Bobby Campbell; Rena Simmonds, Eddie Bledsoe; La Juanda McLeod, Hellery Thibodeaux; Xen Harris, Ray Givens; Maurine Leftwich, L. E. Stotts, jr.; Martha LaRoe, Charles Walden; Jean Martin, Bobby Conley; Sue Boulter, Robert Cole; Jo Ribble, T. S. Cranford; Maidy Claiborne, Joe Thompson; La Vaughn Bearden, James Allen; Marion Benson, Bobby Martyn; Mary Beth Dupree, Jack Reese; Beverly Giles, Gene Gray; Betty Jenkins, Jerald Hise; Jane Lawson, Buddy Toles; Temple McAfee, Bobby Hurmence; Joan Nislar, Tom Hodges; Sylvia Whitacre, Wilson McClain; Sara Davis, Rex Zachary; Martha Porter, Jack Walter; Lam McKay, Dick Turner; Jo Rae Watson, Harry Libby; Billy Wolford, Bobby Ketron; Margaret Hawkins, William McMillan; Elizabeth Howard, Milton Butler; Gene Carolyn Harvey, Tommy Ingram.

Pledges and their dates were Nancy Welker, Bob Hassell; Alice Howell, Fred T. Rogers.

Pledges of Sub-Deb club gave a scavenger hunt and sport dance for members Saturday night at 7:30 o'clock at the Barbara Hale Dance studio.

A large silver and black S-D surrounded by clusters of sweetheart roses, club flower, covered one wall.

Members and dates returned to the studio at intervals for refreshments and dancing.

Miss Castle Is Honoree

Miss Ruth Castle, bride-elect of H. C. Burchett, jr., was honored with a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Raybon, 1110 Sixteenth street, Friday evening from 6:30 to 7:30 o'clock.

Hot dogs and Mexican style beans were served in paper plates from a candle-lighted table, decorated with ivy, from which Mrs. E. Adams poured coffee.

Miss Castle opened the gifts by the light of burning logs in the fireplace.

Guests were the employees of Hemphill-Wells company, where Miss Castle had been employed for several years.

Hostesses were Miss LaRue Hall, and Mesdames Bill McCasland and C. W. Webb, jr.

At Chism Residence

In another of the series of entertainments given in honor of Miss Castle, Miss Marie Chism, assisted by Mrs. J. W. Chism, entertained with a bridge party at the home of Mrs. Chism, 2112 Twenty-second street, Friday evening from 8:30 to 10 o'clock.

A wide selection of recordings was played throughout the evening while games were in progress.

Refreshments, consisting of sandwiches cut in shapes of symbols on playing cards and punch, were served from the candle-lighted table covered with a lace cloth. A centerpiece of pink roses and sweet peas was on a mirror reflector.

The honoree was presented with a blanket from the guests.

Kappa Gamma sorority will have a traditional bridal breakfast for Miss Castle this morning at 9 o'clock at the Lubbock hotel.

Mrs. Lottie Hilton is to sing "Ah, Sweet Mystery of Life."

Members of the sorority will present the honoree with a gift of sterling silver.

Hardin-Simmons Day To Be Observed By South Plains Exes

Hardin-Simmons day will be observed here next Sunday by South Plains Ex-Student association. Dr. R. N. Richardson will speak at the First Baptist church at 11 a. m. Special music will be furnished by university students.

Members of the association are giving a 1 o'clock luncheon that day at the Hilton hotel ballroom. Tickets which must be purchased in advance may be bought at Johnson's Men's Wear, 1102 Main street, or from Mrs. B. H. Meskimen, secretary-treasurer of the association, or Mrs. J. Holland Cox, president of the association.

Two Are Honored With Club Birthday Party

Mesdames L. E. Ford and Jack Christian were honored on their birthdays Friday with a party given in the home of Mrs. E. M. Rowden, 413 Avenue D for Jolly Working club.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames E. J. Jennings, W. O. McAteer, D. L. Ford, Orville McDaniel, Ed Jones, George Hamilton, and N. D. Kelso, a new member.

Next Friday the club will meet at 2 p. m. with Mrs. McAteer, 308 Avenue H.

Mrs. Foster Is Party Hostess At Tea Room

Mrs. M. K. Foster was hostess to the Halycon Forty-two club at Mrs. Tucker's Tea room, 1506 Avenue R, Wednesday afternoon.

Members present were Mesdames J. M. Young, J. C. Stansell, sr., F. K. Mitchell, A. B. Brown, J. C. Reynolds, Webb Duval and O. B. Trinkle.

Guests were Mesdames Charles R. Hurmence, Charles Wood, Jesse Seale and John Conner.

High scores were made by Mesdames Duval and Hurmence.

Ruth Class Luncheon Is Served In Hall

Ruth class of the First Baptist church attended a luncheon Friday at 1 p. m. at the Activities center.

Mrs. O. E. Joiner gave a devotional and Mrs. A. V. Bullock dismissed with prayer.

Present were Mrs. Lucy R. Cowan, teacher, Mrs. M. M. Ewing, Mrs. G. A. Kelley and daughter, Ann; Mrs. Garland Head, Mrs. C. Alvin White, Mrs. Elmer Reed, Mrs. C. J. Hollingsworth and Mrs. J. H. Millikin.



MRS. R. H. HASKINS

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Service Read At Residence

The marriage of Miss Billie June Smike, daughter of Mrs. Clyde Smike of Tulsa, Okla., and Lt. R. H. Haskins, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Haskins of Wolfforth took place in the home of the bride's mother Feb. 19. Rev. James F. Heaton officiated for the double ring ceremony.

Gladioli and fern decorated the altar.

The bride wore a powder blue crepe dress with brown accessories. Her corsage was of white roses.

Miss Peggy Garret, maid of honor, wore a green dress and white carnations.

Attendant From Lubbock

Lt. C. S. Neal of Lubbock was best man.

Following the ceremony, a reception was given by Mrs. Smike. The lace covered serving table was decorated with pink candles and pink and white sweet peas.

The bride graduated from Tulsa high school.

Lt. Haskins was a senior petroleum engineering student at Texas Technological college before entering the service. At Tech he was a member of Los Camaradas, men's social club, S.A.M.E. and the Engineering society. He is now stationed with the Army Engineers at Camp Claiborne, La.

The couple is living in Alexandria, La.

DFD Club, Alumnae Plan Annual Dinner

A Founders' day dinner celebrating the 14th anniversary of the DFD club, girls' social organization at Texas Technological college, will be given Thursday evening at 6:30 o'clock at the Hilton hotel.

Flowers banked around a birthday cake will decorate the table.

Alumnae to attend are Mesdames Robert McKennon, Lewis Ellis, James Halsey, Charles Martin, Doyle McLeod, Albert Fortenberry, Bill Ed Watson, John H. Scoggin, Ray Farmer, Tom Hutchinson, Lou Jefferies, Misses Ina Bacon, Pauline Stafford, Sarabeth Kimmel, Barbara Hale, Lottie Jo Townes and Marian Coffman.

Club members to attend are Elizabeth Belew, Mary Frances Bledsoe, Anna Lee Cone, Maxine Craddock, Eleanor Jackson, Garnett Heggen, Dorothy Miskimins, Jerry Shaw, Patsy Smtih, Jackie Wilkinson, Marjorie Street, Betty Davis, Merle Johnson, Mary Jane Johnston, Merrilyn Snider, Kren

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All-Day Session For Red Cross Planned

Arnett-Benson Needle club will have an all-day meeting next Wednesday at the Locust street chapel to do Red Cross work, Mrs. Verne Morris will be hostess.

All ladies in the community are invited to come and bring a dish for a luncheon.

TO SHOW FILMS

Lubbock Youth council is to see motion pictures on "Juvenile Delinquency" and "Choosing Your Vocation" at a monthly meeting on the third floor of the court house Monday night at 7:30 o'clock. Mrs. Alex McDonald was chairman committee to acquire the films. Rev. John A. Winslow, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church, is chairman of the council.



OFFICER'S BRIDE — Mrs. Richard L. Rist, above, was Miss Jean Bardwell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Bardwell of 2205 Broadway, before her marriage read at the family residence last Sunday morning by Dr. Jack M. Lewis. Lt. Rist is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Rist of Eau Claire, Wis. The young couple is at home in Dalhart where Lt. Rist is stationed at the Army Air field.



MRS. H. E. CHOATE, JR.

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Pat Wiley Is Saturday Bride

Wedding vows of Miss Pat Wiley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Kell Wiley of Lubbock, and Harlan Eugene Choate, jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Choate, sr., of Wichita Falls, were read in the home of the bride's parents at high noon Saturday.

The double ring ceremony was read by Dr. C. E. Hereford, pastor of the First Baptist church, before an altar adorned with gladioli, greenery, and white tapers in tall candelabra.

The bride wore a two-piece dress of oyster white with a matching veiled hat, black accessories, and an orchid corsage. For something old she wore a ring belonging to her maternal grandmother, and for something borrowed she carried her mother's wedding handkerchief.

The bride's mother wore a two-piece black dress and the groom's mother was dressed in a frock of navy blue. They wore corsages of gardenias.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held for members of the families, after which the couple left for Wichita Falls where they will make their home.

The bride is a graduate of Lubbock High school and the groom is a graduate of Wichita Falls High school and a former student of Texas Technological college.

Joann Miller Marries Sgt. Felix S. Walker

Announcement is being made of the marriage of Miss Joann Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Miller of Plainview, to Sgt. Felix S. Walker, jr., son of Felix S. Walker of Lubbock, which took place Jan. 29 at St. James Episcopal chapel in Clovis, N. M.

The couple will be at home at 2409 Tenth street after Monday.

Sgt. Walker is director of the dance orchestra at South Plains Army Air field and is a member of the post band.

Glider Pilots' Wives Will Have Card Party

All glider pilots wives are invited to the USO at 1:30 p. m. Tuesday to play bridge. Last week Mesdames B. R. Wheeler and W. Goward won high and low prizes, respectively.

First Methodist Unit To Meet In Chapel

At a meeting of the First Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service to be in the church chapel Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock, Mrs. A. W. Hall will continue teaching the book, "God and the Problems of Suffering."

TO SALT LAKE CITY

Lt. and Mrs. Joseph P. Morgan, who spent the last four weeks in Yuma, Ariz., have gone to Salt Lake City where he has been transferred. Mrs. Morgan is the former Miss Betty McBride of Lubbock.

IN ROSS HOME

Mrs. Pensa Ross and Mrs. Mary E. Ross of Monmouth, Ill., have been visiting their grandson and their son, Sgt. Lloyd A. Ross, and Mrs. Ross, 2007 Avenue V. They are to leave for their home Tuesday.



MISS MONA PIERCE

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Wedding To Be In Chapel

A wedding of wide social interest has been calendered for twilight Wednesday at the Del Rio Army Air field post chapel when Miss Mona Louise Pierce, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George R. Pierce, 3124 Twenty-first street, will become the bride of Lt. Homer James Avery, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willard C. Avery of Chicago.

The bride, who will be given in marriage by her father, has selected a dusty pink afternoon dress for her wedding and she will wear black accessories and carry a prayer book corsage of white orchids.

Miss Mallory Kelly of Lamesa will serve as maid of honor. She is to wear seafoam green. Lt. James E. Berry is to be best man.

Plan Wedding Supper

A wedding supper will be served at Mrs. Crosby's at Villa Acuna, just across the border in Mexico.

The couple will be at home at the Roswell hotel in Del Rio.

Mr. and Mrs. Pierce, the bride-to-be and her sister, Judy, are leaving Monday for the border city.

Miss Pierce attended Texas Technological college for three years and is a former announcer on the staff at KFYO. She held memberships in Alpha Psi Omega, Sock and Buskin club and Ko Shari club on Tech campus.

The prospective bridegroom is a former student at the University of Illinois where he was a member of Delta Epsilon fraternity. He received his wings at Lubbock Army Air field.

Party Series Honors Mona Louise Pierce

Initiating a series of parties for Miss Mona Pierce, bride-elect of Lt. Homer James Avery of Del Rio Army Air field, Mrs. C. C. Caldwell and her daughter, Miss Betty Rhea Caldwell, gave a dinner and crystal shower Friday night at the Mexican Inn.

Guests were Misses Jean Renner, Mary Menon Stangel, Margaret Cammack, Martha Kuykendall, Yvonne Westmoreland, Dorothy Wright, Nell Arnett Johnson, Ophelia Mae Beall, Mesdames L. D. Burdett and George R. Pierce.

Miss Mallory Kelly of Lamesa

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Biennial Election Held By City Federation; SPAAF Sergeant Is Speaker

BIENNIAL officers were elected, spring projects were discussed and a guest, Sgt. Ralph R. Goodwin of South Plains Army Air field lectured at a monthly meeting of City Federation Friday morning at Hotel Lubbock. Mrs. H. F. Godeke presided.

Installation will be held in May for the following officers: President, Mrs. A. W. Young; first vice president, Mrs. T. Euel Liner; second vice president, Mrs. R. O. Bennett; treasurer, Mrs. Clem Boverie; parliamentarian, Mrs. H. F. Godeke; telephoning secretary, Mrs. Belverd Needles.

During a discussion of war service, the women were urged to go to the Red Cross rooms to assist in folding surgical dressings.

A donation of $25 was made to the Girl Scout fund. The March meeting of the Federation will be conducted March 31 at 3 p. m. at the Girl Scout Little House.

Discussing the "Geographic Factor in the Expansion of the German People," Sgt. Goodwin told the group how the natural environment of the people formed the physical basis for the pattern of history. He told the group how the persistent influence of this geographic setting had affected human development and discussed the various classes of geographic influences.

After a discussion of general principles, Sgt. Goodwin applied them to specific facts of German history through emphasizing the inseparability of geography and history.

Geographic Location Important

"The geographic location of German people in central Europe has made their political organization of vital importance to all peoples in Europe, he said, "because people occupying a strong central location and strongly organized are always able to radiate strong influences.

"Germany's failure to evolve a democratic political organization has thus had unhappy repercussions upon Europe and the world emphasized."

Sgt. Goodwin, whose home is in Boston, Mass., was a graduate instructor in the history department of the University of Wisconsin before entering the service. He is in the intelligence office at SPAAF.

Mrs. Young was program chairman.

Mrs. Trice To Review Book Before Circle

Mrs. W. H. Trice will review the book, "Christianity, Our Citadel," at a meeting of the Business Women's circle of the First Baptist church Monday night at 7:30 o'clock in the home of Mrs. C. E. Roberts, 2021 Fifteenth street.

OES Forty-Two Party To Be Held Tuesday

Lubbock Order of Eastern Star is giving a forty-two party Tuesday night at 8:15 o'clock at Cocanougher's cafeteria. All members of the Lubbock chapter, their families and friends are invited to attend.

Gardening Is To Be Study

Meeting of garden club and bookman groups will dominate Lubbock's society for the week. At other clubs, war problems will be discussed and parties will be given.

"What to Plant When" will be discussed by Mesdames Acle Cope and Roy Wheeler when the Bud to Blossom club meets in the home of Mrs. Wheeler, 1322 Twenty-seventh street, Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Lubbock Junior Garden club is to meet with Mrs. H. B. Bryan, 2003 Twenty-eighth street, Thursday afternoon at 3:15 o'clock for a business meeting. Later the members will go to the Decorators studio to receive suggestions on table arrangements. Mrs. Garland Newsom is to be co-hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Weiss, 3412 Twenty-first street, will be hosts to members of the South Plains Dahlia society for a program Thursday night at 7:30 o'clock. The National Dahlia Honor Roll for 1943 will be read. J. B. Rhodes will discuss large type dahlias and Mrs. Rhodes will discuss the small type.

Bookman Group Units

Reviewers for Unit 1 of American Association of University Women Bookman groups which will meet Wednesday night at 7:30 o'clock are to be Misses Velma McCandless and Glenys Honey. Hostesses will be Misses Hattie and Gertrude Herm, 2308 Twenty-ninth street.

Unit 2 is to meet with Mrs. Charles Whitacre, 1905 Twenty-ninth street, at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday night. Mrs. W. C. Watts and Miss Mozelle Cobb are to be co-hostesses. Misses Lloniel Hilliard and Nancy Green will review books.

Hostesses for Unit 3 which will meet at Mrs. Tucker's tea room are to be Mrs. Vada Spence and Miss Lillian Johnson. Books will be reviewed by Mrs. J. E. Hartley and Miss Evelyn Jones.

Unit 4 will not meet until March 8.

Miss Evelyn Jones will review "Madame Curie" (Eve Curie) for members of Unit 5 at the home of Miss Thelma Davidson, 1503 Twenty-sixth street, Wednesday night at 7:30 o'clock.

At the meeting of the K. Carter Parent-Teacher association to be held Thursday afternoon at 3:45 o'clock, Mrs. F. B. Malone will speak on "Freedom from Fear." A musical play, "The Ginger Bread Boy" will be given by second year pupils from Miss Pearl Jackson's room.

A theater party will be given for members of Alpha Beta chapter of Kappa Gamma sorority Monday night at 7:30 o'clock at the Lindsey theater. Hostesses will be Mesdames E. S. Hall, Dan Ethridge and Miss Ruth Castle.

Wartime Shortages To Be Discussed Monday By Dietitians Here

General topic to be discussed at the Lubbock Dietetics association which will meet Monday night at 7:30 o'clock at the nurses home of the St. Mary of the Plains hospital, 2609 Nineteenth street, with Sister Clement acting as hostess is "Wartime Shortages." Subtopics are to be "Shortages of Food" to be given by George Brown, food distribution administrator; "Shortages of Equipment," Mrs. T. F. Wiesen; and "Shortages of Personnel," Miss Mozelle Craddock.

Miss Lillian Johnson, dietitian at West Texas hospital, is to be chairman of the program.

The association will have Miss Beulah Becker Marble, former president o fthe National Dietetics association, as its speaker March 27.

Second Lesson To Be Given Before WSCS

Mrs. W. M. Craig will be study leader for the second lessbn on "The Church and American Peoples" to be given at St. John's Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

FOR NEEDLE CLUB

Friday Needle club met with Mrs. J. B. Pryor, 1010 Avenue M, with the following present: Mesdames O. C. Nevil, J. A. Fortenberry, Burch S. Burks, J. C. Stansell, sr., W. H. Trice, C. C. Burns, F. K. Mitchell, W. B. Sides, W. C. Barnett, W. E. Twitty and Minnie Fickas.

Silver Tea To Benefit Textbook Loan Fund Planned By Council

THE silver tea that is sponsored annually by the Women's Inter-Club council at Texas Technological college will be given for students and faculty members Wednesday night from 7:30 until 9:30 o'clock at the home management house on the campus. Proceeds are donated to the women's social club textbook loan library that was initiated in 1935 to aid women students who have to pay part or all of their college expenses.

On the council are the presidents and one elected member of each social club.

In Receiving Line

Dorothy Miskimmins, council vice-president, will greet guests at the door. Ophelia Mae Beall, president, Mrs. Mary W. Doak, dean of women, Miss Bonnie K. Dysart, sponsor of the council, Miss Frances Urban, Betty McCoy, president of Las Vivarachas club; Frances Ford, president of Ko Shari club; Jackie Wilkinson, president of DFD club; Maryjo Turner, president of Sans Souci club, and Anna Baker president of Las Chaparritas club, will be in the receiving line.

