



### SUGAR RATIONING SEEN AS GUARD AGAINST BOOTLEGGING OUTBREAK

DENVER, Aug. 11 (AP)—Take sugar off the rationing list, add to it the current whisky shortage, mix in America's apparently ever-mounting thirst, and you've got a recipe for bootlegging that may outstrip that of prohibition days.

That's the opinion of the alcohol tax unit of the treasury department in Denver, from District Supervisor A. V. Anderson on down. They're officers who matched wits with the illicit distillers when the 18th amendment was in effect and will have to do it again if bootlegging flares up anew.

Right now, unlawful distilling is on a small scale, said J. L. White, investigator, and he wants the public's sugar supply somewhat controlled so bootleggers can't get a lot of it for their mash.

"If we allow sugar to be sold in unrestricted quantities, it will be just what the bootleggers are waiting for," he said today. "This doesn't mean we can't double sugar rations for the average consumer without running a risk of bootlegging, though. As long as some form of rationing is maintained, we've got a safeguard."



ALL SET—Second Lt. Paul Smith (above), former editor of the San Francisco Chronicle, wears his new gold bars after completing Marine "boot" and officers' training.

### Smaller Number Of Polio Cases

AUSTIN, Aug. 11 (AP)—State health department officials believed today that clean-up campaigns were having an effect on the incidence of infantile paralysis (poliomyelitis) in Texas, new cases for last week declining to 62 from an average of 90 to 100 weekly for the last month.

"It may be that the outbreak is running its course, but it's too early to be sure," asserted Dr. J. V. Irons, associate director of the state laboratory.

Total number of infantile paralysis cases for the year now stands at 711.

**SAV YOU SAW IT IN THE HERALD**

In May, four states passed their monthly quotas for the collection of waste kitchen fat: Nevada, with 154 per cent; South Dakota, 121 per cent; Utah 102 per cent, and Florida, 101 per cent.

### Head Of Texas State Police Sees Wave Of Crime At War's End

DETROIT, Aug. 11 (AP)—Col. Homer Garrison of the Texas department of public safety today foresaw a gloomy picture for America after the war unless the resistance of millions of individuals is channeled into a gigantic effort to straight-jacket crime.

Here to attend the war conference of the International Association of Chiefs of Police, the director of the Texas state police system predicted in a prepared radio address an unprecedented crime wave and "a nation gone wild" in search of new pleasures and new freedoms after the war ends.

"Our economic and governmental structures may undergo profound changes," he said. "Time-honored customs which have held our families and communities together will be thrown unceremoniously into the discard. This chaos will threaten the very foundations of our civilization."

### Frontier Roundup Parade Thursday At Colorado City

COLORADO CITY, Aug. 11—With Bob May as marshal of the parade and Winnie Ruth Powell leading the cowgirls in the event, the Colorado City Frontier Roundup parade will be staged at 7 p. m. Thursday. Riders of all ages are expected to take part in the parade which will march through downtown Colorado City, ending at the Roundup grounds for the formal opening of the 1943 show.

As a result of the nervous strain and the confusion of war, "the most standards of our adult population are crashing down. With little or no parental supervision, and with temptation on every side, much of our youth is running wild. Crime is increasing rapidly. Youthful gangs have grown so vicious and so bold in some of our larger cities that the police even now can hardly control them."

May is being assisted in parade plans by Otto F. Jones, Mayor J. A. Sadler and Dick Gregory. The Colorado City high school band, antique vehicles, historic floats and frontier costumes will brighten the opening feature.

Joe Boatright, owner of top-notch cutting horses with which he has won prizes in Texas rodeos, will supervise the cutting horse division of the show.

"We of the police profession believe that our nation is headed for a crime wave far bloodier and costlier than that of the Capone-Dillinger era . . . Your police officers expect strikes and riots . . . Involving racial minority groups.

"Crime will be only a part of this twentieth century American revolution . . . We shall see something more startling than companionate marriage, the quick and easy divorce laws, the hip flask, knee-length skirts, and high-speed automobiles which grew out of the last war."

"We shall stand helpless before the tide of radical revolution unless and until the great body of real Americans jerk themselves awake and realize that our way of life is in actual danger of partial or total destruction from within."

RECORD IS SET  
NEW YORK, Aug. 11 (AP)—A fourth consecutive record was set last week in electric power production, the Edison Electric Institute report showed today, with a total output of 4,240,638,000 kilowatt hours against the previous week's record total of 4,226,708,000 kilowatt hours.

"Don't expect the sociologist, the policeman and the jurist to do this job for you. There is only one part of the job, and they are definitely limited by the support which you give them. Don't expect your schools, churches, social and fraternal organizations, press and radio to bear the burden. They, too, are limited by the support which you give them."

"If this ugly future becomes a reality, it will be because you, the people, either wanted it to be so or negligently failed to prevent its being so."

If bus and truck drivers in the Atlantic seaboard area saved one gallon of every 1,000 gallons of gasoline used, the total amount saved in a six-day week would keep a mechanized division moving for five hours.

### Beer Shortage May Affect Compliance With Curfew Law

AUSTIN, Aug. 11 (AP)—Shortness of beer supplies is one factor in general compliance with the new drinking curfew law, said C. A. Paxton, chief enforcement officer of the liquor control board.

Paxton said indications were that the new statute was meeting general observance from Amarillo to the Rio Grande, although the first real test should come Saturday when sale and public consumption are extended one hour beyond ordinary limitations, to 1 a. m. and 1:15 a. m. Sunday, respectively. Sales end at midnight otherwise and consumption ends 15 minutes later.

Although not compelled to cease their non-alcoholic business at the curfew hour, many places of amusements, including night clubs and dance halls are closing rather than risk possible violations of consumption restrictions by patrons, Paxton declared.

The enforcement officer reported one Austin night club remained open until 2 a. m. Monday, effective date of the new drinking restrictions, and no violation of sale or consumption prohibitions was detected.

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### Early Recognition Of Rule Expected

ALGIERS, Aug. 11 (AP)—Recognition of the French committee of national liberation by the United States and Britain as the de facto government and trustee of French interests overseas is expected shortly, reports circulating in Algeria said today.

The report anticipated a joint statement on the recognition of the French movement headed by Generals Henri Giraud and Charles De Gaulle would be forthcoming as one of the results of the impending meeting of President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Winston Churchill, who is now in Canada.

#### HEALTH QUIZ

**Do you have headaches?**  YES  NO  
**Do you lack pep or vigor?**  YES  NO  
**Do you get irritable easily?**  YES  NO  
**Do you feel depressed—nervous?**  YES  NO

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### COUNTY'S 'INDIAN GIVERS' LOSE LITTLE TIME IN TURNING THEIR WAR BONDS INTO COLD CASH

Howard county is full of grandstand investors.

There is no other conclusion to be drawn from figures gathered in a survey of war bond redemptions here for a two-week period.

Unofficial tabulations by local agencies which certify to redemption of war bonds show that in the period from July 26 to Aug. 7, inclusive, the maturity value of bonds "cashed in" was \$19,325. A breakdown on face value was not included, but it must have approached \$15,000.

The period was deliberately chosen by the Herald in making the survey of both banks and the post office because it represented the period at the end of a month and at the first of a month—when extremes should balance one another.

Since promotions are common to meet monthly quotas, the period could not be compared fairly with normal sales. Cash investments in typical two-week periods range from \$18,000 to \$35,000 face value.

This puts Howard county "bond cashing" in a particularly bad light. Even when total monthly sales are considered, it still adds up to around 15 per cent of the total invested being constantly withdrawn.

An analysis of the redemptions, however, indicates that it is the "people" who are falling little Nam miserably in this business of truly investing their money in the war program.

Of 412 bonds cashed in the two weeks, 277 were for \$25 denominations—the issue with popular appeal like the great five cent

cigar. This amounted to \$6,925—or better than one-third of the total.

The \$50 bonds—another series with popular appeal—accounted for 76 of the bonds, or \$3,800. The \$100 bonds—still in the reach of the average fellow—totaled \$6 for \$5,600. This left only three \$1,000 bonds cashed during the period. Irrefutably the "common people" are the Indian givers. . .

Those who handle certification of bonds for redemption agree that comparatively few are cashed in for honest-to-goodness emergencies, although 90 per cent give this as the reason.

One of the most recent emergencies amounted to need of some spending money. More frequently, it is to secure funds for a non-essential trip, or to buy something which the bondholder has always wanted but never was able to finance.

Worst offenders appear to be the pseudo-patriots who loudly proclaim that they are buying bonds through payroll deductions. As soon as the minimum time has passed for cashing these same bonds, the pseudo-patriot hurries to a certifying agency, proclaims an "emergency" for conscience's sake and hurries off to spend what he figures is "gravey."

A first cousin of this breed is the type which solemnly agrees to make a heavy investment to help meet a quota. He then boasts of the purchase until 60 days have past, whereupon the bond is cashed and he is ready to "help" again when the committee waits on him under stress of a quota deadline.

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Style 605 is exactly like 805C, in fine smooth suede finished leather. Has reverse cape collar. Comes in chestnut and reindeer shades. Sizes 34 to 46. Ceiling price 13.12.

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Style 883 is a smooth finished capeskin jacket with bright plaid lining. Has three deep pockets and sports back. Comes in aviation tan. Sizes 34 to 46. Also available in suede. Ask for Style 672.

**Boy's Sizes 6 to 18**

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Methodists Meet To Plan Remodeling Of College At Abilene

Fifty ministers and laymen of the Methodist Sweetwater district met at the First Methodist church Monday afternoon to formulate plans for assisting in a proposed campaign for remodeling McMurry College at Abilene.

