

# KEEP LINE ADVANCES

## U. S. Carrier Force Wallops Japanese in 2-Day Stab

### Tokyo Given Plenty Time To Send Help

By J. B. KRUEGER  
Associated Press War Editor  
American warships for the first time in this war have turned their guns on the Bonin Islands, the lock on Japan's front door, wiping out a Japanese town on Chichi Jima and sinking or damaging 41 ships of an enemy convoy.

The stunning two-day stab into the Bonins, 600 miles from Tokyo, was announced last night by Adm. Chester Nimitz. It was the highlight development of a quickening Pacific war otherwise notable for cracking Japanese morale on New Guinea and the still-successful battle of Chinese troops to hold Hengyang.

The fast U. S. carrier force struck into the Bonin and Kagan Islands Thursday and Friday. They caught a convoy, which presumably was bringing in supplies or reinforcements for these islands constituting the innermost barrier of Japan's ocean defenses.

Sunk: Five destroyers or ocean escorts, five cargo ships, one oiler, two smaller vessels and several barges.

Fired and possibly sunk: One light cruiser and five smaller craft. Thirty others were damaged. Some of the barges were carrying troops.

The warship shelling, followed to seven miles by fleet planes since June 14, was devastating. Said the communiqué: "Omura town on Chichi Jima was destroyed."

Chichi, main island of the Bonins, also was hit by planes, as

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### Bette Davis To Produce Films As Well as Act

HOLLYWOOD, Aug. 7.—(AP)—Bette Davis' hat — a period model, of course — was in the ring today as a contender for movie producing honors.

But she said to think nothing of it. It didn't mean she was planning to retire from the acting, which has brought her fame, fortune and Oscars.

Dressed in the staid garb and red wig of the Welsh school teacher in "The Corn Is Green," Miss Davis said she was merely exercising a contractual right.

"I'll just ease into the producing end this way," she explained. "I'll be co-producer on only one of my three films a year. For the past several years the studio has been nice about letting me make suggestions on my films, and as a co-producer I'll be more interested officially. A desk and an office? Heavens, no!"

Her first film as a co-producer will be "Stolen Life," once made by Elizabeth Bergner, bought by Warner Bros. At Bette's request, it will let her appear as herself, a modern, for a change from her many period and make-up parts.

"There's so much we producers don't know about pictures," she observed. "Most of us don't know what a budget looks like, and we've no idea how a film is cut and assembled. I want to know. I see a day coming when all pictures will be made by small, individualized units rather than big companies, and they'll be better pictures. Frank Capra (advised) proved that when he first started producing his own films."

"And I think if an actor is sharing responsibility on his picture he'll naturally be more interested. I know one — no names, please — who did as I'm going to do. Before, he took his sweet time about reporting on the set. Now, he's there on the dot."

### Texas Republican Committee Meets

DALLAS, Aug. 7.—(AP)—Texas Republicans gathered here today for a meeting of the state executive committee preceding tomorrow's state Republican convention, at which state office candidates will be nominated.

R. B. Greager, Brownsville Republican national committee man from Texas, said Texas Republicans are awaiting outcome of the state Democratic convention here Sept. 12 before deciding tactics in the Dewey-Bricker campaign.

Greager told Democratic affairs could take such a turn the Republicans would withdraw their electors, but he added he saw only a slight possibility for such action.

The Brownsville resident said there is no question that Texas Republican electors would cast their votes for Dewey and Bricker.

I SAW ...

M. K. Brown, at the zenith of happiness as the result of a dinner conversation with Lt. Edmund Lutz, the lieutenant had been stationed in England and told M. K. about a lot of places both knew in England. Brown's former home, Lieutenant Lutz graduated from Pampa field in November, 1943, has been on six bombing missions over Berlin; is now home on leave. His wife is the former Betty Jean Tennant, of Pampa. Home of the lieutenant is in Cleveland, Ohio.

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### Almost All Workers Are Back on Job

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 7.—(AP)—The federal government in all its war-time might — involving full controls over the employment, destinations and even food rations of individuals — crushed Philadelphia's wildest transit walkout today after a "nightmare" week in which vital war production slumped, Negroes and white men battled in the streets and a city of 2,000,000 waited virtually helpless against the will of 6,000 strikers.

While troops in battle dress patrolled all bus, trolley, subway and subway-elevated trains and Philadelphians rode to work as usual again, army officers who lined up the lines last Thursday night announced that service had been fully restored—with regular transit employees manning the cars.

Four leaders of the strike who are free on \$2,500 bonds on charges of violation of the Smith-Connally Act have been dismissed from their jobs.

An army spokesman confirmed the dismissals but declined to give details.

The four are James McMenamin, who registered to return to work but told strikers "You are going to work at the point of a bayonet," Frank P. Carney, William C. Dixey, and Frank Thomson.

The Philadelphia Transportation company said 95 per cent of the strikers had registered to return on their varying shifts today in compliance with the army's "work-or-be-fired" ultimatum and well before its 11:01 a. m. (CWT) Monday registration deadline. The army reported that the return to work was 100 per cent at 10:30 a. m. today.

Soldiers stood by ready to operate any buses or trolleys as needed, but the army said their use was "problematical."

Production soared again in this second largest arsenal of the nation, and tension between Negroes and whites eased.

The strike had been lost—eight Negroes were called to resign today as trolley motormen, the issue that caused the stoppage, but whether they had reported for work could not be determined at once.

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### Future of Lend Lease Not Taken Up With Britain

WASHINGTON, Aug. 7.—(AP)—Acting Secretary of State Stettinius declared today that Britain has not taken up with the United States the future of lend-lease.

He told his news conference both governments "are completely occupied with the war campaigns in Europe and the Far East."

Production of lend-lease goods has been and continues to be to conduct lend-lease operations to bring about the greatest mobilization of our joint resources.

Police Seek Clue To Woman's Death

WASHINGTON, Aug. 7.—(AP)—Police lacked any clue today to help them track down the slayer of an attractive, 34-year-old woman fatally stabbed yesterday on Woodland path in Rock Creek park.

Three suspects taken in custody after a single knife thrust through the breast brought death to Miss Frances N. Erickson, an architectural designer, were said by police to have no connection with the case. They were to be released.

Miss Erickson, who came to Washington two months ago from Birmingham, Mich., died in the arms of a policeman after describing her assailant as a dark-skinned Negro about 25 years old. Inspector Robert J. Barrett, chief of detectives, said Miss Erickson had not been raped and robbery was the apparent motive.

Corpus Christi Holds State Safety Record

CORPUS CHRISTI, Aug. 7.—(AP)—Corpus Christi today held the Texas traffic safety record of 173 consecutive days without a traffic fatality.

The new mark, reached at midnight Sunday, shattered the record of 172 days held by Galveston, a city in the same population bracket with Corpus Christi. Austin is third with 147 days, a total reached before the United States entered the war.

Corpus Christi has had three traffic deaths this year.

BROTHER, SISTER DROWN

EDINBURGH, Texas, Aug. 7.—(AP)—A youth and his sister, Emilio Plava Zarate, 18, and Felicia Plava, 15, drowned yesterday while they were members of a swimming party at Del Mar beach, Justice of the Peace F. E. Zarate of Rio Grande City, father of the two, said his son drowned in an attempt to save the girl.

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### Postwar Talks Involving Big 4 Are Delayed

WASHINGTON, Aug. 7.—(AP)—Acting Secretary of State Stettinius announced today that the post-war security talks have been postponed until August 21 at the request of Russia.

The Anglo-American-Russian phase of the four-power conversations was scheduled to begin in Washington August 14, with discussions among the United States, Britain and China to follow upon their conclusion.

Stettinius told his news conference that the Russian government found it needed more time for preparation in Moscow before Soviet representatives start for Washington.

He said delay probably would save time in the end.

He said Moscow had not yet officially informed Washington on who would head the Russian delegation, but that word was expected shortly.

Speculation was centered about vice-commissioner for foreign affairs Maxim Litvinoff, former Soviet ambassador to Washington. Stettinius will lead the U. S. delegation, and Sir Alexander Cadogan, permanent undersecretary for foreign affairs, will head the British delegation.

The Russians earlier had delayed opening the conference at the end of July, and it is believed that they are preparing fairly extensive plans to put up to the other two powers.

### 300 Expected To Attend Banquet Here Tomorrow

Last-minute arrangements were being made at the Chamber of Commerce office today for the visit here tomorrow of Dr. Homer P. Rainey, president of the University of Texas, who will speak tomorrow night on the junior college movement.

Dr. Rainey will be met at Clarendon tomorrow morning by a reception committee composed of C. A. Burris, president of the Pampa Chamber of Commerce; Joe Key, chairman of the post war planning committee; Sherman White, county judge; and Reno Stinson, past president. Pampa Chamber of Commerce.

At attendance of 300 people is expected at the banquet tomorrow night in the high school cafeteria beginning at 8 o'clock. A block of tickets is still available, and reservations may be made by telephoning the Chamber of Commerce office, telephone 383.

It is important that reservations be made in advance. Tickets are \$1 each. Ladies are given a special invitation to attend. The block will be prepared by Mrs. H. H. Williams of the high school cafeteria, served by B. P. W. club.

An informal luncheon will be held at the First Methodist church fellowship room tomorrow at noon when directors and the post war planning committee of the Chamber of Commerce, city, county, and school officials, and other civic leaders will be introduced to Dr. Rainey. He will give information on the junior college program.

