

THE PAMPA NEWS

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LIVES ON BORROWED BLOOD



Billy Charles Meers, 4, (above), of Seymour, Tex., victim of chronic Nephritis, considered an incurable kidney ailment, has been kept alive for months with blood plasma. Billy, smiling as he sits in his hospital bed at Dallas, has since September been given the plasma equivalent to 227 pints of blood, a drain exhausting the hospital's supply. The institution gave notice that unless further donors were found, the flow of plasma to the child must be halted. His physician said that without plasma the child is doomed. (AP Wirephoto.)

Texas Soldiers Can Vote If Tax Paid

AUSTIN, Jan. 11.—(AP)—A special session of the Texas legislature could not greatly facilitate soldier voting. Gov. Coke R. Stevenson decided today.

Present law and the state constitution—providing military authorities dispatch the handling of applications and ballots—give Texans in

Birthday Balls Set for Jan. 31

Pampa will again join in celebrating the 62nd birthday of President Roosevelt when three dances are held Jan. 31, one at the Southern club, another at the junior high school gymnasium, and the third at Pampa Field.

While the dance at the field is separate from the two here, proceeds of this dance, like the other two, will go for the benefit of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

Clarence E. McGrew, chairman of the Gray county chapter of the NPIP, has been appointed county chairman for the celebration of the President's birthday by George Waverly Briggs, Dallas vice-chairman of the Texas committee.

Directing the dances here will be W. C. deCordova, American Legion finance officer, and for five years a committee from the President's birthday celebration. deCordova said that the Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Jaycees, Lions, Kiwanis, and Rotary clubs would all join in staging the dances.

The two Pampa dances are to be held at 9 p. m. Monday, January 31. Dance in the gymnasium will be an old timers dance while that at the Southern club will be modern, with Pinky Powell's orchestra furnishing the music. Admission will be 55 cents a person, tax included, tickets available at both dance.

GOP Hopes To Aid Soldier Vote

CHICAGO, Jan. 11.—(AP)—The Republican national committee moved today toward endorsement of a policy of cooperation between the states and federal government to facilitate absentee voting by members of the armed forces in the November presidential election.

The committee's struggle with what promises to become 1944's No. 1 political problem overshadowed the purpose of its meeting here—to fix the time and place for the party's national convention.

Frank Sinatra Is Proud Papa

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—(AP)—Crooner Frank Sinatra was a proud papa for the second time today.

An eight-pound, 13-ounce boy was born to his wife, Nancy, yesterday at Margaret Hague hospital, Jersey City, N. J. Sinatra, now in Hollywood, said the boy probably would be named Frank, Jr.

The couple's first child, Nancy, is three and a half years old.

I SAW ...

A present received here yesterday by Frances Deering, assistant county auditor, from Pvt. McDonald Austin, quartermaster corps, who is stationed in Australia. He has been overseas a year. The present was a blue pennant, bearing lighter blue circles, in which was an Aussie soldier and a U. S. sailor, riding a kangaroo, and pointing a lance at a fleeing Jap. "Target for 1943—Aus, U. S. A., from the Boys Down Under," was the lettering on the pennant.

We have United States and Gates Tires and Tubes. Motor Inn.—Adv.

NATIONAL SERVICE LAW RECOMMENDED BY REP

Russians Reach Bug River

Berlin Says U. S. Heavies Raid Germany

(By The Associated Press)
Bombs crashed down in Berlin and Sofia last night as Russian armies, driving swiftly over the bodies of 12,000 German dead, struck within seven miles of the Bug river and within 21 of the Odessa-Warsaw railway, last major enemy escape route into Rumania.

The Berlin radio said heavy U. S. bombers attacked central Germany around noon today.

Moscow dispatches said Red army spearheads thrusting toward Rumania had reached the east bank of the Bug river. The Germans reported a renewed Russian assault in the Crimea from the Russian bridgehead north of Kerch and that a battle flamed all day yesterday for Sarny, rail junction 35 miles inside old Poland.

The Fifth Army in Italy fought into the outskirts of Cervaro and won a hill overlooking the road to Cassino and the Garigliano river in the slow campaign toward Rome. Mt. Trocchio, less than three miles from Cassino, was under attack. The Eighth Army patrolled near the Adriatic. In that sea, British destroyers sank three schooners, damaged and forced the Germans to abandon four others, and shelled railroads along the sea and the Ancona marshaling yards.

