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# US Planes Continue Aerial Offensive Ploesti Oilfield And 4 Railyards Blasted By Yanks

By AUSTIN BEALMEAR  
LONDON, May 31 (AP)—Up to 3,900 invading American planes striking from Britain and Italy for the third consecutive day, bombed a Romanian oil refinery at Ploesti today, four German railyards tunnelling traffic to the incessantly attacked French invasion coast and an enemy air base in the old French Maginot Line.

The air base was near Mulhouse, just north of Switzerland. The rail yards were at Hamm; Osnabruck; Schwerte, 10 miles southeast of Dortmund; and Soest, 15 miles southeast of Hamm. The force from Britain numbered between 250 and 500 Fortresses and Liberators and 1,200 fighters.

From 500 to 750 U. S. heavy bombers escorted by swarms of Mustangs and Lightnings struck from Italy at Ploesti, 35 miles north of Bucharest, and envelope at least one major refinery with flames and smoke visible for many miles. Clouds obscured full results of this first attack on Ploesti, 180 miles from the Russian battle lines, since May 18. A number of German interceptors and intense flak were encountered.

The eighth airforce's attack from Britain was its 25th this month against European targets and the 15th in May against Germany—equalling March records. It was the fourth successive day in which 1,200 fighters from Britain had sought out the Luftwaffe for sky battles of attrition. It was also the fifth successive day of heavy bomber action from Britain.

The RAF's overnight attacks were concentrated on military installations along the French invasion coast, but Mosquito bombers penetrated into Germany to blast the chemical center of Leverkusen. So heavy was the assault on the French coast—apparently concentrated on the area between Boulogne and Dunkerque—that buildings on the English side of the channel trembled from the blasts.

The overnight activity followed a great demonstration of American air power yesterday, when 2,200 bombers and fighters from bases in both Britain and Italy blasted military targets in Germany, Austria, France, Belgium and Yugoslavia.

A U. S. communiqué said the raiders had knocked down 66 Nazi planes for a loss of 11 bombers and nine fighters. Approximately 1,000 American planes from Mediterranean bases struck simultaneously at war plants near Linz and Wiener-Neustadt in Austria and at enemy concentrations in Yugoslavia.

This announcement said raid service was disorganized seriously, and that highways were hit so badly motor traffic had to be shifted to second and third class roads. Some traffic blocks on major highways extended for three miles, enabling strafing planes to inflict heavy damage on motor transport, the announcement added.

Taylor had failed to file with the county democratic committee before the third Monday in May, and contended in his petition that his announcement in a San Angelo paper on March 14 constituted sufficient notice. Moreover, he said he was under the impression that the deadline for filing was still the first Monday in June.

## Taylor Is Denied Place On Ballot

R. E. Taylor, 72, San Angelo livestock trader, was denied a place on the democratic primary ballot in Tom Green county as a candidate for representative from the 91st legislative district in a decision handed down by Judge O. L. Parish of the 119th district court.

His case was presented by Lloyd Kerr, San Angelo, while Robert G. Hughes, district attorney and long time friend of Taylor, was attorney for C. W. Smith, chairman of the Tom Green democratic executive committee, who argued that the law in the case was clear.

## US Prepared To Put Forth Plan At Big Four Meet

WASHINGTON, May 31 (AP)—The United States is prepared to put forth at the forthcoming big-four meeting here a plan for an international security organization patterned on the league of nations and providing a consultative formula for the use of force to suppress war.

By this formula each nation would retain final authority over its own troops, planes and ships and would assign no direct power over them to the international agency. The agency after consultation among its members, could recommend but not order that a member nation use its troops for international police duty.

The program, covering five main points, will go before the representatives of Russia, Britain and China here this summer at the start of the informal discussions to which those governments were invited yesterday by Secretary Hull.

As a result of detailed inquiry in responsible quarters it is possible to report that the main points of the American proposal are: 1. United Nations council (or executive committee) to be composed initially of this country, Britain, China and Russia but later to be expanded to a membership of seven or eight countries, with special emphasis on representation for small nations.

2. United Nations assembly—to include at first all 55 United Nations and the nine so-called associated nations among which France is presently listed. The assembly would be expanded to take in, first, nations now neutral and, second, reformed enemy countries. All nations large and small would be equal in sovereignty and voice.

3. Police power—instead of a single police force—proposals for which have no support in official quarters here—power would be exercised by the league council against potential trouble-makers through the military forces of member nations. Once the council had voted action in a specific case the final decision to act would be up to the one or more governments whose forces the council had called on.

4. World court—a judicial body either part of the league of independent of it, with jurisdiction over strictly legal questions.

## Few Tire Reports Given In County

Only about 100 reports of tires now owned and estimated number needed for harvesting of the Howard county grain crop have been received in the county agent's office.

Number needed to complete the survey is approximately 865. Results of the survey are to be sent to the regional ODT director for use in presenting information in Washington in seeking a special pool of tires needed to complete grain harvesting this year.



Ayres At Wakde—Among the invading troops when the Yanks stormed and captured Wakde Island, Dutch New Guinea, was Lew Ayres (above), former movie star and conscientious objector, now a private and a chaplain's assistant. Ayres recently announced he planned to take up religious work after the war. (AP Wirephoto.)

## Pro-Roosevelt Group Ready To Go To Court

AUSTIN, May 31 (AP)—A legal committee representing the pro-Roosevelt democratic state convention today planned to go to court, if necessary, to have names of their presidential electors placed on the July 22 primary ballot.

Former Governor James V. Allred and Alvin J. Wirtz, former undersecretary of the interior, announced the decision yesterday following a strategy conference here.

The plan not later than Monday to ask Chairman George A. Butler of the state democratic executive committee to place names of the electors on the primary ballot and, if Butler refuses, to file a mandamus suit to compel his compliance with the request.

Allred said state law is clear in its requirement that all candidates, including electors, of a party as large as the Texas democratic party must be nominated at a party primary election before their names can be placed on the general election ballot.

Wirtz said he challenged the electors of the unrestricted convention to file applications for a place on the primary ballot "and let the people have a whack at them."

Wirtz was active in the convention of pro-Roosevelt delegates but Allred was not. Answering a question, Allred said that he himself would not be a candidate for any office in the primary election.

Admitting he had heard reports that he would be a candidate for governor, he said: "I think Coke (Governor Coke R. Stevenson) will not have trouble unless he gets mixed up with the Germany-Holbrook crowd and I think he's too good a democrat to do that."

## 40,000 Employees Serving

PITTSBURGH—More than 40,000 employees of Carnegie-Illinois Steel Corp., the nation's largest steel producer, are now in military service. Every 24 hours since Pearl Harbor, 38 employees from Carnegie-Illinois have entered the armed forces.

Editor's Note: Spencer Davis was the only American newspaperman to remain ashore after the invasion Saturday of Biak in the Schoutens.)

By SPENCER DAVIS  
AP War Correspondent  
WITH SIXTH ARMY FORCES,  
Mokmer Village, Biak Island, May 29 (Delayed)—The Japanese crouched in his limestone caves and his thickly forested ridges and waited while American troops pushed along the beach road below.

## Americans Face Resistance In Biak Invasion

Offensive Developed By Nips To Seize Key Railroad

By J. B. KRUEGER  
Associated Press War Editor  
In new bursts of power the Japanese are strongly resisting Americans invading Biak Island off New Guinea and are developing swiftly their offensive to seize China's Hankow-Canton railway. Allied announcements revealed today.

The two enemy forces on these fronts 2,500 miles apart had the same objective—to prevent exploitation of new bases nearer Japan.

Offering the fiercest resistance Gen. MacArthur has met in months, the Japanese threw tanks, planes and first-class troops into the battle for Mokmer airfield on Biak, which is only 800 miles from the Philippines. They crouched in caves and behind tree-protected ridges. Heavy rifle, machine-gun, mortar and artillery fire pinned down MacArthur's Sixth army troops two miles from the field.

The Americans countered with destroyer bombardment, planes, tanks and infantry. Associated Press War Correspondent Spencer Davis in an exclusive story from Biak, dated Monday, told how the enemy virtually ambushed two American battalions which suffered severe casualties. In the general fighting the Japanese suffered heavily too.

In the Southwest Pacific's first tank battle, Davis reported, the enemy attacked with 30 tanks. American Sherman engaged and defeated them, the Japanese losing 11 machines. Of nine Japanese planes sent into the fight, six were shot down.

The Americans evidently were holding back their full power until the Borneo village beachhead was thoroughly mopped up. Tokyo radio claimed its airforce at Biak sank a cruiser or aircraft carrier, transport, six or seven amphibian trucks and damaged three warships.

In the central Pacific U. S. airmen struck Salpan in the Mariana Islands in the second land-based raid of the war against this outpost.