Dr. Rainey will not be called upon to speak at this meeting, but may be asked to answer questions about the junior college program.

The Junior chamber of commerce has cancelled its luncheon scheduled for tomorrow, and members will be invited to the banquet tomorrow night. Wives of the Jaycees are likewise to attend the banquet, according to Don Eaton, secretary.

### Steelmakers Work At 97 Per Cent Capacity

CLEVELAND, Aug. 7.—(AP)—To meet demands of the nation's military forces for ordnance items, America's steelmakers are operating at 97 per cent of capacity, "better than predicted early in the season when it was estimated freely that output would be down to 80 per cent or more," the magazine Steel said today.

A summer production decline had been forecast because of a manpower shortage, hot weather and equipment repairs.

"Now the necessity is apparent for higher operating rates as the new goals are to be achieved, and this means more labor and a minimum of work stoppages," the publication said.

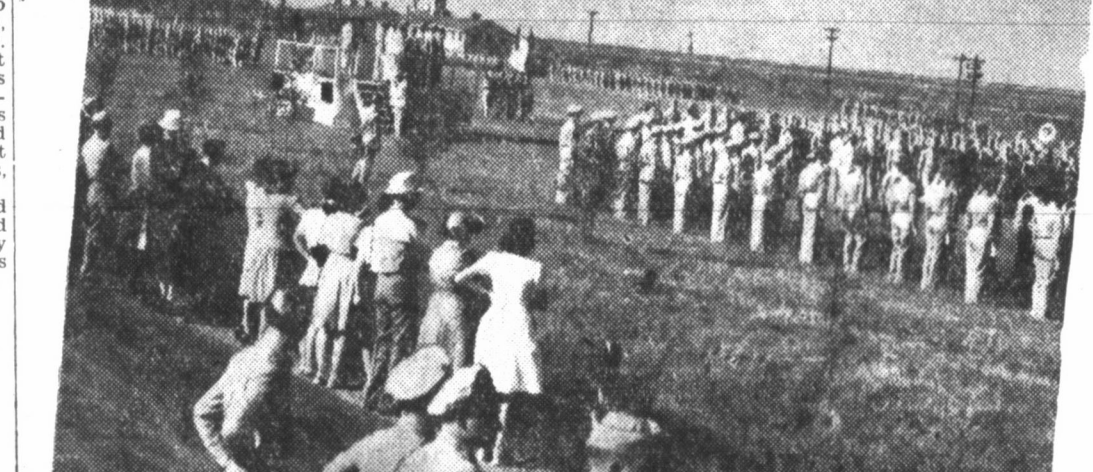
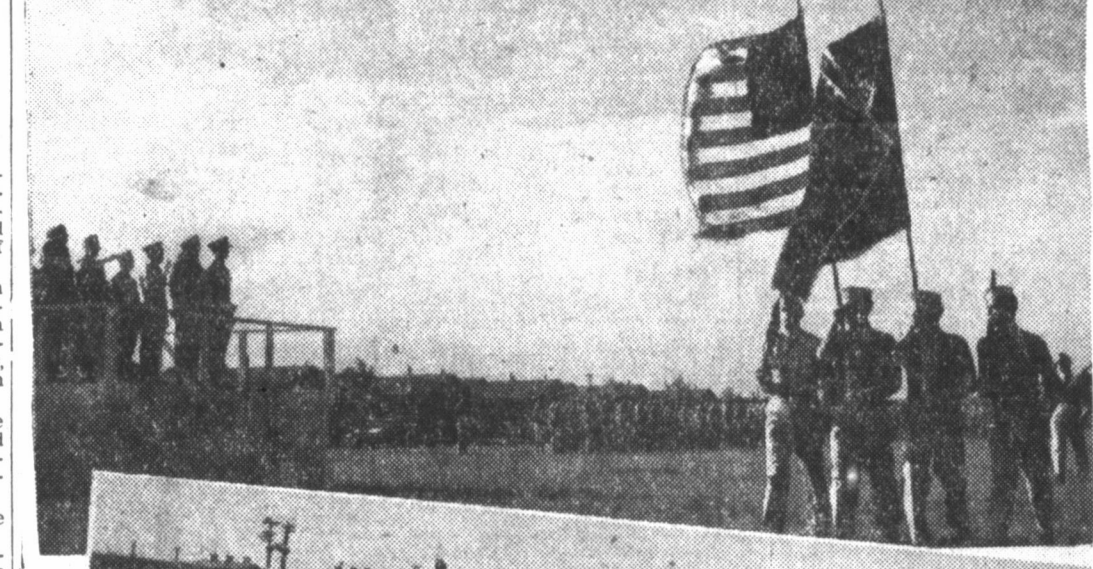
WEATHER FORECAST

WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy this afternoon, tonight, and Tuesday; widely scattered afternoon and evening thunder showers.

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### AS CADETS GRADUATE AT PAAF



Top: The Colors pass in review during open-air ceremony Friday at the PAAF, when the latest class of cadets was graduated; middle, the Colors passing, showing cadets at attention; bottom, Wing Commander Edwin H. Jessup, Kensington Place, Tenn., being congratulated by Commanding Officer Col. Charles B. Harvin. On far side is Student officer Lt. Gaylor L. Finch, who made a grade score of 92.4 for pre-flight, primary, basic and advanced training. Wing Commander is the highest honor to which a cadet may attain. (Official Photo, USAAF, by Training Command.)

### Pros Launch Drive To Line Up Voter

AUSTIN, Aug. 7.—(AP)—Pro-Roosevelt Democrats today set up an organization with the double-barreled objective of lining up Texas' 23 electoral votes for Roosevelt and Truman, and of taking over control of the party organization.

Confident that they had enough votes on paper to control the Sept. 12 convention in Dallas where they

### Man Sends Mother To Death, Then Follows

LONG BEACH, Calif., Aug. 7.—(AP)—Dudley W. Burris, 30, pushed his mother from a window of their seventh-floor apartment yesterday, and then leaped to join her in death, police said.

Police inspectors S. W. Tubbs and O. E. Whiteley said witnesses gave them this report.

R. A. Pinson, occupying an apartment on the floor above, reported hearing Burris and his mother, Mrs. June W. Burris, 55, arguing. He heard Mrs. Burris cry: "He's trying to push me out! Please stop him."

Three women on the roof of a nearby apartment building—Mary F. Whitty, Grace R. Seely and Frances W. Barnes—related watching the struggle at the window and seeing Mrs. Burris cling desperately to the sill before plunging to a garden bed. They said Burris followed her immediately.

The inspectors reported that John Murray Burris, husband and father, said his wife and son both were in ill health and that the son recently urged his mother to join him in a suicide pact. John Burris said that at the time of their deaths yesterday, he was away making arrangements for the funeral of his wife's mother, who died Friday.

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### 17,000 Nazis Are Put Out of Fight

By ALTON L. BLAKESLEE  
Associated Press War Editor

Steel-tipped U. S. columns plunged eastward on a 53-mile front toward Paris today, menacing the rail-and-road city of Le Mans 100 miles from the French capital, after a swift envelopment of Brittany netting 13,300 prisoners and leaving 3,400 Germans dead on the field.

Simultaneously, British forces broke across the Orne river, threatening to turn the enemy hinge line below Caen. Swiss and British reports said the Nazis already were evacuating Paris.

The Germans today launched their largest counter-attack since the landings in France, using at least four armored divisions between Mortain and Sourdeval in a drive aimed at splitting the Normandy and Brittany forces.

Armored American drives were spearheading Paris through disorganized German defenses, and 500 to 750 heavy U. S. bombers tore up supply depots and communications line behind the front. Five hundred more bombers from Italy pounded two synthetic oil plants in Germany.

Other doughboys battled for five key ports on the Breton peninsula, and seized three more towns in mop-up operations.

Canada for the first time has a separate army formation in battle, it was disclosed, with the Canadian first army fighting on the Allied left flank in Normandy. The Allies now have taken some 20,000 square miles or nearly one-tenth of continental France.

Paris lay even closer to the British second army left wing which, in a sudden new surge, drove a wedge across the Orne river deep behind the stout enemy hedgehog position below Caen.

The Allies captured Vire, last Nazi anchor in western Normandy. U. S. patrols reached Domfront 20 miles to the south, widening the great American power push from the base of the Breton Peninsula. On the line below Domfront, the British 1st Army men and tanks were driving eastward on Paris after hopping the Mayenne river line at five points and seizing Mayenne, Laval, and Chateaufort, the latter down only 24 miles north of Angers.

The rail and road hub of Le Mans 100 miles southwest of Paris was under direct menace. Bombers slashed Nazi road lines ahead of the U. S. sweep.

The Russians still beat in from the east. Another Soviet army—the 11th—paroled in action this summer, topped the oil-rich town of Drohobych in Old Southern Poland, just before Carpathian mountain passes into Czechoslovakia.

To the north other Red Army soldiers crunched toward East Prussia swept up 30 villages, and fought within 5 to 25 miles of the border of that central territory. The Red within 50 miles of Tilsit in East Prussia. The battle for burning Warsaw raged without decision, but 100 miles farther south a Soviet advance toward Krakow apparently had bottled up numerous Germans in the

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### Hitler Believed In Good Standing

LONDON, Aug. 7.—(AP)—A bid by Adolf Hitler for "blind confidence" from the Nazi home front strengthened the belief here today that, barring betrayal or overthrow, he will continue the fight against the Allies until the very end.

