

ALL 'SECRET WEAPON' PLANS

MacArthur Moves Closer to Philippines

City Calls Charter Amendment Election for April 4

Pampa to Vote On Staggering Office Terms

Citizens of Pampa at the regular city election in April will vote on two proposed amendments to the city charter, providing for a new method of electing city officials, in addition to voting on the candidates.

An order was passed by the city commission at its regular meeting yesterday providing for amendments to the city charter of Nov. 8, 1927, under which two changes would be made:

1. Elections would be held annually instead of every two years, as is now the case.
2. The mayor and two commissioners would be elected for three-year terms, instead of the present two.

To start the plan in operation, in this year selection the mayor would be elected for one year, commissioner 1 for two, and commissioner 2 for three years.

This procedure follows the principle of retaining men in office each year, because if the new plan were launched by electing all three officials for three-year terms, their terms would expire simultaneously and the purpose of the plan would be defeated.

In 1945, a mayor will be elected again, but this time for a full three years, since his one-year term will have expired. Commissioner 1 would have another year to serve, and commissioner 2 two more years.

Then in 1946, commissioner 1 would be elected for a full three years, with the expiration of his term. At that time, commissioner 2 would have another year in office and the mayor two more years.

Commissioner 2 comes up for election again in 1947 when his full three-year term expires, while the mayor has another year in office and commissioner 1 another two years.

The cycle begins in 1948 again with a election of a mayor for three years.

Mayor Fred Thompson today said the city commission in passing the order calling for a vote on amending the charter was endorsing nor condemning the proposal but was merely acting up on the request of a number of citizens.

Yesterday was the last day the city commission could have taken action on the matter, to make it effective, since the law requires the amendment to be submitted 30 days in advance of the election.

By combining the charter amendment issue with the regular city election, the city saves the costs of an extra election. Cost of electing a mayor or city commissioner is small, running around \$40.

A similar charter amendment was proposed once before here, in 1932, but was voted down, the mayor recalled.

National Meat Production High

HOUSTON, March 1.—(AP)—Four billion pounds of meat will be allocated to the armed forces this year and about 3,000,000,000 pounds will be distributed through lend-lease. R. C. Pollock, of Chicago, general manager of the National Livestock and Meat board, said today.

In an address before the 68th annual convention of the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers' association, Pollock said that 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.

"In 1943, for the fourth consecutive year, we produced a record output of meat—an estimated production of more than 24,000,000,000 pounds," he explained. "That is over 5,000,000,000 pounds more meat than were produced in 1940."

Despite last year's record marketing, farms and ranches held 8,000,000 more meat animals on Jan. 1, 1944 than a year ago, he added. With nearly 19,000,000 meat animals, Texas leads all other states, Pollock said, listing 5,462,000 beef cattle, 3,116,000 hogs and 10,339,000 sheep and lambs.

BUY BONDS

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

BUY BONDS

Continuing the regular Pampa Field dance band program on Radio Station KPDM, a program has been scheduled tonight at 6:30 from the auditorium of Junior High school.

This program, under the direction of Warrant Officer Kenneth Carpenter, assisted by First Sgt. Albert Fish, is a continuation of a regularly scheduled program which was discontinued two weeks ago.

In response to the demand for popular music the band has arranged various popular dance tunes. Concert music will be given next week.

An invitation has been extended to the public to attend the concert tonight at the Junior High auditorium.

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Gray County Red Cross Drive Opens

All Workers Convene At 8 Tonight

Pampa and Gray county's drive to raise \$25,000 for the American Red Cross will get its official kick-off at a meeting of all workers in junior high school auditorium at 8 o'clock tonight.

The advanced lift drive already is under way. Solicitation in the business district through a committee headed by Lieb Langston, begins tomorrow morning. The residential canvass, headed by Win-Stan Savage, is scheduled to start next Monday.

"It is of the utmost importance that every worker be on hand at tonight's meeting," Joe Wells, general drive chairman, said at noon today.

Instructions will be given to fund solicitors and supplies will be distributed. An hour at tonight's meeting may save individual workers a lot of time and enable them to get their job done and to produce maximum results, Wells stated.

Publicity Director, Edgar W. Henshaw today injected a local campaign slogan:

"You bought War Bonds to stand behind our fighting man—now stand BESIDE him with your gifts to the Red Cross!"

Through the Rev. Mr. Henshaw, Chapter Chairman Joe Key and Drive Chairman Wells, the Pampa chapter of the Red Cross today extended congratulations and thanks to The Pampa News for the Red Cross edition which appears with today's issue of the newspaper.

Under the direction of Aaron Meek, Sam Houston school principal, Red Cross flags have been placed at strategic spots throughout the city and posters and cards were put on display in all business houses.

Chairman Savage, in charge of solicitation in the residential district, said today that the organization of his corps of workers is almost complete and will be ready for the residential canvass which starts Monday, March 7, and will not cease until every resident of Pampa has been contacted and afforded the opportunity to subscribe.

At 1:30 p. m. Friday, 315 members of the fifth grade Junior Red Cross will start to place a piece

WHAT YOU ARE ASKED TO SUPPORT



Livestock Show Will Open Here Tomorrow

Everything is all set for the sixth annual Gray county Junior Livestock show, Tom Cox, general chairman, announced this morning.

The auction sale which is expected to total close to \$5,000 will begin promptly at 2 p. m. with Cox as auctioneer; Frank Carter, ring man; and Arthur Rankin, clerk.

Over \$200 in prizes will be awarded to winning exhibitors by the Pampa Chamber of Commerce. Extra prizes will likewise be awarded by George B. Bagby, Duroc breeder of Clarendon; by the American Hereford association and the Duroc

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Britain Approves Finn Peace Plan

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

This informant explained that under the treaty one of the signatories cannot negotiate peace without consulting the other. He called Russian terms thus far published a "press description" rather than the actual, formal terms.

As a preliminary to Russian-Finnish peace negotiations Moscow has demanded that the Finns cease "military operations," immediately break relations with Germany and intern German troops and ships in Finland—with Soviet help if necessary.

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.

Jet Propulsion Promises 100 MPH More for U. 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 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 new 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

Yanks Take Admiralty Airdrome

(By The Associated Press)
Americans landed in the Admiralty islands in the Bismarck sea yesterday and quickly captured one of the two principal airdromes against negligible enemy opposition.

Gen. Douglas MacArthur, who directed operations from a warship and who went ashore shortly after Sixth Army troops landed, announced today the invasion brings the end of the Bismarck campaign "clearly in sight."

In addition to troops already trapped in the Solomon Islands some 50,000 of the enemy, largely in New Britain and at Rabaul, are now enclosed," he said.

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 airdrome offered minor resistance but were overwhelmed.

The New Allied beachhead places Americans within 250 miles of Kavieng, New Ireland, 350 miles of Rabaul, and 750 statute 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.

No mention was made of operations against Lorengau, principal enemy base of Manus island, largely in the group. Recent raids against Momote and Lorengau have failed to draw air interception or anti-aircraft fire.

A special communication issued by Allied headquarters said the landing clicked beautifully from the opening air bombing through naval bombardment to the landing and consolidation of positions with negligible losses.

During his battlefield inspection MacArthur told dismounted units of the first cavalry division and their commander, Brig. Gen. William C. Chase, "hold what you have taken no matter against whatever odds. You have your teeth in him now. Don't let go."

Significantly, MacArthur's communique pointed out the landing places that Allies' 1,300 miles from the Philippines, where MacArthur first battled the Japanese and where he has vowed he will return.

Rabaul, already flanked by the Allies' landing in the Green Islands 120 miles east of the New Britain base, was pounded with 161 tons of bombs in the last reported raid and the eighth consecutive attack. No enemy interceptors were encountered.

Other bombers ripped away at Hansa bay on the New Guinea coast with 123 tons of explosives and at Wewak, main enemy base on New Guinea, with 53 tons of bombs.

In New Delhi, India, Adm.-Lord Louis Mountbatten announced 4,500 Japanese have been killed or wounded by Allied troops since a 8,000-man force attempted unsuccessfully to encircle Indian forces on the Arakan front in Burma last Feb.

Following up operations continued and slight progress was reported on other Burmese fronts.

In the central Pacific, Adm. Chester W. Nimitz reported heavy bombers plastered Ponape in the Carolines with 30 tons of explosives Sunday.

Judge Jackson Dies in Amarillo

Funeral services were conducted at 3:30 this afternoon at the First Christian church in Amarillo by the Rev. Roy C. Snodgrass, pastor, for M. J. F. Jackson, 73, former chief justice of the seventh court of civil appeals, who died at 4:30 p. m. Tuesday at his home, 3204 Hayden, Amarillo, after a brief illness that began when he was stricken Saturday.

Judge Jackson had resided in Amarillo since May 14, 1905, when he moved from Madisonville. He engaged in the private practice of law until 1924 when he was elected associate justice of the seventh civil appeals court, his term beginning Jan. 1, 1925.

He had been appointed the preceding November by Gov. Pat M. Neff to fill the unexpired term of Judge William Boyce, resigned, and took office upon certificate of election the following Jan. 1.

Judge Jackson served as associate justice of this court until May 13, 1937, when Gov. James V. Alfred appointed him in place of chief justice, to succeed Judge R. Walker Hall, deceased. He retained this position until his retirement from the court on Dec. 31, 1942, without seeking reelection.

Stevenson Will Speak in Ranger

AUSTIN, March 1.—(AP)—Gov. Coke R. Stevenson spends tomorrow, Texas Independence day, in Ranger and makes two addresses.

He speaks before the Masquer's club there at 2 p. m., and at a city-wide brotherhood meeting tomorrow night.

Louisiana Governor Is Anti-Long Man

NEW ORLEANS, March 1.—(AP)—Louisiana Democratic voters rejected yesterday a group of candidates for state by the "You Are My Sunshine" party, 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" 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.

The unofficial vote from 1,367 of the state's 1,885 precincts gave Davis 190,474 and Morgan 158,608.

Davis' appeal for the election of J. Emile Verret for lieutenant governor appeared to have been answered by the voters. In 1,367 of 1,865 precincts they gave Verret 185,999 votes while Earl Long garnered 161,876. Nevertheless, Long would not concede defeat.

Nazi Prisoners Are Recaptured

HOUSTON, March 1.—(AP)—Two German prisoners of war, Hermann Brinkmann and Franz Hassmann, fugitives from Camp Alvin, were captured by camp officials at Marvel yesterday afternoon, the Houston office of the federal bureau of investigation announced.

The men escaped between 10 p. m. Monday and 8:30 a. m. Tuesday.

Five One Garage, 600 S. Cuyler, Ph. 51.—Adv.

Tanks Controlled By Radio Blasted Before Reaching Our Lines

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-fort 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 of rain. British troops threw back a

Soviet Troops On Outskirts Of Pskov

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.

"Our troops and overcoming German resistance and advancing swiftly," a Russian communique declared.

The bulletin said that Red army troops had captured more than 250 additional towns and villages, including Pogorelka, six miles north of Pskov, and Kutuzovo, 11 miles to the east.

Heinrich dispatches routed through Stockholm, meanwhile, reported a Soviet drive across ice-bound Lake Peipus had established bridgeheads on the Estonian shore and asserted the Russians were declared to have linking across the narrow between Lakes Peipus and Pskov, 35 miles northeast of the Baltic gateway city. There was no immediate Russian confirmation of these reports.

Twenty-eight miles southeast of Pskov, Soviet columns stormed into the town of Malkova, within 26 miles of the Latvian border.

Thirty-seven miles further to the southeast, other Red army troops, driving up from the Novosokolniki area, smashed the 218th German Infantry in the Southeast Asia theater, captured 70 towns in a 26-mile drive down the Ingulets river to Nikolaevka. Berlin broadcasts said the Red army was using critical fog and major artillery units in this sector.

The Germans also said the Russians were attacking in the Vitebsk and Nevel areas, south of the Pri-Priest marshes and on the Kerch peninsula in the Crimea. The Russian communique failed to report any activity in these sectors.

Berlin Knocked Out of the War

LONDON, March 1.—(AP)—RAF Mosquito bombers attacked objectives in western Germany last night, an air ministry communique announced today. The British planes returned from their mission without loss, the communique added.

The overnight assault followed a heavy daylight attack by U. S. Flying Fortresses on the German aircraft center of Brunswick and a Liberator raid on the Pas-de-Calais coast. On the morning of the attack, out of a cost of one bomber and eight fighter planes.

The Germans made a weak retaliation last night and one raider was shot down. Berlin has been virtually knocked out of the war by the RAF, Sir Archibald Sinclair, air minister told the house of commons today.

He said the RAF lost 446 aircraft—about 5 per cent of the raiding forces and about 3,300 men—in the battle to obliterate the Nazi capital as a war center. Nearly 24,000 tons of bombs smashed at the city, Sinclair said.

Sinclair said the Germans might get some of their Berlin factories working again and periodical attacks might be necessary to break down the repair work, but he indicated the great bomber sweeps over the capital by the RAF were over.

The air minister warned however against believing that Germany has used up all her air strength.

Transport Is Only Nazi Opposition

LONDON, March 1.—(AP)—The only enemy plane American escorts "Thunderbolts, Lightnings and Mustangs were able to knock down on yesterday's Fortress smash at Brunswick was a tri-motored transport.

"The only excitement we had was dodging our own fighters and fighters," commented Lt. Joseph J. Maucini, a Thunderbolt pilot from Wichita Falls, Tex. "They seemed to be serving their fighters—or he just hasn't got them."

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MIDLAND COMMAND CHANGES
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.

DETAIL FOR TODAY

BAR MAIDS are local girls who date none but officers. They bar with no bars—hence their name. The enlisted men have no use for them and vice versa which makes it lovely for the officers. BAR MAIDS are common in large cities and usually have their cap set for a first lieutenant or a captain. Many of them, however, wind up married to a buck private—and love it!

Pampa Garage and Storage General Repairing—Stacy Products, 113 N. Frost, Ph. 979.—Adv.

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Army Does Lots Of Cussing-- And Praying

By GEORGE TUCKER
WITH THE 5TH ARMY IN ITALY, Feb. 24—(Delayed)—(AP)—People who don't hold with cussing wouldn't think much of this war. Our army does a lot of it, and a lot of praying. The two somehow seem to go together, especially in areas where the imminence of death always is on our troops.

Profanity may be regrettable, but it is one of the natural byproducts of war. Lack of sleep, weariness, the cold and the eternal mud contribute I have seen but one soldier who did not swear, and I have mingled with troops on five continents. This man was a driver in a back area in Asia. He said somehow he had never got the habit and I had no reason to disbelieve him.

During a tense moment after the Salerno landings one of our major generals took a quick look at the situation and cried:

"That was no job for the artillery, but by God the infantry could do it."

Men who were on the spot say his words were a tonic. It snapped the tension and they went on to work.

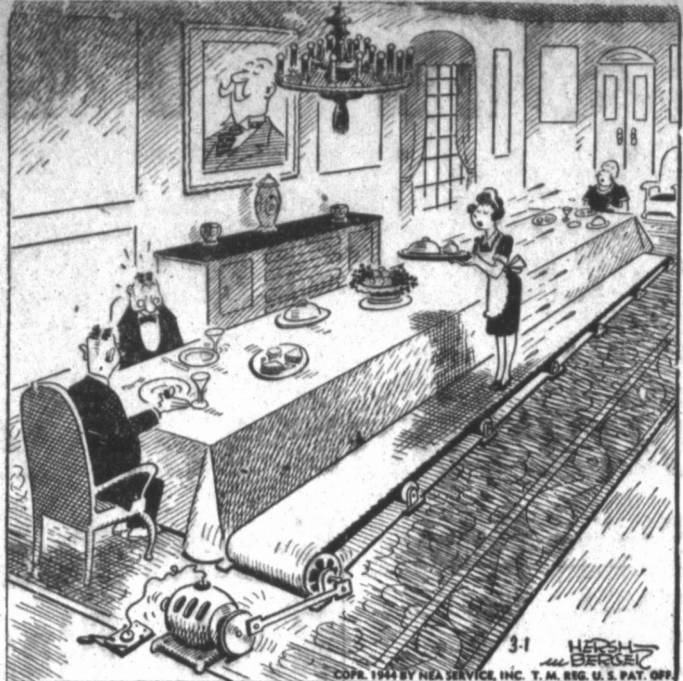
Our chaplains have been very smart in their relations with the men in respect to this. A group of men is more endeared to the troops for the chaplains of all faiths stick right in the lines with the men enduring the shelling and the discomforts. Many have lost their lives. Only a few days ago two chaplains were killed under very heroic circumstances.

They went into a fire-swept area to comfort wounded men who had been cut down in a brutal assault along the Rapido. Both fell mortally wounded before they could return.