Mesdames Clifford B. Jones, James G. Allen, Eleanor Chitwood, and Miss Margaret W. Weeks will pour.

Moreene Roberts is to preside at the register. Lucille Melton, Betty Herring and Marguerite Nobles will serve in the dining room assisted by girls living in the home management house who are Glenondine Esmond, Christine Moore, Mary Hope Norfleet, Lucille McClellan, Ann Seguila, Mary Ellen Brown and Peggy Hess.



MRS. DOREWYN SHAVER

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Shaver-Drake Service Read

Miss Frances Drake, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Drake of Ropesville, became the bride of Lt. Dorewyn Shaver, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Shaver of Portales, N. M., Tuesday in a double ring ceremony read by Rev. J. H. Hamblin at the First Methodist church in Abilene.

The bride wore a lime colored suit with brown accessories.

Wedding guests were Misses Sybil White and Juanita Rosser, J. C. Chitwood and the bride's father and brother.

Mrs. Shaver graduated from Ropesville High school and attended Draughon's Business college.

Lt. Shaver attended Texas Technological college.

The couple is at home in Abilene where Lt. Shaver is stationed.

IN BRIDAL PARTY

Miss Julia Pohola of Massena, N. Y., and Pvt. Vernon K. Gates, stationed at Fort Dix, were married in Trenton, N. J., Feb. 13.

Sister of the bridegroom and Pfc. Oliver N. Keesee, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Keesee of 2432 Twenty-fourth street, were attendants. Pfc. Keesee now stationed at Fort Dix was home on a 15-day furlough in January.

Exhibit Of Water Colors Will Be Sponsored At Seaman Hall

THE public is invited to the open house and exhibit of water color paintings from the brush of Mrs. Mary Motz Wills of Atlanta, Ga., which will be sponsored by St. Paul's Episcopal church next Sunday from 1 until 9 p. m. at Seaman hall.

Hostesses will be from the woman's auxiliary of the church.

Over a period of 15 years, Mrs. Wills covered Georgia "from the mountains to the sea," painting that state's rich wild flower store in water colors. She slushed through the swamps of south Georgia and hunted the trailing arbutus in the hills of north Georgia and finally there was a collection of 600 paintings.

Has National Reputation

She has been described as the "Audubon of the flower world" and although her chief fame is in the painting of flowers, her collections have been exhibited in the American Museum of Natural History in New York, at the University of Pennsylvania, Harvard university and in cities throughout the country. She is included in "Who's Who in American Art."

Mrs. Wills is living in Abilene at present. Recently her collection of Texas wild fowers was purchased by the University of Texas for a permanent exhibit.

A silver offering will be taken at the exhibit to form the nucleus for a fund to purchase a pipe organ for the church. During the afternoon a musical program will be given by Cpl. Lawrence J. Hayford.

Auxiliary Will Elect Officers On Monday

Members of First Presbyterian Woman's auxiliary will elect officers and have a mission program Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock in Fellowship hall.

Mrs. Clark Mullican, 3109 Twentieth street, and Mrs. L. S. Mast, 1620 Avenue Q, left Saturday for Wichita Falls where Mrs. Jim Robinson, sister of Mrs. Mullican and sister-in-law of Mrs. Mast, is ill.



MRS. VERNE THOMPSON

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Vows Are Said In Post Chapel

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Tinsley of Tahoka are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Mrs. Lucille Tinsley Cheatham, to Lt. Verne Thompson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Thompson of Stockton, Calif., which took place recently in the chapel at Camp Hulen.

Mrs. William G. Lumsden of Wilson attended her sister as matron of honor and Lt. Jack Powell of Hollywood was best man.

A reception was held after the ceremony in the officers club.

Miss Lynetta Tinsley of Houston, a sister of the bride, was an out-of-town guest.

Lt. Thompson was an instructor in blind flying at Gardner Air field, Taft, Calif., before going to

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The Social Calendar

TODAY

South Plains Navy Mothers, 3 p. m., Hilton hotel.

MONDAY

Lubbock Dietetic association, 7:30 p. m., 2020 19th St., Miss Lillian Johnson, chairman.

OES, 8:15 p. m., Cocanougher cafeteria, forty-two party for members, families and friends.

Alpha Beta chapter of Kappa Gamma sorority, 7:30 p. m., theater party, Lindsey theater, Mesdames Dan Etheridge, R. P. Hall and Miss Ruth Castle, hostesses.

TUESDAY

Wives of Glider Pilots, 1:30 p. m., USO.

LAWS, 1 p. m., Red Cross.

Shakespeare club, 1:30 p. m., Red Cross.

South Plains Wives day at Red Cross.

Sunshine Needle club, all-day, Mrs. M. W. Waldron, 2608 29th St., quilting and covered dish luncheon.

WEDNESDAY

Pla-Mor Forty-Two club, 2:30 p. m., J. O. Wadsworth, 2512 25th St.

Women's Inter-Club Council, 7:30 until 9:30 p. m., home management house, Tech campus, silver tea.

LAWS, 3 p. m., USO.

LAAF Cadet Wives, 1 p. m., USO.

So and Such club, 3 p. m., First Christian church annex.

Timely Ten Needle club, 3 p. m., Mrs. Loyd Ricketts, 2111 6th St.

Sew-On club, 3:30 p. m., Mrs. Gene Leftwich, 2405 28th St.

Arnett-Benson Needle club, all day, Locust Street chapel, community invited, Mrs. Verne Morris, hostess.

L'Aiguilles Needle club, 3 p. m., Mrs. J. P. Rima, 2209 26th St.

Fit and Fashion club, 3 p. m., Mrs. Sam Leifeste, 1906 26th St.

Miscellaneous club, 2:30 p. m., Mrs. Howard Hunt, 1904 17th St.

Lubbock Business and Professional Women's club, 12 noon, Hilton hotel.

Loyalty club, 1:30 p. m., Red Cross.

A. A. U. W. Bookman groups, Units: 1, 7:30 p. m., Misses Hattie and Gertrude Herm, 2308 29th St., hostesses; 2, 7:30 p. m., Mrs. Charles Whitacre, 1905 29th St., Mrs. W. C. Watts and Miss Mozelle Cobb, assisting; 3, 7:30 p. m., Mrs. Tucker's tea room, 1502 Ave. R, Mrs. Vada Spence and Miss Lillain Johnson, hostesses; 5, 7:30 p. m., Miss Thelma Davidson, 1503 26th St.

Tech Women's Faculty club, 3 until 5 p. m., 2005 Broadway, Mesdames Earl L. Thompson, Jules De Launay, Paul Arnolds-Patron, Wendell Smith, Doyle D. Jackson, Mary W. Doak, J. Marvin Stpe, Thomas Taggart, J. O. Morgan, E. L. Cleavinger, J. B. White, Arch Lamb, Misses Bernice Borgman and Esther Sorensen, hostesses.

THURSDAY

DFD Founders' Day dinner, 6:30 p. m., Hilton.

VFW Auxiliary officers, 7:30 p. m., K-P hall.

Rebekah lodge, 7:30 p. m., IOOF hall.

Althrusa club, 7:30 p. m., directors meeting, 8 p. m., business, Dr. Pauline Miller, 1910 Ave. H.

Amiga club, 3 p. m., Mrs. J. A. Barton, 1304 Ave. L.

O. E. S. Study club, 7:30 p. m., Mrs. J. L. Abbott, 1922 27th St.

K. Carter P-T. A., 3:45 p. m., school.

Bud to Blossom club, 3:30 p. m., Mrs. Roy Wheeler, 1322 37th St.

Lubbock Junior Garden club, 3:15 p. m., Mrs. H. B. Bryan, 2003 28th St., Mrs. Garland Newsom, co-hostess.

1941 Needle club, 1 p. m., Red Cross.

Ace-Trey Forty-Two club, 1:30 p. m., Red Cross.

Wives of Glider Pilots, 9:30 a. m., Red Cross.

South Plains Dahlia society, 7:30 p. m., Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Weiss, 3412 21st St.

Klever Kraft Klub, 1:30 p. m., Red Cross, 4 p. m., Mrs. E. A. Tipton, 1908 18th St., social hour.

1938 Luncheon club, 1 p. m., Chimayo room, Hilton hotel, Mrs. E. T. Pope, hostess.

First Baptist Mary Martha class, 2:30 p. m., Mrs. C. A. Lawrence, 3505 21st St.

FRIDAY

Happy Hour Needle club, 3 p. m., Mrs. E. P. Norwood, 1311 Ave. Q, Mrs. Annie Steele, co-hostess.

SPAAF-ies, 1 p. m., USO, Mrs. J. W. Kliewer, hostess.

Nomands of Avrudaka (Shangri-La Santha), 8 p. m., K-P hall.

94 Forty-Two club, 2 p. m., Mrs. E. C. Allison, 2011 17th St.

Lubbock B-PW club, 7:30 p. m., Hotel Lubbock ballroom, benefit bridge party.

1930 Friendship club, 3 p. m., Talley tea room, Mesdames A. H. Crawford and Joe Hess, hostesses.

Loyalty club, all day, Mrs. C. H. Hudson, 2323 8th St.

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Mark Halsey and drug stores everywhere. Adv.

Miss Mona Pierce

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gave a luncheon Saturday noon at the Hilton hotel, having as guests several of the bride-elect's college friends.

Saturday afternoon between 4 and 6 o'clock Mesdames W. L. Morrison, W. F. Eisenberg, Olan Key and J. H. Stiles gave a tea and a china shower at the Key home, 2303 Eighteenth street, as a pre-bridal compliment to Miss Pierce.

About sixty guests were invited to call.

The refreshment table was set in a modernistic style in white and centered with an arrangement of rosebuds lighted with white tapers.



MRS. LEON M. KEENE

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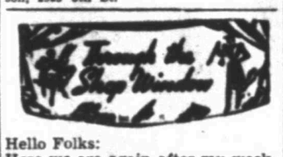
Leon Keenes Visit In Lorenzo Home

Capt. and Mrs. Leon M. Keene are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James M. Keene of Lorenzo. They were married in the Lago church in Aruba, Netherlands, West Indies, Jan. 25 at 5 o'clock in the afternoon. Mrs. Keene is the former Keren Fay Cross, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Coy Cross of Aruba.

Miss Marjorie Merwin of Aruba was the bride's attendant and Lt. A. P. Grider was best man. Ushers were officers of Capt. Keene's squadron stationed in the Caribbean theater.

The bride wore a white satin gown with drop shoulders and a hoop skirt. Her tulle veil was held by a halo of seed pearls and she carried white orchids on a prayer book. She is a graduate of Marjorie Webster School in Washington and attended Syracuse university, Syracuse, N. Y.

Capt. Keene is a graduate of Lubbock High school and a former student at Texas Technological college where he was a member of Silver Key club. He entered the Army Air Corps in April, 1941 and received his pilot's wings in December of that year. He has been stationed in the Caribbean theater for the past 19 months.



Hello Folks:

Here we are again after my weekly visit to the Decorators Studio. Everything was back to normal at the Studio this time with the exception of the uppacking that was going on. I could hardly get in the office for the new merchandise and there was a barrel of Wedgwood they hadn't had time to even notice.

Fredda really found and bought silver while she was gone. One of the services that had just arrived is an Old English plate in Georgian style — just the thing for your traditional home. Also, there is a Victorian service which all of you will know to use in your Victorian setting but Fredda does an extra trick and uses it with modern. You will be surprised the effect resulting from this combination. One of the most outstanding pieces is a covered meat dish which is fitting for traditional or modern. Those of you who might be interested in a fish set should see the old set of twelve knives and forks with bone handles. Too, there is a serving knife and fork with bone handles. If you like after dinner coffee cups but not the very small ones they have some that are larger and they are in the smartest of colors—grey plaid with just a touch of brick red.

I saw some new pictures — a pair of Dutch prints, hand tinted, velvet matted in gallery frames. The mat is in rich wine color and the frame has tones of warm red that adds to the dark frame. For a group of small pictures the original water-colors of French peasant studies in bright colors with wide gallery frames in light wood are a nice spot for any house.

Lillie, Fredda and Alma were looking forward to a visit with their family from Amarillo this weekend. Don, who is a Naval Aviation Reserve Student, is home for a few days before resuming studies at a new location. Of course, Kaye and Johnny will keep them all busy because they are two lively youngsters.

Will tell you more next week, Grandpa Nosey.

Birthday Cakes To Be Served At USO

Senior hostesses for the monthly birthday party sponsored at the USO today for soldiers whose birthdays come in February will be members of the Lubbock Army Air Field Ladies club and cakes baked by the women will be served during the afternoon between 2 and 5 o'clock.

A red, white and blue motif is to be featured in appointments.

Junior hostesses will be Tech girls.

Club members to serve are Mrs. Ralph E. Holmes and Mesdames Milton Wagenfuehr, Chester Slingerland, Gerald McCarty, James McIlyar, William Kindred, Laurence Lord, Marvin Bantz and Alvin Smith.

From Lou To Louella

DEAR LOUELLA: Betty Rae Furgeson is interested, and not a little, in Capt. Charles Howell, a flight surgeon at Langley field. . . . Maurice Hood will soon be wearing a midshipman's uniform at Southwestern Medical school and he is coming home next month. . . . It is rumored that Emmett Wood, who has gone to the Navy, won't leave Mary VanStory behind for long. . . . Soldier Jack Mathis cables and Sailor Wayland Beene, in China, writes Betty Hughs. . . . Pre-flight "Chuck" Sorenson has gone to Santa Anna. Nancy Neill plans to marry him. . . . Pre-flight Don McLeod has gone to Luke field, Ariz., but left his car for Ruth Fisher with agreements that she will go to his graduation and to his home in Louisiana with him to meet his family . . . From Pyote the other night came five second lieutenants—one was to see Mary Frances Powers. She got friends to go with the others.

Campus Sights: Madelyn Weeth and Troy Caldwell jovially gabbing. . . . Betty McDonald transporting friends, including Jean Goodloe, Ruth Anthony, Norma Croxton, Millie Coleman, Lib Schmidt, Sarah McDonald and Mary Langford, from book store to class. . . . Cute, red-headed Pherba Jordan. . . . Dortha Nell Dawkins changing from Army Air forces wings to Navy Air corps.

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MAIL FROM ENGLAND

Dear Lou: Today I read in a recent column of yours a little paragraph concerning Merle Sellers. Now Lou, I've been wondering a long time just what had become of our friend so be a pal and see how fast you can dig up her correct address for me.

She and I have a lot in common now that she has arrived in a part of the United Kingdom. I've been here in England so long now that saying sixpence makes more sense than saying 10 cents and instead of saying "let's have a coke," we just naturally say "let's have a spot of tea."

Be a pal and see what you can do for me. Yours,

S/Sgt. Albert R. Hill, 18076328
412th Bomb Sq.
95th Bomb. Gr. (H)
A.P.O. 634 c/o Postmaster
New York, New York.

If you know where Merle is please let me know or write Albert.

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TWO Letters that came Thursday from a sailor whom she hadn't heard from since Christmas were the panaces that put the sparkle back in Zelma Loe's eyes. . . . It seems that all cadets in class 44-D have nicknames—"Brillo" and "Cherub" are a couple of them. . . . Ed Poe has left Tech. . . . Fike Godfrey is the one who doesn't give the girls a chance. Why doesnt he? . . . Mary Ann Schmidt was hostess to her boy friend from Dallas last week. He used to be at LAAF. . . . The peroxided hair of George Brewer is becoming to him—a little. . . . Ezell Wallace sails the seas on a destroyer.

Home again are Mrs. John A. Roberts, jr., the former Georgia Neal Harris. . . . And F/O and Mrs. Bill Bryant. . . . Gone again are Lt. and Mrs. Galen Bradford who are now in Tallahassee, Fla. . . . and Mrs. Carroll Davis who is in Alamogordo, N. M. with Lt. Davis.

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Here And There

The engagement ring Maxine Wiese received Tuesday night from W. B. (Dub) Blankenship merits description. It has a one carat diamond with seven small diamonds on each side. . . . Wedding bells are to be ringing soon for a Tech professor . . . The annual junior prom was cancelled Wednesday because of club misunderstandings. . . . The Socii dance that wasn't held Friday cost plenty! Orchid corsages and expensive decorations had already been ordered. . . . One of the topics of discussion at a recent Tech junior class meeting was Betty McCoy, a senior. . . . Billy Thurman came home from the Navy in time to present his sister, Martha, at the Sub-Deb dance. . . . Basil Moss, who is in Navy V-12, is home from Lafayette, La., until Wednesday.

Love,
LOU.

End To Freight Rate Discrimination Seen

DALLAS, Feb. 26 (AP)—H. K. Thatcher, executive director of the Arkansas agricultural and industrial commission, said here today he believed that freight-rate "discrimination" against the South and West will soon be relieved through action of the Interstate Commerce commission or through legislation.

The pressure of business done here, he said, will in itself be sufficient to bring about the adjustments.

Thatcher, here for a meeting of business and industrial leaders, predicted the greatest population increase in the Southwest, with corresponding industrial development, that this nation has seen.

Post Wedding

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Camp Davis, N. C., after he transferred to coast artillery anti-aircraft.

The couple is at home at Palacios.

Approximately 60,000 marriage ceremonies are conducted in New York City annually.

Club Party Is To Benefit Dayroom

Lubbock Business and Professional Women's club is sponsoring a benefit party Friday, beginning at 7:30 o'clock in the ballroom of Hotel Lubbock and proceeds will go toward furnishing and refinishing the dayroom for men who play in the band at South Plains Army Air field.

Bridge, forty-two, hearts, rummy and other table games will be diversions. During the evening, instrumental music will be furnished by Lt. Alfred Kahm, accompanied by Miss Marion Chandler and several band members will play.

Tickets are being sold by club members for 35 cents each.

Hostesses will be Misses Beth Holland, Tommie Rawdon, Minnie Schneider, Mattie Sue Howell, Winifred Hay and Beth Holland and Mrs. Ruby Stewart.

Mrs. W. A. McGee is to make the tallies. A concessions stand will be operated by Mesdames Anna Mae Webb, Sue Prewitt and Misses Ann Kelly, Ruth Kirksey and Lucille Coltharp.

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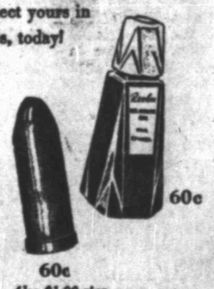
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Prayer Week Will Be Observed By Baptist Women

The Women's Missionary society of the First Baptist church will begin a Week of Prayer program Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the church chapel using the theme, "The Way, the Truth, and the Life." Programs will also be given Tuesday and Thursday afternoons and Wednesday night at 7:30 o'clock.

Monday afternoon Mrs. W. H. Trice will review "Christianity, Our Citadel" (Roland Q. Leavell). A social hour will follow in the activities center.

A program on the subject, "Where Cross the Crowded Ways," will be given by the Blanche Groves circle Tuesday afternoon.

Wednesday night negroes will give a program.

