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Germans Use New Secret 'Weapon'

Reds Fight On Pskov Border

LONDON, March 1 (AP)—Russian troops were reported fighting on the very outskirts of Pskov as the battle for that great German communications base and key to control of the Baltic raged on with unabated fury today.

Revolt Quelled By Government Of Argentina

MONTEVIDEO, Uruguay, March 1 (AP)—The Argentine government announced today it had quelled a revolt by an army colonel and his infantry regiment seeking to oust Gen. Edelmiro Farrell from the presidency he assumed last week in a palace coup engineered by the country's strongly nationalistic elements.

Lt. Col. Tomas Duco, a close friend of Gen. Pedro Ramirez who delegated his presidential powers to Farrell last Thursday, massed his third infantry regiment on the outskirts of Buenos Aires, but failed to move on the capital.

Instead, he entered the city himself on a government invitation for a conference with Farrell and War Minister Juan Peron, known as the man behind the throne in Argentina's turbulent politics.

The conference was held in the war ministry. Duco was arrested and held at headquarters of another regiment, a dispatch direct from Buenos Aires said late this morning, and his regiment was returning to its headquarters under command of officers loyal to Farrell's government.

The regiment camped this morning at Lomas De Zamora 20 miles from Buenos Aires. Apparently the attempted revolt did not extend beyond Duco's own unit, but the Argentine navy was reported to have demanded that power be returned to Ramirez, who resigned ostensibly because of his health, or to the supreme court.

Louisiana Voters Don't Want Long

NEW ORLEANS, March 1 (AP)—Louisiana democratic voters rejected yesterday a group of candidates for state office who advocated a return to the "liberal government of the late Huey P. Long" and elevated to the governorship Jimmie H. Davis, the author of "You Are My Sunshine" and who campaigned with a Hillbilly band.

In laying the ghost of "Longism," the voters also defeated the bid for state and party power of the "old regular" organization of New Orleans and its leader, Mayor Robert S. Maestri, unable during the second primary campaign to deliver an expected heavy majority from the metropolitan area.

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German Bomb Kills German Prisoners—An Allied truck, loaded with German prisoners, burns with its human cargo after being hit by a German bomb during an attack by enemy planes in Ceramolo area of Italy. Allied soldiers at left attempt to smother fire in clothing of soldier at their feet who was pulled from the truck. (AP Wirephoto from Signal Corps).

Campaign End Seen

Red Cross Drive Gets Underway

Big Spring and Howard county people were nearly 14 per cent on the way to realize a monumental "aims for mercy" goal Wednesday noon, only hours after the annual Red Cross wartime roll call was officially launched here.

Liberal Donors Eclipse Records For Polio Fund

All records were eclipsed by the liberality of Big Spring and Howard county people during the infantile paralysis fund drive, final figures reported at an executive committee meeting Tuesday afternoon showed.

As announced by G. C. Dunham, chairman, total net receipts for the drive amounted to \$3,418.55, which meant a total of \$1,708 goes into the local treasury.

J. H. Greene, vice-chairman, and Ira Thurman, treasurer, reported the balance had been boosted from \$648 to \$2,197.44.

A breakdown on contributions showed \$1,946.32 from the Ritz theatre collections, \$885 net from special gifts, \$183.23 from the March of Dimes, and \$402 net from the Birthday Balls. Total 1941 when flames demolished the central warehouse and compress unit for damage of \$49,369. In 1938, when the plant was located just north of the Gregg street viaduct, the unit burned to the ground at a loss of \$550,000.

WAR CHEST HEADS MEET

HOUSTON, March 1 (AP)—The first annual meeting of the board of directors of the United War Chest of Texas will be held Friday in Austin, George A. Butler, president and campaign chairman, announced today.

Jet Propulsion Will Give More Speed To Uncle Sam's Fighters

WASHINGTON, March 1 (AP)—Jet propulsion promises to give Uncle Sam's fighting planes another 100 miles per hour.

This suggestion was made today by Capt. Ezra Kotcher of the army air forces' engineering division, writing in the official publication "Air Force."

Kotcher disclosed several points not revealed previously by the announcements concerning the still highly secret plane. The army has reported only that it is a twin-engine propellerless fighter, with high speed and high ceiling, heavily armed and armored.

Kotcher reports the plane is in production "for training purposes," thereby implying that it is not yet ready for combat duty.

In talking of possible speeds, Kotcher says: "The standard propeller-driven airplane 'begins to be stymied' at speeds much above

450 miles an hour because at such speeds air begins to be compressible, and this compressibility is felt on the propeller long before it is evidenced in the wings. Therefore, substitution of a jet propulsion unit eliminates the air drag created by the propeller.

The net difference for the two types of aircraft, Kotcher suggests, "may be about 100 miles an hour for the immediate future" of the jet propelled plane.

"The jet is smooth and continuous and the motor is remarkably free from vibration inasmuch as there are only rotating parts."

Because the compression required is much lower than in standard gasoline engines, special high octane fuels are not needed, Kotcher reports, adding that "anything that burns, from kerosene to Napoleon brandy, can be used."

The plane, he says, presents no new problem for a pilot "except how to fly a simpler airplane"—which has fewer gadgets and instruments in the cockpit, flies with little vibration and has one throttle to control both engines.

The ship is single-seated, twin engine, tricycle landing gear (standing close to the ground because no high clearance is needed for the swing of the propeller).

A layman seeing it in flight might not notice anything strange about it except its sound.

"When at some distance away, it sounds not unlike a train rumbling along, far away at night," he reports. "It does not make as much noise when it approaches as do propeller-driven planes. You seldom hear a jet propelled plane until it is almost past you. As it goes away you hear the roar of the jet."

50,000 More Enemy Troops Are Captured

A. V. Kärcher general roll call chairman announced a total of \$3,358.65 had been received, mostly from special gifts, up to Wednesday noon. Only a few workers had reported, and generally these reflected a generous spirit on the part of the public.

High school students quickly met and exceeded a \$100 goal set by themselves. They raised \$106 the first day and were due to go considerably beyond that.

Cosden employees were contributing heavily to meet a \$1,000 quota which they accepted.

Directed by K. H. McGibbon, president of the Lions club, workers took to the field Wednesday morning to canvass the downtown area, and others under Bill Younger were meeting employees in larger firms. The special gifts committee headed by Robert T. Piner was beginning to hit its stride, and although there were a large number of regulars not yet reported, a creditable showing on new gifts had been obtained.

Addressing the Lions club Wednesday noon, Kärcher urged whole-hearted support — both in contributions and work — to the end that the record \$24,800 quota would be exceeded.

Captains in the downtown drive were Otis Graf, John Coffee, Jake Douglas, Boone Horne, C. L. Rowe, Coy Nalley, Pete Howze, Leon Lederman, Dalton Mitchell and Dewey Martin. Mitchell's group included Paul Dargow, Choc Jones, Stanley Claiborne, Cunn Grigsby and Ken Barnett.

The ABC club group under Younger included C. O. Nalley, Douglas Orm, J. D. Jones, A. K. Miller, J. L. LeBlou, Jack Y. Smith, Harvey Wootch, Ted Phillips, Leon Lederman, Charles Girdner, A. H. Ryal, Eugene Thomas, and C. Y. Clinckales.

The special gift committee under Piner included Hob Hayward, M. M. Miller, Robert Currie, J. L. LeBlou, Harry Hurt, Bill Tate, Burke Summers, G. C. Dunham, and Roy Reeder.

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Tank Explosives Are Newest Form Of Nazi Warfare

By RICHARD G. MASSOCK

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, NAPLES, March 1 (AP)—German troops, armed with a new "secret weapon" tank loaded with explosives, have slugged out in new assaults against the Anzio beachhead, and Allied headquarters said this may be a third great offensive aimed at driving the invasion troops into the sea.

The Nazis opened a heavy attack midway between Carraceto and Cisterna Tuesday morning, and this was growing stronger.

Artillery duels thundered, and front dispatches last night said the enemy had pounded the beachhead with the heaviest bombardment since the initial landings.

Headquarters disclosed the Germans had used new radio-controlled tanks, bearing 1,000-pound charges and designed to blow up within Allied lines, in their second major offensive against the beachhead, but that Allied artillery had exploded 14 of them before they reached the Allied line. The blasts probably caused great damage to Nazi positions instead.

The Germans struck at the beachhead at two points Monday and Tuesday night, and continued to "exert pressure" without result, headquarters said.

There were no details on the thrust against the eastern half of the beachhead between Carraceto and Cisterna, but if it develops into a major offensive, it would be the third attempt to wipe out the strongly-held Allied sector.

Allied artillery and bombers lashed back, with U. S. planes hammering Nazi troops and tanks massed in the Cisterna area.

The Germans were probing the beachhead lines, apparently seeking a soft spot, and Nazi tanks appeared in increasing numbers.

Allied artillery and mortars broke up a small but determined attack on British positions in the ravine-cut Moletta area southwest of Carraceto, where close fighting continued. This was the third attack there in three days of skirmishing in which four Nazi tanks were knocked out.

The Germans heavily shelled American positions southeast of Carraceto Monday night, and then two strong enemy patrols pressed forward, but were thrown back. Allied shells scored hits on what seemed to be two enemy ammunition dumps.

The beachhead battle was developing in cloudy weather with showers.

On the main Cassino front to the east, British troops threw back a Nazi attack near Mt. Orsita in the lower Carigliano river bend, and Allied guns successfully shelled German motor-borne troops on highway six near Cassino.

The landing in Los Negros Island in the Admiralties yesterday morning drew no air or naval opposition. Shortly afterward, Japanese marines near the captured Momote airstome offered minor resistance but were overwhelmed.

The new Allied beachhead places Americans within 250 miles of Kavieng, New Ireland, 350 miles of Truk, mighty enemy stronghold in the Caroline Islands.

Control of the Admiralty Islands would complete the domination of supply lines extending to Japanese forces still fighting on New Guinea and New Britain.

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England Agrees To Peace Terms Offered Finns

LONDON, March 1 (AP)—Great Britain agreed today to peace terms submitted by Russia to Finland, demanding that the Finns cease "military operations," break relations with Germany, reestablish 1940 borders and intern all Nazi troops and ships in Finland with or without Soviet help.