I have seen chaplains sit in dugouts and listen to the most ribald stories and to oaths that would shock a man in civil life without turning a hair. One chaplain said this to me:

"I do not believe in censuring a boy for a little profanity when he knows and I know that by this time tomorrow he may be dead. I know how these boys feel, and I know where their hearts are. Their hearts are with God."

FUNNY BUSINESS



"She refused to stay unless we put in a production line!"

Apprentice Degrees To Be Given Thursday

Tom Clabby, worshipful master of Pampa Lodge 966 A. F. & A. M., has designated Thursday, March 2, as "entered apprentice day" in Pampa, prompted by the large number of entered apprentice degrees to be conferred.

There are 12 who will receive this honor, a large number for a metropolitan lodge, between convocations.

By coincidence, entered apprentice day comes on the same date as the anniversary of Texas independence. The Masons' program will begin at 2 p. m. tomorrow when an entered apprentice Masons lodge will be called for the purpose of conferring the degrees.

Place of the ritual will be the local lodge room, located on the second floor of the White Deer Land company building, 116 S. Cuyler.

The session will be continuous until all degrees are conferred, with an exception at 7:30 p. m., when refreshments will be served during an intermission.

McLean Cattleman Succumbs to Injuries

Rites for C. A. Watkins, 80, McLean cattleman, who died last night in an Amarillo hospital from injuries suffered a fortnight ago when he was crushed between a car and tractor, will be conducted at 3 p. m. tomorrow at the McLean Presbyterian church.

Mr. Watkins had been a resident of McLean for 32 years, and had been in the Panhandle since 1895. Survivors are the widow and five children.

APPLICATION FOR TRANSFER OF PACKAGE STORE PERMIT TO NEW ADDRESS

Notice is hereby given by the under signed package store permittee that she has made application for the transfer of her Package Store permit from: 1016 West Brown St., Pampa, Texas, to: 801 West Brown St., City of Pampa, County of Gray, as provided by Article 666 of the Penal Code of Texas.

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MUSTEROLE

Desire for Food, Clothing Prompts Thefts in Germany

By WADE WERNER
LISBON, March 1—(AP)—Crime news appearing in German newspapers these days seems to be giving the lie to the old adage, "money is the root of all evil."

A collection of criminal and police court items in recent issues of Nazi papers contains not a single case where cash was the loot of the law-breakers. The motive, on the other hand, apparently was a desire for food, clothing or luxuries unobtainable for money at any price.

Here are a few examples:

Hannover—Walker Jakubowski, 43 was convicted of stealing 800 quarts of milk. He made nightly raids on a cow pasture and helped himself to the milk at the source.

Bielefeld—A housewife was sentenced to three months imprisonment for an attempt to bribe a district domestic labor rationing officer. The proffered bribe: Three handkerchiefs and a yard of cloth.

Hamburg—An 18-year-old girl was sentenced to a month in jail for stealing the coat, shoes and rubbers

RATION CALENDAR

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(By The Associated Press)
MEATS, PATS, ETC.—Book three brown stamps Y and Z valid through March 20 and retain old values of 8, 5, 2 and 1 points. Book four red stamps AB, BC and CD good through May 20, worth 10 points each. Red tokens and brown one-point stamps may be used as change.

PROCESSED FOODS—Book four green stamps K, L and M valid through March 20 and retain old values of 8, 5, 2 and 1 points. Book four blue stamps AE, BE, CE, DE and EF valid through May 20, worth 10 points each. Blue tokens and green one-point stamps may be used as change.

SUGAR—Book four stamp 20 (previously scheduled to expire March 31) good indefinitely for five pounds. Stamp 40 valid for five pounds for home canning through Feb. 28, 1945.

SHOES—Book one stamp 18 and book three "airplane" stamp 1 good indefinitely.

GASOLINE—In Southwest 10-A coupons valid for three gallons through March 21. B and E-1 and C and C-1 coupons good for two gallons. B-2 and C-2 coupons good everywhere for five gallons.

Man Indicted For Aiding 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. Throneberry while Throneberry was a fugitive in Texas.

Throneberry was captured in Texas after he and his brother, Randal had escaped from a Colorado jail where they were charged with the slaying of a sheepherder at Steamboat Springs.

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

WHAT CAUSES EPILEPSY?

A booklet containing the opinions of famous doctors on this interesting subject will be sent FREE, while they last, to any reader writing to the Educational Division, 535 Fifth Ave., New York, N.Y., Dept. C-1382

Quint Report Due To Exaggeration

TRENTON, Ga., March 1—(AP)—A short-lived report that quintuplets had been born in north Georgia was credited today to exaggerated reports of a single birth at a remote farm home.

J. G. Gray, telephone operator at Trenton, said he received word Tuesday that quintuplets had been born to a farm family on lonely Sand mountain. Upon checking however, he learned only one child had been born.

Many persons in the vicinity had heard the report.

Senator McNary To Be Buried Friday

SALEM, Ore., March 1—(AP)—Former United States senators, congressmen and governors of Oregon head the list of honorary pallbearers named for the funeral of the late Senate Minority Leader Charles L. McNary (R-Ore) at 4 p. m. (cwt) Friday.

They include former Senators Robert N. Stinfield, now of Weiser, Idaho, and Alex G. Barry, Portland, Ore.; former Governors Oswald West, Jay Bowerman, Ben W. Ocott, A. W. Norblad and Charles A. Sprague; former Congressman Elton Watkins, Franklin F. Korell, William A. Eckwall, Nan W. Honeyman, Walter M. Pierce and Charles H.

Martin, Martin and Pierce also were onetime Oregon governors.

Gov. Earl Snell and Federal Judges James A. Fee and Claude McCulloch, both Portland, also were named.

—BUY BONDS—

The hemp leaf is used as an intoxicant in India, and is known as bhhang.

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Housing Program Not Completed

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.

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

Typing Error Bothers Luggage Industry

WASHINGTON, March 1.—(AP)—A treasury typist's error gave that department, the luggage trade, and the telephone company a workout. The treasury announcement on application of the excise taxes in the new revenue bill passed over President Roosevelt's veto showed the increase in luggage rates as going into effect March 1.

Actually the new rate, 20 per cent at retail instead of the former 10 per cent manufacturers' levy, applies with other excise increases April 1, officials said, but they didn't say if in time to head off a deluge of queries and protests. The new rate applies on toilet cases, purses and wallets as well as trunks, suitcases, and such.

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KEEPING UP MORALE—Red Cross Gray Lady, Mrs. Leslie Pouch, cheers Pvt. Paul Davignon, of Forbing, La., as he convalesces at Halloran General Hospital, Staten Island, N. Y.

Germans Fear Uprising Of Slave Labor

Editor's note: The writer of this dispatch, Taylor Henry, formerly of Palestine, Texas, who now is in Portugal awaiting repatriation, was Associated Press bureau chief in Vichy at the time of the German occupation and subsequently was interned at Lourdes, France, and Baden-Baden, Germany.

LISBON, March 1.—(AP)—The latest available estimates of the number of foreign workers in Germany show 12,000,000 out of a total of 29,000,000, which includes prisoners of war and persons of 21 nationalities.

Thus 40 per cent of all labor in Germany today is done by virtual slave workers drawn from captured and occupied areas.

As far as numbers go, the big three among foreign workers in Germany are Russians, Poles and French, in that order, with the Russians totaling 2,500,000, the Poles approximately 1,000,000 and the French only slightly less.

An estimated 100,000 Jews picked up in occupied territories and sent to mines along the Polish-German frontier are also impressed.

The great majority of the foreign workers were earmarked for farms and were parceled out among German landowners just as though they were slaves. In industry as a whole only 20 per cent are foreigners and many of these are French specialists.

But despite these millions of foreigners, the Nazis still lack possibly 300,000 in armament industries, 300,000 in agriculture, 150,000 for transportation, and 30,000 miners.

Although the Germans had counted heavily on the Russians, they have not been able to get much work out of them, principally because of the extraordinary number of deaths among Russian prisoners and the fact that the percentage of skilled workers among the Russians is low.

A confidential source said that of the first 4,000 (33) Russians captured by the Germans only 1,500,000 survived the rigors of German prison camps.

There is no Red Cross convention between Germany and Russia, consequently no neutral power looks after the interests of Russian prisoners.

The deaths among them during the first year of the war in the east reached a high of 15,000 daily, dropped to about 6,000 daily a year ago and now is said to have declined into the hundreds.

The scattering of Russian work-

ers in twos and threes to work on farms and in homes created one of the worst headaches for the Germans.

The following story may not be true, but it had wide circulation as a Baden-Baden household as a servant.

Some weeks later the sister of the mistress of the house was bombed out in Berlin and came to stay as a refugee.

A few days later the mistress went into the kitchen and found the girl leaning on the table and sobbing. Before her was a large butter knife.

Asked what had happened, the girl said "I've just been looking at this knife. I've gotten so fond of your sister that it almost breaks my heart to think I've got to use it to cut her throat when the signal comes to rise up against the Germans."

The German press first gave wide publicity and then hushed up the story of how three Russians on a farm went amuck and killed six members of one family. They took to the bush and it was several hours before they were caught.

In private conversations Germans frequently express fears of the possibility of a simultaneous uprising from such prisoners all over the country.

BUY BONDS Ship Torpedoed, But All Hands Are Safe

BOSTON, March 1.—(AP)—A medium-sized United States merchantman was torpedoed and sunk early this year in the Arabian sea, but all hands escaped, survivors reported upon arrival at Boston.

First Officer Frank L. Sprague Jr., of Wuney, Mass., 23-year-old graduate of the Massachusetts nautical training school, asserted that the winners maintained steady fire from every gun that could be brought to bear on an enemy periscope until it submerged.

Sprague said that Arnold Ferrandini of South Boston, a member of his crew, was in the crow's nest when a torpedo blasted the ship. Ferrandini descended to the deck, the first officer said, and voluntarily passed ammunition to a gun crew being among the last to leave the ship when it sank.

The first torpedo put the vessel down by the head, Sprague said, and soon she was awash several feet amidships. Soon after the ship was abandoned, an under-water missile struck and blasted the vessel in two.

After the ship sank, he added, a violent under-water explosion occurred when he could not explain.

All members of the crew, of whom only few were slightly injured, were picked up from boats a short time after the sinking by a United Nations tanker.

BUY BONDS Hospital Building At Galveston Is Safe

AUSTIN, March 1.—(AP)—The old main hospital building at the university of Texas medical branch Galveston, withstood storm damage of last July to such extent that its structure is amply safe for the purpose designed and the activities now housed in it.

This was the conclusion of two university architects, R. L. White and W. W. Dornberger, who last week completed an inspection of the plant facilities at the medical branch.

Their report said in part: "Under normal use and with the exercise of reasonable precautions the building should stand for many years to come. In its present protected position with modern structures acting as a windbreak it could possibly withstand several other similar blows."

"It is hoped, however, that conditions will soon be such as to permit the erection of the modern structure to take its place, such as was contemplated by the Sealy and Smith foundation as early as 1928."

BUY BONDS Private Firm to Pay Customs Inspectors

EL PASO, March 1.—(AP)—A private company will pay the salaries of United States customs inspectors working Sundays on the two international bridges linking this city and Juarez, Mexico, so the thousands of El Pasoans and visitors can continue their weekly visits to the Mexican border region.

J. F. Hudson, superintendent of El Paso City Lines, Inc., which owns the two international bridges said the plan, whereby his company will pay "double-time" wages to the inspectors, was put into effect in order to keep the bridges open on Sundays.

Recently the supreme court held that customs inspectors were entitled to "double-time" rate of pay on Sundays and the U. S. treasury department has ruled that if the inspectors work Sundays their wages will have to be paid by importers, Hudson said.

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The Kids From Home

They may be fighting men in the world at large but every mother and father in Gray county with a boy in khaki knows that those men out there on a battle field crouching in a foxhole, or standing watch on a pitching destroyer in mid-ocean are the same warm-hearted, happy kids who only yesterday were playing marbles in the backyard, or scooting around town in a painted old flivver.

You saw them here in the other day, delivering papers, working after school at the filling station, mowing the front lawn under protest, building a shack in the "want" lot.

How many times recently we've heard some dad say "I wish I could be right with that boy of mine to cheer him up." "I wish I could get him home." And if there's been a tight feeling in your throat, dad, it's only natural.

But, even when you can't go out with that lad yourself, rest assured there's a fellow along with your boy's outfit to buck him up when he's down-hearted, to take any message he wants sent along home, or to just talk. That fellow is the Red Cross field director, sent along with your boy by the American people.

That's why it's important right now for all of us in Pampa and Gray county to do our part in the American Red Cross War Fund. Let's keep the Red Cross at his side!

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Hazards of Social Security

In recent years we have heard how "Social Security" will eliminate the hazards of life. In the Wagner-Murray-Diess bill, now pending in Congress the proponents claim is the ultimate in removal of all hazards from the cradle to the grave.

Our founding fathers realized that the nation as a whole would make little progress unless the government respected the rights of the minority. The following, written by John Ballantine Gough on "What is a Minority?" has just come to my desk.

"What is a minority? The chosen heroes of this earth have been in a minority. There is not a social, political, or religious privilege that you enjoy today that was not bought by the blood of the minority."

But does the Wagner Bill assure these ideals? The answer is "No" when all its unfavorable features are studied. In the first place, the "Social Security" bill, as proposed is very expensive and becomes another part of the already high cost of living.

On the degree that we re-dedicate our energies to restoring the rights of the minorities and realize that the majority, even though it represents 99.9 per cent of the people, has no right to the rights of the minority. We can have a mighty little progress so long as we maintain our "majorities" complex. No country nor people ever prospered by the blood of the human initiative—the rights of the individual.

men in Washington. The New Deal insists on sharing the shortages instead of increasing production. This is a foreign doctrine and a deadly one to any system of private enterprise. It must be wiped out if our American economic system is to survive.

FARMERS COME FIRST

(Charleston, S. C. News-Sentinel)

For breakfast this morning we eat an egg, two slivers of bacon, had toast with a little butter, had milk to put in coffee, and then we read in the newspaper that a member of our general assembly has introduced a bill to give retirement pay by the taxpayers. Our conclusion, the taste of the eggs, toast and so forth lingering, was and is that if anybody in South Carolina is to be given retirement pay by the taxpayers, he should be the farmer.

The farmer should come ahead of all other civilians when pensions are paid. He is more useful to us than any of the officeholders. Because he produces the food that feeds us, and he has no other source of income, he should be given retirement pay by the taxpayers. Our conclusion, the taste of the eggs, toast and so forth lingering, was and is that if anybody in South Carolina is to be given retirement pay by the taxpayers, he should be the farmer.

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The Nation's Press

"UNCLE SAMP" (Fort Wayne News-Sentinel)

While we're throwing away money in South America, it might be well to recall how popular that practice made us with foreign countries during the first World War. They called us "Uncle SAMP" for trying to collect the debts, and called us "Uncle SAMP" when we couldn't.

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RECRUITS FROM INDUSTRY

(The Chicago Tribune)

Donald Nelson, chairman of the war production board, asked the paper industry the other day to "let us have some of your best men" to help WPB solve its war problems. It would appear from his plea that there must be at least a grain of truth in recent rumors from Washington that some of the business men in WPB are anxious to get out of Washington.

If the paper industry furnishes the men they should be of a stronger type than Washington has come to expect. No good purpose will be served by supplying business men of the caliber of Harold Boeschenski, head of WPB's forest products bureau, or even Nelson himself.

The industries who are producing for war and which must soon begin that kind of spokes don't need

Common Ground

By R. C. ROILES "I speak the pass-word, I give the sign of democracy, by God I will accept nothing which is not based on the same terms." —WALT WHITMAN.

taxing bargain-givers.

It seems almost too absurd to be a reality that our laws are simply taxing, fining as it were, our greatest bargain-givers. They do this by putting a graduated tax on the man who is able to give the customers the biggest bargains and thus is enabled to make the greatest profits.

It is no wonder we have had so much unemployment as the effects of this policy got into operation. It started in a small way thirty years ago. It is no wonder that we have not been able to produce enough for fifteen long years to pay our government costs of operation.

The only thing that has delayed the day of reckoning for so long has been the fact that before we adopted this form of robbery, this form of corruption, we had become so big and strong and had accumulated so much wealth that it takes a long time to destroy such a huge and virile force.

Nothing could be more absurd than the policy of fining a man for giving bargains, and for increasing the real wages of all the consumers and thus all the workers and for making us strong against our enemies. It is just as practical as it would be to put a progressive fine on our soldiers for the number of Japs or Germans they kill.

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Peter Edson's Column:

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By PETER EDSON The Pampa News Washington Correspondent

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Around Hollywood

By ERSKINE JOHNSON

George Sanders—his movievoman's No. 1 amateur inventor. Among other things, he's invented hand skis with wheels and a new way of dialing which works on the push button method.