Heiress Bewails \$500 Income For Educating Son

CHICAGO, Aug. 11 (AP) — Mrs. Marion Thorne, heiress to the Montgomery Ward mail order fortune, says she can't support and educate her 9-year-old son on \$500 a month.

The widow of Gordon C. Thorne, grandson of a founder of the catalog merchandising concern, sued in Circuit Court yesterday for an increase in the allowance she receives under her husband's will for the support of Montgomery Ward Thorne.

While her husband was alive, her bill stated, his annual living expenses exceeded \$100,000, he employed nine servants and maintained two automobiles and a yacht. His widow said she now was down to one servant, one car and no yacht.

Despite this reduction in her mode of living, Mrs. Thorne said, she has been forced to spend \$12,000 more than she received under terms of the trust, originally valued at \$1,500,000.

Livestock

FORT WORTH, Aug. 11 (AP) — Cattle 4,200; calves 1,800; early sales of steers to shippers steady; cows steady to 15 lower; slaughterers steady to weak with spots 25 down; common to good slaughter steers and yearlings 9.50-13.00; canner and cutter yearlings downward to 8.00; beef cows 8.50-10.50; canners and cutters 4.00-8.25; bulls 7.50-11.75.

Also approved were 47 truck tires, 29 truck tubes, 12 tractor tires and nine truck retreads.

Public Records

Warranty Deeds Dalton P. White and wife to George F. King, \$1,430.51, lots 8 and 7 in Block 8 in Boydston Addition to Big Spring.

Weather Forecast

WEST TEXAS: Little temperature change this afternoon, tonight, and Thursday forenoon; widely scattered thunder showers in El Paso area and Big Bend country tonight.

EAST TEXAS: Little temperature change this afternoon, tonight and Thursday forenoon; scattered thunder showers in east and south portions this afternoon and tonight.

Table with 3 columns: City, Max., Min. Lists temperatures for Abilene, Amarillo, Big Spring, Chicago, Denver, El Paso, Fort Worth, Galveston, St. Louis.

Here 'n There

Mrs. J. W. Cross has received word from her brother, Pvt. A. D. Fenton, that he will be returned to his home in Sweetwater soon. Pvt. Fenton has been stationed with the armed forces in Guadalcanal, and is now in a San Francisco, Calif., hospital.

J. B. Nall, Jr., left for home in Berkeley, Calif., Tuesday after a short visit here with his mother, Mrs. J. B. Nall. Nall is a foreman in the Kaiser shipyards No. 1.

Dr. Charles W. Deats will be at the microphone at 8 p. m. today when another of the VFW sponsored "Speak Up for Democracy" programs is presented. The talk today deals with home front problems and the fact that the fight is for that intangible quality called democracy and not for the almighty dollar.

Two boys were questioned by police Wednesday after they were spotted in connection with a light-breaking episode around 1400 Austin street.

Henry Hernandez, S2C, has been assigned to a ship and presumably is at sea in the Pacific, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Hernandez report. Another son, Pvt. Jesse Hernandez, is visiting here after completing radio work at Philadelphia.

Synthetic Fuel Hearings Open

SHERIDAN, Wyo., Aug. 11 (AP) — Gasoline for post-war aviation jaunts may come, not from spouting western oil wells, but from vast coal and shale deposits underlying the western beef and mutton country.

A Senate-sub-committee opened a hearing here today to investigate the possibility of drawing synthetic fuels from coal and shale strata in Wyoming, Montana and North Dakota.

Governors Sam C. Ford of Montana and John Moses of North Dakota gave the committee facts and figures on the size and possible productivity of the oil and shale deposits in their states, and Mr. J. L. Morrill, president of Wyoming University, stated Wyoming's case.

Governor To Seek Ruling On Law

AUSTIN, Aug. 11 (AP) — Governor Coke R. Stevenson said today he contemplated seeking a court ruling on validity of law transferring \$1,500,000 from the Confederate Pension fund to the state's general fund.

The transfer law, passed at the last general session of the legislature, is invalid, Attorney General Gerald C. Mann said in an opinion.

The pension fund has more than enough resources to meet its obligations this year.

Bulgars Called Home ISIRLIK, Turkey, Aug. 11 (AP) — All Bulgars in Turkey are being called home to take up arms, it was reliably reported here today.

These reports added that the Turkish police have taken a large number of undesirable Bulgarian citizens into custody during the past few days.

Commander Of West Texas WACs Coming

Lieut. Jessie Gardner, Lubbock, who has been announced as new commanding officer of WACs in the West Texas district, is to be here Thursday evening and Friday morning.

She will be at the local recruiting office in the postoffice basement late Thursday afternoon and part of Friday morning and will welcome visits with friends made here on previous visits, said Lieut. Mary F. Goldmann, in charge of the Big Spring sub-station.

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Mrs. Jane Crawford, former Big Spring resident, died in Danville, Ill., Tuesday morning. Following funeral services there, the body will be shipped to Big Spring for burial.

Eberley funeral home is directing arrangements.

Cosden Test Results Are Awaited Here

Oilmen Wednesday were awaiting results of a 900-quart shot from 3,960-4,407 feet in the Cosden No. 1 Chester Jones, diagonal southeast offset to the Gutherie & Cosden No. 1 Pauline Allen, Vincent discovery.

The test was given a shot after a 2,000-gallon acid treatment of the oil stain section Sunday failed to produce appreciable reaction.

400 Men Retreat From Raging Fire

BUFFALO, Wyo., Aug. 11 (AP) — Nearly 400 men, half of them soldiers, retreated today before a raging fire in Big Horn National Forest and began a back fire which Forest Supervisor J. F. Connor hopes will check the stubborn blaze, now 10 days old.

Local Milkshed Is Improving

Gradual but steady improvement in the supply is being effected in the Big Spring milkshed, V. A. Cross, city sanitarian, said records indicated Tuesday.

Cross is contacting all the dairies in the milkshed this week in conjunction with Mr. Prather, state milk supervisor for the state health department.

The two are endeavoring to make visits to dairies at milking time to appraise production conditions and to advise producers on means of achieving a minimum bacteriological count for their milk.

Generally, producers are showing a wholesome attitude of co-operation in improving or making the most of their existing facilities.

15 Airmen Killed In Plane Crashes

WALLA WALLA, Wash., Aug. 11 (AP) — Fifteen of 18 men aboard two four-engine bombers from the Walla Walla army air field were killed in separate crashes into desolate sectors of eastern Washington and eastern Oregon yesterday, base officials announced late last night.

Three men of a crew of ten parachuted to safety when their plane crashed near Paterson in Benton county, Wash., and seven were killed.

All eight men in a bomber which crashed and burned fiercely near Heppner, Ore., were killed.

BLAME PLACED IN RACE RIOTS

DETROIT, Aug. 11 (AP) — Detroit's race riots of last June 21 were not planned or premeditated, nor were they inspired by subversive enemy influence, a fact-finding committee appointed by Gov. Harry F. Kelly to investigate the disturbances reported today.

The committee blamed the outbreak of violence on racial tension which "was inflamed as a result of several disconnected incidents provoked by a group of negroes."

Contract For Army Aid In Sewer Plant Change Studied

City commissioners Tuesday evening pondered a new contract for Army participation in sewer plant enlargements here and delayed temporarily signing of the agreement.

Officials wanted to make more specific the terms of one clause relating to the type of plant, etc., to be constructed. Generally, the contract provides for a sizeable cash contribution by the Army.

Commissioners tabled until next meeting the matter of swimming pool rates and the proposed closing of the front nine holes on the muni golf course. A request from the Assembly of God church for remission of paving costs was denied. The commission gave considerable discussion to the juvenile delinquency situation in the light of the new state statute.

Application Made For New Troop

Application for organization of a new Boy Scout troop has been sent to the council office at Sweetwater, according to H. D. Morris, field executive.

The troop will be sponsored by the Trinity Baptist church, with Roy Ayers as scoutmaster and Sgt. Fayne Coffman as assistant. Committeemen will be W. D. Todd, W. J. Barnes, R. C. King, Albert W. Medlin, Homer L. Williams and Homer Bond.

Charter scouts are Terry A. Carter, Kenneth Barnes, Robert Carille, Billy Charles Coleman, Keith Slaughter, Bill Dearing.

Other Scout news announced by the executive included plans for a troop camp at Christoval by troop No. 5, starting Monday; one at Christoval starting Wednesday by troop No. 1; a watermelon feast Monday evening for No. 9 scouts; and previously a command hike for scouts of No. 3.

Knott scout leaders promoted a father and son banquet Monday, which attracted 25 dads and boys. Rev. Cecil Rhodes, Knott scoutmaster, was in charge.

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NEGRO IS FINED \$100

Bob McGill, negro, pleading guilty to charges of transporting liquor in a dry area, was fined \$100 and costs in Mitchell county court Tuesday after being apprehended Monday night by local liquor control board inspectors.