In north Burma Allied Chindit forces again struck at communications to prevent Japanese reinforcement of their stubbornly resisting garrison still holding Myitkyina.

## Govt. To See That Firms Get Notice

WASHINGTON, May 31 (AP)—The legislative and executive branches of the government took separate steps today to see that firms whose war contracts are terminated get enough advance notice so they can look around for other chores and so employees can have a chance to find other jobs.

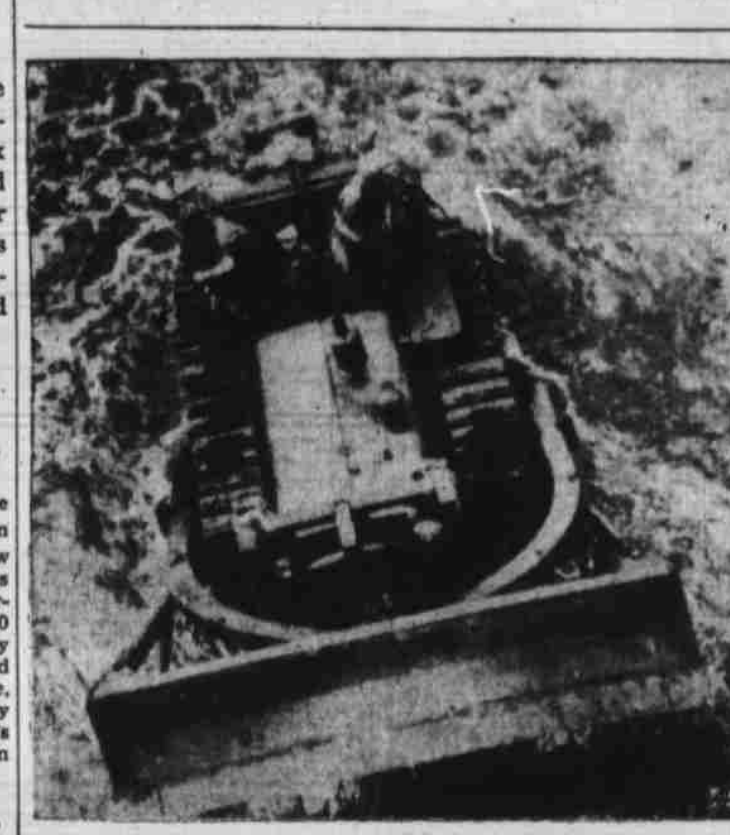
A joint contract termination board received orders from War Mobilization, Director James F. Byrnes for: "Develop effective procedures or reinforce those which exist to ensure adequate notice and the canvassing of the requirements of all procurement agencies prior to the termination of contracts affecting the operation of whole plants."

## Nips Strike With Murderous Savagery At Biak

Our men were pretty badly chewed up. Because of the deadly fire, the forward battalion was cut off and unable to withdraw.

At Mokmer village, a major maintained radio telephone communication with the forward battalion.

# British Only 14 Miles From Rome



First To Go Ashore—Some of the first pieces of equipment to be rushed ashore on Wakde Island, Dutch New Guinea, when American forces invaded that Jap-held point, included this bulldozer with armed guard and driver backing through the surf after leaving a landing craft. (AP Wirephoto.)

## Germans Cling To Possessions With Bulldog Tenacity

By SID FEDER  
ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, Naples, May 31 (AP)—British troops advanced to a point just south of coastal Pescara Nuova, 14 miles south of Rome, and the German radio said today that dramatic street fighting was in progress inside Velletri, Alban hills road junction 18 miles from the capital.

Along the meandering 75-mile front from Valmonte to the Atina region north of Cassino, the Eighth army advanced swiftly against withdrawing German rear guards, taking half a dozen or more towns.

But in the critical area of the Rome line generally 16 to 20 miles south of the eternal city, enemy defenses were stubborn and skilled along 25 miles of battle zone stretching from Valmontone around the southern slopes of the Alban hills to Campo Iemini at the sea.

Boring away on the left flank the British have crossed the Mofra river all along the coastal sector. They worked their way through the village of L'Americo, on the coast 18 airline miles from the mouth of the Tiber. They also occupied Ardea, two and a half miles east and slightly south of Campo Iemini, coastal terminus of the German fortress wall extending through Velletri to Valmontone, key to the Via Cassilina and 20 miles southeast of Rome.

Americans fought virtually yard by yard into the outskirts of Villa Crocetta, just southeast of the bulwarked town of Lanuvio, in the Alban hills 16 miles southeast of Rome.

The Eighth army wheeled steadily forward against enemy rearguards through the mountains of central Italy, occupying such towns as Alfedena, Fontana, Strangolagalli, Pofi, Cacciano and Arpino and closing to within four miles of Frosinone—a major exit for the desperately-placed Nazis on that sector of the front.

"German troops are also re-treating at Alfedena in the upper Sangro valley in the course of a general movement backwards," a report said. A big tank battle was reported around Lanuvio, midway point of the German line from Valmontone to the sea. The enemy said American troops were being buried beneath ruins of buildings which Nazi shock troops were blowing up in Velletri.

The enemy was reported to have thrown all available troops into an all-out effort to hold his last fortress wall before Rome—at least until the troops withdrawing in the face of the Eighth army can make good their escape.

It is now apparent that months were taken in preparation of this steel and stone shield barring the way to the eternal city. Unofficial opinion was expressed that only a mighty drive would split it open.

A front-line report by Associated Press War Correspondent Daniel De Luce said that the Americans, although heavily opposed in the Valmontone sector by the Goring division, still were shelling highway 6 by daylight and that only limited enemy traffic was slipping through during the night.

Rushing to turn the key on the back door of this escape route, Eighth army troops occupied Pofi and pushed on northward, bypassing Arnara, four miles southeast of Frosinone.

In the drive through the Liri valley the Eighth army occupied Strangolagalli, Fontana and Arpino, while farther to the north New Zealanders were reported closing in from the south and southeast on Sorra and highway 82.

Yank Would Send Japs To Relieve Battalion  
WASHINGTON, May 31 (AP)—Interior Secretary Ickes, who is relocating Japanese Americans from evacuee centers into communities all over the country, said today he has received a suggestion from an American corporal in Italy regarding those who oppose this policy.

In a press release, Ickes said the soldier, J. H. Kety (no home address given), wrote from the front lines: "May I suggest that you send all those narrow-minded, bigoted, un-American over here to relieve the 100th infantry battalion of the 34th division?"

That battalion is composed of American soldiers of Japanese descent. Ickes said the battalion has 1,000 men and that 900 of them have received Purple Hearts for wounds suffered in battle; 36 have been given the Silver Star; 21 have been given the Distinguished Service Cross.

## Account Of Lynching Is Sent To Stockholm

STOCKHOLM, May 31 (AP)—A purported eyewitness account of the lynching of an American seaman near a German village Monday was sent from Berlin today to the Stockholm newspaper Aftonbladet by Correspondent Helge Granberg.

(A German broadcast said one Allied pilot was "lynched" by villagers in central Germany after "a large group of civilians who were on their way to church" were strafed by low flying aircraft. The broadcast denied a story published yesterday by Aftonbladet from its Berlin correspondent that five American airmen had been "lynched" in Germany "by agitated people." There was no confirmation of any of the stories of lynchings.)

Aftonbladet's story today, which came through German-censorship from Correspondent Granberg, said the American flier lynched Monday was assaulted by an infuriated crowd of villagers who struck him with their weapons until he was lying dead in his blood.

(Aftonbladet is listed by the political handbook of the world as having "Nazi tendencies.") Quoting a purported eyewitness, without stating how the interview was obtained, Aftonbladet's dispatch said the lynching of the flier occurred in a village in Brandenburg after "enemy planes raided the neighborhood"—wounding several children.

"Not far from the village an American plane was shot down and the villagers could see that one of the crew parachuted," the eyewitness was quoted.

"The crowd was ready to assault the American with different weapons when a man forced himself between the American and the crowd saying 'he is a soldier anyway.' The crowd drew back for a moment and a German who knew a little English asked the American, 'aren't you ashamed of yourself shooting on defenseless people in this manner?' The American turned away and said nonchalantly, 'that's war.'"

"His nonchalant manner excited the fury of the crowd which assaulted the man and truck him with their weapons until he was lying dead in his blood. The English-speaking German could do nothing to stop them."

The story followed closely the pattern of propaganda groundwork laid by Nazi Propaganda Minister Paul Joseph Goebbels last week. The lack of details regarding circumstances of the eyewitness interview indicated the account should be treated with the greatest reserve.

## Brooks Delivers Memorial Talk

Calling attention to the sacrifice made by American soldiers who have died, Judge James T. Brooks asked for greater sacrifice on the part of everyone during the present war in an address at a Memorial Day service in Big Spring cemetery Tuesday night.