Groucho Marx—Groucho was sitting in a booth at the Mocambo the other night when a well-dressed man rushed up to his table, nervously fumbled beneath his eyes, then added triumphantly "Sorry, I forgot my gun—fashioning, you know."

Ida Lupino—Ida treasures this rare bit of philosophy, written by her father, the late Stanley Lupino. "Family life is divided into two great phases—the first is occupied by the children of your dreams, the second by the dreams of your children."

Prop Man Ken Walton—Ken is the possessor of Hollywood's most revered Bible. The Bible has been used to marry 49 movie couples in its 22 years in pictures. Made its film debut in Mary Pickford's hands. She read from it in the moonlight to soothe fears of 14 children escaping with her from the orphan asylum in "Sparrows."

Buddy Longworth—Buddy is one of Hollywood's veteran still photographers. In his spare time he does a photography club called "Hocus-Focus."

Henri de Soto—Once maitre d' at the finest hotel in Beverly Hills, Henri, now an actor, specializing in maitre d's on the screen. "It's wonderful," he says, "I don't have to listen to complaints from the guests."

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SIDE GLANCES



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News Behind The News

By RAY TUCKER

MYSTIFIED—The fifty-odd Senators who heard Alben W. Barkley's behind-the-scenes story of his taxonomic struggles with F. D. R. doubt whether the old friendship and trust can be re-established, despite the aftermath exchange of conciliatory letters. The Kentuckian gave a far more graphic account at the Democratic conference which re-elected him Majority Leader than he did on the floor.

He revealed that he "had pleaded with Mr. Roosevelt for more than an hour and a half not to veto the Revenue Bill," and had used every bit of eloquence he could muster to get the President to sign the bill. He reported to the President that he had been "sobered up" by the Chief Executive's message to Mr. Barkley.

In view of the Blue Grass statesman's recital, he and his colleagues on both sides of the aisle are mystified to find that the President's Executive message to Mr. Barkley: "When on last Monday I read your portions of my tax message and you indicated your disagreement, I made certain changes as a result. You did not, however, try to alter my message. In fact, it was very strongly I felt about it. While I did not realize how strongly you felt about that basic decision, had I known it should not have tried to dissuade you from exercising your own judgment in overriding my veto."

PROBLEMS—Although associates under the great dome do not minimize Mr. Barkley's courageous and independent spirit, they suspect that several personal factors lay behind the violence of his attack on the White House and F. D. R.'s non-congressional advisers.

FACTION—From the standpoint of F. D. R.'s political fortunes and the country's welfare, his friends regret that he no longer has any liaison with the legislative body.

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MAYBE IT'S HERE:

Leaves From The Editor's Notebook

In an interesting and thoughtful letter from the front, published here yesterday, a young soldier begs us as newspaper people, please try to force our people to think. That's your great responsibility to the community and to the nation.

What he wants is all to think about is the necessity of nations working together, after the war as well as in it. If we don't believe, we shall repeat the tragic blunder of 1919 and our souls will be eaten out with the frustrating sense of having fought a second war without a purpose.

He's right about wanting us to think, but wrong about asking anyone to "force people to think." Forced thinking, like forced labor of any kind, would be unsatisfactory. One thing a democracy should not do is to try to force any man, woman or child to think in any direction counter to his will or belief. Persuasion is another matter.

It is the duty of every newspaper to stimulate its readers to think. To lay down facts before them, ask pointed questions occasionally, and thus encourage them to think for themselves. Do they want a world of bickering, of war preparation in secret places in the end? Or do they want a world of live-and-let-live, of team work, of brotherhood?

If Americans will think for themselves about these things, we shall have a good world, a good America, and a lasting peace.

A man we know is annoyed by Greer Garson. Not her personality nor her acting; his family would rise up if he objected to either. He merely dislikes her name. "How on earth," he explodes, "can any sane man know whether somebody named Greer is a man or a woman? Such names are impossible! They should be forbidden by law."

A good many people can feel for it. It exalts to receive the letter signed "Leslie Jones," and reply to "Dear Mr. Jones," only to learn that Leslie is a woman and thinks you should have known that. Why you should, is something else again. Emily Post would require the writer to add "Miss" or "Mrs." in parenthesis before the signature, but the man is right, and there ought to be a law.

A soldier at the front recently wrote his nine-year-old son that he was not too little to be the man of the house until Dad returned. He expected the lad to do household chores as he would do, which the boy proudly does. He mows the lawn, carries coal and takes care of his mother and small sister very well.

Many boys are doing their Dad's work like this one. Many girls are helping too. It's the finest thing in the world to develop a sense of responsibility along with the skills which never do anyone harm to learn.

Boy and girl scouts have an advantage in taking to small needed jobs easily and handily. They are already in the way of learning how to do things, and they have the right attitude toward them as parts of the nation's work. But plenty of other growing young people are also doing all they can at home as well as at school to aid the war effort.

They do homework or read or play evenings at home till early bedtime through the week, because they have learned that it takes lots of sleep to keep fit for learning and working. The week end movie they see is an early one. Church and Sunday school are good, too, and leave lots of pleasant Sunday time.

The Substitute Dads are growing up to be splendid people. Their real Dads will be very proud of them when they come home.

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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 enclose 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 creates other important operations—probably in the near future.

General MacArthur has brought home another handsome victory in the capture of the strategic airport of Momoite in the Admiralty Islands, on the northern border of the Bismarck archipelago. The general watched the preliminary bombardment of a second warship, and then followed his troops ashore, dispersing 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 also speeds 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 path to free the Philippines, pointed out significantly in the opening sentence of his communique that the A-19 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 A-19 islands are being pushed 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. The assumption is that the Allies now will intensify their drive on New Britain.

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OFFICE CAT

A farmer was walking down a lane when suddenly a soldier came running up to him panting for breath, and finally gasping, "I'm chasing the blamed animal, do you want to see it?"

Farmer—Which way did he go? Soldier—You don't think I'm chasing the blamed animal, do you?

Mr. Newby—Isn't the steak ready yet, darling? Mrs. Newby—I'm sorry taking so long, dear, but it looked terrible broiled and it doesn't look much better fried, so, if you will be patient and tangle longer, I'll see what hot dogs do to it.

Marion Vanlandingham Becomes Bride Of Eugene Smirl in Corpus Christi

Miss Marion Vanlandingham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Vanlandingham of LeFors became the bride of Eugene Smirl, P. O. 3-c in a ceremony read Feb. 29, at 9 p. m.

The ceremony was held at the First Presbyterian church parsonage, Corpus Christi. George West Diehl, D. D. read the ceremony.

Attending the couple was Miss Dorothy Smith as bride's maid who wore a light blue street-length dress with black accessories and a corsage of white carnations. Richard W. Thompson served as best man.

The bride, given in marriage by Ira S. Smith, wore a white wool street length dress, black patent ac-

cessories and a corsage of pink carnations. Mrs. Vanlandingham, mother of the bride, attended the ceremony. She wore a navy blue dress and black accessories.

Following the ceremony which was attended by members of the squadron of which the bridegroom was a member, a wedding party was held.

The bride has been employed at Central Steel company at Okla., before her marriage. She graduated from LeFors High school in 1942 and attended Draughton's Business college in Oklahoma City.

The bridegroom is now stationed at Rodd Field, Corpus Christi and the couple will be at home at 717 Naples Ave., Corpus Christi.

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Banquet Honors Methodist Choir

Choir members of the First Methodist church and their guests will be honored tonight with a banquet to be given at 7:30 in the Fellowship hall of the church.

The Rev. E. B. Bowen, minister of the church said: "We are proud of our fine choir and we take this means of expressing our appreciation to the members for their splendid work."

Director of the choir is Mrs. Claude Gailman and Mrs. John Skelley is organist.

A. M. Teed will open the program with a short talk directed to choir members. Entertainment has also been arranged with Mary Jane Evans, Jack Dunham, Barbara Johnson and John Robert Lane taking part.

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Mrs. Floyd Mathis Is Hostess To Club

LeFors Junior Art and Civic club met in the home of Mrs. Floyd Mathis last week when Mrs. R. J. Jordan was leader of the program for the evening.

Mrs. R. B. Brown spoke on "Our War Industries of Texas" followed by a roundtable discussion on "Our Men in Uniform," opened by Mrs. Elvis Mathis.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Jack Vaughn, Mrs. Bob Dougherty, Mrs. Jack Mann, Mrs. Max Brown, Mrs. R. B. Brown, Mrs. R. L. Jordan, Mrs. L. R. Spencer, Mrs. Venus Colun, Mrs. Elvis Mathis, Mrs. Bud Cumberland, Mrs. Ray Carruth and the hostess.

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Chicago Speaker Featured Tonight At Local Church

Dr. Ellis M. Studebaker, noted educator of the Church of the Brethren, will be in Pampa while enroute from the Pacific coast, and will speak at the local church tonight at 8 o'clock.

Rev. Studebaker is a former president of LaVerne college in California and is now general manager of Bethany hospital in Chicago.

During the evening he will present two sound motion pictures, "The Registered Nurse" and "The White Battalion." Since the speaker was at one time affiliated with McPherson college in Kas., he will be able to greet a number of friends in Pampa.

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Lutherans Continue Lenten Services

The second midweek Lenten service in a series of six will be observed at Zion Lutheran church this evening at 8:00 p. m. These services are held in the Duenkel-Carmichael chapel, 300 W. Browning.

Rev. Henry G. Wolter, pastor of the church will have as the topic "Man Objects to Christ's Loveliness" using the Mark 14, 26-31 as a guide.

"Lent is a time of quiet and devotion, when the soul longs to commune with God and to dwell upon His passion. During these days come often to your Father's house and meditate upon His love to you!" said Rev. Wolter.

Officers' wives club will meet at 1:30 p. m. at the officer's club for luncheon and bridge.

Council of Clubs will meet at 10 a. m. in the city club rooms.

Rebekah lodge will meet at 7:30. Whimsical class of First Baptist church will meet at 2:30.

La Ron sorority will meet. Parent-Teacher City Council and study group will meet.

J. W. G. club will meet with Mrs. Georgie Brandt, 206 N. Ward at 2 o'clock.

Entire Noun club will meet at 2:30 in the C. A. Turner home, 1236 Christine.

Order of Eastern Star will meet at 8 o'clock for initiatory work and a social meeting.

Circles 1 and 2 of First Baptist W. M. S. will meet at the church.

Entire Noun will meet. Victory H. D. will meet.

Zion Lutheran Ladies Aid will meet at 2 o'clock for business session in the home of Mrs. W. T. Kus, 911 E. Browning.

Central Baptist W.M.U. will observe a week of prayer beginning with a general meeting at the church at 12:30.

Upsilon chapter of Beta Sigma Phi sorority will meet in the home of Mrs. Sam Lamb with Mrs. L. A. Noll Scheibgen as hostesses.

Royal Neighbors will meet. W.M.U. of the Central Baptist church will meet at 2:30.

Anna Salter circle of the Central Baptist W.M.U. will meet at 2:30 with Mrs. A. H. McPeak, west of city.

Young Technicians Join U. S. Forces

RELFAST, March 1—(AP)—U. S. technicians 22 years old or younger employed by the Lockheed Overseas Corp. in Northern Ireland have been ordered to return home to report to their draft boards as a result of President Roosevelt's order for a review of occupational deferments.

Some are enlisting in American forces in the United Kingdom.

Pentagon Building Cost Twice Estimate

WASHINGTON, March 1—(AP)—Rep. Engel (R-Mich.), the "one man congressional investigation" estimated today that the Pentagon building had cost \$86,000,000, considerably more than twice the amount ascribed by congress.

In a report prepared for submission to the house, he said that congress authorized an expenditure of only \$35,000,000 for the giant structure occupied by the war department.

The additional \$51,000,000 Engel declared, was obtained without congressional sanction from other funds available to government agencies.

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Recent Bride Is Honored in Miami

MIAMI, March 1—Mrs. David Basham, the former Miss Audrey Mae Lyons, daughter of Mr. Ollis Lyons, was honored at a miscellaneous shower given recently in the home of Mrs. Dave Keehn. Assistant hostess were Mrs. Hall Nelson, and Misses Florence Keehn and Mae Nelson.

Special music was rendered by Misses Eleanor Carruth and Florence Keehn.

Coffee and cake were served to a large number of guests.

Shower Given To Honor Mrs. Scott

Mrs. Clifford Scott was the honoree at a pink and blue shower last week in the home of Mrs. Clifton Horton with Mrs. Noble Hall as co-hostess. Games were played and refreshments of coffee or cocoa with sandwiches and cookies were served to.

Mrs. Burl Lewter, Mrs. Roy Horton, Mrs. LeRoy White, Mrs. Juanita Bates, Mrs. Jack Robertson, Mrs. G. M. Fletcher, Mrs. W. A. Carter, Mrs. R. A. Parrish, Mrs. H. H. Parker, Mrs. C. E. Bond, Mrs. L. O. Atchley, Mrs. C. R. Spence and Mrs. J. O. Morehead.

Gifts were sent by Mrs. Jess Morris, Mrs. H. H. Keahy, Miss Eva Morehead, Mrs. Evie Evans, Miss Evelyn Morehead, Mrs. Clyde Blackburn and Mrs. Lloyd Maxwell.

The Home Nurse

By MARY BEARD
Written for NEA Service

Have you noticed that the question usually uppermost in the mind of one who has been ill in a hospital is, "When can I go home?"

Even though a person has had the best of hospital care, there nearly always comes a time when he will make much better progress in the home nest, provided conditions are such that his basic needs for rest, nourishment and care can be met.

Because the interests and activities of the convalescent are limited, he needs the security of familiar surroundings and the affectionate concern of those he loves to bolster his courage and make him feel he still has a place to fill in family life.

It is equally as important to recovery to encourage a normal mental attitude as it is to give good physical care—but it is sometimes the difficult part.

After a severe illness the vitality is low and all body processes are somewhat depressed. The muscles are weak and any exertion is tiring. The nervous system may be disturbed, the emotions difficult to control, and the patient likely to be irritable and exacting.

These problems must be handled by the home nurse with patience, tact and consideration.

KEEP ON LIGHT DIET

Nourishing food is imperative to complete recovery, but the convalescent's appetite is not to be relied upon as a feeding guide. It may have to be either encouraged or restrained. Light diet is usually advised until he becomes normally active, because the powers of digestion and elimination are likely to be sluggish until he gets more exercise.

Both mental and physical exertion should be increased by slow degrees. A regular schedule alternating sleep, rest, diversion and activity is advisable in order to prevent overdoing.

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Presbyterians To Have Circle Meet At Church Thursday

Circle Four of the Women's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian church will reside at the meeting, Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in the West room of the church.

Miss Clarine Branom, chairman will preside at the meeting. Miss Edie Wilson will present the devotional, "Hagar" from the book "Glimpses of Grace." Mrs. Robert Bohlen will discuss "Islam, The Moslem Faith" from the book, "Living Religions of the World."

Mrs. James McCune will be hostess for the evening.

Athenaeum Club Meets in Shamrock

SHAMROCK, March 1—Mrs. William F. Holmes was hostess to the Athenaeum club Friday afternoon.

The program was "Music" and responses to roll call were "Favorite Musical Selections."

The following program was given: "This Haunting Business," by Mrs. J. H. Caperton, with vocal numbers by guest artists Mrs. Walter Pendleton, Jr. and Mrs. Lyle Holmes.

"The Truth About Silly War Songs," Mrs. O. T. Nicholson and "Enthusiastic Amateur," Mrs. J. B. Clark.

Following the program refreshments were served. Guests present were: Mrs. Lyle Holmes, Walter Pendleton, Jr., Sol Blonstein, Oliver Gooch, Al Ryan, Joe Ganner, J. B. Christner and Finfred Lewis.

Members present were: Meses Temple Atkins, J. B. Clark, E. K. Caperton, J. H. Caperton, Frank DuBose, Louis Hill, B. F. Holmes, B. Kersh, O. T. Nicholson, Hubert Tindall and J. M. Tindall.

Friendship Class Schedules Party

Group one of the Friendship class of the First Methodist church will be hostess for a party Thursday in the home of Mrs. L. A. Barber, 901 E. Francis. All members, associate members and teachers are invited to be present.

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Apply at
The Cabot Companies
 Office
 212 N. Ballard St. Pampa, Tex.

or
 U. S. Employment Service
 206 N. Russell

Permits in essential industries will not be considered.

WANTED
 CONSTRUCTION LABORERS
 70c per hour
 Time and one-half for all hours over 40
 APPLY
MANHATTAN-WALCO
 CONTRACTORS
 RUBBER PLANT
 BORGER, TEXAS

9 - Male, Female Help Wanted
 McCarty's Cafeteria needs dishwashers, bus girls and janitors. Apply in person to Manager of Cafeteria. No phone calls.