"Where Peoples Wait the Light" will be given by the Lucille Reagan circle Thursday afternoon.

The nursery is to be open Tuesday and Thursday afternoons at 3 o'clock.

Dickens County Enters Agricultural Contest

SPUR, Feb. 26 (Special) — Dickens county's initial step in post-war planning was taken here when the Spur Chamber of Commerce voted to enter the inter-county agricultural production and improvement contest, sponsored by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

The decision to enter the contest was taken at a meeting of a representative group of chamber of commerce members and business men in the Duck Creek Soil Conservation office, when the nucleus of a county planning board was named.

Named to head the board was Charles A. Taylor, county agricultural agent. Other members named to the planning board were Ray Dickson, Walter O'Neal, Ray Penn, Walter Labay, E. H. Boedeker, M. L. Rickles, Hubert Karr, Olan Arthur, H. U. Butts, Clark Forbis, Robert McAteer, F. B. Crockett, D. Burns, Floy Watson, E. L. Shugart, Bob Hahn, Loyd Hindman, Carl Proctor, W. T. Andrews, Ed White, J. B. Reeds, Agnes M. Marrs, Louie S. Jeffers, Reece McNeill, Roy Stovall, Lawis Lee and W. F. Gilbert.

Chairman for various committees will be named in the near future.

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Goal For State Is Million Gardens

"A million gardens in Texas is the goal for 1944. That will be 120,000 more gardens than in 1943," Miss Clara Pratt, county home demonstration agent, Texas A. and M. College Sxtension service, said in explaining the garden campaign.

In spite of 880,000 victory gardens in Texas last year, Texas did not grow enough vegetables to meet war needs and feed themselves a satisfactory diet either for war time or peace time. They had to do without or ship in from the outside quantities equivalent to 30 per cent of what they grew in 1943.

"Texans must grow more vegetables in 1944," Miss Pratt explained.. "The fighting forces need more; our allies need more; there will be more liberated peoples to feed as our fighters achieve victories. Civilians will need more vegetables from victory gardens. They will need some to compensate for shortages of some other foods. They need more for normal good health."

How can victory gardeners make all gardens yield more? Here are a few suggestions:

Make better planting plans; select better garden sites, where possible; prepare the soil well — plow or spade; use fertilizer if needed; use varieties best suited for this section and use good seeds; treat the seed better — roll some, soak some, disinfect, inoculate, plant in good seed bed, tuck in tight; grow more vigorous plants and handle well and cultivate to keep down weeds.

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Adv

Woman's Angle

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surely Greer Garson, too, is grateful, for she has shared Colman's success.

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HOW IT HAPPENED — Those who heard Lt. Richard Chamberlain sing The Lord's Prayer during the weekly concert staged by the band at Lubbock Army Air field may have wondered how it happened no applause, only reverent stillness, greeted the "Amen." The writer was especially interested because she has winced on several occasions when celebrities have sung the prayer before Lubbock audiences (Gladys Swarthout, for one) only to be greeted with prolonged applause when the final notes died.

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When the program was prepared, the question was submitted to Col. Ralph E. Holmes. There seems to be no set etiquette on whether or not one applauds after hearing The Lord's Prayer but the commanding officer decided this was one time when an audience would be asked to remain silent.

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Everyone complied. And if you happened to be fortunate enough to hear the young baritone's song you'll agree it was a beautiful tribute.

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BACK in July, 1942, **Capt. Bill Bayless**, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Bayless, 918 Avenue K, was among a group of U. S. fliers forced down on an Arctic ice cap because of a storm over the area. Capt. Bayless, then a lieutenant, took some pictures of the group of seven planes forced down and other pictures of his crew and their plane. He gave the pictures to his father months later and said the story of the incident and the fliers' rescue could not be told until War department approval was given. The story is being told in a three-part series "War Below Zero," by Bernt Balchen and Corey Ford, in Collier's magazine. Mr. Bayless, reading the articles, noticed the number on one of the planes, got out the pictures his son had given him and it was Capt. Bayless' ship, No. 19101, which was pictured in the Collier's article. Third part of the story appeared in this week's edition of the magazine which told of the fliers' rescue after eight days and was climaxed by the bombing of a Nazi Greenland base and the expulsion of the enemy from their first foothold on our continent. The Nazi base had given the fliers false radio reports on the weather. At the request of the authors, entire royalties of the articles have been donated to the Army Air Forces Aid Society, Inc., to be used for postwar assistance of Air Corps personnel and their dependents. Capt. Bayless is no stationed at Colorado Springs, Colo.



BAYLESS

A single iceberg sometimes contains enough ice to cover an entire square mile to a depth of 500 feet.

Elizabeth Hawes Says Women Look Awful And Look At The Tempest She Stirred

By CYNTHIA LOWRY

NEW YORK, Feb. 26. (AP)—The women who design for women, the women themselves and the men who date them think Elizabeth Hawes is all wrong.

The former dress designer said in Chicago that "women generally look awful," because the men are gone and they've no one to dress for.

"Pfui," commented Harry Conover, whose photographer's models indicate his eye for feminine pulchritude. "I interview about 50 women a day. They've never looked better. That's the way they're keeping up their morale."

Defense By Lilly Dache

Lilly Dache, whose millinery creations adorn some of the nation's most famous heads, exclaimed:

"Women have never been better groomed or more feminine. There are more clinging vines now because women want to be with men more and consequently they are taking more pains."

Mary Martin, one of the stars of the Broadway success "One Touch of Venus," confessed she was perplexed.

"I don't know whom Miss Hawes dresses for," she said, "but I dress for myself as well as for others. Certainly women are not going to seed—look at their hats; they're blooming. With men coming and going as they are, the women are even improving their standards to meet the competition."

More Male Chimes In

Her co-star, Kenny Baker, chimed in with a civilian male's succinct opinion: "Women are still dressing to please men. A good-looking leg is still a good-looking leg, in nylon or net. The present models look as good as the pre-war ones to me."

The reaction of Helena Rubenstein, maker of beauty preparations was one of shock.

"I'm surprised at Miss Hawes for making such a remark," she said firmly. "In the first place women have always dressed more for women than for men. There's a little jealousy there and besides, women have much better taste than men. But what proves she's wrong is that we could sell today 50 times the amount of cosmetics we're able to get."

"Plenty Of Men Around"

A man whose business is a 24-hour a day watch for beauty flatly contradicted Miss Hawes.

"Women are paying just as much attention to themselves," said Boris Kaplan, Paramount pictures' chief talent scout. "They don't dress for men—and besides there are still plenty of smart up-to-date men around."

Two unidentified sailors strolling on fifth avenue commented in true seamen's style.

"Hi, Babe," they chorused.

Novel Parties

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Watson, Dorothy Cantrell, Betty Cope, Estelle DeBusk, Gwen Edwards, Lou Greene, Fae Beth Hill, LaVerne Legate, Bernice Nicks. Ruth Yows, and Elizabeth McCleary.

Pledges to attend are Jonnie Belsher, Christina Eller, Margie Marrow, Pherba Jordan, Wynell Eskridge, Mary Findley, Barbara Morris and Mary Sue Osborne.

Billie Jean Adair Weds S-Sgt. Webb

Miss Billie Jean Adair, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Adair of Denver City and S/Sgt. Kirk Webb of Dallas were married at the Humble Recreation hall Feb. 6.

The ceremony was read while the couple stood beneath an arch covered with white candytuft and red roses. An American flag was in the background.

Miss Carroll Jeanne Gray sang "At Dawning" and Mrs. G. D. Tate played Mendlessohn's Wedding march.

Attendants were Miss Margaret Dempsey and Sgt. Boudette who is stationed in Lubbock.

The bride who was given in marriage by her father wore a copen blue suit with fuchsia accessories. For something old she wore a gold locket which has been in the family for three generations. She carried a white Bible and a bouquet of orchids.

Mrs. Webb attended Texas Technological college.

After a reception at the home of the bride's parents, the couple left for Lubbock where Sgt. Webb is stationed. They are at home at 1612 Eighteenth street.

News Briefs

The War department made public late Friday the names of 141 United States soldiers wounded in action, including Pfc. Early J. Brincefield, son of John W. Brincefield of Tulia.

Miss Ruth Dupree has resigned from Roscoe Wilson school where she taught music for the last four years and is leaving for Amarillo where she will be on the Junior High school faculty.

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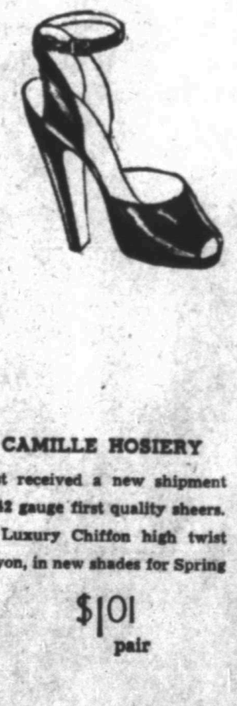
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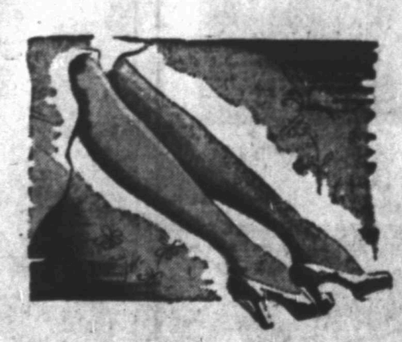
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Speaking Choir Program Is Set

The Presbyterian Speaking choir, composed of 35 Texas Tech students, will present "To This End I Have Been Born," their first production for this year tonight at the First Presbyterian church at 8 o'clock.

Its lines are composed principally of verses of Holy Scripture linked together into a story of personal evangelism. It was written in 1941 by Rev. W. Jack Lewis, who was then director of student work at the First Presbyterian church.

The presentation is being made as a tribute to Jack Lewis, now a Navy chaplain in the South Pacific. This production was the second written by him while he was in Lubbock.

Ten Productions Written

In the five years of the life of the Presbyterian Speaking Choir, ten complete productions have been written, including "Our Last Armistice," "The Resurrection," "Christ's Mould of Prayer (The Lord's Prayer)," "From Darkness to Light," presented in Memphis, Tenn., in December 1941; and others. Last year's original production was "Land of Liberty," written by the present student director, Bill Foster.

Choral speaking had its beginning when, in the ancient Greek plays, groups spoke lines simultaneously to represent the voice of a mob or crowd. Not until recent years has choral speaking taken its place again in drama and radio. Examples of its modern use can be found in "Ballad for Americans." It is now used in making newscasts more vivid, as in "The March of Time" programs. As a method of presenting religious teachings, choral speaking has only touched the fringe of its opportunities.

Pioneer Group In Field

The Presbyterian Speaking choir has been one of the pioneering groups in this field. At its beginning five years ago, there was only one other organization of its kind in the United States. Copies of scripts written here and information notes about its organization have been sent to groups in more than 20 states, and now speaking choirs are well known as one of the greatest methods of utilizing a large number of people in one project.

In the production at the First Presbyterian church tonight, lighting and sound effects are added to enhance the beauty and color of the production. A combination of rhythm, music and sound, requiring many hours of rehearsal, are produced as a unified message. This year's choir has been practicing seven weeks. The production will begin at 8 o'clock and is open to the public, without charge.

Betty Walling, senior Tech student from Amarillo, and one of the choir's members for four years, is president. Jean Northcutt of Silverton is secretary and librarian. The choir is under the direction of Bill Foster. The leader is Dell McComb of Big Spring, and group leaders are Charlotte Lewis of Hamlin and Ednita Long of Esperanza.

What's Doing in the Churches

First Baptist church, Main street and Avenue N, Dr. C. E. Hereford, pastor.
Morning worship, 9:45 a. m.; pastor's subject, "The Christian and the Amusement Question."
Training union, 6:30 p. m.
Evening worship, 7:45 p. m.; duet, "I Am Satisfied With Jesus," by Sgt. and Mrs. Jas. O. Shelton; quartet, "Let the Lower Lights Be Burning," by Jerry Smyth, John Ewing, Ted Crager, and Claude Burrows; cornet solo, "Near to the Heart of God," by Ted Crager; sermon, "At Lubbock — In Christ," by Aviation student Rev. Robert A. Crowford.

Foursquare Gospel church, Eighth street and Avenue Q, Rev. Floyd Dawson, pastor.
Radio service, 9:30 a. m.
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 11 a. m.; Rev. Herbert Dingee will speak at 12th Anniversary meeting.
Community sing, 2 p. m.
Crusader service, 6:45 p. m.
Evangelistic message, 7:45 p. m.
Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:45 p. m.
Divine Healing service, Saturday, 7:45 p. m.

St. Elizabeth's Catholic church, Main street and Avenue W, Rev. Wm. F. Blakeslee, pastor.
Sunday masses, 8, 9:30, 11 a. m.
Evening service, 7:30 p. m.
Weekday mass, 7 and 8 a. m.
Wednesday evening service, 7:30 p. m.
Friday service, 7:30 p. m.
Confessions, Saturday, 4-6 p. m. — 7-8 p. m.
Radio service, Wednesday, 9:15 p. m.; subject, "Sermons in Miniature"; KFYO

First Christian church, Broadway and Avenue X, Rev. H. G. Gants, pastor.
Church school, 9:45 a. m.; George Deardorff, superintendent.
Morning service, 10:50 a. m.; pastor's subject, "The Eloquence of an Elbow."
Evening young people's programs, 6:30 p. m.
Evening service, 7:30 p. m.; sermon, "The Disciples of Christ Meeting Humanities Hunger;" This service marks final service in the Week of Compassion being observed by all Christian churches; Fellowship hour will follow service.

Congregational Methodist church, Fifth street and Avenue C, Rev. W. E. Bruce, pastor.
Sunday school, 10 a. m.
Morning service, 11 a. m.
Children's meeting, 7 p. m.
YPL, 7:30 p. m.
Evangelistic service, 8 p. m.
Prayer meeting and Bible study, Wednesday, 8 p. m.

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints (Mormon), 2227 Nineteenth street.
Priesthood meeting, 9 a. m.
Sunday school, 10 a. m.
Sacrament service, 11 a. m.

Relief society, Monday, 3 p. m., 2607 Twenty-second street.

Calvary Baptist church, Eighteenth street and Avenue T, Rev. C. J. McCarty, pastor.
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; Rayford Tanner, superintendent.
Morning worship, 10:50 a. m.; pastor's subject, "The Loneliness of Sin."
Training union, 6:45 p. m.; O. C. Higgins, directing.
Evening worship, 8 p. m.; pastor's subject, "Saving Souls from Death."
Teachers meeting, Wednesday, 8 p. m.
Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 8:30 p. m.

First Presbyterian church, Fourteenth street and Avenue N, Rev. J. M. Lewis, D. D., pastor.
Sunday school, 10 a. m.; Ray C. Mowery, superintendent.
Morning worship, 10:57 a. m.; pastor's subject, "Brethren, Pray For Us;" Mrs. J. J. Johnson of New York will be guest organist.
Tech Presbyterian Speaking choir will present, "To This End Have I Been Born" by W. Jack Lewis, in the auditorium at 8 p. m.

Asbury Methodist church, Avenue T and Twentieth street, Dr. C. A. Bickley, pastor.
Church school, 9:45 a. m.; E. D. Smallin, superintendent.
Morning worship, 10:55 a. m.; sermon, "The Watchman."
Youth fellowship group, 6:45 p. m.
Evening worship, 7:30 p. m.; Sing-song directed by A. D. Leonard; sermon, "The Christian's Goal Line."

Cumberland Presbyterian church, Tenth street and Avenue. O, Rev. Brown C Welch, pastor.
Radio service, 8:45 a. m.
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; Forest L. Rankin, superintendent.
Morning worship, 11 a. m.; sermon, "Divine Sufficiency."
Young people's hour, 6:30 p. m.
Evening worship, 7:30 p. m.; sermon, "Divine Providence."
Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

Christian and Missionary Alliance church, Sixteenth street and Avenue J.
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; M. F. Flake, superintendent.
Morning worship, 11 a. m.; James Comstock, graduate of St. Paul Bible institute, will speak.
Evangelistic service, 8 p. m.; James Comstock will speak.
Mid-week prayer meeting, Wednesday, 8 p. m.
Praise service, Thursday, 8 p. m.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, 2222 Broadway.
Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; for pupils under the age of 20.
Church service, 11 a. m.; subject, "Christ, Jesus."
Wednesday evening service, 8 p. m.; Testimonies of healing and remarks on Christian Science will be given.

First Methodist church, Broadway at Avenue M, Dr. H. I. Robinson, pastor.
Church school, 9:40 a. m.; J. C. Reynolds, superintendent.
Morning worship, 10:50 a. m.; solo, "I Walked Today Where Jesus Walked," by Lt. Richard Chamberlain; pastor's subject, "Mount Pisgah's Lofty Height."
Sunday Evening club, 6 p. m.
Youth fellowship, 6:45 p. m.
Evening service, 7:30 p. m.; quartet, "My Father Is Rich," by Lamar Jackson, Sequoyah Perry, Mary Ann Dykes and Mary Belle Richards; pastor's subject, "Lost Angel."

Locust Street Chapel, North Second and Adams in the Arnett-Benson addition, Rev. Wm. H. Foster, jr., pastor.
Sunday school, 10 a. m.; J. P. Mills, superintendent.
Morning worship, 11 a. m.; pastor's subject, "God's Landmarks."
No evening service — congregation will attend the Tech speaking choir at the First Presbyterian church.

St. John's Methodist church, Fourteenth street and Avenue X, Rev. Alsie H. Carleton, pastor.
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; Marion Sanford, superintendent.
Morning worship, 10:55 a. m.; sermon, "The Most Tragic Separation."
High school and college youth fellowship, 6:30 p. m.
Evening worship, 7:30 p. m.; solo by Miss Marjorie Martin; Dr. L. N. Lipscomb, district superintendent of Lubbock district, will speak.

St. Paul's - on - the - Plains Episcopal church, Sixteenth street at Avenue X.
John A. Winslow, rector.
Holy communion, 8 a. m.
Church school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning prayer and sermon, 11 a. m.
YPSL, 6:30 p. m.

Messiah Presbyterian church (Colored), Seventeenth street and Avenue B, M. H. Wilkinson, pastor.
Bible school, 10 a. m.; Mrs. M. E. White, superintendent.
Morning service, 11 a. m.; pastor's subject, "The Preventive Power of God's Word."
Christian endeavor, 7 p. m.; Mrs. E. L. Sedberry, president.
Evening service, 8 p. m.
Mission society, Monday, 3:30 p. m.
Choir practice, Monday, 8 p. m.
Mid-week prayer service, Wednesday, 8:30 p. m.



BRIGADIER APPOINTED—Announcement is made by Commissioner Wm. C. Arnold, territorial commander of the Salvation Army, of the appointment of Brigadier Ray Gearing as state commander of the Army in Texas and Mexico. Brigadier Gearing succeeds Lt.-Colonel W. G. Gilks, who held the position eight years. Brigadier Gearing has been a Salvation Army officer for 25 years and before coming to Texas held the position of state commander for the organization in Georgia and Alabama.

