

The Weather

West Texas: Scattered light showers in the Panhandle this afternoon.

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REDUCE FIRE HAZARDS WITH YOUR BROOD CLEAN RUBBISH OUT OF EVERY ROOM!

MacARTHUR ARRIVES IN AUSTRALIA TO ASSUME HIGH COMMAND OF UNITED NATIONS FORCES

Nazis Hint Possible Attack On Iceland

Public Cries For Faster Production

WASHINGTON, March 17 (AP)—A public cry for faster war production got a quick reaction today from congress and the administration.

Drastic legislation affecting both labor and industry gained huge support which assumed major proportions.

President Roosevelt was understood to have advised his legislative leaders that the whole labor production problem—involving questions ranging from a "wage parity" to temporary suspension of the 40-hour week—was being reconsidered by the administration.

As a result, there were reports that Democratic congressional leaders would attempt to stage off immediate action in congress on another new program.

Friends of the administration in the house, however, reported that with sentiment mounting rapidly for any legislation which would speed war production, the first such bill to reach the debate stage probably would be approved speedily and overwhelmingly.

In this category they placed legislation relating to both military and naval war contracts introduced yesterday by Rep. Smith (D-Va.) which would:

- 1. Would wipe out the current basic 40-hour week work and provisions of laws and contracts requiring payment of time and one-half for overtime.

2. Outlaw the closed shop to insure what Smith termed "the inalienable right" of a person to work without "paying tribute" to anyone.

3. Impose a flat 6 per cent limitation on profits from defense contracts.

Chairman Vinson (D-Ga.) announced the house naval committee would begin hearings Thursday on the new proposal and the military committee was expected to follow suit quickly.

Hogan Seriously Injured In Wreck

E. W. Hogan, longtime resident of the Wayside community northeast of Pampa, was seriously injured late yesterday afternoon when the pickup he was driving overturned on a hill four miles north of Pampa on the old Miami road.

Mr. Hogan was removed from the truck by M. A. Graham, Billy Taylor, R. E. House, and others who were working at the M. A. Graham farm near where the accident occurred.

He was taken to a local hospital in a Dukenel-Carmichael funeral home ambulance.

Extent of injuries have not yet been determined, attending physicians said today, but they believe Mr. Hogan suffered a broken back and a skull injury. It has been impossible to take complete X-ray pictures because of pain and shock, the physicians said.

Mr. Hogan was driving toward Pampa, up a long hill, when the accident happened, according to Billy Taylor, Jr., who was approaching the top of the hill from the south. He summoned aid. Young Taylor said the Hogan truck apparently slid off the pavement on to soft shoulder and that when Mr. Hogan tried to pull back on the pavement the truck overturned. He said the truck went over once and then half a turn, on its side.

When aid arrived Mr. Hogan was pinned under the cab of the truck. It required several minutes to extricate him from the wreckage.

BY VICTORY STAMPS

(By The Associated Press) London quarters today saw the threat of a possible German attack against Iceland or upon American-British supply lines to Russia as a result of Nazi orders closing all Norwegian ports from North Cape to Alesund, and at the same time it was disclosed that Germany's mightiest battleship, the new 35,000-ton Tirpitz, may be loose on the high seas.

The Norwegian coast would make a likely jumping-off point for any Nazi assault on Iceland, now guarded by United States and British forces.

A responsible London source, declaring the German order was "ominous," cited these other evidences that a major new campaign in the north may be imminent: 1. Authoritative reports that the Germans have sent strong reinforcements to their Norwegian garrisons.

Today's German high command announcement of intensified fighting in Lapland, whose far north frontier is only 50 miles from the vital Russian Arctic supply base at Murmansk.

3. Massing of Nazi warships at Trondheim.

The source declared Germany was now believed to have between 150,000 and 200,000 troops in Norway.

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Flight Picture To Be Shown At Meeting Tonight

Manufacture of synthetic rubber and the possibilities of its being manufactured in quantity in the Panhandle, will be the subject of an address here tonight by Dr. Ira Williams, head of the research department of the Huber corporation.

The program will be held in the Junior High school auditorium, beginning at 8 o'clock, and sponsored by the Panhandle chapter of the American Petroleum Institute.

Chairman R. T. McNally will preside.

The program will be free and will be open to the public.

Dr. Williams has done much research work on the manufacture of synthetic rubber.

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New Campaign In North May Be In Offing

LONDON, March 17 (AP)—Closing by German authorities of all Norwegian ports from North Cape to Alesund, a responsible source said today, makes "it appear ominously as though the Nazis are getting ready either for an assault on American-British supply lines to Russia or a move against Iceland."

The source cited these other German naval and military moves as indicating the likelihood of a new major campaign in the north: Today's announcement by the Nazi high command of intensified fighting in Lapland, extreme northern area which at the Russian frontier is only 50 miles from the Soviet Arctic supply base of Murmansk.

Authoritative information that the Germans have sent strong reinforcements to their Norwegian garrisons.

Massing of Nazi warships at Trondheim, including the Tirpitz, newest, biggest, and most dangerous of Germany's battleships.

This source said the Germans now are believed to have "between 150,000 and 200,000 soldiers in Norway, in comparison with the 100,000 reported there last autumn."

Britain already had been warned that the Tirpitz now may be loose on the high seas.

The announcement by a British source that the powerful warship "appears to have avoided" an aerial torpedo attack dashed British hopes that naval planes had knocked her out of the war, at least for a while, near the Norwegian port of Narvik, last night.

He said he had no information about the present whereabouts of the Tirpitz, sistership of the tough Bismarck which sank the British battleship Hood singlehanded and in turn was sunk when heavy British air and sea forces cornered her and pounded her to pieces last May 27.

The news had grave implications for the British, since a warship as mighty as the Tirpitz is so great a menace to sea convoys that strong British naval forces, including battleships, must be diverted from other work to meet her challenge.

BY VICTORY BONDS

British Interned

LONDON, March 17 (AP)—Reuters reported from Tangier today that French authorities in Morocco have ordered internment of all British subjects between 18 and 50 residing in coast towns.

The number involved is believed to be about 2,000.

123 Dead And 900 Injured In Storms

(By The Associated Press) Striking through warm air, tornadoes tore at seven southern and midwestern states yesterday killing 132 or more, injuring around 1,000, and smashing property worth millions.

Terrific winds cut across the northwestern section of Mississippi where at least 85 were known dead, and approximately 620 others injured. High winds also left a trail of death and destruction in western Kentucky and Tennessee, struck south-central and north-central Indiana, and killed at least 20 in east-central Illinois.

The toll of dead and estimated number of injured by states: Mississippi, 59 dead, 620 injured; Illinois, 20 dead, 190 injured; Kentucky, 16 dead, 20 injured; Tennessee, 27 dead, 109 injured; Alabama, 2 dead, undetermined number injured; and Indiana, 2 dead, 50 injured.

Mississippi, hardest hit, rushed all available aid to the disaster zone, covering an area 150 miles wide and about 100 miles deep. The section, mostly rural with only a few scattered cities, was without communication for several hours in many places. Torrential rains followed the high winds and washed out many roads.

Nineteen were known dead and 208 injured in Leflore county in northwestern Mississippi, and at least 18 were killed and 45 injured.

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Jap Invasion Armada Moving South On Australian Cities

WASHINGTON, March 17. (AP)—The arrival of General Douglas MacArthur in Australia to assume the supreme United Nations command in that region was announced today by the war department.

The assignment was requested by the Australian government, the department said, and President Roosevelt directed MacArthur on February 22 to transfer his headquarters from the Philippines he has been so brilliantly defending to Australia as soon as the necessary arrangements could be made.

MacArthur requested a delay until he could perfect arrangements within his Philippine command, and this delay was approved by the president.

MacArthur was accompanied on the plane trip to Australia by Mrs. MacArthur and their son; by his chief of staff, Major General Richard K. Sutherland; Brigadier General Harold H. George of the air forces, and several other staff officers.

His command in the southwest Pacific region will include the Philippine Islands, the war department said.

Among the men now under MacArthur in Australia are the "considerable numbers" making up the expeditionary force of American ground troops and air corps units announced yesterday by Secretary of War Stimson.

MacArthur, since first reports, on December 10, of Japanese attempts to invade the island of Luzon in the Philippines, has commended the amazing defense of those islands, fighting the numerically superior Japanese invaders to a standstill on the peninsula of Bataan.

In accordance with plans carefully drawn prior to outbreak of the war, MacArthur withdrew his principal forces on Luzon toward Bataan where, for weeks, he has stalled the Japanese, and has now ordered his forces to push them into the sea.

MacArthur's predecessor as supreme commander in the southwest Pacific was British General Sir Archibald Wavell, whose resignation to command in India was announced on March 2.

At that time, no mention was made officially of the possibility that MacArthur would succeed him, although Australian sources had suggested MacArthur from time to time.

Similar suggestions have been made by Wendell L. Willkie, the 1940 Republican presidential nominee, by members of congress and by American newspapers.

Wavell's reassignment to India was explained as a result of the loss of Malaya and the entry of the Japanese into Sumatra, separating Burma from the Netherlands East Indies. The transfer of all land, sea and air to the command of the Dutch was announced, but no reference was made to a supreme United Nations command in the southwest Pacific area.

Chairman Connally (D-Tex.) of the Senate Foreign Relations committee said that "General MacArthur will give great leadership to the United Nations forces in Australia. It is fortunate for the civilized world that he is there. The democracies are thrilled and will respond gloriously to his generalship."

The Yanks have landed down under—in force—ready to fight side by side with the Aussies in the battle for Australia.

The A. E. F. to the Antipodes is composed of ground troops and air corps units "in considerable numbers." War Secretary Stimson disclosed last night in a laconic announcement.

The use of the expression "in considerable numbers" had a heartening sound for the capital, for it was recalled that the official announcement of the arrival of American troops in Northern Ireland carefully avoided any such mention of strength.

Behind the few words of Stimson's statement that two cast-iron lightning fixtures had been damaged beyond repair and would have to be replaced before work can be started. The work will have to be done at city expense.

Mr. Lott also said that large stones had been dropped on concrete, smashing it and necessitating repair jobs.

