

Jap Warships Blasted By Allied Bombers

Must Leave 'Non-Deferable' Occupations

Men 38 To 45 Face Induction Next Month

WASHINGTON, April 3 (AP)—Major General Lewis B. Hershey, selective service director, announced tonight that beginning May 1 men in the 38-45 year old group must leave the list of "non-deferable" occupations or face the possibility of induction.

al interest at this time demands that men within the ages liable for military service (18-45) who have qualifications that are not now being used in furtherance of the war effort, and who at the same time are not acceptable for service in the armed forces simply by reason of age or physical disability, be required to employ their efforts in those essential activities in which shortages of necessary manpower threaten the successful prosecution of the war effort.

The new plan announced by President Roosevelt that men over 38 already in the army will be asked to get into agriculture or other essential activities before being released from the army because of age.

Two Cruisers Blown Up In South Pacific

Destroyer Left Sinking And Two Others Are Damaged

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN AUSTRALIA, Sunday, April 4 (AP)—Blasting at Japanese warships in devastating, pre-dawn raid, heavy Allied bombers Saturday blew up two enemy cruisers, left a destroyer sinking, and damaged two others near Kavieng, New Ireland, the high command announced today.

The big bombers attacked from masthead height and medium height with their targets illuminated by flares, sinking one light cruiser by four direct hits with 500-pound bombs and laying four on a heavy cruiser that exploded, flinging debris 400 feet in the air.

A large destroyer was mortally wounded in the savage attack, two other destroyers were damaged, and two other warships were bombed but results were not observed.

The attack upon the concentration was pressed home while other bombers swept over the iridrome nearby, neutralizing it.

With Japanese aircraft pinned down, the Allied planes completed their attacks without the loss of a ship, the noon communiqué asserted.

This aerial triumph followed quickly yesterday's announcement that reconnaissance planes had spotted numerous ships in the Kavieng sector, 500 miles north-east of the Allied base of Port Moresby, New Guinea, after which bombers scored hits on a 10,000-ton and a 6,000-ton enemy ship.

The raiders struck before dawn at Japanese shipping which reconnaissance pilots previously had reported totaled approximately 50,000 tons, dispersed off Kavieng and in Steffen Strait.

"Striking just before dawn and taking the enemy largely by surprise, our heavy bombers executed a devastating low level attack on a warship concentration in Silver Sound," reported the noon communiqué from General Douglas MacArthur.

"Aided by flares, the attack was pressed home from medium level and masthead height. Four direct hits from skip bombing with 500 pound bombs were scored on a light cruiser. The vessel was destroyed and sank immediately."

Below this aerial action, New Britain island and New Guinea bases of the Japanese were dealt new blows.

On New Britain, shore installations were bombed at Open Bay; the Gasimata waterfront was bombed and strafed and the Cape Gloucester airbase was raided.

Medium bombers, followed by a heavy bomber, started large fires among buildings and along the waterfront of Saumlaki in the Tanimbar Islands.

Wool Growers Are Assured 40c Pound

WASHINGTON, April 3 (AP)—Instead of taking over the entire 1943 wool clip, as some producers had suggested, the government today assured growers about 40 cents per pound, or about 130 per cent of parity.

The agriculture department, which will support wool prices at levels equal to the current CPA ceiling prices, said that under the price-support program, the government would take over such quantities of wool as might be offered by growers. That quantity might be large or small, depending largely on prices offered by normal buyers.

CADET KILLED

DALLAS, April 3 (AP)—Aviation Cadet Johnny Bill Woodley, of Dublin, Erath county, 21, was killed today in a collision on land at the training squadron field at the naval air station here, naval authorities said.

Shipyards Set New Record in March

WASHINGTON, April 3 (AP)—American shipyards in March established a new record for construction of merchant vessels by turning out 146 ships aggregating 1,518,000 deadweight tons.

The March achievement compared with previous record construction of 130 ships totaling 1,239,200 tons in February.

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She Makes 12—Miss Patricia G. Smith of Dallas joined the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps to back up her eleven brothers, all in overseas service in the army. Above she points out on a map some of the far-flung spots where her brothers are fighting. Patricia and two of her brothers are triplets. Another set of triplets is composed of Claude, Carl and Clayton. Besides a set of twins, Ralph and Roy, four others, are Bert, Earl, Donald and Fred. Her father lost his life in World War I just before Patricia was born.

Yank Infantrymen Pushing Against Nazi Mine Fields

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA, April 3 (AP)—Grim waves of American infantry beat today against the rugged and heavily-mined Axis defenses protecting Marshal Rommel's inland flank, which lay wedged between the United States army corps to the west and the British Eighth army on the Gulf of Gabes.

On the steep slopes of the barren brown hills east of El Buetar, Lieut.-Gen. George S. Patton, Jr., renewed his attacks to clean the enemy out of positions now blocking the expected junction of the Americans with the British.

The Americans made a sudden bid for a break-through early yesterday when a tank column traversed a narrow track across an enemy mine field along a road leading toward the coast.

Many German tanks immediately counter-attacked, however, and the American armor pulled back to let the infantry resume operations toward widening a gap in the enemy defenses.

Front dispatches reported some German panzers were knocked out and several others were damaged before the tank battle was broken off.

Mines by the thousands, in a variety of sizes and deadly trickery, have become one of Rommel's most potent defense weapons.

The Americans strove to develop techniques for rapidly clearing the cleverly concealed, infernal machines.

In the Fondouk area, 100 miles north of El Gueitar, the Americans were frustrated temporarily in attempts to win high ground south of Fondouk.

The North African airforce announced that the Allied air offensive since March 19 had destroyed more than twice as many enemy aircraft as the Allies had lost in carrying out a series of heavy, far-flung attacks.

School Rolls At New Peak

Big Spring Independent School district scholastics stand at an all-time peak for the first census check, W. C. Blankenship, superintendent, announced Saturday.

The initial survey of census results showed 3,411 scholastics. This compares with 3,359 shown on the rolls now, but is more than 200 above the figure shown by any previous first check, explained the superintendent.

Normally, from 200 to 300 are added by rechecking the rolls including scholastics who were missed by census takers.

Blankenship was of the opinion that one of the most thorough jobs of census taking ever performed here had been completed and was uncertain if the check would produce the normal rate of increase. Even so, he anticipated that the final census figure would be a new record for the district.

NORWAY LOOTED

STOCKHOLM, April 3 (AP)—The Nazis have looted Norway of at least nine billion crowns (approximately \$2,127,000,000) in the three years of occupation ending April 3, Norwegian economic experts estimated today.

Commissions Under Fire By Truman

WASHINGTON, April 3 (AP)—Senator Truman declared today that Col. Darryl Zanuck should be sent to the front instead of back to civilian life as the movie producer has requested—and at the same time observed that New York's Mayor La Guardia has no "more business being a brigadier general" than Zanuck has being a colonel.

Zanuck was defended by Undersecretary of War Patterson, who said the producer has made heavy personal sacrifices to serve in the army.

Truman (D-Mo), a captain in the last war and chairman of the senate's war investigating committee, spoke up at a committee hearing into the relations of the army and Hollywood.

"I know the mayor was an air officer in the last war," Truman said, "but I don't think he has any more business being a brigadier general than this fellow (Zanuck) has being a colonel."

As for the latter, Truman suggested he be sent to the front. "I don't believe in letting fellows back out in the middle of a war," he said. "Why don't you send him to school and make a real soldier out of him? With his experience I think you could very well use him at the front. That's where we are going to need men."

Patterson, testifying that Zanuck "unwisely" continued to draw a salary from Twentieth Century-Fox, motion picture concern, for several months after he was called to service, said his request for a return to inactive status has not been acted upon and assured the committee its view will receive full consideration.

Water Contract With The Army Approved

City commissioners, in special session, Friday authorized Mayor G. C. Dunham to sign for the city in approving a new water contract with the army.

The contract is basically the same as the existing one, but under its terms the army will free about \$5,000 in payment of completed sewer work.

This will be applied to the sewage plant enlargement program. Balance of the army commitment on the expansion program at the plant will be paid upon its completion.

REVIEWING THE BIG SPRING WEEK

BY JOE PICKLE

Friday, one of the most important anniversaries in the city's history, passed without recognition—and properly so. One year ago on April 2, the city learned of its designation as a site for an army school, and since then it has grown to proportions much larger than any expected. It is still growing, for that matter. As big as it is, and as proud as Big Spring is of the school, this is letting the time to waste effort in celebrating. We all can celebrate when the war is won.

Just a few more days like Saturday's April scorcher and even the native mesquite and hackberry trees, most conservative of all, will have to admit that spring is here and that the time is at hand for a bit of foliage. Until that happens, however, many old timers are keeping their fingers crossed.

Incidentally, Friday's water consumption jumped above the two million gallon mark. If this is a fair sample of what to expect, then the summer consumption probably will bobble around 3,000,000 gallons daily. Maybe we better pray for rain.

From all accounts, Dr. D. M. Wiggins set a pattern for future speakers when he addressed graduation.

68 Cast Votes For Trustees



W. W. INKMAN

Only 68 qualified voters in the Big Spring Independent School district exercised their right of franchise Saturday in returning W. W. Inkman and J. Y. Robb as trustees for the city schools.

Inkman polled 68 votes, Robb 56, and J. B. Collins was a write-in choice of one voter. The two incumbents will be re-qualified as board members at the next board meeting.

Elections also were held in the common school districts of the Knott county line and the Coahoma independent school districts, but returns from these probably will not be available until Monday, said County Superintendent Walker Bailey.



J. Y. ROBB

Calls Reduced Over Nation For April

WASHINGTON, April 3 (AP)—A nationwide reduction in April draft calls was disclosed tonight by a selective service spokesman who emphasized, however, that the action was "purely administrative and does not mean any reduction in the size of the armed services."

Revisions in the quotas vary according to states, he said, adding that some cuts ranged up to 20 per cent.

Explaining that similar reductions had been made previously and probably will be made subsequently as conditions warrant, he said that the revisions in the April quotas will be made up later with heavier calls in other months.

Several factors were involved in the move, he said, including a lower rate of rejections by the army from previous quotas. He explained the monthly quotas are drawn several weeks in advance and adjustments are made later as necessary to meet the demands of the armed services.

City Election Is Tuesday

Deadline passed Saturday night without additional candidates filing for city commission, and four names will go on the ballot for Tuesday voting.

Listed are Grover C. Dunham, mayor, T. J. A. Robinson, commissioner, W. L. Mead and C. O. Nalley. All qualified, the first two by signatures and the latter two by petition method, and all four had signed the loyalty pledge required the first time this year of candidates for public office.

Voting will be Tuesday from 8 a. m. to 7 p. m. in the city fire station. L. S. Patterson will be election judge and Bill Younger will be his assistant. Any person who has resided within the corporate limits for the past six months and who is otherwise a qualified voter under the laws of Texas may ballot in the Tuesday election.

LEHMAN TO LONDON

WASHINGTON, April 3 (AP)—Herbert H. Lehman, director of foreign relief and rehabilitation, announced today he will go to London within a few days to procure all available information on problems connected with the relief of war victims in areas liberated from axis control.

Higher Price, More Material And Men Urged For Oil

WICHITA, Kas., April 3 (AP)—A three-point recommendation—revolving around an increase in price, materials and manpower—for boosting the nation's petroleum supply in the face of stepped-up wartime demand was adopted today by the interstate oil compact commission.

Pointing out that "there is grave and deep concern among us that there is imminent a serious shortage of current producible oil in this country," the 12-state body approved a resolution calling for:

An adequate increase in the price of crude oil "in order that new life be put into prospecting for oil;" that abandonment of stripper wells be thereby retarded, and that secondary methods of recovery may be made financially possible in many oil fields; and, steps to relieve "critical materials and manpower shortages."

"The price of oil has been fixed at a very low level while drilling and operation costs have constantly risen," said a resolution addressed to federal authorities.

"Many independent oil producers are thus being forced out of business. The independent has in the past discovered most of the new oil fields. He will do it again if the government will permit the price to advance to cover costs and provide a proper incentive."

The commission also urged that "all federal agencies charged with the responsibility of providing adequate petroleum to win the war" give "prompt and careful consideration" to the problem of preserving stripper well production, and that governmental restrictions and regulations "causing premature abandonment of stripper wells be relaxed."

The Petroleum Administrator for War and the War Production Board were requested to give "earliest possible consideration and favorable action and provide the material requirements for an oil pipeline originating in the West Texas area and extending to a central Oklahoma point."

The pipeline, it was explained, would connect with "trunk lines now supplying midwestern refineries to avert a critical shortage of supply" to the refineries. The resolution pointed out that these refineries were "now drawing on stored oil to supplement inadequate supplies from Kansas, Oklahoma and other midwestern states."

RAF Pounding At Nazis On 24-Hr. Basis

LONDON, April 3 (AP)—Heavy explosions and anti-aircraft fire heard across the English Channel tonight indicated that the RAF was keeping up a 24-hour attack on German-occupied France following daylight sweeps in which bombs were dumped on a Nazi airfield at Abbeville and the docks at the harbor of Brest.

In other daylight flights fighter-bombers set an enemy trawler afire off the coast of Holland and swift mosquito bombers battered rail targets in northern France and Belgium.

Spitfires escorting the bombers in the Abbeville attack shot down five German fighters with the loss of one of their own, the air ministry announced.

The raid on the docks at Brest was carried out by Ventura bombers with a fighter escort, but the air ministry gave no details of the results.

Today's activity continued the round-the-clock offensive to which the RAF returned last night by bombing Lorient and St. Nazaire, two of Germany's most important U-boat bases on the Atlantic coast.

Shows' Red Cross Week Nets \$495.77

The Red Cross War Fund chest was richer by nearly \$500 Saturday night through observance of the R&R showhouses in the national theatres' Red Cross Week. Collections among theatre audiences since the special period opened Thursday totaled \$495.77. Friday's show crowds donated \$157.29, those on Saturday \$246.02.

Red Cross Week continues through Wednesday, and Boy Scouts and volunteer workers are assisting in collections. Each program at the theatres features a film tribute to the Red Cross work at the fronts, narrated by Capt. Eddie Rickenbacker.

Water Consumption Takes A Big Jump

Hot weather and Victory Gardens combined at the end of the week to boost the city's water consumption to summer-time levels, City Manager B. J. McDaniel reported Saturday.

Reports from the filtration plant and from the city wells showed a total production of 2,123,400 gallons Friday.

Of this amount, approximately a million and a half gallons came from the Powell Creek lake. The city park wells turned out 230,000 and another 400,000 came from the sheet water supply in section 17.

For the first time in several months, the city cut in its main deep well supply in section 33, but this was only momentarily.

Reds Move Up Notch Toward Novorossisk

LONDON, Sunday, April 4 (AP)—The Red army captured another town in the Caucasus to tighten its semi-circle around the Nazi bridgehead at Novorossisk, wiped out 450 Germans attacking the Donets river line and also seized a crossing over that river, Moscow announced early today.

The midnight communiqué recorded by the Soviet monitor identified the captured locality in the Caucasus as Prikubansk, presumably in the Anatsavskaya area 33 miles north of Novorossisk.

Little essential change, however, was reported in the long front between Leningrad and the Caucasus following the issuance in Moscow yesterday of official maps illustrating the huge strides made by the Russians during the winter to regain 185,328 square miles of territory.

The heaviest Donets river battle in the Ukraine occurred south of Iyumu, 70 miles southeast of Kharkov, the communiqué said. At this point where the Russians hold the western bank of the river the Germans threw a motorized infantry regiment supported by 20 tanks against the Soviet positions, only to lose 400 men, five tanks and seven mobile guns.

In the Belgorod sector, 50 miles above Kharkov, the Russians unexpectedly attacked a German contingent holding a crossing over the Donets, and forced the unit "to retreat in disorder," the communiqué said.

The 'Irreducible Minimum'—

Only Million Now Jobless

WASHINGTON, April 3 (AP)—The census bureau reported today a total of only 1,000,000 jobless persons—approaching what the bureau called "the irreducible minimum."

The new figure, based on a survey in mid-March, showed a decline since mid-February of 400,000. In the intervening month 100,000 of these joined the labor force and 300,000 went into the armed forces.

The bureau said that the number of male workers employed declined by 100,000 between February and March, but that the number of female workers increased by 200,000, sending the labor force total to 51,000,000.

The March unemployment figure compared with 3,600,000 reported by the bureau a year ago and with 10,983,000—including 2,655,000 emergency relief workers—counted in the 1937 census of unemployment.

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Nazis' Insidious Educational Program Is Bared In Ritz Film, 'Hitler's Children'

Presenting a vivid picture of what a Hitler victory would mean to an enslaved world, "Hitler's Children" features Tim Holt, Bonita Granville and Kent Smith in a daring, highly dramatic and thought-provoking expose, the basis of which is an epic love story, menaced by official frustration and ultimatum with a double tragic ending. The picture is at the Ritz theater today and Monday.

The unusual film is based on the sensational best-seller, "Education for Death," by Gregor Ziemer, who for ten years headed the American Colony School in Berlin, saw the insidious growth of Nazi teachings among Germany's young people and came to the United States to tell what he saw.

Kent Smith portrays Ziemer's own school-master part in the picture, with Holt as a young German-American who succumbs to the Nazi beliefs and Miss Granville as Smith's pupil who later becomes his assistant, only to be sent to a labor camp because of her German parentage.

Attempting to find the girl and get her out of the country, Smith runs into the opposition of Holt, who as a Gestapo officer is trying to conceal his basic affection for Miss Granville under the stern cloak of what he believes to be his duty to the state. Inwardly both young people are rebels against the Nazi doctrine, but outwardly they hide their feelings for one another until a crisis arises that forces Holt to punish the girl.

Then he, too, goes berserk and makes a futile but courageous attempt to set her free, knowing full well what the inevitable consequences will be. The ensuing climax, with both young people endeavoring to enlighten their contemporaries on their "education for death," is said to constitute one of the most graphic film scenes of recent years.

Bringing as it does the first authentic revelations of Nazi teaching to the screen, "Hitler's Children" shows those teachings for what they are, an inhuman program for enslaving the rest of the world under a German yoke, for ruthlessly breeding legions of illegitimate babies, for killing off all who do not fit into the Nazi scheme of things.

The entire program is fearlessly disclosed in the course of the unusual romance in "Hitler's Children," its grim attributes and menacing reality forming the tapestry against which the spirited action and romance of the plot are carried out.

Featured also are Otto Kruger, as an S.S. Chief and H. B. Warner as a fearless churchman. Edward A. Golden produced the picture for RKO Radio, with Edward Dmytryk directing and Robert S. Golden as associate producer. Ernest Lavary wrote the screenplay from Ziemer's book.

Mystery Film Stars Gargan And Lindsay

Gunfire shatters the infamous black market in rubber tires as William Gargan and Margaret Lindsay go clue-seeking in Columbia's thrilling new mystery picture, "No Place for a Lady." Booked for today and Monday at the Lyric theatre, the picture is said to hit the pace that kills—and chills—when a private detective and his fiancée stumble upon a murder in a lonely beach house on the California coast.

Directed by James Hogan, "No Place for a Lady" also features wily Phyllis Brooks, Dick Purcell, Jerome Cowan, Edward Norris and James Burke. The story, according to advance reports, opens with private detective Gargan visiting his beach house unexpectedly. Shook at signs of a struggle in his kitchen, the detective is even more shocked when he discovers a corpse in his basement.

