

Eighth Army Takes Enfidaville, Turns Back Nazi Counterattacks

Ground Action Linked With Air Attacks

New Drive Brings Some Of Fiercest Fighting Of War

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Accompanying Gen. Sir Bernard Montgomery's drive from the south, which was opened at 11 o'clock Monday night with a mighty barrage from hundreds of guns, the British first army has moved forward slightly in the Medjez-El-Bab sector west of Tunis, said a communique from Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower's headquarters.

The newest assaults, aimed at collapsing the mountain rim held by Marshal Erwin Rommel and Col. Gen. Jurgen Von Arnim, were meshed with the northwest Africa air force's heaviest bombardments of axis airfields the campaign has seen and by violent air battles in which 27 enemy aircraft were shot down yesterday.

Along with other planes shot down on previous days but not previously reported here, this score brought to 151 the total of enemy planes destroyed in the last three days.

Enfidaville has been occupied and all initial objectives captured after fierce fighting," the communique said. "Four enemy counterattacks have been repulsed. Fighting continues."

The objectives were the Takrouna heights west and northwest of Enfidaville and about 46 miles south of Tunis, and the 1,200-foot Djebel Garci, which commands the plains region about 12 miles west of Enfidaville.

The infantry moved out in the moonlight Monday after an intensive artillery barrage—Gen. Montgomery's usual prelude to an offensive.

The Rome radio, broadcasting the Italian communique, declared that Montgomery's barrage was of exceptional intensity.

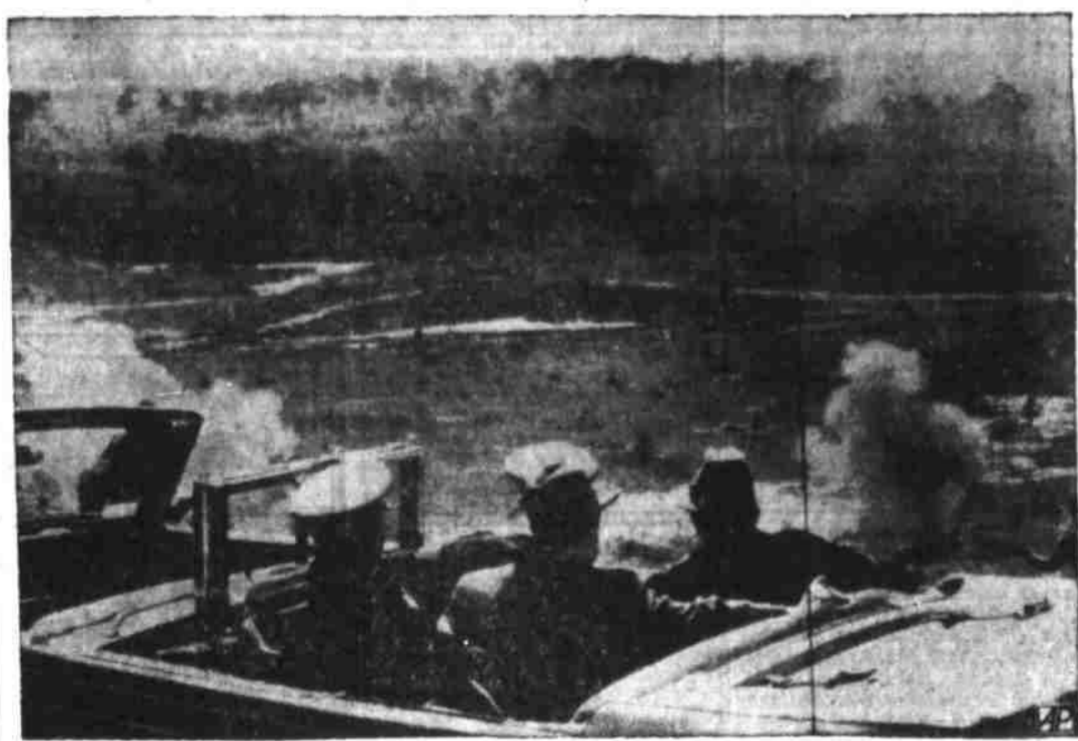
The Italian communique also claimed that in a fight over the Sicilian channel yesterday, a formation of Italian fighters, outnumbered by 80 Spitfires, shot down seven of the Allied planes.

(Enemy bombing and machine-gun attacks were carried out yesterday over what the Italians said were "several minor centers" of southern Italy and Sicily.)

The German communique broadcast by the Berlin radio asserted that the eighth army attack was "bloodily repelled" in a heavy fight which at present still is in progress.

The advance into the heights northwest of Enfidaville marked a three-mile push across terrain showered with shells from axis artillery and mortar guns.

RAID ON FINLAND HELSINKI, April 21 (AP)—Twenty Soviet planes raided Kotka, Finland's greatest port, last night under a full moon, it was announced today. Strong anti-aircraft fire was reported to have forced the raiders to drop their bombs outside the town where some material damage was admitted.



FDR Inspects An Attack—Seated in the back seat of a car President Roosevelt (right) watches as troops stage a training attack on an "enemy" stronghold. Troops at the paratroop training center of Fort Benning, Ga., used live ammunition for the demonstration. Seated next to the president is Gov. Ellis Arnall of Georgia, who accompanied FDR on his swing through the state.

Kiska Raids Stepped Up To 15 In A Day

WASHINGTON, April 21 (AP)—War planes of the Aleutians command bombed and strafed Japanese positions on Kiska Island in 15 record-breaking raids Monday, the navy reported today, scoring numerous hits on important installations and starting fires.

In the South Pacific, a communique said, heavy army bombers struck at the big enemy base at Kila on Bougainville Island in the northwestern Solomons. Another wave of lighter bombers attacked shipping at Tonolai harbor, also on Bougainville, damaging one freighter and making several near hits on another.

Currency Fund Extension Gets Committee's OK

WASHINGTON, April 21 (AP)—The house coinage committee today unanimously approved a two-year extension of the \$2,000,000,000 currency stabilization fund, but specified that control of it must remain with the president and the secretary of the treasury.

In so specifying, the committee said it had in mind possible post-war international stabilization efforts, perhaps including establishment of an international bank in which the stabilization fund might go, whereby direct control of it by the president might be lost.

British U-Boat Is Presumed Lost

LONDON, April 21. (AP)—The admiralty announced today that the submarine Thunderbolt, formerly the Theta, which foundered on trials, June 1, 1939, with the loss of 99 lives, is overdue and must be presumed lost. After the vessel foundered she was raised and renamed the Thunderbolt.

Point Values Are Reduced For Many Rationed Foods

WASHINGTON, April 21 (AP)—Blue ration coupons will buy about twice as much frozen fruits and vegetables and canned and dehydrated soups starting tomorrow. Dry blackeye peas will be ration-free.

A slash in the point values of these goods was announced by the Office of Price Administration to prevent warm-weather spoilage and relieve a clogging of storage space resulting from slow sales.

It was the second major change in coupon costs of rationed fruits and vegetables, and came as the OPA was considering an overhaul of some of its meat points, including possible reductions on luncheon and other ham and an increase on beef hamburger. These meat changes, it made, probably will come at the end of the month.

Fanciers of frozen foods received what officials "described as obvious 'point bargains,'" primarily to clear commercial refrigerators of the remnants of last year's pack and make way for this year's. When the new crops come out, they are likely to be point-priced again at about the old levels.

The one-pound size of frozen fruit was cut from 13 to 6 points, one-pound package of frozen baked beans from 8 to 4 points, and the customary 12 ounce size of other frozen vegetables from a 6-10 point range to a flat rate of 4 points.

The customary 10 1-2 ounce can of tomato soup was cut from 6 to 3 points and other canned soups from 6 to 4 points. For values are only a fourth of what they started out to be when processed food rationing began March 1. The points were cut in half March 19, and again approximately in half, effective tomorrow. The 2 1-2 ounce package will take a single point.

The south, where blackeye peas are popular, will hail point-freezing of this dry vegetable. Other varieties of dry beans, peas and lentils were unaffected and remain at 4 points per pound.

Next month's blue coupons, which are G, H and J, may be used starting Saturday. Thus, during the last week of the month, both April and May stamps will be usable simultaneously.

Distribution of War Ration Book No. 3—to be used as a replacement for books No. 1 and 2—will be by mail instead of school house registration, Eric C. Administrator, F. I. C. announced yesterday in urging the public to "step hard" on any rumors that the book might be used for any new rationing.

Application blanks are to be left in mail boxes between May 20 and June 5 and mailing of the new books is expected to be completed by the end of July.

War Prisoners Are Still In Shackles

LONDON, April 21. (AP)—British and Canadian war prisoners who were shackled by the Germans last October still are in fetters, Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden told the house of commons today, but he said he had received information that the "method of application" is less rigorous than heretofore.

Eden said that Britain, which has unshackled the German prisoners she put in irons in retaliation, would continue to press the German government to abandon the practice.

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Baltic Ports And Berlin Are Raided

Plane Factories Targets Of RAF's Newest Attacks

LONDON, April 21 (AP) Heavy British bombers attacked the German Baltic ports of Stettin and Rostock last night while speedy Mosquito bombers pounded Berlin in widespread raids from which 31 planes are missing, the air ministry announced today.

The night's operations also included mine-laying in enemy waters and sharp attacks by fighters and fighter-bombers on enemy railways, barges and coastal shipping, a communique said.

The operations were favored by good weather and the bombing attacks on Stettin and Rostock—which were carried out by some of the RAF's mightiest planes—were well concentrated, the air ministry said.

Rostock is the site of the Heinkel and Neptune works and the communique said the port and the Heinkel works were the specific targets in last night's raid. The last previous British raid on Rostock was April 26, 1942, when it was bombed for the fourth night in a row. At that time fires were set that were seen 250 miles away and the center of the city was reduced to a heap of ashes.

Stettin, which is the port for Berlin, was attacked by the RAF Sept. 20, 1941, and harbor installations, an oil refinery and factories were severely damaged. The Red army air force also raided Stettin, along with Berlin, in August, 1941.

While the heavy bombers were out against the Baltic ports and Berlin last night—the eighth night in a row that the RAF has attacked the German-dominated continent—other planes hit hard at German rail and water communications in France, Holland, Belgium and northwestern Germany, and attacked shipping off the Belgian coast.

The air ministry news service described the forays against the axis transport as among the biggest such attacks of the war.

Heavy explosions from the French channel coast, heard in the Dover-Folkstone area after dawn today, indicated that the Allied attacks were continuing by daylight.

The German communique labeled the RAF raids on Rostock and Stettin as "terror attacks" and said bombs hit residential quarters and hospitals—the customary German assertion. The Germans said their night fighters and anti-aircraft artillery shot down 30 of the attackers and another was brought down at the channel coast.

All in all, the RAF gave Adolf Hitler a party on the night of his 54th birthday that he can well remember.

Berlin's raid was its first. It was much lighter than the attacks on the Baltic ports and not comparable with the three heavy raids on the capital in March.

Tires And Tubes Approved By Board

The tire panel met Tuesday at the board to issue 43 grades I tires, 34 grade II tires, and 31 grade III tires. Forty-one passenger tubes, 28 truck tires, and 41 truck tubes were also approved.

The panel ok'd in addition 38 tractor tires and 15 truck recaps.

Bill Permits Increasing School Per Capita To \$25

AUSTIN, April 21 (AP)—House adoption of senate amendments today sent the governor a bill increasing the ceiling on scholastic apportionment from \$22.50 to \$25 and boosting state payments to all public schools by a possible \$3,875,000 for each of the next two years.

Thus it appeared that a prospective savings of nearly \$15,000,000 in major appropriation bills which are still in the legislative process will be largely offset.

Yesterday the house voted to increase state aid to rural schools by \$5,000,000. This is paid from the state's general fund.

Only the apportionment, paid from the state available school fund on the basis of the scholastic census, was finally passed and it is subject to veto by the governor.

The senate has yet to act on the rural aid measure and other major appropriation bills are in conference committees where they will take their final form.

FDR, Camacho Stress Good Neighbor Policy

Basis Of Post-War Planning Mapped At Monterrey



DANA X. BIBLE

Dana X. Bible To Address Bombardiers

Dana X. Bible, nationally-famous coach and athletic director at Texas University is scheduled to deliver the main address at graduation exercises which will be held for class 43-6, of the Big Spring Bombardier school, Thursday morning at 9:30 o'clock in the post theatre.

Col. Robert W. Warren, commanding officer of AAFBS will award wings, and the response will be given by Lieut. C. G. Doyle. Chaplain Emrie Lawrence will deliver the invocation and the post orchestra will play "There Are Such Things" with Marcia Nell Patterson as vocalist. The program will be concluded with the orchestra playing "The Star Spangled Banner" and the benediction by Chaplain James L. Patterson.