The service was held at the graveside of A. J. Merrick, Howard county sheriff and veteran of the first World War who died this year.

## Charged With Theft

Juan Amaya was charged with theft in county court Tuesday and later posted a \$250 bond. The complaint alleged he took Mrs. Frank Law's purse containing \$33.

Rev. W. A. Porterfield, pastor of Wesley Memorial Methodist church, gave the invocation. Ernest Hock, educational and music director of the First Baptist church, had charge of music. He directed singing of "America." A quartet comprised of Mrs. V. Blankenship, Mrs. J. L. Billings, Hock and Maxie Fann sang "Sleep, Soldier Boy." The order establishing Memorial Day in 1868 was read, a ceremonial was conducted by a member of the Ray E. Fuller post 2013, Veterans of Foreign Wars, and taps were sounded.

## Cotton Amendment Upheld By Senator

WASHINGTON, May 31 (AP)—A majority report of the senate banking committee held today that congress should order some cotton textile ceilings raised to bring raw cotton prices up to parity, but a minority statement said this would lead to an "inflationary run-up of prices and wages" endangering the entire stabilization program.

The report, prepared for submission to the senate later today, conflicted sharply over the contention of the minority group that the proposed cotton amendment to the price control law would hike clothing costs; at least five per cent and yield "fantastic" profits for the cotton industry. Bankhead has upheld the proposal as justice to farmers.



### Girl Scout Camp Will Be Held Here August 1-24

The Girl Scout Council met in the city courtroom Tuesday for a business session, with Mrs. Warner N. Edson presiding. Mrs. H. W. Smith reported to the group on lay camp, announcing that it will be held August 1-24 twice a week in Tuesdays and Thursdays at the

### Breakfast Club Has Meeting At Settles Hotel

Burke Summers was guest speaker at the Big Spring Credit Women's breakfast club meeting Tuesday morning at 8 a. m. when the group met for a regular business meeting in the Settles.

Mrs. Virginia Schwarzenbach, program chairman, introduced Summers, who spoke on "Parliamentary Procedure."

Pat Kenney spoke to the club concerning the Fifth War Loan drive and asked members for cooperation in decorating town windows and also in selling war bonds.

### Second Recital Will Be Given By Frazier Pupils

A second recital in piano and voice will be given by students of the Frazier school of piano, voice and ensemble this evening at 8:15 p. m. in the basement of the First Presbyterian church.

The students who will present piano selections are Helon Blount, Jean Ellen Ghovans, Betty Ray Nall, Eva Jane Darby, Clarice Petty, Cora Ellen Selkirk, Francis Bigony, Jean Cornelison.

Voice students are Marilyn Keaton, Dorothy Wasson, Jane Darby, Helon Blount, Mabel Smith, Billie Ragdale, Joyce Blankenship, Ada Mary Leonard, Billie Sue Leonard, Frances Bigony, Clarice Petty, Winnie Ruth Rogers.

All high school voice students are members of the A Cappella Ensemble. The public is invited to the concert.

**PROPRIETORS COMPETE**  
MEXICO CITY, May 31 (AP)—Owners of hotels and restaurants were competing today for the business of supplying lunches for commercial employes who, beginning June 1st, will not have time to go home at midday.

### Today's Pattern



Pattern 9184 comes in sizes: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6. Size 6, shirt, takes 1 yd. 35-in. Shorts, 1 1/8 yds. Overalls, 1 5/8 yds. Sunsuit included with pattern.

### Gift Party Honors Mrs. S. P. Northum

Mrs. Z. Thomas entertained Mrs. S. P. Northum with a gift party in the home of Mrs. F. M. Mizze Tuesday afternoon.

Visiting was entertainment and refreshments were served.

Those present were Mrs. C. M. Gilbert, Mrs. E. E. Holland, Mrs. J. H. Turner, Mrs. James Cheek, Mrs. V. Sims, Mrs. Janie Lynn, Mrs. Nations, Mrs. Sylvia Hull, Mrs. Maurine Tranham, Mrs. Ivy Bohannon, Mrs. B. Y. Dixon, Audie Lynn, the honoree and the hostesses.

Sending gifts were Mrs. Edd McCormick, Mrs. Joe B. Hill, Mrs. Mindel Overhault, Mrs. Charles Cahler, Willie Jo Nations, Mrs. W. Jones.

### Breakfast Will Be Held For Church Class

A breakfast in the city park at 9 a. m. Thursday will be given by Mrs. J. W. Freeman and Mrs. T. R. Rose for members of the Friendship class of the First Baptist church.

### Missionary Society Meets

Bible study was directed by Mrs. S. H. Morrison Tuesday when the East Fourth Baptist Woman's Missionary Society met in the church parlor.

### Social Calendar Of Events For Week

**WEDNESDAY**  
JUNIOR GIRL'S AUXILIARY will meet at 3 p. m. in the home of Mrs. A. A. Watson, with Mrs. L. E. Hutchins directing the study.  
PUBLIC INSTALLATION of the Order of the Eastern Star will be held at 8 p. m. in the Masonic hall.  
**THURSDAY**  
GIA will meet at 3 o'clock in the WOW hall.  
KIWANIS-QUEENS will have a luncheon at 12 o'clock at the Settles hotel.  
THE HOMEMAKER'S CLASS meets at 12 noon in the East Fourth Baptist church for a covered dish luncheon. All Vacation Bible school workers have been asked to attend.  
FRIENDSHIP CLASS of the First Baptist church will have a breakfast in the city park at 9 a. m. Mrs. J. W. Freeman and Mrs. T. R. Rose are hostesses.  
**FRIDAY**  
FRIENDSHIP CLUB meets with Mrs. Garner McAdams, 208 Dixie, at 8 p. m.  
TRAINMEN LADIES will meet at 2:30 o'clock in the WOW hall.

### WACs Step Out For Dates, Recreation In New Off-Duty Beige Shantung Dress

By DOROTHY ROE  
AF Fashion Editor  
WACs will step out for dates and recreation this summer in a new off-duty dress designed to their own specifications by the quartermaster corps.

The new "leisure uniform," a soft shirtmaker one-piece style in sand beige rayon shantung, was selected after long consultation and after the WACs firmly rejected all models which resembled civilian dresses. A poll of the women soldiers revealed that while they are anxious for a comfortable, becoming dress for off-duty hours, they want to look military. Their consensus was:

"We are soldiers. We want to look like soldiers."  
With the off-duty dress, WACs will wear a new overseas cap in matching rayon shantung, civilian type shoes of brown leather with military heel and a plain brown leather handbag of their own selection.

The dress, simple but flattering in cut, has wide shoulders, a slim waistline, two fabric belt, six-gore skirt and two shield-shaped breast pockets with buttoned flaps. Buttons are the gold-colored pierced eagle type hitherto worn only by Army officers. Rank insignia will be worn on the shoulder tabs and on the cap, for commissioned officers. Stripes in matching beige will be embroidered on both sleeves to identify the rank of non-commissioned officers.

The shirt collar, bearing the WAC insignia, may be worn either open or closed. The dress has a fly front zipper closing.

A similar winter off-duty dress will be available in the fall, in soft finish all-wool crepe of a shade called Horizon Tan.

### Large Enrollment Reported At Vacation Bible School

The third session of the Vacation Bible School was held today at the First Baptist church. Ernest Hock, principal, reported the Wednesday attendance was 206 pupils and workers.

### Luncheon Postponed

The Ladies Golf Association postponed its luncheon which was scheduled to be Friday at the country club.

The date for the luncheon will be announced later in the month.

### Activities at the USO

**WEDNESDAY**  
Volunteer desk hostesses.  
6:15 — Hospital visiting hour at post; Miss Lillian Jordan, chairman.  
8:30 — Games and dancing in game room with Wednesday GSO girls.

**THURSDAY**  
Desk hostesses members of the Woman's Forum.  
9:00 — Square dancing.

**FRIDAY**  
Volunteer desk hostesses.  
9:00 — Bingo, free telephone call home.

**SATURDAY**  
5:00 - 9:00 — Canteen open, free cookies and ice tea furnished by a home demonstration club to be served by volunteer hostesses.  
9:00 — Recording hour in recording room.

### A. & M. Teachers Would Be Named By President

AUSTIN, May 31 (AP)—The attorney general believed it would be legal for the president of Texas A. and M. College, on recommendation of department heads, to name teachers in some brackets provided the college's board of directors confirms the action.

### Captain Scores Triple Air Kill In Dogfight

LONDON, May 31 (AP)—Capt. Robert Becker, Hollydale, Calif., scored a triple air-kill yesterday as American fighters—battling Nazi airmen in dogfights raging from 35,000 feet to the "deck"—knocked 58 German planes out of the sky.