The Russians advanced 30 miles beyond the 1939 frontier in the sector west of Kiev. Berlin dispatches to Stockholm said the Nazis had evacuated Sarny, 35 miles inside old Poland, and were threatened with encirclement at the city of Rovno, 50 miles southwest.

The greatest slaughter of Germans was north of Kirovograd where the Russians said 8,000 remnants of five divisions were wiped out when they refused to surrender. Three of the annihilated divisions were tank groups and it appeared that 50,000 Germans had been eliminated in that battle.

Allied planes from Italy bombed the Bulgarian capital of Sofia in

Wounded Men Flown to Texas

TEMPLE, Jan. 11.—(AP)—Seventy-five wounded soldiers made army history here yesterday when they were flown in three large ambulance planes from Charleston, S. C. to Temple in a six-hour, 15-minute trip that by train would have required two or three days.

Texas, Oklahoma and Californians comprised the group participating in the first mass evacuation of wounded soldiers by air to an interior hospital in the history of the United States army.

They rode in army troop carrier command planes from Charleston's Slick general hospital, landed at Temple Army Air Field between 2:30 and 3:20 p. m., and were taken to McCloskey general hospital in ambulances.

Thirty-five of the men were litter cases. Every patient made the trip without difficulty, said Lieut. Madeline D'Eleto of New Castle, Penn., nurse on one of the three ships bearing 24 litter patients. "There was no ill sickness. Most of the men had been evacuated by air from Italy to North Africa and this was nothing new to them," she said.

Flight surgeon for the evacuation was a Texan, Major Glenn E. Kahler, of Buckhoffs, Milan county.

McCloskey's commanding general, Brig. Gen. James A. Bethel, described the aerial convoy as the forerunner of extensive aerial evacuations to interior general hospitals as the war progresses.

Russians Affirm Intentions Of Keeping Land Lost by Poland

LONDON, Jan. 11.—(AP)—A clear warning that the Russians will not yield the Ukrainian and White Russian territories incorporated into the Soviet Union in 1939 came today from the Soviet government, which at the same time reaffirmed its desire for a strong, independent Poland to be rebuilt with areas wrested from Germany, assuring her an outlet to the Baltic sea.

In an official declaration broadcast by the Moscow radio, the Russians offered the "Curzon line" of 1919 as a possible basis for a new Russian-Polish border, a line which would leave the U.S.S.R. in possession of all but 3,800 square miles of the Polish territory the Red army occupied under the 1939 Soviet-German partition of Poland.

The Soviet declaration, asserting that Russia was striving "towards the establishment of friendship between the Soviet and Poland on the basis of solid, good-neighborly relations and mutual respect," also suggested that Poland could join the Soviet Union and Czechoslovakia in a bulwark against the Germans by becoming a party to the Soviet-Czech mutual assistance pact recently signed in Moscow.

The broadcast, however, used strong language in referring to the Polish government-in-exile in London, asserting that the "emigre Polish government, cut off from its people, has shown itself incapable of establishing friendly relations with the Soviet Union."

It also declared that government "has shown itself incapable of organizing an active struggle against the German invaders in Poland itself. More than that, by its incorrect policy it often plays into the hands of the German invaders."

Poles in London who have been insisting on the restoration of all the territory within Poland's pre-war borders and who have made no secret of their aspirations for a large part of East Prussia declined immediate comment on the Russian declaration.

Light Snow Forecast, Tonight As Highways Out of Pampa Opened

Just when highway traffic got back to normal and the snow was gradually melting away from the big snowstorm of last week, the weatherman came along today to cast his ration of gloom with this forecast:

"Light snow in the Panhandle late tonight and Wednesday, lowest temperature to 18; most cloudy this afternoon, tonight, and Wednesday."

Pampans hoped the snow would really be light, and not of the nine-inch deep type that fell last week.

There was good news for motorists today in the report that that all roads out in the city, state, county and Moore counties is greater than in any other Panhandle area.

Rancher and wheat farmer north of Pampa in Gray county, Thomas was here last week end on a tour of his district to determine where the protein feed need is greatest and report his findings to state AAA Committee Chairman B. F. Vance at College Station.