Moscow dispatches said the Russians were ready to receive Dr. Juho K. Paasikivi, who negotiated the end of the "winter war" in 1940 and who received the terms from the Russian ambassador to Sweden, Mme. Alexandra Kollontay.

A Moscow dispatch said that should the Finns refuse to negotiate on Russia's original terms, proposals which would be made subsequently would be extremely harsh, the advice from Moscow said.

German foreign office spokesmen reserved comment.

Official British quarters said British acceptance of the peace terms came after consultation with Russia and that under terms of the British-Russian alliance, "a separate peace cannot be negotiated."

The Moscow radio broadcast these armistice demands last night and said that if Finland accepted the conditions immediately the Soviet government was ready to open negotiations for a "concrete agreement" at once.

There was no immediate comment on the Russian proposal from Helsinki, where the secret sessions yesterday to debate the question of peace or continued war with Russia. An official communique gave no indication that a decision had been reached.

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Britain Satisfied With Red Terms For Finland

LONDON, March 1 (AP)—Britain has agreed to the peace terms submitted to Finland by the Soviet Union, official quarters reported today.

Britain's agreement was given after consultations with Russia. As to whether Britain still would be at war with Finland if the terms were accepted, an authoritative source who can-

not be further identified said that under the terms of the Anglo-Soviet treaty "a separate peace cannot be negotiated."

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Society

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Ruth Class Holds Monthly Meeting At Baptist Church

Mrs. Ora Johnson Presides Over Monthly Session

The Ruth Class met at the First Baptist church Tuesday afternoon for a program and social which was highlighted by talk and musical program.

Mrs. Ora Johnson presided over the meeting which opened with prayer by Mrs. Ernest Hock and following monthly reports by class officers Mrs. C. G. Varnell gave the devotional entitled "The Garden of Prayer." Mrs. Hock sang the hymn which bears the same title and was accompanied by Mrs. C. W. Norman.

Ernest Hock spoke on the spiritual value of the six point record system and Mrs. B. Reagan outlined work of the church for the month of March. Plans are to have a class covered dish luncheon at the church in the latter part of March? The meeting closed with prayer and those attending were Mrs. Tom Cantrell, Mrs. M. M. Mancil, Mrs. O. O. Brown, Mrs. George Mclear, Mrs. O. L. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hock and Barbara Ann, Mrs. A. B. Muneke, Mrs. B. Reagan, Mrs. C. C. Worrell, Mrs. Ruth Olsen, Mrs. Horace Reagan, Mrs. L. C. Saunders, Mrs. Claude Johnson, Mrs. C. G. Varnell, Mrs. C. W. Norman, Mrs. Joe S. Carpenter, Mrs. Ora Johnson, Mrs. M. E. Anderson, Mrs. Boone Horne, Mrs. Carl F. White, Mrs. John A. Coffee, Mrs. Eugene Gross.

Activities at the USO

WEDNESDAY
8:15—Service Wives meeting. General activities with Wednesday GSO girls.

THURSDAY
8:30-11:00—Square dancing. Caller and three-piece orchestra from Bombardier school.

FRIDAY
8:30—Bingo party.

SATURDAY
4:00—Cookies and coffee furnished by Sand Springs Home Demonstration club to be served by volunteer hostesses.

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STIMULATES chest and back surfaces like a warming poultice.

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MILLIONS OF MOTHERS relieve distress of colds this double-action way because it's so effective—so easy! Just rub throat, chest, and back with good old Vicks VapoRub at bedtime.

Instantly VapoRub goes to work—3 ways at once, as illustrated above—to relieve coughing spasms, help clear congestion in upper bronchial tubes, and invite comforting sleep. Often by morning most of the misery of the cold is gone. When a cold strikes, try time-tested Vicks VapoRub.



Ruffled Gingham makes this becoming dicker, which gives such a new personality. This one is in red and white checks, matches Sally Victor's "bobby" hat.

Elouise Haley Given Red Cross Position



Elouise Haley, who has served as post hostess at the Big Spring Bombardier School for the past 14 months, has been accepted for overseas service with the American Red Cross as an assistant program director.

Miss Haley returned early today from St. Louis, Mo., where she was interviewed and accepted, and on March 27th she reports to Washington, D. C. for six weeks specialized training.

According to Major Harry Wheeler of special service section at AAFBS, no one has been named to succeed Miss Haley as post hostess.

Record Attendance Reported At USO Formal Dance

A record attendance at the formal leap year dance held at the local USO club was reported today with a total of 505 service men visiting the soldier center.

The affair was held in the game room and music for dancing was furnished by the post orchestra under the direction of Cpl. Bill Mavromatis.

A floor show was presented at intermission and numbers included a song by Shirley Ann Wheat of Coahoma; song by Mrs. Otis White and a baton twirling act by Billie Frances Shaffer.

Desk hostesses for the afternoon and evening included Mrs. J. H. Greene, Mrs. J. B. Young, Mrs. V. H. Fiewellen, Mrs. Shine Phillips, Mrs. J. L. Billings, Mrs. J. G. Garner, Mrs. James Little, Mrs. J. W. Maddrey and Mrs. R. B. Dunivan.

Tuesday GSO girls were assisted at the snack bar by Mrs. Billings, Mrs. L. A. Eubanks and Mrs. Riley Henry Patrick.

Major and Mrs. Harry Wheeler and daughter, Eleanor, were guests of the evening and a large number of junior hostesses attended.

H. G. Hamricks Honored With Supper In Knott

KNOTT, March 1—Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Shortes honored Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Hamrick with a supper in their home Tuesday evening and the Knott string band furnished music for the entertainment.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Castle and son, T. J., Mrs. Joe Bayes, Mrs. Lula Burchell, Mrs. Willis Page, Pvt. Ireland Martin, Floyd Denton, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Shockley and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Shockley, Jr., and family, Charles Carr, John Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sample and family and Mrs. H. G. Carmack.

College Heights To Present Play

Students of College Heights ward school will be featured on the radio broadcast, the School Forum of the Air, which will be presented over KBST Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

The program is presented under sponsorship of the City Council of Parent-Teachers, and Mrs. C. S. Edmonds, radio chairman, will announce.

A play on Texas Independence will be presented by the seventh grade students under the direction of Mrs. Ernest Coverdill, teacher.

News From The Forsan Community

FORSAN, March 1—Mr. and Mrs. C. L. West, Harold and Aquilla were recent visitors in San Angelo on a business trip.

Walkoe Bailey of Big Spring was in Forsan Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Williams made a business trip to Austin last week.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Cardwell were Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Edens of Dallas.

Mrs. H. McCarty of Andrews visited friends here recently.

Joe Holliday and E. L. Hedden were among those who took army physicals Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude King and Eddie, and Mrs. Pearl Scudday were in Stanton over the weekend.

Jake Green reported at Fort Sill, Okla., this week for army duty.

Derwood Heatherington is recuperating from a recent tonsillectomy.

Seaman and Mrs. Earl Moore are the parents of a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Conger, Jr., and Bill, III, were recent visitors in Sterling City.

Mr. and Mrs. Erda Lewis have returned from Abilene, where they attended funeral services for Mrs. Lewis' brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Craig and Mr. and Mrs. Otis Elmo were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Craig.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bransfield and Nanene Shedy visited Betty Bransfield in San Antonio last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Butler of Colorado City were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Heatherington and Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Butler.

Homemakers' Class Meets Thursday

The Homemakers class will meet at the East Fourth Baptist church Thursday at 10 a. m. for a busy business session and covered dish luncheon at noon.

The group plans to sew for refugee infants and all members and associate members are urged to attend.

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Mrs. Maurine Tolbert was initiated into the lodge and refreshments were served by Mrs. Opal Tatum, Mrs. Ruth Wilson and Mrs. Virginia Wilkerson.

Those attending were Mrs. Velma Cain, Mrs. Docia Crenshaw, Mrs. Cordia Mason, Mrs. Thelma Sheppard, Mrs. Evelyn Roger, Pvt. Addie Brisco, a visitor, Mrs. Mable Glenn, Mrs. Beulah Hayworth, Mrs. Ruth Wilson, Mrs. Opal Tatum, Mrs. Virginia Wilkerson, Mrs. Lillian Mason, Mrs. Clara Bender, Mrs. May Roberts, Mrs. Maggie Richardson, Mrs. Mildred Nowell, Mrs. Ethel Forgas, Mrs. Eula Robinson, Jim Crenshaw, Jones Lamar, Ben Miller, Mrs. Della Herring, Mrs. Gertrude Newton, Mrs. Hazel Lamar, Mrs. Lois Foreyth and Mrs. Jotie McDaniel.

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Today On The Home Front RFC Re - Establishment Program Aids Discharged Businessmen

By JAMES MARLOW and GEORGE ZIELKE

WASHINGTON, March 1 (AP)—No gravy bowl is attached to the announcement by the Reconstruction Finance Corporation that it has funds to help drafted businessmen re-establish themselves when they are mustered out of the armed services.

They will need more than just a yen to start in business and get some RFC money for free. It won't be free. The money will be given as loans, not grants, and there are requirements.

Applicants for RFC loans must show prior business experience and must be able to put up some personal equity, like property or money.

The RFC's announced lending program for ex-servicemen with business experience is to get back into business those who had to liquidate or turn over to others a store, shop, garage, or similar

establishment on entering the service.

But the requirements for such ex-servicemen, it was explained at RFC, will not be any more liberal than for any businessman seeking help from the agency.

One RFC official explained: "We want to help ex-servicemen all we can but it must be on a sound business basis. The purpose of these loans is to help ex-servicemen get back on their feet and put the nation's economy in order."

"It would not be good economy to help set up a poor businessman who eventually would only add to the number of business failures."

Here are two examples of how the program might operate:

1. John Smith, before going into the army, sold his garage for \$5,000. Mustered out, he wants to open a \$10,000 garage. He still has his \$5,000 as equity in asking the RFC for the other \$5,000. The RFC checks on him, finds

he has been a good businessman, has good credit standing. He'll probably get the loan.

2. John Jones, a poor businessman, had to turn his \$5,000 garage over to his creditors when he entered the army. Mustered out, he wants to open a \$10,000 garage. He has no money of his own and no property but he wants an RFC loan.