BUSINESS SERVICE

13 - Business Opportunity
 Best leather shop in the Panhandle for sale. M. P. Downs, Phone 1264.

14 - Turkish Bath, Swedish Massage
 WATER THIS space for opening date on Lucille's Bath House, 705 W. Foster.

15 - Beauty Parlor Service

WANTED Beautician at Ideal Beauty Shop, 108 S. Cuyler, Ph. 1818.
 Full supply of cosmetics before the tax goes on. We have Belton, Pearl Desmond, Contours, Revlon, Lipson, and other brands. The Orhid Beauty Salon, Ph. 654.

Visit the lovely newly decorated Patricia Beauty Shop. Completely relax in comfort while expert operators give you a permanent shampoo and manicure. Phone 245.
 IT IS high time to get your Easter permanent. Let us give you a cold wave, they are lasting. The Imperial Beauty Shop, 326 S. Taylor.

EASTER time means a new and beautiful dress-up season. Begin with the hair. Let us give you a new permanent. Ideal Beauty Shop, Phone 768.

17 - Situation Wanted
 FOR ANY kind of farm or tractor work call Jess Hatcher, Phone 2066-W.

18 - Plumbing & Heating
 AIR-CONDITIONING time is here. Let us check your home and office, before the high heat. Des Moore, Ph. 102.

20 - Painting, Paperhanging
 PAINTING, Spray or Brush. Have portable equipment. Will go anywhere, ranch work. Ph. 43. H. C. Simmons, White Deer, Texas.

21 - Floor Sanding
 MOORE'S Floor Sanding and finishing. We do local and out of town work. 427 N. Yeager, Phone 62.

22 - Radio Service
 RADIOS for sale - We can repair your electrical appliances and save you money. Radio Radio Shop, 904-906 W. Brown.

29 - Cleaning & Pressing
 VICTORY Cleaners have two places to serve you, the Liberty Bus Station, downtown Pampa, and the plant at 2250 Alcock, Ph. 728.

31 - Dressmaking
 MACHINE made button holes 3c and up. Telephone 1824, 418 North Front.

31-a - Tailor Shop
 PAUL Hawthorne has had years of experience in tailoring. We do repair work and alterations in civilian and service clothing. 208 N. Cuyler, Ph. 920.

34 - Mattresses
 WHY not have a better mattress of your old one? We have plenty of White Staple Cotton or see some new ones we have in stock. Mattress Makers Co., 817 W. Foster, Ph. 633.

35 - Musical Instruments
 FOR SALE - Several nice radios, also Pianos for rent - Tarpley Music Store.

36 - Nursery
 GAN BOARD two children. Barley cared for. Excellent. Inquire 1459 or 409 W. Foster, 115 S. Gilliland, phone 674-W.

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44 - Feeds

Pampa Feed Store has plenty of Seed Oats at \$1.10 per bushel. Also ground ear corn and ground oats. Call 1677.

Seed barley, oats, sudan, cone and milo. Also milo chops and ground wheat. Merit feeds. E. F. Tubbs Grain Co., Kingsmill, WE HAVE about 10,000 good cone bundles for sale on our ranch at Hoover, Tex. at 6c per bundle when purchasing 5000 or more in less quantities, 7c per bundle. Fred Hobart.

5000 Started Chicks
 5 weeks old and less. All blood tested from high corn producing flocks. Gray county Hatchery and Feed Co., Ph. 1161.

Buy your chicks now at Wards! All varieties. Every chick from U. S. Approved flock and hatchery. Bred-up stock, 90% livability warranty. Place your order now at Montgomery Ward, 217 North Cuyler.

BARY Chicks all popular breeds, Munson's blood tested, Pure Red Book now and available immediately. Harvester Feed Co., 208 N. Cuyler.

47 - Eggs, Supplies
 FOR SALE - New electric brooder, 500 chick size - White rock and buff hens. 119 S. Starvation, Ph. 888.

49 - Plants and Seed
 GARDEN hose is now available along with the first collection of Vigoro. The garden seeds you are going to need for your Victory gardens are at Thompson Hardware, Phone 43.

51 - Good Things to Eat
 NEEL'S Grocery and Market at 328 S. Cuyler has the biggest little store in town. Fresh fruits, meats and staples. Come in.

NICE FRESH oranges, grapefruit, coconuts and red coconuts. Fresh eggs all the time. Quick Service Market, Ph. 2261.

Day's Market has plenty of fresh fruits and vegetables also a full line of staple table supplies. Fresh eggs, cured meats etc. 414 S. Cuyler.

FOR SALE - Sweet milk, 40c gallon, 21c per quart. Lefors Highway, Mrs. Arnie Saylor.

QUICK SERVICE Market across from Jones-Everette on S. Hobart - just two blocks from the center of town. We carry a complete line of fresh fruits and vegetables from the valley. Good fresh eggs. Call 2627.

52 - Bicycles
 FOR SALE - Practically new bicycle. Puncture proof tubes and new tires. Inquire at 402 N. Front.

56 - Wearing Apparel
 FOR SALE - Three dresses size 14, 36, 38, Jersey dress size 16. Arch support shoes size 7. Pillow cases, tea towels and a crocheted bed spread priced \$29.

66 - Dirt Hauling
 RIDER Motor Co. for cement sand, gravel and driveway materials. Local Handing Tractor for hire. Phone 760.

73 - Wanted to Buy
 We pay 5c per pound for good clean cotton rags. No overalls, khakis or socks accepted. Pampa News Commercial Dept.

74 - Wanted to Rent
 PERMANENT, furnished office needs furnished apartment or house. Before you will choose Adams, Henry J. Jones, 321 N. Cuyler.

FOR RENT - Bedroom for couple and board for self. Close in. Ph. 1900. Mrs. L. E. Martin.

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FOR SALE - REAL ESTATE

82 - City Property for Sale
 JOHN HAGGARD HAS FOR SALE - Four room brick home on N. Cuyler. Five room brick home on N. Sumner. Six room house on Garrison Highway. Four room house on S. Sumner. Call 609 or 1st National Bank Bldg.

For Sale - 6 room house, 2 baths, immediate possession. F. H. A. loan. 1334 Charles St. Ph. 2418 for appointment.

Call 2372 - C. H. Mundy
 6 room house, 2 floor furnace, nice shrubbery, double garage, modern apartment in rear on East Francis, priced for immediate sale. Large 5 room house on Christine St. reduced price for immediate sale. Modern 5 room house, garage on Mary Ellen. Six room duplex on Short St. with 2 room basement, double bath, double garage. Priced for immediate sale. Many other properties to suit you. List with me for quick sale.

FOR SALE by owner - Five room house with closed in back porch. Double garage for quick sale. M. P. Downs, Ph. 1264.

This lovely large five room furnished home will be sold at once. Will take good car or down payment. Immediate possession. M. P. Downs, Ph. 1264.

Live in your brick home
 and let the rental from income property pay for it, \$145 per month income, \$7000 cash. See Grand Old 241 South Cuyler.

If it's real estate or city property, don't fail to see Stone and Thomsson before you buy. Call 1766.

FOR SALE - Three room stucco house with closed in back porch. Double garage. South of Pampa, also 37 Chevrolet coupe, good condition. Apply 940 S. Barnes, Phone 1954.

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GOLF STAR IN AIR FORCE



Tyrell Garth of Beaumont, a veteran golfer at 18, has stored away his clubs to train as a navigator and bombardier at Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls, and expects soon to enter pre-flight. At 13 he was rated the best golfer under 16 in the United States.

Quintets Arrive In Austin Ready For State Finals

AUSTIN, March 1.—(AP)—Stratford and Dimmitt teams led schoolboy basketball teams arriving today for the state championship tournament beginning Thursday.

Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR. NEW YORK, March 1.—(AP)—Latest Dodger rumor is that two wealthy manufacturers of radio and communications equipment...

Texas Boxers Win Seven Out Of Eight Bouts

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...

Iron-Fisted Gene

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Strikes To Spare

Probably the easiest spare to make is the seven pin. This should be executed from the right corner, angling the ball across the width of the alley.

Death Takes Pioneer Sports Goods Dealer

PORT WORTH, March 1.—(AP)—A. Anderson, 88, for 71 years a Port Worth hardware and sporting goods dealer, died last night in a hospital after a two-years' illness.

50 Collegiate Tars End Work at Austin

AUSTIN, March 1.—(AP)—Fifty Navy V-12 students, including several athletes who have completed their training at the University of Texas are heading for reserve midshipmen's schools.

Frogs To Play Both Baseball And Track, If Manpower on Hand

PORT 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 Ducey Meyer says.

Death Takes First Rodeo Participant

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

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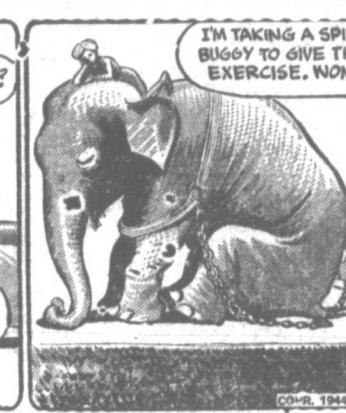
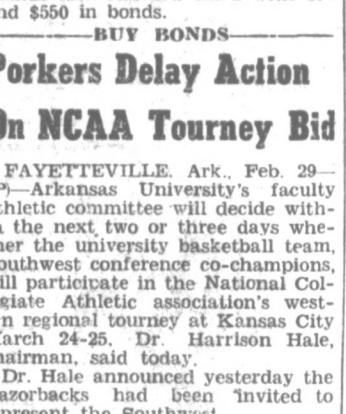
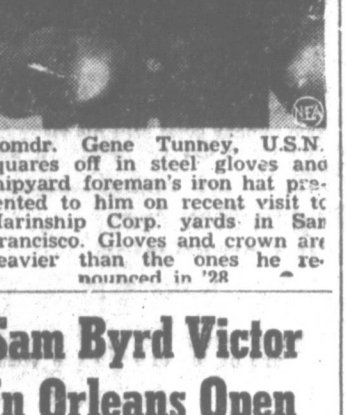
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Market Briefs

NEW YORK, Feb. 29—(AP)—The stock market today finished leaping February with a general downward shift led by steel and rail.

Public Service, Delaware & Hudson and Braniff Airways, Resistant also were Pepsi-Cola, Texas Co. and Electric Power & Light.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST (By The Associated Press)
Am Airlines 48 1/2 48 1/2 64
Am T & T 11 7/8 11 7/8 7 1/2
Am Woolen 11 7/8 11 7/8 7 1/2
Anaconda 69 3/4 69 3/4 20 1/2
A. T. & S.F. 37 1/2 37 1/2 62 1/2
Aviation Corp 63 1/2 63 1/2 5 1/2
Beth Steel 34 29 29 29 29
Branniff 66 1/2 66 1/2 15 1/2
Chrysler 19 3/4 19 3/4 5 1/2
Cost Oil Del 11 3/4 11 3/4 3 1/2
Curtis Wright 9 1/2 9 1/2 5 1/2
Freight Sulph 6 3/4 6 3/4 32 1/2
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Goodrich 4 42 42 42 42
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Gulf Oil 37 1/2 37 1/2 45 1/2
Houston Oil 11 3/4 11 3/4 7 1/2
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Packard 4 3 4 3 4
Pan Am Air 2 3/4 2 3/4 32 1/2
Phillips Pet 13 1/2 13 1/2 45 1/2
Plym Oil 1 1/2 1 1/2 1 1/2
Radio 27 9 27 9 27
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Sears 9 86 86 86 86
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Ans. Look for all three qualities.

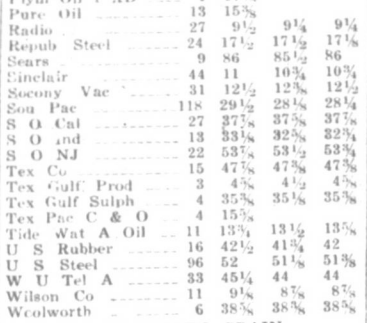
Let's All Help! LET'S GIVE WAR FUND



We CAN help—by supplying working materials and strengthening those untiring workers who provide aid and comfort wherever needed—through every penny you contribute to the Red Cross War Fund!

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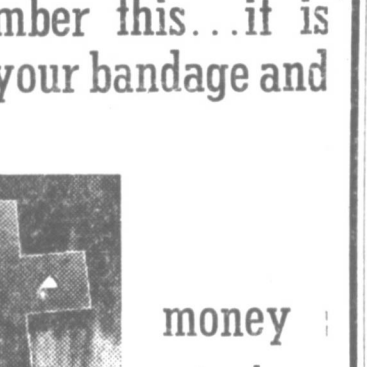
CHICAGO GRAIN TABLE

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CHICAGO, Feb. 29—(AP)—Wheat: No. 1 hard 1.71 1/2; No. 2 white 1.69 1/2; No. 2 yellow 1.67 1/2; No. 2 white 1.65 1/2; No. 2 yellow 1.63 1/2.

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When you say "Thank God for the Red Cross" remember this... it is your Red Cross—your bandage and your blood.



Yes, and your money too!

The Red Cross is still the Greatest Mother in the World.

American Finance Company 109 W. Kingsmill Phone 2492

THE RED CROSS IS AT HIS SIDE AND THE RED CROSS IS YOU

Check and double check—Yes, this year double your check to the Red Cross War Fund—the need for your support has more than doubled.

GIVE MORE IN '44 RED CROSS WAR FUND

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'You're Prisoner Of Reds,' Says Lewis; 'I'm Not,' Says Murray

WASHINGTON, March 1—(AP)—John L. Lewis asserts that Communists dominate the CIO and that Philip Murray, CIO president, is their "prisoner."

Violent Way Of Getting Cigaret

WASHINGTON, March 1—(AP)—First Sergeant Marvin J. Heine of Elm Mott, Texas, wasn't having much success in his efforts to "borrow" a cigaret, and he wanted one badly.

FDR Aide May Be Cited for Contempt

WASHINGTON, March 1—(AP)—A senate subcommittee has put off a decision on whether to institute contempt proceedings against Jonathan Daniels, administrative assistant to President Roosevelt, as a result of his refusal to answer questions concerning the rural electrification administration.

Doctor Warns Of Malaria Increase

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.

Logan Receives His Commission

George R. Logan, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Logan, 924 E. Francis, received his commission as a second lieutenant Saturday at Childers Field, one of the units of the West Texas bombardier quadrangle. Other units are at Midland, Big Spring and San Angelo.

Lawyer's Infant Had Mongolism

PITTSFIELD, Mass., March 1—(AP)—Dr. Richard M. Smith, director of pediatrics at Harvard medical school testified at the murder trial of John P. Nixon, Jr. 47, Tuesday that he had told the defendant and his wife that their six-month-old son had "Mongolism" and that "his mental development would be so slight as not to be easily recognizable."

U. S. Control Of Islands Backed

BAITIMORE, Mar. 1—(AP)—Senator Tydings (D-MD) believes the United States should accept the mandate of the Gilbert, Marshall and Marianas islands after the war.

Arrangements can be Made

To accommodate special dinner parties for families, clubs or social groups. Hillson Hotel Coffee Shop Now Operated by JEFF and ALLEN GUTHRIE

Here's How One Pampa Soldier Was Assisted

Here is a sample of how your local Red Cross chapter, as well as chapters all over the country assist the soldier.

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Your RED CROSS is at his side



You can't be with him... but you can help to keep your Red Cross always at his side. To help make sure that he gets the help he needs... give all you can to the 1944 RED CROSS WAR FUND... March 1st to 31st.

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The Red Cross Is Still The Greatest Mother In The World

The Red Cross is found in every corner of the world serving our fighting men... maybe your son or loved one... So give generously—

Give More in '44

More than 8,000,000 prisoner-of-war parcels have been shipped for distribution to American prisoners and civilian internees in enemy countries. To these and to thousands of other war victims, the Red Cross brings food, clothing, medicine. (Never has the need of so many been so great... give more in '44 to keep the Red Cross always at their side!)

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GREATEST TASK LIES AHEAD FOR RED CROSS

War Fund Drive Opens With Confidence That Americans Will Give Fullest Support

Confronted with responsibilities of unprecedented proportions, as the war enters its most crucial stage, and with a staggering task ahead in the post-war period, the American Red Cross tomorrow opens its 1944 War Fund appeal, confident that the American people will respond to the limit of their ability.

President Roosevelt, president of the American Red Cross, Norman H. Davis, chairman and active head of the vast organization, and Leon Fraser, national War Fund chairman, joined today in voicing their conviction that the national objective of \$200,000,000 will be reached because the people recognize the vital part Red Cross must play within the next twelve months.