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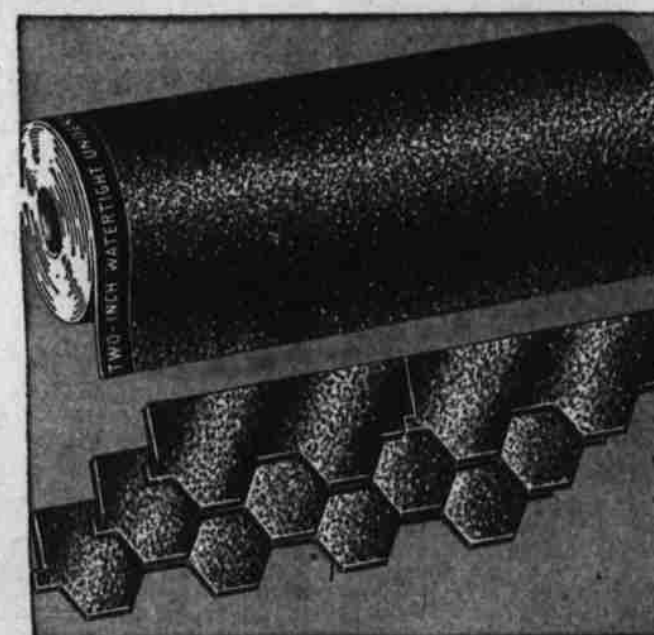
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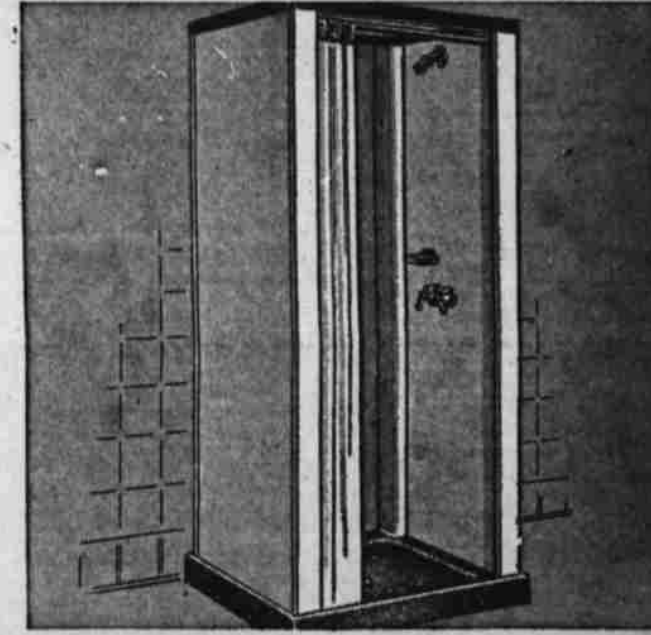
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# THE ASSOCIATED PRESS NEWS IN PICTURES



**SHELL SALVAGE**—Staff Sgt. Thomas A. Farfitt (left) of Heliwood, Pa., and Master Sgt. Urban M. Dreila of Pulaski, Wisc., pick up spent cartridge cases littering the cabin floor of a Flying Fortress after a raid over Europe.



**WACS PARADE IN ENGLAND**—High-ranking officers of the U. S. Army, headed by Maj. Gen. Ira C. Eaker (saluting), commander of the Eighth Air Force, review a newly-arrived contingent of WACS in England.



**CHINA'S LEADERS**—Generalissimo and Madame Chiang Kai-Shek arrive at ceremonies in the Chinese capital at Chungking in which the Generalissimo was awarded the Legion of Merit by Lieut. Gen. Joseph W. Stilwell.



**MUD IN HIS EYE**—Jockey W. Bailey weighs in with some muddy surplus weight after a race at Chicago's Washington Park. The mud was kicked on him by other horses as his mount, Epixar, finished tenth in a field of eleven.



**SWINGTIME**—Motion Picture Actresses Leslie Brooks (striped blouse) and Nan Wynn enjoy a swing at a sylvan retreat they found at the end of a bus line outside Hollywood.



**BATTLE PREPARATION**—Marine ground crewmen on Guadalcanal use a jack to lift the tail of a plane preparatory to bore sighting the plane's guns. Long, tedious hours of work of this kind is necessary before the plane is ready to take off.



**GLAMOROUS**—Glamorous is the word for this bright red crepe New York creation dinner dress with its deep décolletage, glittering sequins and a cascade of ruffles for fall.



**ADMIRATION**—Lt. Marion MacClelland of Burlington, Vt., admires the DSC and Purple Heart decorations awarded her fiancé, Lt. Robert W. Barrall of Berwick, Pa., as a crew member of the Britain-based Flying Fortress "Old Bill."



**JAP-KILLER**—Lt. John L. Jones of Paterson, N. J., (above), pilot of a P-38 Lightning in the New Guinea area, has shot down two Jap fighter planes in the South Pacific.



**AUTOGRAPH HUNTERS TOO**—Opera Star John Brownlee autographing his pictures for a group of Australian soldiers after a performance in New York at which he was their hook.



**COACH**—Pete Cawthon (above), who won fame as a coach in Texas collegiate competition, is the new mentor of the Brooklyn Dodgers of the National Pro-Football league.



**TWO OF A KIND**—Bobby Doerr (left), star second baseman of the Boston Red Sox, who set new American League fielding records this year, chats with Frank Brimsek, Boston Bruins hockey goalie who owns some fine defensive records himself.



**TOSSER**—The old fashioned sport of tossing rope hoops over a peg appeals to Film Actress Lynne Baggett and she makes a pretty picture while enjoying the outdoor sport.



**AXIS HOT SPOT**—This is a view of the harbor of Fiume, Italy, at the head of the Adriatic Sea, where fighting between German and Italian troops already has been reported.



**UNITED NATIONS' SONS**—Capt. Chiang Wei Kuo (left), youngest son of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek, and Lt. Col. Joseph W. Stilwell, Jr., son of the commander of United States forces in the China-Burma-India theatre, chat at Chungking.



**ITALIAN TROUBLE SPOT**—Germans are reported to have moved troops into Fiume, Italy (above), to maintain order and suppress incipient demonstrations for a Slav state.

## Series Of Parties Are Given Here This Week

### Carol Conley Named Honoree At Affairs

Big Spring's younger set has entertained with a series of parties, informal dances, farewell affairs and coke parties honoring out-of-town guests and Miss Carol Conley, who will leave this week for Pueblo, Colo.

A farewell and birthday dance was entertainment Monday evening when Carol Conley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Conley, was honored at the country club. The Conleys are leaving the last of the week to make their home at Pueblo, Colo.

Refreshments were served and these present were Melba Dean Anderson, Cora Ellen Selkirk, Helon Blount, Martyn Keaton, Mary Nell Cook, Luan Wear, Muriel Floyd, Anna Claire Waters, La Nell Robinson, Ann Blankenship, Mary Louise Davis, Wilma Jo Taylor, Raylene Sydow of Pecos, Patsy McDaniel, Sue Sellers of Haskell, Dorothy Satterwhite, Beverly Stulting, Vera Dell Walker, Bobby June Bobb.

Tippy Anderson, Gene Nabors, Mickey Butts, Kenneth Barnes, Kenneth Patridge, Eddie Houser, Eddie McLaren, Murph Thorp, Wendall Strahan, Ike Robb, Bobo Hardy, Troye Robertson, Jackie Barron, Jimmy Jones, Billy Satterwhite, Gordian Madison, Herby Johnson, Joe Bruce Cunningham, Harry Middleton, Tommy Clinkscale.

Carol Conley was honored at a lawn party given by Wilma Jo Taylor in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Taylor Tuesday evening.

Games and dancing was entertainment, and refreshments were served.

Guests present were Betty Lon McGinnis, Wesley Rogers, Melba Dean Anderson, Tippy Anderson, Cora Ellen Selkirk, Mickey Butts, Raylene Sydow of Pecos, Bob Shoemaker, Gene Nabors, Bobby June Bobb, Tommy Clinkscale, Troye Robertson, Bobo Hardy, the honoree and the hostess.

A coke party honoring Carol Thompson of Amarillo, house guest of Marjo Thurman, was given in the Thurman home Monday afternoon.

Guests attending were Louise Ann Bennett, La Royce Clark of San Angelo, Jerry Hodges, Camille Inkman, Merline Merwin, Barbara McEwen, Jo Ann Rice, Dorothy Sue Rowe, Gloria Strom, Mina Mae Taylor, Nancy Thompson, Marilyn Keaton, Gene Burges of San Antonio, Wynelle Wilkerson, Billie Gene Anderson, Mary Lou Watt, Patricia Selkirk, Ann Talbot, Miss Thompson, and Miss Thurman.

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**REFRESHMENT FOR WENDY**—A year old cocker spaniel mascot named Wendy is given a cool drink at Randolph Field, Tex., after logging her 200th hour in the air. She first flew when she was six weeks old.

## DOWNTOWN STROLLER

Received a call from Mrs. R. L. PERKINS, JR., who is here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. SAM GOLDMAN for a few days. She will leave Thursday to join her husband, Lieut. PERKINS, who is a pilot instructor now at Randolph Field, San Antonio.

One of the busiest girls in town is LOUISE HALEY, camp hostess who along with arranging for dances and entertainments for cadets and enlisted men, has to see to rounding up the girls in town to attend such events. She is busy this week planning the cadet dance for Friday night for class 43-15.

Hear tell the WAC contingent had a good time at the USO and B&PW club sponsored party the other evening. Soldiers, both men and women, seem to have a lot of talent. Get a group together and there is always somebody who can sing, dance, give imitations or do something to entertain. The WAC group presented its own floor show at the party and it was good.

Looks like fall when you read about the P.T.A.'s beginning to come to life again after a summer vacation. The executive committee of the College Heights school is to meet today with Mrs. J. E. BRIGHAM to plan activities for fall.

The Presbyterian auxiliary took time off from its regular meeting the other day to honor Mrs. E. L. BARRICK on her birthday anniversary. The auxiliary presented her with gifts and had refreshments and all the trimmings of a birthday party.

## Miss Sain Directs Sorority Program

Dorothy Dean Sain was in charge of a program presented Tuesday evening when members of the Beta Sigma Sorority met at the Settles hotel in semi-monthly session.

She was assisted on the program by Nell Rhea McCrary and Clarinda Mary Sanders.