He can't get it because, besides being a poor risk, a \$10,000 loan from the RFC in this case would mean the agency had paid the entire cost of setting him up in business. This the agency will not do.

RFC charges 4 percent interest on loans, lower than most banks are likely to ask.

But since RFC is not in competition with banks, it encouraged their lending to ex-servicemen with RFC participation where necessary.

RFC, of course, can lend directly and fully where that's necessary.



Visits: On a 15-day leave Norfolk, Va., James H. Lemons, EM3c, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lemons, 1804 Nolan, here last week. He left Saturday for Shreveport, La. to visit his grandmother and other relatives while enroute to Virginia. A Big Spring high school graduate last June, he worked with Texas Electric Service before enlisting in the navy on June 17, 1943.

AAFBS Salvages Million Pounds Of Scrap Paper

One million pounds of paper is a lot of paper. And that's how much has been salvaged at the Big Spring Bombarrier School, according to Lt. Charles W. Pritchard, the salvage officer at Quartermaster.

Of the estimated 4,500 pounds of cardboard and paper salvaged daily, 2,500 pounds come from cartons which house each new shipment of bomb casings. 1,500 pounds are gathered from mess halls and warehouses, and 500 pounds from offices. An efficiently coordinated salvage pickup throughout the post has cut down cardboard and paper waste to a minimum, and every salvageable scrap of this essential war material is carefully collected and shipped to paper pulp mills.

A paper baler, designed and built by the Quartermaster Salvage Department, compresses and binds each bale of cardboard into a 100-pound unit. Paper is packed in 250-pound bales. The bales are then stored in a warehouse adjacent to the railroad siding until a carload lot of 45,000 pounds is ready for shipment.

Loading the box car is an important operation, and care must be taken to utilize every cubic inch of shipping space so that the maximum amount of paper may be shipped to the mills for re-processing.

This paper salvage job at the Big Spring school is just one of the many ways the army has of cutting down waste. Throughout all military installations here and abroad, every effort is made by the Quartermaster Corps to salvage all usable materials. Everything from tin cans and steel to paper and fats are reclaimed and "put to work" again in our fight against the Axis.

New York Demos Hold House Seats In Special Election

NEW YORK, March 1 (AP)—Democrats retained their seat in the house of representatives from New York's 21st district yesterday after a close special election, but republican and democratic leaders debated sharply its significance on the presidential campaign ahead.

In the year's first test of political sentiment in President Roosevelt's home state, James H. Torrens, 69-year-old Tammany district leader who campaigned as a supporter of the president, was elected. He defeated William S. Bennet, 73-year-old republican, by 1,571 votes of approximately 22,000 cast.

Bennet, who had been elected to congress four times, the last in 1915, was endorsed by Governor Thomas E. Dewey and Wendell L. Willkie.

Complete unofficial returns from yesterday's balloting gave Torrens, democratic and American Labor Party nominee, 11,707 votes to 10,136 for Bennet. Torrens' democratic vote of 8,481 was below Bennet's total, but the ALP gave Torrens 3,226 votes.

The district, which is in Manhattan's upper West Side and takes in part of Harlem, is normally heavily democratic. Joseph A. Gavanag, who resigned the seat after being elected to the state supreme court, won in 1942 with 46,934 democratic and 13,654 ALP votes for a total of 60,588 to 30,796 for his republican opponent.

Participant In First Rodeo Is Death Victim

FORT WORTH, March 1 (AP)—Henry Clay Slack, 76; who took part in a rodeo—it was called a "carnival" at the time—at Pecos, Texas, as far back as 1883, died last night in a Fort Worth hospital after a two-months' illness.

Slack, who came here in December to live with a daughter, Mrs. R. D. Mahoney, was a native of Cotton Valley, La. He ran away from home when he was 14 to "go to Texas and be a cowboy."

His first job was on the old "W" ranch near Pecos in 1882. On July

4 of the next year, it was as a result of friendly rivalry between his outfit and the boys from the Hash Knife ranch that they roped off Pecos' only street for roping, bulldogging and riding contests.

As he was the youngest lad of the "W" outfit, Slack led them in a parade up the street while untamed horses and cattle were rounded up for the event.

Residents of Pecos liked the "cowboy carnival"—the name "rodeo" was substituted later—and decided to hold one annually. Slack took part in the celebrations for the next 60 years and traditionally led the opening parade.

Burial is scheduled at Pecos cemetery tomorrow.

Other survivors include a son, H. C. Slack, Jr., of Presidio and a brother, Jim, of Goldthwaite.

4,500 Nips Nipped By Allies In Burma Area

NEW DELHI, March 1 (AP)—Admiral Lord Louis Mountbatten announced today that Allied troops had killed or wounded 4,500 Japanese soldiers since Feb. 4 in routing an enemy force 8,000-men strong which had attempted unsuccessfully to encircle the Fifth and Seventh Indian divisions in western Burma.

Mopping up of the remnants of the enemy force, part of which now is retreating southward toward Akyab, is continuing successfully, the announcement said.

In some places in the desert of Atacama of north Chile no rain is ever known to have fallen.

Texas Rancher Is Now Undersecretary Of Agriculture

WASHINGTON, March 1 (AP)—In an informal ceremony in the office of Secretary of Agriculture Wickard yesterday, Groves B. Hill, Texas rancher and wheat farmer, was sworn in as undersecretary of agriculture.

Hill succeeds Paul H. Appleby, recently named assistant director of the bureau of the budget. The Texan had served as an assistant secretary of agriculture and will continue to perform his duties as

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Sponsors Vessel Named For Brother
HOUSTON, March 1 (AP)—Mrs. Jack Eddington of Miami, Fla., was sponsor here today at the launching of the destroyer Chester T. O'Brien, named in honor of her brother, a Marine platoon sergeant who died in action last year on Guadalcanal Island.

The O'Brien was built and launched at the Brown Shipbuilding company yards.

first assistant war food administrator. Attending the ceremony were Vice President Wallace, Secretary of Commerce Jones, War Food Administrator Marvin Jones, Wickard, several Texas congressmen and more than a hundred associates of Hill in the department.

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Rose Installed As Head Mentor Of Razorbacks

FAYETTEVILLE, Ark., March 1 (AP)—Big Glen Rose, whose basketball teams at the University of Arkansas have been a perennial championship contender in the Southwest conference, took over today as athletic director and head football coach of the Razorbacks.

He was named to the post last night by university trustees meeting in Little Rock. The trustees reshuffled the coaching staff to make room for Rose, who returned to Arkansas recently after receiving a medical discharge as an army captain.

As head grid mentor he succeeds John F. (Bud) Tomlin, former four-sport star at Oregon State, who was retained as first assistant coach. Tomlin signed a new one-year contract as head coach at the end of last season but he said he had agreed to waive it on condition the school would pay him the same salary as assistant.

One of the most promising Razorback grid squads in several seasons is expected to report to Rose Thursday for spring drills. Twelve lettermen and four squadmen, all 4-Fs or too young for the draft, will be in the group.

The trustees also named Dr. Eugene Lambert, acting athletic director and acting head basketball coach, as head basketball coach and head of the physical education department, which was separated from the athletic department.

Before going into service in April, 1942, Rose was football line coach at Arkansas in addition to serving as head basketball coach. He coached the 1942 Camp Grant eleven from Rockford, Ill., which was rated one of the best army teams in the country. In his playing days, Rose was an all-around athlete at Arkansas.

Soil Board Starts Education Program

TEMPLE, March 1 (AP)—A state-wide program of public education in soil conservation has been launched by the state soil board and the directors of the state soil district supervisors association.

Scheduled yesterday by the two groups were district meetings to be held at Luling, April 19; Crockett, May 17; San Angelo, June 24; Stephenville, July 12 and Plainview, Aug. 9.

The soil board approved small annexations to the North Concho, upper Leon and middle Guadalupe basin districts. The board received new-district petitions from the Hardeman-Foard counties and Motley-Cottle counties districts and approved hearings for them. Certificates of organization were ordered issued for districts in Kendall and Menard counties.

Lions Attend Zone Parley

Several Big Spring members attended a zone No. 10 Lions meeting Tuesday evening in Odessa and heard Roy Keaton, Austin, state secretary for Lions International, declare that America urgently needed "thoroughbreds" today.

In people, as well as in animals, the thoroughbred is the product of careful thought, persistent effort and a desire to excel, he said. It is this spirit which has made America turn "set-backs" into get-backs, to turn wildernesses into the world's highest civilization. Lions International has, almost since the beginning, had a patriotic slogan—"Liberty, Intelligence, Our Nation's Safety," he said.

Fred Gage, Odessa president, presided over the program which featured music and novel take-off on a radio program. Burke Summers, Big Spring, was one of the guests on this portion of the program. K. H. McGibbon, local president, introduced Dan Conley, who made the club report. Bruce Johnson, Loraine, zone chairman, presided over the business session which selected Andrews as the next meeting place for the quarterly parley.

3 Convicts Escape Farm At Eastham

FORT WORTH, March 1 (AP)—Three convicts including Frank Celli, 27, who has escaped twice from Texas prisons since he was given a 15-year robbery sentence in Tarrant county last October, made a break last night from the Eastham Farm, the state highway patrol office announced early today.

With Celli was Thomas Wallace Tucker, 36, who is under a 50-year sentence from Tarrant county. He was convicted in October 1940, for the knife slaying of his wife at a downtown apartment.

The other convict is Oliver Pritchard, who was serving a 50-year sentence from Bexar county.

Housing Job Is Not Ended By Any Means

AUSTIN, March 1 (AP)—Although housing has caught up with needs in most areas, the job is by no means finished, said National Housing Administrator John B. Blanford, Jr., at a luncheon sponsored by the Texas Society of Architects.

Peace-time and wartime housing goals, he said, can be attained only through the allied efforts of industry, labor and all levels of government.

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State Health Office Warns Of Malaria

AUSTIN, March 1 (AP)—Malaria will become a major health problem unless controlled, warned State Health Officer Dr. George W. Cox.

Destruction of mosquito breeding places was stressed by Cox. "Since quinine, specific treatment of malaria, is now scarce for civilian use, it is of further importance to control this disease," he said.

