

DIVE FOR BERLIN, DRESDEN BEGINS

British Policy Toward Japs Reasserted

Churchill, FDR Hold Meeting In Alexandria

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20—(AP)—President Roosevelt conferred with Prime Minister Churchill at Alexandria, Egypt, after the Big Three meeting in Cairo, and another pledge of full support in the war against Japan after Germany's defeat.

In a formal summary of the President's activities since he left the White House on the Black Sea Sunday, February 11, the White House said today Mr. Roosevelt invited General Charles de Gaulle, president of the provisional French government, to meet him in Algiers, French Morocco.

De Gaulle, the statement said, replied that official business prevented him from going to Algiers.

"Questions of mutual interest and importance to France and the United States are pending," the President said. "I wanted very much to see the general before leaving for home."

Upon leaving Lavadia Palace in the Crimea, Mr. Roosevelt motored along the Black sea to Sevastopol and spent the night aboard an American navy auxiliary ship.

The President's travels also included a conference aboard a United States warship in Great Bitter Lake, through which the Suez Canal passes, with King Farouk of Egypt. American-Egyptian relations were discussed.

Halle Selassie I, emperor of Ethiopia, was received in the same setting and in this conference the President conferred in French.

King Ibn Saud of Saudi Arabia also was received by the President with impressive ceremony during the afternoon of the day following the

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IWO RESISTANCE STIFF

GOOD GRIEF! DO WE HAVE TO COAX 'EM? ***



Marines Facing Fiercest Fight In Their History

By LEONARD MILLIMAN Associated Press War Editor

In the fiercest fighting in marine history American Devil Dogs today seized the southern quarter of Iwo Jima, 750 miles south of Tokyo.

Two grim announcements from Adm. Chester W. Nimitz, showing no sign of jubilation at the conquest, today announced the veteran 11th marine corps cut off the Japanese water fortresses at the southern end of the island by driving across Iwo, repulsed a fierce counterattack by a battalion of Japanese during the night and in the second day of their invasion of the airfield control of Motoyama airfield No. 1.

Lt. Gen. Holland M. Smith, Pacific marine commander watching the battle from the continuously bombarding U. S. fleet, described it as "the toughest fight we've run across in 18 years."

Nimitz described casualties as "numerous."

The entire area held by the marines was under fire from Japanese artillery and mortars. The area reaches from a two and a half mile beachhead on the southern shore, across the northern end of the airfield, to a 1,000 yard hold on the western shore.

The enemy air force made its first attempt to aid the cornered garrison, but were beaten off by night fighters. The 27th marine regiment met the nighttime counterattack on the airfield and broke it up in a fierce, eerie battle.

Unconfirmed Japanese broadcasts reported a second marine landing on the northern shores of Iwo and told of tank battles.

Americans were using tanks in the clean-up of Japanese pockets on Corregidor in the Philippines, while other armored units waited for heavy howitzers to finish blasting down the thick walls of Intramuros, medieval stronghold of suicidal Japanese troops in Manila. "Thousands of civilians were trapped in the walled city with the Nipponese."

First cavalry and 11th airborne division troops routed the enemy from Fort McKinley, Manila's southern fortress, and drove on south to take two villages on the

Nazis Counterdrive On Konev Legions

By WILLIAM L. RYAN Associated Press War Editor

The German high command said today that Marshal Ivan S. Konev's First Ukraine army had smashed deeply into Nazi lines on a 65-mile front extending 50 to 60 miles from Berlin and Dresden, and the push for those two cities appeared to be under way again.

Canadian troops in the west repelled five vicious Nazi counterattacks in the Mayland sector two miles northwest of Calcar. Seven miles southwest of that objective, Scottish troops virtually have cleared Goch, desperately defended road center and north Siegfried bastion, after 24 hours of fierce fighting.

SHE 'BLEW UP'



"People were pulling at my stockings and I couldn't go on with it. I blew up and cried. They said I was crazy..." So reports Hollywood's new star, Eleanor Parker, above, on the studio's effort to take the customary "leg art" of her.

Opinions Differ On Directive To Close Clubs, Bars

By The Associated Press

A midnight curfew decreed by War Mobilization Director James F. Byrnes will go into effect Monday on all bars, night clubs, road houses—all night life, public or private, from New York's carriage trade gay spots to the myriad juke box places in the nation's small towns.

Byrnes' "request," having the effect of an order and backed by the disciplinary powers of four war agencies, was directed last night to all places of entertainment.

Reaction among entertainment leaders ranged from enthusiastic assurances of support to declarations such as "we're ruined" and predictions of a return of the speakasy.

(No comment) was available in Pampa today on Director Byrnes' order. As it stands, the ruling would affect several places here, including the Southern Club, the Belvedere, the Kildary, and the Tivoli, among the night clubs, and also the LaNora theatre which features a midnight show, which starts at 11:30 each Saturday night. Carl Benefiel, theater manager, was out of town today and not available for comment.

The text of the Washington announcement said: "Director of War Mobilization and Reconversion James F. Byrnes announced today that he is requesting all places of entertainment to close by 12 o'clock midnight each day, effective Feb. 26.

"By closing at 12 o'clock midnight it is meant that patrons shall leave in time to permit full closing by that time.

"Places of entertainment are in-

Million, Quarter Men in Key Jobs Will Be Deferred

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20—(AP)—Instead of "a very limited number," as officially announced, approximately 1,250,000 men under 30 who hold key jobs in war industries stand to be deferred from the draft.

This became known today when an official of selective service acknowledged that the new program allows the deferment of 30 percent of all registrants who were classified 2-A and 2-B as of Jan. 1.

Since 4,198,000 men were in the two classes which cover deferments in occupations other than agriculture, government agencies will be allowed to pick out a total of roughly a million and a quarter of registrants for deferment. Because the draft is not taking war plant workers over 30, the 30 percent of the total will be composed of those under 30.

Each of 15 agencies is allowed certification of a flat 30 percent in their respective spheres of activity. Most of them, however, are dividing this into two equal parts. One 15 percent is being delegate to the field, or offices outside Washington, and the other 15 percent is being retained in Washington.

This division has two principal purposes: To prevent all war plants from demanding the full 30 percent and to allow for a higher percentage of deferment of key personnel, such as engineers, supervisors and foremen in plants working on high priority projects.

Actually the percentage of deferments will vary from plant to plant.

Under the program, approved by the office of war mobilization, local boards still have the right to defer registrants even though not certified by any of the agencies. Boards would have to find that such a registrant would qualify for deferment under a strict interpretation of being "necessary to and regularly engaged" in war production or a war-supporting activity.

Ceiling Price on Small Deliveries Of Gas Is Raised

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20—(AP)—Ceiling prices for tank wagon deliveries of small quantities of liquefied petroleum gas to consumers in Oklahoma, the Texas Panhandle and 18 counties in West Texas were increased an average of a half-cent a gallon today by the office of price administration.

OPA said the increase, effective Feb. 26, was granted after a study disclosed that previous ceilings were established at "abnormally low levels."

The new ceilings in Oklahoma and the Texas Panhandle will be 7 cents a gallon for single lot deliveries of 20 gallons or less, 6 1/2 cents for 221 to 500 gallons and 6 cents for more than 500 gallons. In West Texas the ceilings will be 7 1/2 cents for single lot deliveries of 20 gallons or less, 7 cents for 221 to 500 gallons, and 6 cents for more than 500 gallons.

The Texas Panhandle area includes the counties of DeWitt, Sherman, Hansford, Ochiltree, Lipscomb, Hartley, Moore, Hutchinson, Roberts, Hemphill, Oldham, Potter, Carson, Gray, Wheeler, Deaf Smith, Randall, Armstrong, Donley, Collingsworth, Farmer, Castro, Swisher, Briscoe, Hall and Childress.

The 18 counties in West Texas affected are Bailey, Lamb, Hale, Floyd, Motley, Cottle, Cochran, Hockley, Lubbock, Crosby, Dickens, King, Yoakum, Terry, Lynn, Garza, Kent and Stonewall.

Advertising Does Pay, After All!

PORTLAND, Ore.—(AP)—Over 450 ten-aged bobby-sockers mobbed a Portland shoe store trying to reach a shipment of 1,000 two-tone saddle shoes.

A nearly trampled executive called police while the store manager complained: "I never dreamed it would be like this."

He said the only advertising done was when he told a couple of customers he would have some saddle shoes "around the 19th."