The official German news agency DNB said yesterday in a Berlin broadcast that Hitler, in a pep talk to Reich leaders at his headquarters last Friday, asserted he was thankful "because I believe it is necessary for the nation to have a man like me who would not capitulate under any circumstances, and who holds high the banner of faith and confidence."

"I believe that nobody could do this better than I am doing," Hitler added. "Whatever may come, I shall always stand up a bearer of the banner."

"I am not afraid of the fight against our exterior enemies. At the end we will finish all the same. All I need is the conviction that in our rear there is absolute security, blind confidence and faithful collaboration."

His remarks were interpreted also as an expression of determination to bring all Germans possible under the Nazi banner, perhaps as a nucleus for a post-war underground army.

### Merrill's Leader Is In Ill Health

GEN. STILWELL'S HEADQUARTERS IN INDIA, Aug. 7.—(AP)—Although Brig. Gen. Frank Merrill had been transferred to a post in Kandy because of ill health, his famous American infantry force known as "Merrill's Marauders" is still fighting "somewhere in the field" in Burma, an official announcement said yesterday.

The announcement emphasized that Merrill's transfer was in no way connected with an inquiry into the return of convalescent raiders to duty during the battle of Myittha, which an official investigation said had caused a breakdown in Marauder morale.

It was Beaumont's greatest fire and although the city's fire chief, Steve O'Connor, hospitalized by exhaustion and smoke inhalation from the fire, was unable to compute the damage, Perlestein said the \$50,000 estimated loss probably was correct.

Beginning Today  
THE LIFE OF EISENHOWER  
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Five-One Garage, 600 S. Cuyler, 7th. 51—Adv.



Woman, Husband Die Within Week

Funeral services were held in Wheeler yesterday for Mrs. Jettie Morgan, 67, who died Saturday morning. Her husband, Sid T. Morgan, preceded her in death only three days. His funeral was last Wednesday.

Another One of the 'Commandos' Enlists

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 7.—As if Hitler didn't have enough worries already, another fighting Kelly joined up Friday.

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were Haha, Moko and Ane in the same group and Iowa Jima in the Kazans, 150 miles southward. Twelve enemy planes were destroyed against a loss of 16 U. S. aircraft and 19 U. S. airmen.

Mainly About Pampa and Her Neighbor Towns

Gene Winton has returned from Fort Worth where he was called because of the death of his father, J. H. Winton who died July 26. Lee Winton, another son, formerly of Pampa, now living in Belle Plaine, Calif., was here after attending funeral services in Fort Worth.

REAR-ADMIRAL

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WORKERS

The army referred questioners to General Hayes' statement of Thursday that "all the employes will continue in the capacity they held before the walkout."

GOP-Southern Demos Gang Up On Senate Plan

WASHINGTON, Aug. 7.—A coalition of Republicans and Southern Democratic senators lined up Friday against a proposed federalized system of unemployment benefits for dismissed war workers.

YANKEE

San-Vistula river triangle. In Italy, German shells plumed into Allied-held southern sections of Florence, and Allied patrols crossed of the north banks of the Arno river to feel out Nazi strength in the cultural city.

Ex-Policemen Favor Navy Over Army

Navy leaders army four to one among former Pampa policemen. Three ex-peace officers of the city are in the navy, one in the coast guard, now a part of the navy.

VOTERS

every Roosevelt delegate to make sure he either attends the Sept. 12 convention, or puts his proxy in the right hands. They will attempt to swing uninstructed delegates to their side, as well as individual members of other delegations not bound under the unit rule.

Infantile Paralysis Scourges 12 States

Announcing that the American people had contributed an all-time record of \$10,973,491 to the 1944 Fund-Raising Appeal of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, Basil O'Connor, foundation president, declared last night that these donations will permit an expansion of the war against the children's enemy on the home front.

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Just A Day In The Life of A Reporter "Has Bob Huff, the county attorney, been in your place?" This was a long distance telephone query from an unknown man who failed to give his name. The Pampa News Saturday night.

The Professor Has Rude Awakening LONDON, Aug. 7.—(AP)—Prof. Harold Laski, widely known British economist, had a rude awakening recently when a German flying bomb struck a coast hotel. Laski's bed fell five stories through a gaping hole torn by the bomb blast, but landed right on top with the professor still in it—wide awake but unharmed.

"Boy, oh boy, it's getting to be a job to run this railroad!" "You see, I started out with just a little bit of track and only one train." "So did the Fort Worth and Denver Railway, Jimmy, back in 1882." "But I kept adding new track and switches and engines and cars, until now I've got a real railroad." "Nice work, Jimmy; that is exactly how we grew to our present size. Altogether, the Burlington Lines have 11,000 miles of track and serve 13 different states." "You know something, though—my dad says for me to keep right on figuring new ways to do more things better on my railroad. Because, he says, there'll be plenty of new jobs ahead that will take a lot of doing." "Dad is right, Jimmy. There's a lot of work for all of us in the peacetime days ahead. And the Burlington Lines are proud to be among the army of railroads which will team up to handle the lion's share of tomorrow's transportation job—just as they're handling today's."

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Ham Slices With Fruit Stuffing Is a Taste Treat

DINNER MENU
Ham Slices with Fruit Stuffing
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Baked Peas
Coffee
Cookies

If the family would like the treat of a new meat dish there could hardly be one to please them better than ham slices baked with fruit stuffing.

One slice of the meat is spread quite thickly with a rich tuffing and the second slice placed on top and secured with toothpicks. They are then placed on a rack in an open roasting pan and baked until tender.

The dressing used in this recipe is distinctive in itself. It is flavored with orange juice, diced apple and raisins. As a stuffing for other meats such as a cushion pork roast or veal roast, it would also be delicious.

To serve these ham slices baked with the fruit stuffing cut across the ham and through the three layers to make pieces about two to three inches wide.

Have ham slices cut 1/4 to 1/2 inch thick. Spread one slice with a thick layer of stuffing. Place a second ham slice on top. Secure by sticking wooden toothpicks through one slice to the other.

Pampa Field Is Wedding Scene

Miss Roberta J. Gordon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Gordon of 415 1/2 Fourth St., Fairbury, Neb., became the bride of Flight Officer Guy L. Sharp, son of Mrs. Theoda Sharp of El Dorado, Kas., in a wedding ceremony performed at 5 p. m. Friday in the Pampa Army Air Field post chapel.

Sgt. Everett P. Coe, chaplain's assistant and minister in civilian life, officiated in the absence of Capt. Warren E. Murphy, post chaplain.

The bridegroom is stationed at Pampa Army Air Field. Witnesses were Mrs. H. N. Payne Jr. and Cordelia A. Williams, both stationed at the local air base.

T. E. L. Class To Meet Thursday In Gilstrap Home

T. E. L. class members of the Central Baptist church will meet Thursday with Mrs. O. H. Gilstrap, 315 Neida, according to an announcement made today by Mrs. G. W. Keeling, club reporter.

The Social Calendar

TUESDAY
Viernes club will have an ice cream supper at 8:30 at the City park. Mrs. Lily Hartfield will present her piano studies in recital at 8:15 p. m. at the First Baptist church.

Ration Calendar

By The Associated Press
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LYNN MERRICK: Blushing. When a make-up just misses being soigné, nine girls out of 10 can blame the failure on a faulty technique of applying cheek rouge.

There are numerous ways of keeping rouge from looking like red patches on a pink quilt, but here's such an infallible one—youthful Lynn Merrick, 'Meet Miss Bobby Socks' starlet, passes it on—that it leaps to the top in my favor.

Man Arrested For Dyer Act Infraction

James Wilson Ready was taken from Pampa to Amarillo Friday by U. S. Marshal W. F. (Bill) Lampe and put in the Potter county jail.

Ready was arrested at Pampa Thursday. Blondes should avoid vinegar rinses which will darken hair.

Fidelis Members Entertained With Picnic at Park

Members of the Fidelis class of the Central Baptist church met in the City park for their monthly social last week when the devotional was brought by Mrs. K. W. Irwin, class president.

Rent Official Visits Pampa, Borger Areas

For the first time since rent control became effective in Pampa, a bureau official from Washington, has visited this city and area.

Nelson Snyder, senior rent representative, from Washington, was one of a party of five who visited Pampa and Borger, the oil fields adjacent to the two cities, and the Borger rubber plant, this week-end.

Austin Exceeds Its Waste Paper Quota

AUSTIN, Aug. 7.—(AP)—Citizens of Austin yesterday added 212,900 pounds of good waste paper to the nation's stockpile exceeding in one day this city's quota of 200,000 pounds.

There was more to come. City trucks making the collections were swamped by the response, and were unable to cover every section of town. They planned to continue gathering the paper today.

We, the Women

By RUTH MILLETT
It is the common complaint of young mothers today that they are completely tied down by a small child or two and never find time for the kind of recreation their husbands manage to get.

That is entirely the fault of the mothers, themselves. If men had the responsibility for taking care of children they would manage it so that they had time for golf or tennis or whatever sport interested them and for any other recreation they really wanted.