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Lend-Lease Is Investment

WASHINGTON, March 1 (AP)—Leo T. Crowley, foreign economic administrator, today described the lend-lease program as "an investment in American security — an investment so sound that it has already paid us enormous dividends in lives saved and in security for our homes and our soil."

He was testifying before the house foreign affairs committee which has under consideration a measure to extend the lend-lease program for another year.

Discussing reverse lend-lease, a subject in which the committee showed special interest last year, Crowley asserted that "our partners in the United Nations are putting everything they have into the war."

Through the third quarter of 1943, Crowley said, the British commonwealth had provided more than \$1,900,000,000 in aid to the United States.

He emphasized the figures on lend-lease or reverse lend-lease would not reflect accurately the relative contribution of any of the United Nations to the war, nor were the costs comparable.

"The Soviet union," he added, "has been able to provide only a relatively small amount of reverse lend-lease, yet can anyone say that it has not given in fullest measure to the cause of the United Nations victory?"

Move Rolls On To Draft Sen. Byrd

WASHINGTON, March 1 (AP)—A southern democratic movement to draft Senator Harry F. Byrd for the party's presidential nomination rolled onward today, despite the Virginian's protestations that he is not a candidate.

Visibly encouraged by Byrd's expression of appreciation for their work in "strengthening the position of the legislative branch in measures for economy and sound government," a 12-member committee headed by John U. Barr of New Orleans arranged a southern conference of Byrd-for-president advocates. The time and place are yet to be fixed.

With an enthusiasm apparently not shared by Byrd, Barr predicted that "well over 50 per cent" of the democratic convention delegates to be selected by southern states could be lined up behind the 56-year-old Virginia senator.

Barr listed North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Alabama, Florida, Louisiana, Mississippi, Texas, Arkansas, Oklahoma, Tennessee and West Virginia as areas in which the draft movement already is under way. He said clubs also had been formed in Pennsylvania and Ohio.

General Doesn't Trust Jap Actions

WASHINGTON, March 1 (AP)—Lt. Gen. Alexander A. Vandergift, commandant of the marines, believes Japan is "playing possum" in an attempt to lull the United States into unwarranted optimism.

The enemy's hope, he said today, is to create what the Japanese premier has described as "the golden opportunity to destroy the American fleet at a single master stroke."

But, Vandergift added, "speaking as a marine, let me say that we have no intention of being lured into letting down our guard. Wherever and whenever the fleet moves forward, and wherever and whenever marines go ashore, we shall be prepared to assure, in every way possible, the success of our mission."

The commandant, who fought the Japanese on Guadalcanal, made his statement in urging participation in the American Red Cross war fund campaign.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. V. Van Gieson and Mrs. J. B. Young were Mrs. E. W. Williamson, wife of Dr. E. W. Williamson, superintendent and director of the American College of Surgery, and Mrs. Williamson's daughter, Mrs. Edwin Sweeney, who were enroute from California to their home in Chicago, Ill.

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Clinch In Golden Gloves Bout—Gerald Slavina (left) of Minneapolis, Minn., and Cpl. James Marlow (right), Laredo, Tex., Army Air Field, clinch during their 135-pound class Golden Gloves bout in the first round of the tournament of champions at Chicago. Marlow won by a decision. (AP Wirephoto).

Psychological Research Now Used At Midland Army Air Field As Aptitude

Kleberg Downs Fourth Term

By BRACK CURRY
HOUSTON, March 1 (AP)—Rep. Richard M. Kleberg (D-Tex.) addressing the convention of the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers association, today expressed opposition to a fourth term for President Roosevelt with the statement:

"I pray God that his wisdom and patriotism will prevent Franklin D. Roosevelt from taking the step of running for a fourth term."

Cheers from assembled cattle-men of 16 states greeted the statement which Rep. Kleberg said was his first public declaration in 1944 politics.

"In this time of stress for the world and the nation we have exposed a great Achilles heel if we admit we have reached the point where only one man can guide the destinies of this nation," the Corpus Christi congressman asserted.

"Within our great party are many men capable of guiding this ship of state."

Rep. Kleberg expressed "amazement and concern" at what he termed the "constant efforts to prevent our government by subterfuge and by all kinds of false statements and promises."

"We won't be proud to call ourselves Americans unless we stop this foolishness," he declared.

R. C. Pollock of Chicago, general manager of the National Livestock and Meat Board, said in an address that 4,000,000,000 (billions) pounds of meat would be allocated to the armed force this year and about 3,000,000,000 pounds to lend-lease.

The United States' 1943 meat production of 24,000,000,000 pounds exceeded by 9,000,000,000 pounds the average annual output during world war I he said.

Rep. Kleberg stressed that "many Americans, including some Texans, have been too tolerant in permitting foreign ideologies to bring ravaging confusion to our land."

"Never in our glorious past we deemed it incumbent upon the government to take care of us as wards," he said. "Right now it's a simple challenge of whether we are to have government of the people, or government over the people."

He labeled arguments advanced for the food subsidy program as "fallacious and insincere."

Officers Promoted At Local Post

Public relations office at the Big Spring Bombardier School has announced the promotion of the following officers stationed at the local post.

Second lieutenant to first: John A. Allen, Moberly, Mo.; Kenneth R. Davis, Bridgeton, N. J.; William G. Dorsch, Baltimore, Md.; Norman F. Floering, Melrose Park, Ill.; Harold J. Mickey, Hammond, Ind.; Edwin E. Burkland, Bathel, Wash.; William D. Compton, Shreveport, La.; Kenneth C. Wilson, Indianapolis, Ind.; Harry L. Brandon, Woodbury, Tenn.; Myron E. Hoeger, Jr., San Diego, Calif.; Robert D. Reckner, Ludlow, Ky.

Promoted from the rank of first lieutenant to captain: Roland F. Hatfield, St. Paul, Minn.; Lynn C. Green, Temple; Jack S. Millard, Brady; Edward W. Ahrens, Dunkirk, N. Y.; Walter O. Krebs, Chicago, Ill.; Frank Jacobs, Lake City, Iowa.

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Congress Irked At Witnesses

WASHINGTON, March 1 (AP)—Congress asserted emphatically today that its authority is independent of the administration as it challenged the right of federal officials to refuse to testify before congressional committees either upon their own decision or at the instance of department chiefs or even President Roosevelt.

Chairman Dies (D-Tex.) of the committee investigating un-American activities said he would make an issue on the house floor of what was termed "administration pressure" which he said led to suspension of an investigation of the federal communications commission.

And farm state senators who have sought unsuccessfully to obtain information on the Rural Electrification Administration intimated that contempt proceedings may be filed against Jonathan Daniels, administrative assistant to the chief executive, and against Secretary of Agriculture Wickard.

Dies announced he had served subpoenas on some of the executive departments in connection with the FCC investigation and that he expected they would be ignored.

"If they are," the Texas asserted, "I propose to make a test on the floor of the house."

A senate farm subcommittee is considering contempt action against Daniels because of his refusal to answer questions concerning the REA, and Chairman Smith (D-SC), disclosed today that the proceedings may be broadened to include Wickard, who has made similar refusals.

Mrs. Bloodworth, Widow Of Pioneer Minister, Dies

Mrs. Mary Gertrude Bloodworth, 74, widow of a pioneer Methodist evangelist and who helped him build a trail for religion in the Staked Plains area of West Texas, succumbed at a Worth where last rites will be held since she suffered severe burns 12 years ago, only two years after her husband, the Rev. J. T. Bloodworth, had succumbed.

The body will lie in state at Nalley Funeral Home until 10 p. m. today, being sent to Fort Worth where last rites will be held Friday at 3 p. m. in the Polytechnic church, with Lt. Col. J. F. Isbell, post chaplain from Fort Bliss and a brother-in-law to Mrs. Bloodworth, officiating. He will be assisted by Dr. Ward, Polytechnic pastor, Dr. S. A. Barnes, Methodist district superintendent at Fort Worth, and Bishop H. A. Boaz of Dallas.

She is survived by two sons, Capt. Lloyd P. Bloodworth, stationed at Santa Fe, N. M., and who was here Wednesday to complete arrangements, and J. K. Bloodworth, Portland, Ore. Mrs. J. L. McWhirter, Big Spring is a sister-in-law, and J. D. McWhirter and Mrs. C. L. Patterson, Jr., Big Spring, are a nephew and niece, respectively. Eight grandchildren and three great-grandchildren survive.

Mrs. Bloodworth was born Sept. 18, 1869, in Adamsville, Tenn. and was married to the Rev. Bloodworth, who was the third man to preach on the Texas plains, not long after he had preached the first gospel message in Potter county at the Fryling

The fig tree bears three crops a season.

Midland Man To Buy 40 Producers

MIDLAND, March 1 (AP)—Harry Adams of Midland and C. A. Bradley of Odessa have contracted, they said today, to sell to G. E. Hall, also of Midland, 40 producing oil wells on 12 leases in Winkler, Andrews and Gaines counties.

The consideration was not announced. Approximately 45,000 barrels of oil monthly is being sold to pipe lines from the wells. The leases include 1,640 acres.

Midland Youth Wins 4-H Livestock Show

MIDLAND, March 1 (AP)—The championship in the dry lot division of the annual 5-county 4-H and FFA livestock show was won today by Jerry Bohannon of Midland county.

W. D. Chandler, Jr. of Martin county won the championship in the milk fed division. Top honors in the lamb division went to Fields Branch of Upton county and in the hog division to Merwin Sanders of Midland county.

German General Is Reported Dead

NEW YORK, March 1 (AP)—A Berlin broadcast today said that Gen. Oswald Lutz of the German armored forces had died in Munich last Saturday.

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Zany Ballot Offered Servicemen By Spokane 'Bundles For Congress' Group

SPOKANE, Wash. March 1 (AP)—"Are you," the Spokane Athlete-le round table is asking servicemen, "in favor of the present plan of having two sexes?"

In a few months the nation's soldiers may be sitting down in fox-hole voting "booths," pencils in hand, to register their sentiments on such serious questions as who is to be their next commander-in-chief.

But before that, if the round table doesn't get bogged down in seas will have a go at lighter its own ballots, servicemen over-problems.

