

Thousands Due To See Infantry Show Tonight

Starting Time Moved To 8 P.M.

Several thousand bond buyers are due to witness an hour of explosive demonstrations at Steer stadium starting at 8 p. m. when the famed 'Here's Your Infantry' show is staged.

Starting time was moved up half an hour by bond drive officials. Some 5,000 tickets have been issued.

Tickets are available with E bond purchases, and those who have not yet purchased were urged to buy bonds at the stadium from workers under Mrs. J. R. Manion. A booth was maintained in proximity to the exhibit of weapons on the east side of the courthouse lawn during the afternoon. Hours on this feature also were changed.

The show starts on schedule, said Ted O. Groehl, Seventh War Loan chairman. Capt. Jack S. Millard, intelligence officer from the Big Spring Bombardier School, is to speak just before opening of the show.

A 28-piece band furnishes music throughout the evening.

Forty men will participate in the slam-bang mock battle that has been given high praise where it has shown.

The famed and up till now secret flame throwers and bazookas along with hand grenades and other weapons will be utilized to demonstrate how our soldiers in the Pacific are fighting the Japs.

The stadium has been converted into typical jungle scene complete



ROUGH STUFF—This close-up view of infantry combat fighting is some of the mildest action to be seen at 8 p. m. today at Steer stadium. Tickets go with E bond purchases and those who have not bought in advance of the show may find booths at the stadium. Forty combat veterans stage the large-scale demonstration, and a 28-piece army band will be on hand.

with a simulated Jap pill box. The infantry men will show how the enemy is located by a small group of scouts, then how joined with others to make up a platoon, they attack with their heavier weapons. The climax is the forming of a human bridge over which the infantry charges the pill box to destroy it.

First aid men will demonstrate how they must crawl under enemy fire to give aid to the wounded and carry them back to safety for no wounded American is ever left to the mercy of Jap treatment.

Ushers for the affair will be members of the Texas State Guard and an ambulance, fire truck and M.P.'s will be furnished by the local post.

Committee Cuts Tariff Slashing Power From Bill

Fight For Authority To Reduce Customs Will Be Continued

WASHINGTON, June 8 (AP) — The senate finance committee struck from the reciprocal trade agreement extension bill today authority to cut tariff rates an additional 50 per cent, then reported the bill favorably.

The vote on the vital amendment was 10 to 9, with seven republican and three democratic members of the committee lined up for it. Eight democrats and Senator LaFollette (Prog-Wis), voted against it.

Despite the committee's action, Chairman George (D-Ga) expressed determination to try to write the additional rate cutting authority back into the measure when it is called up in the senate, probably next Tuesday.

The committee turned down five other amendments, including one sponsored by Senator O'Mahoney (D-Wyo)—not a member of the committee—which would have provided for congressional review of all new trade agreements and rate cuts. It lost by a vote of 9 to 10.

By exactly the same vote, the committee rejected an amendment by Sen. Taft (R-Ohio) which would have limited the extension of the trade law to two years rather than three.

Also rejected were amendments to freeze the import duties on wool and cordage.

The amendment eliminating the additional tariff cutting power was presented by Taft.

Voting for it were: Senators Walsh (D-Mass), Gerry (D-RI), Johnson (D-Colo), Taft (R-Ohio), Thomas (R-Idaho), Butler (R-Neb), Millikin (R-Colo), Brewster (R-Me), Bushfield (R-SD) and Hawkes (R-NJ).

Lined up against it were Chairman George and Senators Barkley (D-Ky), Bailey (D-NC), Byrd (D-Va), Guffey (D-Pa), Radcliffe (D-Md), Lucas (D-Ill), McMahon (D-Conn) and LaFollette (Prog-Wis).

Casualties Gain By Nine Thousand

WASHINGTON, June 8 (AP) — Army and navy combat casualties during the war reached 1,012,049 today, an increase of 9,162 in the past week.

The army total of 995,834 represented names reported here through May 30 and reflected actual fighting through the early part of May—presumably up to about the time the war against Germany ended.

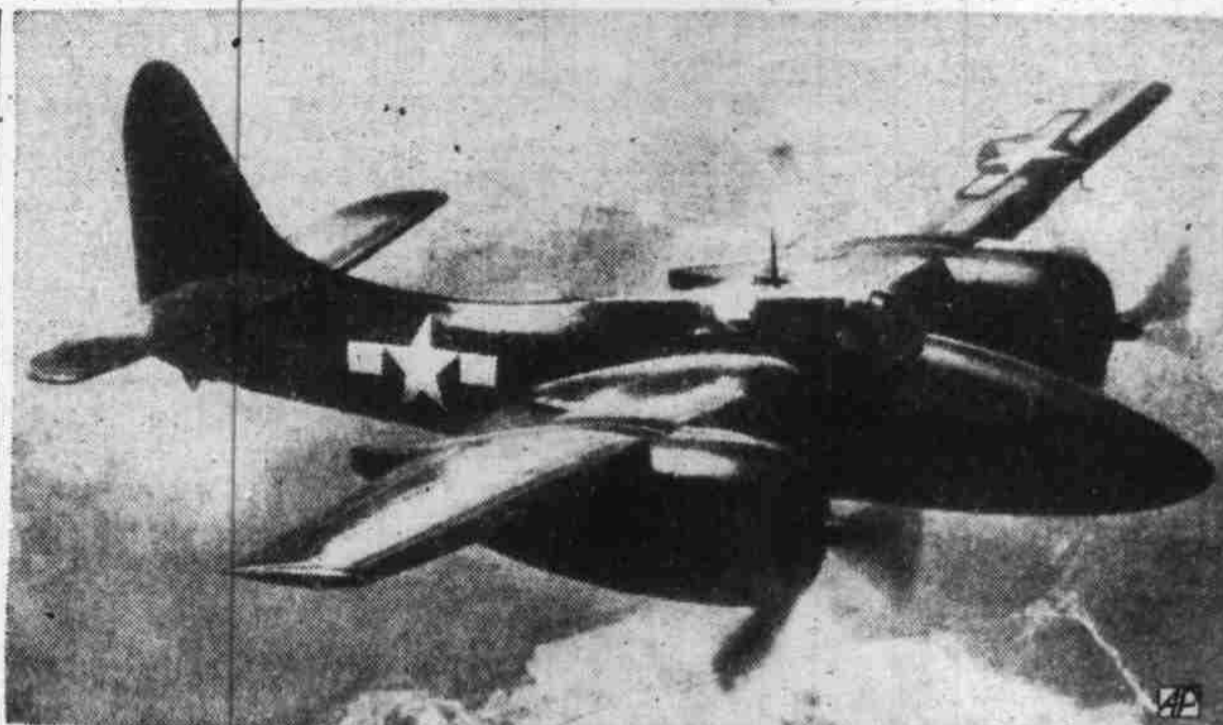
The navy casualties amounted to 116,215, a rise of 3,347 in the last week indicating the more intense fighting in the Pacific.

The break-down on army casualties as reported today by secretary of War Stimson, and corresponding figures for last week:

Killed 185,670 and 183,563; wounded 558,844 and 553,088; missing 46,747 and 52,748; prisoners 106,573 and 100,622. Most of the increase in the prisoner total apparently represented shifts from the missing column. Of the wounded, Stimson said, 317,626 have returned to duty.

Similar figures for the navy: killed 44,503 and 43,534; wounded 56,787 and 54,390; missing 10,705 and 10,709; prisoners 4,240 and 4,245.

Japs Split On Okinawa



TIGERCAT IN FLIGHT—This is how the new F7F Tigercat, Grumman fighter bomber, looks in flight. To be flown by Marines, the Tigercat is faster at sea level than any other plane in use by Japan and at its critical altitude its speed is 425 miles per hour. (AP Wirephoto from Navy).

Slow Fighting Looms Before Island Secure

By HAMILTON W. FARON GUAM, June 8 (AP)—American troops plunged today into the final battle for Okinawa, with every expectation of having to use grenades in hand-to-hand combat and to call upon flame throwing tanks before this bloody doorstep to Japan could be called "secure."

Japanese remnants of the smashed Naha-Shuri-Yonabaru line—possibly 20,000 troops—were cut into two separate groups but both were well entrenched. One was squeezed between the sixth and First marine divisions when the latter advanced 900 yards yesterday to within 300 yards of the West Coast, north of Itonan town. This maneuver cut off Oroku peninsula.

The second was entrenched in the Yaeju-Dake Heights, an escarpment rising to 450 feet in the center and stretching from Itonan to Hanagusuku on the eastern coast.

In both sectors, the Japanese were defending their positions with intense machinegun and mortar fire. On the Oroku peninsula, Japanese also turned 20 and 40 mm. gunfire on the Americans.

Fleet Adm. Chester W. Nimitz's communique reported 66,324 Japanese had been killed on Okinawa from the April 1 invasion through June 6. This was an increase of 4,805 in the past week.

Preparing the Japanese populace for news of the loss of the island—only 325 miles from the Japanese homeland—Tokyo radio said:

"No one can deny that the fighting on Okinawa will have a great effect on the entire war. x x x it goes without saying that the cause of the current Okinawa war situation is the widening difference in the fighting strength of both sides."

Japanese on Okinawa have the benefit of good defensive terrain, where they already are dug in.

Domel (Japanese) pilots resumed their attacks and claimed two American ships were sunk.

There is similarly rough terrain all across the Yaeju-Dake escarpment, where American troops may have to wipe out the Japanese in small groups.

Maj. Gen. Pedro A. Del Valle's first division leathernecks cut off Oroku peninsula when they advanced 900 yards to within sight of the west coast. Advance elements of this division and of Maj. Gen. Lemuel C. Shepherd, Jr.'s Sixth marine division were pressing from opposite directions on the Japanese in the Oroku pocket.

There was no indication how many Japanese were trapped there, nor how many were compressed south of the Itonan-Hanagusuku line.

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Russia Yields Veto Point To Break Parley Deadlock

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER

A P Diplomatic News Editor SAN FRANCISCO, June 8 (AP)

Small nation acceptance of a Big-Five veto voting formula for a world security council today appeared certain. A successful end to the United Nations conference is in sight.

Russia's dramatic acceptance of a statement that the Big-Five veto could not be used to block discussion of any case presented to the council broke a week-old deadlock late yesterday and put the conference over the hill.

Ten days to two weeks more of committee work and speech-making remain to get the United Nations charter in final shape for signing, but no more major issues are on the horizon.

It took the combined efforts of Premier Stalin, Harry Hopkins, who was then in Moscow, and Secretary of State Stettinius, who acted with President Truman's approval, to end the deadlock.

Hopkins, on instructions from Stettinius, asked Stalin to reconsider Soviet insistence that any of the Big Five could veto even discussion in the peace-enforcement council of an international dispute. The other four major powers did not want a single veto to block round-table talk.

Stalin reversed the Soviet position, acting, according to his spokesman here, in the interest of unanimity and to speed the conference to success.

Russian Ambassador Andrei Gromyko first advised Stettinius of Moscow's action yesterday. Then he told it to Stettinius and representatives of Britain, China and France at a mid-afternoon meeting at the secretary's penthouse headquarters. The five next rushed to the conference headquarters at the veterans building and amid much applause announced the news to the delegation chairmen of the other 45 nations represented here.

After days of tension and anxiety lest the Big Powers split permanently, 4 to 1, on this issue, delegates emerged from the Steering committee conference room chatting and smiling.

Stettinius went to a news conference where he made the same announcement for the world to hear. He emphasized the ability of the nations to work together.

Last night drafting experts of the Big-Five powers gave final shape to a statement of just how the Yalta voting formula would work out in the security council. This statement is designed to answer 22 questions submitted by small nations more than two weeks ago.

It goes before a conference com-

mittee today and Senator Connally (D-Tex.), American member of the committee, predicted that, "there may be some objections."

Two Hundred Carrier Planes Attack Kyushu

GUAM, June 8 (AP)—Two hundred American carrier planes raided southern Japan today, Japanese broadcasts reported, in the third successive day of fighter strikes at suicide air bases on Kyushu Island.

Tokyo said the raiders struck in waves of 30 or 40 planes, concentrating on Kanoya and other air bases near the southern tip of Kyushu, 325 miles north of Okinawa.

Smaller strikes by land-based aircraft from Okinawa were made Wednesday and Thursday, the Japanese have said. Adm. Chester W. Nimitz confirmed the first of these.

Army Thunderbolts shot down several Japanese planes over Kyushu airfields Wednesday to round out the second month of operations for the tactical airforce on Okinawa.

Congress Moves For Higher Pay

WASHINGTON, June 8 (AP)—Responding immediately to President Truman's suggestion that congress is underpaid, two senators hastened today to introduce legislation hiking the lawmakers' compensation from \$10,000 to \$20,000 a year.

The bill sponsored by Senators Overton (D-La) and Bridges (R-NH) also would boost the vice president from \$15,000 to \$25,000, and cabinet officers from \$15,000 to \$20,000.

The speaker of the house and the president pro tempore of the senate, now drawing \$15,000, would make \$25,000 if the bill became a law.

The legislators have a verbal guarantee from Mr. Truman, too, that he would sign such a bill. He told his news conference yesterday that he knew from his 10 years experience as a senator what it was to try to get along on \$10,000 in Washington.

The salaries of members of congress stood at \$5,000 a year until 1907, when they were boosted to \$7,500. The increase from \$7,500 to \$10,000 came in 1925.

John Quinn Is Made Captain

John Quinn, son of Mrs. Mabel Quinn, has been promoted to the rank of captain in the US Navy.

Not only was the rank the highest attained by any Big Spring man in the navy, but it was all the more important because Capt. Quinn is career man in the regular navy.

Reared on a ranch near here, his early schooling came from his mother before he entered Big Spring schools. He was graduated from the Big Spring high school May 27, 1921 and had preparatory work at Culver and at Leland Stanford university before entering the US Military Academy from which he was commissioned in 1928. He collected an array of scholarships and other medals at all three schools and was president of Dakiton town, while advance elements pushed on to the coast.