Aviation cadet officers for the class include Cadet C. G. Doyle, wing commander; Cadet W. J. Hyde, wing adjutant; Cadet G. L. Littleton, squadron adjutant and Cadet R. Adil, squadron first sergeant.

Flight A officers include Cadet G. W. Hallahan, flight lieutenant; Cadet D. L. Wright, flight sergeant and Cadets T. L. Ashbridge, R. S. Crear, Jr., F. J. Bohan and W. G. Rogerson, corporals.

Flight B officers are Cadet R. M. Gurvin, flight lieutenant; Cadet L. D. Wickter, flight sergeant; Cadets L. M. Graff, G. C. Gerick, R. H. Wolff, Jr., and L. G. Gatholner, corporals.

Officers of Flight C include Cadet H. V. Cudd, flight lieutenant; Cadet N. Warr, flight sergeant and Cadets D. Weinberg, M. M. Bond, J. L. Tyree and N. L. Keller, corporals.

Flight D officers are Cadet W. A. Downs, flight lieutenant; Cadet E. Baker, Jr., flight sergeant and Cadets A. T. Tolosky, L. E. Weeks, J. H. Wadsworth, Jr., and O. T. Wynn, corporals.

PRINCESS IS 17

LONDON, April 21. (AP)—Princess Elizabeth, heiress-presumptive to the British crown, celebrates her 17th birthday today, an almost-grown young lady who has been brought up in anything but cloistered style and who is considered by most of her countrymen as sensible, unspoiled and dignified.

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ABOARD ROOSEVELT TRAIN, April 21 (AP)—The conferences of state which President Roosevelt and President Avila Camacho began in a gala setting at Monterrey, Mexico last night, continued north of the border today.

Avila Camacho was returning the only official visit ever made deep into his country by an American president, but security reasons forbade the immediate announcement of details.

Interrupting a lavish, seven course dinner, the two continental leaders delivered radio addresses at Monterrey without disclosing in any manner the real reason for their dramatic meeting.

They spoke, instead, of differences between their two governments which already have been solved, of a joint solidarity in arms in a world at war, and of the values, now and for the future, of the good neighbor policy.

They dealt strictly in generalities and words of friendship and Mr. Roosevelt promised that "the government of the United States and my countrymen are ready to help" Mexico toward greater progress toward "the greatest possible measure of security and opportunity."

He referred to the issue now apparently dead, created by Mexican expropriation of American-owned oil lands.

Mr. Roosevelt declared with studied emphasis: "We recognize a mutual interdependence of our joint resources. We know that Mexico's resources will be developed for the common good of humanity. We know that the day of the exploitation of the resources and the people of one country for the benefit of any group in another country is definitely over."

A few minutes before, Avila Camacho had said, in a conciliatory vein, that "neither your excellency nor I believe in negative memories."

Side by side, in a casino at a military post on the outskirts of Monterrey, the presidents let their sherbet melt while they went on the air.

Avila Camacho stressed the "solidarity" of Mexico and the United States in the common cause of destroying "the machinery of barbarism constructed by the dictators."

But he implied clearly that the contribution of Mexico with her relatively small army, would be made chiefly "at home."

"Circumstances will determine for each one of us," he said, "the degree of direct participation in active combat x x x but there is one thing which is in reach of all: the carrying on the fight immediately at home against those evils which offend and concern us in others."

Both he and Mr. Roosevelt took note of the way Mexico has been turning out materials on which American war plants feed and sending her men across the border to work on farms.

The exchanged mutual expressions of pride and esteem, and Mr. Roosevelt commented on "the harmony and mutual confidence which has prevailed between our armies and navies."

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Instructed Verdicts Are Asked For Six

ABILENE, April 21 (AP)—Motions for instructed verdicts of acquittal of six men on trial here for conspiracy to defraud the government were argued today before Federal District Judge T. Whitfield Davidson.

The government rested its case this morning.

Dan Moody of Austin, counsel for Joe B. Plosser and Charles A. Prince, based his motion upon contentions that the government had not proved allegations of the indictment, that government testimony was not sufficiently credible to warrant a conviction and that Plosser and Prince held a contract with the Defense Plans Corporation that called for building Avenger field at Sweetwater for sale upon completion of the corporation, making their position that of sellers instead of builders.

Plosser and Prince are co-operators of the field.

Motion for instructed verdicts also were filed on behalf of Charles A. Carpenter of Los Angeles; Elton Taylor of Big Spring, and A. E. Herbeck of Sweetwater.

Victor J. Nelson, builder of Avenger field; E. T. Nelson and Robert Young of Los Angeles pleaded guilty and testified for the government.

Other defendants are J. L. Skaggs and A. L. Leavenworth of Los Angeles.

The charges are based upon alleged transactions connected with the construction of flying field facilities at the Sweetwater airport.

Navy Wanting More Construction Men

Men with construction experience are urged to contact Lieut. Frank P. Collier, civil engineer with the U. S. Navy at the Dallas recruiting office, while he is at the navy station office here Thursday.

He will be examining for Sea Bee applicants, and Lieut. Col. Collier will be with him to give physical examinations, said Fred Baucum, in charge of the office in the postoffice basement.

Men accepted here may be assured that they will go into the training program soon. Those with specialized construction or mechanical skills may be eligible for good ratings.

NAMED BY ROTARY

SAN ANTONIO, April 21 (AP)—Dr. W. W. Jackson, vice president of Trinity University here, was elected governor of Rotary district 8, Navy at the 1943 wartime convention yesterday. He succeeds Roscoe C. Fryor of Harlingen.

Difficulties Of Tokyo Raid Revealed In War Department Report

WASHINGTON, April 21 (AP)—Tokyo could tremble again today in memory of the bombs which struck terror into Japan's vulnerable heart a year ago.

For the war department promised that those were just a gentle prelude to the pounding to come, and disclosed that the "Shangri-La" from which the bombers struck was a ship at sea—a floating base that could be multiplied to smash the lair of Nippon from almost any direction.

Ripping away at last the mystery that had cloaked the Pacific war's most thrilling aerial exploit,

the official story of the raid disclosed: That the base from which Maj. Gen. James H. Doolittle's 16 twin-engine bombers took off to blast war plants in Tokyo and four other Japanese cities was the Aircraft Carrier Hornet, later lost in the Pacific battle of Santa Cruz, Oct. 26.

That the idea of the spectacular attack—a first installment on Pearl Harbor debt—was conceived in January 1942, presumably by Doolittle, and intense training in utmost secrecy preceded its execution on April 18.

That the bombers took off from the Hornet in rough weather 800 miles from the coast of Japan and attacked at noon, whereas the original plan had called for them to take off only 400 miles offshore and to go in at night.

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The secret was kept as long as possible, the statement said, and the Japanese, not being sure of

the attack's source—whether China, or the Aleutians or an aircraft carrier—"were forced to tie up part of their military strength during crucial months."

"If the secret could always have been kept from the Japanese—which in the end was impossible—it would naturally have added to the tension with which Japan awaits the attacks that still lie ahead."

Identification of "Shangri-La" as the Carrier Hornet automatically unfolded incidents of courage and heroism heretofore hidden by the

secrecy policy. Foremost among these was the dramatic decision by Doolittle and his men to risk the action despite a drastic change in plans.

This decision was forced by the fact that as the naval task force organized around the Hornet approached Japan it was sighted by an enemy patrol ship. Skipped by Admiral William F. Halsey, Jr., now supreme commander in the South Pacific, the task force had already avoided one Japanese vessel and was trying to avoid another when it was seen by the third.

That ship was quickly sunk but

it was feared that it might have radioed a warning to Tokyo—a fear which later was proved unfounded by the complete surprise of the attack. But the raiders had to plan for the worst and act accordingly. It meant departing 10 hours and 40 miles ahead of schedule; each man, knew that his chances of surviving were thereby decreased.

"But there was not the slightest hesitation," the official report said. "General Doolittle and his men were eager to take off."

Never before had such big bombers soared aloft from a car-

rier's 800-foot deck on a combat mission.

Veteran Jimmy Doolittle led the flock up at 8:20 a. m., and the others thundered aloft in quick succession.

It was noon with a bright sun shining when the squadron dived in at wave-top level over the coast of Japan.

Lt. Travis Hoover of Arlington, Calif., led one flight over the northern part of Tokyo. Capt. David M. Jones of Winters, Tex., led another over the center of the city.

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Downtown Stroller

Some more early-to-workers we caught a glimpse of the other a. m. were Mr. and Mrs. NEIL HILLIARD, who cruised by and Mrs. FERN LAWSON, who was en route to her job. Everybody must be on their summer schedule these days and getting to work early.

So it's congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. MATT HARRINGTON who are the proud parents of a baby girl. They even had the baby named—JANE—long before she arrived. If it had been a boy, they would have had to hunt for a name because they were positive it would be a girl.

Mrs. BERT READ and Mrs. G. G. SAWELLE, a couple of long time friends were lunching downtown the other noon and seemed to be catching up on some back visiting missed while Mr. READ has been out of town.

Capt. and Mrs. J. P. RAYZOR and their son, JOE, were down town dining the other evening. Mrs. RAYZOR looked awfully nice in a black suit with a white blouse. She also had an over the shoulder patent bag.

Talked with Mrs. O. R. RODDEN the other morning and she is already beginning to plan on going to West Point to see her son graduate. That would be quite a thrill and she is looking forward to it even though in war time they drop some of the frills that West Point graduation used to have.

Friends here have received word of the birth of a son to Sgt. and Mrs. JOHNNIE R. MCGEE of Brownwood on Monday. The infant weighed 7 pounds and has been named JOHN ROBERT. Mr. and Mrs. J. T. MCGEE left Wednesday for Brownwood where he is stationed at Camp Bowie in the medical department. SGT. MCGEE is a former Big Spring resident.

Girl Scout Leaders To Conclude Training Course With A Hike And Campfire Program Today

Girl Scout leaders conclude a training course this afternoon with an honest-to-goodness hike, cooking in the open and campfire program—just like the girls they will be directing.

Women were to meet at 2:15 p. m. at the high school and hike in a group to a point south of Edwards Heights where they will cook out and have a campfire program. En route, they will follow a blazed trail just like Girl Scouts.

Monday, 13 new leaders and assistants were invested with their badges in ceremonies which highlighted that training session. Mrs. Warren Edson made the presentation on behalf of the local Girl Scout council.

Miss Alice Mulkey, national

field advisor for Girl Scouts, spoke to the group and discussed scouting activities, also led the group in singing a negro spiritual.

Those in the investiture were Mrs. J. R. Harrington, Jr., Mrs. Van C. Elliott, Mrs. C. J. Staples, Mrs. George French, Mrs. Albert M. Fisher, Mrs. Richard Allen, Mrs. R. B. Dunivan, Mrs. John L. Matthews, Mrs. S. M. McCranie, Warren N. Edson, H. H. Rutherford, Manley Cook, Alan B. Partridge.

CALENDAR

WEDNESDAY
FIREMEN LADIES will meet at the WOW hall at 8 o'clock.
CENTRAL WARD P-TA meets at the school at 8:45 o'clock.

THURSDAY
ROYAL NEIGHBORS will meet at the WOW hall at 8:30 o'clock.
SEW AND SEW CLUB meets with Mrs. Clyde Johnston at 8 o'clock.
COMMUNITY SING will be held in the R. L. Holley home, 1001 Wood at 8 o'clock.

FRIDAY
WOODMEN CIRCLE meets at the WOW hall at 8 o'clock.

SATURDAY
JUNIOR MUSIC STUDY CLUB meets with Betty Lou McGinnis, 405 W. 4th, at 1:30 o'clock.
FOOD SALE will be held in the Howard County Home Demonstration office from 10 to 12 o'clock.

Monthly Business Meeting Social Held In Coahoma

COAHOMA, April 21.—The Baptist Training Union held their monthly business meeting and social Monday night at the church. Mrs. McGee had charge of the business meeting and new officers were elected. Mrs. N. W. Pitts had charge of the games. Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Kirtpatrick, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stull and family, Rev. and Mrs. Pitts, Mr. and Mrs. Stull, Mr. and Mrs. McGee and Gloria, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Howell and Imogene, Mr. and Mrs. Nando Henderson, Mrs. Ralph White, Mrs. Rosie De Vasey, Willie Pearl, Janice and Charlene Tonn, John Jonnie Nell Henry, Margie Raye Woodson, Dorothy Lassard, Darlene Tindol, Dorothy and Robert Harlow and Melvin Whitaker.