City Manager Matthews ordered city officers to guard the property and to arrest anyone found loitering near the underpass. Persons arrested will be held responsible for damage. In the case of minors, parents will be made responsible, the city manager said.

It is hoped that steel bar for rails will arrive soon and that construction of the underpass can be resumed.

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German Tortured By Gestapo Will Speak In Pampa

Ernst Winkler, a German refugee and former leader of the Catholic youth movement in Germany who was tortured under the lash and in the electric chair, will speak in Pampa at the Junior High school auditorium Thursday night.

Author of the book, "Four Years of Nazi Torture," which was reprinted in the February issue of American magazine, Mr. Winkler has been spending several days in the Panhandle. He was persuaded to come to Pampa by Rev. William J. Stack, pastor of Holy Souls church here.

He spoke in Panhandle Sunday night and before the downtown Amarillo Kiwanis club Monday noon.

In his book and on his speaking tour Mr. Winkler for the first time breaks his silence and bares the ghastly record of the persecution of modern Christians "under a modern Nero in Germany."

Still suffering from the tortures See GERMAN, Page 8

Vandals Damage Underpass Here

The district Texas State Highway engineer notified City Manager Steve Matthews by letter yesterday that vandals are damaging the Cuyler street underpass. He asked for police protection for the property.

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U. S. Troops And Air Corps Units Arrive

BY ROGER D. GREENE Associated Press War Editor

Gen. Douglas MacArthur, hero of the three-month-old battle of the Philippines, has arrived in Australia to take over the supreme United Nations command in the far Pacific, the war department announced today.

The war department said Gen. MacArthur's assignment to the critical Australian theater, now imminently threatened with invasion by Japan, was requested by the Australian government.

His command will also include the Philippines, where American and Filipino troops are still valiantly defending the tiny Bataan peninsula against numerically superior Japanese forces.

Gen. MacArthur arrived by plane today, accompanied by Mrs. MacArthur and his chief of staff, Brigadier General Harold H. George.

At the same time unconfirmed British dispatches reported that a Japanese invasion armada of cruisers, airplane carriers and scores of destroyers was moving southward on Australia.

London newspapers printed dispatches saying the Japanese were expected to launch their attack first against the eastern Australian seaboard—the region of Australia's chief cities—instead of attempting to land on the north coast and fight their way across hundreds of miles of arid desert.

Gen. MacArthur's transfer from the shot-rum foxholes of Bataan to the vast plains of Australia came as a heart-warming fillip to the United Nations.

Days ago, as Singapore fell and Japan's marauding armies overran the Dutch East Indies, Australian See U. S. TROOPS, Page 8

Effort To Secure Bond Sale Totals To Be Made Here

The Gray county Defense Bond committee is trying to secure figures on the amount of defense bonds and stamps sold in Gray county since last May.

The committee is also anxious to secure figures by months and the only way that information can be obtained is through cooperation of all organizations selling bonds and stamps.

All credit associations, loan companies, banks and firms whose employees are having a certain amount deducted from their salaries weekly or monthly are asked to contact the committee headquarters, telephone 1628, so that arrangements can be made for them to get monthly reports.

The local committee has received no report on sales made in Gray county excepting for the month of January. The committee is anxious to secure the total to date so that future sales can be recorded and a record kept here.

The Gray committee is planning an active sales campaign for the near future.

Temperatures In Pampa

Table with 2 columns: Time and Temperature. Rows include 6 p. m. Monday, 9 a. m. Monday, 11 a. m. Monday, 1 p. m. Monday, 3 p. m. Monday, 5 p. m. Monday, 8 p. m. Monday, 10 p. m. Monday, Midnight Monday, 6 a. m. Today, 8 a. m. Today, 10 a. m. Today, 11 a. m. Today, 1 p. m. Today, 3 p. m. Today, 5 p. m. Today, Monday's maximum, Monday's minimum.



General Douglas MacArthur

14 Army Aviators Killed In Crashes

PENDLETON, Ore., March 17 (AP)—Army salvage crews attempted today to carry crash-shattered sections of two flying fortresses from the mountains on which they smashed early yesterday, killing 14 army aviators.

Wreckage from one of the four-motored Boeing bombers, which hit a Blue mountain peak 20 miles south of here while on a flight from the Pendleton air base, was strewn over a mile-wide canyon. It took an all-day search yesterday to locate the bodies of the 10 crew members, all hurried into scattered snow banks.

The other bomber, also from the Pendleton field, plowed into a wooded slope near Gowen field, Boise, Idaho, while circling for a landing, and four members of the six-man crew were killed.

Hospital attendants said Corp. See AVIATORS, Page 8

Adults To Take Part In Singing Here March 27

Voices of thousands of Pampa school children this week are singing the glories and the blessings of being Americans, in preparation for the singing of patriotic songs at the city's four elementary schools on March 27.

The ward school programs are a prelude to the community-wide singing programs planned for April and May, all a part of the national aim for a singing citizenry.

Music is a powerful unifying force and the singing in the schools and in the community meetings will be done with dignity and drama.

Adults as well as children will take part in the programs at the ward schools.

First in importance of the songs to be sung is the national anthem, "The Star Spangled Banner."

Comparatively few Americans have learned the inspired words penned by Francis Scott Key. Today, those words, written as a captive American anxiously searched the dawn for assurance that the flag of his country had survive the dark night, are indeed meaningful.

The national anthem is not the only song that will fill your heart with pride. There's that stirring official song of the navy, "Anchors Aweigh," and hundreds of other melodies.

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War Bulletins

LONDON, March 17 (AP)—Chinese forces in the Burma war zone have killed hundreds of Thai soldiers in a clash at Toitong, 76 miles from Chengrai, Thailand.

Reuters said today in a dispatch from Bombay, quoting a Burma command communiqué:

WASHINGTON, March 17 (AP)—The navy announced today that a "medium-sized" United States See BULLETINS, Page 8

ISAW

Earl Dinsmore and he said that a Civilian Pilot Training program official would be at the Chamber of Commerce tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock to discuss the proposed CPT flying school here with interested citizens. It was requested that members of all aviation committees attend the meeting, and that each civic club be represented. Nearly 50 have signed up for the 20 scholarships. Mr. Dinsmore returned the first of the week from West Washburn where he made arrangements for the CPT to send an official bus.

A few lockers available for rent at Barrett's. Call 1212 for information.—Adv.

See the new Dual-Temp water heater with the freezing locker.—L. E. Hardware Company—Adv.

I HEARD . . .

The boys down at the fire station remarking that should a way be found to make rubber out of dandelions they could furnish enough for a lot of tires from the fire station lawns. They have dug up one lawn in an effort to kill the pests and they may have to dig up another.

Each hat is personally supervised by Roberts the Hat Man. Ph. 430.—Adv.



IT'S A TANK TOWN . . . BUT NOT CIRCUS DAY—Looks like 5 o'clock in the morning the day the circus pulled into the old home town, but it's serious business as covered tanks leave the Chrysler arsenal at Detroit.

Beta Sigma Phi Members, Guests Attend Dinner

Meeting Monday night in the city club rooms, members of Upsilon chapter of Beta Sigma Phi sorority and their guests were entertained at a covered dish dinner when Mrs. E. E. Shelhamer, Mrs. Roy Johnson, and Miss Johnnie Davis were hostesses.

Observing a St. Patrick motif, decorations for the event were in green and white. The buffet dinner was served from a table laid in white and topped with green streamers. Tall green candles in crystal holders flanked the springtime centerpiece. The shamrock color note was repeated at the individual tables.

Following the dinner, bingo was played with J. B. Massa as caller. Prizes presented to the winners also carried out the St. Patrick theme.

Attending were Mrs. and Mrs. J. B. Massa, Mrs. and Mrs. Kenney, Mrs. James L. Myers, Misses Dorothy J. Taylor, Winifred Wiseman, and Johnnie Davis.

At the monthly business meeting of the chapter to be conducted tonight in the home of Mrs. Oscar Hinger following the Red Cross home nursing class, officers for the ensuing year will be elected.

—BUY VICTORY BONDS—

Department Head To Be Invited Here By A. L. A.

At the regular meeting of American Legion auxiliary Monday evening in the legion hall, Mrs. E. J. Kenney, vice-president, presided in the absence of Mrs. W. L. Heskew, president, who is ill.

Mrs. Al Lawson gave a report on the groceries and clothing given to needy families by the auxiliary, after which Mrs. Hupp Clark announced that the department president will attend the convention to be held in Borger on May 9 and 10. She will be invited to make an official visit in Pampa at that time.

Mrs. Kenney told that the cancer control drive will be conducted the third week in April and the auxiliary will have charge of one section of the city. Misses Mike Roche, E. E. McNutt, Roy Hill, and Hupp Clark will compose the committee working in the drive.

Mrs. Frank Tuttle, representative to the Council of Clubs, presented a report, stressing the cancer control drive. After Mrs. Clark told of the oratorical contest of the Amarillo Legion in Amarillo, Mrs. L. K. Stout gave a paper on national defense. Mrs. Kenney conducted a quiz on what to do in case of an air raid.

Following the meeting the group went to White Way Drive-Inn for refreshments.

Attending were Mesdames E. J. Kenney, E. E. McNutt, Al Lawson, Katie Vincent, Estella Pollard, Mike Roche, Nellie Ford, Cordie McBride, Hupp Clark, E. E. Curtis, L. K. Stout, W. C. deCordova, Roy Hill, Carrie Nation, Frank Tuttle, J. F. Schwind, and Roy Sewell.

—BUY VICTORY BONDS—
—Read the Classified Ads—

Dinner Entertains Group At Skellytown

Special To The NEWS
SKELLYTOWN, March 17—Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Dickey and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jarvis were co-hosts with a turkey dinner Saturday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dickey north of Skellytown.

After dinner the evening was spent in visiting and a talk was made by Chester Strickland, superintendent of the White Deer school district, on his trip to California last month when he attended the American Association of School Administrators meeting at San Francisco.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Chester Strickland of White Deer, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Coulson, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Preece, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Ackerman, Mr. and Mrs. Kell Sorenson, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hawkins, Mrs. Ike Hughes and George Dickey.

