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S. & T. CASH GROCERY

PHONE 15

Save On These Bargains

CASH SPECIALS

Cherries, Kuner, 12 points, per can	19c
Peas, 16 points, No. 2 can	14c
Oats, Brimful, large box for	25c
Green Beans, No. 2 can for	13c
Peaches, Hearts Delight, 2 1-2 size can	27c
Bran, Jersey, two boxes for	23c
Coffee, Chase & Sanborn, 8 P A coiling	34c
Tissue, 3 rolls	27c
Green Mustard, bunch	9c
D g Food, box	9c
Soap, P & O, 6 bars	24c
Flour, Flaky Bake, 48 lb for	\$1.92
Catsup, good, 14 oz. size	15c
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Kleenex, 200 sheets	13c

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Savory Blee, lb.	19c
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Memorial Service

The local post of the American Legion is sponsoring a joint Memorial Service for the dead of World War I and II and prior wars. The services will be held at the Methodist Church at the 11 o'clock hour on Memorial Day Sunday May 30th. All are invited to attend and they ask the other churches to dismiss their morning services to allow all who wish to attend this service. The program for the occasion is as follows:

Presentation of colors, American Legion
National Anthem, The congregation
Prayer, Rev. Howard L. Smith
Talk, Legion Commander, B. G. Giffen
Song Service led by Legionnaire C. O. Hill
Scripture Reading, Rev. O. E. LeMond
Special Music
Sermon, Rev. Bob Jenkins
Benediction
Retire the flag

METHODIST CHURCH

Start attending Church Sunday by being in the Memorial Service at the Methodist Church, O. E. LeMond

For Sale—40 Model Chevrolet and 25 Model Chevrolet.
Pete Barnell

Wanted to buy—smooth mouth horse, not over 1000 lbs. Must be in good shape.

W. P. Doherty

Mrs W. D. Mendenhall is quite ill.

Lions Club News

The directors of the Lions Club met last Thursday night. The first meeting in June was set for the night the nominating committee would make their report to the club, the new officers of the club would be voted on the second meeting in June and installed the first meeting in July.

The directors will recommend to the club that they sponsor a "Go to Church Month." The contest is to begin the Memorial Services next Sunday and extend through the four Sundays in June. The club will be divided into two sides to see which will obtain the largest church attendance.

The Club joined with the American Legion in uniting with the Reynolds Tobacco Company to send 1000 or more packages of cigarettes to our boys overseas at 5c per package. To date they have sent 1000 packages to the boys in North Africa and have nearly enough to send another 1000 to Southwest Pacific. Each package will bear this message: "Good Luck from the Folks at Hedley, Texas."

The Fiddler's contest held Saturday night was a big success in spite of the bad weather. The contestants were all good and put on a real show, in fact, it was more of a music festival than a fiddlers contest as almost all string instruments were played. The contestants were given nice prizes, after all expenses were paid \$27.65 was made and a collection of \$28.50 was given to the cigarette for soldiers fund. The winners of the contest were W. E. Walling of Leila Lake, W. G. Reeves of Leila Lake and Mac Graham of Memphis.

Hedley Schools Close

The Hedley schools are closing Friday with the issuing of report cards and annals. The annals include pictures of all the high school and part of the grade school.

Part of the teachers plan to at school this summer while others will remain at home. Mr. Hill will go to Austin on June 4th on school business. J. E. Riddle of Northfield has been elected grade school principal for next year, and is expected to move here about June 1st.

B.W.M.U.

The ladies of the Baptist Church are giving the Harlingen Hospital a shower of linen or any kind of cooking utensils. Leave them at the parsonage on or before Monday, May 31.

Mr and Mrs Ray Moreman announce the arrival on Saturday May 23, of a fine little son, weight 9 lbs. He has been named David Eugene.

Miss Alice Stabop has accepted an appointment to a department position with the State Government. She will assume the duties of this position in Amarillo.

Mrs W. H. Moffitt is reported doing nicely after an operation in Memphis hospital.

News from Our Soldiers

Goodfellow Field, Texas, May 20—Staff Sergeant Travis E. Bland, son of Mrs. Bell V. Bland, Route 1, Hedley, has been chosen to pursue a course in flexible gunnery at Aerial Gunnery School, Harlingen, Texas.

Miami Beach, Fla.—Sergeant James B. Yates, son of Mrs. Ida Yates of Hedley, is now serving as first cook in Basic Training Center No. 9 of the Army Air Forces Technical Training Command here.

During his spare time, Yates entertains his fellow soldiers in the 8th Mess Squadron with range and hillbilly songs on the piano and guitar.

Corp and Mrs. Carroll Dault of Camp Davis, N. Car., visited here this week.

Corp Homer W. Hill of Ft. Benning, Ga., is at home on leave. Zack O. Hunsucker is now located at the Naval Air Station at DeLand, Florida.

Family Reunion

A home coming was held at the J. W. McPherson home Sunday, May 16. Those present were Mr and Mrs Gene McGracken and son Winfred of Riverside, Calif. Mr and Mrs. Vergil McPherson and daughter Carlyn Sue of Los Angeles, Mr. and Mrs. E. Stewart son Eddie Me and daughter Billie Marie of McLean. Mr and Mrs. Bryan McPherson and children Theotis, Omabelle and Ona Gail, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Quisenberry and children Doyle, Iena, Mary, Jimmie and Bonnie Page of Amarillo, Mr and Mrs. L. D. Blackwell and children Lequita Gene and Joe M. of Amarillo. Miss Joyce June Burdine of Hedley and Mrs. Winfred McPherson of Lakeview.