Those attending were Patty Toops, Clarinda Mary Sanders, Felton Walters, Mattie Skiles, Elizabeth Rose, Myrtle Jones, Ann Darrow, Dorothy Willis, Sara Reidy, Evelyn Merrill, Marie Dunham, Mary Stagg, Nell Rhea McCrary, Elizabeth McCrary, Tommie McCrary, Nell Booth, Dorothy Sain and Harriett Smith.

Army and Navy leather requirements this year are expected to call for more than 40 million cattle hides, 2 million calfskins, 8 million shearings, and hundreds of thousands of lamb skins and horsehides.

## Bill Coots Honored On His Birthday

Mr. and Mrs. Dub Coots entertained with a party at the city park recently honoring their son, Bill Coots, who celebrated his second birthday anniversary.

Refreshments were served to Ronnie Burks, Glenda Wilson, Charlene Wilson, Jeanette Lee Sheppard, Tommy Ruth Henry, Betty Henry, LeRoy LeFever, Johnny Lee Cook, Dalvin Boone, Mrs. B. F. Alrhart of Knott, Mrs. L. E. Burks, Mrs. Marcos Davidson, Mrs. Dub Coots.

Sending gifts were Mrs. R. E. Brown and Mrs. W. P. Mims.

## More Black Market Charges Are To Be Filed By Authorities

DALLAS, Aug. 11 (AP)—W. A. Griffith Jr., district office of Price Administration enforcement officer, says charges are being planned against at least 10 more persons in connection with what the OPA has described as a large black market involving dealings in stolen gasoline ration coupons and spurious tire ration certificates.

Six persons were arranged here yesterday on charges of violating ration regulations and the second war powers act. They brought to fourteen the number so far arraigned and placed under bond pending federal grand jury action.

Meanwhile charges of theft of government property, including gasoline ration books and tire ration certificates, were filed with the United States commissioner at Sherman against Rogie G. Martin, who is being held at Denton.

Griffith said most of the ration coupons involved were stolen from ration boards at Galveston and Denton.

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The Zuni Indians of New Mexico are the only American Indians who have developed a complete religion based upon the use of fetiches, or carved animal moans.

## Lawn Party Is Given For Club

The Past Matron's Club of the Order of the Eastern Star was entertained with a lawn party at Mrs. Euta Hall's home Tuesday evening, and Mrs. Blanche Hall was co-hostess.

Mrs. Nora Williamson, who presided over the meeting, urged members to work at the Red Cross surgical dressing room, and Mrs. Charles Koberg reported that 69 garments had been packed by the club during the month.

Various committees were appointed by Mrs. Williamson, and include the visitation committee, composed of Mrs. Euta Hall, Mrs. Brownie Dunning, Mrs. Ruth Mason, Mrs. Frances Fisher, Mrs. Jessie Graves, Mrs. Lena Koberg, Mrs. Sylvia Lamun, Mrs. Lera McClenny, Mrs. Verda Mae McCombs, Mrs. Nettie Mitchell, Mrs. Edith Murdock, Mrs. Ruby Read, Mrs. Ollie Smith, Mrs. Rose Stringfellow, Mrs. M i n n i e Michael.

Guests attending were Mrs. Isla Davis of Plainview, Mrs. Carroll of Overton, Mrs. Moore of Goliad and Mrs. R. D. Ulrey.

Members present were Mrs. Emily Andrews, Mrs. Orry Boatler, Mrs. Brownie Dunning, Mrs. Ruth Mason, Mrs. Frances Fisher, Mrs. Jessie Graves, Mrs. Lena Koberg, Mrs. Sylvia Lamun, Mrs. Lera McClenny, Mrs. Verda Mae McCombs, Mrs. Nettie Mitchell, Mrs. Edith Murdock, Mrs. Ruby Read, Mrs. Ollie Smith, Mrs. Rose Stringfellow, Mrs. M i n n i e Michael.

## Activities At The USO

Wednesday

9:30 — Gym classes for hostesses and Service Wives.

6:15 — Hospital visiting hour at post... Bykota Class of the First Baptist church, and Mrs. Leslie Roberts, general chairman.

8:30 — Bomba-Bears... Junior hostesses.

Thursday

12:30 — Service Men's Wives luncheon at the Settles hotel. Call 982 for reservations.

2:30 — Craft class at USO.

8:30 — Games and dancing with Thursday GSO girls and Beta Sigma Phi sorority as hostesses.

Friday

9:30 a. m. — Gym class for hostesses and service men's wives.

8:15 p. m. — Ballroom class... Miss Mary Ruth Diltz, instructor.

9 p. m. — Square Dancing class.

Saturday

5-8 p. m. — Canteen open Free cookies and iced tea.

8 p. m. — Recording hour... Talk a letter to send home.

9-11 p. m. — Informal dancing with GSO girls as hostesses.

— VISITS AND VISITORS —

Mrs. G. C. Ross and Mary of Lubbock are visiting friends and relatives in Big Spring. Mrs. Ross has just received word that her husband, who is serving with the sea bees, has landed safely overseas.

Lowell Booth has returned to his home in Long Beach, Calif. after a visit in Big Spring. While in Texas, he received medical attention at Temple.

Mrs. Choc Smith and daughter, Judy Ann, have returned from a visit in Dallas.

Mrs. W. R. Creighton and Mrs. B. F. Carr have as guests, Mrs. Arthur Carleton and daughter, Jeanette of Clearwater, Calif.

Mrs. Buddy Barron and children Carlene and Kenneth, and Mrs. Bud Newman all of Lamesa.

Mrs. Josie McDaniel, Mrs. May Roberts, Mrs. Mable Glenn, Mrs. Docia Crenshaw, Mrs. Lillian Mason, Mrs. Opal Tatum and Ben Miller.

## Kill Kare Klub Has Lawn Party At The Roy Lassiter Home

Members of the Kill Kare Klub met in the Bob Satterwhite home Monday evening for refreshments before going to the Roy Lassiter home for bridge.

The party was held on the Lassiter lawn and high score in bridge went to Mrs. Watson Hammond. Mrs. Johnny Ray Dillard binged.

Others attending were Mrs. Elva McCrary, Mrs. Carl Madison, Dorothy Driver, Mrs. Ollie Anderson, Mrs. Lassiter and Mrs. Satterwhite.

Dorothy Driver will be the next hostess.

## Large Number Of Visitors Reported In Colorado City

COLORADO CITY, Aug. 11. — Visitors in Colorado City this week include Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rankin, former residents now of Fort Worth, who are guests of Mr. Rankin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Rankin.

Mrs. John Prude of Cameron is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Price.

Mrs. James Orr, the former Mary Belle Brennan, of Galveston is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Brennan.

Here from Richmond Va. is Mrs. C. T. Harness, guest of Mrs. Anna Simon and of G. B. Harness.

Mrs. A. B. Short of Wilmington, Del. is visiting her sister Mrs. Leslie Hamilton.

Arriving this week from her home in La Porte is Mrs. Jack Cox and her son Bobby who are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jones Sr., and the parents of her husband, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Cox Sr.

Mrs. John Moore, her daughter Mrs. O. L. Sanders, and David Crowder Sanders of Alvin are the guests of Mrs. Moore's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Crowder.

Tech. Sgt. and Mrs. Charles Godwin of San Bernardino, Cal. are spending his furlough as guests of Mrs. Godwin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Elliott.

Mrs. Janet Carehead of Springfield, Mo. is visiting her daughter Mrs. Carey Prude, Jr.

## Open House To Be Held

The Country Club will observe another of its popular "open house" dances Saturday from 9:30 p. m. to 1:30 a. m., club officials announced Wednesday.

## Ordinance To Have Chicken Dinner At Settles Tonight

The 2052nd Ordnance Company of the Big Spring Bombardier School is entertaining with a barbecued chicken dinner at the Settles Hotel this evening at 6:30 o'clock and WAC's stationed at the local field, will be guests.

Lieut. G. Callis and 1st Sgt. Robert Saunders will be in charge of the entertainment, and music for dancing will be furnished by the "Sinful Seven."

An intermission floor show will be presented at 8 o'clock through the courtesy of special service office with Cpl. Phil Tucker as master of ceremonies. Included on the program will be a soft shoe dance by Mary Ruth Diltz; a rhythm tap dance by Mrs. Jean Odie; song by Pfc. Fredrick Westenberg, and a novelty song and dance "That's What We Learned in College" by Cpl. Tucker and Betty Bob Diltz.

Men of the 2052nd Ordnance, their wives, and dates, and WACs are cordially invited to attend.

Parents Of A Son

Pvt. and Mrs. C. W. James are the parents of a son born Sunday morning at the Cowper Clinic and hospital.

The child weighed five pounds, eight ounces at birth and has been named Eddie Joe.

Pvt. James is stationed at Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls.

Mrs. Bob Satterwhite spent Tuesday in Vincent visiting with Mrs. C. H. Gordon.

## If You Suffer 'PERIODIC' FEMALE PAIN

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It is such times you, Mrs. so many women and girls suffer from cramps, headaches, backache, dizziness of "irregular" periods of the blues — due to functional monthly disturbances — Start at once—try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to relieve such symptoms. It is famous not only to help relieve monthly pain but also accompanying tired, weak, nervous feelings of this nature. This is because of its soothing effect on one of woman's most important organs, taken regularly — Pinkham's Compound helps build up resistance against such symptoms. Follow label directions.

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**Modess**  
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**3 DOZEN** IN SPECIAL SALE PACK  
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Here's my bargain chance to switch to better protection—  
 Modess is Safer! Nurses proved Modess is less likely to "strike through."

Now I'll get extra comfort—and save money, too!  
 Modess is Safer! It's made with a special soft-spun filter—real comfort for busy war days.

What a break—to get safer, softer Modess at 3 boxes for 59¢!

