



# Record Program Of Events Planned For Boy Scout Week

## Revival Of Interest Features The Record Of Troop No. 5 In 1943

Troop No. 5, one of the two troops founded by the late C. S. Holmes, father of scouting in Big Spring, is on the comeback trail—but it had to undergo a sort of rebirth last year.

Chartered in 1931, the troop had been organized by Mr. Holmes with the men's Bible class of the First Baptist church as sponsor. For the next 10 years it had an active history, participating in all the major district and council events.

But late in 1942 and early in 1943 activities came to a standstill and the troop failed to renew its charter. Then the Brotherhood of the First Baptist church stepped in with an offer to sponsor and to aid in reorganizing the troop.

Boyd J. McDaniel was elected scoutmaster, and J. D. Stenbridge as assistant. Committeemen named were T. B. Atkins, J. A. Coffey, George Melear, Joe Pickle and Rev. P. D. O'Brien.

Carl McDonald and Charles Seydler were the first two boys to join the newly organized troop, starting it on a recruiting campaign. Then came Nathan Richardson, Royce Britton, James Boatman, Edwin Morris, Donnie Reeves, Eddie Kobanek and before long the troop was going strong.

Then the scoutmaster was taken ill and forced to retire, and once more the troop lapsed into inactivity. Arnold Seydler, father of one of the scouts, stepped in and began meeting with the boys as assistant scout-

master.

The scouts went on a short summer camp at Christoval and this, with a softball team, lived interest considerably. Two of the lads attended camp at Philmont, New Mexico.

With an offer of a free show at the hands of the sponsors, the boys started gathering new members in an effort to make the "26" club by the end of the year—and they made it.

While they were doing this, they also won the Nat Shlak advancement award and the attendance award at the December court of honor. In December, the troop also gathered scrap paper and continued over into January with this activity, collecting a total of 2,800 pounds.

Funds thus raised will be applied to purchase of wall tents for the troop.

Scouts from the troop also helped take up the collection in the shows for the infantile paralysis fund.

The advancement record shows 12 scouts won their second class badges, eight their first class, four became Star scouts and 10 scouts earned 35 merit badges.

Current members of the troop are: Wolf patrol—Eddie Kobanek, leader, Bob Tom Coffey, Charles Seydler (scribe), Billy Johnson, Jimmy Clark, Arlie Watson, Donald Day; Panther patrol—James Roy Odum, leader, J. C. Horn, assistant, Carl McDonald (scribe), Billy Gene Martin, Billy Montgomery, Jimmy Hobbs, Doyle Jenkins. Flying Eagle patrol—Charles Lovelace, leader, James Burris, Robert Hobbs, Jimmy Black, Clarence Shaffer, Raymond Frazier, Nathan Richardson is senior patrol leader of the troop.

## Something On Tap Every Day By Scouts, Cubs

Boy Scouts in Big Spring have one of the most active programs in history of local scouting planned for Boy Scout anniversary week, starting Tuesday.

As announced by H. D. Norris, field executive, the program, by days, will include flag raising ceremonies at the high school by a Boy Scout color guard; radio programs by troop No. 1; and a model camp on the courthouse lawn with retreat and color guard each evening.

The day by day in addition to these follow:

Tuesday—Setting up window displays and the model camp.

Wednesday—Campfire program and sing song at 7 p. m. on the courthouse lawn for all scouts and Cubs. Houston Walker will be in charge.

Thursday—Court of honor at 7:30 p. m. in the high school gymnasium with W. C. Blankenship, chairman, in charge. Troop No. 7 will give a demonstration in first aid at the meeting.

Friday—Troop hikes, camps, etc.; also parent-son banquets.

Saturday—Special service projects for the community or sponsoring institution (this to be done on a troop basis, and each troop to select its particular project).

Sunday—Boy Scout service for all Scouts, Cubs, committeemen and parents and friends at 8 p. m. in the First Baptist church. All churches are cooperating and the Rev. J. E. McCoy will bring the message. On this day the film, "Happy Land," will open at the Ritz and it is said to be of special interest to those concerned with the juvenile problems.

Monday—Paper collection and other service projects on a community wide basis.



On The Trail—Camping in one of the real highlights of scouting for boys. This scene, taken on a council camp, shows boys of this district and council, equipped for a real adventure in the woods, striking off into the timber for a real experience along the mountain trails.

## Active Year Chalked Up By Troop No. 1, Honor Court Award Winner

An active year went down in the books for troop No. 1 for 1943, according to records of C. S. Edmonds, Jr., scoutmaster of the unit.

Troop No. 1 happens to be the oldest troop in the state of Texas from the point of continuous registrations and one of the oldest from point of service, having been organized in 1910.

During the past year the troop won five of the 12 Court of Honor awards, gaining permanent possession of the C-H banner. The following incomplete list of advancements give some idea as to the progress of the troop: 18 second class awards, nine first class, three Star scout awards, three Life Scouts, and five Eagle scouts. Two Eagle scouts earned their palms and the troop as a whole earned at least 75 merit badges.

Assisting Scoutmaster C. S. Edmonds, Jr. is T. E. Martin. The troop meets each Monday at 7:30 p. m. in the First Christian basement. Troop officers are Barkley Wood, junior assistant, Gene Anderson, junior assistant scoutmaster; Jerry Mancil, patrol leader; Jerry Mancil, and Bobby Ray Pritchett, patrol leaders.

Sponsor of the troop is the Rotary club, and the committee consists of Pat Kenney, H. D. Norris, and A. V. Karcher.

The following boys are members of the troop:

Barkley Wood, Eddie Hickson, James Mancil, Eddie Houser, Bill

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Boy Scout Week Feb. 8 to 14

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## Boy Gives His Impression Of A Boy Scout

This poem was written by Bruce Patton, member of troop No. 4, giving his conception of what a Boy Scout is.

A Scout! What fun he finds in hiking. He tells north from south by moss on the trees, or east from west by the shadows. He can talk to a brother scout across a river by signaling. He knows the principal trees and birds and animals that he meets; he knows which are poisonous weeds or reptiles; he can find his way by the stars as did the Indians and pioneers before him.

If matches are forgotten, he laughs and proceeds to kindle a fire by rubbing sticks together or by striking steel on flint. The fire, once started, now is used for cooking out there in the open. He keeps himself physically fit; he avoids poisons of alcohol and tobacco; he guards his tongue from sacrilege. When he speaks of any loose speech or boasting or one, he tries to speak well of him.

His scout "Good Turns" to someone each day make him many friends for the way to have friends is to first be one. His motto is "Be Prepared" and he thinks through in advance what he would do in a fire or storm. When someone is injured he is "ready to help him with his first-aid knowledge.