He explained that the Commodity Credit Corp. allocates the protein it owns to the states; state AAA committees make allotments to counties; and county AAA committees divide it among stockmen.

He said the need would be just as acute in the Peryton-Spearman sector as in these four counties except that a big part of the cattle in the sector have been shipped out since the winter's first blizzard Dec. 9. He was told, he said, most of them went to market.

A good many cattle, Thomas said, are also being shipped out of Sherman county, to market or pasture. Thomas gave figures showing that of the last 100 cars of protein allocated to Texas, 77 are going into the Panhandle.

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BUY BONDS

Feed Need Held Greater in North Plains Region

DALHART, Jan. 11.—(AP)—Charlie Thomas, state AAA committeeman for the Panhandle district of 22 counties, says the need for protein feed in Dallas, Hartley, Sherman and Moore counties is greater than in any other Panhandle area.

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Payment of Poll Taxes Here Slow

If Gray county voters don't hurry up and pay their poll taxes, there'll be a lot of them who won't be able to vote in the city, state, county and national elections this year. Only 17 days remain before the deadline falls on Jan. 31.

Only 1,322 have paid their poll taxes to date and 68 have obtained exemption certificates, a check revealed this morning at the county tax office. This makes 1,400 together that have qualified to cast their ballots.

In 1942 the total number of poll tax payers in Gray county was 4,932; in 1940, 6,397; in 1938, 5,062; in 1936, 6,328.

First election this year will be the school board vote on April 1. The city will hold its election on April 4. First primary election will be held on July 22; run-off on Aug. 26; and general on Nov. 7.

To vote in any of these elections, a poll tax, costing \$1.75 or exemption certificate is required.

BUY BONDS

Texas Plant May Get Priorities

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—(AP)—Rep. Patman (D-Tex.) said today that President Roosevelt had agreed to review the application of the Lone Star Steel Co. of Texas for priorities on materials to build a \$40,000,000 rolling steel mill addition to its pig iron plant at Dalingerfield.

The request was taken up with the president by Speaker Rayburn (D-Tex.), who is to join with Patman, Senator Conally (D-Tex.) and Donald Nelson, war production board director, in a conference expected to be held at the White House next week.

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SEA WATER FOR BREAD

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—(AP)—The war department announced today that a factory has been developed for substituting sea water for fresh water and salt in making bread.

WEATHER FORECAST

Two Indicted In Tulia Man's Death

COFFEYVILLE, Miss., Jan. 11.—(AP)—Two men were indicted and a woman was named as a material witness in connection with the slaying last June of Pvt. Jimmy B. Deskin, 18, of Camp McCain, Miss., and Tulia, Texas.

Indicted by the circuit court grand jury were A. L. Shaw, Jr., Coffeyville mule trader, and Aaron L. Heiner, Coffeyville pool room operator. Mrs. Margaret Nicholson Hunt of Yalobusha county was named a material witness and ordered brought here from the Hinds county jail at Jackson where she has been held following a hearing in the justice of peace court here Oct. 22.

Captain Burns Aatum of the state highway safety patrol said the first report of the slaying was made by the woman four months later when she telephoned him. The slaying occurred June 18 near a night club a half mile from Coffeyville.

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Truman Foresees Jobless Period

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—(AP)—Chairman Truman (D-Mo) of the senate's war investigating committee said today \$8,000,000,000 in army and navy contracts have been cancelled to date and declared the time is coming when some communities will find themselves with "a serious unemployment problem."

"The manpower problem, although paramount today, is nearing its peak," the senator told the National Retail Dry Goods association's wartime conference here.

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Judy Garland To Seek Divorce

HOLLYWOOD, Jan. 11.—(AP)—Judy Garland, 21, is continuing to pound her checks told reporters she would file suit "in the very near future" for a divorce from her Sgt. David Rose, former movie studio composer and musical director.

"I had hoped something could be worked out," the actress added, "but now it appears the best thing to do is to get up and get a divorce."

Miss Garland, 21, and Rose, 33, have been separated since last January.

BUY BONDS

12 Nominated For Directors of C. C.

Ballots containing the names of 12 nominees for the five-man advisory board of the Pampa Chamber of Commerce were mailed today to C. C. members.