The originators of "Bundles for Congress," betting legislators to the punch, have come up with their own version of a servicemen's ballot. Thousands of copies are being prepared for mailing over seas. Each is about 16 by 8 inches.

"Do your believe that a leader of men is rarely a follower of women?" is one of the questions on which the round table wants

Pan ranch in 1888

Together they pioneered the great table land, moving about as he served as a general evangelist for the Methodist church. They settled in Mobette, his first charge, Plainview, Claude, Memphis and other points where he held pastorates.

For 13 years Mrs. Bloodworth was chairman of the Christian Women's Federation of Fort Worth, for 10 years president of the Fort Worth Methodist Women's Federation, was district president for the Women's Christian Temperance Union, and served as national democratic committee woman from Texas.

Health Quiz

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Schoolboy Quints Gather For State Title Tournament

AUSTIN, March 1 (AP)—Stratford and Dimmit teams led schoolboy basketball teams arriving today for the state championship tournament beginning Thursday. Virtually all teams in the field of 24—embracing AA, A and B conferences—will be on hand by nightfall.

Stratford goes into action

Tennis Veteran Is At Shennard

WICHITA FALLS, March 1 (AP)—Bob Falkenberg, tennis veteran at 18, has arrived at Sheppard Field for basic training in the army air forces. He awaits classification for training as an air crew member, hoping to become a pilot.

Member of the five-star tennis family which includes screen actress Jinx Falkenberg, Bob won the national interscholastic title in 1942, representing Fairfax High of Hollywood, and teamed with his brother, Tom, who now is stationed with the ferry command in Dallas, to nab the doubles championship.

Since then, Bob has carried off an impressive array of trophies. He won the 1943 national junior singles championship, and paired with Jim Brink for the doubles crown. He gathered in many state and lesser tournament titles in the meantime.

Bob and Tom began playing tennis in Brazil before reaching 10 years of age. Mother Mickey Falkenberg won the championship of Brazil while her husband was in that country installing its first radio station.

The family fled a South American revolution and settled in California. It was here that Bob and Tom started their rise to tennis fame.

TCU Plans Track And Baseball If Possible

FORT WORTH, March 1 (AP)—If enough material can be uncovered, T. C. U. will compete in both Southwest conference track and baseball this spring, Coach Dutch Meyer says.

A famine of pitching talent may prevent the formation of a baseball team, and unless the group of new navy V-12 men who start spring trimester classes March 6 contains some mound artists, prospects for the diamond sport are slim indeed.

On the other hand, there appears to be considerable manpower available for track.

Coach Meyer still plans to start spring football practice around March 15, although he says he doesn't know too much about who will report.

STARTERS READY
MEXICO CITY, March 1 (AP)—Eleven starters, including Don Jose H. and Seeling Eys, Kentucky Derby nominees, were listed last night for the \$5,000-added Ciudad de Mexico handicap here next Sunday.

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Bobcats Start Spring Work

Budding fruit trees and leafing lilac bushes have been too much for the San Angelo Bobcats, champions of the state interscholastic AA football league last year.

They start "spring" football practice Thursday afternoon with prospects of 19 lettermen returning. In addition, there will be extra nine reserve lettermen to bolster the group for what may prove another great drive to repeat in the title role.

Word from the Concho citadel places the number of hopefuls expected to report to Coach Jewel Wallace at 120.

Lettermen due to be returning are: Vernie Horner, Jack Coffman, Bill Wells and Roe Hall, ends; Dennis Doyle, Douglas McSwane, Harold Broome and Bobby Broyles, tackles; George Hughes and Hunder Strain, guards; Sam Callan, center; George Graham, Kenneth Carley, Dwain Dodson, Vernard Adkins, Max Box, H. C. Mercer, Billy Gibbs and Marcus Ogden, backs. Of this group Horner, Doyle, Hughes, Callan, Graham and Carley were starters last year.

Says Blondy Cross the blustering buller from Bobcatville: "Despite loss of some mighty fine all-around players of the 1943 team, the Bobcat football outlook right now appears better than it was this time last year when it was announced that the team was going to win the state championship."

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Larry Priddy, veteran driver at Sweetwater, has notified Supt. Ross Covey that he intends to resign his position to enter the navy. His number is up in the draft, he said.

At San Angelo there was talk that Jewel Wallace, coach of the state champion Bobcats, might be missing next year.

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Bombardier School Race Tangled Again

The enlisted men's basketball race at the Big Spring Bombardier school was in a wild tangle again Wednesday as the result of an upset victory by the 812-South over the leading 365th in a make-up game Tuesday evening.

The 812-S clipped the 365th by a 46-42 count to slice off a half game advantage the leaders were nursing.

Alexander led in the assault on the dope bucket, sinking 19 points while Youngblood heaped more fuel on the fire by getting 12. Millard tried hard with 14 for the 365th and Kowalsky had 10 more.

NEW COMMANDER

MIDLAND, March 1 (AP)—The Midland army air field, a bombardier school of the army air forces training command, has a new commanding officer, Col. Charles H. Dowman, who succeeds Col. John P. Kenny, ordered to a new undisclosed assignment.

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Four Texans Win Major League Bouts In Chicago Gloves Tourney

CHICAGO, March 1 (AP)—Four Texans won seven out of eight bouts in which they participated here last night in the golden gloves tournament of champions, three of them advancing a step toward the finals.

SPORTS ROUNDUP

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.

NEW YORK, March 1 (AP)—Late Dodger rumor is that two wealthy manufacturers of radio and communications equipment—one from Boston and one from Chicago—are gathering information preparatory to making a bid for the club. . . . Maybe they're interested in Leo Durocher's way of broadcasting through a microphone. . . . Auburn, which may sign Pete Cawthon as grid coach most any day, is the only South-eastern conference school that lost its entire football staff to the armed forces. . . . Looks like Hank Armstrong will cash in on his latest comeback by fighting Sammy Angott at Hollywood in May, if Sammy isn't inducted before then. . . . Washington also is said to be bidding for the bout ("we won't say 'match'").

Well mentioned—Recent mention of Battling Nelson's full name—Oscar Mathew Battling Nelson—reminded C. G. Abbey of Geneva, N. Y., of his conversation with the Battler's father when Nelson fought Jimmy Britt in 1905 (the only time Nelson beat Britt). . . . Between rounds Abbey asked the elder Nelson how he came to name his famous son "Battling." "The old gentleman smiled," Abbey relates, "and said in his broken Danish: 'Well, when he was a baby in the cradle he was always making his arms flail about, and we knew he was going to be a battler so we named him Battling.' . . . Just about then Nelson knocked Britt for a goal."

One-minute sports page—Mel Ott, who went to work in a New Orleans shipyard at the close of the 1943 baseball season (to forget, maybe?) has been granted his release so he can manage the Giants again. . . . What's this story that Carl Snively is going to quit Cornell and return to his old North Carolina coaching job? . . . Although the build-up for Friday's Beau Jack-Bob Montgomery lightweight "title" fight includes minimizing Bob's recent knockout by Al Davis, Nat Fleischer held a stopwatch on that one and claims Montgomery actually was down for 25 seconds. . . . After all the discussion of Warren Giles' "new" idea of having baseball plays explained over the loudspeaker when they weren't clear to the fans, it turns out that the Cardinals have been doing that for several years.

Service dept.—The day that Tony Canadeo, Green Bay Packers quarterback, was transferred from Fort Sheridan, Ill., to Camp Eustis, Va., he received word that his younger brother Danny, a member of an anti-tank battalion, had been seriously wounded in Italy. . . . Georgie Kochan, the Coast Guard middleweight who received his shipping orders the day he was to fight Jake Lamotta at Madison Square Garden, now is stationed at Norfolk, Va., and fans there are hoping to match him with Ruben Shank. . . . Pvt. Ted Murata, Filipino golfer from Camp Shelby, Miss., played barefoot in the pro-amateur preliminary to the recent New Orleans open. . . . After trudging around 18 holes he reported his feet didn't hurt as much as they did after some long hikes in Army shoes.

FERTILIZER PLANT
ST. LOUIS, March 1 (AP)—Construction of a \$3,300,000 fertilizer plant to be built at Houston by the Southern Acid and Sulphur Company, Inc., of St. Louis, will begin "without delay," the firm's president, Joseph Mullen, said yesterday.

Track Equipment Is Being Issued Here
Issuance of track equipment is now underway at the hands of John Dibrell, high school coach. As has been the case with football and basketball, the track team is due to be composed of inexperienced hands, most of the lettermen from last year having either graduated or gone into service. So far, Dibrell has issued equipment to more than 30 youngsters and may have 15 more to go.

Record Holder Hopes To Break The Will 'o Wisp 4-Minute Mile
By EDWIN SHANKE
AP Features
STOCKHOLM — Arne Andersson, Sweden's fleet-footed teacher, who started running by accident, is training to run the four minute mile, and says he "wouldn't be astonished" if someone did it this coming season.

"I should like to be the first to do it," says the barrel-chested 27-year-old runner whose other ambition is to beat Gunder Haegg this year.

Though Andersson and Haegg are great rivals, they also are great friends. Andersson holds the world mile record of 4:02.6, having shaved two full seconds off Gunder's mark last summer while Haegg was touring America.

Easy smiling Andersson not only has the "phantom mile" figured out, but he tells how he hopes to do it with one-half second to spare, based on the race in then carried on for a mile to which he ran 1,500 meters and crack Haegg's world mark.

His times for the quarter marks in the 1,500 meters were 0:58.1, 1:59.3, 3:02.5 and 3:47.4 for 4:02.6 at the mile. He plans to lower these fractions to 0:58, 1:59, 2:59 and 3:44 for 1,500 meters and then go nine meters farther to negotiate the English mile in 3:59.5.

"My training plans are quite clear," says Andersson who is abandoning "customary" cross country running because he finds it saps too much stamina for a long competitive outdoor season from April to September.

Snow Helps Legs
"I've already started my routine, by running as often as possible, sometimes five days a week. I run a bit, then walk, and then run again. When possible, I ski or walk through deep snow. The high stepping pumping motion through snow is magnificent for strengthening leg muscles."