He always tries to be a useful citizen. He helps his community. Another big thing a scout en-

## East Fourth Baptist Wants Air Scouting

The East Fourth Baptist church, one of the biggest boosters for scouting in the district, soon hopes to have a "complete scouting family."

The institution already sponsors a Boy Scout troop, a Cub pack and a Girl Scout troop. Now, with the advent of air scouting—a program for senior boys—the church hopes to add an air squadron to its list and make it complete.

## Scouts Accomplish Record In Service

Here is part of the record of scouts in the Buffalo Trail council when it comes to salvage collection.

Scouts gathered 388,000 pounds of scrap metal, salvaged 51,000 pounds of tin cans, gathered 100,000 pounds of waste paper, collected 2,365 books for military camps, built 2,250 model planes and boats for the armed forces.

Joys in camping. There he finds fun in games or swimming, finds new friends in the woods, and there among the trees, or under God's silent trees, or by the campfire's ruddy embers, he dreams out his great tomorrow.

## Council Has Record In Advancement

The average Boy Scout enrolled in the Buffalo Trail council last year advanced two ranks.

This is the conclusion to be drawn from advancement records from the council office, which show a total of 5,100 advancements for 1943. This means that many boys earned promotion from their various ranks of merit badges.

This is a booming gain from several years ago. Back in 1936 there were only 430 advancements. By 1939 the number had grown to 1,192, nearly doubling the following year. Jumping again in 1941 to 3,452, it held fairly steady the next year, but scored a 1,700 jump last year.

More than 10,000 tons of seeds have been sent from the U. S. to the Soviet Union to increase production of food.

34th Anniversary of Scouting

# Boy Scout Week

Feb. 8 - 14

In troubled times like these, Boy Scouting takes on a greater significance than ever before . . . and Scouts are doing a real job in salvaging many needed waste materials for which they are to be commended. Let us all try to match the glorious war work of these boys with our own renewed victory efforts.

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This week, February 8 to 14, is Boy Scout Week. Let us pay tribute to these boys who are contributing so much to the war effort in so many ways, and to their older brothers who are now fighting in the armed forces.

Help the WASTE PAPER Brigade!

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### Health And Safety Program Has Gain

The health and safety program of Boy Scouts in the Buffalo Trail council has grown steadily in the past eight years.

In 1936 there were only 30 health examinations recorded, according to Dr. C. A. Rosebrough, Sweetwater, chairman. The following year it eased up to 72, then in 1938 to 134.

By 1939 the figure was at 311, then 410 and in 1941 it was up to 470, from where it jumped to 552 in 1942. Last year it made its biggest jump in soaring to 768.

### Leadership Training Is Big Objective

The strength of any program is in its leadership, and Boy Scout leaders in the Buffalo Trail council are making efforts to see that the area has trained scouts.

In 1916 the council issued 180 training certificates to leaders. This rose to 205 in 1938 and then sagged sharply. By 1940 it was back to 265 and up to 412 the following year. Again in 1942 the number dropped to 308 but last year the peak was established with 508 certificates issued, indicating a healthy growth in the leader training program.

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**Whispering Pines**—High up in the Rocky Mountains of New Mexico in the picturesque Cienega canyon country, Philmont scout preserve spreads over 200 rugged and timbered sections. Nestled in the countless valleys among the whispering pines, fir and spruce trees are scores of cabins, such as the one above. It is in such surroundings as these that Boy Scouts of the Buffalo Trail council spend their summer camp in Philmont among the unmistakable evidences of God's handiwork.

### Troop No. 1 Arranges For Radio Schedules

Troop No. 1, oldest Boy Scout unit in this area, and the oldest in the entire state from the point of continuous registration, is taking the lead in radio activities during the observance of Boy Scout week.

C. S. Edmonds, scoutmaster of the veteran unit, announced that the boys had adopted a schedule for each of the days through Sunday, and that the programs would vary from one minute sessions to a 30-minute skit.

The skit is set for Saturday evening and includes several of the boys in the cast. This, said the scoutmaster, is the high spot of the week's line-up.

Tuesday at 8:20 p. m. Don Wood will be heard in an eight-

minute talk over KBST, which will carry all the programs. On Wednesday Bill Nichols goes to the microphone at 7 p. m. for a one-minute plug for scouting.

The Thursday schedule sends Sam Thurman to the studio for eight minutes at 8:20 p. m. and Eddie Hickson is down for another talk Friday at 7 p. m. The skit is docketed for 7:15 p. m. Saturday and on Sunday — at 7:05 p. m. Bobby Fox will boost scouting in a one-minute announcement.

Included in the cast for the Saturday skit are Bobby Joe Blum, Jerry Manell, Murph Thorpe, Jr., Everett Self, John Coffee, Bo Hardy, Charles Moody and Jim Bill Little, said Scoutmaster Edmonds.

### Airport Baptist Unit Is District's Newest

Newest troop in the family of Boy Scouts of the Big Spring district is troop No. 6, sponsored by the Airport Baptist mission.

The troop meets each Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. at the mission building with Preston Denton as the scoutmaster, assisted by Oliver Sullins.

On the troop committee are Arthur Leonard, chairman, Hollis Lloyd and Jesse Snider, Charter members of the troop are C. L. O'Brien, Wayne Burleson, Dalton Olson, Bryan Carr, Hal Hensley, James Kilgore, J. L. Pettit, R. H. Carter, Luther Snider, Billy Dooley, William Thomas, Duaine Leonard and Leo O'Gorman.

### 4-H Calf Show Set For Stanton

STANTON, Feb. 8 — Martin county's annual 4-H club boys' calf show will be conducted Saturday, Feb. 19, in Stanton, it was decided at a meeting of eight club boys who will show calves, their fathers, several Stanton business men and the county agent.

Boys to participate are James and Virgil Holloway, W. D. Chandler, Bob Cox, Bruce Key, Bennie Kelly, O. L. Snodgrass and Bobbie Alhart.

Approximately 16 calves will be exhibited and will be the "best exhibited in any calf show since I have been here," said Hubert Martin, county agent.

The boys also plan to show calves at Midland, Odessa, El Paso and Amarillo. The show at Midland will be conducted Feb. 29 and March 1 for 4-H club and Future Farmers of America members of Midland, Martin, Glasscock, Ector and Upton counties.

### Test Suit Filed On Attorney Gen.

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 8 (AP) — Orders to proceed with a writ of mandamus against the Texas attorney general to force approval of a call on \$16,000 worth of Bexar county juvenile home bonds, refunded Oct. 10, 1943, in a friendly suit to test legality of the action, were given the district attorney here yesterday by the county commissioners' court.