Prime Minister Declares Affairs Are 'Smoother'

LONDON, Feb. 20—(AP)—Prime Minister Churchill informed the house of commons today that "affairs abroad are rather smoother" in his first public reference to the Big Three meeting at Yalta.

The house learned however that it must wait until next week for a full report on the Crimea conference, and meanwhile goats, sharks and British double summer-time shared the prime minister's attention.

In order, these subjects were placed before the prime minister in a matching of wits and quips with Britain's lawmakers.

1. The goats. Would he tell commons "in view of the shortage of milk x x whether part of German reparations in kind will include 100,000 milk goats for Scotland and 1,000,000 for England, North Ireland and Wales?" The premier passed that one until tomorrow.

2. The sharks. What is Britain doing about following up the American development of a "shark chasing" device for protection of seamen and airmen? "We're watching it," replied Churchill, adding: "You may rest assured the British government are entirely opposed to sharks."

3. And British double summer-time. Would he assure commons it would not be imposed? "I certainly cannot," said the prime minister.

Churchill returned to London yesterday after stopovers at Athens and Cairo.

THE ROAD TO BERLIN

By The Associated Press

1—Eastern Front: 32 miles (from Zelin).

2—Western Front: 296 miles (from west bank of Rhine in Emmerich).

3—Italian Front: 544 miles (from Reno river).

Need INCOME TAX Information?

See Page 6.

Pampan Killed in Boiler Explosion

Jesse R. Randall, 47, was killed at 1:30 this morning near Dumas, when two boilers exploded near the well on which he was working.

Randall, who resided here at 419 E. Scott, was an employee of the Plains Drilling company, Pampa.

Survivors are the widow, Mrs. Eula Randall, a daughter, Myrtle D. Randall; one son, Lester; five brothers, W. D. Fred, and Austin, all of Pampa, Sidney, Fort Worth, and Carroll James, Bakersfield, Calif., and two sisters, Mrs. Mae Corcoran, Pampa, and Mrs. Ethel Teague, Magic City.

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He said he and other members of Halsey's staff are in Washington under orders to report to Fleet Admiral Ernest J. King, commander in chief of the fleet and chief of naval operations.

Livestock Sales Under Way Today

Pampa's seventh annual junior livestock sale, being sponsored by the local chamber of commerce, was going into its second and final day today with sale at the Recreation park pavilion.

Attendance at the show was reported good yesterday, and indications were pointing to a good attendance this afternoon.

Local business men and business houses had pledged support at the sale, many intentions to purchase having been recorded.

PRESIDENT REELECTED

DALLAS, Feb. 20—(AP)—D. L. Turner of Corpus Christi was re-elected president of the Texas Retail Jewellers association at a meeting here.

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Oil Men Protest Production Hike

AUSTIN, Feb. 20—(AP)—East Texas oil operators renewed their protests today over any increase in daily production to meet petroleum administration for war requests, and West Texas operators told the state railroad commission that present pipeline facilities would not permit a production hike there.

H. P. Nichols of Tyler declared that both means of calculating pressure showed a marked decline in bottomhole pressure in West Texas and asked the commission to obtain the increase from other fields.

Total nominations by operators for March, were 2,335,098 barrels daily compared with 2,239,817 in February, a net increase of 5,281 barrels daily.

The average bottomhole pressure Feb. 1 in the East Texas field was announced as 99.84 and the average per square inch pressure was 100.25 as of Jan. 1 representing a

Jaycee President To Be Installed Tonight

B. B. Altman will be installed as president of the Pampa Jaycees tonight in ceremonies at a banquet and dance to be held at the country club at 7:30. Altman will be in his second year as Jaycee president.

Other officers who will be installed are: Dr. W. L. Nichol, first vice president; Cleo Melgar, second vice president, and Robert Grammer secretary-treasurer.

Installing officer will be R. G. Hughes, past president of the group and a past state director. Carl Benefiel will act as toastmaster.

A number of Berger and Amarillo Junior chamber of commerce members have been invited.

Music for the dance will be played by Gene Lively's orchestra.

Batteries for any make of car will be found at Pampa Garage and Storage, 113 N. Frost, Ph. 979.

Volunteers Are Needed To Aid in Red Cross Drive

An appeal for volunteer workers in Pampa's Red Cross drive will open March 1 was made today by Huelyn Laycock, county school superintendent, roll call chairman for 1945.

"We have many workers already signed up," Laycock said today, "but we need the help of still many more men and women who can devote some time to the annual solicitation of memberships."

"The men and women of the community who devote their time and talents to the various Red Cross activities are the ones who spell success for the organization," he added, "for behind each item of service are the loyal and unselfish hours of work of the volunteers."

"It is on this foundation, the devotion and the sacrifice of the volunteer workers, that the American Red Cross rests."

Last year the Pampa chapter raised \$32,200 in its war fund drive. Of this amount \$20,000 was sent to the national organization and the remainder went into the local chapter work.

This year the goal is \$26,900.

Laycock said today it is the plan to raise the amount in a closely-coordinated ten-day drive.

"We believe that with the proper number of volunteer workers and the kind of campaign we expect to conduct that the goal can be reached in ten days although the \$200,000,000 national drive will run through the entire month of March," Laycock said.

Biggest item in the local chapter's list of expenses for 1944 was \$209 for home service. One of the chapter obligations of the Red Cross is consideration of the men in service and their families. This service, small in peace time, became unusually and increasingly important during war. In this respect the Red Cross performs many personal services which no other agency is prepared to give.

Service to servicemen and their families takes in verification on communications as to welfare of servicemen and necessity for his presence; inquiries when families have not heard from servicemen, consultation and guidance and as-

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By The Associated Press

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Russian Armies Have Liberated Many Americans

MOSCOW, Feb. 20—(AP)—The rapid advance of Russian armies has made possible the liberation of many United States officers and men from threatened areas.

Freeing of the Americans was disclosed by Maj. J. Russell Deane, chief of the U. S. military mission in Moscow, who said he had ordered an army detachment to proceed to Lublin—where some of the liberated prisoners have assembled—to arrange for their repatriation. Other groups of prisoners are known to be sheltered in Praga and farther west.

The total number of men freed was not estimated, but between 200 and 400 officers alone are reported to arrive here sometime today on a short leave.

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Ex-Mayor Thompson Receives Commission

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THE WEATHER

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU

Mostly cloudy this afternoon and tonight; Wednesday partly cloudy warming in Del Rio, Eagle Pass, and East of the Pecos river.

6 A. M.	34
7 A. M.	34
8 A. M.	34
9 A. M.	34
10 A. M.	34
11 A. M.	34
12 Noon	35

Unsettled

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

BEST AVAILABLE COPY

Harvesters, Sandies Clash Tonight in Local Gym: 8:00



Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20 (AP)— At least two college basketball teams that played in the Boston Garden this winter hinted that they'd like to return for a March tournament, but no dates were available, what with two schoolboy tournaments coming up—chances are they'll be starting in another year or so—and maybe just as well that no plans were made for 1945, since there seems to be a shortage of tournament-qualified teams—Utah, N. C. A. A. winner last spring, has the real puzzle in the cage tourney setup—the Utes expect to qualify for the national playoffs again and feel they owe something to the N. C. A. A. for picking them as pinch-hitters last year. But they feel they also may get a bid to the New York invitation event, which is more lucrative.

TODAY'S GUEST STAR
Eddie Brietz, New York World-Telegram: "Draft fans hope baseball will delay tracking G-man Hoover for Czar until he can find what has happened to Gunder Haegg."

SHORTS AND SHELLS
Notre Dame's Ed McKeever hasn't signed with Fordham yet, but you can bet he'll be on the job when the Rams resume football—Barney Ross is writing a book on his ring and war experiences entitled "I'm a

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lucky guy"—and he ain't kidding.
QUOTE, UNQUOTE
Lieut. Frank Leahy: "It's a strain in the service, but nothing to compare with the constant fall tension of coaching Notre Dame."

SERVICE DEPT.
Ex-Cardinal Terry Moore is leading hitter in two leagues in Panama. He has an even 400 in an army league and 429 in the Canal Zone circuit.

Apprehensive Cubs Plan Spring Camp

CHICAGO, Feb. 20 (AP)— The Chicago Cubs' management, still a bit apprehensive over the 1945 fate of baseball, nevertheless went ahead today with plans for opening the spring training camp at French Lick, Ind., March 7.

ONLY PHOTOGRAPHER AHEAD OF INFANTRY
WITH THE COAST GUARD ON LUZON—John Padula, a coast guard photographer from Staten Island, went ashore in Luzon after a hair-raising ride through heavy Jap fire.