The 10 names was decided upon by the 1943 advisory board, which counted the nomination ballots yesterday, when it was found that candidates ranking from No. 9 to No. 12 were tied.

Out of the 12 names, the five polling the greatest number of votes will be elected.

Counting of the nomination ballots was done by the board composed of J. W. Bourland, Farris Oden, and J. B. Garman.

BUY BONDS

Today's Best LAFF

SALT LAKE CITY—"Hey, mister," the boy was quoted as saying, "want to buy some six coupons—two bits each for 'B' tickets, a book of 'A's' for 85."

His prospective customer, a policeman off duty, took the 13-year-old to police headquarters.

Five-One Garage 608 S. Cuyler Pl. B1

Winston Savage To Speak At Baker School Thursday

Winston Savage, above, Junior High principal, will be the guest speaker, choosing "Old-Fashioned Thrift for All the Family" as his topic.

Installation Banquet To be Held Thursday

Jim Collins, former Kiwanis club president, will be in Pampa Thursday to receive the post-president's pin when members of the Kiwanis club hold their annual informal installation banquet in the First Methodist church basement.

Woodrow Wilson P. T. A. To Hear Speaker Thursday

"Freedom From Want" is the subject on which Mayor Fred Thompson will speak when members of the Woodrow Wilson Parent-Teacher Association meet Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the school.

Sam Houston P. T. A. To Meet Thursday

The Rev. Robert Boshen, minister, First Presbyterian church, will be guest speaker at the Sam Houston Parent-Teacher Association at a meeting scheduled Thursday at 2:30 p. m.

Covered-Dish Dinner To be Held Wednesday For Presbyterians

The monthly Fellowship dinner of the First Presbyterian church will be held tomorrow night at 7 o'clock in the lower hall of the church.

The Social Calendar

WEDNESDAY: Holy Souls P. T. A. will meet at 9:30 at the school. W. M. U. of the First Baptist church will meet.



If wartime economy and scarcity of competent workmen stymie any hopes you had about a professional redecorating job, why not tackle it yourself? You'll be surprised at what you can do with a little application to learning how.

Mrs. H. E. Baird Hostess In Miami

Miami, Jan. 11.—Mrs. H. E. Baird was hostess to the WSCS of the M. E. church last week when 15 members met for the annual installation service, business and social meeting.

"Brand-new Man" Is Discussed At Army

Using as his text: "If any man be in Christ, he is a new creature, old things are passed away, and behold, all things are become new." (2 Corinthians 5:17).

Hopkins W. M. S. To Do Red Cross Work

The Women's Missionary Society of Hopkins community will meet Thursday of every week in the community hall at 2 o'clock with the exception of a meeting scheduled on the first Wednesday of every month.

Holy Souls P.T.A. To Meet Tomorrow

Father Fredrick P. Couppall will be guest speaker Wednesday when the Holy Souls Parent-Teacher Association will meet at 3:30.

"Black Widow" Joins AAF Night Fighters

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—(AP)—"The Black Widow," a powerful night fighter, is the newest of the air force's combat planes, the army has disclosed.

Robert Taylor Gets His Wings

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 11.—(AP)—Lieut. (jg) Robert Taylor, on wartime leave from the screen, has received his wings and an instructor's certificate as a member of a class of primary flight instructors graduating from the naval air station here.

Slessor to Aid General Eaker

LONDON, Jan. 11.—(AP)—Air Marshal Sir John Slessor, head of the British coastal command since November 1942, has been appointed deputy to Lt. Gen. Ira C. Eaker, commander of all Allied air forces in the Mediterranean.

WACs May Work On Continent

LONDON, Jan. 11.—(AP)—Col. Oretz Culp Hobby said today that there is an excellent chance the WACs will go onto the European continent after Allied forces have established their lines and that they will have a part in the rehabilitation.

1,307 Technicians Released by Army

SALT LAKE CITY, Jan. 11.—(AP)—Honorable discharges have been granted 1,307 technicians for their return to civilian life so their skills may be utilized by West Coast aircraft factories, Col. Walter F. Siegmund, commanding officer of Camp Kearns, said today.

Planes Grounded In S. A. Area Decline

SAN ANTONIO, Jan. 11.—(AP)—Army air force planes grounded for the week ended Jan. 7, 1945, declined 3.9 per cent for tactical planes and 1.8 per cent for trainers.