Attorney General Grover Sellers last week advised the court that call of the bonds which had been issued last October as a part of the \$1,283,000 refunding series, bearing a callable option after ten years, could not be called prior to the expiration of ten years.

**JAP ADMIRAL KILLED**  
NEW YORK, Feb. 8 (AP) — The Tokyo radio said today in a domestic broadcast that Japanese Vice Admiral Teruo Akiyama had been killed in action "on the Southern front," but gave no details.

### Parents At North Ward Sponsoring New Scout Troop

The only Boy Scout troop in the Big Spring district sponsored by a Parent-Teachers Association is that at North Ward school.

This unit was organized in December to meet a demand for a scout troop for boys, most of whom reside in the northern part of the city. Although a young troop, the unit has plunged immediately into an active program, participating in the paper salvage, the district camp and going on several patrol hikes.

Carrying the number of 19, the troop has C. M. Verdeil, G. L. Hodnett, B. A. Munger, M. A. Jabor and E. T. Tucker as committeemen. The scoutmaster is Clayton McCarty with C. V. Warren and Melvin Choate as assistants.

Scouts are Marvin Vaughn, Weldon Mears, B. E. McClure, Carroll Choate, James Abbey, Wayne Rush, Ray Sheppard, Thomas Coates, Doyle Denton, Tony Jabor, Lynn Hodnett, Charles Forch, Bobby Wheeler, Gene Foster, Billy Kilpatrick, Joe Jabor, and William Birdwell.

### Oklahoma Colonel

WICHITA FALLS, Feb. 8 (AP) — Job H. Wilson, Wichita Falls manufacturer, will be named a colonel on the staff of Oklahoma's Governor Robert S. Kerr after having "bought" the executive for \$225,000 in war bonds at a bond rally here last night.

Spirited bidding by the Texans for the governor and his clothing netted a total of \$630,000, his clothing, sold by the piece, having brought \$405,000.

The governor's necktie brought \$40,000; his shirt, \$60,000; his trousers, hat and watch, \$50,000 each and the coat \$55,000.

### Germans Wrest Rail Station From Slavs

LONDON, Feb. 8 (AP) — German troops have wrested the railway station of Perusic on the Belgrade-split railway from its partisan defenders after a fierce two-day battle, a communique from the Yugoslav army of liberation acknowledges today.

The Nazis were rushing reinforcements to what apparently was developing into a major battle between Perusic, 80 miles south of Zagreb in the Croatian province of Lika, and the Adriatic sea.

Marshal Josip Broz (Tito) announced that a "well-known Mohammedan commander" had come over to the Partisan cause with 2,000 of his armed men.

**CHINESE STARVING**  
CHUNGKING, Feb. 8 (AP) — More than 20,000,000 Chinese are facing starvation as the result of Japanese oppression in enemy-held areas of once thriving Hopen province in North China, Chinese reports said today.

**SEEKS RELECTION**  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 8 (AP) — Senator James J. Davis (R-Pa.) today announced his candidacy for reelection.

Production of wheat for 1944 in Australia is estimated at 97,000,000 bushels.

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### Troop Snags Cotton Picking For Competition But Has Real Record

Every year troop No. 7 snags cotton picking as competition and has to suspend activities for the duration of the harvest.

But this doesn't keep the troop, sponsored by the Lions club, from attaining a splendid record of activities among the Latin-American boy population of the city.

Despite the lost time, the troop managed to collect a thousand pounds of paper, distribute poster and similar material, kept up a record of 90 per cent attendance at meetings—probably the best in the entire council for this point.

The troop carried out a hiking program, participated in the spring round-up with 34 boys and 3 leaders and tied for third place in the district. The troop camp in August drew 23 boys, and many boys advanced. During the year 15 members got to be second class, one a Star Scout and 24 earned merit badges.

The troop was led by C. L. Henry as scoutmaster, A Cineseros, Gene Salazar as assistants, J. A. Selkirk as troop committeeman. Other committeemen were Dewey

Martin, Rev. George Julian and Alton Underwood.

A unique experience for the troop was a prize of airplane rides for three outstanding boys. The scout with perfect attendance got one, another for most advancement and a third for the largest amount of paper collected.

### Boys Make Good On Dispatch Bearing

Boy Scouts serve as dispatch bearers for the government during this time of emergency and in the Buffalo Trail council last year they achieved this enviable record: Distributed 9,300 government circulars, 2,230 government posters, 1,000 council or local governmental information, and 2,700 war posters. They have just helped in putting out material on the Fourth War Loan and turn next to posters for women marines.

### Finances In Best Condition For Area

Finances of the Buffalo Trail council are in prime condition, a total of \$21,022 having been raised in the area during 1943.

Not only is this the most the council ever raised, but it is twice the amount raised in any two years prior to 1940. The figure represents a gain of 30 per cent even over the lush year of 1942, and 50 per cent over 1941.

U. S. manufacturing plants have 50,000 workers absent each day because of accidents.

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Army-operated manufacturing plants have an accident frequency rate 30 per cent lower than private plants with Army contracts.

This week, National Boy Scout week, let's all try to match the glorious war effort of the Boy Scouts with our own renewed Victory efforts . . . by cooperating with the Scouts in their war salvage work . . . by investing in extra War Bonds.

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**Executive And Camping Chairman In Conference Concerning Summer Plans**

S. P. Gaskin, Sweetwater, area executive for the Buffalo Trail council, and Carl Blomshield, general chairman of camping for the area, conferred here Monday on plans for the annual summer camp for the Boy Scouts in the 15-county territory.

Blomshield announced that the main camp would be held at Philmont, New Mexico, a 200-section preserve donated for scout purposes by Waite Phillips, Bartlesville, Okla., oil tycoon.

Possible dates, said Blomshield, are from July 3 to July 31, but no exact dates have yet been fixed. The chairman said it was probable that the camping session at the New Mexico site would be divided into two or three periods, but he expressed the hope that none would be shorter than for two weeks.

While favoring the Philmont camp, Blomshield nevertheless

has stood out for longer camping periods in the mountain region to justify the long trip there and back, otherwise, he said, the time scouts spend enroute is disproportionate to their time in camp.

Transportation, food and program will be included in the fee which will be announced later.

Last year there were 274 scouts and 41 scouters who attended the council camp at Philmont, and Blomshield said he would not be surprised at an attendance of 400 regular scouts, 50 senior scouts, and 50 leaders this summer.