For instance, you wouldn't find six men sitting around a wading pool or sandpile each taking care of the one child when they would all like to be out playing golf.

No sir. Men who thought up the idea of having caddies to carry their golf bags would have hired high school girls to "caddy" the kids. Or one of them would take over all the kids while the others played golf.

Men always manager their business so that they have some time for themselves. And if housewives were as smart about managing and as determined as men to have some fun in life they would manage, too.

And you wouldn't be neglecting the kids, either. Children would get just as much sunshine and fresh air if one mother took all the kids in the neighborhood to the park, instead of every mother taking her own.

It's just that women aren't finding time for themselves. You can bet that if children were men's job there would be places to park kids in stores, on golf courses, etc.

Children would never tie men down completely—and they shouldn't tie women down.

Spann-Cheatham Vows Are Taken

Miss Nell Spann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Spann of Amarillo, became the bride of Pvt. Roy P. Cheatham, son of R. F. Cheatham of Panhandle in a ceremony performed at 8 o'clock Friday night at the First Presbyterian church in Amarillo.

Dr. R. Thomsen officiated before an altar decorated with tall baskets of white gladioli, fern and tall candelabras.

Mrs. J. Francis Brown, organist, played several pre-nuptial selections including Mendelssohn's "Wedding March."

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white, fashioned with a satin bodice a lace yoke trimmed with seed pearls, long fitted sleeves and a full marquisette skirt ending in a train. She wore a coronet of orange blossoms and carried a bouquet of gardenias.

Following the wedding ceremony a reception was held in the home of the bride's parents. A three-tiered cake centered the lace-covered table. After the reception the couple left on a short wedding trip.

The bridegroom graduated from Amarillo High school, Amarillo College and of West Texas State college at Canyon.

The bridegroom graduated from West Texas State college where he was a member of the Tri Tau fraternity.

Irving Berlin Sings Of the Infantry

(AP) Features
ROME—Irving Berlin, after spending several weeks with combat troops in Italy has written a new song, dedicated to the infantry, which he considers one of the best he ever has written.

The songwriter introduced it personally in a GI show, "This Is The Army" on June 15 in Rome. It is entitled "There Are No Wings on a Foxhole" and reads:

"There are no wings on a foxhole if it's where you happen to be. While the shells are flying it's doing or dying. For the men of the Infantry."

"There are no wheels on your toes. When you march from night till dawn. Twenty miles of hiking. Are not to your liking. But the footsolders marches on."

"From the night—till the dawn The footsolder marches on. There's a sharp end to your rifle When you're close to your enemy. At the close-up meeting There's no retreating. For the men of the Infantry."

Restraining Order On Grain Is Removed
FORT WORTH, Aug. 7.—(AP)—Restrictions on the shipment of grain to Fort Worth were removed Friday.

E. B. Wooten, manager of the Fort Worth grain and cotton exchange said the peak of the wheat movement had passed and there was no longer any need for curtailing shipments of grain as all can be handled with no delay.

I was getting tired of soldiering, anyway. '78-year-old Nazi private captured in France. Lamb is best when pink with creamy or pinkish fat.

PAMPAYOFF
KANSAS CITY — Children of Kansas City's playgrounds more than doubled their \$50,000 promised bond sales during the Fifth War loan.

Their reward: A Missouri river excursion aboard a landing craft, tank, on her maiden cruise.

A tart punch is more thirst quenching than sweet.

MAINE THOMPSON and 1st Lt. Walter Haskins, captain of Gardner, Me., are the first to receive the Purple Heart for 42 different tours of duty.

1st Lt. Joe Felix, bombardier, of New Bedford, Mass., is a long training veteran. He says: "I've been in the AAF since '34. My brother, it's worth it!"

Navigator of the Blue Streak crew is Mitch, who here "trailed" the sun on a trans-Atlantic flight.



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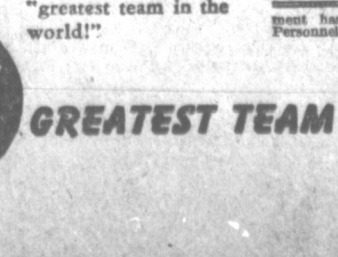
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# Brownies Take Two From Tribe

**By JOE REICHLER**  
Associated Press Sports Writer

The St. Louis Browns appear a shoo-in for the American league pennant—provided they can break even in their 22 game eastern swing which starts Wednesday against the New York Yankees in New York.

Closing their home stand yesterday with a double triumph over the Cleveland Indians, 9-6 and 6-4, with the aid of a big six-run inning in each game, the Browns ran their winning streak to eight, one shy of their season-opening streak.

The Browns are enjoying their biggest first place lead of the season, six and a half games, despite a 24-26 game record away from home. The reason for this is their remarkable gait at their Sportsman's park home.

If the Browns can win 11 of their next 22 games, they seem safe to be in first place on their return—23 out of their last 28 games at home.

Nelson Potter, pitching his first game since Empire Cal Hubbard ejected him from a game for blowing on his hands from the Phillies, won his 10th victory in the St. Louis-Cleveland opener, while Dennis Galehouse won his fourth in the nightcap.

Pittsburgh shattered the Chicago Cubs' 11-game winning streak by taking both ends of a double header 13-5 and 5-4. The double defeat dropped the Bruins back into the second division, one percentage behind the fourth place New York Giants. The Pirates were aided by a nine-run seventh inning in the opener.

Detroit swept a twin-bill from the Chicago White Sox, 10-3 and 3-1 before 18,301 fans. Dizzy Trout became the third major league hurler to win 17 games, giving up only five hits in the nightcap. He also starred out at bat with his third homer of the year and a run-scoring double.

The Giants needed only an event split to regain the first division, winning the opener from the Phillies, 6-2, for Harry Feldman's ninth victory, and dropping the nightcap, 3-1.

The Yankees won two games from the Philadelphia Athletics, 6-1, and 1-0. Johnny Lindell's 12th homer won the nightcap for Walter Dubiel, who was opposed by Jesse Flores.

The Boston Braves dumped the Brooklyn Dodgers into the cellar again with a 14-4 and 8-7 double pasting. The Braves exploded for 10

## Sports Roundup

**By FRITZ HOWELL**  
Pinch-hitting for Hugh Fullerton, Jr. NEW YORK, Aug. 7.—(AP)—Pinny, isn't it, that with all this night baseball going on, there hasn't been a single instance of a manager finding a player for staying out all day!

Theme song suggestions: "St. Louis Blues" for the 14 clubs chasing the Cardinals and Browns; "Take me out of the ball game" for any pitcher as Stan Musial comes to bat.

**GUEST STARS**  
Bob Stedler, Buffalo Evening News; Baseball isn't the only sport that has catchers. There's boxing's Lou Nova, for instance.

Bill Diehl, Norfolk Ledger-Dispatch: It begins to look as if you'll need only one figure to list the total of 1944 home runs for the Piedmont league leader. Circuit blows are as scarce as Jap prisoners.

**A FEW TEASERS**  
No. 1—What 20-year big-league outfielder hit only two home runs in 1,172 games and 3372 times at bat the other day but forgot to write a piece for her paper about it... 822 players turned out for eight Western conference football squad summer practices (Chicago isn't playing the Iowa starts Aug. 14), including 57 letters winners and 35 service men... ball players in the New York area were placed on the same basis as Bluebird Queens today by the WMC office, which ruled they were in the entertainment field and could change jobs within the industry without permission of the War Manpower Commission.

**SHORT AND SAPPY**  
Thelma Linster of the Mansfield (Ohio) News-Journal sports department, and holder of the Buckeye state publicist golf crown the last five years, shot a course-record 77 the other day but forgot to write a piece for her paper about it... 822 players turned out for eight Western conference football squad summer practices (Chicago isn't playing the Iowa starts Aug. 14), including 57 letters winners and 35 service men... ball players in the New York area were placed on the same basis as Bluebird Queens today by the WMC office, which ruled they were in the entertainment field and could change jobs within the industry without permission of the War Manpower Commission.

**ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS**  
No. 1—Johnny Cooney, released last week by New York Yankees.  
No. 2—The Brooklyn bridge was won by American association flag in 1889, shifted to national and won pennant in 1890.  
No. 3—(A)—Hugh Fullerton Jr.; (B) Everyone, including Howell.

runs, the highest single-inning scoring in the majors this year, in the opener to make it easier for Jim Tobias to win his 12th game. A big five-run rally in the fifth won the nightcap.

The Red Sox and Washington Senators traded one-run decisions, the Senators winning the opener 3-2, and the Sox annexing the finale 5-4.

The St. Louis Cardinals defeated the Cincinnati Reds 5-4 in 14 innings when Johnny Hopp doubled to score Max Lanier, but may have lost the services of pitcher Ted Wilks, Wilks was hit on the side of the head by a line drive off the bat of Steve Mesner in the 13th inning and had to be taken to a hospital.

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## NO GALPOWER SHORTAGE



Here is a scene the promoters of softball in Pampa would like to see duplicated here, not only for their teams, but also for boys. A organized effort was made to furnish recreation for Pampa boys and girls in the formation of three softball leagues, playing regular schedules. Some of the teams quit the leagues, many games went by forfeit. Next summer this situation should not exist as boys and girls learn to better appreciate the value of sports. Sponsor of the softball project is the Pampa Kiwanis club. The picture above shows Mary Pratt of Fort Worth signing as players line up to register for All-American Girls Softball league training at Peru, Ill. The program included a course in personal grooming and social behavior.