After phoning the police, Gargan leads the officers to his cellar and receives a third shock when he learns the corpse has disappeared. Determined to solve the case, he and Miss Lindsay start tracking down clues and soon arrive at the conclusion that the corpse in his basement was directly connected with a huge fire which took place in a tire warehouse in San Francisco.

Further investigation leads them to definite proof as to the guilty party involved in the murder. However, before they get any information from him, a bullet ends the culprit's life. In the midst of a test blackout, Gargan and Miss Lindsay start retracing their steps and ultimately uncover the entire plot in a fast-paced climax.

The story is given a humorous twist with Miss Brooks, an ex-showgirl, showering attention on Gargan, much to Miss Lindsay's disgust; and with Purcell, as a reporter, pursuing Miss Lindsay, very much to Gargan's disgust. However, the romantic angles are kept straightened out happily along with the not-so-romantic murders and thrill fans are sure to get the chill of their lives as they witness "No Place for a Lady."

An Artistic Job

TACOMA, Wash.—Gus Vogeler, real estate dealer, returned home late and saw a man standing in his garden.

He shouted but the mysterious figure ignored him.

Vogeler hurried into the house to get his shotgun.

His wife spared him greater embarrassment — she complimented him on the excellent scarecrow he'd erected.

Food For Prisoners

LUBBOCK—Prisoners in the Lubbock county jail will live on rice, spaghetti, syrup, carrots and corn bread until May 1.

All of the jail's food rationing points, allowed March 1, have been used.



Nazi Victims—Bonita Granville and Tim Holt are the two principals in the story of a boy and girl who get entangled in a web of nazism in "Hitler's Children," sensational expose of Hitlerian teaching methods which is at the Ritz theatre today and Monday. The picture is based on the book, "Education for Death," an authentic treatise on conditions in Germany.



Commandos—The famed Commandos are in the celluloid again, the Queen theatre's feature for today and Monday being a drama of suspenseful action about these fighting troops. Called "Gorilla Man," the picture features John Loder and Ruth Ford.



In Jungles—Stalwart Richard Denning protects frightened Dorothy Lamour from the jungle's dangers. In this scene from "Beyond the Blue Horizon," which is featured at the State theatre today and Monday. The picture puts Dotty back in her sarong and in her most popular type of role.

Story About Commandos At Queen

A topical film about the British Commandos and their efforts to expose a vicious group of spies operating in England is the featured offering for today and Monday at the Queen theatre. The picture is Warner Bros. "Gorilla Man," starring John Loder and Ruth Ford, with a supporting cast headed by Marian Hall, Richard Fraser and Paul Cavanaugh.

A group of Nazi spies operating in a sanitarium in the south of England receive word that a British Commando group carrying military information is expected to land nearby. The spies meet the Commandos and persuade the wounded captain to take refuge in the sanitarium. Intercepting a radio message in Morse code, the captain becomes suspicious, and sets about to expose the spies, but not until they have involved him in a series of crimes. How he extricates himself and brings the culprits to justice makes for exciting entertainment.

John Loder, well-known English actor, is cast as the Commando captain. Ruth Ford plays his fiancée and Marian Hall is her sister. "The Gorilla Man" was directed by D. Ross Lederman.

THE WEEK'S PLAYBILL

SUNDAY-MONDAY
RITZ—"Hitler's Children," with Tim Holt and Bonita Granville.
LYRIC—"No Place for a Lady," with William Gargan and Margaret Lindsay.
QUEEN—"Gorilla Man," with John Loder and Ruth Ford.
STATE—"Beyond the Blue Horizon," with Dorothy Lamour and Richard Denning.

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY
RITZ—"Cairo," with Jeanette MacDonald and Robert Young.
LYRIC—"Once Upon A Honey-moon," with Ginger Rogers and Carey Grant.
QUEEN—"Orchestra Wives," with Ann Rutherford and George Montgomery.
STATE—"All That Money Can Buy," with Edward Arnold and Walter Huston.

THURSDAY
RITZ—"Dead Men Walk," with George Zucco and Mary Carris; also, "Calaboose," with Jimmy Rogers, Noah Beery, Jr., and Mary Brian.
LYRIC—"The Great Gildartree," with Harold Peary and Freddy Mercer.
QUEEN—"Across The Pacific," with Humphrey Bogart and Mary Astor.
STATE—"Trade Winds," with Fredric March and Joan Bennett.

FRIDAY-SATURDAY
RITZ—"Tarsan Triumphs," with Johnny Weissmuller and Frances Gifford.
LYRIC—"Land Of Hunted Men," with the Range Busters.
QUEEN—"Billy The Kid Rides Again," with Buster Crabbe and Al St. John.
STATE—(Friday only) "Mountain Moonlight," with the Weaver Brothers and Elvira. (Saturday only) "Stage Coach Buckaroo."

Dottie Lamour Plus Sarong Here Again

Dorothy Lamour comes back to the screen in a type of role which has made her famous and which has never failed to entertain us—a jungle film, with Dorothy clad in a sarong.

The sarong-queen this time stars in Paramount's Technicolor adventure romance, "Beyond the Blue Horizon," which romps into the State theater beginning today, with Richard Denning, Jack Haley, Patricia Morrison, Walter Abel, Helen Gilbert and Elizabeth Patterson in the featured cast.

Last time Dotty donned a sarong was for "Aloma of the South Sea." "Beyond the Blue Horizon" marks the sixth time Dotty has slipped into a sarong for one of those island or jungle films. Reports are that "Beyond the Blue Horizon" packs more entertainment than any of the previous Lamour hits.

"A Full Moon and an Empty Heart," which Dotty sings in the new film, has already reached hit parade status. The pretty star is one of the best song-promoters of the screen.

Pressing romance, thrills and comedy, "Beyond the Blue Horizon" presents Dotty as an heiress to a fortune, who is brought to the States from the jungle, where she lived most of her life with a tiger and a chimpanzee as pets. Her parents were killed by a wild elephant.

Her right to the fortune is disputed, and her statement that she has a tiger which swims is challenged by Richard Denning, a jungle-bred lion-wrestler in a circus. Skepticism arises concerning whether Dotty was ever in a jungle. To prove the validity of her claim to the fortune, it is necessary for her to return to the jungle to recover certain lost papers to establish her identity. Denning, Haley, a circus press agent, company her. The papers, of course, are found after many perils, not the least of which is that man-killing elephant. Naturally there are romantic and comedy interludes.

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LYRIC TODAY - MON.

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Phyllis BROOKS - Dick PURCELL

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with the lust to kill!

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THE GORILLA MAN

with JOHN LODER and RUTH FORD
Paul Cavanaugh

Added: METRO NEWS Cartoons—"DUCK SOUP"

Scrap Metal You Contributed Was A Real War Help

CHICAGO, April 2 (AP)—Remember that old flat iron and the other assorted junk you dug up out of the attic or the bottom of closets last autumn and left on the corner to take its part in the national scrap drive?

If you've ever wondered if your ransacking the house or the apartment has helped in the war effort, you can take the word of Wilfred Sykes, president of Inland Steel company, that it did.

Inland Steel was one of the companies most desperately in need of scrap before the drive began. At one time last autumn the company was threatened with a partial shut-down—only a matter of days away—because it couldn't obtain sufficient scrap to keep its furnaces going.

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Tons Of Magazines And Books Gathered By Scouts In City

Literally tons of magazines and several hundred books filled the USO Saturday afternoon following a concerted drive by both Boy and Girl Scouts in a canvass of the town for reading material for the soldiers.

H. D. Norris, Boy Scout executive, estimated that the nine Boy Scout and six Girl Scout troops participating brought in between 10,000 and 12,000 magazines and between 200 and 300 books.

The magazines and books are to be distributed to the Big Spring Bomber School, troop trains and the USO library.

One Cub troop, determined to hold up its end of the drive, brought in 1,000 magazines, another troop reported 1,055 magazines and still another girls' troop 1,369 magazines.

Scouts found local housewives most cooperative and one woman, who had no books or magazines to contribute, searched around until she located a Sears Roebuck catalog to add to the pile.

The scouts had trucks and pick-

Veto For State Labor Control Bill Rumored

AUSTIN, April 3 (AP)—Off-the-record predictions that Governor Coke Stevenson would veto this state's first union labor control bill were highly current in Capitol corridors today, but it was likely that the governor himself did not know what action he would take.

He sent the bill to the attorney general's office for further study, and said he would not announce his decision before Monday. He may sign it, veto it, or let it become law without his signature.

There were not many who believed he would follow the latter negative course.

Meanwhile, the legislature finished its twelfth week with its most difficult work still ahead: the major appropriations bills. The house voted out its first money bill, ordering a \$600,000 economy for the judiciary during the next two years, on the floor of the senate not a move had been to knuckle down on appropriations.

The house made two passes at the question of sine die adjournment during the week, but got nowhere. Once it decided to quit May 11, and a few minutes later regretted it by voting to lay the matter on the table subject to 24-hour call.

Section Must Share In The Next Increase

AUSTIN, April 3 (AP)—Oil men in a position to know predicted today that the petroleum demands of mechanized armies on the offense will force increased production of West Texas sour crudes.

This increase should be from 100 to 200 per cent above the present allowable during the next nine months.

Oil men long associated with the industry asserted emphatically that 50 per cent of an anticipated 400,000-barrel per day increase in Texas' crude flow during the third quarter must come from West Texas.

Daily production in West Texas was set at 206,649 barrels in the railroad commission's April schedule.

The battle to break the transportation and equipment bottlenecks, throttling full utilization of West Texas vast crude reserves will be decided not by Petroleum Administrator Harold Ickes but by the tempo of fighting in North Africa and the Pacific, these sources who asked not to be named, bluntly declared.

Said one well known authority: "The petroleum industry war council has stated that 400,000 barrels per day additional crude oil will be needed in the third quarter of 1948 and that most of this increase must come from Texas. West Texas will be called upon to produce at least 200,000 barrels of this amount, since the remaining Texas districts cannot produce this increase without waste."

"Though no official announcement has been made, federal and state oil authorities in conjunction with West Texas operators have under consideration far-reaching plans to expedite the flow of sour crudes to areas where demand is increasing and supplying is decreasing," one seasoned observer said.

Members of the railroad commission repeatedly have expressed concern over the inability of West Texas producers to find transportation outlets for crude while the principal burden of filling increasing demands falls upon fields unable to boost production without waste.

Alleged purchaser discrimination against sour crudes is one of the principal complaints of West Texas operators.

Materials Are Available To Extend Pipeline

WASHINGTON, April 3 (AP)—Petroleum Administrator Harold L. Ickes announced today that a twenty-inch petroleum pipeline from the southwest has been assured of enough materials to extend all the way to the east coast, instead of halting at Seymour, Ind.

War Production Board approval was received at a meeting of the WPB requirements committee late last night, Ickes disclosed.

The necessary steel can be made available in time, he added, to permit completion by about the first of next year—right in the middle of the next heating season.

This pipeline, the second "big inch" conduit, will be able to deliver a maximum of 235,000 barrels of petroleum products daily. It will carry crude oil, which is being brought east by the 24-inch pipeline whose eastern leg now is being completed.

The new line, originating in the refinery area around Beaumont, Tex., will cost an estimated \$75,000,000 Ickes said, and will be government-financed.

Construction of the first section, from Texas to Indiana, was approved in January. Work is to start on the eastern extension as soon as construction crews finished work on the eastern leg of the 24-inch line.

State Funds For Schools Received

Funds totaling \$3,704 were received Saturday morning at the county school superintendent's office from the state for Rural Aid for teachers.

The state warrant which is subject to one percent discount amounting to \$37.04 paid in proportion by each school, is an annual grant.

Schools and the amounts received are, Gayhill, \$81; Centerpoint, \$375; Cauble, \$608; Moore, \$889; Lomax, \$236; Morgan, \$722; and Richmond, \$743.

Additional Auto Licenses Issued

Approximately 50 additional '48 license tags were issued by the county tax collector and assessor Friday and Saturday to those who couldn't meet the deadline Thursday. However, of this number, none paid penalty taxes, but purchased affidavits declaring that their cars had not been driven since the license deadline.

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Over 400 Placed In Employment Here In March

The local United States Employment Office placed 448 persons in jobs during March, O. R. Rodden, manager, reported Saturday of which 310 were on essential war jobs.

Out of the total number one half of the number or 228 placed were women, Rodden said. Thirty-five persons were also placed in agricultural jobs.

The increase in the number of placements during March of this year is best known by a comparison of the same month last year when the office located only 139 persons in jobs during March.

Anyone interested in working at all, Rodden said, who has contacted the office to register, has been given a job.

Electrical Items Hold Up USO Job

Remodeling of the present USO building is at a standstill, Rose Clarke, USO director said Saturday, waiting on word from Washington concerning a quantity of electrical equipment on which priority is needed.

The local USO applied nearly four weeks ago for the priority which would give them access to buying the electrical needs but although several letters of inquiry have been sent since that time, no reply has been received by Clarke.

All other needed materials are on hand, Clarke said, and work has progressed as far as it can without the electrical equipment.

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365th Squadron
Ad libbin with the 365th: S/Sgt. Casey A. Montwill in a recent softball game got his "schnozzle" in the way and had it broken in three places. . . . The latest softball game with the 1047th Guard Squadron ended in a tie as a result of the 1047th's "lucky" Pete Mailhe, who connected with a homer with the bases loaded. The way our team is shaping up though, it'll take more than luck on the part of our opponents to beat us in the future. . . . After 18 years in the Army, S/Sgt. Parker is still talk-

ing of his home state. North Carolina. We don't mind the sergeant's interesting talk—only he does it all while he's asleep. Maybe a furlough would help. . . . First Sergeant Stewart is a different man since 1st. Sergeant Jr. came into the family. Happy day. . . . Major, the squadron mascot, making like a fan with his tail for two days. His master, George W. Cole, is back from his furlough, and the Major is a happy dog once again. Cpl. Ochoi back from a furlough to the Windy City, says Mayor Kelly's "Gopher Hole" (the subway Chicago is building) is still a "gopher hole." . . . "Pool shark" Pvt. Calvo has been taking a shelling. His latest defeat in a game of straight, was 5 to 1. Calvo claims the cause of it is that furlough he just had. Could be! . . . S/Sgt. Kenneth C. Bonfoey is leaving us for Quartermaster O. C. S. As a former supply sergeant, it should be easy to find. Sarge. . . . Just back from Randolph and cutting a mean rug at the enlisted men's dance, was Sgt. Jensen. What's the matter Sarge—no gals at Randolph? . . . After all this hot weather, the April 1st order stating summer uniforms can be worn, was greeted with hurrahing shouts. . . . Sgt. J. P. Henderson is getting along fine with his Love Bonds. Their little love notes enclosed in his letters,

stating her love is a sound investment. She must be "twazy" about you, Sarge. . . .

1047th Guard Sqdn.

Squadron gossip: After practicing only two weeks our ball team is shaping up much to our satisfaction. Thus far we have had three practice encounters. We broke even with the formidable Ordnance team, losing the first game 7 to 6, and copping the second 7 to 1. Our third game against the highly touted 365th resulted in a 5 to 5 tie—thanks to "Pete" Mailhe, our slugging first-sacker, who powdered a homer with three on in the last half of the seventh inning. Besides "Pete" we have the following who have shown signs of being good hitters: "Red" Redick, "Maxie" Hunter, Harold Beaulieu, and Elton Moore. The latter has played unusually well behind the plate when he's not on the mound. . . . "Take me back to matches," is the favorite saying of Cpl. Salvatore May. . . . Pvt. Robert Davidson, main gate guard, will soon be leaving us to report as an aviation cadet. . . . Cpl. "Bobby" Barnett, ex-guardman and now at flexible gunnery school, is slated to get his coveted wings this week. . . . Pushing the dapper George Calouri out of the limelight as No. 1 playboy of our squadron is Dem. Miller, the blonde Adonis. . . . The modesty of Cpl. Charles Brady is the only thing that is keeping his great poetry from appearing in this column. . . . Good old West Texas—after hours of pleasant weather all of a sudden—one of its famed dusters becomes a reality and whew!—off go our blankets and most of our clothing to the cleaners—the win-

dows have to be washed, etc., etc., etc. Oh well, maybe after a few years one goes get acclimated. . . .

816th Squadron

Squadron Notes: Basketball is officially over for the season here at Big Spring school. Our own 816th, field champions, took on the 814th squadron of Midland in the AAFBS championship game Wednesday night. It was nip and tuck through every quarter, with Midland holding the early lead to the finish and winning out by a score of 44 to 20. Leading the attack for the 816th were Barbour and Moon with 7 points apiece. . . . With basketball season officially over, softball is taking the spotlight. The 816th will, as in all other field activities, be well represented. New uniforms and equipment has been purchased—and although only one game has been played—and that a practice game—the squadron squad looked as if they had been playing together for years. Their teamwork and physical fitness were two very noticeable qualities. . . . A rich colorful painting of Capt. Eddie Eickenbaker as a soldier and flyer hangs on the side wall of our orderly room. Let's have more pictures of these great army air forces men—men

who symbolize the admiration and greatness held for our branch of the service. . . . S/Sgt. Hill is sweating out his April 7th aviation cadet appointment. And Pvt. Mater and Berry are also perspiring freely over the same business. . . . Men of the squadron "goldbricking" at the post hospital are Privates Bird, Calabrese, McDonald, Farquhar, Brady and Farley. We expect 'em all back after the doctors get a load of this writing. Or is it true that no one ever reads this stuff?

818th Squadron

Stag party: The squadron barbecue resulted, as was expected, in a hilarious, enjoyable evening with plenty of "vittles" to go around. It was given in appreciation of our high efficacious level on the line. Practically 100 per cent maintenance. We're "on the ball." . . . Here and there in the squadron: You've all heard about the feud 'tween the Hatfields and the McCoy's. It's nuttin' compared to the rip-snorter the 818th is having at present. In this corner, M/Sgt. McDonald, barracks No. 4—in this corner, T/Sgt. Choate, barracks No. 3. It all started (not over a blonde), but the best bar-

rack on the Saturday morning inspection. Sgt. McDonald is going on a furlough to try and forget. . . . Those now famous words of Pvt. Piskors—"I wanna go to Tech School"—are being heard more often. He must be serious. . . . S/Sgt. Camp is sweating out a 1-A priority on a motor and three re-capped tires for Campos Caravan. Gus sure has been seeing a lot of our day room lately. . . . To our boys in the hospital—Sgts. Dronick and Stacey; Cpls. Leeker and Clements, we wish a speedy recovery. . . . Now on D/R at a school of learning, is Sgt. Smith. He had been with the 818th since its inception. Best of luck Smitty. . . . Mail Orderly Cpl. Nekusa is enjoying a 3-day pass at the only city in the world—Dallas. . . . Also on a three day pass is Pvt. Craig. Says he and the wife took a short trip into the country to enjoy the "birth of spring." . . . On recent cross-country hops to Dayton, O. were Sgt. Crawford and Pfc. Smith. To Duncan Field, Tex., went S/Sgt. Sehon, Sgt. Haffner and Cpl. Peltier. . . . Men of the squadron leaving on furloughs April 1st. . . . M/Sgt. McDonald, T/Sgt. Teal, S/Sgt. Shay, Sgts. Blackburn and Thurston, Cpls. Peltier and Jones.

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Southwest Topped The Nation In Recent Spending Spree

Dept. Store Sales Gained 74 Percent

DALLAS, April 3 (AP)—In Texas, as elsewhere in the nation, the buying spree which swept over the country early in February apparently has run its course, according to the Monthly Business Review issued Saturday by the Eleventh District Federal Reserve bank of Dallas.