Only two members of the family were absent, Winfred of Camp Berkeley and Ruby of Los Angeles.

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Revival

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NOTICE

There is a city ordinance against chickens running at large and since there has been quite a bit of complaint on the violation of this ordinance, all citizens are hereby warned to keep their chickens at home.

By order of the City Council

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We Honor the
Heroes of 1943
Memorial Day



Memorial Day comes closer home this year for our Nation is at War. Perhaps that neighbor boy has given his life or is seriously wounded on some far away front or has been reported missing in action on land or sea.

As we pause to honor the memory of the heroes of all our wars, past and present, let us resolve to make whatever sacrifices that are required to bring about the downfall of today's dictators and bring peace on earth.

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Make Kitchen Gay**



7492

A FEW cheer-up notes make housework more fun! Take, for instance, these busy little bluebirds to embroider on towels. They are quick to do—and how they brighten up the kitchen! Match them to the general color scheme.

Pattern 7492 contains a transfer pattern of 8 motifs averaging 5 1/4 by 7 1/2 inches; stitches; list of materials needed. Due to an unusually large demand and current war conditions, slightly more time is required in filling orders for a few of the most popular pattern numbers. To obtain this pattern send 15 cents in coins to:

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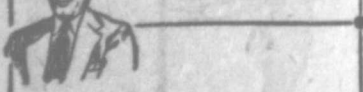
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**SNAPPY FACTS
ABOUT
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When our present synthetic program has materialized, a R.F. Goodrich official predicts the resultant rubber surplus will cause one of the most serious post-war marketing problems. What to do with the huge stocks of synthetic and natural rubber will test the ingenuity of manufacturers and sales executives. A substitute for rubber adhesive tape is being sought. Thousands of pounds of this tape are being used to protect plastic airplane glass in transit to airplane factories. Seventy-three per cent of the 140,000 workers of 94 war plants in 10 states go to and from work by private automobiles. Nearly three-quarters of the cars used by these workers have tires more than half worn out, many of them unfit for re-capping.

James Shaw
**In war or peace
R.F. Goodrich
FIRST IN RUBBER**

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

**Air Raids Soften Europe for Invasion;
Decisive Allied Moves Against Japan
Forecast in Washington Strategy Meet;
WLB Regains Authority on Wage Boosts**

(EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysts and not necessarily of this newspaper.)
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With activity against the Japs on all eastern fronts forecast by recent Washington conferences, Allied air attacks against the enemy loom large in the tactical picture. Above are shown four American-trained Chinese pilots looking over the instrument panel of a P-40, in company with Maj. Grant Mahoney of the U. S. air force in China.

**OFFENSIVES:
Europe and Asia Both**

Not only Allied smashes against Hitlerite Europe, but decisive campaigns against Jap-held domains in Asia and the South Pacific in weeks to come were on the United Nations' war timetable scheduled by President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill in their Washington conferences.

That activity against Japan would be stepped up on a major scale was indicated by two developments. One was the presence at the Washington conferences of Commander-in-Chief Sir Archibald Wavell of India, Admiral Sir James Somerville, the Eastern fleet commander, and Sir Richard Peirse, the India air commander. The other was the disclosure that Admiral William F. Halsey and Gen. Douglas MacArthur had met to co-ordinate future operations in their areas.

Indicative of the trend toward decisive American action was a Tokyo radio report that strong U. S. forces had invaded the Jap-held island of Attu in the Aleutians.

Observers believed that future moves on Japan might take on a nutcracker character. One prong would close in on Nippon from the east, via Halsey's and MacArthur's combined forces in the Pacific. The other would squeeze Japan's flank from the Indian ocean and the India-Burma front, using the combined commands of Wavell, Somerville and Peirse.

**TRADE PACTS:
Green Light by House**

Surviving debate and the threat of crippling limitations, President Roosevelt's reciprocal trade program was extended by the house of representatives for a term of two years.

As debate had divided on party lines and the Republicans had supported a series of amendments which the Democrats charged would have been "a kiss of death" to the entire program, Speaker Sam Rayburn had rallied support sufficient to insure favorable action. While gaining main support from Republicans, the amendments were offered by Democratic Congressman West of Texas, only New Deal member of the house ways and means committee to oppose extension of the act.

Reciprocal trade pacts have been negotiated with 27 nations in the last nine years.

**CANNING:
Kitchens Defined**

A definition of "home canning" was released by the Office of Price Administration to allay housewives' fears about giving up rationing points for foods processed in co-operative centers now being organized in many parts of the country.

The OPA defined "home canned" foods as those processed "in a kitchen primarily used for the preparation of meals, or in a kitchen used to demonstrate preparation of such meals"—such as in a school or home economics center.

If a farmer has a separate building where he customarily does his canning, he must get permission from his ration board to use it.

**POSTWAR:
'A Mighty Flow'**

Envisioning a "mighty flow of goods and materials" to war ravaged areas in the coming peace era, Jesse Jones, secretary of commerce, said that the United States should welcome and encourage the development of other nations when the war is over.

"Today private business, as well as government is determinedly planning for a postwar period that will be so economically sound that peace can be permanent," he said.

RUSSIA:

Donets Flares Anew

Even as the Red army had continued its methodical, grinding drive against the line of German fortifications outside Novorossisk, last Nazi-held bastion in the Caucasus, other Russian forces to the north in the Donets river valley had opened fierce attacks near Lisichansk, about 125 miles southeast of Kharkov.