Sue Reed Entertains The Bomba-Dears

The Bomba-Dears were entertained at the Noble Reed Ranch Monday evening by Sue Reed, and ping-pong and other games were entertainment.

Refreshments were served and those attending were Wanda Rose Bobb, Judy Pickle, Bertie Mary Smith, Fern Smith, Leta Frances Walker, Janice Yates and Mrs. Ben Carter.

Mrs. T. E. Sanders and daughter, Alice Ruth, have returned from Fort Worth where they have been visiting friends and relatives for the past two weeks.

Class 43-6 Entertains At Post

The graduating class of cadets, class 43-6, entertained with a buffet dinner and dance at the post gymnasium Tuesday night and included officers and instructors as guests.

Easter decorations were used throughout the gymnasium and door prizes carried out the Easter theme.

The post orchestra furnished music for the event and Cpl. Phillip Tucker acted as master of ceremonies.

The floor show was directed by the special services department. Wanda McQuain sang two numbers followed by a comic dance given by Mrs. Jean Odie and Cpl. Tucker.

Pvt. Elmer Bolts, Cpl. Tucker and Sgt. Blaisdell sang "In the Easter Parade," with original verses. Several other musical numbers were given by members of the band and the program closed with a strip tease by Cpl. Tucker.

Engagement Of Colorado City Girl Announced

COLORADO CITY, April 21.—Announcing the approaching marriage of her daughter, Fannie Mae Porter, Mrs. W. W. Porter of Colorado City entertained with a breakfast at the home of Mrs. Bryan Porter recently. As guests registered in the bride's book, favors of silver glider wings revealing the wedding date, May 21, were presented by Aleene Bodine who presided at the registry table.

Miss Porter, daughter of Judge and Mrs. Porter, will be married to Lieutenant H. H. Hansie in the chapel at Bowman Field where he is stationed. The bride is a graduate of Colorado City high school and attended North Texas State Teachers college in Denton. She is a teacher in the school at Post.

The bridegroom-to-be attended Baylor University, Waco, and was commissioned at the U. S. Army Flying school at Lubbock in March. He is attached to the glider division.

A two course breakfast telling the couple's engagement was served from a table centered with a miniature air port with glider planes. Bridal wreath and corn flowers completed the decorations. Easter lilies decorated the quartet tables.

Guests were Mesdames Ernest Burdine, Brooks Dorn, Julius Smith, Ross Glover, Luther Boatbrough, Travis Pritchett, J. T. Howell and Mary Venable, Lucille Haggard, Elma Womack, Doris Paul Snelvey, Ruth Elliott, Aleene Bodine, Theda Howell, Fannie Bess Porter, Memphis Porter of Amarillo, Jean Duff and Maxine Durrett of Post.

Bridge, Luncheon Held Here At Officer's Club

Around 150 officer's wives and guests attended a bridge luncheon held in the Officer's club at the Big Spring Bombarider School Tuesday afternoon. Hostesses included Mrs. F. H. Collings, chairman, Mrs. V. T. Evans, Mrs. W. W. Harris, Mrs. Chester Draper, Mrs. R. T. Williams, Mrs. Lum Twilliger and Mrs. Clark Koller.

Mrs. J. B. Blanding and Mrs. Dick Hornbeck won high score in bridge and Mrs. Alvin Thigpen won guest high.

The next luncheon will be held at the club May 4th and hostesses will be Mrs. A. E. Armstrong, chairman, Mrs. Stephen Davis, Mrs. C. E. Corcoran, Mrs. James S. Reed, Mrs. R. L. Trayer, Mrs. H. C. Runyan, Mrs. T. W. Stallworth and Mrs. H. W. Penry.



SPORTSWEAR—Film Actress Ann Savage wears a stunning brown and white plaid topcoat over a brown sports suit. Her soft felt hat matches her suit, completing the ensemble.

Big Spring Delegates Attend P-T. A. Parley Held In San Angelo

Mrs. J. T. Brooks Receives A Life Membership

Twelve delegates representing the Big Spring Parent-Teacher's Association returned Tuesday afternoon from San Angelo where they attended the 22nd annual conference of the Texas Congress of the Parent-Teacher's Association.

"Our Concern, Every Youth" was the theme of the two day meeting and guest speakers included Mrs. Jack Little of Dallas, state president of the P-T. A.; Mrs. J. C. Stewart of Lawn, president of the sixth district, and Mrs. Alice McConnell of the Hogg Foundation, Austin, Texas.

A P-T. A. board meeting was held at 10 o'clock Monday morning with a courtesy dinner at the Cactus hotel honoring board of managers at noon.

Around 150 persons from the sixth district attended the meeting which officially opened at 1:30 o'clock with registration.

Mrs. J. C. Stewart presided over the meeting and platform guests were the state representative, Mrs. L. G. Byerley of Midland, state vice-president and immediate past president; the board of managers and honor guests.

During the Monday afternoon general session Mrs. James T. Brooks, president of the local council, was presented with a life membership by Mrs. J. E. Brigham of Big Spring, president of College Heights unit, for outstanding work with the organization. Only nine such presentations have been made in the history of the local association.

Mrs. Robert Hill and Mrs. Brooks were also awarded defense stamp corsages for having the oldest badges from previous conventions.

Highlight of the Tuesday morning session was a panel discussion directed by Mrs. Alice McConnell of the Hogg Foundation, Austin. Eight students from the San Angelo high school took part in the discussion which dealt with problems which confront American youth today, their part in the war and their ideas concerning present conditions.

Those attending from Big Spring were Mrs. B. E. Winterrowd and Mrs. V. L. McPherson, North Ward delegates; Mrs. W. H. Ward, district vice president; Mrs. Robert Hill, publicity chairman for the sixth district; Mrs. Brooks, Mrs. Wayne Pearce, Mrs. J. E. Brigham, College Heights; Mrs. J. B. Mull, South Ward; Mrs. Larson Lloyd, Central Ward; Mrs. C. S. Edmonds, South Ward; Mrs. Alton Underwood, Central Ward; Mrs. Charles Koberg, high school.

Attending from Garner were Mrs. J. O. Sanders and Zelma Gay.

—VISITS AND VISITORS

Mrs. J. C. Sewell has returned from Amarillo where she has been visiting for the past few days. J. C. Sewell, who also accompanied her, went on to Paul Valley, Okla., on business.

Mrs. C. L. Richardson, who has resided in Big Spring for the past four months, left for Austin Tuesday to join her husband, Pfc. C. L. Richardson, who is stationed at Camp Swift.

Mrs. Albert Smith has returned from El Paso where she has been visiting.

Mrs. G. C. Martin of Longview arrived today for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Martin.

Ray Eugene Wilson, who is stationed at Gulfport, Miss., with the Sea Bees, visited with his wife and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wilson, this past weekend.

Mrs. E. L. Springer and daughter, Jeannene, of Phoenix, Ariz., is here visiting with friends and relatives.

Engagement Of Colorado City Girl Announced

COLORADO CITY, April 20.—Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Motley, Jr. announced Tuesday of the engagement of their daughter, Elnche Perry Motley, to Chester Harry Chapline, petty officer second class, USNR, of San Diego, Calif. The marriage will take place Friday, April 23rd in San Diego.

The bride is a 1941 graduate of Colorado City high school and is employed by Consolidated Aircraft corporation in California.

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Mrs. James T. Brooks

St. Anne's Unit Meets In M'Alister Home

St. Anne's Unit of St. Mary's Episcopal church met with Ione McAllister Monday evening for an inspirational program and business meeting.

Mrs. Bill Dawes gave the devotional and Mrs. J. A. Selkirk gave a paper on "The Youth Movement in Our Church."

Those attending the meeting were Mrs. D. M. McKinney, Mrs. M. W. Paulson, Mrs. Ellen Wood, Mrs. Bill Dawes, Mrs. J. A. Selkirk, Reta Debenport, and the hostess.



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NEW FROCKS
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Every detail of these smart frocks is as sparkling as spring itself! Soft rayon, be-bee, gaily flowered... in a smart dressmaker, button-front styles! In sizes 12-20, 38-44.



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In styles and colors to add dash to all your spring outfits! *Reg. U.S. Pat. Off.

Rayon Fabric GLOVES 98c
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Dressy or tailored styles, nicely stitched! New spring colors!
Lovely sheer colors to brighten your dark dresses!

Eva Jane Darby Is Hostess To High Heel Club

Discussion concerning future activities and club pins was held when the High Heel Slipper club met in the home of Eva Jane Darby Tuesday evening.

An Easter theme was carried out in refreshments and decorations. Jo Ann Switzer, club president, presided over the business meeting. Next club meeting will be in the home of Betty Bob Ditts.

Club members present were Mary Joyce Mims, Helen Blount, Patty McDonald, Cella Westerman, Billie Frances Shaffer, Bertie Mary Smith, Jo Ann Switzer, Betty Jo Pool, Doris Nell Tompkins, Nancy Thompson, Marilyn Keaton, Barbara Lawwell, Marjorie Lawwell, Betty Bob Ditts, and the hostess, Eva Jane Darby.

Mrs. Clyde Thomas To Entertain Her Club

The Sew and Sew club will meet with Mrs. Clyde Thomas, Sr., 1008 Gregg, Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. All members are urged to attend.

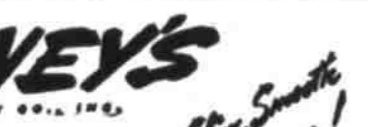
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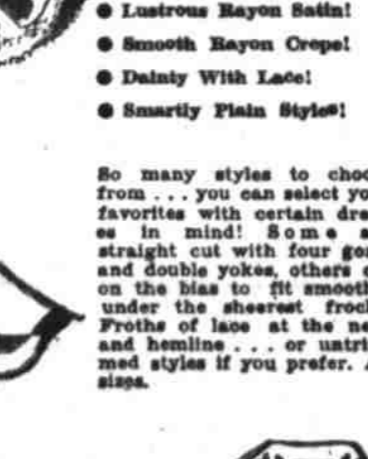
RAYON JERSEY DRESSES

The gayest, and at the same time the most versatile dress you can select for this spring is the bright, printed jersey! Easy to care for... and flattering to all, you'll choose from softly tailored types with unpressed pleats, or jaunty two-piece styles in dressmaker or sport types. 12 to 20.



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Rebekahs Plan For Odd Fellow Celebration Here On April 30th

Three Visitors From Knott Lodge Attend Meeting

Plans for the Oddfellow celebration April 30th were discussed by the Rebekah Lodge when the group met at the IOOF hall Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Programs, socials and other entertainments will be held Friday evening, April 30th, in observance of the Oddfellow anniversary. Mrs. Opal Tatum presided over the business meeting and introduced three guests from the Knott Rebekah lodge who included Mrs. Omega McClain, Mrs. Amanda Hughes and T. H. Hughes.

Others attending the meeting were Mrs. Joie McDaniel, Mrs. Gertrude Newton, Mrs. Beulah Hayworth, Mrs. Eula Robinson, Mrs. Della Herring, Mrs. Maggie Richardson, Mrs. Virginia Wilson.

Mrs. Verna Hull, Mrs. Doele Crenshaw, Mrs. Eula Pond, Mrs. Sallis Kinard, Mrs. Julia Wilkerson, Jim Crenshaw, Ben Miller and Mrs. Mable Glenn.

Mrs. Jim Bob Pool and son, Robby, arrived from Seattle, Wash., Monday afternoon to visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kuykendall.

YOU WOMEN WHO SUFFER FROM HOT FLASHES
If you suffer from hot flashes, dizziness, distress of "irregularities", are weak, nervous—due to the functional "middle-age" period in a woman's life—try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It's helped thousands upon thousands of women to relieve such annoying symptoms. Follow label directions. Pinkham's Compound is worth trying!

Easter AT PENNEY'S

THIS YEAR IT'S SMART IF IT'S USEFUL

Certainly you've got lots of things on your mind besides new clothes: food rationing, gas and fuel shortage, longer hours of hard work, War Bond buying, letters to your men in service. But clothes are important, too. You've got to keep looking smart and fit to meet your wartime problems with head high and spirit undaunted.

Easter is a good time to plan your clothes year—and Penney's is a good place to get the kind of wartime clothes you should have!

Here's Your Easter Hat!
Be Smart This Spring With Gay SPRING STRAWS 1.98
Lovely new sailors that are crisp and shining... the tiny calots that are a mass of flowers... and the pompadour types that sit gaily on your head! You'll find discreet, beauteous and conservative off-face styles for your suits!