Church Notes

Guy N. Woods, who has completed a series of revival meetings in the lower Rio Grande valley, will resume his regular pulpit today at the South Side Church of Christ. Woods has been away from his pulpit for the past three weeks, while young preachers of the congregation have filled the pulpit.

Lenten weeky schedule for St. Paul's Episcopal church has been announced by Rev. John A. Winslow, rector, as follows: Tuesdays, 10 a. m.; Saints' days, holy communion and meditation. Wednesdays, 1:30 p. m.; Bible class with Mrs. L. G. H. Williams as teacher. Thursdays, 7 a. m.; Holy communion and students' breakfast. Thursdays, 7:30 p. m.; Litany and instruction on what the church stands for. There will be weekly meetings of the three units in the Woman's auxiliary for usual study classes held on Monday afternoons.

Week's Church Society Calendar

MONDAY

Arnett-Benson Bible class, 3 p. m., Mrs A. R. Pendley, 2708 Ruby St.

Circle for Service Men's Wives, 2 p. m., Mrs. J. G. Shelton, 1888 19th St.

First Cumberland Adult W. M. S., 3 p. m., 1610 10th St.

Lydia circle of Cumberland Presbyterian W. M. S., 7:30 p. m., 1610 10th St.

First Presbyterian Woman's auxiliary, 3:30 p. m., church.

Central Baptist W. M. S. circles, 3 p. m., church.

College Avenue Baptist W. M. S., 1:30 p. m., church.

Calvary Baptist W. M. S., 3:15 p. m., church.

Asbury Methodist W. S. C. S., 3 p. m., church.

Nazarene W. F. M. S., 1:30 p. m., Red Cross.

First Baptist Business Women's Circle, 7:30 p. m., Mrs. C. E. Roberts, 3001 19th St.

St. John's Methodist W. S. C. S., 3 p. m., church, Mrs. W. M. Craig, study leader.

First Methodist W. S. C. S., 3 p. m., church.

First Christian Church Woman's council, circles: 1 and 2, 9:30 a. m., Mrs. C. C. Files, 3115 21st St.; 3, 3 p. m., Mrs J. H. Brock, 1830 Dixie Drive; 4, 3 p. m., Mrs. S. S. McKay, 2009 20th St.; 5, 3 p. m., Mrs. N. D. Phillips, 1626 16th St., Mesdames J. Will Moore and Oldham Franklin, hostesses; 6, 3 p. m., Mrs. W. H. Hooper, 1930 22nd St.

First Baptist W. M. S., 3 p. m., church chapel.

TUESDAY

Mrs. Tarwater's Bible class, 7:45 p. m., Old Christian church, 16th St. and Ave. J.

Rebekah class, First Baptist church, 2 p. m., Red Cross.

First Baptist W. M. S., 3 p. m., church chapel.

WEDNESDAY

Mrs. Trice's Bible class, 3:30 until 3:30 p. m., 2114 16th St.

Mrs. Tarwater's Bible class, 4 p. m., Cumberland Presbyterian church.

First Baptist church TEL class, 1 p. m., Activities center.

First Baptist church Alathean class, 3 p. m., Mrs. Bill Pendley, 3622 24th St.

THURSDAY

East Side Baptist W. M. S., 3:30 p. m., church.

First Baptist church Euzelian class, 1 p. m., Activities center.

St. John's Methodist W. S. C. S., 9 a. m., Red Cross.

First Baptist W. M. S., 3 p. m., church chapel.

FRIDAY

First Baptist church Evangel class, 8 p. m., Mrs. William H. Kindred, 2220 19th St., social.

St. Elizabeth's Altar society, 9:30 a. m., Red Cross.

Four Square Church Marks Twelfth Anniversary Today

Twelve years ago, Rev. Floyd Dawson, his wife and three children moved to Lubbock.

They had a full-size bed and a baby bed, $8 and an uncertain car.

The minister and his wife didn't have any springs for their bed, so spread their mattress on the bed's slats, put the baby in the only other bed, tucked the other two kids in on a pallet, said prayers over them — then snapped off the light so they could dress for bed without being observed through shadeless windows of the residence someone allowed them rent-free.

Their evangelical plans — and the topography of their mattress —kept them awake. They would build a church of the Foursquare Gospel congregation, and an assembly place.

Building Valued At $25,000

Today they will observe their 12th anniversary — in a rock and stucco building valued at more than $25,000. What's more, they will be able with pride to account for another accomplishment of their congregation, a $6,000 parsonage that has springs on every bed, shades on every window.

And only $3,500 indebtedness hangs over the entire plant.

Mr. and Mrs. Dawson have wrought much of the structural progress with their own hands. First meeting of the few persons who went to hear Mr. Dawson read prayer services was in a private residence. Then a building of sorts was rented. "Then we built our first 'church', a sort of arbor closed in with gunny sacks." Then the first unit of what was to become three units was built of lumber "traded for" when an old garage was torn down. It still may be seen, a laundry at Tenth street and Avenue Q. The snow filtered into the unsealed building, and the wind scarcely paused as it went through —but the beginning was made.

Two Additions To Structure

The two additions to the old structure were prophetic of Mr. Dawson's procedure over the years. He's forever and a day adding to his church. And the parsonage has been moved three times to accommodate church enlargement. Right now, the parsonage is for sale, so that the church's debt may be retired. His congregation does business that way — and keeps down construction expenses by pitching in armed with saws and hammers and trowels.

It was five years ago that the congregation moved into the new church, but since that date there has been added a 60x50 basement and, over that, a two-story chapel. So that the church now, 50x147½ feet, may be said to be three-story over part of its sprawling floor space.

Mr. Dawson is not one to read into his church's success any appreciable factor of his own agency. "God has been good to us," he'll invariably say.

Cites Specific Instances

He will cite specific instances. Once when he needed to enlarge the church, he saw it would be preferable to have a nearby lot. But the lot had been sold to the late Asa May, who planned to put a duplex apartment house there.

A friend of the church went to May. "That preacher could use that lot," he suggested. May, who admittedly could have sold the lot for twice what he had paid for it, "knocked off $50 of the price he had paid and let us have it."

Today, there will be services from 9:30 o'clock in the morning until into the night. Rev. Herbert Dingee of Kansas City, Mo., will speak at the 11 o'clock morning hour, on "Following Through." At noon, there will be dinner on the ground. At the night service, commencing at 7:45, Mr. Dawson will outline "some of the hardships and joys of starting a new work here."

Miss Mae Murfee will be guest speaker at the Horn Men's Bible class at the First Methodist church this morning.

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Lubbock Horses To Enter Show

At least six horses from Lubbock county will be entered in the horse show held in connection with the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth March 10-19.

Horses owned by Luther Godwin, Dr. V. V. Clark, J. A. Stinson and the Bowman estate are certain entries, with the possibility of others being entered.

McDonald Diamond, owned by Luther Godwin and trained by R. Butler, manager and trainer of the Avalon stables on Avenue P, will be entered in the show. In 1943 this horse won the five-gaited class in the Gladewater horse show. In the same show he tied for second place in the five-gaited combination class and placed third in the stake.

Kalarama Shadow Outstanding

Kalarama Shadow, junior mare owned by Dr. Clark and also trained by Butler; will be one of the outstanding Lubbock entries. This horse was crowned grand champion in the two-year-old class at the 1942 Fort Worth show. The same year, she tied for second place in the ladies fine harness class at Alexandria, La., and tied for third place in mares, all ages class; at North Kansas City, Mo., she tied for first place in the two-year-old harness class, placed second in the 3-year-old fine harness class and third in the fine harness stakes; and at Memphis, Tenn., placed first in the 2-year-old fine harness class and tied for second in the ladies fine harness class.

Hour of Charm, also owned by Dr. Clark and trained by Butler, has had a very impressive record. In 1940 and 1941 she placed first at the American Royal Horse Show in Kansas City, Mo. In 1942 she was crowned grand champion of the Alexandria, La., horse show and the North Kansas City show. At Memphis, Tenn., the same year, she tied for second place in the model class at Memphis, Tenn.

Two Bowman Entries

Two horses of the J. W. Bowman estate, Stonewall Chief, five-gaited gelding, and President Lincoln, trotting horse, will be entered by Jess C. Levens, local horse fancier. Both these horses have won prizes recently at Houston, Dallas and Gladewater.

Another Lubbock horseman, J. A. Stinson, plans to enter Madame Chiang Kai-Shek, four-year-old Tennessee walking horse. She has won two blue ribbons in her three times to be shown. She won first place last year at Waco and Amarillo shows. She is trained and shown by Stinson.

Horse show judges for the Fort Worth show include Douglas M. Davis, Lexington, Ky., who will pass out the ribbons for three and five-gaited saddle horses, roadsters and hackney ponies, and W. H. Davis, Wartrace, Tenn., walking horses. The Palomino and quarter horse judge will be announced later, according to Secretary-Manager Davis of the show.

Adm. Hart To Record Kimmel-Short Affair

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26 (AP) — Secretary Knox announced today assignment of Admiral Thomas C. Hart to record testimony of naval officers acquainted with the situation "pertinent to the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor on December 7, 1941."

Rear Admiral Husband E. Kimmel and Maj. Gen. Walter C. Short, commanding Naval and Army air forces in the area at that time, have been accused of dereliction of duty. They have waived statute of limitation regulations so that they may be called before a court martial when the war situation permits.

Knox said the gathering of testimony was decided upon "to see that the whole truth is revealed when the case is brought up for trial."

He said at a news conference that some of the officers who served at Pearl Harbor may die in action, and "we want to have the testimony available" in that event.



TECH TO MARKET YEARLING STEERS—Yearling Steers (above) are a few of 40 experimental steers of Texas Technological college that are to be marketed at the Fort Worth Fat Stock show in Fort Worth March 10-19. In the foreground is W. L. Stangel, professor and head of the department of Animal Husbandry at Texas Tech, who will go to Fort Worth with the steers. These yearlings were bought in the fall of 1942 and carried as stockers until fall, 1943. They grazed on milo 42 days, and are now being finished in dry lots.

Sulfa Drugs Effective For Treating Stock

FORT WORTH, Feb. 26 (AP) — Continued development of uses for sulfa drugs in treatment of livestock diseases will play an important part in making these "wonder preparations" available at low cost for treatment of human sufferers after the war, Mark Welsh, director of the veterinary division of Tederle laboratories, Pearl River, N. Y., predicted here today.

Welsh, former director of the livestock sanitary service of Maryland, was a speaker on the program of the State Veterinary Medical association, which opened a two-day session here.

The same, Welsh said, will be true of the newer "miracle" drugs, penicillin and patulin.

Welsh said some of the sulfonamides have proved extremely effective against animal diseases, but their use is limited by war demands for the drugs and the price of some of them is still prohibitive.

As soon as the full range of their use is determined, Welch predicted, the sulfa drugs will prove highly valuable in lowering the nation's annual $500,000,000 loss from livestock diseases.

Nelson Pleased At Progress Of Plants

HOUSTON, Feb. 26 (AP) — Chairman Donald M. Nelson of the War Production board said today that he was "greatly impressed at the progress which has been made in Texas in the manufacture of high octane gasoline and synthetic rubber."

In a brief interview Nelson said that "Texas is an important supplier of these two commodities and the progress which has thus far been made is, I am sure, only a forerunner of what can be expected in the future when the facilities now under construction are placed in operation."

Nelson and PB Vice Chairman Charles E. Wilson arrived from Beaumont where they inspected facilities for manufacturing aviation gasoline and synthetic rubber.

With Rubber Administrator Bradley Dewey and Bruce K. Brown, assistant deputy administrator of the Petroleum Administration for War, they will inspect war installations in this area today and Sunday.

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Crosbyton Is Planning For Red Cross Drive

CROSBYTON, Feb. 26 (Special) —The American Red Cross War Fund drive will begin here on March 1, and will continue throughout the month, according to Joe Parks, county chairman of the drive. Crosby county's quota is $6,200, more than double that of last year. However, the urgent demands on the Red Cross are several times greater now than they were a year ago, he said.

D. A. Edwards has been named local chairman for the drive. He was chairman of the drive last year. The drive committee will probably be the same as last year.

ALUMINUM IN CHINA

NEW YORK, Feb. 26 (AP)—The Chungking radio said today aluminum is being produced in Yunnan province for the first time in China's mining history. The broadcast was recorded by U. S. government monitors.

Ants live as long as five years.

Navajo Indians make their own soap from the roots of the desert yucca.

Attendance Increasing At Slaton Revival

Attendance at the revival at the Slaton Foursquare Gospel church being conducted by Evangelist W. J. Lucas of Austin, is increasing daily, according to pastor, Rev. Welton W. Parrish.

Services are being held each morning at 10:30 o'clock and each evening at 8 o'clock.

Sermon subject Sunday morning will be, "How A Christian Made Seven Million Dollars in Fifteen Years." Sunday evening the topic will be, "The End of the World and You." Other sermons scheduled are: Monday evening, "The News Behind the News"; Tuesday evening, "Twin Hells"; Wednesday evening, "Will Jesus Personally Live On the Earth Again?"; Thursday evening, "The Bridegroom and the Bride"; Friday evening, "Seven Ducks In a Muddy Stream."

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HOW TO CURE A STICKY WAFFLE IRON

A waffle generally sticks because of improper preheating or insufficient shortening in the batter. When this happens, remove particles left on grid with wire brush. Then cover the grids with a thin film of salad oil or melted unsalted fat. Let grids heat until they smoke, pour batter and discard first waffle.

1 Heat iron to right temperature before pouring batter.

2 Wipe grids lightly with soft cloth or paper towel after each use. Don't wash grids.

3 Cool iron with lid up—never while closed or grids will discolor.

SOME OTHER HINTS ON WAFFLE IRON CARE

How to conserve eyesight and light!



Eyesight and light are both vital to the winning of the war. Conserve both by following these six easy suggestions:

1. Clean lamp bulbs and reflectors regularly with a damp cloth. Dry thoroughly before using.
2. Use shades with white linings to reflect light instead of absorbing it.
3. Keep all lights properly shaded to avoid glare.
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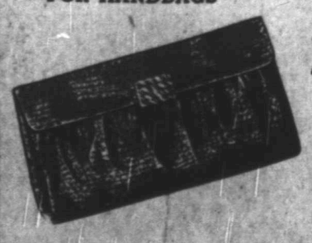


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News From The Boys Serving In The Armed Forces Of Uncle Sam

Coast Guardsman Of Morton Dodges Death 4 Times In Landing

ABOARD A COAST GUARD ASSAULT TRANSPORT (Delayed)—Death snapped at the heels of **Ben H. McCulloch**, Morton, Texas, a U. S. Coast Guard machine gunner, four times in one day as the Higgins boat to which he was assigned successfully completed a dangerous mission in Kwajalein lagoon, hours before the main attack on Roi and Namur Islands in the Marshalls.

The crew didn't realize its danger as it prepared for the landing until bullets began to whine over their heads. The men sought safety below the combing of the boat and resumed their work as soon as the fire from the shore ceased.

A half hour after the initial assault had opened on the islands, the boat raced through unfamiliar, reef-bound channels into the causeway—the first American boat of any size to enter the waters.

Heading for Ennurbirr Island, on which there was a large radio station and generating plant, the boat again drew fire from shore batteries while 600 yards away.

As soon as the burst ended, McCulloch and the other gunners gave their machines a last minute check, going into action a short time later when for the third time the boat drew Jap fire from the shore. As the boat neared the shore, air support and help from the assault barges trailing the boat, were provided.

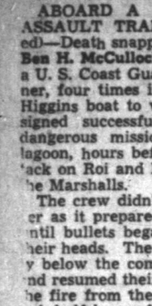
The fourth attempt to get the boat came two minutes later, but the bursts fell short by some 150 yards.

It was later in the day after the Marines had seized the island that the crew learned it was fired upon by crack Jap Imperial Marines, some of whom had seen action in the China theatre.



LABORATORY CHIEF—As soon as the photo pilots return from their missions over Nazi-occupied Europe skilled laboratory technicians go to work processing the film on which are pictures of targets to be bombed or ones that already have felt the might of America's big bombers. Master Sergeant Roy H. Chapman, 25, (above) of Ralls, is a laboratory chief for an AAF Eighth Air force photographic reconnaissance squadron in England. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Chapman of Ralls. Before entering the Army May 19, 1941, he was attending Texas Tech. He was graduated from Robertson High school in 1935 and while attending the school played basketball.

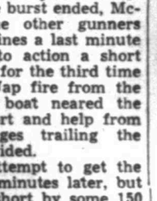
Cpl. Geo. B. Bragg, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. B. Bragg, 2602 Thirtieth street, who is stationed in the Army Air Forces at Kingman, Ariz., is visiting his parents here on a 15-day furlough. A graduate of Levelland High school, Cpl. Bragg entered service on Aug. 13, 1942 and trained at Fort Sill, Salt Lake City, Utah, Lowry field, Denver and at Riverside and San Bernardino, Calif., before being transferred to Kingman where he is in an Air Forces ground crew. He was employed in an aircraft factory in Los Angeles when inducted and his wife is still residing there.



BRAGG

Pfc. and Mrs. Gene Cameron of Paris are visiting Mrs. Cameron's sisters, Misses Marjorie Ruth and Bobbie Jo Shinn, 2406 Main street, and Pfc. Cameron's sister, Mrs. Herb R. Miller, 1911 Avenue N. Cameron is a former employe of the Avalanche-Journal composing room.

Sgt. Bert V. Bell, 26, of the Air Service Command, is the son of Mrs. Ben U. Bell of Ft. Worth, and has had 18 months service overseas. He was in England one month, accompanied the invasion into Africa, and has now been stationed two months in Sicily. Entering the service in January of 1942, he received five-months training at LAAF. He was formerly employed by the Waples-Platter co. Sgt. Bell has been married two years, and his wife, formerly Miss Mary Ina Holloway of Lubbock, is residing with her grandmother, Mrs. P. H. Rogers of 905 Twenty-fifth street, for the duration.



BELL

S/Sgt. J. B. Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Jones of the Gordon community near Southland, has been in the Marshalls lately and "if I do say so myself our outfit did a perfectly swell job." His latest letter informed his "luck still holds," that he was "well and doing all right too." His letter, received a few days ago, was the first since Christmas.

Pfc. Herschel B. Maupin, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Maupin, 2317 Twentieth street, is now serving in the South Pacific with the U. S. Marines and from reports to his parents has seen "plenty of action." He was in the Marine landings on the Marshall islands. In a letter to his parents, he said he had "run into a Jap or two, but they weren't there to tell about it." He attended Lubbock High school and was employed at Sears, Roebuck prior to enlisting in the Marines. He received his boot camp training at San Diego.



MAUPIN

PERRIN FIELD — Continuing his combat training as a student pilot of the Army Air Forces, **Aviation Cadet Charles L. Bomar**, 21, son of Mrs. Ruby J. Bomar, 1623 18th street, Lubbock, has arrived at this Training Command basic school for nine weeks' instruction. Here Cadet Bomar will fly a 450-horsepower plane that has the handling characteristics of military combat craft.