Becker is a member of an Eighth Air Force Mustang group led by Maj. Irwin Dregne of Vroqua, Wis., which reported the day's biggest bag—17 afloat and one on the ground.

Two planes were claimed by: Single air-kills: Lt. James Scott, 411 Sixth St., Brownwood, Texas.

Two planes were claimed by: Capt. James Noble, Howe, Grayson County, Texas.

Reminiscent of prohibition days are "moonshine" stills found recently by FBI agents on several islands in the Potomac river.



### Fighter Girl

Freda Nadel Steakley, secretary to an intelligence officer, poses in a cotton bathing suit after being selected "Fighter Girl of the Week" at the Abilene, Texas, Army Air Base in a poll conducted by "The Fighter," weekly publication at the field. Miss Steakley, who was born in Abilene, is a redhead and a former Hardin-Simmons University student. The bathing suit was woven from Texas cotton. Statistics: Age 21; weight 125; height 5 feet, 4 1/2 inches; hips 36; bust 36; descent English-French-Irish. Her ambition is to become a model.

### Class 44-12 Cadets Honored With An Incoming Dance

A large crowd attended the incoming formal dance for cadets of class 44-12 which was given Tuesday evening in the Cadet club.

Members of the post orchestra furnished music and refreshments were served.

Mrs. Lynette McElhannon, cadet hostess, was in charge of the dance arrangements and inviting the girls.

### WFA Offers Flooring Price On Good Onions

SAN ANTONIO, May 31 (AP)—The War Food Administration has offered a flooring price of \$2.30 per hundred pounds on U. S. No. 1 onions delivered by the producers at their regular marketing points, Dennis M. Poe, San Antonio area distribution supervisor for the WFA, announced today. He said the federal support program also includes a price schedule of \$2.00 per hundred for 80 per cent U. S. No. 1 dried onions.

Poe last week revealed that some farmers in the area were threatening to plow under their onion crops rather than take a loss at a price ranging from \$1.60 a hundred at the farm to \$2.00 delivered here.

### Public Records

**Warranty Deeds**  
George Warren and wife to H. C. Denton, four acres out of southeast corner of section 45, block 32, Tsp. 2-N, T&P Ry. Co. survey.  
T. H. Neel and wife to G. C. Griffing and wife, lots 21 and 22, block 4, Highland Park addition.

**In 70th District Court**  
William G. Hammond versus Lou Hammond, petition for divorce.  
Woodrow F. Wade versus Winnie June Wade, petition for divorce.

**In County Court**  
Application of D. K. Howze for permit as local beer distributor granted.  
Petition filed by R. R. Holcomb for wine and beer permit for place of business at 111 W. First street.

**In 70th District Court**  
Mary Lewis versus T. W. Lewis, petition for divorce.  
**Building Permits**  
E. 4th Baptist church to hang sign over Boy Scout hut at 307 Nolan, cost \$15.  
H. I. Holt to move house at 707 E. 2nd street, cost \$10.

**FLAGS TO RETURN**  
WASHINGTON, May 31 (AP)—Under a plan proposed by Rep. Worley (D-Texas) altered American battle flags would be returned to this country and presented to veterans organizations, Boy Scouts and other such groups.

The Texas said yesterday the plan now is being studied by the war department.

**Tuberculosis Conference**  
MEXICO CITY—Tuberculosis experts from the U. S. and Argentina will attend the annual conference here July 23-29 of the Mexican National Anti-Tuberculosis committee. Dr. Leo Eloesser of San Francisco and Dr. Gumerindo Sayago of Buenos Aires have accepted invitations to lecture at the conference.

### Ruth Class Of Baptist Church Has Its Fifteenth Annual Banquet In Settles

The annual 15th banquet of the Ruth class of the First Baptist church was given Tuesday evening when the group met in the Settles hotel. Mrs. B. Reagan is the class.

Mrs. W. C. Blankenship was the toastmaster and the program included a sing-song led by Mrs. Ernest Hock and accompanied by Mrs. Inez Lewis. A skit was given by Mrs. Harold Homan, Mrs. W. H. Sides, Mrs. W. W. Pendleton, Mrs. Charles Kee.

This year's report was given by Mrs. S. M. Smith. "Amor," a Spanish solo was given by Mrs. M-xlee Fann and accompanied by Mrs. Hock. A quartet, Mrs. T. A. Underhill, Mrs. M. E. Anderson, Mrs. A. A. Watson, sang "Love's Old Sweet Song," accompanied by Mrs. C. W. Norman. Mrs. Hock sang "Let Me Call You Sweetheart," accompanied by Mrs. Norman.

The devotional was given by Mrs. Dick O'Brien and the benediction by Mrs. B. Reagan.

Those present were Mrs. George Tillinghast, Mrs. Jack Olsen, Mrs. W. C. Blankenship, Mrs. Harold Homan, Mrs. George Melear, Mrs. Maxie Fann, Mrs. Ernest Hock, Mrs. Inez Lewis, Mrs. T. A. Underhill, Mrs. S. M. Smith, Mrs. Dick O'Brien, Mrs. W. H. Sides, Mrs. M. E. Anderson, Mrs. Tom Cantrell, Mrs. W. W. Pendleton, Mrs. B. Reagan, Mrs. William Menger of San Antonio, Mrs. Horace Reagan, Mrs. Claude Johnson, Mrs. Ora Johnson, Mrs. Eugene Grass, Mrs. Dee Davis, Mrs. Joe Ciere, Mrs. C. W. Norman, Mrs. A. A. Watson, Mrs. F. C. Gambill, Mrs. C. C. Kent of Foran, Ella Louise Kent, Mrs. John Coffee, Mrs. Henry Carpenter, Mrs. Cecil Long, Mrs. Oddie Raney, Mrs. Charles Kee, Mrs. Doyle Robinson, Mrs. L. E. Hutchins, Mrs. J. R. Billings, Mrs. O. O. Brown.

### Mrs. Parker Spoke At Sand Springs Meet

Mrs. Fred Parker spoke on home recreation when the Sand Springs Home Demonstration club met recently for a covered dish luncheon in the home of Mrs. H. L. West.

The club has completed recovering 14 chairs. Next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. R. F. Jenkins.

Members present were Mrs. H. O. Culp, Mrs. Fred Parker, Mrs. Walter Barbee, Mrs. Everett Turnbow, Mrs. H. L. Shirley, Mrs. Fred Merworth, a new member, and the hostess, Mrs. West.

### Texas Gets Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster

ADVANCED ALLIED HEAD-QUARTERS, New Guinea, May 31 (AP)—Capt. Jay Robbins of Coolidge, Limestone county, Tex., today was awarded the bronze oak leaf cluster to the Silver Star for a brilliant aerial combat in which he destroyed two Japanese planes and saved a fellow flier. Robbins is credited with 18 planes shot down.

The new decoration, equivalent to a second Silver Star, was won April 21, when 20 Lightning fighter planes battled with 15 Jap Zeros.

The captain got behind an enemy plane, sent it down in flames, and then chased another Zero through intense ground fire to within 75 feet of the enemy airplane, riddling the Zero until it crashed.

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Court Reverses And Remands Conviction

AUSTIN, May 31 (AP)—The court of criminal appeals today reversed and remanded conviction of Charles Edward Smith, 46-year-old itinerant painter sentenced to 38 years in Lampasas county in the roadside slaying of Mrs. Hazel Weeks of San Angelo, mother of several children.

GRIN AND BEAR IT



"Yeah!—It's a big long letter—My wife got a new outfit and describes it!"

By Lichty

Farmers Lose No Time In Planting

Farmers are losing no time planting seed in the ground, and tractors are being operated night and day on some farms in the county, M. Weaver, AAA administrative officer, said Wednesday.



In Race

Seeking his first elective term to the office of attorney general is Grover Sellers, who is now serving out the term to which he was appointed by Gov. Coke Stevenson after Gerald Mann resigned the post.

Committee Studies Ways To Aid Labor Recruiting In Area

A. V. Karcher was in Abilene Wednesday to join with other members of the Abilene area War Manpower area management-labor committee in the formulation of plans for the area's participation in meeting the current manpower crisis.

Boys Judge Seven Livestock Classes

Ten boys judged seven classes of livestock Tuesday as county livestock judging contests held for purpose of choosing a county team opened.

Largest Fraud Cases Announced By Biddle

WASHINGTON, May 31 (AP)—The largest war frauds case yet initiated by the justice department—from the standpoint of number of defendants involved—was announced today by Attorney General Francis Biddle with the filing of complaints against 55 employees of the Bethlehem-Hingham shipyards in Boston.

Weather Forecast

DEPT. OF COMMERCE WEATHER BUREAU
BIG SPRING AND VICINITY: Partly cloudy this afternoon, generally fair tonight and Thursday.