While it lasted, however, Texans spent freely. Department store sales within the district for the five week period ending March 14 showed a higher percentage gain than those of any other district, being 74 per cent greater than a year ago. The increase in all districts was about 30 per cent, the bulletin states.

Women's and misses ready-to-wear showed the most noticeable increase and a trend toward higher-priced merchandise was evident. Other developments noted by the review:

Merchandise demands at wholesale trade firms within the district increased slightly during January and February, but there was little net change from a year ago.

Broadly speaking, smaller stores apparently suffered most from war time changes, while larger firms had a greater volume of business.

A moisture deficiency offset favorable crop growing temperatures and delayed planting throughout most of Texas during the last three weeks of February.

The early March cold wave, however, failed to injure truck crops seriously though substantial losses of fruit in East and North Texas were indicated.

Over-all stock losses during the cold period were light.

Cattle and sheep came through February in fair to good condition. Fall range conditions fostered a general livestock increase in Texas as elsewhere in the southwest.

By January 1 there was a record total of sheep and lambs within the state, a near-record number of hogs, and cattle and calves showed a continuing upward trend.

The number of chickens on Texas farms on January 1 was approximately 37,000,000, an increase of 5,000,000 over the preceding year.

Texas wool production declined, but cash income from the product was increased. Mohair production fell off both in volume and value.

February 15 prices for hogs, beef cattle, milk cows, butter and corn were up about 25 per cent over prices on the corresponding date a year ago. Increases in prices for chickens, eggs, oats, sorghums and hay were still greater. Prices of grains and other feeds increased moderately.

Reported planting intentions indicate major foods and feed crops acreages will be somewhat greater in 1943 than 1942.

The district's crude oil production averaged 1,532,945 barrels daily during February. Production increases in the Texas coastal section, West Texas and New Mexico were largely offset by declines in other areas of the district.

Crude oil stocks continued to accumulate and on February 27 were 10 per cent greater than a year ago.

Mme. Chiang May Visit In Santone

SAN ANTONIO, April 3 (AP)—The San Antonio Light said it learned today that Madame Chiang Kai-Shek, first lady of China, would visit San Antonio within "two or three days," but her spokesman said in Los Angeles they knew of no such plan definitely.

Mayor Gus B. Mauermann said he was advised that Madame Chiang's visit here would be private and that the date was uncertain.

The Light said, however, that plans were being made for a public reception if the American-educated wife of China's generalissimo could spare the time.

Resigns Place On Petroleum Group

CHICAGO, April 3 (AP)—Ill health has caused Frank Phillips, founder of the Phillips Petroleum Co., to resign as chairman of the general committee of the petroleum industry for district two.

"I have just returned from a month's observation at Washington University Barnes hospital, St. Louis, Mo., and at my doctors' insistence I have today tendered my resignation as chairman of the general committee of the petroleum industry," Phillips said in a statement.

He was one of the leaders in organizing the petroleum industry for war production, directing production, distribution and sales of petroleum products in 15 inland states. Phillips' home is in Bartlesville, Okla.

Carrier Will Be Launched Today

CAMDEN, N. J., April 3 (AP)—The aircraft carrier Cabot will be launched here tomorrow at the New York Shipbuilding corporation yards.

only a small group of navy officers and workmen will view the ceremonies. The Cabot will be sponsored by Mrs. Albert Cushing Read, of Chicago, wife of Rear Admiral A. C. Read, who in 1919 flew the navy seaplane NC-4 to Europe in the first transatlantic flight.

AWARDED MEDAL

NOTRE DAME, Ind., April 3 (AP)—The University of Notre Dame today named Thomas F. Woodlock, N. Y. City author and contributing editor of the Wall Street Journal, as the recipient of the Laetare medal for 1943.

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Senators Get Many Suggestions From Constituents For Bettering Universe

WASHINGTON, April 3 (AP) — Aluminum coins, 25 pounds of tobacco a year for everybody, a new climate for England and a universal language are among the recipes received by senators from their constituents for restoring and maintaining world tranquility.

The man who thought England's climate needed changing explained joyfully that March lasts 12 months a year there.

Another man thought arrangements should be made to dish out vitamins regularly to everybody in the world. Scornful of gold as a medium of exchange, he proposed dumping the world's whole supply "at least 10 miles deep" in the ocean and using aluminum coins.

A Denver man thought Denver would be a good seat for an international congress which would rule the world, and an Ohioan called for an international FBI.

A precarious future with aerial pirates roaming the sky was foreseen by a New Yorker. "Merchants of death," he predicted, will peddle the planes and bombs left over from the war to barbaric races.

"The possibility of gangs of air bandits threatening and blackmailing cities, villages and manufacturing plants with fire, gas and bacteria bombing must be recognized," he warned.

"Congratulations to you and your confederates," wrote a high school youth to one of the co-authors of a pending postwar proposal. It was all in the day's work for the student — dozens of his classmates also wrote the senator, apparently as a civics assignment.

There were some violent dissenters. The one, for instance, whose letter began "Dear Wolf-in-a-Lamb-Skin Senator..."



In Mid-East—Staff Sergeant (Easy) Milam, formerly a Cooden employe in Big Spring, now is serving with the armed forces in the Middle East. His wife, the former Miss Pauline Pearson, who is employed at the telephone company; and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Milam of Big Spring, recently have heard from him to the effect that he is doing "OK."

Coloradoan Decorated Twice For Aerial Feats In African Warfare

COLORADO CITY, April 3 — Letters from his son, Lieut. Warren E. Church, twice decorated for feats in the air over the North African war theater, tell Joe Church of Colorado City little more than the terse newspaper accounts noting his son's air medals. The elder Church eagerly awaits the letters not because they give any news and where, but because they give him a few details of the lieutenant's life over there.

A letter received this week told of his having been "moved about fifty miles from where we were. Now we have four men to a tent and are a bit more comfortable than in our little old pup tents. We bought us some grass rugs from the Arabs and got us a cot piece from supply and now feel all fixed up."

Lieut. Church was stationed in the British Isles until last November when he was part of the Amer-

Three Men Missing For Year Picked Up

WASHINGTON, April 3 (AP) — The rescue of three members of the army air forces who had been missing in action for nearly a year was announced today by the war department.

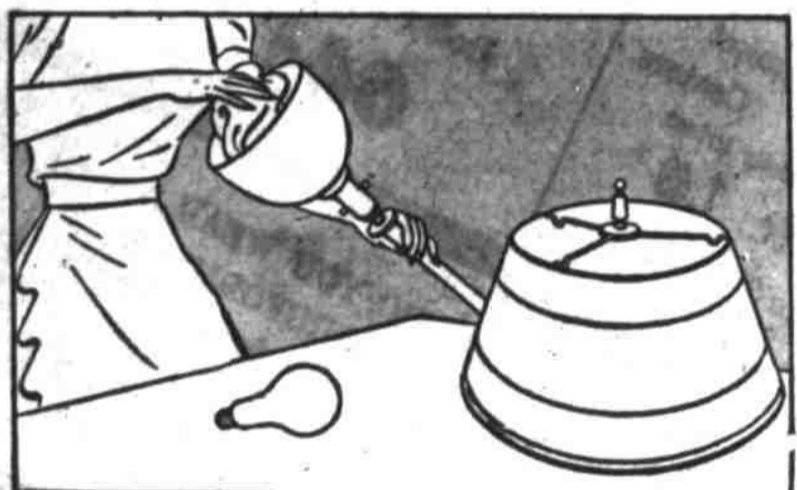
Second Lieutenant Marvin C. Hughes, Baird, Texas; Second Lieutenant Eugene D. Wallace, Los Angeles, and Private First Class Dale E. Bordner, Chillicothe, Mo., were picked up by the Royal Australian Air Force March 26 on the northern coast of Japanese-held New Britain, in the same general area as the enemy base at Rabaul.

Curb Tooth Decay

CHICAGO, April 3 (AP) — The conclusion that the addition of small amounts of fluorides to community drinking water can cause a marked decrease in the dental decay rate among children, was reported today in the journal of the American Denton association by Dr. Francis A. Arnold, Jr., of Bethesda, Md.

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- Sunday Morning
- 8:00 Sunday Morning Melodies.
- 8:30 Church of Christ.
- 9:00 Detroit Bible Class.
- 9:30 Emanuel Church in Christ.
- 10:00 Wesley Radio League.
- 10:30 News.
- 10:30 Musical Interlude.
- 10:45 Church of Christ.
- 11:45 Letters to My Son.
- Sunday Afternoon
- 12:00 Stanley Dixon.
- 12:15 Safety Songs.
- 12:30 Assembly of God.
- 1:00 Pilgrim Hour.
- 2:00 This is Part Dix.
- 2:15 Let's Plant More Cotton.
- 2:30 Musical Fill.
- 3:30 "Amusement, Industry's Dedication to a Cause."
- 3:00 Lutheran Hour.
- 3:30 Young People's Church.
- 4:00 "Answering You."
- 4:30 Murder Clinic.
- Sunday Evening
- 5:00 Claude Miller.
- 5:15 Andre Kostelanetz.
- 5:30 Trinity Baptist Church.
- 6:00 Voice of Prophecy.
- 6:30 Madame Chiang Kai-Shek.
- 7:00 American Forum of the Air.
- 7:45 Gabriel Heatter.
- 8:00 Evening Concert.
- 8:30 First Baptist Church.
- 9:00 Old Fashioned Revival Sign Off.
- Monday Morning
- 7:00 Musical Clock.
- 7:30 News.
- 7:45 Musical Clock.
- 8:00 Morning Devotional.
- 8:15 Morning Concert.
- 8:30 Pinto Pete.
- 8:45 Vocal Varieties.
- 9:00 Ian Ross MacFarlane.
- 9:15 Choir Loft.
- 9:30 Cheerup Gang.
- 10:00 Sydney Moseley.
- 10:15 Karl Zomar's Scrapbook.
- 10:30 Yankee House Party.
- 11:00 News.
- 11:05 Dr. Amos R. Wood.
- 11:10 KBST Previews.
- 11:15 Bill Hay Reads the Bible.
- U. S. Navy Band.
- Monday Afternoon
- 12:00 10-3-4 Ranch.
- 12:15 What's the Name of That Band.
- 12:30 News.
- 12:45 Dance Hour.
- 1:00 Cedric Foster.
- 1:15 Farm and Ranch Hour.
- 1:30 Today's Devotional.
- 1:45 Century Room Orchestra.
- 2:00 Morton Downey.
- 2:15 Shady Valley Folk.
- 2:30 Background For News.
- 2:45 Uncle Sam.
- 3:30 Nobody's Children.
- 4:00 Shellah Carter.
- 4:15 Quaker City Pan Americana.
- 4:30 Treasury Star Parade.
- Rayman.
- Monday Evening
- 8:00 Prayer.
- 8:01 Phillip Keyne-Gordon.
- 8:15 Rich Hayes & Red Connors.
- 8:30 News.
- 8:45 Songs for Servicemen.
- 9:00 Fulton Lewis, Jr.
- 8:15 The Johnson Family.
- 7:00 Where to Go Tonight.
- 7:15 They're the Barriers.
- 7:30 Midland Flying School.
- 8:00 Gabriel Heatter.
- 8:15 Herb Hagenor's Orchestra.
- 8:30 Meditation Board.
- 9:00 Raymond Clapper.
- 9:15 Sign Off.

Artless Answer

WASHINGTON — Washington Post Staff Writer Chandler Brocard walked around the Corcoran Art Gallery, seeking to see how many art lovers agreed with the judges in giving Henry Mattson's "Rocks" first place in recent biennial competition.

Some did and some didn't. Finally, a white-haired man holding an old hat was asked. Said he, raising his eyebrows: "I think it is a very good painting."

"Why?" asked the scribe with pencil poised.

"Because I painted it."

There's A Reason

DALLAS — Leonard Cline, 54, pulled his wife and five children from their stalled car. A Frisco train struck seconds later, carrying the wreckage 200 feet.

"Boy, you must have been paying the preacher!" marveled an ambulance driver.

Replied Cline: "I am the preacher."

In 1942, the game birds and animals caught by sportsmen provided about 253 million pounds of usable meat.

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Mrs. Howard Makes Bond On Manslaughter Charge

TULSA, Okla., April 3 (AP)—Mrs. Ella B. Howard, a trim divorcee, was freed under \$10,000 bond today after she was bound over for trial on a manslaughter charge in the slaying of a wealthy oil man's wife.

For the first time since her arrest at the fashionable Mayo hotel a week ago Thursday night, she smiled as she thanked one of the men who signed her bond. She had wept quietly, giving way to her first display of emotion in court, at the end of her preliminary hearing earlier today.

Mrs. Howard had been held in the county jail since the domestic tragedy which ended in the fatal shooting of Mrs. T. Karl Simmons, 55, widely known horsewoman.

"She's very happy to be out," declared Defense Counsel Marvin Simpson. "She is also very, very appreciative of the kind treatment the authorities have given her."

Common Pleas Judge Gray S. Cornett reduced the charge against the 44-year-old divorcee from murder to manslaughter at the conclusion of the preliminary hearing.

The defense presented a surprise witness, Ed J. Mace, a gunsmith in a sporting goods store, who told of cleaning the gun used in the slaying about a week before the killing in room 928 of the Mayo hotel.

Mace said that another employee of the store, R. M. Murphy, later told him the gun had been brought in by Mrs. Simmons.

County Attorney Dixie Gilmer was unable to gain a continuance to bring in rebuttal evidence. After Judge Cornett made his ruling,

Chalk Pupils Will Attend At Forsan

Due to a shortage of teachers, the Chalk school has contracted with Forsan to accept its pupils and teachers for the remainder of the year, County Superintendent Walker Bailey said Saturday.

There will be no transferring of funds as Chalk will continue to pay her own teachers, Bailey said, but pupils and teachers will both go into the Forsan school.

If the plan is successful for both schools, Bailey said, it is planned to continue the contract next year.

Public Records

Marriage Licenses
 Carl Hille, Mobile, Ala., and Mattie B. Mitchell, Texas.
 L. E. Lawrence and Alvina Biekle, both of Lamesa.
 Frederick Joseph O'Laughlin, Boston, Mass., and Rachel Blough, Indiana.
 R. V. Mullins, Olala, Ky., and Carmen Gonzales, Big Spring.
 Frank David Platner, Idaho, and Clemmie Lee Crain, Big Spring.
 Antonio Martinez and Josefa Torres, both of Big Spring.
 Eugene M. Sonnenschein, St. Louis, Mo., and Esther Mae Shaffer, Big Spring.
 Bernard M. Brown, Colorado Springs, Colo., and Virginia Ruth Queen, Big Spring.
 James G. Larkin, Denver, Colo., and Myrtle Jane McCullough, Denver, Colo.
 John W. Seltzer, N. J., and Alveta Clanton, Big Spring.
 Frank A. Beam and Lucille Dyer, both of Sweetwater.

Beer Permit
 Granted to R. R. Holcombe to retail wine and beer at 111 West First street.

Warranty Deeds
 C. F. Wade and wife to W. W. Gatlin, \$200, lots 1, 2, and 3 in block 1 in Lincoln addition to town of Big Spring.

Tulane And Texas Netters In Tie
 NEW ORLEANS, April 3 (AP)—Tulane and the University of Texas broke even here today in six tennis matches.
 Earl Bartlett and Wayne Anderson, the Greenies' meet, accounted for all three Tulane victories, both taking singles and then teaming up in doubles.

Negro Singers From Post Will Present Easter Programs

Under the leadership of post chaplain, James L. Patterson, the negro enlisted men of the Big Spring Bombardier School have organized for Easter presentation and various other activities.

Three negro quartets, all known as the Bombardier Gospel Singers, assist the chaplain in song services which are held in the post hospital and to men assigned in the guard house.

A regular schedule for religious meetings have been established with a group of negro ministers in charge of the services.

Lamesa Field May Be Put In Use Again

LAMESA, April 3 — Reliable sources here have reported the Lamesa flying field, formerly used in glider pilot training, will be put to use again soon.

Previously, it had been rumored that Clint Bredelove, operator of schools in Lubbock and Plainview, might transfer his Plainview operations to the Lamesa field. In this event, speculation was that the Lamesa school then would be used for training liaison flyers to use small craft. Substance was given the reports by presence of several families in Lamesa looking for housing facilities.

Jeffers Would Like To Quit, As Soon As

WASHINGTON, April 3 (AP)—Rubber Director William M. Jeffers made it plain today that he hopes to go back to railroad work about July 1 "I'll stick right here until I know the rubber program is a success. I'm not going to let anybody down."

The stocky Union Pacific president said he feels the fate of the program will be fairly definite by July 1.

"If it's all set and coming through—well, I've got a big job on the railroad to do," the rubber chief told a reporter.

Subsequently Jeffers issued a brief formal statement asserting he will stay on the job "until the

O'Daniel Returning To Washington

DALLAS, April 3 (AP)—Senator W. Lee O'Daniel (D-Tex) terminated his Texas visit today with the announcement he was returning immediately to Washington to help over-ride President Roosevelt's veto of the Bankhead bill prohibiting inclusion of government payments in figuring farm parity prices.

He cancelled his engagement to address a joint session of the Texas legislature at Austin, Tuesday.

The Week

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usting class 43-5 at the Big Spring Bombardier School here Thursday. Not only a good speaker, the college president had something to say. That's what most speakers are in dire need of, to our humble notion.

The acid test is being put to the people of Big Spring and Howard county—as well as of the remainder of the nation—during the month of April. Our part of the 13 billion dollar treasury drive is around \$750,000. This includes all type of treasury notes as well as war bonds—but the fact remains that is far greater than anything we have yet done here. We thought we did well in December—but now there are no Christmas bonuses to spend for bonds. Moreover most are smarting from a considerable tax hck. Consequently, the April test may prove a gauge of our willingness to do our best.

The fact that only 68 persons turned out to vote in the untested school trustee election Saturday is a pretty sorry commentary on this same democracy to which we pay such beautiful lip service. Tuesday the city commission election is coming up. How many will be good citizens and vote in it?

The cut-off road from the Bombardier School to the residential district is awaiting arrival of an engineer for the state parks board, so that uniform grant permission for passage of the road over the state lands. If speed is an indication, that engineer must be hiking out here.

War Loan

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additional participation in the war effort—it is an honor to do so. We who are left here on the home front can do no less than attempt to approach the sacrifices of those brave men out on the fighting fronts to whom the last great measure of sacrifice is but a daily offering. They give their lives. We lend our money.

"While it is true—and this to the everlasting credit of the American people—that there are more people today who own Government securities than at any time in the history of the nation—the simple facts of the matter are, it is not enough.

"If people of Howard county, and every county and town in the nation, are to meet their full measure of responsibility, they must loan their government every cent not needed for the essentials of living—and we have to revise downward our ideas about what are essentials. In other words, you, and you and I must go on an all-out war basis."

Here 'n There

Two staff sergeants have been ordered to electronics school at Lowry Field, Colo., the public relations office at Big Spring Bombardier School announced Saturday.

They are S/Sgt. Ed Ennis and S/Sgt. Richard D. Blerly.

Two Big Spring girls have been accepted as auxiliaries in the W.A.A.C., the corps' public relations office has announced. They are Norma Bagley, formerly employed at the Crawford coffee shop, and Lillian E. Nail of 1400 Main street. Miss Bagley, who has two brothers in the service, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bagley of 1811 Gregg, and Miss Nail is the daughter of Mrs. J. B. Nail.