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Chinese In Liuchow

Yanks Gain In Cagayan Valley

By FRED HAMPSON MANILA, June 8 (AP)—American infantrymen advancing toward the last-stand Japanese forces in Cagayan valley of the northern Philippines, yesterday captured Bayombong, pre-war city on northern Luzon which the Japanese turned into a supply base.

The U. S. 37th division found no strong Japanese defenses in Bayombong, which had a pre-war population of 12,000, although they killed 119 Japanese in a seven mile advance and knocked out two flame-throwing tanks. These were believed to be the first such Japanese tanks encountered in the Southwest Pacific.

In central Luzon mountain fighting through the Manila watershed, the 38th division captured two mountain crests, by-passed a third, and reached the base of a fourth peak.

On Mindanao island in the southern Philippines, the 24th division broke a pocket of Japanese resistance near Takapan village, just off Davao Gulf, and advanced a mile up the Talama river.

Savage air blows against British North Borneo were reported in the wake of Gen. Douglas MacArthur's conference with Gen. Joseph Stilwell, China-Burma-India expert who now commands all army ground forces.

Liberators of the U. S. 13th air force dumped 225 tons of bombs on Borneo targets Wednesday in stepped-up aerial strikes against the East Indies.

Seventh fleet adm Fifth air force bombers bombed Formosa.

Charges of murder were filed today against Theo Joe McKee, 27, Lebanon, Mo., and Veda Marie Yates, 26, Springfield, Mo., in the death of Mrs. Yates' 14-month-old boy at a tourist cabin here Saturday.

Both were held in jail in lieu of \$10,000 bond set by Justice of the Peace Fred White.

The child, Alfred Eugene Yates, died a few hours after McKee and Mrs. Yates arrived with him at the tourist cabin following a ride on a truck from Amarillo, Tex.

Motorists are reminded that deadline for purchasing 1945 motor vehicle stamps, on sale at Saturday June 30.

Nat Shick, postmaster, said Friday that to date only 138 stamps, which sell at \$5, had been purchased to date.

After July 1, automobiles can not be driven without the sticker.

Previous Claims Of Capture Of Base Said Premature

CHUNGKING, June 8 The Chinese high command announced today that Chinese forces had fought their way into the northern suburbs of Liuchow and an army spokesman declared the recapture of that former U.S. air base site in Kwangsi province appeared probable.

The spokesman also expressed belief it was quite possible that Kwelin, another former U.S. air base site approximately 100 miles northeast of Liuchow, would fall to the Chinese.

He estimated that approximately 200,000 Japanese troops in Burma, Thailand, Indo-China and Malaya had been virtually isolated by the Chinese offensive in Kwangsi province, which has driven a deep wedge into the enemy's north-south communications corridor.

The high command's announcement concerning Chinese operations in the vicinity of Liuchow made it plain that unofficial reports two days ago to the effect that the city already had fallen were premature.

A battle for the city apparently was taking shape. The Chinese said the enemy, which has occupied the base for seven months, had strongly fortified the area and that a large number of Japanese troops were concentrated there.

It appeared the Chinese were in position to cut the Kweichow-Kwangsi railway west of Liuchow and thus sever the main escape route from Japanese forces at Ishan.

In Fukien province, meanwhile, the Chinese continued their assaults on the coastal highway town of Futing, 105 miles north of Fochow and 55 miles south of the Chekiang province port of Wenchow.

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Army Embarkation Port Is Aflame

OAKLAND, Calif., June 8 (AP) A huge fire broke out in the army port of embarkation here today in a building adjoining a munitions warehouse.

A column of smoke and flames roared hundreds of feet into the air, electrifying the teeming Golden Gate harbor.

All nearby civilian firefighting equipment and ambulances rushed to the scene to relieve army engineer crews on the job.

The blaze began around 12:30 p. m. (CWT). One blast was reported by observers.

Army public relations officers said "this fire is so big anything can happen."

Gen. Ira Eaker To Visit San Angelo

WASHINGTON, July 8 (AP) — Lt. Gen. Ira Eaker, deputy commander of army air forces, is looking forward to a trip back to his old West Texas stomping grounds and hopes to spend a night in the home of his father, Y. Y. Eaker, at Eden, Near San Angelo.

General Eaker will fly from here with a score of army officers recently back from combat zones and will arrive in San Antonio on June 13. The next day he will get to San Angelo as requested by O. C. Fisher and others from that area for a bond rally. June 14 has been designated as "Gen. Eaker Day."

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Seventy Per Cent Of Quota Raised

As the fourth week of the Seventh War Loan Drive neared a close, total E bond sales amounted to \$404,676 while the overall amount to \$682,993. This leaves \$180,324 in E bonds or about 30 per cent still to be raised before the county can complete its goal.

During this bond drive the county has more than just a quota to aim for. The E bond quota is approximately the cost of a B-29 super-bomber and if the quota is reached a plaque will be placed in the big plane noting that it has been purchased by funds raised by the citizens of Howard county.

A special citation will also be sent to the county along with a copy of the plaque.

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Dutch Meyer Signs Five-Year Contract

FORT WORTH, June 8 (AP) — Coach Dutch Meyer of TCU today signed a new five-year contract as head football coach for the Horned Frogs, President M. E. Sadler reports. No salary figure was made public.

Meyer has been at TCU as student and coach since the fall of 1917—with time out for service as a lieutenant in World War I and a year as coach at Polytechnic High, Fort Worth.



Weather Balloons Mistaken For Japanese Contrivance

By HELEN WILSON

Enemy balloons discovered in areas west of the Mississippi have led to speculation in this section of Texas about the balloons which are released here daily by the weather bureau to determine wind direction, velocity, barometric pressure, temperatures and humidity aloft.

Several balloons sighted in fields have been thought to be Japanese bombs, but they are easily recognized if the finder is acquainted with the appearance of the weather bureau balloons which have white, orange, red, black or yellow parachutes attached. They bear the tag of the weather bureau in order that they might be returned.

Daily used balloons are returned from various towns all over West Texas. Furthest flight known by the local office was at Arkadelphia, Ark. The balloon released here, rose to a high altitude, picking up snow and with added weight it would descend. Coming to a lower level the ice melted and it again rose and was able to travel the great distance without bursting.

Vernon Schadd, meteorologist at the local bureau, explains the operation of the balloons as simply as he directs a stranger to town: His valuable experience in meteorology included four years spent in Alaska from 1939 to 1943.

"It was an uncomfortable feeling to be lying on the bottom with vessels on the hunt for us," Smith noted.

Next on the roster of enemy action was a batch of aerial bombs rained down by a snooping Japanese patrol plane. It was a bad moment for the Swordfish. Each time she was brought to the surface the plane hovered overhead. Finally Smith reasoned that his boat must be leaking oil and leaving a betraying surface slick. That night, not daring to show a light in the search, crewmen located a tiny leak on the deck. They found it by smell, crawling along in the murky, tropic darkness, and repaired it not far from where enemy patrol ships swarmed in a vain hunt for the submarine.

Smith conned the Submarine Swordfish out of a Philippines harbor Dec. 8. Behind him, on Nichols and Clark airfields, American planes still smoldered from Japanese attacks, and bombs splattered on Manila harbor.

The 40-year-old submarine skipper began his search for the enemy just 10 hours after the Japanese struck, but it was a far different patrol than those conducted by American submarines today. The Swordfish has since been reported lost.

The Swordfish made a sort of trial and error journey, but the quiet-spoken Smith brought his boat back with spectacular success.

It was the night of his initial patrol that the first Japanese ship to be sunk in the Pacific by submarine wallowed into periscope view.

As Smith dived to escape detection after mortally wounding the enemy vessel, chains clanked against her hull, Skipper and crew held their breath, waiting for a mine to explode, but the Swordfish moved on.

Bats hibernate or migrate when they live in regions where severe winters cut off the food supply.

RITZ Tues., June 12

Saga Of Submarines— Swordfish, Since Lost Had Firsts To Credit

The Army, Navy and Air Corps all have their heroes and their names are known to the world. Some of the most brilliant performances of the war have been turned in by American submarines, but their stories have been held secret in the navy's voluminous files. At last, a part of that story may be told. This is one in a series of underwater heroes of the United States navy.

By RICHARD O'MALLEY

PEARL HARBOR, June 8 (AP)—Lt. Comdr. Chester C. Smith, a mild mannered native of Bisbee, Ariz., has the distinction of being the first man to make a submarine attack against the Japanese in the Pacific.

Smith's sortie, which occurred as America received the full impact of the attack on Pearl Harbor, collected for him and for his men a number of "firsts."

He made the first successful U.S. submarine attack of the Pacific war, suffered the first depth charging and made the first submerged approach in battle.

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Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gray of Corpus Christi, but former local residents, received a message informing them that their nephew, T/4 Johnnie E. Gray, was on his way home after being liberated from a German prison camp.

FREED AND EVACUATED

Mrs. Joe B. Hoard of Ottschalk has learned that her nephew, 1st Lt. Worth M. Speed of Dallas, has been liberated from a German prison camp and evacuated to Camp No. 1 near St. Valery, France. Lt. Worth has been missing since Jan. 20.

WINS CLASSIC

NEWMARKET, England, June 8 (AP)—Lord Derby's heavily backed Sun Stream won the Oaks, one of England's five classic horse races, today. The contest is restricted to three year old derbies and is a prelude to the famed derby which highlights tomorrow's program.

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T/4 Clifford N. Manning of Hyman, currently serving overseas in the Africa-Middle East theater, is a member of the 57th station hospital which was awarded the Meritorious Service unit plaque for superior performance of duty during the period from Jan. 1, 1944, to Nov. 1, 1944. The presentation was part of an Army Day celebration in Tunis. Manning is a clerk in the medical supply office and is stationed in Tunisia. He has served overseas for 26 months.

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Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow

The theme of these weekly articles and of the fifteen minute radio programs presented each Saturday evening at 7:15 by the Big Spring Pastor's Association, for the month of June is church attendance. There seems to be a mistaken idea on the part of many who are invited and even urged to attend church services, who seem to think it is for the church and preachers' sake alone they are asked to come. Of course this is one angle for there is a distinct advantage to the church and a definite inspiration to the preacher to have the pews filled with worshippers, but the primary purpose in asking you to attend church is the good it will bring to you yourself. There is not a worship program in Big Spring, in a church large or small, that does not have something in it that makes it worthwhile for people to attend and participate. In the International Sunday School lesson for next Sunday we find the significant statement concerning Jesus that, "He went into the synagogue to worship as was His custom on the Sabbath Day." In this as in everything else in life, He is our best teacher and example.

A business man in Big Spring who is a nominal member of one of our churches told me recently, "I do not teach in the Bible school, sing in the choir, lead in public prayer or otherwise take a leading part in our church services, but if I fail to attend services on Sunday my whole week is out of joint. My work goes badly and there just seems to be something missing in my life." There is something in our churches which needs your presence and influence and help, and there is something in our churches which you need very much in your daily life and can find it nowhere else on earth. Our doors are opened for worship twice every Lord's Day and a cordial welcome awaits you and your family. This invitation is both to the old timers in our community and to the new comers who will meet the best people in Big Spring in the churches, and meet them at their best.

BIG SPRING PASTOR'S ASSOCIATION

LEGAL NOTICE

H. J. R. No. 13 HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION
Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas, amending Sections 51a, 51b, 51c, and 51d of Article III so that the same shall consist of one section to be known as Section 51a, providing that the Legislature shall have the power to provide assistance to and provide for the payment of same to actual bona fide citizens of Texas who are needy aged persons over the age of sixty-five (65) years, needy blind persons over the age of twenty-one (21) years, and needy children under the age of sixteen (16) years; providing for the acceptance of financial aid from the Government of the United States for such assistance; providing that the payments of such assistance from State funds shall never exceed either the payments from Federal funds or a total of more than Thirty-five Million Dollars (\$35,000,000) per year; providing for the necessary section, form of ballot, proclamation, and publication, and making an appropriation to defray the necessary expenses of proclamation, publication, and holding the election.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 51a, 51b, 51c, and 51d of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended and the same are hereby amended so that the same shall hereafter consist of one section to be numbered 51a, which shall read as follows:

"Sec. 51a. The Legislature shall have the power, by general laws to provide, subject to limitations and restrictions herein contained, and such other limitations, restriction and regulations as may be deemed expedient to and for the payment of assistance to:

(1) Needy aged persons who are actual bona fide citizens of Texas and who are over the age of sixty-five (65) years; provided that no such assistance shall be paid to any inmate of any State supported institution, while such inmate, or to any person who shall not have actually resided in Texas for at least five (5) years during the nine (9) years immediately preceding the application for such assistance, and continuously for one (1) year immediately preceding such application;

(2) Needy blind persons who are actual bona fide citizens of Texas and are over the age of twenty-one (21) years; provided that no such assistance shall be paid to any inmate of any State supported institution, while such inmate, or to any person who shall not have actually resided in Texas for at least five (5) years during the nine (9) years immediately preceding the application for such assistance, and continuously for one (1) year immediately preceding such application;

(3) Needy children who are actual bona fide citizens of Texas and are under the age of sixteen (16) years; provided that no such assistance shall be paid on account of any child over One (1) year old who has not continuously resided in Texas for one (1) year immediately preceding the application for such assistance, or on account of any child under the age of one (1) year whose mother has not continuously resided in Texas for one (1) year immediately preceding such application.

"The Legislature shall have the authority to accept from the Federal Government of the United States such financial aid for the assistance of the needy aged, needy blind, and needy children as such Government may offer, not inconsistent with restrictions contained therein; provided, however, that the amount of such assistance out of State funds to each person assisted shall never exceed the amount so expended out of Federal Funds; and, provided further, that the total amount of money to be expended out of State funds for such assistance to the needy aged, needy blind, and needy children shall never exceed the sum of Thirty-five Million Dollars (\$35,000,000) per year."

"Should the Legislature enact enabling laws and provide an additional appropriation hereto in amendment, such Acts shall not be invalid by reason of their anticipatory character."