—BUY VICTORY BONDS—

Mrs. Carr Hostess At Home Progress Club Of Miami

Special To The NEWS
MIAMI, March 17—Home Progress club met in the home of Mrs. C. C. Carr when the president, Mrs. W. L. Russell, took charge of the meeting. In the business session the president requested the nominating committee to act upon another name for president for the coming year, as the president-elect has moved from the city.

After individual roll-calls, the leader for the afternoon, Mrs. J. B. Saul, presented Mrs. W. F. Locke, her guest speaker, who gave a review of "The Young Sisters," by Emily Hahn. Mrs. Locke, who has reviewed this book for four clubs in Miami, urged each of her hearers to read the book.

"Not only is it a very interesting account of the lives and accomplishments of this famous family," said the reviewer, "but, one of its chief elements of value to us right now, is that it helps us to identify ourselves with China's fight for freedom, brings us closer to them as human beings like ourselves, and makes us prouder than ever to claim them as allies."

After the review Mrs. Mathers, critic, gave an interesting word study from the Readers Digest.

The hostess served colorful refreshments to members and two guests, Mrs. W. H. Craig and Mrs. Locke.

—BUY VICTORY BONDS—

Dinner Precedes O. E. S. Meeting

Special To The NEWS
SKELLYTOWN, March 17—Mr. and Mrs. W. Hughes of Skellytown and Mr. and Mrs. George Berlin of Pampa were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Brownie Osborn of Kellerville last week.

After dinner Mrs. Berlin, Osborn and Hughes attended a call meeting of the Order of the Eastern Star chapter of McLean at which time the degrees were exemplified. Preceding the meeting green frosted punch was served with waters from a lace-covered table centered with the crystal punch bowl, the napkins also carried out the Saint Patrick theme.

Others attending the meeting from Pampa were Mesdames Edrie Colvin, worthy matron, Dove Anderson, Stella Wagner, Lola Rose and Margaret Coats.

—BUY VICTORY BONDS—

Couple Has Dinner Guests At Home

Special To The NEWS
SKELLYTOWN, March 17—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Johnson of the Skelly camp in Skellytown had as guests Sunday for dinner Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Horner of Skellytown, parents of Mrs. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Horner of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Webster of Vandervit.

Mrs. Webster is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnson and will make her home with her parents as Mr. Webster has enlisted in the navy and will be leaving soon.

Methodist WSCS Plans Luncheon For Next Monday

Woman's Society of Christian Service met in circles to continue the study of the second chapter of Bible study book, "Our Times." Next Monday the group will meet in the fellowship hall of the church for a luncheon and business session at 1 o'clock. Each circle has planned its own menu and circle one will have a change of the program following the luncheon. It was announced that the date for the mother-daughter banquet has been set for April 14, in fellowship hall.

Circle one met in the home of Mrs. C. J. McNaughton with nine members present. The devotional was given by Mrs. Raeburn Thompson after which Mrs. John Skelly told the story of why the song, "Path of Our Fathers," was written. Also she led the group in singing the hymn, "I'm Praiseful." Conducted the Bible study assisted by Mrs. R. Thompson and Mrs. Walter Daugherty. The study was concluded with a Bible quiz and roll call was answered with a beatitude of commandment.

Circle two met with Mrs. C. W. Anderson with 10 members present. Mrs. Dan Leitch told of the life of Charles Wesley, who wrote "Jesus, Lover of My Soul." The group then sang the hymn, "Mrs. A. A. Averitt directed the Bible study, assisted by Mrs. Emmett Osborn and Mrs. Rex Radcliff.

Sixteen members and two guests, Mrs. H. H. Heskell and Mrs. T. B. Barron, met in the home of Mrs. H. B. Grist when roll call was answered with one of the 10 commandments or a beatitude. The group sang "I Love to Tell the Story" and Mrs. Kate Stewart presented the devotional from the Upper Room. Mrs. C. E. Ward introduced the Bible study and Mrs. F. W. Shotwell told how the first four commandments could apply to this modern age. Mrs. C. C. Cockeril spoke on the relationship of the last six commandments. The group discussed the beatitudes and told how they could be applied to each Christian's life. Mrs. W. R. Ketter gave devotional on the Christian way of living. Mrs. Horace McBeet told the story of Frances Havergal who wrote "Take My Life and Let Jesus Live in Me." Mrs. W. H. Grist sang the hymn, then dismissed with prayer.

Circle six met in the home of Mrs. Travis Lively with 13 members present. A love offering for the supply box was taken by the members. The group sang "Sweet Hour of Prayer" followed by Mrs. Claude Brownlee gave the devotional from the Upper Room and Mrs. R. W. Lane directed the Bible study. Mrs. D. A. Waters, Mrs. Homer Lively, Mrs. A. B. Whitten, and Mrs. Hugh Anderson helped with the discussion of the lesson.

Circle seven met with Mrs. M. Hubbard with eight members present. Mrs. W. P. Jones was enrolled as a new member. Mrs. E. B. Bowen directed the Bible study of the 10 commandments and the beatitudes. The group entered into the discussion.

—BUY VICTORY BONDS—

Beatrice Stotts Elected President Of Tete-A-Tete

Tete-A-Tete club members held their regular meeting Monday evening in the home of Miss Beatrice Stotts where officers for the new term were elected.

Those named were president, Beatrice Stotts; vice-president, Beth Bailey; secretary, Gladine Farmer; reporter, Audrey Short; and parliamentarian, Marceline Drake.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Billy Jo Hopkins, Mary Alice Board, Marceline Drake, Sarah Frances Giddens, Inez Baird, Gladine Farmer, Norma Lux, Oleta Rogers, Lee Voe Mitchell, Beth Bailey, Beatrice Stotts, Betty Jo King, Katherine Rose, Alice Ferguson, Doris Mae Jarvis, Roberta Lovett, and Audrey Short.

The next meeting will be held in the home of Miss Marceline Drake, 418 North Carr, at 7:30.

—BUY VICTORY BONDS—

Eleanor Roosevelt Study Club Has Guest Day Program

Special To The NEWS
SKELLYTOWN, March 17—The annual guest day of the Eleanor Roosevelt Study club of Skellytown was held Sunday at the home of Mrs. S. C. Dickey, hostess to guests and members of the club at her home near Skellytown.

"Texas Day," theme of the program, was led by Mrs. Chester Strickland of White Deer. Mrs. J. C. Jarvis spoke on "The History of Skellytown," Mrs. Andy Ackerman gave a discussion on "Charm of Austin," a book review of O'Henry's Short Story was given by Mrs. Jim Arwood.

At the conclusion of the program the guests were invited into the dining room for refreshments where Mrs. Wilmer Waggoner presided over the lace-covered table centered with a crystal bowl of blue flowers and fern on either side of which burned red, white and blue tapers in crystal holders. Sandwiches and individual cakes iced in white and decorated with Texas blue bonnets were served.

Guests present were Mesdames Glen Davis of White Deer, R. D. Wilkerson, Lonnie Feigenspan, Frank Genett, Rola Sparks, Bert Castleberry, W. H. Price, John Collins, Ralph Sloan, J. C. Hicks, Carl C. Williams, H. C. Boyd and Bill Fulton.

Members attending were Mesdames P. E. Stephenson, Earl J. New, Carl Moran, Berry Barnes, Kell Sorenson, John Lee, Chester Strickland, Jack Tomlin, Olen Statton, John Beighie, Wilmer Waggoner, Bill Adams, J. C. Jarvis, Andy Ackerman, Jim Arwood and the hostess.

—BUY VICTORY BONDS—

Skating Party Given For Young People

Special To The NEWS
SKELLYTOWN, March 17—The Young people of the Community church of Skellytown were entertained at a roller skating party last week on the tennis court at Skellytown grade school, when they were entertained by their sponsor, Neville Brenner.

At the conclusion of the party, refreshments of sandwiches, cookies and marshmallows were served.

Those attending were Louise Price, Kathryn Price, Ann Shrygley, Peggy Ann Covey, Mary Ruth Slavens, Ollie Henshaw, Isella Rogers, Frances Lett, Bonnie Satterfield, LaVern Balda, Donna Ve Inel, Peggy Newby, Broozys Houston, Dorothy, Harriyan, Tamara Ann Arwood, Betty Hicks, Mary Elizabeth New, Bobby Mittleman, Glenn Mittleman, Billy George Clements, and Neville Brenner.

—BUY VICTORY BONDS—



The Social Calendar

WEDNESDAY

Woman's Missionary society of First Baptist church will meet in circles for mission study at 2 o'clock. Circle one, Mrs. B. A. Davis, 418 North Wayne street; two, Mrs. D. H. Coffey, 622 North Frost; three and six, Mrs. H. M. Stokel, 627 South Hobart street; four, Mrs. G. L. McKinney, 616 North Frost; five, Mrs. Bob Huff, 608 North Sumner street; seven, Mrs. Charles Miller, 1016 East Francis avenue.

Friendship class of First Methodist church will have an Easter social in the fellowship hall of the church at 2:30 o'clock.

Sub Deb and Esquire clubs will have a joint meeting at 7:30 o'clock in the home of Miss Betty Ann Galbrunn.

Woman's Missionary society of Central Baptist church will meet at 2 o'clock in circles. Mrs. Mary March, Mrs. Ada NeCase; Lillie Hundley, Mrs. A. E. Butler; Lydia, Mrs. Joe Myers; Lottie Mason, Mrs. Frank Jewel; Vada Waldron, Mrs. Glen Timmons; and Anne Sallee, Mrs. V. E. Ward.

Gray County Home Economists will meet in the office of Mrs. Julia E. Kelley. Church of Brethren Women's Missionary society will meet at 2:30 o'clock in the church.

Queen of Clubs will be entertained.

Women's Auxiliary of First Presbyterian church will meet at 2:30 o'clock in the church.

Women's Council of First Christian church will meet at 2:30 o'clock in the church.

First Baptist Women's Missionary society will meet at 2 o'clock.

Red Kluks will meet at 4 o'clock for a regular session.

THURSDAY

LaRosa sorority will meet in the home of Miss Ernestine Crane for a regular meeting at 7:30 o'clock.

Bethany class of First Baptist church and those in service will have a covered dish luncheon at the home of Mrs. Lewis Davis at 1 o'clock. Each member is asked to take a dish prepared to serve.