Here 'n There

Mrs. N. G. Teates of Falls Church, Va., and Dr. and Mrs. J. Ralph Grant of Beaumont visited Mrs. Andrew J. Merrick Tuesday night and attended memorial service which was conducted at Mr. Merrick's graveside in Big Spring cemetery.

Strikes Involve 50,000 Workers

Back to work movements and discussions were under way today in some sectors of the nationwide strike front, but shutdowns still involved more than 50,000 workers.

Girl Who Witnessed Shooting Is Held

NASHVILLE, Tenn., May 31 (AP)—A 17-year-old girl who had told officers a lurid story of seeing her date shot and killed and of being raped four times by the killer was brought from her home in Tullahoma and jailed here last night, along with her father and two brothers.



UNIFORM
Pvt. William Morris Sowell, who recently finished his US Marine boot training at San Diego, Calif., is visiting here with his wife and children, Mary Elizabeth and Morris Dean, and with his parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Harmon, while on a 10-day furlough.

Farmer Boy In Army Lonesome For Work

CORPUS CHRISTI, May 31 (AP)—A uniformed cadet from the naval air station here walked up to the door of Mrs. Ben Matula's farm and told her "I'm a farm boy and I'm so lonesome for the farm I don't know what to do."

Livestock

FORT WORTH, May 31 (AP)—Cattle 3900; calves 1200; cows steady to weak; other classes of slaughter cattle and calves steady; beef and butcher cows 8.50-10.50; most fat calves 8.50-10.00 with some choice kind up to 14.00; steeper steer calves and yearlings 8.00-12.00 with some light weight steer calves up to 13.25.

Two Held On Tire Charge Pay Fines

DALLAS, May 31 (AP)—Judge T. Whitfield Davidson in federal court yesterday overruled a motion for a new trial for W. J. Pollan and W. M. Bishop of Bisco, Navarro county, in a case involving black market tires, set aside an 18-month prison sentence previously given the two, and ordered them to pay fines of \$750 each.

Return From Rites

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Potts have returned from Sterling City where they were called on the death of his father, Zack Lee Potts, 81, a resident of Sterling county for 36 years.

Jurors Called

Jurors have been summoned to appear in 70th district court at 10 a. m. Thursday, when the civil suit for damages of Hattie Morgan, et al, versus Texas Employers' association is set for trial.

Sales Gain In April

AUSTIN, May 31 (AP)—A ten per cent gain in sales in April over March were reported by Texas independent retail stores to the bureau of business research.

per cent greater than in 1943, the University of Texas statistical bureau said. In comparison with last year the largest gains for April were reported by Dallas and El Paso 10 per cent each. Other gains included Waco, two per cent.

Hawley No. 1 Guitar Cleaning Out, Borden Test Shifts Rotary

John B. Hawley, Jr. No. 1 Guitar estate, section 2, B&C, five miles west of Big Spring, was cleaning out at 3,160 feet Wednesday. Two miles to the north the John B. Hawley, Jr. No. 2 Guitar estate is drilling at 2,964 feet in anhydrite.

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Advertisement for Spectators shoes by Montgomery Ward. Features a woman's shoe and the text 'Spectators PERFECT FOR NOW! 2.98'.

Large advertisement for White shirts by Montgomery Ward. Includes the text 'LOOK COOL AND FEEL COOL... BUT DRESS YOUR BEST IN MEN'S White shirts! 1.49' and 'STYLED BY THORNEWOOD'.

Advertisement for Shaw's Four Star Watch Value! featuring a pocket watch and the price '\$39.95'.



No Typewriter—No Nothin'—

### Correspondent Plows On For Story

SOUTHWEST PACIFIC ADVANCED HEADQUARTERS, New Guinea, May 30 (AP)—After a reasonably uneventful landing, it looked as if a real fight were brewing for Blak Island, and Associated Press Correspondent Spencer Davis was determined to be on hand to give it coverage.

It was near the end of the invasion day. Tank-carrying ships were unloaded and preparing to withdraw. All the other American newspapermen and all but one Australian in the

press party already had gone aboard ship.

Davis—a little man with merry eyes and a quick smile—had gone aboard too—temporarily. While he was out following a patrol earlier in the day, a bulldozer buried his typewriter and other equipment he had left on the beach. Now he was using the ship's typewriter to turn out his first day story.

Major Norman H. Myers of Burlington, Vt., army press relations officer accompanying the

party, said Davis was within a few lines of finishing his story when a dozen Japanese planes appeared and started bombing and strafing his and other LST boats.

The general quarters alarm rang through the vessel. Hundreds of anti-aircraft guns opened fire on the Japanese. Four were shot down.

Through this excitement Davis kept pounding until he finished the story. Then he dashed for the bow of the ship, where he found the gates still open and the ramp down.

By now the LST craft was a hundred yards offshore. But without hesitation Davis dived off the ramp and started swimming toward the beach.

Myers said Davis' course through the water wound past the blazing wreckage of three Japanese planes, then up the beach past the smashed remnants of a fourth.

The major and others returned here today. As far as they know, Davis is still following the battle of Blak Island without a typewriter and without equipment. He has only the determination to keep after a good story.

### DFC And Air Medal Won By Loyd Garrett

FROM AN INDIA AIR BASE—Award of the Distinguished Flying Cross to Staff Sgt. Loyd W. A. Garrett, box 1011, Big Spring, a member of Col. Philip Cochran's Air Commando Force, Eastern Air Command, "for extraordinary achievement in aerial flight during which exposure to enemy fire was probable and expected," was announced by Major General George E. Stratemeyer, commanding general of U. S. Army air forces in India and Burma.

Garrett also was awarded the air medal for his work in the same theater of action.

An extract from the citation follows: "Flying from a base deep in enemy territory, they were surrounded by one of the heaviest concentrations of enemy activity in this theater which involved passing over enemy troop concentrations with resultant harassing fire. Using low speed, single-engine aircraft, these pilots performed missions of mercy, supply and reconnaissance which of-

### Lee D. Whetsel Given Overseas Promotion

U. S. ARMY AIR FORCES IN SOUTH PACIFIC—Lee D. Whetsel, the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Whetsel, route 2, Big Spring, has been promoted to the rank of staff sergeant while serving on the New Hebrides with an army quartermaster unit. Whetsel, a graduate of Forsan (Tex.) high school, is a warehouse foreman with his unit.

A former employee of the Aragon Oil Co., Whetsel was inducted into army service in July, 1942. After receiving his basic training at Camp Adair, Ore., he left on his present overseas assignment in May, 1943.

For the period March 1-15, 1944, 1,068 cases of typhoid fever were reported in Romania.

### Private Breger Abroad By Dave Breger



"Soldier, pretend you're attacking me. I want to test this dog's training!"

### Mahon Moving Up On House Committees

Rep. George Mahon ranks 12th in a list of 48 members of the house of representatives appropriations committee, new listings disclose.

He is third on the treasury and postoffice sub-committee and ranks fourth on the key war sub-committee, being behind Snyder (Pa.), Starnes (Ala.), and Kerr (NC).

### Parcassus Leaves For US To Arrange Bouts

vealed Tuesday.

Parcassus, manager of lightweight world champion Juan Zurita, who hurried here upon learning that his charge had accidentally shot himself in the hand, left yesterday for Los Angeles with Enrique Bolanos, Mexican featherweight boxer.

He said he expected to arrange some fights for Bolanos while Zurita was disabled. Bolanos is well known and popular on the west coast of the United States.

Veterans' Administrator Frank T. Hines reported that more than 100,000 veterans of World War II have already been added to pension rolls.

### Aid For Children In Occupied Lands Sought In Petitions Circulated Here

Would you be in favor of sending food, clothing and medical supplies to the neglected children of Hitler-run Europe? You will have a chance to sign your name to the list which the Big Spring boy scout troops will bring to your front door this week.

Through the efforts of the Help

the Children Committee of New York, an attempt is being made to present our government officials with 100,000 signatures of citizens in favor of sending a boatload of supplies to the children of any German-occupied country designated by the Allied governments.

Necessary to understand the need for the signatures is the fact that many statesmen of both America and England are afraid any such Red Cross sent supplies will be confiscated by the Germans.

The Help the Children Committee realizes this possibility but asks that just one boatload be sent as an experiment and if it fails, no other attempt need be made.

Nearly every town in America is being canvassed for its feelings on helping feed children, such as has worked out to everyone's satisfaction in Greece. A similar drive is being held in Midland this week and will be in progress in Big Spring beginning Tuesday.

Mrs. Douglas Orme is chairman of the Big Spring drive and points out that absolutely no money is to be requested, either now or later, from those who sign the petition. The only reason for the signatures is to express to the Allied statesmen the idea that 100,000 Americans are in favor of gambling one boatload of supplies that might keep a small portion of French children, children of Belgium, or any other occupied country designated, from the hopeless fate of starvation.