Modess is the Buy! A real bargain—when bargains are scarce. 3 months' supply—1 shopping trip!

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 Regular price 1 box of 12 ..... 33¢  
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From everyone's viewpoint but his, your Newspaper Carrier's problems are little ones. While war has made the newspaper more important than ever, the cost remains the smallest of your regular household bills... yet collecting those little bills is the biggest part of his little business, for his profits depend upon his collections.

The fact that the bill is so small, causes many folks to neglect to provide for its prompt payment. Many folks who would never think of putting off a large bill, like rent, for example, think nothing of having their carrier make extra trips to collect. But when he must make repeated call-backs he must earn the small amount he makes out of your paper bill two or three times.

Those Are His Troubles. Help Him Solve Them.  
**Pay Your Newspaperboy on His First Call!**

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## 'MIGHTY MITE'

The new small .30M1 carbine ammunition is compared with regular .30 caliber rifle cartridges by a Remington Arms company employe. The "Mighty Mite" is now in general use, weighs less and is fired 15 to clip.

Naval Authorities Feel Gridiron Play Is Good Combat Preparation

Special Rules Govern Place Of Games

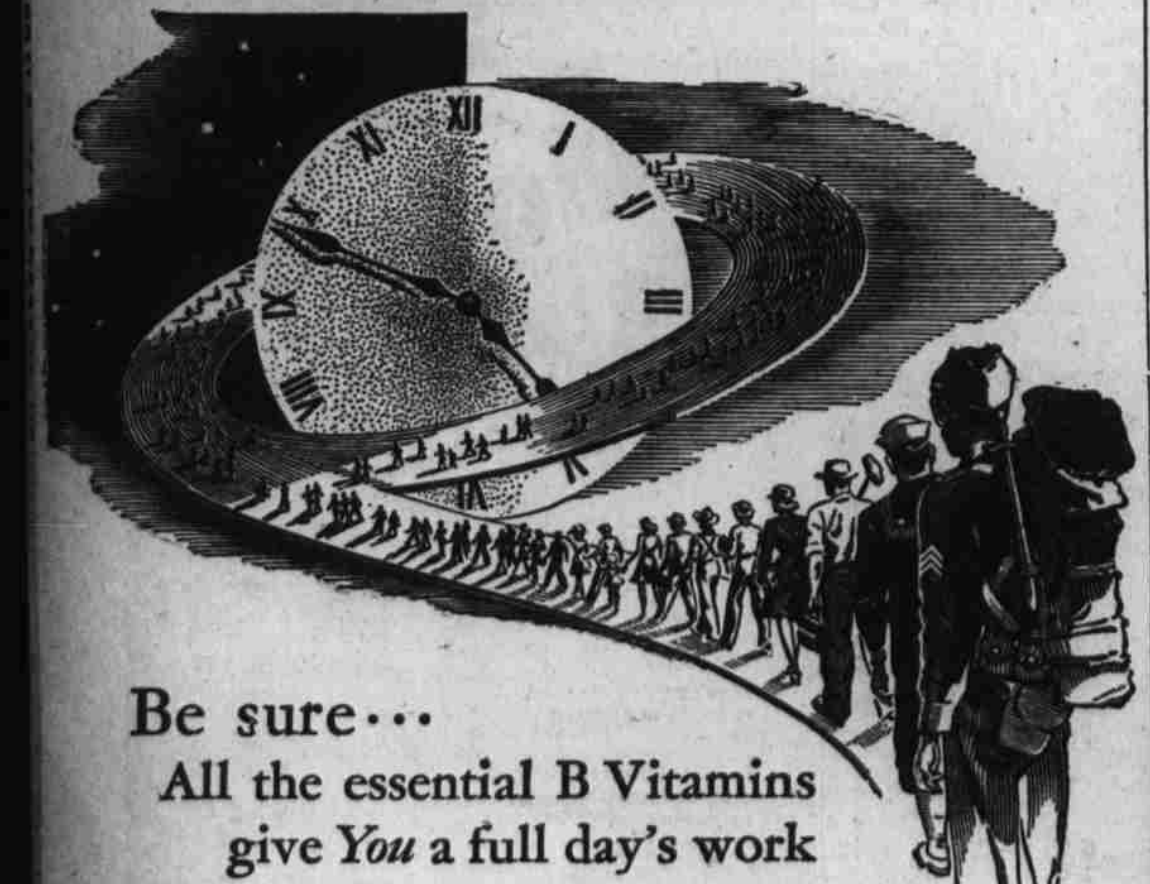
WASHINGTON, Aug. 11 (AP)—Football is important training for men preparing to go into battle...



Notre Dame—Bob Kelly, Chicago, first year right halfback, in a summer practice session of the Notre Dame football squad...

Games will be classified as navy aggregations. Navy Secretary Knox said navy teams (pre-flight and eleven from naval bases) must compete with teams from within the same area...

Advertisement for Staggs Auto Parts with text 'We have it OR can get it' and phone number 409-11 E. 3rd.



Advertisement for Budweiser featuring the text 'Be sure... All the essential B Vitamins give You a full day's work' and the Budweiser logo.

365th Scores 12-2 Over Mess Company; Guards Wallop 78th

Lazarus, the timely hitter who wins games for the 365th in the fading minutes, demonstrated Tuesday that there is no use to wait until the last frame to sack up a victory.

SPORTS ROUNDUP

By SID FEDER (Pinch-hitting for Hugh Fullerton, Jr.) NEW YORK, Aug. 11 (AP)—Six sons and a daughter of Volomite are in the Hambletonian field of 12 today...

Today's Parlay Haegs (Gunder's a wonder) over Hulse and Phonograph (no scratches in this record) in the Hambletonian...

Today's Guest Star Dick Freeman, Houston Chronicle; The woes of a wartime coach are many and varied...

K. P. Peeling's Jimmy Murphy, Canton (Ill.) Ledger sports ed, reports that Sgt. Vince Garrity, the ex-Chicago Cubs bat boy, is managing the Camp Ellis baseball team...

Shucks, Mrs. Shokes Norfolk, Va. (AP) — Eddie Shokes, first baseman with the Cincinnati Reds before joining the Navy...

Morgan, Norton To Coach Squads WICHITA FALLS, Aug. 11 (AP) Dell Morgan of Texas Tech and Homer Norton of Texas A. and M. will be the coaches of all-star squads that meet here Sept. 1...

Hard Luck Pitcher ROANOKE, Va. (AP) — Lanky Ray Patten of the Roanoke Red Sox might be called the hard luck pitcher of the Piedmont league...

Announce Schedule For Rice Institute HOUSTON, Aug. 11 (AP) — Rice Institute's 1943 football schedule was completed as Athletic Director Jess Neely today announced...

Aggies To Begin Practice Early Next Week ARLINGTON, Aug. 11 (AP) — North Texas Agricultural college, expecting its best team in history, opens football practice next Monday...

Standings American League New York 2, St. Louis 10, Boston 2, Chicago 4.

Table showing baseball standings for National League and American League with columns for Club, W, L, Pct.

Baseball Calendar Games Tuesday American League New York 2, St. Louis 10, Boston 2, Chicago 4.

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Fitzsimmons—Fred Fitzsimmons (I) returned to the Polo Grounds in New York as manager of the visiting Phillies and stopped for a chat before the game with Mel Ott (I) the Giants' manager...

Hapless Yankees Hexed On Jaunts Away From Home

By JUDSON BAILEY Associated Press Sports Writer The New York Yankees used to sweep through the parks of their opponents as though they were at home.

But this year the American league leaders are having difficulty trying to keep from getting lost every time they stray away from the subway circuit.

The Yanks started their last swing of the western circuit yesterday again on the wrong foot—collapsing 10-2 before the St. Louis Browns...

The Yanks not only lost the ball game, but also Joe Gordon, temporarily. The star second baseman strained his back making a force play in the first inning...

Advertisement for Rix's Furniture Repair and Dr. E. E. Cockerell's Piles treatment.



Do you know a fellow like Joe? JOE'S MY KID BROTHER. We've always stuck together and I've sort of watched out for him these last few years.

Advertisement for The Daily Herald with the slogan 'YOU'VE DONE YOUR BIT --- NOW DO YOUR BEST!' and 'Boost Your Bond Buying Through The Payroll Savings Plan'.

### WOULDN'T TAKE HER UP ON DARE

NEW YORK, Aug. 11 (AP)—A tall, blond youth entered Mrs. Claudia Fisher's jewelry store, surreptitiously slipped his hand

into a showcase and came out with a \$300 diamond ring. But Mrs. Fisher saw the act. She gave chase and caught up with the man several blocks away. "I'll shoot," he warned. "Go ahead," retorted Mrs. Fisher who calmly reached into a trouser pocket and retrieved the ring. The would-be thief then broke away and disappeared into the crowd.

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### SMITH LEAVES FOR ALASKA

COLORADO CITY, Aug. 11 — Daniel F. Smith, who for the past year has been in charge of the Shilston Testing Laboratory at Colorado City, left last week for Alaska where he has accepted a position as asphalt and sand technologist-engineer with the Metcalf-Hamilton Kansas City Bridge Co. Smith, who came here from Houston, will work as consultant engineer in the building of the Alcan highway and of government airports.

Each new discovery on the road to efficiency with glasses has been the result of a definite need. That, however, is true of scientific discoveries.

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**GIANT WORK FOR A JEEP**—An American jeep weighing less than a ton pulls freight cars weighing many tons each as the United States Army handles supplies on a railroad siding in India. This is an official OWI photograph.

A British submarine New up torpedoes missed an Axis ship, alighted up the beach, and exploded under the casino.