Pampa Graduate Nurses will entertain the Graduate Nurses association of Amarillo, which will meet at 9 o'clock in the city club room.

Thursday Evening auxiliary of First Baptist church will meet at 8 o'clock in the church.

Ischack lodge will meet at 7:30 o'clock in the L. O. O. F. hall.

Mayfair Bridge club will be entertained.

Regular meeting of Contract club will be held.

Sub Deb club will have a weekly meeting.

FRIDAY

Entre Neom clubs will meet in the home of Mrs. Norman Wadley at 2 o'clock to sew for the Red Cross. Each member is to take her thimble.

The regular meeting of Busy Dozen Sewing club has been postponed until next Friday, March 27.

Order of Eastern Star will have a regular meeting and social at 8 o'clock in the Masons' club when Canadian O. E. S. will be guests.

MONDAY

Mothering will meet at 1:15 o'clock in room 217 of Junior High school.

Pathian Sisters, temple 41, will meet at 7:30 o'clock in the temple hall.

First Christian Church Society of Christian Service will have a general meeting.

Victory of Foreign Wars auxiliary will meet at 7:30 o'clock in the Legion hall.

TUESDAY

Royal Neighbors will meet at 2 o'clock in the L. O. O. F. hall.

Mrs. Roger McConnell will be hostess to Twentieth Century club at 2:45 o'clock.

Twentieth Century Culture club will have a guest day tea.

A meeting of Twentieth Century Forum will be held in the home of Mrs. Frank Carter.

Twentieth Century Progressive club will meet at 2:30 o'clock.

Mrs. E. L. Biggerstaff will be hostess to El Progresso club.

El Progresso club will meet at 2:30 o'clock.

Variety Study club will have a guest day tea.

Business and Professional Women's club will meet at 7:30 o'clock in the city club rooms.

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Tri-County P-TA Council Elects New Officers

At the regular quarterly meeting of Tri-County Council Parent-Teacher association conducted Saturday at Hopkins number two school, Mrs. C. E. Cary of Pampa presented the report of the nominating committee and the following officers were elected:

President, Mrs. Buri Graham, Pampa; vice-president, Mrs. G. E. Tyson, LeFors; secretary, Mrs. A. A. Proctor, Hopkins; and treasurer, Mrs. Wesley Barnett, Hopkins.

Predict vice-presidents are Mrs. P. B. Kratzer, LeFors; one, Mrs. W. L. Campbell, Pampa; two, Mrs. R. W. Orr, Hopkins; three, Mrs. E. Franks, McLean; four, Mrs. J. G. Ramsay, Miami; five, and Mrs. Carl Stander, Canadian; six.

The executive committee convened at 11 o'clock after which luncheon was served by the hostess school. Table decorations were carried out in a St. Patrick theme.

As a special feature on the program, Miss Margaret Evans, teacher in the Hopkins school, presented Freddie Boatwright in a piano solo, and members of the third, fourth, and fifth grades in a series of drills and patriotic songs, followed by the salute to the flag.

"Magazines in the Home" was the theme of the program which was opened with the discussion of "Magazines for Pre-School Child," by Mrs. Paul Hawthorne of Sam Houston school, who emphasized the importance of activity magazines.

"We want our children to be busy children," said Mrs. Hawthorne. "For busy children are happy children." Activity magazines teach pre-school children how to play, how to share, and to do new things.

Mrs. Tom Duvall, Woodrow Wilson, spoke on magazines suitable for intermediate ages, and Mrs. J. P. West on those suitable for high school ages. This was followed by a round-table discussion.

Mrs. Buri Graham, president, presided over the business session at which time unit reports were given by the eight schools represented. A recommendation was passed that the Council send a letter to schools, boards of Gray, Roberts, and Hempill counties, suggesting that complete physical examinations be given to all teachers and children at the beginning of each school year.

Hopkins school won the book awarded to the school having the largest attendance.

—BUY VICTORY BONDS—

Amigo Bridge Club Entertained By Hostess Quartet

Special To The NEWS
SKELLYTOWN, March 17—Mrs. Bill Price entertained a quartet of guests and members of the Amigo club this week with a bridge party in her home near Skellytown.

Special guests for the occasion were Mesdames Andy Ackerman, J. B. Gallaher, Earl J. New and Carl Moran.

Mrs. Marshall Coulson was high score winner for members in the games for the afternoon and Mrs. The Hughes held the floating prize.

At the conclusion of the games a fried chicken plate with hot rolls, salad, banana cake topped with whipped cream and coffee were served to Mesdames J. B. Gallaher, Andy Ackerman, Carl Moran, E. J. New, Melvin Campbell, J. C. Jarvis, Ray Hawkins, Ike Hughes, Vernie Ogilvie, Marshall Coulson, Cone Donaldson, Bob Clements, and the hostess.

—BUY VICTORY BONDS—

Officers Elected By Canadian PTA At March Meeting

Special To The NEWS
CANADIAN, March 17—Officers for the year 1942-1943 were elected by the Canadian Parent-Teacher association at their March meeting.

These are Mrs. Arthur Webb, president; Mrs. Frank J. Shallor, first vice-president; Mrs. Frank Stone, second vice-president; Mrs. Norman Magill, third vice-president; Mrs. Ross Tipton, treasurer; Mrs. Ben Jordan, secretary; and Mrs. Carl Studer, reporter.

Mrs. John O. Stovall, serving her second year as president of the local P. T. A., was presented with a life membership in the organization.

Sgt. Wooldridge Not Married As Reported In Friday's Paper

Sgt. W. P. (Woodie) Wooldridge of Foster field, Victoria, Tex., today authorized The Pampa News to publish a statement that the report of his marriage, which appeared in The News last Friday, was in error. A check-up of records at Victoria revealed that the marriage did not take place as stated in a story which was sent to The News in a mail communication, postmarked from Kilgore, Tex. Sgt. Wooldridge stated today that he is not now married nor ever has been married.

The story sent to The News from Kilgore was accepted and published in good faith. The News regrets any embarrassment which the story may have caused Sgt. Wooldridge.

—BUY VICTORY BONDS—

Bowling Party Entertains BGGK Members, Guests

Among the rush-month activities of B.G.K. club was a bowling party given Monday evening for members and their guests.

The group divided into two teams and bowled after which the club went to the home of Miss Catherine Pearce for supper at which Mrs. Gerald Fowler, Mrs. Allen Evans, Miss Lucille Bell, and Miss Pearce were co-hostesses.

Members and guests attending were Mesdames Freda Barrett, Allen Evans, Kay Monahan, Charles Cook, Charles Lamka, Bob Triplehorn, Tom Rose, Jr., George Hoffness, Byron Hillbun, John Adams, Melvin Watkins; and Misses Gloria Fosey, Lucille Bell, Marguerite Jones, Mary Gaylord Booth, Beryl Tignor, Jane Kerbow, Adalen Brazill, Mary Elizabeth Furlong Mary Price, Beth Mullinax, and Margaret Tomberlin.

—BUY VICTORY BONDS—

Forty-Two Club Entertained By Mrs. Newman

Special To The NEWS
MIAMI, March 17—Mrs. Edna Newman was hostess to the Miami Forty-two club. Three tables were arranged for games.

At the conclusion of the evening, Mrs. Lee Newman held high score for guests and Mrs. Dan Kivlehen, for members.

The club voted to change its time of meeting to 3 o'clock.

Mmes. R. A. Wykoff, W. C. Scott, and Lee Newman were guests.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. J. L. Seiber.

—BUY VICTORY BONDS—

Mrs. Hughes Hostess At Lunch, Quilting

Special To The NEWS
SKELLYTOWN, March 17—Mrs. W. W. Hughes was hostess to a group of women recently at a covered dish luncheon and quilting.

At noon a chill dinner was served to the guests and after dinner quilting on a flower garden quilt was resumed.

Those present were Mrs. Julia Underwood and Patsy Ray of Pampa, Mesdames E. E. Crawford, Pat Norris, Don Ayers, M. E. Roberts, Alta Tyler, Bill Franks, Arthur Johnson and the hostess of Skellytown.

Happy Home Topic Of Wayside H. D. Club Discussion

"Home management means the utilization of the home's resources of money, goods, service, time, and personal abilities of the members to provide for the development of the members of the family, the family group, and their service to society." Mrs. L. R. Taylor pointed out at a recent meeting of the Wayside Home Demonstration club in the home of Mrs. W. F. Taylor.

The five essentials for a happy home, as given by Mrs. R. R. House are religion, cooperation, happiness, better understanding, and budgeting.

The recreation chairman, Mrs. J. S. Puga, conducted several games in which Mrs. Doyle Osborn was judged winner and was presented a string to pull to which was attached a basket filled with pink and blue packages.

After the gifts were opened, refreshments were served to Mesdames Doyle Osborn, J. W. Condo, Wood Osborn, Norman Walberg, S. J. Meador, W. E. Beaudreau, Lowell Osborn, J. S. Puga, A. B. Caruth, L. R. Taylor, R. E. House, F. J. Stalls, H. B. Taylor, Jr., Harold Osborn, and the hostess.

Guests were Mesdames F. W. Osborn and J. A. Lee of Miami; N. B. Parker, D. W. Osborn, and H. B. Taylor, all of Pampa, and Miss Mary Parker of Pampa.

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Here's What It's Like In Russian Foxhole

By EDDY GILMORE WITH THE RED ARMY SOMEWHERE IN RUSSIA, March 15 (Delayed) The Red army finds a way to hard out hospitals even from a hole in the ground. "Come into our quarters," said Senior Lieutenant Anatoly Pavlovich Bayarinov above the scream of a blizzard, "and see how we live out here."



Dick and Jack Benton, born and raised in Gray county, are now serving in the United States army. Dick, left, is with a gas supply division stationed at San Diego, Calif., while Jack, right, is with the medical corps, air division, somewhere in the south Pacific ocean.



quartet at one time. Others in the quartet were Joe Kahl and Jim Groom, also football stars. Dick was a leading man in several school plays. Jack started for the Philippines on December 5, along with 2,800 others. When war was declared their transport, unarmed and unescorted, turned back to America.