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Chin-lifters every one! Delightful new pads, saucy smart flowered heart-shaped bonnets! Many other styles with feather or ruching trimming!

Small Fry Join The Easter Parade!
GIRLS' NEW HATS
Big wide-eyed bonnets, saucy saucy and soft breton rollers with all the ribbons and flowers little girls love! 1.49

An Easter Hat For You, Too, Sir!
Headlines by Marathon*
Fine Fur Felts 3.98
All of spring's newest and BEST details are represented in this grand group! Stitched crowns (at left), also bound edges, medallions, wide brims—every one a HIT!

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Genuine fur felt in spite of the low price—and top-style, too! Shades to blend with YOUR Easter outfit. Shown is the new bound edge Medallion! 2.98

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Chicken Very Popular, Local Hatcheries Booked For Month

Accent definitely is on the humble chicken this year, for those who would use poultry to fill in the gap occasioned by pork, lamb and beef rationing are dealing in futures.

Futures, indeed, for local hatcheries are booked up solidly until the last 10 days of May, are taking a considerable booking in June

and even sliding over into the first week of July.

That simply means that whoever wishes to buy baby chicks here waits fully a month for delivery—and he's lucky to get them then.

One hatchery with a capacity of 83,000 has a few openings the last week in May. June bookings are filling rapidly and it looks like a

solid run right up until the last operation on July 4.

Another with 28,000 capacity has been operating at the limit for more than two months and has every available space booked until May 21 with a considerable June booking in the making.

Another smaller hatchery, which is operated more on a private basis with some customs hatching, is running jam against its 3,000 limit and is booked solidly until May 15.

Champion Of Mitchell County Show Brings 26 Cents Pound

COLORADO CITY, April 21—The grand champion calf of the Mitchell county fat stock show brought 26 cents a pound in the auction ring which wound up the two-day show here Tuesday.

Henry Pond, Jr., was owner of the calf and also showed the second place winner in the light weight division. He is a second year FFA student at Colorado City high school and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Pond. Joe Smoot bought the 1,140 pound prize steer, bidding for City National bank, Colorado City.

The second prize winning calf in the heavy weight division, shown by Raymond Wallington, also brought 26 cents a pound from O. L. Simpson for the Producers Gin. The reserve champion, exhibited by Pete Strain, brought 25 cents

a pound from Fred Gular acting for Continental Cotton Oil company and the Pond calf in the lighter division brought 24 cents a pound from Gular.

Thirty calves were sold on the block with Sam Wulfjen, Mitchell county rancher, crying the sale, assisted by Bob May and officials of the chamber of commerce, sponsors of the show. Prizes announced late Monday, in addition to the ten top calves in two classes, included the prize for the best group of three calves shown by one boy which was won by Wallace Hestand. James Hart won the halter for the best showmanship, J. M. Rogers a prize for the best average daily gain of his calf.

Troy Powell showed the grand champion barrow, Myrl Hart the reserve champion.

Conferees Near Agreement On 50 Pct. Tax Abatement

WASHINGTON, April 21 (AP)—Pay-as-you-go for America's 44,000,000 taxpayers appeared assured today as house conferees came forward with a virtually complete compromise, understood to provide for abatement of approximately 50 per cent of 1942 income taxes.

Members of both major parties agreed at a series of secret conferences on a 20 per cent withholding levy against the taxable parts of wages and salaries, to become effective July 1.

While details were withheld, in-

dications were that the compromise arrangement would apply the much softer 1941 rates and exemptions to 1942 income, with some modifications. Such a plan originally was proposed by Chairman Doughton (D-NC) of the house ways and means committee. It would not mean a flat 50 per cent tax cut on 1942 income of each taxpayer.

If the compromise embraces a modified Doughton proposal to apply the moderate 1941 rates and exemptions to 1942 income, it would abate approximately \$5,000,000,000 of the \$10,000,000,000 tax liability against all 1942 personal income, and might provide that taxpayers be given several years in which to pay off the remaining \$5,000,000,000, while at the same time remitting their current taxes.

Mitchell County Men Reclassified

COLORADO CITY, April 21—Eight Mitchell county men were this week placed in the 1A classification by the selective service board. They are George A. Loveless, Joseph C. Pritchett, Arval B. Colson, Sylvester B. Williams, Veibert C. Moore, Ray Hall, Irwin W. Terry, Jr.

Nine others were listed as P (pending reclassification). In this group are Cervis B. Cooper, Preston C. Wynne, Bobby Vaught, Jose Ornelas, Marvin P. Walker, Walter A. Davis, Leonard R. Jones, Archie B. Shoemaker, and Robert C. Cox.

Cooper Executive Director Of The Associated Press

NEW YORK, April 21 (AP)—The board of directors of the Associated Press has designated Frank B. Cooper as executive director.

Cooper continues the responsibilities heretofore carried by him as general manager in addition to other duties as executive director. The board's action was announced yesterday.

Robert McLean of the Philadelphia Bulletin was re-elected president. Other officers elected were: Paul Bellamy, Cleveland Plain Dealer, first vice president; Houston Hart, San Angelo (Tex.) Standard-Times, second vice president; Lloyd Stratton, secretary, an office heretofore held by Cooper; L. F. Curtis, treasurer; Frank J. Starnal, assistant secretary; Alan J. Gould, assistant treasurer.

One of the founders of the modern Associated Press, Noyes has served the organization for almost a half century and was its president from 1900 to 1938. Since 1938 he has continued as a member of the board of directors.

Cooper entered Associated Press service in 1910, became chief of

Nazis Throw More Power Against Reds

MOSCOW, April 21 (AP)—A violent struggle for an important height marked the mounting battle in the Kuban delta above Novorossisk today as the Germans threw in more troops in an attempt to regain lost positions, but nowhere did they succeed in gaining any ground, the Russians reported.

A dispatch to Red Star, the army newspaper, said that artillery action has increased and there are more and more bombings by the German air force.

Pravda, communist party newspaper, printed a front line dispatch which said Rumanian troops were in the fight but that war prisoners complained the Germans had abandoned them.

On other fronts there was heavy artillery duelling along the Donets north of Chuguev, in the Sevsk district, and on the Volkov front southeast of Leningrad.

Public Welfare Measures Up To Governor

AUSTIN, April 21 (AP)—Further action was up to the governor today on a bill whose effect will be the appointment of a new board and director of public welfare.

Different house and senate versions were reconciled in conference committee and its report was adopted yesterday.

The house had wanted the board to appoint a new director; the senate wanted to appoint the director itself. The compromise provides for appointment by the governor of a new board which in turn will name a director.

A special house investigating committee has recommended impeachment action against J. S. Murchison, present director.

The house yesterday finally passed a rural school aid bill appropriating \$22,081,981 for the next two years beginning Sept. 1, \$5,000,000 more than authorized for the current biennium.

Adoption of an amendment to raise the pay of rural teachers accounted for the \$5,000,000 increase. Base pay for instructors in unaccredited schools would be raised from \$88 to \$96 per month; in accredited schools from \$93 to \$100.

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Action Sought On Bill To Curb River Agencies

AUSTIN, April 21 (AP)—Following a report by a special committee investigating river authorities, sponsors of a bill to constrict the scope of authority operations were expected to press for floor action in the house today.

The committee, inquiring into operations of the Lower Colorado and Guadalupe-Blanco River Authorities, made a preliminary report yesterday specifically recommending increased restrictions.

Alvin J. Wirtz of Austin, former LCRA general counsel, described the report in a statement before the committee as being "unfair and unjust."

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Farm Machinery Sales Approved

Hammer mills and cream separators were main items approved by the Farm Machinery Rationing board of the county in session this weekend at the AAA office.

Approved were: Flem Anderson, hammer mill; J. L. W. Coleman, hammer mill; A. B. Darrelson, hammer mill; T. W. Hasey, cream separator; H. G. Hill, hammer mill; H. S. Kirby, cream separator; Mrs. Reuben Knight, cream separator; James R. Layfield, Jr., cream separator; E. Marion Newton, tractor and lister planter; C. E. Sugas, hammer mill.

traffic in 1912 and assistant general manager in 1920. He has been general manager since 1925.

Captain To Address Class Of Which Son Is A Member

Father and son will meet Thursday at Eagle Pass when Capt. Horace L. Borden, commanding officer of the 81th bombardier training squadron at the Big Spring Bombardier School, addresses the graduating class of the Eagle Pass advanced single engine pilots school.

Among the cadets who will receive their wings and commission will be his son, Roy.

Capt. and Mrs. Borden left here Tuesday for Eagle Pass.

A veteran of the First World War, Capt. Borden was an observer of the 90th aerial squadron of the AEF in France in 1918 and is holder of the distinguished service cross. In civilian life he was with the firm of Halsey, Stuart & Co., Springfield, Mass. investment bankers.

ATTORNEY DIES

SAN ANTONIO, April 21 (AP)—Hal Browne, 59, prominent San Antonio attorney, died of a stroke yesterday afternoon in Justice of the Peace Frank Vaughan's court a few minutes after he completed argument in a case.

Area Failing On Quotas For The WAAC

The West Texas district has fallen behind deplorably and is in danger of trailing the entire state in enrollment of WAACs, Lieut. Col. Marvin E. Durrette, commanding, announced at his headquarters in Lubbock today.

"We cannot allow this blot on our record," he said. "It is unreasonable to think that women of West Texas are of less patriotic character than women of the rest of the state. We have a quota of 726 WAACs to meet by June 30 and Howard county's quota is 22. We must meet it and double it if possible."

The war department is unable to meet current requests of camps and posts for WAAC units due to failure to meet recruiting quotas assigned for the first quarter of the year, according to Col. Durrette. "The WAAC is included in the overall strength of the army now, and it is absolutely necessary that its expansion keep pace with the overall training program."

Women can do as well as men in many non-combatant jobs and Lieut. Gen. Brehon Somervell declares that in some cases they do better than men who are urgently needed and eminently qualified for combat duty.

Women between 21 and 44, who have two years of high school education and who can pass mental and physical examinations are eligible for WAAC enrollment. Full details may be had at the army WAAC recruiting office in the postoffice basement.

RADIO LOG

- Wednesday Evening
- 4:00 Shellah Carter.
- 4:15 String Ensemble.
- 4:30 Afternoon Swing Session.
- 4:45 Superman.
- 5:00 Minute of Prayer.
- 5:01 Phillip Keyne-Gordon.
- 5:15 The Townsman.
- 5:20 News.
- 5:45 Songs for Servicemen.
- 6:00 Fulton Lewis, Jr.
- 6:15 The Johnson Family.
- 6:30 California Melodies.
- 7:00 Where to Go Tonight.
- 7:15 They're the Barries.
- 7:30 Mystery Hall.
- 8:00 Gabriel Heatter.
- 8:15 War Bond Program.
- 8:30 Soldiers With Wings.
- 9:00 John B. Hughes.
- 9:15 Sign Off.
- Thursday 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 Mac Farlane.
- 9:15 The Choir Loft.
- 9:30 The Cheppang Gang.
- 10:00 Sydney Mosley.
- 10:15 Karl Zomar's Scrapbook.
- 10:30 Yankee House Party.
- 11:00 News.
- 11:05 Dr. Amos R. Wood.
- 11:10 KBST Preview.
- 11:15 Bill Hay Reads the Bible.
- 11:30 U. S. Navy Band.
- Thursday Afternoon
- 12:00 Luncheon Dance Varieties.
- 12:15 What's the Name of That Band.
- 12:30 News.
- 12:45 Luncheon Dance Music.
- 1:00 Cedric Foster.
- 1:15 School Forum.
- 1:30 Today's Devotional.
- 1:45 Century Room Orch.
- 2:00 Morton Downey.
- 2:15 Shady Valley Folks.
- 3:00 Background for News.
- 3:15 "Uncle Sam Series."
- 3:30 Special Holy Thursday Program.
- 4:00 Shellah Carter.
- 4:15 Quaker City Conga.
- 4:30 Afternoon Swing Session.
- 4:45 Superman.
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- 6:00 Fulton Lewis, Jr.
- 6:15 The Johnson Family.
- 6:30 Tommy Dorsey's Orch.
- 6:45 Confidentially Yours.
- 7:00 Where to Go Tonight.
- 7:15 Impact.
- 7:30 Skyline Patrol.
- 8:00 Gabriel Heatter.
- 8:15 To Be Announced.
- 8:30 KBST Bandwagon.
- 9:00 Paul Sullivan.
- 9:15 Sign Off.

Drinking A Bad Habit Of His, Mexican Tells The Court, And He's Liable To Keep It Up

Judge, lawyers, and witnesses were stumped Monday when a defendant in a burglary case refused to promise anything in the way of good behavior in order to obtain a suspended sentence.