Padula recalled "I just took off, straight ahead. Then a shell snapped the trunk of a tree ahead of me and I hit the dirt."
Soon he realized that he was out in front alone, except for the amphibious tanks which led the attack at the beachhead.

TECH WINS
ABILENE, Feb. 20 (AP)— Texas Tech won the first tilt of a two-game basketball series with Hardin-Simmons university here last night with a 52 to 40 victory.

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Amarillo Five Falls 38-29, Giving Each Team One Victory

By SCOTT RAFFERTY News Sports Writer

Pampa's Harvesters and the Amarillo Golden Sandies will meet at the Junior high gym here tonight at 8:00, in the final go of a three-game series to decide the winner of the northern half of District 1A A.

The Harvesters evened the count at one-all last night, taking a 38 to 29 verdict on the local court. The Sandies were victorious in the opener of the series, played at Amarillo, by a 33 to 29 score.

The winner of tonight's game will meet the Plainview Bulldogs in a three-game series starting Thursday, dates to be arranged tomorrow.

Amarillo was ahead only twice in last night's contest, both times in the second quarter. Pampa led at the end of the first frame 8-6 and at the half 18 to 16. In the third quarter the Harvesters began to pull away and at one point in the last period, held a 12-point lead.

Leroy Foster edged Johnny Campbell of the Harvesters for top scoring laurels Foster dumped in eight field goals for 16 points, while Pampa's "Mighty Mile" scored five field goals and five charity tosses for 15 points. Excellent floor work by the entire Harvesters squad may have been the deciding factor.

Earl Davis, Harvesters' center and leading scorer, was again kept in check by the taller Sandies. Davis scored three field goals and one free throw for seven points but, on most of his shots, there were at least two Sandies between him and the basket.

The tip-off was out of bounds on Amarillo. Pampa threw in and Turner scored a field goal. 2-0. Seale fouled Turner on another shot but Turner missed both free throws. Foster made a field goal for the Harvesters. 2-2. Campbell fouled Williams and Williams made good his free throw. 4-2. Seale fouled Turner missed another free toss. Turner missed Williams who tied it up with a free shot. 4-4. Waghorn fouled Davis but the taller center missed both free shots. Clay scored a field goal for the Harvesters. 5-4. Campbell fouled Seale then fouled Williams and this one was also missed. Turner scored a field goal. 6-4. Hazelwood scored one for Amarillo. 8-6.

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The box score:

PAMPA (39)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Campbell	4	3	2	15
Davis	3	1	3	7
Clay	2	1	1	6
Turner	2	2	1	6
Brown	0	0	0	0
Totals	13	12	14	38

SAM HOUSTON WINS
COMMERCE, Feb. 20 (AP)— Sam Houston State Teachers college won a 42-40 victory over the East Texas Lions here last night, despite a last half rally that gave the Lions 20 points to nine for Sam Houston.

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Dixon	0	3	1	3
Hazelwood	1	0	2	2
Bancroft	1	1	4	3
Waghorn	1	1	1	4
Seale	1	1	1	4
Carroll	0	0	0	0
Dixon	0	0	0	0
Totals	11	7	17	29

CAGE CAPTAIN



Joe Cree, Captain of the Harvesters basketball team, Joe Cree gave up going to the navy before he was 18 because he wanted to play on the basketball team. Joe, who was end on the 1943 and 1944 football teams, is just now getting his scoring eye trained but, all through the season, Joe has been one of the most steady players on the whole five. He'll be drafted into the army by the time school is out.

Bill Henry Holds All-time Southwest Scoring Record

HOUSTON, Feb. 20 (AP)— Here's a Bill Henry chapter for the statisticians notebook:
The lanky cager who led Rice institute to the greatest season in 34 years managed to basket 433 points despite almost 2 1/4 centuries spent on the bench looking on.
The 433 points—280 of them in conference play—made Henry the all-time high scorer in the Southwest conference.
Henry played 751 minutes during the season, spending 89 minutes of playing time on the sideline, which means he averaged 57 of a point per minute in 21 games.
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FED RYDER PLENTY BRAVE TO GO IN DARK CAVE.

THROW THY TORCH, LITTLE BEAVER!

YOU BETCHUM!

OUT OUR WAY
THE PEACE TABLE? DO YOU THINK THAT IT IS GONNA BE SO AGREEABLE THAT THEY'RE HUGGIN' EACH OTHER?

WELL, IF IT LOOKS THAT WAY WE'LL TRY TO CHANGE IT! WE MEANT THAT THEY'RE CHOKIN' EACH OTHER—WE DON'T WANT PEOPLE THINKIN' THIS PEACE TABLE IS JUST A VACATION FOR US.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE
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OR THE BOM NOT ABOUT FISH BEING GOOD BRAIN FOOD, BUT THE BEST BEING NOODLE SOUP?

—HAW HAW! —CATCH ON?

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WAIT! I HAVE MORE! WHERE ARE YOU GOING?

TWIGGS' IDEA IS TAKING HOLD.

Big Leagues Seek Showdown With James F. Byrnes

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20 (AP)— The big leagues are seeking a showdown with War Mobilizer Byrnes on baseball's status.

Ford Frick, president of the National league now in Washington, will ask Byrnes to "either leave us enough men to play baseball or tell us to stop," a highly authoritative baseball source said in New York.

President Will Harridge of the American league and Frick were named by the big league owners to confer with government officials on baseball's wartime problems.

Harridge traveled here today. Frick arrived last night.
In New York, the informant, who asked that his name not be used, said:

"Frick has gone to Washington armed with a list of the majors' personnel, consisting mostly of 4-Fs, discharges, average and underage players. As we have said many times before, we don't want to use a single player who is needed by the armed forces or by essential industry."

"However, we'd like to keep the men who are not needed. All we ask is no discrimination. I believe Frick's principal point will be 'either leave us enough men to play baseball or tell us to stop. You can't expect us to play without players.'"

Radio Says German Officials Executed

By The Associated Press
Three high Nazi officials in Baden have been sentenced to death by a special German court, reportedly for saying that "the war is lost."

Paris radio said Thursday in a broadcast heard in New York by CBS:

A series of civilian executions has been announced by the Germans in eastern front areas.

The Paris report said "The SA (storm troop) leader of the provinces of Baden and Alsace, the minister of the interior in Baden, Dr. Karl Pfaffmayr, and the minister of public education in Baden" were sentenced because "they had entered into a dispute with Gauleiter Walter Wagner and had accused him of public corruption in service."

"Besides," said the broadcast, "they had dared to say 'the war is lost.'"

Man or Louse?
YES?—YOU MUST HELP ME TO CONTROL MYSELF WHEN YOU CRUSH ME IN YOUR ARMS. I HAVEN'T HAD A DATE IN EIGHT YEARS. I MIGHT FAINT!

MAINLY ON ACCOUNT AN HAIRY CRUSH YOU IN MAH ARMS, AN I MIGHT LOUSE?

BE A LOUSE?

ME?

YES (WHY?) YOU!

WITH MAJOR HOOPLES
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THE VICTORY
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Meeting of Rules Committee Called By Col. Bingham

NEW YORK, Feb. 20 (AP)— Col. William J. Bingham has called a meeting of the National collegiate football rules committee for New York City on March 31, the Associated Press learned today.

Bingham, Harvard's athletic director on military leave, was named chairman of the code committee a year ago last January but refused to convene his group, declaring there was no need for such action and that the grid "law would remain frozen for the duration."

He suggested, however, the war-year football seasons be devoted to experiments, with the result that every conference in the country tampered with the rules in some manner and further alterations were in prospect for the coming season.

Even after the coaches association met in Columbus, Ohio, last December and made six recommendations to the rules group, Bingham declared there was no need for a meeting.

It was at that session that Maj. Tuss McLaughry of Dartmouth and the U. S. marines, was named NCAA representative of the first district, succeeding Chairman Bingham; and Col. L. M. (Bill) Jones of West Point, taking over the No. 2 district job, replacing Asa Bushnell of Princeton.

Eleven men, including A. A. Stagg of the College of Pacific, make up the group. Stagg is a delegate at large and a life member.

TOURNEY WINNER
FORT SILL, Okla., Feb. 20 (AP)— Glennan general hospital of Okmulgee, Okla., came out on top of a double elimination tourney to win the Eighth service command's second district championship here.

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OH, DEAR, I KNEW WE SHOULD'NT COME OUT HERE ALONE!
COME OUTA TH' BRUSH, YOU LUGS OR WE'RE COMIN' IN AFTER YOU!
TAKE IT EASY, BOY! YOU'VE DOIN' NOTHIN'!
OH, HOI! A LEMMAN PATROL!