The Philmont area is one of the most remarkable in the nation from a camping point. It has everything, including, swimming, fishing, mountain climbing, horseback riding, Indian lore, camping in the woods, etc and anything a real boy could want to do.

**East Fourth Baptist-Sponsored Boy Scout Troop No. 4 Is Active Unit**

Organized in 1930, Boy Scout troop No. 4, sponsored by the East Fourth Baptist church, has had a continuous history and currently is one of the most active in the council.

The following history of the troop was written by Boyce Patton, scribe of the troop.

"Troop No. 4 was organized in May 1930 when 40 boys were registered. The troop had many things to do, they met in the church basement of the East Fourth Baptist church which sponsored and still sponsors troop. The boys and scoutmaster would work together in making camp articles and many wall decorations.

"In 1932 there were 22 members registered. Nine scouters were listed as follows: A. S. Smith, scoutmaster, D. J. Wright, F. S. McCullough, D. F. Bigony, Verdie Phillips and F. E. Earnest, troop committeemen.

"Troop No. 4 was among the first troops organized in the city. From 1934 - 37, troop No. 4 was going 'full swing' with Garrett Patton as scoutmaster and Fred Mitchell as assistant. From 1937-38 the troop was inactive.

"In the latter year, troop No. 4 'got on the beam' again with Rev. R. Elmer Dunham acting as scoutmaster. Rev. Dunham is serving now as a 1st lieutenant and Chaplain in the US army.

"The troop is now operating under the following leaders: Enzor Puckett, Donald Williams, senior patrol leaders; scribe, Royce Patton; Rev. Bill Colson, Chairman; Judge James T. Brooks, Roy C. Williams, Denver Yates and W. R. Puckett, troop committeemen.

"Scoutmaster of the troop is Sgt. U. Dale Puckett, with Houston Walker assisting."

The troop, Boyce might have mentioned, is the only one in the council which engendered so much interest it had to be divided into two units for operation. It is, naturally, one of largest troops in the council. To troop No. 4 also goes the distinction of being the only troop in Big Spring which

has its own building, erected specifically as a scout meeting place. The sponsors of the troop put up a rock building adjoining the church three seasons ago and it is one of the most used buildings in the city.



**CHICKS BY MILLIONS**—Edith McCabe, at a hatchery in the New York area, prepares for shipment some of the country's booming supply of chicks. Railway Express estimates shipments at \$6,000,000 this year, 40 per cent more than in 1941, due to increased production of poultry to replace rationed meat.

**Good Excuse**

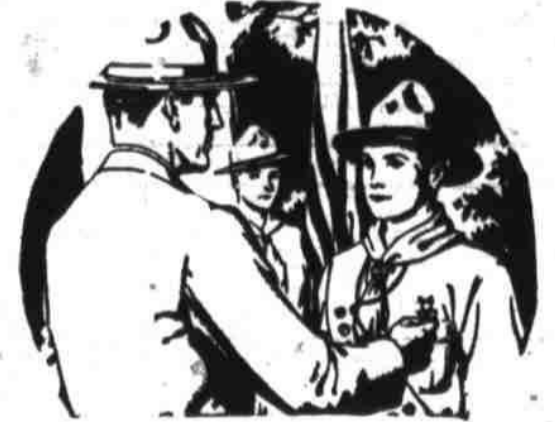
AUSTIN, Feb. 8 (AP) — Donation of a pint of blood to the American Red Cross was a valid

excuse from jury service in 53rd district court here.

Although the donor, Clarence McCullough, was willing to serve yesterday defense and prosecuting attorneys agreed that he should be excused.

February 8th to 14th, 1944 will mark observance of the 34th Anniversary of the Founding of the Boy Scouts of America. The organization's 1,589,281 scouts, cubs and adult leaders the country over are serving on the home front, supporting America's armed forces.

No other single group has contributed more to the nation's Scrap drives. Let's continue to help them and also back up the boys on the fighting front, by buying extra WAR BONDS today.



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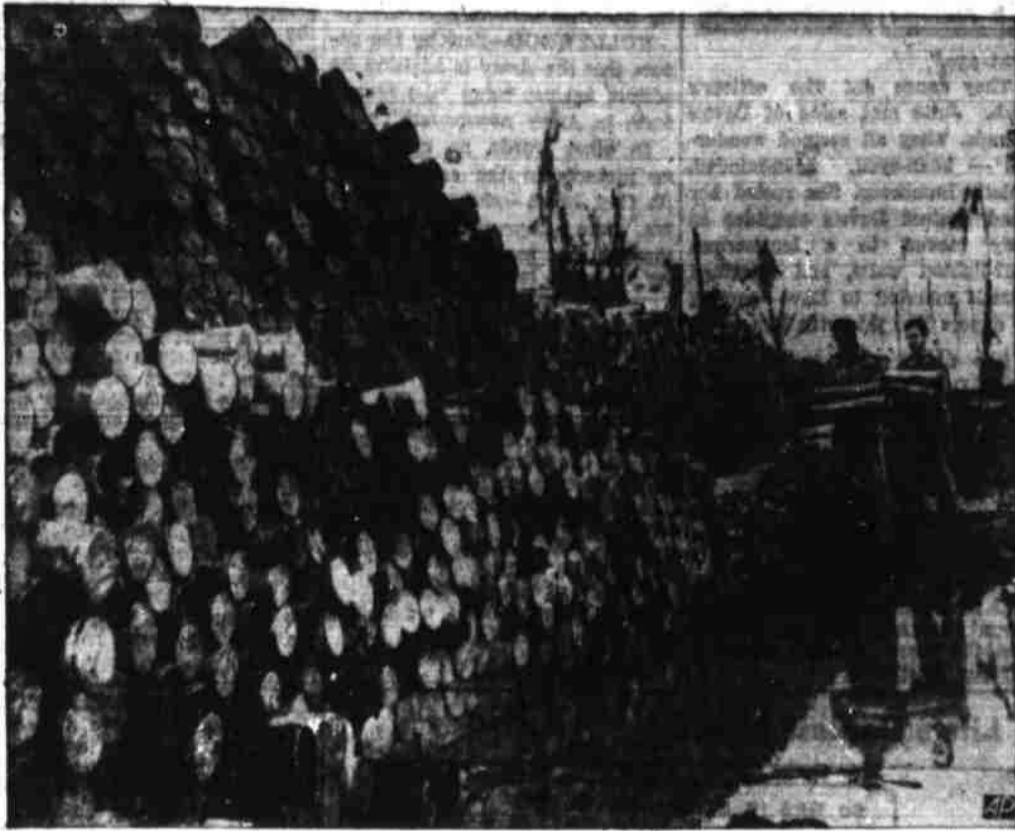
On my honor I will do my best—to do my duty to God and my country, and to obey the Scout Law . . . To help other people at all times . . . To keep myself physically strong, mentally awake, and morally straight.