Chairman Davis, in opening the campaign, which continues through March, said that with the decisive stage of the war at hand, the Red Cross must assume a greater burden than ever before, and at the same time must provide aid to servicemen being returned in ever-increasing numbers.

Reviewing accomplishments, he asserted that Red Cross operations over the entire world during 1943 had dwarfed its activities during the first two years of war. "Thousands of American men and women, he said, are now in Red Cross service with U. S. troops in 53 continental and insular areas. It was estimated here that more than three million American Red Cross volunteers will participate in the house-to-house canvass starting tomorrow.

"Every American will be given the opportunity to contribute to this cause which is so close to the hearts of the people," Chairman Davis said.

"The Red Cross spirit springs from human desire to alleviate suffering and pain in war and in times of great disaster.

"In this war we have carried that spirit from our own shores to every part of the globe where American men, and women, are serving the nation. The Red Cross is always at their side.

"Bringing that same spirit back from the battle fronts, the Red

Cross has inaugurated a new arm of protection—aid to the disabled serviceman in the interim period following his discharge from service and until he begins to receive government benefits."

Citing the overseas achievements of the American Red Cross, Davis revealed that field directors, hospital, club and recreation workers are with American armed forces in virtually every command.

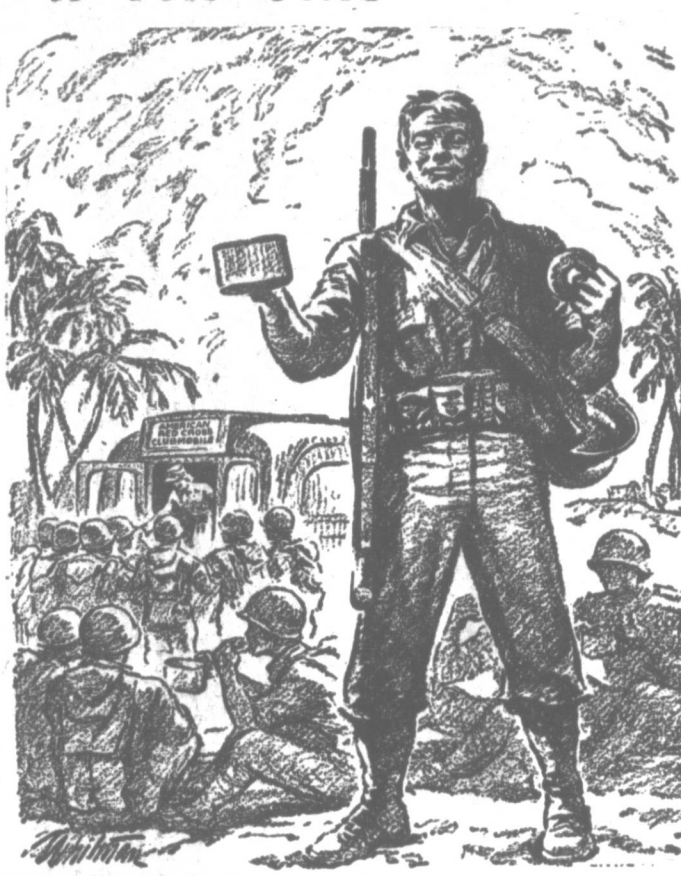
Both in Europe and in the Far East Red Cross workers have either gone with invasion forces into new combat areas, or have followed within a very limited period of time, he said.

On the home front, the Red Cross has broadened its service tremendously. Field directors are serving in every sizable military establishment and camp throughout the country, and recreation and social service workers are located in army and navy hospitals.

One of the most important wartime Red Cross functions has been the collection of human blood for plasma. Thirty-five blood donor stations are now operating and some five million pints of the vital fluid have been collected thus far.

Other achievements of the Red Cross are the training of 100,000 volunteer nurse's aides, who are now serving in both military and civilian hospitals, and the establishment of a smoothly functioning home service organization, which acts as a

At His Side



Six Million Gifts of Blood Plasma Are Donated For Injured American Soldiers

Liaison agency between men and women in military service and their families at home.

Numerous other Red Cross home operations, such as Prisoner of War packaging centers, where millions of parcels for war prisoners are prepared for shipment overseas, are supported by citizen participation in the Red Cross War Fund.

Six million life-gifts of blood have been collected thus far and some five million more will start their miraculous journey from the folks back home to the veins of injured American fighting men this year, through the largest single-controlled, undertaking in medical history, the American Red Cross Blood Donor Service.

From millions of home front workers in every walk of life these blood donations are flowing through the Red Cross to every battle front and to ships at sea.

Hailed by General Dwight D. Eisenhower as the "most important single advance in the surgical treatment of the wounded in this war," the use of plasma, processed from blood is given a fair share of the credit for reduction of the mortality rate to half that of World War I.

Liquid Part of Blood
Plasma is the liquid part of the blood in which the corpuscles float. At the laboratory, plasma is extracted by a centrifuging process, frozen and dehydrated into the powdered form in which it is shipped. Plasma, when mixed with distilled water, is ready for transfusion in a matter of minutes.

Cross-matching of blood types, as in direct transfusion, is unnecessary. The dramatic story of the Red Cross Blood Donor Service, through which thousands of soldiers and sailors literally have been brought back from the dead, began in February, 1941, when the surgeons general of the army and navy asked the Red Cross to procure 15,000 pints of blood. By the end of 1941, 50,000 pints had been collected.

From the moment of his attack on Pearl Harbor bringing the United States into the war, the need for plasma and serum albumin grew. The blood donor service expanded to keep pace with that growth. In 1942 1,250,000 pints of blood were collected for the army and navy. Last year, that figure was more than trebled. More than 4,000,000 donations were made through the Red Cross, and this year the goal is more than 5,000,000 pints.

New Centers Added
From one center in New York which collected 757 pints of blood during February, 1941, the blood donor service has grown to a nationwide project collecting approximately 100,000 pints each week. The addition of new blood donor centers early this year brings to 35 the number of centers in operation. Mobile units visit more than 800 nearby communities under the auspices of local Red Cross chapters.

Among the thousands who have voiced the importance of plasma are Lieutenant General Mark Clark whose Fifth Army fought a bloody path through Italy, Major General Alexander A. Vandegraft of the Marines, Major General Norman T. Kirk, surgeon general of the army, and Rear Admiral Ross T. McIntire, surgeon general of the navy.

—BUY BONDS—

Civilian Sugar Quota Is Cut

WASHINGTON, March 1—(AP)—Overall civilian allotments of sugar will be 6 per cent less this year than in 1943 but individual rations probably will not be reduced.

The war food administration has announced the general allotment reduction. From sources in the office of price administration however, it was learned that in order to avoid a household ration cut the expiration dates of sugar coupons will be eliminated to prevent "precipitous buying."

The civilian use reduction will apply to industrial users, said WFA with allowances amounting to 70 per cent, rather than 80 per cent of the amount used during the base period upon which allotments are figured.

—BUY BONDS—

Residents of Grand Rapids, Minn., are helping the city clear the site of a proposed new park and bathing beach.

Local Red Cross Adjusts Programs To Needs of War

The Pampa chapter is playing a growing part in services to the nation being performed by the American Red Cross. Joe Key, chairman of the chapter, said:

"The national organization's program of services to the armed forces and its activities at home have enabled local people to play a substantial role in the war effort," Mr. Key said. "This role must increase in importance, as ever-greater efforts will be necessary so long as the war lasts."

The outbreak of World War II imposed responsibilities on the Red Cross perhaps greater than those which have faced any civilian organization in world history. From the beginning of the war, the Red Cross with its years of experience in natural disaster and in previous wars, took the initiative in outlining its responsibilities in the event of hostile attack. Civilian defense organizations and the American Red Cross have worked together to provide an efficient over-all organization for the safety of the citizens of the United States.

To the needs of the armed forces—and to those evidenced on the home front too, the city of Pampa has responded with her men and women, and with the products of their labor," Mr. Key said. "Through the Red Cross, Gray county has given much in the interest of victory."

Federal Officer's Wife Kills Self

TULSA, Okla., Mar. 1—(AP)—Mrs. Preston Warren, 53, wife of a deputy U. S. marshal, shot herself to death in her home last night, Assistant County Attorney O. C. Lassiter said today.

Lassiter said Mrs. Warren left a note for her husband, saying that he was not responsible for her act and declaring that she was "sick, low and miserable."



Leon Fraser, national chairman of the 1944 American Red Cross War Fund Campaign

Pampa Red Cross Makes Contact For Man Now in Greece

Through neutral International Red Cross facilities local Red Cross Chapters are the principal Channel of communication between the people of the United States and friends, relatives and American Nationals in enemy and enemy-occupied countries today.

Just last week the Pampa Chapter received a message from Messina, Greece, through the International Red Cross of Geneva, Switzerland. This message was from the family of a man who formerly lived in Pampa, but who now resides in a town in Oklahoma.

After finding the address of this man the message was immediately sent to him. The chapter has since learned that the man was overwhelmed at hearing from his brother after four years and is sending a reply message immediately.

Millions of Homes To Display Red Cross Service Flag During March

Millions of homes throughout the United States will display the American Red Cross service flag in front windows again this year signifying participation in the 1944 Red Cross War Fund drive which gets under way tomorrow.

Early indications are that some three million men and women volunteers of the Red Cross will participate in the annual home-to-home canvass for the \$200,000,000 fund needed to carry forward the gigantic task of the Red Cross throughout the world.

These workers, representing the 3,756 chapters and 6,094 branches of the Red Cross, have spent weeks preparing for the 1944 Red Cross War Fund, the most important wartime campaign in the organization's history. Each volunteer will carry with him credentials indicating his official connection during the drive.

The familiar Red Cross lapel flag also will find its place on many canvasses this year. Scrap metal of no value for other purposes, was used in preparation of the flag. To the civilian it will have an added significance—for like the campaign bar worn by servicemen, it will mean participation in America's humanitarian war effort.

Red Cross officials said the canvass this year would be thorough and would extend from the major cities of the nation to every small community, no matter how isolated, and to every rural home.

"The Red Cross wishes to give every American, regardless of where he is located, the opportunity of contributing to the cause of humanity," Chairman Davis declared. "We do not need to tell Americans how important these contributions will be."

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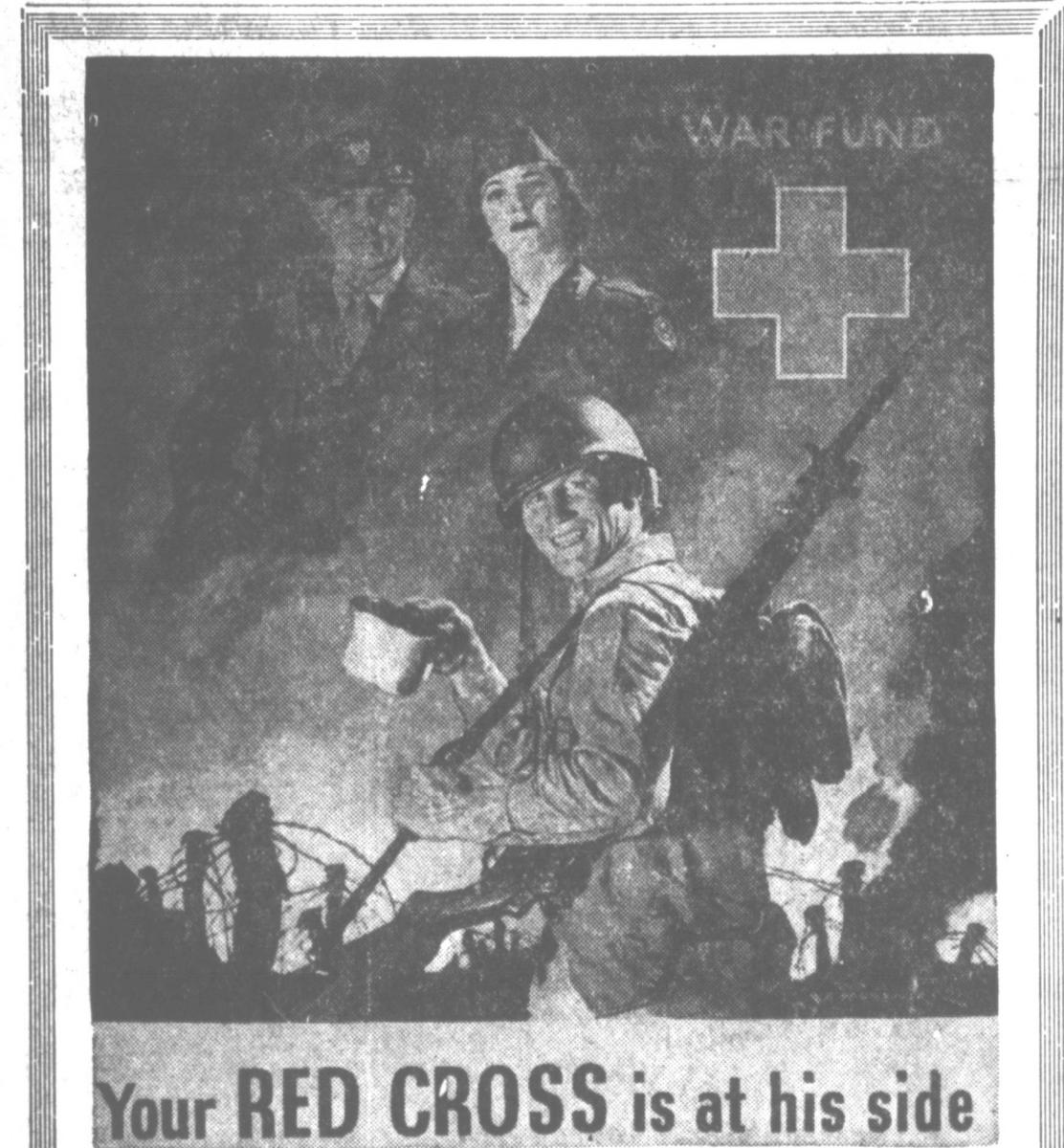
Bet They're Sorry They Asked Now

WASHINGTON, Mar. 1—(AP)—The official newsletter for local draft boards recently noted with approval that Lieutenant Commander W. H. Ritzsch, a registrant of board 156, New York City, was listed on the rolls with an initial instead of a middle name.

Col. Arthur V. McDermott, New York City director, today set the national office straight. The registrant has a middle name, he said. It is Willkiminzsietzli.

—BUY BONDS—

The Canadian swordfish catch has attained a yearly value of \$327,000



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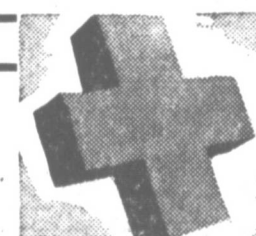
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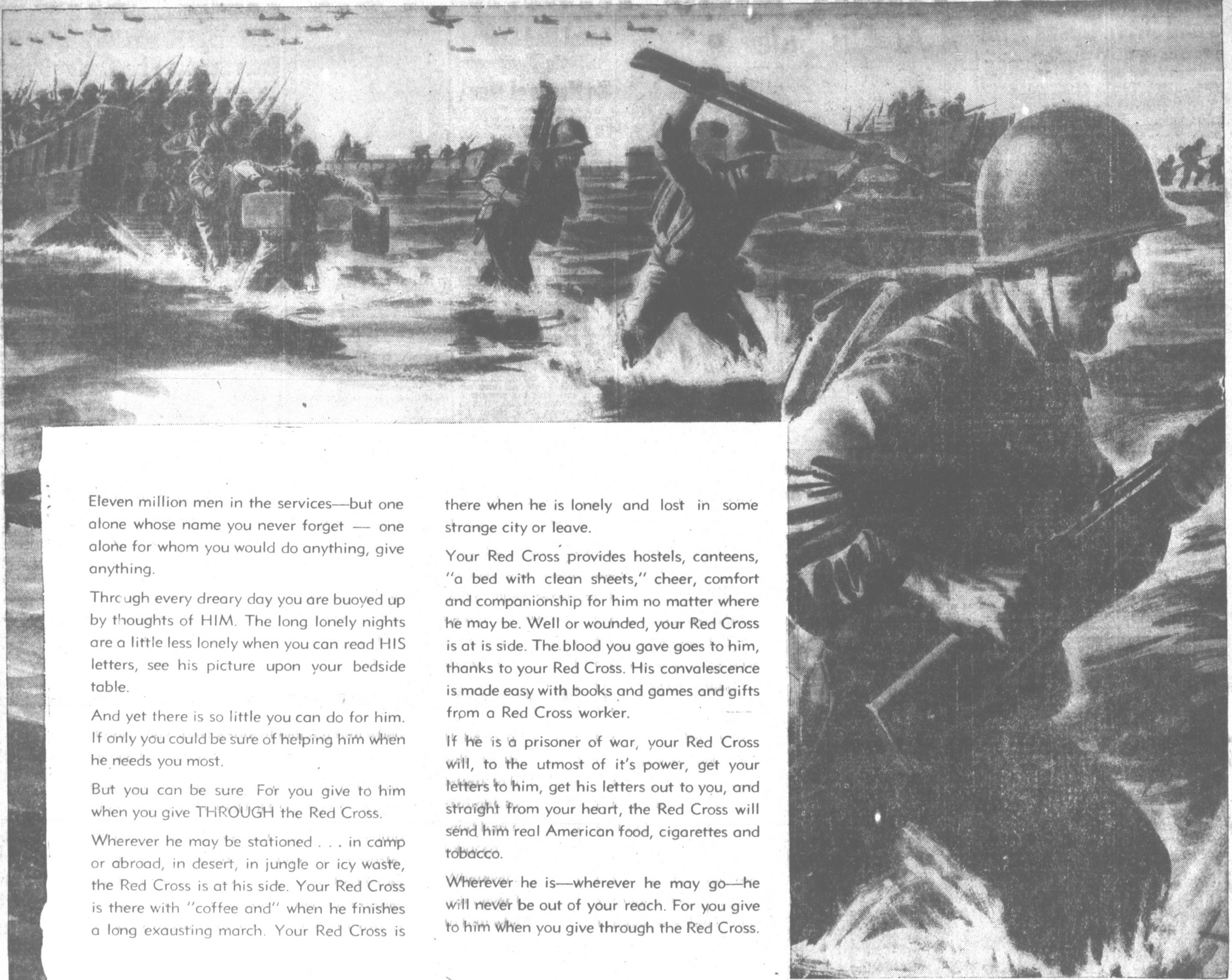


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Back your Red Cross . . . for the Red Cross is always at his side! Red Cross comforts and personnel are right up in the front lines—wherever and whenever needed. Don't let him down . . . help your 1944 Red Cross War Fund to go over the top!