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors of Texas at a special election to be held throughout the State of Texas on the 25th day of August, 1945, at which election there shall be printed on such ballot the following clause:

"For the amendment to the Constitution giving the Legislature the power to set up a system of payments of old age assistance to those above sixty-five (65) years of age; providing that monthly payments from State funds to any one person may be in valid amounts based on need, that the maximum payment per month per person from State funds shall not be more than Twenty Dollars (\$20) per month; giving the Legislature the power to set up a system of payments to needy blind persons over sixteen (16) years of age; providing that the maximum payment per month per person from State funds shall not be more than Twenty Dollars (\$20) per month; giving the Legislature the power to set up a system of payments to needy children under sixteen (16) years of age; providing that the maximum payment per month per person from the Federal Government; limiting the total amount which may be expended for such assistance out of State funds; and providing conditions as to residence within the State in order to become eligible to receive assistance."

"Against the amendment to the Constitution giving the Legislature the power to set up a system of payments of old age assistance to those above sixty-five (65) years of age; providing that monthly payments from State funds to any one person may be in valid amounts based on need, that the maximum payment per month per person from State funds shall not be more than Twenty Dollars (\$20) per month; giving the Legislature the power to set up a system of payments to needy blind persons over sixteen (16) years of age; providing that the maximum payment per month per person from the Federal Government; limiting the total amount which may be expended for such assistance out of State funds; and providing conditions as to residence within the State in order to become eligible to receive assistance."

LEGAL NOTICE

State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation of election and to have the same published and held as required by the Constitution and the Laws of the State of Texas.

Section 4. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is here appropriated out of the funds of the Treasury of the State, not otherwise appropriated, to pay expenses of such publication and election.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 7

proposing an amendment to Article VI of the Constitution of Texas, providing that any person in the armed forces of the United States, or the Armed Force Reserve of the United States, or of any branch or component part thereof, or the United States Maritime Service, or the United States Merchant Marine, or who has been a member of same within eighteen months prior to the holding of any election in this state authorized by law, and is otherwise a qualified voter shall not be required to pay, or to hold a receipt for the payment of, a poll tax in order to vote at any such election, if same is held while the United States is at war or within a certain stated time thereafter; providing that members of the regular Army, Navy, or Marine Corps of the United States shall not be permitted to vote; providing that other members of the armed forces shall be entitled to vote under certain conditions; providing the form of the ballot for voting on said proposed amendment; fixing the time for holding an election; directing the Governor to issue the necessary proclamations; and making an appropriation.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. There shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the State of Texas the matter of amending Article VI of the Constitution of Texas, by adding thereto a new section which will modify the present restrictions concerning voting. This new section shall be inserted between Section 2 and Section 3 of said Article VI, and shall be known as Section 2a, and shall read as follows:

"Section 2a. Nothing in this Constitution shall be construed to require any person, who at the time of the holding of an election hereinafter referred to is, or who, within eighteen months immediately prior to the time of holding any such election was, a member of the armed forces of the United States or of the Armed Force Reserve of the United States, or of any branch or component part of such armed forces or Armed Force Reserve, or the United States Maritime Service, or the United States Merchant Marine, and who is otherwise a qualified voter under the laws and Constitution of this state, to pay a poll tax or to hold a receipt for any poll tax assessed against him, as a condition precedent to his right to vote in any election held under the authority of the laws of this state, during the time the United States is engaged in fighting a war, or within one year after the close of the calendar year in which said war is terminated."

"Provided, however, that the foregoing provision of this section do not confer the right to vote upon any person who is a member of the regular establishment of the United States Army, Navy, or Marine Corps, and provided further, that all persons in the armed forces of the United States, or the component branches thereof, not members of the regular establishment of the United States Army, Navy, or Marine Corps, are hereby declared not to be disqualified from voting by reason of any provision of subsection 'Fifth' of Section 1, of this Article."

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state on August 25, 1945, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the following:

"FOR the amendment to Article VI of the Constitution of Texas, providing that any person in the armed forces of the United States, or the Armed Force Reserve of the United States, or of any branch or component part thereof, or of the United States Maritime Service, or the United States Merchant Marine, or who has been a member of same within eighteen months prior to the holding of any election in this state authorized by law, and is otherwise a qualified voter, shall not be required to pay, or to hold a receipt for the payment of, a poll tax in order to vote at any such election, if same is held while the United States is at war or within a certain stated time thereafter."

Section 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamations relating to the publication of the foregoing Resolution, in the various counties of the state and shall have the same to be published as required by the statutes and the Constitution in connection with the submission of proposed amendments to the Constitution, to the qualified voters at a statewide election. If it shall appear from the returns of the election at which the foregoing amendment to the Constitution is voted upon that a majority of the qualified voters have voted for said amendment, same shall then become a part of the Constitution of Texas.

Section 4. There is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the State of Texas, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000.00), or so much thereof as may be necessary, to pay the expenses of advertising said Resolution in each county in the state and for such other purposes as may be necessary, or required by law, or by the Constitution.

LEGAL NOTICE

S. J. R. No. 8 A JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas of nine members; prescribing their qualifications; and providing for their election, tenure of office and compensation.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 2 of Article 5 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as hereafter to read as follows:

"Article 5, Section 2. The Supreme Court shall consist of a Chief Justice and eight Associate Justices, any five of whom shall constitute a quorum, and the concurrence of five shall be necessary to a decision of a case; provided, that when the business of the court may require, the court may sit in sections as designated by the court to hear argument of causes and to consider applications for writs of error or other preliminary matters. No person shall be eligible to the office of Chief Justice or Associate Justice of the Supreme Court unless he be, at the time of his election, a citizen of the United States and of this state, and unless he shall have attained the age of thirty-five years, and shall have been a practicing lawyer, or a lawyer and judge of a court of record together at least ten years. Said Justices shall be elected (three of them each two years) by the qualified voters of the state at a general election; shall hold their offices six years, or until their successors are elected and qualified; and shall each receive such compensation as shall be provided by law. In case of vacancy in the office of any Justice of the Supreme Court, the Governor shall fill the vacancy until the next general election for state officers, and at such general election the vacancy for the unexpired term shall be filled by election by the qualified voters of the state. The Justices of the Supreme Court who may be in office at the time this amendment takes effect shall continue in office until the expiration of their term of office under the present Constitution, and until their successors are elected and qualified. The Judges of the Commission of Appeals who may be in office at the time this amendment takes effect shall become Associate Justices of the Supreme Court and each shall continue in office as such Associate Justice of the Supreme Court until January 1st next preceding the expiration of the term to which he has been appointed and until his successor shall be elected and qualified."

Section 2. Said proposed Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at a special election to be held throughout the State on the fourth Saturday in August, 1945, at which election each voter opposing said proposed amendment shall scratch off the ballot with a pen or pencil the following words printed on said ballot:

"FOR the amendment to the State Constitution providing for a Supreme Court of nine members"

and each voter favoring said proposed amendment shall scratch off the ballot in the same manner the following words printed on said ballot:

"AGAINST the amendment to the State Constitution providing for a Supreme Court of nine members."

Section 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published and said election held as provided by the Constitution and laws of this State.

ARRIVE HOME
Mary Alice and Billie Cain arrived Thursday night to spend the summer vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Cain. Billie has been attending Texas Tech at Lubbock and went to St. Louis, Mo., to accompany her sister home. Mary Alice will be a senior at the St. Louis Institute of Music and Washington University next year.

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DOWNTOWN STROLLER

The surprise marriage of the week was that of WYNELLE WOOD-ALL and LT. CHARLES VINES, who exchanged vows Wednesday, LT. and MRS. VINES dated while they both were students at the University of Texas.

Several Big Spring boys who are home on furloughs were catching up on "back talk" the other day in town. Some of the boys had seen action in the Pacific, Europe or China. They were WADEL WELCH, J. B. KING, SAM BURNS, HI ALEXANDER, WESLEY DEATS and HAYES STRIPLING. J. B. tells us he ran into JOE DILTZ in Kummung, China. JOE had already been evacuated from bases in Kwelin and Luichow.

All the young girls who went to Christoval recently with the Girl's Ensemble were nursing good cases of sunburn so says LEETA FRANCES WALKER. MRS. BRUCE FRAZIER is director of the group.

REV. and MRS. H. CLYDE SMITH were keeping cool, seemingly, when we passed them in town while getting a coke. Speaking of keeping cool, NEIL HILLIARD says he finds that playing nine holes of golf keeps him cooler than just sitting around thinking about the heat.

Received a letter from PFC. PATSY STALCUP, who is stationed at Wright Field, Ohio. She said she had quite a surprise when she bumped into IST LT. KIRBY BROOKS, who was a cadet here. KIRBY was the fellow that kept the girls swooning when he sang on a number of floor shows at the field.

Gift Shower Honors Mrs. A. C. Hudgins

Mrs. A. C. Hudgins was honored with a gift shower recently when Mrs. Henry Harris entertained in the home of Mrs. Tessie McCarty. Assistant hostesses were Mrs. Marvin Parkhill, Mrs. Paul Morris and Mrs. Clovis Anderson.

Guests attending were Mrs. Jack D. Coffman, Mrs. Floyd Cunningham, Mrs. Katherine Hudgins, Mrs. Toby Cunningham, Mrs. Luther Cunningham, Mrs. C. W. Hudgins, Betty Burchett, Mrs. Dorice Raso, Mrs. Wanda Rogers, Mrs. J. W. Lindsey, Mrs. J. W. Hopper, Mrs. B. P. Harris, Peggy McMurray, Mrs. R. A. Pachall, Eloise McMurray, Mrs. R. A. Newton, Mrs. Corynne Cunningham.

Sending gifts were Mrs. Thelma Geers, Mrs. Zora Harrison, Mrs. Austin Coffman and Mrs. Ellis Burchett.

IN BOOT TRAINING

P. S. Wilkins, Jr., son of Mrs. N. I. Wilkins, is taking his boot training in San Diego, Calif. So far, he says, every thing is all right but he will be glad when his training is completed. Wilkins attended Big Spring High School and entered the service about four weeks ago.

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Kouples Klub Has Dance At Country Club Thursday

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McMahan and Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Whittington entertained the Kouples Dance Klub at the country club Thursday night. Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Jennings were presented with gifts for their new home preceding the dance.

New members present were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stagg and guests attending were Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Stagg and Mr. and Mrs. James Edwards.

Scheduled to entertain the club next are Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haller and Mrs. Garrett Patton.

Members attending were Mr. and Mrs. Haller, Mr. and Mrs. Patton, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Johnson, Capt. and Mrs. H. A. Leonard, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Caywood, Mr. and Mrs. Lucian Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Jennings and Mr. and Mrs. Escol Compton.

Personal Items From Knott

KNOTT, May 31 (Sp)—Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Ahrhart and Bobby accompanied Mrs. Clarence Ahrhart and children to Sheppard Field last weekend to visit her husband who is stationed there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Kemper and family spent Saturday night and Sunday with his nephew, Cpl. Leo Nichols and family of Lamesa. Cpl. Nichols has been overseas and is to report to San Antonio this week for reassignment.

Lt. and Mrs. Rutledge, who have recently been stationed at Midland, visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Roman.

Members of the senior class and their sponsor, Mrs. Barnes and her husband spent three days in Brownwood the latter part of the week.

The daily vacation Bible school of the Missionary Baptist church will begin at 2 p. m. Monday.

Mrs. R. D. Hill and her mother, Mrs. Joe Merriman of Spur, returned here last week from Hot Springs, N. M., where they have been because of their health.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burchell received word last week that their son, Edward, had been wounded in Germany but was taken to England by airplane.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Rogers and daughter are visiting this week in Clyde.

Joyce Kemper accompanied relatives of Lamesa to the Concho for a fishing trip this week.

Gas Situation Eases On Atlantic Seaboard

WASHINGTON, June 8 (AP)—The "Little Big Inch" pipe line, laid from Beaumont, Tex., to Linden, N. J., for movement of military gasoline, is now supplying civilian petroleum products to the Atlantic seaboard.

Deputy Petroleum Administrator Ralph K. Davies, who made the announcement, also said that "unexpected developments" had made possible temporary release of a few tankers from military to civilian service between gulf coast and east coast points.

JAPS WITHDRAW

Japanese troops in southern Burma have withdrawn from strong prepared positions at Milestone 18 on the Toungoo-Mawchi road toward Thailand, and pursuing British troops have driven ahead slowly, a Southeast Asia communique announced today.

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Entertainments Are Postponed

Entertainments which were scheduled for Saturday and Sunday at the USO will be postponed, announced Howard Bell, director, Friday.

The dance was to be Saturday night in the garden and since it is impossible to secure an orchestra, it will be postponed.

Transportation was unavailable for the swimming party and picnic Sunday making it necessary to postpone the party until next Sunday.

Further announcement will be made concerning set activities at a later date.

Lab Open To Pupils

Fern Smith, teacher, announced that the home economics lab will be open during the month of June from 9 o'clock until 12 o'clock each morning. If it is impossible to use the lab then arrangements may be made for hours during the afternoon.

The students are welcome to use any of the equipment, including pinking shears, cutting table, electric and treadle machines.



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Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Farmer and Mrs. Wanda Adams of Amallo and Mrs. Cam Shield and daughter, Sherry of Coleman have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Walter Reed this week.

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CRUSADERS ORGANIZE

A new organization known as the Crusaders, composed of girls of the First Assembly of God church, met Thursday for their second meeting.

Officers elected recently include Mrs. L. M. Hayhurst, president; Dorothy Wilkerson, vice president; Evelyn Ray, secretary; Vida Long, captain of hospital visitation; Pildon McMahan, captain of visitation committee; Sue Pipkin, captain of home department; and June Pipkin, captain of sick committee.

Meetings will be every Thursday at 2 p. m. at the church and anyone interested is asked to join.

Those present were Vida Long, Dorothy Wilkerson, Mary Ruth Howard, Mrs. Estella Howard, Mrs. L. M. Hayhurst, Evelyn Ray and Tildon McMahan.

Teams To Enter Softball Meet

Three teams from the Big Spring Bomber school are ready for a crack at the championship of the GI softball tournament in Abilene Saturday.