The regimental commander marched in as the soldiers spread a table with fish, bread, and vodka to welcome us. "Good morning," the commander said slowly in English, smiling broadly. "I once worked in an English factory. I speak some English."



IF MAYSE "BOOGIE" NASH had weighed as much in 1934 as he does now the Pampa Herald-Examiner would have been state champion. At that time Mayse, above, weighed less than 150 pounds, but he was the roughest, toughest fullback in the state.



KIRBY L. LOVELESS, above, "saw America" before going to the Territory of Hawaii with the coast artillery. Kirby, son of Mrs. Leona Loveless and Harry Loveless, enlisted Oct. 29, 1940, and in his travels has been stationed at Fort Bliss, Tex., San Pedro, Calif., Camp MacArthur, Calif., Camp Davis, N. C., San Francisco, and now Hawaii.

Production Of Juke Boxes Prohibited

WASHINGTON, March 17 (AP)—Juke boxes, weighing machines, pin-ball games and other amusement machines today joined the growing list of articles banned from production due to the war.

The war production board gave the industry until May 1 to use up fabricated or partly fabricated materials on hand before being converted entirely to the war effort. But, it prohibited immediately the production of any repair parts for jukeboxes and banned the cutting, stamping or processing of any copper, copper alloy, nickel or stainless steel for the machines to be banned.

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Just a Lot of Happy, Scrappy young Americans but they are making history. Don't miss... Jane Withers in YOUNG AMERICA with JANE DARWELL Lynne Roberts • William Tracy Robert Cornell • Roman Bohon REX LAST TIMES TODAY TODAY ONLY PENNY DAY At The STATE RICHARD ABLEN ANDY DEVINE in "FORCED LANDING"

Ten More Hemphill Men Sent To Army CANADIAN, March 17—Ten more men from Hemphill county answered the call to the armed forces and left for Fort Sill, Okla., Saturday. These were Alton Dale Wright, T. C. (Tony) McReynolds, Clarence Bird, Elmo Clark, Claude Fred Larson, Vernon Martin, Jose Ortega, Roy Aldo Dickinson, Arthur William Flowers, and Alfred Leonard Reynolds.

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Two Killed And 12 Wounded In Jap Attack On Darwin MELBOURNE, Australia, March 17 (AP)—Two persons were killed and 12 were wounded in the Japanese bombing attack on the north Australian port of Darwin yesterday, Prime Minister John Curtin announced today.

Glass Boards Will Be Used For Cork NEW YORK, March 17 (AP)—A new material, glass boards, made of glass fibers, finer than any human hair, was announced here today by the Owens-Corning Fiberglass corporation.

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CHICAGO WHEAT (By The Associated Press) High Low Close May 1.29 1.28 1.28 1/4 Sept 1.32 1.32 1.32

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OKLAHOMA CITY LIVESTOCK (By The Associated Press) Cattle 1.00 1.00 1.00 Hogs 1.00 1.00 1.00

Four Killed In Wreck At Abilene

ABILENE, March 17 (AP)—Four Abilene persons were killed and a fifth injured critically today in an automobile accident 18 miles west of Abilene.

The dead: Horace Reed Dotsen, drive-in cafe operator; Betty Phillips, a waitress; Johnnie Rose, a cook; and Slim Sorton.

returning from Sweetwater was reported to have been in collision with a large motor van.

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It is a very serious matter to see men who pose as Christian leaders claim, as E. Stanley Jones does...

Behind The News In Washington By PETER EDSON WASHINGTON, March 17—Ever since Donald M. Nelson became boss...

WAR QUIZ 1. A sentry at the door glanced inside the room and, observing the stars on their shoulders, remarked...

It's Still Going To Take All Of Us To Win War The American people throughout the length and breadth of the land were immensely cheered...

One-Wheeled Transport War-time transportation can be simplified even beyond the bicycle stage...

A Trifle Ridiculous The Washington wits are polishing up their bon mots and the columnists are sharpening their pencils...

The Nation's Press ATLANTIC CHARTER FOR THE PACIFIC, SAYS PRESIDENT (The Christian Century)

So They Say Idle tools aid only the Axis. —GEORGE C. BRAINARD, chief of War Production Board tools branch.

Cranium Crackers Corporal Quiz Two-striper is the same they give a corporal in our army.

High Life And Low Life in The Big City By Stella Holit The Manhattan halit, mentioned in this column, living in the shanties of the Waldorf Astoria...

Know People You By Arch Fullington Did you ever hear the remark made by Theodore Roosevelt when he learned that his son, Quentin, had been killed...

Around Hollywood By PAUL HARRISON HOLLYWOOD, March 14—Of all the places in which a young actor might acquire needed seasoning, Jeffrey Lynn probably found the best...

FLIPS GOT HIM Some of the flip little actresses used to rib him mercilessly, and this hurt him because he must have known that he was not unattractive...

Yesteryear In The News Ten Years Ago Today A crowd of 500 saw the first horned tooth derby ever held here...

Side Glances By Galbraith Ten-ball roman candles, eight-ounce skyrockets, 10-inch pinwheels and snakes that don't contain mercury salt will be tops in fireworks...

Office Cat... The American gangster walked into the pawnshop and placed a revolver on the counter.

Office Cat... (Continued) Gangster—How much for this gun. Proprietor—Is it a good revolver?

Office Cat... (Continued) Gangster—Certainly it's good. I bumped off several fellows with it.

Office Cat... (Continued) Gangster—I just found out that you need a permit to carry a gun.

Office Cat... (Continued) A successful business depends upon one man's ability to make up his mind.

Office Cat... (Continued) Caller—Who is the responsible man in this firm? Office Boy—I don't know who the responsible party is...

Office Cat... (Continued) If we make a bad start on some effort, the more credit to us if we overcome the handicap.

Office Cat... (Continued) A chap could neither read nor write. A distant relative died, leaving him a small fortune...

Office Cat... (Continued) Long before Pilate asked "What is truth?" men searched for it. Even after Christ said "I am truth and life..."

Office Cat... (Continued) Fourth of July celebrates this year. Owners of 16 mm. sound movie projectors have been asked to offer them for sale...

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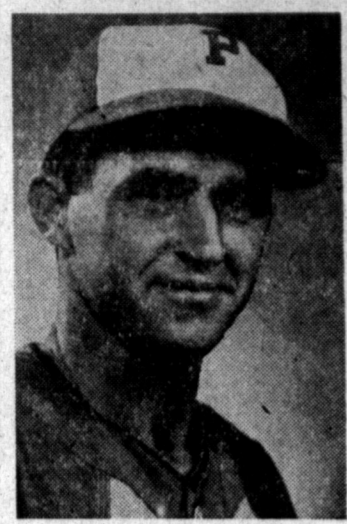
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Gloom At Tiger Camp So Thick You Can Slice It

By GAYLE TALBOT
 LAKELAND, Fla., March 17. (AP)—Del Baker's Detroit Tigers are undergoing such a violent and abrupt upheaval this spring that it is difficult, seeing them in action, to realize they won the American League championship only two seasons ago and fought the Cincinnati Reds to the last bitter game in the World Series.
 Seldom has a big team disintegrated so rapidly. What the war started by taking Hank Greenberg, the Tiger's greatest star, gathering age and salary disputes have just about combined to finish, so that now little remains. Tied for fourth with Cleveland last year, the club likely will tumble into the second division in the approaching race, there to await a happier day.
 Only the presence in camp of two exceptionally fine-looking young infielders, Bill Hitchcock and Murray Franklin, bring an occasional gleam to Manager Baker's eyes. He likes to talk about them, but about the rest of his tribulations, including the fact he has only a dozen pitchers in camp and is playing a game nearly every day, he would as soon not be quoted.
 In Hitchcock, ranging 180-pounder, the Tigers appear to have a great shortstop in the making. He is a truly brilliant fielder already. And the fact that he hit .296 for Kansas City last year indicates he can take care of himself at the plate. He is the last of the famous Kansas City infield that sent Phil Rizutto, Gerald Friddy and Johnny Strum to the Yankees last year. Baker thinks probably he is the best of the bunch.
 Although less has been said about Franklin, Baker is inclined to rank him right along with Hitchcock. If anything Del becomes more lyrical about the University of Illinois boy, who was a college teammate of Lou Boudreau, Cleveland's new manager.
 Right now, the only difficulty is in finding the right spot for Franklin. He looks great at third, but Pinky Higgins, one of the few scattered remnants of the 1940 champions, has that spot sewed up for the time being. Hitchcock is a fixture at short, and Jimmy Bloodworth, obtained in a trade with Washington, is supposed to hold down second.



Rex Dilbeck

Dilbeck Expected To Be Power On San Diego Team

Rex Dilbeck, former Pampa and a former member of the Pampa Oilers baseball team, is expected to be a power with the San Diego Padres in the Pacific Coast league this season according to Earl Keller of the San Diego paper. He quotes Manager Ced Durst of the Padres as his authority for the statement.
 Keller, in his story, wrote that "Dilbeck, a six-game winner as a relief pitcher last season, should double that mark in 1942 and possibly top 15 victories, Manager Durst predicts."
 "In fact," said Durst, "Dilbeck could be one of the outstanding southpaw pitchers in the Pacific Coast league in 1942. Rex is what we call a 'heavy' pitcher. He strikes the opposing batters all the time he's pitching and when he's on the bench he's watching them closely."
 "With Dilbeck, Al Olsen, and Wally Hebert back this season, I won't have to worry about left-handed pitching. It's possible that Dilbeck will press Hebert for the No. 1 southpaw honor. In my opinion, few hurlers in the league hide the ball better than Dilbeck. When he pivots he keeps the ball out of sight and that way he keeps the batters guessing."
 Mr. and Mrs. Dilbeck and family spent the winter in Little Rock, Ark. Dilbeck added weight and is looking great in spring training. Dilbeck was a 20-game winner with the Pampa Oilers in 1939.