Unlike Haegg, who is a born runner, Andersson really had to work hard to force himself to the present standard. As a boy of 12 he loved the outdoors and engaged in all sports, especially swimming, canoeing and ice hockey until he was 18. He also dabbled in track.

Marshall Cagers Nearly Lose Game
CHICAGO, March 1 (AP)—The Marshall high school junior basketball team's long victory string came close to being broken yesterday.

But the Commando Cagers eked out a 34 to 33 win over Von Steuben in a first round playoff game to run their consecutive win streak to 97.

JUSTICE DIES
AMARILLO, March 1 (AP)—Judge M. J. R. Jackson, 73, who served as chief justice of the Seventh court of appeals here from 1924 until his voluntary retirement in January, 1943, died here yesterday.

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Here were the results by divisions:
In the first round, 147-pound class, welterweight Donald Nasche of Fort Worth scored a third-round technical knockout over Pvt. Julian Hernandez of Los Angeles but Nasche lost his second-round bout to Charles O'Kelley of St. Louis in three rounds.

The first round battle in the 160-pounds, middleweight class saw Dick Young of Abilene's Camp Barkley best Pvt. Connie Goeringer of Memphis, Tenn., in three rounds. Young took a second-round bout from Sgt. Frank Bukoski of Milwaukee in three rounds.

Sgt. Pressley Darnell of Fort Worth, Army Air Field defeated William Reese of Milwaukee in three rounds, fighting in the 175-pound, or light heavyweight, class in a first-round bout. The Texan took a second-round fight from Roy Miller of Kansas City in three rounds.

Scrapping in the heavyweight division in a first-round bout, O. W. Ott, of Chase Field, Corpus Christi, scored a technical knockout over Arnold McAlphine, Kansas City, in two rounds, and won a second-round fight by knocking out Tommy Irwin, Nashville, in two rounds.

Coach To Fete Basketball Men
Coach John Dibrell entertains his 1944 basketball squad this evening at a dinner affair in recognition for their efforts during the season.

The cagers, somewhat like the grid team of last autumn, played in hard luck as concerned the win column, but Dibrell's B team did come through nicely to win its share of games. "The first team had only one letterman on it and only one other squadman with experience."

Guests of the coach will be Bobby Barrow, Buddy Baker, Ben Aguilera, I. B. Bryan, Tommy Clinkscales, Hugh Cochran, Pete Cook, Joe Bruce Cunningham, Ike Davidson, Darrell Douglas, Earl Lusk, Alvin Mize, Leo Rusak, Pee-Wee Simmons, Billy Warren, Bob Wright, Barkley Wood and Pete Fuglaar, manager.

Major League Stars Dicker With Mexico
MEXICO CITY, March 1 (AP)—Two former U. S. major league baseball stars, Marty McManus and Frank Snyder, are negotiating with the Nuevo Laredo team of the Mexican league for the managership. Jorge Pasquel, league president, said last night.

McManus, former Boston Red Sox manager, is in St. Louis. Snyder, one-time St. Louis Cardinal catcher and later New York Giants trainer, lives in San Antonio.

Pasquel called a league meeting for Saturday to make final preparations for opening of play on March 18. The question of releasing Martin Dihigo, Cuban negro manager of Nuevo Laredo, to Puebla, as petitioned, will be taken up. If the transfer is approved, the border club is expected to sign up McManus or Snyder.

Rogers Hornsby, pilot of Vera Cruz, is conducting joint practice sessions for his players and those of the Mexico City team, pending return of the Mexico City manager, Ernesto Carmona, from Los Angeles where he went to hunt players.

New arrivals from Cuba are Ramon Braganza, Vera Cruz pitcher, and Carlos Coisa, Nuevo Laredo catcher.

ROSTER OF YANKS
NEW YORK, March 1 (AP)—The champion New York Yankees published their team roster today, listing 32 men as against 26 a year ago. The catch, however, is that the roster lists Joe Gordon, second baseman; Catcher Rollie Hemley and Pitchers Marius Russo and Spud Chandler, all of whom are very likely to play because they may be called into the armed forces any day.

Food produced in America's victory gardens in 1943 amounted to 2 billion pounds, more than the total relief food sent to Europe after World War I.

TECH ENDS SEASON
LUBBOCK, March 1 (AP)—In a doubleheader here last night that wound up the cage season for Texas Tech teams, Tech's army engineers nosed out Lubbock army air field 41-40 in the opener and Texas Tech downed the South Plains army air field 55-46.

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Can Someone Do This Job

The War Today

by DeWitt Mackenzie
Associated Press War Analyst

The Allies continue steadily to tighten the great Pacific pincers which one of these days will seize and crush the Mikado's island kingdom.

Further successes are reported from the geographical extremes of the southwestern Pacific and southeastern Asia—the Bismarck archipelago and Burma respectively. Progress in both instances represents vital preparation for the all-out offensive to smash Japan. Each presages other important operations—probably in the near future.

General MacArthur has brought home another handsome victory in the capture of the strategic airport of Momote in the Admiralty islands, on the northern border of the Bismarck archipelago. The general watched the preliminary bombardment aboard a warship, and then followed his troops ashore, disregarding the danger from Jap snipers.

This operation severs the regular Japanese supply lines to their bases in the New Guinea area to the south, including the key base of Rabaul on New Britain. It will speed up immeasurably completion of the conquest of this whole vast zone and thereby open the way to the East Indies and the Philippines. MacArthur, whose mind is riveted on his oath to free the Philippines, pointed out significantly in the opening sentence of his communique that the Admiralty islands are 1,300 miles from that goal.

As a result of this success, some 50,000 Japs are surrounded, mainly on the island of New Britain. Other troops are trapped in the Solomons to the south. All of these enemy forces are doomed to death or capture.

MacArthur says end of the Bismarck campaign is now "clearly in sight." This means that the island barriers between him and the Philippines soon will be raised. If also means that we may expect a further move against Rabaul before long.

While MacArthur has thus been successfully busy, his opposite over in southeast Asia—Admiral Lord Mountbatten—also has had his thumb in the pie and pulled out a plum. At long last the Allies have achieved a first class victory over the Japs in the Burmese jungles.

In the Arakan region a Nipponese force of 8,000, which set out to annihilate two Indian divisions and then stage a drive into India, has itself been torn to shreds. Mountbatten announced this morning that Allied troops had killed or wounded 4,500 of these schemers, and that mopping up of the remnants of the enemy force in the jungle is continuing successfully.

The assumption is that the Allies now will intensify their drive on Akyab.

Isn't there some organization in Big Spring which will accept the responsibility of seeing that adequate machinery is set up and maintained for the collection of paper? Won't the Civilian Defense Council revive long enough to get some action in this direction?

Seriously, paper is badly needed for a variety of purposes. It is first of all needed by the military. It is inconceivable the amount of paper required for packing and for crating of vital war materials from helmets to artillery shells, from rations to bomb cases.

Consider the figures from the Big Spring Bomber School, but one of the hundreds of army posts all over the nation and the world. Records show 4,500 pounds of cardboard and paper are salvaged daily from that point. That's a great job but one can easily imagine that it has not attained perfection, hence the actual amount coming into the post, and in all frankness it is a comparatively small one at that is far greater each day.

Multiply this several thousand times and you get the picture of how much paper is needed for just the post here at home. Then multiply that many times and you have an idea about what it takes to properly pack material for transoceanic shipment and for packing into combat zones.

There is an abundance of paper in Big Spring. There ought to be easily five to 10 tons weekly collected. The people will cooperate—and gladly—as has been demonstrated in a series of erratic campaigns. Boy Scouts started in on the job—and some few troops are still doing heroic work—but they have not been able to work out a systematic collection. Perhaps it is not a boy's job entirely. Perhaps we have some men in Big Spring who could put their minds to working out a plan. Uncle Sam needs this paper—it's a crime for us to sit by and let it become simply "waste paper."

We'd Almost Forgotten

W. A. Thomas, collector of internal revenue for the second district of Texas, has reminded income tax papers that their returns must be filed not later than March 15.

Alluding to the talk about "complexity of tax laws," he pointed out that there was hope for simplification. There is nothing but cold facts in the warning that he adds: "No taxpayer can afford to misunderstand this. Whatever changes are eventually enacted into law, they will not and cannot alter the 1943 forms which 50,000,000 of us taxpayers must file by March 15.

"The intelligent, the democratic thing for all of us to do is to make out and file 1943 returns to the best of our ability as soon as possible, and in as good humor as circumstances permit."

Amen Brother Thomas! But do you mean "our ability" to pay or to fill out the forms—or both?

Folks who don't intend to pay back should borrow nothing but trouble.

Washington In Wartime—

OPA Taken For Ride By Used Cars

By JACK STINNETT

WASHINGTON—At the Office of Price Administration, they're wrestling with one of the toughest problems in months — how to stop skyrocketing prices of used cars.

Already there have been reports from some areas that the high prices of used cars are slowing up the war effort. Workers who must travel long distances to their jobs and can't afford this high-priced transportation are finding work nearer home, regardless of whether it is essential.

According to information received here, three-year-old used cars in some sections are selling 75 to 80 per cent over the cost of the car when it was new. In some instances, this has brought the cost of some of the least expensive cars to around \$1,500.

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS
1. Chimney
2. New Zealand evergreen tree
3. Crustacean
4. Old musical note
5. Health
6. Faint
7. "Mighty" ear
8. On the ocean
9. Aromatic seed
10. Shattered
11. Allowed the use of
12. Spice used in ancient Jewish incense
13. Region
14. Backs of boats
15. Bring before
16. The bar
17. Perceive
18. Greek letter
19. Lauded
20. By
21. Old French coin
22. Keeps from action
23. Peral
24. Sleeping letter
25. Pinch
26. Flood
27. Friend of Pythias
28. Having an offensive
29. Wing
30. Howler
31. Biblical character
32. Sailor
33. Collie
34. Pintail duck
35. Before

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33
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45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55
56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66

DOWN
1. Pertaining to the feet
2. Straighten the margin
3. Arranged in thin layers
4. Carry
5. Feminine name
6. Poorest
7. Fragrances
8. Pure
9. Slit
10. Opposite of a weather
11. Small ornamental ball
12. Thong
13. Dead
14. Traditional tale
15. Goddess of healing
16. Orderly
17. Hardens
18. Imitated
19. Cereal
20. Nothing
21. Mediterranean sailing vessel
22. Sin
23. The moon
24. Lie
25. Enliven
26. Musical studies
27. Kind of moss
28. Blumbers
29. Arabian medallion
30. Arcile
31. Trap
32. Extinct bird
33. Spirit
34. Canned
35. Petticoat

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle
1. Arranged in thin layers
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The Unseen Audience



Great Profile Of 20's In Comeback

By ROBBIN COONS

HOLLYWOOD—When you're shedding a tear or two for the forgotten great ones of the screen, save that droplet you were about to spill for Francis X. Bushman. There's a guy who doesn't need it.