Anyone wishing to sign the petition and who is not contacted, may sign his name at the chamber of commerce where petitions will be available.

### Stevenson Presented Scroll By Camacho

AUSTIN, May 29 (AP)—Hands across the border joined Monday in the office of Governor Coke Stevenson, as representatives of the Mexican press presented Stevenson with a scroll from President Manuel Avila Camacho, as an "homage of merit."

Carlos Basabe, Jr., and Manuel Colasa Petipain, both of the semi-official publication of congress, El Congreso, made the presentation.

They pledged their magazine to "the service of this noble and just cause pursued by the good neighbor commission appointed by Governor Stevenson."

A parchment signed by President Camacho and the governors of the states of Texas, Sonora, Chihuahua, Coahuila, Nuevo Leon and Tamaulipas, was also tendered Stevenson for his signature. This will be signed by other American officials and "friends of Mexico" and will be displayed in their republic said Messrs. Basabe and Petipain, as evidence that "nothing divides us in this our America."

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- 5:01 Griffin Reporting.
- 5:15 News.
- 5:30 The World's Frontpage.
- 5:45 Superman.
- 6:00 Fulton Lewis, Jr.
- 6:15 The Johnson Family.
- 6:30 Halls of Monteruma.
- 7:00 Wake Up America.
- 7:30 Variety Time.
- 7:45 News.
- 8:00 Gabriel Heatter.
- 8:15 Trails To Glory.
- 8:30 First Nighter.
- 8:00 Royal Arch Gunnison.
- 8:15 Maurice Spitalney's Orch.
- 9:30 Let's Dance.
- 10:00 News.
- 10:15 Sign Off.
- Thursday Morning
- 6:30 Musical Clock.
- 6:45 News.
- 7:00 Bandwagon.
- 7:30 News.
- 7:45 Rhythm Ramble.
- 8:00 Breakfast Club.
- 8:15 Breakfast Club.
- 8:30 Breakfast Club.
- 8:45 Breakfast Club.
- 9:00 Sweet River.
- 9:15 My True Story.
- 9:40 Lanny & Ginger.
- 9:45 Musical Moments.
- 10:00 Breakfast At Sardis.
- 10:30 Gil Martyn, News.
- 10:45 The Baby Institute.
- 11:00 Boake Carter.
- 11:15 Meet Your Neighbor.
- 11:30 National Farm & Home Hour.
- Thursday Afternoon
- 12:00 Luncheon Dance Varieties.
- 12:15 Jack Berch & His Boys.
- 12:30 News.
- 12:45 Gulf Spray Gang.
- 1:00 Cedric Foster.
- 1:15 The Mystery Chef.
- 1:30 Ladies Be Seated.
- 2:00 Songs by Morton Downey.
- 2:15 Musical Comedy Favorites.
- 2:30 Appointment With Life.
- 2:50 Ethel & Albert.
- 3:30 Times Views The News.
- 3:45 Sea Hound.
- 4:00 Dance Time.
- 4:15 The Vagabonds.
- 4:30 KBST Bandwagon.
- Thursday Evening
- 5:15 News.
- 5:30 Tom Mix.
- 5:45 Superman.
- 6:00 Fulton Lewis, Jr.
- 6:15 The Johnson Family.
- 6:30 Summer Swing.
- 7:00 Confidentially Yours.
- 7:15 The Smoothies.
- 7:30 Woody Herman's Orch.
- 7:45 News.
- 8:00 Gabriel Heatter.
- 8:15 Treasury Salute.
- 8:30 Treasure Hour of Song.
- 8:50 Henry Gladstone.
- 9:15 Out of the Shadows.
- 9:30 What's the Name of the Song.
- 10:00 Radio Newswreel.
- 10:15 Sign Off.

A cost of living index, based on a plane of 100 in 1934, shows it costs three times as much to live in Mexico today.

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10:30-10:45 A. M.	Gil Martyn, News	3:30-3:45	Times Views The News
10:45-11:00 A. M.	The Baby Institute	4:45-5:00	Dick Tracy

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# Cards, Yanks Still To Beat

By JACK HAND  
(Associated Press Sports Writer)  
Baseball passed the quarter pole today in stable condition with 160,020 holiday admissions in the cash box, and the New York

Yankees and St. Louis Cardinals are still the teams to beat. Cincinnati and the St. Louis Browns loomed as the leading contenders after yesterday's flood of doubleheaders featured

by 23 home runs. The Reds trailed Billy Southworth's Cards by two games and a half, and the Browns closed to within a half game of the world champs. Master Melvin Ott of the New

York Giants led the home run parade with three, upping his total to 10, as New York trimmed Chicago twice, 6-5 and 5-4. Two in the opener did the trick for Pitcher Harry Feldman, and one in the finale helped Ewald Pyle to his fourth win with the assistance of reliable Ace Adams.

Whitey Kurovski belted his seventh and eighth round trippers as the Cards rallied to whip Boston in the second game, 13-3, after bowing to Nat Andrews in the first, 1-0, on Tommy Holmes' homer.

Wes Flowers and Hal Gregg got credit for Brooklyn's double victory over Pittsburgh, 9-3 and 4-3, but Leo Durocher had to call on the bullpen for help in both games. Fred Ostermuller, now on his way to Syracuse, saved the first. Curt Davis had to put down a Pirate uprising in the ninth of the finale. Dixie Walker collected two hits in seven at bat, his average leveling off to .431.

Cincinnati regained second place ahead of the Pirates by dumping the Phils in both games, 4-3 and 7-4. Ed Heusser whiffed Ron Northey with the bases full to save the opener for Arnold Carter. Frank McCormick unloaded four hits, including a homer and double, to drive in four runs in the second.

Paul (Dizzy) Trout added insult to injury by hitting a home run in the ninth inning, on top of a seven-hit pitching job, for a 2-1 edge over New York's Yankees Hal Newhouser completed Detroit's banner home day of the season before the day's largest crowd, 37,685, by matching the seven-hitter for a 4-1 nod.

Luke Sewell's Browns were outlit in both nines by Washington, but made them count for 6-4 and 4-3 triumphs behind Neil Potter and Tex Shirley. Both starters required help but got credit respectively for wins over Mickey Haefner and Early Wynn.

Chicago stopped Philadelphia's ambitious rise with a double decker loss, 5-1 and 2-1, but the Sox failed to quit the cellar. Orval Grove rationed the A's to six blows in the second after Bill Dietrich left 12 stranded while scattering 11 hits in the opener. Cleveland topped Boston 9-3 and 4-3 behind Mel Harder and Chief Reynolds, with Roy Cullenbine showing the way on four hits, including a homer and two doubles.

Man Is Sought For Murder In Amarillo  
AMARILLO, May 31 (AP)—A man with a long knife was being sought in the Panhandle today for questioning in connection with the decapitation slaying of Mrs. Dorothy Snelson in Amarillo early Sunday.

Hayes Joins Ranks Of Iron Men Of Baseball  
PHILADELPHIA, May 31 (AP)—The iron men of baseball will please move over and make room for a character built of armor plate.

Knights Of Columbus Convene In Austin  
AUSTIN, May 31 (AP)—The Knights of Columbus went into the second day of their state convention here with a message from Gov. Coke Stevenson praising the work of the Catholics in Texas.

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## SPORTS ROUNDUP

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.

Baseball is about to move into India, and we assume that will lend a new meaning to the "untouchables"—they'll become umpires. . . . Ensign Al Horwitz, who used to work with Ray Dumont, in the National Baseball Congress, has discovered that a wealthy Indian, Ezra Gabbay, has become so interested in baseball that he wants to sponsor a national championship. . . . Dumont is awaiting a signed agreement to name Gabbay as India's semi-pro commissioner—and what better name could you get for the job? . . . Babe Didrickson, whose husband, George Zaharias has just bought the San Diego franchise in Bill Freelove's pro football league, is determined to become the world's best woman tennis player. . . . If she succeeds, the footballers likely will take to the hills before Babe tries another game.

Scouting report—Sgt. Charley Trippi, who is the greatest football player in America according to soldiers at the Greenboro, N. C., overseas replacement depot, and a better baseball player according to his coach, hasn't decided between the two games for his postwar career. He may even return to college.

Sportsport—The Football Coaches association has invested all its surplus funds in war bonds. . . . Bill Ford, member of Michigan's Big Ten championship tennis team, is a grandson of Henry Ford. Suppose he plays a "model A" game? . . . Joe Herman, the San Francisco boxing man, is kicking himself because he could have had Elmer Ray, the Florida heavyweight who has scored 13 straight knockouts in California rings, for \$46 bus fare—and didn't take him after seeing Elmer's picture. . . . Los Angeles now is bidding for an August tussle between Ray and Tami Mauriello. . . . Martha Ferris, recently crowned Mississippi girl tennis champ, is a sister of Boo Ferris, a fine pitching prospect before the Army took him.