The Big Spring Bombers, an all-star aggregation, tangle with the Abilene AAF Has-Beens at 1:30 p. m. and Transition from the local field meets the Abilene AAF DOT team at the same hour. At 3:30 p. m. colored boys from Squadron F meet the Midland Officers.

On the Bomber squad are: Pfc. J. Harrell (Guards), Cpl. L. G. Bredemeyer (C-2), Capt. R. M. Bradbeer (GII), pitchers; T/Sgt. E. C. Rauer (Group V), Sgt. S. Johnson (H), catchers; Pfc. B. Glauner (L), 1b; Pfc. R. Reide (C-L), 2b; Sgt. J. Barbour (B), 3b; Pfc. W. J. Parrish (Med), ss; Lt. J. W. Shasteen (GII), lf; Cpl. D. R. Gartman (C-3); Sgt. W. E. Hume (C-3), rf; Sgt. M. Hamilton (G), short field; T/Sgt. A. J. Capasso (C-1) and Cpl. D. Riley (C-3), utility.

Pfc. J. Jones pitches for section F. Others are Cpl. E. L. Henderson, catcher; Pvt. M. Hudson, 1b; Cpl. H. T. Logan, 2b; Pvt. H. Conner, 3b; Pfc. H. Ganges, ss; Pfc. L. Sims, lf; Pfc. C. Dearmond, cf; Pvt. V. Tipton, re; T/Sgt. J. Pinkston, short field.

Pitchers for Transition are 2nd Lt. F. M. Ferriss, F/O E. A. Mawetz, F/O G. Beaulke. Others are 2nd Lt. L. H. Kraner, catcher; 2nd Lt. P. Radke, 1b; 2nd Lt. H. Shubert, 2b; F/O T. Moses, 3b; 2nd Lt. Robert Baska, ss; F/O J. J. Smith, lf; F/O J. A. Piesnick, cf; F/O J. C. Mulronney, rf; 2nd Lt. G. B. Ferry, short field.

Birth Party Planned By G. I. A.

Plans were made for the last birthday party to be given until next fall when the G. I. A. met Thursday afternoon at the WOW hall. The party will be June 21 and Mrs. W. G. Mims was appointed as chairman of the preparation committee.

Those present were Mrs. R. D. Uirey, Mrs. Max Weisen, Mrs. S. M. Barbee, Mrs. R. L. Schwarzenbach, Mrs. Frank Owens, Mrs. W. G. Mims, Mrs. Charles Vines and Mrs. C. L. Gill.

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Piners Announces Committee Units

Setting up a new system of committees, which it is hoped by leaders will result in a degree of perpetuity, has been announced by Robert Piner, president of the chamber of commerce.

Under the plan, the committees will continue from year to year with only such additions and changes in personnel as the incoming officers deem advisable.

New committees and the chairman announced by Piner are: National affairs, Joe Pickle; junior college, C. D. Wiley; merchants retail trade expansion, J. E. Fort; public affairs, Shine Phillips; petroleum, M. S. Goldman; publicity and public relations, Pat Kenney; safety and fire prevention, Robert Stripling; taxation and expenditures, G. H. Hayward; tourist development, J. C. Douglas, Jr.; traffic and transportation, Douglas Orme; paving, R. B. Reeder.

Legislative, James Little; industrial, W. L. Mead; housing, J. B. Collins; highways, George White; health and recreation, H. D. Norris; education and religion, Walker Bailey; finance and membership, Robert Currie; convention and entertainment, Calvin Boykin; civic and beautification, Mrs. Otis Graf; agriculture and livestock, F. E. Keating; aviation, Dr. P. W. Malone; labor, H. H. Rutherford; master planning, R. L. Tollett.

B-6, C-6 Coupons To Become Invalid

"B-6" and "C-6" gasoline coupons, which local War Price and Rationing Boards stopped issuing in March, will not be good for consumer use after June 30, 1945. Wm. G. Williams, district rationing executive announced today.

Consumers who have any of these coupons that represent an unexpired ration may exchange them for valid coupons at their local boards.

Service station operators will have 10 days, or through July 10, 1945 to surrender these coupons to their suppliers for gasoline, or to their local boards for ration checks.

Louise McClenny Is TSCW Graduate

Louise McClenny, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. McClenny, is home spending the summer vacation following her graduation from Texas State College for Women at Denton. She received her BA and BS degree in Bible May 31.

Miss McClenny has as her guests this week Elizabeth Henderson of Longview, Louise Anders of Lamesa and Gradamae Respass of Sweetwater. They were entertained with a formal dinner Wednesday night in the McClenny home.

BUFFET SUPPER AND DANCE SET FOR CADET CLUB

A buffet supper, dancing from 9 o'clock until 1 o'clock to the post orchestra and several variety numbers will be entertainment for cadets, their wives, dates and invited guests Saturday night at the Cadet Club.

Mrs. Lynette McElhannon, cadet hostess, is in charge of arrangements.

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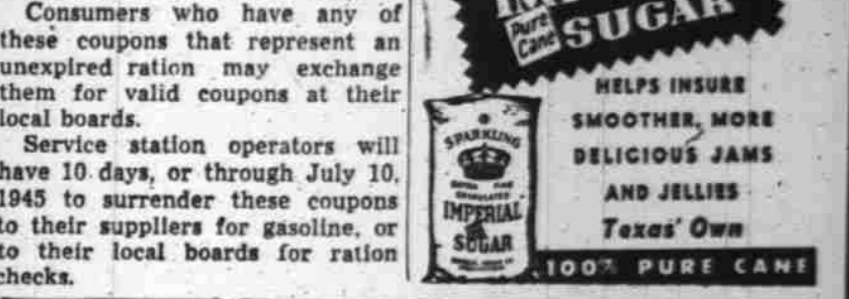
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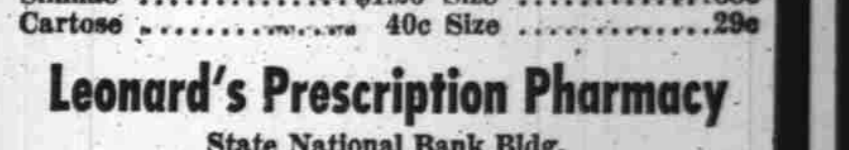
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It Looks Like A Mudder's Day For Kentucky Derby

By CHARLES DUNKLEY
 LOUISVILLE, Ky., June 8 (AP)—The breath-taking two minute drama of the 71st Kentucky Derby unfolds tomorrow with the prospect of the first muddy track since 1929 when little Clyde Van Dusen wallowed to victory through splashing mud and water.

A terrific rain swept Churchill Downs yesterday, stopping shortly after noon. It quickly turned the racing strip into a sloppy, brown-colored mess, fetlock deep in mud. Unless more rain falls today, or tonight, the track undoubtedly will drain off, making it slow if not muddy. It has excellent drying qualities.

However, more rain is predicted today with the result that the original starting field of eighteen may be reduced to fourteen because of track conditions.

Burning Dream, carrying the

hopes of a fifth derby victory for the 85-year-old Col. E. R. Bradley of Lexington, Ky., will not start if track conditions are unfavorable, Jimmy Smith, his trainer said. Two of the three Canadian nominees—Fair Jester and Kenilworth Lad, definitely will not go if the track is off. Another doubtful starter is Jacobe, entry of Andrew Wright, Jersey City, N. J.

This fourth war-time derby, delayed more than a month because of the ban on racing, will find an apparently certain field of 14 more or less sprightly three year olds struggling to the last mile and a quarter of Churchill Downs soil, come a fast track or mud, to present a reasonable facsimile of Whirlaway's 2:01 2-5 record for the event.

The public has installed three horses as choices—Hoop Jr., entry of F. W. Hooper, Jacksonville, Fla.; Col. C. V. Whitney's Jeep and Pot O'Luck, entry of Warren Wright's Calumet Farm.

Hoop Jr., winner of one division of the Woods Memorial at Jamaica last Saturday, turned in the most astonishing workout of all Derby candidates, stepping a mile and an eighth in 1:15 3-5. Pot O'Luck gets consideration because of Trainer Ben Jones, who has saddled three Derby winners—Lawrin, Whirlaway and Pensive, winner of the 1944 event.

The race may develop into a personal riding duel between Eddie Arcaro and 36-year-old George Woolf, called the "ice man" of the turf. Both know their way around Churchill Downs and all the short cuts, too. Woolf has ridden in eight derbies, dating back to 1932, but he's never been closer than second. He will have the mount of Charles Howard's Sea Swallow.

Arcaro, rated as America's No. 1 money rider, rode Lawrin to victory in 1938; Whirlaway in 1941 and finished third on Stir Up last year.

SPORTS ROUNDUP

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.
 NEW YORK, June 8 (AP)—National League Presy Ford Frick and drummer Red Patterson, who have been making a survey of the sandlot baseball situation, aren't worried about the big cities... "There's plenty of baseball played in the cities and suburban areas; where the game has lost in the small towns and the old 'county' teams," Frick explains... The difference seems to be that there's more dough in the densely populated areas to provide facilities and equipment through recreation and playground programs and where players are scarce in the country, organizers are even scarcer... Frick, who says he's not interested so much in developing big league players as in getting kids to play baseball, figures that corrective measures may lead to some realignment in the lower/minor leagues so as to restore home-town rivalries with home-town players.

The Right Answer
 Marine Lt. Billy Murphy, former Mississippi State passing star, was pinned down for three hours by a Jap machine gunner at Okinawa. When he rejoined his outfit, Billy learned he had been reported killed... Then his captain asked where he had been and Murphy replied: "I don't know, sir. I have been dead three hours."

Sportspouri
 Tuskegee Army Air Base is sending a six-man team to the New York A.C. track meet tomorrow... Stamford, Conn., high school wants to know if it can claim a national title on the strength of 19 straight victories this season—all won in a space of 34 days... It can't without an argument from such schools as Chester, Pa., high which had won 34 straight (when last heard from) over a three-year span.

Service Dept.
 Besides leading the Bainbridge, Md., navy team in hitting and slugging, Dick Sliser has a reputation for being one of the best company commanders at the station. His navy job is training recruits... Lt. John B. Rely, Jr., New Orleans, former Nebraska corn belt golf champion, defeated Cpl. John W. Verge, Brooke General Hospital, San Antonio, 1 up on an extra hole in the feature match.

Rescue Dept.
 The rescue group hovered over Ormoc Bay, Leyte, when American forces landed amid the thunder of Japanese guns. One flying boat succeeded in taking off with 60 men. A dozen is considered a full load.

One-man rescues are handled with the same thoroughness. When 2nd Lt. Hugo Canello of the 35th fighter group went down south of Formosa, giant waves engulfed him. Other fighters dropped rafts, which he never saw because of the waves. A flying boat was unable to alight; a destroyer couldn't make it. Finally, he was saved by a submarine.

Another early choice to win, Cpl. Ashley Lofea, Brooke General Hospital, eliminated Lt. Dudley Pruitt, Camp Plauche, La., 4 and 3.

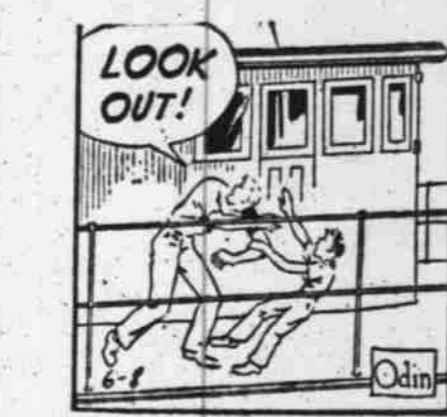
Texas Today—
A Bit Bulky But Very Comfortable

By JACK RUTLEDGE
Associated Press Staff
 Mrs. Homer Bentley of Pharr says sailors buying new dungarees in the Pacific noticed an unfamiliar roominess about the hips and have learned why.

HEADS CRUSHERS
 DALLAS, June 8 (AP)—Richard H. Blyth, Paris, has been elected president of the Texas Cottonseed Crushers association for 1945-46.

Falls were the greatest single cause of accidental deaths in 1943.

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Red Sox, Cincy Making Spurt

By JACK HAND
Associated Press Sports Writer
 Joe Cronin's Boston Red Sox and Bill McKechnie's Cincinnati Reds today qualify as the comeback kids by making the first division of their respective leagues after a rocky start.

Boston rocketed into the select circle by copping 13 of 18 games during an extended Fenway Park stand and Cincy crept out of the dark regions with 11 wins in their last 12 starts.

Neither the Sox nor Reds were considered pennant contenders last spring and their early season showings appeared to justify the experts' form charts. But with both leagues shaking down into

wide open scrambles, both can be important factors.

Boston gets its big chance today in an invasion of the Yankee stadium where the New Yorkers have been virtually unbeatable.

The veteran Red Sox handymen, Mike Rysa, got a win yesterday in a 10-inning 5-4 Red Sox verdict over the Philadelphia Athletics. Catcher Bob Garbar's base-loaded single won the game after Bob Johnson had put Boston back in the running on a two-run homer.

Joe Bowman boosted the Reds into the National League's first four on a 7-3 edge over Pittsburgh's Rip Sewell for his second straight decision since donning a Cincy uniform.

The Braves grabbed their quota of the Boston cheers by sinking the Phillies twice, 3-1 and 7-3, deepening Freddy Fitzsimmons' wins to 11 straight losses. Jim Tobin and Tom Earley, the latter making his first starting appearance since his service discharge, were the victors over Bill Lee and Dick Barrett as Tommy Holmes continued his hit parade with five that boosted his league leading average to .390.

Baseball Coaching Clinic Discloses Fertile Ground

DALLAS, June 8 (AP)—The high school committee of organized baseball has sent a coaching clinic into the southwest for the first time and found very fertile ground.

Hank Severoid and Pinky Whitney, former major league players, and Al Vincent, former coach of the Detroit Tigers and now a Tigers scout, are conducting the school here in connection with a state-wide high school baseball tournament. High school and college coaches from all over Texas are attending.