Cpl. Elton Hartin, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hartin of 203 North Nolan and a graduate of Big Spring high school, is now in the army air forces technical training command at Lowry Field, Colorado. He enlisted in August of last year, and has been at Fort Sill and Enid, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Heard have learned that their son, Vernon, is somewhere in South America as a navigator on an air transport command.

Pvt. Joel Prager has been transferred from a camp in California to Boston, Mass., where he is enrolled in a chemical engineering class at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

James Darrell Davis and Joe Kenneth Murdock, both 17-year-olds, were shipped Friday to complete enlistment as V-6 in the U. S. Navy after acceptance here, said Fred Baucom, recruiter in charge

of the local sub-station. This made nine for the week.

Good progress is being made on the airport terminal building extension. Under the supervision of H. C. Snodgrass, workers erected outside walls, the roof deck and installed partitions in three days of labor. In another week the building will be to the finish work stage.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Myers are recovering from a severe attack of

Weather Forecast

WEST TEXAS: Cooler in Panhandle Sunday and in South Plains in afternoon, little temperature change elsewhere, fresh to strong winds over Panhandle and South Plains.

EAST TEXAS: Little temperature change Sunday, except cooler in northwest portion Sunday afternoon. Fresh to strong winds in north portion.

City—	Max.	Min.
Arlene	85	58
Amarillo	88	46
BIG SPRING	86	57
Chicago	47	27
Denver	78	48
El Paso	87	50
Fort Worth	87	54
Galveston	73	63
New York	35	32
St. Louis	55	30
Sun sets today at 8:07 p. m., rises Monday at 7:29 a. m.		

ptomaine poisoning. Myers is back at work but Mrs. Myers will be up by Monday in all probability. Incidentally, they expect one of their sons, Joe T. Myers, to arrive today for a visit.

Word has been received of the commissioning of Andy Pruitt, Abilene, as a Lieutenant (SG) in the U. S. Navy reserve. Pruitt, a former Big Spring resident, is in the construction battalion (Sea Bee) and left Saturday for Williamsburg, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Bishop Bailey and children, Billie, Linda and Janet Leigh, returned to their home in El Paso Saturday after visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Pickle, her parents. Miller Harris, who has been visiting his wife and son, Jimmie, and Mr. and Mrs. Pickle for the past ten days, also left Saturday to return to his station at the Kingsville navy air base.

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Social Security -- What It Is And How It Works For The Average US Citizen

Both Old And Young Employees Are Affected

(Not intended to be exhaustive, this article on social security was planned to make some things clear for the citizen with an SS card. It makes clear that the card-bearer has some responsibilities, and that he should be ready for eventualities.—Editor's Note).

"Second floor, and to the left, please."

At the Big Spring Petroleum Building, young and old citizens climb stairs to the second floor, keep to the left, turn in at Room 206.

So, thousands upon thousands of citizens take this short route to Social Security.

As explained by Elliott W. Adams, of 1006 Wood St., manager of the Big Spring, Texas, Field Office, Bureau of Old-Age and Survivors Insurance, Social Security Board, is the resident office of fifteen counties, including Andrews, Borden, Crane, Dawson, Ector, Gaines, Glasscock, Howard, Loving, Martin, Midland, Mitchell, Reeves, Ward, and Winkler.

His office is open every day except Sunday to meet the SS needs of residents of the fifteen counties. Itinerant offices, open at stated periods to meet the immediate needs of citizens in Mitchell, Dawson, Midland, Ector, and Reeves Counties, are served from the Big Spring office. Periodic visits are made to Colorado City, Lamesa, Midland, Odessa, and Pecos. In all counties, the service Social Security offices are in convenient locations where itinerant office hours are maintained for convenience of local citizens.

While some of this social insurance business of citizens with their government may be handled through the mail, it becomes increasingly advisable, when convenient, for citizens to transact their business in person at the offices as provided.

For the purpose of explanation, a visit to Room 206 in the Big Spring Petroleum Building, will tell of work done here, as elsewhere, under auspices of the Social Security Board.

Solely approaching the counter in Room 206, boys and girls, seemingly not older than 13 or 15, and mingling with adult citizens, ask for application blanks to get their SS cards. Behind the counter, Miss Kitty Ford, 1301 Rannels, reception clerk, with quiet courtesy, supplies the blanks, and then waits a dozen or more questions, just like the 8,000 she answered last week—but she gets paid for it.

School teachers may here, please, take note that a copy of the U.S. Postal Directory is kept handy, because a few citizens (mostly big city dwellers) do not know the names of the counties in which they have lived.

All citizens also may have take note that Uncle Sam asks many questions, and he asks for proof. In this insurance business, he will ask for birth certificates, and marriage certificates, and proof of divorce, and proof of attending school, and proof of death, and proof of many items before entitlement to benefit may be established.

It behooves the American citizen to get into the habit of some personal book-keeping, to assemble all proof of himself, and to lock safe what he has. Of course, the citizen may employ a lawyer to assist him in untangling fact and fancy, but the \$10 fee is fixed by the U.S.A. for this service is just that—10 dollars.

"Every individual might well take heed of such requirements and anticipate his respective future needs by ascertaining now the availability of proofs of the important dates and circumstances attending his life. When found not to be available it is possible to have the record made in the public records through the medium of affidavits which may be secured from persons having knowledge of the events, such as parents, close relatives or friends or acquaintances since childhood," says Manager Adams.

On a recent visit to the SS office here, where adults and younger West Texans were taking the first important step toward Social Security (getting a number), there was proof that youngsters in summer and wartime are gainfully employed. At the counter, age does not count.

Grade and high school students are busy in factories, mills, shops, offices, stores. The one cent deduction from each dollar earned puts them on the road to Social Security. Their employers also contribute one cent on each dollar.

The young worker, proud of his pay check, may not now be greatly interested in any old age and survivors insurance program or fully understand the deductions from his pay. However, in due time the significance of it all will be unfolded, and he will be definitely interested in the crediting of his wages as a matter of vital interest to him and his household, incidental to the establishment of a basic retirement income for himself if he lives or for his wife and minor children should he die prematurely.

According to the present law, college professors and farmers, railroaders, domestic independent contractors, and citizens in the armed services are among those not covered by the OASI system.



Information—J. T. Thornton, Sr., of 1006 Gollad, a typical West Texas, is doing the right thing in Room 206 at the Big Spring Petroleum building. He is getting firsthand information about social security from the reception clerk, Miss Kitty Ford. Also behind the counter is Elliott W. Adams, manager of the Big Spring area office bureau of old-age and survivors insurance.

There are some of the 13 classifications of workers who need not apply for insurance. Devised by man, this system is not regarded as perfect, or even fair in every respect. However, it is regarded as a cornerstone in American human affairs; not the completed structure.

A citizen, giving up a \$40 job to go to war, is not covered by the OASI. His program in the system is interrupted. No one per cent is to be deducted from his soldier's pay, according to present law, but his parents or dependents are not unopposed because they are provided for by Veterans legislation.

"We recognize," says Manager Adams, "that in the matter of the service man, there is need for some kind of protective legislation because the boy loses his insured status and loses by the adverse effect on benefits because of a decrease in average monthly wage. The Social Security Board is giving serious consideration to the proper means of resolving this question at the present time."

With more than 80,000,000 citizens in the United States having SS accounts, the smooth operation of the system is dependent upon the citizen's understanding of his responsibilities.

"In view of the vast number of wage earners for whom separate ledger accounts have been set up in the Accounting Operations Division, Baltimore, Md., each wage earner should be concerned that the wages he earns with each employer are properly reported, to the end that his wage record may be complete in the records of the Bureau," says Manager Adams.

"Through the use of a postal card form, which may be obtained from any field office and which he may mail directly to the Social Security Board, Baltimore, the wage earner may secure a statement of wages credited to his account. Omissions or discrepancies in wages or account numbers are made subject to investigations which are handled by the field offices."

Such matters are handled in the Big Spring office at the desk of Miss Ford, wage record and general clerk, who is also secretary to Manager Adams.

In spite of all the office machinery set up to care for the aged and the dependent, it must be understood that THE WAGE-EARNER MUST MAKE APPLICATION. He may have someone inquire for him or may send a letter to Room 206, but this much remains plain: Application for benefit payments must be made by him, because Uncle Sam does not come arunnin' when Old Man Jones on Sourry st. is 85 today.

Here, however, must be noted a little item of a government's humanitarianism. Suppose a man is, and too ill to get to the post-office. To him will be sent an office worker to see that small but regular pay checks arrive for shelter overhead and food on the table.

Old age insurance, begun for wage earners only under the provision of the original Social Security Act, was changed under the Amendments of 1939 to provide monthly benefits to qualified wage earners on or after Jan. 1, 1940; also to increase its scope so as to provide monthly benefits to certain members of the wage earner's family when he retires or to certain survivors after his death. Persons who were 65 before the initiation of the original law on Jan. 1, 1937, or became 65 in 1937 or 1938, were enabled, under the amendments, to qualify for primary insurance benefits in 1940 or later. Claims in the Big Spring office are filed with Mrs. Jane S. Haller, 607 Rannels st., claims clerk.

To be "fully insured under the system," the claims clerk will explain that a worker must have received, in covered employment, wages of at least \$80 in each of a minimum number of calendar quarters. A calendar quarter is a period of three consecutive months beginning January 1, April 1, July 1, or October 1. These are called "quarters of coverage." In general, the number of quarters of coverage required for a worker to be fully insured is one-half the number of quarters from Jan. 1, 1937 to the beginning of the quarter in which he reached the age of 65. He has to have at least six quarters of coverage. With 40 quarters of coverage, or more, a worker is fully insured as long as he lives.

If Old Man Jones on Sourry st., is 65 sometime this month, or sometime between now and July 1, he'll have to show 12 quarters to be in the money. HE CAN'T COUNT IN ANTI-ITEM before Jan. 1, 1937, because the OASI didn't become effective before that.

Of course, if Joe Holly has been earning more than \$2,000 a year with that new war invention of his, he's got to know that he doesn't get any credit above the \$2,000 mark. Nobody does.

How to calculate benefits from OASI is explained by the helpful personnel in Room 206. Suppose your average monthly wage for five years is about \$130. Take 40 per cent of the first \$50, and 10 per cent of the remaining \$80, and you have \$25. Then take one per cent of the \$28 for five years, and you have \$14. Together, you then have \$39.40 for your monthly old-age benefit. Your wife's benefit will be \$14.70, and together you get \$54.10 a month. That's your "expectancy" in old age.

In this formula for making your computations, it must be remembered that the exact amount is finally calculated by the SS board when the claim is filed. The general rule to follow is this: Add up all the pay that you have received from New Year's Day, 1937, to the beginning of the calendar quarter in which you become entitled to benefits. Then divide your total pay by the number of months in that same period of time.

can't earn \$15 or over a month, altogether. Then he applies for Federal help. His wife, too, when reaching 65 gets a check. It's half of Jones', but it's good money.

If they have a child (under 18 and unmarried, or under 18 and still going to school), the child gets a check, just like Mother's.

To get all of such old-age benefits for himself and for his beneficiaries, it is important that Jones apply immediately when he becomes eligible. Back payments, because of delayed application, are NOT made to him. Back payments will be made to all other beneficiaries, even though their applications be late.

Here is an actual case, handled in Room 206: John Doe, Account Number 600-00-0000, died fully insured, leaving a widow under the age of 65, and three children between the ages of nine and 14. The widow and children met all requirements for entitlement to monthly benefits.

The deceased wage earner's average monthly wage was a little less than the maximum taxable wage of \$220 a month. Accordingly, the widow will receive a monthly benefit of \$77.89 as long as she continues to meet all requirements prescribed and until the youngest child attains age 18, at which time widow's current insurance benefits terminate.

In addition to her own benefit the widow receives monthly benefits on behalf of the children, amounting to \$18.89 for each child until they attain age 18 or age 19 if they are regularly attending school, are not adopted, do not marry, or die.

If the widow and three children continue to receive monthly benefits until the youngest child attains age 18, the family group will receive a total of \$81.61, exclusive of any benefits she may ultimately receive as the aged widow of the wage earner.

Receipt of these benefits does not operate to preclude her right to file for widow's insurance benefit. It and when she attains age 65 and has not remarried. In such event, the benefit available to her at that time will be the same as she previously received, or \$27.89 each month.

There is a tremendous amount of detail about OASI, and Jones of Sourry St., has a lot to learn. Temporarily there is bound to be some confusion. Especially in the words that must be used to make everything clear be tween Jones and Uncle Sam. For instance, in an authorized radio skit about OASI, one speaker told of a check "delivered to the home of the beneficiary each month."

The skit continued with the query: "The beneficiary isn't required to report to us?" and the answer came, "Not at all."

This must have been highly confusing, because a beneficiary is expected to make application. No one is going to hunt him out to give him a check.

Manager Adams explains that thousands of workers are asking SS for their wage record statements. "That's the right thing to do. There is no charge for this service," says Manager Adams, "except the one-cent stamp required for postage."

In this connection, Manager Adams asks for full names of workers, because among more than 60,000,000 American names on SS accounts in the biggest bookkeeping job in the world, there are a million Smiths and Johnsons, more than that for Brown, Miller, Jones and Williams.

Had Old Man Jones been 65 in 1940, he'd have been as old as 77 per cent of the total population. In 1942, at 65, he is one of 6.8. Back there, he might have been economically independent, because in 1940 three of every four men were 1943, he could be among the economically dependent, because two of every three are, according

WAVE Recruit Officer Here This Week

Big Spring will become the focal point in this area for the enlistment of women to serve in the WAVES, SPARS, or Marine Corps Women's Reserve when Ensign Betty Mackemer of the WAVES visits this city and other towns in this section Monday, April 5 through Saturday, April 10.

Ensign Mackemer will make the Big Spring Navy recruiting station her headquarters, but will visit the various nearby towns each day to grant interviews to applicants. She will be stationed in the postoffice in each city, and will be glad to answer all questions concerning these three branches of the women's reserve.

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Texans Are Among Victims Of Crash

NORFOLK, Va., April 3. (AP)—The fifth naval district announced last night that the bodies of six occupants of a navy patrol plane which crashed Tuesday night in Albemarle Sound, 12 miles from Elizabeth City, N. C., have been recovered and identified.

FSA's Farm Labor Recruit Program Endorsed Here

A plan to recruit farm laborers for this area was explained by Peter Murray, Lubbock, Farm Security Administration representative to USDA War Board members and after consideration the board voted to give a green light to the plan.

Bishop Seaman Here Today; Christians Start Revival



REV. DAN E. SMITH

Religious activities during the pre-Easter season are increasing in Big Spring, and today the Rev. E. Cecil Seaman, Amarillo, bishop of the North Texas district for the Episcopal church, will deliver the St. Mary's Episcopal sermon at 11 a. m.

Today also marks the beginning of a revival meeting for the First Christian church with the Rev. Dan E. Smith, El Paso, leading, assisted by the Rev. J. E. McCoy, pastor. Bishop Seaman is to be present for all the St. Mary's services during the day, which include Holy Communion at 8:30 a. m. and church school at 9:45 a. m.

Dr. C. A. Long, Methodist district superintendent, will speak at services at the Wesley Memorial Methodist church this evening. "Jesus Savior Pilot Me" will be

special music. The Rev. W. L. Porterfield, pastor, will fill the pulpit at morning services with the choir singing the anthem, "Near to the Heart of God."

"Unreality" is the subject of the lesson-sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, April 4.

The Golden Text is: "What is the chaff to the wheat? saith the Lord" (Jeremiah 23:28).

4-H Club Girls Are Enrolled In Garden Contest

Approximately a score of Howard county 4-H club girls were told Friday how they can help in the war effort—and help themselves and families—in growing gardens this year.

The youngsters were guests of Sears, Roebuck and company, which, through its Big Spring order office, is sponsoring a garden contest for the club girls and which will distribute prizes both for gardens and for canned products from those gardens.

Club girls present were Ada Smith, Wanda Jean Forest, Dorothy Jean Cline, Charlotte Ruth Nichols, Jolene Campbell, Bettie Dean Gross, Mary A. Dorsey, Joe Marie Myers, Billie Jean Cross and Dorothy Raspberry of the Garner club, Sonia Weaver and Rejean Boutwell of the Moore club; Elotse McMurray, Rosa Faye Rice, Nellie McFerrin and Martha Evans of the Midway club; June Hill, Geneva McKee, Wanda Pearl Hodnett and Eulene Jackson of the Vealmoore club.

Wall Street

NEW YORK, April 3. (AP)—Demand for Utility, rail and specialty stocks offset profit selling in other groups today with the result that the market finished a generally successful week on a slightly irregular note.

FOOD PARLEY WASHINGTON, April 3. (AP)—Four additional countries—Egypt, Iran, Iceland and Liberia—have been invited to send representatives to the international conference on post-war food problems April 27. The United and Associated Nations so invited now total 42.

New Class Of Cadets Starts Training

Processing of class 43-9 was completed at the Big Spring Bombardier School late Saturday and the field's newest group of cadets were anxious to get into their training routine Monday.

Happenings In The Lees Community

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Whetsel were called to Sand Springs Thursday night to be at the bedside of her father, W. W. McDaniel, who suffered a paralysis stroke and who remains in a serious condition.

Club Boys Of County Show Livestock Here Wednesday

Operating for the first time on a county basis, the annual club boy livestock show will be held to one day Wednesday.

Later than ordinary, the exhibit also differs from its five predecessors in that it has only steers entered for judging. Moreover, the show and sale will be on the same day.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Pate of Oklahoma are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bud McHenry.

Members of the Intermediate Training Union were entertained in the home of the sponsor, Mrs. T. M. Harrell, Thursday night.

WASHINGTON, April 3. (AP)—Clarifying an earlier interpretation, the war labor board said today that employers engaged in seasonal operations, such as tobacco warehouses and canneries, must obtain its approval if they wish to pay wages rates at the start of a new season higher than those paid at the close of the preceding season.

Cosmetic Specials for Dollar Day. Harriett Hubbard Ayer Night Cream, \$1.00. Dorothy Gray Nosegay Face Powder, \$1.00. Harriett Hubbard Ayer Smooth-Skin Lotion, \$1.00. Barbara Gould Velvet of Rose Dry Skin Lotion, \$1.00. KLEENEX 500 Extra Large Sheets, \$1.00 value 79c. All Kinds of STATIONERY CUNNINGHAM AND PHILIPS FRIENDLY DRUG STORES. 217 Main and Petroleum Bldg.



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Springtime Cheers for our Spring '43 parade of fashion plums for you! See these spirit-lifting dresses that do wonders for your figure—(your morale too!)—versatile suits that meet every occasion smoothly—coats that go everywhere and lots of sweet Spring seasonings in the most exciting accessories ever. Come in tomorrow! You'll cheer about these fresh new fashions—so practical-minded too and you'll stand up and cheer when you see their tiny prices. Hats... "Fox" and Gage" Dresses... Justine, Marcy Lee, Carol King, Sue Mason, Eve Carver Suits... Just-moor Sporties Blouses... Joan Kenley Slacks... California Styled Shoes... by Jolene C.R. Anthony Co. EAST OF COURTHOUSE

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Kid Dance Held At The Hotel

Celia Westerman and Barkaley Woods won prizes of a doll and baseball for the most kiddish costumes at a Kid Dance sponsored by members of the High Heel Slipper Club Friday evening.

The dance was held at the Settles Hotel and decorations carried out a pink and blue motif in streamers, balloons and Mother Goose pictures which were about the entertaining room.

Around 55 persons attended the dance and music was furnished by nickelodeon.

Chaperones were Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Westerman, Mrs. Joe Ratliff, Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Hogan and Mrs. Winston Manuel.