Mexican Designs

By MRS. ANNE CABOT Pleasant, colorful designs to work out in cross stitch on stay-at-home wintery afternoons and evenings! Do them in a riot of blues, greens, reds, yellow and black—the vivid colors of the Southwest, of Mexico and our sister republics in South America.

Wacs Assigned To Active Jobs Much Sooner

To speed up the operation of getting WACs into service as rapidly as possible in order to relieve men of the army for combat duty, the Women's Army Corps has adopted a policy of assigning small units to army posts and air bases as soon as they are needed, Lt. Evan K. Shelby, WAC recruiting officer at Pampa Field, has announced.

"Experience has taught us, however," he said, "that units of 10 and 20 will often suffice for the present and can be sent into service with less delay. The main thing is to get WACs on the job and release as many men as we can for duty elsewhere. We can't begin to supply the demand. Requests are continually coming in to headquarters to send more WACs, but we simply don't have enough. That is why we are making a special effort to recruit more members for the corps in order to answer General Marshall's request for 500,000 more WACs as soon as possible."

Clerical workers are still in greatest demand, Lt. Shelby said, but as specialists in other fields complete their training, the range is continually widening. A large percentage of the calls now received are for duty as "Air WACs" with the air forces, as weather observers, link trainer instructors, radio operators and laboratory technicians.

Air Transport Command Aids Future Lines

FORT WORTH, Jan. 11.—(AP)—Wartime operation of the AAF air transport command has resulted in developments that will advance peacetime commercial aviation 25 years, Maj. Gen. Harold Lee George, commanding general of the ATC, said here.

Japan Still Holds What She Held Before Pearl Harbor

Japan still holds what she held before Pearl Harbor—we haven't taken a single thing from them that they had before the start of this war, Marine Brig. Gen. Merritt A. Edson said here.

Bye-Bye Ballet



Toumanova, ex-prima ballerina of the Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo, takes a farewell look at her ballet skirt. She renounced ballet for the movies, is now working on second screen role, which features her acting over dancing.

Plasma Now Used For Skin Burns

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—(AP)—Two navy doctors took a tip from Mother Nature and developed a new surface treatment for burns which they said today is better than any of the "many methods" in vogue during the past two years.

Plasma has been used and will continue to be used intravenously for the relief of "shock" due to burns and other wounds. In that procedure, plasma is injected into the veins to restore the volume of lost blood fluid.

State Legislator Will Enter Army

MARSHALL, Texas, Jan. 11.—(AP)—State Rep. Robert Avant of Marshall (District 5) said he had sent his resignation as a member of the legislature to Gov. Coke R. Stevenson to become effective Tuesday, Jan. 11.

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American Petroleum Institute ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP DANCE AT THE Southern Club Thursday, January 13, 9 p. m. Music By Pinky Powell's Orchestra TICKETS ON SALE AT SCHNEIDER HOTEL Tickets Purchased For Dance Of December 9, 1943 Will Be Valid At This Dance. For Table Reservations, Phone 385W

Pleasant Surroundings An ideal place for families and friends to dine. Quality food and good service. Hillson Hotel Coffee Shop Under New Management

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PAMPAN CATCHES HAWAIIAN POMFANO

Cpl. Johnnie B. Parks is pictured above with a good day's catch from off the coast of one of the Hawaiian Islands. His catch is a pompano, one of the best food fishes. It's scales are of blue-silver or golden luster.

Jug McSpaden Wins \$12,500 Angeles Open

By FRANK FRAWLEY LOS ANGELES, Jan. 11. (AP)—America's richest golf prize, the \$12,500 Los Angeles Open championship, is the latest conquest of Harold (Jug) McSpaden of Philadelphia.

Army Wave



With a friendly smile and a "Hi-yo, soldier!" wave, blonde Kathleen Daugherty strikes a pin-up pose before taking a dip in the warm Gulf of Mexico at St. Petersburg, Fla.

F. D. R.

(Continued from Page 1) ...al resources will guarantee an earlier victory." Supporting his arguments of a national service act, he said millions of Americans "are not in this war at all" and that the act would be a means by which every man and woman could make the fullest possible contribution to victory.