The defendant Felix Dominguez, pleaded guilty to charges of stealing a quantity of tobacco from a store in the north part of town. He claimed he was intoxicated at the time and that he couldn't guarantee he would not become intoxicated again and get into trouble. It was a bad habit of his, he admitted under questioning by his own attorney.

Judge Cecil Collings, who heard the case, asked that the defendant be remanded to jail again to think things over. The judge, after thinking things over himself said Wednesday that Dominguez would be given two years in the state penitentiary.

Ramon Alanis, indicted with Dominguez, was withdrawn by District Attorney Martelle McDonald, and used as witness in the suit against Dominguez.

Three other criminal cases were heard by the judge in which all

pleaded guilty and waived jury trial.

Paul Henry Ross, charged with auto theft, made petition for a suspended sentence. Questioning revealed that he had been indicted by the grand jury in the fall of 1942 but was released on his promise to join the navy. Judge Collings also withheld judgment on this case and remanded the defendant to jail until further study of his case.

In the case of the State versus Gregario Quintana, assault with intent to murder, Quintana was given a two year suspended sentence by Judge Collings and placed under \$500 bond. Quintana was indicted by the grand jury in the stabbing of Epifanio Carrillo on January 24th.

A three year sentence in the state penitentiary at Huntsville was given Billie McDonald, indicted for auto theft who also pleaded guilty. He was given credit for time spent in jail since his arrest on March 13th to apply to his sentence.

Five Back-Seat Drivers

VALLEJO, Calif. (UP)—At least one woman driver on the Grayhound lines has the kick of a mule in her, according to a group of Mare Island navy yard workers. Angered at their back-seat driving and kibitzing, she turned the bus back on which she was driving them home and deposited them at the place from which they had started. The company sustained her action.

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CANADIAN PORTAGE—Powerful tractors haul a 65-ton barge from Fitzgerald, Alberta, to Fort Smith, N.W.T., Canada, for use in transporting supplies for the Canol oil pipeline project.



TIRED LITTLE NOMAD — A sergeant keeps things quiet for tired Roger Miene, 3, found wandering in Chicago.



RECEPTION GUESTS—Movie Actresses Lola Lane, Carole Landis and Cobina Wright, Jr. (l. to r.) chat at reception following the marriage of Dorothy Lamour and Capt. Wm. R. Howard III.



YOUNGEST — At 25, Brig. Gen. William E. Hall (above) is the U. S. Army's youngest officer of that rank. He's one of three deputy chiefs of staff of the Army Air Forces.



DANCING STARS—Film Stars Janet Blair and Charles Boyer enjoy a dance together at New York City's Stork Club.



SIGHTSEEING WAVES—Betty R. Brown (l.) and Ellen Annan of Los Angeles visit Washington's Jefferson Memorial.



ROSE QUEEN — Servicemen in the area selected pretty Kathleen Turner (above) as Florida's Rose Queen at Winter Haven, Fla. And who will deny the compliment to the rose?



DERBY THREAT—Victory in the opening day feature at Jamaica boosted the stock of Slide Rule, Kentucky Derby entry owned by W. E. Boeing. Here Slide Rule walks to the post with Jockey Conn McCreary up.



SEEKS DERBY PRIZE — Ocean Wave of Warren Wright's Calumet Farm works out for his Kentucky Derby start.



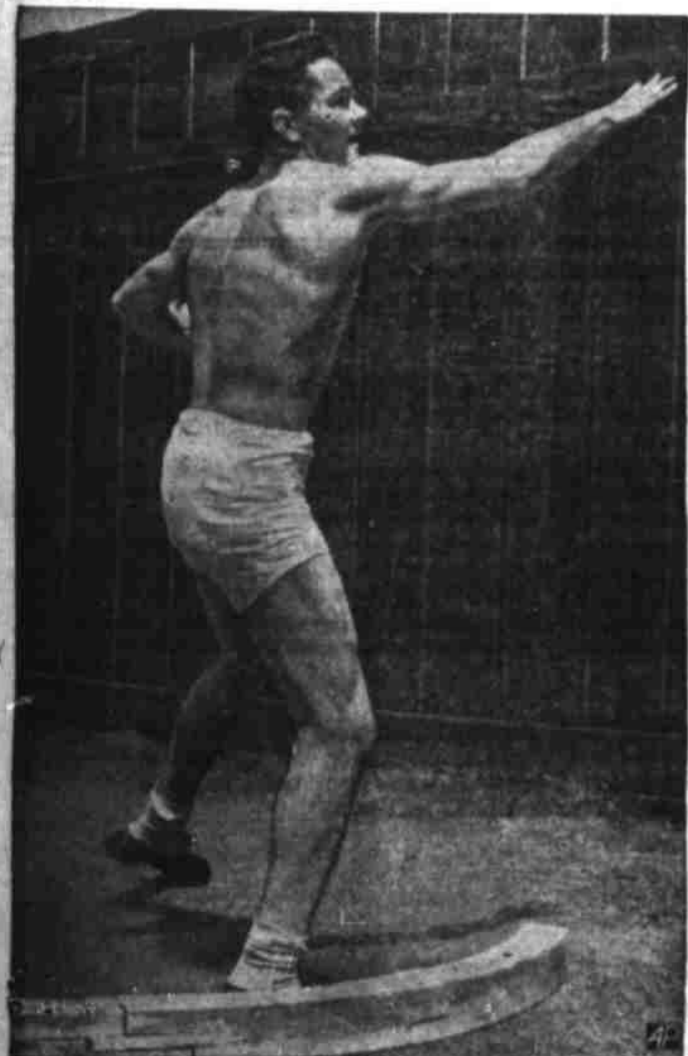
FOR SWIMMING— Attractive Evelyn Ankers of Universal Pictures models the latest in bathing suits — a one-piece slimster with rigid front and zippered elastic back.



PREPARING THE MATZOS—Midshipman Samuel Hochstein and Sgt. Irwin Rosner watch Rabbi Pincus S. Hamburger prepare matzos, unleavened bread, at Manischewitz plant in Jersey City, N. J. Matzos are eaten during the Jewish Passover.



WAVES EXERCISE—In the coveralls they wear while training as aviation machinist mates, WAVES at the Norman, Okla., Naval Training School take time out for exercises.



SETS NEW RECORD—Dewitt Coulter of Masonic Home, Ft. Worth, Tex., gets off a record heave of 59 feet 1 1/2 inches with the 12-pound shot to better by 2 1/2 inches the national high school record set by Elwyn Dees in 1939.



TARGET FOR ALLIED BOMBERS—The important Italian harbor city of Naples (above) is a frequent target for Allied bombers operating from bases in North Africa. Famed Mt. Vesuvius appears in the background of this panorama, made during peacetime.



NEW USE FOR LAUNDRY TRUCKS—Red Cross workers of Orange, N. J., test out the use of laundry delivery trucks for emergency service as ambulances. Such trucks have been assigned specific territory to cover in event of a disaster.

Sens Upset Tradition, Win From A's In Opening Game

Other Clubs See Initial Action Today

By JUDSON BAILEY
Associated Press Sports Writer
Spring is here! The baseball season is now open. The Washington Senators subdued the Philadelphia Athletics, 7-5, yesterday in the nation's capital and took over first place in the American league for at least one day, leaving it up to the other major league clubs to do as well in their openers today.

The formal bow for the National and American leagues as a whole called for this program:

National—St. Louis at Cincinnati, New York at Brooklyn, Pittsburgh at Chicago and Philadelphia at Boston.

American—Washington at New York, Boston at Philadelphia, Detroit at Cleveland and Chicago at St. Louis.

In winning the inaugural in Griffith Stadium the Senators confirmed the suspicions of many observers that play this season would be more slovenly, that the ball is "more dead," that crowds in mid-week will be smaller and that Washington is improved over last year.

The turnout for the inaugural was the smallest in many years at Washington, 25,000, and the game itself was a stumbling affair with the Senators making three errors and the Athletics calling on four hurriers.

The game's longest hit was a two-bagger, but the Senators managed to push across six runs in a big six-inning rally.

For three years before the opener the Senators had been shutout and tradition was a handicap for Emil (Dutch) Leonard, who had pitched unsuccessfully in the 1940 and 1941 inaugurals. The new deal centered in his favor yesterday when he caught Maanpower Commissioner Paul V. McNutt's throw of the first ball in ceremonies before the game.

But the Athletics combed him for six hits and three runs before he was removed for a pinchhitter in the fourth inning and Alejandro Carrasquel received credit for the victory.



NATIONAL CHAMPIONS—Coach Everett Shelton and University of Wyoming basketball players grasp their trophy after winning the national title by beating St. John's at New York.

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Tracksters Ready For Region Meet

Big Spring high school tracksters are ready for the regional meet in Abilene Saturday, and they may prove a surprise by grabbing off a few points.

About the only unfavorable development during the week has been a stone bruise suffered by John Ulrey, who was making steady progress on his pole vaulting. John may have to leave off this event when he goes to Abilene unless the spot happens to get suddenly better.

Kenny Partridge, young speedster, will be the fourth member of the 440 relay team, one of the units on which Big Spring is counting heavily. This was announced by Coach John Dibrell Wednesday as he put finishing touches on the squad.

Partridge takes over from Dewey Stevenson, who is devoting his full talents to spring football practice. Others on the relay are Alfred Adams, Peppy Blount and James Duncan.

Adams is the chief hope of the team as a 440-dash man, and Dibrell felt that the red-head was in good shape. Blount will toss the discus for his other event, and Ulrey will put the shot and have a fling at the discus, too.

SPORTS ROUNDUP

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.
NEW YORK, April 21 (AP)—Lew Fonseca has whittled out a series of instructive sequences from the various American league films shot since 1934 and will take them on a month's tour of army camps to show Uncle Sam's soldiers the right way to play baseball. . . . Eventually he hopes to build up a "technical instruction library," which the league will lend to high school, college and service coaches. . . . The quarterly N. B. A. boxers' rankings will be out next week. No doubt they'll give Tony Galento's comeback the recognition it deserves. . . . Henry C. Paulsen, a Long Island railroad conductor, recently bowled two 300 games in 21 days. The second must have been a "relief" train.

864 ANSWER
When Fred Corcoran, former Professional Golfers' association tournament manager now working for the Red Cross in England, put on one of his popular sports quizzes recently, he asked: "What golfer made the grand slam?"
The answer came from a negro soldier: "Sam Snead. I was caddy for him at Atlanta when he bust a drive 350 yards. What a grand slam!"

TODAY'S GUEST STAR
Will Connolly, San Francisco Chronicle: "Beau Jack, Georgia shoe shine boy and world's lightweight champ in New York, has been deferred in the draft because he can neither read nor write. He has only about \$95,000 in the bank in trust. For that we could forget the alphabet."

SERVICE DEPT.
Gen. Claire (Flying Tigers) Chennault isn't the only football pitcher who can wear stars on his shoulders. Brig. Gen. Wolcott P. Hayes, commander at Scott Field, Ill., recently fanned 18 batters in a camp softball game. . . . Lieut. Raymond E. Gadsby, head boxing coach at the Iowa navy pre-flight school, competed in the 1928 Olympic boxing team and four years later was trainer of an American soccer team that toured Italy. . . . Another high-powered service baseball team is reported from the Harlingen, Tex., army gunnery school. The squad includes Lieut. C. B. "Babe" Caldwell, Corp. Bill Lacyk and Pvt. Bob Prichard, who have had major league experience; Lieut. John Clements, former Southern Methodist U. athlete, and a couple of ex-minor leaguers. . . . Chicago's strong navy pier track team will miss the Drake relay this weekend because of a ban on overnight trips.

Guard Drubs 815th Team

Behind the masterful hurling of Moore, the 1047th Guard Squadron pounded the 815th Squadron into a 9-0 shutout in Tuesday afternoon play at the Big Spring Bombarrier School.

Moore was invincible, allowing only one hit and that a single to right by Dick. In the course of the tilt, he whiffed nine of the 815th batters.

Cpl. Wroble was a star for the Guardsmen, leading the hit parade with two singles, scoring three runs and starting a sparkling double play to Hamilton and Malho. Hamilton also scored three runs and drove in as many himself. For the 815th, Mesce, third sacker, sparked in the field.

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Dairy Cows For State Hospital

The Big Spring State Hospital has received two-thirds of a dairy herd authorized for the institution, and the remainder of the cows will arrive this week.

Twelve cows were trucked in Monday evening and twelve more came Tuesday morning, said Arthur L. New, business manager of the hospital. They are Jersey stock and included is one Jersey bull.