There also are eight or ten major league scouts looking over the field in the tournament—the largest in the nine years of its history. They report they are finding some good prospects but that most of the boys are undeveloped; in other words, there hasn't been enough baseball in the high schools to bring proper emphasis and coaching.

"Baseball in Texas isn't as good as it was 10 years ago," said Whitney. "Baseball has been taken away from the boys and what we're trying to do is to build the interest back by teaching the boys how to play it better. Baseball isn't fun to a boy until he really knows how to play it."

He added that spring football was preventing baseball from having its proper place in the high schools.

Public Records

Marriage Licenses
 John Charles Vines and Wynell Woodall, both of Big Spring.
 William Roy Colwell, Abilene and Mrs. Zula Reeves, Big Spring.

Warranty Deeds
 E. W. Gulley, et ux, to E. O. Robertson, lot 5, block 6, Porter Addition; \$100.
 William B. Currie to Elmer Buchanan, lots 10, 11, 12 in block 31, Government Heights Addition to Bauer Addition; \$400.
 John Garrett, et ux, to Myrtle Green, lot 6, block 1, Rosemont Addition; \$130.
Beer Permit
 Louise Green has filed application for a permit to sell beer at 408 N. W. Ayford. Hearing has been set for June 11.
 In 70th District Court
 M. R. (Mills) Wood versus Phyllis Wood, suit for divorce.
 Johnnie Everett versus W. J. Everett, suit for divorce.
 Weldon Jones versus La Vonne Jones, suit for divorce.

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Southwest Grid Slate Complete

DALLAS, June 8 (AP)—The Southwest conference football schedule has been completed and it's back to pre-war standards.

Fifty-one games have been arranged for 1945—the same as in 1942 before the draft cut the manpower mostly to 17-year-olds and 4-F's. In 1941, before Pearl Harbor, there were 50 games.

Baylor quit football after the 1942 season but the Bears are returning next fall, thus bringing the conference back to full strength of members.

In 1943 the conference played only 37 games but got up to 48 last season.

This year Texas A. & M. and Southern Methodist each has eleven games while Rice, Texas, Texas Christian, Baylor and Arkansas each has ten.

Intersectional play also is back to pre-war standards although none of the trips is long except the Aggies' Dec. 7 jaunt to Miami to play Miami University. This fall conference teams will have 17 intersectional games. In 1942 they had 18. There were 10 in 1943 and 15 in 1944.

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SEGURA FAVORED

EVANSTON, Ill., June 8 (AP)—Fiery Francisco (Pancho) Segura, Miami University's swatting Ecuadorian, will be favored to grab his third straight singles title in the national collegiate tennis championships at Northwestern University, June 25-30.

The famous "laurel leaves" which crowned Greek heroes were bay leaves.

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Chart Of Life Comfort To Attacking Fliers

By RUSSELL BRINES
 WITH FIFTH AIRFORCE, Luzon, (AP)—In a little office at this base, quiet, serious men maintained an unusual war chart. It totals life, not death.

Amid the vast figures of war, the current total is small—2,300. But it gives keen satisfaction to those who have watched it grow, since the first number was entered last September. For each of those numerals, there is joy in some American home; a solemn, thankful toast drunk by sweating patriots in some dusty airfield tent.

The chart details the 2,300 airmen who have been rescued from otherwise certain death on the lonely ocean stretches marking this aerial battlefield.

It is the record of the Fifth Emergency Rescue Group, Fifth Airforce, the oldest and largest aerial rescue force in the Southwest Pacific.

Throughout the thousands of miles flown by American bombers and fighters in their blockade against Japan's southwestern empire, the rescue group is at hand. The force has assigned to it flying



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Navy Has Line On College Track Meet

MILWAUKEE, June 8 (AP)—Navy, with 20 men entered, was conceded to have a right smart line on the 24th annual national collegiate track and field championship at Marquette University stadium tomorrow.

But the situation was by no means a breeze for the Sailors because other competitive schools, although they had fewer entries, were well loaded with individual aces.

Seven of last year's individual champions will defend their laurels. The list includes the Michigan's Bob and Ross Hume in the mile; Francis Martin of New York University in the two mile; Bill Bangert of Missouri in the shot; John Schmidt of Ohio State and Bob Phelps of Illinois, in the pole vault and Ken Wiesner of Marquette in the high jump.

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TOM: "Frankly, it doesn't, Judge. We've never looked at it that way before."

FRANK: "How is that, Judge?"

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Washington Merry-Go-Round—

He's No Fence-Sitter

Tom Clark, new attorney general, continues to provoke favorable reaction in most quarters, which, to most Texans, is no surprise at all.

About the only sharp dissenters have been colored groups who opposed his appointment because of what they reasoned was a failure to militantly follow up on the supreme court's anti-white primary decision.

Those with no particular axe to grind, however, are mostly pleased with prospects of Tom Clark in the office. Possessor of a brilliant but steady legal mind, Clark is no flash-in-the-pan. His progress at the bar has been systematic and impressive; it has been fair and honorable; it has been without animosity or bitterness.

Thus it is that a man who is readily acceptable to those in many sides of the political picture takes over a key spot in the administration. This does not mean that he is a fence-sitter. Quite the contrary. Tom Clark, his record clearly indicates, will ascertain carefully what he believes is the correct route and then pursue it unostentatiously but tenaciously and capably to the end.

The War Today

By J. M. ROBERTS, JR. AP Foreign Affairs Analyst

Russia, under direct appeal, has come through again with evidence that she is determined to help establish a world security organization of some value.

It was always inconceivable that the point at issue—Russia's demand for the right to prevent any given discussion from coming before the council—should defeat the aims of the conference. Even the reasons for the demand were a mystery, like so many other Russian actions which have had the San Francisco delegates shaking their heads, not even pretending to understand.

But the big thing is that Stalin has instructed his delegation to give in. There is no evidence of a trade. The Russians are told to show a conciliatory attitude in the interests of the success of the conference.

That is the one thing needed. Once every worry over methods, every nationalistic desire, is subordinated to the one necessity of establishing security, then the goal will be in sight.

Russia is doing some things unilaterally, apparently with the main view of establishing her own security, which is alien to our way of thinking. It seems obvious that she does not yet trust the western powers.

Also, Russia can easily remember when France, Britain and the United States, of the present big five, sent armies to Siberia and (although it must be said that Japan was by far the worst) either directly or indirectly supported some of the worst cutthroats of record in their opposition to the founders of the present regime. And it was only four years ago that Winston Churchill told the Russians, in effect, that Britain didn't like them, but of course would be glad to have them kill Germans.

Humble Pie

Let us back up and eat some humble pie. What we had to say about vaguely worded complaints in justice court apparently was based on misinformation. An examination of the full complaints involved show them to be specific enough. Our objection was based on allegations that merely "certain property" had been received and concealed. However, the complaint did not end there as we had thought, for it specifically set out the "certain" items and alleged that they came within the meaning of theft. We were ready to criticize, and in all honesty and fairness, we are equally ready to apologize for our error.

Texans in Washington—

Another Hospital Contest Shapes

By TEX EASLEY

WASHINGTON, June 8 (AP)—The Veterans Administration announcement that it wants to build a 500-bed hospital in West Texas for mental patients will stir up a new contest between dozens of cities and towns in that part of the state.

With the site for the 250-bed general hospital for ex-servicemen in West Texas still unsettled—it's apparently down to a choice between Big Spring and Sweetwater—announcement was made of the plans for a still larger project, for neuropsychiatric cases.

Already appropriated is \$1,940,262 for the 250-bed hospital and \$125,000 for equipping it—plans are drawn so it can be enlarged if necessary to as many as 1,000 beds. The other hospital has been recommended by the Veterans Administration to the joint board of hospitalization representing all federal agencies.

Delegations from practically every West Texas municipality came up to Washington when plans for the general hospital became known, arriving by plane, train and automobile. The VA explained that it was to serve a radius of 100 miles, the center of which was near the small town of Knapp, in Scurry county.

West Texas congressmen, spurred by their constituents, were

friendly enemies in the bid for that project. They expect to go through it all again regarding the new hospital, but hope it won't be such a long-drawn-out contest.

Newly appointed U. S. Attorney General Tom Clark, one-time Dallas lawyer and partner of former Texas Attorney General Bill McCraw will inherit some real headaches when he takes over July 1 from Francis Biddle.

Two of the latest moves Biddle has made will carry over after he leaves and put Clark on the spot. One is the question of title to submerged lands, particularly valuable oil lands off the shores of California and Texas. Biddle filed a test suit in the Los Angeles federal district court to establish title to these tidal deposits in the name of the federal government.

Texas has much at stake in the contest. It means millions of dollars in revenue to the state school system. Texas authorities were among those who led the successful fight here several years ago against legislation designed to give the federal government jurisdiction over the disputed submerged land.

Incidentally, hearings will begin June 18 before the house judiciary committee, which is headed by Rep. Hattin W. Summers of Dallas, on legislation which would

"quiet" the title of the states to the property and thus nullify Biddle's move. Summers saw to it that the earlier legislation, which would have transferred the title to the federal government, never got out of his committee.

The other hangover from the Biddle administration which Clark will inherit will be that concerning seniority rights of returning veterans in getting their jobs back.

Biddle recently sent instructions to federal attorneys regarding handling of re-employment rights of veterans as prescribed by the selective service act of 1940. Spokesmen for veterans' groups immediately trounced Biddle's instructions, contending they would sabotage the rights of discharged soldiers and sailors coming back home and looking for their old jobs. Labor union officials previously had jumped on the selective service interpretation of the law, claiming it would lead to "bumping" of employees with much longer seniority than the returned veteran.

After all the serious and sometimes tragic news a senator's office has to send out, says Mr. A. S. Carr, aide of Senator Tom Connally, it's a real joy to send out the glad tidings to parents when sons who have been reported missing in action show up among the living.

She made the observation after wiring Mrs. Julia Turner of Fort Worth that her son, Lieut. Billy Tom Turner, had returned to duty recently after having been missing ever since last July. A P-38 army fighter pilot, Turner dropped out of formation somewhere in Yugoslav territory during a bombing mission over Romania and Austria. His buddies flew on back to their base in Italy, and nothing was heard of him until recent word from the Red Cross that he was safe. The same War department word that he had returned to duty.

Giles Proposes Plan To Cut Election Cost

AUSTIN, June 8 (AP)—Cost of holding a statewide election on a constitutional amendment permitting veterans to acquire state and government owned lands, erroneously slated for the first Thursday in November, 1946, instead of the first Tuesday, would be reduced from \$250,000 to \$10,000 under a plan outlined here today by Bascom Giles, state land commissioner.

Giles said that he had conferred with officials of the American Legion and of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and that they were recommending that members of posts throughout the state volunteer their services in the election to their respective county commissioners.

EVERYBODY'S PAL

MINEAPOLIS, June 8 (AP)—Butcher Fred Dasset receives only 20 per cent of his normal meat supply so he keeps his shop open two days a week. He's been cutting meat for 60 years, never saw things worse in all that time, but, he grins—"I never had so many friends in my entire life."

SPARKLING RECOVERY

OMAHA, Neb., June 8 (AP)—George Harr lost a diamond while he was feeding his flock of chickens and reduced his barnyard population by 250. He called in James L. White to help him find the diamond. White, killed, cleaned and dressed 250 chickens before he discovered the gem.



THE MAN WHO READ THE TERM IN A BRIDGE COLUMN AND HASN'T IT'S FOGGIST NOTION OF ITS MEANING

With The AEF: GIs Won't Be Much Help To French Tourist Trade

By CYNTHIA LOWRY (Substituting for Hal Boyle)

PARIS, (AP)—It may be sad news for the French, but American soldiers awaiting redeployment or assignment to the occupation forces are not going to be much help in rebuilding France's important tourist industry.

There will be plenty of Americans around the leave centers operated by the army of occupation but army finance figures indicate the boys left their spending clothes at home.

In April, for instance, the average amount of money retained by each GI was 15 per cent. That means that a soldier—probably working on the theory that he couldn't spend what he didn't have—kept about \$8 for himself and sent the rest home. Sergeants pocketed about \$15.

With prices what they are in France, soldiers on leave confine themselves generally to window

shopping. Only an officer can afford \$60 for a little blouse to send home. There is a pretty good sale of perfume, which also comes high, and the boys absorb quantities of French wines and beer and cognac and an occasional bottle of champagne. But it does not mean a terrific profit for the French.

Currently the establishments which are the heart of the tourist trade are not the profit makers and are not expected to be when the soldiers come rolling back to leave centers in Paris and on the Riviera. The hotels, many of which are luxury palaces designed for the tourist trade, and buildings of all types which have been taken for army use, can be checked off as reverse lend-lease. The army carries its own food, provides its own entertainment, and a soldier can spend a long leave without putting his hand in his pocket.

Washington—

Truman Puts Heat On Fires Of '48

By JACK STINNETT

WASHINGTON — Is President Truman's "honeymoon with Congress" about over?

That is the question political observers here are asking today. The answers will hardly lead you to any definite conclusions. Perhaps there is a shade of evidence on the side that it is over. The reason: simply that the President, in his few weeks in office, is showing himself a little too politically astute to suit the Republicans.

The G. O. P. has been banking heavily on the fact that 1948 would be its year to take over the government. The reasons are too numerous even to list, but they were counting on (1) the end of the war on all fronts; (2) resentment against Franklin D. Roosevelt's long tenure of office; (3) gains made by Republicans in state administrations; and the House and Senate in the last 10 years; (4) the increasing antagonism toward bureaucracies; and (5) the bitterness against some executives Roosevelt had kept long in office.

When Roosevelt's sudden death elevated Harry S. Truman to the presidency, they saw no reason to change their views. As a matter of many Roosevelt opponents felt a little sorry for Truman and were inclined to step forward immediately to help him carry the tremendous load that had so unexpectedly been heaped upon him. To the consternation of some of these anti-Democratic party elements, President Truman has demonstrated a remarkable ability to grab the political ball and head for the goal line. What's more, he not only has most of his own team running interference for him, but he has confused the opposition by feints in their direction.

In other words, he has not only done much to bring the conservative and radical Democrats into close harmony, but he has confounded the Republicans by doing several important things they criticized Roosevelt for not doing.