NEW HAVEN, Conn. — Jack Finis Gordon, son of Ed W. Gordon of Lubbock route 6, has begun training as an aviation cadet in the Army Air Forces Training Command school at Yale university here. His training will prepare him for the duties of a technical officer in communications, and upon completion of the course he will be commissioned a second lieutenant.

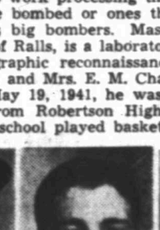


JAMES E.



WILLIAM D.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Via of Happy, who formerly resided at Morton, have two gold stars on their three-star service flag, two of their sons having been reported killed in action. They were: **Sgt. James E. Via** and **Pfc. William D. Via.** A third son, **Cpl. Walter E. Via**, is now serving with a tank division at Nashville, Tenn., preparatory to taking up combat to avenge the deaths of his two brothers. Sgt. James E. Via lost his life in the battle of Midway on June 4, 1942, while serving as bombardier and gunner in the Army Air Forces. Pfc. William D. Via of the Marine corps died of wounds received in action in the south Pacific. Sgt. Via's parents have received two citations, the Distinguished Flying Cross and the Purple Heart for his actions against the enemy. Sgt. Via graduated from Morton High school at the age of 17 and immediately enlisted in the Army Air corps at Hickam field, Honolulu, where he remained three years. He graduated from the University of Hawaii in 1940. The boys are nephews of Mrs. Joe Wood, 2420 Fourteenth street.



WALTER E.



P. L.



VANCE

Mrs. Laura Peeples of Idalou has two sons serving in the Army. **T/Cpl. P. L. Peeples**, 26, is a dispatcher in a motor pool and is now stationed at Camp Young, Calif. A graduate of Idalou High school, he has been in the Army about a year. He has trained at camps in California and Oregon. His wife, the former Lucille Fulfer of Idalou, is residing near Camp Young. Peeples worked as an irrigation well driller prior to going into service. **Pvt. Vance Peeples**, 23, the other son, also a former Idalou High student, is now serving in the Army Air Forces somewhere in England. In the service about a year, he trained in Illinois and in Louisiana. He was with a geophysical crew prior to going into service. His wife, the former Thelma Mitchell, resides here and is employed at Lubbock Army Air field.

PAMPA ARMY AIR FIELD, Pampa—Scheduled to receive his silver pilot's wings and officer's bars soon at this twin-engine advanced flying school of the AAF Training command is **Aviation Cadet Charles T. Hvass**, son of Charles T. Hvass of Washington, D. C. and Mrs. Florence Hvass of 2502 Twenty-second street, Lubbock. Appointed to flight training in August, 1943, he received primary flight training at Grider field, Pine Bluff, Ark. and basic flight training at Independence, Kas. Cadet Hvass attended Lubbock High school and the University of Texas.

CHANUTE FIELD, Ill. — **Pfc. William D. Click, jr.**, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Click of 1521 Thirty-third street, Lubbock, Tex., has completed training and has graduated from this school of the Army Air Forces Training command. While here, he received instruction in the electrical specialist course.

Two sons overseas and one in camp in the United States is the record of Mr. and Mrs. C. Bearden of 1716 Nineteenth street. There's **Cpl. Willard Bearden**, 37, of the Marines in the South Pacific; **Lt. James C. Bearden**, 23, in Northern Ireland; and **Cpl. Francis W. Bearden**, 20, in Camp Abbott, Ore. Willard enlisted in the Marines in Sept. 1942 and received his basic training in San Diego. His early schooling was received in Hollis, Okla. He has been stationed in the South Pacific for the past year. James enlisted in the Army in July, 1942, and after basic training at Sheppard Field, was sent to infantry school at Ft. Benning, Ga. He was commissioned in Jan., 1943, and is now stationed in Northern Ireland as a machine-gun platoon leader. He is a graduate of Lubbock High school and attended Texas Technological college. Francis enlisted in the Army in June, 1943. He received his basic training in engineering at Camp Abbott, Ore., and is now assigned to the cadre there as an instructor. He is a former player on the Lubbock Westerner football team and attended Texas Technological college.

Second Lieutenant Robert T. Allen of 2408 Thirteenth street, Lubbock, member of the world-encircling Army Airways Communications system and now stationed with one of its detachments at Kirtland AAF, Albuquerque, N. M., has recently been assigned to duty as assistant officer in charge. Lt. Allen is in charge of men who provide aeronautical communications for aircraft and collect and broadcast weather reports necessary to the safe flight of aircraft.

Survivor of a shipwreck in the "worst storm in 20 years" off the coast of Panama some time ago, **Kenneth A. Gordon**, signalman second class, USNR, Lubbock, Tex., told details of the New Orleans Naval Armed Guard Center recently. "The ship went aground about a quarter of a mile from shore and only a couple of miles from Cristobal after two days of heavy weather," said Gordon. "It was the next three days worried us, though," he added. "The ship broached to and took an awful pounding from the heavy swells. She began to crack up about the third day aground, but then the weather subsided enough so we could launch a lifeboat and get to shore. Later I heard the ship cracked in two, but her cargo, including materials for the Army, was salvaged almost without loss. We got only four or five hours sleep in the three days we were beahed, because everyone on the ship thought she was going any minute," he said. Gordon is the son of Mrs. Pearl Gordon, 1409 Avenue K, Lubbock. He is a veteran of 20 months afloat. On one voyage last May he was missed by a Jap torpedo in the Paific.

WITH THE FIFTH ARMY, Italy—**Technical Sergeant Billy Watson** was commissioned recently warrant officer junior grade. He is now general supply officer for an artillery battery of the 36th "Texas" Division. His wife, Mrs. Geraldine F. Watson, lives at 435 West Panhandle, Slaton, Texas. They have one child, Billy J. Watson, jr. Prior to his induction into the Army, Mr. Watson was employed as a bus driver. His Army duties included services as battalion supply sergeant and later as battery motor sergeant. He first joined the 36th Division while the Texans were stationed at Camp Bowie, Texas. He moved with the 36th to Camp Blanding, Florida, and Camp Edwards, Massachusetts. In April of 1943, the Division went overseas and landed in Africa. Finally, on September 9, 1943, Mr. Watson found himself part of the task force which invaded Italy. He has been in active combat ever since.

WATSON

James A. Harvey, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Harvey of Smyer, recently was promoted to petty officer, second class, in the U. S. Navy. He enlisted in the Navy in August, 1942 and after boot camp training at San Diego, he spent several months at Navy pier in Chicago. He graduated there as an aviation metalsmith. He left the States for overseas duty in October, 1943, and is now serving in the South Pacific area. The Harveys moved from Lubbock to Smyer in 1938 where he was engaged in farming until his enlistment in the Navy.



HARVEY

NORMAN, Okla. — Samuel Ernest Morgan, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Morgan of 2408 Ninth street, Lubbock, has completed training at the Naval Air Technical Training center here, and will now be transferred to a naval unit afloat or to another shore station. Morgan attended Lubbock High school and Texas Technological college.

JEFFERSON BARRACKS, Mo. —**Virgil M. Coffman**, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cortie Coffman of Morton, Tex., has arrived here as a soldier to begin basic training.

ENID ARMY AIR FIELD, Okla. —Pfc. Ledford C. Stokes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lemual J. Stokes of Shallowater route 1, was recently promoted to the grade of corporal here.



AN EIGHTH AAF FIGHTER STATION, England—Captain Joseph H. Bennett, Morton, Texas, is presented the Distinguished Flying Cross by Col. Jesse Auton (left), fighter wing commander from Covington, Kentucky. Capt. Bennett was awarded the medal for having completed 40 missions over Continental Europe and having shot down one enemy airplane.



AN EIGHTH AAF BOMBER STATION, England—After successful completion of their 25th heavy bombing assault against vital Nazi targets in Germany and the occupied countries of Europe, these two Texas airmen on the Eighth AAF Flying Fortress "Ole Puss III" are shown immediately after landing. They are Staff Sergeant Chester L. Privitt, 30, left, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Privitt, 615 28th Street, Lubbock, Tex., ball turret gunner, and Technical Sergeant William E. Anderson, 25, of Dallas, Tex.



BOYD



GOUGH



HEAD



WOLFE

Pictures of four South Plains young men, members of a group of 31 from this area who were in class 44-B of the Central Flying Training command to graduate as second lieutenants this month, were not included in the original pictures published at graduation time. They are now shown above. They are: **J. B. Head** of Muleshoe who graduated at Frederick, Okla.; **Frank H. Wolfe, jr.**, of Seminole, who finished at Brooks field; **Wright G. Boyd**, of Lamesa, a member of the Aloe field class; and **Carl Merl Gough** of Muleshoe, who completed his training at Eagle Pass Army Air field. All were commissioned as second lieutenants in the Army Air Forces and have since been transferred to other assignments.



Cpl. Billy Miller, radio technician of Bryan field, Texas, and **Cpl. J. L. Miller, jr.**, aerial engineer of Dodge City Army Air field, Kas., are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Miller, sr., of Slaton. Both men volunteered in October of 1942, and were stationed at Lubbock Army Air field several months. J. L. Miller, jr., got his special mechanical training at Sheppard field, and has been stationed at Dodge City since June, 1943. His brother has been at Bryan since February of 1943. He received his radio training there.



JOSEPH



MILTON

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Sexton of 1713 Hub Homes, who have been residents of Lubbock for twenty years, have three sons serving in the Army Air Corps. **Cpl. Owen O. Sexton**, 34, entered the service in March of 1943 and was sent overseas in July. He is a Radio Tower operator stationed somewhere in England. Prior to his enlistment, he was employed for two years in the Corpus Christi Naval Air Base as a radio technician. Cpl. Sexton's wife is residing in Corpus Christi for the duration. **S/Sgt. Milton C. Sexton**, 22 has been stationed four months at San Deigo, Calif., at the Post Inspection service. Entering the Air Corps in May of 1940, he was stationed a year at Denver, Colo., and several months at Santa Monica, Calif. S/Sgt. Sexton was employed by the Anderson-Clayton Gin company for two years, and attended the Lubbock schools. **T/Sgt. Joseph H. Sexton**, 37, joined the Air Corps in November of 1940, and has been stationed at Keesler Field, Miss., for 29-months with the 56th Training Group. After visiting his parents on a nine-day furlough, he returned last Saturday, February 19, to resume duties in non-commission officers training. T/Sgt. Sexton was employed for six years by the Bill Dean garage.



OWEN

AN EIGHTH AAF BOMBER STATION, England — **Staff Sergeant Robert T. Pirtle**, 20 of Lubbock, Texas, waist gunner at this Eighth Air Force Flying Fortress base on the "Throbbin Dobbin", piloted by Captain Morton C. Carmack of Chattanooga, Tenn., had a freakishly lucky, experience with German flak on his last mission over Frankfort, Germany. The flak had been pretty heavy going in on the target, and was even heavier as we completed our bombing run and left the target," said Sgt. Pirtle. "It was the thickest flak I ever saw, and was just like running into a brick wall. Suddenly I received the surprise of my life. A large burst of flak went off about five feet away from my waist window. The force of the explosion was so strong that it knocked me clean across the waist of the ship. I thought I was done for at first, but picked himself up and found I was OK. Strangely enough, there wasn't a single hole in our ship," he concluded, "nor was anyone hurt."

GREAT LAKES, Ill. — Three Lubbock servicemen are new recruits at the U. S. Naval Training station here. They are Raymond S. Salazar, son of Dora Chevez of 124 Avenue R; Eulogia N. Carrizalez, husband of Florencia F. Carrizales of 106 M street; and Johnnie L. Green, husband of Melba R. Green of 2005 Avenue K. They are receiving instruction in seamanship, military drill, and naval procedure.

NOTRE DAME, Ind.—**Lehmer Gamaliel Graham**, son of Mrs. Roy Tribble of 2315 Seventeenth street, Lubbock, Tex., has entered the U. S. Naval Reserve Midshipmen's school located on the campus of the University of Notre Dame here. After one month of indoctrination, he will be appointed a midshipman. He is a graduate of Lubbock High school and Texas Technological college.

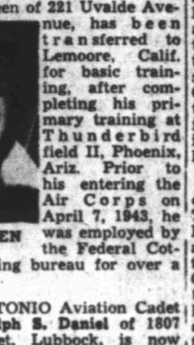
Pfc. Jethro M. Sims, who was an employe of Furr Food stores here prior to his enlistment in the Army in October, 1942, is now stationed at Fort Worth Army Air field, Ft. Worth, where he is a mechanic for B-24 (Liberator) airplanes. He and his wife formerly resided at 316 Avenue V, and are now visiting Mrs. Sims' father, J. Lee Lane and other relatives and friends here. Pfc. Sims' mother, Mrs. R. L. Hightower, resides in Frost, Texas.



SIMS

COURTLAND, Ala. — **Aviation Cadet James R. Cromer**, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cromer of Lubbock, Tex. route 1, has reported to the Army Air Forces Pilot basic school here for the second stage of his flight training.

Aviation Cadet Marion S. Brecheen, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Brecheen of 221 Uvalde Avenue, has been transferred to Lemoore, Calif. for basic training, after completing his primary training at Thunderbird field II, Phoenix, Ariz. Prior to his entering the Air Corps on April 7, 1943, he was employed by the Federal Cotton Marketing bureau for over a year.



BRECHEEN

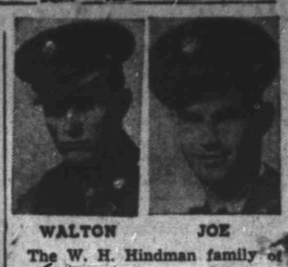
SAN ANTONIO Aviation Cadet Center—**Ralph S. Daniel** of 1807 Tenth street, Lubbock, is now stationed here learning the fundamentals necessary for actual aerial instruction in a nine-week preflight course.

Storekeeper Third Class William J. McCrary, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. McCrary of 2101 Eighth street, visited with his family last week while on a ten-day leave from his Seabee training station in Camp Peary, Va. Entering the service on Sept. 23, 1943, he received his boot camp, advanced and storekeeper's training at Camp Peary, where he has been stationed five months. Graduating from the Ropesville High school, he attended Texas Tech for three years, majoring in business administration. Prior to his entering the Navy, Storekeeper McCrary was employed one year in the Herring hotel at Amarillo. His wife and five-months son, Pat, are residing with his parents in Lubbock.



McCRARY

DODGE CITY ARMY AIR FIELD, Kas.—J. L. Miller, jr., husband of Docia Miller of 1313 Thirtieth street, Lubbock, was recently promoted here to the rank of sergeant. Sgt. Miller, member of the two-engine flying training squadron here, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Miller of Slaton.



WALTON JOE

The W. H. Hindman family of 1219 Nineteenth street is represented in the service by the two only sons, **Cpl. Walton V. Hindman**, 25, and **Cpl. Joe N. Hindman**, 22. Cpl. Walton Hindman, who is a mechanic in the Signal Corps, returned to Lubbock last week with his wife of five months, formerly of Brooklyn, N. Y., to visit with his parents and grandmother, Mrs. Pearl Callens of 1117 Nineteenth street. He has been stationed almost two years at Ft. Monmouth, N. J., and has been residing at Long Branch, N. J., just two and one-half miles from his station. As a former member of the National Guard, he was transferred into the Signal Corps, from what is now known as the "Lost Battalion," just before they were activated with the Army. He attended Texas Tech one year, and was employed by the Baker company for almost two years, prior to entering the service four years ago. Cpl. Joe Hindman is an airplane mechanic in the regular army, and sailed one month ago for overseas and is now stationed somewhere in England. Entering the Army in 1942, he was stationed at several bases in California. He was employed by the Bell Ice Cream and Milk Co. for over two years, and graduated in 1940 from Lubbock Senior high.

Alvin Warlick, 19-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Warlick on Tahoka highway, has been in the Navy two years and has reached the rank of Petty Officer 3/c. Petty Officer Warlick, who received his Naval training at Norfork, Va., was in Lubbock visiting last week while on a two-weeks leave. He has been overseas a number of times on transports, and has seen action on several occasions. Warlick returned to his New York, N. Y. station on Wednesday, February 23, to await further oversea duties. He attended the Lubbock schools, and entered the service before completing his senior year.



WARLICK



ADAMS

YUMA, Ariz.—**Pfc. William C. Carter**, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Carter of 1908 Eighteenth street, Lubbock, Tex., was given his silver gunner's wings and promoted to the grade of corporal when he completed the flexible gunnery course for radio men at the Yuma Army Air field here recently. He is a graduate of Lubbock High school.

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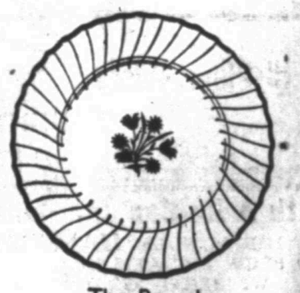
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Rent Control Is To Become Effective In County March 1

Rent control in Lubbock county will become effective Wednesday, March 1, according to Earl W. Heath, district rent executive for the Lubbock OPA district. This order was once made several months ago and later rescinded, he said.

The order will become effective on that date, but, he emphasized, actual registration will not begin until about March 15. The rent control office will be located at 1415 Avenue Q, he said, adding that it would be about two weeks before the office will be ready to take care of registrants.

Heath pointed out that the control of rent will be based on the amount of rent that was charged on March 1, 1942. The date of Oct. 1, 1942, was tentatively set as the basic rent date, but OPA officials in Washington have definitely set it as March 1, 1942.

Landlords To Register

Landlords are required to register all accommodations that are rented for living quarters.

Congress has authorized the Federal government to control rents in defense-rental areas for all rental housing, wherever people live and pay rent. Two types or regulations have been issued by the OPA. The housing regulation applies to houses, apartments, flats and tenements. The hotel and rooming house regulation applies to all rooms in hotels, boarding and rooming houses, and in auto and trailer camps. If a landlord is in doubt as to which regulation applies to his particular property, Heath said, he should call at the area rent office.

Heath said the city will probably be zoned so that all persons would not register at the same time. In other words, persons living in zone No. 1 would register on a certain day or days and others for other zones. Citizens of Lubbock were advised to watch the papers for announcements regarding dates of registration.

Some Questioned Answered

Below are listed some of the pertinent questions on rent control with the answers. Other questions and answers will be given for the next several days. If the particular question you wish answered is not shown here, or in succeeding issues, send the written question to the Area Rent office here.

1. Q. Does rent control apply to a dwelling on a farm?

A. No, if the tenant is working on the farm most of the time.

2. Q. Can a farm house be rented separately from the land?

A. Yes, and it is then under rent control.

3. Q. Is there any control over commercial rents?

A. No.. The Emergency Price Control Act does not apply to commercial rents.

4. Q. In what way is a combination store and dwelling affected by rent control?

Depends On Arrangement

A. The answer depends generally on the following facts.

(1) If the arrangement of the store and dwelling is such that separate tenants could occupy the store and dwelling, the dwelling portion only is subject to rent control.

(2) If the property cannot be so separated and the greater part is used commercially, then the entire property is free from rent control.

(3) If the property cannot be separated, and the greater part is used for a dwelling, then the whole unit is subject to the rent regulation, unless the rental value of the store is clearly in excess of the renta' value of the dwelling.

(5). Q. How is the maximum rent date (March 1, 1942) determined and what do you base rental values on?