For weeks, Soviet dispatches had reported trainload after trainload of German troops rolling eastward to the Russian front. But Hitler had kept his moves for what would be his last chance offensive well masked.

In the action near Lisichansk, gateway to the eastern Donets basin, the Russians said the enemy had tried a wedge-shaped drive into Russian-held territory, but this thrust was pushed back. In pursuing the retreating Nazis the Red troops were able to establish themselves on a hill of "great tactical importance."

AIR RAIDS:

Bombs Write History

Cologne and Dortmund had suffered destructive Allied air raids that dwarfed the damage visited on London by the Luftwaffe in the battle of Britain, but it remained for Duisburg, center of German war and transportation hub of the Nazi's defense of western Europe, to be smashed by the heaviest aerial assault in all history.

The RAF was the Allied instrument of destruction. It was estimated that as many as 2,000 tons of bombs were dropped. The heaviest previous raid ever made anywhere was that on Cologne, on May 31, 1942, when 1,000 bombers were employed and more than 1,500 tons of explosives were rained on the Nazi city. An attack on Dortmund had reached the intensity of the Cologne foray, but the Duisburg raid was the heaviest of all time.

That the Duisburg raid was but a prelude to what Nazi-held Europe might expect was indicated by devastating forays which followed immediately. American Flying Fortresses continued the marathon by making their own heaviest attack since the war began on St. Omer and Meaulte in northern France.

Meanwhile in the East the Russian air force took the initiative away from the Nazis, while Red planes smashed at German communications at Warsaw, capital of Poland, and its suburb of Praga. In the Mediterranean area, U. S. bombers strafed airfields and shipping facilities in Sicily and on the Italian invasion coast.

**WAGE BOOSTS:
WLB May Act**

The War Labor board got back some of its discretionary authority to make wage adjustments. James F. Byrnes, economic stabilization director, announced the new policy in a directive specifying that the board may now raise wages "to aid in the prosecution of the war or correct gross inequities."

Mr. Byrnes, however, qualified his action with the limitation that such wage adjustments must not cause price rises or stand in the way of price reductions.

The new policy directive was issued in response to the WLB's appeal for clarification of its position as a result of President Roosevelt's recent "hold the line" anti-inflation order. The board had complained that it was virtually stripped of all discretionary powers in wage cases, since the President's order had limited its actions.

While restoring authority to eliminate "gross inequities" Mr. Byrnes' directive did not restore to the board the power to correct "inequities" which it held prior to the President's "hold the line" order.

SUBMARINES:

Allies' Defense Grows

The Allies were making steady progress against Hitler's hitherto most potent weapon—the submarine. Decreases in monthly shipping losses by the United Nations and the preponderance of ocean-transported Allied munitions and supplies in North Africa at the victory finale were indicative of this.

Evidence of how the Allies were successfully applying air and sea power plus grit and stout hearts against the Nazi subsea peril abounded in epic report issued by the British admiralty describing how navy escort ships and Royal Canadian Air force planes had sunk or probably sunk 10 German submarines in an eight-day battle in the Atlantic.

Characterizing the action as the biggest single Allied victory against U-boats, the admiralty report said that planes, destroyers, frigates, corvettes, cutters and sloops joined in the battle continuing day and night for eight days. As many as 25 enemy submarines were in action at one time. The battle finally turned in favor of the convoy. "Some damage was suffered," the admiralty said, "but the majority of the merchantmen reached port in safety."

MERGER:

Wire Giants Unite

Improved telegraph service for those engaged directly in the war and for the general public in the post-war period was forecast as a result of the merger of Postal Telegraph Inc., and Western Union Telegraph company.

Together the two companies do a business of about \$145,000,000 a year and their combined assets will approach \$500,000,000.

Culminating negotiations and discussions covering more than 20 years, the merger was made possible by recent congressional action and by approval of the Federal Communications commission. Under the terms of the agreement, Western Union will acquire all assets and all business of Postal Telegraph and assume its liabilities and obligations, including the amount owed by Postal to the Reconstruction Finance corporation at the time of the closing of the agreement.

CURB:

War Plant Building

Ordering a halt on virtually all war plant construction which cannot be completed by October 1, the War Production board announced that the nation now has enough industrial plants to produce the materials required to beat the Axis.

Meanwhile the board had directed a widespread conversion of machine plant tools and other existing facilities to the production of more urgently needed goods. Calling its action a "significant milestone in the war program," the WPB said that men and materials released by its new directives would be channeled elsewhere into the war program.

WPB officials estimated that construction of between \$500,000,000 and \$1,000,000,000 in new war plants would be halted, even if it were necessary to dismantle partially completed ones. Many machine tools orders will be cancelled, and tool plants will be converted to the production of "things that shoot."

The announcement emphasized that there "has been no easing-off in the demand for critical materials; there is on the horizon no indication whatever of a lessening in the demand for labor."

LIFELINE:

For Small Business

Hope for financial aid for small store owners, operators of gasoline and service stations and other small businesses adversely affected by the war was held forth by the Reconstruction Finance corporation in announcing a loan program.

Jesse Jones, secretary of commerce, said the program would be in the hands of the RFC Mortgage company. The company, he added, is ready to consider loans against real estate, including stores, privately owned gasoline and service stations and business properties generally that have lost their earning power by reason of wartime restrictions and regulations.