With a few exceptions the cows are dry springers and probably will be pastured if facilities can be obtained. Two barns have been erected and construction of a dairy house is now under way. Cows probably will be returned to the hospital farm as they come fresh. By that time it is hoped that sudan pasture will be coming around.

Bi-State Players Held Ineligible

BEAUMONT, April 21 (AP)—Because they participated in the bi-state all-star football game at Orange last December, Jimmy Johnson and Charles Wright, Beaumont high school gridder, have been ruled ineligible for play next season.

R. J. Kidd, athletic director of the Texas interscholastic league, said Johnson and Wright could not participate because it would violate the league's post-season game rule.

Baltimore Negro To Try Hank Armstrong

LOS ANGELES, April 21 (AP)—A Baltimore negro, Luther (Sluggo) White, has earned a shot at Henry Armstrong, and probably will get it here at Wrigley Field next month.

White, a human buzz-saw inside the ropes, hammered John Thomas, a top-notch negro boxer of Los Angeles, all around the ring last night in the Olympic Stadium.

SILENCE FROM THE PAYERS

TWIN FALLS, Idaho, April 21 (AP)—Sign greeting taxpayers in the county treasurer's office: "What are you crying about? Nobody's shooting at you!"

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Bantamweights Come For Title Scrap

FORT WORTH, April 21 (AP)—Principals in the world's bantamweight championship fight here April 28 will arrive this week-end to begin training.

Champion Manuel Ortiz will come here this afternoon and Lupe Cordova, the challenger, will arrive tomorrow afternoon.

Bob Hope In Dallas Match

DALLAS, April 21 (AP)—There'll be a wisecrack for every putt today as Bob Hope, film and radio comedian, makes a return engagement in Dallas golf for the benefit of the war effort.

Hope will pair with Ben Hogan, professional star, against Ed Dudley, president of the National PGA, and Jack Munger, Dallas veteran. The match was scheduled for 3 p. m. (CWT).

Gate receipts, expected to approximate \$10,000, will go to the Red Cross Motor Corps; Hope will conduct a war bond sale while playing in an attempt to bring Dallas golf's contribution to the war effort to \$5,000,000.

The Texas Victory Open, held here last week-end, brought in \$2,850,000 in bonds.

Tomorrow, Hope will appear in a benefit match at Fort Worth. Hogan and Dudley also will play.

USO Club To Be Equipped Completely

Over \$11,000 is being spent in remodeling and furnishing the USO center to make it one of the finest such clubs. USO council members were told at their regular monthly meeting.

J. D. Jones, contractor, said he saw nothing to hinder completion of the remodeling, and Director Ross Clarke reported furnishings and equipment are arriving daily. He said \$5,226 will be spent for furniture bought locally and ordered elsewhere. In addition, over \$1,000 of equipment such as a movie sound projector, recording machine, games and musical instruments, is furnished as an allowance.

Since USO has not standardized pool tables in clubs, the local council voted to raise the comparatively small amount needed to finance purchase of two tables which have been used almost constantly by men at the center. Coy Nalley was named chairman of a soliciting committee by Dr. C. W. Deats, council chairman, with Victor Mellinger, Marley Cook, R. L. Nall and H. H. Rutherford as aides.

The drive will center on small amounts since it is not to conflict with the subsequent National War Chest drive, which includes war welfare and relief agencies, among them USO.

Given serious study was the matter of a center for more than 400 negro troops stationed here, and Capt. Harry H. Wheeler, special services officer, said that such a place was a necessity in eyes of the Big Spring Bombarrier School staff officers. The late Col. Sam L. Ellis, former commandant, had submitted a letter to this effect, it was pointed out.

The council referred to committee the matter of a troop train and depot service. It authorized Mrs. Eubanks and Capt. Wheeler as a committee to secure a new or used piano for the center.

Attending the meeting were Dr. Deats, Cook, R. N. Beacham, treasurer, Clarke, Sol Blom, Nick Brenner, George W. Dabney, Helen Duley, Mrs. Eubanks, Mrs. Bernard Fisher, the Rev. Julian Ben LeFever, Mellinger, R. L. Nall, Nalley, Chaplain Patterson, Rutherford, Gene Salazar and Capt. Wheeler.

FLEADS GUILTY

Gilbert Diaz pleaded guilty in county court Monday to charges of aggravated assault and was fined \$25 and costs amounting to \$48.25 by Judge James T. Brooks.

Patriotic Duty To Keep Physically Fit

FORT WORTH, April 21 (AP)—Guns, tanks and planes are useless unless American men are physically equipped to operate them and therefore it is the duty of each person to keep himself in good health, James Robinson of Chicago told the Texas State Dental convention last night.

Maj. Kenneth R. Coffield of Washington, D. C., declared that 8,000 dentists would be called into the armed forces during 1943, adding that one-third of the nation's dentists would be in service by 1944.

Mrs. Violet Crowley of Houston was elected president of the Texas State Dental Assistants association.

Betty Jameson To Defend Her Titles

CHICAGO, April 21 (AP)—Betty Jameson, noted woman golfer, has gone to Mexico to work—but she'll be back to defend her golf titles this summer.

Miss Jameson, who won both the Women's Western Golf Association's Open and amateur titles last year, advised officials she would compete in the 14th annual open tourney scheduled June 28 through July 2.

The one time San Antonio, Texas, sports writer has been working here since last summer but left her job to accept a position in Mexico City.

But In Press Box Writer Makes Team

SALT LAKE CITY, April 21 (AP) Pvt. Owen Smith, sports writer for the Salt Lake City army air base newspaper, took a turn at batting practice.

Coach Don Galbreath, watching, said, Sluggo Smith definitely will stay with the team all season—"in the press box."

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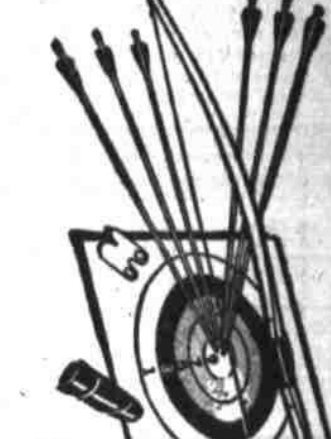
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Marriage Licenses
Jake Paschal, Van Horn, and Helen Eugene Stanford, Merkel.
Calvin B. Hult, Jr., and Darlyne Powers, both of Big Spring.

Warranty Deeds
Ben Carpenter and wife to Clayton E. McCarty, \$3,500, lot 1 and north one-half of lot 2 in Block No. 12 in Government Heights to Bauer addition to city of Big Spring.
C. A. Burks and wife, Lucy, to J. E. Brown, \$4,500, northeast one-fourth of section 28, block 33, township 2-North, T. & P. Ry. Co. survey.

10th District Court
Hattie Morgan et al versus Texas Employers Insurance association, suit to set aside award.
Refugio P. Everett versus Alexander Everett, suit for divorce.

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China Getting Attention In Post-War Talk

By JACK SINNETT
WASHINGTON—The Capital in Wartime:

It's a delicate subject, but off the record and in cloakrooms, beer-stubs, and over what there is in the coffee cups, China's situation now and her place in the postwar picture are getting far more attention than has leaked out.

When Lieut. Gen. George Kenney, air commander of the South Pacific, left here without even a half-hearted promise of all-out air aid to blast Japan's lifelines and battle lines, a great many persons were dismayed.

Following that, Winston Churchill came through with his historic message indicating that after the war with the Nazis is completed, no great effort would be needed to wipe out the Japs and that probably a large portion of our armies could be demobilized.

It's hard for a layman to imagine what effect this had on the Chinese and Chinese sympathizers here. In some quarters, it is reported that Madame Chiang Kai-shek was so perturbed that she kept long distance wires hot expressing her dismay.

What T. V. Soong, China's suave foreign minister, thought about it hasn't been hinted, but Soong has had setbacks before and there is no reason to believe that the latest one has bothered him more than others. It is, however, significant that many international observers here think that when the "Pacific charter" is finally written on postwar paper, much of it will be in the handwriting of T. V. Soong and that the other United Nations are now unwittingly placing the pen in his hand.

In other words, by neglecting to give aid, we are compounding our debt to China at such a rate that the note will have to be paid in full at the peace table.

On the slightly more positive side is the fact that a bill has been introduced in Congress and is finding some substantial supporters to amend our present Asiatic exclusion act to open the door a small crack to Chinese immigration. Oddly enough, some of its chief backers are west coast legislators, reflecting a much more realistic attitude toward China and its place in the postwar sun than some global strategists who now are directing all attention to Europe.

The recent tax battle in the House of Representatives has brought to the mind of many a remark of the late Henry T. Rainey, once speaker of the House.

"I have been on the Ways and Means committee 20 years," said Rainey. "I think I know all that any congressman could possibly learn about taxes and I can sum it up in several words. Taxation is the fine art of plucking the most feathers from the geese with the fewest squawks."

Bi-Partisan Efforts May Effect Needed Tax Plan

Bi-partisan efforts to work out a compromise plan for a pay-as-you-go income tax system got under way last week in Speaker Sam Rayburn's office.

Present besides the speaker were GOP Leader Martin, Democratic Leader McCormack, Chairman Doughton of the house ways and means committee and other powerful and influential members of both parties.

Speaker Rayburn said "we're going to start by throwing the Ruml and all other plans out the window and starting from scratch in an effort to reach a compromise satisfactory to all." If the compromise can be reached and legislation perfected in time, the new plan—based on a 20 percent withholding tax—would go into effect July 1.

Hollywood—Prop Man Is Fine Prospect For A Wife

By ROBBEN COONS
HOLLYWOOD—A movie prop man would make a swell wife for any woman.

His job is to keep everything on a set neat and dusted. If any actor gets a spot on his clothes, he comes running with cleaning fluid. He makes furniture shine, windows glisten and pictures hang straight. He can build a fire, set a hen, lay a table, feed a cat, make friends with a dog, plant a garden, cook a meal.

Tommy Plews is such a guy. And he would like the fact that he knows all these things kept from his wife. She might get ideas. Tommy and his cohorts receive too little credit for their work on a picture. They are the ones who make film domiciles so attractive that your sisters and your cousins and your aunts go home from the theatre drooling with envy. Or, if the locale is not the upper classes, they know exactly what to leave off the set. Thus, any good housewife is immediately aware of the fictitious state of affairs.

Tommy also knows a few tricks that Mrs. Joseph Doakes wouldn't care about. How to catch 10,000 flies an hour. What will make a caterpillar wiggle. How to put bromo seltzer in order to make it look like champagne. That last glass can appear to be ice in a bucket. That cotton wool on a glass of ginger ale resembles beer. These are all part of his racket.

Most prop men are married. But there is an unwritten law among them: At home, they never lift a finger.

Seymour Felix, the man with the best telephone numbers in the world, has a unique method of choosing chorus girls for his dance (Continued on Classified Page)

reconciled. Both were voted down on a strict party split.

The Robertson plan, which borrows something from both the other rival plans, was ignored. It may now be revived and put forward as the basis of compromise.

It would forgive the first two brackets of the income tax levy, but retain the levy on all higher brackets on a graduated scale. Under it about 40,000,000 of the 44,000,000 income taxpayers would escape the burden of paying two years' taxes in one. The "wind-fall" cases which aroused so much opposition would be forgiven only the first two brackets of their income, would still have to dig up for the remainder.

Supreme Court Grinds Out A Thousand Cases In Term

By GEORGE STIMPSON
Herald Washington Correspondent

The U. S. Supreme Court opens each year on the first Monday in October and continues in session as long as the business before it requires, generally until about the first week in June; the court passes on an average of about 1,000 cases in the course of a term.

Congressman Wright Patman says Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bell, of Bryans Mill in Cass county, have five sons in active service—Pvt. Clavis L. Bell, Thomas Bell, Bob by Bell, Pfc. James Edwin Bell, and Sgt. Jack Bell, who has been in Australia for eight months.

Jack Garner and Tom Connally served a term in the Texas legislature together more than forty years ago.

WPB halted work on a county highway between Eureka Junction and Campbell road in Harris county near Houston; at the same time it lifted a stop order on a Texas state highway between Perryton and the Lipscomb county line way up at the top of the Panhandle.

Floyd Patton, 82, who came to Washington from his native Dallas 19 years ago and has been a drug salesman here for the last 14 years, died recently; a brother and three sisters still live in Dallas.

Otis Patton, Mrs. Ruby Phillips, Mrs. Jewel Lowe and Mrs. Bernice McManey.

A friend of mine says some college professors in the government bureau even write with a Harvard accent.