Members and their dates were Celia Westerman, Tommy Chick-shales, Billie Frances Shaffer, John Billy Gory, Margaret, John McElhannon, Jo Ann Switzer, E. H. Weaver, Betty Jo Pool, Doris Nell Tompkins, Woody Baker, Betty Bob Diltz, Nancy Thompson, Darrel Webb, Marilyn Keaton, Kenneth Barnes, Barbara Leawell, Robert Coffee, Eva Jane Darby.

Class Has A Luncheon At Church Here

The Homemakers' class of the East Fourth Baptist church met for a regular monthly business session and luncheon at the church, and an April Fool motif was carried out in room and table decorations. The dining table was centered with a mixed bouquet of spring flowers.

Guests attending the luncheon were the Rev. J. M. Bradford who is conducting a revival at the church, the Rev. and Mrs. R. E. Dunham and the Rev. and Mrs. O. D. Carpenter.

The Rev. Bradford gave "The Touch of the Master's Hand" and Wanda Don Reese sang, "The Touch of His Hand on Mine."

Those attending the meeting were Mrs. H. Reaves, Mrs. T. B. Clifton, Mrs. Bob Wren, Margaret Bennett, Lenora Williams, Patricia Reeves, Mrs. Ella Miles, Mrs. George Holden.

Mrs. Joe Williams, Mrs. W. T. Steward, Wanda Don Reese, Mrs. A. S. Woods, Mrs. E. H. Forrest, Mrs. A. W. Page, Mrs. Walter Grice, the Rev. and Mrs. O. D. Carpenter, the Rev. and Mrs. Dunham, J. Hollis Lloyd, Mrs. Otto Couch, Mrs. Lala Staterwhite.

Mrs. W. O. Leonard, Mrs. J. R. Petty, Mrs. Ocie Chapman, Mrs. H. P. Moore, Mrs. J. W. Denton, Mrs. J. J. Porter, Mrs. R. E. Bennett, Mrs. W. W. Bennett, Mrs. C. R. Bird, Mrs. N. O. Decker, Mrs. Elmo Rainey.

Virginia Queen Pvt. Brown Are Married Here

Virginia Queen and Pvt. Bernie Brown were married in a high noon ceremony read Saturday at the parsonage of the First Methodist church by the pastor, the Rev. H. C. Smith.

The bride, daughter of Mrs. Dewey Martin, wore a dusty pink ensemble with white accessories. She carried a white Testament topped with lilies. For something old she wore a strand of pearls belonging to her grandmother.

The couple was attended by Mrs. Delia Thompson and Pvt. Ray Vernon McClenc.

The couple left after the ceremony for a trip to Colorado Springs, Colo., where they will visit the bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Brown. On their return they will be at home at 1501 E. 15th street.

P.T. A. To Sponsor A Benefit Bridge At The High School, Friday

Friday evening at the Big Spring high school the Parent Teacher's association of South Ward will sponsor a benefit bridge and 42 party at 8 o'clock.

Everyone is invited to attend the informal affair.

St. Thomas Group To Meet Tuesday Night

St. Thomas Altar Society will meet at the rectory Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.



Mrs. Harry W. Block (Rodden Photo)

Candlelight Vows Read For Louise Whitaker, S-Sgt. Harry Block

Before an altar banked with kenta palms and lacy fern, flanked with floor baskets of Picardy gladioli and calla lilies, Louise Whitaker and S/Sgt. Harry W. Block were married by the Rev. W. L. Porterfield. The ceremony was read in the auditorium of the Wesley Memorial Methodist church Saturday evening.

Vows were repeated at the altar, flanked with slanting candelabra supporting ivory tapers. Baskets of carnations, white stock and other spring flowers were placed about the room.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, John K. Whitaker, wore an ivory satin wedding gown fashioned with a fitted bodice, pointed sleeves and a sweetheart neckline. Her veil of illusion fell from a Mary Stuart halo with tiny ruffled trim. Showers of carnations tied in satin streamers hung from a bouquet of white gardenias which the bride carried.

For the traditional something old, she carried a handkerchief 65 years old, which belonged to her great-grandmother. Something borrowed was a necklace belonging to Marie Warren.

Mrs. Harold Merrill was matron of honor and was attired in a rose marquisette floor-length frock with sequin trim. Her colonial bouquet was of sunburst rosebuds.

Marie Warren and Winnie Ruth Prescott were bridesmaids. They wore matching gowns of sky blue tulle and carried arm bouquets of shell pink carnations.

Mary Anna Whitaker, the bride's sister, was flower girl and wore a formal frock of white crepe and

carried a miniature colonial bouquet of spring flowers.

Sgt. Block was attended by Sgt. Don Ploerman of the Big Spring Bombardier School. Other attendants included Sgt. William Conaghey and Sgt. Sorenson.

As prenuptial music, Frances Drake sang "Always" and "I Love You Truly," accompanied by Mrs. J. P. Keaney.

Mrs. Block was graduated from the Coahoma high school in 1941 and for the past nine months has been employed by War Price and Rationing Board.

The bridegroom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry B. Block of Chicago, Ill., was graduated from the Lutheran School of Chicago.

A reception was held in the church parlor following the service and Mrs. Cecil Nabors presided at the bride's book. Mrs. T. L. Lovelace poured, assisted by Mrs. W. D. Lovelace. The bridal couple cut the first slice of cake which was served with other refreshments from a lace laid table centered with white stock.

Following the reception, the couple left for a short wedding reception.

Pictured below is the wedding party with Mrs. Woody Ferguson.



Saturday Coffee Given

Mrs. H. L. Borden of Coahoma entertained a group of guests at the Settles hotel Saturday morning with a coffee from 10 o'clock to 12 o'clock.

The table was centered with a crystal bowl of peach blossoms and coffee was served from a silver service placed at one end of the table.

Spring flowers were decorations in the entertaining rooms. Assisting with the serving were Mrs. Charles Frost and Clara Seccrest.

Others included in the guest list were Mrs. W. E. Turner, Mrs. Tom Ashley, Mrs. Ned Carpenter, Mrs. James Reed, Mrs. Sam Goldman, Mrs. J. W. O'Connell, Mrs. N. E. Meador, Mrs. Paul Dewell, Mrs. Jack Rayzor.

Mrs. J. Y. Robb, Mrs. John Hodges, Mrs. M. H. Bennett, Mrs. Elmo Wamson, Mrs. Louise Fielding, Mrs. Harry Hurt, Mrs. G. T. Hall, Mrs. Joe Robnett, Mrs. J. L. Gallahan, Nell Hatch, Mrs. R. R. McEwen.

Golf Assn. Meets For Luncheon

Mrs. L. P. Blanton and Mrs. George French entertained members of the Ladies Golf association with a luncheon at the Big Spring country club Friday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

A business session was held following the luncheon and Mrs. Harry Stalcup, president of the association was in charge.

Bridge was entertainment for the afternoon and Mrs. Cal Boykin won high score.

Others attending the meeting were Mrs. M. H. Bennett, Mrs. R. W. Miller, Mrs. Carl Blomsheld, Mrs. R. L. Beale, Mrs. J. Y. Robb, Mrs. Cal Boykin, Mrs. J. E. Reed, Mrs. B. L. LeFever, Mrs. Hugh Hippe, Mrs. Hack Wright.

Mrs. Stalcup, Mrs. E. A. Gabriel, Mrs. J. B. Mull, Mrs. R. W. Thompson, Mrs. Sam Goldman, Mrs. William Tate, Mrs. Shirley Robbins and the hostesses, Mrs. French and Mrs. Blanton.

Cornelia Frazier To Be In School Piano Festival

DENTON, April 4.—Signal musical recognition has been awarded Miss Cornelia Frazier of Big Spring, freshman student at North Texas State Teachers college, who is one of 25 student musicians selected to participate in the ten-program Beethoven Piano Festival to be presented by the NSTC music department in April.

The unique Festival, first of its kind in the southwest, will give student musicians the opportunity to perform individually and also with orchestral background in presenting the 32 sonatas and the 5 concertos of Beethoven.

Miss Frazier will be presented on the April 11 program, playing Concerto No. 2, B flat, op. 19. Other programs will be given April 8, 9, 10, 16, 17 and 18.

Silvio Scionti, colorful Sicilian-born concert pianist who was added to the NSTC music faculty last fall is director of the series, with all members of the music faculty assisting in the project, one of the most ambitious ever undertaken by the North Texas State music department. Mr. Scionti brings to the students under his direction the professional perfection which marked his own concert tours in America and Europe.

The five Beethoven concertos will be presented in Sunday afternoon programs, featuring student pianists together with the college Symphony Orchestra. Mr. Scionti will serve as guest conductor.

Miss Frazier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Frazier, is a soprano in the A Capella Choir.

FIREMEN LADIES QUILT FOR THE RED CROSS

The Firemen Ladies met at the WOW hall again this week, assisting the Howard-Glasscock Chapter of the Red Cross by quilting.

The group reported that two quilts were finished and one partly finished during the day.

A covered dish luncheon was served at noon and those attending were Mrs. A. T. Lloyd, Mrs. Minnie Barbee, Mrs. Allie Mims, Mrs. Opal Crawford, Mrs. Helen Gill, Mrs. Winnie Poreh, Mrs. Chillie Hart, Mrs. Minnie Hart, Mrs. Jim Skalisky, Lenora Rose.

Mrs. Florence Rose, Mrs. Leah Brooks, Mrs. Parlee Knott, Mrs. Ida Smith, Mrs. Nettie Hendricks and Mrs. Flora Jones.

Auxiliary To Meet At Church Monday

The First Presbyterian Auxiliary will meet at the church Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock for a business meeting and inspirational program.

The King's Daughters will be in charge of the program with Mrs. J. B. Mull as leader.

All members are urged to attend.

Maribel Menger Becomes Bride Of Lieut. Roy Harlan Black In A Ceremony Read At Church Here

Before an altar banked with Boston fern and kanita palms, Miss Maribel Menger, daughter of Mrs. William Menger of San Antonio, and Lieut. Roy Harlan Black, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Black of Phillipsburg, Penn., were married by the Rev. Vernon Yearly of Midland in the auditorium of the First Baptist church Saturday evening at 8 o'clock.

Baskets of shell pink gladioli and calla lilies formed marked the place where the wedding party stood. Cathedral tapers in silver candelabra burned on either side of the aisle with slanting triple tapers marking the altar rail.

The bride, given in marriage by her brother-in-law, Ira L. Thurman, wore an ivory tulle wedding gown fashioned with a sweetheart neckline, bouffant skirt and leg-o-mutton sleeves. Her fingertip veil of bride illusion was held in place by a fillet of split carnations. Her only ornament was a sunburst necklace of pearls and diamonds, and she carried a bridal bouquet of calla lilies.

As pre-nuptial solos, Stewart Smith sang "Believe Me If All These Endearing Young Charms" and "Because," accompanied by the organ by Mrs. Harry Hurt who also played the traditional wedding marches.

Lighting tapers during the ceremony were Marijo Thurman, niece of the bride, who was gowned in a marquisette formal over tulle and which was dusted with sequin trim and Mrs. Morris Patterson, who wore a white evening frock of marquisette and lace.

The bride was attended by her sister, Mrs. Eugene Snavely, of San Antonio, who was attired in an apple green marquisette gown over tulle. The gathered skirt stemmed from the waist and was trimmed with matching lace. She wore a pill-box hat of green lace with a veil of green tulle, and carried a colonial bouquet of yellow jonquils.

Lieut. Black was attended by Morris Patterson, and ushers included Lieut. Howard Schwarzenbach and Murry Patterson.

A wedding reception was held in Mr. and Mrs. Ira Thurman's home, following the ceremony, with Mr. and Mrs. Thurman receiving guests at the door. The receiving line included Lieut. and Mrs. Black, Mrs. William Menger, the bride's mother, and the wedding party.

Mrs. Menger was attired in a rose formal chignon styled with a lace bodice, and matching lines. With this she wore evening hat of violet tulle and spring flowers. Mrs. Thurman wore a black evening ensemble trimmed with white lace. Her evening hat was of mixed flowers and tulle vellus and she wore a corsage of white gardenias.

The refreshment table was laid with a white cut-work cloth appointed with triple tiered wedding cake, topped with a miniature bride and bridegroom. A silver opergne held the center piece of white carnations and sunburst rosebuds, which was flanked with white tapers in silver candle holders. Floor baskets of spring flowers were placed at vantage points about the entertaining rooms, and gifts were displayed.

The bridal couple cut the first slice of wedding cake, and Mrs. E. H. Hatch served cake with other refreshments. Mrs. R. T. Piner presided at the silver coffee service, assisted by Mrs. Nat Shick, Mrs. J. D. Biles and Mrs. R. V. Middleton.

Others in the house party were Mrs. Fred Keating, Mrs. A. T. Lloyd, Mrs. Dewey Martin, Mrs. Roy Green, Mrs. F. C. Neidermeyer, Mrs. J. R. Copeland, Mrs. Elbert Holten, Lillian Shick, Sara Reddy, Evelyn Merrill, Omega McClain, Georgia Langford. Marguerite Reed presided at the bride's book.

The couple left for a wedding trip and for traveling the bride wore a three-piece suit of leaf green gaberdine and her hat was of white violets and matching green leaves. Her accessories were black and she wore a yellow orchid.

After a short trip the couple will make their home in Big Spring. Out of town guests for the wedding were Mrs. William Menger of San Antonio, Mrs. Eugene Snavely of San Antonio, Lieut. Col. and Mrs. Elbert Helton of Monahan, Mrs. T. C. Neidermeyer of El Paso.

Mrs. Ebb Hatch, Mrs. R. E. Piner and Mrs. Morris Patterson entertained with a rehearsal dinner Friday evening in the Piner home and tulips and other spring participated in the show. (Photo By Kelsey).

Mrs. Roy Black (Bradshaw Photo)

Large Group Attends Two Day Youth Rally

A two day session of the Presbyterian young people's league of the El Paso district, holding its annual spring rally in Big Spring, closed Saturday noon with a luncheon served by the Big Spring Presbyterian church women.

Attending were 153 delegates representing churches from El Paso, Pecos, Odessa, Midland, Coahoma, Colorado City, Clovis and Fortales, N. M., Levelland, Lubbock, Seminole, Seagraves, and Big Spring.

The Rev. Homer Akers of Seagraves gave the inspirational talk Friday night on "Faith for Such a Day as This."

Saturday morning the Rev. William H. Foster of Lubbock was in charge of a devotional service.

Officers were elected during a business session and include Glenora Graham, Midland, president; Jimmy Owen, Coahoma, vice president; Leatrice Bohm, Portales, N. M., treasurer; and Eugenia Hopper, Lubbock, secretary.

Seven new highway chairman were elected including Ann Talbot of Big Spring, who was named chairman of the highway into the homeland. Four new district chairmen were also selected.

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Lilly Dache Creates War-Stamp Corsage In Tiger Lily Pink

Lilly Dache, sparkling creator of exciting hats, has designed an Easter war stamp corsage, fashionable as it is patriotic and colorful.

One of her favorite colors in her latest collection is tiger lily pink. She chose this color, above all others, for the Easter war stamp corsage because she thought it fresh, feminine and sentimental.

She cleverly used a charming cluster of petals etched in the tiger lily pink felt with nine ten-cent war stamps for centers.

Several Big Spring stores and shops are featuring these corsages as the patriotic, feminine touch to Easter pastel costumes.

Mrs. James Lamb was included as a guest and Mrs. A. G. Hall was awarded floating prize.

Others present were Mrs. George Hall, Mrs. G. C. Graves, Mrs. C. M. Shaw, Mrs. W. M. Gage, Mrs. Lamb, Mrs. A. G. Hall and the hostess.

Mrs. W. M. Gage will entertain the club at next meeting.

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Snapdragons and other spring flowers were placed at vantage points about the entertaining rooms, and bridge was entertainment for the afternoon.

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PROF. WHIZ'S QUIZ ?

THANKS FOR THE BUDE QUEENIE / NOW TELL ME / CAN A WOMAN BE KING ?

Yes, King means ruler and can be feminine, too... but feminine charm is the rule with women who come to Settles Beauty Shop for clever beauty care by modern methods.

Settles Beauty Shop
SETTLES HOTEL - PHONE 42
44 MIDWINTER PROP.

Uncle Sam Insists That You Look Your Prettiest This Spring, But To Buy Only What You Need



Pictured Above is Mrs. Marvin Hamilton, the former Gene Tingle, before her marriage Thursday evening to S/Sgt. Marvin Hamilton. The wedding ceremony took place in the home of the bride's parents with Chaplain James L. Patterson reading the ceremony. The couple is at home at 507 Gregg. (Bradshaw Photo).

Come Easter, 1943, there'll be no rationing on style, quality or quantity in fashion. Uncle Sam wants you to dress and look your brightest, smartest self, but he asks that you buy only what you need. A brief preview of the new clothes you'll be wearing for spring and Easter shows that they're beautifully simple in line; they're trimmer and slimmer; they're wonderfully wearable clothes that fit perfectly into your double busy life, and give you that well groomed look that is so tuned to the times. Most important they all meet the specifications of our government's wartime economy so you can feel well dressed and yet still be patriotic.

Stealing the spotlight completely for Easter are suits, in styles for every hour of the busy day and night. And wonderfully smart are the pretty blouses to wear with them. For instance, the blouses with enchanting ruffles at necklines and wrists. Crisp cotton shirtwaist blouses and beau-brumel bow ties, the polka dotted frilled blouses and the freshest, crispest blouses ever in vivid stripes. All are so very lovely, they'll hold their own beautifully when you take off your jacket, and they'll give you plenty of "above the table" charm when worn with either daytime or evening skirts.

Confidentially, girls, do you still anxiously scan the headlines for the announcement of clothes rationing? Steer a straight course with your spring and summer wardrobe, and plan your summer frocks for double duty service, and the proposed plan will be licked for keeps. American designers, in an effort to aid the American Miss choose conservatively, have introduced scads of intriguing ideas for a wartime wardrobe, that show originality, surpassing modes of former years.

Shoes, the fly in your spring outfit, still remain a nagging problem, but according to local shop keepers, there are enough unrationed sandals to outfit local women for Easter and spring.

Easter suit lapels will wear a bit of personality this spring, since the war hasn't stopped production of novel pins and costume jewelry. Shells, nuts and beans with plastics, glass and cork are only a few of the materials which are being cleverly designed into ornaments to complete the Easter costume.

Teachers and the cove crowds in general, are busy these days with spring formals, parties and Easter proms. With the accent on accented clothes, high school students are going all out for exaggerated pockets, clouds of ruffles and dirdle skirts.

Waste Fat To Be Collected Again

Big Spring is being sued for another fat collection drive which will be held here by the Girl Scouts next Saturday. Mrs. V. A. Whittington, chairman of the leader's association announced Saturday that plans were under way for establishing fat depots in different areas where the meat drippings and other fat will be deposited.

"Two pounds of waste fat will make enough glycerine for five anti-tank shells," Mrs. Whittington pointed out, "and we're going into this drive wholeheartedly to secure all that we possibly can."

Number Of Weddings Reported By The Justice Of Peace

Weddings have kept the justice of the peace, Walter Grice, busy since the first day of April.

Among those who have been married by the justice since Thursday are Carmen Gonzales, and E. V. Mullins, Alvina Bickle and L. E. Lawrence, both of Lamesa, Mattie E. Mitchell and Collin Horace, Mobile, Ala., Josefa Torres and Antonio Martinez, both of Big Spring, Jane McCullough and James Larkin.