Mr. Jones announced that three types of loans will be considered: participation loans; refunding loans; and care and preservation loans.

MISCELLANY:

COFFEE: Beginning June 1, Americans will get enough coffee to make one and one-fourth cups a day compared with present rations, the OPA announced.

PAPER: The Office of War Information's output of news releases reached a record high of 53 in a single day. Included was one publicity release urging conservation of paper.

SUMMER WORK: School teachers who take summer jobs will not be frozen into them, the War Manpower commission announced, in answer to inquiries from teachers who wanted to do war work during summer vacations.

PROMOTIONS: The appointments of Simon Bolivar Buckner Jr. and John Lesesne DeWitt to the temporary grades of lieutenant generals in the army were confirmed by the U. S. senate.



**Speak American,
Lady**

By Lucie Kinsolving

(WNU Feature—Through special arrangement with Women's Home Companion.)

All over the world, the American soldier likes a joke, even when war puts him in a field hospital. To keep him happy, the American Red Cross girls of the hospital recreation groups help a lot. I was the first of these girls to go to North Africa.

"I'd give a month's pay to talk to an American girl," confided one disconsolate boy. "This morning when I stepped up to a neat little French number and said, 'Bonne jauer, comment allez vu', she breezed right past me! No American dame would treat me that way."

It's being unable to make themselves understood by the feminine sex over there that's one of the hardest things for our soldiers in North Africa, I found. I interpreted for an hour and a half to a French lady for an American officer. His tactics were Gallo-Saxon directness, hers were Gallic evasion. At the end of that time the gentleman had no idea whether the lady was amused or merely contemptuous.

This incident gives you only a slight idea of the varied ways that we Red Cross recreation workers try to make ourselves useful.

There was a rumor that a very great American general had said a year ago he would never "have wanted women mixed up in a war," but after he saw what Red Cross workers accomplished in England he definitely wanted them in Africa and right away.

Greeted by Soldiers.

When our Red Cross group docked in North Africa on the first sunny day we had had for two months, we were greeted by shouts of welcome from the soldiers. "Speak American, lady," they cried as they had in London where they had stopped us on the street just to hear the home twang.

As we drove up the roadway, the populace of varying races and religions who had learned Americanisms fast, held up two fingers in the Victory salutation, hoping this would bring them chocolate and "chue-gomme."

Some faces wore doubtful expressions, mystified by our women's uniforms, but when we came closer a light broke through. "Voila La Croix Rouge," they shouted enthusiastically. "Vive La Croix Rouge." Imagine what a thrill that gave us!

First Red Cross Club in Africa.

That very night we opened our first American Red Cross club in North Africa. Only a few hours before it had been a barnlike empty automobile showroom. But Al Fink, Herb Siffert and Jim Sneider, three of our enterprising field directors, had worked such wonders that as I played the piano for the soldiers to sing I heard one boy blurt out, "Gee, this sure is like home!"

This was in Oran, Algiers, not many days after our troops arrived. Since then in our Oran club hundreds of men have found "a home away from home." In addition to the piano, we have radios, games and at night entertainment by army musicians.

At first we had difficulty providing snacks for the boys, but we found we could fill in the hungry spaces with mandarins and dates.

Our next job was a tough one—to organize a Red Cross hospital for which our six months' supply of everything was lost. I felt like Christopher Robin, for I spent my time going down "to the end of the town" getting warehouses open where there were priceless Red Cross stocks of cigarettes, tooth paste, brushes and shaving cream for the wounded.

Living Problems.

Our personal problems of living are easier than we had imagined, as women in a man's army on a battle front, but they are extremely incongruous. Unbelievable luxuries are mixed with discomforts. We can have coiffures that "do things for you" but no hairpins. We have exotic tropical fruits but no pasteurized milk. Fine handmade shoes are in shop windows, but no stockings. We live in a typical French house surrounded by palms, golden cascades of mimosa, and giant tree ferns.

We have become increasingly resourceful since that hot day in September when, loaded down with musette bags, steel helmets and gas masks, a group of us Red Cross girls hithet up the gangplank of a troopship.

Our quarters were comfortable, on a very crowded ship, and we learned our first lesson then—the chivalry of the United States army. We were faced with hundreds of homesick and seasick men. I found a tin-piano and started playing. By the end of the evening the crowd was booming.

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DEPARTMENT**

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Revival

The Church of the Nazarene has set the dates August 1 to 15 for the Summer revival. Announcements will be made later concerning the workers.

Help for sale—Mrs. J. C. Hill.

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Howard Smith, Pastor
Sunday School 10:30 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:30 a. m.
N. Y. P. S. at 7:45
Evening service 8:15 p. m.
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The Bus Station is now temporarily located in the office of the Hedley Gin