Tax Officials Elect Officers At Parley  
AUSTIN, May 31 (AP)—County tax assessors-collectors closed their 11th annual convention here with election of officers as follows:

Track Winners Will Run Century Sunday  
CHICAGO, May 31 (AP)—Two winners of track events at the 1956 Olympic games in Berlin—Jesse Owens and Helen Stephens—will engage in a 100-yard race Sunday at Wrigley Field.

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### Lou Nova Wins 11th Straight Victory

GALVESTON, May 31 (AP)—Lou Nova, California heavyweight won his eleventh straight comeback victory last night by scoring a technical knockout over Jimmie Webb in the seventh round.

### Prisoner Recaptured

DALLAS, May 31 (AP)—Ernest Koslowski, 22, German prisoner of war who escaped from Camp Maxey, Tex., May 19, was recaptured by Texas highway patrolmen late yesterday on the edge of some woods between Greggton and Gladewater.

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### Navy V-12 Student Wins Singles Title

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., May 31 (AP)—Norman Finn, 20, Navy V-12 student from Yuma, Ariz., tops New Mexico tennis.

### Montgolfier Bros. Invented the first Air Balloon

Pal patented the Hollow Ground Blade for cooling, cutting, "Tooth" shaving.

### Rockwood Replaces Reid At Ellington

HOUSTON, May 31 (AP)—Col. Ralph C. Rockwood, 32, director of training at Ellington Field, has replaced Col. W. H. Reid, the field public relations office announced. Colonel Reid has been made commandant of the Selman Army Air Field at Monroe, La.

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# Sports

The Big Spring Daily Herald

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## Sports Hungry Fans Jam Tracks, Parks During Holidays

NEW YORK, May 31 (AP)—Nearly a million sports hungry fans—617,978—jammed race tracks and ball parks during the three-day Memorial Day holiday.

Bobcats Do All Right In Class Room Too  
SAN ANGELO, May 31 (AP)—The San Angelo Bobcats, defending state schoolboy football champions, do all right in the class room, too.

Fred Haynes Keeps 1944 Date With Mack  
CHICAGO, May 31 (AP)—Fred Haynes has kept his 1944 date with Connie Mack, manager of the Philadelphia Athletics.

Holiday Deaths In US Climb To 323  
Latest figures show that 98 persons lost their lives in traffic mishaps, with a similar number of drownings reported. Other violent deaths totaled at least 127, including airplane crashes, which numbered 25 in California and 10 in Tennessee, shootings, fires, stabblings, electrocution, and other mishaps.

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Editorial - - -

Administration Needed

Dr. Gibb Gilchrist, new president of Texas A. & M. College, carries with him a number of outstanding qualifications for his new job...

The War Today

The Germans themselves have taken the initiative on the eastern front by making a heavy attack which has dented the Russian line north of Iasi, Romania.

Care Needed In Wording

The practical test of a law from an enforcement angle rests finally upon its support in the courts. If it is not upheld there, it soon is open to public disregard and eventually contempt.

Washington In Wartime— Post-War Planners Try For The Air

WASHINGTON — Post-war planning is a popular Capitol pastime and many industries, states and communities are indulging in it...

It's the same but the bank account generally isn't. The estimated population of the country in 1950 will be somewhere around 150,000,000...

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The Unseen Audience



Hollywood— Acting? Why It's "Done From Stomach"

By KATINA PAXINOU (The winner of the Academy Award for "best supporting actress" as Pilar in "For Whom the Bell Tolls"...) Miss Paxinou writes today for Robbin Coons. This is the third of a series by award winners.

beautiful. To them I say pooff it is the part that counts and how it is played. As for the girls, five petticoats and much padding increased it sufficiently. Beyond that I have a theory. Acting, I think, is not done with the head so much as with the heart...

West Tourist Spots Face Dismal Season

DENVER, (UP)—Old Faithful will keep on geysiring once an hour and the Carlsbad Caverns will be as deep and mysterious as ever, but all indications are that the famous vacation spots of the West will have the smallest number of visitors this summer than at any time in the past quarter century.

Divide near Leadville. The nationally-known Opera week at Central City, Colo.—once the gathering place for the rugged but wealthy gold miners on the "Richest Square Mile on Earth"—has been cancelled again this year.

Looking Backward

Five Years Ago Today George Tillinghast takes lead in tennis tournament semi-finals at the Centennial stadium park; baseball centennial stamp to be issued.

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS 1. Belt 2. Top cards 3. Dishes 4. Short sharp bark 5. Friend 6. Spoken 7. Final 8. Masculine name 9. Latin city 10. Legations 11. Onionlike vegetable 12. Roman road 13. Trivial behavior 14. Places 15. Chief actor 16. Vandals 17. Straightening the margin 18. Before 19. Over 20. Nothing 21. Devotee 22. Sacred nose 23. Cause of bark 24. Alarm whistle 25. Front of a building 26. Beverage 27. Excited 28. Have weight or effect 29. Labrynth 30. Biblical region 31. And not 32. At any time 33. Baseball team 34. Ancient satisfaction for homicide 35. Refuse

BEARS STAY HOME, TOO He discloses that 581,761 persons visited Yellowstone in the peak year of 1941, compared with only 84,144 last year...

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle 28. Upright 27. Affirmative 1. Organs of sight 2. Yawn 3. Connected 4. Lessons 5. Hog 6. Biblical tower 7. Easily affected 8. Pliable 9. Bay window 10. Summoned publicly 11. Quench 12. Siamese coins 13. Seasoning herb 14. Cast off 15. Undifferentiated 16. Long narrow opening 17. Humiliation 18. Infatigability 19. Egyptian river 20. Valley 21. Sour 22. Figurative language 23. Gourm 24. Eating 25. Large hats 26. Handwoven 27. Century plant 28. Cheat 29. Pair 30. Fresh-water porpoise 31. Pulled apart 32. God of love

PIKES PEAK ROADS CLOSED The shortage of equipment and manpower has caused the Colorado state highway department to announce that it will not open the highways to the top of Pikes Peak or to the summit of Mount Evans...

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Keys At The Capitol Can Court's Interpretation On Time Extend To Liquor Statutes?

By WILLIAM E. KEYS AUSTIN, May 30 (UP)—It may be earlier than you think. That is, if Texas courts apply to other statutes a criminal appeals court ruling that the child labor law shall be enforced by sun time, NOT standard or war time...

Lieut. Clifford C. Keith, former city judge at Midland and one time member of the Midland county draft board, writes "Even the trials and tribulations of a junior officer in the Army are preferred to those suffered by a member of a draft board. Believe me, I know."

Judge J. H. Baugh has resumed his duties as associate justice of the third court of civil appeals, Austin, after a tour of duty as an Army colonel. He was retired by the Army for age.

Texans around the world: Lt. R. A. (Dick) Stout, former assistant attorney general who once practiced in Houston and Dallas, now a deck officer aboard an aircraft carrier.

Ben T. Woodall, formerly of Marshall and former assistant attorney general, is legal assistance officer at the Marine barracks, Oceanside, Calif.

Move Over Bud, I'm An Unknown Soldier, Too By STANLEY KIMMEL Move over, Buddy— Yeah, it's me, the other Unknown Soldier.

Yuh didn't think I'd get here, did yuh? But I made it. Yeah, it took a long time— But I made it.

Say, Buddy, how is it out here, Out here in Arlington? Yeah, I been here before. But not like this. I was a kid, My folks brought me to see yuh.

It was summer, June I think and flowers, There was trees and flowers, And a clear sky— Just like today, Buddy. We'd come to Washington From a small town out west To see the sights; My folks never travel'd much, Too poor. Guess it was the only trip They ever took.

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Political Announcements

The Herald makes the following charges for political announcements, payable cash in advance: District offices... \$20.00 County offices... \$17.50 Precinct offices... \$10.00

The Herald is authorized to announce the following candidates subject to the action of the democratic primary, July 22, 1944:

For Congress GEORGE MAHON C. L. HARRIS

For State Senator STERLING J. PARRISH ALTON B. CHAPMAN For State Representative BURKE T. SUMMERS

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Commissioner, Precinct No. 4: GLASS GLENN AKIN SIMPSON EARL HULL

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**WANTED**—Beauty operators. Apply at Colonial Beauty Shop.