Mrs. Ralph W. Drury (Bradshaw Photo)

Society

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860 Women Ask, But Only 138 Get Scarce Nylon Hose At Store Here

Anxiously but patiently they stood, each guarding her number from the other person. Nervous laughs and scattered conversation about the room broke the silence. Others came in and joined the throng, they too waited patiently but anxiously.

"If only I could be the one" moaned one who had come earlier than the rest. Finally the waiting was ended and things began to happen. Distribution was started on the basis of registrations and shouts of gladness rose above the hubbub of whispering women. On and on the hose were assigned but the majority still waited, still hoped.

Finally the ordeal was over, and all of Burr's 138 pairs of nylon hose were gone.

In order that every woman might have a chance to purchase the hose, the store held registration this past week. Other Burr

stores throughout the state held like registrations for the sale with each unit allotted 138 pairs.

Eight hundred and sixty Big Spring women, hoping that they might get one pair, marked their date books for Friday afternoon, 3:30 o'clock when the hose were distributed.

Most popular and frequent comment heard around the store ran something like "If I could just get one pair of nylon, I'd make them last for the duration."

Rayons bagging at the knees and crawling irritatingly down to their ankles, the disappointed 722 others left, feeling bluer about the war, and worried that the steak they had bought in such good humor several hours before, had cost them 18 points.

Wedding Rites Read In Coahoma For Miss Pitts & Lieutenant

COAHOMA, April 3.—Beneath an arch of plumous fern intermingled with shell sweetpeas, Bettye Sue Pitts, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. N. W. Pitts, became the bride of Lieut. Ralph W. Drury, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Drury of Hemingford, Neb., in a ceremony read at the First Baptist church Saturday evening by the bride's father.

The bridal archway was flanked with ivory tapers in silver candelabra and the altar railings were lined with cathedral tapers which burned during the service.

The bride, given in marriage by her brother, Garner W. Pitts, wore a white satin wedding gown, styled with a sweetheart neckline, long torso and bouffant skirt. Her fingertip veil of illusion was held in place with orange blossoms, and her only ornament was a necklace of pearls, gift of the bridegroom. She carried a white Bibbie, topped with a white chrysanthemum and snowdrops of stephanotis.

Miss Louise LeMond of Snyder, maid of honor, wore a pale blue taffeta frock, styled on the same order of the bride's gown, with a full net skirt. She carried a colonial bouquet of assorted spring flowers. Jerre Lynn Irwin of Coahoma, was flower girl and wore a taffeta formal of sky blue and carried a miniature colonial bouquet. Tommy Harris of Dallas, carried the ring in the center of a calla lily.

Lieut. Drury was attended by Lieut. Paul Dowling.

Mrs. Dale Puckett of Big Spring sang, "Because," accompanied by Wanda Don Reece, who also played the traditional wedding march. Mrs. Emmett Cavin of Big Spring lighted the tapers.

Mrs. Pitts, mother of the bride, wore a blue crepe ensemble with white trim. Her corsage was of gardenias.

Mrs. Drury was graduated from Hardin-Simmons university in Abilene and was a member of the Cowgirls, Alpha Phi Omega sorority and BSU. Before her marriage, she was employed as edu-

cational director at the East Fourth Baptist church in Big Spring.

Lieut. Drury was graduated from the school of law at the University of Nebraska where he received his commission in the army.

Out of town guests for the wedding included the bride's grandmother, Mrs. Lillie Bell Garner of Alhambra, Calif., Mrs. Lloyd Harris and Mrs. Murray Evans of Dallas and Miss Claudine McCall of Abilene.

Reception A reception was held in the Pitts home following the ceremony. The bridal couple cut the first slice of cake which was served from a lace laid table centered with an arrangement of calla lilies and white gladioli. Mrs. Murray Evans served punch assisted by Mrs. Lloyd Harris. Claudine McCall was at the register. Lieut. and Mrs. Drury left immediately after the reception for a short wedding trip. For traveling the bride chose a yellow wool two-piece suit with brown accessories.

815TH SQUADRON HAS DANCE AT THE HOTEL

Men of the 815th Squadron of the Big Spring Bombardier School were entertained with an informal party and dance at the Settles hotel Saturday evening.

Special services section was in charge of a floor show which was presented at intermission. Guests were enlisted men's wives, their dates and girls from local clubs.

LAZELLE TIPPS IS HOSTESS TO THE JFF CLUB

Lazelle Tipps was elected president of the JFF club when the group met in Bonnie Tubb's home Friday afternoon for election of officers.

Others elected to office were Joyce Williams, vice president; Merline Stewart, secretary; Erline

Stewart, treasurer and Billie Joy Horn, reporter.

Refreshments were served and those present were Lazelle Tipps, Mollie Kinsey, Mosselle Newman, Joyce Williams, Billie Joy Horn, Merline Stewart and Erline Stewart.

Joyce Williams will entertain the club next week.

The first press in the United States was set up at Cambridge, Mass., in 1638.

Hear Rev. Gerald KEATS

From the Fundamental Baptist Institute of Fort Worth. He will preach at all services today, in the absence of the pastor.



Rev. Gerald Keats

Trinity Baptist Church

Tune In To KBST 5:30 - 6 P. M.

To Hear "The Old Time Gospel"

Black-Menger (Continued from Page 10)

flowers were used in decorations. Individual bouquets of vari-colored sweetpeas were presented to each guest and dinner was served.

Those attending were Lieut. and Mrs. Black, Mrs. E. H. Snavely, Mrs. William Menger, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Thurman, Marjio Thurman, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hurt, Lieut. Howard Schwarzenbach, Murry Patterson, the Rev. and Mrs. Yearby of Midland, Stewart Smith, Ebb Hatch, R. T. Piner and the hostesses.

Mrs. Snavely, sister of the bride, entertained with a 12 o'clock luncheon in her honor, Friday at the Settles hotel. White carnations and lacy ferns arranged into a bouquet centerpiece. Miniature brides were given as favors and those present were Margarette Reed, Sara Reidy, Evelyn Merrill, Omega McClain, Mrs. Horrace Garrett, Mrs. Morris Patterson, Marjio Thurman, the hostess and the honoree.

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trip. For traveling the bride wore a blue dressmaker suit with matching accessories and a corsage of gardenias.

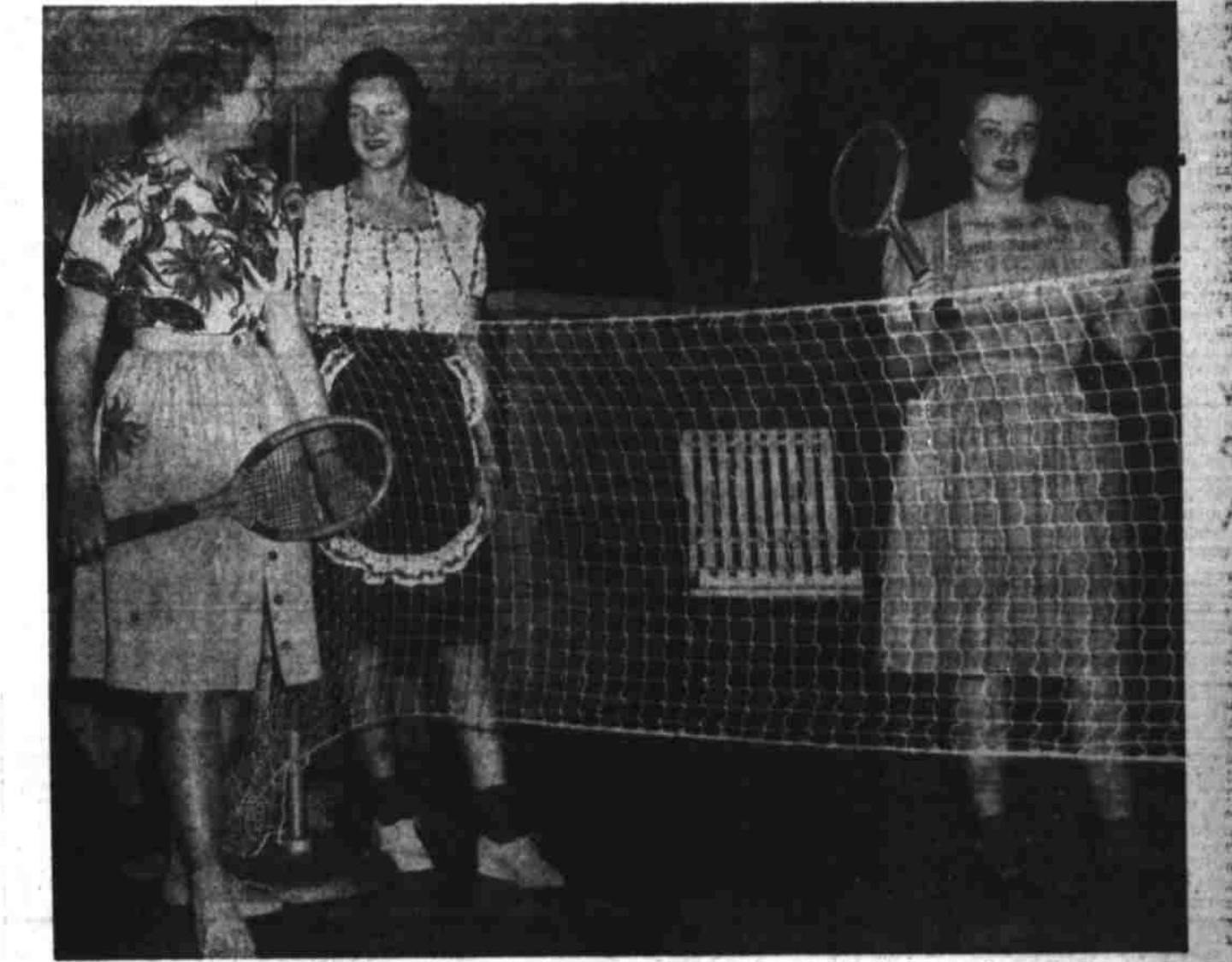
Upon their return, the couple will be at home at 708 E. 4th.

Mrs. Block was honored with a miscellaneous wedding shower at the Wesley Methodist church Thursday evening by a group of church women, and hours were from 9 o'clock to 10:30 o'clock.

Refreshments were served buffet style from a table laid with an Irish linen cloth. Mixed bouquets of spring flowers decorated the entertaining rooms.

Those attending the shower were Sonora Murphy, Mrs. W. A. Prescott, Mrs. H. J. Whittington, Mrs. Bob Wren, Mrs. Cora Shelton, Mrs. Essie Apple, Mrs. W. W. Coleman, Mrs. J. M. Choate, Mrs. C. E. Talwards, Mrs. H. D. Drake, Mrs. Robert Hill, Mrs. Pete Johnson, Mrs. J. J. M. Choate, Mrs. C. E. Talbott, Mrs. Herbert Reeves, Mrs. Cecil Milam, Mrs. J. S. Nabors, Mrs. Ben Tyson.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Deason, Mr. and Mrs. Iva Hunsycutt, W. J. Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Heifer, Mrs. Ruth Robinson, Myrtle Bunger, Mrs. William Hunter, Mrs. Derwood C. Zant, Mrs. W. D. Lovelace, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Satterwhite, Marie Warren, Mrs. T. L. Lovelace, Mrs. W. L. Porterfield, Winnie Ruth Prescott, Lora Mead, Frances Drake, Mrs. J. D. Stembridge and Mrs. Winona Phillips.



California Styled PLAY CLOTHES

For fun in the sun... play clothes from Swartz's... These are all California-styled—styled for gathering those vitamin-B laden sun rays... and in California's gay colors for West Texas sunny days.

LOUISE ANN BENNETT Wears a most becoming play dress with a white jersey top splashed with California purple flowers. The gold skirt is gathered all around and features a large patch pocket with purple flower applique.

JANET ROBB These gathered skirts are popular with the sub-debs. Here's one of imported Irish linen in Navy... the front apron effect is all-over embroidered green, yellow and red pliox, matching the embroidered bodice.

MARY LOU WATTS Sporting a baby-blue chambray peasant-type skirt with peasant embroidery on pocket and side skirt seams.



At fashion shows or on the street you'll appreciate the clever designs and smart appearance of children's togs from the Kid's Shop.

If you didn't see the kiddies at the style revue, come in and see the many beautiful things we are showing for tiny tots and for girls to age 14 and boys to 12.

The KID'S SHOP

Eva and Bob Pyeatt

121 East 3rd

Large Group Completes A Course In Red Cross Home Nursing Here

Jewell Barton Presented Gift By The Class

Red Cross certificates from national headquarters will be mailed soon to the 12 local women who completed a six week's home nursing course Thursday evening at the Big Spring high school.

Mrs. Joe Ratliff, Neal Cummings, Mrs. J. D. Jones, Mrs. Claude Johnson, Lorena Huggins, Mrs. Edmond Finck and Ada C. Harrison.



Jewell Barton Red Cross Instructor

Thursday evening Stoney Henry met with the class and demonstrated the proper technique in giving artificial respiration and tips on other common emergencies.

News Notes From The Oil Field COMMUNITIES

Mrs. J. E. Clifton spent the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Garner of Sterling City.

Mrs. Bill Conger and Bill, III, returned Wednesday from a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Brauer of Sterling City.

Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Sheedy and family of Coahoma visited the J. E. Thompsons Sunday.

J. R. Smith of Clayton, N. M., has returned to Forasan to await army induction.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Blackburn and Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Williams were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Watkins on their ranch near Garden City.

Mrs. John A. Scuday attended funeral services for a relative in Anson this week.

Mrs. W. A. Dickerson is in Brady for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Bardwell and family are visiting in Temple.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Boyd have

returned from a vacation in Bangs. Mrs. Dorris Cole and Sonny were Dallas visitors recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Nasworthy are visiting in San Angelo this week on business.



SGT. AND MRS. JOE DAVIS are pictured here after their marriage March 2nd in Armon, Ala. Mrs. Davis is the former Christine Stewart of San Antonio. Sgt. Davis was graduated from the Big Spring high school and the University of Texas. He was employed by the Big Spring school system as a teacher before he was inducted into the army.

The Pony Express, originated in 1880, was in existence only 16 months.

Miss Laneous Notes

MARY WHALEY

From now on whenever we meet a farmer, we intend to bow three times and raise our hand in reverent salute for we never had any appreciation before of what they go through until we took a turn in a Victory Garden.

Maybe the first shock came when we saw the size of the plot for our vision had been of a little two-by-four lot. But as far as the eye could see there was land, good land filled with rocks, tin grass, waiting for us to rake and grub a little bit.

After the first blister appeared on our hands, another doubt crept into our mind and three blisters later we knew the folly of city folk trying to act like farmers.

After the furrows had been dug we dropped in seeds according to directions on the package and covered the little numbers up and hoped for the best. That anything as substantial as string beans would ever materialize from one little seed is hard for us to comprehend.

We tried to follow directions of others until it came to putting in the onions and we balked at this job. Since onions are on our "don't care for" list, we could see no reason to knock ourselves out planting something we would never eat.

And anyway, about that time we got a crick or creek in the back from which we doubt if we'll ever completely recover.

The yield from our farming may be nil but we learned in a few hours to appreciate the mainstay of our nation—the farmer.

VISITS AND VISITORS

De Alva McAllister is here for the weekend from Hardin-Simmons university, visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. McAllister. Her house guests, also seniors at Hardin-Simmons, are Betty Jo McCord of Sweetwater, Nita Morton of Abilene and Virginia East of Hartford.

Mrs. H. D. Stanley of Toyah is visiting her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Miller.

Teresa Ann Perry is visiting in West Vale, N. J., in Mr. and Mrs. Frank Capano's home.

Rosemary Hunter of Ridgfield Park, N. J. is here visiting her brother, Lieut. Gerald Hunter, for several weeks. Lieut. Hunter is a pilot stationed at the Big Spring Bombardier school.

Bill Perry of Clifton, Ariz. and formerly of Big Spring is here visiting friends.

The quality of cork improves each time the tree is stripped.

USO Notes

SUNDAY

9 o'clock—Coffee and other refreshments are served to soldiers who visit the canteen.

4 to 7 o'clock—Hospitality Hour with women of St. Mary's Episcopal church as hostesses.

MONDAY

Monday evening is get acquainted night at the USO. Games are played and dancing is entertainment.

TUESDAY

Competition Night is held on Tuesday evening with local merchants contributing prizes for game winners.

WEDNESDAY

Hostess committee for the soldier center visits the post hospital at the Big Spring Bombardier School at 3:15 o'clock.

7:30 o'clock—Bomba-Dears serve as hostesses at the canteen.

THURSDAY

1:30 o'clock—Theatre party for wives of enlisted men with regular weekly meeting at the USO following the entertainment.

8 o'clock—Games and dancing.

FRIDAY

3:15 o'clock—Firemen Ladies visit the post hospital and distribute candy and cookies in the hospital wards.

7:35 o'clock—Listening hour for the "Bommasoppties" radio show from the Bombardier School.

8 o'clock—General activities.

SATURDAY

4 to 9 o'clock—Canteen open for soldiers with coffee and doughnuts served by USO hostesses.

The Clover Girl Scout troop spent afternoons after school this week collecting magazines from local hotels which were taken to the USO and distributed on troop trains.

The local USO has just received a new recording machine and record player as part of new equipment from USO headquarters. The machine was secured in order that soldiers might make recordings to be sent to the "folks back home."

Demonstration Clubs To Have Projects On Clothes Remodeling

Home demonstration clubs of Howard County have mapped plans for spring sewing bee's at which members will learn new methods of making over old clothes into pretty practical things for spring.

Reba Boyles, home demonstration agent, announced Saturday that girl's clubs were particularly interested in projects for conserving apparel and in learning new styles and patterns suggested by designers for a double-duty wardrobe.

Parents Of A Son

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jackson are the parents of a son born Friday night at the Big Spring hospital. Mother and son are doing nicely.

Susannah Class Has A Luncheon At Church

the First Methodist church was entertained with a covered dish luncheon in the church basement Friday afternoon.

Hostesses were Mrs. W. A. Miller, Mrs. J. R. Manion, Mrs. Logan Baker, Mrs. H. N. Robinson, Mrs. W. F. Cook, Mrs. J. P. Meador and Mrs. J. L. Hudson.

Lilies and other spring flowers decorated the room and a spring motif was carried out in room decorations.

Dr. C. A. Long, district superintendent, gave the invocation and made a short talk.

A business meeting was held in the church parlor following the luncheon and Mrs. R. L. Brown presided. Mrs. Chess Anderson was introduced as a guest.

Mrs. Charles Morris opened the meeting with a prayer and played

Musical Programs To Be Held

Mrs. Harry Hurt, newly elected chairman of the local observance of National and Inter-National Music Week, announced that programs on May 2, through May 8, would be presented by the high school band, music and choral classes and by local music clubs and organizations.

"American and World Unity Through Music," has been chosen as the keynote for the 1943 observance.

In many cities a special effort will be made to promote the use of music in industry as a means of relieving strain and facilitating production. Where feasible, demonstrations will be held during working hours.

Three outstanding "Over the Country" programs have already been arranged for Music Week. These are the Festival of the Air, under the auspices of National Federation of Music Clubs, to be conducted over the four national radio networks.

Among the organizations on the National Music Week committee whose state and local affiliates will participate in the observance, in addition to those mentioned are the Music Teachers National Association, Music Educators National Conference, Music War Council of America, General Federation of Women's Clubs, Daughters of the American Revolution, Federal Council of Churches, Kiwanis International, National Recreation Association, and Y. M. and Y. W. C. A's.