Borger Asks Ouster Be Reconsidered

Borger school officials has asked the North Plains School Boxing association to re-consider its action of last week when member schools voted unanimously to oust Borger from the league. President Toby Waggoner is contacting league members, asking if they wish to reconsider their action.
 The Borger team was dropped from the league after being charged with alleged failure to match boys in accordance with rules, releasing false information to newspapers, falsifying weights of boys, and several other alleged irregularities.
 Borger was not represented at the meeting and was notified by letter of the ouster proceedings. Supt. W. A. McIntosh has asked the league representatives to meet next week with Borger represented. Supt. McIntosh also said that D. M. Telford, Borger's boxing coach, had resigned from the school faculty to enter the army. His resignation became effective last Friday and he is reported to Ft. Sill, Okla., tomorrow. His resignation was not connected in any way with the controversy regarding the boxing situation.

Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.
 Wide World Sports Columnist
 NEW YORK, March 17.—After eavesdropping at a meeting of the New York track writers, who were discussing with considerable vigor the plans for their navy relief benefit track meet at the Coliseum next week, this department has arrived at the conclusion that such promotions may help sports but they're bad for sports writing. . . . As a coach pointed out, normally the writers would think it their duty to pan a coach who let boys like Les MacMittell and Gil Dodds shoot for a world record here on Wednesday and then run again at Cleveland Friday. But their inclination will be to soft-pedal such criticism when the writers themselves are responsible for one meet.
 You'll remember the local basketball writers got out from under the Metropolitan Invitation tournament when they found they were in danger of becoming promoters instead of writers.
One-Minute Sports Page
 Tip on Friday's Ray Robinson-Norman Rubio fight is that Mike Jacobs already has agreed to let Robinson fight Harvey Dubs, the up-and-coming Windsor (Ont.) winder, at Detroit April 17. Doesn't sound as if Mike expected Ray to lose. . . . Don Stewart of the Tulsa, Okla., ball club plans to build a rack inside the gates where fans can park their bicycles. . . . At the recent Catholic U. track meet in Washington, one official was listed as "chairman of all the answers." . . . We could use a few more like him. . . . Auburn, which has an open spot on its football schedule Nov. 7, probably will play the Athens, Ga., naval aeronautics school team that had a headline "Lazor to Get Chance in Outfield Confusion"—That's from Louisville and doesn't refer to the Dodgers.



1942 NATIONAL INTERCOLLEGIATE BASKETBALL CHAMPS—Coach and players of Hamline university, St. Paul, Minn., who became the new National Intercollegiate Basketball champions by defeating South-eastern State Teachers, Durant, Okla., in the national tournament played at Kansas City, Mo.



Coach and players of South-eastern State Teachers, Durant, Okla., runnerup in the National Intercollegiate Basketball tournament at Kansas City, Mo.

Irish Due To Celebrate In AAU Tourney

By LOUDON KELLY
 DENVER, March 17 (AP)—St. Patrick's day is pretty sure to be celebrated fittingly at the National A. A. U. basketball tournament tonight by such likely youngsters as Les O'Garra and Jimmy McNatt.
 O'Garra is the star young forward of the defending champion Hollywood Twentieth Century club and McNatt of Oklahoma university's "Scat Kids" not so long ago, is a tournament freshman with the talented-laden Phillips 66 Oilers of Bartlesville, Okla.
 Tournament railbirds expect a lot of fireworks from both Irishers before the championship is decided Saturday night.
 O'Garra, who's about to go into the navy, carried his end of the load in Hollywood's championship triumphs last year. The sun-banned Californians open defense of their title against the Portland, Ore., Signal Oil team at 9:30 (mountain war time) tonight.
 Phillips, with five other new players besides McNatt, will clash with the Lake City Ekers at 7 o'clock. The Oilers have strong support in their bid for the title the support in their bid for the title they captured in 1940.
 Today's marathon slate of 11 games running from 9 a. m. to almost midnight will whip the field down to 16 teams for tomorrow's third round.
 Coach Charley Hyatt of the Phillips says "It's going to be an awfully tough third round. I thought last year's tournament was the toughest I'd seen but this one has more strong teams."
 The Oilers have won 45 games this season, including their last 23, and lost only five. Hollywood has been beaten only four times in 40 contests. Almost as glittering is the record of the naval fliers of Pensacola, Fla., who've won 30, including last night's 72-41 tournament triumph over St. Francis, Kas., against three setbacks.

In Major League Training Camps

SAN BERNARDINO, Calif., March 17 (AP)—Manager Frankie Frisch nominated Bob Klingler, Joe Sullivan, and Nick Strimevich to hurl for the Pittsburgh Pirates today against the Chicago Cubs.
DELAND, Fla., March 17 (AP)—Don Gutteridge, who came to the St. Louis Browns training camp with a round-trip-ticket on a "make good or else" basis, has torn up the stub now that Johnny Lucadello is a marine. Fielding perfectly at second base in two games, Don poked out one hit and a double.
LAKELAND, Fla., March 17 (AP)—After four days in opponent parks, the Detroit Tigers returned to their own backyard today still seeking their first victory in five starts. Veteran Tommy Bridges and young Hal Newhouse will share the mound duties against the New York Yankees today.
ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., March 17 (AP)—Asked today if the placing of Jerry Priddy at third base instead of veteran Red Rolfe didn't increase the defensive possibilities of his infield, Manager Joe McCarthy of the New York Yankees snapped to newsmen, "You can say that, but I can't. If I did, everyone would expect us to win by 50 games."

Johnson's Jawing More Tremendous Than Abe Simon

By SID FEDER
 SUMMIT, N. J., March 17. (AP)—Beginning with James Joy Johnson's voice—the big wind under the derby hat—everything around ample Abe Simon's training camp up here in the North Jersey hills is big. Naturally, James Joy's voice is the biggest of all. That situation is 2 to 5 in any book any time the reformed boy bandit is in the neighborhood. The sound of the fury even out-sized ample Abe himself, and that's no soft touch when you stack up against a dandy 250-pounder.
 Abe's paws are so huge he has to wear training gloves weighing a mere 27 ounces each instead of the conventional 16. Put head-boards and wooden blankets on them and they'd look like twin beds. Ordinarily, fighters drink water from a quart bottle between rounds. Abe takes his swigs from a magnum-sized jar. Johnson insists this is not because the other's so small he's afraid his gladiator would accidentally swallow bottle and all.
 But somehow when you talk of the stylish size of things in these parts, you always come back to James Joy's tremendous jawing. And, brother, he's really under a full head of steam as time draws near for Abe's return rattle with Joe Louis for the army emergency relief fund in Madison Square Garden a week from Friday.
 "Just look at that left," he will holler, the derby bouncing up and down with excitement. You can't very well overlook Abe's port-side poke. When he sticks it out, it's the only thing visible for miles.

BITS ABOUT BOWLING

The Diamond Shop bowling team won two out of three games from the newly organized Pampa News team last night at the Pampa Bowl. Also bowling last night were members of the BGK club who later had supper at the home of Miss Katherine Pearce.

Pampa News	156	409
Pohl	147	106
West	100	153
Lathrop	112	92
Stalcup	167	119
Camp No. 3		
Hoare, 1 & 2	135	173
Totals	661	643

Diamond Shop	156	454
Dillman	168	130
Stanford	150	166
Glickman	139	181
Cox	144	133
Walberg No. 1		
Leder 2 & 3	106	117
Totals	707	727

West Texas State Slight Favorite Over Creighton

NEW YORK, March 17 (AP)—Deep in the heart of Manhattan, the West Texas State basketball team is a slight favorite to defeat Creighton, co-champion of the Missouri Valley conference, tonight in the second game of the 1942 invitational tournament.
 Before those two visiting fives take the Madison Square Garden floor, Long Island university and West Virginia will begin the drive for the title the metropolitan Blackbirds annexed last year. LIU, beaten only by DePaul and Tennessee during the season, is the choice to subdue the under-manned Mountaineers.
 Tonight's two victors will return to action next Monday night against the winners of Thursday's two contests, which pits City college of New York against Western Kentucky and Toledo university against Rhode Island State.

Today's Guest Star

Monroe McConnell, San Diego (Calif.) Union: "We note with interest that Boots Poffenberger took a turn at playing third base for the Padre rookies the other day and committed three errors in that many innings. There must be something in a name after all."
Sportpouri
 Jimmy Johnson's latest contribution to fistic lore is a set of figures to show that the wallops Abe Simon got from Joe Louis in their last meeting was equivalent to his being hit by a 375-ton truck—and not only damage Abe suffered was a cut lip. . . . The Pirates may have girl ushers at Forbes field this summer because the war and defense jobs have taken 215 of the 300 boys listed on the list. . . . Norman Mosley, who has been starting in spring football at Alabama, is the third of his family to perform in the "Bama backfield." . . . Pal Moran, the old-time lightweight, is the father of a promising young featherweight fighter who plans to enter the University of Wisconsin.
 Ulysses (Tony) Lupien, who'd like to play first base for the Red Sox, says he's a ball player who went to Harvard, not a Harvard man who went into baseball.

Quote, Unquote

Jake Mintz, Pittsburgh fight matchmaker: "I found out long ago that talk don't come out any too cheap, especially if you have to hire a lawyer to do it for you."
Postman's Paragraph
 Reader T. L. Barnard of Newport News, Va., wonders how come two Virginia high school teams were invited to the Eastern States Basketball tourney at Glens Falls, N. Y., but Newport News, the state champion, was overlooked. Only reason we could guess is that the bids were sent out before the championship was decided. . . . Putt Powell of

Kilpatrick Back In Uniform With Praise For Joe Louis

By BURTON BENJAMIN
 NEA Service Staff Correspondent
 NEW YORK, March 16.—Col. John Reed Kilpatrick, tall, grey, ruddy chief executive of the nation's most famed amusement palace, is back in harness.
 The 52-year-old president of Madison Square Garden, who rose from a first sergeant in the U. S. Army during the 1916 Mexican campaign to a colonel on the general staff in World War I, has been recalled to active duty.
 He is attached to the port of embarkation in the New York area, will continue as head of the Eighth Avenue amphitheater as long as his assignment keeps him in the vicinity.
 There was little fanfare in the Garden executive offices as the Colonel made his transition from civilian to military.
 In fact, the only apparent change was sartorial. The Colonel, a little straighter than usual, perhaps, sat in uniform pouring over the unceasing stream of papers which passes across his desk.
 "Pinching at his breast were six decorations: Distinguished Service medal, Mexican Border medal, World War medal, French Legion of Honor, Croix de Guerre, and Crown of Italy."