## Texas High Gridiron School Opens Today

**WICHITA FALLS, Aug. 7.—(AP)—**Registrations for Oklahoma, Arkansas, New Mexico, Texas and Arizona mentors were on record today as opening sessions of the annual Texas High School Coaches Association's coaching school began.

President W. C. O. Harris of Fort Worth predicted 200 coaches would be on hand for the first day's lectures by the following instructors: Jeff Cravath, University of Southern California coach; Bobbie Dodd, Georgia Tech backfield coach; Texas Tech Coach Dell Morgan, from Lubbock; Blair Cherry, University of Texas backfield coach; Austin, and Sammy Baugh, punting and passing star of the Washington Redskins.

Other instructors to be heard during the week include Jewell Wallace, San Angelo; Stanley Thomas, Dallas; Rodney Kidd and Roy Deichek, Austin, interscholastic league officials; and Abb Curtis, Southwest conference official.

Climaxing the meet Friday night will be the North-South Texas all-star game. Coaches for the North squad are Cravath and Howard Dunch of Amarillo, while Dodd and Bobby Cannon of Edinburg are handling the South team.

## Five Texans Winners At Las Vegas Rodeo

**LAS VEGAS, N. M., Aug. 7.—(AP)—**Among Texas winners in the finals of the annual cowboy reunion yesterday were James Kinney, Comstock, Val Verde county, first in calf roping; Robert Flowers, Austin, and Eddie Hovencamp, Fort Worth, second and third, respectively, in bulldogging; and Ernie Barnett, Del Rio, and C. K. Lewallen, Blackwell, first and third, respectively, in bronc riding.

Pvt. Jack Homel, former trainer of big league baseball clubs, now is at Sheppard Field, Tex., taking his basic training, and treating the aching muscles of company fleegrillings in the Army Air Force.

**SABATH RETIRES**  
**Alsab From Track**  
CHICAGO, Aug. 7.—(AP)—Turfdom's famed bargain horse, 5-year-old Alsab, who earned \$350,015 in purses after being purchased as a yearling for \$700, has ended his racing career and will retire to stud next spring.

His owner, Albert Sabath, reported Alsab was being retired because it was feared competition might seriously injure the speedy bay.

"It was decided not to risk any possibility, however remote, of injury to him or of aggravating the leg injury suffered last year," Sabath asserted, adding that Alsab has grown in bulk and stature. He will be retired to Alsab farm at Lexington, Ky.

Alsab's most spectacular feat was his defeat of Whirlaway, the elder, in two of their three heralded encounters in the fall of 1942.

**PIKE'S PEAK GOLF TILT OPENS TODAY**  
COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., Aug. 7.—(AP)—A field of about 175 golfers, pros and amateurs, are expected to compete in the Pike's Peak golf tournament which opens in Colorado Springs today.

The week-long tournament opens with qualifying rounds for the handicap flight today and runs through Saturday's finals in the scratch flights.

Early entries included John Kraft, Lt. Matt Palacio, Al Edwards, O. H. Hofmeister, Capt. Lloyd Ramsey, Jack Koenicker, Frank Stedle and Francis Haase, (some of these were tentative if the entrants could get away from jobs or army posts).

Professionals who have indicated they will play include: Barpey Clark, Leonard Ott and Ellsworth Vines of Denver; Lt. John Thoren of Buckley field, Denver; Jim Haney of Patty Jewett club, Colorado Springs, and Willie Low and Gabe Bannick, both of Broadmoor.

**WACO AERO NINE WINS 1944 SEMI-PRO TITLE**  
WACO, Aug. 7.—(AP)—Waco army airfield today was on record as a two-years-in-a-row champion of the state semi-pro baseball tournament by virtue of a 7-6 defeat of the Fort Worth army airfield nine.

Waco required a two-run rally in the last of the ninth inning yesterday to come from behind and win after Fort Worth took a 6-5 lead in the eighth. Waco won 7-6 in the ninth.

LaFrance, Inshew, Fries and Murrey; Garland, Hooper, Doherty, Evers and Rebbetts.

**RECORD ROUT**  
CINCINNATI.—(AP)—When the St. Louis Cardinals defeated the Cincinnati Reds, 13-0, in a recent game, it marked the most one-sided shut-out victory in the National League since 1906 when the Chicago Cubs routed the New York Giants, 19-0.

## Baksi-Savold Fight To Draw 25,000 Fans

CHICAGO, Aug. 7.—(AP)—Illinois' version of a "duration" world title heavyweight bout—a 10-round battle between 22-year-old Joe Baksi of Kulpmont, Pa., and ring-wise Lee Savold of Paterson, N. J.—is expected to draw 25,000 fans, a goodly portion gratis-admitted servicemen.

This would be Chicago's largest fight turnout since Joe Louis took Jim Braddock's crown in 1937 before some 45,000 cash customers.

With the army fully occupying champion Joe Louis and his two foremost challengers, Billy Conn and Jimmy Bivins, Promoter Jack Kearns had little trouble selling tonight's mix as a heavyweight brawl of significance.

It is the year's rubber meeting between Baksi, who recently was named the ranking "outstanding boxer" among the heavies by the National Boxing association, and 27-year-old Savold, who was rated third by the NBA behind Baksi and Mello Bettina of the army.

"Fists can be frozen for the duration," asserted Kearns, who once managed Jack Dempsey, "but the game should be kept alive and these two boys will give the returning top-notchers something to start against when they return."

Baksi, who weighs 210 and is 4-1 in the draft, and 195-pound Savold, a physical instructor in the merchant marine, met twice before this year, each winning a fight.

## Dallas Man Wins Six White Rock Regatta Firsts

**DALLAS, Aug. 7.—(AP)—**Top winners in Dallas' annual free-for-all racing regatta at White Rock lake yesterday were Herman Mayhew, Dallas, and Henry Taubert, San Antonio.

Mayhew won first place in six of 12 events and Taubert took the feature race, the closing tick for all, defeating Mayhew in the only event the Dallas man entered without winning first place.

Other first place winners included Buddy Page, Abilene, the service hydroplane; and Roy Bailey, Abilene, driving for H. M. Combs, who took first heat for professional runabouts.

Joe Cronin, manager of the Red Sox has a lifetime batting average of .303 for his 18 years in the majors.

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**YALE SWITCHES BROTHERS**  
NEW HAVEN, Conn.—(AP)—Brother succeeded brother when John R. O'Donnell was named head wrestling coach at Yale. Edward, new supervisor of athletic conditioning at the Blue's football team, formerly held the post.

**WASH TUBS**  
THE TACTICAL AIR CENTER CONCENTRATES ITS VAULTS AND RESOURCES ON THE NEW JAP WEAPON...  
WE'LL NEED 7 B-24'S...AND 12 B-26'S WITH CAMERAS MOUNTED AS DESCRIBED IN THIS ORDER... HAVE THOSE CREWS READY FOR BRIEFING!  
WE SHOULD KNOW PRETTY QUICK IF WE ACTUALLY FOUND A LIMITATION IN THIS JAP BOMB THAT MAY BE THE ANSWER TO IT!  
LET'S GET A MOVE ON, FELLAS! WE'RE GOING TO RE-ENACT THAT MUSHIRO RAID!

**FRECKLES**  
DID YOU SEE THIS NEWSPAPER?  
POP SOLD HIS LOT, AND WITH IT WENT LARD'S DREAM ON TOP OF THAT, THERE SEEMS TO BE AN ANGRY GROUP OF 'GOLD SEEKERS' ON LARD'S TRAIL...  
I DON'T KNOW WHERE LARD IS!  
IF WE GET OUR HANDS ON HIM, WE'LL WARM HIS BRITCHES— BUT GOOD!  
I KNOW YOU'RE HARMLESS UNLESS YOU'RE MOLESTED, BUT I SURE HOPE YOU KNOW IT!

**CAPTAIN YANK**  
ABOVE THE VALLEY OF GHOSTS, IN THE WILDS OF NORTHERN NEVADA, GOLD PARACHUTE FLOATS SILENTLY EARTHWARD— AND GETS HACKER SCENTS A JAP TRACK...  
I'VE GOT A HIF— WE'LL CLIP 'EM FIRST, BEFORE THE KIN GIVE OUR POSH TACK AWAY!  
MY WORD! IT SEEMS I HAVE AN AN— MISCOMING COMMITTEE!

**OUT OUR WAY**  
HELP!  
WELL, WHAT'S TH' USE OF A GUY SCRAPIN' AN' SCRUBBIN' HIS FEET JIS TO COME IN FER A SECOND? THESE SANS IS A LABOR SAVIN' DEVICE I KEEP OUT THERE!  
WHY MOTHERS GET GRAY

**OUR BOARDING HOUSE**  
EGAD, MR. PUNKLE! WHY COULDN'T WE GET UP A SIDESHOW TO ENTERTAIN THE SIMPLE FOLK OF THE ISLAND, CHARGING A SMALL SUM TO VIEW AN PRECIOUS DINOSAUR EGG?  
ABOUT THE ONLY THING YOU CAN GET THE FOLKS HERE TO TURN OUT FOR IS AN ECLIPSE, MAJOR!— THEY SEE LOTS OF RAINBOWS FER NOTHIN', AN' IT SPOILS 'EM!  
THERE, NATURE LOVES A FULL-GROWN SPECIMEN OF THE WATER BUFFALO!