Carry On, Girls
THERE AINT NONE 'SPEAK OF IT IF IT'S TH' MOOVIAN ARMY YER LOOKIN' FOR! FOR WORK! FIND IT AT TH' LEMMAN PALACE!

By V. T. HAMLIN
THASSA MAN FOR YOU! NEVER SATISFIED WITH WHAT'S GOT HIM? YOU'LL FIND GO OFF T'SOMEBODY ELSE'S PALACE!

By MERRILL BLOSSER
IF YOUR NAME'S JUNIOR VOGEL, WHERE DO YOU THINK YOU'RE GOIN'?

I'M GOING TO MR. WILLIAMS' HOUSE AND WHO DO YOU THINK IS GONNA STOP ME?

I AM! IF THERE'S ANYTHING I HATE, IT'S A GUY WHO CALLS ME A SAWED-OFF DROOP! BEIN' CALLED A SAWED-OFF DROOP IS ONE THING THAT MAKES ME WANNA FIGHT!

BUT I DON'T CALL YOU A SAWED-OFF DROOP!

WELL, CALL ME ONE!!!

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Tell Tale Light
SURE HOPE THAT SUB IS LYING SURFACED SOMEWHERE OUT THERE IN THE DARK!

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EYES OF THE DRAGON
SEEKING ACCESS TO LAD TSI'S HOUSE IN YAP-HEI CANTON, A WOLF WRAITHS HIMSELF IN THE SHEEP'S OF LEARNING...

CAPTAIN YANK
THE DEDICATED HOSPITALITY MARCH LAD TSI EXTENDS TO SPOOKS' IS UNUSUALLY FARMY... THIS SPOOKY ONE WOULD ENJOY IN THE COIN OF HIS-ROUSST WISDOM...

IN CHINA WE STILL HAVE A VERY HIGH REGARD FOR SQUADERS, CAPTAIN ENAME TOLD MY DOOR-KEEPER TO ADMIT THE VISITOR TO THE OUTER CHAMBER...

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Brilliant Ballerina Thrills Audience Of Thousand at Concert Monday

An enthusiastic audience of more than a thousand persons attended the fourth in a series of community concert events last night at the Junior high auditorium when Mia Slavenska, famous world over as a star ballerina, was presented with her dancing partner, David Thimar, and company of Audrey Keane, Norma Vaslavina and Joseph A. Harris.

In brilliant costumes with effective lighting, the company thrilled the audience with their first presentation of "Variations." Mia Slavenska, in this first attempt, showed a thorough knowledge of charming fantasy, and the audience was eager to accept "Coppelia" in the second part.

The piano duo of William Schatzkammer and Mary Bray who accompanied the dancers, was excellent and both are known as accompanists of rare versatility. Miss Bray has appeared in two-piano recitals throughout the Eastern states. She is the wife of William Schatzkammer.

"Coppelia," designed in pure ballet style, portrays a village fete, celebrating the marriage of Swanilda and Franz. Audrey Keane and Joseph Harris gave the addition of the Mazurka which the audience enthusiastically accepted.

With costumes by duPont, Thimar was the featured dancer in the "Spirituals." This suite gave kinetic form to the emotions so wonderfully released in the old-time "speckles" and "shouts," expressive of the character and life of the Negro race. Audrey Keane, David Thimar and Norma Vaslavina gave a performance with both emotion and brilliance. The group did not leave the stage but from the artfully designed costumes, created the effect of three different dress creations.

In "Salome," Mia Slavenska proved to the audience how she has captured all the styles with an equal skill. In vivid costumes she gave the dance that tells of Salome at the foot of a column symbolizing the immovable law of life. She believes herself immune to the dangers of her abominable inheritance of crime and vice. Just as she is to triumph over nature, an insane rage of sensuality makes her embrace the beheaded St. John's bloody lips. Salome is thrown as by an invisible force against the column and falls dead at its foot. Only in this dance was a single stage property used.

Featuring Joseph Harris, "Dance" was planned to express the spirits and energy of a young dancer in the purely technical medium of traditional ballet style. Harris showed here, a combination of both dancing skill and an energetic quality.

A short, but effective dance, was the "Flight of the Bumblebee" by Norma Vaslavina. Costumed in keeping with her portrayal as a bumblebee, Miss Vaslavina told the story of the bee flying through the air, resting on a flower and how it is off again.

Probably the most outstanding thing in the "Balkan Sketches" by Audrey Keane and Joseph Harris was the costumes and the clever mimicry of both dancers. They both displayed tempestuous outbursts and tender melancholy.

Mia Slavenska, David Thimar and the entire cast appeared in the happy interpretation of a summer afternoon in the 1860's which was filled with laughter, romance and light-hearted dancing. Beautiful costumes along with a gay story and rhythmic balance marked the end of the ideal presentation. The audience applauded long after the final curtain and said of Slavenska, "she gave a performance which was both elegant and brilliant."

A red, white and blue buoy stands in Chesapeake bay off Fort McHenry, and marks the approximate spot where the Star Spangled Banner was written.

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Western Party Given by Scouts To Honor Parents

In typical western style the Girl Scouts of troop 22 entertained their parents with a dinner party at the little scout house on Friday night.

The girls were dressed in cowboy and cowgirl regalia and served the buffet dinner of brown beans, French fries, salad, corn bread, biscuits, pickles, coffee and pie all of which they had cooked.

Following the dinner, folk dancing and singing games were enjoyed, by all. Campfire songs were sung to the guitar accompaniment played by Mrs. Lester Attaway.

The following parents and guests enjoyed the evening with the girls: Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Morrison, Mrs. M. N. Cox, Mrs. Bill Money, Mrs. E. C. Hart, Mrs. G. E. Harris, Mrs. Henry Norman, Mrs. Arlie Proctor, Mrs. Clyde McNaughton, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Patton, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Attaway, Mrs. Bryon Swearingen, and Marie Stejle, executive secretary of the local Girl Scouts.

Troop 22 in under the direction of Mrs. Lester Attaway and Mrs. Otto Patton as leader. This group has been working on Cook and Hostess badges and dinner and party as planned and carried out by the girls completed some of the requirements for these badges.

The following girls from the troop took part in this entertainment: Billie Marie Money, Otolenie Patton, Barbara Conroy, Margie Goodard, Ariene Proctor, Virginia McNaughton, Jimmie Swearingen, Edrie Morrison, Kathryn Harris, Johnny Sue Hart, Patricia Cook, and Patsy Cox.

Marriage Rites Are Read Here by Rev. E. B. Bowen

Miss Lois Jean Strader, Berger, and Lt. Robert L. Ruth were married Feb. 15, in the First Methodist church. The Rev. E. B. Bowen, read the marriage ritual.

The couple was attended by a group of friends. Lt. Ruth is stationed at Pecos army air field, Pecos, Texas, where the couple will make their home.

BOOKS of Today

By JOHN SELBY
"The Last Flowering of the Middle Ages" by Baron Joseph van der Elst (Doubleday, Doran; \$7.50). Until he reached the United States about three years ago, Baron Joseph van der Elst, late of Bruges, was forever being driven out of places by the Germans. He is now in the service of the Belgian government in exile, and besides that he is in considerable demand as a lecturer and expert in his special field. That is Flemish art.

The title of his new book, "The Last Flowering of the Middle Ages," may be a little cumbersome, and the book itself is both handsome and out-size, so that it is better read at a table. But there is nothing at all awkward in the text, which reads better than 90 percent of art books, and the illustrations are beautifully done. Of these 16 are in color and 96 in black and white; prospective investors may also be glad to know that the wide pages of text are set in two columns, which eliminates a little of the eye-strain needed to follow a too-long type line.

Baron van der Elst is an enthusiast who had had the good sense to look at his enthusiasm from the outside. A few people might read his book if it were written in the high jargon of art criticism, but apparently that does not suffice for the Baron. He has decided to introduce the public to his Flemish paintings as he himself introduced them to a family. Therefore he starts with an event, which is the casually managed marriage of Margaret of York and the Duke of Burgundy, brought in the best painters of the time to help with the decorations, although he appears not to have thought it worth while to have one of them paint a good portrait of the bride.

From there van der Elst goes on to a description of Flemish painting in the day of Memling, van Eyck, van der Goes, Pieter Bruegel and their contemporaries. I like the story of Flanders thus illustrated by her great painters as a whole, and particularly the story of the guilds, and the way in which they enforced their standards of workmanship. We might use a few today.