He's 60 now, this one-time "king of the movies," the great lover who caused riots and feminine swoons before Sinatra was in diapers, who was "the great profile" before the late John Barrymore came to pictures, who was still a boom to the U. S. post office when Valentino began getting fan mail. He's still handsome and distinguished, looking 10 years younger than he is. And he's comfortable.

"Look at my hair," he says. "I quit dyeing it when I gave up personal appearances, and let it go natural. It was the first time I knew it was grey. I've got a radio contract for 'Those We Love' and I don't have to worry about such things any more. I take a picture part now and then—but I get more offers than I take. I've got time now to catch up on my reading, and I can have a few beers without worrying about my waistline."

His picture role now is that of Bernard Bafuch in "Wilson," but in profile, with his glasses, he resembles President Roosevelt as much as he does Baruch. His physique, which made him a man's man as well as a feminine idol, is still remarkable.

"I've quit running," he says. "Used to do 10 or 12 miles at a stretch. And I've given my collection of dumb-bells and weights to the war, for scrap. But until then, I used them regularly."

Bushman lights a cigarette—a plain, popular brand. In his heyday, he smoked a special lavender, monogrammed fag which matched his big lavender automobile with attendants in lavender liveries.

"I've made a lot, spent a lot, lost a lot, had a world of fun," he says, "and I haven't any regrets. I'm enjoying life—every day when I wake up I just thank God that I'm still here."

During his film career, from 1911 at Chicago's old Essanay to 1924 when he played the Roman Messala in "Ben-Hur" as his last major role, Bushman's earnings were between six and nine million dollars. Waning popularity hit him and the 1929 market crash took away, he says, his \$750,000 savings. He went into obscure stock companies, did vaudeville, came back in a small way, and now—thanks to radio—is prospering again.

Bushman says that today's stars don't know what stardom means.

You'd Be Surprised— Coxey's Men Marched 50 Years Ago

By GEORGE STIMPSON

Fifty years ago this spring "Gen." Jacob Selcher Coxey marched to Washington at the head of what he called "The Army of the Commonweal."

Many may be surprised to learn that General Coxey is still living at Massillon, Ohio, at the age of 90.

Early in the year following the Panic of 1893 Coxey issued a call for a march of unemployed men on Washington to demand that Congress pass bills providing for a public roads program and the issue of \$50,000,000 in non-interest-bearing bonds to relieve unemployment and distress.

This presentation of their grievances by the unemployed to Congress personally was called "petition in boots."

Small bands of men started from many parts of the country to respond to Coxey's call. The original plan was for all groups to meet in Washington for a demonstration on May Day, 1894.

Owing to a long rainy season and bad weather General Coxey and "Marshal" Carl Browne, his chief organizer and publicity man, had to set out from Massillon with a comparatively small "army," probably about 500. Although "The Army of the Commonweal" was met with large crowds in every city through which it passed, there were few "enlistments."

The army reached Washington April 24, 1894, and was reinforced by about a thousand unemployed men from other sections of the country who had answered the call.

Although the authorities made no attempt to interfere with Coxey and his followers, local police arrested the general and his marshal for holding a public meeting on the capitol grounds without a permit. Both Coxey and Browne were fined \$5 and sentenced to 20 days in jail.

From this incident we get the saying, "Coxey was arrested for walking on the grass," which means punishing a person for a trifling technical trespass when he is doing something objectionable to the authorities, but has violated no important law.

"Ragged as Coxey's army" also became a by-word.

In 1914 General Coxey led another but smaller march upon Washington for a similar purpose.

He started life as a stationary engineer in rolling mills and later entered the scrap iron business and silica sandstone quarrying.

On various tickets Coxey ran for Congress, governor of Ohio,

Exile Genius Great US Boon

By ADELAIDE KERR
AP Features Writer

Americans were freg with predictions, when the flood of European refugees started to flow to these shores, that the cultural life of the country would benefit by it. Few realized just how great this benefit would be.

A new survey shows that at least nine Nobel prize winners and many less well known scientists, painters and writers are now living—and working—in this country. Some of the famous refugees have given original manuscripts and art works to the United States Treasury to be disposed of in promoting the sale of war bonds. Others are contributing scientific knowledge to the war effort or doing creative work. Still others are teaching in American universities.

Nine Nobel Prize Winners
The work of the nine Nobel prize winners is in many fields. Alfred Einstein, the famous German physicist, who evolved the theory of relativity, lives in Princeton, N. J., where he is on the faculty of the Institute for Advanced Study. He is now a United States citizen and several times has been called into consultation by the government on war projects.

Thomas Mann, the German-born author, who lives in Pacific Palisades, Calif., has a new book—the fourth in the Joseph series—ready for publication early this year. Since Sigrid Undset, the Norwegian Nobel prize winner, sought refuge in this country, after her writings aroused the Nazis' ire, she has turned out three books—"Christmas and Twelfth Night," "Return to the Future" and "Happy Times in Norway."

Count Maurice Maeterlinck, now past 80, has also been working hard, since he left his beautiful Mediterranean villa to make headquarters in a New York hotel. The Belgian-born poet dramatist, who gave the world "The Blue Bird," has turned out a number of plays, none of which has yet been presented, and several books, published in French.

Booster College Staffs
Add to that list of Nobel prize winners the German physicist, Professor James Franck, known for his atom smashing experiments, who is now teaching at the University of Chicago. Cornell University has the well-known Dutch chemist, Peter Debye, whose discoveries helped produce rayon, synthetic rubber and high octane gas. He is now deep in research at the university's department of chemistry, of which he is chairman.

Otto Loewi, the Austrian physiologist, is conducting experiments at New York University on the functions of the heart and kidneys. Victor Frank Hess, who discovered the cosmic origin of cosmic rays, is experimenting at Fordham University, New York. And Enrico Fermi, the Italian physicist who was awarded the coveted Nobel prize for the discovery of radio active substances, is on leave from Columbia University to do war research.

The war has given other American universities the opportunity to add famous European scientists to their teaching staffs. The University of Michigan has Kasimir Fajans, the Polish physical chemist, former director of the Institute of Physical Chemistry of the University of Munich.

Harvard University's staff includes Dr. Heinrich Bruening, former chancellor of the German Reich, who fled Germany after friends learned he was slated to be a victim of the notorious Nazi "blood purge" in 1934.

Taft University has the services of Kurt Goldstein, the German physicist and neurologist, and the University of California has Dr. Richard Goldschmidt, the German geneticist and former director of the Kaiser Wilhelm Institute for Biology in Berlin. In addition the National Refugee Service says it has placed 1,500



ALFRED EINSTEIN



MAURICE MAETERLINCK

doctors in vital medical posts. Boon To Cultural Life
Musicians who sought refuge in this country, have also made an appreciable contribution to America's cultural life. Heading the list is the famous Italian, Arturo Toscanini, who conducted the NBC Symphony Orchestra for several years. Recently the maestro, who is said to have turned down a Hollywood offer of \$250,000, made a motion picture "Hymn of the Nation," for the United States government.

Other foreign musicians have delighted music lovers all over the country. Lotte Lehmann, the German-born soprano, and Stella Roman, the Rumanian soprano, are both warbling at the Metropolitan Opera House in New York. Concert-goers in various parts of the country have heard Robert Casadesu, the French pianist. Advanced music students at Mills College, Oakland, Calif., are being put through their paces by Darius Milhaud, French composer and conductor. And Broadway theater-goers have heard the work of the German composer, Kurt Weill, in the rollicking rhythms of "One Touch of Venus."

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- 7:30 News.
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- 8:05 Musical Interlude.
- 8:15 "Lest We Forget."
- 8:30 KBST Bandwagon.
- 9:00 Front Line Features.
- 9:15 Morning Devotional.
- 9:30 Shady Valley Folks.
- 10:00 Arthur Gaeth.
- 10:15 String Ensemble.
- 10:30 Happy Joe & Ralph.
- 10:45 Musical Moments.
- 10:55 News.
- 11:00 Boake Carter.
- 11:15 Dr. W. S. Palmer.
- 11:20 Musical Interlude.
- 11:30 U. S. Navy Band.
- 12:00 Kay Kyser's Orch.
- Thursday Afternoon
- 12:15 What's The Name of That Band.
- 12:30 News.
- 12:45 Luncheon Dance Varieties.
- 1:00 Cedric Foster.
- 1:15 Listen Ladies.
- 1:30 School Forum.
- 1:45 Mutual Goes Calling.
- 2:00 Morton Downey.
- 2:15 Palmer House Concert Orch.
- 2:30 Yankee House Party.
- 3:00 Walter Compton.
- 3:15 Dance Time.
- 3:30 Harry Hodge.
- 4:00 Ray Dady.
- 4:15 Archie Andrews.
- 4:30 KBST Bandwagon.
- Thursday Evening
- 5:00 Minute of Prayer.
- 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 Variety Time.
- 6:45 Lani McIntyre's Orch.
- 7:00 Confidentially Yours.
- 7:15 Jimmy Dorsey's Orch.
- 7:30 Treasury Star Parade.
- 7:45 News.
- 8:00 Gabriel Heatter.
- 8:15 Dinah Shore.
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- 9:00 Henry Gladstone.
- 9:15 Dale Carnegie.
- 9:30 News.
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SS Card Does Not Mean Work Permit

Simply because a child under the age limit of the child labor law has a social security account card he should not be regarded as having a work permit, according to a statement by J. Hassler Strickland, manager of the Big Spring Social Security Board field office.