The Music Week committee is headed by an honorary section of state and territorial governors, of which President Roosevelt is chairman. David Sarnoff is chairman of the active section, composed of the presidents of 34 prominent national organizations.

Cosden Chatter-

By TOMMIE MCCRARY

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Karcher have as their guests this weekend, Corporal and Mrs. William Leach of Pittsburgh, Pa. Corporal Leach is now stationed at Goodfellow Field, San Angelo.

Sgt. Rip Smith is home on a two-weeks' furlough. Rip has just been released from the hospital at Geiger Field, Wash., where he is stationed.

Caught a glimpse of Neel Barnaby visiting in the office Friday in his newly acquired naval warrant officer's uniform. Neel left Saturday night for Williamsburg, Va.

J. A. Selkirk returned to the office Thursday from a business trip to Albuquerque, N. M.

Mrs. L. Tollett returned Monday morning from a business trip to Chicago, Ill. He went to Houston Thursday to attend a meeting of the refining committee of district 3.

W. D. Scott of Peecos was a visitor in Big Spring last week end.


Mrs. T. J. Dunlap and son, Jerry, are spending the weekend in Abilene, visiting with friends and relatives.

Lt. and Mrs. L. S. Ross returned from Houston Friday night where they have been visiting the past two weeks. Mrs. Ross is the former Elizabeth Glass, daughter of Valva Glass.

Evelyn Merrill was ill Saturday and confined to her home.

C. F. Dyckmans was taken seriously ill the first of the week and is at the Big Spring hospital receiving treatment.

You'd Find It AWKWARD



You'd find it mighty awkward to keep a bag of silver dollars on hand to pay your bills. A checking account is so much more convenient, gives you a record of every bill paid and a receipt. If you have never had a checking account you will be surprised how little effort it takes. Come in and open one tomorrow.

First National Bank

Your Best Investment — U. S. War Bonds!



Pretty Little Frocks to go with Her Easter Bunny

You'll like any of the above pictured Easter Frocks for your little girl. The Blue Flowered Batiste with the straw and blue snirred hat... or the blue and pink batiste dress with the blue pique, rosebud trim hat. And the blue dotted swiss with the natural straw bonnet would look lovely on your young daughter.

MARGO'S

201 E. Third Phone 458



Pictured Above Are Three Smart Styles Selected From MARGO'S Fashion Parade

For Easter Morning... Select a navy crepe with shirred pockets and sleeves and a frosting of white embroidered applique, as the above model is wearing. Or, if you like something soft, the sundown blue cotton net dress with its plastic daisies is perfect... And the pink crepe frock above, with a severe bodice and pleated skirt and a bordered hem flounce has an old fashioned Easter touch. Note, too the accessories with these "outfits"... hat and bag sets of novelty weaves... and the I. Miller Shoes and Bags, Footrest Shoes and Margo's Play Shoes from Margo's Shoe Department.

MARGO'S

201 E. Third Phone 458

Teams From Texas Dominate War-Riddled Relays At Austin



Ft. Worth Schoolboy 'Streamlined' Rudy York Is Looking Fine

EVANSVILLE, Ind., April 3 (AP)—It's a streamlined and ambitious Rudy York whose war club the Detroit Tigers are relying upon to boost their prospects in American league competition. York arrived in training camp here some ten pounds lighter and began his seventh season as a Tiger with admirable enthusiasm.

Manager Steve O'Neill, who boosted the club's top player-salary of \$12,000 in the big first baseman, is visibly elated by Rudy's physical condition and by his showing in early practice.

"I don't see how Rudy can miss having one of his biggest seasons," O'Neill said today. "His hitting the ball very well, and his fielding is excellent. Why, he set a league fielding record at first base last year, and he's mighty proud of it."

Pro Footballers In Important Parley Next Tuesday

CHICAGO, April 3 (AP)—The most important meeting in the history of the National football league since it was organized in a Canton, O., garage 23 years ago will open in Chicago Tuesday.

The session will continue for three days with Commissioner Elmer Layden presenting a policy to govern war-created problems. Foremost among the business issues will be the annual player draft and ratification of the schedule for the 1943 season. The schedule corresponds to those played in other years with regards to the number of games, but it will save some 80,000 man-miles as compared with the 1942 program.

Commissioner Layden is positive the league will operate.

To date no club has signified to him that it would not operate. Close to 150 players in the league last season have joined the armed forces.

Most of the players eligible for the player draft already have been lost to the pros by a more important draft. Although the club owners will have three graduated classes from which to choose, instead of the usual June allotments of prospects, none approaches the draft session with any high hopes of replenishing decimated rosters.

Local Lads To Take Part In Angelo Meet

An even dozen young men will carry the Big Spring high school colors into the San Angelo invitational track meet Saturday, and at the same time test their mettle in competition for the first time this season.

Probably the team will be represented in 11 events besides the tennis tournament in which Barkley Wood will be the lone Big Spring entrant.

Ordinarily Red Adams, 440-dash expert, would be the chief hope of the team, but he has been ailing with a cold and is just now coming around. His last timing was 56, which is over the best San Angelo time for the event by nearly four seconds. However, Red may be considerably better in another week, and especially in competition.

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Cleveland Boasting A Potent Pair Of Rookie Twirlers

MUNCIE, Ind., April 3 (AP)—Cleveland has one of the most colorful rookie pitching combinations in the major league in Paul Calvert of Montreal, Canada, and Alvin "Chief" Reynolds, an Indian from Oklahoma.

Both are college graduates, Calvert majoring in commerce at the University of Montreal and the

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Dodgers Hold Sox To Pair Of Hits

BROOKLYN, April 3 (AP)—The Boston Red Sox were held to two hits and beaten 5 to 1 today by the Brooklyn Dodgers in an exhibition game at Ebbets Field.

Whitlow Wyatt, Kirby Higbe and lefty Max Macon each worked three innings in good style for the Dodgers.

Tax Hughson started for the Sox.



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New Bout For Beau Jack And Armstrong?

NEW YORK, April 3 (AP)—Fight folks, fans and "experts" alike, still argued today over the merits of the decision awarded Beau Jack over Henry Armstrong, so promoter Mike Jacobs started the ball rolling for a return match between the two in one of the local ball parks in June.

The bout would be at 15 rounds, instead of the ten heats of last night, in which Jack "ran" to victory by backpeddling furiously through the first eight rounds and hanging on, weary and worn, as Hammerin' Hank came roaring down the stretch.

Aggies Win, 17-5 From Kelly Field

SAN ANTONIO, April 3 (AP)—A six run outburst in the fourth and four runs each in the fifth and seventh frames was enough for the Texas Aggies to defeat the Kelly Field Flyers here this afternoon, 17 to 5, at Tech field. The contest was called at the end of the seventh by agreement.

Score: Texas Aggies... 012 640 4-17 14 0 Kelly Field... 000 003 3-5 10 3

Trasso, Shuford and W. Carden; Sheenshang, Weinman, Muhr and Beck.

TRICK PLAYS
CAIRO, Ill., April 3 (AP)—The St. Louis Cardinals broke their squad games routine today with a drill on trick plays and a pop-fly session for catchers and infielders.

Longhorns Make It A Pair Over The Rice Nine

HOUSTON, April 3 (AP)—The University of Texas Longhorns swept their two game series with the Rice Owls, winning today's game, 6-1, as Big Luke Kent gave up only four hits and struck out 14 batters.

The game for seven innings was a nifty mound duel between Kent and Rice's John Fox.

The Longhorns scored in the first as Bob Campbell walked, stole, took third on an infield out and tallied on Tex Travis' infield hit.

Rice knotted the count in his half of Vincent Buckley's triple and Pete Sultis' single, and the score remained in a deadlock until the sixth when Bob Campbell who had walked and Grady Hatton, scored on long flies.

The Longhorns scored three runs in the eighth, driving Fox and his successor, Briton Ryan, from the hill.

Colorado Reduces Its Water Rates For The Summer

COLORADO CITY, April 3—The Colorado City commissioners voted this week to allow reduced rates on water during the summer months. The decision, made chiefly for the benefit of Victory gardeners, will go into effect April 15th and the new rates will continue through October 15th. The change will benefit domestic users only and provides for a charge of 15¢ per 1,000 gallons of water used in excess of the minimum which remains at 4,000 gallons.

WAKEFIELD HAS BIG DAY
EVANSVILLE, Ind., April 3 (AP) Rookie Dick Wakefield blasted a long homer and three singles to drive in six runs today as the Detroit Tigers shelled the Chicago Cubs, 12 to 7, in an exhibition game.

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Work Finished On High School 1943 Yearbook

Final touch was put on the 1943 El Rodeo, high school yearbook, Saturday thus winding up the work of the staff until the books are ready for distribution.

The Corral, high school paper published an April Fool edition Thursday with jokes and humorous stories about the students and teachers.

Student council members presented a student talent program Friday in assembly. Gene Smith acted as master of ceremonies and those on the program were Jean Steward, Celia Westerman, Billie Ragedale, Eva Jane Darby, Helen Blount, Marilyn Keaton, Betty Jo Pool, Ann Talbot, and Betty Bob Diltz.

One hundred seniors ordered 4,650 invitations and other supplies to total \$600 through the last week.

Mrs. Thurman Gentry announced Friday that the senior play, "Minus A Million" will be presented Tuesday, May 4, at the City Auditorium.

Crowds Thronging Local Fairways

The first warm days of April brought out, among other things, the first spring golfers, who longed to feel the thrill of a good shot down the fairway. Country club and city golf courses are experiencing a boom in business that they haven't had since last summer.

Since a large per cent of the golfers are soldiers, whose equipment does not include such articles as golf bags, both courses reported all their rental clubs were being rented out each bright day.

G. F. Gleason, manager of the city park golf course, reported that last Sunday he had sold 120 nine-hole tickets during the day and he expected this Sunday to bring even a larger crowd.

Mrs. Shirley Robbins, at the country club, said their golf course was busy throughout the week and especially each weekend when members and soldiers enjoyed the game.

Training Course For Girl Scout Leaders Slated

Women who are and who wish to become Girl Scout leaders will begin a series of six training sessions Monday at 3:45 p. m. in the high school band room with a program built around regular progression in Girl Scouting.

Instructor for the series will be Mrs. Warren N. Edson, veteran volunteer Girl Scout leader, and 30 or more women are due to participate in the training. Organization of the group will be along the lines of a Girl Scout troop. Classes will be of two hours duration on Monday and Wednesday afternoons until it is completed.

Women wishing to avail themselves of the opportunity may enroll by calling Mrs. A. E. Partridge or attending the initial session.

Consultants, or those who will aid Mrs. Edson in the course, are Mrs. M. I. Wisoff, Mrs. Dan Conley, Mrs. Victor Blankenship, Mrs. C. S. Edmonds, Mrs. V. A. Whittington, Mrs. Wayne Pearce and Mrs. Partridge.

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Public Can Stop Black Market

There has been no open manifestation of "black market" operations in this section yet, and it is hoped that none will occur. The black market, however, is a major menace in some sections of the country, with meat the item most largely affected.

To combat this illicit operation, the American Meat Institute has published in various journals an advertisement showing how and why the black market operates, and how the consumer can check.

Some of the information is worth passing along, because a determined and patriotic citizenship can see to it that a black market never gets started, if it is so disposed.

Violations that contribute to the black market are listed as follows:

When a meat packer of any size knowingly slaughters and sells more than his quota; when a meat packer, wholesaler or retailer knowingly charges more than the ceiling price for any meat item; when any meat handler falsifies records regarding amounts handled, prices charged, or sources of supplies.

The Meat Institute appeals to the consumer to help check the black market principally by paying no more than the ceiling price. Meat racketeering cannot exist without exorbitant profits, and the one thing alone of insisting upon knowing price ceilings, and abiding by them will do more than anything else to kill out the black market.

The time in rationing, of course, is to apportion the available civilian supply on a share-and-share-alike basis. Rationing as no cure-all, however, and can even increase its evils as long as there is a selfish public willing to encourage the profiteer by trading with him. The black market can be controlled only when the regulations are backed up by the sentiment of an informed, aroused and fighting nation.

Isolation Island

Chapter 25
Landa screamed in terror. Then the tension broke as wild sobbing shook her body.

"We'll do all we can. It isn't hopeless—yet." Cass was trying to console her. He began signaling with frantic jerks on Jim's air line again.

Cass shook his head. "But if he's conscious he'll kick off his shoe weights and close his exhaust valve. He's got enough air in his suit to last eight minutes."

Under Cass' instructions Landa struggled with the winch.

Cass gave her a grin of approval as it started to turn. "Think you could get the decompression chamber ready? If he balloons his dress and comes up, he'll be ready for him."

They worked desperately. Cass kept his hand on the lifeline as it slowly wound on the drum of the winch. "He must be coming up fast!" he said. "There's no tension on this line."

And then after more endless minutes, the steel helmet broke the surface, the diving dress ballooned out grotesquely as it came up like a cork to float with the unconscious Blair inside. Cass and Landa got him aboard and laid out on the deck. In a matter of seconds Cass had his limp body out of the diving dress, his finger on the limp wrist.

"His heart actions okay," he said. "We'll get him into the decompression chamber."

Landa gave a low moan of relief, as she helped.

"Ought to be done in forty minutes," Cass said cheerfully as he adjusted the chamber's pressure. "He was down in almost two hundred feet of water so he gets the same pressure as he had on the bottom of the ocean. It'll be gradually lessened over the same length of time it would have taken him to come up under normal conditions."

For a minute they sat there watching, breathing heavily from the strain of the last few minutes. Then Cass got to his feet. "I've got a head like a boiler factory. If you think you could stand guard a couple of minutes, I could brew up some java."

He went below and Landa continued to sit watching the strange process of gradual resuscitation. It seemed to her suddenly that Jim should be conscious by now. What if they hadn't adjusted everything? What if he were dying or going into the bends? She ran to the companionway to meet Cass coming up with the coffee. He carefully examined the decompression chamber, then reassured her.

Then, suddenly, she lowered her cup and leaned forward, freshly alert.

"Cass, tell me everything you remember about those men that boarded the boat. Everything."

They were still talking when they lifted Jim into a deck chair and got hot coffee into him. Jim grinned at Landa.

"Go on," he murmured. "I'm listening. And you sound like a regular Sherlock Holmes."

"The case is, as Cass and I have reviewed it," she laughed softly, "first, you come down here to take pictures of some technical parts of a sunken enemy sub for the navy department. Everything is going along nice and quiet until the day you hear from natives on the mainland that some white men have been asking about your boat. You're worried. And then the mysterious white men turn out to be more papaya buyers, who'd ask about the boat out of natural idle curiosity. So things seem all right."

"Carry on," Jim murmured.

"Well, the men who came aboard tonight, Cass says, were all white men. And they got aboard by telling him they were from the O'Hannesian party. So they knew about that."

"Well, they might have heard about it."

"They might have," admitted Landa slowly, "but we're not in New York now or Los Angeles. None of the natives on our island made a trip to the mainland this week. There was no newspaper or telephone or wireless to spread the news. If a native from the

mainland has been in touch with these white men, I believe the rumor would have spread through the village—your crew would have heard it."

Jim had leaned forward in his chair, coffee forgotten.

"Well," Landa said unsteadily, "I may be shooting wild. But I got to thinking that Hansen persuaded Uncle Mike to sell the papayas so awfully easily. We didn't question it because we were so happy about it. And then we got so busy with the festival we didn't talk to him much about papayas..." Her voice trailed off while her eyes searched Jim's face.

He was frowning sharply. He said, "Did Hansen leave the island after you decided about the party tonight?"

"Yes. He was gone four hours the other day in the launch."

"Say, did you get a chance for a peek at the sub while you were down there?" Cass asked.

Jim gave him a wink and made a circle with his thumb and forefinger. "She's down there as peaceful as a babe in its cradle, and they didn't find the film we hid in the gallery," he said. "We can shoot the stuff again in short order. We came out here just at the right minute this time. They evidently thought the party was breaking up and had orders to keep out of sight. Get on the wireless, will you, Cass, and tell the Mexican coast guard to comb the coastline for their hangout. I'm going over and have a talk with Hansen." He struggled up.

"Can't you wait until you're feeling better?" Landa cried, following him to the boat's ladder.

"No. Don't you see, if Hansen is in on this, he's going to be making his getaway in short order." Landa's hands relaxed their hold on his arm, and she smiled ironically. "All right, let's go," she whispered. "But I could kick myself. There I was sitting beside you, praying you'd come to—and all the time thinking up something else—maybe worse—for you to do. You will be careful, Jim?"

He turned to climb down the rope ladder. "Sure," he promised.

To Be Continued.

Capital Comment Rayburn Can Make Up His Mind, Then Act

By GEORGE STIMPSON
Herald Washington Correspondent

Very hard for any man to keep head after people begin to refer to him as "potential presidential possibility." . . . Sign in front of Munsey building on E. Street near The Avenue: "Bicycles Sitting on Ledge Prohibited." . . . Shortage of silk and rayon make runs on stockings market inevitable. . . . When B. F. Vance Texas Triples administrator, recently visited Washington, members of Congress sidled up to him as if they thought he had pockets full of protein products.

Shot the works at Press Building barbershop this morning: haircut, 25 cents; shampoo, 30 cents; shaving, 10 cents; tips to barber and boot-black, 35 cents; grand total, 1.00; came out slicker but poorer man. . . . Herschel Boggs, of San Angelo, former collegiate tennis player, doctors found heart flutter in state department personnel office several months, climbs Capitol Hill to see Congressman C. C. Fisher. . . . Launching at Press Club round table was introduced to stranger, was Lester Hair, Wichita Falls construction man, born near Waco, brought up in San Angelo, been in Wichita Falls about 25 years, known to friends as "Les Hair," which describes him to a T.

Two Texans on common motor carrier advisory committee formed to work with OPA on pricing problems: George H. Blewett, of Texas Storage company at Houston, and E. Sproule, of Sproule Motor Freight Line, Inc., at Fort Worth. . . . National Press Club celebrated a doggone doggy night at tail-end of April Fool's Day; entertainment committee announced: "Fala (you know Fala—the closest pal of a man named Roosevelt) has gone into pictures. A grand movie starring him and depicting his life in the White House, at the Atlantic Charter meeting and on other momentous occasions, will have its premier in the National Press Club Auditorium, the first time it will be shown outside the White House itself. To give Fala's movie debut a proper setting, we have surrounded it with a good show fitting the occasion—an hour and a half performance, to be somewhat exact. Other movie shorts of dogs—United Nations dogs in the war—a human film of

dogs in search of a master—a Bob Bentley dog picture—a wonderful troop of performing dogs (in person)—two or three acts by real live human beings, etc."

U. S. Supreme Court may have to settle Daingerfield. Hughes Springs fire-brigades dispute; recently fire broke out in war plant near Daingerfield in Morris county. Daingerfield, like Hughes Springs about six miles further away from the plant over in Cass county, has new fire wagon; each town has butcher, barber and baker as volunteer firemen; Hughes Springs fire wagon and crew went right through Daingerfield and got to war plant before Daingerfield wagon and crew did, which was downright humiliating to the community; Daingerfield's excuse is local ordinance prohibits taking fire-wagon out of city limits and had to hold meeting of city council before could go to put fire; seems all bureaucracy and red-tape not in Washington.