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Lt. and Mrs. Albert Kramer

Holtzen-Kramer Vows Exchanged; Schroedel Home Reception Scene

The Zion Lutheran church was the scene when Miss Dorothy Margaret Holtzen, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. R. F. Holtzen, Santa Rosa, Calif., became the bride of Lt. Albert Kramer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kramer, Monterey, Minn., in a ceremony read Feb. 11.

The double ring ceremony was read and Mrs. H. A. Yoder played the wedding music using Lohengrin's "Wedding March," "The Lord's Prayer" and "O Perfect Love." Mendelssohn's "Wedding March" was played as the recessional. This wedding ceremony was the first to be read in the recently dedicated Lutheran church and the altar was decorated with palms and branched candelabra.

Mrs. Sam Earl was matron of honor and she wore a powder-blue net, floor-length dress, fashioned with a dropped neckline and full skirt. She carried a colonial bouquet. Lt. and Mrs. Jack Nolan were also attendants and A/C Sam Earl, PAAF, served as best man.

The bride was given in marriage by Joseph D. Schroedel, Pampa, in the absence of her father. The bride wore the wedding gown which belongs to her sister, Mrs. Neal Isaacson, Selma, Ala., which was of white satin fashioned with a sweetheart neckline, pointed sleeves. She wore an illusion veil edged with lace and a terra of orange blossoms. She carried a colonial bouquet of gardenias surrounded by carnations. Her double strand of pearls were something borrowed, something blue was a tiny bow.

The bride's mother wore a French-blue floor-length dress with a short jacket studded with crystals. Her shoulder corsage was of red roses.

Following the marriage ceremony a reception was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schroedel. The bride's cake, which Mrs. Schroedel baked, was served from a beautifully appointed table, decorated with fern, carnations and candles.

The bride attended schools in Vancouver, Chilliwack, British Columbia, Canada, and graduated from Santa Rosa high school. She also attended Concordia college, Oakland and was employed by the telephone company in California for the past 22 months.

The bridegroom received a music education in Monterey, Minn., and has been in the army the past three years. He is with the 45-A class at the Pampa army air field.

AV/C and Mrs. Kramer will be at home at 110 N. Starkweather. A wedding trip will be taken to Monterey.

Wedding guests were the Rev. H. A. Yoder, Dumas, who read the ritual, Lt. and Mrs. Jack Nolan, Mr. and Mrs. Schroedel, Mrs. Holtzen and Danny, Tommie and Jackie Schroedel.

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'Old King Cole' To Be Presented Here on March 2

"Old King Cole," a Clare Tree Major production, will be presented to the children of Pampa at one performance on Friday, March 2, at 2:00 p.m., Junior high auditorium.

The play is being sponsored by the Pampa branch of the American Association of University Women.

Based on the familiar nursery rhymes, the story is woven about the orphan children of the fiddler in King Cole's violin trio. Dance numbers and violin solos are featured and costumes are colorful.

Because they have specialized in children's theatres for many years, Clare Tree Major, Inc., brings humor and pathos, color and melody, well-suited to the understanding of children. So important to children are these plays considered that Clare Tree Major has been granted means of transportation to fulfill engagements with the original New York cast.

A few of the Clare Tree Major plays brought here in previous years by A. A. U. W. are "King of the Golden River," "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch," "The Nuremberg Stove." Those and others are remembered with enjoyment by Pampa children.

One block of seats will be reserved for pre-school children and their mothers, and grade school students may secure tickets in their classrooms.

Rebekah Lodge Has Business Meeting

Members of the Pampa Rebekah lodge met recently for a business session when sack lunches were brought by the group and plans were made for various members to serve at the USO. A school of instruction was held by the president.

Attending were Edna Braley, Bessie Mastin, Bonita Brown, Florence Hall, Elsie Cone, Dorothy Voyle, Lillie Hollis, June Patterson, June Rowe, Minnie Dewey, Kate Beverly, Eva Howard, Fredella Potter, Quida Morris, Etta Crisler, Opal Clay, Hazel Franklin, Jimmy Jordan, Lilye Noblett, Jimmie Brown, Blanche Vaughn, Marjorie Claunch, Mae Phillips.

ARMCHAIR FIREMEN
SPRINGFIELD, Ill. Feb. 19.—(AP)—Firemen in the No. 1 engine house have discovered that if they wait long enough, the fire will come to them.

Looking up from a card game, they saw a minor blaze riding right up to their front door. The car of Navy Lt. C. Z. Seward had caught fire, but he merely stepped harder on the gas and wheeled up to the engine house to have it doused.

It's too bad more towns and cities don't have a place where young war wives and lonely married service men, and men otherwise temporarily separated from their families can meet for social evenings. There's such a club in Chicago, sponsored by the YWCA where men and women of 25 or over can drop in and find companionship.

INNOCENT RECREATION
Such a club might well be sponsored in every town by a woman's organization, a church group, or some civic center. Society can certainly find no objection to lonely men and women getting together for an evening to dance, play games, or just talk.

And if such innocent recreation were provided for lonely husbands and wives separated by the necessities of war, there would probably be fewer husbands and wives driven by loneliness into dating and starting cheap flirtations and affairs.

The man or woman who has had no companionship at all with members of the opposite sex over a long period of time is sure to be easier game for wolves of either sex than the man and woman who has a chance to enjoy the company of other men and women under the right conditions.

Yet that is the choice war wives in most communities have been forced to make. They must either date or rarely if ever enjoy a man's conversation and companionship.

By RUTH MILLETT
It's easy to advise a war wife not to date other men, and it's sound advice. But the alternative for most war wives, living entirely in a female environment, is pretty hard to take, accustomed as they are to the companionship of a man and a social life that includes both men and women.

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Ration Calendar

(As of Monday, Feb. 19)
By The Associated Press
MEATS, FATS, ETC.—Book Four red stamps Q5 through E5 good through March 31. Stamps T5 through X5 good through April 28. Stamps Y5 and Z5 and A2 through D2 good through June 2.

Processed foods—Book Four blue stamps X5 through Z5 and A2 and B2 good through March 31. Stamps C2 through G2 good through April 28. Stamps H2 through M2 good through June 2.

SUGAR—Book Four stamp 24 good for five pounds through Feb. 28. Stamp 35 valid for five pounds through June 2. Another stamp scheduled to be validated May 1.

SHOES—Book Three airplane stamps 1, 2 and 3 valid indefinitely; OPA says no plans to cancel any.

GASOLINE—14-A coupons good everywhere for four gallons through March 21. B-5, C-5, B-6 and C-6 coupons good everywhere for five gallons.

NEW TWIST
CHATTANOOGA, Tenn. — (AP)—The initial showing of a Wac movie here next week is being billed as the first torrid premiere. Since the government's brownout order prohibits use of the traditional searchlights, arrangements were made with a nearby chemical warfare service unit to enlighten the proceedings with giant flares.

The movie is MGM's "Keep Your Powder Dry" and many of the background shots were made at nearby Ft. Oglethorpe, Ga.

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VIRGINIA BELMONT: Thumping keeps her slim and trim.

By ALICIA HART
NEA Staff Writer
Having hips soundly spanked by a masseuse is one of the best ways to keep 'em trim, as all girls know; but what a lot aren't he to it that you can do a pretty good job on yourself with a pair of vigorous fists.

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26 Books Are Given To Wheeler School

WHEELER, Feb. 20.—The Wheeler high school library received a very valuable donation of 26 books from Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Pendleton last week. The donation included a set of books by Mark Twain, the complete works of James Whitcomb Riley, several volumes of fiction and a reference book on the short story and history. The collection makes a valuable addition to the high school library.

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FOR SALE—Oil burner, large size, hot water heater, 2 cabinet radiator, 5 miles south, 3 miles west on Clarendon highway. Call Johnson.

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38—Musical Instruments

PIANOS for rent, also several nice radios for sale. We have radio service. Tarpley Music Store, Phone 850.

39—Bicycles

PRE-WAR BICYCLES in good condition. Rich and low gears. 1124 Duncan St. on Sunday or after 6 on week days.

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46—Wanted To Buy

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56—Baby Chicks

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61—Apartments

WANTED—Refined young lady unnumbered to share small apartment with overseas soldier's wife. Call after 6:30 at 535 Gilliland.

63—Wanted To Rent

WANTED TO RENT—Large four to six room modern home unfurnished. Permanently located. Call 2299.

WANTED TO RENT—Unfurnished duplex or 3 room unfurnished apartment for permanent residents. Call 2299.