**WANTED**—Beauty operators. Apply Nabors Beauty Shop, 1701 Gregg.

**WAITRESS** wanted. Apply Club Cafe.

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### Announcements

**Lost & Found**

**FOUND**: Peacock—owner pay for this advertisement. Call at 1107 Main St., east apartment.

**LOST**—Black Cocker Spaniel, name, "Major." Return to 409 W. 8th. Reward.

**Personals**

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### Public Notices

**BOB'S** Domino Parlor has moved from 209 E. 3rd to 205 E. 2nd.

### Business Services

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**ELECTROLUX** Services and repairs. L. M. Brooks, Dealer. Call Gas Co., 839, or 578-J.

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**FOR better house moving**, see G. F. Wader, on old highway, 1-4 mile south Lakeview Groc. Satisfaction guaranteed.

**IF you want to buy or sell** leases, royalties, production or ranches, see A. M. Sullivan, Coahoma, Texas.

### Public Notices

**BEGINNING** Saturday, May 27, the SKY HARBOR will be open Wednesday and Saturday nights. Everyone cordially invited. Earl B. Lankford, Mgr.

### Employment

**WANTED**—Girls or boys for messengers; \$18 to \$20 per week. Must be 16 years of age or over. Apply Western Union.

### Agents & Salesmen

**HELP WANTED**—Young boy under draft age, or girl, or draft exempt man, including ex-servicemen, to work through summer on phonograph route. Easy work, good pay and car furnished. Call room 902, Settles Hotel.

### Help Wanted—Male

**WANTED**—City truck drivers. See A. McCasland, Agent, Texas & Pacific Railway.

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**Miscellaneous**

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**FOR SALE**—Two new Farm-All Model B, 2-row tractors, complete with planters and cultivators, certificate required; Hammer feed mills, 4 sizes to choose from, certificate not required; McCormick-Deering ensilage cutter; McCormick-Deering pickup; hay press with 5-hp motor. George Oldham Implement Co., Lamesa Highway. Phone 1471.

**ALFALFA**—New crop, \$1.30 per bale. W. S. Birdwell, 206 N. W. 4th.

**FOR SALE**: Portable typewriter, adding machine, banjo, guitar, clarinet, roller skates, ceiling fan; 11-tube Grunow cabinet radio and a good stock trailer with Lifeguard tires. Iva's Jewelry, 3rd and Main.

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**ED WOMACK**, Fuller Brush representative is in Big Spring this week; contact him at Tex Hotel, phone 991. Mail orders to 911 Oak St., Colorado City, Texas.

**FOR SALE**—Second year long staple Heavy Frazier and Sam Little Cottonseed. See Fred Roman, Knott, Texas.

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**NICE**, clean, newly remodeled rooms, close in; by day or week. Tex Hotel, 501 E. 3rd. Phone 901.

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### Wanted To Rent

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**\$25 WAR BOND** for information leading to rental of furnished apartment or house. Write Box LS, % Herald.

**WANT** to rent furnished apartment. Civilian couple, permanent residents. Apply Box EF, % Herald, \$10 reward.

**WANTED**: Furnished apartment by permanent civilian couple. Call J. R. Stanley at Stanley Hardware, phone 263.

**WANTED TO RENT**—Officer and wife desire furnished apartment with kitchen; have been here 14 months. Call 1876-W. Lt. Wynn.

**Houses**

**WANTED**—Furnished house; will pay \$60 to \$70 per month if satisfactory. Call Room 506, Crawford Hotel.

### Real Estate

**Houses For Sale**

**AS I** am leaving town will sell my home; 6-room rock, modern, all maple floors, shower, tub bath, two closets to each bedroom, nice rock fireplace; three acre land, 200 laying hens. T. C. Miller, phone 1852-J.

**Houses For Sale**

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**Farms & Ranches**

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### Medicos Decision

**Wildcat Team, 6-3**

The Medics capitalized on superior hitting to beat out the Wildcats, 6-3, in the Big Spring Bombardeer school enlisted men's softball league Tuesday evening. Haberkamp, Medics, and Shlvack, Wildcats, each got two hits for the game.

Score by innings: R H E  
Medics . . . 100 221 0—6 9 1  
Wildcats . . . 000 102 x—3 6 2  
Bailey and Haberkamp; Variere and Bristow.

### Golfers Enter Annual

**Midland Tournament**

Golfers from Big Spring, Odessa, San Angelo and other West Texas points are entering the annual Midland country club golf tournament, June 18-17-18. Qualifying rounds will be postponed from June 10 through 16, it was announced. Possibly 100 golfers are expected to enter the tourney.

### Blass Tenorio Makes Debut In Little Rock

ATLANTA, May 31 (AP)—Short-stop Blass Tenorio of Amarillo, Tex., made his debut with Little Rock's Southern association club here last night by belting a triple and a single in three times at bat. He played three years in the West Texas-New Mexico league but was out of baseball in 1943.

In 1939 the Coast Guard saved \$63,000,000 worth of vessels and cargo.



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**TRIAL CONTINUED**  
MEXIA, May 31 (AP) — Judge Lex Smith of 87th district court at Groesbeck has continued the trial, until July 3, of Herman East, charged with robbery with a deadly weapon in connection with an attack made on Mrs. Agnes Davis in a Mexia insurance office last month.

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**Earl Heath Dies Of Heart Attack**  
Notice of the unexpected death of Earl W. Heath of a heart attack about 10:30 o'clock Saturday morning in his office at Lubbock has been received by Wallace Law, examiner of the Big Spring area rent office.

Heath was district rent executive, in charge of rent offices throughout the Lubbock district, which includes Big Spring. Heath recently visited the Big Spring office.

His home was in Gainesville. At time announcement was received here funeral arrangements were pending information from a son, who is in service. His wife also survives.

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**Lt. Womack, Veteran Of 50 Missions, Has Luck Charm**

By HELEN WILSON  
"Lethal Lady III" might take off on a mission with an unloaded bomb rack or the crew might even forget to check their fuel supply, but never do they forget to peep under 1st Lt. Novis Womack's trouser leg to make certain he is wearing his lucky supporters!

"They're just the luckiest things you ever saw," says Womack, who is home on furlough from the Mediterranean theater of operations where he just completed 50 combat missions. "Used to when I forgot to wear them, we didn't do so well, or we had to turn around and come back."

Womack began his combat flying last October 21 with an attack on railroad yards in Teral, Italy, and ranged over targets in central and northern Italy, southern France, Austria and the Balkans. He flew his 50th mission April 20th to blast the harbor at Venice, Italy, and wears the air medal with nine oak leaf clusters.

Born in Snyder, the bombardier was graduated from the Big Spring high school in 1936 and attended Texas A. & M. college from 1938 to 1941. He entered the army March 20, 1942 as an enlisted man and two months later was accepted for cadet training, winning his wings at San Angelo March 11, 1943.

Tough part of his homecoming is that at the end of his 30-day furlough he will return overseas,



LT. NOVIS WOMACK

while the nice part is that he was given the opportunity to see his brand new daughter, Diane Marie, for the first time. His wife, the former Eileen Killingsworth, resides in Ackerly with her parents.

Rated as one of the luckiest outfits in the entire theater of operations, the crew has had very few accidents.

On one trip while going down the bomb run, one engine went out and flak cut polka dot holes in the entire ship. The radio man, who was wearing his leather flight jacket discovered

the flak had done things to the jacket but did not penetrate further. Womack got out with a scratch on his right hand.

"Scared?" he grinned when asked if the crew was frightened. "Goah, we were all scared to death." He explained how the boys realized upon nearing completion of their missions just how lucky they were, and how they often thought that the mission that day or that night might be their last.

He ran into Lt. Tiny Reed, former school teacher here, who is in Italy, and talked with Lt. Joe Lassiter who is with a trucking outfit in the same theater. Lt. Roy Black, husband of Maribel Menger Black of Big Spring, was in his same squadron.

**Recruiter Misses Her Chosen Target**

Several thousand leaflets regarding the Women's Army Corps missed their mark when dropped from an airplane over Big Spring Tuesday, because of a thermal which carried them upward several thousand feet.

Most of the leaflets, intended to land in Big Spring, dropped north of the city. The material was dropped by Lt. Dede N. Cook of the army recruiting station from a plane piloted by a civilian.

**Author Of "I Wanted Wings" Is Shot Down**

A LIBERATOR BASE-IN BRITAIN, May 31 (AP)—Lt. Col. Beirne Lay, Jr., of Washington, D. C., who wrote the movie "I Wanted Wings," was shot down while leading a Liberator group in a recent raid on Europe, it was revealed today.

Fellow fliers said they saw parachutes open from the flak-riddled plane and believed he had a good chance of escaping.

**Murder Suspects Are Released In Amarillo**

AMARILLO, May 31 (AP)—Police report the release of several suspects who had been questioned in the decapitation slaying of Mrs. Dorothy Snelson, 22.

The mother of two children, Mrs. Snelson was found dead on an Amarillo street early Sunday morning. The woman's spinal column had been severed and officers said they believed the slayer had used a large knife.

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