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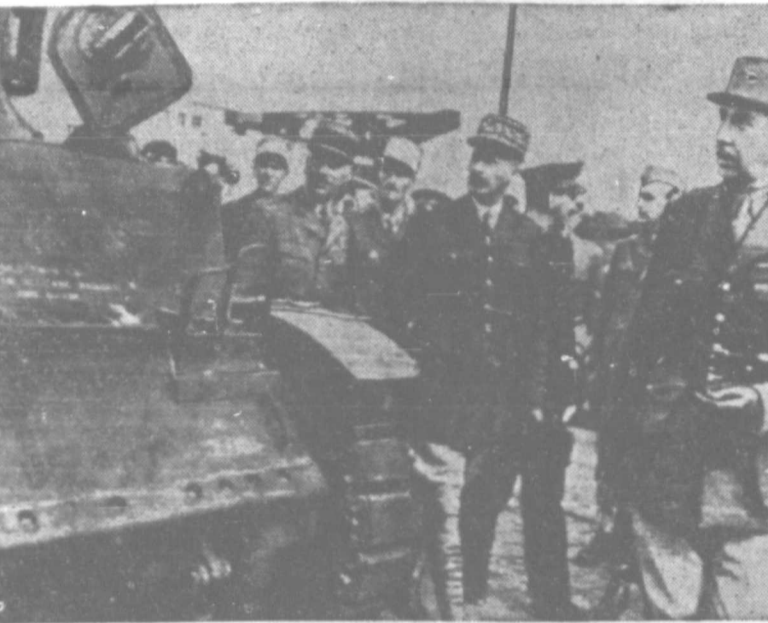
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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

U. S. Pledges Bombs to Japan's Heart; Allies Break Axis Mountain Defenses As Drive for Tunis and Bizerte Speeds; Russ-Nazis Locked in Caucasus Battle

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American arms, ammunition and equipment were a potent factor in stepping up the fighting strength of French armies aiding the Allied cause in the Tunisian campaign. Above, Gen. Henri Giraud (center), French high commissioner of North Africa, is seen inspecting U. S. war equipment sent for French army use.

VENGEANCE:

For Jap Executions

Stern punishment for the Jap military leaders responsible for the execution of American fliers captured after last year's raid on Tokyo was promised by President Roosevelt, who said the United States would "hold personally and officially responsible" all those who participated in these crimes and bring them to justice.

That the Japs' barbarity was a confession of their vulnerability to air attack was clear. This was underscored by Tokyo broadcasts threatening to execute American fliers captured on future raids over Japan.

The reply to such threats was given by Maj. Gen. Henry H. Arnold, commander of the air forces, who told his fliers:

"Let your answer to their treatment of your comrades be the destruction of the Japanese air force, their lines of communication, and the production centers which offer them the opportunity to continue such atrocities."

To this Maj. Gen. James H. Doolittle, who led the Tokyo raid a year ago added: "Soon our bombers will be there again, striking at the heart of Japan until the empire crumbles and they beg for mercy."

RUBBER:

Showdown on Oil Use

Rubber continued to be a controversial subject as William M. Jeffers, rubber director, came to grips with Robert P. Patterson, under-secretary of war, and Harold L. Ickes, petroleum administrator, in a dispute over the use of gasoline in the synthetic production program.

Patterson, supported by Ickes, charged in a statement that Jeffers was weakening American air strength against the Axis by reducing combat supplies of high octane gas for the benefit of the civilian synthetic rubber manufacturing schedule.

Still at odds with Elmer Davis, OWI director, over publicity releases on the rubber program, Jeffers briskly took on his two new opponents declaring that their charges called for investigation to bring out the true facts to the public.

PACIFIC:

U. S. Fliers Busy

From the Aleutians to New Guinea, American airmen continued their assaults on Jap airfields, shipping and ground installations.

Liberators, Mitchells, Lightnings and Warhawks made 15 raids on the enemy at Kiska, carrying the total of forays on this menacing Jap installation to more than 100 in the course of a single month.

In the Solomons, Yankee fliers battered Jap positions in four air raids, attacking Toner harbor and Kieta and smashing at Kahili and Munda.

From Australia, Allied aircraft made 10 forays in a single day, destroying enemy planes and strafing Jap base installations and occupied villages. Rabaul and Ubihi, New Britain, the Saidor area of New Guinea and Laga on Timor Island were the principal targets.

HIGHLIGHTS . . . in the week's news

RUBBER: In addition to vast amounts of regular crops, Siberia will produce huge quantities of material for synthetic rubber this year, a Moscow report disclosed.

REFUGEES: Spokesmen for the British-American conference in Hamilton, Bermuda, on the European refugee problem said that any plan for permanent settlement of refugees must be based on the "iron rule" of the "one man, one job" principle.

TUNISIA:

Nazis Counter-Attack

Fighting stubbornly to delay the inevitable day of reckoning, Axis troops sought desperately to prevent the Allied armies from further narrowing their last hold in Tunisia.

On both the north and south fronts, German counter-attacks were followed by successful Allied thrusts that wrested mountainous terrain from the enemy and forced the Axis armies nearer to their last-stand positions.

In the north, the British First Army pushed southeast after repelling major enemy assaults in the Medjez-el-Bab sector, destroying more than one-third of the Nazi tanks opposing them.

In the north, General Montgomery's British Eighth Army made important gains in the strategic hill country north and west of Enfidaville which brought it closer to Tunis.

Meanwhile, bombers of the Allied tactical air force kept up constant attacks against the few remaining Axis-held airfields.

RUSSIA:

Caucasus Front Active

Continuing to employ "strive at any cost" tactics, German armies in the Caucasus kept up full-scale attacks against the Russians in the Kuban delta despite heavy losses and lack of success in the early stages.

Two objectives were included in the Nazi plans, military observers believed. One was to relieve Soviet pressure on the enemy's bridgehead at Novorossisk. The other was to build up the momentum of a drive that might be the prelude to a new Axis spring offensive.

As the fighting increased in intensity, the activity of the opposing air forces was stepped up. German communiques reported that the Luftwaffe was strafing Red supply bases on the Black Sea coast. Soviet communiques revealed that while Red airmen had broken up one enemy effort to ferry reinforcements across the Black sea to Novorossisk, the Germans had succeeded later in providing substantial reinforcements for their army in the Caucasus bridgehead.