PUBLIC OFFICIAL

HORIZONTAL 40 Beverage 41 Pictured 42 U. S. public official 43 12 months 44 Ratios 45 Symbol for 46 Lieutenant 47 Negotiator 48 Royal Scottish Academy 49 And (Latin) 50 Striped 51 camel's hair 52 Man's name 53 Drops of eye fluid 54 Surgical thread 55 Cloth measure 56 Half-em 57 Symbol for 58 Street (abbr.) 59 Parent 60 Old Testament (abbr.) 61 Be quiet 62 Symbol for 63 Music note 64 Like 65 Plover 66 Register for service 67 Scottish sheepfold 68 Consumed food 69 Associate 70 Justice of U. S. Supreme Court

Execution Of Ciano Reported

AT THE ITALIAN FRONTIER, Jan. 11. (AP)—An unconfirmed report said a Piazza Tringa square at dawn today executed Count Ciano, former Italian foreign minister and son-in-law of Mussolini, and four other members of the Fascist grand council sentenced to death at Verona for high treason.

RUSSIANS

(Continued from page 1) swift followup of the daylight raid yesterday by Flying Fortresses. Two ports were lost yesterday and at least eight of the 40-50 German fighters which challenged them were destroyed.

Wichita Falls Chosen For Coaching School

(By The Associated Press) Wichita Falls has gained an all-star high school football game this year and cancelled another for the Bowl game—as a result of the decision by the Texas High School Coaches association to hold its annual coaching school in Wichita Falls Aug. 7-11.

Crack Mobeetie Quintet Plays Pampa Tonight

Mobeetie, the town that consistently turns out ace basketball teams, will give the Pampa Harvesters all the action they desire when the high school basketball teams of Pampa and Mobeetie play a doubleheader beginning at 7:30 tonight in the Pampa Junior High school gymnasium.

Sports Roundup

BY HUGH FULLERTON, JR. NEW YORK, Jan. 11. (AP)—The oddest of the "screwy season" ideas about baseball to turn up this winter is the suggestion offered to The Sporting News by Advertising Man William C. D'Arcy of St. Louis.

Mainly About Pampa And Her Neighbor Towns

A marriage license was issued here yesterday to George Cunningham and Miss Janis May Jones, both of Pampa.

OIL

(Continued from Page 1) they contend, would spur exploration for new fields. Current output is 50 per cent more than Texas allowable at the end of 1941. During the first 11 months of 1943 well completions in Texas slumped 20.1 per cent under a year ago.

Pampa Soldier Helps Make 'Bitter Beer' For Germans in One of England's Best Breweries

HEADQUARTERS, European Theater of Operations.—The United States army soldiers at a general supply depot somewhere in England have a strange expression for their daily work. It's "making the beer."

Walker to Speak At Dallas February 22

DALLAS, Jan. 11.—(AP)—Frank C. Walker, postmaster general and Democratic national committee chairman, will be the principal speaker at a Washington's birthday dinner here Feb. 22.

First Down, Referee Ditto

In a letter to Asa Bushnell outlining his protest about football officials who get too close to the scene of action, Columbia's Lou Little explains: "Next fall, if these officials do not get where they belong, I am going to coach my men (if I have any who can run) to trample right over the official and not pay any attention to him."

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Big 'V' Forms On Vesuvius

NAPLES, Jan. 11.—(AP)—A huge and spectacular "V" sign has appeared on the slopes of Mt. Vesuvius facing directly toward the Fifth Army front.

Today's Guest Star

Sgt. Dan Polier, Yank: "Year's greatest discovery in sports—the punctured airhead."

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Canadian Soldier Missing in Action

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—(AP)—The war department made public today the names of 252 United States soldiers missing in action including: Wilson, Staff Sgt. James E.—Jodie D. Wilson, father, Canadian.

DiMaggio, Laabs Strikeout Champs

NEW YORK, Jan. 11. (AP)—The unwanted 1944 major league baseball championships—the dubious honor of striking out the most times—went to Chet Laabs, of the St. Louis Browns, and Bill DiMaggio, of the Pittsburgh Pirates.

Baylor Basketeers Play Aggies Tonight

WACO, Jan. 11. (AP)—The first of six games bringing all Southwest conference basketball teams into action is scheduled here tonight when Baylor's Bears meet the Texas Aggies.

67 Known Dead In Patrol Boat Loss

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