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Real coupon value! Durable styles for casual or dress wear ..... 3.49

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Bright Feathers Trim **FALL FELT HATS**  
Berets, pompadours and big brims to flatter you for Fall. 2.98

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Good-looking handbags to complement your new Fall clothes. Deep and roomy carry-all sizes that will hold all the feminine gadgets you carry.



**JUST FIDDLIN'**—John Charles Thomas, famous baritone, spends a few minutes with a cello under the direction of Cellist Jane Bayless who plays in an orchestra on the same radio program on which Thomas sings.

### Army To Furlough Men For Work In Essential Mines

By JAMES MARLOW and George Ziehlke  
WASHINGTON, Aug. 11 (AP)—More soldiers are coming out of the Army to relieve the manpower shortage on the home front. Tomorrow the Army will start furloughing 4,500 soldiers, a War Production Board official said, to go into certain metal and mineral mines badly lacking workers. About 100 of those mines which WPB considers most essential for the war have a total

of 70,000 workers and need 6,000 more. The 4,500 furloughed soldiers will help but the remaining 3,500 are tough to find. The soldiers will be sent to the mines on a priority basis, so many to this mine, so many to another. Behind that priority set-up is a system, unique in America. WPB and the War Manpower Commission have worked out on a national basis for the first time a system of priority of manpower going into industry.

### Huge Toltec Indian Idols Are Found

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 11 (AP)—Four stone idols, each weighing four tons and measuring 13 feet in height, have been discovered at Tula, capital of the pre-historic Toltec Indians. The idols, bearing carved human faces, were found among archaeological ruins less than a mile from the present city of Tula, in Hidalgo state and about 80 miles from Mexico City. The discovery, reported yesterday by Jose B. Acosta, one of the leaders of a National Anthropology Institute expedition, also includes a large ceremonial plaza. In the plaza were uncovered the ruins of several pyramids, platforms for ball games, and a high Toltec "cuatepantli," or ceremonial wall.

### Bank Of Mexico To Acquire Silver

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 11 (AP)—All Mexico's refined silver will be acquired by the Bank of Mexico, according to a regulation published today in the official gazette. This official bank will apportion the silver for minting, industrial uses and export. As a result of Mexico's large-scale minting program, silver shipments to the United States are being interrupted.

**LIKES HIS FOOTBALL**  
HAMPDEN-SYDNEY, Va. (AP)—Frank Summs, athletic director at Hampden-Sydney college, has been coaching football for the last 20 years. And he's never missed a practice session.

That's a fancy way of saying the government has decided what mines—on a basis of what they produce and how well they produce it in terms of manpower used—should get first claim on miners available for the job. The priority system of placing manpower into those industries where it is most needed will be worked through the 3,500 U. S. Employment Service offices operating under WMC thus: A firm in Butte, Mont., says it needs 250 workers, a firm in Phoenix, Ariz., says it needs 100. Both firms are in No. 1 classification which means their product is most essential and their productivity best. But other mines are essential, even though in less degree, and they too have manpower needs. If all miners were sent into the No. 1 classification then the others would suffer. So WMC and WPB decide that for the time being the Butte plant instead of getting 250 workers will get 100 and the Phoenix plant instead of 100 will get 50. This priority system was put into effect in June. This is not the first time the Army has furloughed men for the mines. About a year ago 4,500 were so furloughed. There is no indication that manpower priorities will be extended to other industries because the job might be too overpowering for U. S. E. S. If it attempted to fill—for instance—needs of an aircraft plant where the various kinds of skills are far more numerous than those in a copper mine.

visitors here Major General and Mrs. H. Schmidt of the Marine headquarters corps, Washington, D. C., were visitors in town Tuesday night.



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# Editorial -- Don't Let The Sheep's Clothing Deceive You

This, perhaps, is a timely moment to be reminded that one of the most potent weapons used in modern war is propaganda.

The word is worn threadbare. It is misused and misunderstood—but the fact remains that a real system of propaganda still is a powerful instrument with which to be reckoned—for indeed it is one to which we folks here at home are most susceptible.

Press associations are to be congratulated on their sensible handling of the recent developments in alleged German leadership, but the people need to be cautioned again that they should make no more out of the deal than conservative reports, have given foundation for deduction.

The truth probably is that Germany has come to the conclusion that the Allies hold the winning trump hand and that the time is ripe for setting up stops. Naturally, these would include shifts in leadership which might ostensibly remove certain objectionable parties—for instance Herr Hitler—from the picture in event of an opportunity for bargaining. At the same time, this switch would lend the very rosy impression that

all is not well in the Nazi countercells, that internal Germany is seething cauldron which was Italy.

The safe thing is not to speculate about Germany. The Hun is still a crafty creature who remains a venomous thing regardless of the vestments which he may wear.

It is still futile to believe that evil can produce good.

It is dangerous to indulge in a moment of idle hope induced by the optate of German propaganda. Let's get on with the war.

## Washington— Labor Leaders Holding Two WPB Posts

(During Jack Stinnett's vacation, his column is being conducted by various members of the Washington staff of the Associated Press. Today's column is by Sterling Green.)

By STERLING GREEN  
WASHINGTON — Labor's old suspicion that dollar-a-year men were coloring War Production Board policy with a big-business tint should be pretty well allayed by now.

A pair of staunch labor men, Clinton Golden of CIO, and Joseph D. Keenan of AFL, hold two of WPB's prized vice-chairman posts and are getting things accomplished in a hurry. Appointed in June, they have been so busy trouble-shooting that they have not had time to get their staffs set up. Here's a sample of the way they operate:

Golden was notified that the Great Lakes Steel Corp., had to have 20 bricklayers at once to reline a furnace; lacking them, 40,000 tons of armor plate would be lost. There were no bricklayers within many miles.

Golden, whose title is vice chairman for manpower liaison, put in a call to the AFL bricklayers' international president. Six experienced men were on the job within 48 hours and the others were on the way.

Another sample: Keenan, WPB vice-chairman for labor production, was called to Seattle to help out at the Boeing plant, where a manpower problem was hurting output of Flying Fortresses.

Boeing was running eight-hour shifts around the clock, but the graveyard shift was undermanned and wasn't producing.

Keenan mapped a plan calling for two ten-hour shifts instead of three eight-hour shifts. Women and men who couldn't stand the longer work day would work five hour shifts.

Golden, a planner and organizer, is finding ways of getting men to the most important war jobs first. Keenan, a veteran union negotiator, carries government's needs to labor and labor's needs to government and is a funnel through which labor's bright ideas on production get a hearing.

Another labor man in the government, Harold J. Ruttenberg, made such a brilliant record as an aide and advisor in WPB's Steel Division that he was made deputy director. There's a good chance, moreover, that a group of "little Ruttenbergs" may be chosen from the ranks of labor to fill similar WPB spots.

Ruttenberg, loaned to the government by the CIO steel workers union, got incensed at the claim of some steel men that the 48-hour week would slow production. He said he thought he knew how to get a million tons more steel a quarter.

WPB took him up on it. Result: The giant steel production drive that had its kickoff in Pittsburgh recently, which WPB thinks will produce two million tons of additional steel supply by the year's end.

### Synthetic Rubber

SAN DIEGO, Aug. 11 (AP) — Three Los Angeles plants are expected to produce enough synthetic rubber for 16,000,000 automobiles a year after operations start "within two months."

Gordon Hendry of the United States Rubber Co. said here the Los Angeles plants would have a combined rate of 80,000 tons annually, which could be translated into 16,000,000 tires.

## Hollywood Sights And Sounds— 'For Whom The Bell Tolls' Said To Be Too Lengthy

By ROBBIN COONS  
HOLLYWOOD—Our town is off again on one of its sillier dithers, this one springing from a teapot-tempest over the length of one of its newer epics.

The boys and girls in New York took a look at the long-ballyhooed "For Whom The Bell Tolls" and some of them said it was too long. Immediately the dithers set in here, and there was great concern at Paramount. The picture, as previewed here, ran three hours, including a ten-minute intermission.

Whether they decided to snip ten minutes or so from the picture will be apparent when it hits your local screen. But what I never can understand is the seeming importance of a few minutes more or less. If an individual movie-goer is to get fidgety over sitting three hours, he will doubtless get equally jumpy over sitting two hours and 50 minutes.

In either instance his sitting weariness will spring from the fact that he is not interested nor amused nor excited. If the picture captivates him, he won't notice the time. If it doesn't, the time will seem longer than it is. It's as simple as that.

As an old hardened sifter from "way back I found the "Bell" well worth the sitting. I have sat through some short movies that seemed longer, and through countless two-hour movies that seemed unable to find an ending. It seems to me that quibbling over the running-time of a movie is like judging a painting by the size of its canvas rather than by what the artist put there.

The "Bell" is a big canvas, and I think an important one. Sam Wood, who directed it, said he was interested in making a great love story against a background of war. The love story is there, and the war is there, but both take second place to the parade of characters, revealed in living detail as the story unfolds. Ernest Hemingway's novel dealt in these at length — at such length that some of us, reading it, were fearful that the blowing up of the bridge (the business at hand for the hero) would never be achieved.

## Post-War Highways Planned For Valley

PHARR, Aug. 11 (AP) — A \$2,500,000 postwar highway construction program has been mapped for the Rio Grande valley, Division Highway Engineer J. W. Puckett said here. Preliminary engineering on much of the work already is complete.

Hidalgo county would get about \$750,000 worth of work under the program, said Puckett. This would include reconstruction of two bridges on the international highway from McAllen to Reynosa, Mex., across the flood control channels, costing \$225,000. Widening and rebuilding of the 30-mile highway from Mission through Edinburg to La Villa would cost another \$225,000. A 16-mile extension of the present military road from Progress, south of Weslaco, west to a point south of Pharr is also contemplated. This road would have to be built entirely since no route now exists.