WANTED—3 or 4 room house or apartment, furnished or unfurnished by permanent residents. Call 2299.

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FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE

70—Business Property

Skelly Cafe for sale. Air-conditioned, completely equipped good business. Includes building with 4 room modern apartment. Inquire Skelly Cafe, Skellytown.

Owner leaving state will sell one of leading hotels in Pampa. Liquor Store and excellent rental income property in connection. Priced for immediate sale. Call C. H. Mundy phone 2372.

71—Income Property

Income property for sale, two duplexes on Sunset Drive One on Hill St. Both of these properties worth the money. Stone-Thomason.

72—City Property

Five room furnished, four blocks from postoffice, floor furnace and air conditioned, possession with sale. J. E. Rice. Call 1831 after 6:30.

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73—Lots

FOR SALE—Two lots, located 1 block from Central Park will trade on house. Ph. 180 Earl later.

75—Out-of-Town Property

FOR SALE—Three room house and lot with concrete driveway, fenced and good outbuildings priced \$800. Located near Moberly. See J. I. Reynolds at Old Moberly.

76—Farms and Tracts

Good 160 acre wheat farm near Claude, 154 acres in wheat, 1-3 of crop goes with sale, \$37.50 per acre. 360 acre farm near Wheeler, 150 in cultivation, balance good pasture light improvements. Good terms, priced \$15 per acre. Call Mundy Ph. 2372.

Two sections grass land (no sand) for sale, located near Hedley in Donley, Texas, watered by wells and springs, fair improvements, \$18 per acre. Stone-Thomason.

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79—Real Estate Wanted

Gertie Arnold, Room 3 Duncan Building, Ph. 758 Wanted to buy 4, 5 or 6 room houses.

Want to buy a 2- or 3-bedroom home, only north side considered. Permanent Pampa business man. Call 485 for Mr. Scott.

80—Automobiles

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87—Financial

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Market Briefs

NEW YORK WALL STREET NEW YORK, Feb. 19—Stocks led by rails, steel and motors, hit another new average high since 1937 in today's market although top gains running to 2 points or so were reduced near the close.

Dealings picked up speed after the opening as prices generally stiffened. Toward the finish, when quotations wavered, slow-downs were frequent. Transfers for the full proceedings were in the vicinity of 2,000,000 shares.

In front most of the day were Santa Fe, Southern Railway, Union Pacific, Bell Telephone, Chrysler, General Motors, Du Pont, Eastman Kodak, National Department Stores, Pan American Airways, Montgomery Ward, Kennecott and International Hooker. Backward were American Telephone and Telegraph, John-Manville and United Aircraft.

Bonds improved selectively. Commodities rallied.

NEW YORK STOCKS LIST

Table with columns: Stock Name, Bid, Ask, Change. Includes Am Airlines, A & P, Am Woolen, Anaconda-Cop, etc.

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FORT WORTH LIVESTOCK FORT WORTH, Feb. 19—Cattle 1-: 1200: calves; 1200: all classes active and fully steady; 1200: all classes active and fully steady; 1200: all classes active and fully steady.

1941 twenty three ft. National trailer house with practically new 6 ply heavy duty commercial tires. Can be seen at 720 South Hobart. Ph. 537.

84—Accessories

Large Shipment Tires Just received a complete stock of truck, pickup and passenger tires. Among these are several 700-10 ply rayon, 700-10 10 ply rayon, and 750-16 10 ply rayon, also have large supply of mud chains and tire-tinner tubes.

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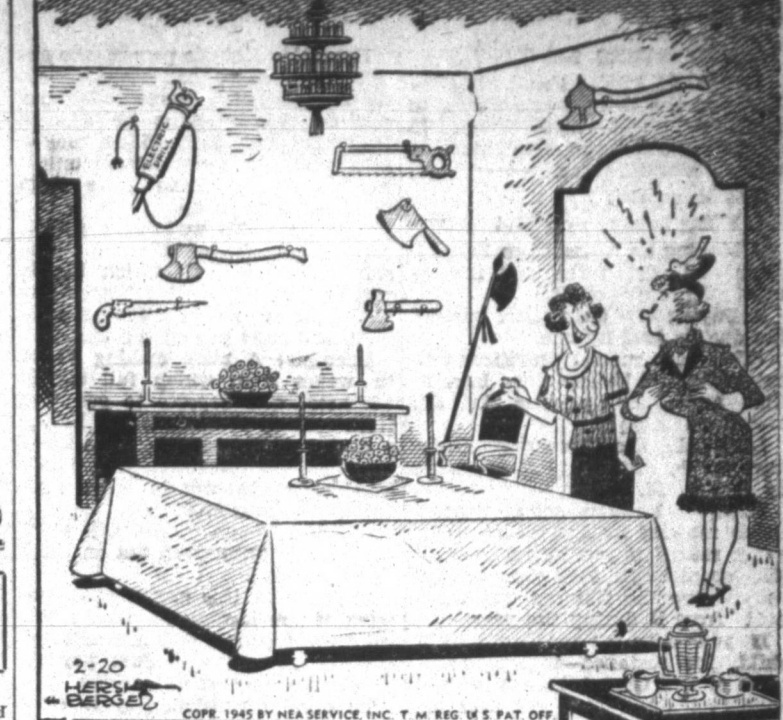
I am not going to make any prophecy about the end of the war in the Pacific, but I can say that it is going better than expected and that we are more than satisfied.—Adm. Sir Bruce Fraser, British Pacific fleet chief.

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Three Primary Points To Remember In Filing March 15 Income Return

By JAMES MARLOW
 WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—(AP)—Here are the three primary things to remember about the March 15 deadline. Not everyone will have to worry about all three.

The three are:

1. Filing a return on 1944 income.
2. Making an estimate on 1945 income and paying the first installment of tax due on it.
3. Paying the unforgiven part of tax due on 1945 income.

(There are special provisions and exceptions—to be explained later in this series—for persons in the armed services.)

Let's take the three groups who have to do something about taxes by March 15:

Group 1. You—man, woman, child, married or single—must file a tax return if you had income of \$500 or more in 1944 even though you're sure the full tax was withheld from it during the year.

If you have a dependent—your child, for instance—who had income of less than \$500, you do not have to include or report that income in making your return.

If your wife had any income, no matter how small, you cannot claim the usual \$500 exemption for her unless you include her income in a joint return.

A child who earned \$500 or more must file his own separate return although, if he doesn't pay the tax due, the parent is responsible.

And—the parent of a child who earned \$500 or more cannot claim him as a dependent, even though the parent contributed to more than half the child's support in 1944.

This is a little tricky, so watch it. This year full taxes will be withheld from wages and salaries up to \$5,000 but—

Anyone—except wage earners—who expect to make more than \$500 and some wage earners who expect to make more than \$5,000 will have to:

File an estimate on the amount of tax they figure they'll owe over the tax regularly withheld from them and by March 15 pay the first quarterly installment on that estimated tax.

And these are the people who have to do that:

(a) A wage earner who expects to earn more than \$5,000, plus \$500 for every exemption except his own.

Example: A single person who expects to make \$5,001 will have to do it; but not a person who has one dependent unless he expects to make more than \$5,500; nor a person with two dependents unless he expects to make more than \$6,000; and so on.

(b) Note this well: If a person expects more than \$100 income outside of wages from which tax is withheld, and if his total income is \$500 or more, he must file an estimate and start paying the tax.

Example: A man, making \$3,000 in wages from which full tax is withheld, who expects to get \$101 from renting a room in his house, a doctor whose only income is from fees but will expect \$500; a landlord whose income is from rent but will be over \$500.

Group 3. Some people will have to pay that unforgiven tax on their 1942 income.

If you're in this group you'll receive, if you haven't already, a bill from the internal revenue collector for the amount due. Just pay it. There's no figuring to be done.

To avoid confusion, pay it separately from any other return you make.

Closed Shop

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with checkoffs from workers pay for union dues or assessments if a mutual written agreement is made and declare that nothing in the act shall be construed to prevent collective bargaining.

Organized labor representatives opposed the bill vigorously declaring it would result only in confusion, dissension and strikes and destroy unions. Proponents countered that its only effect is to abolish a condition that might prevent a man from working.

Appearing against the bill were W. M. Aiken, Texas legislative representative of the congress of industrial organizations; Leslie Lowry of Beaumont, a business man and union card holder; G. C. Rickett of Galveston, representing the Texas state international union; Harry W. Aceman, secretary of the Texas state federation of labor; Walter Conway of Fort Worth, representing the railroad brotherhoods; J. B. Berden of Fort Worth, representing the Texas department, disabled American veterans, and Glen E. Wilson of Austin, representing the Townsend organizations.