His demand for sweeping powers to reorganize the post-war government along vertical authority lines and get rid of most of the "dangling bureaucracies" has the Republicans on the spot. The president has declared that he wants to do just what they have complained so long that Roosevelt wouldn't do. He has had former President Hoover to the White House, across a threshold the latter hadn't crossed since he walked out in March of 1933. It appears pretty certain now that either, as adviser or in an official capacity, the talents and experience of Mr. Hoover as a relief executive of stricken nations will be utilized.

He has invited both presidential nominees Alf M. Landon and Thomas E. Dewey to come to the White House; two more opponents and titular leaders of the G. O. P. that Roosevelt left out of his scheme of things.

These things, plus other moves

within the Democratic party and out, argue that Republicans already urging that they start backing up fast.

As a result, the administration-backed reciprocal trade treaty vote in the House the other day split almost entirely along party lines and was headed for worse trouble in the Senate.

The Office of Price Administration extension, given a generous pat by President Truman, already is slated for heavy opposition. There are other straws in the wind.

When 1948 comes, the G. O. P. wants to be sure that no political Red Grange is totting the Democratic pigskin. Four quadrants of that sort of thing is enough, they say; but political sideliners are positive that not since the middle 1930s have the Democrats been more solid and the minority republicans more perturbed.

SUPER SALESMAN

JONESBORO, Ark., June 8 (AP)—Rain cut attendance at the Burnt Hill community war bond auction to one person, but the \$2,250 quota was raised. The lone purchaser was Asbury Fletcher—district seventh war loan chairman.

Bats are among the most ancient of mammals.

Crossword Puzzle grid with clues for Across and Down words.

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle: 1. Mission in Texas; 2. Covered the inside; 3. Loyal; 4. Endure; 5. Masculine name; 6. Badgerlike animal; 7. Lamb's pen name; 8. Of the teeth; 9. Palm leaf; 10. Ten stores; 11. Small round marks; 12. Spike of corn; 13. Mark of a wound; 14. Dwelling places; 15. Breaks in; 16. Wax ointment; 17. Game otherwise known as "jal"; 18. Identical; 19. Epic poem; 20. Making an other valuation of; 21. Brownish; 22. Looked at carefully; 23. Jaws; 24. Sounds; 25. Human race; 26. Puslike opaque substance; 27. Fur-bearing animal; 28. Wings; 29. Ancient Irish capital; 30. Inflammatory disease; 31. Porcine; 32. Biblical king.

Clark Won't Yield Lot Of Boodle

(Note—Today, Drew Pearson awards the brass ring—good for one free ride on the Washington Merry-Go-Round—to Tom Clark, new attorney general of the United States.)

By DREW PEARSON WASHINGTON — When Tom Clark was called to the White House and told by President Truman that he was to be the next attorney general, he was so surprised that he started to walk out one of the big French windows in the executive office.

"I guess you're a little flustered," laughed Truman, "the door's over there."

Only 46 years old, Clark had been planning to step out of the justice department for more than a year and go back to Dallas, his home town, to practice law. His elder brother was killed in an airplane crash and the family wanted Tom to come home to carry on the family law firm.

But, through some whim of fate, he stayed on in the justice department. However, he was planning to retire this summer, had even picked a new law associate to handle a branch office in Washington; when suddenly he got the surprise call from the White House.

Long Line of Lawyers

Of the four cabinet appointments Truman has made, public attention unquestionably has focused more on this than any other. The new attorney general happens to come from a long line of lawyers beginning with his great grandfather, William H. Clark, solicitor of the British government of Ireland, who came to this country in 1737. The next William H. Clark was chancery judge in Jackson, Mississippi, and a Confederate general, killed in the battle of Altoona, Ga. His son, another William H. Clark, was treasurer of Mississippi for forty years.

On Clark's mother's side, another of his ancestors, Dr. Efram McDowell, the famous Kentucky surgeon, is honored by a statue in congress' hall of fame; while an uncle, Judge T. S. Maxey, was U. S. district judge in Texas; and another uncle, Jim Clark, was proctor of the University of Texas. For him, Clark Field in Austin is named.

Despite this impressive line of ancestors, Tom himself is an easy-going, unpretentious person whom, when you first meet him, you wouldn't suspect of being one of the most important members of the Truman cabinet. He talks as if he had all the time in the world and as if nothing worried him at all other than getting home to go sledding with his two children—where you will always find him on snowy Sundays.

Unlike most cabinet members, traditionally admitted to spacious homes or swank apartments, Clark lives in a small house in a suburban development where his wife, Mary, daughter of a former Texas supreme court judge (William F. Ramsey), does most of her own housework and seems to thrive on it. She met Tom, by the way, when she lived at the Pi Phi house at Texas University and he lived in the adjacent Delta Tau house.

Tom drives down to the justice

department in an old 1936 jalopy, picking up car-poolers on the way. He doesn't entertain much—his house is too small and the servant problem too difficult. But he has been active in professional social circles and helped organize the Federal Bar Association, from whose presidency he just retired after shocking some of his Texas colleagues by demanding that negro attorneys be admitted to membership.

Politicians Lick Chops

Unquestionably, Clark's appointment is the most important shift in the Truman cabinet. The attorney general of any administration can make or break it — as Harry Doughtery once demonstrated. Anti-trust cases, affecting the dividends of great corporations and the prosperity of little business, can either be started or smothered in the justice department. Income tax cases, affecting the powerful city machines of Chicago, New York, Boston, Jersey City—the machines which nominated Truman at Chicago—can be prosecuted or protected in Justice. Along with the interior department (in charge of public lands and oil), it is the greatest potential boodle-bag in the government.

Already some of the politicians are licking their chops and sniffing the boodle. For instance, W. T. Burton, Louisiana oil operator who was mixed up with the old Governor Leche-Huey Long gang, has been under indictment on his personal income tax for \$578,958 and on his corporate taxes for \$135,839.

After a mistrial; Burton, together with two other defendants, S. W. Maxwell and L. Brown, last year offered to plead nolo contendere—in other words not contest the case and with no strings attached. However, present Attorney General Francis Biddle recommended jail sentences, the judge also let it be known he intended to impose jail sentences; so the defendants withdrew their nolo contendere plea.

However, on May 30, just seven days after Tom Clark's appointment as attorney general, the tax-troubled gentlemen from Louisiana moved to continue their trial beyond June 4, and in so doing made this extraordinary statement indicating the politicians' faith in Tom Clark.

Boodle Hopes Hang High

They said: "On May 23, 1945, President Truman appointed the Honorable Tom Clark of Texas as attorney general of the United States, to succeed the Honorable Francis Biddle of Philadelphia, effective June 30; that Mr. Biddle has been the incumbent of that high office during most of the period of this case and your defendants feel that he has acquired perhaps unconsciously a point of view about this case and about conditions in Louisiana generally which make it very hard to obtain from him an impartial and unprejudiced attitude looking to a fair and reasonable solution of this six-year-old controversy. . . .

Defendants further feel that with the new administration coming into that high office, there is now a reasonable expectancy that during the next several months a

reinvestigation by the justice department of the whole Burton affair can be applied for and obtained. . . .

In other words, the boys at the feed trough expect a lot from Tom Clark.

The above is just one illustration of the terrific pressure sure to be exerted on the young new attorney general by "friends"—and he has plenty of them.

However, in the opinion of this observer, who has watched Clark close-up and carefully during a period of years, the "friends" are going to be bitterly disappointed. Somewhat like Harry Truman, from whom nobody expected much, Tom Clark has real ability to accept heavy responsibility when it comes, and handle it with honesty, forthrightness and vision. That is what Washington has needed recently—more diversification of responsibility and more building up of new men.

On the day Clark's appointment was announced, Bob Hannegan phoned to congratulate him.

"Now that you've heard the good news," he said, "I want to tell you now that if I ever ask you to settle a case, you are to tell me 'no.' And you can remind me of what I said today if I forget what I said later."

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Hannegan meant what he said. And, though Francis Biddle, a great attorney general, will be missed in Washington, he has developed a young successor who will make justice department history on his own.

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Quiet -- Aitaire's Shaking A Leg

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD — Reminder: Don't talk to Fred Astaire while he's working on a dance number. He will be nice as pie, but it is evident that the weight of the world is on his shoulders until he finishes the dance routine.

I visited the "Yolanda and the Thief" set the other day while the company was going through a dress rehearsal for a big dance number. Everyone was dressed for the rehearsal except Fred, who had a towel around his neck and was wearing a comfortable outfit with what looked like a necktie for a belt.

The set was filled with more than the usual number of hangers-on and essential workers. Director Vincente Minnelli was toddling around with his eternal "hinder" through which he peered from various angles at the set.

Astaire was talking to various people, mainly about the dance number. He saw us and came over. We talked about his race horses and his new song, "Oh My Aching Back," both of which are seeing action these days.

We also talked about the dance number, which is called "Coffee Time," apparently MGM's answer to "Rum and Coca Cola." Fred is very intent about the subject of dancing.

"This is an off-beat number and very difficult to do," he said. "You

see, the music is four-four rhythm, but the dancing is five four, with lots of handclaps thrown in."

It sounded as though a dancer would have to know mathematics as well as terpsichore. Fred explained it further, but I could see that worries hung heavy over him. As I left, he was frowning and trying to work out a little dance step by himself.

Over at 20th Century-Fox they are making a picture called "Kitten on the Keys." Like most A picture these days, it is being made with almost a complete disregard of the expense involved.

The scene I watched one day was of a massive natural amphitheater in which a symphony concert, led by Harry James, is being held.

*The amphitheater is as natural as the studio could make it. It appears to be carved out of rock and is very beautiful. If there were such a place (and there isn't), it would probably do more to popularize music than "A Song To Remember."

The rock ledges are filled with 400 extras. They listen rapily as the 100-piece orchestra scrapes and blows through "St. Louis Blues." Then they rise and applaud wildly until the director yells "cut." Then they sit down and return to their gin rummy and poker games.

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Write MILLER-NELSON MACHINE WORKS BOX 1366 MONAHANS, TEXAS

WANTED: Male helper. Apply J. B. Sloan Warehouse, 100 Nolan St.

WANTED: Man for ranch work. Married preferred. Cattle, sheep, no farm. E. M. Reynolds, Sterling Rt., Big Spring, Tex.

HELP WANTED Brakemen, Firemen, Switchmen, Telegraphers, Clerks. Railroad Experience Not Necessary. Apply At Assistant Superintendent's Office In Texas & Pacific Passenger Station in Big Spring

WANTED: Reliable hustler to supply consumers with 200 household necessities. State age, occupation, references. Raleigh's, Dept. TXF-60Y, Memphis, Tenn.

HELP WANTED: Man between age 18-45; fair education; permanent position; advancement according to ability and aptitude; good working conditions; good salary. Apply in person, Railway Express Office.

WANTED: High School girl to care for baby from 3 p. m. to 12 p. m.; transportation furnished; 307 E. 7th St. Before 2 p. m.

WANTED: Practical nurse; prefer middle-aged widow. Apply Western Union before 6 p. m. or Phone 645-W after 6 p. m. Jewell Tipton.

WANTED: Window trimmer; good salary. See Mr. King at MONTGOMERY WARD.

WANTED: Lady to stamp cigarettes; nice hours. Ponca Wholesale Mercantile Co., Phone 978.

Financial

Business Opportunities

CASH \$5.00 to \$50.00 Prompt, confidential service to employed persons.

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SAY YOU SAW IT IN THE HERALD

For Sale

SEE Creaths when buying or selling used furniture; 20 years in furniture and mattress business in Big Spring. Rear 710 E. 3rd. Phone 602.

LOUNGE chair with ottoman; 5-piece dinette suite, book case, occasional rockers and tables. Phone 579-J or see 509 W. 4th.

BED, mattress, springs; vanity dresser and stool. Call at 610 E. 15th after 5:30 p. m. during week, anytime Saturday or Sunday.

PRE-WAR bedroom suite, springs and mattress, perfect condition; also 9x12 wool rug. Clyde Angel, 709 W. 18th.

Office & Store Equipment CAN NOW TAKE ORDERS For Royal Typewriters without approved applications. Thomas Typewriter Exchange 107 Main Phone 96

Poultry & Supplies A. R. WOOD Butane brooders for sale. L. J. Stewart Appliance Store. 213 1/2 W. 3rd St.

Livestock HEADQUARTERS We buy, sell or trade. We have some dandy horses on hand. Scenic Riding Academy, near Park entrance. Phone 1298.

NICE 5-year-old mare, bred to Palomino; and an English Saddle. \$135. 202 Lexington St. GOOD milk cow; west of town at Merida Section house.

Pets REGISTERED roller canary birds; fine singers and hens; babies and eggs. Closing out due to ill health. 411 Johnson St.

Miscellaneous MOTORCYCLES rebuilt; parts. Bicycles parts; almost any kind. LAWN MOWERS sharpened. Cecil Truxton Motorcycle & Bicycle Shop. 1602 E. 15th. Ph. 2082.

FOR SALE: Good new and used radiators for popular make cars and trucks. Guaranteed. Purifoy Radiator Shop, 901 E. 3rd. Main St.

FARMERS! Truckers! Buy Tarpsulins at greatly reduced prices. Army Surplus Store, 114 Main St.

FOR Sale: Army G.I. work shoes, \$2.95 pair. Army Surplus Store, 114 Main, Big Spring.

NEW spuds for sale, 50 lb. bag or less; fresh tomatoes, 5 lbs. 50c. See Mrs. Birdwell for special rate on canning tomatoes and other vegetables; alfalfa hay, \$1.20 bale. 206 N. W. 4th.

CANNING sealer; also Victrola and records. Call 1738.

HAVE 3 reconditioned outboard motors for sale; in perfect shape. 1 1/2 H.P. Johnson; 7 1/2 H.P. Lockwood; 16 H.P. Johnson. 1602 E. 15th St. Cecil Truxton Motorcycle & Bicycle Shop. Phone 2082.