Not Based On Value

A. The rent regulation does not fit rents on value; rather, it follows the method authorized by Congress and operate on the principle of the maximum rent date. This attempts to stabilize rents as they were fixed by landlords and tenants in normal times. The maximum rent date for Lubbock county is March 1, 1942.

(6) Q. How does the tenant know what the maximum rent is?

A. Under the rent regulation a landlord must file a registration statement with the area rent office, and a copy is sent to the tenant.

(7) Q. What kind of living quarters are to be registered under the regulations?

A. All property rented or offered for rent for dwelling purposes. (See questions 1 and 4 for some of the exceptions.)

Penalties Provided

(8) Q. What is the penalty for not registering houses?

A. The penalties provided in the Emergency Price Control act are fines up to $5,000 or one year's imprisonmert or both.

(9) Q. Must a tenant who subrents also file a registration statement?

A. Yes.

10. Q. I sometimes rent out a room on special occasions. Must I register?

A. Yes.

11. Q. I am a new tenant and have never seen a copy of the registration statement. How can I find out what my rent is and what services it includes?

A. If your landlord does not have a copy of the registration, you may get the information at the area rent office.

12. Q. Must the landlord register again when he gets a new tenant?

A. No, but he must file with the area rent office a "notice of change in tenancy" and he must secure the tenant's signature on the notice, which indicates the maximum rent.

13. Q. Why is it necessary to file change in tenancy?

A. To assure new tenants that they do not pay more than the maximum rent.

14. Q. When one tenant moves out, may I charge the next tenant a higher rent?

A. Not if the higher rent is more than the maximum rent.

15. Q. What happens to a landlord if he is late in filing change of tenancy?

A. Failure to file the change in tenancy form within five days places the landlord in violation of the rent regulation and subject to its penalties.

Some Increases Provided

16. Q. Upon what grounds may a landlord apply for an increase in rent?

A. The landlord may petition to raise his rents on the following grounds:

(1) Substantial alterations to the premises, by a major capital improvement.

(2) Substantial increase in services or furnishings.

(3) Rents based on personal or special relationships between the landlord and tenant, where the rent on the maximum rent date was substantially lower than comparable rents in the area.

(4) In some cases where there has been an increase in the number of occupants of the property.

5) Where the terms of the lease in force on the maximum rent date began more than one year before the date and provided rents substantially lower than comparable rents in the area.

(6) In some cases where the premises are rented on a seasonal oasis, such as resort areas.

Property Exempt From Taxes

(7) Where the property was temporarily exempt from real estate taxes on the maximum rent date and the landlord passed the benefit of this tax exemption on to the tenant by giving a rent substantially lower than comparable rents in the area.

17. Q. How can I increase the maximum rent on my property?

A. If you can qualify under one of the grounds mentioned above, you must petition the area rent offic eand get a higher rent approved by the rent director before you can charge more rent.

18. Q. If a landlord believes his rent is too low, how can he get it raised?

A. If he can qualify under one of the grounds mentioned above, he may petition the area rent office for an increase.

19. Q. The rent which I am charging for my housing is less than my neighbor charges and why can't I charge what he does?

A. The rent regulation does not attempt to equalize rents which were collected on the maximum rent date. It attempts to hold them at the levels that were established by landlords themselves in normal times.

20. Q. Where and when must I register?

A. As has been mentioned before, rent control becomes effective on Wednesday, March 1, but the actual registration will not get underway until about March 15. You will register at the area rent office at 1415 Avenue Q. Watch your newspaper for the exact time and date.

The second in this series of questions and answers concerning rent control will appear in Monday's Evening Journal.

Red Cross Roundup

News of Lubbock County Chapter

MORE WORKERS NEEDED

WORKERS at the Red Cross Production center, 1605 Avenue J, are becoming discouraged these days in their efforts to meet Lubbock County Red Cross chapter's quota in surgical dressings.

Several mornings in the past month, only one or two women have appeared at the surgical dressings rooms for work and all day long Friday only 12 women put in their time at the center.

With approximately 20,000 women in Lubbock, it appears that the production center should have no trouble getting workers, but leaders say the number of women donating their time in this phase of Red Cross work is becoming nothing short of a community disgrace.

A city-wide appeal for workers was issued from the center Friday afternoon. The surgical dressings rooms are open daily from 9:30 a. m. to 4:30 p. m. and Monday nights from 7 until 10 p. m.

Every woman in Lubbock county is urged to set aside at least one-half day each week for the work. If this were the case, there would be no difficulty in meeting the chapter's quota for surgical dressings, so badly needed now on the battlefronts the world over.

IDALOU WOMEN WORKING

More than 7,000 bandages have been made and four quilts have been quilted by members of the Red Cross chapter at Idalou in the last two and a half weeks. The group meets all day Thursdays to quilt. From 1 until 4:30 p. m. on Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays the chapter meets and work also is done from 8 until 10 o'clock on Thursday nights. An average of about 20 women is in attendance at each meeting and some of the women have made as many as six convalescence robes School girls assist on Saturday afternoons.

NEXT SHIPMENT MARCH 13

A call was issued Saturday for completion of every knitting garment in time for the next shipment from he chapter, March 13. The Feb. 14 shipment of knitted garments was the largest the Lubbock county chapter has ever sent out. Knitters are being urged to complete their garments as quickly as possible and bring them to the production center in time for the March shipment.

ROBES AND BEDSIDE BAGS

All robes and bedside bags should be finished and returned to the sewing room at once, it was said at the production center. These robes are for use of soldiers in hospitals in foreign countries. Letters are coming in all the time from these places telling of the urgent need for these garments.

CANTEEN UNIT WORKING

The Red Cross Canteen corps is doing an excellent job serving inductees at the West Texas Recruiting and Induction center with coffee and doughnuts. The corps is under the direction of Mrs. W. F. Eisenberg and the women start serving at 1:45 p. m. daily and continue until 4:30 p. m. One night recently they answered a call from the center and came down and served from 11 p. m. until 2:30 a. m.

Typhoid Fever Cases On Rise In Texas

AUSTIN, Feb. 26 (AP)—An alert against typhoid fever was sounded today by the state department of health.

Totals for the first eight weeks of 1944 are in excess of totals for the same period last year, said the report, and need for immunization programs was stressed.

Dysentery, measles and meningitis showed increases above the seven year median for the week ending February 19.

Radio Program Honors Dawson Co., Others

AUSTIN, Feb. 26 (AP)—Five Texas counties—Coryell, Cherokee, Wilbarger, Dawson and Mason—which won 1943 awards from the U. S. Department of Agriculture for increased food production were honored Friday night in a statewide radio broadcast originating from the University of Texas.

Only 36 such awards were given in the entire nation last year.

Each of the five Texas counties was singled out for praise, for producing 30 per cent more hogs, milking cows, raising more sheep and cattle, keeping more chickens and producing more food and fiber than a year previous.

The program was in observance of Texas farm and school victory day.

TAX OFFICIAL DIES

HOUSTON, Feb. 26 (AP)—Dawes E. Sturgis, for 20 years deputy Harris county tax assessor and collector, died last night. Services for Sturgis, 68, will be held Sunday.

Red clover would not grow in New Zealand until bumble bees were imported from England to pollinate the blossoms.

S. S. IDA M. TARBELL

WILMINGTON, Calif., Feb. 26 (AP)—The liberty ship S. S. Ida M. Tarbell, named for the writer and lecturer of New York who died last Jan. 6, was launched at the California Shipbuilding Corp. yards at midnight last night.

There are no spark plugs in the Diesel oil engine. The fuel is ignited by heat generated by the high compression.

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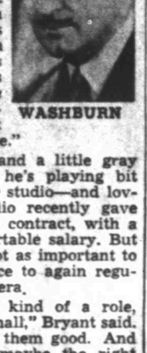


Hollywood On The Loose...

Facts And Fancies About Cinemaland

By ERSKINE JOHNSON
NEA Staff Correspondent

HOLLYWOOD, Feb. 26.—One of the silent screen's greatest matinee idols—Bryant Washburn is starting all over again in Hollywood.


WASHBURN

In 1918 and into the twenties, Bryant was Cinema Heart Throb No. 1, the Clark Gable of his day. The ladies stood in lines blocks long to see him in such films as "Skinner's Dress Suit," "The Prince of Graustark" and "It Pays to Advertise."

Today, at 46 and a little gray at the temples, he's playing bit roles at the RKO studio—and loving it. The studio recently gave him a long term contract, with a small but comfortable salary. But the security is not as important to him as the chance to again regularly face a camera.

"I'll play any kind of a role, no matter how small," Bryant said. "I'll make all of them good. And then some day maybe the right one will come along and, well, who knows what will happen."

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Bob Hope was discussing the ides of March with Bing Crosby on the "Road to Utopia" set. Morgenthau's name came up and Bob said: "I personally think he's swell, But I wish he'd stop whistling, 'All, or Nothing at All.'"

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Unfunniest comedian in Hollywood these days is Charley Chaplin. You know why.

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SOLDIER STAR

FREDDIE BARTHOLOMEW, recently given an Army medical discharge, is resting with a back injury for several weeks before returning to the cameras.

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Lieut. Jack Kennedy, son of the former ambassador to England, is corresponding madly with Warner starlet Angela Greene.

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Life of a film comedian is seldom monotonous. In one 10-hour day during filming of "One Body Too Many," Jack Haley (1) ran up and down a hallway wearing only a Turkish towel; (2) was hit over the head with a revolver butt; (3) fell through a trap door; (4) jumped off a 10-foot ladder; (5) was dunked in a fish pond and (6) swallowed a goldfish. Last trick was the easiest. The fish was made of gelatin.

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TURNABOUT

WHEN Henry Youngman left the Kate Smith radio show in 1938, Bud Abbott and Lou Costello replaced him and springboarded to Hollywood. Now Youngman gets his first film break in "A Wave, a WAC and a Spar," in movie which Abbott and Costello are financing.

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Odd situation at RKO where Tom Conway is king of the B pictures. When he asks to play a role in an A picture, he's told his name isn't big enough. Then Tom says, "Look, you star me in B pictures without support, why can't I support someone in an A picture?" So far he's been unable to get a logical answer.

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Promised and hoped for: Cary Grant taking a bath in an ordinary, everyday bathtub in "The Story of Dr. Wassell." C. B., you're slipping.

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An enthusiastic agent was describing a new crooner to Eddie Jaffe, the press agent. "The guy is another Sinatra," the agent raved. "Only he reverses Sinatra's style. When he sings the microphone leans on him."

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Silent Screen Star Is Starting All Over Again...

Three Broadway Plays Run Total Of Nine And One-Half Years; "Life With Father" Is Champion; Tickets To Oklahoma Are Scarce

By JACK GAVER
United Press Staff Writer

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—There are three plays on Broadway that have been running a total of nine and a half years. That is nice running in any kind of money, even yen.

The champ is "Life With Father," by Russel Crouse and Howard Lindsay, produced by same, which is four years and three months old. It celebrated its 1,800th performance Feb. 17, has grossed over $2,500,000 in New York alone (there have been two or three touring companies the past three years), Lindsay and his wife, Dorothy Stickney, still are playing the leads, the end is not in sight and the movie rights, for which the asking price is $500,000 and a percentage, still are to be disposed of. It is just two months younger than the war.

Also Own Runner-Up

The same Crouse and Lindsay, disproving that lightning doesn't play return engagements, also are the owners of the runner-up, "Arsenic And Old Lace," which illustrates how even murder becomes hilarious in Brooklyn. This one is a mere three years and one month old but the New York gross is drawing toward the $2,000,000 mark. It, too, has coined money with touring companies. This one started 11 months before the United States entered the war.

The third graybeard is "Angel Street," the psychological thriller with the British accent that bowed in two days before Pearl Harbor. Crouse and Lindsay somehow overlooked getting their hooks into this one. It is now in the third month of its third year. Its gross is around $1,000,000 in New York.

"Janie" Leaves On Tour

"Janie" has been on display just short of 18 months but it leaves this week to tour. The fifth longest run play is "The Dough-Girls," aged one year, two months.

There are three productions — "Harriet," with Helen Hayes; "Kiss and Tell" and "Oklahoma" that will celebrate their first birthdays in March, and "Ziegfeld Follies" and "Tomorrow The World" will light a candle in April.

These productions and a few others are reasons why people outside of New York, who fear they will not be able to attend the theater on trips to the metropolis because they have heard grapevine reports of sellout conditions, should not give up hope.

All Except Oklahoma

All of them are doing excellent business, it is true, but they do not sell out at every performance and it is possible to get decent accommodations at the box office in many cases shortly before performances. And in the case of those visitors who wish to patronize licensed ticket brokers, who charge a fixed premium of 75 cents a ticket, there is no reason to give the matter a second thought.

The trouble lies in trying to get into a handful of the more recent hits. And the 11-month-old "Oklahoma!"—people register at birth for tickets to that one.

News Briefs

Sgt. Billie T. Templeton, son of Hubert E. Templeton, 2405 Avenue T, was listed in an announcement Saturday by the War department as killed in action in the Southwest Pacific area. Another West Texan listed among the 124 United States soldiers named in the announcement was Sgt. Jack A. Johnson, son of Mrs. B. B. Johnson of Pyron.

The Navy department announced Saturday 128 casualties of the U. S. Naval forces, including Lloyd Douglas Whalen, Seaman 2-c, USNR, wounded. He is the son of Mrs. Viola Webb of Plainview.


ZOOM—Sailors in the torpedo shop at San Diego Naval air station chose Lynn Merrick, film player, as their "zoom girl."

This Week's Film Menu

Lindsey

Sunday through Wednesday: "Sweet Rosie O'Grady," Betty Grable and Robert Young.

Thursday through Saturday: "Jack London," Michael O'Shea and Susan Hayward.

Palace

Sunday through Tuesday: "Paris After Dark," George Sanders and Brenda Marshall.

Wednesday and Thursday: "Career Girl," Frances Langford and Craig Wood.

Friday and Saturday; "Harvest Melody," Rosemary Lane and Johnny Downs.

Tower

Sunday through Tuesday: "Guadalcanal Diary," Preston Foster and Lloyd Nolan.

Wednesday through Friday: "Pistol Packin' Mama," Ruth Terry and Bob Livingston.

Starts Saturday: "Princess O'Rourke," Olivia De Havilland and Robert Cummings.

Arcadia

Sunday and Monday: "Chetniks, Fighting Guerrillas," Philip Dorn and Virginia Gilmore; also "Jitterbugs," Laurel and Hardy.

Tuesday through Thursday: "Just Off Broadway," Lloyd Nolan and Marjorie Weaver; also "Hello Annapolis," Jean Parker and Tom Brown.

Friday and Saturday: "Stardust On The Sage," Gene Autry; also "Riders Of The Northland," Starrett and Hayden.

Broadway

Sunday through Tuesday: "Girl Crazy," Mickey Rooney and Judy Garland.

Wednesday and Thursday: "Adventures in Iraq," John Loder and Ruth Ford.

Friday and Saturday: "Whistling in Brooklyn," Red Skelton and Ann Rutherford.

Tech

Sunday through Tuesday: "Happy Go Lucky," Dick Powell and Mary Martin.

Wednesday and Thursday: "Mister Big," Donald O'Conner and Gloria Jean.

Friday and Saturday: "Orchestra Wives," George Montgomery and Ann Rutherford.

Lyric

Sunday through Tuesday: "Salute to the Marines," Wallace Beery and Fay Bainter.

Wednesday and Thursday: "Hers To Hold," Deanna Durbin and Joseph Cotten.

Friday and Saturday: "Hands Across The Border," Roy Rogers and Ruth Terry.

Texan

Sunday and Monday: "Behind The Rising Sun," Margo, Tom Neal and Robert Ryan.

Tuesday through Thursday: "Boy From Stalingrad," Bobby Samarizich and Conrad Binyon; also "Gals, Inc.," Leon Erroll and Grace McDonald.

Friday and Saturday: "Outlaw Roundup."

Midway

Sunday through Tuesday: "The Great Lie," Bette Davis and George Brent.

Wednesday and Thursday: "The Fleet's In," Dorothy Lamour and William Holden.

Friday and Saturday: "My Gal Sal," Rita Hayworth and Victor Mature.

Cactus

Sunday through Tuesday: "South Of The Border," Gene Autry and Smiley Burnette; also "Tortilla Flat," Spencer Tracy and Hedy Lamarr.

Wednesday and Thursday: "Ship Ahoy," also "All By Myself," Patric Knowles and Evelyn Ankers.

Friday and Saturday: "Valley Of Terror," also "Juggernaut."

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Mechanization Said Needed To Stabilize Cotton Industry

An article entitled "Greater Mechanization Essential to the Cotton Industry," written by Dr. A. B. Cox, member of the University of Texas research staff, recently appeared in a statewide publication. The text of this article, which should prove of great interest to farmers of the South Plains as they are definitely affected by it, is as follows:

"The tremendous importance of the cotton industry to the economy and social order of the large cotton growing region, and through it the whole United States, makes imperative an aggressive policy for solving its problems. The trouble is the loss of markets. Many causes have contributed to this loss, but the predominant one is the comparatively high costs of both raw cotton production and manufacture. The major reason for the high costs of production is continuted use of hand labor in both production and harvest in a country where other production, even in agriculture, has been mechanized.

Cotton manufacturing was one of the first of the major industries to be mechanized as a vital part of the Industrial Revolution in the middle of the 18th Century. The trouble with the industry now is that it has not kept pace with other industries in discovering and adopting labor saving devices such as is characterized by the use of automatic machines in assembly line or continuous production and in eliminating or shortening processes.

The foregoing facts raise three fundamental quesions. Is the cotton industry worth saving, and, if so, how can it be done, and how would the economy of the South be affected?

There are four major crops in the United States around which our agricultural economy and a large share of our commerce and manufacturing are built—corn, wheat, cotton and hay. As industrialization proceeds and population increases, relative values of crops will be determined more and more by their capacity to yield values in terms of industrial raw materials, fodd and feed. Because cotton yields such a wide range of these, especially textiles, chemicals, foods, and feeds, it is preeminent among our major crops.

4,500,000 People Employed

Analyses of United States census data show that employment of about 4,500,000 people in the United States is attributable to cotton and its multitude of products.

Cotton production is climatically oriental in the long hot summer zones where our other major crops are not well adapted and have not been able to compete successfully with it. A large percentage of the cultivable land area of the United States is in this zone, and the distinctive production of this region is a vital factor in balancing the ecenomy of the nation.

Cotton's capacity to produce value per acre is far ahead of the other major crops. Figures published by the United States Department of Agriculture show that the average farm value of wheat produced per acre during the five years ending 1940 was $11.54, corn, $20.46, cotton, $28.35, and hay $11.45.

Industry Is Worth Saving

Surely an industry which plays such a vital and distinctive role in the nation's economy, and has such great variety and capacity to produce, is worth saving.

How can it be done? According to the Department of Agriculture, the average cost per acre of producing wheat in the United States in 1940, the last year for which data are available, was $10.00, not including rent, corn $14.83, and cotton $20.29, data is not available for hay.