Bill said the bill was modeled after the 1928 National railroad act under which the rail brotherhoods "have developed the best leadership and a greater sense of responsibility than other unions."

He asserted that seniority rights of union members too often are based on length of service rather than ability and questioned the effect of this policy upon discharged veterans seeking re-employment.

It was his contention the bill permits veterans to determine under their free will the conditions under which they will work, protects men in unions against officials who do not represent them fairly; aids unions in obtaining better leadership; assures peaceful union-management relationships, and permits an individual to earn a living based on integrity and ability rather than on a union card.

Aiken theorized that the bill would alter the O.I.O. in that if an employer refused to hire a C.I.O. member on a business related job (the O.I.O. is not represented in Texas building trades) the O.I.O. could prosecute the employer for discrimination.

His organization opposed it, he said, because its overall effect would be to cause jurisdictional disturbances and other dissension.

Regarding the right to work of returning veterans, he said the C.I.O. contracts "provide more benefits for the veteran than the O.I. bill of rights."

As to closed shops he declared: "The lawyer or physician refuses to work with a shyster or a quack. A closed shop under these conditions seems to be good public policy and profitable."

Lowry who retains membership in a local pipe fitters' union although he is in business for himself said he continues to pay dues because he believes in the principles of unionism.

A serviceman's discharge is his initiation fee in the teamsters union and he retains his seniority while in service, said Rickett.

Aceman said in his opinion the bill would create more strikes than any other one thing. It was Conway's opinion the measure would have the effect of undermining accomplishments toward better labor relations.

Closing the argument Nicholson asserted opponents had attempted to make a complicated presentation on a bill which has but one purpose, the abolition of the closed shop.

Nicholson said he possibly appeared in an odd position before the committee since his district was the most heavily union organized in Texas. Then he added:

"But I want to say that if unions are going to live they are going to do it only by virtue of a favorable public opinion."

He said neither unions nor employers need go out of their way in determining what they are going to do for the returning veteran because the federal law will tell them both what must be done for veterans.

The motion to report the bill favorably was made by Rep. R. E. Senterfitt of San Edbs, recently discharged from the navy. Senterfitt said he had been on many islands in the Pacific and the most encouraging news received by the men there was that of strikes and other labor troubles.

Fiercest Fight

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shores of Luzon island's inland lake.

Philippines-based bombers on their daily patrols of the China sea from Indo-China to Formosa added to destruction wrought by great formations of Superforts. Sixty B-29's from India smashed railway yards at Kuala on the Malay peninsula yesterday.

Three Superforts, out of formations which may have numbered 150 bombers, failed to return to their Marianas bases from a successful raid on Tokyo's Nakajima-Musshina aircraft factory.

The jittery capital reported a new upheaval in its totalitarian political party, with more politicians quitting, protest over the government's failure to meet American onslaughts or domestic criticism.

The controlled press warned that the thundering battle raging on Iwo Jima demonstrated powerful American forces could land on the home islands.

Reported 20,000 marines were battling for control of Iwo, from which fighter-escorted light bombers could methodically bomb the Japanese capital.

The U. S. invasion fleet slowly encircled the island, maintaining an incessant bombardment of Japanese positions, particularly hidden gun emplacements firing down on the almost unprotected marines. Shore-based artillery and bombing, strating, rocket-firing planes furnished direct support for the painfully advancing Yanks.

"Casualties in the south were light," Nimitz said, "but on the open slopes west of the airfield our forces were being resisted bitterly and casualties were more numerous."

Thousands of reinforcements and increasing numbers of artillery poured on to the beaches.

Red Cross Drive

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assistance with dependency benefits. Assistance has been given to veterans in making applications for mustering out pay, insurance and pension claims.

Last year the Pampa chapter opened 59 new cases for ex-servicemen and 1,086 for men in service. A total of 1,539 cases was handled in the home service branch of the Pampa chapter last year.

Nine generals lived to become President of the United States: George Washington, Andrew Jackson, William Harrison, Zachary Taylor, Franklin Pierce, Ulysses S. Grant, Rutherford Hayes, James Garfield and Benjamin Harrison.

Waste Paper

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pounds of cans was collected through the depots in Pampa stores.

Stressed was the critical status of tin as a war metal and its scarcity in our national stockpiles. Citizens of Pampa were called on to help carry this drive through by utilizing the collection depots now set up by eight local merchants.

Collection depots in local stores are at the following: Furr Food, McCarty's, Young's Super Market, Figgly-Wiggly, Modern Market, Suttie's Market and both Ideal markets.

It is essential that housewives making contributions prepare the cans in the manner prescribed by the WPB. These instructions are published on posters in the stores. A few unprepared cans have been received, but most were in excellent condition for de-tinning.

Oil Men Protest

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decline of 641 pounds per square inch.

Daily average water injection was 358,774 for January as against 390,506 or a daily increase of 31,836 barrels.

The P. A. W. asked for a 20,000 barrel daily increase in West Texas production for March. It has asked and obtained a 16,000 barrel daily increase for February from East Texas, to be continued in March.

East Texas operators have complained that the heavy drain of war oil from the field is damaging it by reducing pressures.

Mainly About Pampa and Her Neighbor Towns

Lt. and Mrs. Harvey Gilmore visited over the weekend with Mrs. Gilmore's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cox. Also a guest in the home was Lt. Gilmore's mother of Fort, Texas.

Wanted: Housekeeper. Good pay per hour. Call 2108 Mrs. Charles B. Cook.

Mrs. G. H. Reber returned Monday from Waxahachie, Texas, where she attended funeral services for her sister, Mrs. T. A. Rowe, who died in Fort Worth last week.

Fuller Brushes, 514 Cook. Ph. 2152-J.

All cub scouts who wish to take examinations for advancement are to be at the Presbyterian church at 7:30 Wednesday evening, N. Dudley Steele, cub master, will be in charge, assisted by Jack McCreary.

Try Valley Ranch Sausage.

Parish Council of Catholic Women will meet at the home of Mrs. Lynn Boyd, 810 Somerville, 2:30 Wednesday, for a special meeting. Courtesy Cab 24 hr. taxi. Ph. 441.

Visitors at the First Baptist church Sunday were: Henry W. Swinney, San Angelo; A. C. Dwight, Robert Chickasha, Okla.; D. C. Cagle, A. C. and Mrs. Lloyd Roberts, Ada, Okla.; A. C. Gene E. Ranibo, Chicago, Ill.; Lt. and Mrs. B. J. Covington, guests of Mrs. A. Hopkins; Roy W. Darwin, Atlanta, Ga.; Gordon M. Walker, Wheeler; Allan Isaac, Wheeler; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Anderson, Amarillo; Mrs. A. C. Elliott, O'Donnell, Texas; Paul H. Graves, Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Ribble, Crowell, Texas; H. D. Nicklin, Nowata, Okla.; Lt. and Mrs. Ernest James, San Marcos, Texas.

Edgar E. Payne, Income Tax Reports, Room 4, Duncan Building, over Behrman's, E. 828.

Mrs. Donald Adair Powell of Hobbs, N. M., is here visiting in the home of Mrs. Raymond W. Harrah.

The spring clothes should be made ready to use. Let us clean them now. Bring your hangers. Master Cleaners, 218 N. Cuyler.

Churchill

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reception of King Farouk and the Ethiopian emperor.

The White House announcement said Secretary of State Stettinius enroute from Moscow to make official calls in Liberia, Southwest Africa, Brazil and then to the Inter-American conference in Mexico City, where he will see the President in Alexandria where he reported on meetings with Foreign Commissar Molotov in Moscow. The conferences were described as "altogether satisfactory."

Ambassador John G. Winant also met the president in the Middle East, traveling by air from London.

Two more ambassadors, Jefferson Caffery, from Paris, and Alexander Kirk from Rome were met by the President in Algiers.

Mr. Roosevelt was reported to have brought the three ambassadors up to date on all that took place in the Crimea conference as well as to advise them fully regarding his meetings with the rulers of Egypt, Saudi Arabia and Ethiopia.

The conference with Churchill at Alexandria, while lasting less than four hours, was described as permitting "new and important discussions of at least one subject they could not take up before."

It added:

"That had to do with Japan and the war in the Pacific where Soviet Russia is a neutral power."