IT IS ESTIMATED THAT APPROXIMATELY HALF OF OUR FIGHTING FORCES WERE FORMER BOY SCOUTS! THIS IS A WONDERFUL RECORD FOR ANY ORGANIZATION AND WORTHY OF YOUR WHOLEHEARTED SUPPORT.

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# THE ASSOCIATED PRESS NEWS IN PICTURES



**SHELL CASE SALVAGE**—Pfc. George D. Fidler (left), Eldorado Springs, Colo., and Cpl. Billy Lindsey, Chenango Bridge, N. Y., pile up used shell cases at a South Pacific Marine base.



**CANTEEN FAVORITE**—Surrounded by some of her fans at Champaign, Ill., Jackie Tucker of Karber's Ridge, Ill., voted the most popular "donuteer" in a poll of more than 100,000 service men at 150 canteens.



**FROM ONE MAYOR TO ANOTHER**—On the anniversary of the Russian victory at Stalingrad, Mayor F. H. LaGuardia of New York City (right) gives a token Russian War Relief household emergency kit to Capt. Danil Klodov (left) of the Russian navy and Capt. Orest Shevchov of the Red army, to send to Mayor I. Zumenko of Stalingrad. Consul Gen. E. V. Kisselev looks on.



**RECEPTION BY ARAB KING**—Scene in the palace of King Ibn Saud of Saudi Arabia (center) when he received Maj. Gen. Ralph Royce, U. S. commander in the Middle East, for a discussion of economic and military matters. Left to right are Lt. William A. Kalf, USA; Gen. Royce; King Ibn Saud; an interpreter; and James S. Moore, Jr., the American minister.



**READY TO SAIL**—Sea bags packed, four of the guards who man guns on merchant ships look over the new booklet of games and puzzles issued by the National Recreation Association for the armed forces. Left to right are Seaman First Class Robert Sahn of Cincinnati, John A. Smith, Augusta, Ga.; Peter M. Rivera, New Castle, Pa.; and Howard J. Zilch, Attleboro, Mass.



**PICNICKING ALONG THE VOLTURNO**—WACs and GI's on a picnic jaunt along the Volturno river had a ride from an Italian civilian. Left to right are Pfc. Melvin Diamond, New York; Pfc. Dorothy Millard, Manchester, N. H.; Cpl. Georgiana Anderson, Ashland, Wis.; Pvt. Elgin Schrank, Elgin, Tex.; Pfc. Eleanor Spivola, Hilo, T. H.; Pvt. Gerard Sullwell, Philadelphia.



**IN THE SARATOGA'S WHEELHOUSE**—Capt. John H. Cassidy, USN, skipper of the aircraft carrier Saratoga, peers through the porthole of the wheelhouse on a South Pacific mission.



**SOUTH AMERICAN VISITOR**—Gen. Isaias Medina Angarita (left), president of Venezuela, a visitor in New York, converses with Thomas J. Watson, president of International Business Machines, at a luncheon in the general's honor.



**YOUTHFUL 'STUNT' PILOT**—In this miniature plane built by his father in their Seattle back yard, four-year-old Alvin Austin (above) does all kinds of fancy "flying."



**WOMEN'S SERVICE LEADERS**—Heads of all four women's branches of U. S. armed forces shown as they got together for a broadcast in New York City. Left to right are Col. Oveis Culp Hobby of the WAC, Capt. Mildred McAfee of the WAVES, Lt. Col. Ruth Cheney Brester of the Marine Women's Reserve, and Lt. Cmdr. Dorothy Sisson of the SPARS.



**BACK TO BROADWAY**—After seven years in Hollywood, Margaret Sullivan has returned to Broadway where she is playing in "The Voice of the Turtle." Miss Sullivan is pictured here in a scene from the three-character comedy.



**EMERGENCY RUBBER PROGRAM**—Papuan natives on a New Guinea rubber plantation now under Australian army control carry buckets of liquid latex to a factory for processing.

Editorial

Scouting A Proven Program

Boy Scouts of America celebrate their 34th birthday as an organization today and throughout the ensuing week...

The secret of the Boy Scout movement is in the importance ascribed to requiring boys to live up to the scout oath and law...

Washington Daybook

By JACK STINNETT WASHINGTON — If the forward-looking members of Congress keep sniping away on behalf of Congressional reforms...

Some weeks ago, I wrote about the Maloney-Monroe bill which would establish a joint commission to study means of overhauling the creaking Congressional machinery...

More important at the moment is the Kefauver resolution which would bring the members of the Cabinet to the floor of the House for periodic question and answer sessions...

While this is something of a modification of the British system, where cabinet members are drawn from and retain voting seats in the House of Commons...

Neither would it hold any terrors for Secretary of State Hull, who is at home on the floor of Congress. As a matter of fact...

Hull's unprecedented personal report to Congress on his mission to Moscow has paved the way. Congress generally was mightily impressed by the benefits of his personal appearance...

On the other hand, Cabinet members like Secretary of Agriculture Wickard, Secretary of Labor Perkins, who have been under fire from time to time...

The Kefauver resolution provides however that embarrassing questions would be out of order and the Cabinet members would have the right to refuse to answer any questions...

Rep. Estes Kefauver is a 40-year-old Chattanooga who has represented his district for three terms. Like a lot of the other "young men" in Congress...

One fourth of the U. S. population is still without public library service, according to a recent survey...

A brass rolling mill reduced its accident frequency rate from 46 to 4.3 in a year by following a realistic safety program...

X-ray examination of new patients in mental hospitals is believed to be an effective means of tuberculosis control in large communities...

You'd Be Surprised

By GEORGE STIMPSON WASHINGTON (Sp) — Will wonders never cease in the fairyland known as Washington...

There are more things in heaven and earth, Horatio, than are dreamt of in your philosophy. Cong. Wright Patman, of Texas...

Patman then related the story of the mystery of the chinaware soup plate. This earthy little fellow, he explained, is known in No. 93-C-3255 and is a plain, white, thick soup plate made according to government specifications...

Having no use for them, the Army in May, 1943, asked the treasury procurement division if it had need of the plates. The treasury said no. So the Army sold them to Balter Sales Co., New York City, for 12 1-2 cents apiece...

Now let Wright talk a bit to bridge a technical gap: "Under the terms of procurement regulation No. 7, one of the War Department's least of the War Department's surplus goods of this type are supposed to be offered first to other federal agencies by means of circularization; then, if there be no takers within the government, the goods are turned over to the procurement division of the treasury for disposition by that agency, if it desires to accept them for that purpose...