**MAJOR HOOPLI**  
MEBEE AUNTY DUCHESS NOT LIKE YOU TO BRING PRIZE FIGHT-UM SHOW TO RIMROCK?  
TH' DUCHESS? THERE'S NOTHIN' SHE LIKES BETTER!  
SHE'S A SNORTY O'D BOUL, BUT A HEART OF GOLD!  
HI-YUM, DUCHESS? GOES A PIE?  
HOWDY GO POWDER YOUR NOSES— WE'RE HEADIN' FOR RIMROCK!  
I AIN'T HEADIN' NO PLACE WITHOUT A DANG GOOD REASON!

**REDRYDER**  
MAYBE AUNTY DUCHESS NOT LIKE YOU TO BRING PRIZE FIGHT-UM SHOW TO RIMROCK?  
TH' DUCHESS? THERE'S NOTHIN' SHE LIKES BETTER!  
SHE'S A SNORTY O'D BOUL, BUT A HEART OF GOLD!  
HI-YUM, DUCHESS? GOES A PIE?  
HOWDY GO POWDER YOUR NOSES— WE'RE HEADIN' FOR RIMROCK!  
I AIN'T HEADIN' NO PLACE WITHOUT A DANG GOOD REASON!

## Major League Standings

**AMERICAN LEAGUE**  
Yesterday's Results  
Detroit 3-8, Chicago 3-1.  
Washington 3-4, Boston 2-5.  
New York 6-1, Philadelphia 1-0.  
Cleveland 6-4, St. Louis 3-5.

Today's Standings

TEAM	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
St. Louis	62	42	.598
Boston	55	48	.534
New York	52	46	.529
Detroit	49	52	.485
Chicago	50	53	.485
Cleveland	51	55	.481
Philadelphia	47	59	.448
Washington	44	59	.427

Today's Schedule  
No games scheduled.

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**  
Yesterday's Results  
Boston 14-8, Brooklyn 9-7.  
Philadelphia 2-8, New York 6-1.  
Chicago 5-4, Pittsburgh 15-5.  
St. Louis 5, Cincinnati 4.

Today's Standings

TEAM	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
St. Louis	62	42	.598
Cincinnati	52	44	.542
Pittsburgh	52	44	.542
New York	49	52	.485
Chicago	46	49	.484
Boston	41	58	.414
Philadelphia	38	58	.396
Brooklyn	40	62	.392

Today's Schedule  
No games scheduled.

Goodfellow Army Air Field, San Angelo, Tex., is considering holding its second annual Army national golf championship tournament.

**TEXAS HIGH GRIDIRON SCHOOL OPENS TODAY**  
WICHITA FALLS, Aug. 7.—(AP)—Registrations for Oklahoma, Arkansas, New Mexico, Texas and Arizona mentors were on record today as opening sessions of the annual Texas High School Coaches Association's coaching school began.

President W. C. O. Harris of Fort Worth predicted 200 coaches would be on hand for the first day's lectures by the following instructors: Jeff Cravath, University of Southern California coach; Bobbie Dodd, Georgia Tech backfield coach; Texas Tech Coach Dell Morgan, from Lubbock; Blair Cherry, University of Texas backfield coach; Austin, and Sammy Baugh, punting and passing star of the Washington Redskins.

Other instructors to be heard during the week include Jewell Wallace, San Angelo; Stanley Thomas, Dallas; Rodney Kidd and Roy Deichek, Austin, interscholastic league officials; and Abb Curtis, Southwest conference official.

Climaxing the meet Friday night will be the North-South Texas all-star game. Coaches for the North squad are Cravath and Howard Dunch of Amarillo, while Dodd and Bobby Cannon of Edinburg are handling the South team.

**SABATH RETIRES**  
**Alsab From Track**  
CHICAGO, Aug. 7.—(AP)—Turfdom's famed bargain horse, 5-year-old Alsab, who earned \$350,015 in purses after being purchased as a yearling for \$700, has ended his racing career and will retire to stud next spring.

His owner, Albert Sabath, reported Alsab was being retired because it was feared competition might seriously injure the speedy bay.

"It was decided not to risk any possibility, however remote, of injury to him or of aggravating the leg injury suffered last year," Sabath asserted, adding that Alsab has grown in bulk and stature. He will be retired to Alsab farm at Lexington, Ky.

Alsab's most spectacular feat was his defeat of Whirlaway, the elder, in two of their three heralded encounters in the fall of 1942.

**PIKE'S PEAK GOLF TILT OPENS TODAY**  
COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., Aug. 7.—(AP)—A field of about 175 golfers, pros and amateurs, are expected to compete in the Pike's Peak golf tournament which opens in Colorado Springs today.

The week-long tournament opens with qualifying rounds for the handicap flight today and runs through Saturday's finals in the scratch flights.

Early entries included John Kraft, Lt. Matt Palacio, Al Edwards, O. H. Hofmeister, Capt. Lloyd Ramsey, Jack Koenicker, Frank Stedle and Francis Haase, (some of these were tentative if the entrants could get away from jobs or army posts).

Professionals who have indicated they will play include: Barpey Clark, Leonard Ott and Ellsworth Vines of Denver; Lt. John Thoren of Buckley field, Denver; Jim Haney of Patty Jewett club, Colorado Springs, and Willie Low and Gabe Bannick, both of Broadmoor.

**WACO AERO NINE WINS 1944 SEMI-PRO TITLE**  
WACO, Aug. 7.—(AP)—Waco army airfield today was on record as a two-years-in-a-row champion of the state semi-pro baseball tournament by virtue of a 7-6 defeat of the Fort Worth army airfield nine.

Waco required a two-run rally in the last of the ninth inning yesterday to come from behind and win after Fort Worth took a 6-5 lead in the eighth. Waco won 7-6 in the ninth.

LaFrance, Inshew, Fries and Murrey; Garland, Hooper, Doherty, Evers and Rebbetts.

**RECORD ROUT**  
CINCINNATI.—(AP)—When the St. Louis Cardinals defeated the Cincinnati Reds, 13-0, in a recent game, it marked the most one-sided shut-out victory in the National League since 1906 when the Chicago Cubs routed the New York Giants, 19-0.

**YALE SWITCHES BROTHERS**  
NEW HAVEN, Conn.—(AP)—Brother succeeded brother when John R. O'Donnell was named head wrestling coach at Yale. Edward, new supervisor of athletic conditioning at the Blue's football team, formerly held the post.

**WASH TUBS**  
THE TACTICAL AIR CENTER CONCENTRATES ITS VAULTS AND RESOURCES ON THE NEW JAP WEAPON...  
WE'LL NEED 7 B-24'S...AND 12 B-26'S WITH CAMERAS MOUNTED AS DESCRIBED IN THIS ORDER... HAVE THOSE CREWS READY FOR BRIEFING!  
WE SHOULD KNOW PRETTY QUICK IF WE ACTUALLY FOUND A LIMITATION IN THIS JAP BOMB THAT MAY BE THE ANSWER TO IT!  
LET'S GET A MOVE ON, FELLAS! WE'RE GOING TO RE-ENACT THAT MUSHIRO RAID!

**FRECKLES**  
DID YOU SEE THIS NEWSPAPER?  
POP SOLD HIS LOT, AND WITH IT WENT LARD'S DREAM ON TOP OF THAT, THERE SEEMS TO BE AN ANGRY GROUP OF 'GOLD SEEKERS' ON LARD'S TRAIL...  
I DON'T KNOW WHERE LARD IS!  
IF WE GET OUR HANDS ON HIM, WE'LL WARM HIS BRITCHES— BUT GOOD!  
I KNOW YOU'RE HARMLESS UNLESS YOU'RE MOLESTED, BUT I SURE HOPE YOU KNOW IT!

**CAPTAIN YANK**  
ABOVE THE VALLEY OF GHOSTS, IN THE WILDS OF NORTHERN NEVADA, GOLD PARACHUTE FLOATS SILENTLY EARTHWARD— AND GETS HACKER SCENTS A JAP TRACK...  
I'VE GOT A HIF— WE'LL CLIP 'EM FIRST, BEFORE THE KIN GIVE OUR POSH TACK AWAY!  
MY WORD! IT SEEMS I HAVE AN AN— MISCOMING COMMITTEE!

**OUT OUR WAY**  
HELP!  
WELL, WHAT'S TH' USE OF A GUY SCRAPIN' AN' SCRUBBIN' HIS FEET JIS TO COME IN FER A SECOND? THESE SANS IS A LABOR SAVIN' DEVICE I KEEP OUT THERE!  
WHY MOTHERS GET GRAY

**OUR BOARDING HOUSE**  
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## ARIZONA NINE BLANKED

**COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., Aug. 7.—(AP)—**Peterson field flyers shut out Davis-Conthan field of Tucson, Ariz., 2 to 0, yesterday in the first of a two-game series in the southern section of the second air force baseball championship playoff.

The two teams meet again today.

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The Thirty Years' War

Thirty years ago, on Aug. 4, 1914, the German army entered Belgium and began the war which continues today. The restless, troubled years between 1918 and 1939 were not peace, but a deceptive lull in which some prepared to renew the fight while others looked on in an almost fatal lethargy.