PLUMS, \$2.00 bu. in orchard; \$3.00 picked, 8 miles east on old highway. Mrs. L. V. Moore.

AIRPLANE type fan, large blade; excellent condition. See at Seven Up Bottling Co., 1602 Young.

Wanted To Buy

Household Goods FURNITURE wanted. We need used furniture. Give us a chance before you sell, get our prices before you buy. W. L. McCollister, 1001 W. 4th. Phone 1261.

Radios & Accessories WANTED: Used radios and musical instruments. Will pay cash for anything. Anderson Music Co., phone 856 or call at 115 Main St.

Miscellaneous WANTED: Clocks to repair; we buy broken clocks. Wilke, 108 W. Third St.

Miscellaneous

WANT to buy clean rags. Shroyer Motor Co.

Wanted To Rent

Returned combat officer and wife permanently stationed here, desire furnished apartment or house to rent. Can supply own linens and tableware. Call 1862-J.

Apartment

FOR SALE: Five ranches in Central New Mexico from 12 to 100 sections each. Well improved; plenty of water; all black grama grass turf; with or without stock. Pastures are not and have not been overstocked. No better grass in the state. J. M. Parkhill, Box 1022, Roswell, New Mexico.

WANT to rent 4 or 5-room unfurnished house, as soon as possible; permanently located. Call W. J. Davis, Big Spring Cotton Oil Mill.

Real Estate

GOOD 5-room house, remodeled; 2 1/2 acres ground, with butane system, electricity; good well water; windmill; two water storage tanks; piped; two out houses; garage; shade trees; lawn. Ideal for chicken or truck farm; good neighborhood; located at Stanton; priced right. See owner, Glenn Petree, Stanton, Tex.

NICE home, close to High School, on pavement; furnished or unfurnished; shown by appointment only. Phone 1624.

FOUR-room house for sale to be moved, \$800. 6 miles north Luther Gin, Gall Rt. Box 90.

SIX-room house and pre-war furniture, one 3-room, one 2-room unit and 1 bedroom. Possession in few days. 909 Nolan.

THREE-room house and bath on West Highway near Home Laundry.

Wanted To Rent

MIDDLE aged gentleman wants nice room with private family. No bother; out of town four or five nights a week. Col. Pursley, Westex Oil Co.

Houses

WANT to rent 4 or 5-room unfurnished house, as soon as possible; permanently located. Call W. J. Davis, Big Spring Cotton Oil Mill.

Houses For Sale

GOOD 5-room house, remodeled; 2 1/2 acres ground, with butane system, electricity; good well water; windmill; two water storage tanks; piped; two out houses; garage; shade trees; lawn. Ideal for chicken or truck farm; good neighborhood; located at Stanton; priced right. See owner, Glenn Petree, Stanton, Tex.

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HOUSE for sale; 4 rooms and bath at 605 Northeast 1st St. See owner same address.

FOR sale to be moved: 5-room house, complete bath; light fixtures; piped for gas; double garage; sheet iron bldg.; 4 large closets; front porch; screened sleeping porch, cabinets; linoleum; window shades; curtain rods good condition; water tank and tower. 19 miles south Big Spring on pavement. For quick sale, \$2,000. Phone 1624, Big Spring, Texas.

FIVE-room brick house; furnished; for sale on terms. Available in few days. Phone 1624.

THREE-room house, 1 acre land in Sand Springs, \$1,325.

A GOOD brick duplex for sale. I HAVE some good income property on highway for sale. ALSO 2 improved places near town. J. B. Pickle, Phone 1217.

THREE-rooms and a bath, large closet; good fence and barn; immediate possession. 1108 E. 18th.

FOUR-room house for sale at 1203 E. 16th. Possession at once.

FIVE-room house; garage; well improved; some terms. See owner at 1908 Scurry St.

SIX-room brick house; good condition inside and out; 3-room garage apt., large basement; nice lawn and shrubs; terms. Miss Arahn Phillips, owner, 508 N.W. 10th.

FIVE-room stucco house, complete with bath and hot water, \$2,500. Phone 1648-W or see at 812 W. 8th.

EIGHT-ROOM HOUSE, 2 baths on 1000 Runnels St., Big Spring, \$4,000. Also one 4-room house in Coahoma, \$2,500. W. M. Spears, Coahoma, Texas.

FIVE-room house, extra lot, on paved street. Phone 202-W.

IMMEDIATE possession good 5-room house with garage; corner lot; located 2 blocks east of airport on Highway 80; price \$2700. Call A. D. Webb, Phone 1123.

SEVEN-room house on large lot; 100x140 ft. Bringing in good rent. Excellent business property; on paved Gregg St. Highway. Mrs. V. H. Flewellen, or Phone 433 after 6 p. m.

GOOD 5-room modern house and bath, corner lot; double garage; quick possession; on E. 17th. As cheap a buy as can be found. terms. Phone 1716-W.

FOUR-room frame house for sale. Call at 610 E. 15th after 5:30 during the week; any time Saturday and Sunday.

Farms & Ranches

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Today On Home Front— EXPENSE MUDDLE ANOTHER REASON FOR STREAMLINING OF CONGRESS

By JAMES MARLOW WASHINGTON, June 8 (AP)—The latest move in congress—the house voted itself \$2,500 for expenses—is another reason why it should speed up the job of streamlining itself.

If that same \$2,500 for expenses was a flat increase in salary, making that same congressman's salary \$12,500, his income tax would be \$3,175.

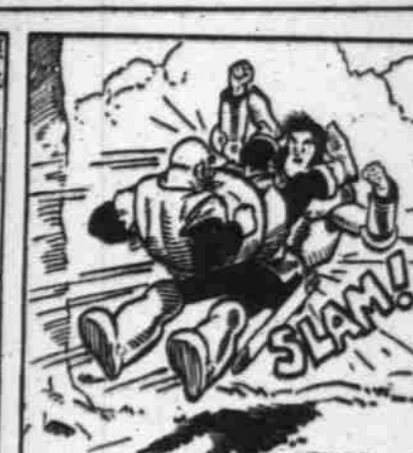
are allowed about \$1,880 a year for such calls. Senators get \$400 a year for stationery. Representatives get \$20.

congress to become a rich man's club and thought congressmen should get between \$15,000 and \$25,000 a year.

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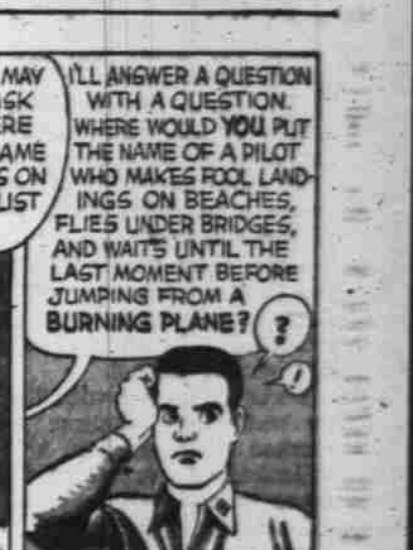


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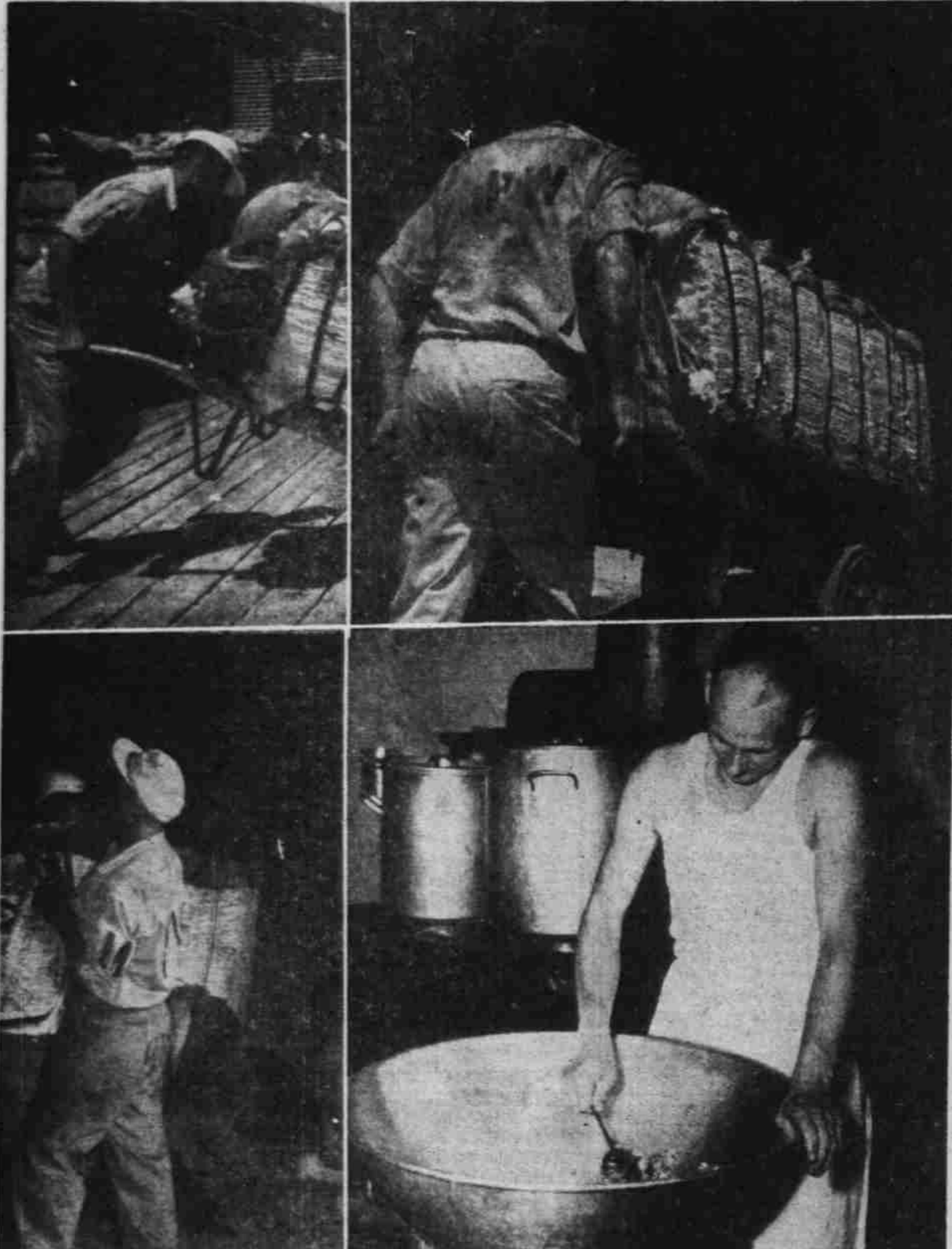


BUZ SAWYER



"Be patient, Dear—you're next over the threshold!" Alienation of affections? Perhaps. But lucky the bride who goes for big bowls of milk, fruit, and Wheaties man. His disposition should be sweeter, his vitamin content higher. All because he goes for big bowls of milk, fruit, and Wheaties, Breakfast of Champions. You're next—for Wheaties!

No Coddling, Mistreatment Of German War Prisoners



GERMANS AT WORK: Pictured above are German prisoners of war on assignment from Camp Berkeley and Bowie, who were sent to Big Spring sometime ago to help in relieving a critical labor shortage at the West Texas Warehouse and Compress. According to terms of the Geneva conference, prisoners can refuse to have their pictures taken, but all at work here agreed willingly.

By HELEN WILSON

Rumors of coddling German prisoners here are without foundation, a visit to their compound at the Big Spring Bombardier School and at the West Texas Warehouse and Compress where they work proves.

To all intents, the army is adhering rigidly to the Geneva conference regulations for handling war prisoners, and that adds up to neither pampering nor mistreatment.

The prisoners were sent here on assignment from Camp Berkeley and Camp Bowie for helping to relieve a critical labor shortage at the local compress where shipments of lend-lease and commodity credit cotton were being held up.

Upon arrival of prisoners, stories circulated and you could hear anything about what the prisoners were here for and what they were doing. So I decided to get the straight of it.

I was accompanied through the compress by Capt. Edgar B. Ward, Jr., commanding officer of the prisoner of war camp, and Charles Baker, superintendent of the compress.

Army guards sent from Camp Berkeley and Bowie were stationed here and there in the press room overseeing the work of the prisoners who wore khaki or blue denim clothes. Large black and white PWs were tattooed on the seats of their trousers, their backs and on the sleeves of their shirts. Their clothes, (class X collections used before by American soldiers) are worn at work by the prisoners who are not allowed to wear their own uniforms outside the compound.

The majority were short stocky-built boys, all specimens of health. Their age average is around 25 and the majority have been in the United States for two years. Although they are not actually pressing the cotton, they are learning the process and are averaging around 40 bales per day. They have been flagging and sampling cotton and are re-arranging stock in the warehouses.

Four-thousand bales must be pressed and shipped, and when they learn, Baker believes the prisoners will come near the average pressing of 75 bales per day. They are proving to be meticulous workers, catching their own mistakes almost before experienced workers do.

The Germans work eight and one-half hours per day for 50 cents per hour, but are only given the equivalent of 80 cents for a day's work with payment made in PX coupons. The remainder of the earnings goes to the government. If a prisoner refuses to work, he is put on bread and water.

More interesting than watching them work was a visit to the German prisoner of war compound located at the west end of the Bombardier School.

I was impressed with the kitchen which was spotless and remarked to the captain how clean it looked. He explained the Germans were clean in some ways, yet had some personal habits not so meticulous.

As for the food they eat, only meat which is not in demand by American citizens is used. Each man is rationed to four ounces per day with eggs included.

They are given no canned fruits and only one and one-half ounces of sugar per man each day.

A menu picked at random showed rolled oats, milk, bread, margarine and coffee for breakfast; stew with potatoes, vegetable, rye bread and water for lunch; soup, beans, peas, vegetable, vegetable salad, bread and tea for supper.

They get no bottled drinks, (beer included) and are not allowed to have candy, cigarettes, cookies or crackers. They roll their own cigarettes and the only ready rolls are those the men have received in German Red Cross packages.