The major difference in the per acre cost of producing cotton, corn and wheat lies in two items—cultivation and hoeing and in harvesting. In the case of corn, these two items total $5.49, in wheat only $0.9c, and in cotton $12.10.

Costs Can Be Reduced

If cotton growers could reduce costs on these two items to the corn level through mechanization, the cost of producing cotton would be reduced to $13.68 per acre, and cotton would become the most attractive major crop in the nation. Abundant evidence that these costs can be reduced is already available.

According to studies made by Bonnen of the Texas Agricultural Experiment station, costs of producing cotton on the high plains of Texas with four-row tractor-drawn equipment was only $6.41 per acre in 1934, not including land charge and taxes; and fifty per cent of this was charged against hoeing and harvesting. The average yield was 180 pounds of lint per acre. Obviously the mechanization of these last two processes will make costs of cotton production in favorable areas very low.

Notable advances toward mechanization of these two burdensome hand processes in cotton production are being made. If reports are true, the leaf menace to mechanical harvesting is in the way of being eliminated by American Cyanamid company's discovery of a cheap, quick means for defoliating the plant for harvest purposes.

Recently a farmer adapted his wheat combine to the harvesting of cotton. Sleds and strippers for harvesting cotton are being improved. In addition to all this, the breeding of cotton with upright plants, short branches and rapid fruiting habits combined with defoliation and improved cleaning equipment at the gin, and many other developments all point unquestionably to complete, cheap mechanization of cotton production.

Complete mechanization of cotton production will affect the economy of the South profoundly.

Areas adapted to machine methods will prosper; other areas may eventually be forced out of the cotton business. Substantial shifts in population will probably occur, and fewer cotton farmers will be needed. On the other hand, through it the industry can be saved with prospects of increasing markets, production and overall employment.

Any cotton policy which has the unfortunate effect of continuing cotton production in high cost producing areas and of preventing the attainment of maximum economies of mechanization in favorable areas will inevitably result in the gradual loss of the industry through the slow, deadening process of attrition resulting from loss of markets due to high costs. High costs here protected by above market price loans will keep us out of foreign markets and will pave the way for synthetic fibers to cut deeper and deeper into the domestic market.

"What I am trying to say is that the South and the nation cannot dodge the cotton problem or put it off much longer with soothing subsidies. The cotton problem demands immediately bold, constructive, comprehensive thinking and planning in both its agricultural and manufacturing aspects."

The emergency lies in coming to a clear understanding of potentialities and objectives for the cotton industry and in formulating constructive policies to reach those objectives.

Mechanization Only A Means

Mechanization of production is not the end objective—it is only one means to the end of saving a great industry to increase employment at higher returns.

Mechanization will not come all at once for many varying factors and differing conditions over the belt will prevent that; but it is vital and urgent that our national cotton policy encourage rather than hinder this transition from hand labor to machine production, and that we formulate coordinate programs of research to adjust our whole economy, and especially the agricultural aspects of it, to meet the changing situation.

History shows clearly that in the long run mechanization creates more jobs than it destroys, for it increases production and production is a function of employment though not of the kind and often not in the place where the introduction of the machine displaced it. The adjustments to complete mechanized cotton production will be discussed later.

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FDR's Attitude Unusual

Congress Has Rights, Too

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT frequently has referred to himself as a "Constitutional President." Numerous times he has gone to considerable lengths to cite personal interpretations of the Constitution which, he insisted, gave authority for his actions.

True, his interpretations often have been challenged. Frequently he has been accused of violating the spirit, if not the letter, of the Constitution. But, invariably, he has been able, when occasion demanded, to "make a case" of some sort for his actions under constitutional law.

Thus, he can do more than make a case for his veto of the tax bill. Unquestionably he employed constitutional methods. But it is doubtful whether anything he has done since he became President has been so clearly and flagrantly in violation of the spirit of the Constitution.

Just consider: The proposition of "taxation without representation" was the primary cause for the American revolution. After freedom was won, the Founding Fathers sought to make repetitions of that sort of abuse impossible. They adopted a constitution which forbids taxation without the consent of the taxed. They created a Congress as the only agency through which such consent might be given.

This Congress adopted a tax bill. It is the business of congressmen to know the wishes of the people they represent. It is their solemn duty to carry out those wishes. Presumably they were conscious of these obligations in drafting the bill. It is aside from the point whether the bill may have been "unrealistic.' If that was the sort of measure that Congress believed the people wanted, then it was the duty of Congress as a representative body in a democracy to provide it. Congress did its duty as it saw it.

But what of Mr. Roosevelt? He vetoed the measure. He sent it back with the clear demand that his tax bill be adopted, regardless of the wishes of the American people. He demanded, in effect, that Congress ignore the people in a matter of taxation. Could taxation without representation be worse than representation which fears or refuses to represent?

Happily, Mr. Roosevelt has been dealt the most smashing rebuff since he became President. But that does not remove the fact that he has proved an attitude which is dangerous to democracy. Would a man who demanded that Congress ignore its obligations to the people it represents hesitate to ignore both Congress and the people if he thought he might get away with it? Probably Mr. Roosevelt won't try anything like that now—not after the hornet's nest he stirred up by his veto. But he has proved himself possessed of a state of mind dangerous to American democracy which will bear watching.

That Migrant Labor Force

THE announced plan of the War Food administration to form a mobile "task force" of labor to be made quickly available where needed has the sound of common sense. It is to be hoped that some workable plan of this kind actually will be put into operation.

As everyone with the slightest knowledge of agriculture is aware, the labor needs of the farm fluctuate greatly. During much of the year, the typical farmer doesn't need any outside help at all. At certain seasons ——such as cotton harvesting time on the South Plains——he needs about all the help he can get. Usually he knows in advance just about when he is going to need extra help.

Thus, it would appear that the plan for a migrant "task force" should be entirely feasible. If such a force——or better, several such forces——can be organized, it should be reasonably simple to work out itineraries for them which would serve the two-fold purpose of putting them where needed when needed, and of providing continuous employment for them.

Indeed, the plan sounds as sensible and practical as any that ever has come out of WFA or any other government agency. Its values could be made almost beyond estimate. The sooner it is put into actual operation, the better it will be.

It has been said that the bravest man was the one who first ate an oyster. Maybe so, but we'd cast our vote for the one who first attacked a grapefruit in a breakfast nook.

"Are you interested in reducing exercises?" asks a direct mail advertiser. Well, yes, but we believe we have already reduced our exercises to an irreducible minimum.

A scientist says it's a waste of time to sleep. Perhaps so, but night in and night out, we don't know of a better way to waste time.

The One Minute Sermon

Whoso stoppeth his ears at the cry of the poor, he also shall cry himself, but shall not be heard.—Proverbs 21; 13.

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Just a Few Suggestions



Nagging Of Artillery Eventually Gets Plain Aggravating . . . .

On The Italian Front....By Ernie Pyle

By ERNIE PYLE
Journal War Correspondent

IN ITALY, Feb. 26. (By Wireless)—At long last our company was really under way on its night movement up into the line. It was just past midnight, and very black. The trail was never straight. It went up and down, across streams, and almost constantly around trees.

How the leaders ever followed it is beyond me. The trees on each side had been marked previously with white tape or toilet paper, but even so we did get lost a couple of times and had to backtrack.



ERNIE PYLE

Our pace was miserably slow. The rain had stopped, but the mud was thick. You literally felt each step out with the toes of your boots. Every half hour or so we'd stop and send runners back to see how the tail end of the column was doing. Word came back that they were doing fine, and that we could step up the pace if we wanted to.

Somewhere in the night, both ahead of us and strung out behind us in files, was the rest of our battalion. In fact, the whole regiment of more than 3,000 men was moving that night. But we knew nothing about the rest.

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Throughout the night the artillery of both sides kept up a steady pounding. When we started, our own guns were loud in our ears. Gradually we drew away from them, and finally the explosion of their shells on German soil was louder than the blast of the guns.

The German shells traveled off at a tangent from us, and we were in no danger. The machine-gun and rifle fire grew louder as our slow procession came nearer the lines. Now and then a front-line flare would light up the sky, and we could see red bullets ricocheting.

The gun blasts made a continuous crashing in the night, yet they were always so brief they didn't give you a revealing view of the trail ahead.

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THE nagging of artillery eventually gets plain aggravating. It's always worse on a cloudy night, for the sounds crash and reverberate against the low ceiling. One gun blast alone can set off a continuous rebounding of sound against clouds and rocky slopes that will keep going for ten seconds and more.

And on cloudy nights you can hear shells tearing above your head more loudly than on a clear night. In fact, that night the rustle was so magnified that when we stopped to rest and tried to talk you couldn't hear what the other fellow said if a shell was passing overhead. And they were passing almost constantly.

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At last we passed through a village and stopped on the far edge to rest while the column leader went into a house for further directions. We had caught up with the mules and drawn alongside them.

One of the muleskinners out in the darkness kept up a long monologue on the subject of the mules being completely done up. Nobody would answer him, and he would go on:

"They're plumb done in. They can't go another foot. If we try to go on, they'll fall down and die."

Finally, some soldier in the darkness told him to shut up. We all privately endorsed his suggestion. But the monologist got huffy and wanted to know who that was. The voice said it wasn't anybody, just a new replacement soldier.

Then the muleskinner waxed sarcastic and louder. He had an objectionable manner, even in the dark.

"Oh, oh!" he said. "So we've got a baby right from the States telling me how to run mules! A tenderfoot, huh? Trying to talk to us veterans! A hero right from the States, huh?

Whereupon one of the real veterans in our company called out to the gabby skinner:

"Aw, shut up! You probably haven't been overseas two months yourself."

He must have hit the nail on the head, or else his voice carried command, for that's the last we heard of the muleskinner.

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IT was almost midnight when the company reached its bivouac area and dug its foxholes into the mud. Always that's the first thing to do. It becomes pure instinct. The drippy, misty dawn found our men dispersed and hidden in the bottom of shallow, muddy depressions of their own digging, eating cold hash from C-ration cans.

They attacked just after dawn. The Germans were only a short distance away. I stayed behind when the company went forward.

In the continuously circulating nature of my job, I may never again see the men in this outfit. But to me they will always be "my" company.

Looking At Life - - - - - By Erich Brandeis

By ERICH BRANDEIS

DO you believe in heredity?

The reason I ask this is because of a story I read in my paper this morning.

Young Amedio Ciancia of Brooklyn was being sentenced to Sing Sing for robbery.

"Please don't send me to Sing Sing," pleaded the 17-year-old.

"Why not?" asked Judge Leibowitz.

"Because my old man is doing from 2 to 5 years up there for forgery. I don't like the idea of meeting him up there."

There you are—the father a forger, the son a robber.

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Is there anything to heredity?

Yes, there is. But not to the extent of making you discouraged or of giving anybody the right to think that he has certain inherent handicaps which he can't overcome because of heredity, so he may as well let himself go.

I heard of a case like that just the other day. The young fellow's father was a drunkard.

So the son took the attitude that he had inherited the vice from his dad and he went out and got drunk every night.

"Can't help it," he said to a girl who was very much in love with him but wouldn't marry him unless he reformed.

"Getting drunk runs in my family, might just as well make the best or worst of it."

That is just so much rot!

You can inherit certain physical characteristics from your parents, such as color of hair and eyes, complexion, shape of head and hands.

But the rest of it is environment, not heredity.

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IT'S only natural that a boy whose father is a criminal and whose mother is a slattern is very apt to become a criminal, too. But it's the atmosphere in which he is living, the background—not heredity that causes his delinquency.

There is absolutely no scientific support for the claim of weaklings that they inherited their vices. Character is self-developed, not inherited. Strength, will-power, decency, honesty can be acquired by practice and exercise just as reading, writing, arithmetic and geography are acquired that way.

True, certain tendencies to sickness or feeble-mindedness may be hereditary. But, under the doctor's care, most of them can usually be overcome.

But no one is a criminal, a drunkard, a good-for-nothing by inheritance. That's just an alibi.

"Virtue can be learned" said Socrates, and the jails are full of self-made men!

Side Glances---By Galbraith



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"Oh, come on over! John says he's going to start working on his income tax, but I want to keep him cheerful as long as possible!"

Today's Chuckles

The Spanish must have had a lot of different kinds of troubles in their time. Here are the Spanish words for trouble: Turbacion, pertubacion, disturbio, inquietud, cuita, pena, congoja, desavencia, difficultad, molestia, incomodidad, engorro.

But Soldiers Get Home News

(The National Whirligig)

ALLIED commanders who have clamped an iron-clad censorship on war correspondents on the beachheads below Rome as well as their approving superiors in Washington and London, might well study the operations of the Army News Service with headquarters in New York City.

This agency, which transmits reports of domestic occurrences to millions of overseas troops by furnishing a press service to the papers in the various theaters, has shown marked caution, restraint and impartiality.

Every day it gives an evenly balanced budget of home happenings to the lonesome lads fighting for the freedoms of the press, speech and religion. It has leaned backward to keep its accounts factual and neutral.

Its policies shame the Office of War Information, which lately sent a reporter to "cover" John W. Bricker but failed to note that the governor was a prominent contender for the Republican nomination.

The explanation seems to be that ANS is run by practical newspapermen who have no axes to grind, and who realize that they will incur public criticism if they color or distort their statements.

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SUGGESTIONS: ANS, for instance, told members of the armed forces of the Democratic National committee's recent plea that President Roosevelt "continue as our great humanitarian leader." But it also gave a full summary of the convocation of the Republican National committee and its assertions that a fourth term would be tantamount to establishment of a dictatorship.

The military newshawks distributed a substantial digest of FDR's message to Congress urging immediate action on the soldier vote. In the same dispatch it told how Sen. Robert A. Taft of Ohio stood and said from the floor, "It is most unfortunate that the President has seen fit to inject himself into legislative matters. It is an insult to members of Congress."

ANS printed a play-by-play story of the alleged Hopkins-Lee letter and the indictment of the central figure, George N. Briggs, on a forgery charge. It has described in detail Sen. Arthur H. Vandenberg's MacArthur-for-President boom. It has also detailed various suggestions that the Democrats draft Gen. George C. Marshall, Chief of Staff, as their Vice Presidential choice.

And, unlike Elmer H. Davis's cautious OWI, the bureau has listed the men who would like to run against Mr. Roosevelt as "Presidential candidates."

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ALTERNATIVES: John L. Lewis stubbornly refuses to discuss for publication his present-day position in relation to President Roosevelt, although it can easily be guessed that they hate each other like poison. But he has also declined to say why, after four years of partnership, they are estranged, why he backed Wendell Willkie in 1940 and why he will probably oppose a fourth-term movement.

Perhaps the newest explanation and analysis of the stand of the United Mine Workers' chieftain is contained in a letter written by Cecil Owen, editor of the United Mine Workers' Journal. His condemnation of the National Service act was questioned by the secretary of an Ohio union, and Owen replied at some length. It is assumed that he must know how John L. feels about things in general and, therefore, his answer is illuminating:

"Since all of labor, with the exception of a minority of the Communists, has taken a position in opposition to this enslaving proposal, I fail to see how we could do else than oppose it, even though labor's former friend, Franklin D. Roosevelt, now asks it.

"I believe that you will agree with me that this is hardly the action of one who is pro-labor at the present time, regardless of what he may have been in the earlier days of his administration and when it was politically profitable for him to be liberal.

"We have never said in any of our editorials that Roosevelt's administration never did anything good for labor, and perhaps you will recall that in 1936 the United Mine Workers of America contributed more than $500,000 toward the re-election of President Roosevelt, at which time he was regarded as the better of the alternatives confronting labor in that election."

In other words, John L. was not so interested in returning FDR to the White House as he was in defeating Alf Landon. Yet only a few weeks ago the Kansan conferred with the Welshman on the idea of an anti-Roosevelt ticket headed by a Republican and balanced by a Democrat for Vice President.

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FEUD: Henry A. Wallace was asked whether he had squarely queried FDR on the latter's choice for a Vice Presidential nominee. The Iowan pondered a while and then stammered shyly: "I haven't seen Mr. Roosevelt for some weeks. I met him with the congressional leaders—Senator Barkley, Speaker Rayburn and Congressman MacCormack. No. Mr. Rayburn wasn't there—just the three of us."

"Well," piped an irreverent reporter, "with Mr. Rayburn absent, wouldn't that have been a good time to pop the question?"

The VP smiled wanly but did not reply. Thus the feud continues with none of the principals daring to discuss it openly or frankly.

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WINNING THE WAR
By Albert Leman

IF President Roosevelt accepts the Baruch-Hancock demobilization blueprint — hook, line and sinker — he will have done more to regain a degree of the confidence of the business world than he has been able to achieve by any recent act, according to opinions widly expressed in Wall Street.

Financiers have seen him hold out a welcoming palm before and then felt their shins kicked as they grasped it; hence their general reaction is to "watch and wait" before they start sending orchids to the White House.

Many of the important measures recommended in the report already have been strenuously advocated by leading industrialists who had feared that Washington's government-ownership gang of socialistic reformers would try to retain Victory plants in competition with free enterprise.

The Postwar committee of the National Association of Manufacturers, headed by Wilfred Sykes, president of the Inland Steel company, Chicago, urged that federal factories and equipment should be made available quickly for private production.

"Before industry can talk about hiring postwar hands," declared Sykes to New York friends, "it must know whether it is going to be a hired hand itself, with Uncle Sam doing the hiring." His suggestions were embodied in Bernard Baruch's document.

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INTERLOPERS: One of the greatest nightmares of shopkeepers throughout the country has been the question of what Washington would do with unused Army and Navy materials — food, shirts, blankets, toothbrushes etc. Should the 50 billion dollars' worth of equipment be dumped on the market, the result would be chaos. Fly-by-night outlets would be opened in every community and would sell these goods far below normal prices, throwing regular store owners into bankruptcy.

Trade associations have demanded that such merchandise be kept from falling into the grip of speculative interests and that in the final circulation of the surpluses small operators should have an equal break with the big fellows.

Lew Hahn, general manager of the National Retail Dry Goods association in New York, proposed the forming of a large brokerage corporation through which individual concerns could pool their orders for military supplies. It would borrow funds from the Reconstruction Finance corporation and charge a small service fee. All companies — whether or not they were stockholders — could use its facilities.

Baruch and Hancock realize the apprehension on the part of merchants that interlopers might ruin long-established concerns — as they did following the first World War — and they have advised the inauguration of a Treasury procurement division to direct the disposal of textiles, furniture, shoes, clothing and many other items.

Our Curious World---By William Ferguson



ANSWER: Pitch, run, score, slide, tie.

Anya Seton's "Dragonwyck" Exciting Book

Sinister Fortunes Of Great House Unraveled In Story

ONE weekend back in the age of automobile pleasure trips, the writer Anya Seton and her husband went for a drive up the Hudson River Valley region. It was on this trip that an old manor, alleged to be haunted, was pointed out to her.



ANYA SETON

She made other visits to this region after that and became increasingly interested in the life that flourished along the river a hundred years ago. Out of her research has come her exciting novel, "Dragonwyck," about a haunted house and the people who lived in it.