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Wherever He Is - The Red Cross Is There, Too



Eleven million men in the services—but one alone whose name you never forget — one alone for whom you would do anything, give anything.

Through every dreary day you are buoyed up by thoughts of HIM. The long lonely nights are a little less lonely when you can read HIS letters, see his picture upon your bedside table.

And yet there is so little you can do for him. If only you could be sure of helping him when he needs you most.

But you can be sure For you give to him when you give THROUGH the Red Cross.

Wherever he may be stationed . . . in camp or abroad, in desert, in jungle or icy waste, the Red Cross is at his side. Your Red Cross is there with "coffee and" when he finishes a long exhausting march. Your Red Cross is

there when he is lonely and lost in some strange city or leave.

Your Red Cross provides hostels, canteens, "a bed with clean sheets," cheer, comfort and companionship for him no matter where he may be. Well or wounded, your Red Cross is at his side. The blood you gave goes to him, thanks to your Red Cross. His convalescence is made easy with books and games and gifts from a Red Cross worker.

If he is a prisoner of war, your Red Cross will, to the utmost of it's power, get your letters to him, get his letters out to you, and straight from your heart, the Red Cross will send him real American food, cigarettes and tobacco.

Wherever he is—wherever he may go—he will never be out of your reach. For you give to him when you give through the Red Cross.



Your RED CROSS is at his side

Of course, you have given before
Of course, you will give again

**But this year when the need is greater than ever - - -
when it's your own men we serve - - - This year dig
deeper than you have ever dug before - - - and be glad
that you can!**

TEXAS GAS and POWER CORP.

Plains Airman Decorated For Pacific Action

by ASAHEL RUSH

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN THE SOUTHWEST PACIFIC, Mar. 1—(P)—The big Liberator was attacked by a dozen enemy fighters as it completed its run over the Pomelaa mines on Celebes island. One of its four engines was shot

out and another set afire. Limping, the plane fell from formation and dropped into a cloud when it emerged again, there, waiting, were 10 more Japanese fighters. In a 40-minute running battle, at least eight of these were shot down, and the Liberator lost another of its engines.

This was soon exhausted when two enemy fighters made a 30-minute attack in which the co-pilot's controls were shot out and every member of the crew killed or wounded.

Capt. Frederick S. Hinz of San Francisco brought the plane smoothly down on the sea. Hinz, flight officer Francis E. Herres, co-pilot from New London, Wis., and Staff Sgt. Howard G. Collett of Thompsonville, Conn., went down with the ship. They were posthumously awarded the Distinguished Service Cross.

Four others, survivors, received the Silver Star for gallantry. They were: First Lt. Robert R. Jones, Fort Wayne, Ind., bombardier; Second Lt. Edgar A. Green, Brookline, Mass., navigator; Tech Sgt. William M. Fansler, (Post Office Box 2271) Amarillo, Texas, gunner; and Tech Sgt. David Statland, Washington radio operator.

Sergeant Fansler was wounded in the face, thigh and legs, but in spite of all this remained at his post and lent such assistance as was possible to his pilot, the citation read. "When the landing was made, Sergeant Fansler, with great difficulty, released the life rafts from the sinking plane and despite his great pain, assisted his comrades into the rafts and helped make possible their rescue."

BUY BONDS—
Man Appeals His Citizenship Loss

AUSTIN, Mar. 1—(P)—Max Herman Kelbar of Taylor gave notice of appeal this week from Federal District Judge W. A. Keeling's judgment cancelling Kelbar's citizenship.

The government charged Kelbar, former co-publisher of a German language newspaper, with taking the oath of allegiance with mental reservations.



PLASMA UNDERGROUND—Blood plasma, processed from blood collected by the American Red Cross, is administered in strange dug-out built by the Marines in a South Pacific island hot spot, plasma is being given to a wounded marine in the top bunk. Note the container on a hook at the head of his bunk.

Keep Your Good Humor, Urges Tax Collector

W. A. Thomas, collector of internal revenue, reminded taxpayers of the second district of Texas today that 1943 income tax returns must be filed not later than March 15, with March 15 so close at hand, Thomas said it was important that every taxpayer understand his legal obligation to complete his return on time.

"This is a time for frankness," Thomas added. "Much has been said about the difficulty of tax forms, about the complexity of tax laws, and so forth. As I understand it, every branch of the government is committed to future simplification of taxes."

"But, 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."

"I take the liberty of giving this advice for a very simple reason. The law requires these returns to be filed on time. The law requires penalties to be added to the tax of those who fail to do so. Neither I nor the bureau of internal revenue wants to assess such penalties. We hope the patriotic good sense of our citizens will make such action unnecessary."

Thomas added that his office is providing as much assistance to taxpayers as it can, but is physically impossible for his office to make out the return of every taxpayer, and therefore citizens should collect their figures and tackle the blanks line by line.

"Following the tax forms on a line-by-line basis," he said. "The average taxpayer can fill out his own return."

BUY BONDS—
Court Dismisses Estate Tax Case

WASHINGTON, March 1—(P)—The supreme court has dismissed for want of jurisdiction an appeal from a Louisiana supreme court decision which held unconstitutional a section of the federal revenue law requiring that in computing estate taxes, community property held by a surviving spouse must be included.

Chief Justice Stone yesterday delivered the 7-3 opinion. Justices Frankfurter, Roberts and Jackson dissenting.

Farmers to Meet With OPA Heads

DALLAS, March 1—(P)—Regional OPA Administrator Max McCullough said today that OPA and war food administration officials will confer here Wednesday and Thursday with

farmers and farm leaders from six states to gather information from them about problems caused by wartime rationing and price control.

Representatives from Texas, Kansas, Missouri, Arkansas, Louisiana and Oklahoma, comprising OPA's region five, will be present. Among

the chief speakers will be H. H. Williamson, agricultural relations advisor to Price Administrator Chester Bowles, who formerly was director of the Texas A & M college extension service.

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Wherever He Is The RED CROSS is at his Side



PACIFIC ISLAND OUTPOST—Only a few hours after the capture from the Japs of a strong point on a South Pacific island, the American Red Cross quickly set up a recreation hut where Yanks and Aussies soon collected to get a few hours of relaxation.

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for your son in Italy or your sweetheart in Australia, give to the Red Cross.
Don't let the down help the 1944 Red Cross campaign go over the top. March 1st to 31st.
McCard's Super Market
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TODAY on the HOME FRONT

by James Marlow and George Zielke

WASHINGTON, (P)—The fair employment practices committee—created three years ago by President Roosevelt—now begins a battle for its life.

Purpose of the FEPC is to prevent discrimination against war-workers for reasons of race, color, religious belief or national origin in war industries or industries essential to the war.

Some congressmen wish to abolish FEPC. Some wish to continue it not only as a wartime agency but as a permanent agency to prevent discrimination in peacetime, too.

The FEPC is going to ask congress for money to continue its work at least another year. Its fate will be decided in the months ahead.

The FEPC does not seek out cases of discrimination. It waits for complaints. Most of the complaints have been from Negroes.

The agency rocked along till last summer when the President strengthened it. Then it set up 12 regional offices. It has a staff of 30 examiners, each handling an average of 60 active cases. The cases are piling up.

FEPC now receives about 350 complaints monthly, disposes of about 250, develops a monthly backlog of about 100, has pending about 2,000, and in the six months ending last Jan. 1 had completed 1,000.

The powers and even the legality of the FEPC are under attack. Actually, it lacks sanctions to compel compliance with its orders although in all war contracts the government strictly forbids job dis-

crimination for any of the reasons given above.

The FEPC can tell an offending employer he is violating the president's order against discrimination and urge him to comply.

Or the FEPC can ask the government war agency which has a contract with the employer, to use its influence in getting him to stop discrimination.

Or the FEPC can report to public hearings, of which it has held 11 so far. Greatest defiance to the FEPC has come from 16 Southern railroads in complaints involving Negroes.

This railroad case is hanging fire. It is being investigated by a special presidential committee.

Of the 2,000 cases pending, 25 per cent are against government agencies, 70 per cent against business and five against unions. Eighty per cent of all these cases involve Negroes.

The other 20 per cent are cases of alleged discrimination against Jews, Latin Americans (such as Mexicans and persons of Spanish descent in Arizona), and religious sects.

BUY BONDS—
Sun Oil Sees Ample Supply

PHILADELPHIA, March 1—(P)—The United States has a sufficient oil supply for "at least several generations unless the political climate of the future chills the initiative and courage which Americans have always demonstrated in the discovery and development of oil," the Sun Oil Co., says in its annual report for 1943.

Millions of acres of land "regarded as favorable from the geological standpoint for the accumulation of oil," are as yet untested, the report said.

Sun Oil said that its production of aviation fuel nearly tripled last year and its crude oil production was up 40 per cent.

Production of motor gasoline, termed the company's "most profitable product," has been reduced to 32 per cent of the 1941 level, according to the report, which added, "the outlook for improvement in petroleum supplies available for civilian use remains gloomy."

"As a result of manpower shortages, particularly men with scientific qualifications for such work, scarcity of material for drilling operations and an inequitable price situation, there has been a sharp falling off in wells drilled by the industry," the report said.

"The manpower and material problems will be with us until the war ends, but there is no valid reason for not correcting immediately the current unjustifiably low price for crude. To do so would aid the war effort, for present prices discourage intensified oil explorations at this time when they are needed."

BUY BONDS—
Court Rules Employer, Union Must Bargain

WASHINGTON, Mar. 1—(P)—The supreme court has ruled that an employer is required by the national labor relations act to bargain collectively with a union, regardless of contracts reached with individual employees.

Justice Jackson delivered an 8-1 decision which upheld the main provisions of a labor board order directing the J. I. Case Co. of Rock Island, Ill., to bargain with the International Union, Automobile Aircraft & Agricultural Implement workers of America (CIO). Justice Robert favored reversal, but did not write a dissenting opinion.

In a 6-2 decision by Justice Reed, the court also decided in effect in favor of milk producers who complained about an agriculture department order permitting milk cooperatives to charge them for their marketing services.

The high court set aside a decision of the court of appeals in the District of Columbia which had dismissed the producers' challenge of the department order. Justices Black and Frankfurter dissented.

BUY BONDS—
Germans Develop Powerful Gun

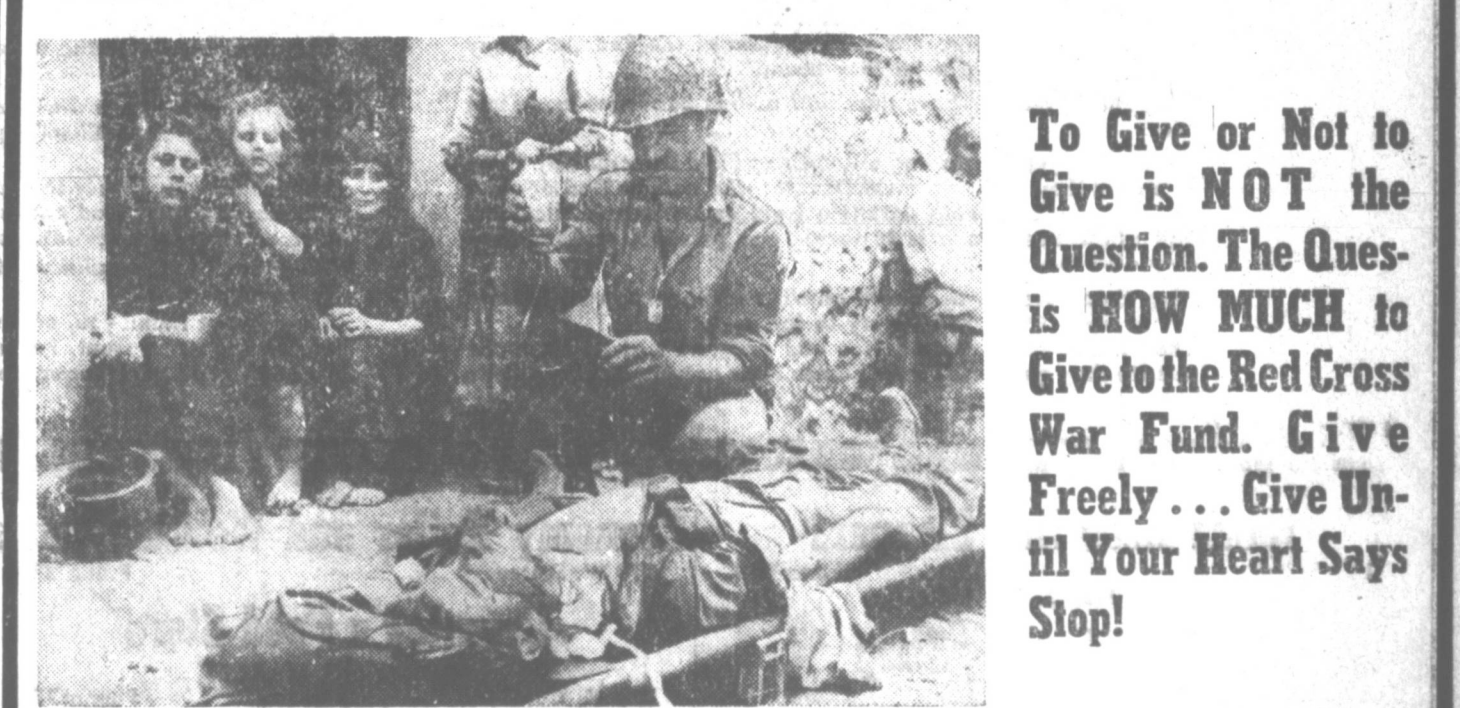
WITH THE FIFTH ARMY ON THE CASSINO FRONT, Feb. 25—(Delayed)—(P)—The Germans have a new 17-centimeter (6.6 inch) gun mounted on a railway car that out-ranges any Allied artillery pieces in action here, an Allied officer said today.

This gun has a high muzzle velocity but its shell is not so heavy as those thrown by larger Allied guns, he said.

The Germans also apparently have developed a new powder that is said to give off practically no flash—an advantage at night when gun flashes reveal location of artillery.

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Statement of General Douglas MacArthur for the American Red Cross
Admiral C. W. Nimitz Says of the Red Cross
Wherever the Stars and Stripes fly over Pacific islands, there also is found the symbol of the American Red Cross. The friendly and merciful hands of the Red Cross have everywhere stretched out to our troops to give them courage in our dark hours of need. Your contributions are a direct help to every individual now wearing the uniform of his country.

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YOU'VE GIVEN YOUR SONS— YOU'VE GIVEN YOUR BLOOD— YOU'VE BOUGHT YOUR BONDS— NOW FINISH THE GOOD JOB!
... DIG DOWN AND GIVE MORE THAN EVER BEFORE TO KEEP YOUR RED CROSS BY HIS SIDE!
GIVE MORE IN '44
FURR FOOD

The American SOLDIER SAYS 'THANKS'

This is a message from the ones who are at our fighting fronts—our American soldiers, sailors, marines. Without invitation or suggestion, thousands of them have sent letters of appreciation to the National Headquarters of the American Red Cross, and others have written their parents who in turn have expressed their thanks.