"Treasury procurement sold these plates during the month of December, 1943, to various buyers holding such illuminating names as Army Salvage Co., Marine Junk Co., and so forth. The new plates thus sold, brought an average price of 8 cents each and, to cap the climax, the Navy Department on Dec. 23, 1943, placed another order for 110,674 of these plates at a unit price of 18 cents per plate..."

By a treaty in 1818, the United States and Great Britain agreed to occupy the Oregon country jointly. Antelaters can go for long periods without food.

FLIGHT FROM LOVE by JOHN C. FLEMING and LOIS EBY AP Features

Chapter 15 Julie rode the bus into Hollywood. She had to transfer twice and stand up a good third of the way, but it was fun. She was going to see Dave...

There was a half moon, she noticed as she got out at Hollywood and Vine. She stood on the corner waiting and watched the aimless eagerness of the strolling night crowd...

"Still the most beautiful gal in town," he said. "I've been strolling the boulevard and I know." "Strolling?" Her laughter broke off as she tucked a hand through his arm and they moved into the sauntering sidewalk parade...

"I borrowed a fell w officer's jolopy at the last minute," Dave explained. "So I got here early. Called the studio. Thought I could pick you up. But they said you hadn't been there today."

Julie nodded, her twinkling eyes hid beneath her veil. They paused absently with the couple ahead of them before a dusky shop window. A family group of glazed-eyed mannequins were seated about the dead embers of a fireplace...

Julie, about to make a flippant joke of the stodgy scene, caught herself as she saw Dave's absorption. He laughed at her wide-eyed surprise, and guided her back into the slow-moving throng...

"Do you like it now?" "Like it?" His lips smiled at her but his eyes were fixed on distance and height far beyond. "I don't know. Being in it brings out a kind of dynamic energy in you, a primeval instinct of some sort to give it your best—to get through it—clean it all up—bring in a breath of good air for the next age..."

"Why not?" said Julie. But there was emptiness in her voice. He had shud her out, retreated into a world of his own. His miasma of security was not a shared one...

They ate in a leather booth with brass fixtures and red cinnabar silhouettes on the walls. The night's enchantment returned for Julie, as Dave smiled through his cocktail glass at her. "To you, Julie. May you always be as lovely and as happy."

He began to tell her small, funny stories of the air corps. Story reminded him of story. Together they went back through the years of their lives on a trail of humorous incidents...

Julie laughed till she cried at the time old Pearson's bull kept Dave in the apple tree all night. And the time Alf Stoner brought the tear bomb to school. "We did our share of mischief, I guess," she gasped...

His tan hand reached out to squeeze her tapering fingers. "Not you," he said quietly. "You were always a princess."

His keen eyes were searching her face. They held affection. And they held something else—a kind of question—or was it regret? A coolness touched Julie's glow of joy. She frowned. "Was I a prig?"

Dave smiled and assured her gently. "No. You were as natural as heather in Scotland. You were meant to demand the best of things. That's why it appalled me when I heard about your money going. I couldn't see you forced out of your pattern..."

For a moment Julie wavered before an impulse to tell him how much she had moved out of her pattern. Instead she controlled her smile, and argued, "But you were forced out of your pattern. And you like it."

"I'm plebian at heart," Dave said quietly. "Even at that I didn't like it at first. I hated regimentation. And I hated the idea of combat."

DICKY DARE



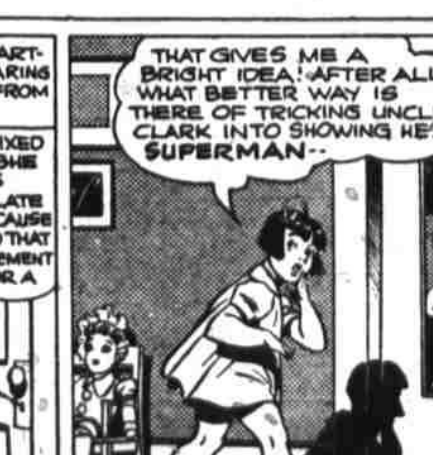
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Sights And Sounds

By ROBBIN COONS HOLLYWOOD—Saw by the papers that the Army is advising its editors against using "the female form in Army newspapers..."

In other words, no more pin-up pictures in the camp sheets. At first blush—who said that?—we were impressed with the thought that movie studios might be saving a lot of scarce photo-

Dave glanced at his watch as he pulled up before the apartment. "Almost on the minute, Cinderella." He swung out and came to open her door. As they went up the steps she fumbled for her keys and he teased her as he used to do in Melbridge. And then as he put the key in the lock, he said without looking at her. "Afraid this is goodbye for a while, Julie."

"Goodbye?" she faltered. "Yes. We're shoving off in the morning. Combat duty."

To be continued.

graphic negative and paper from the advice. Not so. All the lots have been sending cheesecake to the camp publications on request, as well as pictures to individual G. I.'s asking them. What one cheesecake specialist anticipates: "Jeepers, if they stop printing 'em, we'll have to send thousands of single pictures where we only sent hundreds before!"

The War Department Guide which contained this advice to editors commented: "This (the female form in Army newspapers) is not a military subject, although it is frequently a subject of the military." That would seem to leave the matter squarely up to the Navy, which might claim a priority anyway based on the "face that launched a thousand ships..."

Incidentally, Hollywood isn't worried. It thinks the "female form" is here to stay...

Seymour Nebenzal, who made the French hit "Mayerling," is planning a re-make here in English...

Nature In Hollywood: Ray Milland and Barbara Britton in "Till We Meet Again" have a scene in which they wander through the French countryside, discover a fallen baby bird, tenderly replace it beside its brother in the nest. The French woodland is on Stage 18; the birds are Japanese rice birds; their "mother" is a magpie—selected for previous screen experience; their nest once belonged to a dove...

Joan Crawford still has her contract with Warner's—but she can't get a cook and a nurse on the dotted line so she can start doing something about it. "My new nurse," she said referring to her umpteenth, "is leaving tomorrow, and the cook left tonight..."

Incidental information: movie hairdressers fuss, if they're the cunning kind, over naturally curly hair. When girls—like Maureen O'Hara, Ginger Rogers, Betty Grable—have it, the coiffeur have a Westmore's own time "doing a thing with it..."

Quick look at Bette Davis or the "Mr. Skeffington" set: A cloud of cigarette smoke in conference with Director Vincent Sherman. Dialogue goes like this: "I think she'd think... No, I think she wouldn't, at all... Yes, I see but... Don't you think she'd be feeling this way, rather than... It's perpetual between scenes..."