The story concerns Nicholas Van Ryn, who ruled estates of Dragonwyck in a system of medieval feudalism; of Joanna, his fat and food-loving wife, and her mysterious death; and Miranda, the golden-haired romantic young girl who unwittingly becomes involved in the sinister fortunes of the great house. Among the personages who play an incidental part in this story are a tortured young poet named Edgar Allan Poe, a sailor, Herman Melville, whose powerful first novel, "Typee" causes such a stir in literary circles, Mr. P. T. Barnum and Tom Thumb, and Martin Van Buren.

Anya Seton is the daughter of Ernest Thompson Seton, who many years ago won over the youth of America with his stories of animals and wildlife. "Dragonwyck" appeared originally in the Ladies Home Journal and is on the way to becoming a major film.

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MODERN STORY

"REUNION on Strawberry Hill," by Bernice Thorpe (Knopf) is a story with 1944 background that sloughs off the war and tells what happens when members of a large family who have not seen one another for years decided to hold a reunion.

Family includes Ma and Pa, simple and homespun; Amyles, eldest child who places wealth and power above her home and family; Jim, remarried but troubled by a demanding first wife; Helga, the successful career woman; Anna Marie, simple and loving, yet unhappy; Ingeborg, afraid to face life; and Carl, who loved too well.

It's a big family, and the things they do are big—and, paradoxically, trivial. It's a close-to-home yarn that finds a similar situation confronting many an average family.

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TEXAS AMALGAM

GEORGE SESSIONS PERRY, the easy-going Texan, has taken a large number of his Texas stories and made a kind of amalgam which he calls "Hackberry Cavalier." The basis of the amalgam is the long list of stories published since 1937 by the Saturday Evening Post. These he has furnished with connecting links and other new material so that the result is something halfway between a book of short sketches and a novel. Mr. Perry's good humor, his ability to suggest the Texas backwoods drawl in prose, his honest sympathy and his gift for characterization are all in the book. It is good reading in the medium-height tale department. (Viking).

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ANOTHER DICKENS WRITES

PROBABLY Monica Dickens gets very tired of being told that although she is the great granddaughter of Charles Dickens, she still is not her distinguished ancestor's equal as a novelist. But as long as capital is made of the relationship, the comparison will follow. "Edward's Fancy" is about an Englishman with a disagreeable wife whose chief escape is rabbit-breeding in his backyard. It has its bright moments, but it seems a good deal is made of rather slight material. (Harpers.)

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FIGHT FOR FREEDOM

JAMES ALDRIDGE'S "The Sea Eagle" is a first rate successor to his extraordinarily fine first novel, which was "Signed With Their Honor." The new book hangs on the desire of one Angus Burke to escape from Crete when the Nazis took over, and its point is the growth of Angus when he gradually takes to fighting for the ideal of freedom instead of personal survival. It is a fine job. (Little, Brown.)

For Our Cross-Word Puzzle Fans

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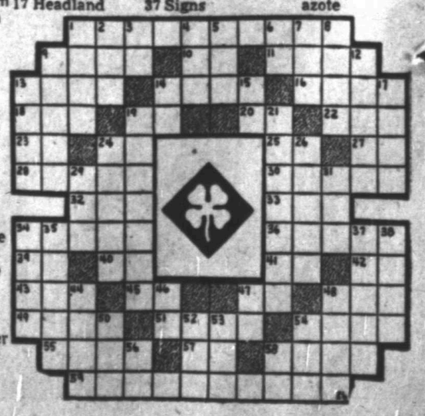
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1 Depicted is insigne of the U. S. —— ——
9 Sight-seeing trip
10 Hawaiian bird
11 God of love
13 Acetous
14 Strong twine
16 Body covering
18 Make a mistake
19 Italian river
20 Upward
22 Compass point
23 Symbol for tantalum
24 British (abbr.)
25 Heart (Egypt)
27 Electrical term
28 Equal portion
30 Talons
32 Small dog
33 Cognizance
34 Sphere of action
36 Enrich
39 From
40 Transpose (abbr.)
41 Road (abbr.)
42 Myself
43 Dutch city
45 Print measure
47 Like
48 One and nine
49 Cognomen
51 Russian city
54 Confined
55 Egyptian river
57 Id est (abbr.)
58 War god
59 Teases

VERTICAL

1 Cardinal number
2 Belongs to us
3 Chaldean city
4 Also
5 Jump on one foot
6 Of the thing
7 Written form of Mistress
8 Couple
9 Precept
12 Tendon
13 Matched groups
14 Universal language
15 Symbol for europium
17 Headland
19 This army group is —— for any emergency
21 Persons who make bundles
24 Chief stress
26 Merge
29 Mimic
31 Too
34 Arabian gulf
35 Type of fortification
37 Signs
38 Departed
44 Eject
46 Volume
47 Morindin dye
48 Golf devices
50 Note in Guido's scale
52 Narrow inlet
53 Long fish
54 Before (prefix)
56 Half-em
58 Symbol for azote

Answer to Previous Puzzle



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. . . that partial victory shall not breed the kind of weakening over-confidence which can rob us of complete victory;

. . . that unity shall rise above all squabbles, and differences;

. . . that this war shall be fought through to a finish with all that we have and all that we are;

. . . that the sacrifices of today, and the larger sacrifices of tomorrow, shall be accepted willingly, in the humble knowledge that they are small when set beside the sacrifices of our men who are fighting;

. . . that we will not turn our backs on the rest of the world after victory is won; but will reach out the hand of friendship, and assume our proper share of responsibility in seeing that freedom, equality, and orderly justice become possible for all people, everywhere;

. . . that neither our own fighting men nor any of our allies shall be let down in any way whatsoever now, or in the hard-fighting days to come, or in the peace that will follow victory;

. . . that we, the people, will dig into our pockets, purses, and savings to make the success of the War Bond program a symbol of our determination.

These things we subscribe to. These things we believe in. These things we promise.

WAR BONDS to Have and to Hold

This is an official U. S. Treasury advertisement—prepared under auspices of Treasury Department and War Advertising Council

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Coca Cola Bottling Co. of Lubbock.

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CHIROPRACTORS
H. L. Dempsey

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Bell Ice Cream & Milk Co.

COTTON OIL MILLS
Lubbock Cotton Oil Mill

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The kind of weather we are having at this time causes sickness, and if it continues for another two weeks half of the population will be sick.

At this time one should be very careful about their living habits. They should not get wet, be sure and get their daily requirement of vitamin C, (orange juice) not eat to heavy, (unless doing muscular work) should be very careful about their elimination and above all should see their Chiropractor regular or at least when signs of sickness manifests itself. . . .

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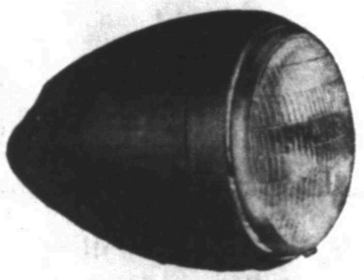
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PERCULATOR $2.49

PYREX FLAMEWARE
7-inch Skillet Bowl,
32-oz. Saucepan Bowl,
48-oz. Saucepan Bowl,
With Snap on Handle,
All for $2.49

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FOR OLDER CARS AND TRUCKS!
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OF FINE USED UPRIGHT

PIANOS

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Quality parts, supplies, tubes.

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SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 27

Morning
8:00 Tabernacle Baptist Church.
8:15 Central Baptist Church.
8:30 Southside Church of Christ.
8:45 Cumberland Presbyterian Church.
9:00 Back to the Bible
9:15 Pioneer Park Church.
9:30 Foursquare Gospel Church.
9:45 Apostolic Church.
10:00 Downtown Bible Class.
10:30 Sunday Morning Revue.
11:00 Broadway Church of Christ.
11:45 Red River Dave.

Afternoon
12:00 Newscast.
12:15 Sunday Serenade.
12:30 Waltz Time.
12:45 Good Will Program.
1:00 Organ Melodies.
1:15 Doctors Courageous.
1:30 Virginia Anthony.
1:45 Singing For You.
2:00 This Is Fort Dix.
2:30 Bulldog Drummond.
3:00 Wide Horizons.
3:30 Abe Lincoln's Story.
4:00 Tony Pastor's Orchestra.
4:15 Abilene Christian College.
4:30 The Shadow.
5:00 Chapel Chimes.
5:15 Newscast.
5:30 Rhythm Parade.
5:45 Paul Martell's Orchestra.

Evening
6:00 Your American Music.
6:30 Wake Up, America.
7:00 A. L. Alexander's Mediation Bd.
7:30 Songshop.
8:15 Newscast.
8:30 Cleveland Symphony Concert.
9:00 Old Fashioned Revival.
10:00 Tabernacle Baptist church.
10:30 Sign Off.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 28

Morning
6:30 Time and Tunes.
6:45 Farm Program.
7:00 Musical Reveille.
7:30 Newscast.
7:45 Rhythm Parade.
8:15 Headline News.
8:30 Music and Stuff.
8:39 Shady Valley Folks.
10:00 Newscast.
10:15 Personal Shopper.
10:30 Happy Jo and Ralph.
10:45 Melody on Parade.
11:00 Bonke Carter.
11:15 Accent On Music.
11:55 Farm News.

Afternoon
12:00 Sons of the Pioneers.
12:15 Hillbilly Serenade.
12:30 Drug Store Cowboys.
12:45 Newscast.
1:00 Snoop and Scoop.
1:05 Facts About Texas.
1:10 Interlude.
1:15 Pan-Americana.
1:25 Hillbilly Swing.
1:30 Words And Music.
1:45 Public School Program.
2:00 Morjon Downey.
2:15 Two Keyboards.
2:30 Yankee House Party.
3:00 Walter Compton.
3:15 Markets.
3:30 Anything Goes.
3:45 Music.
4:00 Ray Dady.
4:15 Archie Andrews.
4:30 Treasury Salute.
4:45 Superman.
5:00 Air Adventures of Jimmy Allen.
5:15 Around Your Town.
5:30 Lum and Abner.
5:45 10-2-4 Ranch.

Evening
6:00 Fulton Lewis, Jr.
6:15 Johnson Family.
6:30 Local News.
6:35 Newscast.
6:40 All Star Dance Parade.
7:00 Newscast.
7:15 Interlude.
7:25 Newscast.
7:30 SPAAF Program.
8:00 Rhythm Favorites.
8:15 Soldiers of the Press.
8:30 Paul Winchell and Jerry Mahoney.
9:00 Henry Gladstone.
9:15 South Plains Songs.
9:30 Interlude.
9:35 Lone Ranger.
10:00 Q. E. D.
10:15 Senator Clarence Brown.
10:30 Army Air Forces.
11:00 SIGN OFF.

CLIP-KEEP

Ration Stamp Guide

This is a Complete Ration Schedule including all stamps that are valid for
WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 27th

Sugar
No. 30, Book 4 — 5 pounds. Expires March 31
No. 40, Book 4 — Valid Feb. 1. Expires when used

Shoes
No. 18, Book 1, and Airplane No. 1, Book 3
One pair each — Expire when used

Gasoline
No. A 10 — Valid January 22. Expires March 21

Meat
Brown Y, Z — Valid Feb. 13. Expire March 20
Red A-8, B-8, C-8 — 10 points each.
Valid February 27, Expire March 20

Processed Foods
Green, Bk. 4, K, L, M—Valid Feb. 1, Exp. Mar. 20
Blue B-8, C-8, D-8, E-8 — 10 points each, Book 4.
Valid February 27, Expire March 20

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Dial 4671

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A Natural Cheese, fully ripened and mellowed with special imported cultures added to produce that exquisite, continental cheese flavor. Other famous varieties from THE CHEESE HOUSE are: Muenster, Baby Edam, Venetian Brick, Holland, Geneva, Aged Wisconsin, Gorgonzola, Edam Cheese with wine added. Also the following varieties in 5 oz. stone crocks, aged in wine and brandy: Stilton, Edam, Roquefort, Gorgonzola

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No. 2 Store
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JOE PALOOKA — ROSIE'S UPSTAIRS — BY HAM FISHER



WASH TUBBS — ONE QUESTION FOR TWO — BY TURNER



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DIAL 5511

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ALLEY OOP — POOR DINNY! — BY HAMLIN



THE LONE RANGER — BY FRAN STRIKER



DONALD DUCK — DOWN TO EARTH! — By WALT DISNEY



MONTH END DUNLAP'S CLEARANCE

2 DAYS ONLY!
MONDAY, FEB. 28
TUESDAY, FEB. 29

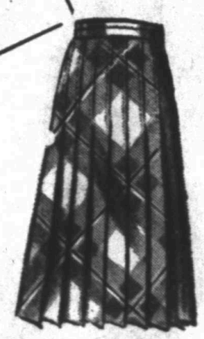
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ZIPPER BAGS
Sometimes called "Furlough Bags" . . . folds flat, water repellant—base 8 inches by 18 inches, height 11 inches. Large enough to hold servicemen's necessities for week end or longer. Regular price $2.98. Clearance
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New Spring Dress Prints and Solids
Shantungs, Fugi cloth, Jersette, Printed Rayon Crepes.
CHOICE
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Colorful new spring prints . . . Multi-color patterns 40 inch.
PRICED
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$1.98 yd.

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"Pearce's Pride" Plaids of blue, peach, rose. Wide satin blinding. Clearance.
$12.95

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White with colored borders . . . Good Heavy Towels 22x44.
69c EACH

MEN'S TEE SHIRTS
Fine combed yarn . . . short sleeves . . . horizontal stripes of tan, yellow, blue and red. Sizes of small, medium and large. Regular Price $1.35.
Rayon Tee Shirts . . . Horizontal stripes of red, navy or teal blue
$1.49
CHOICE
$1.00



MEN'S Dress Hose
Rayon or mercerized cotton — long or short tops. Clearance
29c Pair

ALL WOOL TWEEDS
54 inches wide . . . tweeds, plaids and solid colors, regular price $4.98, clearance, yard
$2.99

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CLEARANCE

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$5.00

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Blue, Brown and Green, Sizes 12 to 18, Clearance
$2.98

Tweederoy Pants
Sizes 4 to 12, Clearance
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Blue denim, sizes 1 to 8 Clearance, now
$1.00

CHIDLREN'S UNION SUITS
Knee length . . . drop seat . . . Sizes 2 to 12, 2 SUITS for only
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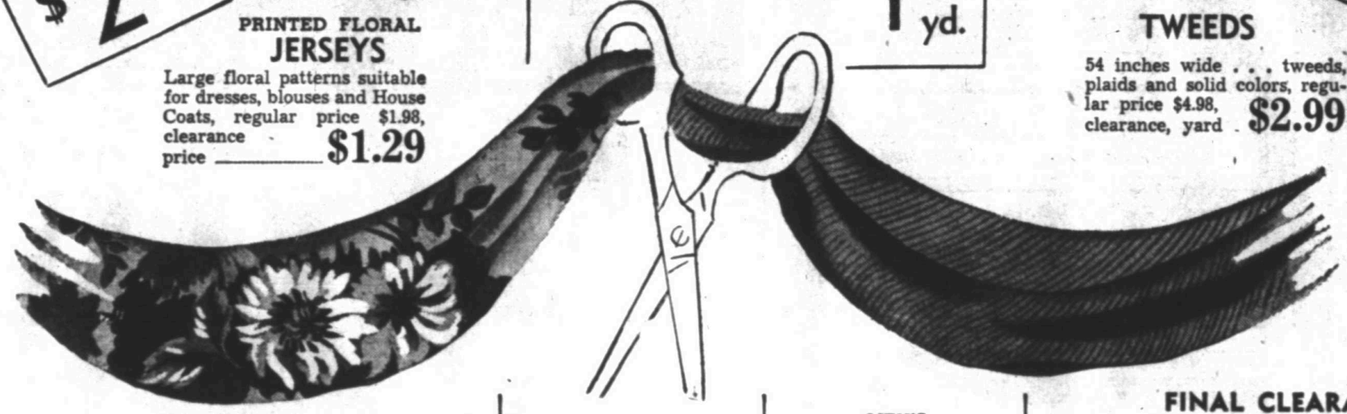
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Bleached . . . long sleeve . . . tie sides. 1 to 4, 3 FOR
$1.00



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. . . in this "Figure-Perfect" Slip that never twists or rides or binds as you rush about your war-work. And never a bulge or wrinkle to mar the fit of today's pencil-trim clothes. BUR-MIL* Rayon crepe, petal or white; 32-44, 29½-37½.
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59c Pair

MEN'S Dress Pants
A choice selection of fine dress pants. Reg. price $5.95. Clearance . . . .
$4.95

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All wool . . . tan color . . . button front. Sizes 34 to 42. Regular price $7.95.
Clearance
$5.95

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Well lined . . . button front slash pockets . . . adjustable side. Regular price $14.95, Clearance
$12.95

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Bronco brand . . . Genuine grain leather . . . lustrous celanese lining. Belted effect back. . . . Flap pockets. . . . Button front . . . All sizes.
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DU PONT ZELAN JACKETS
Durable repellant finish. Regular Price $3.95. Clearance
$2.49

TACKLE TWILL JACKETS
Army regulation fabric . . . Water repellant . . . Wind resistant. Regular Price $6.95. Clearance
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NEW SPRING PURSES
Envelope and handle styles . . . Patents, faille, simulated leathers and combinations . . . Choice
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One Lot Of Genuine Leather **Purses**
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Choice of black or brown buck, regular price $4.95, clearance
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Red, green or brown . . . . wedge type sole. Clearance.
3.45

PUMPS
Sling wedge heel . . . . . choice of red, green, or beige. Regular price $5.00. Clearance.
3.95

MEN'S KHAKI PANTS
Dunlap's Demanders . . . Sanforized . . . Full cut. . . . Sizes to 42
$1.98

KHAKI SHIRTS to Match the above pants. Sizes to 17
$1.75

Shop Coats
Covert grey . . . grey green . . . blue and white stripe.
$3.98 and **$4.45**

Men's Heavy Grey Flannel Shirts
Reg. Price $1.98 Clearance
$1.39

CLEARANCE
MEN'S BOOTS AND SHOES

MEN'S SHIRTS AND SHORTS
Combed yarn shirts Broadcloth shorts.
35c each
3 For **$1**

Walkover . . . Moccasin toe . . . Blucher oxford in brown. All sizes. Regular price $8.95 Clearance.
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Plain calf or Scotch grain . . . combat sole . . . Sizes 7 to 12. Widths A to D. Regular price $6.45 Clearance.
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Wing tip . . . combat sole . . . Sizes 7 to 12 . . . Widths A to D. Regular price $6.45. Clearance
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Brown calf and kid
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Clearance
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FULL FASHIONED RAYON HOSE
45 gauge—good shades . . . Sizes 9 to 10½ Regular Price 61c, Clearance, Slight seconds
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Brown calf . . . leather sole . . . open toe . . . stalked leather heel . . . Clearance
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Ostrich grain . . . . light or dark tan . . . leather sole . . . steel arch—
Clearance
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BROWN WATER BUFFALO OXFORDS
Cord sole . . . Sizes 12 to 2, regular price $3.98. Clearance
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Brown calf oxfords . . . full double leather soles
$4.95. Clearance
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Brown blucher style . . . cord sole . . . broken sizes. Regular price $4.95. Clearance . . .
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