Here are some of the things for which our boys want to thank you who have so generously given to the Red Cross. . . .



They thank you for the blood plasma that has saved their lives by the thousand
 They thank you for the fact that if a real need develops among their families at home, the local chapter of the Red Cross may be called on to help meet that need.
 They thank you for more than 500 million bandages made last year
 They thank you for putting a Red Cross Field Director with them wherever they go—a Field Director who acts as Dad or older brother, who may help untangle legal or business difficulties, and whose business it is to tackle any personal problem that may disturb them
 They thank you for making it possible for them to visit historic places when they are off duty in foreign countries
 They thank you for the coffee and doughnuts given them the minute they get out of their planes after nerve-racking flights

over enemy territory and through hailstorms of flack—not necessarily that they need the food, but it helps to clean from their minds the smudge of war
 They thank you for the dances and shows that the Red Cross sponsors
 They thank you for invitations, arranged through the Red Cross, to the homes of worth-while people in countries where they are stationed
 They thank you, if they should happen to be in prison camps, for the eleven-pound food packages sent them every week to supplement their slender rations as prisoners of war
 They thank you for millions of articles of clothing and other personal supplies
 They do not thank you, of course, for what the Red Cross is doing on the home front, because they know little about it—but you do. You have known about the hundred thousand Nurse's

Aides, without whom our hospitals would be greatly crippled; you may have seen the Gray Ladies in the hospitals; you've heard of the disaster relief ready anywhere in the country for instant response; you know of the first aid courses, the nationwide nutrition service, the accident prevention program, the home nursing courses, the water safety campaign. You may not know the details of all these activities, but you have heard of them and you realize their importance.
 Today all these things, these services, both to soldiers and to civilians, must be kept going at the accelerated speed of wartime activity. We must continue to deserve the thanks of our men in the fighting forces. Ten million men to be served
 this is by far the biggest responsibility the American Red Cross has ever faced. For next year it's double what it was a year ago. Therefore, we're going to give double and even more, because we want the American soldier of 1945 to say "Thanks," just as the American soldier of 1944 is saying "Thanks."

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Battle Seems Far Away From Large Cruiser

By KENNETH L. DIXON
SOMEWHERE IN THE MEDITERRANEAN, Feb. 20—(Delayed)—There is a strange sort of anti-climax about the conclusion of a naval bombardment mission and the subsequent sail home to port of comparative safety.

It was that way on the British cruiser Mauritius after she completed the shelling of a handful of targets in front of the Fifth Army.

She had shelled German gun positions inland from Gaeta point and scored direct hits at a range of nearly 11 miles and she had thrown screaming steel over the heads of Allied soldiers dug in defending their Anzio beachhead positions.

Although she did not sense it then her captain and crew were due for citations for their work—most of the details of which will remain clouded in semi-secrecy until the war's end.

During the mission she had been subjected to sky and shore attack. Afterward, as she slipped southward through heavy seas, every man on her bridge was conscious of the presence of enemy submarines somewhere in the waters nearby.

Allied ships had been sunk the day before in that sector and al-

though we did not know it then another would be sunk next day along the exact spot in the sea where we sailed through the cold windy thickening dusk.

But there was no sensation of either danger or completion of battle on board as she steamed portward. Even up on the bridge where the lookouts sang out the exact location of every single object they sighted there was only the feeling of being at sea on a stormy night.

There was no frontline or foothold atmosphere anywhere on the ship. Not once had I been conscious of fear and now there was no feeling of relief. It had been like a pleasant cruise up the Italian coast and back.

"See—we hardly know there's a war going on," said the officers of the cruiser Mauritius.

And in that anti-climactic moment, you almost believed them.

Then you remembered being bracketed by bombs on board another ship; remembered the wounded on the deck; remembered the horribly beautiful sight of a ship blazing and exploding in the night and you remembered the stretchers of terribly burned bodies.

You remembered that the Mauritius had two sisterships—the Fiji and the Glasgow—which no longer sail the seas but lie beneath them somewhere off Crete and you remember those messages beginning "th admiralty regrets."

—BUY BONDS—

Glendale, Calif., has passed a law prohibiting growing of roosters within the city.

Jap Treatment Forces Veiling Of U. S. Airmen

By CLYDE A. FARNSWORTH
IN CHINA—(P)—In the China theater, which used to sparkle with the names of star performers of the American air force, a curtain of secrecy now has been dropped to keep their names separated from the news of their offensive exploits against the Japanese.

It is for their own good, Japanese psychology being what it is.

Maj. Gen. Claire L. Channault's aces must wait until they are assigned elsewhere before they can be given any personal publicity.

The Americans have found out about Japan's code of soldier ethics. A captured American aviator becomes not a prisoner of war in the gentlemanly pattern of the Geneva convention, but it seems, a living trophy of war to be paraded about either for morale building at home in Japan or in China, Indo-China or Burma.

There is a sickening story that has come back here from the Japanese-ruled towns along the Yangtze of an American air force sergeant whom the Japanese were hauling from town to town to be exhibited like a captured animal.

Those who make the policies in the fourteenth do not like to speculate on the treatment that would be accorded to a flying ace who had been publicly credited with destruction of Japanese planes or ships.

The rule to insure that officers intimately acquainted with the plans of the fourteenth do not fall into Japanese hands—a possibility if they were also to fly against the enemy—is simply insurance against loss of tactical and strategic secrets through duress or torture.

There have come tales of grim reprisals by the Japanese upon Chinese who helped or were suspected of helping bailed out American airmen. Once a man has escaped this way he is presumed to have knowledge which the Japanese would like to extort from him.

A flier carries a point-to-talkie, a visual language book. One uses the point-to-talkie by finding a Chinese and then pointing out various phrases printed in Chinese characters.

One of these says:

"I am an American airman helping China in its war of resistance and have been forced down here."

And another:

"Please tell the nearest guerrillas or Chinese troops that I am here."

—BUY BONDS—

French 'Friends Of America' Are Fighting Nazis

By TAYLOR HENRY
LISBON, March 1—(P)—Virtual civil war in France between partisans of the United Nations and German supporters has resulted in the death of thousands of collaborationist Frenchmen and members of the German army of occupation with only nominal casualties to the "Friends of America," as many of the partisans call themselves.

During the last six months, according to the best available figures, this French terror has spelled death to at least 1,500 French police and militia, and half as many civilian collaborationists, and to between 1,500 and 2,000 German troops.

Widespread as these figures indicate the terrorist activity to be, it is nothing as compared with sabotage of various towns and villages, the main contributions to the United Nations war effort.

The latest round-number figures on sabotage indicate that partisans have made 15,000 bomb attacks, 1,000 direct attacks against railroads carrying supplies and men for Germany, and some 750 attacks on city halls in various towns and villages to obtain food tickets and supplies to care for the growing terrorist organization.

Most of these have been individual attacks, and do not include the increasing warfare between organized terrorist troops and Joseph Darnand's French gendarmes, which in the last few weeks has been making raids against the terrorists with German help.

In view of the large numbers of attacks on German troops and sabotage, the German SS commanders in occupied territory have taken much of the initiative in attacking terrorist groups, and have been responsible for the execution of several hundred persons in the last few months, including women.

The extent of fighting French influence in the Vichy regime can be estimated from the fact that letters bearing a stamp with the picture of Gen. Charles De Gaulle are posted and sent from the Vichy postoffice as a matter of ordinary routine.

One of the latest coins minted by the Vichy government carried on its face the initials "A. D." sometimes used as a symbol for "Avec de Gaulle" or "For de Gaulle." The coin finally was withdrawn by the Vichy government.

—BUY BONDS—

Navy Flies Shells To French in Italy

WASHINGTON, March 1—(P)—Navy air transport pilots who flew through North African weather so bad combat planes were grounded helped beat back the Germans in Italy with shells brought only 34 hours earlier from the United States.

The navy, telling of the daring flight said the two planes carried the biggest load of shells ever transported by air.

It started with French warships, bombarding German lines in support of ground troops, began to run out of ammunition. No shells to fit their guns were available nearer than America.

Emergency radio calls to the French naval mission in Washington set the naval air transport division in motion.

—BUY BONDS—

Court Refuses To Open Kidnaping Case

WASHINGTON, Mar. 1—(P)—The supreme court has refused to open the doors of Alcatraz for Harmon W. Waley, serving 45 years for the kidnaping of George Weyerhaeuser, of Tacoma, Wash., one of the most dramatic crime cases of the '30's.

The court declined to review the decision of the ninth federal circuit court and the northern California federal district court which denied a writ requiring his release.

Waley asserted that he was not guilty of a federal crime as charged because Weyerhaeuser had not been taken outside the state of Washington and, hence, there was no interstate transportation of a kidnaped person.

—BUY BONDS—

Abolition of FDR Committee Is Voted

WASHINGTON, March 1—(P)—A senate appropriations subcommittee has voted unanimously to abolish President Roosevelt's fair employment practices committee and bring other executive agencies under closer scrutiny of congress.

The legislation was offered by Senator Russell (D-Ga.) as an amendment to the \$8,500,000,000 independent offices appropriation bill.

Effective July 1, it would prohibit the transfer of funds to agencies a year or more old which had not been authorized directly by congress.

Indications were that the subcommittee would not complete consideration of the entire bill before today or Wednesday.

The order, designed to prevent racial discrimination in the hiring of war workers.

—BUY BONDS—

Egypt Objects To Palestine for Jews

CAIRO, March 1—(P)—Mustafa Nahas Pasha, as Egyptian prime minister and foreign minister, has written U. S. Minister to Egypt Alexander Kirk protesting against speeches made in congress favoring the recognition of Palestine as a Jewish nation and the unrestricted settlement of Jews there.

The text of the letter was not made public and American diplomatic officials declined comment but it was learned reliably that Nahas Pasha declared that Egypt disapproved of such statements if they represent the official American opinion, and said Egypt would not recognize Palestine as a Jewish nation.

—BUY BONDS—

Who are we, people of the United States, to set ourselves up to teach the other peoples of the world? —Dean William F. Russell of Columbia University Teachers College.

Forts With No Paint Gain Speed

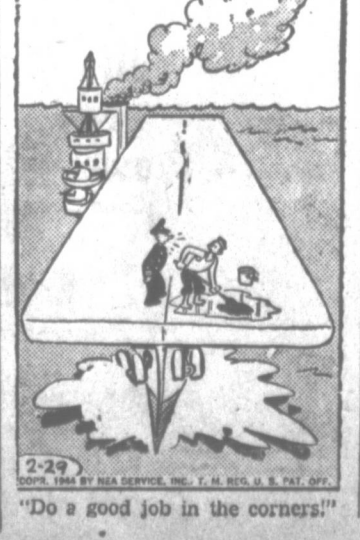
A BOMBER BASE IN ENGLAND, Mar. 1—(P)—Shining silver flying fortresses, able to fly 10 miles an hour faster than olive drab jobs, are going into operation in the European theater.

The new ships gained speed by shedding 60 pounds of camouflage paint, and crews believe the natural aluminum-colored planes are harder for ground defenses to spot against clouds.

—BUY BONDS—

The literal meaning of the Indian word, hairy (untouchables), is "people of God."

HOLD EVERYTHING



Concrete Aid Reaches China At Long Last

By J. REILLY O'SULLIVAN
WITH A CHINESE EXPEDITIONARY FORCE, Mar. 1—(P)—The revitalization of Chiang Kai-Shek's armies has begun with the arrival of concrete American aid.

This is the first public disclosure of one of the most ambitious and far-reaching programs in military history to modernize, re-train and re-group a vast army in wartime.

American army officers and men under the command of Lt. Gen. Joseph W. Stilwell have started the job in southwest China in cooperation with commanders of Chinese expeditionary forces.

Secretly at work since last April, Stilwell's "Y" force operations staff under Brig. Gen. Frank Dorn of San Francisco is making a real impression in its mission of increasing the fighting efficiency of this expeditionary force.

Viewing the Chinese picture as a whole, however, there still is a staggering job ahead. To a large extent, it hinges on opening a land supply route from India. It also depends upon the eventual seizure of a seaport on the China coast.

Concrete aid has been extended in the following categories:

Air ground support—anti-aircraft batteries.

Ammunition, in considerable quantities. Weapons including mountain artillery, machine guns, anti-tank guns, mortars and tommy guns. Radio and signal equipment.

Motor replacement parts, trucks, gasoline.

Field hospital services.

Veterinary services.

Ordnance repair.

Engineering and road construction.

Field training in tactics, use and care of weapons, bayonet fighting, operation of signal equipment, air and ground cooperation, care of animals, sanitation and preventive medicine.

In a 1,500-mile trip through the lofty mountains and valleys of southwest China, I have had the first opportunity to visit and talk to the Chinese and Americans working and living side by side in the field to create a new striking force in the framework of the Chinese armies.

Despite what might have been considered insurmountable difficulties a year ago and some misgivings on both sides, the groundwork has been laid. The training is going into its final stages down into the lower units.

—BUY BONDS—

You can't put beef there without feed.

"Official government figures show that approximately the same amount of feed was raised this year as last year but we can't buy it. We don't know where it is and apparently the government doesn't either.

"The cattle raisers cannot continue to feed their stock the same grade of corn without losing their shirts and eventually their under-shirts," Montague declared. "It's not important to make a lot of money—just production cost—so we can go on doing what's best for the country."



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It's paradoxical to think how grateful the boys must be when they receive a hot cup of coffee or food that you made it possible to send them. Count the things they've given up for you and ask yourself what you've given up for them. Don't let anyone thank you for your contribution to the Red Cross. It's your job to give as much as you can--if you expect to enjoy the blessings of peace.

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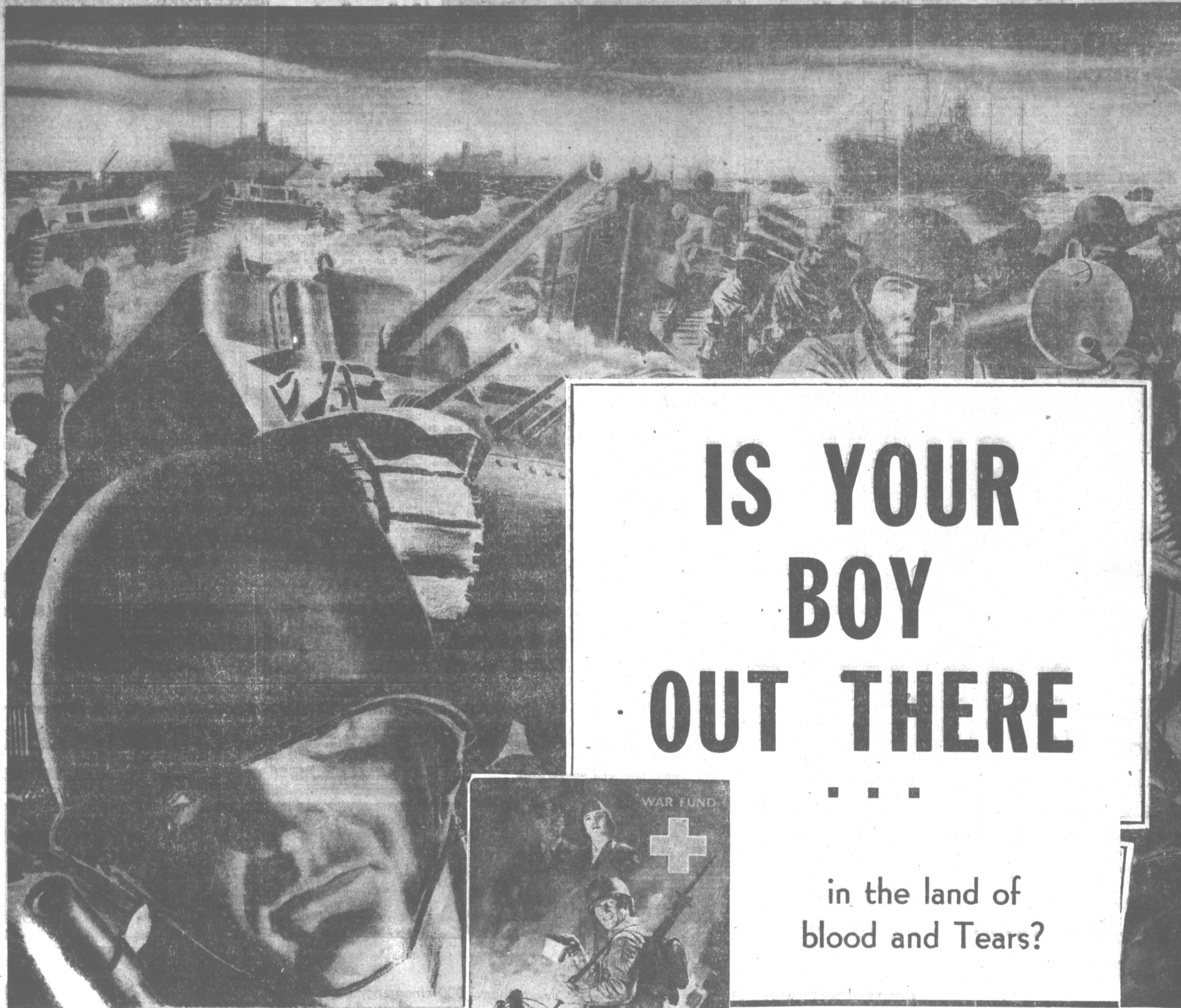
THE RED CROSS IS AT HIS SIDE AND THE RED CROSS IS YOU

More than 1,000 emergency messages a day from Red Cross field directors overseas are relayed to chapters, covering every county in the land. From every corner of the earth, wherever there are American soldiers, sailors or marines, this life-line stretches from all our fighting forces to the folks at home. This is why the Red Cross is known as the connecting link between our Army and Navy and their families.