Thirty years ago there began what most of the world thought was another of Europe's wars in which a convenient "incident" served as excuse for trying to settle some more of Europe's interminable diplomatic squabbles. But a power-hungry Germany sent on its conquests, and knew it was to be a people's war, a bloody, devastating, total war fought with new and deadly instruments of science and ideas.

The first conflict taught America that science had advanced the world until no country could be sure that it might live undisturbed in peace and freedom while a force that opposed peace and freedom sought to impose its will upon the world as a whole. We learned the lesson slowly. Others believed that if war returned to Europe, it need not concern us.

That clash of American opinion prevented our joining the League of Nations. Doubtless we should have done so, and lent our power and prestige and idealism to the preservation of peace. Yet it is not indubitable that we would have succeeded. We can see now that the League, in principle, stopped just short of the strong measures needed to put down incipient war, and, in practice, stopped considerably shorter.

There was a good deal of cynicism as well as idealism in the League. There were too many statesmen who wanted to play power politics the same old way. There were too many behind-the-hand agreements and understandings. Old habits and prejudices were too strong when the showdown came in Manchuria, Ethiopia, Spain and Germany. It is not at all certain that our presence could have altered the course of events.

The second outbreak has taught us new lessons. The world knows that the resumption of war would be even more bloody and devastating. The world knew what countries would have to be put down, and why. America knew, even as she tried to persuade herself otherwise, that the world had shrunk still smaller and that escape was impossible.

The modern Thirty Years' War is drawing to a close. This time the prospects for peace are more promising. Today, at least, we know that if the job is not done right this time, more war will come, and bring with it not only the end of progress, but the end of civilization as we know it. That is the sober, literal, frightful truth.

A Good Job Done

Bradley Dewey's request that his own agency, the Office of the Rubber Director, be abolished is encouraging. It is good to see one war problem licked and one war agency's work finished.

It is even better to reflect upon the splendid work done by Mr. Dewey and his predecessor, William Jeffers, and the many other accomplishments of American science and industry in putting synthetic rubber into production.

The Nation's Press

OPTIMISM ON COTTON

In the midst of a considerable shower of pessimistic pronouncements and predictions as to what substitutes for cotton are going to do to the post-war market, it is most agreeable to find C. K. Everett of the Cotton Textile Institute raising an umbrella of optimism. Mr. Everett told the fifth Cotton Research Congress in Dallas that the post-war market will boom on the basis of new uses for cotton discovered during and as a result of the war. We believe in the point of view above all. There is no question of the existence of substitutes for cotton, and in some instances they may prevail to a greater or lesser degree, and for a longer or shorter time. In the final analysis, however, cotton has nothing to fear if those who grow it and deal in it keep on their toes and further research and promotion.

NOT WANTED HERE

The picture that Mr. Landon staff correspondent draws in his survey of the Lancashire textile industry and its attitude to government (Tuesday's issue) is one which, as the French saying has it, may give the American observer a somewhat "furiously to think." The dispatch reports the heads of that industry proposing a system of rigid government controls for post-war business governing prices, production, plant construction, indeed, every phase of the

LOOKING AHEAD

By GEORGE S. BENSON

VANISHING JOBS

One day in the outskirts of Chicago I witnessed a traffic accident. A grocery's delivery car struck a seven-year-old child playing in the street and injured him painfully. Playmates scattered in excited disorder seeking the boy's parents, a doctor, a policeman. Each child tried to do what he thought needed most to be done. The father, a hairy specimen, was the first "help" to arrive.

DOESN'T MAKE SENSE

Maybe some learned expert on human behavior could have explained that father's actions. A suffering child wept; unknown injuries waited for treatment while the constituted authority did a loud job of attaching blame without investigation. Understanding this might help explain why people are so often so profane in their interests of labor, work so effectively making jobs scarce.

Destroying jobs does not help labor. Workers are never so well off as when there are plenty of jobs. An employee's right to quit his job and take a better one makes pay good, also working conditions. Employers who are liberal and considerate of their employees get the best men and head the best organizations. This is as much a part of America's Free Enterprise system as owning property.

WHERE THE JOBS ARE

Not many years ago competent workmen often quit their jobs with big corporations to go in business for themselves. They did it, not because they were sure to earn more. In fact they knew they might earn less. They did it for liberty to use their own ideas. They had self confidence and believed their plans would prosper. The element of chance made it fun to operate businesses of their own.

Running your own business is no fun now; more like a headache, and this sad fact is closing the doors of many one-time thriving little enterprises. Seventy-five per cent of all American workers are engaged in small business. If, in the post-war period, small employers are hopeless, if they find no reason to stay in business, see no chance to excel, get no fun from competition, jobs will be really scarce.

THINKING TIME NOW

Working people in this country, if they are wisely looking out for their own interests, have no bigger stake in anything than in small enterprises, be they farms or factories. What good is all the oratory about schooling discharged service men to fit them for certain jobs if most of the jobs are in small enterprises? They find two men waiting for every position that's left?

There is no certainty that there will be enough jobs after the war to employ service men and former war workers in pursuits of peace. There is no assurance in the words of the politician getting tough with crippled industry saying "Big Business must support a gigantic WPA to employ them." It is like the voice of the benighted father cursing his maimed child. The right steps taken will assure plenty of jobs. Next week we will outline those steps.

Industry, which would have the effect of making it a sort of "cartelized" and tight "closed shop." This, moreover, from about as hard-headed and individualistic an industrial group as any in Great Britain—at least, what used to be there.

During the painful years of the Twenties and Thirties the Lancashire spinners and weavers watched their exports shrink under Asiatic competition. As Mr. Harcourt notes their output shrank by one-third in the years following World War I. Before the present war broke, after long and painful efforts the industry had made a little progress toward recovery. One of the difficulties experienced in the attempt was that of overcoming the traditional individualism of the manufacturing heads of companies and their opposition to the necessary process of mergers and liquidation of the last days of the industry.

What British industrialists do are a kind of treatment which is their business, and none of ours. They have their problems and we have ours. If they approach their solution by way of government controls such as those proposed by the 28 leaders of Lancashire's textile industry, it carries no argument we should take the same road. We have every reason in the world to distrust that road. All our national traditions are against it, and our experience in the last days of the industry suggests that our experiments in that direction have produced nothing that offers any attractive promise for the future.

The record of those years exhibits one outstanding fact, namely, that all the great nations save only one, we were the last in recovering from the world depression, and that it took a war to solve our unemployment problem for us. What is there in that fact to lead us to suppose that more of the same is what we need? And always in the background of the whole question is "Government and business" is the inescapable fact that the more that nation governments assume participant roles in international trade, the greater is the danger to international peace.

MAYBE IT'S HERE: Leaves From The Editor's Notebook

Probably no single group in this country has a gloomier view of wartime living costs than teachers.

Following is formation given, every word of it, by the national education association:

The teachers' salaries are low, reaching an average figure of about \$1,625 during the current school year. About five per cent of them this year will receive an annual salary below \$900.

Last year more than a quarter million teachers received a salary below \$1,000.

It is estimated that more than 500,000 teaching positions this year will have been filled by persons not fully qualified to be teachers, to whom emergency certificates have been issued.

This has reduced the quality of educational service for hundreds of thousands of children.

About 13 per cent of the nation's teachers are married men. Studies of dependency show that nearly half of all women teachers are responsible for the full support of at least one other person and many women teachers have several dependents.

The average city teacher is paid about twice as much as the average rural teacher.

Thousands of good teachers give up their profession and struggle to enter occupations where their efforts are better rewarded.

Thousands of young persons, in choosing a profession, reject teaching because of the low money value placed by society on their services.

The average salary of public school teachers, principals and supervisors has been inching upward in recent years until in 1943-44 it was somewhere between \$1,600 and \$1,650.

But the increase has been more than offset by the reduced value of the dollar.

In buying power in 1935-39 dollars (based on the government's bureau of labor statistics index of living costs in cities) the average salary of teachers for the past five years went down.

To show how rising living costs offset the salary increases, the education society says the average salary of teachers for the past five years may be stated as follows:

1938-39—\$1,416; 1939-40—\$1,438; 1940—\$1,397; 1941-42—\$1,288; 1942-43—\$1,259.

OFFICE CAT

Dentist—Why does that author go off on a tear and get drunk?  
Doctor—So he can write stories about his experiences.

Dentist—But why does he want to write about his experiences?  
Doctor—So as to get some money.

Dentist—But why does he want money?  
Doctor—So he can go off on a tear and get drunk again.

Actor—Congratulate me. The great superficial film outfit has retained me for their next production. I am to play the part of a bum. It will require great skill on my part because this character is to wear the worst set of raggy you ever saw.

Wife (enthusiastic)—Wonderful! But you'll have to tidy up a bit before you start playing the part.

A Londoner got on the bus during the blitz. He was carrying a 100-pound bomb. As he sat down, the conductor asked:

Londoner—What's that you're nursing in your lap?  
Londoner—A delayed-action bomb I'm taking to the police station.

Conductor—Good grief! You don't want to carry a dangerous thing like that on your lap. Put it under the seat.

The actor had been out of a job for a long time and allowed himself to get pretty seedy, not wishing to spend the money to keep up appearances. One afternoon he came bounding home joyfully:

A Strange Bird Is The Poofwaffe

—IT PREFERS TO LET THE EGGS DO THE FLYING—



News Behind The News

The National Whirligig

WARSAW—The Russians have an excellent chance to be the first foreign army since Napoleon's era to enter the city of Berlin.