POSTWAR FINANCE:

Congress Holds Reins

Voting to extend for two years the President's authority over the \$2,000,000,000 currency stabilization fund, the house adopted an amendment designed to prevent the use of this money in the \$5,000,000,000 international banking fund proposed by Treasury Secretary Morgenthau for a postwar world bank.

The senate had previously withdrawn the President's power to devalue the dollar while approving continuance of his power of the stabilization fund.

In effect, the house amendment introduced by Representative Reed of Illinois gave congress control over the \$2,000,000,000 stabilization fund and the proposed postwar banking fund. House leaders indicated that congress would provide funds for the latter, in the event it was set up.

U-BOAT DAMAGE:

More Ships the Remedy

Calling submarine losses of United Nations shipping "heavy but not disastrous," the Truman senate committee revealed that approximately 1,000,000 tons a month were sunk last year—or more than the total tonnage built by the United States and Britain combined in 1942. Adding that losses were reduced in the latter months of the year, the report declared: "The submarine menace can and will be effectively met."

Most effective answer to the U-boat threat will be increases in new construction of merchant ships and escort vessels this year, the committee said. The report estimated that between 18 and 19 million deadweight tons will be built in 1943, compared with 8,000,000 tons last year.

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VACATIONS:

Public Must Co-operate

Summer vacations by train for Americans remained a probability in spite of a ruling by the Office of Defense Transportation that no additional summer train service requiring the use of Pullman sleeping car equipment would be authorized. Rail officials expressed the belief that regular services would be sufficient to accommodate vacationists if the public is willing to accept inconveniences and co-operate by spreading travel throughout the week.

Only exception to the curtailment policy, the ODT stated, will be "coach trains operated in the period between Saturday noon and Sunday midnight utilizing primarily commuter equipment otherwise idle in that period and additional trains of semi-commuter type operated on other days of the week within a radius of approximately 50 miles of a terminus."

All other requests for extra coach or parlor-car train service for daily, tri-weekly or week-end summer operations will be denied, the ODT indicated.

DRAFT:

Payrollers on Call

Probability that many of the 840,000 draft-eligible men on government payrolls would be inducted into the armed forces was seen in the selective service's ruling that federal workers could not be deferred for occupational reasons except through examination of individual cases by a special presidential committee.

Up to the present, thousands of government workers had been given deferred classification as essential. Selective service announced that effective May 15, the 6,500 local boards must submit monthly to Major General Hershey, for transmission to congress, the names and numbers of federal employees classified as 2-A or 2-B, the classes of deferment for occupational reasons.

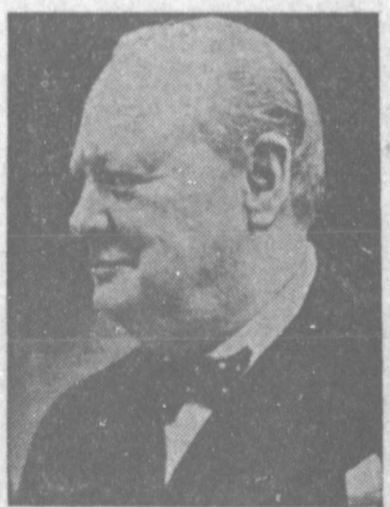
POISON GAS:

British Ready

Prime Minister Churchill had warned the Nazis several times previously that the use of poison gas on any front would result in immediate retaliation by the British. Now he cautioned the enemy again, adding that he had received reports that "Hitler is making preparations for using poison gas against the Russian front."

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WAR BUILDING

With the completion of the major part of the building construction necessary for full-scale armament production, a shift of men and materials from construction to other fields is now under way, the department of commerce reported.

The department estimated a decline of 22 per cent in new construction in the first quarter of 1943 compared with the last quarter of 1942. New construction amounted to \$200,000 in the first three months of this year.

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Flying Fortress Dishes It Out

By Capt. Clyde B. Walker

(WNU Feature—Through special arrangement with The American Magazine.)

We were carrying some mighty heavy stuff for Jerry in our big Flying Fortress.

Leaving our home field in England at six o'clock in the morning, our objective was the submarine pens at Lorient, France.

As we approached, somebody yelled "Flak!" and the anti-aircraft shells broke around us. At the same time the ball turret gunner shouted "Wolves coming up!" He had sighted a dozen German fighters, Focke-Wulf 190s, climbing fast from downstairs.

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Modern life with its hurry and worry, irregular habits, improper eating and drinking, its risk of exposure, and infection—brings heavy strains on the work of the kidneys. They are apt to become over-taxed and fail to filter excess acid and other impurities from the life-giving blood.

You may suffer nagging backache, headache, dizziness, getting up at night, leg pain, swelling—feel constantly tired, nervous, all warn out. Other signs of kidney or bladder disorder are sometimes burning, scanty or too frequent urination.

Try Doan's Pills. Doan's help the kidneys to pass off harmful excess body waste. They have had more than half a century of public approval. Are recommended by grateful users everywhere. Ask your druggist!

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For relief from kidney and bladder trouble. Doan's Pills are the most reliable remedy for kidney and bladder trouble.