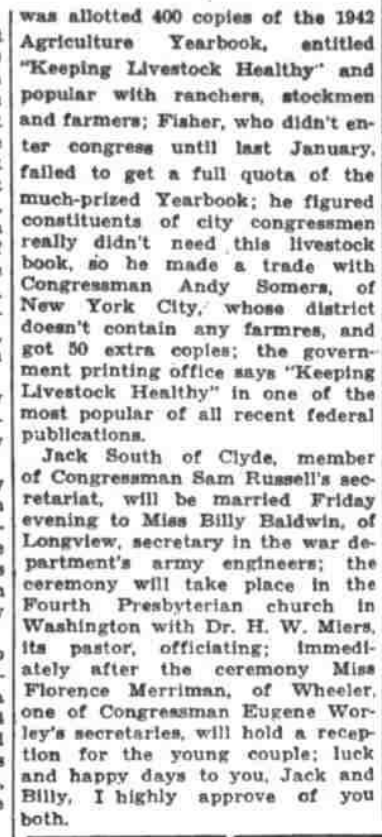
During the last three years the RUC and other agencies directly under the supervision of Jesse Jones have authorized the expenditure of more than twenty million dollars for the Marines somewhere in the Pacific; "Let us plan ahead," he told American Legionnaires at Denver; "don't let anybody fool you by saying it's a crack pot idea to plan ahead; remember this: we are in this war because we didn't plan ahead"; and again, "Suppose we used our glasses with running sand to measure time as in the old days; suppose, so we could see how long and how much the blood of our boys was to run; surely, if we could all look at an hourglass of blood, we would never lose time; if we could see it that way, if we had the true war spirit—irresponsible absenteeism or waste of any kind would cease overnight."

Sen. Tom Connally and Secretary of Commerce Jesse Jones are to be the chief speakers at the National Capital Texas A. & M. club dinner April 21, the 107th anniversary of the battle of San Jacinto. . . . Miss Lorraine Callway, of Willis in Montgomery county, advises her congressman, Nat Patton, that her town, which had a population of 881 according to the 1940 census, has 250 boys in uniform. . . . Incidentally, Don Nelson told Cousin Nat that he cannot approve the Rusk iron-ore project in East Texas; but Nat says he hasn't given up and the fight will go on.

Congressman O. C. Fisher, of San Angelo, is rapidly learning his way around in wartime Washington; each member of the house

Chapter 10
"Of course," the sheriff said with a thin, wintry smile, "I am not praisin' to doubt your word, but there'll be some who'll want to see proof, understand—I'm speaking about your kinship to Sam."
"Yes, of course—quite naturally," Blackwater nodded. "With such a large place at stake—and due to be sold in a few weeks for taxes—it is entirely understandable that some persons might wish to prove me an interloper."
Blackwater's smile shared the thought with the sheriff. "I expect they'll be a trifle bitter about it. But I can prove it all right. As a matter of fact I've got Uncle Sam's will. It's a home-made will but it's all in order."
"It seems rather queer—"
"That I've waited so long to come out here? Well, you must understand—But no matter! My acts are accountable to no one." And while we're on the subject," he said, "I would like to know by what rights the Stockton bank has dared meddle with my business? Jones, here, tells me they claim to have been leasing Horse Prairie to some syndicate—"
"You'll have to take that up with them," remarked Shallet hastily. "I know nothing about the matter. But I would like," he said, skimming a finger at Jones, "to know your connection with—"
"With Mister Jones?"
"Exactly."
"Yes, I know," murmured Blackwater blandly. "He had the same idea that's been buzzing around in some other folks' heads—that the Holeman place would be sold for back taxes. But that's muddying the water under the bridge. The place is not going to go. I'm paying the taxes and, incidentally, Mister Jones has agreed to stay as range boss—"
"He's goin' to stay, all right!" Ike Shallet snapped.
"Do I understand you intend to arrest him?"
"I am arrestin' him! Right here an' now! You may be all you claim to be but this skunk-coddlin' four-flusher is goin' to jail!"
"What for?" Blackwater asked.
"What for? If there's anything on the calendar—"
"Let's be specific—shall we?"
The sheriff got hold of his temper. "Very well," he said grimly. "If you're hiring him you've got a right to know, I guess. There's half a dozen charges we could bring against him, but—"

The Unseen Audience



Crossword Puzzle

- ACROSS
- Favorite
 - Sour substance
 - Mineral spring
 - East Indian tree
 - Book of fiction
 - Highest point
 - Biblical character
 - Fastidious
 - Thing of law
 - Kind of apple
 - Ambassador
 - Pulsate
 - Look opener
 - Performer
 - Incline the head
 - Division of school year
 - Cast out
 - Part of the mouth
 - Period of time
- DOWN
- Two of a kind
 - Fair brows
 - Prickly plant
 - Game of geese
 - Fiber plant
 - Vine
 - Small valley
 - Smooth and glossy
 - Wandered
 - Bard of a
 - Part of a
 - Stack of grain
 - Support
 - Pinnacle of glacial ice
 - Companion of Columbus and discoverer of Venezuela
 - Not bright
 - Point
 - Legends
 - Chum
 - Pile
 - No time
 - Town in Norway
 - Means of transportation
 - Tree
 - Windmill
 - Turkish title
 - Young horse
 - Hockey state
 - Contracted bridge
 - English river
 - Queen of the air
 - Former President's nickname

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Stimson Sees Men At Camp Hood

CAMP HOOD, April 21 (UP)—The tanned and toughened personnel of the tank destroyer center have shown Secretary of War Henry L. Stimson what the enemy can expect in the not distant future.

The hardy young soldiers went through their paces before the secretary of war, Major General Alexander D. Surles, director of the war department bureau of public relations, and Lt. Col. W. H. S. Wright, aide to the secretary of war, during a visit to the camp last Monday, authorities disclosed last night.

The war department officials were shown over the 160,000-acre camp by Major General A. D. Bruce, commanding general of the center.

He Remembered, After Seven Years

PASADENA, Calif., April 21 (UP)—Melvin Alexander, of Amarillo, Tex., an army lieutenant, has a good memory for beauty.

On a visit here seven years ago he caught a fleeting glimpse of a

Bankhead Wants Funds For FSA

WASHINGTON, April 21 (UP)—Terminating the Farm Security Administration "the friend of the poor farmer," Senator Bankhead (D-Ala.) predicted today a concerted senate effort to restore funds for its operation.

The \$715,000,000 1944 agricultural appropriations bills left the house yesterday carrying provisions for the liquidation of the crop insurance program and prohibiting the use of any funds for incentive payments, and with no provision at all for the farm rehabilitation loan and tenant purchase functions of the FSA.

The house appropriations subcommittee had sought to transfer FSA's functions to the Farm Credit Administration.

A parliamentary objection to this procedure resulted in the striking from the bill of the portions dealing with the FSA program and tossed the matter of providing for them into the laps of the senators.

Bankhead told reporters today that while he had criticized some of the activities of FSA officials when he thought criticism justified, the over-all operations were sound and its record "praiseworthy."

Robbed by Twins

LOS ANGELES (UP)—The house of Mrs. Agnes W. Angle was robbed by a pair of identical twins whom she described to the police as being "quite handsome and wearing pork-pie hats." They ransacked the house, after tying Mrs. Angle and her 3-year-old granddaughter to chairs and finally succeeded in extracting \$12.50 from a piggy bank. Mrs. Angle said she doubted seriously if she would be able to tell which of the identical twins actually robbed the bank.

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Hollywood

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sequences. In the first place, he doesn't believe in lining up the damsels. Instead, he sits at a desk and asks each one to walk toward him, turn, smile, and walk away. And, though he looks interested in the first three steps of this routine, he only really puts the old brain in high when the girl has her back to him.

"The way they come toward me means nothing," he says. "For they all want to make a good impression. They need a job or they wouldn't be there. I do my observing, therefore, when they leave me, when they are at ease and the tension is gone."

This must be effective, for Felix has staged dances for Flo Ziegfeld and other legitimate producers, as well as winning an Oscar in pictures for his work in "The Great Ziegfeld."

And you can't say that the gals ain't purty!

Story

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me back a blank sheet of paper with nothing on it but the bank's rubber stamp. The receipt was made out in fading ink, but my Washington friend is an expert on inks.

The sheriff said wildly—you've got this all wrong—you've let this shlyok bamboozle you! It's plain enough now why he stole the bank paper—"

"You insult my intelligence," drawled Blackwater stiffly. "It happens I've a witness to the entire transaction who will swear she saw Haines' teller make out a receipt for the money my range boss deposited. You will be hearing from my attorneys. Sheriff, and I should advise you to have a better story for them than this preposterous tale you've been telling me."

But the sheriff, with a bitter curse, jumped on his horse; and now he was gone, burning up the trail in his haste back to town.

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HO HUM! GETTING SLEEPY...



(L. ODD... WE'VE ONLY BEEN ALOFT A FEW HOURS— FLIGHT WAGNINGS COULD HARDLY HAVE BEGUN TO SET IN. AND YET— EVERYONE SEEMS TO BE ON THE BRINK OF FALLING ASLEEP!)



(A FEW MORE MOMENTS— AND THE SLEEP-GAS WILL HAVE COMPLETED ITS WORK! THEN I CAN PROCEED WITH MY INSTRUCTIONS...)



THEY CAN'T HEAR MY SHOTS OVER ALL THIS NOISE! I'LL HAVE TO ATTRACT THEIR ATTENTION ANOTHER WAY...



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Wall Street

NEW YORK, April 21. (AP)—Rubber shares and a group of senior utility issues paced a modest rise in the stock market today.

The advance, after a couple of sluggish sessions, was associated by brokers with Wall Street relief over the fact that President Roosevelt's Montecrey speech last night contained no anti-inflation remarks.

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Tough Kids

Tokyo Raid
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Capt. Edward J. York of Batavia, N. Y., and San Antonio, Tex., led a third over the southern part of the city and Tokyo Bay. Major Charles R. Greening of Hoquiam, Wash., took his planes over Kenagawa, Yokohama city and Yokosuka navy yard. Another flight headed for military installations at Nagoya, Osaka and Kobe.

To drop their bombs the B-29s went up to 1,500 feet. The bombardiers used a 20-cent sight device by Greening in order to preserve the secret of the famed Norden sight should any of the planes fall into enemy hands. The 20-center did the job.

In Tokyo, Yokohama, Nagoya, Kobe and Osaka—the cities that constitute the industrial heart of Japan—the bombs blew up a gasoline plant, starting a fire that could be seen for 50 miles; blasted an aircraft factory and a shipyard where a cruiser was building, hit steel and powder plants, machinery works and railroad yards. Direct hits were made on a new cruiser or battleship under construction.

The Japanese belatedly put up about 30 pursuit planes in all, unlimbered their anti-aircraft guns, and let out their barrage balloons. The anti-aircraft gunners shot down one of their own balloons, and American gunners knocked down several enemy planes.

Beyond Japan the elements did what the enemy had been unable to do. Bucking a storm, the big motors of the B-29s drank up their last gallons of gasoline.

"There in the darkness 6,000 to 10,000 feet above a strange land," said the report, "the majority of the men bailed out." The rest crash-landed.

Most touched the earth of unoccupied China and despite innumerable hardships made their way to Chungking. Two plane loads went down in enemy-occupied territory and of those 10 men, two are unaccounted for and eight were captured or presumed captured. One man, Corporal Leland D. Faktor of Plymouth, Ia., was killed. He landed by parachute in mountainous country and may have suffered a secondary fall. He was found dead.

The plane which went to Russia was piloted by Capt. York.

Livestock

FORT WORTH, April 21. (AP)—Cattle 1,000; calves 400; generally steady; several lots good to choice club yearlings 16.00-65; most good to choice slaughter steers and yearlings 14.00-15.25; good and choice fat calves 15.50-14.50; few 15.00; stocker steer calves topped at 14.00; stocker heifer calves at 15.00; stocker and feeder steers and yearlings 13.00-14.00.

Hogs 1,600; strong to mostly 10 higher; top 14.45; most good and choice 125-300 pound butcher hogs 14.35-45; good 160-190 pound averages 12.75-14.25. Packing sows 14.00 down.

Sheep 3,300; shorn lambs steady to 25 higher; spring lambs steady; other sheep too scarce to test market. Medium and good woolled spring lambs 14.50; common sorts down to 11.00; medium to choice shorn lambs with No. 2 pelts 14.00-75. Few good woolled feeder lambs up to 14.00.