The Russians already have crossed the borders of East Prussia. That isolated province was entered by the czar's troops in 1914. The German Rhineland was held by the Allied Army of Occupation after the 1918 armistice. But the Reich itself has not been a battlefield for more than a century.

The test of strength will come when the routed Reichswehr tries to make a stand against the pursuing Slavs. The Waterloo of this conflict may be around Warsaw or the decisive engagement may not be fought until the Germans reach their own frontiers.

HINDENBURG—The Slavs are rushing through flat country. Of course, terrain can anywhere aid or impede an advance. But, contrary to popular belief, military experts assert: "The most important barrier is a determined defense."

When Rommel fled from Montgomery in the African desert, the British Eighth Army covered six hundred miles in twenty days. A pace as fast as that now set by Stalin's sprinters. On the other hand, Monty at El Alamein and Zhukov at Stalingrad both had the disadvantage of smooth country yet they did not budge.

The Red Army may discover that East Prussia is a tough nut to crack. This is the area in which the czar's crushing legions were trapped. It abounds in lakes, swamps and forests, ideal for fending off attacks.

Bismarck had a possible Russian invasion in mind when he laid out the railroads of East Prussia, Poland, Rumania and Silesia. Powerful forts were constructed along the fringes and connected by rail and highway. With this superior transportation network the historic battles of Tannenberg and the Masurian lakes. It is common knowledge that the defense systems have been strengthened and expanded since the last war.

WASTED—If Stalin's soldiers crash on and seize East Prussia, they will bring a heavy blow to Reichswehr mobility.

Ever since Anglo-American flyers cut off large supplies of oil from Rumania, the Wehrmacht has depended on the oil from German-drawn vehicles and artillery. The region is Germany's ranch which harbored most of its animals; now this source of motive power may be lost.

Some analysts believe that even if Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania fall, East Prussia, with its Königs-

Around Hollywood

By ERSKINE JOHNSON

The face on the Cutting Room Floor went to work before the Hollywood cameras today in one of the year's prize dramatic roles. Uncle Sam's agent, the deal, with a lot of Hollywood agents couldn't do, Old whiskers did.

Two years ago lanky, sandy-haired Don Taylor arrived in Hollywood from Pittsburgh to become, he thought, a second Spencer Tracy or Tyrone Power. He had studied engineering at the University of Pennsylvania, but had excelled in school dramas.

But things were a little rough in Hollywood. He worked as an extra in "The Human Comedy." His face landed on the cutting room floor. He worked in a bit in "Swing Shift Music," but he had to see the picture four times before he could find himself.

He worked in a lot of other films as an extra. "Most of the time I go to the pictures and discover I had been cut out. I was the face on the cutting room floor."

"When things got tough, No studio called me to act. So he put on a pair of red trousers, a blue coat, a high hat and a Chamber of Commerce smile and went to work as an usher at a Hollywood theater. He was drafted and assigned to the Air Force.

CUKAR BLUSHES  
That's how Don Taylor happened to be back in Hollywood today, in one of the starring roles of the new "Winged Victory," the Army Air Forces show. He was a hit in the Broadway version and now he's repeating in the celluloid edition.

Living in the richest part of France, we never lacked for meat or bread. It is the little things like shirts. I was unable to buy a shirt for four years—Wealthy Norman, visiting Cherbourg.

Crude Oil Production Takes Slight Dip

WASHINGTON, Aug. 7.—The Bureau of Mines reported today that stocks of domestic and foreign crude petroleum totaled 225,112,000 barrels on July 29, a net decrease of 182,000 barrels for the week. Domestic crude increased 37,000 barrels; foreign crude decreased 145,000.

Daily average production was 4,608,000 barrels, a decrease of 7,000. Runs of still averaged 4,627,000, a decrease of 43,000 below the revised level of the preceding week.

Stocks, by grade or origin, and change from previous week (in thousands of barrels) include: Gulf Northern Louisiana... 3,408 Inc. 40 Gulf Coast La. .... 9,908 Inc. 95 New Mexico ..... 6,338 Inc. 98 Oklahoma ..... 31,094 Inc. 23 East Texas ..... 21,812 Inc. 47 West Texas ..... 30,586 Inc. 142 Gulf Texas ..... 30,530 Dec. 392 Other Texas ..... 27,831 Dec. 108

Boiling Executive Drops Cross-Complaint

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 7.—(AP)—Attorneys for Algonquin K. Barbee, millionaire bottling company operator, filed a stipulation Friday agreeing to dismiss his cross-complaint to the divorce suit of film actress Bonnie Edwards, formerly the fifth wife of playboy Tommy Mannville.

Attorney Hallam Mathews said that under a property settlement Miss Edwards will retain \$70,000 in jewelry and stocks which Barbee gave during their four-month marriage, and which he later sued to recover. The actress also will receive "a substantial cash payment," said the lawyer.

The Chinese painted in water colors in the third century.

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It was mid-January, 1943, when General Eisenhower suddenly appeared in Kansas. He had left North Africa and come to Washington. No hint was given of his coming. After a few days in the capital, consulting with the General Staff, he took an inconspicuous car with a driver and went to West Point to see his son and only child, John, cadet in the Academy.

Driving into the grounds, he perked the car under an overpass and slipped into the commandant's office. A call was sent to John to come immediately to the office. Young Eisenhower was in his element in the machine shop, his hands and face discolored with grease. The order was to come as he was; and he did.

His surprise can be imagined when he saw his father, who, he thought, was in North Africa, standing there. After a visit the General drove back to Washington undiscovered. A few days later he appeared in Kansas, greeting his younger brother, President Milton S. Eisenhower, of Kansas State College, at Manhattan, forty miles east of Abilene.

He arrived at Fort Riley on a plane at dusk and sent word ahead. With only a driver he went to Manhattan, where his mother and an elder brother, A. S. Eisenhower, vice president of the Commerce Trust Company, Kansas City, and his brother, Milton, Eisenhower stepped out smiling and embellished by favorite foods, including the well-known Pennsylvania "pudding" brought from home by his mother. An evening of visiting followed. In the conversation the matter of a soldier's responsibility under shock or weariness came up and the General told of an experience in North Africa never before related.

He had gone farther to the front than was wise and was in danger of being surrounded by the Axis troops. In a jeep loaded with extra gasoline he and an orderly started hurriedly on a far course over the desert. Driving for hours and hours, making a wide detour to get back to camp, they took turns at the wheel. The orderly was at the wheel when the General went to sleep; and probably the orderly did also. Suddenly they found the jeep off the road and partly overturned in a ditch. Neither was hurt. After a long struggle the machine was righted and they could proceed.

"What did you do to the orderly for going to sleep?" he was asked. "Do? Poor chap, when we returned I sent him to the hospital to sleep to his heart's content." That was the human side of Ike Eisenhower.

After a few happy hours with his mother and brothers in Kansas, the General slipped away. Because of threatening bad weather, he left in the early morning and took his plane back to Washington. No one in central Kansas knew of the family knee of his visit.

The news came in a day or two that he was in London—he had jumped the Atlantic in an airplane to take up his duties as Supreme Commander of the Allied Army.

GENERAL EISENHOWER'S devotion to his home folks and his neighbors back in Kansas, while engaged in the world's greatest war, is a true insight into the measure of his own greatness. With battles raging around him he never forgets the old home town of Abilene.

While at his headquarters in London, when laboring under the stupendous burden of the Second Front, a twenty-three-year-old private walked into headquarters and asked an M. P., "I'd like to see the General, if he's not too busy."

IN moments before and after a great battle, Ike frequently scribbles a few words in his bold hand-writing, or occasionally dictates on his official letterhead "Hi, honey messages to his friends and neighbors. His military aide reports that letters from home give the General great inspiration for his day's work. When the mail comes in he inquires eagerly, "Anything for me from home?" He is as delighted as any G. I., as he tears them open and eagerly reads them, frequently remarking, as he once wrote to a friend, "I cannot possibly tell you how much I appreciate the trouble you take in writing to me."

Another time when a correspondent wrote to him that the letters must be a too heavy drain on your time, the General replied, "It is an odd thing—your asking me how I find time to write letters. It is almost my only relaxation. Moreover, there is nothing from which I get more real enjoyment than hearing from old friends. I like to keep in touch with them. The feeling that they are rooting for me and my soldiers is so precious to me." The neighbors in Abilene all turn out to see the news-reels in the motion picture theater—"Just to see Ike." As he walks across the screen they applaud vociferously. One night they were watching as the French General Giraud pinned on him the Grand Cross of the Legion of Honor. General Giraud stepped up and gave General Eisenhower an accolade, a kiss on both cheeks. Miss Curry wrote him that the townspeople were somewhat shocked.

The General replied, "At the time General Giraud gave me the French Grand Cross, one of my old friends asked me what Abileneites would say if they ever saw a picture showing me getting kissed on each cheek. While I admit that I was just a bit terrified at the prospect, I figured out at the same time that those who knew the Eisenhower tribe of boys would be sure that it was something I wasn't seeking, but to which I could scarcely object. At that I'll bet there was a chuckle around the audience the night that you saw it."

NEXT: The Eisenhower boys.