Multiply Joe's experiences millions of times and you will get some idea of the magnitude of the Red Cross wartime job. Bear in mind our mythical journey with the lad next door, and you will find ample reason for your contribution to the Red Cross after you've entirely skipped over the domestic program, which touches millions in nutrition, nursing care, first aid, disaster relief, and a score of other activities.

Today the American Red Cross is asking you to contribute to the War Fund. No, rather you are asked to contribute to Joe. How much do you think he is worth?

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IS YOUR BOY OUT THERE

...
in the land of blood and Tears?



Your RED CROSS is at his side.

Is he slogging along some muddy road . . . or huddled beneath a leaky tent? Do you see him now, thirsty beneath a broiling sun?

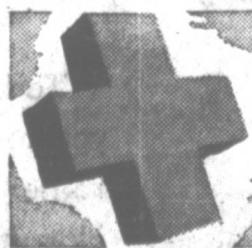
Or is your boy fighting a wintry blast in the land where winter never ends? . . . Yes, millions of people worry tonight for the men in the far-off but not forgotten land.

But if your heart is sick with longing for some special boy . . . remember this and find comfort . . . wherever he may be, in the frozen wastes of Iceland or the jungles of New Guinea . . . you can reach out and give your boy some little comforts that speak of home.

He will get coffee, doughnuts, cigarettes and other American comforts when the long march is over--thanks to you. He will sleep

This year when your Red Cross has a bigger job than ever before to do --- this year when your Red Cross is serving your own sons in every corner of the globe --- this year you will want to give more, more of your time, more of your work, the blood from your heart - - - and more of your money to help the work go on.

So dig deep and be glad. For wherever he is—



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between sheets when he gets his furlough in a town ten thousand miles from home--thanks to you. Even should he be a prisoner of war, he won't be condemned to live on alien bread. For wherever the Red Cross can reach him the Red Cross will send him a carton of food, the kind you used to give him at your own table, and real American cigarettes and tobacco!

He will get this . . . and more--straight from YOUR heart through the Red Cross. Because the Red Cross is YOU--the greatest Mother in the world, because it represents all mothers in America. The Red Cross is your blood and your bandages, the sweaters you knit and the gifts you pack.

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Cameraman Of Texas Sacrifices Life for Picture

By EUGENE BURNS
 ABOARD A CARRIER, Central Pacific—(P)—"Rabaul Under Attack", reads the caption—with the bare credit line, "Official Navy Photo."
 Nothing is said of the tremendous antiaircraft fire, the unequal fight with eight Zeros, about the carrier-landing with a crippled plane containing wounded and dead. Not one word about the photographer who lost his life.
 In midmorning, Nov. 5, Photographer's Mate First Class Paul T. Barnett, about 25, of Corpus Christi, Texas, climbed into Group Command Howard H. Caldwell's torpedo plane with three cameras.
 As the attack group came over the target area, it was jumped by 75 to 100 Zeros, and deadly antiaircraft fire spewed up.
 The torpedo and divebomber planes headed home after the successful attack, but the photographic plane escorted by two fighters, made repeated runs over the small harbor for important intelligence pictures.
 Eight Zeros piled on it simultaneously. Barnett, without guns, without armor protection, steadily took picture after picture. Japanese bullets bit chunks out of the fuselage. Steering control went out when the alleron was hit and jammed. The communications system went out. A gas tank was hit.
 "Barnett could have gotten prone to offer much less of a target," Commander Caldwell, 28, of Sparks, Nev., related, "but he stuck to his cameras."
 In the other fighter escort, Lt. (JO) H. M. Crockett, Salt Lake

State War Inspection Service Inaugurated

DALLAS, March 1—(P)—Inauguration of a state war inspection service immediately in Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, and New Mexico was disclosed by R. E. Smith, director of the eighth civilian defense region.
 The program, said Smith, was organized for protection of industrial workers and war plants and designed to prevent accidents, fires and possible acts of sabotage, and will be conducted in conjunction with the states' fire insurance commissions, public safety departments and local fire marshals.
 All facilities or plants essential to the war effort and not under protection of the army or responsible federal agencies, are to be regularly inspected by inspectors appointed by state authorities.
 In Texas, Major George Hawley, chief engineer for the Texas state fire insurance division, will serve as state director. He will be assisted by a state board of evaluation.
 Smith said the plan would enlist the voluntary cooperation of plant owners and managers in stressing industrial protection measures.

Wac Is Absolved Of Insubordination

WASHINGTON, March 1—(P)—The attorney who defended Lieut. Virginia Wright, 24-year-old WAC from Philadelphia, when insubordination charges against her were reviewed by a special army reclassification board in January, has announced she had been exonerated "and completely vindicated."
 The attorney, James J. Laughlin of Washington, issued a statement on the case—which army officials have declined to discuss—asserting that the insubordination charges were based on allegations that she owed a female orderly \$1.50 for maid service, had declined to give her superior a statement of her financial affairs when asked to do so, and on separate occasions had shared a pint of ice cream and a watermelon with members of the enlisted personnel.
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 BROOKLYN, OF COURSE
 WHITE PLAINS, N. Y.—An attorney asked adjournment of a state supreme court case so he could drive to Brooklyn, 3 miles away, on urgent business.
 Opposing counsel readily agreed—providing he was given a ride to Brooklyn where he also had some work to do. Then a juror chimed in that he too would like to make the trip.
 The judge postponed the case.
 City, was hit in the face, arm and leg but fought on.
 The camera in Barnett's hand was hit by a slug. He picked up another. Perhaps he swore a bit, thinking he had lost the pictures in that damaged camera.
 Then as the Japanese Zeros closed in, a bullet tore into the back of his head. He fell forward, dead, over his camera.
 But his pictures lived. Caldwell and Crockett held off the remaining Japanese and fought their way into the clear and the film was safe.
 Warrant Officer Photographer George B. Dutch, 29, of Greensboro, N. C., opened the bloodied camera and put the film into the developer.
 Barnett's last picture was a Zero coming in for the kill.



GOOD MEALS IN A TRAILER—Trailer camp wives learn how to prepare well balanced meals from Red Cross nutrition experts. Here Mrs. Helen Paulsen, Red Cross Nutritionist, instructs women who live in trailers at El Cerrito, Calif., near a defense plant.

Naval Air Pioneer Won U. S. Triumph Over Japs on Truk

By NEA Service
 Marc A. Mitscher, the rear admiral who commanded the U. S. Navy carrier attack forces against the Jap base at Truk, ranks as one of the world's pioneers of the air by reason of the fact that he piloted the old N C-1 on the Navy's first trans-Atlantic flight way back in May, 1919.
 He was 29 years old at the time he did this Christopher Columbus in reverse. He was only eight years out of Annapolis, and he had been a flying officer for only three years.
 But for the flight, non-stop from Newfoundland to the vicinity of the Azores, where he was forced down, he was awarded the Navy Cross, the N C-4 medal and the Portuguese Order of the Tower and Sword.
 Since that time, the now 57-year-old admiral has made his way up in the Navy by doing things that never had been done before, playing a part in important naval research and experimental work.
 In 1917, shortly after the outbreak of the First World War, the young officer was assigned to the old S. S. Huntington for duty in connection with catapult experiments, then a new thing with the Navy. He remained on duty with the ship while she was on troop convoy in the Atlantic. In 1918 he was given command of the Naval Air Station at Rockaway, Long Island, and later was given command at the Miami, Fla., Naval Air Station. Though he was under 30, the Navy had few flying officers at the time and the pioneers moved up fast.
 After the First World War, the then Commander Mitscher was given the usual variety of Naval assignments which were to lead to the post of Assistant Chief of the Bureau of Naval Aeronautics in Washington for two years of duty just before the outbreak of the Second World War.
 He served on two of the earliest U. S. aircraft carriers, the Saratoga and the Langley. He was executive officer on the old Langley, and he assisted in fitting out the Saratoga when she was built in 1926, going aboard her as head of the Air Department when she was commis-

Knox Favors Oil Reserves Corporation

WASHINGTON, March 1—(P)—Navy Secretary Frank Knox expresses opposition to liquidating the Petroleum Reserves Corp. in correspondence made public by a senate committee considering a resolution to dissolve the huge government subsidiary.
 The agency recently announced plans for a multi-million dollar pipeline project in the Far East and brought congressional demands for an investigation of its activities and of the government's world oil policies.
 "A realistic view of the conditions confronting the government," Knox said in a letter released by the senate's interstate commerce committee, "demands the existence of some government agency which, working with industry, will be able to study and advise upon steps which must be taken to assure the flow of petroleum supplies to the United States, from overseas sources when and as required."
 The navy secretary said PRC "has been designed as a producing, refining or marketing organization. It does not propose to compete with the private oil industry in this country."
 "On the contrary, its purpose is to promote the private oil industry in this nation, and to further the interests of the people of the United States."
 Knox said the Petroleum Reserves Corp., designed to help American companies gain participation in foreign petroleum reserves for the armed services of the United States, both in peace and in war.
 The navy department's attitude toward the legislation to disband the corporation was requested by the committee.
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LSU Is Sued For Dr. Smith's Debt

BATON ROUGE, La., March 1—(P)—A suit to recover \$300,000 borrowed by Dr. James Monroe Smith, former president of Louisiana State University, now serving time in the state penitentiary at Angola, was filed in district court here by the National Bank of Commerce of New Orleans.
 The suit brought against the LSU board of supervisors by Oliver G. Lucas, bank president, is the latest step in a fight by the New Orleans bank as well as by other Louisiana banks to recover half a million dollars loaned Dr. Smith and used by him in his speculations on the wheat market.
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Farmers Paying Off Mortgages

HOUSTON, March 1—(P)—War inflated demands for farm and ranch products are helping Texas farmers pay off mortgages from depression years, obtain clear titles to their lands and acquire more acreage.
 The Federal Land bank of Houston, which holds an estimated 40 per cent of all Texas farm mortgages, reports that only 72 farm and ranch owners lost their properties to the bank last year compared with 466 in 1933 and 1,174 in 1934.
 President Sterling C. Evans reports that 1943 was the best year off year in the bank's history. Payment in full was made on 15,338 loans amounting to \$24,507,614. This compares with \$92,431 paid on 561 farms and ranches in 1933 and \$1,030,146 on 818 in 1934.
 To the improved economic condition of agricultural producers Evans also attributes in part the increase in land prices. A 15 per

cent rise was recorded last year. Using the period 1912-14 as the base with prices listed at 100 per cent Texas farm land values now amount to 109 per cent, says Evans. The peak price was registered in 1930 when the value was 174 per cent. Values slumped to 83 per cent in 1933.
 The largest increases were recorded last year in Southwest Texas where ranching is predominant with West Texas' cotton farming section second. The smallest hike was noted in the central blackland section of Central Texas.
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 Rhode Island state prisoners repair 200 to 400 pairs of shoes a week for the Newport naval training station.

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 FORT WORTH, March 1—(P)—Sectional meetings this spring will replace the annual convention of the Texas Medical Association, the group's council on scientific work announced through its chairman, Dr. A. C. Scott, Temple, after a meeting here.
 The meetings are scheduled for Austin, April 19-20; Fort Worth, April 20-21 and San Antonio May 3-4. A meeting of the association's house of delegates, its governing body, in Dallas May 10-11 will conclude the series.
 BUY BONDS
 COCOA CASUALTY
 CHICAGO—The chocolate Easter bunny probably will send his regrets this April.
 E. O. Pollock, Midwest regional director of the food distribution division of the WFA, says chocolate novelties identical with the Easter bunny will not be on the market this year due to cocoa shortages.



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Statement Of Lieutenant General Joseph W. Stillwell

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Statement Of Admiral C. W. Nimitz

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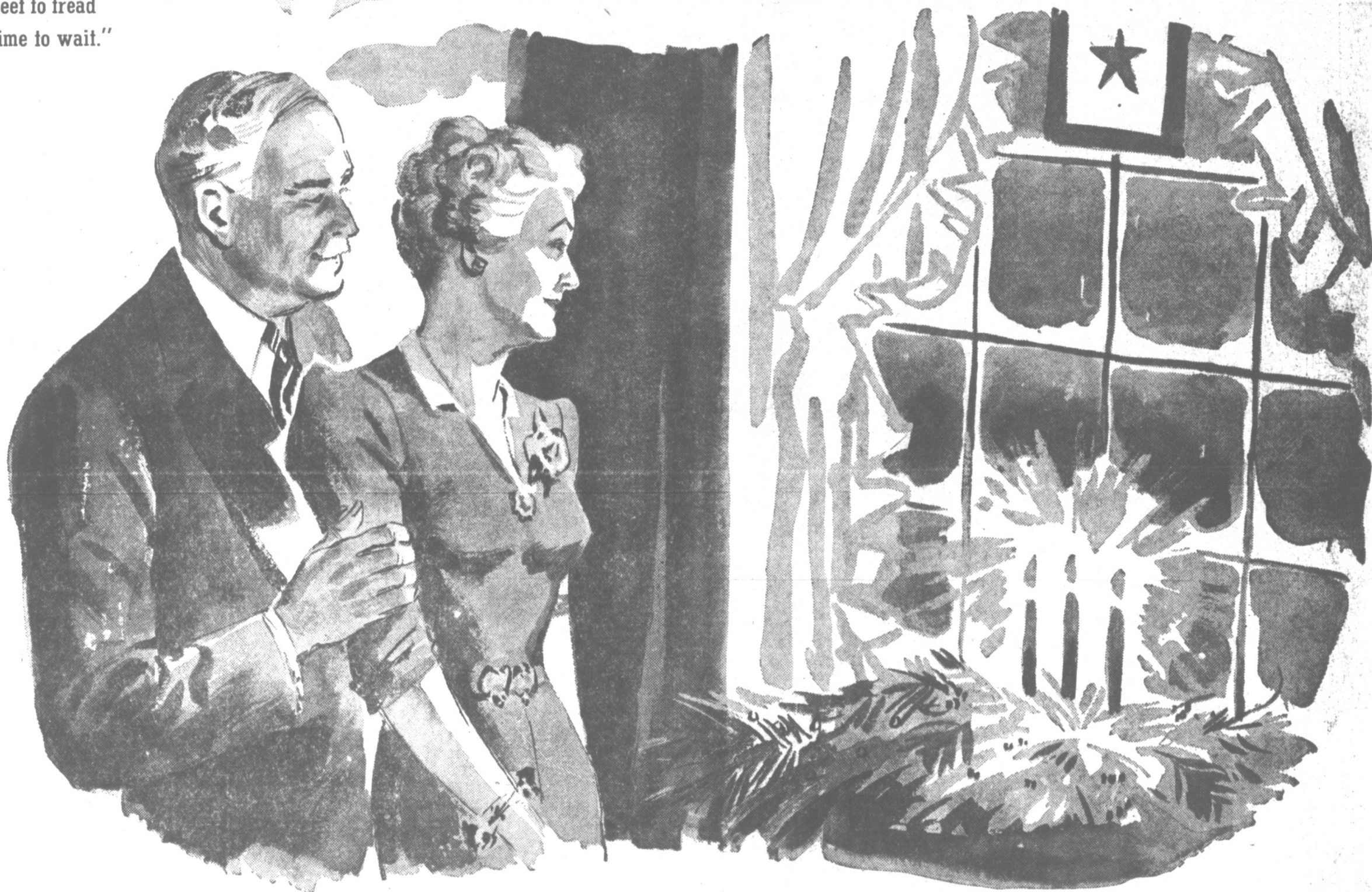
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