Star Dust

STAGE-SCREEN-RADIO
Released by Western Newspaper Union

By VIRGINIA VALE

MARGARET SULLAVAN'S willingness to return to the screen in order to play "Smitty" in "Cry Havoc" indicates that the picture will really be something special. Absent from pictures since she made "Back Street" in 1941, she's resisted all efforts to lure her in front of the cameras. Merle Oberon gave illness as a reason for resigning from the



MARGARET SULLAVAN

role. Joan Crawford left the cast because this would have been her third successive war picture, and she felt that the role assigned her wasn't satisfactory.

Hollywood's best oriental actors flatly refused to portray Japanese soldiers, so Director Richard Wallace got the Japs for major and minor roles in "Bombardier" out of the make-up box. RKO faces the same problem in "Behind the Rising Sun."

Fred Gierrman, character actor, has an odd reason for wanting the war to end. "I haven't been out of a Nazi uniform as an actor for the last seven months," he explains. "Five Graves to Cairo," with Franchot Tone and Anne Baxter, is his latest.

You'll see most of the cast of that swell picture, "Cagliostro," in "The Conspirators"; Humphrey Bogart, Paul Henreid, Sydney Greenstreet and Helmut Dantine all have leading roles. Ann Sheridan has the leading feminine role.

Bill Stern, whose "News of the Day" newsreel is a favorite with moviegoers, is happy because now he can make predictions on the air. His NBC Sports Newsreel has been a Saturday feature, and he felt that even an expert couldn't predict the outcome of the following Saturday's games without sticking his chin out. Now he's broadcasting on Friday evenings, which is better.

Albert Parker was a noted director, until he lost his eyesight seven years ago as a result of an automobile accident. Recently Director Frank Tuttle, shooting a street scene in Prague for "Hostages," decided to use a blind man with a seeing-eye dog. He thought of his friend Parker, who thus, for a brief time, will once more take part in the making of a motion picture.

Black-haired Mona Berle was the first extra hired by Producers Williams Fine and Thomas when they began making pictures for Paramount nearly three years ago. They've found a spot for her in every picture they've made since—currently she's in "Tornado," which stars Chester Morris and Nancy Kelly. "She's good luck to us," say the two Bills.

Private Harry Keaton of Fort Greely, Alaska, thought that the pretty girl he asked to dance with him was one of the civilian nurses. Some time afterward he learned that she was Marjorie Reynolds, who'd danced with Fred Astaire in "Hollywood Inn" and teamed with Bing Crosby in "Dixie." By that time Marjorie had moved on to the next camp in her Alaskan tour.

Sol Lesser, producer of "Stage Door Canteen," feels that the public ought not to pay an extra premium for quality picture entertainment, at least for the duration, according to a recent announcement. So, although "Stage Door Canteen" could undoubtedly run on and on at advanced prices, it released only in key cities at first, and shown twice a day, it will be made available for general runs as soon as it is released. "This is a soldier's love story," says Mr. Lesser, "and it belongs to the public."

ODDS AND ENDS—Claudette Colbert, spent her No. 17 shoe stamp on a pair of luggage ton pumps—said she chose them because they'd harmonize with any other color. . . . Dennis Day expects to leave on an overseas entertainment tour the middle of June. . . . "Those Ifs Lovers" will move into the air spot vacated by Jack Benny's program for the summer; the last Benny broadcast will be May 30. . . . When Marguerite Chapman was a telephone operator, in her pre-movie days, her "employment number" was 306; now that she's starring in Columbia's "Appointment in Sin" with George Sanders, her dress number

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Can't Beat 'Em
An American soldier in England was giving some illustrations of the size of his country. "You can board a train in the State of Texas at dawn," he said impressively, "and 24 hours later you'll still be in Texas."

"Yes," said one of his English listeners, with feeling, "we've got trains like that here, too."

Sent the Scat
His teacher sent a note home with Johnny asking his mother to give him a bath. The next day Johnny brought an answer:

"Dear Miss Smith, When I send Johnny to school I send him to be learnt, and not to be smelt; he ain't no roe."

Added Weight
Visitor—Sonny, what's the noise upstairs?
Sonny—Ma's dragging pa's pants across the floor.

Visitor—That shouldn't make that much noise?
Sonny—I know; but pa is in 'em.

Some women walk to reduce; some husbands are reduced to walking.

Transferred
The little woman had worried the grocer over trifles at the busiest time of the day, and at last he had managed to satisfy her.

"Do you know, Mr. Peck," said the woman, "when I came into your shop I had a dreadful headache. I've quite lost it now."
"It isn't lost," said the distracted grocer, "I've got it!"

To Be Sure It's Simple With the Man's Hat Off!

A woman entered the photographer's shop and addressed the proprietor thusly: "I want this photograph of my husband enlarged. Now, do you think you can remove the hat? I do not like it on him."

The photographer carefully studied the portrait for a time.

"Yes," he said at last. "I think I can manage to fake the hair all right. By the way, you'll have to tell me on which side he parts his hair. I must know that."

The woman thought for a moment, then said: "Oh, I just can't remember, but you'll be able to see that when you take his hat off."

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ASK ME ANOTHER?

A quiz with answers offering information on various subjects

- The Questions**
1. The solid part of the earth is called what?
 2. What American general is called "Blood and Guts"?
 3. What proportion of U. S. senators is elected every two years?
 4. What type of song is a bar-carole?
 5. What is a plexis?
 6. What is meant by carte blanche?
 7. Who was the first President of the United States to be born under the flag of the United States of America?
 8. The liquor derived from sugar cane is called what?
 9. What is the approximate depth and width of the Grand Canyon?