# MURDER IN TIN

By CARL A. PETERSON

Chapter 21  
Johnson was telling the truth. It was my life I was playing for. My life and the tin. I remembered a few facts. I said slowly, "I didn't report the killing of Lathrop."

"That's right, you didn't. Maybe. "No, I didn't."

"Try again." "I didn't."

"Why didn't you?" "Do I have to write it out for you?"

"It's written out already, pal. It spells F-a-k-e. Fake. That's what it spells. No investigation, huh. Nothing. Now don't butt in until I tell you to. I'm calling all the shots from now on. Listen, all you G.I.'s are slow in the gears. But you get there after awhile. And that's now. But you're not getting headlines out of me. Or him." He flicked a thumb at Chevalle.

"All right," I said. "I'm still listening."

"Cocky, huh, because the place's plastered with G.I.'s?"

I watched him and his control began to worry me. His control held a reserve with which he intended to neutralize all our precautions.

"Lady," Johnson said to Lila Taggard. "Where's that tin?" "I don't know what you're talking about."

"The chart, the map, the code or whatever the hell your old man used to write it down." "I don't know."

"You don't huh. Let me tell you something, sister. Your old man's in this town. His tin's with him, too, if you get what I mean. And he's got a pretty fair idea of what's going on. Now, listen, both of you lovebirds, listen."

My head jerked up as if he had slapped me. I thought that some of the dust-throwing had gotten into Johnson's eyes after all. "This is what we do," he was saying. "Calder walks out of here free as air. But you come with me."

She gasped. "What?" "You heard me. I'll treat you okay. Don't worry about that. You don't interest me even if you're a good looker. Your worries shouldn't be about me, but about your boy friend. Hold on! Let me finish or I'll gag the pair of you."

He stood up, the two guns, his

and mine in his fists. "This is the deal. You come with me. He goes free. He goes back to the boss copper and breaks the news you're snatched. Get it. I want all the papers in town running a snatch story. I want your old man sister, to read your snatched. He knows by now that Lathrop'll never show. If he's human he'll come across. I wanted you to fill the papers with that guy Lathrop. I wanted it that way. But you run around faking."

I understood now, that I had been let free so that there would be an investigation, so that there would be newspaper publicity. The newspapers were the only communication between the Gestapo and Sam Taggard. The newspapers were telegraph, letter and messenger all in one. The Gestapo had wanted Sam Taggard to read of his own murder, that is if mistakenly I had reported that the corpse was Sam Taggard, but more fundamentally, such a story would have reported the murder of the man he had trusted.

And now Johnson was proposing a variant of this original scheme. To use the press to reach Sam Taggard. To report to Taggard that his daughter was kidnapped—a hostage. "How do you expect to walk out of here with her?" I asked.

"We're practically out now. But that's up to you. Yell for help and I'll kill you and her. Kill myself, too!"

It wasn't all clear to me, but I realized that his scheme to hold the daughter as a hostage for her father also included some device to not only grab the discovery, but the discoverer. Like a card-sharp showing his skill, he had demonstrated his next trick in advance. What frightened me was his expectation of success.

"How about it, Calder?" he asked and grinned as if knowing my answer.

"You won't pull it off!" I cried. "Yes I will. Are you on? What the hell! I'm not asking you to sell out your side—"

"Where do you think you are?" I shouted. "You're not in Germany! Where do you think you are!"

"Cool off," he said. "Cool off, sucker! Don't give me that big democracy lip. I ain't interested. I got a proposition for you—"

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## Capital Comment -- Liberty Ship To Be Named For William M. Rayburn

By GEORGE STIMPSON  
Herald Washington Correspondent  
The U. S. Maritime commission is naming a Liberty ship after William Marion Rayburn, father of Sam Rayburn, Speaker of the House of Representatives. Speaker Rayburn has been asked to be present when the ship is launched at Houston by the Todd Shipyards corporation.

I never had the pleasure of meeting William Marion Rayburn, who he died October 28, 1916, which was about eight years before I first came to know his distinguished son. But I feel that I knew him. Sam always keeps a picture of his father in his office and he has often told me about him. The picture that I particularly like shows him as an elderly man, with a beard, sharp, firmly chiseled features, rather tall and spare in build, sitting informally in a chair in his own yard. Sam often looks wistfully and longingly at the picture of his pioneer father.

William Marion Rayburn was born in the hill country of eastern Tennessee and was descended from a family of Anglo-Saxon stock who migrated from the Atlantic seaboard. His father died when he was still a child and he was brought up by his mother and a kind uncle. At the outbreak of the Civil war he enlisted in the Confederate army and rode with the legions of Lee to the bitter end of that struggle. His popularity among his comrades is evidenced by the fact that he was chosen captain of his company, an honor which he declined. During his last two years in the army he was an acting captain, but he would not accept a commission on the ground that he had enlisted as a private and wanted to be discharged with the same rank.

William Marion Rayburn was one of the finest horsemen in the Confederate forces. All of his life he was a lover and breeder of good horses. I've heard Sam say his father could drive a team faster than anybody he ever knew.

When the Confederacy collapsed and General Lee rode to Appomattox to meet Grant the hearts of thousands of Southern boys beat with new hope because of the liberal terms of capitulation. The liberal conquerors agreed that the Southern soldiers might keep their horses. After years of near famine, they needed their horses to put in a spring crop. Like thousands of others who had followed the fortunes of Lee and the storm-crashed nation that fell, William Marion Rayburn started back on his dappled-gray mare to the hills of eastern Tennessee. The war was over and he had only one thought in mind—to hurry back to the little bottom-land farm on Clinch creek and to provide for his widowed mother. He had his horse and there was still time to plant corn.

But at Knoxville a thing happened that the paroled soldier never forgot nor forgave. The incident so embittered the young man that he remained the unreconstructed rebel to the day of his death nearly 50 years later. The Federals took his horse away from him in violation of Grant's promise. Thired and footsore, he walked the rest of the way to what had been his comfortable home in the Clinch valley in Rhea county. His mother was safe, but nearly all the property had been destroyed by bushwhackers and guerrillas who fought for neither side but plundered both. But William Marion Rayburn accepted the challenge and went to work.

The greatest event in the life of the Confederate veteran occurred when the U. S. Maritime Commission named a Liberty ship after him.

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1. Nourished  
4. French city  
7. Before  
12. Run-dried brick  
14. Fredding night  
15. English letter  
16. Hindu emanation  
17. Obstret  
18. Paris  
20. Colony of bees  
21. Handle  
22. Kind of soil  
23. Female sand-piper  
24. Bird's home  
25. Tyrant  
26. What?  
28. Derived from the maple tree

DOWN  
1. Charges  
2. Formerly  
3. Uninhabited  
4. Island of the Philippines  
5. Entrance  
6. Turn  
7. Negro of the Niger delta  
8. Meaning  
9. Discus  
10. City in Portugal  
11. Microbe  
13. Month  
14. Desires  
16. Mend  
18. Shellfish  
19. Train making all stops  
20. Cooking  
21. Spanish title  
22. In that place  
23. Performed  
24. Killer whale  
25. Wirelax  
27. Harvest  
28. Pastes  
29. Copy of an original  
30. Poin  
31. The water chestnut  
32. Goddess of peace  
33. Broken fences  
34. Ready money  
35. East Indian group  
36. Grandpapa  
37. City in Kansas  
38. Orderly  
39. Mountains of Scotland

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"That'll get you the tin!"  
"I hope But you never can tell. If Sam Taggard don't kick through, she follows the shyster. See, I'm not kidding a soul. Not me. No more kidding. But I don't think she'll follow the shyster. Sam Taggard will come across." He aimed his own gun at his heart. "Don't holler, pal. Change your mind about hollerin'! What's the sense of it. I'll shoot you dead—"  
"And our men will get you."  
"Not before I shoot lil' sister, too." His eyes almost tore at me. Bright and small, they were burning in his head. "It's no more kidding, pal. It's shaped up that way. Holler if you want. Get you and her killed, and me killed. What does that get you? Nothing. Only me. That's nothing."  
Speechless, I watched him. I tried not to think of her. I thought of her. And I was sure of her. She wasn't one of them. "What about it?" Johnson cried at me in a voice that was like a gasp.