Col. Kilpatrick

of the Army of Flanders.
 He entered the construction business after the war, became head of the Garden in 1933. Under his guidance, entertainment was diversified with events like the ice rinks taking precedence over such plebeian attractions as wrestling and bike racing. He put the stamp of approval on the current rage—college basketball. He once considered curling and boxing.
 An indefatigable worker, Colonel Kilpatrick invariably spends evenings at his desk.
 As a day-time soldier and night-time executive, he's a busy man for the duration.
BUY VICTORY BONDS
Stiteler Elected
Grid Coach At Waco

WACO, March 17. (AP)—Harry Stiteler of Corpus Christi will come here tomorrow to complete arrangements for taking over as head Waco High football coach succeeding Paul Tyson, whose contract was not renewed by the school board.
 The board last night announced Stiteler's election after a two-hour session. Superintendent R. H. Brister said every member of the board was completely satisfied with the choice of Stiteler.
 The 22-year-old coach of Corpus Christi High is expected to be here for spring training, scheduled to start next week. He will sign a five-year contract. His salary was not announced, but it is believed to be about \$4,000 a year.
 In ten years of coaching, Stiteler has produced teams that won 98 games, lost 11 and tied four. His Corpus Christi eleven won the state championship in 1933.
 Tyson had been coach at Waco for 28 years, and his record was one to be envied.

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Today's War Analysis

By DeWitt MacKenzie Wide World War Analyst Her Hitler's memorial day speech in Berlin Sunday has received less attention in this country than any other he has delivered since the war began, and yet it strikes me as being one of his most important utterances...

The unconquerable Hitler finally had to come before his people and admit in an euphemistic terms as possible the terrific beating which the Nazi armies have been taking at the hands of the Bolsheviks...

Quite likely the fusher's boasted "intuition" has indeed shown him some very unwelcome writing on the wall. In any event he has called on his people for greater efforts and has warned that "the Bolshevik colossus is a cruel menace."

The moral of Hitler's confession is that now is the time, when he is showing signs of weakness, to redouble our efforts to finish him off before he has a chance to regroup. As Maxim Litvinoff, Soviet ambassador to Washington said last night in urging greater Allied efforts...

Production will play a large role in Russia's swelling offensive. The experts in our shops, whose technical training is essential to the production of war machines, may hold the balance of power between victory and defeat...

HOUSTON, March 17 (AP)—The largest timber-loading station on the Southern Pacific lines in Texas is now busy. It used to be for the movement of cotton. Now it is being used to move war materials...

DALLAS, March 17 (AP)—Texas' defense training program is among the ten best in the nation, said L. S. Hawkins of Washington, director of vocational training for defense workers.

ARRINGTON, March 17 (AP)—Methodist ministerial associations meeting here adopted a resolution urging Gov. Coke Stevenson to call a special legislative session to "outlaw alcoholic beverages in Texas for the duration of the war."

HOUSTON, March 17 (AP)—O. C. Casle, who has been with the Southern Pacific lines for 23 years, leaves today for Washington as a consultant to V. V. Boatman, director of the railway transportation division in the office of defense transportation for the Southern Pacific lines in Texas and Louisiana.

K P D N The Voice Of the Oil Empire TUESDAY AFTERNOON

4:30—Melody Parade. 5:00—Listen and Answer. 5:15—Melody Melodies. 5:30—The Trading Post. 5:45—News with Harry Wahlberg-Studio.

WEDNESDAY 7:00—Hiss and Shine. 7:05—What's Behind the News. 8:15—Melody Melodies. 8:30—Timely Events. 8:45—Vocal Varieties. 9:00—News with Harry Wahlberg-Studio.

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BUY VICTORY BONDS... SKELLYTOWN, March 17 (AP)—In order to work more harmoniously in the community, an organization was formed March 6, when a group of citizens met at the Skellytown school for the purpose of bringing all groups and organizations in the community closer together.

SAN ANTONIO, March 17 (AP)—Funeral services were arranged today for Mrs. Arthur S. Pederman, 47, known professionally as Rachel Field, author of "All This and Heaven Too." She died at a hospital yesterday of pneumonia, following an operation for gall bladder stones.

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Seven Escape From Texas Prison Farm

HUNTSVILLE, March 17 (AP)—Police force in East Texas today are searching for seven long-term convicts who broke out of Ferguson State Prison farm late yesterday.

The prisoners escaped when two civilians disarmed two guards, Major W. D. Stakes, manager of the prison system, said the outsiders first cut telephone lines between Midway and the Ferguson farm two miles away in Madison county.

At Buffalo, state police at Dallas said, the sedan was abandoned and three of the fugitives held up a man and his wife with shotguns and took their old coupe. They started toward Dallas in the sedan, but car trouble stopped them and they ran into the woods, the police said.

Those who escaped and the terms they were serving: Jack Cade, 25 years from San Jacinto, Dallas, Walker, and Harris counties for robbery and robbery by assault. Oscar Owen Frazier, 99 years from Harris county, robbery with firearms.

Cora Hudson, 70 years from Rusk and Leon counties, robbery with firearms and robbery by assault. Ollie York, life from Wharton, Lee and Victoria counties for robbery with firearms, burglary, and theft.

E. E. Smith, 25 years from Liberty county for robbery with firearms. BUY VICTORY BONDS... SAN ANTONIO, March 17 (AP)—Funeral services were arranged today for Mrs. Arthur S. Pederman, 47, known professionally as Rachel Field, author of "All This and Heaven Too."

U. S. armed forces. This will be their first trip to Skellytown. They have made similar appearances at Amarillo, White Deer, and other points in the area. The committee will be in charge of the visiting group and extend an invitation to all citizens who wish to attend this meeting to be held here.

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LATE ACTRESS... HORIZONTAL... Answer to Previous Puzzle... JAN MARYK... 15 Heavy blow. 17 Make torpid. 19 Rattle bird (pl.).

SERIAL STORY KINGS ROW

BY HENRY BELLMANN

RANDY HEARS TALES

CHAPTER XXXX KINGS ROW, too, was beginning to hear highly favorable things about Dr. Mitchell, but the more they heard, the less they saw of him.

Just lately there had been a bit of gossip about Louise Gordon. Kings Row knew that Louise had had a very bad nervous breakdown. Dr. Mitchell frequently walked in the late afternoon with Louise, and it was noticeable that Louise had "come out" amazingly.

In the fall Louise had an attack of bronchitis, and Dr. Saunders, one of Kings Row's older doctors, was called. Dr. Saunders happily ended Parris' worries about Louise. He advised Mrs. Gordon to take Louise to Florida for the winter, and when his own advice was added, Mrs. Gordon agreed.

Parris and Randy walked out toward the Old Cemetery one afternoon. Randy was troubled, but he waited for her to speak.

"Well, Randy?" "I don't know how to begin, Parris. I've been hearing some stories that I don't understand—so I thought I'd better let you know."

"Parris felt a curious chill of apprehension. "It seems that talk sort of runs around and around and takes on first one meaning, then another. When I first heard Louise's name mentioned, they said you were going with Louise."

"Parris nodded. He remembered his talk with Dr. Nolan. "It was said that Louise said her father performed unnecessary operations just—well, just because he liked to, and that he did too many of them without chloroform."

"Um," Parris nodded again. "People began to remember. You ought to hear the long lists of operations Dr. Gordon did without an anesthetic! It's always the same story. The patient's heart was weak."

"Strangle!" "But Parris—have you ever counted up the number of terribly disfigured people he left behind him?"

"She had gone deathly pale. "Drake!" Parris held perfectly still. Randy shook his arm violently. "Then the stories are true?"

"Listen, Randy: there are strange cases in medical history—like this. But it doesn't follow that every operation Dr. Gordon performed was or could have been unnecessary. Do you know any of the details of Drake's injury?"

"He wasn't run over, if that's what you mean."

"He wasn't?" "No. He was caught by the train—some cars were being switched. He was under the car—between two of them. As near as I know he was sort of—I guess you'd have to say pinched by a wheel that didn't pass over him."

"Strange. I thought he was. He never talked to me about it." "Parris. I've got something else to tell you. I made some inquiries—after I heard those terrible stories this winter. Sam Winters helped Dr. Gordon."

Randy stopped and twisted her hands together. "Sam Winters said Dr. Gordon was a wonderful doctor and must have seen something he himself—Sam, I mean—couldn't understand. He said it looked to him like Drake was just badly bruised."

"Yes!" Parris said the one questioning word with difficulty. "Sam was positive that there were no bones broken!" Parris straightened himself.

"Now, listen. You've got to listen carefully. Sam Winters' testimony doesn't mean a thing." "Are you telling me the truth, Parris?"

"Yes, Randy. Absolutely. Dr. Gordon must have done a crack job, or Drake wouldn't have lived. We have Drake, and Drake is in a way adjusted. It's all over and done with. Dr. Gordon is dead. We've got to forget it."

Parris took her hand. "It would be just like some meddlesome fool to drop some hint of this story about Dr. Gordon to him someday."

"I know, Parris. I've thought of that. "It must never happen. I think the whole structure would topple down again, and that time we couldn't rebuild it. He'd be gone."

Parris thought for a few minutes. "It's strange, or curious, or something that wherever there is a ghastly or a grotesque tragedy in this town, you'll find Dr. Gordon somewhere in the story."

"You do believe—" "Hush! Neither you nor I can ever know about Drake. There's no possible way. It's better we don't know. I've got to believe that it was a necessary amputation. So must you. We must, Randy. Don't you see that? He had no reason—"

"Yes, he did! Louise!" "He had separated them, anyhow. That was over."

WHEN Parris reached home he found a letter waiting for him. He opened it hastily and read:

army. The change was adopted at the request of the war department, which has agreed to grant immediate 10-day furloughs to men who need time to wind up their civilian affairs.

A program to step up synthetic rubber production from last year's 12,000 tons to an annual rate of 400,000 tons has been launched. BY DEFENSE BODIES Licensed pilots in this country now top the 100,000 mark.