True Enough

Some visitors were inspecting a junior class in the school and things were going rather badly. When the teacher asked if any little girl could recite something, only one small hand shot up.

"That's a good girl, Betty," said teacher encouragingly. "Now step out in front of the class. What can you say for us?"

"Nelson's Farewell to His Mother," replied Betty brightly. "Splendid! Begin."

"Ta-ta, mum!" said Betty dramatically, waving her hand in the air.

Uncle Phil Says:

THE trouble about seeing both sides of a question is that both sides go for you for being on the other.

It's true that you can do almost anything you desire to do; the trouble is making yourself desire to do it.

It may not be possible to find the perfect girl, but there's a lot of fun in the hunting.

Well, we've certainly got the right material for making a new world. The old one was fashioned out of chaos.

The man who sits down to wait for Opportunity to appear should put a good cushion in the chair.

A compromise is what two people arrive at to their mutual dissatisfaction.

When you have a bad neighbor, one who just doesn't get along with you despite your every effort, doesn't it rather reassure you when you find out that he quarrels with all the other neighbors, too?

ON THE HOME FRONT with RUTH WYETH SPEARS



BAY windows are much in vogue again. One reason for this is that modern methods of hanging curtains make bay windows more attractive than they used to be in the Gay Nineties when they were a feature of so many houses.

In those old houses the vertical lines of woodwork and wall showing between windows made the bay seem like a coop stuck on the outside of the house. Many home owners had the bays removed because, while they actually added

space, they made rooms seem small and cluttered.

Today curtains are hung to cover both wall and woodwork around the individual windows in the bay. This brings the group of windows together as a unit and makes the bay seem a broad and spacious part of the room. The sketch at the right shows a standard fixture that allows curtains to extend beyond the window frame; but don't rush out to buy new rods. The chances are that your old rods may be extended over the wall if you wire them to hooks or staples at the upper corners of the window frames.

NOTE—If you are planning new curtains, you will want a copy of Mrs. Spears' booklet that illustrates twelve different styles of curtains with directions for making them; including a simple home-made rigging for draw curtains. Ask for BOOK 1, and enclose 15 cents with name and address to:

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AROUND THE HOUSE

Save worn-out garden hose to be cut into pieces for looping up vines or holding young trees in position. Thread a piece of wire about six inches longer through a cut piece. After looping about the branch or small tree, draw ends of wire firmly together and fasten by bending over each other in opposite directions. Slip the fastened wire ends forward into the hose and adjust so that the opening is out of sight.

To mend small holes in window screen, put a piece of mosquito netting over the hole and coat it with varnish. When dry, apply another coat or two.

Woolen garments will retain their fluffiness and will not shrink if a teaspoonful of glycerine is added to the warm water in which they are washed and rinsed.

If you find fruit jars difficult to get clean after cold packing corn or meat, rub the jar with salt and wash in the usual way.

Baking materials are precious these days; and burning a cake is little short of a tragedy. When putting a cake into the oven set an alarm clock for the time the cake should be finished baking. This is a big help, especially when visitors drop in, and one is apt to forget all about the cake in the oven.

Vinegar eliminates odors. Don't put away a frying pan that smells of onions, fish or some other strong-flavored food. Put some vinegar in the pan and bring to a boil. Then wash as usual.

When making berry pies, mix with the fruit measurement for one pie about two tablespoons fine quick-cooking tapioca to make a clear thick juice that should not run out during baking and that will serve neatly.

Here is a good tip for making woolen jumpers fit properly at the waist. Knitters know how sometimes the ribbing, even although done on smaller needles, will stretch round the waist, and the jumper will tend to ride up at the back. To prevent this, sew a narrow piece of elastic, waist measurement, round the inside of the jumper, at the top of the ribbing. The elastic should be sewn loosely so that it will not show on the right side.

Put a sponge in the bottom of your potted plants and you won't have to water them so often.

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W. S. Pancake Flour, 20 oz. box 9c	Kollogg Corn Flakes, regular box 10c
Lemons, per dozen 25c	New Potatoes, 10 lb. for 49c
Green Beans, lb. 21c	Soap Chips, G. W., giant size 55c

Prunes, nice ones Per lb. only 12c	Tomatoes, 16 points No. 2 can for only 8c	Carrots, nice ones Two large bunches 9c
Oxydol, large size 23c	Ground Meat, per lb. 25c	Shortening, 4 lb. for 68c

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for the Summer revival. An
announcement will be made later
concerning the workers

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The P. T. A. held their last
meeting of the year Wednesday
afternoon. The president, Mrs
Snowden, called the meeting to
order and installed the new offi-
cers for the coming year. They
are:
President, Mrs. R. G. Vinson
Vice pres. Mrs. Leon Reeves
Treas. Mrs. T. J. Cherry
Sec., Mrs. Ross Adamson
After the installation Mrs. Vin-
son reported on the district meet-
ing at Lubbock.

Mrs. Bob Watkins and daugh-
ter have returned from San Jon,
N. Mex. where she has been
teaching school.

Dave Mendenhall of Wichita
Falls and Buford Mendenhall
and family of Hereford are here
on account of the illness of their
mother, Mrs. W. D. Mendenhall.

Mrs. O. E. Bailey and sons
have returned from Skillet,
where she taught school the past
year.

Mrs. Monroe Smith of Amaril
visited here this week.

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rarily located in the office of the
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through June 15

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2 used. Each holder of Book 2
allowed 16 points per week. Red
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