The statement said Churchill told the President in blunt words that his government was determined to throw everything it had at the Japs as soon as Germany has been defeated and, meanwhile, would do all it could to strengthen the forces already engaged in that conflict.

Newsmen were cautioned not to speculate on the whereabouts of the President at this time. It was stated, however, that when the President reaches the White House he will have traveled about 14,000 miles, more than half way around the world.

At no time during his journey, the statement said, was he beyond almost instantaneous reach of the White House or Washington officials.



"Meat and butter are getting harder and harder to find—I guess we'll have to tighten our belts again!"

Opinions Differ

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tempt to include all night clubs, sport arenas, theaters, dance halls, road houses, saloons, bars, and other similar enterprises, whether public or private, excluding restaurants engaged exclusively in serving food.

The purpose of this request is primarily to save coal consumed in heating and in providing electricity. But it will also be helpful in the fields of transportation, manpower, and in other ways.

Byrnes said he would ask the war manpower commission to "deny cellings to any places violating this request." He also said the war production board, the office of defense transportation and the office of price administration would be asked for support.

Unofficially it was thought the ODT could act against offenders by preventing delivery of supplies and by exercising taxicab and bus controls. The WPB would cut off power, fuel and materials. The OPA could halt rationing and fuel oil.

Noah L. Braunstein, spokesman for the New York cafe owners' Guild, said the request would result in "a lot of unemployment" and added: "It will be a definite invitation for the return of the horrors of the speakeasy days."

Nightclub operators in Richmond and Philadelphia also forecast a return of the speakeasy.

Michael Hannigan, president of the Illinois Tavern Owners association, said the early closing might mean the difference between profit and loss for amusement places.

In Hollywood Earl Carroll, a night club owner, said: "I don't see what good it will do."

But a preponderance of the reaction was favorable, following the line of James Hone, of Seattle, secretary and board chairman of the independent theater owners of Washington, Northern Idaho and Alaska, who said:

"We will continue to do all we can to cooperate in the war effort. If they asked us to close at 12 noon, we would."

Congressional comment also varied.

Senator Taylor (D-Idaho) "I think Mr. Byrnes' order is all right."

Representative Baldwin (R-NY): "No such curfew is sounded in London or Paris—and I don't think it's necessary anywhere."

Senator McCarran (D-Nev) said the deadline, if kept for any length of time, would "bring the speakeasy back."

Senator Barkley (D-Ky) said he didn't believe the speakeasies would be set up "just for the few hours after midnight."

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TUESDAY

4:00—Click Carter, Roy Detective.—MBS.
 4:15—Supernatural.—MBS.
 4:30—The Publisher Speaks.
 4:45—Tom Mix.—MBS.
 5:00—One Minute of Prayer.—MBS.
 5:15—Griffin Reporting.—MBS.
 5:30—Interlude.
 5:45—House of Mystery.—MBS.
 6:00—Music and Lyrics.—MBS.
 6:15—Fredell Lach, violinist.—MBS.
 6:30—Arthur Hays.—MBS.
 6:45—Music and Lyrics.—MBS.
 7:00—Frank Singler & The News.
 7:15—Mutual Presents Curt Massey.—MBS.
 7:30—Roy Rogers Show.—MBS.
 7:45—Never Too Old.—MBS.
 8:00—Real Stories.—MBS.
 8:15—American Forum of the Air, MBS.
 8:30—War News Analysis.—MBS.
 8:45—Wings for Tomorrow.—MBS.
 9:00—Radio Newsweek.—MBS.
 9:15—George Hamilton's Orch.—MBS.
 9:30—Sign Off.

WEDNESDAY

7:00—Western Jubilee.
 8:00—What's Behind the News.
 8:15—Wake Up Pampa.
 8:30—Billy Rennie.—MBS.
 8:45—Maxine Keith.—MBS.
 9:00—Shady Valley Folks.—MBS.
 9:15—Arthur Hays.—MBS.
 9:30—Ask Jane Fortfield.—MBS.
 9:45—Take It Easy Time.—MBS.
 10:00—What's Your Idea.—MBS.
 10:15—Lanny and Ginger.—MBS.
 10:30—William Lang, News.—MBS.
 10:45—William Lang, News.—MBS.
 11:00—News—Tex DeWesse.
 11:15—"Unfinished Business."
 11:30—Punchy Program.
 11:45—Luncheon with Lopez.—MBS.
 12:00—American Women's Jury.—MBS.
 12:15—Jane Cook.—MBS.
 12:30—The Johnson Family.—MBS.
 12:45—Bob Rowland.—MBS.
 1:00—True Detective Mysteries.—MBS.
 1:15—The Smoother.—MBS.
 1:30—Dance Time.
 1:45—Walter Compton.
 2:00—The Johnson Family.—MBS.
 2:15—The Moore Sisters.—MBS.
 2:30—The Handy Man.
 2:45—Click Carter, Roy Detective.—MBS.

TONIGHT ON NETWORKS

NBC—6:30 Dick Haymes and Ed Gardner; 7:30 Date With Judy; 8:45 Front Street; 9:30 Fibber McGee; 9:30 Bob Hope; 9:30 Hildagard; CBS—7 Big Town; 7:30 Claire Trevor in "Destiny Rides Again"; 8 Inner Sanctum; 9:30 Rolland Frink; 10:30 The Big Game; 11:30 Listen to the Women; Gypsy Rose Lee; Life Drama; 9:30 Wings for Tomorrow.

WEDNESDAY

NBC—8 a.m. Ed East and Polly; 12 Noon Sketches in Make-Up; 1:45 Front Page Farrell; CBS—12:15 a.m. Murray Close; 1:30 a.m. Blue; 2:30 a.m. Hank Snow; 3:30 a.m. Hank Snow; 4:30 a.m. Hank Snow; 5:30 a.m. Hank Snow; 6:30 a.m. Hank Snow; 7:30 a.m. Hank Snow; 8:30 a.m. Hank Snow; 9:30 a.m. Hank Snow; 10:30 a.m. Hank Snow; 11:30 a.m. Hank Snow; 12:30 a.m. Hank Snow.

Russian Armies

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berg, 29, New York City, a medical officer attached to the 101st airborne division; Lt. Frank H. Colley, 39, of Washington, Ga., a member of the 17th field artillery, and Lt. John N. Demling, Jr., 30, of Winston Salem, N. C., a member of the 30th infantry. Gruenberg was captured in Normandy, Colley in Tunisia and Demling on the Anzio beachhead.

Colley reported that among the Americans liberated by the Russian offensive was Wright Bryan, managing editor of the Atlanta Journal, captured in France shortly after the invasion.

Gruenberg said that many of the escaped Americans now are fighting alongside the Russians inside Germany, using borrowed weapons and a "grumb and point system" of sign language.

One of these he identified as a "Captain Dunkelberg."

"I don't remember his first name or home town but I believe he's from Alabama," he added.

"Statements of our liberated soldiers and airmen all attest to fine treatment by the Poles and Russians whether military or civilian," Deane said. "Within their power our Allies have done everything that could be kind, merciful and friendly."

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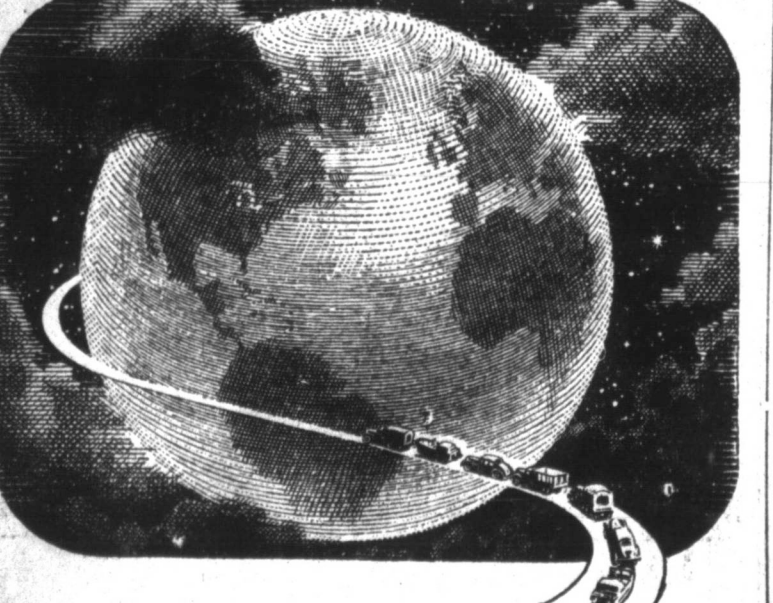
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