Negroes Held On Burglary Charges

Three negroes arrested in Odessa for burglaries here Monday night in the north part of town were returned here Tuesday to face charges filed against them for breaking in three cafes.

Adam Lockridge, John Williams, and David Jackson were held in jail in lieu of \$750 bond each. Money was taken from Nat Scott's cafe, Dave Bush's cafe, and Sam Williams cafe, according to statements to county sheriff's deputies.

Veteran Service Officer To Be Here

J. H. Mitchell, state service officer for veterans, will be here Monday, it was announced Wednesday.

There will be a meeting at the Settles hotel with all veterans and Mitchell is anxious to talk with as many ex-servicemen as possible.

Divorces Granted In District Court

Three divorces were granted in 70th District court by Judge Cecil Collins Tuesday afternoon and Wednesday morning.

Henry Smith was granted a divorce from Daisy Smith, negroes. Annazine Glaser was granted a divorce from Amel Glaser. Custody of two minor children was given to the plaintiff with defendant ordered to pay \$22 a month support for the children.

Florence Smith was also given a divorce from Charles W. Smith and custody of a minor child was ordered to be divided equally between the parents.

Change of name from Harry Shields Riley to Harry Shields, negro, was granted by Judge Collins.

Weather Forecast

Dept. of Commerce Weather Bureau

WEST TEXAS: Little temperature change, except cooler in El Paso area.

EAST TEXAS: Warmer in east portion tonight, except in extreme south; little temperature change in west portion; widely scattered showers and thunderstorms in west and extreme north portions tonight. Fresh winds.

TEMPERATURES

City	Max.	Min.
Ablene	74	57
Amarillo	63	45
Big Spring	53	39
Chicago	40	28
Denver	74	50
El Paso	83	64
Fort Worth	69	56
Galveston	71	65
New York	64	40
St. Louis	56	33
Local sunset today	8:19 p. m.	
Sunrise Thursday	7:09 a. m.	

A&M Honors Its Many Men In Service

COLLEGE STATION, April 21 (AP)—Texas A. & M. concedes that its men are not supermen but on this anniversary of hallowed San Jacinto it proudly honors the 18 general and 8,000 other active army officers who come from Aggieland.

One of these generals was a defender of Corregidor now imprisoned on the island of Formosa. He is Maj. Gen. George F. Moore, coast artillery commander on the Philippine island fortress.

Its partisans say A&M's contribution to the officers corps of the army is larger than that of any other college including the U.S. Military Academy at West Point.

San Jacinto Day means more to Texas Aggies than just the date on which Sam Houston smashed Santa Anna more than 100 years ago. Since 1903 Aggies have gathered on this day, wherever they were, to honor General Houston and A&M. Today the number of such meetings is calculated at 400 all over the world.

But not any of these meetings can be as poignant as the gathering of 24 Aggies in the fire and brimstone of Corregidor April 21, 1942 seven days before it fell. Word came back that they had farewelled to home with a song, "The Eyes of Texas."

Twenty of these Texans are now Japanese prisoners. Some 40 other Aggies are prisoners of war and the college has the names of 100 who have been killed.

Secretary of the Navy Frank Knox revealed that Texas had contributed 53 flag officers to the services; 20 army generals, two marine corps generals and 12 admirals, these including Admiral Nimitz and General Eisenhower. A. & M.'s contribution to this total was larger than any other school.

Two Members Of Harmon's Crew Dead In Crash

WASHINGTON, April 21. (AP)—The army announced today that two members of the crew of the plane piloted by Lt. Thomas D. Harmon, former all-American football player, died in the plane's crash in the South American jungles April 8.

They were Staff Sgt. James F. Goodwin, engineer of the flight, and Sgt. Leonard D. Gunnells, a gunner. Goodwin's father, Cecil C. Goodwin, lives at route 5, Texarkana, Tex., and Gunnell's mother, Mrs. Heroma K. Gunnell, at Deatsville, Ala.

Harmon is safe at a base in Dutch Guinea, where he was taken after wandering four days in the jungle. Three others, none from the southwest, are missing.

Bond Appeal Taken Before Lions Club

"There is a degree of complacency in Howard county today, not only in raising our quota (\$703,000) but in getting workers to go out and get it," Ted O. Groebel, chairman of the all-out April bond drive, declared before the Lions Club Wednesday.

"We cannot afford to let this be another story of 'too little and too late,'" he said. "Our boys are at the front and we must at least stand behind them with our dollars."

"We still have better than a quarter of a million dollars to raise in the next nine days—and that's still not hay," asserted the chairman.

He appealed for workers to take out some 20 workers' kits with prospect lists already prepared. Several in the club volunteered, and Groebel said others who would help should contact him or the chamber of commerce office.

Report of the nominating committee was made by Lawrence Robinson, president, and included the following nominees: R. H. McGibbon, president; Dan Conley, first vice president; J. L. LeBlou, second vice president; Crawford Norman, third vice-president; J. A. Selkirk, secretary-treasurer; Boone Horns, Lontamer; Neil Stanley, tallistwer; John Coffee and Dewey Martin, directors.

Other nominations may be returned from the floor and the election will be May 8.

Inducted into the club by William Sullivan, Lontamer, was Walter Shaw.

Robinson announced that the final zone meeting of the club would be held Tuesday at 8 p. m. in Loraine. Entertainment was furnished by little Miss Shirley June Wheat, who sang several novelty numbers. Mrs. Ann Gibson Houser was at the piano.

Staff Worker For Girl Scouts Will Be Added In Area

The men's committee on girl scouting in this area met Tuesday at the Crawford hotel and agreed to place a professional Girl Scout staff member in the West Texas area. Exact location of the worker is yet to be decided.

Decision to hire such a worker came after a talk by Miss Alice Mulkey, national Girl Scout field advisor from Dallas, who spoke on the need and benefits of such a staff worker and the work that she would do.

Reports of funds in recent drives were giving showing Lamasa not only reached its quota but went over the top. Big Spring, Abilene, Sweetwater reported they had reached their goals and Garden City is to continue its drive in order to reach the prescribed goal.

Colorado City sent in its report the announcement that it would continue with its campfire girl program rather than girl scouting.

The next session is to be called meeting, it was announced. Shine Phillips, local chairman presided and Lawrence Robinson, chairman of the finance committee, reported.

Representatives from Lamasa, Garden City and Big Spring attended with reports sent in with Miss Mulkey for Abilene, Sweetwater, and Colorado City.

Britain Hauled Out Museum Guns In 1940 Defense

LONDON, April 21 (AP)—Britain had fewer than 50 tanks and only a "couple hundred field guns, some of them brought out of the museum to face the invasion which did not come in 1940, Prime Minister Churchill told a private audience of coal miners and mine-owners in a speech Oct. 31, 1942, which was made public today.

Appealing for stepped-up coal production, Churchill told the audience in a review of Britain's darkest days that if Hitler had attempted to invade after Dunkerque "there would have been terrible shambles in this country because we had hardly a weapon."

Public Records

Marriage Licenses
E. M. E. Davis and Margie Hutcheson, both of Peoria, Ill.
Ralph Wilbur Wolfe and Millie Metzger, both of Pennsylvania.
William A. Berdelman, Columbus, O., and Helen Louise Cummings, Danville, Ill.

Beer Permit
R. C. Satterwhite granted permit to retail beer at 100 West Third street.

H. M. Rainbolt, permit granted for change of address from 100 block on West Third to 1203 East Third.

70th District Court
Florence Sisson versus Talmadge W. Sisson, suit for divorce.
Thelma Kellaugh versus Robert Kellaugh, suit for divorce.
Building Permits
Orbin Dailey to build a shed room at 903 E. 12th street, cost \$75.

LICENSE CLERK BUSY
Business in marriage licenses was brisk to say the least at the county clerk's office from December through April 20. During this time 266 licenses were issued and Wednesday the old book had to be replaced with a new one.

BOGUS COUPONS
NEW YORK, April 21. (AP)—Confiscation of 500,000 counterfeit "T" gasoline ration coupons and the arrest of 30 men was announced today by James J. Maloney, supervising agent of the secret service of the New York area.

Not Many People Can Give You The Details Of San Jacinto

Quizzing local residents about what occasioned closing of banks on April 21 and a display of flags over the town brought out varied answers that in some instances would cause history students and teachers to gasp in dismay.

Today, San Jacinto Day, according to the history books was the day when Sam Houston with his troops surprised the Mexican army during its afternoon siesta with cries of "Remember the Alamo" and "Remember Goliad."

Houston captured the Mexican general, Santa Anna, and in doing so broke the back of the enemy near the spot where the city of Houston is now located.

But history facts evidently become hazy in some grownup heads for while the majority knew the day and its significance, other answers ran from outright admissions that April 21st didn't mean a thing to them, to exclamations of irritation that banks were closed. Many "good" Texans would have let the day slip by unnoticed.

Two who were quizzed knew all the details of the battle and eight others knew the day was San Jacinto Day and had a general impression of what happened on that day.

Others claimed it was Texas Independence Day and one informed it was San Jacinto Day when the famous battle was fought, said he didn't know much about it but if it was a battle he knew the Texans won it.

An eastern resident sojourning here briefly with the army said it was one of Texas' 13 Independence Days but didn't know which one.

Lower 13' Murder Case With Jury

ALBANY, Ore., April 21 (AP)—Eight women and four men jurors began life-or-death deliberation at 12:15 p. m. Central War Time today in the first-degree murder trial of Robert E. Lee Folkes, accused of the fantastic "lower 13" knife slaying of Mrs. Martha Virginia James.

The jurors—mostly farm folk—took the case with Circuit Judge L. G. Levelling's detailed instructions after hearing testimony and arguments for 13 days in the trial of the 20-year-old negro, second cook of a Southern Pacific locomotive.

The state asked the death penalty. The attractive Norfolk, Va., bride of a navy ensign was killed as she lay in berth lower 13 last January 23.

Stabilization Fund Extension Passed

WASHINGTON, April 21 (AP)—The house today passed the senate-approved bill extending for two years the president's authority over a \$2,000,000,000 stabilization fund, but added an amendment which its author said would prevent use of the money in the proposed joint \$5,000,000,000 international banking fund.

The measure extends the president's authority over the \$2,000,000,000 stabilization fund but withdraws his power to devalue the dollar.

Here 'n There

Mrs. C. E. Talbot received word today that her son, Capt. Harold G. Talbot, will arrive here Saturday from Fort Knox, Ky., where he has been stationed for the past two weeks. Capt. Talbot was with the field artillery units in Panama Canal Zone and Guatemala for 20 months.

He will be home on a 30 day furlough.

Cows in the Fred White dispersal sale Monday averaged around \$125, according to reports. The sale marked the dissolution of the second local herd within a month. Hank Daniel having closed his out the last week in March.

Tools Lost

A loss hard to replace these days was reported to the county sheriff's department Tuesday by M. G. Riggan, farmer, four miles east of town, who lost some of his plowing tools over the weekend.

Many Join In Campaign To Kill Rats

Cooperation of business operators in the downtown section is at a peak as preparations are shaped up for a second city-wide rat killing campaign, City Sanitary Inspector H. W. Leeper reported Wednesday.

To date there have been 130 business men who signed to have poison baits placed by an expert on their premises, and Leeper predicted that there would be several more if and when he is able to contact them. For those unable to contact him at the city hall, he urged that names and addresses be left with Joyce Croft, in the city manager's office.

One of the most encouraging things, said Leeper, was the extraordinarily large number of requests. With only a few exceptions those who had the service last year were ordering it again whether they believed they needed it or not, said the inspector.

Henry Piusenne, San Angelo, with the rodent control service, is due here next week to direct the campaign, and at that time baits will be made available to residents through the schools. As was the case last year, net proceeds will go to the sponsoring P-T. A.

Promotions At The AAFBS Announced

Promotion of five officers from the rank of second to first lieutenant was announced by Col. Robert W. Warren, post commander, at the Big Spring Bombardier School Wednesday.

Included in the list were: Roy B. Davis, Jr., San Angelo, pilot with the first provisional training group; Edward E. Brisse-mester, South Milwaukee, Wis., bombardier instructor with the first group; Joseph H. Allen, Fisher, Ill., bombardier instructor with the second group; Grover W. Ferguson, Tyler, pilot with the first group; and Richard C. Garrett, Looneyville, W. Va., bombardier instructor with the first group.

30 Employed For Aircraft Work

Approximately 30 persons were hired by L. E. Adams, representative of Consolidated Aircraft, following a day of interviews at the United States Employment Service on Tuesday.

O. R. Rodden, district USES manager, said that some four score men and women called at the office for talks with Adams. Most of the hiring was of workers who would be trained at the outset.

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