V-E Day was uneventful in the German compound and the surrender of Germany has not affected their readiness to work. According to the captain, the men seem to have seen the handwriting on the wall some time before the collapse.

Going through their barracks was like a visit in any barracks.

The prisoners snapped to attention when the officer entered and passing down the center of the building I noticed odds and ends on the shelves by their beds. There were pin-up girls and other personal belongings the men had saved. A picture of a German family was on one shelf with a safety razor, hair oil and tooth brush.

Their PX turned out to be little more than a closet with nothing but the bare necessities offered for exchange of their coupons. Since they do their own laundry, there was an abundance of laundry soap in evidence along with smoking pipes, tooth paste, brushes and the like.

Capt. Ward states there is very little sickness in the compound and no venereal disease.

Their chief diversion is ping-pong and soccer played on grounds outside the compound under army guard.

This is the extent of what I learned about the men except for verification of the fact there has been no escapes or even attempted escapes, and no trouble with guards or with employees at the compress.

HD Council To Meet Saturday

Council members of the Howard county home demonstration club will convene at the HD office Saturday at 2:30 p. m. to discuss plans for cooperative buying of peaches.

Miss Mildred Atkinson, substituting for Rhea Merle Boyles, HD agent, said Friday, that should the group decide on buying peaches cooperatively, the plan will be different to that carried out in ordering pineapple.

The encampment of 4-H club girls at the city park will be discussed along with the coming demonstration which will be given Tuesday, June 12 by Mrs. Dora Barnes, clothing specialist from A. & M. college. Mrs. Barnes' all-day demonstration will be on the drafting of patterns and will be presented for clothing demonstrators of each club.

Gwendolyn Jones, emergency war food assistant of the extension service will be in Big Spring Friday, June 15 to conduct an all-day meeting on food preparedness.

Sweetwater Couple Is Married Here

Miss Pearl Forrester and Harold Walker of Sweetwater were married Friday morning by Justice of the Peace Walter Grice in his office.

Mrs. Walker, formerly taught school in the Coahoma school system and Walker is employed as an automobile dealer in Sweetwater where the couple will be at home.

Durward Lewter, Howard county agent, was in Sweetwater Friday attending a Hereford sale conducted by Jack Frost, Hereford breeder.

Bill Mead Cites Industrial Needs

Big Spring's need for a milk plant was discussed by W. L. (Bill) Mead at the weekly luncheon of the American Business Club Friday noon at the Settles. He said: "If we will get behind this project, we will be able to have a milk plant of our own run by a Big Spring corporation. This should be a good thing for all of us."

He explained that grass in West Texas will produce more milk from cows than many other counties where plants are located. Mead thinks we also need a feed grinding plant to avoid freight prices. He reported that the industrial committee of the chamber of commerce is working on these projects.

"Everything we can get into Big Spring will help us," he concluded.

Harlan Choate introduced the speaker and Jack Johnson read a letter from a former member, Finis Bugg, who is overseas.

New members present were W. C. Carr and Dee Garner.

It was reported that Lee Harris left Thursday night for Kentucky before going on to the National ABC convention June 18 and 19 in Indianapolis, Ind.

Election of officers was scheduled for June 22. Next week's program chairman will be Burl Haynie and Ted Phillips and Jack Johnson will be in charge of the bulletin.

CAR REPORTED STOLEN

John Albert Smith reported to police Thursday that his car, a 1941 black Buick, was stolen from W. 3rd street about 11:30 p. m. Thursday. Police were investigating.

Livestock

FORT WORTH, June 8 (AP) — Cattle 1,300; calves 600; steers and yearlings steady; calves and cows weak; slaughter steers and yearlings offered were mainly common to medium grades 8.50 - 12.50 with cull yearlings downward to 7.00; medium to good beef cows 9.50 - 12.50 and included one load of fat cows at the top price; good and choice fat calves 12.50 - 13.50 with common to medium calves 8.50-12.00 and culls 6.50 - 8.00; stocker calves and yearlings of good and choice kinds 12.00-13.50.

Hogs 300; demand showed no change; good and choice butcher hogs weighing 150 lb. and up 14.55; most sows 13.80; pigs 14.75-15.00.

Sheep 2,200; steady; good and choice spring lambs 13.50-14.00; cull and medium spring lambs 9.00-13.25; medium and good shorn lambs and yearlings 11.50-13.25; cull kinds down to 9.00; and slaughter ewes and aged wethers 5.00 - 7.50.

LIGHT ACTIVITY

Police activity continued light Thursday night and Friday with only three drunks picked up for court Friday morning. Two traffic tickets were issued. One driver was held for operating a car without a license. There were no cases for city court Thursday morning, the docket showed.

One person was fined \$10 in justice court early Friday after pleading guilty to a charge of speeding.

Jinx Falkenburg To Wed Army Officer

HOLLYWOOD, June 8 (AP) — Movie starlet Jinx Falkenburg, rushing around in a frenzy as any bride-to-be would, plans to fly to New York as fast as she can to marry her sweetheart of four years, Lt. Col. John R. (Tex) McCrary, who is waiting there with all the papers—and a ring.

The actress' mother, as excited as Jinx, said McCrary called Jinx from New York soon after arriving from Europe and they decided to wed immediately instead of waiting until the war is over.

"I'm making her a blue dress for the wedding because that's Tex's favorite color and I'm going to the wedding, too if I have to ride on the tail of an airplane to get there," said Mrs. Falkenburg.

"This is Jinx' first marriage and it'll be her only marriage—and I've got to be there, too."

McCrary's home is in Calvert, Tex.

Odessa Golf Tourney Has Opening Round

OBESSA, June 8 (AP) — The sixth annual Odessa Invitational Golf Tournament opened today with 156 entrants from West Texas and New Mexico. Regarded as possible winners were Dick Martin and Bill Skeeter of Dallas and Doug Jones and Billy Maxwell of Abilene. Twenty-two contestants were from Lubbock and 12 from Hobbs, N. M.

Weather Forecast

Dept. of Commerce Weather Bureau

BIG SPRING AND VICINITY:

Partly cloudy this afternoon, tonight and Saturday.

Louisiana, East Texas and West Texas: Partly cloudy this afternoon, tonight and Saturday.

TEMPERATURES

City	Max.	Min.
Abilene	100	76
Amarillo	95	57
BIG SPRING	103	73
Chicago	66	50
Denver	73	49
El Paso	90	69
Fort Worth	96	74
Galveston	88	79
New York	72	57
St. Louis	93	60

Local sunset Friday at 8:51 p. m.; sunrise Saturday at 6:39 a. m.

Car Collision

Two automobiles collided near the city limits on west Third street Thursday at 9:39 p. m. The drivers of the cars were Ross M. Harrison of Big Spring and Lt. Marvis T. Hogen of Midland army air field. No injuries were reported, and damage of the cars was not estimated.

A \$214,000 HOUSE

MIDLAND, June 8 (AP) — Midland sold \$214,000 in war bond admissions to the army show, "Here Is Your Infantry," which played here Wednesday night. Mayor A. N. Hendrickson said today.

Public Records

Warranty Deeds

William B. Currie to Mrs. Knud J. Neelson, all of tract 15 of the William B. Currie sub-division of S-E quarter of section 42, block 32, township 1-N, 300.

Joseph P. Mendoza, et ux, to Clemente Guzman, all of W-one-half of lot 9, block 99, \$800.

J. W. Tucker, et ux, to W. F. Wade, all of lots 6, 7, block 3, Lincoln Addition; \$1.

John Nutt, et ux, to D. P. Day, lot 12, block 16, McDowell Heights; \$200.

John Jarrett, et ux, to Myrtle Green, lot 6, block 1, Rosemont Addition; \$130.

L. L. Jackson, et ux, to Rosie B. Stallcup, a widow, all of lot 5, block 6, in Porter Addition; \$2,000.

William B. Currie, to W. L. Harrell, all of tract 36, William B. Currie sub-division of S-E quarter of section 42, block 32, township 1-N, T&P Ry.; \$375.

Lee Porter, Howard county clerk, announced Friday that all notaries who have been appointed by the secretary of the state and have not qualified, have until June 10th to qualify.

FOOT MISERY

When feet burn, sting, itch and throb, get a bottle of Moore's Emerald Oil and rub well on feet and ankles morning and night for a few days.

A real discovery for thousands who have found blessed relief. Moore's Emerald Oil is easy and pleasant to use—it does not stain. Economical—money back if not satisfied. Good drugstore everywhere.

Collins Bros. and Cunningham & Phillips

Health Department Nurse Visits Units

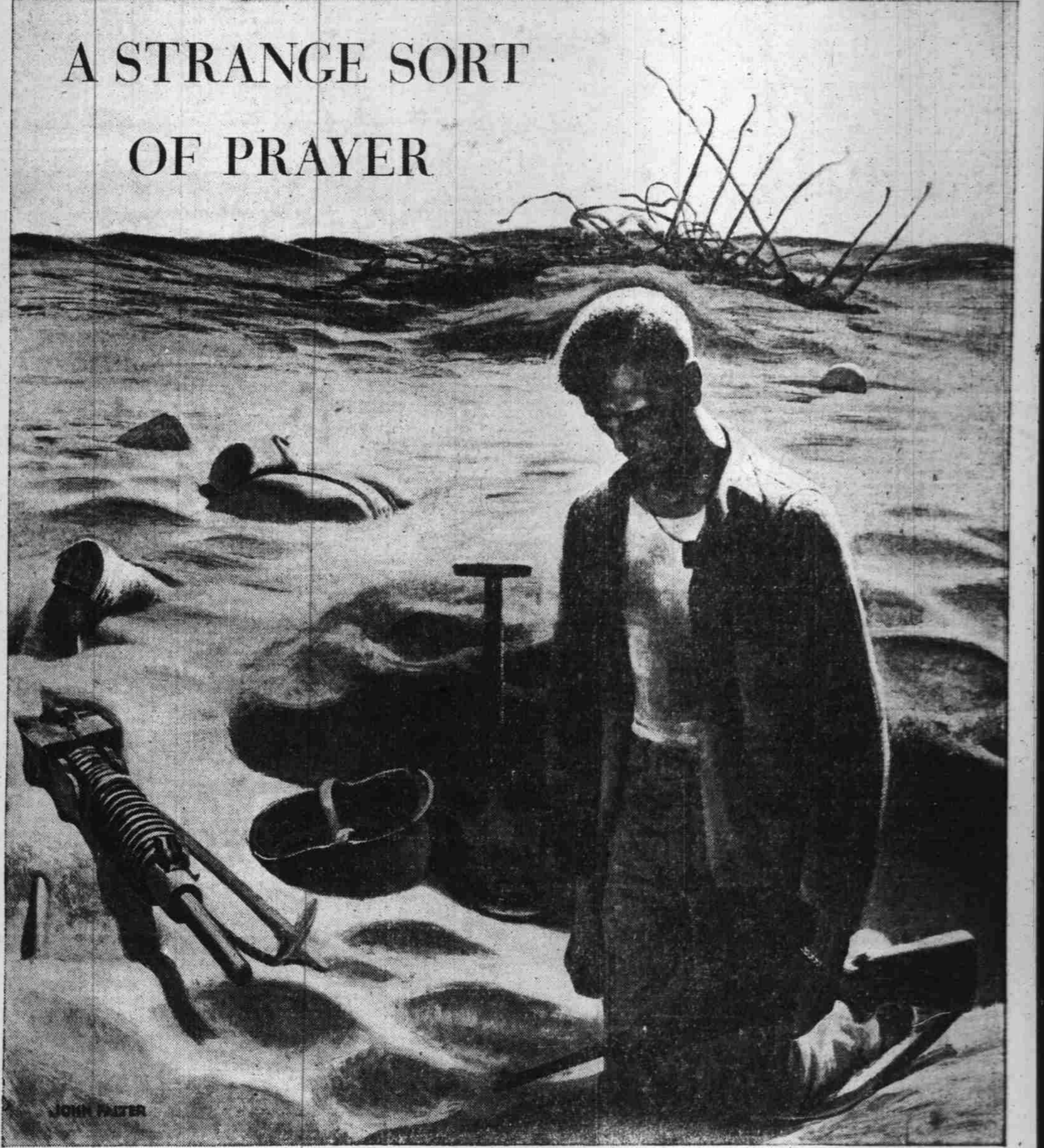
Miss Marguerite Cunningham, nursing supervisor of the state health department was in the Big Spring - Howard county health unit Thursday and Friday.

Miss Cunningham and Health Nurses Ann Fisher and Louise Horton, accompanied Dr. Neil Sanders to the weekly well child clinic conference for Latin American children Thursday. At that time approximately 130 children were given inoculations for small pox, whooping cough, diphtheria and typhoid.

Amazing Pep For Men 40, 60 or More

If life apparently has lost its zest, you again may be able to enjoy life as you did in your youth. If added years have slowed down your vim, vitality and youthful pleasures, here is an inexpensive method that may change your whole outlook on life. Just ask your druggist for Casella stimulating tablets (either 48 or 200, the 200 size costs much less per dose). Take as directed on label and feel the thrill of living again. Don't feel old and worn out at 40, 60 or more. Take these tablets regularly until you feel that you have regained the pleasure of living you once enjoyed. Why be discouraged? Why not try Casella tablets and regain the verve and zest of a much younger man? Women too, will find Casella tablets beneficial.

Collins Bros. and all other druggists.



WELL, GOD, here we are.

You up there. Me down here, with a burning sun, a mess of insects, too much ocean, and other buddies just as lonely as me.

Oh, God, how nice it must be back home, with Germany licked, and the folks humming, and some of the boys all finished with the fighting.

But I guess that wasn't meant for me, was it? And tomorrow and tomorrow I'll still be dodging bullets, still feeling lost in the middle of the night.

Well, no hard feelings.

I'll go wherever You say, and do whatever You want me to. For You know what's best for me.

But say, if You can only get the people back home to remember me, maybe they'll still bear down. Maybe they'll still send us their blood, still stay on the job, still keep making the stuff we need.

You see, God, I'd like to get home, too.

Albert M. Fisher Co.