Crossword Puzzle

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- DOWN 1. Steps 2. Worship 3. Prolongs 4. Imitate 5. Rendered fat of swine 6. Strength 7. Mountain 8. Precious stone 9. Funeral oration 10. Biblical king 11. Gypsy 12. Divorced ad-herent 13. Posazza 14. Fusable opaque substance 15. Form 16. Hard 17. Felt malice 18. Private teacher 19. Staff 20. Bare 21. Affirmative 22. Salt 23. Invert 24. Oral 25. Siamese coins 26. Removed unwanted plants 27. Grass-berrie 28. Impelled 29. Bosses action 30. Put bottoms on 31. Show slowly 32. Coat 33. Purpose 34. Scotch river

Grid for crossword puzzle with numbers 1-34.

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INS. FOUNDER DIES

WACO, Feb. 8 (AP)—John D. Mayfield, founder of the Texas Life Insurance company in 1901, considered the first mutual reserve company in Texas, died yesterday at a Marlin hospital. Funeral services will be held tomorrow.

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The broadcast, quoting the Vatican newspaper Osservatore Romano, said a "formal strong protest" has been filed over the violation of these rights, "guaranteed by solemn treaties." Thirteen buildings in Rome, besides Vatican City, enjoy the rights, placing them out of the jurisdiction of local and state authorities.

Describing the forced entry into St. Paul's, one of the four major Basilicas in the world, the Swiss newspaper Basler Nachrichten said the Fascist police, ignoring protests of the rector, searched the church from cellar to roof and arrested 64 persons.

The Vatican announcement did not say why the Fascists forced their way into the Basilica. Re-

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**Brotherhood Picnic Program Successful**

Around 77 persons attended the unique picnic program which was sponsored by the Brotherhood at the East Fourth Baptist

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**Denton Rites Set For Wed.**

Funeral services for M. M. Denton, who succumbed Monday at 8:30 p. m., will be held Wednesday at 2:30 p. m. at the East Fourth Baptist church with the Rev. J. E. McCoy, pastor of the First Christian church, an dthe Rev. W. H. Colson, East Fourth pastor, officiating.

Mr. Denton was born in Tennessee and has resided here since 1915 operating the Denton dairy. Survivors include his widow, Mrs. M. M. Denton; one daughter, Mrs. E. O. Beuschamp; two step-daughters, Priscilla and Wilma; four sons, Ralph Denton, Houston, Willard Denton, Big Spring, Preston, Big Spring, Melton, Big Spring; eight grandchildren; brothers, John Denton, Winters, Otis Denton, Knott and Clyde Denton of Fairview; sisters, Lillian Burleson, Mrs. Michael Hill, Tuscola, Mrs. J. W. Denton of Big Spring, a sister-in-law.

Pall bearers will be Bob Middleton, Dr. E. O. Wolfe, George O'Brien, L. L. Gulley, A. H. Bugg and H. E. Clay.

The body will lie in state at the Eberly-Curry funeral home until services.

**Bond** (Continued From Page 1)

morning information has been received that the secretary of the treasury has addressed all presidents of railroads and presidents of labor unions asking them to request their members to invest all back pay received through recent negotiations in war bonds. Several union presidents already have expressed their willingness, according to information received here.

"There is no better place for railroad men to put that back pay than in war bonds," it was stated Tuesday morning.

Additional firms contributing blocks of "Khaki" tickets given in return for bonds were announced as follows: Minute Inn, Casino club, Settles hotel, Crawford hotel, Big Spring Iron and Metal, John Smith Tire company, Dr. Pepper Bottling Co., Mellinger's, Burr's Department store, Keith's Feed store, Stripling Wholesale grocery, Perry studio, Big Spring Cotton Oil mill, Creighton Tire company, Coca-Cola Bottling company, Dr. W. B. Harry, Robert Stripling Insurance agency, Twins cafe, Jim Little, J. & L. Drug, KBST radio station, Mrs. Dorca Roberts, J. B. Mull and Dr. Roscoe B. G. Cowper.

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**Weather Forecast**

Dept. of Commerce Weather Bureau

**BIG SPRING AND VICINITY:** Mostly cloudy tonight and fair and cooler Wednesday.

**WEST TEXAS:** Mostly cloudy this afternoon; fair and cooler tonight and Wednesday; temperatures 25 to 30 in Panhandle tonight. Fresh to strong winds.

**TEMPERATURES**

	Max.	Min.
Abilene	67	57
Amarillo	58	36
BIG SPRING	68	58
Chicago	35	..
Denver	63	32
El Paso	57	45
Ft. Worth	72	62
Galveston	72	64
New York	383	21
St. Louis	57	33

Precipitation at 7:30 a. m. Tuesday 20.

Sunset Tuesday 7:26 p. m. Sunrise Wednesday 8:34 a. m.

**HAS OPERATION**

James Kenneth Tibbs, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tibbs, underwent an appendectomy at the Big Spring hospital Monday. He is reported to be doing well.

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**Test Completed, Another Spuds**

One test was completed in the area as another was spudded at the start of this week.

The Bond Oil and L. C. Harrison No. 1 Texas Land and Mortgage Co., extending the north west end of the Istan-East Howard pool around three-quarters of a mile, tested 192 barrels of 31.7 gravity oil on a 24 hour test.

Bottom of hole is 2,840 feet and gas oil ration for the test was 550-1. Top of pay was 2,745 and a 330 quart shot was from 2,740 feet to bottom. Location is 1,862 feet from the north and 1,672 feet from the east lines of section 8-30-1s, T & P.

North Ordinance, Inc. No. 1 Clayton & Johnson, wildcat deep test located 330 feet out of the northeast corner of section 32-31-4n, T & P, spudded and set 391 feet of surface casing after drilling to 400 feet. Arrow Drilling Co. of Tulsa is contractor for the test. This marks the first Northern Ordinance test in this vicinity, although John B. Hawley, Jr., one of its principal figures, has drilled several in his own name in Howard county.

**Local People Attend Rites**

Several friends went Monday to Comanche for funeral of Lt. Hulan Robertson, who succumbed early Sunday in Fort Worth of crash injuries.

Chaplain James L. Patterson of the Big Spring bombardier school presided at the military funeral at the graveside, and Camp Bowie furnished a detail including a bugler and firing squad. The Rev. P. D. O'Brien, pastor of the First Baptist church in Big Spring, of which Lieut. Robertson was a member, officiated at the church rites.

Mrs. Robertson is returning to Tyler to make her home with her parents, it was said.