"The Social Security Board does not encourage people to obtain social security account cards unless they have a job or one in prospect," he continued, "however, there are many young children, some of them only a few months old, or a few years old, who have social security cards."

Under no conditions should any employer regard a social security

account card as evidence that he may disregard the child labor laws. The account card is for the sole purpose of identifying the individual's wage record which is maintained by the Social Security Board, Strickland said.

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Indictment Charges Aiding Of Fugitive

WACO, March 1 (AP)—An indictment was returned here yesterday by a federal grand jury charging Albert Nelson Israel of Hill county with aiding O. B. Thorneberry while Thorneberry was a fugitive in Texas.

Thorneberry was captured in Texas after he and his brother, Randal, had escaped from a Colo-

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Featured Dancer On Stage Show

Leah Wray, attractive young dancer, is appearing as one Friday night, at 8:15 p. m., at the Municipal auditorium. Miss Wray has been very much in demand in touring with USO shows and was selected as "Miss Sheppard Field", of Wichita Falls.

Ten variety acts from stage and radio will be the featured highlights of the evening's entertainment and headed by that favorite comedian master of ceremonies, Jimmie Jefferies, of radio WFAA.

"This will be one of the best stage shows to be seen here in some time," says R. R. McEwen, chairman of the entertainment committee of the American Legion. Calls for reserve seats have been brisk and the box office at the auditorium will be open at 3 p. m. Friday for those who have been unable to obtain their reserve seats earlier.—(adv.)

radio jail where they were charged with the slaying of a sheepherder at Steamboat Springs.

The indictment alleged that Israel knew O. B. Thorneberry drove a stolen car into Texas, that he concealed that fact from officers and that he sold some tires to Thorneberry.

Ewart Considers Democrat Post

DALLAS, March 1 (AP)—T. R. Ewart, Texas director of the committee for constitutional government, says he will talk with former secretary of war Harry H. Woodring in Chicago tomorrow about an offer made Ewart to become campaign manager of the American National Democratic committee.

Headed by Woodring, the committee was formed recently to oppose nomination of President Roosevelt for a fourth term.

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Tokyo Reports An Allied Invasion Of Admiralty Islands

NEW YORK, March 1 (AP)—The Tokyo radio announced in a foreign broadcast today that Allied troops had landed on the Admiralty Islands and were meeting strong resistance.

The Spanish language broadcast to Latin America said: "It is reported from a certain base in the South Pacific that on the morning of Feb. 29, enemy troops began to land on the Admiralty Islands, meeting strong resistance from the garrison which continues vigorously to defend itself."

The broadcast was the first recorded Tokyo assertion about Gen. MacArthur's new strike. Government monitors said they had not yet heard a Japanese broadcast to the Japanese people on the landings.

Schools To Support Gasoline Program

AUSTIN, March 1 (AP)—Schools will support a program instituted by the government to stop improper marketing of gasoline, said State Superintendent Woods, in response to an appeal from U. S. Commissioner of Education J. W. Studebaker for such help.

Studebaker, in a telegram to Woods, pointed out that teachers through proper student instruction could do much to stop "black markets" which now take five per cent of civilian gasoline.

More Colorado City Dads Are Drafted

COLORADO CITY, March 1 (AP)—Mitchell county men continue marching to war regardless of family status, records at the selective service board office show this week.

Mrs. Jacqueline Smith is now draft board clerk and has been sworn in to fill the position left vacant when L. A. Costin resigned. Mrs. Smith had been assistant clerk since March 1943.

Forty-six men were in the most recent contingent sent to the Lubbock induction center. The 46 are fathers of a total of 74 children.

Going to Lubbock for the final physical and assignment to duty or rejection for service were Nolen Beauchamp, Domingo Momei, Victor Harris, Homer Sorrells, Sterling P. Daugherty, Willis L. Nozworth, Will D. F. Whitesides, Edward W. McCain, Lonie Hall, Pablo Bonilla, Alton Crownover.

Howard L. Cain, Fred J. Smith, Palmer J. Owens, Frank Sanford, Walter H. McGee, Oscar P. Stewart, Bobby Vaught, Elmer L. McDonald, Edgar E. Wade, Otho A. Tankersley, Troy V. Mathena, Joseph E. Black, R. B. McEntire Jr., Robert E. Cox, Harold E. Maniss, Leroy Shepherd, Hubert P. Day, Hugh E. Holland, Oscar R. Conaway, Rufus R. Lender.

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Mitchell Seeks Red-Cross Goal

COLORADO CITY, Mar. 1 (AP)—With Basil Hudson as chairman of the War Fund drive, the Mitchell county chapter of the American Red Cross girded itself this week for the task of putting over the biggest assignment handed the organization to date—the raising of \$9,200.00 as the county's share in the carrying on of Red Cross work at home and overseas.

One hundred and 10 workers have been assigned specific duties in the campaign for funds. Serving as the advisory board are Joe H. Smoot, Frank Kelly, and Pat Bullock.

Livestock

FORT WORTH, March 1 (AP)—Cattle 1500; calves 500; steady; good fed steers and yearlings mostly 14.00 - 15.00 with odd head of strictly choice yearlings up to 15.75; fat beef cows 8.50 - 10.50; fat calves mostly 10.50 - 13.50; stocker steer calves and steers yearlings 9.00 - 13.00; few lightweight steer calves to 13.75.

Hogs 2800; fully steady; good and choice 200 - 230 lb. butcher hogs 13.55 - 65; good and choice 175 - 195 lb. butchers 12.25-13.45; stocker pigs 4.00 - 8.00; packing sows 10.75 - 11.50.

Sheep 2700; shorn lambs 25 lower, other classes fully steady; medium to good woolled lambs 13.50 - 15.00; shorn lambs with No. 2 pelts 13.75 down; feeder lambs 13.00 down; mixed ewes and old wethers in full 8.00.

Former Navy Yard Worker Indicted

NEW YORK, March 1 (AP)—A one-time New York navy yard worker, Vincent J. Ambrosio, 31, has been indicted by a Brooklyn federal court grand jury on a charge of sabotage in the alleged defective welding inside the recently launched USS Missouri, described as the mightiest battleship afloat.

Assistant U. S. Attorney Albert V. De Meo said that the government would seek to prove that if the purported defect had not been uncovered, an armor plate seam in the huge battleship would have cracked with the firing of the ship's big guns.



Expert in the field of rural and senior scouting, George A. Bullock, special deputy regional executive from Dallas, is meeting with representatives from Lenorah, Courtney, and Knott at 7:30 p. m. today in Stanton on a rural and small community Boy Scout program. Thursday he will address a gathering of senior scouts and scouters here at 7:30 p. m. in a dinner affair at the East Fourth Baptist church. Air scouting will be his topic. Reservations should be made in advance for the local meeting, said H. D. Norris, field executive.



SPRING GOWN—Movie actress Nancy Kelly wears a new spring evening gown, a Kathryn Kuhn original creation in white marquisette, trimmed with hand-sewn red and silver beading.



VISIT—Screen actor Laird Cregar, 27-year-old Philadelphia socialite, drops in for a chat with Tallulah Bankhead, noted actress making a motion picture after devoting 11 seasons exclusively to stage work.

Clifton Fort Taken By Death

Clifton Derwood Fort, 32, succumbed in a local hospital early today following an accident which occurred eight miles north of town Friday.

Fort, employee of the National Geophysical company, was working with oil well machinery when his glove was caught in a rotary drill, practically severing his arm.

He was brought to a local hospital and his condition was not thought to be serious until complications set in.

He was born August 11, 1911 in Malakoff and is survived by his wife, Mrs. C. D. Fort; three children, Estelle, Charles and Ruby Jewell; parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Fort of Andrews; brothers, William H. Fort of Andrews, John D. Fort of Andrews, Lewis, in serv-

ice; sisters, Mrs. Velma Orrell of Blooming Grove, Mrs. Virgil E. Kirks of Throop, Mrs. Bob Morley of Tatum, N. M., and Mrs. Lois Hitch of Brownfield.

Services will be held in the Nalley funeral chapel Thursday at 4 p. m. with the Rev. Dick O'Brien, pastor of the First Baptist church, officiating.

Interment will be in the local cemetery.

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Service Ballot Left To States

WASHINGTON, March 1 (AP)—Senate-House conferees dressed up an armed service federal ballot plan today, and left it on the doorstep of the states.

The compromise—Federal ballots for the armed forces only if the states agree to their use—was born after more than two weeks of argument, but neither side seemed anxious to claim it for its own.

"I'm afraid of it," snapped Rep. Rankin (D-Miss.), outspoken foe of federal voting by any means. "I doubt very much whether it is entirely acceptable to any of us," said Senator Green (D-R. I.), co-author of the original federal ballot bill which took such a battering in the senate and house that it all but died.

The new plan, sent on its way toward senate and house floors, where conference compromise are usually accepted, provides:

1. A federally distributed short-form ballot for the armed forces to vote for president, vice president and members of congress.
2. It can be used by voters of states which have their own absentee ballot machinery only if the governors certify before Aug. 1 that the federal form is acceptable under state law.
3. Voters from states which have no absentee voting law can use the federal form only if the governor certifies that it will be welcomed as a bonafide vote.
4. No serviceman or woman can get a federal ballot unless the voter has applied for a state ballot and swears it hasn't been delivered by Oct. 1.

The Oct. 1 deadline automatically rules federal ballots out of primaries—the controlling elections in many southern states. In addition, states which accept the federal ballot must accept all its terms: waive of poll tax payments and local registration for armed service voters.

California is the only state which has specific approval of federal ballots in its election laws. The provision was adopted in a recent session of the legislature.

Legislatures of 20 states are meeting now, or soon will be. Eleven states plan no legislative session this year.

Conferees said, however, that the compromise may not require action by legislatures. In most cases, they said, states can accept the federal ballots by an expression from the governor or attorney general that they do not conflict with state laws.

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Awards have stacked up for S/SGT. James A. Myers, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Myers. Word from England is that he was presented the Distinguished Flying Cross. In addition, he already had the air medal and "a bunch of oak leaf clusters," which he brushed aside in a letter by observing that "they don't mean much."

Sgt. Myers has well over two score missions to his credit as a Marauder runner. His parents are hoping he will get to come home after 50 missions.

Political Announcements

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