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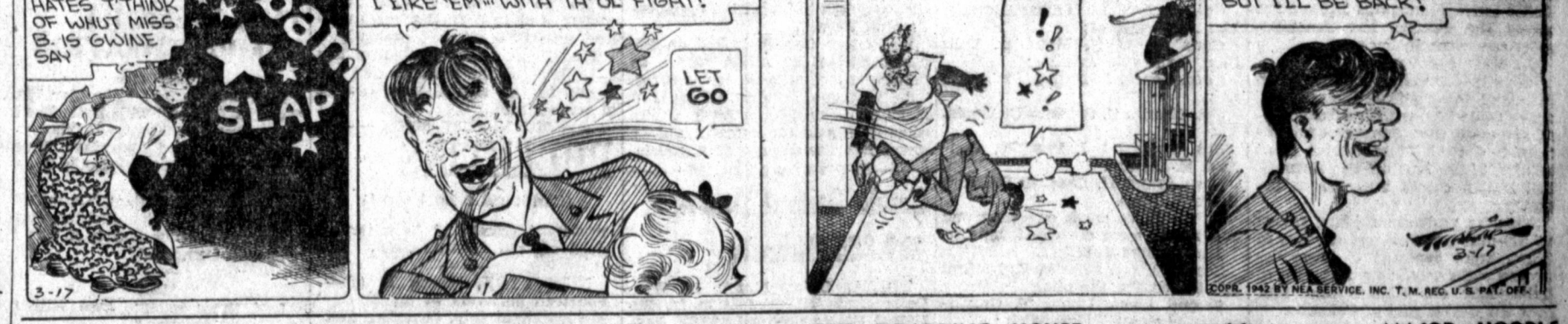
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'Gray Hair Vitamin' Used To Tone Down Color To Freckles

By HOWARD W. BLAKESLEE

NEW YORK, March 17 (AP)—An inexpensive vitamin, heretofore used to combat gray hair, has now turned up as a remedy to tone down the glaring color of freckles and small birth marks.

It also is aiding previously sterile women to have children, and restores the complexion of unnaturally whitened patches of skin—what one might call an all-round handy vitamin.

The Journal of Southern Medicine and Surgery tells the surprising story today in its March issue. The vitamin is para amino benzoic acid, discovered about two years ago, and known as the anti-gray hair vitamin.

The report is by Benjamin F. Sieve, M. D., Boston. The unusual cases appeared among 800 persons, aged 16 to 74, most of whom took the vitamin for gray hair. Some had freckles and birth marks. "Much to my amazement," Dr. Sieve states, "I observed decrease of pigmentation in these lesions. The dark shading of the pigment became lighter and in some cases disappeared until it blended with the normal color of the skin."

In other lesions, such as the dark nevus cells (these are the birth mark type of discoloration—Editor's note) there was a decrease in the dark brown shade to a lighter pale brown or a yellow pink coloration.

The ghostly colored skin patches afflicted persons suffering from alopecia areata and vitiligo. In both types there was a definite return of color, after five to 20 weeks use of the vitamin.

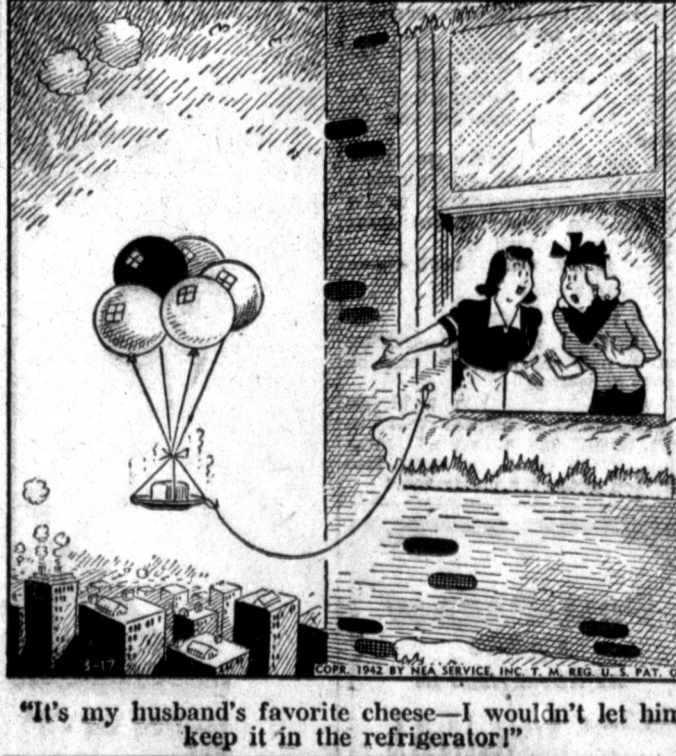
The sterility test was made after some women who took the vitamin attributed pregnancies to its aid. A group of 22 women, sterile for five years or more, was chosen. All had received other treatments for sterility, which failed. All had been examined by gynecologists and all their husbands likewise, with the failures in all cases attributed to the women.

In from three to seven months 12 of these women became pregnant. The other 10 did not, and Dr. Sieve states that six of these did not take the medication as prescribed.

BUY VICTORY BONDS

Physical Exam To Come After Men Become Inducted WASHINGTON, March 17 (AP)—A new system for inducting selective service registrants into the army became effective today. Heretofore men subject to call have received notice from their local boards to report for the army physical examination, and it was usually about 10 days after they passed this examination that they received their induction orders. Under the new plan, registrants will receive orders for immediate induction, and the physical examination will come after they are in the

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McGee Outlines Duties Of School Superintendents

Duties of school superintendents, both county and city, in the registration of civilians for war ration booklets, were explained today in two letters received by the Gray County Rationing board from Mark McGee, Austin, state administrator.

U. S. TROOPS

Several additional villages and towns were recaptured, the Russian reported, and the Red air force held the edge in planes destroyed last week, 215 to 57.

AVIATORS

George A. Gurlack, engineer, Danbury, Conn., one of the survivors, was in a serious condition, suffering possible fractured ribs and lung punctures.

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NAZIS HINT

way, compared with the 100,000 reported there last summer. A British spokesman said that the powerful Tirpitz, sister ship of the battleship Bismarck, appears to have avoided an attack by British aerial torpedoes off the Norwegian port of Narvik eight days ago and that information was lacking on the present whereabouts of the huge sea raider.

MacARTHUR

plain statement lay the stirring stories that were yet to be told of what the mighty convoys which transported the thousands of troops and the tons of supplies and equipment probably traversed some 12,000 miles of the trackless south Pacific before reaching the unnamed Australian port of debarkation.

TEXAS QUOTA FOR NAVAL RELIEF SET

AUSTIN, March 17. (AP)—Attorney General Gerald C. Mann today began building a statewide organization to conduct a drive for \$210,000 in navy relief funds.

CRUDE OUTPUT DOWN

TULSA, Okla., March 17. (AP)—Daily crude oil production in the United States declined 488,855 barrels to 3,526,580 for the week ended March 14. The Oil and Gas Journal said today.

Mainly About People

Fuller Brackets, Ph. 2152-J, 514 W. Cook.—Adv. Condition of Carl C. Freeman, seriously injured in a car-truck collision east of here Sunday night, was reported improved at a local hospital today.

NO QUESTIONNAIRES IN DRAWING TO BE RECEIVED BEFORE MID-MAY

WASHINGTON, March 17. (AP)—Classifications of 9,000,000 more American men for possible military duty will start tonight with the first draft lottery of the war.

LABOR HAS YIELDED RIGHT TO STRIKE, SAY GREEN, MURRAY

WASHINGTON, March 17. (AP)—The leaders of organized labor indicated today that labor had yielded its right to strike during the war as a more satisfactory answer to the problems of production and national unity than restrictive legislative enactments by congress.

Appointment Of MacArthur Hailed By British Circles

LONDON, March 17. (AP)—British Military circles today hailed Gen. Douglas MacArthur's appointment to supreme command in Australia as a demonstration of "the coordination existing between the empire and the United States."



Getting in and out of a barrage balloon through a narrow rubber chute called an "appendix" requires plenty of dexterity.

BRITISH TANKS CRASHING THRU BURMESE JUNGLES

LONDON, March 17. (AP)—British tanks and infantry, with the aid of "sufficient" air support, were reported today to be crashing through the Burmese jungles to guard the battered but unbeaten main imperial army from Japanese columns feeling their way north along the roads from Rangoon to Toungoo and to Prome.

URUGUAYAN VESSEL TORPEDOED AND SUNK

MONTEVIDEO, Uruguay, March 17. (AP)—The 5,785-ton Uruguayan merchant ship Montevideo, formerly the Italian Adamele, has been torpedoed and sunk off Jerome, Haiti, and 17 of her crew of 49 are missing, the government announced today.

PICTURE

(Continued from Page 1) synthetic rubber. His talk will be as non-technical as possible so that it can be understood by everyone.

THIS WEEK IN PAMPA THEATERS

LANORA Last times today: "The Man Who Came to Dinner," with Bette Davis, Anne Sheridan, Monty Woolley.

BULLETINS

(Continued from Page 1) merchant vessel had been torpedoed off the Atlantic coast. NEW YORK, March 17. (AP)—Fourteen survivors of an American merchant ship, torpedoed last Saturday off Atlantic City, N. J., have landed at Staten Island.

STORMS

(Continued from Page 1) in the vicinity of Water Valley, a small town in the north-central section of the state.

GERMAN

(Continued from Page 1) of German concentration camps, he has been authorized by the U. S. government to make a speaking tour of the country as a means of livelihood to support his wife and child who fled to this country with him.

PULL THE TRIGGER ON CONSTIPATION, WITH EASE FOR STOMACH, TOO

When constipation brings on discomfort after meals, stomach upset, bloating, dizziness, gas, coated tongue, and bad breath, your stomach is probably "crying the blues" because your bowels don't move.

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Japan Moves Troops To Russian Border

CHUNGKING, China, March 17. (AP)—A Chinese army spokesman, restating the Chinese contention that an early Japanese attack on Russia is probable, said today that two Japanese divisions had been transferred recently from Korea to Manchukuo while Japanese troops in the southern, or Japanese, half of Sakhalin island had been moved northward toward the Russian border.

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STORMS

(Continued from Page 1) The storms struck separately in Mississippi after 4 p. m. (C.W.T.) and large groups of school children, en route home, narrowly escaped.

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