One of secrets of Speaker Sam Rayburn's success in public life is ability to decide what thinks about question and what to do in given emergency; this ability to make up his mind and make decision is reflected in even his social life; when Speaker pays call on acquaintance, he will settle down in easy chair, start chatting as if intended to stay all day; but when gets ready to leave, he suddenly gets up, thanks host for hospitality, shakes hands and is off before you can say Jack Robinson; Speaker handles office visitors

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Hollywood Sights and Sounds— Here's An Actor Who Has No Interest In Money

By ROBBIN COONS
HOLLYWOOD—Oscar Homolka is a man with a happy problem. All he has to do is convince producers that he isn't interested in money.

"They don't understand," he chuckles, blue eyes twinkling under bushy black eyebrows. "They ask me how much I really want to play their certain role, and I say, 'Gentlemen, I ain't money I want. Can't you see?' But they don't see. They tell me I'm a fool to throw away all this money which they would pay me if I played the role. They still don't understand."

When you talk with Oscar, you witness a great show—a great performance of Oscar as himself: vital, dynamic, yet twinkling, easy-going and completely natural. He sits in an easy chair in his study on his Bel-Air estate. His face is mobile and expressive, animated. He is a stocky, broad fellow, restless active and yet giving an impression of genial composure. He gestures continually, his hand pulling at his thick black hair, or sweeping the air to emphasize a point while he talks, —very good English, too. He refuses to speak German any more.

"What they do not understand," he says, "is that I do not need money. If I wanted to make much more money, I would be a banker, not an actor. If I needed money, too, I know they would not offer it. So I do not want to throw away all my experience as an actor to play parts which do not interest me—some of which I could have done better 20 years ago when I was more naive and less discriminating."

Oscar is the man who plays Maxim Litvinoff in "Mission to Moscow." He came out of self-imposed retirement, after eight months, to play this first role that "interested" him. He has since done another in "Hostages." His retirement came after a series of pictures that did not interest him—any more than his first in Hollywood, "Ebb Tide," in 1937. That one promised well, but disappointed through various circumstances to emerge as a very bad movie. Homolka stayed away two years; until May of 1939.

This independence of his goes back a long time. Austrian-born, he served in the Austrian army, and returned to Vienna after the defeat to resume his dramatic studies.

"The war made me a completely different person," he says. "After it, I kept asking, 'Why, why?'"

The question persisted, while his fame as an actor rose, and he followed the course of European affairs with such zeal that he knew, in 1933, that he could no longer live in Berlin. "I left Germany the very night that Hitler came to power," he says.

Of Slavic descent, he had no racial reason to leave—he merely could not stomach Fascism. They asked him to come back, but he finally chose England for his work. He learned the language in less than four months, scored on the London stage and English screen—and so to Hollywood.

TAMPE, Fla.—Someone broke into a warehouse and took \$170 worth of rugs and carpets owned by the Red Cross and to be used in furnishing soldiers' day rooms. Newspapers carried the story. The rugs were returned to the warehouse the next night.

Washington Daybook— Capital Quits Fussing

By JACK STINNETT
WASHINGTON—The "Battle of Washington" may not be over for good, but it looks as if a very definite armistice has been declared.

I don't mean that there won't be occasional inter-departmental and intra-departmental flare-ups, but the kind of feuding that has gone on since defense started and during our first year of war is about over.

That's the conclusion of many Washington observers and the reasons for it are pretty sound.

In the first place, it's generally believed that the President has recently cracked down on his executive departments and agencies with the simple caution that hereafter they could iron out their differences in private or else. Re-calling "what happened to former OPA Administrator Leon Henderson, that 'or else' carries a lot of weight.

Secondly, the power of "Second President" James F. Byrnes in handling home front matters is apparently growing by leaps and bounds and filling a long-felt gap in administration of the war effort.

Washington has seen few better smoother-outers than pint-sized Jimmy Byrnes. His method seems to be to bring warring opponents into the ring, knock their heads together, and send them both home happy. It's pretty clear already that Byrnes has the authority to back up his decisions and that where domestic matters are concerned, the "left wing" of the White House, as he humorously dubs his seat wing offices, are just about as important as those of the President in the west wing.

Point No. 3: Charles L. Wilson is firmly in the saddle at the War Production Board, and no sooner was he entrenched there than both WFB Chief Donald Nelson and army and navy heads came out with the declaration that there was no friction between military and civilian supply officials. The elevation of Ferdinand Eberstadt at least centered in one person authority that had for a long time been divided and thus obscured.

Also on the production front recently came from Lt. Gen. Brehon Somervell, chief of the services of supply, what amounted to an order of the day. Speaking off-the-record to his staff officials, he said: "We can not afford to engage in any inter-services of supply battles or in the battle of Washington. There is only one real battle going on in the whole world right now.

"Let us not under any provocation, no matter how great, be drawn into useless bickering which turns our blood into bile and taints us into anger against those with whom we should work in harmony."

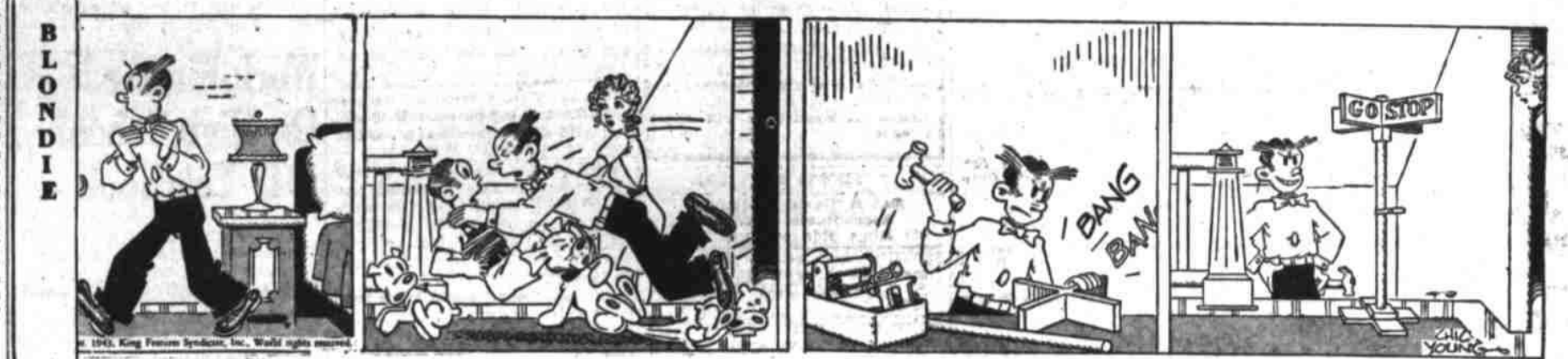
Another factor is the manner in which Price Administrator Prentiss Brown has taken hold of the rationing and price control programs.

There still are skirmishes in the "Battle of Washington" in labor manpower, agriculture—but they can hardly be called more than that now. A few more shifts of power and a few more conferences with Byrnes wielding the gavel and so far as the executive branch of government goes, we may be able to report "all quiet on the Potomac."

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PAD DELTA STY

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

1. Issue forth
2. River in New Jersey
3. Palm leaf
4. Israelite tribe
5. Greek letters
6. Six-line stanza
7. Distinguished
8. Change
9. Playing card
10. Press or payment
11. Suppression of pronouncing
12. Withdraw
13. Room in a tavern
14. Calmer
15. Sociological family comprising the Irons
16. Those who run away to marry
17. Sheep
18. Yarn
19. Splinters
20. In a flutter
21. Hole-ags at bridge
22. Walnut
23. Artificial
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25. Received
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BARNEY & SNUFFY

OH, ME!! OH, MY!! WE MUST HAVE DRIFTED OUT TO SEA LAST NIGHT, YARD BIRD - TH-THERE'S NOT A SPECK OF LAND IN SIGHT!!

YOU WOULDN'T, BY ANY CHANCE, HAVE AN UNCANNY SENSE OF DIRECTION, WOULD YOU, SNUFFY?

AW, SHUX-DON'T FRET, GEN'RIL - MEBBY WE'LL GIT SHIPWRECK ON SOME ISLAND FER TWO-THREE YARS

HOW CAN YOU SAY SUCH THINGS??

PATSY

BEFORE I TURNED THAT FOX INTO A FROG, I SHOULD HAVE GOTTEN THAT MONEY I PAID HIM FOR CATCHING THE PIG!...I'LL HAVE TO TURN HIM BACK INTO A FOX TO GET IT!

ALLA KA TOP!!

YOU LITTLE SNEAK - COME BACK HERE!

NOT ME!

WHEW! THAT WAS A CLOSE SQUEAK! I'LL GET EVEN!!

ANNIE ROONEY

DEAR ME - I WISH YOU'D SPEAK TO BOBBY - I HAVE REPEATEDLY TOLD HIM TO WEAR GLOVES WHEN HE IS WORKING IN HIS VICTORY GARDEN

AND THERE HE IS - WITHOUT HIS GLOVES - RUBBING HIS HANDS, PULLING WEEDS LIKE A GRUBBY LITTLE MOLE

NOW, MY DEAR I WOULDN'T WORRY TOO MUCH ABOUT THAT

IT MAKES ME FEEL MIGHTY PROUD TO SEE OUR CHILDREN DOING THEIR LITTLE BIT TO HELP THEIR COUNTRY - AND WHEN YOU THINK HOW MANY MILLIONS OF PATRIOTS ARE VICTORY GARDENING, THEN YOU REALIZE THE REAL IMPORTANCE OF THEIR WORK

MY GOODNESS, CLARA - WILL YOU LOOK HOW FAST BOBBY WORKS? I GUESS HE'S THE CHAMPION LIGHTWEIGHT WEED-PULLER OF THE WHOLE WORLD

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BROTHER SUCCEUMS
Mrs. Ben Miller has received word of the death of her brother, W. S. White, who succumbed in Abilene Thursday evening.

Cork is principally cultivated in Spain and Portugal.

Mrs. Ora Johnson, chiropractor, has moved her home and office to permanent location, 800 Main. (adv.)

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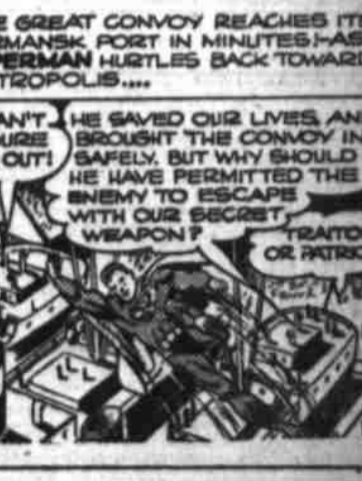
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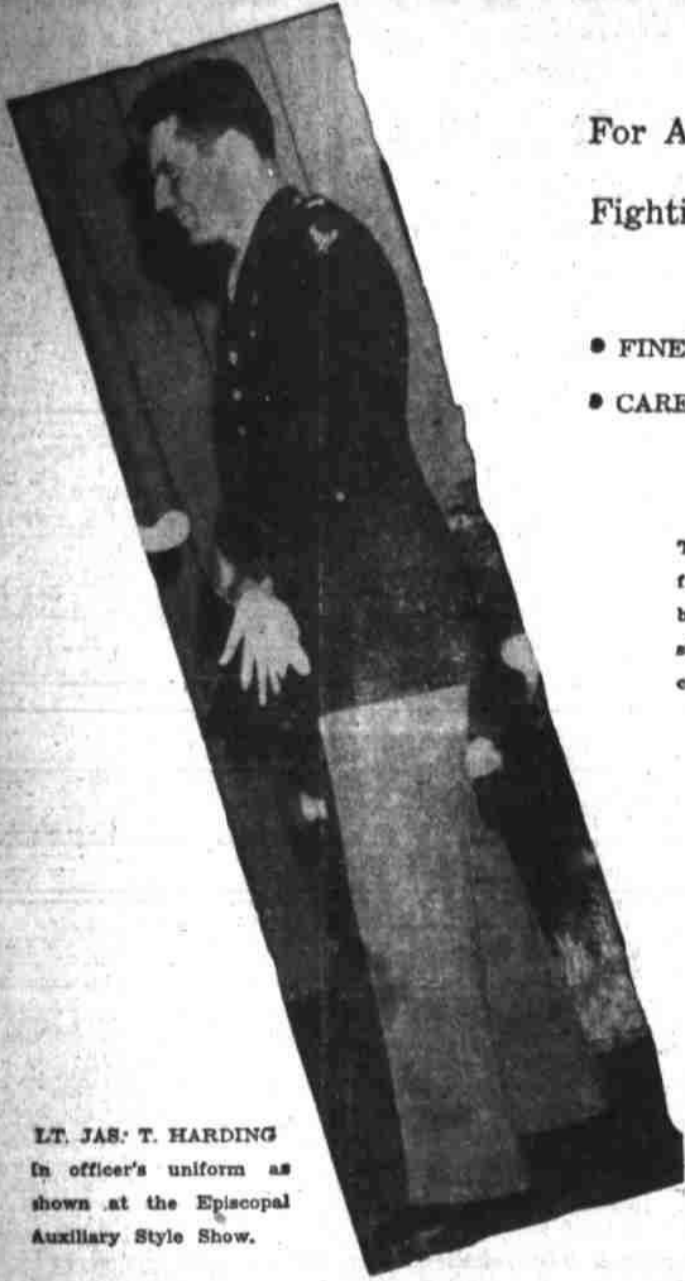
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SUMMER WEIGHTS

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- Blouses
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Comments

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with equal politeness, efficiency and dispatch; my trouble is I talk too much and too long with people, let them waste my time, keep me from getting work done; not exactly lazy, but dilatory, pastmaster at procrastination.

Congressman Sam Russell of Stephenville, explodes when reads report Army Quartermaster Corps bought 750,000 pairs of ties for troops, not to encourage gambling, but to supply little things that keep morale high. "It is not hard to understand," Texan told House, "how the people of this country felt when they read this article, after having heard the Commander in Chief, the President of the United States, solemnly promise the mothers and fathers of the boys who are in the service, in one of his fireside chats over the radio that everything possible would be done to safeguard the morals of the men in uniform. And such action on the part of the war department in buying gambling paraphernalia, which can only be used to lessen the morals of our men in uniform, is a new day, a new philosophy when encouraging gambling by furnishing gambling paraphernalia on the theory that it will keep morale high of our men in the service: such action stinks in the nostrils of all good citizens."

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Six Initiated Into Lodge When Group Meets At The WOW Hall

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Six women were initiated into the Trainmen Ladies Lodge Friday afternoon when the group met in regular session at the WOW hall with Mrs. R. O. McClinton, presiding. The group included Mrs. A. J. Allen, Mrs. P. S. Roberts, Mrs. C. R. Rhoads, Mrs. T. M. Rhoads, Mrs. T. M. Lawson, Mrs. W. R. Davis and Mrs. W. E. Rayburn.

A new visitation committee was appointed and includes Mrs. Rayburn, Mrs. Curtis Hood, Mrs. R. W. Rogers.

Hostesses for the afternoon were Mrs. J. P. Meador, Mrs. E. N. Ralph and Mrs. R. O. McClinton. Refreshments were served and those present were Mrs. R. W. Rogers, Mrs. Albert Smith, Mrs. R. O. McClinton, Mrs. E. O. Hicks, Mrs. T. A. Underhill, Mrs. W. O. Wasson, Mrs. J. T. Byers, Mrs. W. E. Clay, Mrs. A. P. Meador, Mrs. Clara Bender.

Mrs. M. C. Knowles, Mrs. J. C. Burnam, Mrs. G. B. Pitman, Mrs. Frank Powell.

CALENDAR

CALENDAR FOR MONDAY . . .

EAST FOURTH BAPTIST W. M. E. will meet at the church at 1 o'clock and will sew for the Red Cross.

FIRST METHODIST W. S. C. S. circles will have a combined meeting at the church, 3 o'clock.

FIRST CHRISTIAN COUNCIL meets at the church for a missionary program.

GIRL SCOUT COUNCIL meets at the city court room at 8 o'clock.

FIRST BAPTIST W. M. S. meets in circles at 3 o'clock. Christine Coffee circle will meet with Mrs. George Melear at 109 E. 17th St.

Lucille Reagan circle meets with Mrs. Roy Rogan at 1106 E. 12th Place.

East Central circle will meet at the church to sew for Red Cross. Mary Willis circle meets with Mrs. Danny Walton at 504 Scurry.

PRESBYTERIAN AUXILIARY meets at the church at 3 o'clock.

CATHOLIC DISCUSSION CLUB meets with Mrs. Charles Vines, 206 Goliad at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. J. A. McGee Is Hostess To The Rainbow Sewing Club

Mrs. J. A. McGee entertained members of the Rainbow sewing club in her home this week and gifts were exchanged by secret pals. Three visitors included were Mrs. Jeff Hush, Mrs. J. H. Lemons, Mrs. C. T. Clay. Refreshments were served and sewing was entertainment for the afternoon. Others present were Mrs. F. L. Eudy, Mrs. Tom Steward, Mrs. W. C. Paely, Mrs. L. C. Chapin and the hostess. Mrs. W. C. Paely will entertain the group in two weeks.

Men's Hats To Have Contrast Trim This Spring

Men will find a good range of hat styles when they go out to buy their lightweight felts this spring. The new hats are smart and there are plenty of types from which to choose. All the best-liked colors are still with us—many shades of gray and brown, blues and greens. Brims have stayed about the same, — that is they vary from the wide brims favored in some sections of the country to the narrower brims that are more noticeable in some cities. The width of this year's brim is chiefly a matter of choice.

Light Contrast Trim
A style that recommends itself particularly to the spring season, and on that is growing fast in many sections is the felt hat trimmed with light contrast band and binding. In the spring a change to the lighter color effect is pleasant and this particular style is one that lightens and brightens without being 'fancy.' Style-conscious California has taken it up in a big way, as have many towns in the mid-west.

Pre-Blocked Felts
The pre-blocked felt gives a man a perfectly shaped hat and assures him of the smartness the designer has in mind. Most pre-blocked felts have a hand-block look, and they will be in the hat stores this spring.

Costume Jewelry Adds Novelty To Easter Suit

The war hasn't stopped production of novel costume jewelry, but has introduced clever ideas for plastic concoctions in costume accessories.

Easter suit lapels will wear a bit of personality for spring, in gadget pins of the real conversation-piece variety. Plastics and wood show original design inspiration for costume jewelry in whimsical birds, animals and caricatures accented and trimmed for realistic effect.

"Oldtime beads—sixty-inch necklaces that can be worn many different ways, are highly colorful additions to spring jewelry collections. Wooden beads and rondels are favorites with color running rampant in both types. Shells have been drafted for active duty in tinted cluster necklaces, bracelets and earrings—cool and fragile looking for early spring wear with suits, and to wear with summer dresses later on.

The glitter in your life will find expression in costume jewelry with great big, beautiful stone centers mounted dramatically in modern or flower design silver-gilt. This striking new jewelry manages to look both tailored and elegant, which means it is good for double duty accessory usage—to wear with suits or dresses with equal success.

Clemmy Crain, Sgt. Piatner Married Here

In a single ring ceremony read Saturday morning at the First Methodist church, Clemmie Lee Crain, daughter of Mrs. W. N. Crain and Sgt. Frank D. Piatner, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Piatner, were married by the pastor, the Rev. H. Clyde Smith.

The bride wore a blue ensemble with matching accessories and her flowers were sweetheart roses arranged into a shoulder corsage. "Something old" was a watch, 37 years old, which belonged to Mrs. M. D. Davis. The traditional something borrowed was a handkerchief belonging to Mrs. Mary Delbridge.

Mrs. Piatner has been employed at Montgomery Ward for the past few months and Sgt. Piatner is stationed at the Bombardier School in Childress.

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Men's Wear of Character



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