Attending from here were Lieut. and Mrs. Pat Wilkinson, Mrs. Evelyn Nicholson, Mrs. Ova Lee Bowers, Mr. and Mrs. Tilman Bryant, Mrs. O. D. Turner, Mrs. Helen O'Brien, Mrs. J. V. Dunlap, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Boatman, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Boatman, Louise Leonard, Mrs. Billie T. Smith, and Rev. O'Brien.

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**Public Records**

**Marriage Licenses**  
Hubert Woodberry and Miss Ruby Jewel Smith, both of Comahoma.

Charles Kinsey, Jr., of Ohio and Miss Shirley Ruth Graves of Minnesota.

**Warranty Deeds**  
Mrs. D. B. Cox to J. O. Miller, lots 9 and 10, block 1, Striplin addition, \$400.

J. H. Allison and wife to Joe F. Allison, tract in section 6, block 33, Township 1-S, T. & P. Ry. Co. survey, including 280 acres, \$10 and other consideration.

Mount Bethel Colored Baptist church through its trustees, Sam Leach, E. M. Watson, and Tom Humphrey, to Henderson Crockett and wife, lot 3, block G, Rosemont addition to original townsite, \$100.

H. S. Currie to W. N. King, lot 7, block 3, Cole and Strayhorn addition, \$1,442.25.

William B. Currie and wife to James E. Skaggs, lots 3, 4, 5 and 6, block 9, Settles Heights addition, also furniture, fixtures and equipment in building, \$5,300.

Sunday Abreo to Angel Soto, tract 37, section 42, Township 1N, one-third acres, \$250.

Sid Oliver and wife to E. N. Phipps and wife, southwest 102.7 acres of section 10, block 32, Twp. 2N, T. & P. Ry. Co. Survey, \$2,864.75.

**In 70th District Court**  
Dorothy Jean Mann vs. Jack Morris, suit to set aside court decree on child custody.

**In County Court**  
Frank Pool vs. Jim Robinson, suit on note.

**Complaints Filed In Justice Court**

Complaints charging three men with burglary were filed Tuesday morning in the court of Walter Grice, justice of peace.

William Mayhall and Carl Loyd, who were arrested by police Monday morning following the burglary of Minute Inn cafe Saturday night, were transferred to custody of county officials Tuesday morning and were charged. Previous reports by police were that several cartons of cigars and some pennies and nickels were taken from the cafe.

A man who had been held for investigation after visiting the two men at city jail was released Tuesday morning, pending further investigation in connection with an offense at Abilene.

The other burglary complaint named Edward Sam Caldwell,

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**'Khaki' Scores Hit With Capacity Crowd, Nets \$158,000 In Bonds**

"Khaki," rip-roarin' army musical comedy, came to town and went to town in the same move Monday evening before a capacity crowd at the city auditorium.

The all-soldier and WAC show, with its catchy tunes and occasional ribald moments, kept the 1,500 people who paid out \$158,000 in bonds as admission in almost constant uproar.

During the intermission, Ted O. Groehl, general bond chairman, announced the amount of bonds sold because of the show and added that \$88,000 of the amount was in series E bonds. He also presented a check for \$1,000 to Maj. James Reed, director of training and acting commanding officer of the Big Spring Bombardier School, for the post's recreation fund. The money was raised by Big Spring merchants who underwrote the show and gave tickets to bond buyers.

A bond sale during the intermission reaped a few thousand dollars. A. V. Karcher, introduced by Sgt. Edwin J. Todd, producer and director of the show, conducted the brief sale.

"Khaki" not only scored a hit with the audience, but it was a production triumph, too. Settings were simple but exceptionally effective. Considering that the performers are men and women from offices, the line, mess halls, supply rooms, etc., the performances were exceptional. Some of the actors had voice trouble, but then few had experience at tossing their lines under the balcony.

The story, by Cpl. Phil Tucker and S-Sgt. Dale Francis, made good use of a familiar theme, and although it exuded pure corn in spots, it drew laughs a-plenty. At times the dialogue was sparkling and downright clever. "Khaki" achieved the transition into the various tunes with professional ease.

Cpl. Phil Tucker was in fine fettle for his featured spot and acquitted himself creditably. His ballet sequence had the folks hanging on and he never lacked for laughs, although he resorted to wringing out the last drop occasionally. Cpl. Rose Fineburg handled the feminine lead expertly and convincingly. Cpl. George Baur was good as the sergeant. Pvt. Errol Nance and Sgt. Stanley Puerfory convulsed the crowd with the "bombsight" sequence.

"Khaki" had nine good tunes, among the best received "FDR Wants You," "Strictly GI" and the tune from which the show got its name — "Khaki." Arrangements were good and the orchestra equally as good. It all added up to a popular show and a good evening for Uncle Sam.

**Mrs. Majors Is Victim Of Death**

Mrs. Annie Jean Majors succumbed in a local hospital at 10 a. m. today of a heart attack.

Funeral services are pending the arrival of relatives, but interment will be in the local cemetery beside her husband, M. N. Majors, who succumbed December 29th, 1943.

Survivors include sons, Floyd B. Kinman, Big Spring, Terrell of Brownwood, Mames in California, Claude, Big Spring; daughters, Mrs. Nora Gulley, Navara, Mrs. George Stevens, Hondo, Mrs. Ruby Hunt, Big Spring; 14 grandchildren; 22 great grandchildren; sisters, Mrs. George Ely, Long Beach, Calif., Mrs. Bill Arthur, Dickens county; brothers, Kim Bowen, Post, Dee Bowen of Graham.

The Rev. Chester O'Brien, pastor of the North Nolan Baptist church, will be in charge of services and the body will lie in state at the Nelley Funeral home.

**German Prisoners Escape Mexia Camp**

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 8 (AP) — Five German prisoners of war escaped from the officers' compound of the prison camp near Mexia sometime Friday, local FBI officials said today.

The men are listed as:  
Maj. Kurt Bettiguski, 37, First Lieut. Heinz Joachim Grimm, 21; First Lieut. Eugen Kurtz, 26; Lieut. Rudolf Gottfried, 43, and Lt. Walter Heyman, 23.

At least two of the prisoners are known to speak English, it was reported.

charged with burglarizing Big Spring laundry, Caldwell was arrested by police.

Both cases will come before the grand jury convening Wednesday.

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**Negro Arrested As Hijacking Suspect**

A negro wanted by Lamesa officials in connection with a hijacking there Sunday night was arrested Monday by G. L. Fox and L. W. Smith of the Big Spring police department and will be transferred to custody of Buck Hen nett, Dawson county sheriff. Four negroes allegedly took \$100 in the hijacking.

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