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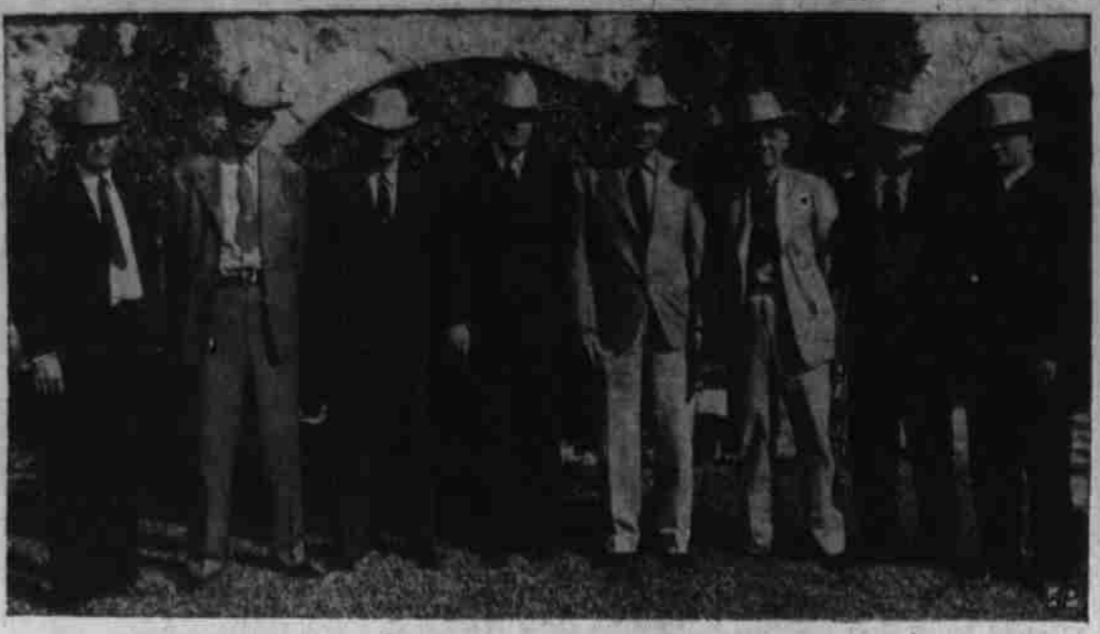
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**Map Crime War**—Six ranger captains met at Austin with the State Director of Public Safety, Homer Garrison, to plan for combating what Garrison characterized as a crime situation that is "steadily growing worse." It was the first time in several years that the entire administrative force of the rangers had been called into a huddle. The ranger chiefs are (l. to r.): E. M. (Manny) Gault, Lubbock; Gully Cowser, Alamo; Ernest Best, San Angelo; Col. Garrison, chief of the force; Fred Hickman, assistant state director of public safety; M. T. (Lone Wolf) Gonzalez, Dallas; Fred Olson, Austin, and H. D. (Hardy) Purvis, Houston.

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**P-38 Squadron Is Ace Fighter Unit**

SOMEWHERE IN NEW GUI-NEA, Aug. 2 (Delayed) (AP) — A year ago this month the Lockheed Lightning—the P-38—made its debut in what was to be the testing ground of the hard-to-handle, twin-bodies fighter in the Southwest Pacific.

Results of the initial test—in their first 12 days of combat the P-38s shot down 54 Japanese planes with a loss of two aircraft. And the pilot of one of these two was saved.

Conflicting operational reports had preceded the P-38 to this area. It was sensationally fast and maneuverable, some fliers said, and its radical design was impracticable. It was hard to land and risky to take off, said others; it had promise, but it was full of "bugs."

A squadron of daring young pilots who had been flying other fighter planes in this area took over these untried, capricious new planes and flew them into their first test of fire.

Several members of that first group of pilots to fly P-38s in real combat, such as Maj. Thomas J. Lynch of Catsasagua, Pa., and First Lieut. Richard Bong of Poplar Wis., are still flying in this theatre.

The original P-38 squadron now is a top-ranking fighter unit with 109 enemy planes to its credit.

"When General (H. H.) Arnold, the air force commander, was out here a year ago," says Second Lieut. Jack G. Barry of Denison, Tex., "he told us he was anxious to know what the P-38 would do. General (George C.) Kenney, commander of the 5th air force, said he was confident the planes would be all right, but his confidence was based on faith and not on accomplishments."

"This squadron did a lot to convince the war department that the P-38 was a good deal. This squadron is tied up more than any other with the success of the P-38 in this war."

From August until January, this squadron was the only one flying P-38s in the Southwest Pacific area.

"Our squadron," adds Barry,

**Ambassador Tours Russ War Plants**

MOSCOW, Aug. 11 (AP)—Russian war plants "compare favorably" with those in the United States, according to Admiral William H. Standley, U. S. ambassador, who has completed a four-day tour of inspection of Soviet tank factories and steel mills in the Ural mountains industrial region.

Standley said that "very effective work is being done" and that he was "very much impressed" by Russia's eastern war industries.

The trip was Standley's first to the Urals and one of the few such visits authorized by the Kremlin for foreigners, although former Ambassador Joseph E. Davies was extended similar privileges. Standley's trip was made in a special plane placed at his disposal by the U. S. Navy.

Three of Russia's greatest war plants, the first two producing tanks and the third steel, were on Standley's itinerary. One plant was almost entirely self-contained, producing in its shops everything that goes into a tank, from rubber to guns. Tanks rolled away from the assembly line under their own power, Standley related.

The first recorded snowfall in Florida was in 1774—the last, two small flurries in the winter of 1934-35.

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curred shortly afterward when he was married to Martha Waller, a descendant of an old Virginia family. A picture of Martha Rayburn in later life also stands on Sam's mantelpiece. White hair, classic features, a firm but kindly face, all bespeak strong character. Children came to the Rayburns in due season. Ten of them were born to William Marion and Martha Rayburn on Clinch creek—seven boys and three girls. Sam was the eighth. Norris Dam, keystone of the Tennessee Valley power project, now stands within a few miles of the old Rayburn homestead. Steamboats, with their tall smokestacks and ruffle-like funnels, carried produce up and down the Clinch near the family cabin.

The Rayburns were healthy, industrious, thrifty and upright folk, and in spite of the many mouths to feed they prospered in a small way on the little corn farm in the Tennessee hills. But opportunity was limited on the bottom lands, and in 1887, when Sam was five, William Marion and Martha Rayburn decided to sell their place and go to Texas. Texas! All Tennesseans of those days who went anywhere went to Texas. That decision was hard to make but important, because it made the Rayburns Texans.

The long journey from Tennessee to Texas can be better imagined than described. Most of the trip was by train. There were two babies younger than five-year-old Sam. A family of 12—father and mother and 10 children—with all their worldly belongings, had pulled their very roots out of the hills of Tennessee and were off for Texas. William Marion Rayburn must have been a remarkable man, but Martha Rayburn must have been an equally remarkable woman. It took strength and courage and vision and mother-love to take 10 children to a far-away and to them unknown country in the West and start life anew.

The destination was Fannin county, where the pioneers arrived safely, after the long journey in early spring. With all his earthly savings in his pocket, William Marion Rayburn began to look for a farm.

He bought 40 acres of black land and the large family moved into a little frame house, which continued to be the home of the parents and some of the children for more than a quarter of a century. In Tennessee the Rayburns had been corn farmers. Now they planted cotton, a new crop in North Texas. They knew nothing about raising cotton; neither did anybody else around Windom. The first year the rain fell in torrents and flooded the black land; boll-worms, tasting cotton for the first time in that region, followed the rain. William Marion Rayburn made only two and a half bales that first year. It was a tough going, with a family of 12, but there was no thought of turning back. Another son was born in those early days in Texas. An uncle came to live with the family. There were now 14 members of the family under one little roof.

But Providence smiled on William Marion Rayburn and his family. He managed to clothe, feed and send all his children to

school. The father became a great reader and was keenly interested in public affairs, but he never sought nor held public office. All of his 78 years, except four years of soldiering, he spent as a farmer. It is a pleasure to write this tribute to the great sire of a great son. William Marion Rayburn did well by his family and his country. When that beautiful ship named for him slides down the ways into the Houston channel and steams out into the Gulf, Sam Rayburn and his brothers and sisters will have a right to feel proud, and so will millions of other Americans who had pioneer parents like William Marion and Martha Rayburn.

**Soldiers To Aid Dakota Harvest**

OMAHA, Aug. 11 (AP)—A total of 5,100 soldiers from Army installations in seven states are being sent into North Dakota to help in the harvest fields, Seventh service command headquarters announced.

The troops, under the command of Col. J. J. Schmidt, commander of district No. 1 of the Seventh service command, represent all elements of the Army—1,750 from the air forces, 3,250 from the ground forces, and 100 from the service forces. In addition Camp Maxey, Tex., is providing a medical detachment of 100 men.

Farmers will pay the troops prevailing wage rates, the command said.

The troops will not be allowed to stay longer than 20 days after they arrive at work locations.

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**New Employment Trends Noted**

DALLAS, Aug. 11 (AP)—A trend toward the use of additional women, handicapped persons and negroes in many industries was reported by C. M. McRoberts, manager of the United States Employment Service in Dallas, following the release of the service's report for July.

A total of 5,270 job placements in non-agricultural industries was made by the local office for July. Of this number, 1,614 placements went to women, 86 to handicapped persons and 1,377 to negroes.

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**Crops Favored By Weather**

AUSTIN, Aug. 11 (AP)—Weather conditions this season have been generally excellent for all phases of development of the cotton crop, the United States department of agriculture said in announcing that a Texas yield of 3,275,000 bales was indicated as of Aug. 1.

This compared with 3,038,900 bales of 500 pounds gross weight produced last year and 3,419,000 bales in the 1932-41 average.

The USDA cautioned that "while present prospects indicate that Texas has another cotton year in the making, the influence on August weather will be a dominating factor as to the final outcome of this year's crop."

While the acreage remaining for harvest this year, 7,830,000, is the lowest in Texas since 1900, the prospective yield at 201 pounds per acre has not been exceeded during the past 30 years.

Growth, fruiting and development have been good in most areas since the crop was planted. Boll weevil, leaf worms, and other insects were doing little damage, and weather conditions have favored control measures.

In the coastal area, where the tropical storm damaged the rice crop, the center was east of the cotton area, and cotton losses were relatively light. The district promises exceptional yields this year, particularly in Fort Bend-Wharton sections.

South central and coastal bend areas have a large crop made, if it can all be saved.

East Texas prospects are exceptionally good this year, and boll weevils are not doing their usual damage.

The blackland area has a good crop in sight, and the yield is expected to be well above average. In West Texas the outlook is very favorable. The high plains crop, with favorable moisture conditions, is making excellent progress after an irregular start due to earlier droughty conditions in extreme western counties and spotted damage by hail.

The eastern half of the low plains and adjacent areas were very dry, and, while cotton had held up fairly well to August 1, rains were badly needed to check deterioration.

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